



COLLISION-A seven-year old Ohio child suffered a broken collarbone in a rear end chain collision Wednesday night involving three cars on U.S. 401-Bypass. Others escaped with only bruises.

One Hurt In Pileup

One person received a broken collarbone and others sustained bruises in a three car pileup last Wednesday evening on U.S. 401 east of the city.

Judy Julian, seven, of Garard, Ohio was treated and released from Cape Fear Valley Hospital in Fayetteville following a rear end chain collision about 8 P.M. about 200 feet from the 401 and Vass Rd. intersection, according to the highway patrol.

Trooper K.W. Weston gave this account:

A 1976 Chevrolet operated by Nicholas Julian of Garard, Ohio and a 1972 Mustang operated by Vincent Julian of Goldsboro, N.C., his brother, were stopped behind a vehicle waiting to make a left turn off of the highway.

A 1974 Ford Torino operated by Marilyn Thomas, 414 W. Fifth St., traveling north on the highway, struck the rear of the Mustang, causing the Mustang to plow into the rear of the Chevrolet.

The North Raeford Fire Department hosed down the road after gasoline spilled out from the ruptured tank.

Miss Julian was a passenger in the Mustang. Three other passengers sustained bruises. Damage to the vehicle was put at \$1,200.

Four passengers in the Chevrolet and the driver were not seriously injured. Damage was estimated at \$275.

Damage to the Torino was estimated at \$650. Miss Thomas was ticketed for following too closely, according to Weston.



WORKSHOP - Ministers and laypersons of the Rockingham-Fayetteville-Sanford district gathered Tuesday at the Raeford Methodist Church for a workshop on issues related to furthering better understanding among the cultures within the church. Shown here, left to right, are Bob Baldridge, conference coordinator of the leadership development staff, J.H. Miller Jr., Fayetteville District Supt., Clyde McCarver, Rockingham District Supt., Kelly Wilson, pastor of Raeford United Methodist Church, Preston C. Jones, chairman of conference commission on religion and race, and Harvey Lowry, pastor of Prospect United Methodist Church in Pembroke.

Hoke Highlights

by Barry Ellis

Well, Easter and spring vacations are over and everyone somehow managed to drag themselves back to Hoke High for the remaining six weeks of the school year. The seniors, however, had an extra day off this past Monday and came back on Tuesday. From what I heard, though, many of them needed it to recuperate from Senior weekend at the beach. Everything's back to normal (if you can call this normal!), and all of us are trying to get back to work, even though with spring on the way it's getting very hard! Everyone is in a pretty good mood, now at Hoke High, with the seniors walking around with smiles on their faces, knowing graduation isn't very far off, and the rest anticipating summer vacation.

The Hoke High Dance Band performed for the students at Upchurch on April 15, before Easter vacation. Thursday was 'Tacky Day' at Upchurch and from what I heard some of the students were very 'tacky' in their make-up and wild looking outfits. The

Dance Band performed in the morning at 9 A.M. and in the afternoon at 1 P.M.

The Health Careers Club with Mrs. Young, club adviser went to McCain the week before Easter and gave a party for the patients at the sanatorium. Mrs. Young said they really enjoyed giving the party and hoped the patients enjoyed it as much also.

The week of April 26 through April 30 has been named 'Bicentennial Week' in Hoke County. Wednesday, April 28, was set aside for all schools in the county to celebrate and they all celebrated in a variety of ways. At Hoke High it was a free day to watch the various events and maybe even participate. There was a talent show, band concert, and athletic events in the stadium with competition between the homeroom classes. I could not obtain the results of the events in time for this week's column, but I will get them for next week. It was a fun day for everybody and we all had a great time.

Farm Items

W. S. Young & Freddie O'Neal
County Agricultural Agents

North Carolina dairy farmers voting in the dairy referendum on April 6 approved the six cents per hundred weight assessment on Grade A milk. A total of 2,798 votes were cast and 67.47 per cent of the votes were in favor of the assessment. The assessment will begin with milk shipped on or after May 1 and run for three years. All Grade A dairymen will be notified. The income generated will be used for the promotion and sale of milk products.

minute color documentary that is a salute to our nation's Bicentennial. It will be a program worth watching.

The University television stations will present a program entitled, "Biltmore, A Castle In The Sky" next month. The schedule is May 5 at 7:30 P.M., May 7 at 3:00 P.M., and May 10 at 8:00 P.M. It is a 30

The season is fast approaching that farmers will be using pesticides at an increased rate. It is most important that all chemicals are handled safely and that they are stored under lock and key. Children sometimes play around the storage area but they should be kept away, if possible. It's a good idea for farmers to notify their doctors as to the types of pesticides they will be working with, so if a mishap occurs they will not lose in time applying an antidote. Make this summer a time when no deaths occur from pesticides use.



FISHERMAN'S CATCH-Hugh McKenzie of Maxton holds up a recent catch from Covington's Pond, two blackfish with a combined weight of 23 pounds.

Minority Caucus Sets Dinner

The Robeson - Hoke - Scotland Minority Political Caucus is sponsoring a voter education and Rehabilitation dinner on May 1 from 4 - 6 P.M. at the home of Dr. J.J. Johnson on U.S. 401 north of Abbotts Laboratories in Laurin-

burg, committeemen Jimmy Morrissey announced.

Tickets are \$3 per person and may be purchased at Hollingsworth Barber Shop, Buie Funeral Home, Hunt's Grocery, or by contacting Morrissey at 875-3364.

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