

County Will Again Study The Airport

Local Project Is Favored by Board, With City Aiding

Although the Vance Board of County Commissioners last Monday rejected the second time the proposal for a local airport to be owned and operated by the cities of Henderson and Vance, the county board of commissioners today further considered the proposal on the basis of an airport sited by Henderson and Vance county. Henry W. Hight, chairman of the county board, said today he believed that his body favored the separate venture.

Mr. Hight said the commissioners would shortly appoint a committee from their group to study the Henderson City Commission's views and interests in their own interests and operation of an airport somewhere in the county of Henderson.

The chairman said reaction he had received from both large and small tax payers leaned toward a local project.

W. B. FLEMING, JR., DIES AT HOSPITAL

Ill About One Month; Funeral and Burial at Cokesbury Methodist Church Thursday

William Bryant Fleming Jr., 24, of Cokesbury community, son of Vance county, died at Maria Parham hospital at 4:30 a. m. today after an illness of about one month. He had been in the hospital about ten days in a serious condition.

Funeral services will be held at Cokesbury Methodist church at four o'clock Thursday afternoon, in charge of Rev. T. W. Lee, of Middleburg, the pastor, assisted by Rev. P. D. Woodall, retired minister of Lenoir and a former pastor of Lenoir, will be in the church cemetery.

Mr. Fleming is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Louise Werthman, a daughter, Sylvia, aged 4, and a son, Nathan, two years old. His parents, W. B. Fleming Sr. and Mrs. Mary Louise, Hiram, Fleming, tax collector, Thomas A. and George H. Fleming, both of Route 2, Henderson, and a sister, Miss Betty Fleming, also of Route 2, living with her parents. The deceased had been a member of Cokesbury Methodist church about eight years. He had engaged in farming all of his life. He was born in this county September 19, 1920. Active pull-overs, all first cousins of the deceased, were named as follows: Bob, Albert, Wilbert, Thomas, and Billy Harris and Pete Rose.

MRS. H. F. MITCHELL DIES IN RALEIGH

Mrs. H. F. Mitchell, of the Belmont community, died at Mary Elizabeth hospital, Raleigh, this morning, of pneumonia today. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 p. m. at the Chapel Methodist Church, near the depot. No hour has been announced.

High School Broken Into During Night

Unknown persons forced an entrance into Henderson high school last night attempting to open the safe in the principal's office and breaking into the school store, school and police authorities reported today.

The door to the principal's office was found open this morning by the janitor, Willie Jones, when he entered the school. Marks on the door indicated a sledge hammer, or some other heavy implement, had been used in forcing the door. Inside the office, the emperors had forced in the handle and dial to the safe, but were apparently unable to get inside. Only a small amount of money is kept in the safe, however, S. M. Crowder, principal, stated, as the school has a bank account for all its funds.

No attempt was made to destroy anything else in the office, he reported, leading to the assumption that the persons were in search of money only.

At the school store, the trespass was taken out of the door and the door pane broken. It looked as though most of the cabinets and files in the store had been opened, but only about two dollars in money was missing there, it was reported.

Several fingerprints were left at the store and police officials were working on those today. It was not known how many persons entered the building, but indications were that there were more than one. The time of the entry was not immediately determined, but Mr. Crowder stated that he was at the school at about ten o'clock, so that it must have been some time after that.

Mrs. Clark On Trial For Man's Death

Trial was begun in Vance Superior Court this afternoon on charges against Mrs. Oba Clark in connection with the fatal shooting of Will Thomas Tharrington at her home on the Townsville road more than a year ago.

Solicitor E. R. Tyler announced he would not ask for first degree, but would request a verdict of second degree if manslaughter as the evidence may justify as testimony was taken. The case has been continued at several previous terms of court.

Two penitentiary sentences were imposed by Judge C. E. Thompson today, the first of the term. Charlie Clarence Hunt was sent to State Prison for three to five years for theft of an automobile and required to pay court costs and to pay the prosecuting witness for damages in his car. He pleaded guilty to a drunken driving charge and was fined \$50 and costs.

