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RAEFORD, NORTH CAROLINA, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH, 1918

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ATTENTION!

The pledges on War Savings made by numerous citizens have been placed at the Post Office in Raeford or at one of the banks, when made payable at one of the banks, ready to be taken up by subscribers.

If you have already bought your stamps, bring them with you to exhibit and take up your pledges and if not already bought bring your money and secure the stamps.

If any are left over unredeemed, the list will be published later to remind those who have forgotten.

J. W. McLAUCHLIN,
County Manager.

Mr. Ralph Campbell Dead.

Mr. Ralph Campbell, a son of Mrs. C. V. Campbell of Quewhiffle township, and a brother of Mr. Walter Campbell of Raeford, died at home of appendicitis last Friday and was buried at Sandy Grove church Saturday.

This young man had been working at Camp Lee for several months, and before he was taken sick was doing well. Our sympathies go out to the bereaved family.

There were 1,144 men enlisted in Hoke county for military service on September 12th under the last draft law. The Government's estimate of the number of men effected in this county was 1,149—missed it five.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

For Solicitor: S. B. McLEAN.
For State Senator: J. W. JOHNSON.
For House of Representatives: JOHN A. HODGINS.
For Clerk Superior Court: W. B. McQUEEN.
For Register of Deeds: R. L. BETHUNE.
For Sheriff: EDGAR HALL.
For Treasurer: W. J. McCRANEY.
For County Commissioners: J. C. THOMAS, JESSE GIBSON, A. D. McLAUCHLIN.
For Cotton Weigher: M. McDUFFIE.

Notice, Threshermen.

You are hereby ordered to make report to me at once of the amount of grain threshed by you for the season of 1918, under the rules laid down by our Government, and to do it at the earliest moment possible. This applies to every one who operated a thresher during the season of 1918.

J. W. JOHNSON,
County Food Administrator.

Messrs. Clyde Seate and John Adams also went to Oak Ridge, perhaps others.

Messrs. Daniel Jones, McNair Smith, Julian Blue, John McKay Blue and Louis McBrayer are attending A. & E. College, Raleigh.

Red Cross Notes.

(Communicated)

Raeford, September 24.
The following ladies registered at the work room Tuesday:
Mrs. John W. Moore,
" Luke Bethune,
" E. C. Heins,
" J. C. Morgan,
" A. P. Dickson,
" John McGill,
" J. T. Jerome,
" Lester,
" C. W. Seate,
" W. P. Covington,
" McKinnon McDiarmid,
" H. R. Cromartie,
" E. C. Heins.
Miss Alice Covington,
" Ida McLauchlin,
" Maggie McDiarmid,
" Juanita Puett,
" Sallie C. Thomas.

Sheets Wanted.

The Hoke County Chapter has orders to make a shipment next week of sheets, towels, napkins and handkerchiefs. This is called a "linen shower," and anyone who can donate any of these articles will please carry them to the work room on Tuesday or Thursday of next week. Donations do not have to be absolutely new or unused, but must be in good condition.

Notice To U. D. C.'s

The Red Cross is calling for a supply of sheets. Daughters of the Confederacy wishing to contribute towards supplying these are asked to give a pair each, or two may donate a pair together. These should be brought to the meeting next Wednesday, October 2nd.

Big Rally Day

The colored people in this section have been having rallies of one kind or another this year and at these rallies they raise money for church improvement. They have had the "Twelve Tribes" at a number of places, and are to have this at other churches. At these they have twelve speeches or recitations and twelve sermons all in a day. They have two discussions of each of Jacob's boys, and they take a collection some time and they usually do well at raising money. For variety's sake some of them have the "Twelve Apostles," which is just as good.

But Piney Grove church (this is Jesse Duplap's church) sprung something new on 'em last Sunday—"The Seven Gleaners" and they gleaned alright, all right! The collection was \$719.45.

Miss Ruth Shaw of Statesboro, Ga., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Benton Thomas.

Miss Elizabeth McLean has returned to the State Normal College in Greensboro.

Short News Items.

AUCTION SALE
DUROC HOGS
10 A. M. Monday Sept. 30,
Pinefork Farm,
Raeford, N. C.

Twenty-five head, including three Bred Sows, the others ranging from fifty to two hundred and fifty pounds, will be sold to the highest bidder for CASH on Monday Sept. 30th.
JNO. L. McFADYEN,
Proprietor.

Rev. W. B. Brown and Mr. J. W. McLauchlin attended Presbytery at Raeford this week.

Mr. J. C. Morgan had a letter yesterday from Capt. W. L. Poole, written Aug. 25. He was doing all right.

The editor had a letter from Corp. M. A. Davis yesterday, and his mother had three letters and two cards. He was in the best of health he wrote.

The A. & R. Ry. experimented in a new schedule last week, but it didn't suit anybody, so they changed back to the old one again, and now we are alright.

His father at So. Pines was notified Tuesday night by wire that Sgt. Billie Hewett was killed in France Aug. 31. Billie was with Mr. Frank Walker here last winter was a year, and a mighty fine boy he was.

Mr. Bert McDuffie came home this week for the first time since his ship, the Covington, was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine some months ago. He is in the best of health, but he had a thrilling experience.

If we understand the situation, we will go back to the old time after October 1. We are glad of it, since the change in the time we never have known when to get up, go to dinner or anything. We have yet to see the wisdom in that change.

The late news says those in authority are about decided that it may be necessary to fix the time of the election. We can stand a little better the uncertainty of this matter.

be glad when whatever they are going to do is done.

