

Raeford, North Carolina

Notice to Threshing Machine Operators In HOKE County

All operators of Threshing Machines and Combines are to secure Threshing Permits before the new threshing season begins. (In accordance with Chapter 329, 1935 Public Laws of North Carolina.)

Prompt attention is urged in obtaining your permits and records, which are now available at your Register of Deeds office.

Very truly yours,
W. W. ROBERTS
 Register of Deeds.

ROCKFISH NEWS

By Mrs. A. A. McInnis.

Mrs. Joe Lovette, Mrs. Herman Koonce and Mrs. K. P. Ritter gave the 6th and 7th grades of Rockfish school a "tacky" party on Wednesday night of last week. Carrying out the tacky scheme, refreshments of ice cream and cake were served in the middle of the party. The pupils were really cute in their attire and it was hard to decide on the best. Finally the prizes were given to Helen McDougald and Charles Porter.

Mrs. Ed Newton and children returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Cecil Reynolds, of Newport News recently. Mrs. Reynolds came back with her to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wood.

Mrs. John Ray had some serious trouble with an abscessed tooth last week. It had to be cut out.

Mrs. C. S. Pickett spent last Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. M. R. Knight.

Bill Britt of Fayetteville visited her brother, Gernon Britt, last Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Bullard and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jones of Lillington, were Rockfish visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Blue and sons Cliff, Jr. and Billy, of Wilmington and Mrs. Jean Gaurson of Fayetteville were Mother's Day guests of Mrs. D. P. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephens, Mrs. Frank Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McDowell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Neill McKeithan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Nash Grooms of Parkton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Dees Sunday.

Mrs. Earl McKinnon and daughters, Sue Allen and Patsy, visited her mother, Mrs. C. L. Wood and family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wood visited Mrs. Wood's father, C. L. Monroe, at St. Pauls last Sunday.

Elbert Dees of Westover Field, Mass, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Dees, is at home on furlough until the 21st.

Mrs. W. T. Boseman visited her sister, Mrs. J. D. McGowan last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Gibson spent Sunday with Mrs. Gibson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Deaton of Red Springs.

Mr. George Shockley of California is visiting his mother, Mrs. L. B. Shockley, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shockley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Edge and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Garvin of Fayetteville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Boseman Sunday.

We are sorry to report W. T. Boseman on the sick list again. It is hoped that his recovery will be speedy.

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. E. B. Booker, Tabernacle church gave a Mother's Day program, which was a credit to those taking part and enjoyed very much by the congregation.

Howard Wood of Newport News, Va. visited his mother, Mrs. C. L. Wood and family, last Tuesday.

Cecil Reynolds of Newport News, Va. came for a short visit with relative in this community last week end. Mrs. Reynolds, who made a more extended visit here, returned with him Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wood and daughter, Jane, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McLean Sunday afternoon.

On Wednesday evening of next week there will be a picnic supper on the school grounds. Everyone is invited to come and bring a basket. Time 6:30.

The operetta to be given by the school will be on Friday evening of this week.

A group of young folks enjoyed a hay ride one night last week.

Circle No. 2 of the Woman's Auxiliary of Galatia church will meet with Mrs. D. P. Andrews Thursday afternoon of this week at 3 o'clock.

After the picnic on Wednesday evening, May 21st, at Rockfish school Mrs. Milton Capps's music pupils will give their piano recital.

State College Answers Timely Farm Questions

QUESTION: What causes hens to lay rough shelled eggs?

ANSWER: Prof. Roy S. Dearstyn, head of the Poultry department at State College, says the formation of egg shells is dependent on the calcium, phosphorus and vitamin D obtained through the diet of the bird. The rough shells are due to uneven distribution of calcium and water

throughout the shell and differences in the size of the shell pores. Probably heredity has little to do in this case, but a bird laying such an egg usually will lay similar eggs throughout its life.

QUESTION: Where can I obtain blueprints of bee hives and frames?

ANSWER: Your Extension Service county farm agent has been supplied with these plans and he will be glad to help you. If his supply has been distributed, you may write to Prof. David S. Weaver, care of the Agricultural Engineering Department at State College. Blue prints of other farm needs are also obtainable through this service.

QUESTION: When is the proper time to cut alfalfa for hay?

ANSWER: According to E. R. Collins, in charge of Agronomy Extension at State College, alfalfa should be cut in early blossom stage (about 14 flowers open) as the greatest yield per acre of protein is obtained when the alfalfa is cut at this stage. Cutting too early weakens the plants, and delayed cutting re-

sults in excessive shedding of the leaves.

At least three and in the most cases four cuttings can be made each season. The last cutting should be early enough to allow the alfalfa to make 6 to 10 inches

of new growth before the first killing frost. This fall growth period is necessary in order for the alfalfa to store enough food in the roots for winter survival and vigorous growth the following spring.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

"Service with a Smile"

Motorists are mighty glad to patronize Ed's Service Station. The driveway's always cleanly swept, the pumps kept nicely painted, and the office and rest rooms neat and spotless. And Ed himself is "Service with a Smile."

