

Waccamaw Reaches \$100,000,000

Waccamaw Bank and Trust Company's total resources passed the \$100,000,000 mark on Friday, August 8, 1969. The exact amount reached as of that date was \$100,922,597.43 - which is twice the bank's resources of \$50,363,836 on July 30, 1968. Presently, with 29 offices in 21 communities located in eight North Carolina counties, the Whiteville-based banking system has enjoyed an average growth rate of almost 25% per annum during the past 36 months.

"Certainly, we have made no attempt to grow just for growth's sake, but we do feel that our reaching this landmark in our history is indicative of the confidence that our customers have placed in us," stated L. R. Bowers, president. Mr. Bowers also indicated that he expected the bank's growth to be continued in a similar manner - in order to meet the needs of its customers in Eastern Carolina. The bank was begun on March 20, 1926 with capital of \$37,500.



L. R. Bowers, President, is very pleased as Phyllis Miller advises him that \$100,000,000 in total resources was surpassed at Waccamaw Bank on August 8, 1969.

N.C. Flue-Cured Tobacco Crop 13.4 Percent Above Last Year

Raleigh, N. C. - Flue-cured tobacco production for North Carolina is forecast at 735 million pounds by the North Carolina Crop Reporting Service. This is three million pounds below the July 1 forecast and 13.4 percent above the 1968 crop of 648,533,000 pounds.

The expected average flue-cured yield per acre for all types combined is 1,930 pounds, 80 pounds above the

1,850 pounds realized in 1968 but 141 pounds below the yield of 2,071 pounds in 1967.

Harvest of the tobacco crop is more advanced than at this time last year in the Border and the Eastern Belts and is practically the same as a year ago in the Middle and the Old Belts. The supply of soil moisture on August 1 continued to be mostly adequate to surplus as was the

case throughout most of the growing season.

Acreage, yield, and production forecast for North Carolina, by types, as compared with 1968 are as follows:

Type 11 - (Middle and Old Belts): Production of 271,950,000 pounds from 147,000 acres with a yield of 1,850 pounds. The 1968 production was 225,450,000 pounds on 135,000 acres, yielding an average of 1,670 pounds.

Type 12 - (Eastern Belt): Production of 372,000,000 pounds on 186,000 acres yielding 2,000 pounds. The 1967 production of 334,305,000 pounds was harvested from 171,000 acres with an average yield of 1,995 pounds.

Type 13 - (Border Belt): Production of 91,200,000 pounds from 48,000 acres with a yield of 1,900 pounds per acre compared with the 1968 crop of 88,778,000 pounds on 44,500 acres with a yield of 1,995 pounds.

Type 31 - (Burley): Production of 19,335,000 pounds on 7,900 acres with a record yield forecast of 2,450 pounds per acre. Last year 18,842,000 pounds were harvested from 7,900 acres for a yield of 2,385 pounds.

United States: The national flue-cured crop is forecast at 1,116 million pounds and is 14 percent more than the 982 million pounds produced for sale last year. Burley production is expected to total 565 million pounds and is about the same as the 1968 crop of 563 million pounds.

Food, rest, mental peace and exercise are the four golden keys to old age. Why not take advantage of this advice?

District Court Docket Heavy

The following cases were disposed of in District Court on Monday, August 11, 1969.

John C. Crudup, n/m/20, Driving under influence, Driving without N. C. License. Prayer for judgment continued for 2 years, to pay cost and \$125 fine.

Zollie Massenburg, Jr., n/m/46, Speeding, driving under influence. 10 days in jail suspended for 12 months, not operate motor vehicle on N. C. highway for 12 months and pay \$100.00 fine and cost of court.

Robert Eugene Dales, c/m/21, Operating auto intoxicated. Surrender driver license for 2 years and not operate motor vehicle on N. C. highway for 2 years and pay \$100.00 fine and cost.

Louis Crudup, n/m/45, Driving under influence, 30 days in jail, suspended for 12 months on condition defendant not operate motor vehicle on N. C. highways for 12 months and pay a fine of \$100.00 and cost.

