

# THE ZEBULON RECORD

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## Local Service Items

Three Zebulon men took part in the tremendous Exercise Long Horn in central Texas, part of the most than 115,000 men, including four combat divisions, who recently concluded the operation. They are Pvt. Cecil R. McSwain, Pfc. Harold Price, and Pfc. Julius Wright, Jr.

Private McSwain, of Route 3, is a member of the 702nd Armored Infantry Battalion, part of the 1st Armored Division.

Pfc. Price, of Route 1, and Pfc. Wright, of Route 3, are members of the 91st Armored Field Artillery Battalion, also part of the 1st Armored Division.

### Guard Unit

Easter Monday gave no holiday to members of Battery A as they began preparation for the carbine firing at Camp Butner next month. Last night the National Guardsmen spent over an hour learning about the carbines with which they are armed.

Instructing the classes are Lt. George Hinds, Lt. Jack Potter, and Lt. Dave Finch.

The Zebulon battery will go to Camp Butner on Saturday, May 10, firing Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning, and will return to Zebulon late Sunday afternoon.

### Trigger Squeeze

Special emphasis is being devoted to proper sighting and aiming, trigger squeeze, and positions during preliminary instruction on the carbine. The men will be taught to disassemble the weapons, clean them, and reassemble them so that they will have a thorough knowledge of the functioning of the gun.

## HEAD RETIRES



Rodney McNabb

A former teacher at N. C. State College, Rodney McNabb has just completed a three-year term as member of the Wakelon School Board. He was chairman during the past year.

## Last Services Are Held For Edgar Harris, 67

Edgar Harris, 67, of Riley, died in Mary Elizabeth Hospital in Raleigh Saturday night after a short illness. Funeral services were held from the Bethlehem Baptist Church at 2:30 yesterday, with the Rev. Fred Crisp and the Rev. A. D. Parrish in charge. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mr. Harris had made his home in the Riley section of Franklin County all his life.

Surviving are his wife, the former Ada Gupton, of the home; four daughters, Mrs. Aubrey Baker of Youngsville, Route 1, Mrs. Joe Cunningham of Zebulon, Route 4, Mrs. D. D. Bobbitt of Zebulon, Route 3, and Mrs. Kenneth Hilton of Raleigh.

## More Corn Hybrids

East Wake corn growers face a shortage of some certified corn hybrids unless they make arrangements now for their seed supply, says R. P. Moore, director of the Crop Improvement Association at State College.

Drought in other southern states, particularly Georgia and South Carolina, is producing a drain on North Carolina's supply. Such popular hybrids as Dixie 18 and N. C. 27 are moving south in large quantities.

The supply of Dixie 18 which is adapted to the Southeastern part of the State is already extremely short. The supply of N. C. 27 is dwindling rapidly. Dixie 17, which is adapted to the Piedmont, is practically sold out at some sources.

Dixie 82, one of the most promising new hybrids which is adapted to the same area as N. C. 27, is still adequate. To combat any rumors that Dixie 82 will not grade yellow because of its red tinge, Moore sent samples to the State Department of Agriculture and corn buyers in Chicago. Both graded the sample "yellow" without question.

U. S. 282, popular in the mountains, is still adequate for the demand. New white hybrids N. C.

## Now in Germany

Pvt. Jasper H. Wiggins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mattor Wiggins of Route 1, is now on duty with the 728th Quartermaster Service Company at the Strassburg Kaserne and Nahbollenbach Quartermaster Depot in Germany.

Private Wiggins entered the service on December 12, 1950.

## Wakelon PTA Minstrel Planned at Auditorium Friday Night, April 18

The fabulous, mirth-provoking Parent-Teacher Association Minstrel will be given on Friday night, April 18, in the Wakelon School auditorium. The star-studded show will feature two entirely separate parts, a variety extravaganza and a side-splitting play.

The curtain will part promptly at eight o'clock for the first half of the show, which will feature the talent of seven artists.

Long, tall Hilliard "Lucifer" Greene and Barrie "Gabriel" Davis will introduce the performers, including "Little Joe from Kokomo" Greenough, South Norfolk singing star, Mrs. Nellie Kemp, and others with extraordinary talent.

Two acts, a song and dance and a solo by Sonny Coley, will be presented during the intermission.

According to Mrs. Nellie Kemp, who is directing the play, says it is the best ever produced at the school for the PTA. "You'll certainly hurt your sides laughing at W. A. Allman's sermon," she said.

Also playing are Mrs. Virginia Wood, Mrs. Harold Greene, Mrs. Claud Farrington, Jimmie Spivey, Jack Potter, Hardin Hinton, Wilmark Sutton, Frank Kemp, Billy Hopkins, and Joe Alford.

