

The Hoke County News

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Eight Convicted Of Drunkeness Tuesday Morning

Eight men of Hoke county were found guilty of being drunk and disorderly at the weekly session of recorder's court last Tuesday.

Garfield Watkins; Raeford negro, pled guilty to the charge and also to the charge of using indecent and profane language. His sentence was thirty days, suspended on payment of the costs.

white men from Blue Springs, pled guilty to the drunk and disorderly charge and were given thirty days, suspended on payment of the costs. They did not plead guilty to the charge of violating the prohibition law but were found guilty by the court of possession of non-tax paid liquor, sentence being thirty days on the roads, to be suspended on pay-

mant of the costs. Paul Holler and M. H. McLeod pled guilty to the drunk and disorderly charge and to the charge of violating the prohibition law. The sentence of the court was thirty days on the roads, sentence to be suspended on payment of the costs.

James McNeill, Blue Springs negro, orderly and was ordered to pay the court costs.

township, was found guilty of be- possible to increase the quota detering drunk and disorderly and with violating the prohibition law, and also with using indecent and profane language and assaut with a leadly weapon. He was sentenced to thirty days on the roads in one instance and to sixty days in another,

f \$25. payment of the costs.

Closing Date Set For Aliens In Country Executing Assignments Being Registered The closing date for giving an assignment against the 1940 Soil Con-

signment against the 1940 Soil Con-servation payment is October 31st, At Postoffices 1940, announces A. S. Knowles, county agent. Assignments can only be given to secure cash or supplies that have been furnished to carry out the 1940 farm operation. Any assignments received after the closing date cannot be accepted.

Tobacco Quotas William and Dave Woodell, young For 1941 Revealed **By Wallace**

> Washington, Aug. 27.-Flue-cured marketing quotas for the first of three years beginning July 1, 1941, were proclaimed today by Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace, following official determination that 80.1 per cent of the growers voting at the postoffices for the registrain the referendum held July 20th tion blanks and, after filling them favored quotas for the three-year per-

The amount of the quota which will be in effect for 1941-42, the first of the three marketing years, is 618 million pounds. This is 10 per pled guilty to being drunk and dis- cent more than the quota of 556 million pounds which was proclaimed prior to the referendum. Approval

Will McPhatter, negro of Raeford of the three-year quota makes it mined for the 1941-42 marketing year, and to spread the adjustment needed to eliminate excess supplies over the three-year period.

1942-43 marketing year will be an- other name, he gives all variants. year 1937-38 there were 83,731 pupils six. The amount of the quota for the nounced some time between July 1 His residence and postoffice address, enrolled in the first grade while the and December 1, 1941. Similarly, the date and place of birth, country of second grade had only 68,021 enrolled. sentences to be suspended on pay-ment of the court costs and a fine amount of the quota for the third for the third present citizenship, sex, marital stat-in Hoke courty in the same year Balfour Addresses

marketing year beginning on that long he expects to remain.

Antioch Man Passes Friday

Non-Citizens Not Complying Subject to Heavy Fine and Imprisonment.

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Tuesday the citizens of foreign nations who are living in the United States started registering at the 45,-000 postoffices in the country in accordance with the recently passed Congressional mandate.

There is no accurate information available as to how many unnaturalized foreigners, or aliens, there are now living in this country but it is estimated that approximately three and a half million will be listed.

There are expected to be comparatively few at the local post office, according to Postmaster Lacy Clark. The law states that all aliens over 13 years of age will have to apply

out, swear to the truth of the statements and be fingerprinted for complete identification. They will later receive an identification card by mail. which will serve as a parital check on the accuracy of address and as a

picked up by police. Children under 14 must be regis-

tered by their parents, but those part of attendance. 14 or over must make their application in person and be fingerprinted. The information given will be conif he entered the country under an-

