

# Hoke residents have unclaimed property

State Treasurer Harlan E. Boyles announced his department is once again searching for owners of unclaimed or forgotten property that was remitted to the state.

"During the past fiscal year, we deposited over \$20.7 million in cash and received over \$2.5 million in securities that had been forgotten or unclaimed, most of which belongs to citizens of North Carolina," Boyles said. "We are eager to refund this money to the rightful owners."

Much of this money comes from uncashed checks, unclaimed rent and utility deposits, forgotten bank accounts, insurance proceeds and even unused gift certificates.

State law requires this unclaimed property which is held by financial institutions, public utilities, governmental agencies, businesses and corporations and insurance companies, be turned over or escheated, to the state if the owner of the property can not be identified or located. After it has been remitted to the state treasurer's office, continuous efforts are made to refund the property to the rightful owner. Until it is refunded, the money is invested and the earnings on the investments are remitted annually to the North Carolina State Education Assistance Authority (SEAA) to be used for loans to worthy and needy North Carolina students in state-supported schools of higher education. According to Boyles, over \$9.2 million in net investment earnings was remitted to the SEAA last July.

"We are fortunate to be able to utilize this money for the benefit of our students, and last year this money provided low interest loans to 2,591 students," Boyles said. "But our primary concern is to refund the property to the rightful owner."

Efforts to locate owners last year resulted in the refunding of \$5.1 million in cash and securities to 7,125 rightful owners. "Much of our success in getting this money refunded to the rightful owner is the result of newspapers and television stations across our state who have been will-

ing to publish the list of names of the owners," Boyles added.

"Those who discover that unclaimed property is being held in their name by the state treasurer's office are asked to write the N.C. Department of State Treasurer, escheat and unclaimed property program, 325 North Salisbury Street, Raleigh, North Carolina 27603-1385, or call (919) 733-6876. No time limit applies to inquiries or claims, and refunds will be made promptly whenever valid ownership is established.

The following residents have unclaimed or abandoned property, valued at \$50 or more submitted to the Department of State Treasurer's Escheat and Unclaimed Property Program during the past fiscal year.

•Edward B. Roach Jr., 207 Dickson St., Raeford, \$63; from Penobscot Shoe Company/Common Mellon Securities, 85 Challenger Rd., One Overpeck Centre, Ridgefield Park, NJ 07660.

•John H. Graham, Rural Route 4, Box 14, Raeford, \$64.94 from Primerica Life Ins. Co., General Accounting, 3120 Breckinridge Blvd., Formerly Milico, Duluth, GA 30199-0001.

•Queen E. Hollingsworth, Rt. 1 Raeford, \$198 and Cordie A. Simpson, Rt. 1 Box 173B, Raeford, \$66.40 both from Hartford Fire Ins. Co. (parent), Hartford Plaza, Controllers Tower 16-85, Hartford, CT 06115.

•Marvin E. Johnson, Box 100, Raeford, \$120 from AT&T Corp., First Chicago Trust Co., PO Box 2517, #4675, 7th Fl, Jersey City, NJ 07303-2517.

•Butchey J. Ferguson, General Delivery, Raeford, \$123.50, Marsella S. Hadley, Rt. 1, Raeford, \$151.50, Daniel McAllister, Rural Route 1, Raeford, \$83.50, Georgia McAllister, Rt. 1, Raeford, \$53.50; Fannie McLain, General Delivery, Raeford, \$86.50, Matlum D. Rouse, Rural Route 1, Box 76, Raeford, \$183.50, all from Western & Southern Life Ins. Co., 400 Broadway, Cincinnati, OH 45202.

•Eric A. Heagler, Rural Route 3, Box 140A-1, Raeford, \$1,100 from

Physicians Mutual Ins. Co., 2600 Dodge, Omaha, NE, 68134.

•Patricia M. McMillan, 207 McNeill Rd., Raeford, \$149.97 from Perdue Farms Incorporated, PO Box 1537, Salisbury, MD, 21802.

•Albert Yaggi and Annel Yaggi, Route 2, Box 285, Raeford, \$370 from Chevy Chase Savings Bank, FSTS, 6200 Chevy Chase Dr., Laurel, MD, 20707.

•Sarah S. Ingram, Rt. 5, Box 95, Raeford, \$95.60 from Agency Services Incorporated, 939 Elkridge Landing Rd., Linthicum, MD, 21090.

•Ransom Bridges, Pilgrim Mobile Home Park, Lot 16, Raeford, \$447.74, IFCO Inc., PO Box 100507, Florence, SC, 29501-0507.

•Larry D. Adams, RFD 2, Culbreth Mobile Home Park, Raeford, \$128.63; Miriam Barringer, DBA Sincerely Yours Gift, 515 Harris Ave., Raeford, \$76.65; Clarence Bratcher, DBA After Hour Club, 403 Robertson Ave., Raeford, \$87.47; Herman W. Fisch, Rt. 3, Box 55G, Raeford, \$59.16; Richard O. Holland, 209 Eighth St., Raeford, \$69.34; Gary E. McCormick, 109 Dickson St., Raeford, \$57.62; Johnnie McLaughlin Jr., 220 Reaves St., Raeford, \$258.44; Darlene Smith, 130 Meadows Lane, Raeford, \$67.02; Randall Johnson, Pops Auto Sales, PO Box 962, Raeford, \$158.60, all from Carolina Power & Light Co., P.O. Box 2665, Raleigh, NC 27602.

