After she resigned last week, Maness made a post on her personal Facebook account sharing her thoughts on racial issues. The Facebook postshe made was friendsonly, but someone apparently took a screenshot of it and shared it with others in the community, Maness

When she next met with Commission Vice Chairman Allen Thomas to discuss the Teen Court funding, Thomas reportedly told her there were concerns about funding the program she was working with because of the Facebook post she

The News-Journal was sent a screen capture of Maness' post, which displays the friends-only icon.

"I am tired of the black lives matter activists and the NAACP and all the other black organizations trying to take over. Why does it have to be about race ALL the time? What happen to compassion for all people and to love your neighbor? These organizations just want to cause division between the races instead of solve racial issues," the post said, as shown in the screen capture.

Thomas says he told Maness that the commissioners had been getting complaints about the post.

While meeting with Mrs. Maness, I shared with her the complaints that we had been receiving from citizens who stated that her social media post was racially inflammatory," he said.

Maness said she was told the county would not fund the program because of her Facebook post.

They were not funding Teen Court with the 25 percent match due to my Facebook post, that was said," she said.

Thomas said he didn't know that Maness had resigned from her job before she made the post, but he does hope to have the county fund Teen Court while working with her successor, the vice chairman said.

"After learning that she had resigned from her position, I asked her to please have the next executive director reach out to the county to see if we could provide the match needed to continue Teen Court," Thomas said.

We stand committed in doing whatever we can to help provide resources to our children who are looking for a second chance. I would like to thank Mrs. Maness

for the countless hours that she has invested in our children," the vice chairman added.

The Called Into Action board decided at a meeting Monday night to keep the organization alive and seek a new executive director following Maness's resignation. The group will have until the end of September to secure the \$10,000 needed to get the state funding, Maness said.

The Facebook post had nothing to do with why she resigned, Ma-

"I don't want anybody to think I'm leaving because of this. I'm leaving because of lack of funding and board support," she said. "I resigned on Thursday, August 13. However, it seems the County Commissioners felt that they could no longer fund Teen Court due to a Facebook statement that was made on my personal Facebook page on August 14."

Since Maness founded it three years ago, Called Into Action has worked with more than 200 youth on projects including the mobile food pantry, visiting nursing homes, a summer camp, field trips, the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service and youth leadership development.



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Back-to-school help

More than 1,500 students across the county received school supplies at the 12th annual Community Back-to-School Celebration sponsored by Hoke Schools and the NAACP. Local leaders and businesses also kicked in, and citizens also provided supplies to help children as school starts next week. Taking part were (left to right, front row)—Aniaya Carmon, McKenzie Freeman, Zandrea Hasty; second row—LaChaunta' McLean, Daphne Dudley-Graham, April King, Towanna Jackson, Jovanni Townsend, Talisha Taylor-McRae, Melissa-Bowers-Taylor, Vivian Gibson; third row—Barbara Tyson, Jayne Young, Maize Quick, Shelia Hollingsworth, Cathy McRae, Reatha Ellerbee, Justin Fulton. Not pictured—Patricia Graham, Helen Goins, Geraldine Melvin, Denise McLeod, Betty Kershaw, Sarah Pope, Sharon McLean, Lanice McLean, Angela McGeachy, Chariese Campbell, Dominique Holland, Serena Lewis, Briana Winston, April Stubbs, Shuntessa Hence, Sabrina Pierce, Chyna Delk, Sharon McCain, Raymond Pearson, Raekwon Butler, Samuel McNair, Nikkia Bell, Barnes-Muhammad Family, Taylor Williams, CIA Youth, Rodney Fairley, Raven Newton and Desmond Kemp.

(Continued from page 1) office located at 301 East Mountain Drive, Suite 209 in Fayette-

The FSA, which is usually housed in office space at the post office on Elwood Avenue, suffered a minor flood back in May when a urinal in the men's bathroom on the second floor stopped up and overflowed.

"There were some issues with the building where some flooding happened, water came down

BY CATHARIN SHEPARD

Staff writer

organization that puts a four-legged

spin on counseling services, is hold-

ing a free bonfire Friday that's open

people to the farm to let them know

there's a different type of therapy

than sitting in an office," Heather

horses into its therapeutic services

Hope-thru-Horses incorporates

"We're trying to bring new

to the public.

Wilkerson said.

Hope-thru-Horses, a nonprofit

from the second floor onto the first (floor)," Pamela Pollard said.

Fortunately, the flooding didn't damage records or computers. The incident happened on a weeknight, so it was caught the next morning, Pollard said.

"Had it been over a weekend, it could have been much, much worse," she said.

While there wasn't an immediate impact on the office, there are now concerns about environmental hazards resulting from

in what's known as equine-assisted

therapy. The group especially works

to connect with youth who struggle

with behavior problems or have a

history of suffering from trauma,

abuse or domestic violence. The

organization also offers retreats,

organizational team building exer-

people know Hope-thru-Horses is

in the community and showcasing

what it can provide, Wilkerson said.

we're just opening the farm so people

"It's a free family event where

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Hope-thru-Horses holds bonfire

the damp conditions in-between the floors. State administrators decided to move people out of the office until the situation is cleaned up, just to be on the safe side, Pollard said.

There isn't a timeline for when the Raeford FSA office will be back in the post office building, but officials are working on it and should know soon when people can expect it to reopen, she said.

The FSA oversees all farm bill

can come, meet the animals, hang

out around the fire and cook some

marshmallows," she said. "These

open houses are a good way for

people to come out and learn what

hot dogs, marshmallows and other

refreshments, while the organization

will provide the setting and lots of

animals to interact with. There's

something for everyone, Wilkerson

thru-Horses is to make everyone

feel valued and included," she said.

zation offer a variety of services,

including individual and small group

valued and included and be heard,"

at the farm located at 152 Schmidt

Lane in Lumber Bridge. For more

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therapy.

Wilkerson said.

"The vision statement at Hope-

The counselors at the organi-

"We do our best to help them feel

The bonfire is from 6-8:45 p.m.

People should bring their own

District Court

Recent cases heard in Hoke County District Criminal Court:

Aug. 11

Judge Michael A. Stone pre-

• Allen Taylor Douglas, 32, 471 Purvis St., Raeford, driving while license revoked (not for impaired driving), \$50 fine and court costs

• Donnell Terrell Gillespie, 23, 951 Old Wire Road, Red Springs, injury to personal property, two counts, 45 days in jail, credit for 45 days in pretrial confinement, judgments consolidated

• Juan Hernandez Jimenez, 39, 27 Lafayette Woods Motor Home Park, Raeford, improper equipment—speedometer, \$100 fine and court costs; exceeding

posted speed, voluntary dismissal • Willie Clifton Kershaw, 54, 556 Alex Baker Road, Raeford, resisting a public officer, 45 days in jail, active, to be served concurrently with any other sentence now serving; no operator's license, voluntary dismissal

• Deborah Lloyd, 59, 301 S. Main St., Clio, speeding 54 miles per hour in a 45-mph zone, \$25 fine and court costs

• Marcus Jason McLean, 26, 1706 N. Poplar St., Aberdeen, driving while license revoked (not for impaired driving), 20 days in jail, to be served concurrently with other sentence now serving

• Roderick McLinnahan, 24, 1033 S. Old Wire Road, Red Springs, failure to wear seat belt by driver, \$25.50 fine and court

• Wilbert McNair, 63, 2635 Doc Brown Road, Raeford, improper equipment—speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs

