

Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Whitley's little daughter, Jeannette, is in Rex Hospital seriously ill with membranous croup.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Shorter of Lynchburg, Va., en route home from their bridal trip, paid a short visit to relatives in Zebulon Saturday. Mrs. Shorter is the former Louise Farmer of Gladys, Va., a niece of Mrs. Theo. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Crafton Hudson have returned from Detroit, Mich., where they were called last week by the death of Mr. Hudson's brother-in-law, James D. Mickler.

Mrs. H. A. Hodge, Jr., is in Mary Elizabeth Hospital recuperating from a burn.

Mrs. Morris Hood called her daughter, Miss Jewel Hood, who is attending U. S. C., in Southern California, on December 26th. Miss Hood will graduate as a Dental Hygienist in June.

Cpl. Royce Hood returned to Ft. Benning, Ga., January 2nd, after a fifteen day leave at home.

The Wallace Temples visited the Jack Temples in Lillington Sunday.

Joe Wood returned home from Rex Hospital Friday following an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Douglas Finch was confined to her bed for a good part of last week but is much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Watson were dinner guests of the Homer Blantons in Raleigh Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sexton are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Dick Swain and her baby daughter, in Wilmington, Delaware. They were accompanied by Mrs. A. S. Hinton, who is visiting her son, Charles Hinton.

Miss Irene Pitts of Raleigh spent the weekend with the Rodney McNabbs.

Dabney Gill is again a patient at McGuire General Hospital in Richmond.

Mrs. S. M. Washington of Louisville spent Thursday in Zebulon with her niece, Mrs. E. C. Daniel.

Little Patsy Hales, daughter of the W. C. Hales of Wilson, spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Rochelle Long.

Mrs. J. W. Strickland, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hales of Wilson spent the weekend in Lexington with Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Strickland.

The H. V. Andrews and Mrs. Ethel Parker visited the Norris Collins in Franklinton Sunday. From there they went to Lexington to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Snyder.

The J. P. Arnolds were dinner guests of the James Alford's Friday night.

Mrs. R. H. Brantley has been sick in bed with a terrible cold.

Mrs. Barker Kannon was called home to Norfolk Sunday night because of the illness of her father.

Pvt. Raymond Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Perry, is home on leave from Hamilton Field, Calif., because of the poor health of his mother.

Mrs. Lela Horton entertained at a dinner recently for her husband's brothers and sisters. Present were Mrs. Rigsbee and Mrs. Siddle Underhill of Wendell, and Dr. William Odie Underhill of Morganton.

Norman Lewis Dean of Wendell, nephew of Mrs. Ruric Gill, underwent an emergency operation for appendicitis Sunday night at Rex Hospital. He requires special nurses because of danger of strangulation following the operation due to a piece of corn in his wind-pipe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith returned to Nashville, Tenn., after spending Christmas wee with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kit-chings and the Hilliard Smiths.

Cpl. Robert Kitchings returned to Keelersville, Miss., after spending Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kit-chings.

Hostess at Bridge

Miss Ruby Dawson was hostess to her bridge club and a number of guests Friday night at her home on Gannon Avenue. Beautiful ponisetias decorated the living room where two tables of bridge were enjoyed.

After several progressions high and low score prizes for club members were presented Mrs. Armstrong Cannady and Mrs. Frederick Chamblee. High for guests was awarded to Mrs. Lois Wall.

Delicious refreshments of fruit cae with whipped cream, sandwiches, and coffee were served by the hostess.

Playing were Mesdames Wallace Temple, Norman M. Screws, Armstrong Cannady, Wilson Braswell, Frederick Chamblee, Lois Wall, Helen Gregory, and Miss Margaret Barrow.

Seen and Heard

Wife Judy said that for the first time she was glad Christmas is over. She says that she enjoyed it tremendously, but having it behind is a relief. That, a mother of five told her, is the result of having a son.

Mayor Worth Hinton reports that there is nothing to learning to dance. He had no trouble at all getting all the steps right. He runs into complications, however, fitting the steps to music.

A news story reveals the interesting information that in North Carolina there are 27,719 more women than there are men. From appearances, most married women do not realize how fortunate they are. If they did not have their present spouse, they would be battling against odds in obtaining another. The chances of a high school girl getting the man of her choice grows slimmer as the ratio of women to men goes up.

