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Wakelon to Meet Aurelian Springs On Friday Night

Wakelon's football team, still seeking its first victory of the 1955 season, will meet the Aurelian Springs eleven on the Wakelon athletic field Friday night, September 30, at 8 o'clock.

The Halifax County eleven will come here for the Wakelon homecoming game, which will be played following the annual senior class barbecue supper, which will be served in the Wakelon Cafeteria to help raise money for the senior projects this year.

The local boys lost a 32-6 decision to Wendell last Friday night. Aided by the running of Hinnant, the neighboring team used pitch-out sand line bucks to good advantage, scoring once in the first, third, and fourth quarters, and tallying twice in the second quarter.

Wakelon received the kick-off as the game opened, and, needing one yard for a first down, gambled and failed on fourth down.

Wendell immediately made a first down on a pitchout, and then following a five yard penalty for off-sides, made another first down on a pitchout. Penalties carried the ball nearly to the Wakelon goal line, where Wendell scored on a lineback.

Perry Scores

Wakelon tied the score in the first period, when Basil Perry ran forty yards around right end after a Wendell fumble was recovered on the forty yard line.

In the second quarter Wendell scored through the line after a pitchout play was good for forty yards. Hinnant scored the extra point on an end run.

Following a bad pass from center which prevented Wakelon punting on the fourth down, Wendell took over on the Wakelon 18 yard line, and made a first down on the Wakelon seven. Hinnant again scored for Wendell.

In the third quarter Wendell made a sustained drive of 60 yards, and Hinnant again scored on a pitchout.

Coach Charles Hester substituted freely during the game, giving his reserves playing experience. The only sustained Wakelon drive outside of the first quarter scoring march was stalled in the fourth quarter when Wakelon was penalized 15 yards for a personal foul.

New 'Guardman' Is In Circulation Here

The second issue of The Tar Heel Guardsman, published in Zebulon for the Army and Air National Guard of North Carolina, was mailed last week. It featured the Ft. Bragg and Camp Stewart encampments conducted by North Carolina Guardsmen.

Other articles of the September issue included a message by Major General John H. Manning, the Adjutant General.

Other magazines printed by Theo. Davis Sons and mailed from the Zebulon postoffice include Garden Gossip, Restaurant South, The North Carolina Clubwoman, and Virginia Wings.

The North Carolina Catholic, diocesan newspaper for North Carolina, and Wing Tips, published for Stallings Air Base, are printed here but are mailed from Raleigh and Kinston.



Chairman W. T. Debnam

18-Year-Old Boy Caught with Still

Wake County ABC agents pointed forces Friday with a Federal ATU agent to find an illegal still near Zebulon. The still was destroyed and an 18-year-old Louisburg youth was arrested.

ABC Agent Hoke Smith said that the illegal still was located about three miles from Zebulon in Franklin County.

Smith said that one of the operators escaped and is still being hunted. The other, Bennie G. Perry of Louisburg, waived preliminary hearing before U. S. Commissioner H. A. Bland later in the afternoon and was bound over to the next term of Federal Court under \$500 bond.

The officers destroyed two 400-gallon submarine type stills with axes, Smith said. Sixty gallons of non-tax-paid "white" liquor were confiscated as evidence, Smith said.

Officers in the raid besides Smith were ATU Agent Roy C. Longnecker, and Wake ABC officers F. V. Johnson and D. H. Perry.

Negro Kills Wife, Takes Body to Another House

Frank Alston, 38 year-old Negro of Pilot, is being held in the Franklin County Jail on a charge of first degree murder after admitting stabbing his wife to death Sunday morning.

Gladys Alston, 36, Alston's wife, apparently died instantly when her husband plunged a butcher knife in her heart. The Alstons lived on the M. T. Ray farm on Highway 64 at the western edge of Pilot.

A daughter of the victim by a previous marriage came to the home of Mrs. Ray Sunday around noon and said that Alston was mistreating her. Mrs. Ray asked her son, M. T. Ray, Jr., to remonstrate with the Negro man, and Mr. Ray discovered the murder when he went to the tenant house.

Sheriff Willis Perry of Louisburg said yesterday that Alston remained at the tenant house until law enforcement officers arrived and offered no resistance to arrest.

Senior Barbecue

The annual barbecue supper sponsored by the Wakelon senior class will be held Friday evening, September 30, from 5 until 8 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Plates cost \$1.25 each.

Foreign Students from UNC Attend Planning Meet Here

The president and secretary of the Cosmopolitan Club, a student organization at the University of North Carolina, met Thursday night with Chairman Wilbur Debnam and other members of committees planning the "World Comes to Zebulon" weekend in November.

Challie Iralu of India, president, and Miss Tefta Zograf, secretary of the Cosmopolitan Club, expressed their pleasure at plans for the special weekend.

With the visiting students were John Riebel, Y.M.C.A. director at the University, and Harry Smith, Presbyterian minister. They reviewed the plans made by various committees and added their suggestions.

Mayor Debnam opened the meeting with an explanation of the weekend's purpose, and read the proposed schedule of activities. About 15 committee members were present to report on their preparations.

About 25 foreign students from U.N.C. are expected to arrive in Zebulon at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon, November 4. After visiting in the homes where they will stay for the weekend, they will be honored guests at a joint meeting of the Zebulon Lions and Rotary Clubs.

Following the meeting, a dance will be held in the Wakelon gymnasium at which the foreign students will be shown various American dances, including square, round, and jitterbug.

Saturday morning and afternoon will be spent touring points of interest in the community, including the municipal building, post office, businesses, and farms.

