

Negro Sentenced to 28 Months on Roads For Series of Thefts

Charlie Barnes Enters Plea Of Guilty To Stealing From Judge

The following cases were tried last Tuesday at the weekly session of recorder's court, with Recorder Edward L. Owens on the bench:

Clarence Adams, colored, of Plymouth, was found not guilty of assault with a deadly weapon on Lucy Green, also colored, of Plymouth. In a companion case, Lucy Green was found guilty of assault with a deadly weapon on Adams and fined \$20 and costs.

James Blount, colored, of Plymouth, was booked for non-support of his two children. However, he was found not guilty, while the prosecuting witness was taxed with the costs for bringing false and frivolous charges against him.

Charlie Barnes, colored, of Plymouth, was charged with stealing in two cases, plead guilty to both, and was given sentences totaling 28 months on the roads. In the first action, he admitted stealing \$35 and a pistol from the home of the Recorder, E. L. Owens, for which he received a sentence of 16 months. Then he was given 12 months after he admitted stealing a bicycle from Simon Bland and selling it. The sentences are to run consecutively, which means that he will be out of circulation for 28 months, less time earned for good behavior.

Bennie Dawson, colored, of Plymouth, admitted operation of a motor vehicle without an operator's license and was fined \$20 and the costs.

Ralph Carlson Howell, white, of Plymouth, likewise plead guilty to operating a car without a driver's license and was assessed the costs.

Boy Scouts To Meet Each Monday Night

Regular meetings of the Plymouth Boy Scout troop will be held every Monday night in the future, instead of Fridays as in the past, it was announced yesterday by the Rev. Lee A. Phillips, scoutmaster. All members are urged to be present next Monday night at 8 o'clock, when plans will be made to revive interest in the troop and a program of activities outlined.

Mr. Phillips took over the duties of scoutmaster last Monday night, and William Smith became assistant scoutmaster at the same time. Very few of the scouts were on hand for the meeting, so Mr. Phillips made arrangements with Principal R. B. Trotman to get together with the scouts during school yesterday, when he met with and urged them to attend the regular meetings in the future.

For the present, the scouts will continue to use their room in the basement at the courthouse as headquarters. However, it is hoped that a more suitable meeting place can be secured in the near future. That is one of the immediate objectives of the local troop committee.

Bond Drive Plans At Pleasant Grove

J. C. Tarkenton yesterday announced that the following have been appointed to help out in the Third War Loan Drive in the Pleasant Grove community:

Mrs. J. C. Tarkenton, Mrs. J. D. Monroe, Mrs. W. A. Swain, Mrs. W. C. Spruill, Mrs. B. Chesson, Mrs. Effie Gurkin, Mrs. Howard Davenport, Miss Jamie Riddick, Miss Mary Elizabeth Knowles, Mrs. Raymond Davenport, Mrs. Hope Spruill, Mrs. T. W. Tarkenton, Mrs. Joe White, Mrs. Henderson Davenport, Mrs. Ruby Collins, J. S. Davenport, Carlton Phelps, and C. G. Gurganus.

In addition to Pleasant Grove community, the above committee will work the highway from the county bridge above Sid Harrington's to Chapel Swamp; the Backwoods road, Macksays road up to the railroad, and the Middle Neck road from the highway to Holly Neck Church. The committees from Skinnerville and Macksays will take over where the Pleasant Grove committee elaves off on all roads adjoining the latter community.

Rev. H. M. Pope Assigned To Roper Church Recently

Roper—The Rev. H. M. Pope, of Clinton, has been assigned to the pastorate of the Roper Pentecostal Holiness church for the new conference year. Mr. Pope succeeds the Rev. D. J. Lyttle, who served the church here last year.

The Rev. Mr. Pope preached his first sermon at the local church last Sunday. His regular appointments will be the second and fourth Sundays of each month, it was announced. The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

The temporary place of worship of the Roper church is in the Thompson Building.

CRESWELL

Mrs. Robert Woodley and little daughter, Mary Alice, and Mrs. Joe Williams, of Norfolk, are spending some time with Mrs. E. S. Woodley. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davenport and daughters, Vida and Carinne, spent Sunday with Mrs. Seaton Furlough. Mrs. J. M. Phelps is spending some time in Raleigh with Mrs. Lindsey Phelps.