The official canvass showed that how and under what circumstances of being drunk and disorderly and 174,779 votes, or 86.1 per cent of the he last entered this country, together difference? A large number were was sentenced to thirty days on the total of 203,059, approved the quota with the date of his original arrival, retained in the first grade, of course, was sentenced to unity days on the which had been proclaimed for the how long he has lived here and how but why? In most cases it was on Thursday night in the Kiwanis hall

Sim Liles, Raeford negro, was date. Approximately 3,655 votes, or fine form requires that he give for an any other found not guilty of violating the pro-his usual and present occupation, and general rule, poorer than in any other bis date. Approximately 3,655 votes, or fine form requires that he give for the first of the form requires that he give bis date. Approximately 3,655 votes, or fine form requires that he give for the general rule, poorer than in any other bis date. Approximately 3,655 votes, or fine form requires that he give for the general rule, poorer than in any other bis date. Parents think that it isn't to be bis date. Parents think that it isn't to be bis date. Parents the first for a child in the first for the first for the first for the first form requires the first for the first form requires the first form require

Daniel T. Skipper, 55 year old farmer, merchant, and trucker of Antioch, passed away at a Fayetteville hospital last Friday night. He had

been in bad health for some time and his last illness began several months before his death. Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at

Antioch Presbyterian church by Rev. Henry R. Poole, the pastor. Mr. Poole was assisted by Rev. G. W. Hanna, of Harrisburg, N. C., a former pastor of the Antioch church.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Lydia Gibson Skipper, his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Skipper, of Fayetteville, four sisters and one brother.

BRIEF

Attendance Stressed

Attendance is one of the most important factors in school work. Unless a pupil attends regularly, it is a protection of the alien should he be very rare thing that he will be able to do satisfactory work. It goes without saying that enrollment is a

We are calling your attention to a school situation in Hoke county and the State of North Carolina fidential. The alien is to give his that is causing a great deal of study name, any nicknames or aliases, or on the part of educators generally. In the state as a whole for the school chairman of the board for the past year of the period will be announced us, race and general description are there were 977 enrolled in the first L. C. Cunningham, negro from between July 1 and December 1, 1942. required. He must also tell when, grade and 491 in the second. The

dren at the first of school and

Board To Meet

The Board of Education will meet

in regular monthly session on Tues-

day, September 3rd, at 9:30 a.m.

Lang a Visitor Here

John A. Lang, state administrator

of N. Y. A., was a visitor in town

yesterday. He was inspecting all N.

Monroe Visitor

high school, was a business visitor

Canning Project

fare, says that any school that does

E. D. Johnson, principal of Hoke

Y. A. projects.

in Monroe yesterday.

the end of next week.

Mrs. Smith right away.

W. J. McDiarmid

Injured In Fall

keep them in every day possible.

ayment of the costs. The memoers of the Raeford Riwards July retained with a single state of the speaker N. H. G. ty of manslaughter.



\$1.50 PER YEAT

H. R. BAUCOM FOUND GUILTY MANSLAUGHTER

Sentenced To Five To Seven Years In State Prison.

The trial of Harvey Baucom wound up just a few minutes past five o'clock last Friday afternoon when Baucom was sentenced to serve a term of not less than five nor more than seven years in the state prison for manslaughter. Baucom was charged with murder in the second degree for the killing of George Thompson, his brother-in-law, with a .22 caliber rifle at their home here on the morning of last April 29th. Judge J. Paul Frizzelle, of Snow Hill, presided at the trial, which started Thursday morning and took just two days.

The state was represented by Solicitor F. Ertel Carlyle and the defendcently. This is tantamount to being ant was represented by former Solielected president of the Association, citor T. A. McNeill, of Lmberton, for by custom the vice-president al- and Attorneys N. McN. Smith and ways succeeds the president the fol- H. W. B. Whitley, of Raeford.

Highlight of the trial from a draisbury, is president of the association matic standpoint was Solicitor Carlyle's able cross examination of the Mr. Balfour has been a member of defendant on Friday.