Issac Clifton Alford, Jr., two counts, Speeding, driving while his license was suspended, 1 year in jail suspended for 5 years on condition the defendant not operate motor vehicle on N. C. highways until properly licensed by the N. C. dept. of Motor Vehicle and not violate any motor vehicle laws of N. C. for 5 years. To pay a fine of \$150.00 and cost on both cases.

John Finner Bell, w/m/43, Public drunkenness, Appeal. Bond set at \$50.00.

John Finner Bell, w/m/44, Driving under influence, Appeal. Bond set at \$150.00

William (nmn) Morgan, w/m/25, No operator's license. Judgment absolute on bond.

Stephen Thomas Nelms, w/m/16, Stop sign violation. Prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Edward Perry Patterson, w/m/31, Driving under influence, 10 days in jail suspended for 12 months on condition defendant surrender license for 12 months and not operate motor vehicle for 12 months. To pay fine of \$100.00 and costs.

John Earl Perry, n/m/29, Careless and reckless, to pay \$100.00 fine and cost of court.

Johnny Gleen Patton, w/m/22, Driving under influence, violation prohibition law. 60 days in jail suspended for 2 years on condition defendant not operate motor vehicle on the N. C. highways for 12 months and not to violate any prohibition laws of N. C. for 12 months, and that he remain gainfully employed and pay a fine of \$125.00 and costs.

Phillip Earl Boone, n/m/18, Fail to reduce speed to avoid accident. Not guilty.

George Eldridge Joyner, w/m/20, Speeding, pay a fine of \$25.00 and costs.

Gilbert Wayne Bailey, w/m/21, Stop sign violation, Prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

William Otis Jones,

n/m/24, Driving without license. Not guilty.

Phillip Vincent Dorsey, w/m/21, Exceeding safe speed, Nolite Pros with leave.

Clarence Rudolph Fleming, w/m/42, Parking on the traveled portion of the highway. Prayer for judgment continued on condition defendant not violate any motor vehicle laws of N. C. for 2 years. To pay \$50.00 fine and costs.

Douglas Burnette, w/m/27, Operating Auto Intoxicated and no operator's license. 90 days in jail and assigned to work on the roads of the state under the supervision of State Department of Correction.

Luvia Layton Collier, w/f/60, Following too closely. Prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs.

Jerry Lee Duncan, w/m/20, Speeding and careless and reckless, 60 days in jail suspended for 2 years on condition that defendant not violate any motor vehicle laws of N. C. for 2 years and to surrender license for 6 months and to remain gainfully employed, to pay the costs.

Sandra Faye Frazier, w/f/16, Driving without a valid license, not guilty.

Kenneth Charlie Hill, w/m/68, Fail to see movement in safety, not guilty.

Douglas Calvin Holden, w/m/27, Exceeding safe speed. Not guilty.

Willie Evans, c/m/19, Public Drunkenness. Defendant pay costs.

Robert Haley, w/m, Public Drunkenness (2 offenses), the court finds that the defendant is guilty to Chapter 1256 of the public laws of 1965. Defendant be committed to the custody of the Commission of Correction for not less than 30 days and not more than 6 months.

Lawrence G. Cifers, w/m/43, Non support, defendant to bring support payment up to date and pay costs of capes.

Larry Dunston, Resisting arrest. 6 months in jail suspended for 2 years on condition the defendant not violate any criminal laws of N. C. for 2 years, remain gainfully employed and pay fine of \$25.00 and costs.

Larry Dunston, n/m/22, Assault, 6 months in jail suspended for 2 years on condition the defendant not violate any criminal laws of N. C. for 2 years, keep the peace toward all persons especially Geraldine Dunston and pay the costs. (Sentence to begin at expiration of sentence imposed in case No. 69cr2067).

Kaye Freddy Hight, False Pretense, Prayer for judgment continued for 12 months on condition the defendant pay to Leggett's Department Store the sum of \$61.00 and pay the costs of court.