•G.W. Lovell, Rural Route 4, Box 229, Raeford, \$64.80; Puppy Creek Grocery, Rural Route 2, Box 444, Raeford, \$70.10, both from Lumbee River EMC, PO Box 830, Red Springs, NC 28377.

•Monique P. McCoy, Rt. 1, Box 428, Raeford, \$77.16 from Boddie Noell Enterprises, Inc., 1021 Noell Lane, Rocky Mount, NC 27802.

•Ina Lee Dickson, 223 N. Wright St., Raeford, \$370.89; James E. Hudgins and Deborah K. Hudgins, Undel Ral Ser Ctr. C02-4, Raeford, \$632.33, both from NationsBank, 200 N. College St., Suite 203, Charlotte, NC 28202-2173.

•Barry P. Kamphuis, 112 Cardinal Ave., Raeford, \$726 from Wachovia Operational Service Corp., P.O. Box

3099, Winston-Salem, NC 27150-3099.

•Lisa Marie Frazier, 627 Dogwood Lane, Raeford, \$59.61 from Salem Underwriters, Inc., General Accting MC1701, PO Box 3199, 500 W 5th St., Winston-Salem, NC 27152.

•Tom Floyd, Route 3, Box 209C-1, Raeford, \$103.02 from Spanco Industries, Inc., P.O. Box 1288, Sanford, NC 27330.

•Howard F. King, PO Box 5118, McCain, NC, 28361, \$1,141.69 from CSC Cabarrus County, PO Box 70, Concord, NC., 28025.

•Pamela D. Murchison, 509 Grant Avenue, Raeford, \$89.74 from The Burlington Ins. Co., 238 Smith School Rd., Burlington, NC 27215.

•A. Clark, Raeford, NC, \$420.52 from Burlington Industries, Inc., P.O. Box 21207, Greensboro, NC 27420.

•Gregory A. Beard and Vicky M. Beard, 508 N. Stewart St., Raeford, \$109.67; Betty J. Fraser, 139 Chilton Dr., Raeford, \$100.20; Melvinia D. McMillan, 568 Floyd Monroe Rd., Raeford, \$303.16, all from NC Dept. of Revenue, Withholdings Tax Refund, PO Box 25000, Raleigh, NC 27640-5000.

•Charles T. Thomas, Route 4, Box 298, Raeford, \$94.58 from Provident Life & Accident Ins. Co., Attn. J. Porterfield 6 S 1 Fountain Sq., Chattanooga, TN, 37402.

•Helen R. Clark, Box 9, Raeford, \$5119.70; Helen R. Clark, 710 N. Main St., Raeford, \$1,522.07, both from LTV Corp., Seward & Kissel, One Battery Park Plaza, New York, NY 10004.

•Hattie Mann, General Delivery, Scranton, NC, \$64.50 from Western & Southern Life Ins. Co., 400 Broadway, Cincinnati, OH 45202.

•Lou M. Gibbs, Rt. 1, Box 144A, Swan Quarter, NC, \$83.24 from Hyde County Board of Education, Finance Officer, PO Box 217, Swan Quarter, NC 27885-0217.

•Clara J. Maloy, PO Box 8, Engelhard, NC, \$197.25 from Great Northern Nekeosa Corp., Acqd. by Georgia Pacific, c/o First Chicago Trust Company, 525 Washington Blvd. #4679, Jersey City, NJ 07303.



Furry friend

Cats like this one are available for adoption from the Hoke-Raeford Humane Society. The shelter is open Monday to Friday from noon to 4 p.m. and Saturday from 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. The phone number is 875-5486.

## Menu set for homebound

Menus for the older adults nutrition program for the week of April 15-19, 1996, for the congregate and home-delivered meals programs are listed below:

**Monday, April 15**  
Sliced Turkey Breast w/Gravy  
Sweet Potato Patties  
Green Beans  
Dinner Roll/Margarine  
Fruit Mix  
Milk

**Tuesday, April 16**  
Swiss Style Steak w/Tomato Gravy  
Mashed Potatoes  
Fresh Cabbage  
Dinner Roll/Margarine  
Birthday Cake  
An Orange  
Milk

**Wednesday, April 17**  
Barbecued Chicken  
Potato Salad  
Turnip Greens w/Roots  
Whole Wheat Bread/Margarine  
Sugar Cookie  
Orange-Pineapple Juice/Milk

**Thursday, April 18**  
Meatballs w/Gravy  
Rice  
Garden Peas  
Whole Wheat Bread/Margarine  
Sliced Peaches  
Milk

**Friday, April 19**  
Smoked Sausage on Hot Dog Bun  
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Primary Elections for the Democratic and Republican Parties will be held in Hoke County on Tuesday, May 7th, 1996. The polls will be open for voting on that day from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.  
Voters will be choosing candidates for the following offices:  
**DEMOCRATS:**  
President  
United States Senator  
State Offices  
Judge of Court of Appeals  
State Senator (30th District)  
State House of Representatives (85th District)  
District Attorney (District 16A)  
County Commissioners  
**REPUBLICANS:**  
President  
Governor and Lieutenant Governor  
State Offices  
Associate Justice  
Member of Congress (8th District)  
State Senate (17th District)  
The Registration Books will remain open for registration until Friday, April 12th, 1996, at which time the books will close for the purpose of this election.  
If needed, a Second Primary will be held on Tuesday, June 4th, 1996.  
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