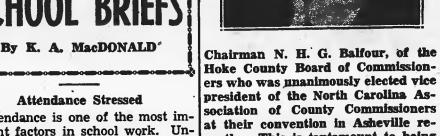
The evidence and argument was concluded at about three o'clock Friday. In his charge to the jury Judge Frizzelle directed the finding of one of three verdicts: guilty of murder in the second degree; guilty of manslaughter; not guilty. He outlined conditions under which they could return any one of these verdicts and ordered them to retire and reach a verdict.

After remaining out for approximately one and one half hours the account of poor attendance. At- the members of the Raeford Kiwanis jury returned with a verdict of guil-

explained this by saying that while

the homicide may not have been jus-





lowing year. R. L. Beinhart, of Sal-

for the coming year. the Hoke County Board of Commissioners for the past eight years and Kiwanis Club At their regular meeting last

hibition law.

of the costs. Martin Scarboro pled guilty to vio-

lation of the prohibition law and was released after he paid the costs of the N. C. State Alumni court.

Recruiting Planned For National Guard

Raleigh, Aug. 27. — Intensive re- of J. E. Derby in Fayetteville Friday cruiting to bring North Carolina's night where they were treated to a Cotton Improvement strength will probably begin when by. Those attending from Hoke guardsmen are called into federal county were J. H. Blue, C. L. Thomservice, Adj.-Gen. J. Van B. Metts as, Robert Gatlin, and A. S. Knowles. said today.

Mobilization of guardsmen at their home stations is now tentatively set a very interesting talk to the group for September 16 with a year's train- about the consolidation of State coling to follow. General Metts ex- lege and the University of N. C. W. plained that all plans remain in a H. "Bob" Warren, freshman football of cotton before ginning, reports A. tentative state until President Roose-coach spoke about the athletic setup S. Knowles, county agent. velt signs the bill authorizing him to at the college. call the guard.

will be called out for the year of N. C. State College. This organiza-252nd coast artillery, the state's re- ber 11th at 7 p. m. maining guard unit, will go to Fort to Fort Screvens, Ga.

strength about double peace strength, in Raeford September 11th. by conscripts.

for each county, or for population units of 30,000 or more. There will Stand For Draft be appoximately 150 of the threeman bilards in this state.

Sister of Mrs. Bethune

Mrs. Mary McD. Blue, of Parkton, of a heart attack. She was 78 years of age.

She was a daughter of the late Capt. D. McDougald and Mrs. Sarah Blue, of Cumberland county.

Surviving are nine children, fifteen grandchildren, one great grandchild and two sisters, Mrs. R. L. Bethune and Mrs. Colon Shaw, of Raeford.

Mrs. Blue was a member of the Galatia Presbyterian church and funeral services were conducted there Monday morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. F. M. Bain, the pastor and Rev. Phillip McNatt, of Morven.

Pallbearers were her nephews Angus Blue, Joe Blue, James Blue, McGougen and Edwin Brown,

willie Michalter, negro, was con- stat in protectance to quotas for and ground that state of simple assault and given years. The remaining 24,625 votes, or made of any applications for citizenthirty days, suspended on payment 12.1 per cent of the total, were cast ship papers, addresses of any relaagainst both the three-year quota tives in this country, of any arrests, proposal and the one-year quota.

Chapter Organized

A large group of N. C. State college alumni of Hoke, Cumberland, or finger printing. and Harnett counties met at the home

national guard units to peace-time delicious dinner given by Mr. Der- Meeting Scheduled Colonel J. W. Harrelson, administrative dean of State College, made

The group organized into the Up-All national guardsmen in this state per Cape Fear Alumni chapter of the

training. Units of the 30th division tion will include alumni in the counwhich includes the 120th infantry, ties of Hoke, Cumberland and Harthe 113th field artillery, the 105th en- nett. J. H. Blue, of Raeford, was gineers, the 105th medical regiment, elected first vice-president of the grade. and the Canton signal company, will chapter. It was decided to have the train at Camp Jackson, S. C. The next meeting in Raeford on Septem- Go To Prison

