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Addenda -

By Sam Morris

K. A. MacDonald, Superintendent of Schools for Hoke County asked me to come by the courthouse last Friday afternoon for a talk on the school section of the paper to come out on Sept. 3rd. While we were discussing this matter W. T. Gibson came in. As Mr. Gibson is also writing an article for the special section we all continued the discussion. One thing led to another and finally insurance for school children was mentioned. Not having any children of school age I inquired into the cost per pupil and if it was of any benefit to the pupil.

This is a gist of what they told me. Last year the insurance compils in the schools of Hoke County who were either taken to a local doctor or to a hospital. In one case alone the company paid out over \$200. The cost of the insurance last year was 75 cents per pupil. Mr. MacDonald was Goldsboro spent Sunday with his telling Mr. Gibson that the rate parents, Mr and Mrs. J. A. Bauwould go up this year, maybe to \$2.00 per pupil. This may sound who had spent several days in like a big increase, but for the Raeford, returned with him. protection one gets it is actually small. Telling some one about the insurance that night he said, "It had a hospital bill of \$200. A. B. Dickson. Thought I would mention this, so when the kids come home wanting you to take out the insurance or bring a letter from their teacher you will have time between now and the opening of school to O. Langdon and family. think it over.

The following article headed "The Army Plans a Little Re-Privatization, too" taken from The National Chamber of Comgiven to me by J. L. McNeill. We think it will be of interest to our readers.

"Army Secretary Robert T. Stevens wants to get rid of som of the land the Army owns.

"And that's fine with the Na-tional Chamber which believes that all acquired land not necessary and useful for a clearly defined governmental purpose should be disposed of.

"Secretary Stevens' attitude was | Marietta disclosed in Senate Committee hearings on the \$500,000,000 Milli-Construction Bill which President Eisenhower signed last G. Wine and Mr. Wine in Bassett, week. The testimony showed that Virginia. Stevens has ordered the Army to make 'a complete review' of all the study will turn up acreage the Army doesn't need."

The 8th District YDC Rally will give the people of this county a chance to meet and hear Senator Alton A. Lennon of Wil- Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Monroe. mington for the first time since his appointment by Governor YDC Chairman, it states he will make the principal address in Mrs. Ryan McBryde. Southern Pines on Sept. 5th at the annual rally.

to write about someone will al- of Dillon, S. C. were week end ways come up with a "fish story." Jesse Peoples, one of the printers in the shop, brings the following back from Holden's Beach, where he went fishing last week end along with W. C. Odom, Kermit Wood, W. M. Ridge and Jim

Reynolds. It seems that Mr. Odom, local barber, lassoed a fish. In other words he brought in the fish without bait or book, only the line was around it. This is Peo-

ples' story, not mine. They caught approximately 400 fish on the trip which is no tale. Fish was on the menu at my house Monday.

The boss will be back next week so I will lose my job as a writer. If my other duties are satisfactory for another year same for two weeks next year. | and Mrs. John Buoyer.

Firing At Aerial Target



A gun crew from Battery A, local guard unit, is shown fir- Gore ing the multi 50 caliber machine guns on the firing range at Camp Stewart, Ga. The man with the flag is Lt. Talmadge English, of Raeford. When the flag is up firing is permitted gree in Primary Education from pany paid out over \$3000 to pu- at the target, but when it is lowered the gun must cease Appalachian State Teachers Col-

PERSONALS

Dr. Howard A. Baucom of com. His little daughter, Debbie,

Mrs. Paul Dickson and Anne spent the week end at Topsail is like a nickel bet." Guess he is Beach with Mrs. H. L. Gatlin, Jr. right. Most of us would not miss Anne remained for a longer visit the \$2.00 but it would hurt if we with Mrs. Gatlin and Dr. and Mrs.

> Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Overby of Benson and Mrs. J. W. Broughton and Mrs. M. H. Langdon of Raleigh spent Sunday with Mrs. H.

Misses Jeanette and Bonnie Mc-Lauchlin, Mrs. A. M. McLauchlin of Conover and Mrs. Clarkson Stevenson of Chester, S. C. spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. merce Washington Report was T. S. McLauchlin in Winter Haven, Florida.

> Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Thomas went to Arapahoe on Saturday to get Crawford, Jr., who has been attending Camp Don-Lee there. They all spent Saturday and Sunday at Atlantic Beach.

Mrs. Adelyne Johnson and Miss Reba Roberts returned Sunday from a visit with relatives at

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kluttz are visiting their daughter, Mrs. E.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomas of Norfolk, Virginia spent the week end with Mr. Thomas' aunt, Mrs. Harvey Cole.

