

WE FINANCE ALL

Good Credit	Bad Credit	No Credit
1972 GRAN PRIX \$79		
1973 JAVELIN \$69		
1967 PONTIAC Firebird \$39		
1974 MUSTANG II \$63		
1972 LUV Pickup \$57		
1971 PINTO "auto" \$42		
1973 NOVA \$74		
1972 AUDI 4 dr. \$79		
1974 DATSUN 210 \$89		
1969 M.G. 61 \$57		
1973 CAMARO \$98		
1975 FORD Courier \$78		
1971 CHARGER \$63		
1970 CHEVELLE S.S. \$63		

SPECIAL 1971 CAMARO \$57 Per Month

SPORTS CARS
1971 FIAT 850 Spider
1968 124 SPIDER

1971 CAMARO \$59
1971 LTD WAGON \$57
1971 VW Bus \$57
1970 CUTLASS \$52

FINANCING EXAMPLE
1968 CHEVELLE, 2 dr., \$77, total price including tax, 710.45. 37 payments at \$20.00 per mo., finance charges \$29.37. Total note 1073.00.

NOTE!
Down payments on these cars range from \$19 to \$300 with app. credit. Annual percentage rate 21.40.

BLEECKER
FIAT JAGUAR
Corner of Robinson & Raleigh Sts.
Fayetteville



CITY YARD - The home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom McBryde at 311 N. Magnolia St. was judged "City Yard of the Week" by the local chapter of Keep North Carolina Beautiful. Judging of yards in the city will continue for seven weeks.

This Is The Law

By Robert E. Lee
Age For Marriage

Joe Hoots, 20 marries Sally Jenkins one month prior to her 16th birthday. They live together as husband and wife for two months, and then separate. Sally is now living with her parents May Sally have her marriage annulled?
No. If Sally had not lived with Joe after reaching her 16th birthday,

she could have annulled her marriage. However, by living together as husband and wife after reaching the age of 16, Sally has ratified and made valid and binding what was up to that time a voidable marriage.

The age of consent to marriage in North Carolina for both males and females is 16. Marriages below the age of consent may be annulled or voided by court decree, before, on, or after the age of consent has been reached. Such marriages may be ratified by cohabitation, or other conduct in recognition of the marriage, after reaching the age of consent.

According to North Carolina law it is a criminal offense for a person to marry a female under the age of sixteen years, but this law has no effect upon the validity of the marriage itself.

A person 18 or older may obtain a marriage license from the register of deeds without the consent of his or her parents.

A person over 16 years of age and under 18 years of age may obtain a special marriage license with the written consent of one of his parents or guardian with whom he resides.

When an unmarried female between the ages of 12 and 18 is pregnant or has given birth to a child, a special license to marry may be issued if a number of conditions are met.

APPLE CROP

The estimated 225 million-pound North Carolina apple crop is comprised of about 90 million pounds of Delicious, 50 million pounds of Golden Delicious, 25 million pounds of Rome Beauty, 34 million pounds of Staymen with the balance in other less important varieties.

Deaths And Funerals

Grover C. Thompson

Funeral services for Grover C. Thompson, of Mint Hill, who died Friday, April 30, were held Monday, May 3, at the Hickory Grove Baptist Church in Charlotte with the Rev. Raymond Sanderson officiating.

Burial was in the Sharon Memorial Gardens.

Surviving are his wife, Jeraline; three daughters, Teresa, Robbin, and Marilyn of the home; his mother, Mrs. Ethel Robbins Thompson of Hoffman; six brothers, Warren H. Thompson of Matthews, Howard G. Thompson of Hoffman, Calvin C. Thompson of Aberdeen, Donald B. Thompson of Gastonia, Roger E. Thompson of Snow Hill, and Burleigh B. Thompson of Raeford; two sisters, Mrs. Lavonia Ferguson of Lake View, and Mrs. Jacqueline Clifford of Baltimore, Md.

Scottish rites were held at the graveside service.

