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STRANGE WORM

Negro Nabbed In Attempted Hold

NEW RAINBOW OFFICERS

DISCUSSES TOWN NEEDS

PINNER

C. H. Pinner, superintendent of the local schools, discussed several of the Town of Tabor City needs particularly as they pertain to education, at the regular Monday night meeting of the Rotary club. Pinner pointed out the need for action on the Finer Carolina pro-

ject of establishing a recreation park where children as well as adults could go to play and relax and emphasized the need for placing safe equipment in the area.

He also said there was a great need for a complete set of band instruments at the school and that if they were available, it would be possible to have a local band that could be a considerable asset to Tabor City. He also announced the arrival of five new band in-B. H. Porter, a North Carolinian who lives on route 2, Loris, re- struments and said an additional

cently brought a huge, strange worm into the office and asked to get 20 pieces would be needed to fully it identified. The worm is similar to many that other people have equip a totally local high school seen but not identical. It measured seven inches long and nearly an organization. inch in diameter, was dark green with wiry spines protruding all over Mr. Pinner also stated that there is a need for more public its body. It's pictured here to give you something nice to dream about.

school music instruction. He asked that any local persons YAM FESTIVAL TAKES SHAPE who would be interested in help-

ing to pay the expenses of a deserving Tabor City high school graduate through one year of college, contact him. Dancing, parades, entertainment and the best booth

exposition yet are expected at the Fifth Annual Carolinas A. A. White's comparison of school Yam Festival planned in Tabor City October 9, 10 and 11. teaching and the automobile busi-The committee in charge of arrangements for this ness which brought considerable

LEAF MART SALES PASS FIVE MILLION

Cool dry winds have curtailed throughout the Be der Beit for the past several days but figures through September 9 showed that \$2,515,306.90.

today (Wednesday).

pointed out that the market would pass the five million pound mark gation from that city. Considerable tobacco is still un-

The new officers of the Tabor City Rainbow Assembly For Girls who were installed with a public time. The Negro asked for a box program in the Masonic hall here Friday evening. Reading left to right, front row: Erma Jean Cox. Outter started to make change, she was Observer; Mable Hodges, Chaplain; Shelba Jean Hux, Faith; Patsy Ward, Hope; Mrs. Mae S. Young, struck over the head with a bottle. Mother Advisor; Rochelle Simon, Worthy Advisor; Macel Cox, Worthy Associate Advior; Mona Claire Cox, The bottle broke her glasses, cut a Charity; Lorena Long, Confidential Observer; Back row: left to right, Darcus Soles, Patriotism; Joan gash in her head and stummed her. Strickland, Fidelity; Alice Ann Horne, Musician; Janell White, Recorder and Retiring Worthy Advisor; However, she stumbled out of the Sarah Williams, Drill Leader; Mary Lois Garrell, Installing Marshall; and Faye Spivey, Treasurer.

Fall Meetings With Beauty Contests Scheduled by Brunswick REA

The Brunswick Electric Mem- | 16 to 22 years of age; have perbership Corporation will again manent residence in homes served this year sponsor a beauty contest by the Coop and be single. Judgduring the local fall REA Com- ing will be based on beauty, poise munity Meetings, Hugh Cherry, and personality and the contestpublicity director announced. The ants are to wear street clothes. The meetings with the selection contestants will compete for the title "Miss Brunswick REA." of the community queen are sche-

Each community winner of the duled as follows: Cerro Gordo, local beauty contest will receive Sept. 16; Evergreen, Sept. 17; ial wizard, Thomas L. Hamilton, an electric hair dryer and a chance Williams, Sept. 23; Guideway, is asking the State to pay him to compete for the title "Miss Sept. 25; Clarkton, Sept. 30; Halls- \$5,000 for his services in the Klan Blake. Speculation was that he Brunswick REA during the 1952 boro, Oct. 1; Shallotte, Oct. 7; annual membership meeting to be Bolovia, Oct. 9; Waccamaw, Oct. held in Moore's Warehouse in 16; and Nakina High School, Oct. Whiteville on October 31. 21.

The first prize will be \$40.00 A community meeting for Old cash, second \$25.00 and third Dock is slated for Oct. 14 with no contest. It is pointed out that the Rules for all the contests are Waccamaw contest will take care

tobacco sales in Tabor City and that the contestants must be from of the vicinity.

TEAM OPENS SEASON GRID **ROCKINGHAM FRIDAY NITE** The Tabor City Red Devil foot-|scrimmage sessions and practices

ball team opens the 1952 season thus far have been satisfactory at Rockingham Friday night when and has had particular praise for they tangle with a strong aggre- a second string backfiend composed of Nathaniel Harrelson, Ben

A Negro man giving his name as Jimmy Lee Haywood, of Conway, was shot through the right leg

and apprehended by Police Chief L. R. Watson here this morning about 11:00 after having robbed the Courtney grocery store a few minutes earlier.

