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Legislature Finally JAIL PREFERRED Reaches Adjournment

Longest Session In His- TAX REDUCTION tory; Large Appropriations Bill Passed; Not Enough Revenue To Meet It; Some Impor- New Revenue Bill Calls For Retant Legislation Enacted.

VOLUME XX

At 9:49 last night the General Assembly of North Carolina adjourned after having been in session 141 days. There were 1206 bills and resolutions enacted which was less than the 1927 session enacted, that session's record was 1246. The largest appropriations bill in the history of the State, approximately \$57,000,000, was pass-

The principle of the State support of public schools was approved by the passage of the McLean law. Another important bill passed was that which provides for State maintenance of all public roads. A central purchasing agency was created, a new system of banking supervision established, a personnel commission created and a Local Government Commission provided and other important legislation passed.

By M. R. DUNNAGAN

Raleigh, May 25-A miracle, little North Carolina General Assembly county of \$65,754. from passing the 1931-33 Revenue and final reading about 1 o'clock county in the State. Wednesday morning, after which that body will adjourn after a rec- MRS. EUGENE WADE DIES ord session of 141 days.

The Revenue bill, embracing a 15cent ad valorem tax on real estate, on a State-wide basis, for the support of the public schools, supplement last Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock released until Monday night. ine third reading was only a perfunctory of the Soul" a tthe grave. one, the report having been adopted on its first reading 51 to 45 Thursday night and 61 to 50 Friday.

of the measure Monday night and is Elizabeth Styron of Cedar Island. on the streets. expected to pass it along as rapidly She had been married fifty years and as the constitutional provisions of to the union were born six children, Jones. reading on three separate days will who with her husband survive, exadopted by the Senate by only two hood. majority, no trouble is anticipated in getting it through its readings the first three working days of the week. The proponents of the measure have their lines firmly fixed and no giving is expected, but some of the opponents, on the other hand, are expected

This conference report has had a hectic career, following other conwhich also had the'r ups and downs. When this report fir t came from the committee to the House last Monday night it was rejected, 57 to 50.. Tuesday it was brought back by the same a son Douglas Brantley Gillikin. vote, 57 to 50 and held without action, the House waiting for the Senate to act. The Senate, on Wednes- May 23, a son, Matthew Perry. day, rejected the report by a tie vote, 25 to 25, and one senator, changed his vote from "aye" to "no," in order that he might move to reconsider

24 vote, reconsidered and adopted daughter, Martha Louise, to Mr. Har- the men thrown out. Mr. Brinson was the report, paving the way for its ry Latan Brown of High Point, N. C. cut about the head and knocked unof Mecklenburg county, broke the tie Paul's Episcopal Church. by changing and voting for the measure, after the Senate had adopted his HERBERT MORRIS HELD resolution which would prevent cutting of teacher salaries more than 10 per cent below the State schedule and not then until all other means of Craven county rum runner, had a economy had failed. This also applies hearing Monday before Mayor Tay- HARKER'S ISLAND SHOWS UP BEST to all school folks. Senator Clark- lor o nthe charges of assault with a son said he was unwilling to have deadly weapon with intent to kill, the teachers made the goats and bear speeding and reckless driving. On th big end of the brunt of the salary the first charge he was held for Su- Vital statistics for the month or Harlowe

Will Be A Deficit

agreed, will result in a deficit if the charge he was sent to Recorder's ed and 21 persons died. Harker's Sea Level business and economic conditions court. Morris was represented here Island with eight births and no deaths Atlantic continue as at present. Under nor- by D. L. Ward Jr., of New Bern. He seems to have made the best show- Marshalberg mal or good conditions, it would pro- gave bond and was released. duce enough or practically enough

NOW PREDICTED

8 PAGES THIS WEEK

Large Sum

\$9,667,186, will result to the proper- is out under a \$50 bond. ty owners of North Carolina for each of the next two years under the Revenue Bill which is about through the General Assembly, according to a State Tax Commission.

