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ILO Seeks to Better Child Labor Conditions



Until living standards can be improved, millions of Asian children, like the youngster pictured, must work. Meanwhile, the International Labor Organization (ILO), a U.N. specialized agency, seeks to eliminate harmful practices through international action. At present, young people are sometimes sold for their services or given over to contractors on a long-term indenture. Asian countries will soon meet under ILO auspices to discuss measures to abolish such procedures and improve employment conditions for young workers.

IMMORTAL MEMORIES

Life of Usefulness

Sunday afternoon, November 16th, 1952, Miss Matoka Pace of the Wakefield community, was laid away in her last resting place near her home in the family cemetery where many of her loved ones rest. Their spirits possibly were waiting to greet her over there.

She leaves behind memories that will live on. She will be missed more than the average one of her community realizes, as her life was one of usefulness. She went where she thought her services were needed and did it without being asked or requested to do so.

For many years she was treasurer of the Wakefield Baptist Church doing this work for her church without compensation.

Possibly she has stored up fabulous wealth in the Banks of Paradise to be enjoyed through all eternity. Wages she earned here

laboring for the joy of doing for others.

There is a character mentioned in the Bible whose works compares to Miss Matoka's. Her name was Dorcas. We are told that her life was full of good works and almsdeeds. When she died the Apostle Peter was sent for and for the sake of the living, Peter raised her from the dead.

We would not ask for Miss Matoka to be restored to life again in this sorrowful world. She has gone to a place of rest and happiness that she earned from her labor here.

The many beautiful flowers that were contributed to her funeral speaks a language of expression, understanding and sympathy to her and her loved ones and host of friends she leaves behind.

By Durward D. Chamblee

Resolution by Woman's Club

Whereas, in the Providence of God, we have seen the passing of one of our beloved members, Carmen Poole Flowers, the Zebulon Woman's Club desires to express its deep sorrow and to express our sincere sympathy to the members of her family.

She was ever alert to the needs of the community and took an active part in all things that were of value to the community. Es-

pecially was she actively interested in the drives that were advanced for the health of the state and nation.

She was untiring in her efforts for the advancement of the cleanliness and the health of the community. She was a devoted and active member of the Woman's Club and manifested her skill in all that the club undertakes for the welfare and advancement of community affairs.

Our club has been greatly enriched by her untiring efforts for the advancement of all civic affairs undertaken by the club.

We as a club shall remember her fondly and shall benefit by the heritage she has left us. Her life was a benediction, her memory is a cherished one. May we be inspired to greater community loyalty and service because she lived among us.

Committee:

Mrs. E. H. Moser

Mrs. S. E. Mercer

Mrs. Eugene Privette

Walter G. Stewart In Naval Maneuvers

Participating in training exercises here aboard the attack carrier USS Tarawa, is Walter G. Stewart, stewardman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Folce A. Stewart of Newhill.

The Tarawa is scheduled to return to the United States from the Caribbean Area in time for the Christmas holidays.

Delay Is Expected In Construction Of Local Armory

The proposed armory site here in Zebulon was accepted by the North Carolina Armory Commission at a meeting held last Friday afternoon in Raleigh, and the fifth position on the armory priority list is still held by the local unit, the Adjutant General's Department said yesterday.

A lack of money may hold up construction of the local armory until the Federal government can appropriate an additional sum, however.

The Armory Commission will ask for bids for armories at Burlington, Red Springs, Oxford, and Lenoir. If funds remain after these four contracts are let, bids will be asked for the Zebulon armory.

A representative of the Adjutant General's Department stated that it may be possible to get five armories out of available funds, but he expressed no optimism.

Additional plans for armories have been received by the Adjutant General's Department, none of which are as elaborate as that shown to the Zebulon Board of Commissioners by Major General John H. Manning last spring. The altered buildings could be built at an estimated cost of about \$50,000, but the Adjutant General was quoted as saying that he showed the people in Zebulon the bigger, more expensive building and that it will be built here.

The armory site is located on South Arendell Avenue three-tenths of a mile from the center of the business district. It includes four acres of land.

Community Chest To Have Meeting

The Board of Directors of the Zebulon Community Chest met on Thursday afternoon at the local Town Hall and laid out plans for the re-organization of the Community Chest. The Community Chest membership will hold its first meeting on Friday evening, November 28, at eight o'clock in the Town Hall.

New Members of the Board of Directors will be elected at this meeting and a constitution will be adopted.

The present Board offered ten names for nomination to the enlarged Board including Mrs. Rachel Privett, Ralph Talton, Wilbur Debnam, Mrs. Vera Rhodes, J. C. Debnam, Mrs. S. G. Flowers, Mrs. Elmo Harris, Mrs. Ralph Bunn, Wilson Braswell and Ed Horton.

