

Marry June Lives Up To Reputation

June, always a favorite of Cupid, lived up to its marrying reputation this past month in Harnett County.

The number of marriage licenses issued in June was 18, or exactly double the wedding permits granted by the county register of deeds during May.

Mrs. Inez Harrington, register, also reported to the county commissioners that a total of 38 marriage licenses were issued during the quarter. During April there were 11 licenses issued in May, and 18 in June bringing a total of \$152.00 into the county treasury. Licenses cost four dollars each.

During the first quarter of 1956 a total of 39 licenses were sold, topping by one the summer total. The break down is as follows, in January 17, a near tie with June, 11 in February and 11 in March.

However, other paper work in the register of deeds office reflected a summer slump. Fees collected for recording receipts totaled \$659.95. Mrs. Harrington said considerably lower than the \$1,175.50 collected in May.

LICENSES ISSUED

Eight Negro couples secured license to wed during the past quarter, the register said. These couples included:

Odie Daryl and Jane Adams; Robert Louis Stevenson and Ester Lucas; Norman Lee Johnson and Nancy Mae Wilson; Sherrill Matthews and Elizabeth Tatum; Paul Lawrence Broadv and Leona Ernestine McKay; John Henry Christ and Willie Mae Crowder; Henry Minter, Jr. and Corrie Toomer Mosley; Luther Giles and Mamie McLean.

Licenses to marry were issued to the following white couples:

Billy Hershel Norris and Etelle Isabell Knight; Samuel Darroch and Frances Geraldine Eason; Shelton Lee Barefoot and Zelda Grey Byrd; Raleigh Cameron Bennett and Mary Celestia Hickney; Nathan Welton Stewart; and Eloise Vann; Byron Eugene Bryan and Doris Jane Hughes; Robert Glenn Rich and Jane Anita Rich; Clifton Ralph Brown and Goldie Marie Garrett; and to William Alle Smith and Nancy Joyce Brown; Gerald Charles Elliott and Lala Mae Reaves; Joseph Melvin Norris and Katie Dale Norris; Ben Davis Harrington and Maybry and Joyce Ann Avery; James Foster Matthews and Margaret Black;

Also to Worth Exom Croom and Trevah Louise Garrett; William Hampton Tew and Ruth Jeanette Bush; Harry Oliver Winders and Frances Catherine James; Sheldon Richard Hall and Lillian Shirley Esell; David Eugene Bolton and Virginia Ruth Herring; John David Lee and Mary Edith Hackley; Pemberton Hobson Parker and Lillie M. Hobbs Parker; Paul Rosser Hart and Tennessee Irene Hudson Tart; Charles D. Hutaff, Jr. and Flora Mae Gilbert; James Edward Manning and Verta Lee Black; Clemmie Ray Carter and Edith Grey Benett; Lee Austin Patterson and Mary Sue O'Quinn; Bobbie Frederick Helms and Verda Lynette Lewis; K. Jack Cox and Haffye Elaine Seawell; Siles Hyot Ellyson, Jr. and Ora Green Campbell; and Raymond Channing Stephenson and Callie Gertrude Lee.

Husband of Former Gladys Alphin Dies

Word has been received here of the death of Hamilton Leslie, 42 on Friday morning at his home in Chattanooga, Tenn. Mr. Hamilton was a native of Jonesboro, the son of Mrs. Wilma Hamilton Leslie and the late John Leslie. He had lived in Chattanooga for about 10 years and held a position with the Tennessee Valley Authority. Prior to going to Chattanooga he made his home in Raleigh. Funeral and burial services took place Sunday afternoon in Chattanooga.

Survivors include his wife, the former Gladys Alphin of Dunn; two daughters, Mrs. Reginald Kling and Miss Linda Leslie of the home; his mother, Mrs. Wilma Hamilton Leslie, of Jonesboro; two sisters, Mrs. Gleason Yates of Charlotte and Mrs. H. W. Winstead of Jonesboro Heights, S.C.



"CHICAGO OR BUST"—George Perry Lee, left, and Eugene Hood, right, are pictured here at 5 a. m. Sunday morning just before they took off for the annual convention of Lions International in Chicago. Lee's new Oldsmobile was appropriately decorated with the Lion emblems and a sign that said "Chicago or bust." Mr. Hood is secretary-treasurer of the Dunn club. Mr. Lee, general manager of Lee Motors of Dunn, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Lee. (Daily Record Photo.)

Last Lap Hardest In Tax Collecting

In collecting taxes, like many another task, it is the last lap that is the hardest.

That was indicated today by the report made by D. P. Ray, Jr., county tax collector, to the county commissioners at the close of the fiscal year.

Ray reported that he has collected 89.47 percent of the 1952 charge of \$721,368.85 needed to operate the vast county business. In actual numbers the collector has a balance uncollected of \$83,145.93, or a 11.53 percent still due.

Customarily, budget makers bank on around ten percent of taxes being uncollectable, but that doesn't lessen the collector's responsibility to get them if he can.

Percentage-wise, Harnett this year is 1.63 percent behind in collections over the same month a year ago. And while not looking for any special explanation for this lag, Ray pointed out that dry weather, burning crops and temperatures near a hundred, were not exactly designed to send farmers rushing to visit the tax collector.

It Wasn't Safe In Own Bedroom

GREENSBORO — Edward Hunter never left his bedroom over the July 4th holiday but he ended up in a hospital just the same—a victim of holiday traffic.

Hunter was sound asleep Saturday morning when a car crashed through his house wall and on into his bedroom. He was in fair condition at a local hospital. The driver, Glenn H. Ham, was released under \$200 bond.

News Short's

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ment last February from his position as president of Temple University said doctors told him the strains of the job were too much.

WASHINGTON — Four major oil companies said today recent gasoline and oil price increases were long overdue and necessary as an incentive to increase production vital to national defense.

RALEIGH — Carolina Coach Co. asked the State Utilities Commission today for authority to purchase the Norfolk and Southern Bus Corp. for \$395,000. The application said the companies will be merged within 90 days after the transaction is completed.

WASHINGTON — A naval research engineer said today he and four associates have photographed a spot of light moving across a cathode ray tube at 282,000 miles per second—faster than the speed of light.

WASHINGTON — Gen. Omar N. Bradley announced today he will become chairman of the board

of Bulova Research and Development Laboratories, Inc. which is engaged in guided missile work, when he retires as chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff on Aug. 16. The firm is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Bulova Watch Co. It is engaged in work on guided missiles and other weapons for the Defense Department.

RICHMOND, Va. — Pvt. Reuben Edgecomb, 26, a Marine

stationed at Camp Lejeune, N. C., was killed and five other persons were injured last night in a car-truck collision 16 miles north of here on U. S. Route 1.

CAENOUSTIE, Scotland — George O'Donnell of Norfolk, Va., who was scheduled as the final starter in the opening qualifying round of the British Open golf championship, failed to show up at the tee today and was scratched from the tournament.

BRYSAN CITY — A grizzly mountaineer with a criminal record dating back to World War I was moved to Swain County here after he confessed to ambush-slaying of Jackson County Sheriff Griffin Middleton, officers held today. Highway Patrol Sgt. A. Sandlin said that Demo Woods, 35, of the remote Wolf Mountain section of Jackson County, made the confession in the presence of five officers, including District Solicitor Thad Bryson.

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