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YOUR SCHOOL NEWS

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Commencement Plans
Last Thursday afternoon at a principal's meeting the following Hoke High commencement schedule was prepared and made ready for release.

Junior-Senior Banquet, Friday, April 15, 7:45 P. M.

Senior play, Friday, May 13, 8:30 P. M.

Senior Class Night, Friday, May 27, 8:30 P. M.

Baccalaureate Sermon, Sunday, May 29, 11:15 A. M.

Seventh Grade Achievement Day, Thursday, June 2, 10:30 A. M.

Graduation Exercises, Friday, June 3, 8:30 P. M.

The schedule of the Elementary School's operettas will be given in a later issue.

At this meeting dates for standard tests were set for Tuesday and Wednesday, May 10 and 11. Seventh grade tests will be given on Tuesday and sixth grade on Wednesday. Tests in the other grades will be given on these two days as the local school thinks best.

Wednesday, May 11, has been set as 7th grade visit day to the High School.

The Rockfish PTA postponed its regular monthly meeting until later in the month on account of the band concert which was held at the high school on Wednesday evening of this week.

The Crippled Children's sale of Easter gifts started in the Raeford Graded school on Wednesday. This sale will be put on in all the schools during April. This is a most worthy cause and we hope that everyone participates.

We wish to remind you again about the pre-school clinics that are being held by the Health Department at the present. Let us urge you to see that your child gets to the clinic for his school.

Today Dr. Willcox is at Burlington at 9:00 a. m. Lilly's Chapel and Millside go to Burlington. At 1:00 p. m. he will be at White Oak. Friendship, Peachmont and Rockfish colored go to White Oak. On Monday, April 18, Dr. Willcox will be at Bowmore at 9:00 a. m. Freedom, Edinborough and Buffalo go to Bowmore. Dr. Willcox will be at Rockfish white at 1:00 p. m. The same day. Tuesday, April 19, Dr. Willcox will be at Mildouson at 1:00 p. m.

A great many of the schools are planning Easter programs for next week. Practically all primary teachers are getting ready for Easter egg hunts. We know that all the little tots will have a good time and that none of them will want to miss school at this time.

We are glad to report that no additional cases of scarlet fever, measles or chickenpox have been reported since last week.

Mrs. Shelton's sixth grade of the Raeford Graded school took a field trip this week as the Junior Audubon Club. They studied all the birds that they could locate.

Mrs. Snead's 6 and 7 grades are giving a chapel program today, "Tony Learns to Love the Flag." Everyone is invited. This group will give the same program for the PTA on Thursday night and also for the Kiwanis club on April 21.

Mrs. Earl Robinson's third grade had Mrs. Parks, County Health Nurse, over to talk to them about first aid in the case of bites, scratches, etc. They had been studying a health unit that covered these things.

Mrs. Stephens' 4th and 5th grades will have Mrs. Staley over to talk to them about the care of

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Baptist Women Here Tomorrow; 300 Expected

Women of Robeson Baptist Association To Hold Annual Meeting In Local Church

The annual meeting of the Women of Robeson Baptist Association is being held at the Raeford Baptist church in Raeford tomorrow, Friday, April 15.

They will convene at the church at 10 o'clock. Mrs. C. D. Farmer of Raleigh, State president of Baptist Women and Mr. A. B. Barnett of Lumberton, associational missionary will be present. The meeting will be presided over by Mrs. J. G. Stephens, associational superintendent of Lumberton and Mrs. E. M. Johnson, superintendent of young people, also of Lumberton.

The women of the local church will serve lunch in the basement luncheon of the church.

This occasion makes history for the Raeford Baptist church as it is their first convention since their beautiful new church was completed. About 300 women are expected to be present from the district, which is made up of Hoke and Robeson counties.

Latin Pupils To Broadcast At 3:45 Today

The pupils of Mrs. Gore's second year Latin class will broadcast this afternoon at 3:45 over WFLB (1490 KC) in Fayetteville. The program, a part of National Latin Week celebration, grew out of classroom activities.

Fanette Gore will announce the program. "Reasons for Studying Latin" will be discussed by Jane McKeithan. Florence Cameron will speak "In Defense of Latin". Iris Thomas, accompanied by Betty Upchurch, will sing "Ave Maria" in Latin. Raye King will follow with a talk on "Latin the Common Denominator of Languages." Mary Sue Upchurch will close the broadcast with a talk on "Latin Lives."

Mrs. Tommie Upchurch, Miss Doris Bradley, and Mrs. Arthur D. Gore will accompany the pupils to Fayetteville.

Name Workers For Cancer Fund Drive

"In this fight against cancer it is difficult to say that we have a certain share but Hoke County has been asked to raise a minimum of \$500. But no man can say this is our share. In a cause such as this, Only Our Absolute Best Is To Be Expected." Thus Mrs. Herbert McKeithan, county chairman, announcing the opening of the 1949 Cancer Drive.