had an assessed valuation in 1930 of Company charging him with larceny. Mr. Morris gave notice of appeal and \$14,515,048 on which the tax rate The case against Mr. Mills was bond of \$75 was required. of the six months school term, which torney C. R. Wheatly appearing for charged with possession of liquor for made the total tax levy for this the defense. Justice Noe dismissed county \$87,526. The proposed 15- the action on the ground that it was sis will mean \$21,772 in taxes in Weaver with the costs and sentenced driving a car while drunk was conless, will be required to prevent the 1931 and 1932, or a reduction in the him to 10 days in jail if he refused victed. He was sentenced to pay the

Bill this week, best predictions being be felt appreciably in the tax bill of that the measure will pass its third the individual taxpayer in every passed upon very soon by Judge Devbad check charge and Calvin Benton,

AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS

Funeral services for Mrs. Eugene Wade were conducted at her home ed by a substantial increase in the by Reverend R. F. Munns. Intertax on corporations and on incomes, ment was in the family burying passed its third reading in the House ground at the home place in North just after midnight Saturday morn- River road. The hymns "Abide With ing and the tired representatives were Me" and "Nearer My God to Thee"

Mrs. Wade was seventy one years old and had been a member of Holly cleaning department. Grove M. E. Church for forty years. The Senate begins consideration Before her marriage she was Miss Although the report was cept one who died in early woman-

Mrs. Wade had many friends in \$10 and costs. her community who were grieved to hear of her passing.

BIRTHS OF THE WEEK

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Morris RAILROAD MAN BADLY HURT Daniels of Roe, Sunday, May 24, a

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lundy Gil-

ENGAGEMENT OANNOUNCED

The Senate, Thursday, by a 26 to nounce the engagement of their The railroad car was overturned and

FOR SUPERIOR COURT

Herbert Morris, alleged notorious the area of the country. perior court under \$1000 bond. On April for the county show a consider- Hunting Quarterthe speeding charge he was fined \$50 able preponderance of births over Davis The R venue Bill, it is generally and costs and on the reckless driving deaths. There were 44 births report Stacy

Readers of the News will rememmoney for complete operation of the ber that a few weeks ago Chief of Towns budget. Another provision has been Police W. R. Longest was knocked Beaufort enacted which permits the Governor down and injured by a car said to M. City and Council of State to issue short have been driven by Morris. The Newport term notes, if necessary, to pay the latter denies that he was the driver Townships of the ear but Mr. Longest is positive Beaufore full appropriated to schools.

The Machinery Bill, which some that he was the driver who nearly Codar Island killed him and from secand.

Machinery Island

TO PAYING COSTS

E. S. Weaver Clashes With Jus-tice H. W. Noe's Court; Out On Habeas Corpus

After spending four days in the county jail, where he was committed by mgaistrate H. W. Noe, Edgar S. Weaver of Beaufort was released Tuesday on a habeas corpus proceeding. His attorney E. Walter Hill went to Greenville Tuesday accompanied by Mr. Weaver and Sheriff Chadwick and had a hearing there

The trouble in which Mr. Weaver became involved is somewhat complicated and grew out of an automobile transaction. It seems that some table of figures prepared by the time ago Mr. Weaver bought a Chev-This table shows that on the assess- Company of Morehead City. That the year 1930 in the whole State, the hundred dollars and that he made \$14,135,244 for current expenses of Motor Company to take up the inthe six months school term. On the debtedness and sell him another car. same assessed valuation at the pro- For some reason this deal fell through posed 15-cent tax rate the total levy and the Sound Chevrolet Company the reputation of Hobbs was bad... cording to a table just issued by the the farms and gardens of the state will be \$4,469,058, by which it is seized Weaver's car while he was in After being out for an hour or so North Carolina Department of Con- from now until cold weather comes. seen that the levy for the next two Morehead City and without his the jury brought in a verdict of guilyears will be \$9,667,186 less tan in knowledge or consent. Thereupon

was 60.3 cents for current expenses tried by magistrate H. W. Noe, atcent levy on the same valuation ba- frivolous and malicious. He taxed to pay. Weaver did not pay and This amount, it is pointed out, will went to jail. He is out now and the 90 days.

