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PROMOTE WORLD FRIENDSHIP



Pictured following their special meeting held April 16 in which they featured a Juliet Lowe World Friendship Program, members of the Zebulon Girl Scout Troops pose with their American and Girl Scout flags. They served 110 guests at a reception afterwards.

WAKELON POLITICS

MOSS PROVES HANGING JUDGE

Although the student Mayor and Commissioners had time only to be sworn in Wednesday and could not take any action on problems facing the town, Russell Moss proved to be a real "hanging judge" in the truest tradition of the Zebulon Recorder's Court and his court session proved the climax of an exciting campaign and election held this week at Wakelton School.

Jimmy Joyner was elected Mayor of Zebulon at the elections held at school Tuesday, winning as the Dixiecrat candidate over Juanna Joy Mitchell, Bonocrat leader.

The Bonocrats controlled the Town Board, electing three members, including Jenny Watkins, 9th grade; Glenn Perry, 12th grade; and Martha Temple, commissioner-at-large.

Dixiecrat candidates on the Board were David Alford, 10th grade; and Helen Faye Todd, 11th grade.

All the elected officials were sworn in by Town Clerk Willie B. Hopkins Wednesday morning, to hold office for the rest of the day.

Zebulon's Mayor Worth Hinton met with the Mayor and Commissioners and explained the way that the municipal government operates. He took the student politicians to dinner following the morning meeting.

Appointed municipal officials from Wakelton included Billy Green, night policeman; Becky Brantley, town attorney; Fan Green, clerk of court; Irving Murphy, chief of police; Ronnie Rich-

ards, fire chief; and J. W. Boykin, John Phillips, Dottie Privette, Shirley Oakley, Bennie Mitchell, and Bobby Raper, firemen. The Student Fire Department is one of the first in the nation having women members.

During the session of the student-run Recorder's Court, Judge Russell Moss made himself right at home, leaning far back, hands behind his head, with his feet propped on his desk.

Escorted by the firemen, student policemen roared up to Wakelton School, where they arrested Martha Temple, Rodney Bell, and Miss Blanche Gay and, with siren screaming and bell ringing, took them to jail.

Martha Temple, a student commissioner, was found guilty of wearing too much lipstick following.

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Park Landscaping Begins in Two Weeks

It will be just two weeks more to wait for the landscaping to begin on the Zebulon Community Park, according to M. L. Hagwood, chairman of the landscaping project. M. L., along with other members of the park and Finer Carolina Committee, made a survey early this week of the work which must be done.

The park landscaping is one of the six projects entered by the community in the Finer Carolina Contest, sponsored by Carolina Power and Light Company.

Jackie Mitchell Winner of Soil Conservation Prize at Local School

Jackie Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mitchell, was awarded first prize in the Wakelton sixth grade soil conservation poster contest at ceremonies held in the Wakelton auditorium Wednesday morning. All students from the fourth through the twelfth grades attended the program.

The poster contest was part of a unit of study which included all phases of soil conservation. Both sixth grades at Wakelton participated in the work.

The first prize was a radio, to be used by the sixth grades. Second prize of two softballs and two bats was awarded Patricia Murray, and third prize of a dish garden

was won by Judy Cunningham. The sixth grades presented the chapel program preceding the awards. It included the devotional, including the 24th Psalm, which begins "The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof," a song, and the Conservation Pledge repeated in unison.

Mrs. Katherine Revell, County Elementary Supervisor, recognized everyone who had assisted in the soil conservation unit; and Marsh Knott, C. V. Whitley, and Thurman Hepler were present to assist in making the awards.

The Wakelton sixth grades are taught by Mrs. Coressa Chamblee and Mrs. H. B. Perry.

Green Pastures Citation Is Made

Green Pastures Awards were presented to sixteen local farmers at the regular meeting of the Zebulon Lions Club held last Thursday night, Wakelton agriculture teacher Ed Ellington made the presentation. The Green Pastures program is sponsored each year by the Lions Clubs of Wake County.

Harold Pippin, Dewey Massey, and Harold Greene received plaques for their work.

