

# THE ZEBULON RECORD

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Mrs. Ray Jones

## Retired Wakelon Teacher Makes Money with Pickles

Retirement has not been sit-and-do-nothing for Mrs. Marguerite Jones. "I couldn't possibly fold my hands and do nothing," this handsome and personable Wakefield community matron said. After retiring from teaching community youngsters for 11 years at Wakelon School, she has found herself a new occupation—and business. It is pickling artichokes. "This isn't so unusual," Mrs. Jones said. "Lots of people like pickled artichokes. They are delightful for parties and often add

an extra touch to regular meal-time eating." Mrs. Jones and her husband, Ray, got into the business somewhat by accident. They were visiting their daughter in Wilson. Mother and daughter were in a popular grocery and saw packaged artichokes for sale. "My daughter told me about some delicious pickles she had eaten made from artichokes and asked why I didn't try making some," Mrs. Jones said. Mrs. Jones said the thought had

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## Plans Are Made For Big Songfest

Preparations are now underway by Wilson Jaycees for the twenty-second annual East Carolina Singing Convention to be held in Wilson on the traditional fourth Sunday in May which will be on May 27 this year at Fleming Stadium.

L. A. Hagwood, president of the convention, has reported that many outstanding singing groups have reported that they plan to be on the program this year. Anyone interested in performing in the gospel sing fest is asked to contact Mr. Hagwood immediately.

A record crowd is expected to attend the annual affair this year. The event has become very popular over the years and many families come prepared with picnic lunches and make a day of it.

The event will get underway promptly at 10 a.m. and last until late in the afternoon.

## Funeral Held For Exum E. Pippin

Funeral rites for Exum E. Pippin, 63, were held Wednesday, May 2, at 1 o'clock from the Simmons Bros. Funeral Home in Washington, D. C.

Pippin was the son of the late Rev. A. A. and Claudia Joyner Pippin. He had been a paralytic for several years, however, death was attributed to a stroke.

Prior to his invalidism he was a mechanic in Washington.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Pearl R. Pippin; two sons, Charles of Durham and Wesley of Charlotte; one sister, Mrs. Rochelle Strowd of Sanford; four brothers, Doyt Pippin of Pensacola, Fla.; Shelton Pippin of Sylvania, Ga.; Hugh Pippin and Allan A. Pippin, both of Zebulon; and one grandchild.

Interment was in the Cedar Hill Cemetery in Washington.



Mrs. George Broughton

## Widow of George Broughton Dies

Mrs. Josephine Broughton, one of the community's oldest residents, died Tuesday night at Wendell-Zebulon Hospital following a lingering illness. She was 92 years old.

Mrs. Broughton, daughter of the late Wade and Carolyn Bartholomew Harris, was the widow of the late George Broughton. She was born December 4, 1870, near Louisburg.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Fannie Rutledge of Apex, Mrs. Gladys Dees of Pikeville, Mrs. Swannanoa Lassiter of Bethel and Mrs. Curtis Land of Wendell; one son, Dr. J. Otis Broughton of Wilmington; five grandchildren; seven great grandchildren; one brother, Herbert Harris, and two sisters, Miss Lizzie Harris and Miss Mary Lou Harris, all of Shotwell.

Funeral services will be held at the home today (Thursday) at 11 a.m. with the Rev. David Daniel officiating. She was a member of Zebulon Baptist Church. Interment will be in Montlawn Cemetery in Raleigh.

Pallbearers will be Dr. Ben Thomas, Bobby Land, Lester Greene, William Honeycutt, Wiley Broughton and Robert Ed Horton.

## COURT NEWS

### Judge Gill Orders Fines and Terms

Recorder's Court Judge I. D. Gill disposed of the following cases in May 2 session.

Lloyd Howard Ange, driving on wrong side of road, \$10 fine and costs.

James Edward Denton, speeding and improper muffler, \$25 fine and costs.