Joseph A. Dupree

Joseph Alton Dupree, father of District Court Judge Joseph E. Dupree, died April 28 in Smithfield. He was 78.

A retired farmer, he lived on Rt. 1, Smithfield.

Funeral services were held last Thursday at 11 A.M. at the Long Funeral Home by the Rev. Edmund Gonzales. Burial was in Oakland Heights Cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Annie Beasley Dupree; three other sons, Kenneth Dupree of Smithfield, Curtis Dupree of California and Dewey B. Dupree, also of Smithfield; two daughters, Mrs. Robert Flemming of Corpus Christi, Tex., and Mrs. Wayne Holdebrand of Marion; two brothers, Dewey Dupree and Herbert E. Dupree, both of Smithfield; three sisters, Mrs. Ernest C. Barber of Fuquay - Varina, Mrs. Howard Tyner of Chester, Va., and Mrs. Edward Wallace of Smithfield; and 11 grandchildren.

Mrs. Frances Griffin

Funeral services for Mrs. Frances T. Griffin were conducted Friday at 2 P.M. from Crumpler Funeral Home chapel by the Rev. B.V. Childers. Burial was in Raeford Cemetery.

Mrs. Griffin, 44, died April 28. Surviving are her husband, Kermit Griffin; two sons, Blake and Raybon Griffin, both of the home; three daughters, Mrs. Faye Rockholt of El Paso, Tex., Mrs. Delores Roach of Raleigh and Miss Tammy Griffin of the home; six brothers, Fred Tant of Raeford, S.G. Tant of Franklinton, Horace Tant and Junior Tant, both of Raleigh, George Tant of Lewisburg and Monroe Tant of Nashville; three sisters, Mrs. Rosa Kearney of Franklinton, Mrs. Vera Faulk of Raeford and Mrs. Mozelle Upchurch of Rocky Mount.

Johnny Graham

The funeral for Johnny Graham, 53, who died Tuesday, April 27, was held Sunday, May 2, at St. James United Church of God by Bishop J.A. Jackson.

Burial was in the Silver Grove Cemetery.

MORE TOBACCO

North Carolina's flue-cured tobacco crop is expected to be about 371,000 acres larger this year. This would be a 12 percent increase over the relatively small crop produced in 1972. Base allotments and quotas are up 10 percent and the current effective acreage allotments are up about 15 percent.

Register Post Has Third Candidate

William T. Altman, retired Army officer and citizen of Hoke County since 1963, became the third person to file for Register of Deeds here last week.

Altman, a native of Dillon, S.C., began in the Army as a private and worked his way up through the ranks. The fifty-one year-old retired major attended the University of Oklahoma and the University of North Carolina while in the service.

"I received my education whenever I could," he said candidly.

Altman said he was running for the office because he would like to serve Hoke County.

"I'm fully confident I can do the job. I've never seen a job I couldn't do," he said.

"I intend to continue the integrity and efficiency of the office," he added.

Altman served as a magistrate for a while in the county and was the coordinator of Hoke County



William T. Altman
Office of Economic Opportunity. He and his wife, Johnnie, and daughter Debbie live on College Drive.



SMASHUP - Three persons were shaken up but escaped injuries when this car collided with another auto in front of the Bantam Chef restaurant on U.S. 401 last Friday afternoon. The Hoke County Rescue Squad assisted in clearing the vehicles off the highway.

Three Okay In Crash

Three people escaped serious injury about 3:20 P.M. Friday when a Raeford woman driving a 1970 Chevrolet made a left turn in front of Nancy Gibson Huntley of P.O. Box 931, Wadesboro, who was driving a 1976 Buick, on U.S. 401 By-pass.

Selena M. Livingston, Rt. 2, Raeford, was charged with an unsafe movement violation, accord-

ing to Trooper J.D. Thigpen.

Thigpen said no one was injured in the accident.

He said a 14 year-old girl was a passenger in the Huntley car and Mrs. Livingston was the only one in her car.

