Attending Convention
Misses Josie Moore, Viola Glover, Mary Gurley and Lois Lyles will attend the 28th annual les will attend the 28th annual convention of the North Caro-lina Federation of Business and Professional Woman's Clubs at Mayview Manor, Blowing Rock this week and this week-end.

To Close July 5th

Local merchants will be closed on Monday, July 5, in observance of July 4 which falls on Sunday.

Can This Be True?

An adult teacher conference report was recently released in Columbia, S. C., that stated South Carolina is not "a law

South Carolina is not "a law abiding state."

The document said "it is safer to be born in Chicago than in Greenville or Anderson".

Then it added, "in the Bible belt we have committed the Ten Commandments to memory but not to life."

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The report also disclosed that only 80 per cent of South Carolina's school age population are now in school. It was showed that 50 per cent drop out of school before reaching the fifth grade.

Now in Japan
T-Sgt. Jacob H. Renn, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Renn, of Roanoke Rapids, is now serving in Otsu Honshu, Japan, with the 35th Infantry Regiment of the 25th Infantry (Tropic Lightning) Division, commanded by Brigadier Gen. Everet E. Brown. Sergeant Renn, who has served in the army 19 years, has had previous overseas service in Panama, in South America and in the European Theater.

Church Picnic

All families and Bible School All families and Bible School members of the All Saints Episcopai Church are invited to attend a church picnic Friday afternoon. Everyone is asked to meet at the church at 4:45 p.m. and from there go to Weldon where there will be swimming from 5 to 6 o'clock. Family, style basket supper will be held at the Community House in Weldon beginning at 6 o'clock.

Weldon, June 17 (Special)— A Florida real estate man overturned his 1946 Buick convertible on Highway 301 four miles south of Weldon here yesterday afternoon, damaging it to the extent of \$300.

Patrolman J. S. Woodall, who investigated, identified the driver as J. L. Casselberry of Dayton Beach, Florida, and said be

One local citizen wants to know why not have cars on Roanoke Avenue park parallel, thus making a three lane drive, paint pedestrian lines at each crossing on the Avenue, and put up street lights at all intersections, and step up the speed limit?

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## Eastern Carolina Safety Council

# Norwood Cafe Changes

What Roanoke Rapids Maker -Makes Roanoke Rapids



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Thomas Fiockaday



The above students have just graduated from the Uni-versity of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Bachelor of Arts degree was awarded Miss Margaret Newman Martin; Bachelor of Science in Commerce was received by Thom as Edward Hockaday and Joseph N. Hatem. All three are from Roanoke Rapids.

## **June Permits** At \$26,200; More Homes

The office of the city building inspector issued \$21,500 more in city building permits this week as the June total for new home construction rose to \$24,500 and building in the other than residential classification got up to \$1700.

Total for June 17 (Special)—A Margarettsville resident, identified by State Highway Patrolman J. S. Woodall as James E. Piland, 69, was under \$150 bond with sweek after his arrest early Sunday morning on charges of driving while drunk.

Woodall said the arrest was made about \$300 Damage

Near Weldon

Weldon

Total for June to date now rests at \$26,200 with approximately two weeks remaining before a comparison with June of 1947 can be made.

Total Now \$2,767,160

The total amount in city building permits issued thus far in 1948 now stands at \$2,767,160 with \$199,400 of that amount going for new homes, leaving \$2,567,760 in other building for this \_ar. '

this Jar. Nore Permits Listed

Permits issued during the past week were: to Dr. T. J. Taylor for the construction of a two story residence on Sixth and Franklin Streets with seven rooms and two baths at an estimated cost of \$13,500; to J. W. Wheeler, one story building on Eighth and Rapids Streets at an estimated cost of \$1000; and to R. A. Michie, a one story frame residence on Vance Street between Sixth and Seventh Streets with five rooms and a bath at an estimated cost of \$7000.

Edenton Retains

Well as veterans taking Institutional on-the-farm training."

Although the same subsistence allowances continue to be paid, for or veteran without dependents and \$90 monthly for a veteran with one dependent, Baugham stated that the total income of wages and subsistence allowance under Senate Bill 1393 will be \$210 per month for a veteran with one dependent, and Seventh Streets with five rooms and a bath at an estimated cost of \$7000.

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# Parking Meters

## Raleigh Newspaper Editor At Ladies Night Meeting

### Hail Storm Hits

Warrenton, June 16 (Special)—Hail and wind in storm force have hit this area again as the Elberon section of the county had crops damaged severely in a Sunday afternoon

Terrific wind and large hail stones ripped a tobacco crop on the farm of Mrs. T. H. Aycock to threads and cotton and

In some fields the cotton was completely destroyed and it is reported that the farmers are replowing the ground and planting soy beans.

### Margarettsville Man Is Arrested

Coroner's

## Jury Clears **Enfield Man**

Neil Hester, news editor of the Raleigh News and Observer and past District 31-C Governor of the Lions Club was the speaker at the tenth anniversary ladies night celebration of the chartering of the Weldon Lions Club, Tuesday night at the Roa-noke Rapids Country Club. Hester, who is also an inter-national councillor of the Lions club, spoke to the more than 70

club, spoke to the more than 70 Lions, wives and guests at the dinner meeting.

President J. L. Mountcastle of thte Lions Club called the meet-ing to order and after the sing-ing of America and the invocation, which was given by B. F. Turner, Ted Speight of Roanoke Rapids took over as toastmaster for the occasion.