Mr. Blue has asked that all State Moultrie, S. C., with the exception College men in Hoke county meet him of one battalion which will be sent at the county agent's office in Raeford on Tuesday, September 3rd, at Tentative plans now call for the 7:30 p.m. to make definite plans guard regiments to be filled to war for the meeting, which will be held

Local draft boards would be named Bailey Takes Formal

Washington, Aug. 27. - Senator Bailey, of North Carolina, chairman of the commerce committee, today in a formal but brief statement gave to And Mrs. Shaw Passes the press some of the reasons that impelled him to align himself with those members of the senate who are died at her home Sunday morning advocating prompt passage of the compulsory military service, or conscription bill.

The senator is persuaded that consideration of conditions that prevail Phillips McDougald of Cumberland in the world forbid complacency on county, and a widow of David Gillis the part of American citizens, and that training of the nation's manpower is to be regarded as "neces-

Blue Sky Boys To **Appear at Ashemont**

sary."

The Blue Sky Boys, sponsored by the B. T. U. of Ashley Heights Baptist church, will appear in person at

Ashemont school Wednesday night, September 4th, at 8 o'clock. Every, one is cordially invited. There will miss it.

indictments or convictions here. He child that gets a poor start is handi-tically received by the club as he, a tiflable, it well might have been. must also state whether or not he capped all the rest of the way. This native of England, took for his sub- (Ground for defense was jutifiable takes part in the activities of any is written in tre hope that all par- ject, "England's Chances in the War homicide). Mr. McNeill also stated organization in the United States ents will endeavor to start their chilwhich furthers the interest of a foreign government.

There is no charge for registration

Hoke county cotton producers will have an opportunity on Friday, August 30th, in the court house at noon to hear Ralph Roper and J. C. Ferguson, extension cotton specialists, who will discuss the one-variety cotplained that all plans remain in a H. "Bob" Warren, freshman football ton work and the care and handling

> Mr. Ferguson will gin several samples of cotton to show how it does when wet or green when compared to dry cotton. Cotton should be allowed to dry three or four days after picking in order to get the best

For Assault

Tried last Thursday in Superior court for assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill were John and Melton Roper, colored men of that all schools have a good supply, Quewhiffle township. Both were found guilty and sentence was from one to two years for John and from three to five years for Melton.

State Fair To Offer Premiums of \$2,000

Raleigh, Aug. 27 .- Premiums totaling \$2,000 will be offered for from a step-ladder the latter part ject. county progress exhibits at the 1940 of the week, and was carried to a state fair to be held here October Fayetteville hospital for treatment, 8-12, F. H. Jeter, superintendent of where he now lies in a cast awaiting that department, announced today. The first prise is \$650. Every

county has been invited to enter an exhibit depicting its industrial, agricultural and educational progress.

Reunion Postponed

Because of serious illness and a death in the family the Parker reunion was not held this year. The McBryde, the McInnis, and the Currie-Monroe reunions have been held. The McPhaul reunion has not yet been held, leastwise no report has

been made.

The section of the Raeford-Vass Misses Sarah Ella Conoly, Eleanor road contained in the Fort Bragg reservation will be closed to the public Brown, Mrs. G. W. Brown and guests Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Crump, of Tulsa, from 8 A. M. to 12 midnight on Fri-Rev. David F. Blue, Jr., Ed Graham be lots of fun for everybody. Don't Okla., spent Thursday and Friday of day, September 6th, 1940, due to artiller's firing last week at Myrtle Beach.

year in preference to quotas for three iness of his employer. A record is as necessary for a child in the first cently elected vice-president of the court for leniency on the ground that

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Honored

Mr. Balfour's talk was enthusias-With Germany." It is his opinion that he thought the verdict was fair that Great Britain is far from being and reasonable. whipped by Germany, and his discussion of this and his reasons for believing it sounded mighty good.

