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NEW LIONS CLUB OFFICERS



These six men will guide the Zebulon Lions Club during the coming year, following their installation this week. Seated are Frank Wall, first vice president; Gilbert Beck, president; M. L. Hagwood, second vice president. Standing are Pete Bryant, third vice president; Bill Marley, secretary; and Frank Kemp, Tailtwister. W. L. Simpson, Lion tamer, was at an OES meeting in Durham at the time the picture was made.



Directors who will take office this week for the Zebulon Lions include (left to right) Battle Corbett, Jerry Hagwood, Clarence Hocutt, and Henry Massey.

Mobile X-Ray Unit to Be Here Today - Thursday

The Mobile X-Ray Unit will be in Zebulon three days this week, beginning this afternoon at 1 o'clock. The visit is sponsored jointly by the Wake County Health Department, the North Carolina State Board of Health, and the Wake County Tuberculosis Association. The X-rays are being given to protect the citizens of Wake County and North Carolina from tuberculosis, according to Dr. A. C. Bullia, who urges everyone to be X-rayed.

No charge is made for the X-rays, which will be given in the mobile unit stationed on main street.

The X-ray examination finds tuberculosis before a person feels sick and while the disease is still

in the curable stage. The earlier tuberculosis is found, the better chances are for a cure.

Everyone, regardless of race, creed, color, or financial status, should be X-rayed. The X-rays are made without a person having to undress.

A confidential report is made to the person X-rayed on the findings resulting from the examination.

The unit will be in Zebulon today from 1 to 5 p. m., on Wednesday and Thursday from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Members of the Zebulon Rotary Club voted unanimously last Friday night for every member of the club to take the X-ray examination to promote the campaign in this community.

Teenagers Organize Softball Team; Local Donators Are Listed Below

Again this summer the Zebulon teenagers have organized a softball team. So far fifteen girls have been lined up to play. We selected for our coach, Crafton Hudson, and for our captain, Ann Upchurch.

This summer we have asked for donations from our friends and from the merchants here in town, to help us buy shirts and equipment for our team. We would like to take this opportunity to thank them for cooperating with us

wholeheartedly. We would like to recognize the individuals and how much they gave.

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| Dr. Ben Thomas | | \$8.00 |
| Dr. Charles Flowers | | 6.00 |
| Willie B. Hopkins | | 6.00 |
| Massey Lumber Co. | | 5.00 |
| Whitley Furniture Co. | | 5.00 |
| Thurman Hepler | | 5.00 |
| Ferd Davis | | 4.00 |
| Garland Richardson | | 3.00 |
| Farmers Dept. Store | | 3.00 |
| Beck Veneer | | 5.00 |

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Guard Members Have Returned From 1953 Camp

Fifty-four members of Zebulon's National Guard unit returned Sunday afternoon at 12:30 from fifteen days of exhausting training in the Alabama foothills at Ft. McClellan. The artillerymen made the 600-mile trip in the eleven trucks and jeeps belonging to Battery A and the only casualties suffered were two cases of poison ivy and one cut finger.

The encampment was cited as the best held by Battery A since it was organized in 1949. Lessons learned during the field training will be put to use in armory training during the coming year.

Climaxes Year's Work

The annual two-weeks encampment climaxes the work of 48 armory drills for the Guardsmen. During the fifteen days, the unit works as a team under rugged conditions.

Among the awards earned by Battery A this year were a commendation for having the best mess hall in the 30th Division Artillery, and the commendation from the Regular Army Inspector for having the best firing section.

Sfc. Parrish Honored

Sfc. Percy Parrish is mess steward for Battery A. He received the personal commendation of General Edward Griffin for his work. This marks the second time that Sfc. Parrish has been honored with a commendation.

Other members of the Battery A mess section include Sgt. George Massey, Sgt. Max Williams, Cpl. Donald Fowler, Pvt. Wilbur Massey, and Pvt. Max Wiggs.

The first firing section, commanded by Sgt. Ralph Creech, won the praise of the Regular Army Inspector, Col. Agee from the 11th Airborne Division, as being as good as any section he had ever seen.

Long Motor Trip

The Zebulon unit joined the 113th Field Artillery Battalion convoy Sunday morning, June 14, near Rolesville, and began the long trip to Alabama. The motor march continued without mishap until a driving rain struck as the 53 trucks crossed a mountain road into Anniston, Alabama, only a mile from Ft. McClellan.

Twelve of the large GMC trucks, including two from Battery A, went out of control on the slick highway, and skidded into ditches on each side of the road. Directly behind the Battery A headquarters truck (driven by Cpl. B. B. Barham with WOJG Johnsey Arnold and Sgt. Kenneth Hopkins as passengers, two of Battery B's trucks from Dunn skidded into a rock retaining wall. One of the huge trucks overturned, fatally injuring one man and scattering others.