SEVERAL CASES TRIED IN CITY POLICE COURT GLADOLI SHIPMENTS

There were rather more cases than usual in City Police Court last Friresulted in convictions.

guilty, \$1 and costs or five days work quantity of bulbs. W. E. Kershaw,

Charles Fisher, colored, same as rived here this week.

John Felton, possession of liquor, bound over to Recorder's Court. William Davis, driving too fast,

Cecil Langdale, driving too fast, second offense, \$20 and costs. J. E. Coleburn, Morehead City, fast driving, \$10 and costs.

IN CAR ACCIDENT TUESDAY the east and North.

Ralph Brinson, Norfolk-Southern ference reports on the same bill, likin of Otway, Monday, May 25, a section man, who was injured in a collision between an automobile and Born to Mr. and Mrs. Norman G. a railroad motor car Tuesday and was Gillikin of Williston, Friday, May 22, taken to Morehead City hospital is reported to be somewhat better to-Born to Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Kir- day. G. L. Horne, section foreman, cause of the fire is not known. There sey Marshall of Beaufort, Saturday, and a colored laborer were hurt at the same time but not seriously.

The accident occurred when a car driven by Harry Freeman of Morehead City collided with the railroad Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce an- car at Arendell and Eighth street. he has a fracture of the skull.

No. No. Still.

deaths births births Newport

Jury Trial Demanded **Defendant Convicted**

Most of the time of Recorder's His counsel A. B. Morris of Morehead City had asked for a trial by jury and Morehead townships composed Hill appeared with Solicitor Phillips for the State.

of Morehead City. He and his wife brought good prices this spring and hands of the farmers of the entire and son Lee Hobbs testified that the have been a big help to the farmers state, and the further fact that, in defendant had come on the place sev- and the people of the county gener- some counties in the state, the entire do so, had used vulgar and profane in July. language and had torn down some norolet car from the Sound Chevrolet tices aganist trespassers. Hoobs MANUFACTURES WORTH ed valuation of \$2,978,710,226 for he owed a balance on it of several witnesses and also had letters from 100 counties had a total tax levy of some arrangement with the Davis a good character

The defendant Best denied all of the charges against himself and had several witnesses who testified that ty of trespass and disorderly con-Carteret county, the report shows, Mills the manager of the Chevrolet Judge Davis fined him \$25 and costs.

John Felton, colored, of Beaufort purpose of sale was convicted and given six months on the roads.

Stephen Beachem charged with costs and must not operate a car for

ni. It is also possible that some civil violating prohibition law were conaction may be an outcome of the af- tinued to next Tuesday. Mr. Wheatly representing Benton asked for a jury in this case which was granted.

STARTED HERE TUESDAY

Carteret county's new industry, day afternoon. Most of the trials gladolus growing, got a small start lowe Township, for \$280.44. drunkeness and one for simple as- made by S. E. Hayne of Wilson, New Straits Township, for \$10. Louis Jones, colored, fighting, and also planted out a considerable ter Township, for \$3,000. who is a partner with Mr. Hayne ar-

So far the gladoli have not bloomed very much but it is hoped that the warm weather now prevailing will bring them along very rapidly. Messrs Hayne and Avery had hoped to be able to ship a good many cut flowers before May 30, decoration day. The late spring has retarded the growth of the gladoli as well as other things. Shipments from here will go forward now until about July 4th.

POTATO STORAGE HOUSE AT OTWAY BURNED DOWN

The potato storage house of Mr. Cleveland Lewis of Otway was destroyed by fire Sunday night. The wa snot much in the building at the time but it was nearly new. The News understands there was some insurance on the building but not enough to cover the loss.