He said about \$1,800 in damages was done to the Livingston car, and damages totaled \$850 for the Huntley vehicle.

The Bank of Raeford
Raeford, N.C.

Big Sale!
Extra Extra Extra
Special
Leisure Shirts

225 To Choose From
20% off

New Styles
New Colors

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MAIN ST.

NOTICE OF SALE OF TAX LIENS ON REAL PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 105-369 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and pursuant to an order of the City Council of the City of Raeford, dated April 5th, 1976, I will offer for sale and will sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder at the City Hall in Raeford, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock noon on May 10th, 1976, liens upon the real estate described below for the non-payment of taxes owing for the year 1975. The amount advertised will be increased by interest and costs and the omission of interest and costs from the amount advertised will not constitute a waiver of the taxing unit's claim for those items. No bid will be received unless it is at least equal to the principal amount of the taxes advertised plus interest and costs accrued thereon at the date of sale. The real estate that is subject to the lien, the name of the person to whom the property is listed for taxes, and the principal amount of the taxes are set out below. Reference is made to the records in the office of the register of deeds of this county and in the office of the tax supervisor of this county for a more particular description of the real estate. This 5th day of April, 1976.

Betty S. Smith
City Tax Collector

Gary L. & Sylvia B. Adkins, Res. Stewart St.	82.75
Charles Augustoni, Jr. Est., Res. Sixth Avenue	69.41
Charles J. Augustoni, III and Margaret, Lot Brock #17A	4.73
J.C. & Mildred Barrington, Res. Fifth Avenue	111.62
Roy W. Bellamy, Jr. and wife, 1 Lot	93.56
Earnest Bethea, 1 Lot #14	1.83
John Henry Bostic, St. Pauls Drive #19	12.34
Ludean and John Bratcher, Res. St. Pauls Drive	37.37
Robert Lee Carter, Jr. and wife, McLean Lot	277.20
Levi Carpenter and wife, Res. Robbins Heights	23.67
R.L. Carter, Jr., Res. Main Street	255.48
Sarah S. Culbreth, Res. Stewart Street	67.60
Sarah S. Culbreth, Store	61.77
Heirs Hattie Cunningham, estate, Wooley Street	16.61
Hillman P. Edens and Wife Est., North Main St. Lot	78.27
Joe Edwards and wife, Res. Stewart St.	30.36
Winford J.T. Epps, Res. Covington Street	159.94
Jefferson Lewis Evers and wife, 120 Wright St.	86.41
Heirs Rachel Foster, Res. Maxwell St. #13	26.93
Friendly Broadcasting Co., Radio Station	185.57
Hamilton Grace, Boyles #4 & Part of #3	89.40
John O. Hill, Res. Reaves Street	97.35
Richard D. Ivey, Res. North Main Street	97.71
Genell Jackson, Maxwell St. #13	12.98
Genell Jones Jackson, Maxwell St. #19	2.26
Theodore Jackson, Maxwell St. #1	78.32
A.P. Johnson & wife, McLean #6	11.94
C.H. Keaton and wife, Res. and Shop	152.70
Josephine Kelly, Res. Robbins Heights	49.58
Ella Mae Leach, Res. Robbins Heights #111	34.85
James and Martha J. Lide, Res. Robbins Heights #55	46.89
Ellis R. Locklear, Res. Stewart Street	32.31
James Edward Locklear, Res. Robbins Heights #28	48.02
Heirs Wilmer McDonald, Raeford Cleaners	256.63
Heirs Wilmer A. McDonald, West Donaldson	47.69
Heirs Mrs. W.A. McDonald, Res. N. Main Street	67.07
Dennis & Martha McGregor, Holly Park #32	87.45
Fannie G. McGregor, Res. Robbins Heights	51.34
Sarah Margaret McNeill, Elwood Avenue #22	174.85
Charles M. McNulty, Donaldson #13 & 14-B	18.10
Clogde McPhatter & wife, Res. Sunset Hills #18	80.60
James F. & Wanda Clark McPhaul, 1 Lot #27	153.18
John W. McPhaul, 1 Lot Elwood Avenue	302.50
John W. McPhaul, Res. and Lot	152.90
Matthew McRae, Res. and Store	67.21
Floyd Ray Mansfield, Stewart St.	22.17