WOJG Arnold and Sgt. Cooper Moss were first at the accident scene and gave outstanding help in helping pull injured men from the wreckage.

With the thought constantly in mind that one of their number had perished, the remainder of the

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VACCINATIONS

Mrs. Ida Hall, Wake County nurse, will be in the Zebulon Municipal Building each Thursday at 3:00 p. m., at which time she will administer typhoid and other vaccinations to any person desiring them.

LINES BY SOGLOW



What does the future hold for me? That's a question we all ask ourselves at one time or another. Well, the answer is ... security ... relaxation ... happiness, —if we save and invest our money wisely now! And what investment could be easier ... safer ... or wiser than United States Savings Bonds! When you invest in United States Savings Bonds through the Payroll Savings Plan where you work, your saving is automatic! Each payday your "fund for the future" grows larger and larger! And, as it grows, more and more interest is added. So —for your future—invest in United States Savings Bonds!

Local Community Plans Recreation Building Project

Zebulon is going to have a community building at the park, according to a decision made at a meeting held last Friday night in the Carolina Power and Light offices here. The proposed community building will be constructed according to initial plans submitted by Carter Williams, Raleigh architect, those at the meeting decided.

Acting on the decision, a three-man finance committee was appointed to make plans for raising money for the construction of the community building. Serving on the finance committee are C. V. Whitley, R. Vance Brown, and H. C. Wade, who is also chairman of the community building project.

The architect's drawing of the building was published in the Zebulon Record for Tuesday, June 15, and included the floor plan and front elevation.

Representatives will be sent to meetings of civic and fraternal groups in the community urging wholehearted support for the project. The speakers will tell of the value of the building for everyone.

Objections Answered

Some objections to the proposed community building brought up at the meeting Friday night included the lack of a separate room for each organization in Zebulon and the possibility of the new National Guard armory being used for a community meeting place.

These objections were answered by stating the cost of a building having rooms for the various clubs, Scout troops, and other organizations.

It was pointed out also that the armory will have only the large assembly room (60x90 feet) available for public meetings, and that the cost of heating and lighting this large area for smaller meetings may prove prohibitive.

Letter of Appreciation

Mr. C. V. Whitley
Zebulon
North Carolina
Dear Mr. Whitley:

The Zebulon Recreation Commission wishes to express its very sincere appreciation for your generosity in making it possible for it to acquire a park site. Coming into possession of the tract of land recently purchased from Dr. Flowers is the first step in fulfilling the Commission's most cherished dream of developing a recreational park. We are deeply grateful to you.

Very sincerely yours,
(Mrs.) Doris Horton Privette
Secretary, Zebulon Recreation Commission

Town Recreation Program Ready

The deed for the Zebulon Community Park site has been transferred to the Zebulon Recreation Commission and the purchase price paid, Chairman Ralph Talton announced last week. C. V. Whitley gave the money to buy land owned by Dr. Charles Flowers and contributed two acres of his own land adjoining the site to provide land sufficient for all activities planned for the future.

The transfer of the deed was announced at a meeting of the Recreation Commission held last Thursday night.

Summer Program

The summer program for the community was discussed with Bill Alheim, recreation director.

The colored recreation program will be led this summer by Mrs. Lizzie Foster. Tentative plans for this phase of the recreation project call for the program for the colored to be carried out at Shepard School from 1 to 5 p. m. daily.

Serving with Mrs. Foster is Harold Taylor and Fagan Jones.

Open July 4th

Zebulon stores will remain open on Saturday, July 4, but will observe Monday, July 6, as a holiday, members of the Zebulon Chamber of Commerce decided by majority vote at a membership meeting held last night.

Ferd Davis was elected president of the Chamber of Commerce at the meeting, and Aaron Lowery and R. Vance Brown were named directors to serve three year terms.

3 Lucky Winners Are Given 1-Year Subscriptions to Zebulon Record

The race for bringing in the first cotton blossom of the 1953 growing season was so close this summer that three subscriptions to the Zebulon Record were awarded rather than the customary one.

Mrs. J. J. Murray, Route 1, Mrs. Charlie Debnam, Route 2, and J. P. Gay of Route 3, were all awarded a year's subscription for their early blooms, which were brought in to the Record office last Thursday.

Other early blooms, received Friday too late for an award,

were grown by W. B. Murray of Route 1, E. W. Connor of Wendell, Route 1, James Leonard on J. K. Barrow's farm, Bennett Pearce, Route 4, and Hardin Hinton of Zebulon.

54 Books Are Given By One Person Here

Mrs. McRae Faison of Roanoke Rapids, sister to Mrs. A. S. Hinton, has given fifty-four books to the Community Library.