

### February Civil Court Cancelled

Acting Clerk of Courts Elizabeth Matthews said today that she had been notified by the Chief Justice's office, that due to the inability of Judge W. C. Harris to hold court in Lillington on Feb. 4, the first week of a scheduled two-week civil term has been cancelled.

John Strong, the Chief Justice's administrative assistant said that there was no other judge available for that week. Judge Harris will arrive here on Feb. 1, to preside over a week of civil court. This would have been the second week of the term.

Members of the Harnett County Bar Association are to meet at Lillington, Friday, to remake the calendar, which was one of the longest to be set for a civil term.

## Rowe Announces For Lieutenant Governor

**(EDITOR'S NOTE: The following announcement is being published today in accordance with the release date, specified for Thursday morning or thereafter. This newspaper regards observance of a release date as a sacred trust.)**

**BURGAU**—Roy Rowe of Burgaw, Pender County, veteran North Carolina legislator, prominent businessman and farmer, today formally announced his candidacy for Lieutenant Governor in the Spring Democratic Primary.

He said he would conduct an energetic campaign, speaking or appearing in each of the state's 100 counties before the vote on May 31.

"I solicit the support of all North Carolina Democrats on the basis of my record as a member of the legislatures during more than a dozen years of the state's greatest progress.

"The office of Lieutenant Governor is one of high responsibility. If elected, I will strive to continue the tradition, set by some of North Carolina's most able men, of dignified and impartial fulfillment of all its duties," Rowe said.

Rowe was born on a farm near Burgaw on May 29, 1905. After attending public schools of Pender County, he was graduated from Farm Life School, Vanceboro, in 1923. He later attended the University of North Carolina and is now a member of its board of trustees.

**OPERATES THEATRES**  
His business interests include the ownership and operation of motion picture theatres in Burgaw and Elizabethtown for the last 17 years. He is past president of the Theatre Owners Association of North and South Carolina. In recent years, he has been devoting much of his time to the development of his farm in Pender County. He is now carrying out a program of quality beef cattle production along the lines of the "green fields" plan.

Rowe first served in the North Carolina General Assembly as a Senator during the Special Session 1936. He was also a member of the Senate in 1937, 1941, 1945 and 1949, and has headed such committees



as Manufacturing and Labor and Counties, Cities and Towns. He was a member of the House of Representatives in 1943.

**LICENSED PILOT**  
A licensed pilot, Rowe served as chairman of the North Carolina Aeronautics Commission from 1941 to 1948, under appointments by Governors Broughton and Cherry. As head of this commission, he was active in helping convert several public airports to military use from 1941 to 1944 and their reconversion to non-military use in the following five years. One of the organizers of North Carolina Wing of Civil Air Patrol during World War II, he assisted in the establishment and operation of anti-submarine patrols from bases at Manteo and Beaufort. He was president of Carolina Aero Club 1941-1943.

Rowe is a former member of the Burgaw school board, a director of the Southeastern North Carolina Beach Association, a member of the Burgaw Rotary Club and a Mason. He is an active church layman. He is married to the former Nina Worsley of Maysville and they have two children.

## Harnett Court Has Long List Of Cases Tried

A long list of cases were disposed of Tuesday in Harnett Recorder's Court and several additional ones had to wait until Wednesday morning. Cases tried not previously listed in the Record included:

Elbert Gray Stewart, careless and reckless driving, \$25 and costs; John Henry Fuller, assault on a female, roads two years; Joe Norris, assault, not pros. Clyde A. Fore, operating automobile without operator's license, not pros. Hazel Word, assault, remanded to the Juvenile Court, allegedly hit Jaunita Smith with a can, breaking glasses.

Robert Williams, assault, called failed. Edwin Douglass, operating a car under the influence of intoxicants, called and failed.

Theodo Jacobs, cleared of assault on Etta Callaum; prosecuting witness taxed costs.

Lloyd Taylor, assault with a deadly weapon, 60 days on roads. Taylor entered plea of guilty to pulling shotgun on T. R. Jacobs. Ernest D. Meck, speeding, \$10 and costs.

H. A. Parrish, public drunkenness, costs. Frederick Graham Walker, speeding, called and failed.

Will Rogers Arnold, speeding, \$10 and costs. Robert E. Brooker, operating auto while intoxicated, 60 days roads, suspended on payment of \$100 fine and costs.

Leroy Harvey Jackson, speeding five dollars and costs. Nash Thornton, trespass, not pros.

John Henry Johnson, three cases consolidated, plea of guilty to drunk and disorderly conduct and carrying concealed weapons on streets of Angier; 60 days roads, suspended two years on condition not to violate laws, stay sober and pay \$50 fine and costs.

Mrs. Mildred C. Thornton, Fayetteville acquitted of assault on her former mother-in-law, Mrs. R. P. Stone of near Benson; not pros as to trespass. Case arose out of visit

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In her suite before she'd even begun her travels. His gentlemanly ambassador's broadloom and ignoring the sliced apples that McVeigh had brought along. Nobody seemed to be hungry except Miss North, who had been voted the most beautiful of 35,000 contestants Down Under.