Andrew Hargrove, colored, was sent to State Prison for not less than fifteen and not more than twenty years for crime against nature.

Esmond Reams, white, was tried yesterday afternoon for being drunk and disorderly and for resisting an officer. He was sentenced to 12 months on the road, suspended upon payment of costs and provided the defendant not be convicted of violating any criminal law in Vance county for the next two years and remain of good behavior.

Cases tried up to noon today were: Charlie Clarence Hunt, white, pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny of an automobile and was sentenced to the State penitentiary for not less than three and not more than five years and that the defendant pay the costs and pay the prosecuting witness for damages to his automobile.

Hunt was also charged with drunken driving and pleaded guilty. He was assessed \$50 and costs.

Roy Thomas, colored, tried for assault with a deadly weapon, was sentenced to two years on the roads, suspended upon payment of costs and doctor's and hospital bills if any, and the defendant must remain of good behavior for the next three years.

James Richardson, colored, tried for forgery, was sentenced to two years in jail to be assessed to the roads, and must pay court costs, suspended upon condition that the defendant be placed on probation for three years and pay the prosecuting witness \$16.

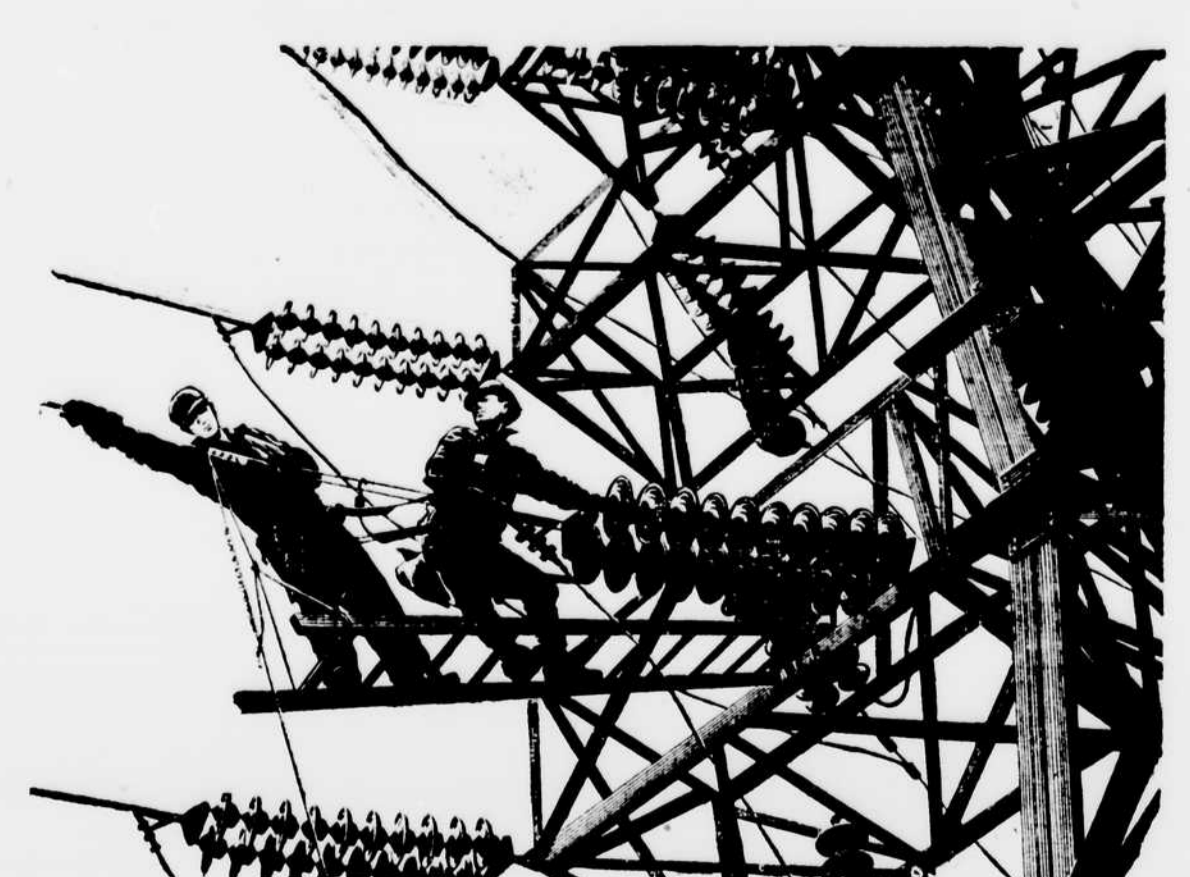
Andrew Hargrove, colored, adjudged guilty of a charge of committing a crime against nature, was sentenced to State Prison for not less than 15 years and not more than 20.

