from Tabernacle or Galatia

ation Bible School leaders of Grove Church have been weekly to make plans for their lich is to begin June 9 and and is to begin June 9 and end

Church honored their senior at the morning worship service and had a covered dish picnic They also observed the arrival of v. and Mrs. Gordon Ruggles' first dd, a daughter, Emily Jane, born on turday, May 17. tars. J.E. Wood got home last week

a long time in the hospital and in Fear Nursing Center. She is glad to home and appreciates so much the copie did for her and her husband hile she was away. Mrs. A.W. Wood was a dinner guest of

r. and Mrs. Wilton Wood and children of Raeford, Sunday.

Mrs. Cecil Reynolds had a shower unday afternoon for Mrs. W.T. Cox, cent bride. Mrs. Cox received many gifts and everyone wishes for her a

long and happy married life.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cameron and grandson, Cam Miller of Wilmington, stopped by to say hello to Mrs. George Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Koonce and Mr. and Mrs. B.B. Bostic on their way home from the Cameron reunion. F.C.H.

Mrs. Jesse Lee of the Rockfish Family Care Home reports that all of them attended the Homecoming and preaching service at Whispering Pines Church, Sunday. Tommy Ray's sister, Miss Mary Ray,

who spent some time as a patient at the Sanatorium, is back at the Home now and much improved. The new lady at the Home is Miss Clara Anderson. She can walk with help. Mrs. Lee's husband, Jesse, is improving since having back surgery. He is to have more of the same later on.

later on.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Powell and daughters, Angela and Cindy, accompanied Mrs. Dewey Sessoms to Greenville, S.C., Sunday, to see her grandchildren, Ronald and Teresa Turner.

Daniel Berry and his father-in-law, Riley Willis, went to the beach for fishing Monday and Tuesday.

Harold Tillman, who works on

Harold Tillman, who works on televisions, says it is news that he has planted a garden this spring, for the first

time in five years.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McKeithan's
Sunday afternoon guests were Mr. and
Mrs. Willie McKeithan of Fayetteville.

Mrs. M.S. Gibson and children, Joy
and Ricky, visited her aunt, Mrs. Betty
Sessoms of Vander, where they were
having a family reunion last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Johnson of
Fayetteville were guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Alfred Long, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Nellie McFadyen visited her
aunt, Mrs. Minnie McMillan, 95, of
Route 1, Raeford, last Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Irby and children,
Susan and Angela of Springfield, Mo.,
came last Friday to spend about two
weeks with her mother, Mrs. Gilbert

weeks with her mother, Mrs. Gilbert Ray, and children, Bobby and Kathy.

Mrs. Evelyn Brock of Red Springs

and Mrs. Nelia Brock were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Long, Sunday. Mrs. Dan Bradshaw of Fayetteville and Mrs. Weldon Guin of Carthage were sitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Long last Saturday morning

Demos Will Meet On Delegate Pick

Democrats of the 7th Congressional District have been summoned to a meeting Thursday evening, May 22 for public review and comment on their plan for the selection of delegates to the 1976 National Democratic Convention.

The meeting, scheduled for 7:30 p.m. at the Superior Courthouse No. 1 in Lumberton, will provide a forum for acquainting Democrats of the District with changes in delegate selection procedures as mandated by their National Committee and as affected by the State presidential primary.

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SUNDAY

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pc tub with slaw & rolls

\$4.00

BAKED BEANS

POTATO SALAD

FAMILY PACK

Mrs. W.H. Schell of Lumber Bridge and Mrs. Virginia Bounds of Red Springs visited Mrs. Ethel D. Gibson Monday afternoon. Mrs. Dessie Tyndall of Fayetteville was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tillman and sons Harold and David the

Rockfish News

Tillman and sons, Harold and David, the

past Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Hobson spent the past weekend at Holden Beach.

The Philippi Extension Homemakers Club met at the home of Mrs. Ray Jones Monday night with very good

Mrs. Nelia Brock's sister-in-law, Mrs.

Evelyn Brock of Red Springs, came last Wednesday and stayed with Mrs. Brock and the June Rogers family until Monday this week.

Mr. and Mrs. June Rogers and sons, Keith and Craig, spent last Sunday at Myrtle Beach, S.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shepley and some of their family attended graduation exercises at Wingate College Sunday when their daughter, Sherry, graduated. Joan and Linda Sue and Sherry went up Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Shepley and sons, Randy and Johnny, went Sunday.

Area Incidents

Burglars Hit Monday

Julian Johnson III, Rt. 1, Raeford reported his home was entered in a daylight break-in Monday and losses amounted to \$1,673.00, according to

the complaint. Entry was apparently made by removing the glass in a sliding door. Three rifles, a revolver, two guitars, a television, amplifier, a woman's wedding band, and \$8 in cash were taken.