Citations were presented Robert Ed Horton, John Haughton Ihrie, III, Ben Massey, Rodney C. McNabb, L. M. Massey, Avon Privette, C. B. Pace, Oscar King, Steve Blackley, Herbert Perry, J. B. Croom, and Rex Tippet.

The Lions voted to contribute \$100 to the Wakelton Parent-Teacher Association to help purchase an activities bus for the school.

The local Lions advised Mrs. Frederick Chamblee that the group will pay the expense of Marie Shearin as a representative of the local Girl Scout troop at Camp Laphio between Raleigh and Durham for a week this summer.

Elwood Perry was a guest at the meeting.

Final Exercises Are Planned at Bunn

W. H. Kelly, principal of Bunn School, listed the commencement exercises to be held at Bunn this spring. The exercises will begin on Tuesday, May 19, and end with the graduating exercises on Tuesday night, May 26.

Mrs. W. E. Beddingfield's Music Recital will be presented next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Senior Class Night Exercises, featuring the play, "A Southern Rosary," will be given Friday, May 22. The Valedictorian this year is Hamilton Richards, and the salutatorian is Mary Richardson.

Representative Hamilton Hobgood of Louisburg will be the speaker for the graduating exercises May 26 at 8 p. m. Forty-six seniors will be presented their diplomas at this time.

Fire Truck Purchase Final Decision Coming

It's put up or shut up so far as the Zebulon Rural Fire Department is concerned, and at a meeting scheduled for Friday, May 29, the Directors and all the members will get together to make their choice. The Fire Department was incorporated to purchase and operate a fire truck to provide protection for the rural areas within seven miles of Zebulon.

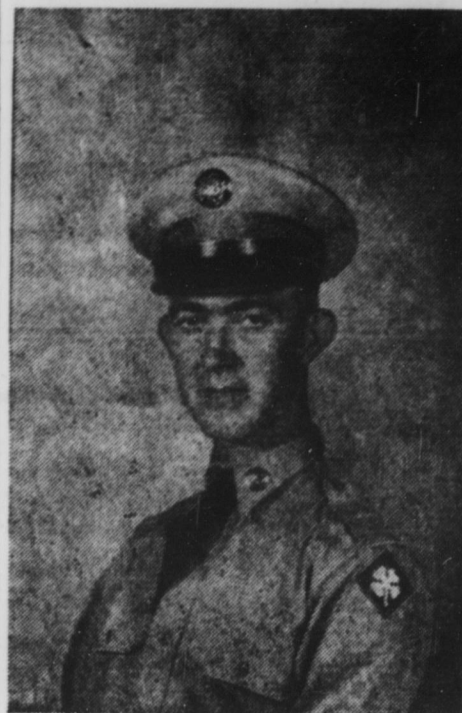
The extended campaign for funds has turned \$4,400 into the treasury, and an additional \$800 in pledges has been made, providing over \$5,200 toward the truck purchase.

The goal of the solicitors — to contact every person living within seven miles of Zebulon has not been reached, but by May 29 the Directors expect to have completed the project. Then it will be up to the members to decide the next step.

Revival Meeting

Revival meeting at Watkins Chapel Baptist Church beginning Sunday night, May 17. Service each evening at 8:00. Rev. A. D. Parrish will preach each evening. Rev. Dale Davis is pastor of the church.

IN ARMY NOW



Pvt. Thomas Price

The son of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Price of Zebulon, Pvt. Price is stationed with the Antiaircraft Artillery Replacement Training Center at Fort Bliss, Texas.

Last Rites Held For Mrs. Blackard

Mrs. W. L. Blackard 79, died Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in a Raleigh Nursing Home. She had been in failing health for a number of years. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 in the Mount Zion Methodist Church near Roxboro. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. James Scarboro of Wendell, and Miss Grace Blackard of Toledo, Ohio, five sons, Linwood Blackard of Knightdale, John Blackard of Wendell, Tharp Blackard of Neuse, Fletcher and Boone Blackard of Toledo, Ohio.