• Willard James Person Jr., 46, 296 Americana Drive, Raeford, possession of open container or consumption of alcohol in passenger area, \$25 fine and court costs; driving left of center, voluntary dismissal

• Leonard Kentay Wesley, 38, 2022 Wickersham Drive, Fayetteville, improper equipment—speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs

• Stanley Eugene Williams Jr., 33, 6867 Mahogany Road, Fayetteville, improper equipment—speedometer, \$200 fine and court costs

Judge Christopher W. Rhue presiding

• Richard Tyler Banks, 19, 9449 Gooden Drive, Fayetteville, improper equipment—speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs

 Alexander Lee Cleckner, 109 Marian Lane, Spring Lake, failure to wear seat belt by driver, \$25 fine and court costs; operating a motor vehicle with no insurance, voluntary dismissal

• Jason Anthony Deramo, 28, 282 Roanoke Drive, Raeford, improper equipment—speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs • Taylor Nicole Evans, 19,

2658 Bundle Road, Fayetteville, improper equipment-speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs • Evangeline Denise Foy, 44,

6031 Maybank Drive, Hope Mills, improper equipment—speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs

· Michael Steven Gipson, 33, 131 Windsor Lane, Raeford, failure to wear seat belt by driver, \$25.50 fine and court costs; driving while license revoked (not for impaired driving), voluntary

 Brandon James Hofstra, 32, 162 Andes Drive, Raeford, improper equipment—speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs

• Natasha Rena Holmes, 31, 20 Briar Circle, Raeford, driving while license revoked, 45 days suspended, 12 months probation, court costs

 Theresa Evelvn Houston, 49. 20241 Lee Lane, Laurinburg, improper equipment—speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs

• Michael Leroy Huggins, 45, 7036 Yosel Drive, Fayetteville, improper equipment—speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs

• Dewayne Dontez Lewis, 28, 1951 Kenmore Drive, Fayetteville, driving while license revoked (not for impaired driving), 15 days suspended, one year probation, \$200 fine and court costs, not to operate a motor vehicle until properly licensed, transfer probation to Cumberland County, after six months of supervised probation and in full compliance, defendant may be transferred to unsupervised probation; speeding 55 miles per hour in a 35-mph zone, voluntary dismissal

• Amy Celeste Locklear, 41,

7317 Beaver Dam Road, Stedman, driving while impaired, Level 5, 60 days suspended, 12 months unsupervised probation, \$100 fine and court costs, community service and pay fee, surrender operator's license, not to operate a motor vehicle until properly licensed, undergo assessment and treatment for alcohol abuse; possession of open container/ consumption of alcohol in passenger area, court costs • Gerardo Lora, 39, 216 Bear

Court Drive, Raeford, improper equipment—speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs • William McAllister, 39,

28580 N. Turnpike Road, Wagram, improper equipment speedometer, \$25 fine and court Monarkie Quain McColl, 35,

improper equipment-speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs • Joshua Tremayne McNeill, 24, 341 Ivy Wood Lane, Raeford,

12318 McColl Road, Laurinburg,

improper equipment—speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs • Deborah Ivanique Melvin,

25, 608 Brittany Place, Fayetteville, texting or transmitting email while driving, \$10 fine and court costs; failure to wear seat belt by driver, voluntary dismissal

• Cedric Jerron Miles, 32, 123 Miles Lane, Bennettsville, S.C., speeding 50 miles per hour in a 45-mph zone, \$25 fine and court costs

• Clyde James Nicley, 55, 6814 Fayetteville Road, Raeford, speeding 64 miles per hour in a 55-mph zone, \$10 fine and court

• Jason Richardson, 41, homeless, Raeford, first-degree trespassing/entering/remaining, 10

days in jail, credit for time served • Marsha Smith, 57, 202 Barrow Court, Raeford, unsafe movement, court costs

• Anthony Darnell Stokes, 54, 77265 Shield Drive, Fayetteville, improper equipment—speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs;

expired registration, voluntary dismissal • Dominique Jocell Williamson, 21, 181 Love Drive, Red Springs, improper equip-

ment—speedometer, \$25 fine and court costs; expired registration, voluntary dismissal.

Marriage Licenses Marriage licenses recently is-Johnnie Brothers and Ebony

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August

EARN A HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY CREDEN-TIAL and prepare to be a Nurse Aide 1 at the same time, or consider training as an Electrician. Classes begin mid August 2015. Fees are waived for qualified students. Call Sandhills Community College at 910-695-3779. For information regarding FREE adult basic education, high school equivalency, and adult high school classes at the Hoke Center of Sandhills Community College, call 910-848-4300. Fall classes begin August 2015.

August 20 & September 10

The HOKE COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY will be holding meetings throughout the community. The August meeting will be held at Something's Brewing Coffee Shop, 7104 Fayetteville Rd., beginning at 7 p.m. The September meeting will be held at the Rockfish Uhaul Building, 2950 Lindsay Rd. Both of these meetings will be open to the public and have public input. For more information go to www.hokegop. com.

August 25

There will be a LOSS MITIGATION WORKSHOP held at the Hoke County Public Library, 334 N. Main St., from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. Blue Springs-Hoke County Community Development Corporation is hosting a Loss Mitigation workshop that is free to the public. The information being provided will inform residents on the different program opportunities to save their homes if in fear of foreclosure or if they can foresee a possible issue in making their mortgage in the near future. The workshop will also provide them with tools and resources on how to request assistance from their lenders to prevent delinquency so they will become more familiar with their rights and responsibilities that surround the processes of home ownership and legal foreclosure procedures. The aim is to equip residents before they get to the position of foreclosure. However, if they have reached that position we want them to know they still have options and an agency that is willing to help them reach their desired outcome. All homes may not be able to be saved; but there are still options to make the process work the best for their particular situation. For more information contact Hillary Champaign at (910) 904-6547.

August 26

The HOKE COUNTY BOARD OF SOCIAL SERVIC-ES open meeting will be held at 4 p.m. in the Commissioners' Room located in the Pratt Building, 227 N. Main Street. The public is invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Hoke County Department of Social Services at 910-875-8725.

September 11, October 9, November 13 & December 11

American Red Cross First Aid/CPR/AED Class Schedule (Adult/Child/Infant) Classes may be changed/cancelled depending on availability of instructor, holiday and inclement weather. Class hours are 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. To register or for more information, call the Hoke County Health Department at 910-875-3717 ext. 2106.

September 25

Parks and Recreation will host their 11th annual SENIOR CITIZENS FISH FRY to be held in the LE McLaughlin (senior room), 423 E. Central Avenue, from 12 - 2 p.m. We are accepting the first 80 participants to register. Come by the office or call 910-875-4035 Monday-Friday 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

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Military service-connected meetings

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS RALPH A. PAN-DURE VFW POST #10 meets the second Monday of the month at 7 p.m. at its Post Home, 14 Hanger Lane, Raeford Airport, Raeford. For information contact Commander John F. Harry at 910-987-9821, email johnfharry@yahoo.com or visit vfw.org. (expires

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS- Hoke County Chapter 17 meets the third Monday of each month at 7 p.m. in the National Guard Armory, Teal Street. For information, call Adjutant George Balch at 910-875-4410 or e-mail: gbalch@nc.rr.com. (expires May 2015)

Calling all ACTIVE AND RETIRED NAVY, MARINE AND COAST GUARD to join Fleet Reserve Branch 259 located in Fayetteville. The Branch and Unit meet the 4th Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. at the Retired Military Association building off Gillespie Street.

