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Judge Parker To Hold Superior Court Here Next Week

The regularly scheduled session on Superior court will be held in Hoke County next week. There will be both civil and criminal sessions. Neither calendar is very crowded, and the session is not expected to last very long.

R. Hunt Parker, Superior Court judge from Roanoke Rapids, will sit for this session. Judge Parker was last in Hoke County in 1936, when he sat for two sessions of Superior Court. He is to be remembered for the speed with which he runs the court.

The jurors for this term of court are the following:

- J. E. Capps, McLaughlin; Dan McKeithan, Raeford; J. E. Townsend, McLaughlin; W. C. Pendergrass, McLaughlin; Louis Parker, McLaughlin; Marshall Newton McLaughlin; D. A. Phillips McLaughlin; J. T. Deane, Stonewall; J. E. Vanhoy, Quewhiffie; W. F. Livingston, Stonewall; George Deese, McLaughlin; Belton Wright, Raeford; Clarence Brown, Raeford.
- Rowland Andrews, Raeford; J. W. McPhaul, Antioch; A. V. Sanders, Raeford; M. S. Gibson, McLaughlin; Albert Guin, McLaughlin; H. E. Deese, Stonewall; M. Baxley, Raeford; Israel Mann, Raeford; J. T. Clark, Stonewall; Jack Morris, Raeford; Albert Maxwell, Raeford; M. D. Yates, Stonewall.
- L. M. Maxwell, Blue Springs; A. H. Ray, McLaughlin; Fulford McMillan, Blue Springs; L. M. Lester, Raeford.

Central Press Association Met Here Saturday

At its monthly meeting, which was held in Raeford, the Central Press Association elected its officers for the coming year. H. Clifton Blue, of Aberdeen, was elected President of the organization to take the place of Neil Cadieu of Rockingham. O. L. Moore, of Laurinburg, was elected Vice-President in the place of R. L. Gray, of Fayetteville. J. Minor Davis, of Raeford, was elected Secretary to take the place of H. Clifton Blue.

At the meeting a round-table discussion was led by the retiring President, Neil Cadieu, with particular emphasis being laid on the part of county newspapers in regard to defense and war work. D. S. Poole, retired editor, spoke briefly on the history of journalism in this section, and O. L. Moore spoke on newspaper policies and ethics.

Bus Drivers For Schools

The State School Commission and State Highway Safety Division in conjunction with the County Board of Education will hold a school for school bus drivers in Raeford at the Hoke County high school building on Tuesday, August 19, beginning at 8:00 o'clock A.M. Daylight Saving Time.

Letters have been sent out to all prospective drivers whose names are on file in the office of the Board of Education but it is suggested that all boys and girls of both races who wish to drive report for this school whether they have received a letter or not. All who attend should bring their driving licenses. If the prospective driver has just become 16 and has not secured driving license, come any way and take the tests, even though a bus driver's permit cannot be issued until the driver's license has been secured. Lunch will be furnished.

Purchases Made On Instalment Plan To Be Curtailed

Washington, Aug. 11.—In a far-reaching step that brought the effects of the defense program close home to the ordinary man President Roosevelt today set up a system of control for the huge installment credit business carried on through the nation's banks, stores and personal finance companies.

He issued an executive order directing the federal reserve board to use a world war statute and its criminal penalties to curb installment credit used for the purchase of "consumers' durable goods."

Although not affecting the man who can afford to pay cash, the order covered merchandise and small loan business involving \$10,000,000,000 of credit. Some types of those credits may be exempted however.

Thomas Franck Dies Friday

Thomas Davis Franck, manager of the telephone exchange at Elizabethtown died suddenly at that place Friday morning. Funeral services were conducted at 4:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon from the residence of his mother, Mrs. Annie Franck, 831 Arsenal Avenue, Fayetteville, and interment was in the Maxton cemetery.

The Raeford telephone exchange was in the system of exchange managed by Tommie Franck for a number of years. He was very popular with Raeford people and the news of his death came as a shock to his many friends here. His wife who was from Maxton died several years ago. They had no children.