Mrs. I. B. Bateman and Josh Woodley were week-end guests of Mrs. E. S. Woodley. Monday afternoon, September 7, the Woman's Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. John Combs. Mrs. W. D. Peele opened the meeting with creed and prayer. A very interesting program on the "Youth of Today" was given by Mrs. S. C. Smithson and Mrs. Milton Starr.

W. C. Ledford, of Harrisburg, is spending some time here with friends.

American Legion Auxiliary To Meet Monday Night

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet on Monday night, September 20, in the Community building at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. J. Frank Jordan and Mrs. Carol Fagan, of Dardens will be hostesses.

At this meeting the new officers will be installed. Mrs. J. Frank Jordan succeeds Mrs. L. V. Landing as president.

COMMITTEES

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Sandhill Neighborhood

Roy Simpson, Sandhill neighborhood.

Little Richwood. Mrs. Ida Davis, Little Richwood. Old Roper Road. Mrs. Bob Swain, captain old Roper road, neighborhood; Mrs. Burton Ange, neighborhood; Mrs. Sam Styons, neighborhood; Mrs. E. W. Latham, neighborhood; Mrs. W. W. Roberson, neighborhood.

Macksays Road to Spruill Farm. Mrs. Lewis Gurganus, neighborhood; Mrs. Herbert Sawyer, neighborhood.

Westover Neighborhood. Mrs. Mattie Swain, neighborhood; Mrs. Ada Skiles, neighborhood; O. A. Chesson, neighborhood.

Macksays Neighborhood. J. C. Tarkenton, captain; Macksays neighborhood; Mrs. Clara Snell, neighborhood; Edson Davenport, neighborhood; W. W. Phelps, neighborhood; Mrs. H. R. Chesson, neighborhood; W. B. Davenport, neighborhood.

Pleasant Grove Neighborhood. J. C. Tarkenton, captain, his neighborhood; Mrs. Clara Snell, neighborhood; Mrs. W. B. Chesson, neighborhood.

Backwoods Road. Miss Stather Spruill, the backwoods road.

Skinnerville Neighborhood. Walter White, captain, his neighborhood; Chauncey Swain, Holly Neck; S. L. Davenport, Beasley.

Mill Pond. Mrs. C. M. Davenport, neighborhood; Mrs. Oscar Trueblood, neighborhood.

Cross Roads. Mrs. D. B. Chesson, neighborhood; J. A. Chesson, neighborhood.

Woodland Road. Mrs. Orlo Rath, Woodland road.

Roper. Mrs. Bill Marrow, Mrs. Isa Johnson, Mrs. Cyril Walker.

Folly Road. Mrs. L. J. Vail, the Folly road.

The Pines Neighborhood. Mrs. Ollie McGeer, Mrs. Louis Styons.

Pea Ridge Road. E. O. Arnold, captain of road; A. M. Chesson, neighborhood; Hugh Patrick, neighborhood; Will Patrick, neighborhood; Mrs. Asa Barber, to Scuppernon Church; A. R. Patrick, store to Davenport's Fork; E. Pritchett, road to county line.

Old Pleasant Neighborhood. I. J. Ailgood, whole neighborhood.

Old Columbia Road. Paul Belanga, whole road.

Creswell. Mrs. C. N. Davenport, Mrs. H. A. Norman, O. D. Hatfield, H. W. Pritchard, E. S. Woodley, captain.

Cherry. H. P. Barnes, captain, his neighborhood; A. W. Davenport, neighborhood; Mrs. Odell Barnes, neighborhood.

Ambrose Road. W. P. Davenport, Ambrose road.

Newland Road. Mrs. Stewart Woodley, all Newland road.

Scuppernon Farms. Leslie Davenport, captain; Mrs. M. E. Lewis, neighborhood.

Four Corners Neighborhood. Phillip Spruill, his neighborhood.

Mount Tabor. Arthur Furlough, neighborhood; Mrs. Sarah Holmes, neighborhood; J. R. Davenport, neighborhood.