"There is evidence that 1949 may well be the most important year of progress against cancer," she said. "As the slogan this year suggests, cancer can strike anyone. We can all have a chance to strike back by working and giving to the Hoke county cancer drive."

Mrs. McKeithan announced the following volunteer workers for the county: Antioch, Mrs. Watson McNeill, Jr.; Mildouson, Mrs. Jesse Gibson and Mrs. Archie Howard; Allendale, Miss Willa McLaughlin; Ashemont, Mrs. F. L. Eubanks and Mrs. Tom Sinclair; Rockfish, Mrs. A. A. McInnis; Wayside, Mrs. Herman Koonce; Arabia, Mr. Brown Hendrix; Raeford, Mr. Will McNeill; Pine Forest, Mrs. Winnie Cameron; Raeford, Mrs. R. B. Lewis, Mrs. A. K. Currie, Mrs. W. P. Baker, Mrs. Alfred Cole, Mrs. W. T. Covington, Mrs. J. H. Blue, Mrs. G. B. Rowland, Mrs. M. R. Smith, Mrs. J. Johnson, Mrs. W. A. McDonald and Mrs. Lacy McFadyen; B. Springs, Mrs. Dave Dalton.

WELCOME LADIES

From 900 to a thousand ladies are expected to visit Raeford tomorrow to attend the meeting of the Women of the Church of Fayetteville Presbytery at the Presbyterian church and the meeting of the Women of the Robeson Baptist association at the Raeford Baptist church.

On behalf of the whole town and county The News-Journal wishes to welcome these ladies to our community and to wish them a most pleasant day here. We know the whole community joins us in this welcome.

Arnall Will Speak At FMC Monday P. M.

The Hon. Ellis Arnall, former Governor of Georgia, and one of the South's outstanding statesmen, will speak at Flora Macdonald college on Monday evening, April 18, at 8:15.

Mr. Arnall, who has been termed "the most dynamic figure in the United States today," was the youngest governor ever elected to any state, and his wife the nation's youngest "first lady."

His political career began in 1932 when he was elected to the General Assembly of Georgia and was chosen presiding officer of the House of Representatives. In 1937, he was appointed assistant attorney general, and when the office of attorney general became vacant in '39, he was appointed to fill it, and in 1940 was re-elected without opposition. In the 1942 Democratic primary he defeated Eugene Talmadge for governor of Georgia, and was elected in the general election to the gubernatorial post that the SATURDAY EVENING POST referred to him as "Georgia's New Peach." In 1942, the Junior Chamber of Commerce of the United States named him one of the ten outstanding young men of the year.

Comments from the Press: "Former Governor Arnall is fast becoming the South's greatest

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Chairman Gives Detailed Report On Red Cross

County Chairman, Israel Mann, this week submitted a complete report on the Red Cross fund drive recently concluded in this County. He gave the quotas for each community and the amount so far turned in by all that have reported. The county's total quota was \$1686 and the amount raised in the county was \$1770.56.

Shown below is a break-down of the drive in the county with the quota and the amounts turned in following.

Community	Quota	Amount
Sanatorium	\$125	\$127.25
Pine Forest	\$ 75	\$ 37.00
Turnpike	\$ 40	\$ 25.25
Blue Springs	\$ 75	\$ 19.50
Allendale	\$ 75	\$ 47.50
Antioch	\$100	\$100.05
Dundarrach	\$ 75	\$ 77.00
Arabia	\$ 50	\$ 26.05
Wayside	\$100	\$ 3.00
Mill Village	\$ 50	\$ 13.85
Raeford		
White Schools		\$ 22.25
Business Sect.	\$750	\$755.00
NW Section	\$ 50	\$ 59.25
NW Section	\$ 30	\$ 35.00
SE Section	\$ 50	\$ 76.25
Colored Schools	\$200	\$256.36

Mr. Mann expressed himself as being well pleased with the way the folks in the county cooperated in the drive and that the county had, as usual, exceeded its quota.

His statement was "I would like to take this chance to express my sincere appreciation to the chairmen and workers who served so well to make the drive a success. Also, in behalf of the nation-wide Cross and the Hoke county, I extend my most sincere thanks for the wonderful support and help by the people of the

Shrine Club Sponsors Sale Of Easter Seals

The annual Easter Seal Sale drive for crippled children and adults, sponsored by the Raeford Shrine Club, opens April 14th and will continue through April 28th.

When the people of Hoke County buy 1949 Easter Seals they provide services for physically handicapped persons right here in the county.

The services include: transportation to hospitals, clinics, and schools, hospitalization, artificial limbs, braces, special shoes, wheel chairs, hearing aids, hospital beds, dental care, general medical care, and special training classes for children who are unable to attend school.

