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... community miracle

Hospital Is One Year Old Tuesday; Success Assured

Wendell-Zebulon Hospital was one year old Tuesday, April 17. One of four branch hospitals in Wake County, the local unit is valued at \$350,000.

Mrs. Mary Temple, director of nurses, revealed the following statistics.

In-patients: 895
Out-patients: 1,136
Operations: 302
X-rays: 1,164
Deliveries: 86
Laboratory procedures: 7,148
Blood transfusions: 79

The first birth recorded at the hospital was that of Thomas Wayne Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bell Phillips, born April 23, 1961.

Two sets of twins have been born at the hospital. Both sets were boys. They were the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Leo Paradis of Wendell, and sons of Mr. and Mrs. James Carroll of Route 2, Clayton.

Shepard Juniors Presenting Play

Members of Shepard High School junior class will present its annual dramatic production Wednesday night, April 25, at 8 o'clock.

Having roles in the three-act comedy, "Hillbilly Courtship," will be Charles Hodge, Betty Perry, Betty M. Jones, Joyce Jones, Beatrice Holden, William Winston, Millard High, James Upchurch, Nathaniel Montague, Eleanor Jones and Jessie Teasley.

Mary Burnette is stage manager, and Maxine Lyons, Oris Hartsfield and Donal Crews, properties. Mrs. A. H. Stallings and H. Yates, Jr., are directors.

Retired Farmer, Realtor Dies Sunday After Lingered Illness

Funeral rites were held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Lee's Chapel Baptist Church for S. Willis Liggins. Liggins died Sunday at Wake Memorial Hospital after a lingering illness. Death was attributed to cancer.

Liggins was the son of Sam and Martha Talton Liggins. He was born September 11, 1882, in Northern Johnston County near Emit.

A self-made man, Liggins had only a few days formal schooling. However, he was very successful in farming, construction and real estate ventures, and at the time of his death was the owner of large real estate properties.

He retired from farming several years ago and devoted his time to building and real estate dealings.

Liggins and his wife, the former Lillie Stallings, who survives, had been married 57 years. They

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Marion Goodson was the first patient admitted, according to Mrs. Temple.

Two persons man the business office; there are five full-time registered nurses; three part-time registered nurses; four full-time licensed practical nurses; one part-time licensed practical nurse; five full-time aides; two part-time aides, with access to others; four people who keep the kitchen; three orderlies and one maid.

The hospital has equipment valued at \$40,000, and 11,000 square feet of floor space.

There are business offices, x-ray and treatment rooms, laboratory, nursery with washroom and formula room, nurses station, ten two-bed rooms with piped oxygen, nurses-page intercommunication system, individual room air conditioners, recessed lockers in each room, commodes and laboratories in each room, cubicle curtains and brussel linen draperies in each room, six electric beds, utility room, sterilizing room, operating room, delivery room, emergency room, diet kitchen and dining room, emergency generator which comes on automatically, power plant and boiler room and parking space adequate for 75 cars.

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Farm Bureau Women To Hold Meeting

Mrs. William J. Ammons of Wendell will give a demonstration on flower arranging and corsage making to members of Zebulon Farm Bureau Women Thursday night, April 18. The meeting will get underway at 8 o'clock in Wake-lon School home economics department. Visitors are welcome.



Willis Liggins

Boys, Girls State Delegates and Alternates Named By Clubs

Boys and Girls State delegates and alternates have been selected by the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary.

Boys State delegates are Millard King, Jr., and Douglas Perry, whose alternates are Jesse Hor-

ton, Jr., and Jimmy Boykin.

King, 17, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. King of Route 3, Zebulon. He is a member of the Science and Beta Clubs and while a student of Hugh Morson School in Raleigh was in the Music Club.

His hobbies are all types of sports and he has a special interest in airplanes. This interest in airplanes has given him a desire to apply for admittance to the U. S. Air Force Academy. He says he would like to make the Air Force his career.

His father is a World War II veteran of the Navy.

Perry, 16, is the son of Mrs. Betty Hales Perry and the late Ronald Lee Perry. He is a member of the Beta Club, National Honor Society and was a member of the Student Council during his freshman year.

At Zebulon Baptist Church of which he is a member he is superintendent of the Fellowship of the Young Adults Department and is president of his Sunday School Class.

His hobbies are sports. He has plans to enter the University of North Carolina and would like to go into radio or television. But, then there is law, which he is also considering.

He has a part time job with Morgan Drugs here.

Horton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Horton of Route 4, Zebulon. This sixteen-year-old is a member of the Science, Monogram and Public Speaking Clubs, National Honor Society, and Student Council.

He served as vice president of his freshman class, president of his sophomore and junior classes and is vice president of the Student Council. He has been a member of the debating team for the past two years.

He likes football and plays tackle. He is a member of the Explorer Scouts and is president of Post 535.

Horton will seek a degree in engineering or applied mathematics from some North Carolina college.

Boykin, 17, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donie B. Boykin of Route 3, Zebulon. He is a member of the FFA, Science, Public Speaking, Beta and Dramatic Clubs, and a member of the National Honor Society.