Rev. L. C. LaMotte To Preach Here Sunday Morning

Rev. Louis C. LaMotte, D. D., president of Presbyterian Junior college, Maxton, N. C., will preach a' the 11 o'clock service of the Raefort Presbyterian church on Sunday m rning, September 1st.

Dr. LaMotte has been at the head of the Maxton institution for one

year, but during that short time the college has made good progress and Robert Jones now finds itself in the enviable posi-The W. P. A. canning project is tion of being clear of debt. Before coming along nicely. Mrs. Smith regoing to Maxton, Dr. LaMotte was ports over 8,000 cans put up and is executive secretary of the Thornwell expecting to go over 10,000. She Orphanage in Clinton, S. C., and requests that all schools get in all prior to that time he held a pastorate their vegetables this and next week in Waycross, S. C. He is a writer of as the project will probably close at note, the book "Clored Lights," prob-Mrs. Giles, superintendent of welably being the best known of his

not have canned goods of their own **Staking of Lumbee** will not be certified for surplus commodities. It is very necessary then, **REA Lines Starts** so please get your vegetables in to

works.

Engineers and crews of the J. B. McRary Engineering corporation of Atlanta, Ga., started staking the lines for the Lumbee River Electric Membership corporation's A project of over 480 miles today. The Rural Mr. W. J. McDiarmid, prominent Electrification Administration has allotted the Lumbee Corporation \$428,miles out the "Turn Pike" road, fell 000 for the construction of this pro-

> Two staking crews are on the job, working out from the sub-station near Red Springs. The lines will radiate from this central sub-station to the various parts of Hoke, Robeson, Scotland, and Cumberland counties to be served by the project.



A tour of Coker's cotton breeding experiments at Hartsville, S. C., has been planned for Hoke county cotton Prison Division at North Caroline producers on Thursday, September 5, announces A. S. Knowles, county ag- has a responsible position with t ent

All farmers desiring to make this trip should notify the county agent. The work being carried on by Coker Seed Co., has meant millions of dollars to cotton producers in North at the county agent's Carolina.

Louise Blue spent from Thursday

Judge Frizzelle, prior to sentencing the defendant, told him that the sentence he was going to give him

should do much to "rehabilitate" him. He then sentenced Baucom to "be confined in the state prison fora term of not less than five nor more than seven years." His Honor then went on to tell Baucom that the good plain food and regular life of the penitenitary should do much to improve his physical condition. He told him he hoped he got along fine.

Baucom was confined in the Hoke county jail prior to his trial under a bond of \$25,000.

Gets Maritime Appointment

Robert Louis Jones, 19, of Sanatorium, North Carolina, has been appointed by the U.S. Maritime Commission as engine cadet to the MS Jeff Davis, operated by the United States Lines.

Jones, one of two cadets from the State of North Carolina presently in training under the regulations of the U.S. Maritime Commission, received a course of preliminary training and indoctrination at one of the Commission's shore receiving stations before assignment to a vessel. Jones was graduated in June 1939 from Hoke county high school with a high scholastic standing and attended the University of North Carolina for one year. On January 29 of this year, he took the national competitive examination prescribed by the U.S. Maritime Commission for appointments to cadetships and was one of the 375 successful candidates.

The MS Jeff Davis, to which Cadet Jones has been assigned, is being operated by the United States Lines in the American Pioneer Service to Australia.

Cadet Jones is the second son of R. A. Jones, superintendent of the Sanatorium. The eldest son, Altan Consolidated Aircraft Corporation in San Diego, Calif.

Cotton price adjustment payment for the 1940 crop are now added nounces A. S. Knowles, cou ent. \$11,855.83 has just caused. This money will be until Sunday at Ocean Drive, S. C. | buttell to 348 #

recovery. **Commissioners** Will

Take Labor Day Off It was announced yesterday that

the Hoke County Board of Commissioners would not meet next Monday as usual due to the fact that that is Labor Day. Their meeting will take

stead of the first Monday as usual.

place on Tuesday in September in-

Road Closed

and successful farmer who lives two