Mrs. Addie Duck, Rt. 2, Raeford, reported her home was burglarized Monday. No report was available Tuesday at the sheriff's department and no details were learned.

Ronda Kennedy, Rt. 4, Raeford, complained two ceramic elephants valued at \$100 were stolen out of her yard at the Green Pines Park early

Tuesday morning.
In other reports filed, Charlie
Pendergrass, Rt. 3, Raeford reported a
ton of fertilizer valued at \$131 was stolen from his farm sometime Thursday night.

City police reported an undetermined

amount of money was removed from a safe at the McLauchlin Co. on Main Street sometime Saturday.

Ray Jones, an employee, said four money bags which contained bank checks and charge receipts along with cash were taken sometime before 4 p.m. The safe had been left unlocked during

store hours, Wiggins said.

Sometime Saturday night the glass was broken out of a vending machine at Hughes Texaco station on Main Street. About \$2.60 worth of candy was taken.

Jimmy West, 309 East Prospect Ave., complained to police a TV set was stolen from his car Saturday while it was parked at his home. West told police the car had been left locked.

Allen Edwards, Hoke High school principal, reported to police an apparent entry at the high school. Edwards notified police at 12:05 a.m. Monday he found thy padlock off a west door and the lunchroom entered. Apparently nothing was taken, Police Chief Leonard Wiggins said.

SCS Activities

F. O. Clark, District Conservationist

Governor James E. Holshouser, Jr., has proclaimed the week of May 4-11, 1975 as Soil Stewardship Week in North

In calling attention to the need for the conservation of our soil resources, Governor Holshouser cited the wide of environmental developments which have altered the American scene, called for the understanding of the origins and consequences of these developments, and urged responsible to conserve all our valuable natural resources.

Mr. D.R. Huff, Chairman of the Hoke Soil and Water Conservation District, commented on the action taken by the Governor by emphasizing the importance of soil resources in our day to day lives. "Soil is a basic natural resource - along with water, air, and sunlight - on which all living creatures depend. The homes we live in, the Factories and business establishments we work in, the roads we travel on, the clothes on our backs, and the food we eat are dependent either directly or indirectly on the soil. Through this observance we hope to draw attention to the importance, not only of adequate protection of these soil resources, but also protection of all natural resources to insure that succeeding generations have the same opportunities we have

The text of the Governor's

roclamation is as follows: WHEREAS, the quality of life depends upon the conservation, wise use, and proper management of the soil and

water resources; and WHEREAS, it is our moral obligation, as stewards of the earth over which we have been given domain by the Almighty Creator, to use and to protect it for future generations; and WHEREAS, the ninety-two Soil and

Water Conservation Districts in North Carolina provide a practical democratic organization through which the landowners of North Carolina are

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taking the initiative to conserve and preserve proper uses of these resources;

WHEREAS, this can only accomplished by every individual acting in a responsible and forthright manner to conserve and preserve our valuable natural resources, upon which all life depends; NOW THEREFORE, I, the Governor of

North Carolina, do hereby proclaim the week of May 4-11, 1975, to be SOIL STEWARDSHIP WEEK IN NORTH CAROLINA and commend this observance to all citizens.

For more information you can contact your local Soil Conservationist whose office is located in the Post Office Building in Raeford.

Commissioner Hospitalized

County commissioner J.A. Webb has been hospitalized in the mental health center at Moore Memorial Hospital in Pinehurst, a spokesman said Tuesday.

His condition is listed as satisfactory.
Webb, who is in his 80's was re-elected to the board in 1972, on which he has served for 16 years. He did not attend this month's regular meeting.

School Menu

FRIDAY, MAY 23 Beef Vegetable Soup A,C Crackers Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich Or Toasted Cheese Cinnamon Bun

Menus - May 26 thru June 6 will be made by eac

Tots Chosen By Church

Winners were named recently in the South Freedom AME Zion Church baby

First place went to Latonya Patrice Ross, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ross.

A tie for runner-up was awarded to Terry Carpenter, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carpenter and Carnious Kelly, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Parnell

Coaches Needed For Baseball

Volunteer coaches for Little Tar Heel League baseball teams are badly needed, Recreation Director W.K. Morgan said.

A league meeting for all boys ages 10
- 12 (if 10 before Aug. 1 or not 13
before Aug. 1) will be held Saturday
morning at 10 a.m. at Armory Park.
Players must bring birth certificates.
A youth softball meeting will be held
May 22 at 7 p.m. at Armory Park. All
boys who will be in the sophomore class
or cider are eligible.

Mrs. Will Monroe's sister, Mrs. Garnet Emory, and her daughter, Mrs. Louise Aiken, came Sunday. Mrs. Aiken returned home Sunday p.m. and Mrs. Emory is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Monroe.

