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Jailed for Assault.

Not often are the good people of Hoke stirred as they were Monday, when a brute negro laid violent hands on a beautiful and accomplished, and loved because she is lovable, a daughter of some of the best people in the county, whose home is near Montrose.

The facts are: The young lady had gone a short distance from her home to the mailbox for mail, and as the mail carrier had not passed, she sat down on a log a little distance from the box to await his arrival. In a few moments she was seized about the neck, but after a furious struggle she freed herself and fled to the house.

The alarm was quickly given. Sheriff Hall and deputies and hundreds of friends and neighbors were on the scene and search for the criminal begun. He was found after a couple of hours search by three colored men, tenants of Mr. D. Currie. They are Sam Steele, Charlie Hargrave and Charlie Lockhart. They found in the woods not far from the scene of the crime, captured him and delivered him to the officers of the law. Deputy Sheriff L. W. Andrews took the prisoner in his car and by a circuitous route landed him in jail in Raeford.

Soon the news of the capture spread, and in a short time the town litterly filled with sullen, indignant men, and there were indications of revenge. Governor Morrison, as a precaution, ordered the local military company under Captain Poole to assist the Sheriff in keeping order. The crowd dispersed, and a second wire at 11 o'clock called the company off duty.

The Sheriff and a strong guard of deputies remained on duty all night.

While they have great provocation, and as the wretch is within the grasp of the law we hope they will restrain their just indignation.

His name is Rob Rice and came to this county from South Carolina not long ago. His own race seems as indignant as the the white people.

Mothers' Club Meeting.

The meeting of the Woman's club and all ladies that are interested will meet at the Kiwanis club room on Friday, June 27th, at 4 o'clock. This meeting will be of interest to all. Be there.

MRS. H. A. CAMERON,
President.

OUR TALENTS.

We are getting old and feeble,
And our hair is getting grey,
That is the sign we'll soon be
sleeping,
In the cold and silent clay.
God has given us a talent,
Did we use that talent well?
Think how fast we are going,
To eternity to dwell.

Oh! the Bible, blessed Bible
teaches,
Rock of ages cleft for me,
Oh! the Bible, Holy Bible,
It is the book that teaches me.

We will hear death's train coming.

We'll be at the station door,
We will step up in the cabin,
And you'll see us here no more

We will hear the wheels a roaring.

Coming on the lonely track,
It will bear us to the river,
And I know we'll not come back.

Now we are here—just at the river,

The stormy Jordan, we are told,
If we'll use our talents rightly,
We will cross to the streets
of gold.

When we reach the Celestial
City,
We will be forever blest.

There the wicked will not trouble,

And the weary are at rest.

If we use our talents rightly,
We will hear God's angels sing,
Then oh! grave where is thy
victory,

Then oh! death where is thy
sting.

—D. C. McLEOD.

Attending Summer School

Misses Annie Black McFadyen, Margie Campbell and Irene Downer, are attending summer school at Greenville. Lois McDonald, Maude McLean and Mary McBryde, N. C. C. W., Olive Graham, Chapel Hill, Mary E. McFadyen, University of Virginia.

McNeil-Abernethy.

Miss Rebecca Abernethy, who was a member of Raeford graded school faculty last year, and Mr. Alexander McNeil of Wade were married at Hopewell church near Charlotte June 12th.

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Brown of Raeford attended the marriage. Mr. Brown assisted in the performance of the ceremony.

It's a sin to wuk on a Sunday,
and a shame to wuk on a Satdy.
—Hambone.

Election Returns.