Mrs. W. W. Hendrick and children of Kannapolis spent several days last week with her parents,

Mrs. A. R. Fitzsimmons and Umstead. In a letter from Al Lin.ia left Tuesday for their home Cruce of Aberdeen, 8th District at Macon, Georgia after a visit with Mrs. Fitzsimmon's mother,

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Moon and Sandra of Graham and Mr. and When news is short or nothing Mrs. H. C. Bethea and daughters guests of Mrs. W. E. Blue and family.

> week end in Charlotte with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lowe.

> Mrs. A. R. Morris and Mrs. William Lamont are spending today in Troy with Mrs. Morris' sister, Mrs. L. M. Russell.

Mrs. Douglas Tolar and children of Kinston are spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keith and children of Wadesboro spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Keith.

Mrs. Dewey Herring and chilmaybe the by-line will read the dren are visiting her parents, Mr.

Tobacco Prices Show Increase

Sale on the South Carolina and Border North Carolina flue-cured tobacco markets this week were marked by higher average prices for most grades and heavy volume at the majority of auction centers. Quality of offerings was not quite as good as the week before.

According to the United States and North Carolina Departments of Agriculture the increases ranged from 25c to \$6.00 per hundred Most, however, were from \$1.00 to \$4.00. Top quality grades in most instances were unchanged. Only a few small declines were recorded.

Gross volume this week totaled 45,592,106 pounds averaging \$55.24 per hundred. The average was \$1.59 above the previous high of last week. Sales for the season were raised to 117,822,031 pounds at an average of \$53.90. During the same number of sales days last year 86,208,721 pounds were sold for an average of \$53.80.

Quality of offerings was a little lower because of an increase in the percentage of poor and low leaf. The proportion of leaf was considerably larger with less lugs and primings. Bulk of marfair cutters, low and fair primings plished and all are reported to and nondescript.

Deliveries to the Flue-cured Stabilization Corporation under the Government loan program dropped this week to around 3.8 percent last week. Season re- at last term of court. ceipts were approximately 6.4 per

Many Children Under 18 Receiving Social Security Pay

More than a million children insurance payments, the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare reported today. Payments duties. for children amounted to 31 million dollars for the month of A. McDonald, Jr., Foreman and July. This information was furn- Archie Howard, Clerk. ished by Vernon D. Herbert, manager of the Fayetteville office of the Social Security Administration.

survivors insurance payments are pected to be complete. from families in which the father has died. Some, however, had JAP DAVIS ILL been dependent on working mothers, stepparents, or on adopting

The average payment to a child is ably improved. \$30.44 a month. Maximum payment for a family group is \$168.75 a month.

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Four Local Women Get College Degrees

Three colleges have reported that students from this county were receiving degrees at their Held Tuesday commencement exer

Miss Gwen Gore received her Masters Degree at Graduation Exercises held Saturday morning, August 22 at the University of Virginia. Miss Gore merited membership in Kappa Delta Pi, national honorary society. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Gore and Hal Miss Fannette Gore at Charlottesville, Virginia, where she was a summer student at the university, to attend the graduation exercises of Miss Gwen

Miss Belle Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Smith, received the Bachelor of Science delege at Boone on Wednesday, August 26. Miss Smith was unable to attend the graduation exercises as the Farmington School, where she teaches the first grade, opened on that day.

Mrs. T. C. Jones and Mrs. B. B. Cole received the Bachelor of Arts degree from High Point College at the summer graduation exercises which were held in the college auditorium Saturday, August 22, at 10:30 a. m.

Mrs. Cole will be a 7th grade eacher in Raeford and Mrs. Jones will teach in the Mildouson

Many relatives and friends from this section attended the exercises.

Grand Jury Report For August Court

The Grand Jury for the August erm of court made the following report to Judge W. H. S. Burg-

We have examined four bills four true bills.

ington, Justice of the Peace, and Alfred Cole, Mayor of the Town of Raeford, were examined and found to be in order.

At the April term of Superior Court, the Grand Jurors were instructed to inspect the school ketings was chiefly poor to good houses in their respective comleaf, low to good lugs, low and munities. This has been accombe in good condition. The Court House, jail, and county office building were inspected and found to be in good order. A new hot water system has been inpercent of gross sales against 6.1 stalled in the jail as recommended

> records of the Clerk of the Court, and the financial condition of the county isterial students at Davidson Colwere examined and found to be in order. It was not felt necessary to examine any of these at this term.

