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YES CHILDREN, AMERICA'S CAPITAL WAS DESIGNED BY A DOCTOR.

A WEST INDIAN PHYSICIAN DREW THE PLANS FOR THE UNITED STATES CAPITAL BUILDING. AS A PRIZE FOR HIS WORK DR. WILLIAM THORNTON RECEIVED \$500 FROM THE GOVERNMENT IN 1793.



ON OCTOBER 12 EACH YEAR, 40 STATES HONOR THE MEMORY OF CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS IN NEW YORK CITY. IT'S THE OCCASION OF ONE OF THE YEAR'S BIG PARADES. WISCONSIN OBSERVES THE DATE AS "LANDING DAY" IN NORTH DAKOTA AND INDIANA, OCTOBER 12 IS "DISCOVERY DAY."

MORE THAN 18,600 MILES OF FOREST WINDBREAKS WERE PLANTED BY HAND IN MID-WESTERN STATES BETWEEN 1934 AND 1941. AT LEAST 90 PERCENT OF THESE 217 MILLION TREES SURVIVED AND TODAY PROVIDE SHELTER, EROSION CONTROL, SHADE AND USEFUL WOOD MATERIALS TO THOUSANDS OF FARMERS.



LACROSSE. A BALL GAME PLAYED BY NORTH AMERICAN INDIANS LONG BEFORE THE ARRIVAL OF WHITE MEN. IS PLAYED AT 30 COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES TODAY. NATIONAL INTER-COLLEGIATE LACROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP QUESTION IS THE WINNER'S TROPHY AWARDED EACH YEAR.



Zebulon Members Of National Guard Stand Inspection

"Your men are far superior to your facilities," Colonel J. C. Salmon, 3rd Army Inspector General, told Capt. Barrie Davis following the inspection of Battery A of the 113th Field Artillery Battalion. Although citing the need for further improvement, Col. Salmon was well pleased with the appearance and training of the men in the Zebulon National Guard unit.

A rating of "Excellent" was awarded the battery by the Inspector General.

Col. Salmon and his assistant, WO Owens, began the inspection at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, checking carefully all the records and equipment. Only minor faults were found, and the inspector complimented Cpl. Elton Price, caretaker, on the excellent condition of the vehicles.

In his tour of the armory, which is located in the rear of the Town of Zebulon Water Plant, Col. Salmon observed that the building was inadequate for an armory, unsafe for storage of government property, and a handicap to the men.

Personal Check

During the first hour of drill Monday night, a personal inspection of each man in the battery was conducted. Col. Salmon questioned the men on their knowledge of the organization and functions of sections in the battery and on their personal duties.

"Your men are well-instructed on their duties, which is proved by the excellent grade they received for their work in summer camp," the Colonel told Capt. Davis, "but more work should be given to the fundamentals of first aid, which may save their lives sometime in the future."

Voices Compliments

Col. Salmon voiced high compliments of the men in the battery. "They are good men," he said, "with strong faces. They will make excellent soldiers." He stated that the appearance of the majority of the men was deserving of a superior rating, but "two of the men looked as though they had just crawled out of bed with their uniforms on, and a superior rating means that everything is perfect."

Two of the classes drew praise from the Inspector General. Sgt. John Clark's communications class, conducted in the Boy Scout hut, was cited by the Colonel as superior. Sgt. Clark was reviewing the past year's work, and his men were setting up a complete telephone system, with phones and switchboard in operation.

Other Class Cited

The other class cited by the Colonel was attended by the cannoners, who were taught the fundamentals of map reading by Lt. James Potter, executive officer. Lt. Potter used charts and a motion picture in his class.

Visitors attending the drill including Major Edward Yarborough, commanding officer of the 113th Field Artillery Battalion from Louisburg; Major Darrell Perry, Battalion Executive Officer; Lt. Col. Arthur C. Ball, Regular Army Instructor; Capt. Collin McKinne, Battalion Operations and Training Officer; Capt. Malcolm Holmes, commanding officer of Headquarters Battery; and Sfc. Frank, assistant to the Regular Army Instructor.