Kaye Freddy Hight, False Pretense, Prayer for judgment continued for 12 months on condition the defendant remain of good behavior and pay costs.

Kaye Freddy Hight, False

Pretense, Prayer for judgment continued for 12 months on condition the defendant remain of good behavior and pay the costs. (four counts).

Robert Anderson, c/m/52, Assault with deadly weapon. Prayer for judgment continued for 2 years on condition defendant not violate any criminal laws of N. C. for 2 years and pay costs.

Dennis Crudup, Possession non tax paid whiskey. Having in his possession non tax paid whiskey for the purpose of sale. Not Guilty.

Robert Haley, w/m. Drunk, case dismissed.

Edward Lee Williams, n/m/18, Assault, 6 months in jail suspended for 5 years on condition the defendant not violate any criminal laws of N. C. for 5 years, pay \$25.00 fine and costs.

James Edward Mills, w/m, Trespass, 30 days in jail, to work on roads of the State under the supervision of State Dept. of Corr.

James Edward Mills, w/m/28, Public Drunkenness (2 offense) Defendant guilty of Chapter 1256 of the Public laws of 1965. To be committed to the custody of the Commissioner of Correction for not less than 30 days and not more than 6 months.

William Thone Sadler, w/m/39, Speeding, paid \$15.00 fine and costs.

Willie Cloptin, w/m/64, Allowing an unlicensed minor to drive while not having license. \$25.00 fine and costs.

John Walter Hollings, n/m/44, License Code Violation, \$25.00 fine and costs. James Earl Hicks, w/m, Public Drunkenness, (second), \$10.00 fine and costs.

George Moss, w/m, Public drunkenness (second). \$10.00 fine and costs.

Bernice Burrell, n/f/37, Disorderly conduct. \$10.00 fine and costs.

The following defendants pleaded guilty under waiver statute to motor vehicle violations and each paid costs of court: Jerry Johnson, n/m/19; Lymon Abbott Bailey, Jr., James Bullock, n/m/45; Robert Young, w/m; Florence Gordon Roberson, n/f/28; Billy Ray McKee, w/m/35; Thomas Earl Wardrick, n/m; John Pearce, w/m; Joseph Rodwell, n/m; Ervin Manson, Jr., n/m/26.

Each of the following pleaded guilty under waiver statute to speeding and each paid \$15.00 fine and costs: Douglas Roy Merritt, w/m/18; Michael Keith Murray, w/m/20; David Daniel Timberlake, w/m/19; Curtis McWilliams n/m/54; James Ray Hall, w/m/25; Joseph McCalvin Beckham, Jr., n/m/18; Sidney Edward Bailey, n/m/19; Jimmy Cecil Bass, w/m/19; Allen Lane Burton, n/m/23; Darrell Judson Hill, w/m/24; John Henry Branch, n/m/24; L. D. Champion, w/m; William Henry Leonard, n/m/46; Melvin Keith Wrenn, w/m/21; Robert William Perry, n/m/27; Jessie Milton Perry; Gail Talmadge Lindsey, w/m/21; Eddie Lee Nichols, w/m/64; Linda Tucker Piper, w/f/20;

In Service

ADAM M. NEAL

SAN ANTONIO - Airman Adam M. Neal, son of Mrs. Adam Neal, 416 E. College St., Franklinton, N. C., has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Chanute AFB, Ill., for training in the civil engineering mechanical and electrical field. Airman Neal is a 1963 graduate of B. F. Pearson High School.

Testing

Four-year-old Don seemed afraid of the collie next door; but one day, in a spirit of adventure, he climbed the fence and went over to see the animal. The dog, with tail wagging, rushed to Don and, by way of a friendly greeting, licked his face. Don screamed and the neighbor came running out.

"Did he bite you, my boy?"

"No," answered Don, "But he tasted me."

Optimism is that quality that permits us to hope that someday someone else will do something for us.

The end of life will find most of us with a lot of business that should have been attended to several years earlier.



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