Creswell to Cherry. W. D. Phelps, whole road.

Highway 64 from Asa Snell's to Creswell. Mrs. Mary Platt, half the distance; H. R. Davenport, half the distance.

Regional Teachers' Meet Being Held Here Today

Teachers from five counties will assemble at the Plymouth High School today (Thursday) at 3 p. m. for a regional meeting, it was announced last week-end by Fred Green, of Raleigh, secretary of the North Carolina Education Association. The meeting will begin at 3 and end at 5 p. m., with about 150 teachers from the counties of Beaufort, Hyde, Tyrrell, Martin and Washington Counties expected to be in attendance.

Roper Parents and Teachers Organize And Plan Program

First Meeting Held Tuesday Night in School There; 45 in Attendance

In the Roper High School auditorium, the Roper Parent-Teacher Association held its organization meeting Tuesday night, when the 45 persons in attendance planned the year's program and the membership committee reported an enrollment of 57 members.

At this first meeting of the year, Miss Lois Thompson, fourth-grade teacher, conducted the devotional; and Mrs. Louis E. Hassell, jr., program chairman, welcomed the patrons of the school and announced the PTA program theme, "Protecting Children." R. B. Forbes, principal, introduced the teachers. Mrs. Roger Chesson, president, presided at the business meeting.

Among the items decided at the business session were the following: After hearing the report of the school lunch room committee, the PTA voted to sponsor the school lunch room and authorized the committee to secure a manager for it.

Principal Forbes announced that shades for the school windows have been ordered, and since all of the money to pay for the shades was not raised last year, the association voted to conduct a Buy-a-Shade campaign to finish paying for them.

Various members suggested that possible objective for the year be improvement of the walls of the rooms, improvement of playground equipment, repair of seats in the auditorium, and cleaning of the stage curtain.

Wade Hardison, membership chairman, announced that he would give a prize to the person who secures most members, the contest to end at the next meeting, September 23. Mrs. Isa Johnson, according to Mr. Hardison's report, is now in the lead, having secured 39 members.

Clayton Modlin

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Navy. He also leaves one daughter, Miss Marjorie Modlin, of the home; one brother, Bill Henry Modlin, of Jamesville, and a sister, Mrs. Lizzie Simpson, of Jamesville.

The funeral was held from the home of his brother, Bill Henry Modlin, near Jamesville, Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, by his pastor, the Rev. W. B. Harrington, of Williamsport, R. F. D., assisted by the Rev. Lee A. Phillips, pastor of the Plymouth Baptist church. Interment was made in the Modlin cemetery near Jamesville.

Merchants Hold Meeting Here Last Monday Night

Plymouth merchants voted Monday night to cooperate in the bond auction at the Plymouth Theatre next Wednesday night by giving varied items of merchandise to be auctioned off. A committee of the association canvassed all business establishments here yesterday and secured at least one premium for the auction from everyone they saw. The merchants also voted to buy \$50 worth of cigarettes to be sent to men in the armed forces overseas. Another action taken by the association Monday night was to authorize the building of several hitching racks in lots back of the stores for the convenience of farmers and others who come here to trade.

Rev. E. B. Quick Will Preach Here Sunday

The Rev. E. B. Quick, of Sumter, S. C., who has accepted a call to become pastor of the Plymouth Christian church beginning October 1 will preach at the church here Sunday, September 19. Mr. Quick will be in Plymouth for several days to complete arrangements for living quarters.

Services will be held at the Christian church Sunday as follows: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Hubert H. Allen, superintendent. Morning worship, 11 a. m.; sermon subject: "What Is Man?" Young people's meeting, 7 p. m. Evening worship, 8 p. m.; sermon subject, "The Glorious Gospel of Christ."

BOND DRIVE

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In addition to the community campaign committees named, a special committee was appointed to organize the canvass among the colored people of the county. This special committee is headed by Dr. L. S. Mitchell and Mrs. Bettie Lloyd, of Plymouth; E. V. Wilkins, of Roper; and P. W. Littlejohn, of Creswell. This committee went to work immediately, and most of its appointments are announced in this paper.

