

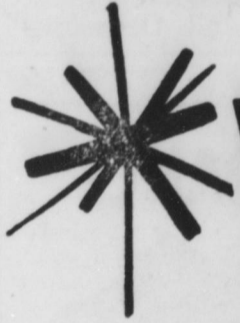
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Farm and Home
Week



June
8-11

Thousands of Farmers Make Plans to Attend

Within sight of the only atomic reactor this side of the Iron Curtain not within the confines of the Atomic Energy Commission, North Carolina farm families who attend the 45th annual Farm and Home Week at State College June 8-11, will see a program of "atomic farming."

Agronomy scientists working in the new million-dollar Williams Hall will present demonstrations involving just such atomic materials as will soon be produced by the reactor.

According to the planning committee, this year's program holds more variety than any other Farm and Home Week to date. And just a glance at the tentative plans certainly indicates that this year's festivities will make the 1953 week at State College one to remember.

Included on the program will be the 50th birthday celebration of Agricultural Extension and a tribute to Chancellor and Mrs. John W. Harrelson. Also highlighting the week's program will be the performance of the famous 82nd Airborne Division Band from Fort Bragg and the 500-voice combined Home Demonstration Club chorus. During the Farm and Home Week program, awards will be made by Radio Station WPTF to the top two rural women's choral groups and to the two best rural mixed choruses. The winners will be selected from the groups that completed in the choral awards contest over the Raleigh radio station this spring.

This year's classes for women will include everything from "Egg

School Board Bans Married Students

Married folks can't attend Wake-
lton School any more, according to a rule made by the Wake-
lton School Board last Monday night. That is, the Board said, they can't attend school unless they go before the School Board and obtain special permission.

Ed Hales, newly appointed member of the Board, was named chairman of the group, and A. S. Draughton was elected secretary during the business session.

and Poultry Treats" to "Family Life Discussions" and "Music."

On Thursday, June 11, in William Neal Reynolds Coliseum North Carolina Home Demonstration Club members will hold their 1953 Federation Day Program. Presiding at the day's meeting will be Mrs. R. L. Yancey of Norlina, president of the North Carolina Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs. Included on the program will be the presentation of the state progress report and a speech by Mrs. Ivy Baker Priest, treasurer of the United States.

The registration fee for the 45th Farm and Home Week will be the same as last year.

The room fee for the week, June 8-11 is \$3 per person. For those staying less than the week, the fee is \$1 per night. Special dormitory space has been provided for married couples.

You should bring bed linen, blanket, pillow, towels, and personal articles.

To reserve your room in advance, send your fee to Miss Maud Schaub, State College Station, Raleigh, N. C.

SOLICITOR IS NAMED — BU. WHO DID IT?

Does Secrecy Save Embarrassment?

By Barrie S. Davis

Zebulon's newly sworn commissioners hired themselves a new solicitor — but they did it without recording their ballots, as required by law, last Monday night. Apparently to save certain of the members embarrassment, the 3-2 vote in favor of Finch, who held the office prior to Mr. House's service, was allowed by Mayor Worth Hinton to be taken secretly.

It was reported that the Commissioners felt both candidates were their friends, and maybe a friend would feel better not knowing he didn't get the vote.

Brown Votes Publicly

R. Vance Brown, who nominated House for re-election, stated that there was nothing secret about his ballot. "I wrote my name on it, and wrote whom I was vot-

Foster D. Finch Named Court Solicitor; New Utility Man, New Truck Ordered

Johnsey P. Arnold Legion Commander

Johnsey P. Arnold, veteran of World War II and administrative assistant of the Zebulon National Guard unit, was named commander of Zebulon American Legion Post No. 33 Wednesday night, succeeding Charles Creech, whose term expires June 30. The new commander has served for several years as the post adjutant.

Bill Perry, Zebulon Drug Company employee and a navy veteran, was elected adjutant to succeed Arnold.

Other officers named at the meeting were James Alford, vice commander; Carl Kemp, re-elected finance officer; Wade Perry, service officer; Pete Bryant, athletic officer; Sidney Holmes, sergeant at arms; Ralph Bunn, chaplain; Charles Hawkins, guardianship officer; and Barrie Davis, historian.