The man carried an identification card bearing the name of Buster Blake, Loris, S. C. but said it was not his.

Haywood was connered in the wooded area near the Tabor City school and was flushed out by a group of local citizens armed with sticks, hammers and various crude weapons, and when all efforts to catch him failed and he heeded no warning from the Policemen, he was stopped with a flesh wound in the leg that was not serious.

The robber entered the C. C. Courtney store here at 10:30 when it was attended by Mrs. Alice Fowler. She was alone at the store and began yelling while the Negro was still inside emptying the cash drawer, she said. Passersby stopped as the robber fled and policemen were summoned. The chase and arrest followed a short time later.

The Negro arrested denied having been the one who held up the store but was identified positively by Mrs. Fowler.

He had been drinking and sail that he had bought a half pint if whiskey earlier in the morning.

When arrested, he had only five dollars on him and it was in is asking the State to pay him the billfold bearing the name of had thrown the money away which was allegedly taken fror by Solicitor Moore and forwarded the store when the chase started to Attorney General Harry Mc2 however no sign of the money had been found at noon today.

A doctor was summoned to exproved by the Council of State, the amine the extent of the gunshot fee will be paid from the State's wound and said it was not a serious injury and had missed the The Whiteville attorney helped bone.

Baptist To Observe drew prison sentences totalling Intermediate Week

The Mount Tabor Baptist church month to the cases and, in his will observe Intermediate week letter recommending that the September 15-21 officials an-\$5,000 fee be paid, Solicitor Moore nounced today. The program, based on fellowship, will include instruction, recreation and refresh



be asked to cooperate in the exposition more than in past seasons. That is, it is hoped that store at the local High Schoolfarmers will actually pitch in and auditorium J. Thursday, Septemassist in the operation of the ber 18, when Marlow Miller, mas-

cooths. uable prizes will be given to per- American Legion Post 101.

explanation of this phase of the steller attractions throughout entertainment will be announced Eastern North Carolina. He is in to the public by circular letter the Army at the present time but

and laid plans for staging what is believed to be the best of the celebrations. The meeting was called y chairman, J. Oliver Prince. Officals of State College again GOOD FOR by chairman, J. Oliver Prince. will participate with educational

handling and local farmers will Perhaps the best show of magic in the history of Tabor City is in

Again, as last season, many val- the auspices. of the Tabor City sons attending the affair and full Miller has a reputation for his

dens.

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Bladenboro.

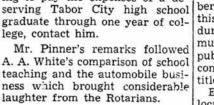
which will be mailed out the week nevertheless has the authorities' permission to present his enterpreceeding the event.

AS COMMITTEE HOLDS MEET



ter of magic, appears here under

4,855,378 pounds have been auctioned here thus far for a total of Sales supervisor Don Hughes



\$10.00.

Beauty queens will again vie tainment to clubs, schools and sold in the area and officials of Queen of 1952" and local festival He has been featured at Red officials hope that this year ar-Cross and servicemen's programs rangements can be made with the in hospitals and various bases winner to compete in other beauty frequently since he was assigned contests throughout the area. to duty at Fort Bragg.

Current plans call for staging the festival in its same location with his magic since he was nine again this year. It has been held years old. in the New Farmers Warehouse

for the past four seasons. been working toward selling out the floor space for some time and reported that considerable results going on for several days and a qualities in all groups held fairly had been obtained. She planned capacity crowd is anticipated. to begin selling booth space to

local merchants this, week. The festival in past year's has attracted about 25,000 persons each season and an even larger Hobby Program crowd is expected this year for the bigger and better affair.

Paving Completed At Iron Hill

The State Highway Department has announced the completion of 2.3 miles of hard surfacing Mrs. B. O. Ward of Bladenboro from Iron Hill-Nakina road two will serve as guest speaker and miles west to intersection of Pire-way road at Porter Service Sta-cluding "Gourds Into Dish Gar-

Residents along the route have tion for the new road and it is some of their creative work to the understood that some of them are meetings such as fancy work, corplanning a trip to Fayetteville to sages, or dish gardens, to be dispersonally express their apprecia- played for the hobby program. A to the highway commissioner - 3 his area.

P.T.A. Slates Meeting And Social Hour

The Tabor City Parent Teachers Association will meet in the school auditorium tomorrow (Toursday) at 8 o'clock p. m. Mrs. R. P. Counts, president, announced.

