



**RAIN TOLL** — Wet roads and excessive speed were blamed for this one-car accident Monday. The driver was seriously injured but the investigating officer said his use of seat belts probably prevented death. The car overturned and skidded into a tree.

## Impact '76 Sets Goals For Hoke Extension Work

"Impact '76," a long-range extension program for the state, will be introduced Thursday in ceremonies in Raleigh attended by Governor Robert Scott and Chancellor Caldwell.

The kickoff ceremonies will be broadcast statewide from 2:07 to 2:28 p.m. and will be shown on Channel 4 at 6:30 p.m.

Hoke County extension workers have been busy during the past year formulating the county's own Impact '76 program.

The five-year goals are designed to help develop the county's economic, natural and human resources. Specific goals for Hoke County are:

To increase and improve livestock production;

To improve crop production and marketing;

To advance education in nutrition, clothing, housing and house furnishings;

To increase 4-H opportunities for youth;

To increase recreation, education and health information;

To educate for an improved environment.

The plan was developed over the past year with the help of extension homemakers, the extension advisory board, county commissioners, youth leaders and young people and county agri-business leaders, Wendell Young, county extension chairman explained. It will be formally inaugurated at a meeting Jan. 31.

He pinpointed some of the targets in agriculture over the next five years. These include helping farmers use some of the research information better and developing better marketing techniques such as use of the future market.

The homemakers will concentrate on nutrition education and housing needs, Mrs. Ellen Willis, county home extension agent said.

The statewide goals call for nearly 20 percent increase in gross farm income between 1970 and 1976. Most of the increases are expected in income from livestock, forestry, and horticultural crops.

## Bucks Lose To Pirates

The Lumberton Pirates held Raeford's top-scoring Russell Davis down to 16 points last Friday night to take the conference win 56 to 46.

It was the eighth straight win for Lumberton, who leads the SE3A Conference at 3-0. The Bucks have a 1-1 conference record now and stand 7-3 for the season.

The Bucks took the lead in the first quarter 6-4 on the Pirates home court but a Lumberton scoring spree outpaced Hoke 10 to 2 and gave the Pirates the lead 14 to 8 at the end of the period.

Lumberton increased their margin 28-18 at the half and 41-32 in the third quarter.

Top scorers for Lumberton were James McLean with 15, Art Lorick with 14 and Sam Robinson and Charlie Barnes with ten each.

High for Raeford were Davis with 16 and Matthew McGregor with 13.

Hoke JV's won their game 44-39.

Raeford — (46) — Davis 16, McGregor 13, Woods 9, Baldwin 4, Chandler 2, Hollingsworth 2, Morrison.

Lumberton — (56) — McLean 15, Lorick 14, Robinson 10, Barnes 10, Melvin 7, Britt Thorndyke, James, Guy, Rooks, Green.

## Social Security News

By C. V. Shelton, Field Representative  
Fayetteville Social Security Office

Since we recently started a new year, many of us have made resolutions relative to the things we do and the things we shouldn't do and our plans for our future lives.

One of the things that our older citizens make a decision about in the new year is whether to retire or not. This is a personal decision which the individual must make for himself. In arriving at a decision to retire or not, some of the factors to consider are the state of one's health, the availability of suitable employment and, perhaps one of the most important considerations, "Can I make it financially if I do retire?"

Thinking of retirement and the financial problems related to it naturally brings to mind the thought "What can Social Security do for me?"

Age 62 is the earliest age that a worker can retire under Social Security. The Social Security system provides a monthly, retirement insurance payment for both men and women beginning with the month in which age 62 is reached. Don't let me confuse you on this point. You do not have to wait until the month you are age 62 to inquire about what Social Security can do for you.

If you are thinking about retiring at age 62, you can inquire as early as 3 or 4 months before the month of your 62nd birthday. If you come and see us, we can give you the exact amount of your monthly Social Security check. Then, in your planning for your retirement you will know what Social Security can do for you at age 62, or at age 65 or at any age in between. The decision to file a claim will be yours, but you will have the exact information about your Social Security, and will be able to make the wisest decision about your retirement.

Come to see us or phone us at 483-2661 in Fayetteville for further information.

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## College Students

Academic honors at Western Carolina University have been conferred upon Gloria J. Stephens of 704 N. Stewart St., Raeford, according to an announcement by Dr. Albert F. Gilman III, assistant vice president for academic affairs.

Dr. Gilman said high academic honors were won by 1095 students on the dean's list for the fall quarter of the

## School Menu

**FRIDAY, JAN. 14**  
Spaghetti W/Meat Sauce  
Steamed Cabbage-C  
Cornbread  
Pear Half  
Cookie  
Milk

**MONDAY, JAN. 17**  
Oven Fried Bologna  
Buttered Grits  
Sweet Potato Souffle-A&C  
Applesauce  
Biscuits  
Milk

**TUESDAY, JAN. 18**  
Sloppy Joe on Bun  
Slaw-C  
Succotash  
Snow Rockets  
Milk

**WEDNESDAY, JAN. 19**  
Ham  
Potato Salad  
Green Beans  
Angel Biscuits  
Chocolate Fudge Pudding  
Milk

**THURSDAY, JAN. 20**  
Vegetable Beef Soup-A&C  
Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandw.  
Crackers  
Cake  
Milk