During the business session a report was made by Charles Hawkins on the welfare fund. He stated that over \$135 had been paid out during the past month.

The Legionnaires voted to contact all members who have not already contributed to the fund for their offerings, so that the welfare fund can become a permanent account.

The Legion-conducted drive for books turned out well, according to Carl Kemp, who reported well over 100 volumes were received by the Legionnaires in a recent solicitation.

Guests at the meeting were Wayne Perry and Richard Bullock, members of the rising senior class at Wake-
lton who will be local delegates to Boys' State, to be held at Chapel Hill during the week of June 14.

ON TV SHOW

Sonny Coley, 11 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coley of Route 2, Wendell, won top recognition in Raleigh last month for his performances at the Village Theatre and at the TV Fair in William Neal Reynolds Coliseum, where he

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NEW PASTOR



J. Vernon Brooks

Wakefield Church Calls New Pastor

The Rev. J. Vernon Brooks a native of Virginia, accepted a call by the Wakefield Baptist Church to be its pastor and began his work there on May 1. He succeeds Major (Chaplain) Kermit Combs, who entered active duty with the Army last year.

Mr. Brooks entered the ministry from Waverly Place Baptist Church in Roanoke, Virginia, where he was ordained in October 1949. He received his B. A. degree from the University of Richmond in 1952.

Southeastern Student

After serving as pastor of the Deep Run Baptist Church in Richmond for over five years, he resigned to enter the Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary at Wake Forest.

He has studied at the seminary for one year, and plans to continue his studies while he serves at Wakefield.

Mr. Brooks is married and has a ten year old daughter, Bonnie Louellen. Mrs. Brooks is an office secretary in the State W. M. U. office in Raleigh.

Night Policeman, Clerk Reemployed

Foster D. Finch, Zebulon attorney and fertilizer dealer, was named Solicitor of the Zebulon Recorder's Court and attorney for the Town of Zebulon by the newly-installed Board of Commissioners on Monday night, June 1. He replaces A. R. House in the only job change made by the commissioners.

The change was decided by a secret vote taken after Commissioner R. Vance Brown nominated House for another term and Commissioner R. Wesley Liles nominated Finch.

A lengthy discussion followed the nominations before the secret ballot was taken. The commissioners split three-to-two in favor of Finch.

Attorney Finch served as Solicitor of the Zebulon Recorder's Court for ten years beginning in 1932. He was succeeded by Attorney House, who continued in the office until Monday night.

As soon as the vote naming Finch to be Solicitor was taken, Wesley Liles moved he be appointed town attorney. The Board

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District Prize Is Won By Legion Auxiliary

Eight members of the Zebulon American Legion Auxiliary attended the District Council meeting Wednesday night in Raleigh, and returned with a silver pitcher to keep for a year. The pitcher was given for the best attendance at the council meetings for the past several months.

Mrs. Jack Wardlaw, state president of the Auxiliary, and Mrs. Newsome, district committeewomen, discussed proposed changes in the Constitution, which will be voted on at the State Convention in Wilmington.

Officers Instructed

Instructions were given incoming officers on their duties, and a budget was set up to show what should come out of the General Fund, and what the poppy money should be used for.

Miss Beth Massey, local president, presented flags of the United States and North Carolina, to the Council from the Zebulon unit.

Attending the Council were Miss Massey, Mesdames Milton Bryant, Melvin Massey, Carl Kemp, Ferd Davis, Marie Bufkin, Sidney Holmes, and Casey Stallings.

A. W. Gay Purchases Interest of Partner

A. W. Gay announced this week that he has purchased all interests of W. M. Watkins in Gay and Watkins Dry Cleaners in Zebulon and will operate the business beginning today as Gay's Dry Cleaners.

Gay has been active in the dry cleaning business since his release from active duty with the Navy in 1946.

The business hours of the cleaning plant will continue from 6 a. m. to 7 p. m. on weekdays. Saturday hours will be from 6 a. m. to 10 p. m.