# City Schools Open With Loss Of 144 In Enrollment

## White Schools 76 Lower; Sehool and 185 in the bigh gradient of the 271 total embraced the 82 in high school and 189 in elementary grades. **Cclored Schools Off 68**

All Rural Schools Sam e or Less; Central in Town Shows Gain; Addition s Expected in Next Few Days

Public schools, white and colored, opened in Henderson and in Vance county today, with practically all of them showing a loss under the 1942 epening, according to preliminary induces assembled today by the Henderson Daily Dispacth. Comparisons were with opening day last year. All white and colored schools in the city were reported, and all white schools in the county except Townsyille, which could not be reached by telephore. No reports were available for rural colored schools. Combined totals for all white schools in the city amounted to 1,770 this year, a decline of 76. The September, 1942, opening was down 43 for the school in the city amounted to 1,770 the september, 1942, opening was down 43 for the september of t

the 1941 opening.

Addition of the twelfth grade at Henderson high school showed only six enrolled in what is known as the new twelfth grade. No graduation is to be had next May, so that there will really be a twelth grade

The decline of 30 in Henderson cline of 68.

There will be additions in most irstances tomorrow and Monday, but the comparison, showing the heavy loss, is a fair one in that figures are for opening days both years.

Henderson high school opened today at 9 o'clock, with special evercises appropriate to the occasion. Principal S. M. Crowder officiated in that capacity for the first time, having been elected to that office recently following resignation of W.

The 300 reported at Zeb Vance included 90 in high school and 210 in the elementary grades. Middle-burg's 286, precisely the same as last

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this year, a magned with 1,486 last year, a decline of 76. The September, 1942, opening was down 43 for there schools under the 1941 figure.

Negro schools of the city showed a drop of 68, today's opening being 1,610, compared with 1,078 last year, which was less than the previous year. Combined totals for white and colored schools in the city reday showed 2,780, or 144 less than the 2,924 at the 1942 opening. The 1942 opening was 224 less than 1941.

The decline in 1943 from 1941 was 368 under the 3,148, for 1941.

Every rural consolidated school reputing showed a decline except Middleburg, which was 286, or exactly the same as for 1942, and, incidentally, precisely the same as for the 1941 opening.

Addition of the twelfth grade at 1942 Mr.

School	1913	19
Central	786	413
Hend. Institute	224	23
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Central school was one of this year's exceptions, in that if showed an increase of 12 over last year, when that school had the heavest loss in the city.

Henderson I saturde, which serves as the colored high school for both the city and the county, lost 27 by comparison with last year, and Central dropped 41 under last year's total. The two together had a de-

high school was matched by a drop of 46 in the elementary schools, which include Janior High.

Reports were received today from from of the five rural consolidated thinderson institute lost 27 and white schools, with Townsville missing because of a lack of telephone ing breause of a lack of telephone connections. These figures were

given as 10	11	o	"	3	٠						
School										1943	1942
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Zeb Vance					į.			Ì,		300	315
Ayenek										321	354
Danney					d					271	312
Townsville											

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### Leaf Grading Meetings Planned

Tobacco graming demonstrations, conducted by W. L. Bradshey of the labacco branch of the food demonstration administration office in Raleign, will be held in Vance county on Tuesday of next week, it was amounced today by County Farm Agest J. W. Sonders.

The first of the two mesticins will be held from 9.30 o'clock until 11:31 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Mid-Yoburg high sets d, and the second

as the distance of the man and the second different for local control at the Ayeock school, is school demonstration two sections, the first devoted to a demonstration that the distance of the sections of the man and the sections of the second to the section of the second the Peburg high selection will be held to 134 will be held from I o'clock until
101 3.39 o'clock at the Ayeock school.
119 The Ayeock school demonstration
will be in two sections, the first
hour being devoted to a demonstration for 4-II club and Future
Farmers of America members, and
the second section for adult farmers.
A similar series of meetings will
be held Monday for colored farmers.
Mr. Sanders said, and notices at
the hours and places have ocen
mailed to volored farmers by Lloyd
L. Peace, Negro farm agent.
Mr. Brad-her will show tobraco
of different grades and discuss the
values for each, and explain the
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Federal grading service 1s being instituted on all markets, in geordance with a referendum decision reached last year, but is not expected to be in operation on the Henderson market. market market hits year because of in-ability to secure a sufficient number

#### Broughton To Urge Buying War Bonds

Governor J. Melville Broughton will officially baunch North Carolina's third was loan drive for \$145, 600,000 in was bonds and other government securities with an address over the state's radio networks Wednesday, September 8, from 7:30 p. m. to 7:45 p. m., according to an announcement from Clarence T. Laincach, Winston-Salem, chairman of the North Carolina was timance committee.