## New Books In The Library

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| <p>Fiction</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Death in a Sunny Place. By Richard Lockridge.</li> <li>2. A Rose for Virtue. By Norah Loft.</li> <li>3. The Winds of War. By Herman Wouk.</li> <li>4. Don't Look Now. By Daphne Du Maurier.</li> <li>5. Listen for the Whisperer. By Phyllis A. Whitney.</li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Chess in a Nutshell. By Fred Reinfield.</li> <li>2. The Naked Children. By Daniel N. Feder.</li> <li>3. Parent Effectiveness Training. By Thomas Gordon.</li> <li>4. The Flaming Ship of Oeraoke &amp; other Tales Of The Outer Banks. By Charles N. Whedbee.</li> <li>5. Strange Things Happen. Bernice K. Harris.</li> </ol> |
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## Consolidated Report of Condition of

# The Bank of Raeford

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and

Domestic Subsidiaries

at the close of business on

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## ASSETS

1. Cash and due from banks (including \$157,400.87 unposted debits)	2,086,305.57
2. U. S. Treasury securities	3,822,601.01
3. Obligations of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	200,078.13
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	93,061.14
8. Other loans	1,828,675.05
9. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	55,725.23
13. Other assets	67,996.98
14. TOTAL ASSETS	8,154,443.11

## LIABILITIES

15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	4,279,574.00
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,502,198.23
17. Deposits of United States Government	46,850.44
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	55,632.44
21. Certified and officers' checks, etc.	12,779.65
22. TOTAL DEPOSITS	7,398,034.76
(a) Total demand deposits	4,782,752.46
(b) Total time and savings deposits	2,615,282.30
27. Other liabilities	212,247.30
28. TOTAL LIABILITIES	7,610,282.06

## CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

35. Equity capital, total	544,161.05
37. Common stock - total par value (No. shares authorized 30,000) (No. shares outstanding 11,094)	110,940.00
38. Surplus	350,000.00
39. Undivided profits	83,221.05
41. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	544,161.05
42. TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	8,154,443.11

## MEMORANDA

1. Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date 6,117,458.00
2. Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date 1,802,220.00
3. Unearned discount on instalment loans included in total capital accounts 58,228.24

I, R. B. Lewis, President, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct Attest: R. B. Lewis  
J. H. Austin  
W. L. Howell, Jr.  
J. L. McNeill  
DIRECTORS

Total Deposit of the State of N. C. or any official thereof \$15,141.88  
State of North Carolina, County of Hoke

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of January, 1972, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

My commission expires August 21, 1975. Edith S. Pickler, Notary Public.

Continued progress in agricultural income will depend on how well farmers meet such challenges as labor shortages and mechanization, environmental concerns, urbanization and changing markets. Farmers will have to do a better job of managing farm labor, credit, and soil and water resources.

The disposal of animal wastes and the control of pests without polluting the environment are other challenges faced by farmers. Also, many production units need to be larger, or farmers must learn to increase the production of specialty commodities on their present

land. Under Impact '76 the Extension Service will try to double - to over 200,000 - the number of young people reached through 4-H type programs. The 4-H program will be modernized where needed in an effort to reach both rural and urban youngsters, especially those who do not belong to any youth organization.

Extension home economists will use a double barrel approach to help families achieve a more effective and satisfying way of life.

First, home economists will provide information on such

subjects as consumer competence, health, ecology and family relationships to all families.

Second, emphasis will be placed each year on programs that are tailored to the needs of specific family groups. Emphasis the first year will be placed on young adults who are just starting their own home. Emphasis the second year will be placed on families with preschool children. Families with children ages 6 to 12 will receive attention the third year. Families with teenagers will get special attention next, and the fifth year older citizens will be singled out for special emphasis.

Impact '76 places much emphasis on North Carolina's many disadvantaged citizens. Efforts will be made to reach the disadvantaged through 4-H type programs. Also, home economists will make a special effort to help the disadvantaged with nutrition and housing problems. In addition, North Carolina still has many agricultural opportunities for families with limited resources. These opportunities will be pointed out vigorously.

Through its community resource development program, Extension can help rural communities and small towns through organizational assistance, leadership training and economic analyses. Extension will also help to promote vocational training, health, recreation, water and sewer facilities.

Problems caused by animal wastes, pesticides, trash and garbage disposal and poor land use will be tackled in an effort to preserve the environment.

This is the third long-range extension plan developed by the state, Young said. North Carolina extension workers have found the planning valuable in obtaining appropriations from Congress and in pinpointing problems and goals for extension work, he said. First begun to include only agriculture planning, the last five-year program added family living goals and this program has added environmental planning.

A book giving the program for the county in detail has been prepared by the extension staff and leaflets giving a brief outline will be distributed throughout the county.

and, in the State of North Carolina, 34 per 1,000. In actual numbers, there are 89 divorced men in the local area and 85 divorced women.

The probability of remarriage is apparently quite different for the men than for the women. For every divorced man who was still eligible for remarriage in 1970, there were two divorced women who had not remarried.

Census officials conclude that men have greater opportunities to remarry and greater inclinations to do so.

Sample surveys have been made to determine how many people were once in the divorced column but have since remarried. In general, it was found, there are approximately 2.5 such persons for every one who is currently divorced.

On that basis, it is estimated that there are about 440 men and women in Hoke County who had previously been divorced.

On December 7, 1941, the day Japan's attack on Pearl Harbor brought the United States into World War II, Ernest O. Lawrence produced the first appreciable amount of enriched uranium 235, the fissionable element needed for the atomic bomb, often credited with bringing an end to the war, according to the National Geographic Society's book, "Those Inventive Americans."

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