

Work of Securing Halifax County's National Army Quto Goes Steadily On

Ninety-Two Certified to District Board, Seventy to Eighty More to Follow from First Three Installments. 217 Physically Unfit, 66 per cent of Fit Claim Exemption, About 22 per cent of Claims Denied. 1200 Men Must be Called to Get First Quto

SUMMONSES FOR BALANCE WILL BE MAILED TODAY

The machinery of the Selective Draft Law for this county grinds steadily on and the stupendous work of passing on the exemption claims of approximately three hundred men is nearing the end. Absolutely correct figures cannot yet be given as the Board has not completed its labors and some of the figures are yet liable to change, but the apparent results are as follows:

Of the 682 men summoned for examination in three installments of 221 each, 577 reported for examination. 124 of these men were found to be physically unfit for service, a percentage of 21%. Of the 443 men who passed the physical examinations, approximately 300 have filed claims for exemption, or 66%. The work of passing upon these applications for exemption is not completed, but of the 245 so far passed upon, 203 have been granted and 43 denied, or a percentage of the physically fit of 45%.

Ninety-two men have been certified to the District Board by the Board at Halifax and approximately 100 more will be certified to-day. Calls will be issued to-day or to-morrow summoning between five and six hundred additional men to Halifax for examination, this being the number estimated to complete the first quota of 331 men and the necessary ten per cent reserve.

The following is the list of men who have been certified to the District Board at Goldsboro for service: (1)

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| 1436 | Daniel, Henry | Littleton |
| 854 | Whitaker, Henry | Halifax |
| 3505 | Johnson, Elijah | Tillery |
| 3067 | Carr, Moses | Enfield |
| 548 | Patterson, Devil | Littleton |
| 3070 | Coffield, George | Enfield |
| 1237 | Chance, Jack J. | Weldon |
| 1563 | Saunders, Squire | Weldon |
| 3159 | Mabry, Thomas | Enfield |
| 3254 | Wade, Sam | Enfield |
| 2455 | Brake, Jessie C. | Littleton |
| 10 | Brady, Mack | Scotland Neck |
| 1031 | Arrington, Albert B. | Scotland Neck |
| 3090 | Davis, Simon | Enfield |
| 797 | Jones, Milo | Halifax |
| 2599 | Cherry, Ernest | Ringwood |
| 1236 | Change, Ernest | Weldon |
| 2011 | Bush, Thos. | Rosemary |
| 3285 | Wilkins, Johnnie | Enfield |
| 1484 | Hill, Dan | Weldon |
| 1751 | Johnson, Percy C. | Roanoke Rapids |
| 1103 | Jones, Henry | Scotland Neck |
| 1395 | Anderson, Samuel | Weldon |
| 606 | Baker, Geo. | Palmyra |
| 1771 | Lipscumb, C. T. | Roanoke Rapids |
| 1651 | Burnett, Thos. M. | Roanoke Rapids |
| 1099 | Johnson, Jno. D. | Scotland Neck |
| 1341 | Davis, Frank | Weldon |
| 772 | Hargrove, Ashley | Halifax |
| 1456 | Faulk, Jno. | Weldon |
| 3528 | Scott, Willie | Tillery |
| 972 | Perry, Jno. W. | Scotland Neck |
| 983 | Riddick, Jno. C. | Scotland Neck |
| 868 | Wynn, Dallas | Halifax |
| 2456 | Brake Robert | Whitakers |
| 2090 | Jernigan, Geo. L. | Rosemary |
| 379 | King, Wm. H. | Thelma |
| 542 | Miles, Jonathan | Thelma |
| 3212 | Howell, Cottie | Enfield |
| 2595 | Carter, Arthur | Hollister |
| 3176 | McWilliams, Wm. | Enfield |
| 2008 | Bryant, Wm. O. | Rosemary |
| 1613 | Whitfield, Arthur | Weldon |
| 3325 | Crawley, Sterling | Littleton |
| 726 | Byrd, J. W. E. | Halifax |
| 1531 | Mitchell, Wm. | Weldon |
| 3079 | Dancy, Sam | Enfield |
| 530 | Medlin, Hillery | Thelma |
| 809 | McDaniel, Joe | Halifax |
| 2826 | Williams, Howard | Littleton |
| 620 | Hill, Linwood | Palmyra |
| 31 | Lawrence, Asia | Scotland Neck |
| 1727 | Hockaday, N. M. | Roanoke Rapids |
| 2662 | Johnson, Eugene | Brinkleyville |
| 1571 | Sims, Ezekiel | Weldon |
| 2577 | Brinkley, Granville | Airlie |
| 882 | Boyd, Elisha | Scotland Neck |
| 2119 | Matthews, C. C. | Rosemary |
| 2360 | Moore, Wash. H. | Scotland Neck |
| 749 | Crowell, James | Halifax |
| 3304 | Wright, Anthony | Enfield |
| 2592 | Carr, McKinley | Hollister |
| 3435 | Parks, Vivian A. | Tillery |
| 1276 | Harrison, J. G. | Weldon |
| 792 | Johnson, Roger | Halifax |
| 3059 | Bryant, Allie | Enfield |
| 1580 | Stith, Langdon | Weldon |
| 870 | Alexander, Wm. S. | Scotland Neck |
| 3334 | Neville, Wm. T. | Airlie |
| 628 | Pender, Lonnie | Palmyra |
| 269 | Hawkins, Geo. | Brinkleyville |
| 1141 | Ruff, Dann | Scotland Neck |
| 1016 | Alexander, Langston | Scotland Neck |
| 1430 | Crest, Lucius | Weldon |
| 391 | Moseley, Norman | Littleton |
| 970 | Parks, Clarence B. | Scotland Neck |
| 637 | Northing, Willis | Palmyra |
| 1543 | Pearce Willie | Weldon |
| 3530 | Shields, Robt. | Spring Hill |
| 2415 | Johnson, Steven | Scotland Neck |
| 2017 | Carter, Mack | Rosemary |
| 3481 | Flood, Ed | Crowells |
| 3232 | Sloan, Elga | Enfield |
| 2479 | Hardy, Otto B. | Brinkleyville |
| 2730 | Nicholson, Ulysses | Brinkleyville |
| 2095 | Johnson, Hallie | Scotland Neck |
| 1549 | Pope, Eddie | Rosemary |
| 1922 | Gatling, Clem | Roanoke Rapids |
| 1548 | Ponton, Yank | Weldon |
| 675 | Cook, Walter | Halifax |