Leading farmers throughout the county are endorsing the campaign and appealing to other farmers to rally to the success of the campaign. Farmers are somewhat handicapped at this time, as few of them, except those who raise tobacco, have harvested or sold any of their crops, but it is believed they can be depended upon to do the best they can under existing circumstances.

Sunday School Rally Day Sunday at Grace Church

Sunday School Rally Day will be observed at Grace Episcopal Church Sunday morning, according to the Rev. William B. Daniels, jr. The Sunday school service will begin at 9:45. With this rally day, the regular fall and winter church school program will begin. A special effort is being made to increase the number of adult students in the Bible class.

The men's choir, under the direction of Lloyd Gilbert, will sing at the service of Evening Prayer, scheduled for September 19, the Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity, is as follows: Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; Sunday school Rally Day, 9:45 a. m.; Morning Prayer, 11 a. m.; Evening Prayer and sermon, 8 p. m.

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Service Sunday Morning at Episcopal Church in Roper

A celebration of the Holy Communion will be held at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Roper, at 11:15 a. m. Sunday, September 19. The Collect, Epistle and Gospel for the 13th Sunday after Trinity will be used during the course of the service. The Rev. Williams B. Daniels, jr. will be the celebrant at this service and will deliver the sermon.

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LEGAL NOTICES

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Emma L. Owens, deceased, late of Washington County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the 9th day of September, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment.
This 9th day of September, 1943.
P. W. BROWN,
Administrator.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS
North Carolina, Washington County Superior Court, vs. **Martha Whidbee Davenport, vs. Maccon Ward Davenport.**
To the Defendant above named, take notice: That action, entitled as above, has this day been instituted in the Superior Court of Washington County for the purpose of serving a vinculo, the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between plaintiff and defendant; you will take notice that you are required to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County, at his office in the Court House of said County, on or before the 16th day of September, 1943, and answer or plead to the complaint this day filed in said action or else that the prayer of the complaint will be granted.
This the 16th day of September, 1943.
W. B. COX,
Assistant Clerk of the Superior Court.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS
North Carolina, Washington County Superior Court, vs. **Helene Duvall Morris vs. James Louis Morris.**
The defendant, James Louis Morris, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Washington County, North Carolina, wherein the plaintiff seeks to obtain an absolute divorce from the defendant on the ground of two-year separation; and said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear in the office of the Clerk Superior Court of Washington County, North Carolina, in the Court-house in Plymouth, North Carolina, within thirty days from and after the 7th day of October, 1943 and answer or demur to the complaint of the said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.
Dated this 14 day of September, 1943.
W. B. COX,
Assistant Clerk Superior Court, Washington County, North Carolina.

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BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 22

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Washington County A. B. C. Board

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- FOR SALE: SINKS, TUBS, AND** lavatories. F. L. Voliva Hardware Co., Behaven, N. C. 1t
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- FOR SALE: T. W. WOOD & SONS** garden seeds. Davenport Hardware Company, City. j14 tf
- FOR SALE: VERY CHOICE GERN-** sey dairy heifers \$25 each and up. Non related bull free with 5 head Sayre Dairy Cattle Co., Sayre, Pa. s16 5t

AUCTION

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- FOR SALE: IF YOU ARE INTER-** ested in purchasing a peanut picker for this fall, let us make you want as early as possible; 6 machines allotted for this county. Benthall, Liverman, Roanoke, Little Jiant, or any other make. Davenport Hardware Co. je 3 tf
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- FOR SALE: WINDOW GLASS, ALL** sizes, single and double strength. Davenport Hardware Co. f18 tf
- ALL KINDS OF WINTER GARDEN** seeds, also winter rye in broken lots. We are authorized dealers for T. W. Woods & Sons seeds. Blounts Hardware and Seed Store, Next to Bank. s2 tf
- FOR SALE 100 ONE-GALLON** Coca-Cola jugs. Davenport Hardware Company. j14 tf
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- FOR SALE: 50 FEEDER SHOATS,** from 40 to 100 lbs. each. Owens Brothers, City. s16 2t
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