His hobbies are scientific reading and studying the conditions of the world.

He plans to attend the University of North Carolina.

Girls State delegates selected by the Legion Auxiliary are Betty Bunn and Jane Ihrie, whose alternates are Carolyn Finch and Pat Walters.

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Businessmen Speak Out

Share Alike Needed In Distributing Supplement Tax

Three prominent Zebulon men maintain that Wake County students outside the Raleigh school district are getting the short end

of the 32-cent school supplement.

Mayor Ed Hales, wholesale grocerman W. B. Bunn, and attorney Foster D. Finch have called for a share-and-share-alike distribution of the funds.

The three men say probably the best way to get equal disbursement of the tax supplement is to consolidate the city and county school systems.

The men pointed out that the per capita property valuation in Zebulon is slightly higher than that of Raleigh. However, Zebulon students get only about half as much per pupil as do Raleigh pupils.

Hales said this is because all the incorporated towns in the county except Raleigh have to help pay for schools for the rural areas. The rural areas have little taxable property, so the incorporated areas have to share their burden by giving nearly half their supplement dollars.

"The general feeling throughout the county is that Raleigh should help share the cost of the rural schools," Hales said.

Raleigh and Zebulon real estate values were compared. Raleigh has \$5,215 property value, the per capita average for Zebulon is \$5,360.

If Zebulon could hold out all its school supplement from the rest of the county it could have a slightly higher per pupil allocation than Raleigh, the men said.

The three pointed out that the school system is supposed to be set up on an equal education opportunity for everyone.

Raleigh with 42 per cent of the students of the county is getting 64 per cent of the supplement while the county system with 58 per cent of the students is getting 36 per cent of the supplement.

Betas To Induct 13 Candidates

Thirteen Wakelon High School sophomores and juniors will be initiated into the school's highest honor society Thursday, April 26.

The thirteen will be inducted into the Beta Club in ceremonies which begin at 10 o'clock in the school auditorium. R. B. Hellams, State director of Beta Clubs, will be the principal speaker.

Inductees must have an A average and possess outstanding qualities, character, leadership and other achievements. High school Betas are comparable to college Phi Beta Kappas.

The new members are Judy Lee, Millard King, Gale Pearce, Janice Perry, Charles Collins, Lewis Liles, Annette Brantley, Ann Davis, Donna Denton, Celia Hales, Betsy Long, Vickie Tart, and Brook Boykin.

All are members of the sophomore class except one who is a member of the junior class.

The club has 20 members at present. Mrs. Stanley Seago is sponsor for the club.

Club membership is open only to members of the junior and senior classes.

Six members of the club attended the State Beta Club convention held in Raleigh April 6-7. Priscilla Bercik, Betsy Alford, Jane Ihrie, Sandra Perry, Betty Dunn and Carolyn Finch were at the convention held at Sir Walter Hotel and Memorial Auditorium. Miss Bercik and Alford were chief marshals at the meeting.

WATER PLANT

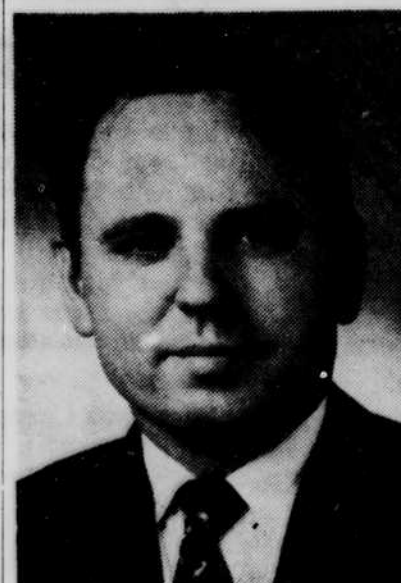
The Town Board unanimously agreed Monday night to purchase a tract of land from Wilbur Bullock for the site of the new water plant for the Town of Zebulon. The two and one-half acre plot will cost between \$3,250 and \$3,500, Mayor Ed Hales said. The site is located on the Wendell-Zebulon bypass.

School Board Takes No Action

Wakelon School Board took no action on any business at its last meeting, according to Principal C. V. Tart.

Principal Tart said only three teachers have indicated they will not be returning to the faculty next year. He would not release the names.

Dale Carnegie Course Will Be Held Here; Meeting May 1



E. J. Taylor

E. J. Taylor of Greensboro, managing director of the Dale Carnegie Courses in North Carolina and South Carolina, announced Tuesday that the world-famous course would be given in Zebulon under the sponsorship of the local Jaycee Club.

A free explanation demonstration meeting will be held in the Fellowship Hall of Zebulon Methodist Church Tuesday night, May 1, at 7:30 o'clock, Jimmy Medlin, president of the Jaycees, said.

Some of the highlights of this meeting will be unusual memory demonstrations, graduates will speak, refreshments will be served and door prizes will be given. Every adult attending this demonstration will receive a complimentary copy of Dale Carnegie's best seller, "How to Win Friends

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