REPORTED MISSING, HE'S COMING HOME!

Lt. Sidney C. Hines, bomber navigator reported missing over Yugoslavia, has cabled his wife, Mrs. Arvella Luhn Hines, 1525 South Elizabeth Street, Denver, Colorado, that he is not only safe but has completed 50 missions and is coming home. It was learned today.

Mrs. Hines received her husband's cable before the official telegram arrived reporting that he was missing.

Lt. Hines is a native of Henderson and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hines, Route 5, Henderson. He entered the service in 1940 and has been overseas since April, 1941.



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Settlement Is Made For 1943 Taxes

Settlement has been made by the Vance Board of County Commissioners with F. M. Dorsey, county tax collector, for 1943 tax accounts. Chairman Henry W. Hight started today.

In the settlement, insolvent, or uncollected accounts, amounted to about \$8,000.

At the same time the commissioners signed over the 1944 tax books to the collector. The tax levy is approximately \$152,000, but of that amount about \$46,000 has already been paid in advance to the county accountant, Miss Dorothea Woodner.

The board authorized considerate painting work to be done at the Scott Parker Sanatorium for tubercular patients, and also in the kitchen at the county home.

County Gets Liquor Money

Payment to the county of \$10,000 in liquor store profits by the Vance County ABC Board was announced today by Chairman Henry Hight, of the Vance County Commissioners. It is the first payment received by the county during the current fiscal year, which began last July 1. The money goes into the county general fund, he stated.

During the fiscal year which ended last June 30, the county received \$55,000 from the ABC board in profits from the liquor store. That was considerably less than the previous fiscal year. Last year was the first in which the City of Henderson shared by fifteen percent in the profits of the liquor store.

ASSAULT CASES IN RECORDER'S COURT

Two cases of assault and one driving case were tried in recorder's court today.

Moody Harp, white, was tried for assault and was sentenced to six months on the roads. An appeal was noted and bond was set at \$200.

Harp was also tried for assault with a deadly weapon and was adjudged guilty of simple assault. He was sentenced to 12 months on the roads to begin at the expiration of the sentence of six months. Taking appeal on this charge also, his bond was set at \$200.

Carl Turner, colored, was tried for operating a motor vehicle without an operator's license. Prayer for judgment was continued upon payment of costs.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR PVT. FAUCETTE

The Dexter Baptist church will have a memorial service on Sunday evening, October 8, at 8 o'clock for Warren P. Faucette, who was killed in action in France on July 14, it was stated today.

The pastor, Rev. E. W. Greene, will be assisted by Chaplain Thomas W. McKenely from Camp Butler. The public is invited.

AROUND TOWN

POLICE COURT
E. L. Stafford, white, was tried in police court today for indecent exposure and was taxed with costs of court.

MARRIAGE LICENSE
Garland Plummer and Ruby Bullock, colored, both of Henderson, were granted a marriage license today at the register of deeds office.

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