Mr. W. B. Green of Raeford, who is in the U. S. military service, was examined and baptized by a Presbyterian preacher in Paris some time ago, and made application for membership in the Raeford Presbyterian church, and last Sunday week he was received by the session.

The concert to be given in Raeford Oct. 6 by a class of children from the Oxford Orphanage should enlist the sympathetic interest and patronage of all our people. On former visits these children have shown themselves to be well-behaved and well-trained, and the concert is always worthy of patronage.

The drafted men are filling out their questionnaires, or Smith is for them; and he comes late and stays a long time at dinner, and we have to keep telling the folks that this next door here is Mr. Lawyer Smith's office, and we are unable to tell just where that man is every minute in the day. We are going to start some kind of peace propaganda.

Sheriff Hall and Deputy Cockman captured a blockade whisky still Sunday afternoon on Beaverdam in Blue Springs township. Two negroes were operating it, a tintub affair with a copper cap and worm, but the men fled upon the arrival of the officers. One of them tried to take the cap with him, but it was too hot, he had to drop it. The officers spilled a lot of molasses beer, but found no monkeyrum.

Notice of Land Entry.

State of North Carolina,
County of Hoke.
Entry No. 14.
A. B. McFadyen enters and claims 25 acres of land in Little river township, Hoke county, N. C., on the waters of Jumping Run creek adjoining the lands of the estate of J. B. Troy, on the north, east and south, and on the west by the lands of the D. McN. Ray estate, and others.
This 3rd day of September 1918.
R. L. BETHUNE,
Entry Taker.

FOOD NOTES.

The Food Administration is urging the people to increase food production for 1919, especially do they urge the farmers to plant increased acreage of wheat throughout the State, which means so much for our success in winning the war.

Flour may be sold on a basis of 12 pounds per person per month not exceeding a sixty day supply, provided one pound of corn meal to every four pounds of wheat flour is sold, and mixed on the above basis before being cooked, and each merchant is required to get a written statement from his customer to effect that he or they will comply with the above rules.

A few more sugar certificates will now be issued. (these were eliminated) additional sugar being secured for canning and preserving purposes. The same rule of two pounds per person per month is still in force, but merchants may sell one pound per person twice a month instead of two pounds once a month as heretofore, i. e., a family of six may purchase six pounds of sugar at one time, twice a month. Earnestly ask the co-operation of each individual in Hoke county in carrying out the rules of the Food Administration, and I will be glad to render any citizen any assistance I can on request.

J. W. JOHNSON,
County Food Administrator.

A Good Preacher

The ministerial services of Rev. W. B. Brown, pastor of Raeford Presbyterian church, are very much in demand now, since several preachers in this Presbytery have gone into the army as chaplains.

Last Sunday week, a delegation of officers from Bethel met with the officers of the Raeford church and asked for a part of Mr. Brown's time, one morning service each month, and it was agreed by the officers and at a congregational meeting held last Sunday the Raeford congregation endorsed the action of the officers, so Mr. Brown will preach at Bethel each second Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. He will also preach there on the fourth Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. (4 next Sunday) but that will not interfere with his Raeford appointments.

Mr. Brown is not only an able preacher, but is one of best men living; and his services are not only appreciated by the people of Raeford, but by the people throughout the county. Fayetteville Presbytery and the Synod of North Carolina. And we may be asked for a further division of his time.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Men are needed everywhere for war work. Competent bookkeepers are hard to find. We wish to announce that beginning with October First, Nineteen Eighteen, we are closing our books to further charges and will do business on a cash basis only. This may mean some inconvenience to good customers, but it does mean considerable saving to us, a part of which we will return to you, first in better service, and later by giving you more for your money with the better service.

Settle any account you may now owe us at your earliest convenience, but give us a trial at once on the new basis. We will please you.
With thanks to old customers and new.
Yours for business,
HOKE DRUG CO.

STRAYED—A female Duroc pig about 4 months. Spoke out about one week ago.
John K. McNeill.

FOR SALE—Grade Poland China-Duroc Jersey pigs; Home-grown hay.
B. F. Moore,
Raeford, N. C.

MEN WANTED—We need a few men for general work. Wages \$3.00 per day and better according to position and willingness to work.

This mill is placed in Class One by the Priority Committee of The War Industries Board and is a War Industry.
The Number assigned us is 50.
A. LINTERS Mill No. 664,
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FOR SALE—Good farm, 400 acres, near Jackson Springs; 137 acres unimproved land in Johnsonville Township, Harnett County; 102 acres unimproved land in Greenwood Township, Lee County; House and lot in Cameron. Address Box 126, Jackson Springs, N. C.

FOR SALE—A splendid farm of 85 acres, 65 acres in high state of cultivation; good buildings; good water; price reasonable.
J. D. Adcox,
Lumber Bridge, N. C.

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Dundarrach, N. C.

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Raeford, N. C.

Notice To Tax Payers.

I will meet the tax payers of Hoke County as specified below for the purpose of collecting the State and County taxes for the year 1918. As cotton is a good price and money is plentiful, please meet and pay your taxes and save cost and trouble.

Rockfish, Tuesday, October 15, 1918.	
Glen Echo, Wednesday, " 16 "	
Lobelia, Thursday, " 17 "	
Montrose, Friday, " 18 "	
Bowmore, Saturday, " 19 "	
Allendale, Monday, " 21 "	
Antioch, Tuesday, " 22 "	
Dundarrach, Wednesday, " 23 "	
Arabia, Thursday, " 24 "	
Raeford, Friday, " 25 "	

EDGAR HALL,
Sheriff.

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