Will Monroe entered Cape Fear Valley Hospital Monday to have cataracks removed from his eyes

Guests of Mrs. Will Monroe last week on Thursday were Mrs. Alma Parker of Laurinburg and Mrs. George Dees. On

Friday, Miss Nellie McFadyen and Mrs.
Louise Watson of Rockfish visited her.
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Overton had all
their children and most of their
grandchildren visit them at different
times last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Overton and children, Sherry and Mark,
were their suppose greets. were their supper guests; Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Guy and sons, Tony and Mark, also visited them.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Caddell of Raeford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Overton on Monday a.m.
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Caddell Saturday were their grandson, Michael Sharp of Ash, and Miss Juanita Bland of Longwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl J. Hare and daughters, Elizabeth, Emily and Nancy of Charlotte, visited her mother, Mrs. Mary McInnis, and her brother, Thomas, for a short time Sunday. They left early in the afternoon in order to visit his stepfather J.A. Webb at Moore Memorial Hospital and his mother at the home of her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. D.F. McInnis of Raeford

visited his aunt, Miss Lucy Smith, at the Sanatorium Sunday afternoon. They found her "about the same."

Thomas McInnis took his mother and Mr. and Mrs. J.E. McInnis out to supper at Rowland's last Saturday night. There was a thunderstorm and heavy rain while they were there.

Mrs. Vanick Bombatepe and sons, Halis and John of Goldsboro, and Mr. Halis and John of Goldsboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Simpson and children, Lester III, Douglas and Lisa Jo of Charlotte, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lovette of Puppy Creek. Mrs. Marshall Newton of Puppy Creek spent last Saturday and Sunday with her grandchildren Lisa and Jeffrey

Brisson of St. Pauls while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brisson, were in Winston-Salem.

T.C. Jones who has been a patient at the Sanatorium for some time is at

Mrs. Mary Shewbridge went home with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Simpson and children last Sunday p.m. Comment

If Rockfish news is a little short this week, it's because Mother's Day was so important and soon it will be Father's Day. They should be honored everyday of the year.

Legals

LEGAL NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA HOKE COUNTY

Notice is hereby given that the Town Council of the Town of Raeford, North Carolina will conduct a full and open public hearing on June 2, 1975 at the Town Hall in Raeford, North Carolina at 7:30 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of granting a Cable Television franchise and to consider the application of North Carolina Cable T.V. Company, Inc., doing business as Raeford Cablevision Company, and to consider the adoption of a franchise ordinance which will

on a francise ordinance which was contain the following rates:

A. Install Drop \$14.00; B. Install Additional Drops 2.50 each; C. Install FM Music 2.50; D. First Month Charge (free) 0.00; E. Monthly Charge - 1st Set 4.80; F. Monthly Charge - 2nd Set or more 1.00 each; G. FM Monthly Charge (only with CATV) 0.00; H. Relocate Drop in Home 5.00; I. Customer moves to new home (existing CATV wire in home) 4.00; J. Customer moves to new home (no CATV in home) 5.00; K. Reconnect TV to Cable after disconnect (plus balance due, if any) 4.00; L. Customer will notify CATV Co. when moving (for disconnect) 0.00; M. Cable in home remains property of CATV Company; N. FM Music Monthly Charge 1.00

Any and all interested persons and citizens of Raeford are invited to appear and they will be heard. This 19 day of May, 1975.

JOHN D. GADDY, City Manager R. PALMER WILLCOX, City Attorney 3-4C

NOTICE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE DISTRICT COURT DIVISION 75 CV 024 NORTH CAROLINA HOKE COUNTY

PORTER BROTHERS, INC.

JOHN JOSEPH BELL and MARTHA BELL, d/b/a CROSSROADS GROCERY,

Defendants TO JOHN JOSEPH DEFENDANT: TAKE NOTICE that a pleading seking relief against you has been filed the above entitled action.

follows:

"Recovery of \$6,678.08 owed on a
Note Account and \$585.25 owed on an
Open Account to the Plaintiff."

LEGALS

You are required to appear, answer or demur to such pleadings not later than June 21, 1975, and upon your failure to do so, the Plaintiff seeking service against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

This the 26th day of May, 1975.

Robert D. Jacobson Attorney for Plaintiff
I. Murchison Biggs. P.A.

