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Zebulon Softball League Has Four Entries from Men

The Zebulon Recreation Leagues will begin first round of play in softball on Tuesday night at 7:30 when the Zebulon Lions Club meets the American Legion nine on the lighted Wakelon diamond. The fast Pilot team which waltzed to a championship in open competition last year will meet the National Guard Cannoneers in the nightcap.

Only four teams have been entered in the men's leagues, and contests will be scheduled for Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday of each week, with the first game starting promptly at 7:30.

Other softball contests will be played between teams of women and teenagers, and the preliminary contest on Friday night of each week will be open to all.

Final Rosters Soon

Tentative rosters for the team were turned in to Carlton Mitchell today. Final rosters must be turned in on or before June 15.

Fifteen minutes warm-up will be allowed between games. Other rules established by the Recreation Commission require the home team to furnish game balls and umpires.

The present schedule for next week, which may be changed, lists a Girls' game and Lions vs. Guard on Thursday night; and Pilot vs. the Legion on Friday night.

New Methodist Mission Leader Entertains Group

Mrs. W. D. Finch entertained the executive committee of the W. S. C. S., of which she is the newly-elected president, on Monday afternoon. Delicious angel food cake and iced tea was served to the following officers: Mrs. C. E. Flowers, vice-president; Mrs. Pearl Massey, recording secretary; Mrs. M. J. Sexton, Christian social relations and local church activities chairman;

Mrs. Jethro Stell, students' work; Mrs. S. E. Mercer, youth work; Mrs. John Terry, children's work; Mrs. Whitley Chamblee, promotional secretary; Mrs. S. G. Flowers, spiritual life; Mrs. A. R. House, literature and publications; and Mrs. Joe Tippet, mission study leader.

Zebulon National Guard Gets Amphibious Truck

Combined sections training for the men of Battery A will be conducted Monday night, the final drill before the local unit of the National Guard makes its scheduled trip to Fort Bragg during the weekend of June 9-10 for service practice with its 105mm howitzers. Nearly every one of the 60 officers and men in the battery plan to make the trip.

On Tuesday the unit received one of the newest models of U. S. Army trucks, a 3-4 ton Dodge which is waterproofed and can, if necessary, operate under as much as eight feet of water.

CWO Clifford Gilliam, administrative assistant for the unit, stated yesterday that men are still being enlisted in the National Guard. He urged men 17 years and older to contact him at any time at the Armory on Vance Street.

HOOVER CITES TOP GRAIN GROWER



The threat of a farm-food crisis and a predicted short 1951 wheat crop drew former president Herbert Hoover (right) to help Senator E. J. Thye of Minnesota (left) and P. S. Pillsbury crown Oscar Barnes this year's Wheat King in an effort to emphasize the importance of good farming.

Barnes is tenth winner of the annual Philip W. Pillsbury award for the best wheat grown in the United States. He received his award at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York as the climax to an expense-paid trip for himself and his wife from Nunn, Colorado, and back.

High School Graduation Exercises Held at Wakelon on Wednesday

The final assembly of the 1950-51 Wakelon School year was held yesterday morning in the school auditorium when Principal W. R. Whittenton presented awards and letters to a host of students who excelled in athletics and scholarship.

In home rooms, final report cards were given to students, who breathed a sigh of relief and headed off for summer vacations.

Diplomas were awarded the graduating seniors Wednesday night, following an address by Roy Armstrong of the University of North Carolina. Fifteen boys and fifteen girls made up the graduating class.

Other awards made Wednesday night the W. H. Chamblee award for meritorious achievement in agriculture, which was won this year by Warren Greene, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Greene. This award,

consisting of a certificate and \$10 cash, is given by The Zebulon Record. Joe Ellen Gill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irby Gill, won the girls' athletic award; and Bobby Kitchings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kitchings, the boys' athletic award.

Herbert Privette, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Privette, earned the citizenship award for the school year.

Rotary Peace Award

The Rotary World Peace award, presented each year by the Zebulon Rotary Club, was won by Ann Allman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Allman.

The Woodman of the World American History Award, presented by the Little River Camp of the Woodmen of the World, was awarded to Jean Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Richardson.

Wake County Rent Control Office Forcing Refunds of Excess Charges

Tenants in the Wake County area received refunds totaling \$2,164.17 during the past sixty days following action by the local rent office on their complaints of rental overcharges, R. B. Lewis, Wake County Area Rent Director, reported today.

The majority of the refunds were made at informal conferences in the rent office with a rent office negotiator serving as arbiter at a face to face conference of landlord and tenant.