The trials and tribulations of Mrs. Harold Green in her efforts to get a husband keeps the stage in an uproar. Twisted first by the police, who take her first love, she finally leads a second victim to the altar, only to decide the best man is a more likely candidate.

From this point, affairs become even more confused until the eventually latches on to a spouse just before the final curtain.

## Last Rites Are Held For Frank Narron

Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at Antioch Baptist Church for Frank Narron of Goldsboro who died Thursday after a lengthy illness.

Surviving are his wife of Goldsboro, his father, Ivey Narron of Zebulon; two brothers, Roney and Otis; and a sister, Mrs. G. K. Corbett of Zebulon.

## Ruth Brown Makes WCUNC Honor List

Ruth Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Vance Brown of Zebulon, was listed on the honor roll of the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, which has just been released.

The roll is composed of the 12 per cent of the juniors and seniors, 10 per cent of sophomores, and eight percent of freshmen meeting highest academic requirements.

## Second Dog Clinic To Be Held Locally

So many dogs showed up to be vaccinated against rabies yesterday that a second clinic has been scheduled to take care of those who could not be treated because of a lack of time, according to Dr. W. T. Scarborough, veterinarian.

Friday, May 2, from 1 to 3 o'clock, is the time and date set for the second clinic. The place is Philip Massey's FCX Store on Vance Street.

## Woman's Club

The Senior Woman's Club will meet Tuesday at 3:45. Frank Coiner will be the speaker.

## MUCH VISITING DONE HERE AT EASTER:

## Personal and Society Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bickford of West Dennis, Miss., spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Barrow en route from Florida.

Mrs. Willie Pearce is sick in bed.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Whitaker of Asheboro were luncheon guests of the J. K. Barrows Monday.

### Washington Visitors

The Fred Becks spent Sunday in Washington, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Drum and daughter, Kay, of Statesville returned home Monday after spending the weekend with the Gilbert Becks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brantley, Jr., and children of Chapel Hill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brantley.

SA Bob Vance Brown of Jacksonville, Fla., and Ruth Brown of WCUNC spent Easter with their parents, the Vance Browns.

Mr. and Mrs. Falc Bunn spent the holidays in Greensboro with the Elmo Bunns.

### From Pennsylvania

Miss Elizabeth Salmon's parents and brother of Pennsylvania spent the Easter holidays in Zebulon with her.

The Ted Davises of Kinston spent Sunday in Zebulon with the Theo. Davises.

Mrs. Gladys Johnson spent the holidays in Gastonia with the Neil Goodnights.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Antone spent Monday in Creedmoor with the Bill Harrises.

Mrs. Irby Gill accompanied the Robert Dawsons of Smithfield to Ransomville on Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Long and Mrs. Ruric Gill, Jr., spent Easter in Burlington with relatives.

Dr. J. F. Coltrane is out of town until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Broughton of Garner and Mr. and Mrs. Clem Godwin of Coats visited the Judd Robertson's Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Bryant of Raleigh spent most of last week with the J. C. Debnams.

Sgt. S. G. Flowers is home from the army for a few days.

### Hurts Ankle

Mrs. Donald Stallings slivered a bone in her ankle Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hales and Celia spent the weekend in Ayden.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carter of Bernardsville, N. J., spent Wednesday night with the Charles Hawkins.

The Charles Hawkins spent Sunday in Wendell with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Horton and son, Brian, of Cincinnati, are spending this week with his mother, Mrs. John Horton.

Tom Kemp of New York spent Easter with his mother, Mrs. Mary Kemp.

### Pleurisy Attack

Pete Bryant had pleurisy last week, but is out again now.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Studdert carried Mrs. Pattie Harris to Winston-Salem Sunday to visit her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kemp has as guests Easter Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hodges and daughter of Fayetteville, the James Rosenstocks and children of Petersburg, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Allen and daughter of Myrtle Beach.

### Easter Visitors

Visiting the P. H. Masseys for the Easter weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elkin of Cheverly, Md., Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Ankers and children of Culpepper, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Massey, Jr., and Betsy. Mrs. Ankers and children will be here for the remainder of the week.

Visiting the Oren Masseys for Easter were Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Adams and Paula of Greensboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Debnam and children of Milledgeville, Ga. Mrs. Debnam and children will remain in Zebulon for about two weeks.

Dr. Ben Thomas spent the weekend at Myrtle Beach to be in his brother's wedding. Mrs. Helen Gregory spent the weekend with Mrs. Thomas.

### Visit Richmond

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Watson spent the Easter holidays in Richmond, Va., with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Corbett of Warrenton spent the weekend in Zebulon with relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. Sigma Finch of Oxford spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. D. Finch.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Page spent Easter in Roxboro.