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BULLETIN

MOVING THE BIG DRAET ARMY

The assembling and moving of the first part of the draft army is a gigantic task which now confronts the war department. The many details are now being worked out and the information as to how the new soldiers are to move is being given to the people. This information together with all other important news happenings are found in The HERALD.

Dance

Last Friday night a delightful dance was given in the Roanoke Rapids Dance Hall.

It was beautifully decorated in ferns, cut flowers and crepe paper.

Music was furnish by Rosemary Orchestra. Those present were: Miss Ruth Batton, and Mr. Cones, of Virginia Beach, Mr. Herbert Williams, of Wilson, Miss Fannie Greenburg, of New York, Mr. Max Meyer, Mr. Barnhill, and Mr. White, of Enfield, Mr. Willie Harrison, and Frank Spruill, of Littleton, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Fitzhugh, and children, Susan, John Bell, and Pattie, of Garysburg. Misses Susie and Tempie Zollicoffer, Mary Ellen Travis, Messrs Pierce Johnson, Donald Daniel, Lieut. Charles Daniel, Gus and Stanford Travis, Jr., George Smith, James Pierce, and Mr. and Mrs. John Zollicoffer, of Weldon. Misses Irene Cannon, and Minette Marshall, Messrs. Rives Manning, George Carmichael, Shafter Buchanan, and James Marshall, of Rosemary. Misses Nell Wicker, Susie Allsbrook, Mary Daughtry, Cammie Vaughan, Ella Lee Chauncy, Lessie Buchanan, Catherine Eagleton, Mary Cherry, Mattie Grimmer, Louise Bain, Maria and Irene Johnson, Fleeter and Fannie Marks, Mrs. Lewis Grimmer, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Snell, Messrs. Fenner Smith, Bruce Tillery, Seabrook Jones, Herbert Brantly, E. C. Morrisette, W. E. Byrnes, Charles Humphrey, Dr. E. E. Hachman, Dr. Paisley Fields, and Frank Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb left immediately after the ceremony for Washington, D. C. and other northern cities. The bride is a most beautiful and accomplished young lady, prominent in the social circles of the city and very popular. She is a graduate of Buie's Creek Academy and taught in the schools here last year. Mr. Webb is one of the city's most prominent and successful young business men, being engaged in the furniture business here on a large scale. Both Mr. and Mrs. Webb are members of the Roanoke Rapids Baptist Church and very prominent in the religious life of the community. Mr. Webb being Treasurer of the church and Secretary of the Baraca Class. Mrs. Webb is pianist and also a teacher in the Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb will return about September 1. and will shortly thereafter be at home to their friends at their residence on Jackson Street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fitzhugh Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fitzhugh were host to quite a number of their friends from Weldon and Roanoke Rapids, at their beautiful home in Northampton county Friday evening, when they gave a most delicious Brunswick stew and barbeque in honor of Miss Zollicoffer's house guests, Miss Ruth Baton, and Mr. George Combs, of Norfolk, and Mr. Frank Williams, of Wilson. The affair was most enjoyable to all, and upon leaving the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fitzhugh, the entire party was turned into an enjoyable dance at Roanoke Rapids. — Roanoke News

Mr. W. F. Merritt

Mr. W. F. Merritt died in the Roanoke Rapids Hospital last Thursday, where he had been for treatment for about three days. Mr. Merritt was an invalid, having suffered a stroke of paralysis about fourteen months ago. He had made his home in Rosemary for the past two years and made many friends who together with nine children mourn his death. His remains were buried Friday at the Merritt burying ground near Crowell's Cross Roads, this county.