Thad Marks and Wife, Edinborough #2D	214.45
Luther Paul, Res. Adams St.	84.04
Bobby Peterkin, Robbins Heights #54	40.07
James Pierce & wife, Boyles #13	3.25
Iola McBryde Powell & wife, Res. Central Avenue	45.77
Helen Marie Ray, Lot #2	83.38
Grover Reaser, Jr. & wife, Holly Park #1	153.12
Cariola Robinson, Res. Robbins Heights	43.40
Margaret W. Scurry & Husband, Maxwell St. #5	21.85
Willie James Shaw and wife, McLauchlin #9 & 10	56.43
Oral Singletary, Robbins Heights #39	60.64
Heirs Elizabeth Smith, McLauchlin #14, #15	5.50
Mitchell Sports and wife, Res. Wright St. #8	139.51
Lauder Howard Steadman, Prospect & By Pass #2-A	95.35
C.L. & John Lee Stephens, Corner Stewart St. #27	5.67
Heirs C.L. Stephens, Stewart, Johnson & Brock Shop	108.24
James Earl & Evelyn Tindall, Campbell Lot	44.74
Douglas Turner, Res. Wright St.	108.52
Annie N. Walker, Res. St. Pauls Drive	47.77
Candy M. Campbell Walker, Gatlin #6	36.36
Junior & Mary Sue Ward, McLean St. #26	116.88
Heirs Sandy Washington, McLauchlin #36	10.35
Walter R. Webb & wife, Raeford Hotel #1	658.19
Wright & Best, Inc., St. Pauls Drive #5	53.57
Wright & Best, Central Avenue #4	155.27
J.H. Wright & Best, Holly Park #17	10.84
J.H. Wright, Central Avenue #28-A	11.22
J.H. Wright, Harris Avenue	97.02
J.H. Wright, Holly Park #12 & #13	5.97
J.H. Wright, McMillan Shular	4.46
J.H. Wright, Sunset Hills #9, 10 & 11	185.02
J.H. Wright, Wright & Cole #2 & #3	28.71
J.H. Wright & Heirs Alfred Cole, 2 Lots Dickson St.	3.63
J.H. Wright & A.P. Johnson, Holly Park	37.46
J.H. Wright & J.A. Maultsby, 1 Lot 401 By Pass	124.36
J.H. & Aline Wright, 3 Lots Holly Park	19.14
J.H. & Aline McPhaul Wright, Lot & Res. Therrell	23.98
J.H. Wright & wife & Fred Foster, Lot #15, 16, & 25	191.24
J.H. Wright & Louise G. Wright, Body Shop Harris Avenue	74.14
J.H. Wright & wife, 3 Lots Holly Park	19.14
J.H. Wright & wife, Harris Avenue #42	73.59
J.H. Wright & wife, Prospect #8	41.20
J.H. Wright & wife, Maultsby	10.73
J.H. Wright & wife, McLean	34.76
J.H. Wright & wife, A.P. Johnson & wife, McLean Estate	203.50
J.H. Wright, Johnson & Sessoms, Page Trust Co. Bldg. #13	319.88
J.H. Wright & wife, Johnson & Edwards, Niven Sub. 4 Lots	36.19

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NOTICE

Hoke County Taxpayers

UNPAID 1975 COUNTY TAXES WILL BE ADVERTISED STARTING THURSDAY, MAY 13.

Deadline to keep tax from being advertised is noon, Monday, May 10th

NO FINAL NOTICE WILL BE MAILED BEFORE ADVERTISING

Elizabeth D. Livingston
Hoke County Tax Collector