We are very grateful to his under 18 years of age are now Honor Judge W. H. S. Burgwyn receiving monthly social security and Solicitor Malcolm B. Seawell for their help and assistance to us in the performance of our

This report was signed by N

HURTS HAND AT WORK

W. E. (Web) Blue had the mis-About 85,000 of the children are fortune to crush his hand last dependent of men or women who Friday afternoon while at work Mrs. Luke Bethune spent the receive old-age insurance pay- at Robbins Mill. He was taken ments, and approximately 918,000 to Moore County Hospital where of them receive payments as sur- it was discovered that he had viving dependents of deceased fractured several bones in his parents. Most of those who receive wrist and hand. Recovery is ex-

Marshall (Jap) Davis, Racford native, who is now working in The amount of each benefit de- Fayetteville, suffered a heart atpends on the average earnings of tack Monday. He is a patient at the person whose work was cov- a Fayetteville hospital. Latest reered by the social security law, port was that he was consider-

Mrs. R. C. Andrews and Miss Maggie Jane McBryde attended Where children are entitled to the Livingston-Howard wedding Baptist Church.

Funeral For Rev. Silas A. Ewart



REV. SILAS A. EWART

The Rev. Silas Ardrie Ewart pastor of Shiloh and Bethel Presbyterian Churches, died Saturday night at the Sanatorium at Mc-Cain following a heart attack.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 at the Shiloh Church, conducted by the Rev. C. M. Gibbs of Fayetteville and the Rev. W. S. Golden of Carthage. The body was taken to the church one hour prior to the service. Burial was at 5 p. m., Tuesday, at the Mulberry Presbyterian Church cemetery at Charlotte, with the Rev. John Grier of Huntersville and the Rev. James Crooks of Charlotte officiating.

Mr. Ewart was born December 29, 1889, near Huntersville, son of Silas Manly and Billie Morris Ewart. He graduated from Davidson College in 1913 and from Louisville Presbyterian Seminary in 1916. He served as pastor of of indictment and have returned the following Presbyterian Churches: Mumfordville and Reports of Mrs. Helen S. Bar- Glasgow, Kentucky; First Church of Newton; Mulberry and McGee, Charlotte; Blackstock, Cornwell and Concord, S. C.; Cornelius and Bethel, Mecklenburg County, Hollywood and Chicod, Greenville; and Shiloh and Bethel in

Hoke County. Surviving are his wife, the former Ruth R. Cochran of Huntersville, a daughter, Mrs. Robert O. Byrum of Charlotte; two sons, Capt. James A. Ewart, an Army doctor, at San Antonio, Texas, and the Rev. Jack W. Ewart of Radford, Virginia; one sister and seven grandchildren.

The family requested that in into age groups. During the last term of court, lieu of flowers, contributions be made to the Silas A. Ewart Memorial scholarship fund for minlege.

Attending Wildlife Conference At Camp

Charlotte Posey, of Route 2 Raeford, and Nancy Faye Calhoun of Route 3, Raeford, are atending 4-H Wildlife Conference at Millstone 4-H Camp near Rockingham this week. Charlotte won a free trip to camp for her project in tree study, leaf printing, etc. The camp is sponsored by the Extension Service, the N. C. Department of Conservation and Development, and the Federal Cartridge Corporation. Two 4-H Club members from each county are eligible to attend.

CORRECTION

Marion Gatlin, lighting committee chairm of the town board, was misquoted. The part which poles and wires from Main street free to all youngsters. was not correct. Mr. Gatlin states that CP&L has not been asked MILDOUSON SING about this, but that this would be brought to their attention when their engineer come to talk the local board. The power company did say new lights and fixstreet free of charge.

Hoke High Gridders Training At Beach

The local high school football team under the direction of Coach Bob Rockholz left for Myrtle Beach Monday morning. There they will go through training to get in shape for their schedule ahead. They will hold two practices each day, in the morning and afternoon. Skull practice and swimming will also be on the schedule for each day.

So far the local gridders have six games on their schedule. Five these are at Armory Park The opening game is with Chadbourn on September 11, at the local field

With only six lettermen back from last year's team, Coach Rockholz has a tough job ahead. Approximately 20 boys are out for the team at present, but after school opens this number should be increased.

Woman Dies After Shooting In Harnett

Gertrude Swan, Negro woman of route 1. Raeford, died in the Harnett County Hospital in Dunn vesterday after being shot by Clifton McDougald, colored, also of route 1, Raeford. McDougald is being held in jail there without bond.

22 months on the roads for breaking and entering, Constable Mc-

Lamb of Benson stated. Dr. C. B. Codrington of Dunn stated that the bullet entered her left jaw and came out the right side of her neck. She had been unconcious in the Dunn hospital ince the shooting.