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LOCAL COACH



Pictured is Herbert L. Holt, assistant coach at Wakelon School for the 1951-52 school year. Mr. Holt, a graduate of Wake Forest College, is a native of Wilmington.

Cadet Clويد Wade Is Honored at Riverside

Riverside Military Academy of Gainesville and Hollywood, Florida, has announced military promotions for 1951-52, based on the records of each of the more than 500 cadets enrolled from 36 states and territories, and 16 foreign countries.

Military promotion is a signal honor since Riverside is one of the nation's most distinguished military school units with official designation as an Honor School on 28 annual inspections by the Department of the Army since originally named in 1923.

Promotions are based on academic, military, and conduct grades in combination with efficiency and character ratings by the staff, following a "try out" period of "temporary" appointments.

Among those promoted was Cadet H. C. Wade, son of Mr. H. C. Wade, Zebulon. Cadet Wade was advanced to the grade of Sergeant assigned to Company "D."

State Fair Winner

Ruth Temple, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Temple won 2nd prize and \$3.00 for a school dress, 3rd prize and \$2.00 for a housecoat, 2nd prize and \$1.00 for tomato juice, for her exhibits with the 4-H Club at N. C. State Fair in Raleigh last week.

Ruth also won a total of \$13.25 for her exhibits of sewing, canning and cooking at the local fair.

Heating Checkup For Farm Homes Urged by Agent

With cold weather approaching, it's a good idea for farm families to check their heating equipment and make sure it's in good condition for safe winter service, says Grady Miller, Wake County farm agent for the State College Extension Service.

Farm property fires always increase in both numbers and severity as the winter season approaches. A little attention to the problem now may save costly and tragic fires later in the season, says the county agent.

Winter also usually brings a toll of casualties from carbon monoxide. This deadly gas is colorless and odorless and gives no warning.

Defective chimneys rank high as a cause of farm fires during the heating season. All joints should be tight and a spark arrester installed when combustible roofs are nearby. All stove and furnace pipes should be put in good condition and located a safe distance from combustible walls, ceilings, curtains, and papers.

Safety Suggestions

The National Safety Council makes these additional suggestions:

Repair cracks or other defects and replace rusted and burned-out stove and furnace pipes.

Make sure that combustible materials are protected. Use a metal or asbestos floor covering under wood or coal-burning stoves. Use double metal-ventilated thimbles where stove pipes pass through walls.

Never use petroleum products to start or hasten a fire.

See that tank heaters, feed heaters, and other type of heating equipment around the farmstead are installed safely and kept in good repair.

Make sure that dampers in stoves and furnaces are never closed enough to force carbon monoxide or other gases out into the room.

P-TA SUPPER

A barbecue supper will be served in the Wakelon cafeteria tonight from 5:30 to 8:00 by the Wakelon School Parent-Teacher Association. Plates are \$1 each.

Proceeds from the supper will be used to help finance the PTA project for the year.

Liquor Cause of Most Cases Tried In Recorder's Court on Wednesday

Truett H. Bunn of Route 3, Spring Hope, received a light sentence for careless and reckless driving from Judge Irby D. Gill in the Zebulon Recorder's Court Wednesday, paying a \$25 fine and costs for the offense. In a second case against him, Judge Gill assessed him \$200 fine and costs after finding him guilty of driving after his license had been revoked. The judge also recommended that the license be revoked for an additional period.

H. L. Baker of Raleigh pleaded guilty of operating a motor vehicle without a permit and was ordered to pay the costs.

Charlie Daniels, colored, of Raleigh, was found guilty of speeding 65 mph and fined \$50 and costs.

Charlie Webb, colored of Zebulon, was fined \$50 and costs for speeding 65 mph and \$25 and costs for driving with no license.