AMERICAN LEGION POST 20 meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the National Guard Armory on Teal Drive. All members and those interested are encouraged to attend. For information, call James McKee, 910-277-0597 or Tommy Strickland, Vice-Commander, 910-850-7007. (expires August 2015)

SPECIAL FORCES ASSOCIATION CHAPTER 62, the "Sandhills" Chapter for Raeford, Aberdeen, Southern Pines and Pinehurst, meets the 1st Saturday of each month, 1800 hrs at the Southern Pines VFW Post 7318 Clubhouse in Southern Pines. All present and past Special Forces soldiers are invited to attend. For additional information, contact Chapter 62 President, Rusty Gaeta at broncogator45@gmail.com. (expires

Others

HOKE COUNTY PARKS & RECREATION LINE DANCE, SWING AND SHAG FEES for classes has changed. The new fee will be \$25 per month per person (no refund) to be paid the 1st of each month. The fee is to be paid in the Parks & Recreation office

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HOKE DEMOCRATS MEET every 2nd Thursday of each month at the Hoke County Public Library from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. (expires November 2015)

HOPE FOR HOKE is starting a Single Moms Support Group with location and date to be determined. Call Lynn Baum at 910-691-4142 for information. Young adults struggling with drug or alcohol addiction, and former offenders, can also call for support. (expires August

Hoke County Health Department offers a variety of healthcare services available by appointment Mondays - Fridays from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. which includes primary care, child health, family planning, maternal health, and much more. To schedule your appointment or request information, call (910) 875-3717 or visit www.hokecounty.net. (expires December 2015)

CHILDBIRTH EDUCATION CLASSES — The Hoke County Health Department offers childbirth education classes. Four-week sessions start on the first Thursday of every month from 6 - 8 p.m. You do not have to be a Hoke County resident to participate. There is a \$35 pre-registration fee. Medicaid will be accepted. For more information, contact Mrs. Murchison at 910-875-3717 ext. 2104. (expires December 2015)

ADOLESCENT HEALTH CLINIC for adolescents ages 11-19 is held on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of every month from 4:30 - 7 p.m. This clinic offers a full range of teen-friendly health services and health education programs at a convenient time. To make your appointment, contact the Hoke County Health Department at 910-875-3717. (expires December 2015)

AMERICAN RED CROSS FIRST AID/CPR/AED Class - Classes include adult, child and infant lifesaving techniques. For more information or to register for a class, contact Ulva Little at 910-875-3717 ext. 2106. (expires December 2015)

WEIGHT WATCHERS MEETINGS will be held each Tuesday at Raeford First Baptist Church, 333 N. Main Street. Weigh-in is at 4:30 p.m. and meetings

start at 5 p.m. The public is invited. (expires November 2015) MAGGIE'S RTS COMPUTER CLASS — Basic intermediate and social media classes. You do not have to know anything about the computer. We are located at 7350 Turnpike Road. Call today for more information at 910-875-6623 or visit www.mocedc.com. (expires

MOCEDC Youth & Family Center, 7350 Turnpike Road, presents "After-school & Tutoring Program" - Enroll Now for 2014-2015 School Year. Tutoring 3 days (scheduled session only) – After School 5 days 3 - 6 p.m. Includes snacks, recreational activities, and peer to peer team building. 910-875-6623 www.mocedc. com; email: mbdevelcenter@mocedc.org (expires August

HOKE COUNTY SENIOR SERVICES is open to all seniors 50 and older. Free use of exercise equipment, table games and other games are available everyday $from \ 12-4 \ p.m. \ (\textit{expires October 2015})$

CAPE FEAR VALLEY HOSPICE is seeking volunteers to support our patients, families, and administrative staff in the areas in and around Raeford/ Hoke County. Training is provided. Contact Kaitlyn Collins at 910-609-6710 for more information.

RAEFORD-HOKE CHRISTIAN MINISTERIAL AL-LIANCE monthly meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at 8:30 a.m. at Edinborough Restaurant. All pastors and ministers are invited. Contact Tom Lee at RaefordFBC@Gmail.com (expires November

The TIA HART COMMUNITY RECOVERY PRO-GRAM, Inc. meets Mondays 7 p.m. & 8 p.m., Wednesdays 10 a.m. & 6 p.m., Fridays & Saturdays 7 p.m. at 116 E. Elwood Ave. The 2nd & 4th Friday we have a food give-away. For more information, call 910-565-3063. (expires September 2015)

RECEIVE COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS — Apply today at MOCEDC, 7350 Turnpike Road or call 910-875-6623. (expires August 2015)

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets every Monday 'n mat the Raeford Church, 308 N. Main St. For more information, call 910-479-1781. (expires September 2015)

The HOKE COUNTY HEALTH CENTER, 683 East Palmer Road, has health services available by appointment Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. for men, pregnant and non-pregnant women, children and teens. For an appointment or more information, call 910-875-3717 or visit us online at www.hokecounty. net. (expires September 2015)

PROGRAMS for CHILDREN held at the Hoke County Public Library. Call 875-2502 for more information. Mondays - Thursdays from 3:30-5:30 p.m. HOME-WORK CENTRAL - FREE homework help and support for elementary and middle school-aged students. Volunteer tutor applications are being accepted. Select Saturdays: STORY SATURDAY for children and their families at 3 p.m., Tuesdays at 10 a.m. (expires

Tuesdays at 10 a.m. — PRESCHOOL STORYTIME -Storytime for children ages 3-5 at the Hoke County Public Library. Call 875-2502 for more information.

FREE BASIC COMPUTER CLASSES at Hoke County Public Library; expanded schedule due to high demand. Tuesdays at 5 p.m., Thursdays at 10 a.m. and Saturdays at 10 a.m. Call 875-2502 to register and for more information. (expires October 2015)

DRAGON'S GAME — Sundays 1 - 9 p.m. at the Hoke County Public Library for players ages 16 & up. Leave "Reality" at the door as you enter a world of fantasy -- Dungeons and Dragons or Pathfinder. Experienced Dungeon Masters run the game. If you don't know how to play but want to learn, we will teach you everything from combat to casting magic.

TEEN PROGRAMS AT THE HOKE COUNTY PUB-LIC LIBRARY — The library staff is looking for suggestions, ideas and comments on teen programs and events. Contact Jessica at jwatkins@hokecounty. org or call 910-875-2502. Ideas currently being considered include a monthly Teen Night and an Anime Club. (expires October 2015)

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SPECIAL WORSHIP EVENTS

Word of Life Temple, Inc. Pastor Aide Service August 23, 3 p.m. McFadgion Scholarship Service August 30, 3 p.m. Women's Conference

September 11, 7 p.m.; September 12, 11 a.m. **Shady Grove Baptist Church** Family & Friends Day

August 24-26, 7 p.m.

August 23, 11 a.m.