ROANOKE RAPIDS PERSONAL AND LOCAL ITEMS

Kenith C. Towe, of Fort Oglethorpe, visited his brother, Leslie Towe for a few days this week.

Emmett Matthews and Dr. E. E. Hachman left Sunday for Baltimore and other Northern cities.

Hurley King, Harry Leggett and William Sanderford spent Sunday in Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. House and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. House, of Richmond, spent a few hours with Mrs. W. P. Vaughan Sunday as they passed through to Panacea Springs.

Miss Lutera and Alverado Bass, of Richmond, spent Sunday here with their brothers, Messrs. W. D and W. C. Bass.

Henry Miller, who has been spending sometime in New York, returned home Saturday.

Bill Fitts, of Durham, has returned here to make his home.

Rev. Eugene C. Few is assisting Rev. William Towe in a series of evangelistic meetings at Aurelian Springs this week.

J. W. Smoot spent the weekend in Norfolk.

Miss Martha Stanley left Sunday to visit relatives near Lawrenceville.

Homer Lenier, of Raleigh, spent Sunday with Miss Ruby Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Shell spent several days in Baltimore this week on business.

Wiley Hobbs left Sunday for Petersburg, where he spent a few days on business.

Misses Vivian Edmonds and Viola King are visiting relatives and friends in LaCrosse.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nobels, of Greenville, spent a few hours with Mrs. W. P. Vaughan as they motored through last week to Panacea Springs.

Miss Fannie Greenberg, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. Marks, left Sunday for Ocean View.

J. Samet, of Greensboro, spent Sunday with B. Marks.

Carl Myers, of Enfield, spent Sunday with B. Marks.

Mrs. M. McRae Faison and little daughter, Hilda, are visiting relatives in Scotland Neck.

Miss Adelaide Smith, of Indianapolis, Ind. is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Job Taylor.

Miss Josephine Tillery returned to her home in Scotland Neck Saturday.

Miss Pattie Baine returned Monday from Greensboro.

Mrs. Lou Purnell, of Richmond, is spending several days here with her brothers, V. C., R. P. and J. L. Daughtry.

J. H. Matkins spent Monday in Norfolk on business.

Miss Irma King left Tuesday for a vacation in Washington, N. C.

Mrs. Jim Brewer, of Charlie Hope, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. B. Green.

C. E. Wood, of Raleigh, spent Tuesday in town on business.

E. B. Huffine, of Rocky Mount, was in town Tuesday on business.

Misses Elmira Jenkins and Lessie Buchanan left Tuesday to spend several days at Ocean View.

Misses Eunice King, Gladys Milliken and Lizzie Leitner spent Sunday at Ocean View.

Mrs. R. F. Windham and children, Aron and Ruby, spent a few days in Norfolk this week with Mr. Windham, who is working on the Naval Base.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Powell and children, Mrs. J. R. Denton and little daughter and Miss Christine Powell, of Tarboro, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allsbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Tillery and son, Bruce, spent Wednesday in Scotland Neck with relatives.

C. L. Allsbrook, of Weldon, spent Sunday here with his parents.

ROSEMARY PERSONAL AND LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lehman and Miss Ruth Transou left Friday for a visit to Winston-Salem.

Mrs. G. L. Hayes is spending a few days in Palmer Springs, Va. with relatives.

Mrs. A. H. Andrews returned Wednesday from Greensboro, after a week's visit to friends and relatives.

Mrs. Coley who has been here for the past two weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. M. Thompson, returned to her home near Littleton Sunday.

Messrs. C. W. Medlin, B. T. Dickens, T. G. Bush and Rufus Mountford spent Saturday and Sunday in Norfolk and Ocean View.

A. P. Thompson, of Emporia, was here Sunday and in the absence of the pastor, preached at the morning and evening services in the Baptist Church.

J. B. Etheridge, of near Tarboro, was here a few days the past week to see relatives.

W. H. Roberts and family, after a week's visit to relatives in Rocky Mount returned Saturday.

J. B. Jenkins spent a few days last week in Winston-Salem visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Froelich.

J. P. Ashworth spent the day Thursday in Tarboro on business.

Mrs. Emmett Parker, after a few days visit here to relatives; left for Raleigh Thursday to visit relatives before returning to her home in Norfolk.