Joetta Gillespie, colored, paid a \$50 fine and costs when she was found guilty of public drunkenness

in Zebulon. James Edward Gillespie, colored, paid a like sum for the same offense.

William H. Robertson, Route 3, Spring Hope, was found guilty of drunken driving and fined \$125 and costs and his license was ordered revoked for one year.

Chester Smith, colored, was fined \$10 and costs for public drunkenness in Zebulon.

Ray Oakley, Route 1, Zebulon, was fined \$25 and costs for careless and reckless driving.

Nathaniel Christmas, colored, of Route 1, Wendell, was found guilty of assault and sentenced to four months in the Wake County jail. Notice of appeal was given and bond set at \$300.

Bailey Carl Stallings, white, of Route 2, Zebulon, was sentenced to four months in the Wake County jail for drunken driving. Notice of appeal was given in this case and bond was set at \$300.

Hazel Dunston, colored male of Bunn, was fined \$125 and costs for drunken driving.

Lions' Club Talent Group to Hold Last Preliminary on Saturday Night

The final preliminary contest in the parade of talented performers appearing in the Saturday night shows sponsored by the Zebulon Lions Club will compete this week in the Wakelon auditorium. The top three winners will enter the grand finals next Saturday night with the winners of the four previous contests.

Proceeds from the Talent Nights will be used in the special education work being done at Wakelon by Miss Becky Talbert.

On the program this week, according to Worth Hinton, are the following:

The Raleigh Hillbilly Band, Miss Sarah Tippitt, pianist; the Bissette Trio of Middlesex; Margie Morgan and her accordian; Peggy Greene;

Alice Faye Hinton of Corinth-Holders; Terry Kemp of the Hin-nant Studio of Dance, Wilson; Sexton Johnson, soloist of Raleigh;

Richard Bullock, soloist of Wakefield; Samaria Quartette; Sammy Bissette, the whistling man from Middlesex; Vick Broughton of Rolesville; the Hucklebucklers of Angier;

Duke Trio of Hopkins Chapel; Donnie Creech of Middlesex; the fiddling man, Uncle Billy Johnson, from Selma; Donnie Creech of Middlesex; Little Miss Faye Griswold;

The Johnson and Liles Duet of Raleigh; Bobby Sawyer; and Aleigh Johnson, pianist for the Swingbilly Band.

Guest for this Saturday night are Mozelle Phillips and the Original Carolina Swingbilly Band of Station WMTM, Smithfield.

Halloween Carnival At Wakelon Oct. 31

The spooks and goblins will be howling around Wakelon School Wednesday night of next week when the annual Halloween Carnival takes place in the auditorium and the gymnasium, according to Mrs. Coressa Chamblee.

A special program will be given in the auditorium at 7:30, she said, and then the fun will begin at the gymnasium where unusual booths and attractions have been prepared.

Speeding on Streets and Highways Causes 17,195 Arrests in 9 Months

Speeding on the streets and highways of the state resulted in the arrest and conviction of 17,195 North Carolina motorists during the first nine months of the year. The Department of Motor Vehicles, in releasing the figures today, reported speeders as the major offenders in the department's campaign for general highway safety. September, the department added, was the worst month of the third quarter with 2,580 speeding violations reported. The overall summary of traffic violations, however, was generally lower than the first nine months of 1950.

During the third quarter of this year the department recorded, in addition to the 17,195 speeding offenses, 10,074 reckless driving violations and 10,833 cases of no operator's license. The three classifi-

cations were by far the major offenses listed on the department's summary.

Other offenses accounted for the following convictions: faulty equipment, 3,100; improper passing, 1,139; failing to stop at stop sign, 2,165 and bad lights, 1,592.

Altogether 52,032 North Carolina motorists were found guilty of moving violations on the highways of the state, an encouraging drop from the 73,228 convicted of like charges during the first nine months last year.

Biggest decreases for the same period were noted in the number of motorists accused of having improper lights, 3,299 last year as against 1,598 this year, and disregard for the safety and rights of others down from 165 last year to 51.