WILLIS-NELSON

Captain and Mrs. John A. Nelso: Senator F. O. Clarkson, The wedding will take place in St. conscious. An X-ray picture has not announce the approaching marriage been made yet but it is though that of their daughter, Zulekin Carroll, to William Roy Willis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Willis, of Beaufort. Argentina has about 186,000 acres The wedding will take place on Wedof forest lands, nearly one-fourth of nesday, June 10th, at the home of the bride, at Gloucester, N. C.

No report

No report

No report

No report

No report

No report

IN VITAL STATISTICS REPORT

Merrimon

Portsmouth

White Oak

Morehead

Smyrna

Straits

Some White Potatoes Being Harvested Now

The harvesting of the white pota-Court Tuesday was consumed at the to crop in Carteret county has startgainst him were trespass, tearing that digging next week will be on a down signs and disorderly conduct. rather large scale. Federal and State agricultural specialists are advising against digging now because vising against digging now because ernor Gardner and his Council on of the fact that the South Carolina Unemployment and Relief, another and the request was granted. A jury crop is now moving and will be heavy slogan has been added to the "Live-composed of six men from Beaufort for some days. Prices quoted yester-at-Home" program in North Carolina for some days. Prices quoted yester- at-Home" program in North Carolina and Morehead townships composed day in New York were for South —"Preserve Your Food and Live at the jury. Former Judge E. Walter Carolina stock were \$2.50 to \$4.25. Home This Winter." The carrying

bout over. O. W. Lewis of Otway, paign of education is made necessary Raieigh, May 26—Tax reduction of ter wil come up here in June again to be sact, before Judge Devin. The defendant were brought by W. F. Hobbs a teneral times after being forbidden to ally. Earl sweet shipments will start

OVER MILLION DOLLARS relief, and other such organizations.

servation and Development.

ing the year, the reports howed.

ham, while Rockingham was third, all methods is the issue before the state, engaged in the manufacture of tobacco products. Guilford led in

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Elizabeth B. Davis to R. P. Watey Hardesty Trustee, 15 acres Har-

Tuesday when shipments of the cut | E. G. Waddell et al to Serpell Land Polk Johnson, two charges of flowers began. This shipment was & Timber Corporation, 6585 acres,

Md., came at about the same time Gray Paul, 920 acres Hunting Quar-

Kilby Styron and wife to E:nest Salter, 20 acres Hunting Quarter Township, for \$10.

D. W. Harris and wife to Letha T. Davis, 2 1-2 acres Marshallberg, for

PURCHASING AGENT NAMED

Raleigh, May 25-Alfred S. Browfitted for the important position.

TIDE TABLE

Information as to the tides at Beaufort is given in this column. The figures are approximately correct and based on tables furnished by the U. S. Geodetic Survey. Some allowances must be made for variations in the wind and also with respect to the locality, that is whether near the inlet or at the heads of the estuaries.

-1	High T	Tide	Low Tide e
1		Fride	y, May 29
d	11:49	A. M.	11:49 A.M. S
N	11:40	P. M.	11:40 P. M.
В		Sature	lay, May 30
В	12:41	A. M.	12:41 A. M. s
	12:30	P. M.	12:30 P. M. t
10	The control	Sund	ay, May 31
	1:31	A. M.	1:31 A. M.
		P. M.	1:19 P. M.
	-		lay. June 1
	8:21	A. M.	2:19 A. M.
		P. M.	2:07 P. M
V.	2420		day, June 2
10	9:08	A. M.	31:05 A. M.
	2 4 December 1	P. M.	2:54 P. M.
	- 10.5		esday, June 3
ÿ.	9:58	A. M.	3:52 A. M.
웹		P. M.	3:44 P. M.
1	1		eday, June 4
	10.50	A. M.	4:48 A. M.
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LIVE AT HOME **CAMPAIGN AGAIN**

Court Tuesday was consumed at the trial of Marion Best of the Mansfield have been shipped. Indications are that digging next week will be on a that digging next week will be on a

Raleigh, May 25-Backed by Gov-Sweet potato shipments are now a- out of this slogan through a campopulace is being supported by the re lief work of the American Red Cross, the Federal Farm Board, the Gover-nor's Council on Unemployment and