Last year the local chapter assisted 4 children with special medical and hospital care, 2 children with speech correction, 3 adults with transportation to Duke Hospital, 3 children with special built shoes, 2 adults and 1 child with artificial limbs, 2 children with braces, and 2 adults, helplessly crippled from arthritis were furnished with special built wheel chairs.

In order for all to see how this contributions for this worthy cause have been used, several of these appliances have been borrowed and they are now on display at the Raeford Furniture Company. The public is invited to examine this display and make a liberal contribution to this worthy cause. Those who know of a crippled child who is not receiving needed services are asked to advise the welfare department.

Specialist Will Show Methods Of Making Clothes

Miss Julia McIver, Extension Specialist in Clothing, will give a special interest demonstration on Commercial methods in Clothing Construction on Tuesday, April 19 at 2:30 P. M. in the Ladies Parlor of the Raeford Presbyterian Church. Anyone interested in new methods in sewing is cordially invited to be present at this meeting. Those attending are asked to bring a seven inch skirt zipper, a few scraps of cotton material, pins, needles, thimble, sewing thread, scissors and tape line.

The demonstration is planned especially for Home Demonstration Club members but anyone in the county is invited and it is hoped that a large crowd will be present, says Josephine Hall, Home Demonstration Agent.

TOWN ELECTION

In spite of the fact that most people here are not interested in the general election of officials of the town of Raeford is announced. It will take place on Monday, May 2, 1949. Democratic candidates were chosen in the "primary" last week.

Citizens who vote in the town elections must be registered as voters on the town registration books. Registration on the books of the county does not entitle a citizen to vote in the town election. Registration books of the town will be open from Saturday, April 16 to Saturday, April 23, inclusive.

Group Enjoys "Justice Supper" Tuesday P. M.

About 200 legionnaires, high school boys and other guests did justice to a chicken supper prepared by W. L. Poole and committee at the American Legion's "Charlie Justice Supper" at the school gym Tuesday night.

Feature of the evening, of course, was the appearance and talk of Charlie Justice, all-American halfback of the University of North Carolina football team. Justice was introduced by Jake Austin, alumnus of the University, and following his talk he presented a film showing the Sugar Bowl game January 1, 1949, in New Orleans.

The film was in technicolor and also included other sports in the Sugar Bowl sports carnival.

Business taken up by the post included a decision to let the County Board of education take over the ball park here with the lights and what is owed on them.

Recorder Fines Chicken Thief And Others Tuesday

Judge Henry McDiarmid fined Wilbert Harris, colored, \$10 and the court costs Tuesday morning after finding him guilty of stealing a chicken. Harris denied the theft and \$1.50 of the fine was to be used to pay for the chicken, which had been eaten or otherwise disposed of and could not be returned.

James McKay, colored, was charged with disposing of mortgaged property. He got straight with the man with the mortgage and had to pay the costs.

Lonnie Leake, colored, for careless and reckless driving, got 90 days suspended on payment of the costs and a \$100 repair bill.

Calvin Scott, white, was found guilty of having improper lights on his tractor and had to pay the costs. A. L. Henderson, white of Moore county, who hit Scott, pleaded guilty of careless and reckless driving and paid the costs and \$75 for damages to the tractor.

John McPhatter, colored, paid the costs for assaulting his wife.

W. A. Brown, white of Moore county, paid the costs for driving with improper license plates.

M. B. McLaughlin, white, paid the costs for violating the prohibition laws.

Thomas Yeomans, Hubert Cameron and James R. King, all white, each paid \$25 and the costs for not having driver's licenses.

Frank Diggs, colored, got 30 days suspended on payment of the costs for being drunk and disorderly.

Wade McDougald, white, paid the costs for having improper brakes.

John P. Purcell, colored, and his wife, Mary Jane Purcell, were charged with violating the prohibition laws. The State took a nol pro in the case against John and Mary got 30 days suspended on payment of the costs.

John Ray, colored, paid \$10 and the costs for having improper equipment on his car.

W. E. Lamber, white of Washington, D. C., paid the costs for passing on a hill.

James J. Boosalis, white of Cumberland county, left a \$25 bond for speeding. Four transients also left bond of \$25 each for speeding.

BAPTIST SERVICE SUN.

The Rev. Judson Lennon, assistant pastor of Grace Baptist church of Durham, will deliver the sermon at the morning worship service at the Raeford Baptist church next Sunday. The new organ was installed in the church this week and will be used Sunday morning for the first time.

PRESBYTERY'S WOMEN OF THE CHURCH TO MEET HERE FRIDAY

SPEAKER



Pictured above is the Rev. W. F. Junkin, Jr., missionary to China who was born in China and who will speak to the Women of the Church of Fayetteville Presbytery at their meeting at the Raeford Presbyterian church tomorrow.