A chicken barbecue supper will be served in Davis Armory Saturday evening for the students. Following the barbecue, they will present a special program featuring dances and songs of their native lands. The public will be invited. (See WORLD, Page 2)

Four Held For Thefts

Roy Joyner, 37, who lives on the Nash-Wilson county line between Bailey and Green Pond; George Edwards, 43, of Bailey, Route 2; Harvey Hales, 47, and John B. Nichols, Jr., 19, both of whom reportedly live on Joyner's place, were held Sunday in the Wake County jail in connection with break-ins and thefts at two rural stores near here.

Sheriff Robert J. Pleasants said that they are implicated in the robbery of the H. B. Jones Store at Wake Cross Roads on August 11, the date of Hurricane Connie; and Blackard and Peebles Store in Little River Township between Rolesville and Knightdale on Sept. 19, the date of Hurricane Ione.

Merchandise valued at between \$2,500 and \$3,000 was taken from the store of Blackard and Peebles, it was reported, and about \$1,600 stolen from Jones' Store.

Merchandise Recovered

A quantity of the merchandise was recovered at the residence of Joyner, who faces felony charges of breaking and entering, and larceny and receiving.

Nichols will be charged with being an accessory after the fact, it was stated, because he hid some of the tires in a wooded area near Joyner's residence.

Edwards, who admitted being at Blackard and Peebles Store with Joyner two days before the robbery, faces a charge of receiving stolen goods, deputies said.

Hales also will be charged with receiving stolen goods, and being an accessory after the fact for allegedly helping unload a truck used in hauling the stolen merchandise, officers said.

Deputies H. C. Benton, L. S. Covert and Earl Duke worked on the case all last week, according to Sheriff Pleasants, and were assisted by the State Bureau of Investigation and officers of Wilson and Nash counties.

Wakelon Principal Tells How School Became Career

The unusual way in which he decided against continuing to study for the ministry and eventually entered the field of education was related by Franklin Ross Jones, 34, Wakelon School principal, to members of the Zebulon Rotary Club Friday night.

The program was another of a series which acquaints the Rotarians with the lives and backgrounds of new members.

After over a year of graduate work at the Southwestern Baptist Seminary in Texas, he decided not to continue his preparation for the ministry, Mr. Jones reported.

It was while helping in Sunday School work in Florida, where his brother was pastor, that he first taught school. He has been teaching ever since.

He was junior high school principal in Henderson for six years before coming to Wakelon last year. Previously he had taught and served as athletic director in schools in North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia.

He married a Henderson girl during his second year there, and they have two sons, Ross and Morty.

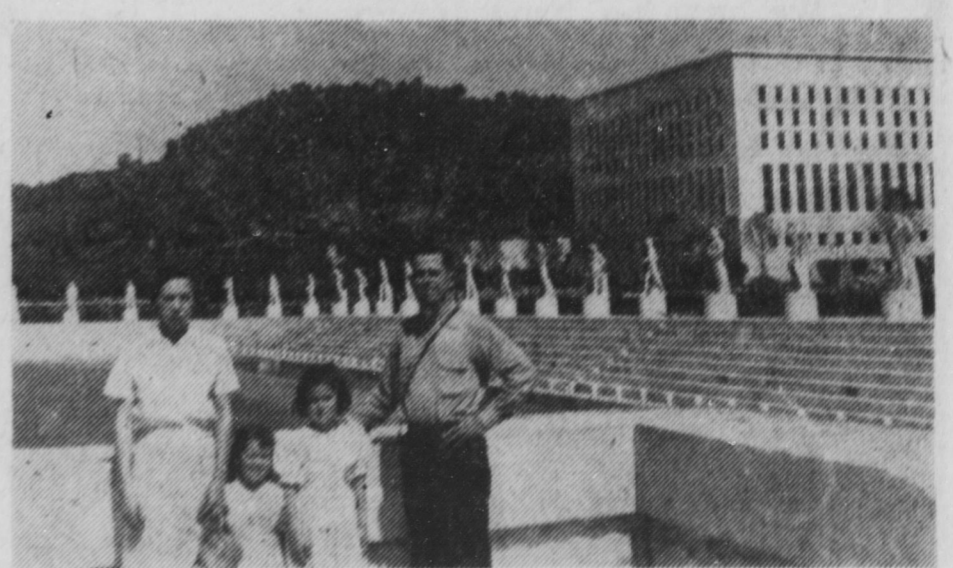
Richardson Rites Held Yesterday

Charles (Charlie) Hilliard Richardson, 46, died at 9 a.m. Sunday at his home on Rt. 2, Zebulon, after a long illness.

Surviving are his wife, Shirley H. Richardson of the home; one daughter, Mrs. R. S. Powell of Aholkie; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Richardson of Zebulon, Rt. 2; two sisters, Mrs. B. W. Sykes of Spring Hope, and Mrs. W. W. Bullock of Zebulon; two brothers, Rudolph Richardson of Louisburg, and Eddie R., Jr., of Winston-Salem; and one grandson.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Monday from the Poplar Springs Baptist Church with the Rev. B. E. Dotson, Presbyterian minister of Mount Olive, officiating, assisted by the Rev. L. R. Lolley, pastor of the church.

Burial was in Oaklawn Cemetery, Louisburg. The body was carried to the church one hour before the funeral.



AT ROME — Mrs. Calvin Spann of Pilot, her daughters, Judy and Dorothy, and her husband stand in one of Italy's modern sport centers on a trip to Rome. Mrs. Spann's account of the recent trip follows:

As we approached Rome, Calvin and I tried to recall all we knew about Rome's past and pres-

ent history. We recalled some sayings that we had heard all our lives, "Rome wasn't built in a day" and "Rome is built on seven hills." After being in the city for a few days we realized both of these sayings to be very true.

At first we didn't think the hills were very noticeable, but as we (See ROME, Page 2)