J. Alvin White, incoming president of the Weldon Lions, gave the address of welcome and District Governor Gaither M. Beam of Louisburg, gave the response

Other special guests at the dinner, besides Beam, were I. Dean Moon, cabinet secretary of the Lions Club called the meetand members of the Roanoke Rapids and Rocky Mount Lions Clubs. Mrs. Clyde Martin was the pianist.

## Local Office Gets Veteran **Pay Ceilings**

made about three miles from Seaboard on the Seaboard-Weldon highway.

The tase will be heard in Northampton County Recorder's Court at Jackson on June 30th.

The local office of the North Carolina State Employment Service has received a copy of Sender Provided A copy of Sender The local office of the North

Training Program."

Gilbert Baugham, Veterans
Employment Representative in the local office, says that the new bill liberalizes allowable ceilings on total income for veteran trainees participating in the program. The bill also grants proportionate subsistence in the charges at the next term of that court. proportionate subsistence in-creases to part time students as well as veterans taking "insti-tutional on-the-farm training."

### Two Appointed

mounced today by the chapter chiarman, Rev. B. Marshall White-Hurst.

They are Ken Johnson, program director of radio station WCBT, and W. A. (Bill) Mc-Clung, managing editor of the Herald.

The chapter is holding an important meeting this afternoon to consider applications for executive secretary, a post left vacant by the resignation earlier this month of Mrs. Do-

The new board members will take office at this meeting, it was announced.

## Musicians **Post Bonds** For Release

Ten bandsmen arrested in Roa noke Rapids Sunday morning and charged with illegal possession of marijuana, are free of bail after spending two days in the Wilson

Gaston, June 15 (Special)—
Hubert Washington, colored, is being held under \$500 bond for trial in Northampton County Superior Court in connection with the shotgun death of Clayalson also colored.

After the second and third in mings, with Murfreesboro scoring one run in each inning, Bill Evans, Woodland pitcher, held be Blue Jays scoreless. Marion Lassiter hurled for Murfreesboro.

At Jackson Saturday, the All Stars lost by a 10-5 count.
Then on Sunday, they dropped Marshall and her daughter, Mrs. Marshalls and her daughter, Mrs. Marshall's son, Wesley C. Carver, of Gaston.

The arrests were made in the county of the street of the county of the county

## **Drug Store Loss** Set At Near \$2000

### Street Zoning Is Considered For Warrenton

Warrenton, June 15 (Special)
—At a recent meeting of the town board, it was decided that Warrenton streets may be zoned for business purposes.

The action followed a recommendation by Bill Perry, representing the Warrenton Chamber of Commerce.

Perry stated that it was the feeling of the Chamber of Commerce that the merchants of the city should be protected from the competition offered by trucks selling produce on the streets, but found that under present laws the commissioners had no power to stop this as long as they were willing to pay a city tax of \$100. However, the pointed out, the city had the right to zone the streets, an action which would serve the same purpose.

In Burglary.

Police were continuing their investigation today into a break-in Monday night at Roanoke prevised estimates of the amount of loot taken rose to between \$1500 and \$2000.

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Police Report Suspect Out Of Town Group In Burglary.

The Farmer's Warehouse was built about 30 years ago by pub-lic subscription. E. J. Gerock was the last president of the

# Three Nabbed

The arrests were made in connection with an alleged harboring of another son, 36 year old Leonard C. Carver, who is wanted by the federal government on mail fraud charges.



Margaret Martin

Total Now \$2,767,160

er as J. L. Casselberry of Day-tona Beach, Florida, and said he was not injured in the mishap. Reams Makes

Warrenton, June 16 (Special) The Warren County farm agent, Frank Reams, is making a tour of the Middle West with

In Overturn

Meet At Plymouth

The Eastern Carolina Safety
Council will meet June 24 at 8:00 P. M. in Plymouth. The
North Carolina Subscription of the Middle West with the county agents educational group. The tour personnel is composed of county agents from all over the state.

Reams states he is anxious average at like tour of forms.

# Three Graduate From University Weldon Lions Club Hears

planting soy beans.

Several trees in the vicinity of Largo Pond, a pond owned by several members from Warrenton, were uprooted.

Although some of the people whose farms were damaged carried insurance, many were unprepared for the third hail storm that has hit the county this season.

Jackson, June 17 (Special)-A

# The accident happened in Enfield township and Hardie wrstepresented at the inquest by Mac Johnson, Enfield attorney. Taxes in Halifax County and Roanoke Rapids are among the lowest in the state. Taxes in Halifax County and 46 east of Gaston between six and 6:03 o'clock. The officers said the weapon used was a 12 gauge single barrel shotgin.

## Two new members of the board of directors of the Roa-noke Rapids Chapter of the American Red Cross were appointed this week, it was an

marijuana, are free of bail after spending two days in the Wilson County jail, it was revealved Wed needsdy.

Horace Edwards, 34 year old booking agent for Danny Long's band which was playing an engagement at William Pugh's near Roanoke Rapids Saturday was the first to get out on bail, posting \$1000 bond late Monday afternoon.

Edwards then set to work getting the other musicians, who were being held under \$500 bond, released, and by one o'clock Tuesday afternoon had completed his task.

Still in custody was Franklin Jones, 27 year old chauffeur for the orchestra, who told local officers the whole story about the organization's "reefers" follow in gan altercation with Edwards. Indications were that no bail would be raised for him immedia with the character and with the drawards. Ahoskie.—Sale Ahoskie.—Sale Ahoskie.—Sal

Woodland Wins

# Woodland, June 16 (Special)— Woodland All-Stars defeated the Murfreesboro Blue Jays by a score of 10-2 in the first game in the Roanoke-Chowan Lea-