Revival

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Hoke County Schools Prayer Circle. Continue to pray for your schools. Churches, contact schools to see what you can do to help. (expires

Community Bible Study, studying Colossians, will be held every Friday at 6 p.m. starting May 15 at Raeford United Methodist Church. Call Nancy Tapp at (910) 633-4115 or (910) 853-2656. (ex-

Tabernacle Baptist Church holds Kids' Night Out for kids ages 4 – 12 on Sunday nights from 5 - 7 p.m. This includes Bible study, games and food. Also meeting is LOL (Leaning on Love) youth ministry. For more information, call 875-4134. (expires

The Raeford United Methodist Church Preschool has openings in the 3- and 4-year-old preschool classes. If interested, contact Karen Tapp for more information at 875-1772. (expires September 2015)

Now Generation Inc. & Now Generation Radio - a youth mentorship & development outreach inspirational & informational radio. Times every 4th Saturday from 9 -9:30 a.m. on WMFA 1400 AM. Join us on facebook at NowGen Radio or website http://www.nowgenmedia. com/ (expires September 2015)

Word of Life Temple — Cub/Boy Scout meeting, ages 6-18, every other Tuesday from 6 - 7:30 p.m. Contact Bro. Jamie Cunningham (910) 824-6296 for more information. (expires August 2015)

Class Reunions -

1930 – 1968 — Upchurch High School alumni and friends are having a reunion held Labor Day weekend at the Holiday Inn Bordeaux, Fayetteville, NC, September 3-6. Friday meet & greet; Saturday – picnic; Sunday – scholarship banquet. For more information call Joyce Campbell-Stewart (910) 824-1025 or Retha Hardimon (910) 875-5358.

1956 — Information on the Upchurch High Class of 1956 may be obtained by contacting Marjorie G. Hendrix at 910-867-8555.

1962 — Information on the class of 1962 may be obtained by calling Annie Gilchrist McLain. 910-487-4195; McKinnon McKeller, 910-864-0772; or Ellen Clark McNeill, 910-875-3237; or email emcneill1005@aol.com.

1963 — Information on the class of 1963 may be obtained by calling Edna Marie Black-Cooper at 910-843-5742 or email ebmarieblack@aol.com or Mary Roper at 910-875-4993.

1964—The class of 1964 will be hostinga"MEMORIALBreakfast" (Labor Day Weekend) September 5 at Upchurch School cafeteria from 8-10 a.m. There is a \$10 donation. For more information call Rebecca McNeill 910-875-1469 or John McLean 910-843-4047.

1965 — Upchurch High Class of 1965 meets monthly at the home of Mr. Bobby and Jennie Allen. All interested parties are invited to attend. Contact Rev. Jennie Allen at 910-875-5026; Pastor Cora Murphy 910-684-0417; Mr. Paul Purcell 910-904-1622; Janice McDougal (910) 423-6271; email ilmac65@nc.net; snailmail3649MarcliffRoad, Hope Mills, NC 28348.

1967 — The Upchurch High School Class of 1967 is planning their 50th Class Reunion Celebration. For more information, contact Walter Blue, 910-875-3318, Delorise Lide, 910-875-2480 or Annie Little, 910-695-5519.

1970 — The class of 1970 will be meeting August 24 at Hardees in Raeford at 6 p.m. All class members are invited. For more information contact Willie Mae McNair Artis, 910-848-0405 or Evelyn McMillan McLeod, 910-875-8919.

1975—The Hoke County High Class of 1975 is planning its 40th year reunion. We are searching for our members and contact information. Please respond with contact information to: trinybooks@aol. com, gbhill27@gmail.com, 910-213-7110, 910-977-9076 or 910-

1977 — Hoke County High School Class of 1977 will meet every Monday at 7 p.m. at Virgil's Drive-In. Any interested classmate may call James Quick at 910-273-1863. 1985 — Class of 1985 reunion

plans are in place and letters are being sent out for our class reunion from October 16-17. October 16 - Hoke High School from 4 – 7 p.m.-Tailgate before homecoming game, 7:30 p.m. attend Homecoming game; October 17 - Embassy Suite in Fayetteville from 6 – 7 p.m. social hour, 7 p.m. - midnight – banquet. Cost is \$85 per person or \$150 for couples. Please help us spread the word to all our classmates. For further information regarding the fellowship or the class reunion contact any of the names below. Regena McLaughlin 910-261-4493; Tuwanda McNeill 910-366-6436; Harry Southerland 910-978-9118.

1998—Planning for the class of 1998 reunion has been completed. Please contact April Bratcher at (336) 841-5388 or (336) 338-2286 cell or Damon Williams at 910-690-6707 ASAP so we can get an information packet to you via mail or email.

2001 — A website has been established for Hoke High's class of 2001 so that classmates may keep in touch and exchange reunion ideas. The website was begun by Gretchen Adams and the address is www. geocities.com/fightingbucks2001/ index.html.

GENERAL NOTICE OF TAX FORECLOSURE SALE 14 CVD 106

Under and by virtue of an order of the District Court of Hoke County, North Carolina, made and entered in the action entitled "COUNTY OF HOKE, a political subdivision of the State of North Carolina v. ALL HEIRS AND ASSIGNS OF CLIN-TON MCLAUGHLIN, including all unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, creditors, debtors, and all those claiming by and through the estate of Clinton McLaughlin, the undersigned Commissioner will at 10:00 a.m. on the 3rd day of September, 2015 offer for sale and sell for cash, to the last and highest bidder at public auction. at the courthouse door in Hoke County, North Carolina, in Raeford, the following described real property:

All that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Hoke County, North Carolina and more particularly described as follows:

"LYING AND BEING in Blue Springs Township, Hoke County, North Carolina, and being a part of Lot No. One (1) as it appears on that plat recorded in Map Book 7, page 15, Hoke County Registry, said plat being entitled "Division of Angus A. Brown Estate, Blue Springs Township, Hoke County, North Carolina, surveyed May -September, 1977, J. P. McMillan, Jr., Registered Surveyor," and described in metes and bonds as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in or near the run of Little Middle Swamp which beginning point is also the southwest corner of Lot No. One (1) as it appears in the division of Angust A. Brown Estate, heretofore set forth, and runs thence N 6-15 E 656.86 feet to a point, a corner; thence S 82-35 E 102.31 feet; thence S 6-15 W approximately 690 feet to a point in the run of Little Middle Swamp; thence in a westerly direction of the run of Little Middle Swamp to the point of beginning, and containing 1.50 acres, more or less.

The within described lot appears as Lot No. Seven (7) on that plat entitled "Joshua Acres, Blue Springs Township, Hoke County, North Carolina,' said plat being dated December 1977, and having been prepared by J. P. McMillan, Jr., Registered Surveyor." PIN: 29422-00-01-238

Address: Branchwood Lane

"LYING AND BEING in Blue Springs Township, Hoke County, North Carolina, and being a part of

Lot No. Eight (8) as it appears on that plat recorded in Map Book 7, page 15, Hoke County Registry, said plat being entitled "Division of Angus A. Brown Estate, Blue Springs Township, Hoke County, North Carolina, surveyed May -September, 1977, J. P. McMillan, Jr., Registered Surveyor," and described in metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a point in the common

line of Lots No. Eight (8) and Nine (9) as they appear on the hereinafter set forth plat which point is located S 6-15 W 808.41 feet, thence N 82-35 W 204.62 feet and thence S 82-35 W 345.0 feet from an iron pipe, control corner, which is the northwest corner of the original tract as it appears in the division of Angus A. Brown Estate heretofore set forth; and runs thence from said beginning point S 82-35 W 280 feet, more or less, to a point in the run of Little Middle Swamp; thence as and with the run of Little Middle Swamp to a point, a common corner of Lots No. 7 and 8; thence with the common line of Lots 7 and 8 N 82-35 E 690 feet, more or less, to a common corner of Lots 7 and 8 in the right of way of a 60 foot right of way street; thence S 82-35 E 17.31 feet to a point in said right-of-way; thence S 6-15 W 345 feet more or less; thence S 82-35 E 85 feet to the point of beginning, and containing 00.93 acre, more or less.