"Marsupials have got to have a lot of sleep," said McVeigh. "Let us get out of here."

He wrapped his marsupial in a blanket, which was labeled Mayflower Hotel, and returned both to this hostelry, along with Miss North and myself. She was a cutie for sure; she said she weighed in at 12 pounds. So we had dinner quickly.

Australia's most beautiful started with oysters casino, meaning they were baked with plenty of bacon. Then she had a thick steak with mushroom gravy, two kinds of potatoes, asparagus and rutabagas. She topped this off with three large scoops of chocolate ice cream, surrounded by sliced bananas and whipped cream. She told the waiter to bring her a pitcher of chocolate sauce. She also ordered a plate of small cakes.

What this meal cost the stockholders, I'd hate to estimate, but Miss North said she felt better. McVeigh told her she'd better pack; he rounded up her chaperone. Then he got the chaperone for the kangaroos and eventually all hands wound up at Union Station.

The ladies said they'd take the lady kangaroo. McVeigh said he'd sleep with the gentleman kangaroo. The conductor raised his eyebrows. Shortly thereafter McVeigh got kicked in the teeth and the train pulled out.

Let us wish my old friend bon voyage. Let us also thank our lucky stars we are not in the motion-picture business.

**REBOUND STAR**  
x DURHAM — In Duke's first 14 basketball games this year sophomore forward Bernie Janicki scored 212 points and also grabbed the same number of rebounds and sank in scoring. Those totals gave him an average of 15.2 in both scoring and rebounds.

**HUNGRY THIEF**  
A thief, apparently hungry, invaded the Harnett County Training School kitchen Tuesday night and stole some fat back and a small quantity of prunes and margarine, according to a report made to the Dunn Police Department.

Mrs. Thornton to Stone home to take off for a week and visit her two daughters by a former marriage to Arnold Stone. Mrs. Stone, 73, testified the younger woman held her arm by force and Edna Williams, sister of Mrs. Thornton dragged the children away to the car by force. Court ruled force used did not constitute assault.

James Riley Jackson, speeding, 30 days jail, suspended on payment of \$10 fine and costs.

Ernest Roosevelt Elliott, driving car with no operator's license, 30 days or, suspended on payment of \$25 fine and costs.

Alonz Bailey, careless and reckless driving, 60 days roads, suspended on payment of \$50 fine and costs. Bailey had an accident in which he struck car owned by McLamb Bailey.

William Waldo McLamb, speeding, \$10 and costs.

read the minutes of previous meeting and called the roll. Mrs. Jim Weathers gave the devotional. Mrs. Shelton Smith, clothing leader, gave a report.

During the business session a report was given on the County Council meeting, which was held on the previous Monday in Lillington.

Plans were made to hold a Stanley Party at the home of Mrs. J. F. Andrews on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Any commission earned will be added to the Building Fund.

Mrs. Albert Caviness led the group in making New Year's resolutions and Mrs. David Henry Senter, Recreation leader led in an interesting contest.

Miss Vail, County Home Agent, gave a demonstration on selecting suits and coats.

The hostesses served apple pie, a-la-mode and coffee to the twenty members present.

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## Chalybeate News

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sears and young son of Goldsboro were the weekend guests of Mrs. Sears' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Kirne Doss of Elkin and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Christman of Durham visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Christman on Sunday.

Mrs. Chaelie Butler and Mr. and Mrs. Jethro McLamb of Dunn visited relatives here Sunday.

The Foy Farmer Circle of the W. M. S. will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Bud Bradley.

The Lottie Moon Circle of W. M. S. will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 with Mrs. D. B. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Seate of Selma and Mrs. Lucille Seate Jackson of Fuquay Springs, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Hamilton.

Hunter Aiken, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Aiken left Tuesday for service with the armed forces.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills, Tommie and Patsy, who moved from this community to Durham about fifteen years ago, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Essie J. Price, Mrs. Kenneth Smith and her two children were guests Sunday of Mrs. A. A. Johnson and Miss Janet Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Judd Smith went to Greenville Saturday to carry their daughter, Mrs. Jesse Howard and children, who have been spending some time here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Clay of Raleigh were weekend guests of Mrs. Lella Clay.

Mrs. Roy L. Smith shopped in Fayetteville Monday.

Mrs. David Henry Senter is spending a few days in Raleigh with her son and daughter-in-law Dr. and Mrs. W. Jefferson Senter.

**HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MEETS**  
On Monday afternoon at 1:30 the Chalybeate Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. A. T. Pittard, with Mrs. C. L. Melvin and Mrs. S. J. Conner as co-hostesses. Mrs. L. B. Smith, president, presided and called the meeting to order. The members sang "Finlandia" and repeated the club collect. Mrs. R. R. Stephens, the secretary

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