



**ROCKFISH HOUSE** - The seldom used and in need of repair Rockfish Community House has come up for discussion again with talk of selling the building at auction or possibly moving it to another site.

**In District Court**

**Brief Session Held Friday**

Judge Joseph Dupree took a number of guilty pleas in an effort to clear some of the docket for court next week. Since Superior Court was still in session, the District Court session was very brief.

Bobby Williams, Rt. 4, Fayetteville, pleaded guilty to reckless driving as the state dropped charges of DUI and was sentenced to 60 days, suspended on condition that he pay \$75 and costs.

Shirley Ann Breeden, Rt. 1, Raeford, pleaded guilty to unsafe movement and was sentenced to ten days, suspended on condition that she pay costs.

Johnnie Everette, Rt. 1, Raeford, pleaded guilty to worthless check and was sentenced to 30 days, suspended on condition that he pay \$10 restitution to Walter Parks and costs.

Prince Edwin Taitt, Laurinburg, pleaded guilty to following too closely and was sentenced to 30 days, suspended on condition that he pay costs.

Grant O'Neal, Sixth Ave., Raeford, entered a plea of guilty to driving without a license and was sentenced to 30 days, suspended on condition that he pay \$25 and costs.

Thomas Earl Brayboy, Rt. 2, Raeford, pleaded guilty to DUI and driving while his license was revoked and was sentenced to 18 months. Blood alcohol content was .16, according to records.

Robert E. Lee, inmate at Sandhill Youth Center, pleaded guilty to escape and was sentenced to 90 days to begin at the expiration of his present sentence.

Roy Steele Turner, Norwood, pleaded guilty to DUI and was sentenced to 90 days, suspended for 12 months on condition that he not drive for 12 months except for limited privileges and pay \$150 and costs. Blood alcohol content was .13, according to records.

John Richard Cagle, Rt. 3,

Raeford, pleaded guilty to speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone and prayer for judgment was continued upon payment of costs.

Clarence Brathcer, Rt. 1, Raeford, pleaded guilty to worthless check and was sentenced to 30 days, suspended on condition that he pay \$15 restitution to Walter Parks and costs of action.

Smith Jekyl Ferguson, Rt. 1, Hope Mills, pleaded guilty to fictitious license plate and no financial responsibility and was sentenced to 30 days suspended on condition that he pay \$25 and costs.

Bobby Cherry, Rt. 2, Raeford, pleaded guilty to speeding 75 in a 55 mph zone and was sentenced to 30 days, suspended on condition that he pay \$25 and costs.

William Jerry Covington, Wagram, pleaded guilty to speeding 70 in a 55 mph zone and prayer for judgment was continued for three years upon payment of costs.

Barbara Ann Porter, Rt. 1, Pembroke, pleaded guilty to inspection violation and was ordered to pay costs.

Flynn Burnett King, Rt. 2, Manning, S.C., pleaded guilty to speeding 77 in a 55 mph zone and was sentenced to 30 days, suspended on condition that he pay \$25 and costs.

Wanda Sue McLean, P.O. Box 121, Raeford, pleaded guilty to exceeding safe speed and was ordered to pay \$25 and costs.

Ether Henderson, Rt. 1, Aberdeen, signed a waiver of hearing for probable cause and a \$2,500 security bond was set for murder.

Levenia Bullard, Rt. 1, Aberdeen, signed a waiver of hearing for probable cause and a \$2,500 security bond was set for murder.

Commie Wall, Rt. 1, Shannon, was found not guilty of first degree burglary.

Charlie Edward Morrison, Jr., Rt. 2, Raeford, pleaded guilty to

transporting alcoholic beverage in passenger area with seal broken and DUI (second offense) and was sentenced to six months. Bond is continuing as he gave a notice of appeal. Blood alcohol content was .33, according to records.

Ricky T. Horton, inmate at Sandhill Youth Center, signed a waiver of hearing for probable cause for escape.

**Farm Items**

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County Agricultural Agents

A four percent shrink on a 500 lb. feeder calf is a \$6 loss on a 30c market. Careful handling in moving to market will reduce the shrink. Cover your truck floor with a two to three inch layer of sand plus a layer of straw. Ten calves on a ten ft. truck is enough. Load the animals quietly and let the truck stand five - 10 minutes to let them settle down.

Producers with a surplus of high quality roughage should consider carrying light calves through the winter. Field gleanings from the corn crop are best the next day after the combine leaves the field. Stock at the rate of six - eight animals per acre.

Burfordi Chinese Hollies sometimes produce an unusually heavy fruit set. This is especially true this year. As a result of this, the limbs that have the greatest number of fruit have yellow foliage. This is not due to insect or disease, but it is a nutritional problem due to the heavy demand on the plant made by berries. The plant can be fertilized with a light application of a balanced fertilizer now without fear of injury. You can make another application in early summer also.

Some acreage of sweet potatoes have suffered extensive damage by corn earworms this year. Earworms feed on the foliage which results in little or no loss in yield. However, when foliage is covered and roots are exposed in harvesting operations, corn earworms migrate and damage exposed roots. Earworms continue to feed in field crates while in the field and in the pack house. Potatoes left in the field overnight also are subject to attack.

Dig only the potatoes that you can pick up during the day.

The Hoke County Nickels for Know - How Referendum Committee has released the list of polling places for the Nov. 25 vote.

W.P. Phillips, Hoke County referendum committee chairman, said seven polling places have been established in the county.

The places are as follows: County Extension Office, ASCS Office, Johnson Company, High School Vo. Agri. Dept., D.R. Huff Jr. Store, Dundarrach Trading Company, McQuage's Grocery.