The within described lot is a portion of Lot Eight (8) on that plat entitled 'Joshua Acres, Blue Springs Township, Hoke County, North Carolina," said plat being dated December, 1977, and having been prepared by J. P. McMillan, Jr., Registered Surveyor.' PIN: 29422-00-01-240

Address: Branchwood Lane

"LYING AND BEING IN BLUE SPRINGS TOWNSHIP, HOKE COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA, about 4.5 miles Southwest of the City of Raeford, about 1.4 miles Northeast of the intersection of Secondary Road No. 1124 with Secondary Road No. 1134; and on the Southwest side of and adjoining Paved Secondary Road No.1134. Bounded on the Northeast by Secondary Road No. 1134, on the East by French William McBryde, and on all other sides by other lands of Maggie McE. Brown, and being more particularly described as follows, to wit: BEGINNING at an existing iron

pipe in the Southwestern right of way of Paved Secondary Road No. 1134, said iron pipe being the Northeastern corner of the tract of which this is a part, and runs thence as the Southwestern right of way (30 feet from center) of said road, N 56-10 W 100.55 feet to an iron pipe; thence as a new line, S 5-07-40 E 280.00 feet to an iron pipe; thence as another new line, S 56-46-20 E 101.58 feet to an iron pipe in the eastern line of the original tract of which this is a part; thence as the original eastern line N 5-26 W 280.00 feet to the BEGINNING, containing 0.5 acre as shown on a map prepared by George T. Paris and Associates and surveyed by William Carl McIlwain, Jr., RLS, dated November 9, 1977, and being a portion of the lands conveyed to Maggie McE. Brown by Deed recorded in Deed Book 147, Page 263, Hoke County Registry.

This being the same property conveyed to Archie Dean Livingston, by Deed from Maggie McE. Brown, in Book 200, at Page 337 of the Hoke `ountv

Public Registry to which reference is hereby made.' PIN: 29422-00-01-091

Address: Blue Springs Road

The said property is being sold as is, with all existing conditions or faults. The last and highest bid will be accepted and will be final and irrevocable, and may not be withdrawn and shall not be refunded after the sale. The last and highest bidder shall be responsible for making any investigation deemed appropriate prior to sale as to the condition of the property, the status of title to the property, or any other matter(s) affecting the property.

The sale will be made subject to all outstanding city and county taxes and all local improvement assessments against the above-described property not included in the judgment in the above-entitled cause. This sale will not convey any personal property that may be located on the real property and the Commissioner makes no warranties or representations as to whether improvements to real property are real or personal in nature. A cash deposit of ten (10%) percent or \$750.00, whichever is greater, of the successful bid will be required. This 29th day of July, 2015.

RUDOLPH K. ŠMITH N.C. State Bar No. 40795 **RKS** Law

Attorney for Hoke County Tax Collection Department Post Office Box 2095, Fayetteville,

(910) 486-3230 Publication dates: 8/19/2015 &

File No: 14 CVD 106

Pursuant to NC General Statute GS 44A-40-44 the undersigned will offer for Public Auction on Monday August 31st 2015 at 12:00 Noon at AA All American Airborne Self Storage, 9875 Fayetteville Road, Raeford NC. Various items of personal property to the assertion of a lien at AA All American Airborne Self Storage. The entire contents from the following storage units will be sold at Public Auction to the highest bidder.

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3038 M. Norwood

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CREDITOR'S NOTICE IN THE GENERAL COURT

OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION Before The Clerk COUNTY OF HOKE IN THE MATTER OF MINNIE TAYLOR HARRELL 15 E 145

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against Minnie Taylor Harrell, deceased, are hereby notified to exhibit them to Barbara Mewherter, Co-Executrix, of the estate of the decedent at 365 Potter Rd., Raeford, NC 28376, and Frank Mewherter, Co-Executor at 365 Potter Rd., Raeford, NC 28376 on or before the 19th day of November, 2015, or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the above named Co-Executors

This the 19th day of August, 2015. Barbara Mewherter, Co-Executrix Of the estate of Minnie Taylor Harrell 365 Potter Rd. Raeford, NC 28376

And Frank Mewherter, Co-Executor 365 Potter Rd. Raeford, NC 28376

NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

NORTH CAROLINA ROBESON COUNTY IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION FILE NO.: 14 CVS 2348 EUGENE VENSON WARREN, II, Plaintiff, vs. LAURIE A. JONES and HARRISON R. DANIELS, JR., Defendants

TO: LAURIE A. JONES and HARRISON R. DANIELS, JR.

TAKE NOTICE that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above-referenced action. The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: To recover relief for injuries sustained as a result of an automobile accident which occurred on or about January 11, 2012.

You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than the 28th day of September, 2015 said date being 40 days from the first publication of this notice, and upon your failure to do so the party seeking service against you will apply to the court for the relief sought.

This the 19th day of August, 2015. Stephen C. McIntyre MÜSSELWHITE, MUSSELWHITE. **BRANCH & GRANTHAM** Attorneys at Law P. O. Box 1448

Lumberton, North Carolina 28359-Telephone: (910) 738-5277 Counsel for Plaintiff

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE DISTRICT COURT DIVISION FILE NO: 14 JT 430 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND BETTY W. BASS, PETITIONER VS NESHIA MICHELLE NIVENS, RESPONDENT

In the Matter of: NIVENS, a minor child

TO: NESHIA MICHELLE NIV-ENS, Respondent, mother of NIV-ENS, a male child born on the 5th day of April, 2009, in North Carolina.

TAKE NOTICE that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled action; the nature being sought is to terminate your parental rights to the abovenamed child.

You are required to make a defense to such pleading not later than forty (40) days after the first publication of this notice being August 5, 2015 and upon your failure to do so, the Petitioners seeking service against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

You are entitled to attend any hearing affecting your rights. You are entitled to have counsel appointed by the Court if you are indigent. If you desire counsel, you should contact the Clerk of Court immediately to request counsel. This is a new case and any attorney appointed previously will not represent you in this proceeding unless ordered by the Court.

AMENDED NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S FORECLOSURE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

113470-01878/ 15-SP-16

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of the power and authority contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed and delivered by Orlando Gildersleeve and Latoya Gildersleeve, dated December 22, 2004 and recorded on January 4, 2005 in Book No. 00651 at Page 0375 in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Hoke County, North Carolina; and because of default in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby and failure to carry out and perform the stipulations and agreements contained therein and, pursuant to demand of the holder of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will place for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash at the usual place of sale at Hoke County Courthouse, Raeford, North Carolina on August 20, 2015 at 10:00AM that parcel of land, including improvements thereon, situated, lying and being in the City of Raeford, County of Hoke, State of North Carolina, and being more particularly described in the above referenced Deed of Trust.. Address of property: 114 Beech Dr,

Raeford, NC 28376-6461 Tax Parcel ID: 494450001169 Present Record Owners: Orlando Gildersleeve and Latoya Gild-

ersleeve The terms of the sale are that the real property hereinbefore described will be sold for cash to the highest bidder. A deposit of five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid or Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750.00), whichever is greater, is required and must be tendered in the form of certified funds at the time of the sale. The successful bidder shall be required to pay revenue stamps on the Trustee's Deed, any Land Transfer Tax and costs of recording the Trustee's Deed.

The real property hereinabove described is being offered for sale "AS IS, WHERE IS" and will be sold subject to all superior liens, unpaid taxes, and special assessments. Other conditions will be announced at the sale. The sale will be held open for ten (10) days for upset bids as by law required.

If for any reason the Trustee is unable to convey title to this property or the sale is set aside, the sole remedy of the purchaser is the return of the deposit. Furthermore, if the validity of the sale is challenged by any party, the Trustee, in its sole discretion, if it believes the challenge to have merit, may declare the sale to be void and return the deposit. In either event the purchaser will have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, the Mortgagee's attorney or the Trustee.