Mrs. L. A. Grissom and children left Sunday for Henderson to stay several days with relatives.

Rev. Nat Harrison was in Whitakers Sunday where he held services both morning and evening, in the Methodist Church.

Perkins Crawley, of Halifax, spent a few hours here Monday on business.

G. Lewis, of Durham, visited friends and relatives here a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cox and daughter, Miss Bertha, after a few days visit to friends and relatives in Winston-Salem, returned home Monday.

Messrs. O. P. and H. M. Johnson spent a few days this week in Tarboro visiting relatives.

Messrs. Charley Taylor and J. R. Pollard left Sunday for Asheville to attend a meeting of the Junior Order which convenes in that city this week.

J. G. Botts, of Halifax, spent Sunday in town with friends.

J. H. Harrison Jr. spent Sunday and Monday in Brinkleyville with his parents.

L. A. Grissom spent Sunday in Henderson with friends and relatives.

C. T. Johnson was in Norfolk a few days this week on business.

John W. Finch and family, former residents, but recently of Nash County, are moving back here, having accepted a position with Rosemary Manufacturing Company.

G. T. Smith, of Brunswick County, Va., spent a few days this week here visiting friends.

Miss Pearl Powell, of Hampton, is visiting Mrs. T. M. Jenkins.

W. C. Bass and sister, Miss Lutera, and Miss Hodges, motored to Rocky Mount Tuesday.

Ralph Walker, of Newport News, is spending a few days here this week with friends.

Mr. H. C. Spiers, of Weldon, most acceptably filled the pulpit of Rev. E. C. Few at the Roanoke Rapids Methodist Church on last Sunday morning. A large congregation heard the sermon, which was prefaced by a short appreciation by Mr. Spiers of the progress in commercial, civic and religious matters made by this community. The sermon was an eloquent one and attracted many favorable comments.

ISSUES BULLETIN ON TEETH

State Board of Health Explains Diseases of Teeth and Sets Out Methods of Combating Evils

"The Care of the Teeth," Special Bulletin No 98, just issued by the State Board of Health, without mincing terms and without dealing with technicalities, sets forth the fundamentals of the prevention of teeth diseases.

"The teeth were placed at the gateway or inlet to the human body to adequately provide the first of the vital processes which go on within the human body of converting the food we eat into muscle, bone, brain and brawn", says the bulletin. "With dirty, decayed, diseased, broken, missing teeth we can no more expect to properly chew or grind our food than a miller with dirty, broken or defective millstones could be expected to properly grind his corn or wheat.

"A well cared for mouth and set of teeth are a mark of well being, refinement and character. A dirty, vile smelling mouth is a reproach to anybody and a partial set of decayed, diseased snags and remnants of teeth are so many monuments to the owner, a stupidity, ignorance and indolence. Bad teeth are an unnecessary evil, a sin of omission."

With a simple statement of the story of the teeth and injunctions regarding their care, the bulletin sets forth the three principal tooth disorders: Decay, tartar, and Rigg's disease. A competent dentist, as early as the signs of disease are recognized, is urged as the first essential of providing remedy. As for prevention, the bulletin sets out the simple expedient of a tooth brush frequently used, and a semi-annual visit to a dentist for purpose of examination.

Stokes-Harrison

Cards have been issued as follows:

Mr. Henry Stokes requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of his daughter Margaret Cabell to

Mr. John Henry Harrison, Jr. on the evening of Wednesday, the fifth of September one thousand nine hundred and seventeen at half after eight o'clock Presbyterian Church Blackstone Virginia

Mr. Harrison is one of Rosemary's most popular and successful young business men. During the few months he has been engaged in business here he has made many friends who wish him every happiness and success in his new estate.

Mrs. Hayes Entertains Bridge Club

The Rosemary-Roanoke Rapids Bridge Club met last Friday morning with Mrs. Geo. L. Hayes, Jr. on Jackson Street, Rosemary.

Bridge and Rook tables were arranged for the guests and the were games thoroughly enjoyed by all those present. Refreshments of pineapple ice and cake were served.

The members present were: Mesdames Job Taylor, Fred Peck, D. L. Leslie, T. W. M. Long, J. W. House, Misses Esther and Minette Marshall. The invited guests were Mesdames W. B. Watson, J. U. Loftin, Wells D. Tillery, T. M. Jenkins, Misses Grace Watson, Winifred Beckwith, Virginia and Charlena Hart.

Charter Issued

Rose's Five, Ten and Twenty-five Cent Store, Rosemary, Halifax county; to buy and sell goods at less than \$1.00, chiefly; capitalized at \$10,000 and authorized to begin business with \$2,000. E. M. Rose, of Henderson; T. B. Rose, Jr., Oxford, and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ogletree, of Rosemary, are the incorporators.