Mr. Junkin's parents, Dr. and Mrs. William F. Junkin, were missionaries to China under the Southern Presbyterian church for 46 years. He was in China from 1940 until 1941 and was interned by the Japanese in the Philippines from 1941 until 1945.

W. P. Benner, Local Man's Father, Dies

William Penn Benner, 64-year-old farmer and business man of Carthage, died at Moore county hospital at 11:15 p. m. last Wednesday of a heart attack. He had been in declining health for several months. He was the father of C. J. Benner of Raeford.

In addition to farming interests, Mr. Benner was the owner of three motion picture houses in Moore county.

Funeral service was conducted at the Carthage Baptist church at three o'clock Friday afternoon by Rev. Otis Hagler, pastor, and the Rev. Otis Hagler, pastor, and the Carthage Presbyterian church. Burial followed in the Cross Hill cemetery. The deceased was a member of the Carthage Baptist church for 50 years.

Surviving are his widow; two sons, C. J. Benner of Raeford and W. G. Benner of Carthage; one daughter, Mrs. R. B. Moore of Carthage, and eight grandchildren.

Presbytery At Antioch Church Next Tuesday

Following the meeting of the Women of the Church of Fayetteville Presbytery here tomorrow, the Presbytery will be held at the Antioch Presbyterian church next Tuesday, April 19. The session will convene at 10:00 o'clock.

Retiring moderator is the Rev. W. S. Golden, pastor of the Carthage Presbyterian church.

The Rev. James Appleby, former pastor of the Maxton Presbyterian church and now an instructor at the Union Theological seminary in Richmond, Va., will address the session on the subject of "Evangelism."

The delegates will be served dinner at the church and will hold another session in the afternoon.

PARSONAGE GOING

The old Methodist parsonage on Main street has just about disappeared this week under the direction of Neill McNeill. Carl Morris had originally bought the structure for the lumber in it but sold out because of his health.

About 600 Women Representing 80 Churches Expected To Attend

The Women of the Church of Fayetteville Presbytery are holding their annual meeting today and Friday, April 14 and 15, 1949 at the Presbyterian Church in Raeford.

The Executive Board will meet on Thursday at 2:30 p. m. in the Presbyterian Church at Raeford. The meeting of the Business Women will be a supper meeting Thursday night which will be held at Antioch Church (between Raeford and Red Springs). Registration for the night meeting will begin at 6:30 and supper will be served at 7:00 followed by the program. The Friday sessions will start at 9:30 a. m. with registration in the Presbyterian Church in Raeford and the program will start at 10:00 o'clock.

At both sessions the program will be varied and inspirational. Mrs. S. H. Askew of the Woman's Committee in Atlanta will teach the Bible at both sessions. Rev. William F. Junkin, Jr., one of the outstanding Missionaries to China will speak on "China Today." Mrs. W. A. Dixon will speak on "Women of the Church," and Mrs. George U. Baucom, Jr., member of the Committee on Woman's Work will speak on various current projects of the Women of the Church. Mrs. Halbert N. Jones will speak on Christian Education.

Reports of the year's work and plans for the new year will be made at these meetings.

UNC Vs USC In Laurinburg Saturday Nite

Laurinburg—The Universities of North and South Carolina, two of the ranking baseball powers of the Southern Conference, will trade hits and runs at Legion Park here Saturday night, April 16th. Game time is set for 8 o'clock.

Both schools are blessed with better than average diamond aggregations this season and, along with Wake Forest, are rated top contenders for Conference honors.

Coach Petosky's Gamecocks already hold a pair of victories over Duke and an even split with tough Michigan State while the Tarheels, coached by Bunn Hearn and Walter Rabb, have a clean slate except for a 2-all draw with Michigan State. Carolina victims include Florida, V. P. I. and the Michigan States.

Despite the loss of such stars as Pitcher Vinnie DeLorenzo, the two Jims, Hayworth and Kelly, and Emmett Cheek, the slugging catcher, the Tarheels are over average strength.

Dean, Cassell, sophomore right-hander; Tommy Andrew and Bub Blair, who turned in seven victories a year ago, and Andy Travitch, a converted backstop, head the pitching staff.

Will Hobbs at first base and slick fielding Rip Ryan at short stop are back from last year's Big Four champions with newcomers Stanley Goodman and John Senter rounding out the infield at second and third.

Zero Allen, Lester Couch and Ed Lamb have earned outfield berths while Sid Varney and Charlie Garganus handle the catching duties.

Pitching holds the key for the Gamecocks with Etterman, Frank Sherer, Bill Camp and John Szakacs anchoring a so-so mound staff. There's still plenty of power in the lineup despite the loss of Harry Parone and Joe Johnston, a pair of 300 hitters.

Jack Couch, football co-captain, (Continued on page 4)