Additional Notice Where the Real Property is Residential With Less Than 15 Rental Units:

An order for possession of the property may be issued pursuant to G.S. 45-21.29 in favor of the purchaser and against the party or parties in possession by the clerk of superior court of the county in which the property is sold. Any person who occupies the property pursuant to a rental agreement entered into or renewed on or after October 1, 2007, may, after receiving the notice of sale, terminate the rental agreement upon 10 days' written notice to the landlord. Upon termination of a rental agreement, the tenant is liable for rent due under the rental agreement prorated to the effective date of the termination. Attorney at Law

Rogers Townsend & Thomas, PC Substitute Trustee 2550 West Tyvola Road, Suite 520 Charlotte, NC 28217 (704) 442-9500 23-24C

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S FORECLOSURE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

14-SP-253 Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed and delivered by Carol Lee Mills, dated March 16, 2001 and recorded on March 20, 2001 in Book No. 463 at Page 498 in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Hoke County, North Carolina; and because of default in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby and failure to carry out and perform the stipulations and agreements contained therein and, pursuant to demand of the holder of the indebted-ness secured by said Deed of Trust, the under-signed Substitute Trustee will place for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash at the usual place of sale at Hoke County Courthouse, Raeford, North Carolina on August 20, 2015 at 10:00 AM that parcel of land, including improvements thereon, situated, lying and being in the City of Raeford, County of Hoke, State of North Carolina, and being more referenced Deed of Trust. Address of property: 1807 O'Bannon Drive, Raeford, NC 28376-8474 Tax Parcel ID: 494670401176 Present Record Owners: Carol Lee Mills The terms of the sale are that the real property hereinbefore described will be sold for cash to the highest bidder. A deposit of five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid or Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750.00), whichever is greater, is required and must be tendered in the form of certified funds at the time of the sale. The successful bidder shall be required to pay revenue stamps on the Trustee's Deed, any Land Transfer Tax and costs of recording the Trustee's Deed. The real property hereinabove described is being offered for sale "AS IS, WHERE IS" and will be sold subject to all superior liens, unpaid taxes, and special assessments. Other conditions will be announced at the sale. The sale will be held open for ten (10) days for upset bids as by law required. If for any reason the Trustee is unable to convey title to this property or the sale is set aside, the sole remedy of the purchaser is the return of the deposit. Furthermore, if the validity of the sale is challenged by any party, the Trustee, in its sole discretion, if it believes the challenge to have merit, may declare the sale to be void and return the deposit. In either event the purchaser will have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, the Mortgagee's attorney or the Trustee. Additional Notice Where the Real Property is Residential With Less Than 15 Rental Units: An order for possession of the property may be issued pursuant to G.S. 45-21.29 in favor of the purchaser and against the party or parties in possession by the clerk of superior court of the county in which the property is sold. Any person who occupies the property pursuant to a rental agreement entered into or renewed on or after October 1, 2007, may, after receiving the notice of sale, terminate the rental agreement upon 10 days' written notice to the landlord. Upon termination of a rental agreement, the tenant is liable for rent due under the rental agreement prorated to the effective date of the termination.

113081-06225 P1145068 8/12, 08/19/2015 23-24C NOTICE OF

Rogers Townsend & Thomas, PC,

Substitute Trustee

(803)744-4444.

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S FORECLOSURE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY 110 023910-1 15-SP-155

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of the power and authority contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed and delivered by James E Crawford, Jr., dated 11/16/2009 and recorded on 11/30/2009, in Book 882 at Page 773_, in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Hoke County, North Carolina; and because of default in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby and failure to carry out and perform the stipulations and agreements contained therein and, pursuant to demand of the holder of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will place for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash at the usual place of sale at Hoke County Courthouse, in Raeford, North Carolina, on August 20, 2015 at 11:00 AM that parcel of land, including improvements thereon, situated, lying and being in the City of Raeford, County of Hoke, State of North Carolina, and being more particular described as follows:

ALL THAT PARCEL OF LAND IN TOWNSHIP OF RAEFORD, HOKECOUNTY, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN DEED BOOK 785, PAGE 354, ID# 494560201366, BE-ING KNOWN AND DESIGNATED ASLOT 10, SUBDIVISION SURVEY OF TURNING LEAF NORTH.

BY FEE SIMPLE DEED FROM GMCCONSTRUCTIONOFNC, INC., A NORTH CAROLINA CORPORA-TION AS SET FORTH IN BOOK 785, PAGE 354 DATED 11/14/2007 ANDRECORDED 11/20/2007, HOKE COUNTY RECORDS, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. Any and all improvements thereon.

Address of Property: 192 Cross Creek Drive, Raeford, NC 28376 Present Record Owners: James E

Crawford, Jr. The terms of the sale are that the real property hereinbefore described will be sold for cash to the highest bidder. The Substitute Trustee reserves the right to require a cash deposit or a certified check not to exceed the greater of five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid or seven hundred fifty Dollars (\$750.00). In the event that the holder is exempt from paying the same, the successful bidder may also be required to pay revenue stamps on the Trustee's Deed, any Land Transfer Tax, and the tax required by N.C.G.S. §7A-308 (a) (1).

The real property hereinabove described is being offered for sale "AS IS, WHERE IS" and will be sold subject to all superior liens, unpaid taxes, and special assessments. Other conditions will be announced at the sale. The sale will be held open for ten (10) days for upset bids as by law required.

If the Substitute Trustee is unable to convey title to this property for any reason, the sole remedy of the purchaser is the return of the deposit. Reasons of such inability to convey title include, but are not limited to, the filing of a bankruptcy petition prior to the sale and reinstatement of the loan without knowledge of the Substitute Trustee(s). If the validity of the sale is challenged by any party, the Substitute Trustee(s), in its/their sole discretion, if it/they believe(s) the challenge to have merit, may declare the sale to be void and return the deposit. The purchaser will have no further remedy. Additional Notice where the Real

Property is Residential with less than 15 Rental Units:

An order for possession of the property may be issued pursuant to G.S. § 45-21.29 in favor of the purchaser and against the party or partie s in possessio by the Clerk of Superior Court of the County in which the property is sold. Any person who occupies the property pursuant to a rental agreement entered into or renewed on or after October 1, 2007, may, after receiving the notice of sale, terminate the rental agreement upon 10 days written notice to the landlord. Upon termination of a rental agreement. the tenant is liable for rent due under the rental agreement prorated to the effective date of termination.

Dated: July 21, 2015 The Hunoval Law Firm, PLLC, Attorney for Poore Substitute Trustee. LTD

as Substitute Trustee (704) 334-7114 23-24C

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE NORTH CAROLINA

HOKE COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF THE FORECLOSURE OF THE DEED OF TRUST **EXECUTED BY** TAMMY S. LANCASTER and husband, IBBY JACKSON LANCASTER, IV, Recorded in Book 853, Page 978

and recorded again in Book 856, Page 373, Hoke County Registry IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE

SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION BEFORE THE CLERK FILE NO. 15-SP-149 DEED OF TRUST BEING

FORECLOSED: The Deed of Trust being foreclosed is that Deed of Trust executed by TAMMY S. LANCASTER and husband, IBBY JACKSON LAN-CASTER, IV to Jay B. Green, Trustee, dated May 1, 2009 and recorded in Book 853, Page 978 and recorded

Hoke County Registry of North Carolina. RECORD OWNERS OF THE

again in Book 856, Page 373 in the

REAL PROPERTY: The record owner of the subject real property as reflected on the records of the Hoke County Register of Deeds not more than 10 days prior to the posting of this Notice is Tammy Lancaster.

