

## PARENTS OF JESSE RICE GET \$2,240 FOR DEATH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rice of this city were last week awarded \$2,240.85 by the N. C. Industrial Commission for the death of their son, Jesse Rice, who was killed in June at the plan of the Halifax Paper Corporation.

The money will be paid by the insurance company which carried liability insurance for the paper company. They will also, under Commissioner Dewey Dorsett's ruling, pay for the funeral expenses not to exceed \$200 and medical and hospital treatment.

The money will be paid to them as next of kin in a lump sum which is the present value of 350 weekly installments at the rate of \$7.00 per week.

Claim for compensation by J. S. Whitman against Roanoke Mills Co., and its insurance company was denied by Commissioner Dorsett upon finding the claimant did not sustain injury by accident which arose out of and in the course of his employment.

S. H. Joyner, employee of Tri City Motor Co., with temporary total disability and 25 per cent permanent disability of a general nature was awarded \$12.64 per week for 52 weeks and \$3.16 per week for 258 weeks.

In the case of John Moss, employee of Fiske Carter Construction Co., the Commissioner ruled that while hospitalization was unnecessary, the attending physician had instructed the hospital to accept the patient and the hospital had discharged the patient when instructed by the physician, therefore the hospital should be paid.

The Commission also found that the fee charged by Dr. J. W. Martin in the case of B. L. Hull was a reasonable fee and instructed the insurance company to pay same to Dr. Martin.

### Warn About Wholesale Sales By Merchants

Merchants who may be making sales which they class as wholesale, when they should be in the retail class, will find themselves "in the red" and short the amount of tax they should have collected when the revenue department checks up on their sales, Harry McMullan, sales tax division director warns.

"It has become apparent that many large buyers have attempted to evade the application of the law to their purchases by claiming a wholesale classification to which they are not entitled and merchants are warned against such practice," he said.

The Sales Tax division field men will begin checking after October 15 on the merchants who show a sales tax return of less than the average for merchants of that kind and class, Mr. McMullan said. When there is a discrepancy in the tax one merchant pays as compared with a merchant in the same class, the division will assume that something is wrong and will investigate books, invoices and other records to see why the difference, Mr. McMullan stated.

On August 27, 1931, Karl Naumestnik, 38, an Austrian schoolmaster, of Styria, crossed the English channel from Cape Gris-Nez, France, to Shakespear Beach, near Dover, England, on a pair of water skis, each about six feet long and a foot wide; time: eight hours.

### Writes About Poultry



Fuller D. Baird, noted poultry nutritional expert, will contribute a special article to this newspaper each week, under the title of "Success With Poultry." The first article appears in this issue. We believe all owners of poultry will find this series very helpful. (Editor.)

## First State To Have Over 100 Accredited Negro High Schools

Raleigh, Oct. 12.—Twenty-five new high schools will appear in the list of accredited high schools in the new directory of high schools soon to be published by the State Department of Public Instruction. The new list includes 12 white and 13 colored schools, the first time in the history of the State that the negro schools have outnumbered the white schools so accredited in any one year.

The new list brings the negro accredited high schools to 108, thus giving North Carolina the distinction of being the first State to have 100 or more negro schools in the accredited high school list. The white high schools so accredited now number 896, bringing the total of both to 1004.

Pepys, in his diary, tells of having seen the Duke of York playing golf. That is evidence of the antiquity of the game which is of Scotch origin and was played in the lowlands of Scotland as early as 1300.

Mrs. E. L. Clark spent Sunday and Monday in Rocky Mt.

### Charged, Gold Hoarding



F. B. Campbell, N. Y. attorney and insurance company director, was indicted in 18 minutes by a federal grand jury charged with hoarding more than \$200,000 consisting of gold bullion bars. He pleaded not guilty. This is the first government case against alleged gold hoarders.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dickens spent Sunday in Rocky Mt.

### PARTY FOR TEACHERS

Mrs. Cooper Grizzard and Mrs. George Hayes were joint hostesses on Friday evening with bridge, at the home of Mrs. Grizzard, honoring some of the teachers. Progressive contract was played at six tables, after seven progressions the scores were collected and the winner of high score, Miss Virginia Forbes, was given a pair of hose, Miss Sara Cannon won low and was given a picture. A color scheme of yellow and green was carried out both in decorations and refreshments.

A salad course was served at ten-thirty, the tables were made up as follows: Misses Virginia Forbes, Sara Cannon, Virginia Blount, Thelma Garriss, Susan Womble, Mary Cannon, Betty and Virginia Gates, Ailene Cannon, Sara Gurley, Omara Daniel, Josephine and Cassie Carty, Mary Blalock, Ruth Dean, Martha Spivey, Hart Sheridan, Martha Craddock, Lucy Mayfield, Elizabeth Tait, Ruth Chapman, Eunice Kimbrough, Elizabeth Dover and Carrie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Britton and Mrs. J. W. Britton spent the week-end in Richmond.



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