The new procedure, known officially as the landlord-tenant conference plan, was recently in-

troduced by the rent office to settle disputes between landlord and tenant with a minimum of red tape. Mr. Lewis reported that the new procedure has resulted in speedy settlement of complaints, with justice to landlord and tenant alike.

"Surprisingly enough," Mr. Lewis commented, "both landlord and tenant usually leave the conferences happy and satisfied. When tenant and landlord discuss their grievances face to face, both seem to learn to appreciate the other's problems."

Rent regulations provide that a tenant may be entitled to sue a landlord for triple damages where rents in excess of the legal ceiling have been charged.

Tenants who feel their rents are excessively high may obtain information about the legal rental ceiling at the rent office at 303 Capital Club Building, the rent director said. Landlords who believe they are entitled to an increase in rent may obtain information and assistance in filing a petition for an increase at the same office.

LEGION MEETING

The American Legion will have a pig barbecue supper Wednesday night, June 6, at 7 p. m., at the Zebulon Woman's Club building. A speaker has been engaged for the meeting. Legionnaires and their guests are cordially invited.

Wake County Health Officer Asks Citizens to Take Advantage of '51 Vaccination for Typhoid, Diphtheria

By Dr. A. C. Bulla

Typhoid fever, since the peak year of its occurrence in 1922 when 71 cases and 9 deaths were reported, has almost reached the vanishing point. The highest number of cases reported in any one year during the last five years has been 3. Up to the present time this year, there has been one case reported.

The greatest number of cases of diphtheria was reported in 1922; during that year 257 cases were reported and 15 deaths occurred. This disease, like typhoid fever,

has been reported in fewer and fewer numbers each year, but still there were 10 cases reported in 1950. Whooping cough has followed the same trend, with 617 cases reported and 20 deaths recorded; in 1950 there were 51 cases and no deaths.

These three major communicable and reportable diseases present what we consider an index to what can be done to control and prevent communicable diseases from occurring in the general population and to reduce the death rates from these diseases to a minimum.

Typhoid Vaccinations

Vaccination for typhoid fever may be given to any age group above one year. Vaccination against whooping cough should be given certainly as early as three months, and for diphtheria as early as 6 to 7 months of age. The vaccination against diphtheria and whooping cough may be given in a combined dose and repeated monthly until three doses have been administered, or they may be given separately. A booster dose should be given at two to three years of age and again at 5 1-2 to 6 years of age before the child enters school. Typhoid fever vaccination is given in three doses at 7 days intervals, and a booster should be administered each year thereafter.

87 Dispensary Points

The 87 dispensary points arranged throughout the county in communities most convenient to the greatest number of people will give the parents of infants and young children an opportunity to have them protected against diphtheria and whooping cough, and older children and adults an opportunity to protect themselves against typhoid fever. Please remember the place, day and hour for vaccination in your community.

Fetes Dancing Class

Mrs. H. C. Wade gave a party Friday afternoon on the school campus for the members of her dancing class in the four to seven years age group.

Monday night she entertained the advanced group at a dance in the Wakelon gymnasium. In addition to the dancing games were played. Refreshments were served later in the evening.

Zebulon Baptist Church Plans Caswell Journey, Vacation Bible School

The pastor, Carlton T. Mitchell, will preach on the theme "A Sound Mind in a Sound Body" at the regular morning worship service at the local Baptist Church. Miss Helen Wall will sing "Suffer the Little Children" and the Adult Choir will sing the anthem.

The observance of the Lord's Supper will take place at the eight o'clock vesper service. The Youth Choir will present the music.

To Fort Caswell

The young people of the Baptist Church leave today for Fort Caswell where they will hold a religious encampment. Approximately thirty-five young people are planning to make the trip.

The program at the encampment will include morning watch services, fireside vespers, Bible study and discussion, music, hymnology, a worship workshop, discussion periods on the interpretation of Christianity in modern life, and student-conduct worship services. An organized program of recreation will include swimming, softball and general outdoor games as well as folk games and other indoor games. The camp is under the direction of Mr. Cannady and Mr. Mitchell.

Vacation Bible School

The Vacation Bible School at the local church will begin with Preparation Day on Friday evening June 8 and continue through the Commencement Service on Sunday evening, June 24. Classes will be held for all ages 3-17. The school will begin at nine o'clock each morning.

ELECTRICAL TIPS FOR THE HOME

If You Are Bothered by Frequent Blowing of Fuses . . .



DON'T court danger by using pennies or over-size fuses to prevent interruption of the current. When a fuse blows, it's your warning that something definitely is wrong.

DO check to determine the cause. The trouble may be a faulty cord, more likely it's an overloaded circuit. If so, you'll need another circuit to make your wiring as efficient as your appliances.