McLamb stated that he and officers attempted to arrest Mc-Dougald Saturday morning but that he ran and they were unable to catch him. Arrested later in the day, McDougald said that he was drunk when he shot the woman

A .32 caliber pistol was found on him at the time of arrest, Mc-

Lamb stated. They were among a group of Negroes taken from here to help narvest the tobacco crop in Harnett County.

Tennis Tourney Ends reckless driving. He was fined As Champs Crowned

The tennis tournament sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce was completed Friday night at the High School tennis courts. Play has been in progress for over a week and was divided

This was the first tournament sponsored by the Jaycees and they plan to make it an annual event. They plan to start earlier next summer and have more entries in each group.

Winners in the final round by age groups follows:

Girls under 12-Evans McNeill defeated Harriet Smith, Girls 12-15-Ann Bracey de feated June Hall.

Girls 15-18-Claudine Hodgin de feated Faye Dark. Boys under 12-Tom Cameron Jr. defeated Billy Bracey.

Boys 12-15-Jerry Williams de leated Sherrill Lackey. Boys 15-18-Lawrence McNeill,

Ir. over Bobby Davis. Men 18-80-Bill Howell over John McLauchlin.

A trophy was presented to each off to be engraved.

FISH RODEO

The Jaycee fishing rodeo for all boys in the county, 14 years old or under, will be held as the average. The theme for it In the News-Journal last week planned Friday, September 5th. The contest will open at 9 a. m. and close at 5 p. m. A fishing rod and reel will be awarded to the stated CP&L would move the catcher of the largest fish. It is he stated, instead of the other an-

The Annual Fifth Sunday Singing will be held at Mildouson over the lighting situation with School auditorium, August 30, ted to the N. C. Tuberculosis Sansponsors say they will have the monthly payments because of Sunday afternoon in the St. Pauls tures could be installed on Main best program since the singing have company during the regular began. Everyone is invited.

Big Court Ends With Several **Cases Not Tried**

Judge Burgwyn Presides

Judge W. H. S. Burgwyn, emergency judge from Woodland, presided at the regular August term of criminal and civil court here in the absence of Judge Q. K. Nimocks, Jr. who was called to Polk County. The term was concluded on Wednesday after-

Archie Thomas Ferguson, white, got a six months suspended sentence for non-support. He must pay the court costs and \$15 per week to the court for the support of two minor children.

Calvin R. Stanley, white, was charged with larceny of a car. He pled guilty and was sentenced to six months on the roads.

John Brown, colored, was charged with assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill. The jury found him guilty as charged and he was sentenced to serve not less than five nor more than

ten years in the State Prison. Carrie Lee McLauchlin, colored, was charged with murder. She pled guilty to involuntary manslaughter which was accepted by the State. She received a sentence McDougald previously served of five years in the Woman's Division of State Prison to be suspended on five years good behavior and payment of a \$250.00 fine; to pay \$50 at each November term of court and the court

costs to come out of the fine. Hurley Haley and Charles Walker, both colored, were charged with robbery with firearms. The State accepted a plea of guilty of conspiracy to rob and assault with a deadly weapon. Sentence was two years for each charge, sentence for the second charge to run concurrently with the first,

The case against Harold Layton, white, who was charged with violating the landlord-tenant act

was nol prosed with leave. William Haywood Faulk, white, was charged with driving drunk and careless and reckless driving. The State, on recommendation of the arresting officer, accepted a plea of guilty of careless and \$50 and the court costs.

Cases against Alton Odom and R. P. Lambert, charged with larceny, and against William Mc-Donald for assault with a deadly weapon, were continued again. An appeal by Roby Calloway for operating a car after his license was revoked was also continued. Other cases continued were: John McDiarmid McNeill, driv-

Johnnie Barber, driving drunk. One divorce was granted and two other civil cases were tried by the jury.

violation of landlord-tenant act;

MacDonald Gets 25-Year Award

K. A. MacDonald, school superintendent, received a 25 year continuous service pin at the Annual Superintendent Conference held at Mars Hill College August 11-14.

The pin is awarded to superintendents who have 25 years of continuous service in the schools of the state; 15 years must be served as a superintendent. Mr. winner and they have been sent MacDonald was one of the approximately 35 who received the award.

He states that the conference this year seemed a little above was "Better Instruction Through Administration." It seems that the school heads have been working mostly with new buildings, gles of education.

H. O. LANGDON ILL

H. O. Langdon, druggist at Howell Drug Company was admitbeginning at 2:00 p. m. The atorium at McCain on Friday. He is confined to his bed, but can visiting hours.