Phillips explained that any user of feed and fertilizer will be eligible to vote in the referendum. At stake will be an assessment program through which users of feed and fertilizer agree to provide a nickel per ton for agricultural research and education.

The money is collected at the manufacturer level by the N.C. Department of Agriculture and turned over to the N.C. Agricultural Foundation at North Carolina State University.

About \$170,000 is collected annually in this manner.

The "nickels" program has been in effect since 1951. The vote on Nov. 25 will determine the fate of the program for another six years.

**Area Incidents**

**Tobacco Losses Continue**

Investigation by sheriff's deputies is continuing concerning 24 sheets of tobacco that were stolen from the Lucas farm near highway 15-501 Sunday night Sept. 14. The tobacco owned by D. H. Lucas, Rt. 3, Box 178, and George Morris Jr., Rt. 3, Box 150 was valued at \$4,800.

In other incidents, James Godwin, Rt. 1, Shannon, complained that someone broke into his mobile home, Tuesday, Sept. 16, between 4PM and midnight. Cash totaling \$82 and a watch valued at \$60 were stolen.

Ralph H. McCormick, Rt. 1, Lumber Bridge, reported that someone took his water pump, Friday, Sept. 19. The water pump was valued at \$150.

Brown Hendrix reported that a golf cart shelter and a compressor valued at \$300 were stolen from Arabia Golf Course, Friday, Sept. 19.

A break-in was reported at West Hoke School Saturday, Sept. 20.

Jimmie McIntosh, Rt. 1, Box 466, Raeford, reported that someone took his tape player from his car Friday, Sept. 19. The tape player was valued at \$84.95.

City police are investigating two vehicle thefts reported in the past week in which the vehicles were found abandoned.

Robert Gatlin, 301 Harris Ave., notified police his 1971 Ford station wagon was stolen from Wooley Street last Wednesday afternoon after the car was left a short time with the keys in it.

Police found the car Thursday abandoned in a wooded area near Rockfish Creek. No damage was reported.

Police were notified Friday a 1975

pick-up was spotted abandoned near the Ft. Bragg boundary on Vass Road. The vehicle was traced to the Raeford Auto Co., where officials reported the key to the pick-up had been missing. The truck was undamaged.

Both incidents are under investigation.

**Calendar Of Events**

Compiled By  
Raeford-Hoke Chamber of Commerce

Thursday, October 2, 1975, Kiwanis Club will meet at the Civic Center at 6:30 P.M.  
Friday, October 3, 1975 Colonial Ball at Red Springs \$25.00 per couple, Vardell Hall.  
Saturday, October 4, 1975, Colonial Muster, Red Springs.  
Sunday, October 5, 1975, Colonial Muster, Red Springs.

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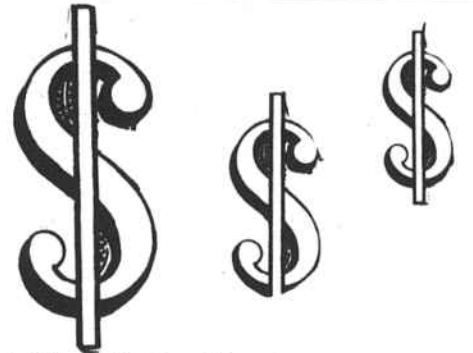
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and

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**Rev. Williams Honored**

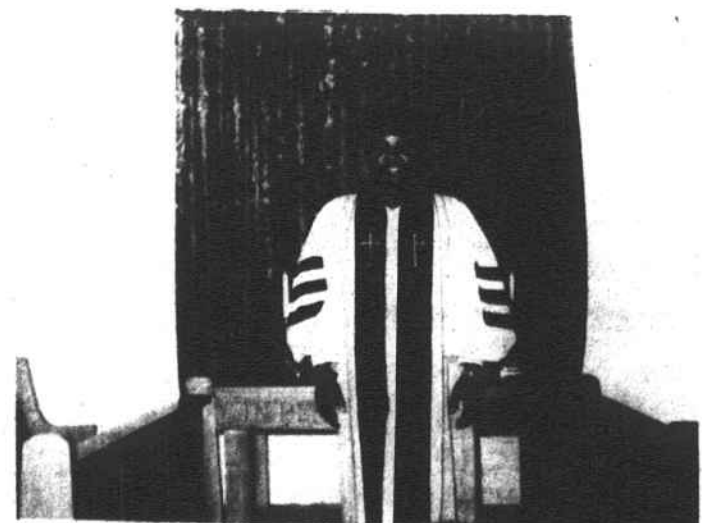
Milton Harold Williams, Sr., a 1973 graduate of Fayetteville State University has received the honorary degree: Doctor of Divinity. The degree was conferred upon him by Dr. Derocher L. Blakey, a representative and staff member of Teamers School of Religion and Educational Enterprises Inc., Charlotte, N.C.

The Rev. Dr. Williams was honored because of his creative ability and religious contributions throughout the Church and Community.

The services were held Sunday, September 21, 1975 at the beautiful McLaughlin Chapel A.M.E. Zion

Church, Raeford, N.C. which is among the many accomplishments of the honoree. The Rev. Dr. S.J. Farrar, Presiding Elder of the Laurinburg District gave the afternoon sermon. Special music was rendered by the Jr. choir of McLaughlin Chapel Church with Reginald Treadwell as the organist-accompanist, and Mrs. M.H. Williams, directress. Other music was rendered by Sandy Grove A.M.E. Zion Church - the home church of Dr. Williams.

Dr. Williams is married to the former Gloria Jeanne Glenn of Lumber Bridge, and they have three children: Tonja, Milton Jr. and Arkisha.



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