France Agrees To Collaborate With Germany

VICHY, Unoccupied France, Aug. 12.—Marshal Petain, the French Chief of State, committed himself to full collaboration with Germany in a radio address to the nation tonight, a few hours after his Vice-Premier, Admiral Jean Darlan, had been given supreme military powers in the Vichy regime.

The aged Marshal ranged himself squarely on the side of Germany in the fight against Russia, which he said was a "defense in the East of civilization" and was a "battle which could change the map of the world."

Marshal Petain personally appealed to the United States for understanding and to the French for their cooperation. He admitted that his so-called national revolution had failed of its aims so far.

FULL COLLABORATION
In committing himself to full collaboration with Germany, Marshal Petain said that centuries of quarreling with France's Eastern neighbor had to give way to a larger perspective which "by our activity can open up a reconciled continent."

The Marshal declared frankly that "that is the aim toward which we are heading."

In a broadcast to the entire nation which was the most sensational development in Vichy since the ouster of the former Premier Pierre Laval as his political heir last December 13 the Marshal declared he had given Darlan exceptional powers despite the fact that public opinion "never was always favorable nor always fair" to the Admiral.

APPEAL TO AMERICA

Out of a clear sky Petain appealed to the United States saying: "I would like to recall to the great American public the reasons why it has no reasons to fear a decline of French ideals. Certainly our Parliamentary policy is dead. But it never had more than a life of its own with the demagogue."

RAEFORD FISCAL YEAR 7-1-41 to 6-30-41

REVENUE	AMOUNT
County	\$17,640.00
State	200.00
Local	200.00
Other	1,200.00
Total	7,500.00
Without	140.00
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Arthur D. Gore
Substitute Trustee

Williamsport Grays Now In Second Place; On Tour

Williamsport, Pa., August 13.—The Williamsport Grays are in the midst of the most crucial road series of the hectic 1941 campaign of the Eastern Baseball League.

Starting with Saturday night, when they defeated the Elmira Pioneers, 2 to 1, at Elmira, they will weather permitting, play no less than seventeen games in eleven days in four cities of four states.

The schedule calls for three double headers in as many days at Hartford, Conn., and for a repetition of this program at Springfield, Mass.

From Springfield the trail leads to Scranton, Pa., where single games, August 18, 19 and 20, round out the four-city swing.

Returning to Bowman Field August 21 for a two-game series with Elmira, the Grays will play before what may be the largest crowd of the season. It will be special night with an added attraction, Howard Kholer Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, has bought and donated outright to the Grays a handsome Plymouth de luxe sedan, which will be offered as an attendance prize.

The V. F. W. boost parliels that of Garrett Cochran Post, American Legion, which staged a special night several weeks ago, when more than seven thousand paid customers filled Bowman Field accommodations to overflowing.

Connie Mack night, with an exhibition game between the Athletics and the Grays, and a baseball night, have also helped to boost the Gray's exchequer.

It is likely, too, that there will be a Spencer Abbott night in honor of the Gray's popular manager.

The league season ends on September 1. If the Grays finish in the first division they will take part in the post-season playoff, which arrays the first and third teams against each other and the second and fourth in a similar series.

These two series participate in a final seven-game series for the governors' cup, donated by the chief executives of the four states represented in the league.

Bad weather early in the season, causing many postponements, threatened for a time to make it doubtful if Williamsport would continue in organized ball, but improved weather, special nights and an awakening on the part of the people to the fact that this city now has the greatest team in its history combined to save the day, and only Saturday the officials signed a ten-year lease with the city of Williamsport for Bowman Field, which municipally owned. A 15-year lease expired last month.

At the moment the Grays are in second place, right on the heels of the Philadelphia Phillies.