Attorneys at Law 304 East Fifth Street Lumberton, North Carolina 28358

NOTICE

"The tentative budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975 of Hoke County was on May 16, 1975 presented to the Hoke County Board of Commissioners, and is available for public inspection in the office of T.B.
Lester, Jr., Clerk to the Board. A public hearing will be held at 7:30 P.M. on June 9, 1975 in the courtroom of Hoke County Courthouse, at which time any persons who wish to be heard on the budget may appear. T.B. Lester, Jr., Budget Officer"

NOTICE FORECLOSURE NORTH CAROLINA HOKE COUNTY

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed by ARNOLD McRAE and his wife WILLIE MAE McRAE, dated 23rd of June 1966, and recorded in Book 140 page 511, Hoke County Registry, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and said deed of trust being by the terms thereof details to foredowne the undersigned subject to foreclosure, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Raeford, North Carolina, at noon, on the 14th day of June, 1975, the property conveyed in said deed of trust, the same lying and being in the County of Hoke and State of North Carolina, in Raeford Township and near the city of Raeford, and more

particularly described as follows:
One (1) lot located about 1 mile north of Raeford, fronting 80 feet on the West side of Vass Road, to wit: Beginning at an iron stake (Jasper Daniels SE corner) in the western right of way of the Vass Road and running theory of the Vass Road and running theory. thence S 49-00 W 157 feet to a stake, oak pointers; thence S 73-30 E 95.5 ft. to an iron; thence N 49-00 E 106 feet to a stake; thence N 40-00 E 80 ft. to the beginning.

This sale will be made subject to all outstanding and unpaid taxes and a 10% (Ten percent) deposit will be required of the highest bidder.

Posted this May 10, 1975. Philip A. Diehl, Trustee

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of BESSIE BOYLES SMITH, Deceased, late of HOKE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned in ABERDEEN, NORTH CAROLINA, on or before the 21st day of NOVEMBER, 1975, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms or corporations indebted to this estate will

please make payment immediately.

DATED: This the 13th day of MAY, ELLIS P. SMITH Administrator Aberdeen, North Carolina 28315 JOHNSON and POOLE Post Office Box 1125 Aberdeen, North Carolina

CREDITOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of M.L. Maxwell Jr., deceased, late of Hoke County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before Oct. 15, 1975 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned

This the 15 day of May, 1975. R. Palmer Willcox Administrator Attorney - at - Law Raeford, N.C.

PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF RAEFORD HOKE COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA IN THE MATTER OF BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS Mr. Paul D. Morgan 114 West Donaldson Avenue Raeford, N.C.

You are hereby notified that an You are hereby notified that an application is now pending before the Board of Adjustment of Raeford, whereby the above named Mr. Paul D. Morgan is asking a variance be given by the Board of Adjustment allowing Mr. Paul D. Morgan to take bridal and announcement portraits and family group photos of the residents of Raeford, Also to process and print photographs for the Raeford

LEGALS

A public hearing will be held by the Board of Adjustment at the City Hall, on May 26th, 1975 at 7:30 P.M. All interested citizens are hereby requested to attend this public hearing and express your views and opinions for the benefit of the said Board of Adjustment.

The public notice to be published on 4 May 15th, and May 22nd, 1975. Raeford Board of Adjustment By: Jimmy Conoly Raeford Board of Adjustment

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EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA HOKE COUNTY

Having qualified as Executrix of the estate of Kate McK. McNeill of Hoke County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said Kate McK. McNeill to present them to the undersigned within of months from date of the publication of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make

immediate payment. This the 2nd day of May, 1975. Margaret McN. Stanton Route 1, Box 808, Raeford, N.C. 28376

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA HOKE COUNTY

Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Daniel Addison Brock of Hoke County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said Daniel Addison Brock to present them to the undersigned within of months from date of the publication of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make

immediate payment.

This the 2 day of May, 1975. James F. Brock 208 Adams St. Raeford, N.C. 28376

> EXECUTOR'S NOTICE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA HOKE COUNTY

Having qualified as Executrix of the estate of Lowndes M. Lester of Hoke County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said Lowndes M. Lester to present them to the undersigned within 6 months from date of the publication of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make

immediate payment.
This the 17 day of April, 1975.
Leanna McG. Lester P.O. Box 505, Raeford, N.C. 28376 52-3C

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE IN THE GENERAL COURT
OF JUSTICE
SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
HOKE COUNTY

Having qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Odell Hardin of Hoke County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said Odell Hardin to present them to the undersigned within 6 months from date of the publication of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make immediate payment.

This the 15 day of April, 1975. Emma R. Hardin 824 E. Donaldson Avenue Raeford, N.C. 28376

> ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA HOKE COUNTY

52-3C

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Malburn T. Edge of Hoke County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said Malburn T. Edge to present them to the undersigned within 6 months from date of publication of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make

immediate payment.
This the 8 day of April, 1975. Harvey Young N. Main St. Raeford, N.C. 28376

CREDITOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Walter L. Green Jr., deceased, late of Hoke County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before Nov. 1, 1975 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will

please make immediate payment to the

undersigned.
This the I day of May, 1975. Shade A. Green

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Attorneys - at - Law Raeford, N.C. 28376