In his address on the eye of the In his address on the eve of the nationwide campaign, the largest fi-nancial program in the history of the world, Governor Broughton will ap-peal to the citizens of North Carolina to support to the limits of their

to support to the limits of their ability America's drive for \$15,000,000,000 to help limance the war. Governor Broughton is honorary chairman of the executive board of the state war finance committee. Arrangements have been made for the following North Carolina radio stations to carry Governor Brown. stations to carry Governor Brough-on's address; WPTF, Raleigh; WBIG, Greensboro; WSJS, Winston-Salem, and WBT, Charlotte.

#### CHICKEN FRY IS HAD BY LIONS CLUB

The Lions club held its weekly secting at the residence of Tom-arrington in the Vicksburg com-nuity. The club members were uests of Tom Harrington and Jack cathing.

Watkins I a chicken fry.

Squire Harrington, as he is best known by his friends, had every thing prepared when the club was all

Their guests were Lt. Billy Fur-man, of the U. S. Air Forces, Craw-ford Daniel and Jimmie Crawley. Everybody had a fine time and the meeting adjourned.

# How's

1. What is the successor to the Board of Economic Warfare?
2. The recently enacted Antistrike Act was passed over President Roosevelt's veto; true or false?
3. Does osculate mean to vibrate, to swoon, or to kiss?
4. The Spanish American

4. The Spanish-American War wa 4. The Spanish-American War was fought during the administration of President Cleveland, McKinley or Theodore Roosevelt?

5. Rowena is the heroine of which of Sir Walter Scott's novels?

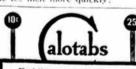
6. Which Republic of the Soviet

Union has been known as its "bread

7 Chaulmogra oil has been tried in the treatment of what skin dis-8. Name the patron saint of Ire-

9. In Army slang, a "hash mark" stripe, or a demerit for being late at

10. Salt in an ice cream freezer preserves the ice, or is used to make the ice melt more quickly?



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# Gardner Names Committee ABC Board To Push War Loan Drive

Chairmen Named for City and County and Schools; \$1,407,009 Is Goal for County

Names of a committee of 75 were amounced today by Chairman J. C. Gardner, of the Vance County War Savings Committee, 15 direct the Third War Loan drive in the county, the goal of which is during onth of September

Some purchases have already been made, although the formal opening date for the campaign is September 9 throughout the nation for a total of fifteen billion dollars.

M. W. Wester has been designated M. W. Wester has been designated as chairman for sales in Henderson and J. W. Sanders in the county, E. M. Rollins is chairman for the schools Henry A. Demas is publicity chairman for the campaign, Dr. D. A. Hazkans has been designated as chairman for the colored organization in the city and Lloyd Peace. tion in the city, and Lloyd Peace, colored farm agent, is chairman for the colored division in the county, or outside Henderson.

Following are other committee members announced by the county

Alterd, Sam, Alston, W. J., Anderson, H. W.

Badey, William, Blum, Geo. B., Bryan, J. Harry, Bunn, A. A., Burroughs, R. I., Burton, K. L., Bruin, Ralph W.

Cheatham, Joel T., Clements, Mrs. E. E., Cobb. Edward G., Cooper, John D., Cooper, M. Y., Corbitt, R.

Rivers, Guy D., Robards, F. B.,
Robertson, Geo, T., Rogers, S. B.
Rose, T. B., Jr.
Smith, J. B., Stevenson, S. S.,
Stewart, Chus A.
Taylor, E. B., Taylor, Robt, B.,
Teague, Postmaster J. R., Teiser,
Mrs. Geneva, Teiser, Stanley F.
Thompson, Mrs. Alpheus,
Upchurch, Dr. R. T.
Vaughan, W. R.
Watkins, Alex S., Watkins, S. H.,
Wester, Al. B., Wester, Jno, L. Woodard, J. W., Woolard, E. W.
Zollicoffer, John H.

### To Draw Jury Monday For Coming Court

Principal business of the monthly assistant manager of the leval store to J. C. Penney Co., Inc., succeeding V. T. Penney Co., Inc., succeeding W. H. Jones, who recently joined the Navy.

Mr. Griggs expects to move to Henderson shortly. A native of Shelby, and Oxford stores. He comes to by and Oxford stores.

Other business will be mostly of a routine nature.

Judge R. Hunt Parker, resident judge of this district, is scheduled to hold the court. The first week will be for trial of criminal cases and the second for civil actions. Solicitor E. R. Tyler is to prosecute the criminal docket.

This is the only scheduled term of superior court in Vance county in the second half of the year, in contrast to three regular sessions in the first half. It will be Judge Parker's first term here in several years.

Deen assistant manager of the Shelbert assistant m

#### Barden Becomes Assistant Agent

Hugh D. Barden, who last month reported here to begin work as as-sistant farm agent and was called the same day to assume a position with the Soil Conservation Service, has cleared the misunderstanding which resulted from appointment to two positions at approximately the same time, and yesterday became assistant farm agent for Vance countries.

assistant farm agent for Vance county, it was amounced today by County Agent J. W. Sanders.