Special recognition will be given Makes Solo Flight to the teachers during the social hour following a brief business

year, Mrs. Counts said.

Woman's Club To Have

assistants take part in the show.

Miller has been entertaining

The Tabor City Woman's Club will hold the first meeting of the new year at the Woman's Club- sale days. The weekly average was

8 o'clock p. m., Mrs. G. W. Crutch- of \$52.22 established last week. field, president announced. The program subject for the

evening will be "Hobbies" and portion of common leaf grades.

All members are asked to take script.

work on display, Mrs. Horace Rob- to around 8.4 percent of gross peace said.

she is a member of the Woman's Club and the Garden club of were as follows:

Paul Rogers, Jr.

Major Harlan J. Wenzinger, commander of the Columbus Air Mr. and Mrs. James A Hufham,

approve the plans for the new Cadet Rogers is in flight training were accompanied by the W. W. coming in." there and soloed August 14.

open for several weeks yet.

The sixth week on sales on the South Carolina and Border North tions and a fair team is expected Carolina flue-cured tobacco markets was marked by lower average prices for most grades, poorer quality and heavy volume.

The U. S. and North Carolina opener.

His program here will last two Departments of Agriculture report the booth selling committee has addition to him, has several girl \$4.00 per hundred. The greater tan Field on Friday night, Sep- eral powerful teams in it and all Advance ticket sales has been fair leaf and nondescript. Top

steady. Only a few scattered increases were observed and they were \$1.00 to \$2.00. Gross sales for the four sale days

this week totaled 41,403,351 pounds averaging 51.18 per hundred. The volume was a little over one million pounds under the pre-

vious week which consisted of five house Thursday, September 18, at \$1.04 under the season low average

Sales for the season were raised to 195,780,159 pounds at an aver-Dix. age of \$52.76. Quality of offerings continued to decline because of a larger pro-

The ratio of leaf was greater with less lugs and primings. Bulk of marketings was common to good

leaf, low and fair lugs and nonde-Deliveries to the Flue-cured

prayed for the nonly program. A business of the day of the day. member having the most creative week through Thursday climbed me in-I'm coming in,' Make- Hovis, of Ocean Drive Beach, Mrs

erts, program chairman, announc- sales. Receipts for the season were approximately 6.6 percent of sales. Gross sales and averages by calibre rifle in the afternoon and

Mrs. Bob White of this city and states for the week ending Sep- had left the gun behind the door. tember 5, 1952 and for the season He tried to hold the door to keep CAR AND TRUCK State Week Ending Sept. 5, 1952 appeared that the man would not

or you'll get hurt."

All members and patrons of the Force Base in Mississippi, has an-Jr. and son, James Austin, attend-eight steps as if to leave then sud-Ford convertible north on US 701 school are invited to attend the Double Porters Ir of Tabor City Elton Sunday September 1 They hand on his his and raid (The school are invited to attend the nounced the first out fight by et the realist of her falling in denity winned around, put his whene the 1950 Cheevrolet Tudor the the teachers and Paul Rogers, Jr., of Tabor City. Elton Sunday, September 1. They hand on his hip and said "I'm driven by Pinke Cogdell of Route

Coach S. W. Caruso's for the honor of "Yam Festival other organizations on his days off. the local market expect to remain began practice on August 15 with Cartrette, a rookie combination but since school has started, some

son in many years in 1951 when 30 members are vying for posiit failed to win a game after sevto be fielded. Caruso, assisted by eral seasons with outstanding re-Bill Ratteree, have been putting cords. the team through daily workouts

in preparation for Friday night's

home game of the season at Civi- lina AA conference that has sev-Sanford team.

Coach Caruso has said that Tabor City.

SANFORD INDUSTRALIST KILLS **OCEAN DRIVE BEACH**

Ocean Drive Beach -O. P. Makepeace, a Sanford, N. C. Industrialist and former member of both houses of the North Carolina chieftain by employing Powell, General Assembly, shot and killed Needham Garfield Ward, Jr., 27, in front of the Makepeach cottage here last Friday night. Makepeace has posted \$2000 appearance bond and an inquest

will be held at Nixon's Cross forward move and "I let him have Roads jail Wednesday afternoon at 6 P. M., by Coroner John S. Officers were summoned to the

scene. Makepeace said he shot Ward, a resident of the Hickman Cross Ward at the Bethel Baptist church Road section of Brunswick county, at Hickman's Cross Roads Sunwith a 22 calibre rifle when Ward day at 3 P. M. Rev. G. Ginnis Mcattempted to force his way into Lamb officiated. Burial followed the Makepeace cottage. in the church cemetery.