It's not only Ed's idea. The company that supplies Ed's oil and gasoline insists on certain standards—not just in the upkeep of the station, but in the courteous service that Ed renders.

It's like the brewers' program of Self-Regulation. Through bulletins,

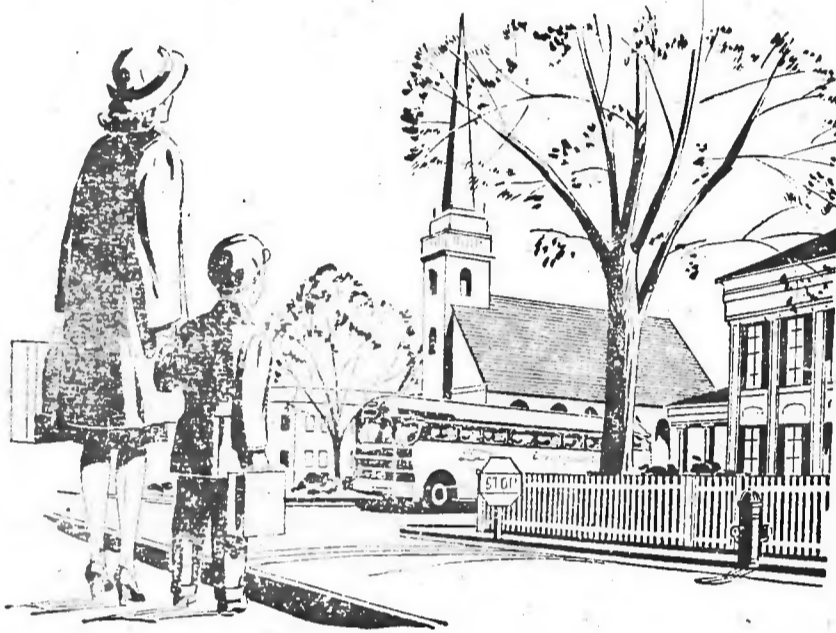
meetings and personal visits, the brewers encourage retailers of beer to maintain clean, law-abiding taverns. Those that don't toe the line are reported to the authorities.

From where I sit, it's just common business sense to see that the product which you sell is handled by responsible, courteous people through attractive outlets. It wins the good will and the gratitude of the community.

Joe Marsh

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a fleet of fine new
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Raeford Theatre

Theatre Opens At 5:00 P. M. Daily

— THURSDAY & FRIDAY —

"Beginning Or The End"

Tom Drake — Robert Walker — Beverly Drake

— SATURDAY —

"Roll On Texas Moon"

Roy Rogers

ALSO

"Inside Job"

Preston Foster — Ann Rutherford

— SUNDAY —

"Blondie Knows Best"

Penny Singleton — Arthur Lake

— MONDAY & TUESDAY —

"Notorious"

Ingrid Bergman — Cary Grant

— WEDNESDAY —

"Return of Monte Cristo"

Lewis Heyward — Barbara Britton

Notice To Our FARMER CUSTOMER

HERE ARE A FEW OF THE ITEMS WE CAN FURNISH YOU FROM OUR STOCK, SEE US FOR YOUR NEEDS.

- Common Wire - Nails, all sizes per keg \$10.00
- Aluminum 5-V - Roofing per sq. \$12.50
- Plastic Pitch 5-V - Roofing per sq. \$12.50
- Johns Manville White Asbestos Siding per sq. \$11.05
- Johns Manville 210 Asphalt Shingles per sq. \$ 7.50
- Johns Manville 90 lb. Roll Roofing per sq. \$ 3.50
- Johns Manville Fifty - five lb. Roll Roofing per sq. \$ 2.75
- Johns Manville 45 lb. Roll Roofing per sq. \$ 2.45
- Adelphi Ready Mixed Outside White Paint per gal. \$ 4.65
- Lawn Mowers from \$24.95 to \$29.95
- Owen Tobacco Transplanters \$ 5.75
- Lynchburg Tobacco Transplanters \$ 5.10
- Boyette Tobacco Sprayers \$102.50
- Hackney Tobacco Trucks \$25.00
- Weeders \$25.00
- Roanoke Hay Bayer complete with Engine \$750.00
- John Deere & New Holland Hammer Mills \$135 to \$225
- 4 Wheel Rubber Tire Trailer gear \$275.00
- 2 Wheel Trailer with Rubber tires \$175.00
- Mount Vernon Lime & Fertilizer Distributor on rubber \$187.50
- Horse Drawn Disk Harrow with truck \$ 85.00
- Huski Garden Tractor \$195.00
- 40 HP LeRoi Motor \$665.00
- Buck Eye Tobacco Barn Oil Curers \$175.00
- One Horse Thorn Hill Wagons \$120.00
- Two Horse Hackney Wagons \$175.00
- New Holland Corn Husker & Shredder \$335.00

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