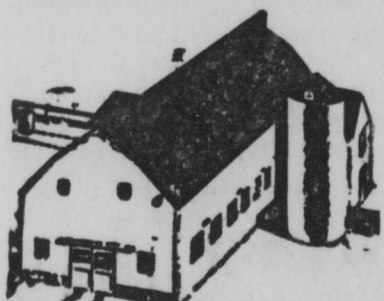
Bernice Bunn dropped by the town office to pay his town taxes the other day and dropped a check for over \$1,500.00 on the desk. Mrs. Hopkins glanced down at the check very casually and asked: "Do you want to pay your water bill?" Bernice gagged and then responded with one of his famous earth-shaking whoops.

Children are sad about classes resuming at school; but mothers are happy enough to make up for it.

An article the other day told of a mother of triplets who had to spend seven hours a day feeding the three. Knowing the time it takes to feed one, seven hours seems a very conservative figure for the time to feed three. Three

All Kinds of Insurance

FIRE, WIND, HAIL, AUTO, LIABILITY, CASUALTY, & HOSPITAL INSURANCE for any amount of coverage you wish to carry. **ALSO FARM LOANS**



D. D. Chamblee
THE INSURANCE MAN

is an awkward number of children to have. A mother can sometimes handle one or two. And if she has five or more, the family's financial worries are over. With three she has triple trouble in one dose.

The scarcity of rental apartments in Zebulon is alarming. There are an unusually small number built especially to rent. We asked the other day why somebody didn't make themselves some money by building rental property, what with the rents being paid nowadays. "Why don't you do it?" was the question which bounced right back at us. And, after mentally noting the condition of our post-Christmas bank account, we think we have the answer.

The atomic-bombs and supersonic weapons are beyond comprehension. But when the army starts talking about guns that will shoot around corners, they really capture my interest. This new development caught my favorite detective flat-footed, it seems. Dick Tracy has got to go some to regain his place in my esteem, even though he does have a wrist-watch radio.

Every home-owner needs one of the new shoot-around-the-corner guns. Can't you see father as he sneaks down the stairs, to investigate noises which sound like a burglar going through the silver chest. Father sneaks up to the dining room door, edges along the wall, pokes the end of the barrel into the living room, and blasts to pieces the ugly China vase Aunt Myrtle gave last Christmas, the picture of great-Uncle Zeke hanging over the fireplace, Grandma Susan's crystal whatsis, and the crocheted shawl Mother wore to milk the cows in 1927. You know, those guns might not be such a bad thing to have around the house.

LOWERY'S INSURANCE
AGENCY
All Kinds of Insurance
PHONE 2551 ZEBULON

BONITA'S BEAUTY BOX
Hair Styling
Bonita Bunn, Owner
Mrs. Sidney Holmes, Asst.
Merle Norman Cosmetics
Phone 4851

SAND YOUR FLOORS
yourself with a
RENTED MACHINE



Our powerful HILCO SANDERS make anybody an expert in refinishing floors. Hundreds of home-owners have used these machines with enthusiastic success and at very low cost.

Do your own work easily, quickly, inexpensively. We supply everything you need for the complete job.

JOHNSON COTTON COMPANY
WENDELL, N. C.

MODERN EQUIPMENT PLUS CARE equals a total of good work!

Modern Equipment Does Cleaning Best!

ZEBULON DRY CLEANERS
Worth Hinton, Prop.

OIL BURNERS
CONVERSION

OIL FIRED
BOILERS



WARM AIR
FURNACES

OIL FIRED
WATER HEATERS

Modernize Your Home

LET US INSTALL A CONVERSION BURNER
OR COMPLETE HEATING SYSTEM

—Call for Free Survey—

JOHN NORWOOD, DISTRIBUTOR

631 North West Street

C. A. NEWCOMB
Sales Engineer

Dial 6661

SHELBY ALFORD
Office Manager

ARE YOU IN NEED OF ICE?
Blocked or Crushed - Ice Appliances

Coal for All Purposes

Stokers and Repair Parts for All
COAL STOVES - OIL STOVES

**FUEL OIL, KEROSENE,
AND MOTOR OIL**
Wholesale and Retail

Pay Cash on Your Oils and Save

Dial 3081

Zebulon, N. C.

LITTLE RIVER ICE CO.

J. C. Debnam, Mgr.
OF ZEBULON, INC.

Wise Wives



ALERT women know that many kinds of instalment buying and personal borrowing are controlled by government regulations. These regulations change from time to time. If you find it necessary to borrow or to buy on the instalment plan, keep up to date on such changes by checking with us.

We gladly offer our advice and help on any money problem you may have. Just come in.

Peoples Bank & Trust Co.

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation