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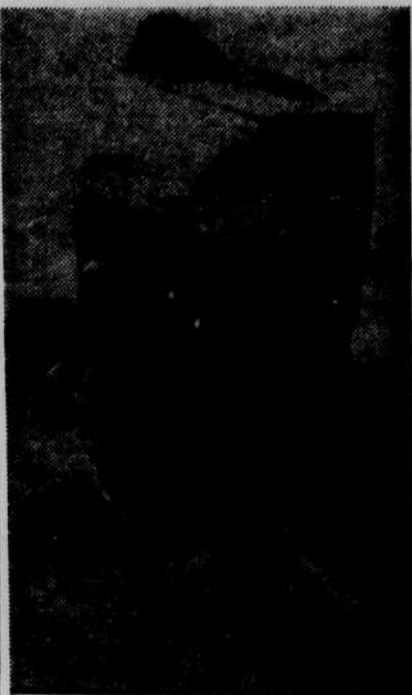
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Middlesex Serviceman Places Second In Truck Rodeo in San Juan

Sgt. James F. Medlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Medlin, Route 2, Middlesex, recently won a monthly \$10.00 bonus for twelve months by placing second in the three-axle division of a Junior Chamber of Commerce Truck Rodeo in San Juan, P. R. Sergeant Medlin is regularly assigned with the 7516th Army Unit at Fort Buchana, P. R. The sergeant entered the Army in March, 1953, and arrived in Puerto Rico in May, 1955. His wife, Ruth, is with him at the fort.



Sgt. James F. Medlin

Wakelon Seniors Elect Annual Staff

The Wakelon Senior Class has elected the annual staff of the Wak-igh-an. They are:

Co-Editors: Jean Joyner and Dorothy Smith; Business Managers, Janet Upchurch and Betsy Goodwin; Circulation Editor, Betsy Brantley; Assistant Editor, Joe Wayne Tippet; Senior Class Editor, Zelma Greene; Associate Editor, Diane Broughton; Picture Editor, Carolyn Hinton; Associate Editor, Betty Kimball; Feature Editor, Kay Chamblee; Sports Editors, Joseph Temple and Donna Mitchell; Arrangement Editor, Carlton Debnam; Art Editor, Linwood Liles; and Associate Art Editor, Charles Murphy.

CHANGE

State Drivers' License Examiner C. M. Hocutt has announced his change of schedule for Wake Forest from Thursday and Friday of each week to Wednesday and Thursday.

This change is due to the courtroom being used on Fridays, he said.

He will be in Wendell on every Friday instead of Wednesday as he has previously been.

Survivor Benefits Revisions Made

The President signed the Survivor Benefits Act revising benefits for the dependents of deceased servicemen and veterans who died of service-connected causes.

Veterans Administration announced that it is taking immediate steps to put this new law into operation even though payments cannot begin prior to January 1, 1957, the effective date of the Act.

VA stressed that this law does not change death pension benefits to widows and children of veterans whose deaths were not as a result of service.

Widows, dependent parents and guardians of orphan children receiving compensation for the service-connected death of a veteran are requested NOT to contact VA for information.

Veterans Administration will notify each person receiving death compensation under present law concerning his rights under the new law.

The new law is designed to:

1. Revise the death compensation program by providing monthly payments to widows partially related to military pay; slightly increase existing uniform payments for orphan children; and to provide a sliding scale of benefits for dependent parents subject to certain annual income limitations.

2. Extend Social Security coverage to those in the armed forces on a contributory basis; and

3. Revise the six months death gratuity to range from a minimum of \$800 to a maximum of \$3,000. This will be administered by the various service departments.

The new law also eliminates coverage of service personnel under the Servicemen's Indemnity Act (the so-called "\$10,000 free insurance") and coverage of reserve personnel under the Federal Employees Compensation Act on and after January 1, 1957.

The new law continues the right of veterans disabled in service to apply to VA for the five-year policy or any of the six permanent plans of National Service Life Insurance within one year from the date VA finds their disabilities to be service-connected.

License Revoked

The Motor Vehicles Department withdrew the legal driving privileges of 2523 traffic offenders in August, the agency reported this week.

The month's total was split almost half and half between drunk drivers and speeders.

For August the vehicles agency has 993 drunk drivers and 910 speeders.

Others offenses, also requiring the surrender of driving privileges, ranged from larceny of auto to incompetency.

WAKELON MENU

TUESDAY: Barbecued pork in bun, slaw, potato sticks, pineapple pudding and milk.

WEDNESDAY: Italian spaghetti, tossed green salad, lemon cake, bread and milk.

THURSDAY: Chicken salad on lettuce, string beans, cucumber pickle, bread, crackers and milk.

FRIDAY: Vegetable soup, luncheon meat sandwich, carrot strips, ice cream and milk.

New Junior Woman's President Installation To be Held Tonight



Mrs. Ralph Bunn

Mrs. Ralph Bunn Newly Elected President

The Junior Woman's Club will install its twelfth president tonight when the club begins its 22nd year as one of the leading civic organizations of Zebulon.

Mrs. Ralph Bunn, newly elected president of the club, will be installed by Mrs. Walter C. Burgess of Wendell, newly appointed vice president of District Eight. The installation ceremonies will take place at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Bunn is the former Mary Croom Gully. She was born in Newport News, Va., the daughter of Emmitt Gully, now of Sylvester, Ga., and the late Mrs. Gully.

After the death of her mother, she moved to Selma to live with her aunt and uncle. She graduated from Selma High School and attended East Carolina College, later graduating from Atlantic Christian College with a bachelor of arts degree in primary education. She has been a member of the Corinth-Holders School faculty for the past 12 years, teaching in the primary department of that system.

Mrs. Bunn has been active in the Masonic Order of the Eastern Star. She has served as Matron of the local Eastern Star and has been District Deputy Grand Matron for two years. She now holds a position with the Junior Department of the Zebulon Baptist Church.

She is the mother of two children, Jean, a sophomore at East Carolina, and Bunny, a student at Wakelon.

Mrs. Bunn will succeed Mrs. Franklin R. Jones, who was elected to fill the vacancy created by Mrs. (Continued on Page 4)

Record Sited By Gov. Hodges For Fine Service

The Zebulon Record has been commended by Governor Luther H. Hodges for its service to the community and State in publishing the series of advertisements about the industrial development program.

The letter from the Governor reads:

"The Zebulon Record, as a member of the North Carolina Press Association, is rendering signal service to its community and State in publishing the series of advertisements about our industrial development program.

"I am happy to see the space donated by the Zebulon Record and other 161 members of the Press Association, (with circulation over 1,250,000), as it helps our program greatly.

"This is a fine public service by (Continued on Page 4)

You Can Laugh . . .

You can laugh, but there's an interesting similarity between the irresponsible little cuckoo bird and today's irresponsible motorist.

Hot weather brings song to the cuckoo, who's chief claim to fame is that it lays its eggs in other birds' nests. And hot weather brings to Tar Heel highways a cacophony — the screech of tires and the bang-crash of metal — to our streets and highways.

Like the cuckoo the careless or irresponsible motorist usually forces his trouble on innocent parties.

Summer of course is not the only season for the highway menace.

But with their hordes of vacation travelers, their masses of weekend junketeers, the oppression of the summer sun that aggravates

the impatience of the human animal, summer highways are the scene of more congestion and more carnage than are those of any other season.

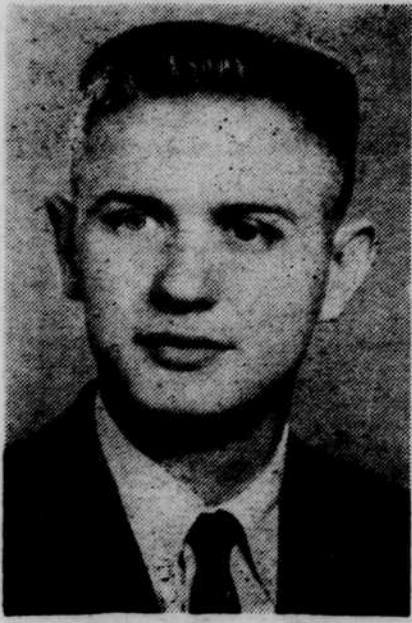
It's certainly true in North Carolina.

And all summer long, Slow Down and Live, the massive Memorial Day through Labor Day campaign has been aimed at curbing this summertime slaughter.

Going into August, the final month of the lifesaving drive, the Governor's Traffic Safety Council has repeated the principle emphasis of the campaign to cut down accidents. First, through increased law enforcement measures and second, through an appeal to the public for an increased volun-

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Native of Henderson Heads Wakelon's Band



Sinclair Newman

Sinclair Newman, a 1956 graduate of East Carolina College with a bachelor of arts degree in music, now heads the Wakelon School Band program. He succeeds Alger Batts who resigned to accept employment in Wake Forest.

Native of Henderson

Newman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sinclair Newman, Sr. of Henderson. He was married on August 19 to the former Beverly Ann Sumner of Wilmington. She also attended East Carolina College.

He will work in conjunction with Wendell on a band program there.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman are residing in an apartment in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bunn on North Street.

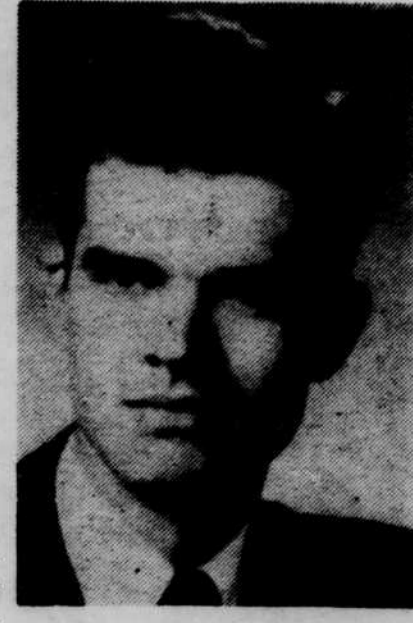
Grandson of Local Woman Receives Appointment

Dr. Earl T. Brown, a native of Leicester, has been appointed assistant professor of pharmacy at the University of North Carolina School of Pharmacy, Dr. E. A. Brecht, dean of the school, has announced.

Brown received his A.B., M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from the University and was made assistant professor in August. He will assume his duties at the University this week.

He is the son of Mrs. Howard Cole of Leicester and the late Worth Brown. His grandmother, Mrs. Heflin Brown, resides on Zebulon, Route 1.

The energy of the free individual is the most dynamic force in human affairs.—Dwight D. Eisenhower



Dr. Earl T. Brown