DATE, TIME AND PLACE OF SALE:

The sale will be held on August 27, 2015 at 11:45 a.m. at the door of the Hoke County Courthouse, Raeford, North Carolina.

PROPERTY TO BE SOLD: The following real property to

be sold "sight unseen" together with any improvements is located in Hoke County, North Carolina and is believed to have the address of 140 Hazel Lane, Raeford, NC 28376 and is otherwise more particularly described as follows:

ALL that certain lot or parcel of land situated in Raeford Township, Hoke County, North Carolina and more particularly described as

LYING AND BEING IN RA-EFORDTOWNSHIP, HOKECOUN-TY, NORTH CAROLINA AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS

BEING ALL OF THAT 2.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS, AC-CORDING TO A PLAT OF THE SAME BEING DULY RECORDED IN PLAT CABINET 3, SLIDE 3-74, MAP 006, HOKE COUNTY PUB-LIC REGISTRY.

Included as part of the real property is a 2008 CMH manufactured home bearing serial no. ROC722883NC-AB as more particularly described in a Declaration recorded in Book 853. Page 986, and recorded in Book 856. Page 381, Hoke County Registry.

TERMS OF SALE:

Pursuant to the provisions of N.C.G.S. §45-21.10(b) and the terms of the Deed of Trust, any successful bidder may be required to deposit with the Trustee or Clerk of Superior Court immediately upon the conclusion of the sale a cash deposit to be determined by the greater of 5% of the bid or \$750.00. Unless the Substitute Trustee agrees otherwise, the successful bidder will be required to tender the "full purchase price" so bid in cash or certified check at the time the Trustee tenders to him a Deed to the property or attempts to tender such Deed, and should the successful bidder fail to pay the full amount, then the successful bidder shall remain liable as provided for in N.C.G.S. §45-21.30. By submitting your bid, you agree that the "full purchase price" shall be defined as the amount of bid plus the Trustee's commission as defined in the subject Deed of Trust plus the costs of the action. unless the Trustee agrees otherwise. For example, if the amount of bid is \$20,000.00 and the trustee's commission is defined in the subject Deed of Trust as 5% of the gross proceeds of the sale, then the "full purchase price" shall equal \$21,000.00 plus the costs of the action. A tender of Deed shall be defined as a letter from the Trustee to the successful bidder offering to record the Deed upon receipt of full purchase price as described herein and listed in said letter. If the trustee is unable to convey title to this property for any reason such as a bankruptcy filing, the sole remedy of the successful bidder is the return of the deposit. As to any manufactured home, the following shall apply: Any not considered real property is being foreclosed pursuant to N.C.G.S. §25-9-604, if necessary; there is no warranty that any is actually located on the subject tract; and there is no warranty given by the Substitute Trustee as to whether said home is real property or personal property. The sale will be made subject to all prior liens, unpaid taxes, assessments, restrictions and easements of record, if any

ADDITIONAL NOTICE:

Take notice that an order for possession of the property may be issued pursuant to G.S. 45-21.29 in favor of the purchaser and against the party or parties in possession by the clerk of superior court of the county in which the property is sold. Take further notice that any person who occupies the property pursuant to a rental agreement entered into or renewed on or after October 1, 2007, may, after receiving the notice of sale. terminate the rental agreement upon 10 days' written notice to the landlord. The notice shall also state that upon termination of a rental agreement. the tenant is liable for rent due under the rental agreement prorated to the effective date of the termination.

This the 6th day of July, 2015. THE GREEN LAW FIRM, P.C. Jav B. Green Attorneys for Deidre D. DeFlorentis, Substitute Trustee 908 E. Edenton Street Raleigh, North Carolina 27601 Telephone: 919-829-0797 23-24C

NOTICE OF SALE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE OF NORTH CAROLINA SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION HOKE COUNTY

13SP147 IN THE MATTER OF THE FORECLOSURE OF A DEED OF TRUST EXECUTED BY AL-FRED L. BURKES AND BRENDA BURKES DATED AUGUST 4, 2011 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 952 AT PAGE 951 IN THE HOKE COUNTY PUBLIC REGISTRY, NORTH CAROLINA

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in the abovereferenced deed of trust and because of default in the payment of the secured indebtedness and failure to perform the stipulation and agreements therein contained and, pursuant to demand of the owner and holder of the secured debt, the undersigned substitute trustee will expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the usual place of sale at the county courthouse of said county at 10:00AM on August 24, 2015 the following described real estate and any other improvements which may be situated thereon, in Hoke County, North Carolina, and being more particularly described as follows:

BEING all of Lot Number 20 in a subdivision known as BROWN-STONE FARMS, SECTION 2, PART TWO and the same being duly recorded in Plat Cabinet 4, at Slide 4-7, Map 6, Hoke County Registry, North Carolina.

And Being more commonly known as: 211 Wheatfield Ct, Raeford, NC 28376

The record owner(s) of the property, as reflected on the records of the Register of Deeds, is/are Alfred L. Burkes and Brenda Burkes.

The property to be offered pursuant to this notice of sale is being offered for sale, transfer and conveyance "AS IS, WHERE IS." Neither the Trustee nor the holder of the note secured by the deed of trust, being foreclosed, nor the officers, directors, attorneys, employees, agents or authorized representative of either Trustee or the holder of the note make any representation or warranty relating to the title or any physical, environmental, health or safety conditions existing in, on, at or relating to the property being offered for sale. Any and all responsibilities or liabilities arising out of or in any way relating to any such condition expressly are disclaimed. This sale is made subject to all prior liens and encumbrances, and unpaid taxes and assessments including but not limited to any transfer tax associated with the foreclosure. A deposit of five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid or seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750.00), whichever is greater, is required and must be tendered in the form of certified funds at the time of the sale. This sale will be held open ten days for upset bids as required by law. Following the expiration of the statutory upset period, all remaining amounts are IMMEDIATELY DUE AND OWING. Failure to remit funds in a timely manner will result in a Declaration of Default and any deposit will be frozen pending the outcome of any re-sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, the Substitute Trustee or the attorney of

any of the foregoing.
SPECIAL NOTICE FOR LEASE-HOLD TENANTS: If you are a tenant residing in the property, be advised that an Order for Possession of the property may be issued in favor of the purchaser. Also, if your lease began or was renewed on or after October 1, 2007, be advised that you may terminate the rental agreement upon 10 days written notice to the landlord. You may be liable for rent due under the agreement prorated to the effective date of the termination.

The date of this Notice is July 8, 2015. Grady I. Ingle or Elizabeth B. Ells Substitute Trustee 10130 Perimeter Parkway, Suite 400 Charlotte, NC 28216 (704) 333-8107 http://shapiroattorneys.com/nc/13-048630

23-24C

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE 15 SP 141 NORTH CAROLINA, HOKE COUNTY

Under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by Delores E. Lowery to Randy Warlick and Amy E. Johnson, Trustee(s), which was dated August 22, 2003 and recorded on October 11, 2005 in Book 00689 at Page 0466, Hoke County Registry, North Carolina.

