

Government To Register Babies

Raleigh, Jan. 21.—"Register Your Baby."

This admonition is the slogan of a campaign Uncle Sam will conduct in every county in North Carolina during the next few weeks, going into every city, town, village, community and the rural side in an effort to get a complete record of every baby born in the State during the past 12 months.

State laws require that every doctor or midwife who attends a mother at a birth make a report of such birth and this is usually done. On occasions, however, midwives, particularly, and doctors occasionally, fail to make the proper report, with the result that there is no permanent record of the birth, and no birth certificate is later available. And many times, during the life of the average man, it becomes important, even vital to establish his age.

The Federal Government is attempting to complete the records of births of babies throughout the United States and is calling upon all parents in North Carolina now to aid in this compilation. The campaign is being conducted by the United States Bureau of the Census, through the North Carolina State Board of Health and with the aid of the North Carolina Emergency Relief Administration.

Early in February the Bureau of Census, with the aid of the Post-office Department, will distribute to every family in the State a card on which a few simple facts are to be filled in, and the card dropped in a mail box, without postage. The principal effort is to get all parents to whom babies have been born within the past year to fill in these cards and mail them. This simple act makes sure that the child reported is then properly recorded and a certificate of birth will be easy to secure. A complete response to the call is sought.

THROUGH CAPITAL KEYHOLES

(Contin'd from page one) brushing aside politics to recognize the service of an able public servant. Mr. Brummitt was not always friendly to the administration and Mr. Seawell often sided with

his chief. The Governor might have given this exceedingly fat plum to some man more partisan to his own cause but he chose the Assistant Attorney General for the post. It is considered gracious here, to say the least.

BOOZE — Liquor bills may come and liquor bills may go but if one passes the present session of the Legislature a lot of the old time prognosticators will be discredited. Some members of the General Assembly, including some former "Dry" are all hot and bothered about liberalizing the Turlington "bone-dry" act. But if the boys who claim to have questioned the membership can be depended upon there is but little chance of legal liquor following this session. Stronger beer has better chances.

MONEY-MONEY — Various and sundry factions have announced intention of seeking to get the General Assembly to use money collected from gasoline and auto license taxes to support their favorite activities. On the other hand the folks back home want their roads repaired and are making their opinions known in no uncertain terms. As one North Carolina editor puts it "the battle is on between schools and roads. It's going to be a lively scrap with the farmer on the bumpy road standing a good chance to lose his repairs."

WANT SPEED — Finance and appropriations committees of the House and Senate are agreed that speed is essential in consideration of the two money bills. But as the groups got started on deliberations, much difference of opinion was manifested and indications are that the seas may not run smooth throughout the entire session. Dr. Ralph McDonald, Representative from Forsyth, Franklin county's W. L. Lumkin and Senator J. T. Burruss, of Guilford, are not the only members opposed to the sales tax recommended for re-enactment by the administration to meet the needs of public schools. The boys are yet a considerable distance from port.

UNCERTAIN — While Congressman R. L. Doughton holds his peace on his decision of "to run or not to run" for Governor in 1936 the grape vine brings varying reports from the national capitol and Sparta, the Congressman's home. Friends of the

other two potential candidates Lieutenant Governor A. H. Graham and Clyde R. Hoey, say that their final decision will not be influenced by Mr. Doughton's course.

GOOD SPIRIT — While it is entirely possible that this General Assembly may upset records for duration established two and four years ago, indications now are that the session will be much shorter. Factional divisions are not so manifest as in the two former sessions and the members seem to be of a common will to finish their jobs and get back home.

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT — Under terms of a bill introduced in the House by former Congressman Charles A. Jonas, Republican member from Lincoln, Superior Judges would be empowered to impose life imprisonment sentences in first degree convictions of capital crimes instead of the present mandatory death sentence. This power would be limited to cases where the jury recommends mercy. There is considerable judicial and legal opinion that mandatory sentences of any sort do not tend to further the ends of justice in the long-run.

GUARDS GAME — Senator Carl L. Bailey, of Washington county, was named chairman of the committee on Conservation and Development at the insistence of conservationists. He fought for uniform game laws in 1933 and so far this session has been the watch-dog to route out innocent looking bills which in effect would give individuals at counties their own hunting seasons.

LIQUOR — Bills to liberalize the State's bone-dry law and establish a system of legal liquor sale are around and about in spots in legislative halls but unless sentiment among House and Senate members grows wetter they will never set the seal of ratification. Too many legislators consider last year's overwhelming vote against repeal their mandate on prohibition. Stronger beer and submission of new liquor regulations to a direct vote of the people are possible.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams announce the birth of a daughter, Jan. 21. Mrs. Williams is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bun Patterson of Patterson Grove.

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of Kings Mountain, N. C., as of December 31st, 1934.

(Copy of sworn statement submitted to Insurance Commissioner as required by Law.)

Assets

THE ASSOCIATION OWNS:	
Cash on Hand and in Bank	2,926.88
Bonds: H. O. L. C. \$5,425.00	
State of N. C. \$3,879.86	9,304.86
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	2,100.00
Mortgage Loans	233,959.84
Money loaned to shareholders for the purpose of enabling them to own their homes. Each loan secured by first mortgage on local improved real estate.	
Stock Loans	7,910.65
Advances made to our shareholders against their stock. No loan exceeds 90 percent of amount actually paid in.	
Accounts Receivable	417.55
Temporary Advances for Insurance, Taxes, Etc.	
Office Furniture and Fixtures	500.00
Real Estate Owned	14,911.94
Other Assets	4,779.88
TOTAL	\$276,811.60

Liabilities

THE ASSOCIATION OWES:	
To Shareholders	
Funds entrusted to our care in the form of payments on stock as follows:	
Installment Stock	\$ 63,995.00
Matured Stock	1,600.00
Running Stock	3,107.20
Prepaid Stock	24,215.00
Paid-up Stock	144,350.00
	\$237,267.20
Notes Payable, Federal Home Loan Bank	23,300.00
Money borrowed for use in making loans to members, or retiring matured stock. Each note approved by at least two-thirds of entire Board of Directors as required by law.	
Undivided Profits	12,244.40
Reserves for Contingencies	4,000.00
TOTAL	\$276,811.60

State of North Carolina
County of Cleveland
Wiley H. McGinnis, Secretary-Treasurer of the above named Association personally appeared before me this day, and being sworn, says that the foregoing report is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 22nd day of January, 1935.
J. R. Davis, Notary Public
My Com. Ex-3-14-35

WILEY H. MCGINNIS.

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MEN'S DRESS OXFORDS
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