Result of primary held on June 7th, 1924. State and County Officers:

For Governor:

McLean 725
Bailey 448

For Lieutenant Governor:

Bowie 345
Reynolds 381
Long 342

For State Auditor:

Durham 645
Cook 469

For Attorney General:

Nash 246
Brummitt 255
Ross 579

For Commissioner of Agriculture:

Graham 364
Parker 226
Latham 504

For Commissioner of Labor and Printing:

Shipman 286
Petersen 287
Grist 376
Nash 153

For Insurance Commissioner:

Wade 856
Flowers 216

For Corporation Commissioner:

Pell 583
Carpenter 471

For State Senate:

McQueen 707
McEachern 464

For House of Representatives:

Poole 466
Patterson 543
Whitley 210

For Judge of Recorder's Court:

McLean 270
Niven 280
Gore 669

For County Treasurer:

McFadyen 35
McKeithan 397
McGill 208

For County Commissioners:

Currie 222
McNeill 591
Blue 478
Culbreth 240
Thomas 515
McFadyen 164
McDiarmid 960
Hall 629
Tapp 269
Smith 344
Ray 284
Stewart 786
Brown 220
Hasty 268

For Member of County Board of Education:

Thomas 920
McInnis 310
Hodgin 897
Downer 677
Johnson 941
Parker 645
Brown 845
Brown 481

The following nominations are announced:

Senate, McQueen.
Recorder, Gore.
Commissioners, McDiarmid,
Hall, Stewart.

Board of Education, Thomas,
Hodgin, Downer, Gibson, Parker,
McLean, for Governor, Durham,
State Auditor, Wade, Insurance
Commissioner and Pell, Corporate
Commissioner were nominated in
the first primary.

The law fixes the 1st Saturday
in July as the time for the second
primary.

Thompson-Bradley.

Miss Mary Bradley, who was a member of the Raeford school faculty last year, was married to Mr. J. H. Thompson of Wadesboro, June 7th.

Mr. J. C. McLean is having his residence enlarged and re-modeled.

About Boys and Girls.

Raeford Kiwanis club entertained the Hoke County College boys and girls at luncheon last Monday evening, or most of them rather. Those present

Misses Flora McPhail, Margie Adams, Irma Nisbet, Catharine Blue, Dixie Reaves, Mary Douglas Smith, Ina Seaford, Mary Thornberg, Agnes McLeod, Martitia Hodgkin, Marie Messers, Earle Blue, George Hodgkin, Harry Blue, Castle Brown, William Covington, Marion Dew, Wilmer McDonald, John McFadyen, W. Leggette, Willie Gibson, Paul Fuller, John Cal McLean, Daniel Jones, Douglas McLeod, John McLean, Arthur Matheson, Fred Morris, Alfred Covington.

There were 29 of the 48 invited guests. They are a fine lot of young folks.

The club had as its guests Messrs. J. S. Jones, J. J. Throwing, H. H. Turner, H. Grantham, H. S. Toon and Ernest Graham, leading business men of Red Springs.

Miss Margaret won in a contest over seven competitors in blowing out a lighted candle on a table after walking some distance blindfolded a nice prize.

Miss Louise Dixon of Fayetteville rendered two splendid violin solos which were greatly enjoyed by the club.

Second Primary.

Raeford, June 17th, 1924.—The County Board of Elections met on the above date for the purpose of calling a second primary for the nomination of candidates for the following offices:

Member of the House of Representatives, County Treasurer, two members for the Board of County Commissioners.

Primary to be held July 5th, 1924 for nomination of County and State officers.

B. L. COX, JOHN BLUE, Chm.

Mr. Blue Withdraws.

As there has been one member of the board of county commissioners already nominated from this township, I hereby withdraw my name as a candidate for said office. Thanking the voters for the splendid support given me in the primary of June 7th, I am

Respectfully, N. B. BLUE.

Children's Day.

The Methodist Sunday school will observe Children's Day next Sunday. There will be no preaching service at the 11 o'clock hour. All the children, members of the church and friends are invited to attend.

L. E. REAVES, Supt.

Our phone number is 554.

Miss Elizabeth McLean, who taught in Thomasville the past year is at home.

Mr. John McMillan of Manly spent the week end with his son, Mr. L. S. McMillan, and family.

The rainy weather is costing the dewberry growers money, for many of them will spoil en-route to market.

Mr. and Mrs. Algie McRae of Fayetteville spent the week-end with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Culbreth.