He said that he and his wife were playing canasta about 9:30

front steps. "When I got near the berton and Pierce Ward, of John-R. L. Blanton and Hazel Ward of

Makepeace said he had been Sterling of Fayetteville.

Ward from entering but when it COLLIDE MONDAY

Early Saturday evening a colli-South Carolina 21,897,766 \$50.15 leave, Makeperce shouted "If you Pounds Average don't go away, you'll get hurt."

ground, Makepeace said he step- only damage to the two vehicles

TOTAL 41,403,351 \$51.18 ped outside and said, "Go ahead involved.

He said that Ward took six or ton, N. C., was driving his 1949 Makepeace said that he made a highway in front of him.

Brooks Mill and Jerry with the case. Powell has been threatened and his wife's health had become impaired. Tabor City had its poorest sea-

Solicitor Moore said that Powell had been offered \$5,000 to appear for Hamilton before he was employed by the State, but he declined to represent the Klan chief-

J. K. POWELL

KLAN CASE

WHITEVILLE, Sept. 8-Junius

K. Powell, Whiteville attorney

who helped Solicitor Clifton L.

Moore prosecute the Klan's imper-

Powell's bill has been approved

Mullan, who has turned it over

to the Governor's office. If ap-

contingency and emergency fund.

prosecute a total of 46 Klan cases,

including those involving Imperial

Wizard Hamilton. The Klan leader

Powell devoted approximately a

said that because of his connection

trials last July.

four years.

The locals expect to make a tain. Powell also could have served as attorney for some of the Legion Ladies better showing this year but are The locals will play their first in the Southeastern North Caro- other 45 defendants, Moore pointed out.

At the first Klan trials held in tember 19, against a powerful towns in the conference in this Columbus in May, Powell rep.esarea are considerably larger than ented several of the accused

Klansmen. One of the main points in his defense argument was designed to convince the jurors that

his clients had been used by Hamlton for Hamilton's private profit. Those who followed the Klan ases felt that the State greatly helped its case against the Klan

who had compiled a wealth of information about Klansmen and Klan activities. These observers

were convinced that the employment of Powell was a major factor in the decision of some of the DANCE SCHOOL

Klansmen to enter pleas instead of ending their cases before a jury Funeral services were held for

Nursery School Opens October 6

The second term of the local He is survived by his parents, Nursery School under the direc-Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Ward; two tion of Mrs. R. C. Harrelson, Jr. when he heard some one on the brothers, Clarence Ward of Lum- and Mrs. O. L. Miller, Jr. will dents and Mrs. Garrell said today open Monday October 6, the man-that interested parents should

through Friday from 8:30 a. m. Wampee, Mrs. Warren Lee, of to 12:00 noon in the Playhouse at hunting marsh hens with a 22 Fayetteville and Mrs. Marcetis the residence of Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Harrelson, Jr.

> Students two and one half to six years of age are eligible for the school and should enroll by Turbeville who will assist in the Wednesday, October 1.

North Carolina 19,505,585 \$52.33 When the man stepped to the miles south of Green Sea caused Mrs. V. R. Burroughs, is leaving of Dance for several years and is

School.

CREATED IN 1868

the Zions Co-operative Mercantile m. to 6:30 p. m. each Thursday. Institution, which became the The total enrollment todate is 39 country's first department store. Mrs. Garrell said.

ments.

All Intermediates, ages 13 to 16 years who are not active 'in local churches, are invited to attend the evening programs. The hour will be 6:30 p. m. to 7:30 p. m. Monday through Sunday.

Night Slated At Hut Thursday

American Legion Post 101 will hold a ladies night along with its regular meeting at the hut tomorrow night (Thursday) at 7:15, Commander Vernon Morris has announced.

A fish supper will be served to veterans and their wives at a cost of \$1.00 per plate.

Morris pointed out that several important business details would be brought up and that it was important that a good number attended the gathering.

OPENING HERE

The Rosa Lynne Turbeville, Fall Dance Class, will get underway here tomorrow (Thursday) in the school auditorium, Mrs. B. A. Garrell, local manager, announced.

Enrollment is open for new stucontact her immediately so that The school will operate Monday | students will get in on the first class.

Miss Patsy Kelcenberg of Columbia, who has done graduate work in dancing in New York for the past three summers, will be the instructor here along with Mr. acrobatics.

Miss Kelcenberg has been with Gene Burroughs, son of Mr. and the Rosa Lynne Turbeville School next week for Chicago, Ill. where widly known as a top dance teachhe will attend the Coyne Electric er. She has appeared on Television and has played with Paul Whitman.

The hours for the local class Brigham Young created, in 1868, have been scheduled from 2:30 p.

sion on US 701 one and one-half

George Helms of Route 2, Polk-