Jennings Bryan Bone, driving on wrong side of road, \$15 fine and costs.

Jodie Lee Williams, careless and reckless driving, \$25 fine and costs. Clarence W. Freeman, disregarding stop sign, \$10 fine and costs.

Frederick Allen Carroll, speeding, \$25 fine and costs.

Herbert Taylor, careless and reckless driving, \$25 fine and costs. Davis Elmo Fowler, speeding and careless and reckless driving, \$60 fine and costs.

Douglas McLean, driving too slowly, \$10 fine and costs.

Bobby Lee McKinnon, stealing merchandise from Harold Massey's Store, one year on roads suspended on payment of court costs and pay \$50 to court to be given to Harold Massey.

Graham David Miller, operating

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## Poppy Sale Plans Made for Zebulon

Plans for the annual American Legion Auxiliary Poppy Day were made when the organization met Friday night, May 4, at the home of Mrs. Pat Farmer.

Poppy Day is set for May 26, and members of the Auxiliary will be on the streets selling the red crepe paper flowers. Last year's sales were very good, according to an Auxiliary member.

The meeting last week was opened by Mrs. Melvin Lanier, president, with other officers presiding. After the business session the hostess served refreshments.

## Mothers . . . God bless them

Sunday is her day. Honoring mother at least once a year with a special day goes back many centuries. The Greeks started it with an annual tribute to Cybele, mother of the gods, held on the Ides of March. The custom was later introduced to Rome about 250 B.C. Mothers in Medieval Europe were honored on the fourth Sunday before Easter. Sixteenth Century England changed this Sunday

to "Mothering Sunday," a day when children went to see their mothers, taking them trinkets and cakes. This week we are saluting five wonderful creatures constructed almost entirely of love. Mrs. Harriet Bissette is the oldest of the group. She says she is 98 years old. "I sometimes feel like I'm 140," she said. She does most of her house

work, needing help for only the heavier objects. She has been a widow about 30 years. Her late husband was William Bissette. Mrs. Bissette, the former Harriet Wells of Wilson County, is the mother of one child. He was Johnny Bissette, who died last year. A dear, sweet little old lady who lives on Route 4, Zebulon. Mrs. Annie M. Nowell is 88 years

old. The former Annie Richardson, she is the widow of William Milton Nowell. Mrs. Nowell is the mother of nine, with only five now surviving. They are Ray Nowell of Wendell, Roy Nowell of Fayetteville, Mrs. Annie Milta Holder of Wendell, Mrs. Ercelle Richardson of Wendell and Mrs. Maidie Taylor of Raleigh. She is the grandmother of 11 and the great-grandmother of 12.

"Being a mother has been a full time job with me," kindly, sweet Mrs. Nowell said. Also very active, she is still mistress of her household on Route 1, Wendell. Mrs. Lucy Driver, 84, likes to make bedquilt tops and give them to her children and grandchildren and great-grandchildren. And many times she forgets about her glasses. (Continued on Page 4)



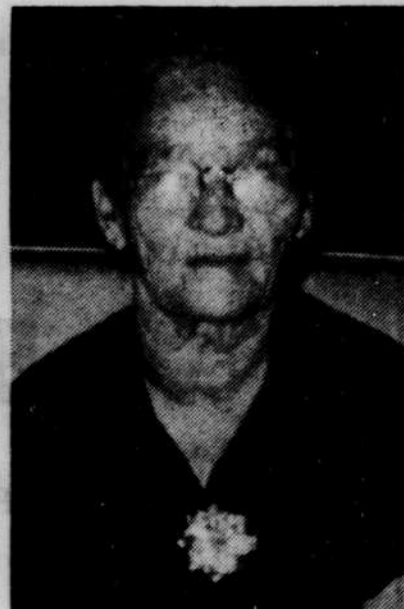
Harriet Bissette



Annie Nowell



Lucy Driver



Lucy Long



Myrtie Chamblee