Mr. Barden, who had been connected with the Farm Security Administration office in Franklin county since leaving a similar position with the FSA in Vance county about two years are about such applied for perwith the FSA in Vance county about two years ago, had applied for positions with both the Extension Service and the Soil Conservation Service. Both agencies accepted his application at approximately the same time, the Soil Conservation appointment bearing the earlier date, and he was required to obtain a release from the SCS before accepting a position with the Extension Service.

ion Service. The new Extension Service work r expects to move his family from ouisburg, where they have been wing, to Henderson in the near fu-

### Heads War Loan



J. C. GARDNER

### Cotton Mills Will Suspend For Holiday

Cheatham, Joel T., Clements, Mrs.
R. E., Cobb, Edward G., Cooper,
John D., Cooper, M. Y., Corbitt, R.
Davis, Herman A., Dickie, D. T.,
Falkner, E. O., Farmer, J. C.,
Finch, Mrs. G. Fred, Finch, P. B.,
Frazier, Leon G.
Gardner, Rev. E. N., Gary, R. C.
Gholson, Mrs. A. W., Jr.
Harris, M. E., Harrison, R. G.,
Hight, W. B., Hicks, Jasper B., Hunter, Dr. Thos, M.
Jenkins, Jas. W.
Legg, M. F.
Matalas, John, McDuffee, D. P.,
Mayo, Jos. D., Moore, A. H.
Nordan, M. N.
Oliver, Miss Edna.
Parham, E. F., Parham, Dr. A. H.,
Paul, Mrs. Johnnie, Perry, Bennett
H., Powell, Mayor Henry T. Plummer, Mrs. J. K., Proctor, J. M.
Rivers, Guy D., Robards, F. B.,
Robertson, Geo, T., Rogers, S. B.,
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Stewart, Chas, A.
Taylor, E. B., Taylor, Robt, B.,
Teague, Postmoster, J. B., Te

All three Henderson banks will be closed throughout the day. The Continental Hosiery Co, plans will operate through Labor Day, as will the tobacco plants in the city. Information as to whether the Cor bitt Co. would close was not avail

but Co, would close was not available today.

Business offices and stores throughout the city are expected to remain open on Labor Day, but no public observance of the holiday is expected to be made here.

#### CLYDE GRIGG IS NEW ASSISTANT MANAGER OF J. C. PENNEY CO.

Clyde E. Grigg has been made assistant manager of the local store of J. C. Penney Co., Inc., succeed-ing W. H. Jones, who recently joined the Navy. Mr. Griggs expects to move to Hen-derson halfs.

#### Banks To Close On Labor Day

Monday, September 6, being Laber Day and a general holiday in most parts of the country, the banks of Henderson will not be open for busi-ness on that day, it is announced.

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# Won't Buy Liquor Now

The Vance County ABC Board refused to contract for a year's supply of whisky because it was unwilling to pay the American Distilling Company a deposit of ten dollars percase in advance of deliveries, Chairman George A. Rose, Sr., of the board, said today, Mr. Rose said the board had discussed the distillers offer with the county commissioners, and there was general agreement not to go into the arrangement.

According to the State ABC Board, Vance was the only one of the 25 liquor counties in the State which refused to enter juto the contract, and officials of the State board are now in Chicago arranging for the deal.

officials of the State board are now in Chicago arranging for the deal. The contract was approved by the State attorney general.

Although a deposit of ten dollars a case would be required by the American Distilling Company, deliveries would be made only on order and at intervals during the year.

Mr. Rose said Vance county would have been required to contract for 6,000 cases, and at \$10 that would have been deposited with the company. He said he and the board could see no reason for any such arrangement. The local board, he added, is getting all the liquor it wants and is finding no difficulty in keep-

ded, is getting all the liquor it wants and is finding no difficulty in keeping up its stocks.

Signing of a contract for 170,000 cases for the State board would not have affected the present rationing system, it is said. During July sales in the 25 wet counties were reported in the aggregate of less than 27,000 cases, compared with 55,000 in July, 1942, according to the State board.

#### DEPUTY COLLECTOR IN CITY TWO DAYS

Income tax payers who wish information or assistance in preparation of their statements of estimated income for 1943, required to be filed September 15, may consult J. Forrest Joyner, deputy internal revenue collector, at the postoffice building tomorrow or Saturday.

Mr. Joyner will be in room 10 of the post office building from 9 a. m.

the post office building from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m. on each of the two days when he will be in the city.

#### MUSICAL PROGRAM.

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There will be a musical program at Davis Chapel church tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. Taking part on the program will be the Wilson family, of Zebulon, the Jubilee female quartet of Kittrell, and the Victory quartet of Youngsville. Besides group singing, there will also be solos. The multip is invited to attend. public is invited to attend.

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