Every state organization is cooper-Raleigh, May 25-Carteret county ating in this movement, to "sell" had a total of 24 manufacturing es-tablishments which turned out \$1,-saving through canning, preserving, 041,323 in value of manufactured drying and pickling, of all vegetables, products during the year 1929, ac- fruits and other food crops grown on The idea of the "Live-at-Home pro-The average number of wage earn- gram is to produce more food and ers employed for the year in these feed, so that whatever moneys the plants was 184 and the total wages farmer obtains, will be "over and apaid amounted to \$155,810. The cost bove" his food and feed costs. The of materials and fuel and the pur- slogan of this past spring, "Farm ot chased current used was \$422,064 Make a Living in 1931," carried with and the plants of the county used it the food preservation ideal, but 2,015 horsepower of electricity dur- that ideal or plan was not pushed so vehemently last fall or during the Forsyth lead the State in value of winter months. Now Governor manufactured products, more than Gardner feels that conserving and doubling its nearest competitor, Dur- preserving of foods through many

The Governor's Council is heading this work, with the hearty backing of number of wage erners, Gaston was other agencies, in particular: The second and Forsyth third. der the direction of Dean I. O. Schaub, director, and Mrs. Jane S. McKimmon, assistant director in charge of Home Demonstration Work son, 2 lots Moreehad City, for \$100. the State Board of Health, under the W. W. Hardesty Mortagee to Dew- direction of Dr. H. A. Taylor, acting secretary; the American Red Cross chapters and officials and local representatives of the Federal Farm Board. The ocordination of this campaign, to educate the people of the state to the necessity of saving were sung at the house and "Home sault, was acquitted o nthe last and York who came here several months Annie D. Gillikin to Ira F. Gillikin, their vegetables and fruits by several on the first two given sentences of ago for the purpose of raising glad- 20 acres Straits Township, for \$475. ordinarily practiced methods, is be-15 days and 30 days on the street oli. H. B. Avery of Cumberland, Alava Farm Corporation to John ing handled by R. W. Henninger, executive secretary of the Governor's Council.

Canning demonstrations, which were begun on April 1st., Martin county, are now being conducted in a campaign which is moving gradually westward from its beginning in the east of the state. Mrs. Cornelia C. Morris, district home agent and acting specialist in food conservation, assisted by Mrs. W. G. Stancil, assistant specialist in food conservaer, comptroller of State College, was tion, are doing the work, under the named as Director of the Division of direction of Mrs. Jane S. McKimmon, Purchase and Contract, created by assistant director of State College this General Assembly, by Governor Extension, and Dean I. . Schaub, di-They go mainly to the large cities in Gardner today. He will begin his rector. Home and Farm agents and new duties at once, in preparation all district agents are cooperating in for complete functioning of his new this program, in seeing to it that each office July 1. Governor Gardner township in a given county has replauded Mr. Brower as in every way resentatives present to learn the canning methods and that these persons go back and teach the people in their communities the necessary meth ods of vegetable and fruit preserva-

The itinerary of canning demonstra tions for the coming two weeks fol-

May 25, Southport; 26, Whitville, 27, Elizabethtown; 28, Fayetteville, and 29, Clinton.

June 2, Hillsboro; 3(Albemarle; 4, Sali-bury; and 5-6, Starsville.

The campaign will run until the last day of July and dates for such demonstrations will be given widespread publicity well in advance. Litrature about canning and other such opics is available and can be obtaind by writing Mr. Henninger's office r Editor, Stata College Extension Service, Raleigh.

Mr. Henninger hopes for the real cooperation of every citizen in the state." The more nearly 100 per cent the cooperation is, the more definite and lasting will be the results," he said. "For, without doubt, we are facing the most serious situation, if our people do not raise much garden produce and then save it for winter

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Frank Taylor and Abbie Elliott, Sea Level. Lorenzo Lewis, Beaufort an nice Willis, Straits.