Mrs. Wallace Temple and Mr. Gilbert Beck are Board members whose terms have another year to run.

The Board also approved the disbursement of funds to Agency members.

MASONIC NOTICE

An Emergent Communication of Zebulon Lodge 609, AF&AM, will be held Tuesday evening, November 25, at 7:30 for work in the Master Mason degree. All Master Masons are cordially invited to attend.

William Bunn, Worshipful Master
R. Vance Brown, Secretary

SPEAKER



The Rev. S. E. Mercer, pastor of the Zebulo Methodist Church, will preach the annual Thanksgiving union service at the Baptist Church on Thursday morning. Mr. Mercer was recently reassigned pastor of the Zebulon-Wendell charge.

Joint Service to Be Held Thanksgiving

The Union Thanksgiving Service will be held on Thursday morning at ten o'clock at the Zebulon Baptist Church. The Rev. S. E. Mercer will deliver the Thanksgiving sermon, and the Rev. Carlton T. Mitchell will preside over the service.

Thanksgiving hymns by the congregation and a Thanksgiving anthem by the youth choirs will be included on the program.

Finer Carolina Report Complete for Zebulon

The final report of progress made on the five projects entered by Zebulon in the Finer Carolina contest will be submitted to Carolina Power and Light Company this morning, Steering Committee chair Wilbur Debnam said yesterday. The report includes a detailed description of the work done on each project, photographs, and newspaper clippings bound in a 11x14 book.

Chairman Debnam was enthusiastic about the prospects for Zebulon winning one of the cash prizes offered by the power company.

Originally set for December 1, the deadline for the Zebulon report was moved up to this morning so that the town could be considered by a national magazine which plans to devote an article to the work of one of the localities entered in the Finer Carolina contest.

James A. Williams Buried on Monday

James A. Williams, 68, of Zebulon, Route 2, died at his home Sunday morning following a short illness. Funeral services were conducted at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at the home of Obie Baker.

The Rev. M. A. Pegram officiated. Burial was in the family cemetery.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Bettie Fowler and Mrs. Bill Beaman, both of Wake Forest; five sisters, Mrs. Lucy Perry, Mrs. Sally V. Champion, and Mrs. J. M. Caldwell, all of Raleigh; Mrs. Bonnie Baste of Wake Forest, Mrs. Betty G. Holmes of Louisburg; one brother, John E. Williams of Louisburg.

Local Grid Stars Play for Chowan In Game Thursday

Under the auspices of the Murfreesboro exchange club, the Chowan College Braves are inviting picked senior stars from high schools in this and adjoining counties to meet with the junior college team on the afternoon of Thanksgiving Day at 2:30 p. m. for a sectional game with the college team, under the name of the "Thanksgiving Bowl." The Exchange Club plans to make this an annual affair to give recognition to the boys who may be finishing their high school football careers.

The coaching will begin on Monday afternoon, November 24, with coaches from participating schools assisting. The game will be played on the Murfreesboro football field, which is lighted for night play and boasts a new press box to accommodate the sports writers from the entire area, who will be the guests of the club for the occasion.

Herb Appenzeller coaches the Chowan Braves, and two of the stars this year Hilliard Greene and Henry Kitchings, former Wakelon gridiron greats.

Forty Men Compete For Starting Positions

Forty men are still competing for positions on the Wakelon Bulldog basketball team, Coach Herb Holt said yesterday, and the squad will be cut this week with part of the players practicing in the afternoon and part at night.

Any man who can assist in the Season tickets went on sale yesterday, and Coach Holt repeated his offer to personally deliver any order for six or more. Good for at least nine games, the tickets sell for \$3.25 for adults and \$1.75 for school children.

Baptists to Sponsor Zebulon Scout Troop

The local Boy Scout Troop will begin its re-organization this evening at 7:30 in the Baraca Room of the Zebulon Baptist Church. A special deputation team from the Occaneechee Council will be on hand to assist new leaders.

All boys interested in scouting are invited to attend. Also any men in the community who are interested in helping with the scout program are invited to be present.

Wakefield Club Will Meet on Wednesday

The Wakefield Home Demonstration Club will meet Wednesday afternoon, November 25, at 2:30, with Mrs. Pearl Hussey and a representative of the Sherwin-Williams Paint Company as guests.

The program entitled "Know Your Colors for Interior Decorating" will be presented, and members of the Club will decide on the colors to use in painting the club house.

The program will be of special interest to those who plan to decorate and repaint their homes for Christmas and New Year, according to Mrs. Vera Rhodes, president.

Strickland Death

The funeral of Mr. R. B. Strickland, brother-in-law of M. W. and F. L. Page, was held in Four Oaks last week.