Annual Farm Bureau Barbecue Tonight at 6

The Zebulon Farm Bureau will have its annual barbecue supper tonight at the Wakelton ball park. Postcards have been mailed to all the members to be used for tickets. Each postcard can be exchanged for two plates of barbecue.

Willie B. Hopkins will speak briefly on the Zebulon Rural Fire Department, and will answer any questions presented by those present.

THOMAS RITES

Dr. and Mrs. Ben Thomas have been in York, S. C., this week, for the funeral of D. D. Thomas, father of Dr. Thomas. Services for Mr. Thomas, who died Monday, were held Tuesday. Dr. and Mrs. Thomas are expected back today.

Mrs. Julia Draughon Announces \$1600 Raised for Activities Bus

The barbecue held last Friday night brought over \$1,600 the money available to purchase an activities bus for Wakelton School, according to Mrs. Julia Draughon, chairman of the PTA Finance Committee. Mrs. Willie B. Hopkins reported the \$261.04 was cleared on the barbecue.

Mrs. Draughon expressed her appreciation for the wonderful cooperation given her during her term as Finance Committee chairman, saying that the work of the

Wakelton Pupils In Music Rally

Wakelton School was represented with pupils from the sixth, seventh, and eighth grades and the Glee Club chorus at the North Central District Music Festival held in Raleigh Friday, May 8, in the Memorial Auditorium.

The local song groups were complimented for their ability and interest.

Participating in the Elementary Chorus were Andrea Temple, Robert Pulley, Elaine Parker, Marie Wilkes, Jimmy Pearce, Sidney Richardson, Barry Brannon, Tommy Kimball, Leary Davis, Johnny Bullock, Howard Beck, Sandra Beasley, Jackie Mitchell, Martha Driver, Brenda McCabe, Edith Lewis, Kay Eddins, Brenda Bunn, Ann Creech, and Judy Joyner.

This group presented four folk songs under the direction of Mr. Fred Willette, Sr., of Wilmington.

Those participating in the Junior High School Mixed Chorus were Betsy Massey, Sue Wallace, Mary Joe Pace, Julia Pace, William Whittenton, Vaughan Wade, Judy Perry, Thurston Perry, Leslie Strickland, Judy Overman, Doloria Parker, Mickey Phillips, Fay Temple, Judy Green, Gwen Beasley, Jean Fowler, Ann Bobbitt, Loretta Cawthorne, Pat Brantley, Jean Ellington, Hilda Brannon,

Claude Dunn, Judy Manning, Judy Pearce, Ned Mitchell, Bobbie Weathers, Johnny Long, Peggy Green, Peggy Richardson, E. B. Pulley, Jean Chamblee, Linda Flood, Ann Hopkins, Jean Gay, Gary Alford, Charles Flowers, Frankie Eddins, E. F. Griswood, Freddy Beck, Judith Hood, Jean Joyner, Betty Kimball, Joe Wayne Tippet, Shelba Williams, Marie Sherron, Chris Sherron, Dorothy Smith, Blandy Privette, Ann Privette, Caroline Hinton, Tilley Blackley, Henry Cook, Jay Godwin, Betsy Brantley, Zelma Green.

The Junior High Chorus was under the direction of Miss Forrestine Whitaker, Meredith College. Folk songs were sung by this chorus during the festival.

Participating in the Senior High (Continued on Page 4)

Baptist Services Are Listed for Sunday

Miss Ann Allman will sing "If with All Your Heart" from "The Elijah" by Mendelssohn at the morning services of the Zebulon Baptist Church Sunday. The Adult Choir will sing "The Spirit of God" by Weaver, and Dr. George Griffin will preach.

Dr. W. R. Cullom will preach at the evening service. Elwood Perry will sing a solo, "He That Keepeth Israel," by Schlosser.

committee could never have been done without the help of the whole community.

At the present time \$1,676.04 is ready to pay for the bus, which will cost about \$3,000. The Finance Committee hopes to have at least \$2,000 available before the bus arrives.

Those who want to pledge money to be paid upon arrival of the bus rather than make an immediate cash donation may do so by contacting Mrs. Draughon.