The highly publicized "gasoline stations, but asked motorists to redouble efforts to cut motor consumption voluntarily. He made recommendations for operators of commercial vehicles which he said would cut gas consumption about 30 percent, and announced the oil industry will give its patrons windshield stickers pledging the use of one-third less gasoline than usual. He said 82 insurance companies have contributed to the "share-your-car-campaign" by revising underwriting rules to enable motorists to carry paying passengers to and from work.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE
The undersigned substitute-trustee, empowered by statutory provision for appointments of substitute trustees, and pursuant to the authority contained in deed of trust registered in book of mortgages No. 78, at page 1 as appears in office of Register of Deeds for Hoke County, N. C., having been demanded by the cestui que trust named in said registered instrument to advertise the land therein described and conveyed after default in the payments secured thereby and to be made on November 1, 1931. will offer for public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Raeford, N. C., the following lands, at 12 o'clock noon on the 29th day of August, 1941:

About 20 acres in Stonewall Township, Hoke County, N. C. being a part of the H. A. McKenzie estate, which was conveyed to him by Murdock McKenzie et ux., Catherine by deed dated Dec. 11, 1885, registered in Book of Deeds NNN, at page 987, to which reference is made for courses and distances; said 20 acres, more or less, hereby conveyed also being that part devised by said H. A. McKenzie by will to S. N. McKenzie, as doth appear of public record in Hoke County, N. C.

Arthur D. Gore
Substitute Trustee

House Votes To Eighteen Months Draft Extension

Washington, Aug. 12.—Sweeping over bitter non-interventionist opposition the House late today agreed to an eighteen month extension of service for draftees, National Guardsmen and reservists after defeating a move to cut the time down to six months.

The lower chamber, by vote, accepted an Administration-sponsored proposal to set a year-and-a-half time limit on the additional service, and neared formal passage of the heatedly-fought legislation.

With the Democratic leadership in full control, the lower chamber, through a long day of tense debate, beat back stubborn attempts to exempt draftees from the additional service and to cut the time down to less than the year and a half approved by the Senate.

Deferred Men Urged To Aid In Defense Work

All Selective Service registrars in who have been deferred from military service today were urged by Gen. J. Van B. Metts, State Director of Selective Service, to offer their assistance to State and local civil defense agencies.

Many young men have in years, granted deferment because of occupations, because they are physically capable of undemanding work in connection with their defense activities and should be encouraged to do so.

General said. Nevertheless, he increased they are qualified to perform two weeks work in connection with the Federal defense activities and should be encouraged to do so.

By granting certain military training, Congress, when it passed the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, gave no indication that it intended to excuse the young men from the obligation which the law imposes on every young man who returns his country in times of absence.

General Metts declared that his demonstration is expected to do his part in the way or another, whether that be in the national service of conquest by force, or in the service of the people that are B. Hershey, Director of War Relocation Authority, said "with the many of our people ever-increasingly prepared for defense at home or abroad, it is our duty to help in the preparation for defense at home or abroad."

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Mrs. G. F. Koonce Stricken Tuesday

Mrs. G. Frank Koonce suffered a paralytic stroke Tuesday afternoon, and died at 1 o'clock Wednesday morning without recovering from the first attack. She was a woman of middle age, and was held in high esteem by all who knew her.

Before her marriage she was a Miss Ellen Gillis, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Gillis of McLaughlin township. She is survived by her husband, three sons and three daughters, L. H. Koonce of Raeford, Clarence Koonce of the home, Stanley Koonce of U. S. Army, Fort Screven, Ga., Mrs. Lena Koonce Kelley of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Eula Koonce Martin of Fayetteville, Miss Margaret Koonce of Winston-Salem; five brothers, D. W. Gillis, Red Springs, A. C. Gillis, Raeford, O. W. and D. P. Gillis of Raeford, and Neil Gillis of Roseboro.

The funeral will be conducted from Galatia Presbyterian church of which she was a member, and burial will be in the church cemetery Thursday p.m. at 5 o'clock.

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French Break

TOBACCO PACK HOUSE

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NOTICE!

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT UNLESS THEY HAVE THEIR Dogs Properly Vaccinated AS REQUIRED BY LAW THAT THEY ARE LIABLE TO INDICTMENT BY THE GRAND JURY AT THE AUGUST TERM OF COURT.

J. A. McGOOGAN
TAX SUPERVISOR