Hon. Geo. M. Rose, dean of the Fayetteville bar, Confederate veteran, trustee of the State University and a most estimable gentleman, died last Sunday, aged 78 years.

Short Items.

We are all a settin' to report the first cotton bloom.

The ticket in the second primary will be a short one.

Mr. J. K. McLeod of Addor was in town last Friday.

Raeford Baptists are making improvements on their church.

The first car of 1924 cucumbers were shipped from Laurinburg last week.

We are sorry to hear of the serious illness of Mrs. W. S. Hasty of Blue Springs township.

It is no longer Bowmore Methodist church; the name of organization is now Epworth.

The State is sending out to automobile owners a good map of the highways checking North Carolina.

Miss Sarah Margaret Neal of Marion is a guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Covington.

About June 19th is a good date to renew your subscription to The Journal if you have been neglecting that.

E. J. Woodley of Jackson Springs defeated H. A. Page, Sr. for the Legislature in the primary on the 7th.

Mrs. John Ellington and children of Oxford visited her mother, Mrs. Sarah Chisholm and family last week.

Bess, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. McDonald of Timberland, has been very sick for a week with colitis.

1219 voters cast their ballots in the first primary, or that is as good a guess as we can make. They skipped about badly.

Dewberry shipments made in fair weather brought good returns, but some shipped in wet weather brought poor prices.

Our mutual friend Charlie Ross of Harnett received 77 majority over his two strong opponents in the primary on the 7th, for which we personally feel grateful to the voters of Hoke county.

No one but automobile owners pays a cent on the State highways, and they are supposed to be people who are able to pay this tax. We consider this one of the wisest laws ever passed by this State.

Robert Lancaster of St. Pauls, who was manager of the Grantham Drug Store at Parkton, was struck by a passing car and so injured that he died a few hours afterward two miles from St. Pauls at about 11:30 Saturday night, June 7. It is thought he had tire trouble and was on the ground making repairs when he was struck. Cars pass un-comfortably close to you in the day time when you have a blow-out, although they don't have to.

Mrs. J. H. Austin, who has been sick is very much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Parker of Greenville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Poole last week.

Work on Mr. T. B. Upchurch's residence is progressing nicely, and it will be an ornament to the town.

Mrs. J. C. Bostian of Albemarle visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Henderson, last week.

A comparison of the Hoke county roads with other counties will help us all to appreciate the Hoke county government.

Prof. and Mrs. J. M. Stackhouse left last Friday for Columbia, S. C., where Mr. Stackhouse will attend summer school for six weeks.

Mr. W. M. Blue is following after Mr. W. T. Covington's example and will soon have two new cottages to assist in housing the population of this town.

In Cumberland the anti court house party seems to be in the majority. They may need a new court house but it will be several years before they get it.

The Standard Store of Aberdeen was robbed on Tuesday night of last week. One thousand dollars' worth of clothing was taken and the rogues have not been caught.

Rainy weather seem to prevail over the entire cotton belt, and cotton is a dry weather plant or it needs but little rain; and the boll weevil get a better showing in wet seasons, so the prospect isn't flattering.

White and Colored Dotted Swiss for making those stylish Good Looking, Cool Summer Dresses. The Kash Store.

FOR SALE—Young Jersey Cow, fresh. See CHARLIE McINNIS, Raeford, N. C., R. 2.

Get your Sugar, Coffee, Flour, Lard, etc. from The Kash Store.

Shoes, Oxfords, Pumps, Sandals at Right Prices. The Kash Store

You can buy a suit of clothes at a big reduction while they last at Townsend & Gore's.

Evaporated Pesches, Apples, Prunes, etc. The Kash Store.

Good Line Long Cloth Bleaching, Nurses Linen, Pajama Checks, etc. The Kash Store.



OUR staff is not an inch short of being expert in every detail connected with the repair of tires. We have specialized in this work and you can get the benefit at economy prices here. Reliable Workmanship.

Main Street Filling Station

VULCANIZING

The Best Tonic in the World

ORIGINAL

Vinol

will build you up and make you strong

— We Guarantee It —

Raeford Drug Co.