Default having been made of the note thereby secured by the said Deed of Trust and the undersigned, having been substituted as Trustee in said Deed of Trust, and the holder of the note evidencing said default having directed that the Deed of Trust be foreclosed, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at the courthouse door of the county courthouse where the property is located, or the usual and customary location at the county courthouse for conducting the sale on August 25, 2015 at 11:30AM, and will sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described property situated in Hoke County, North Carolina, to wit:

All that parcel of land in City of Raeford, Hoke County, State of North Carolina, as more fully described in Deed Book 494, Page 559, ID# 9445-00-01-260, being known and designated as all of Lot 129 in a subdivision known as Summerfield East, Section Two recorded in Plat Cabinet 2, Slide 2-34 Map 003.__By fee simple deed from Lesley R. Manns, Sr. dba Manns Builders and Charlene S. Manns, husband and wife as set forth in Book 494, Page 559 dated 01/25/2002 and recorded 01/29/2002, Hoke County Records, State of North Carolina._

Save and except any releases, deeds of release or prior conveyances

Said property is commonly known as 206 Cypress Drive, Raeford, NC 28376.

A cash deposit (no personal checks) of five percent (5%) of the purchase price, or Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750.00), whichever is greater, will be required at the time of the sale. Following the expiration of the statutory upset bid period, all the remaining amounts are immediately due and owing. THIRD PARTY PURCHASERS MUST PAY THE EXCISE TAX AND THE RECORD-ING COSTS FOR THEIR DEED.

Said property to be offered pursuant to this Notice of Sale is being offered for sale, transfer and conveyance "AS IS WHERE IS." There are no representations of warranty relating to the title or any physical, environmental, health or safety conditions existing in, on, at, or relating to the property being offered for sale. This sale is made subject to all prior liens, unpaid taxes, any unpaid land transfer taxes, special assessments, easements, rights of way, deeds of release, and any other encumbrances or exceptions of record. To the best of the knowledge and belief of the undersigned, the current owner(s) of the property is/are Delores E. Lowery.

An Order for possession of the property may be issued pursuant to G.S. 45-21.29 in favor of the purchaser and against the party or

parties in possession by the clerk of superior court of the county in which the property is sold. Any person who occupies the property pursuant to a rental agreement entered into or renewed on or after October 1, 2007, may, after receiving the notice of sale, terminate the rental agreement upon 10 days' written notice to the landlord. The notice shall also state that upon termination of a rental agreement, the tenant is liable for rent due under the rental agreement prorated to the

effective date of the termination. If the trustee is unable to convey title to this property for any reason, the sole remedy of the purchaser is the return of the deposit. Reasons of such inability to convey include, but are not limited to, the filing of a bankruptcy petition prior to the confirmation of the sale and reinstatement of the loan without the knowledge of the trustee. If the validity of the sale is challenged by any party, the trustee, in their sole discretion, if they believe the challenge to have merit, may request the court to declare the sale to be void and return the deposit. The purchaser will have no further remedy. Trustee Services of Carolina, LLC

Substitute Trustee Brock & Scott, PLLC Attorneys for Trustee Services of Carolina, LLC 5431 Oleander Drive Suite 200 Wilmington, NC 28403 PHONE: (910) 392-4988 FAX: (910) 392-8587 File No.: 15-07948-FC01 23-24C

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE 15 SP 143 NORTH CAROLINA, HOKE COUNTY

Under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by Michael A. Lamb to Jackie Miller, Trustee(s), which was dated April 18, 2008 and recorded on April 21, 2008 in Book 804 at Page 875, Hoke County Registry, North

Default having been made of the note thereby secured by the said Deed of Trust and the undersigned, Trustee Services of Carolina, LLC, having been substituted as Trustee in said Deed of Trust, and the holder of the note evidencing said default having directed that the Deed of Trust be foreclosed, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at the courthouse door of the county courthouse where the property is located, or the usual and customary location at the county courthouse for conducting the sale on August 25, 2015 at 11:30AM, and will sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described property situated in Hoke County, North Carolina, to wit:

Being all of Lot 29, Windward Oaks, Section Three, according to a plat of the same duly recorded in Plat Cabinet 2, Slide 2-73, Map 002, Hoke County, North Carolina.

Save and except any releases, deeds of release or prior conveyances of record.

Said property is commonly known as 124 Bayou Court, Raeford, NC 28376.

A cash deposit (no personal checks) of five percent (5%) of the purchase price, or Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750.00), whichever is greater, will be required at the time of the sale. Following the expiration of the statutory upset bid period, all the remaining amounts are immediately due and owing. THIRD PARTY PURCHASERS MUST PAY THE EXCISE TAX AND THE RECORD-

ING COSTS FOR THEIR DEED. Said property to be offered pursuant to this Notice of Sale is being offered for sale, transfer and conveyance "AS IS WHERE IS." There are no representations of warranty relating to the title or any physical, environmental, health or safety conditions existing in, on, at, or relating to the property being offered for sale. This sale is made subject to all prior liens, unpaid taxes, any unpaid land transfer taxes, special assessments, easements, rights of way, deeds of release, and any other encumbrances or exceptions of record. To the best of the knowledge and belief of the undersigned, the current owner(s) of the property is/are Michael Lamb.

An Order for possession of the property may be issued pursuant to G.S. 45-21.29 in favor of the purchaser and against the party or parties in possession by the clerk of superior court of the county in which the property is sold. Any person who occupies the property pursuant to a rental agreement entered into or renewed on or after October 1, 2007, may, after receiving the notice of sale, terminate the rental agreement upon 10 days' written notice to the landlord. The notice shall also state that upon termination of a rental agreement, the tenant is liable for rent due under the rental agreement prorated to the effective date of the termination.

If the trustee is unable to convey title to this property for any reason, the sole remedy of the purchaser is the return of the deposit. Reasons of such inability to convey include, but are not limited to, the filing of a bankruptcy petition prior to the confirmation of the sale and reinstatement of the loan without the knowledge of the trustee. If the validity of the sale is challenged by any party, the trustee, in their sole discretion, if they believe the challenge to have merit, may request the court to declare the sale to be void and return the deposit. The purchaser will have no further remedy. Trustee Services of Carolina, LLC Substitute Trustee Brock & Scott, PLLC

Attorneys for Trustee Services of Carolina, LLC 5431 Oleander Drive Suite 200

Wilmington, NC 28403 PHONE: (910) 392-4988 FAX: (910) 392-8587 File No.: 15-04702-FC01

LEGAL ADVERTISING

CREDITOR'S NOTICE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION Before The Clerk COUNTY OF HOKE IN THE MATTER OF KATIE BUOYER CHILDRESS

KATIE MARGARET CHILDRESS 15 E 136

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against Katie Buoyer Childress aka Katie Margaret Childress, deceased, are hereby notified to exhibit them to Cynthia Childress (aka) Cindy Childress, Executrix, of the estate of the decedent at 111 N. Jackson Street, Raeford, NC 28376, on or before the 29th day of October, 2015, or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the above named Executrix.

This the 29th day of July, 2015. Cynthia Childress (aka) Cindy Childress, Executrix Of the estate of Katie Buoyer Childress aka Katie Margaret Childress 111 N. Jackson St. Raeford, NC 28376

NOTICE OF SERVICE

OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE

DISTRICT COURT DIVISION FILE NO: 15 CVD 5609 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND ALRÉ L. HUDSON, Plaintiff vs. VICKY HUDSON, Defendant TO: VICKY HUDSON

TAKE NOTICE that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled action; the nature being sought is for an absolute

You are required to make a defense to such pleading not later than forty (40) days after the first publication of this notice being August 5, 2015 and upon your failure to do so, the Plaintiff seeking service against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought. Roger R. Compton Attorney at Law

5311 Raeford Road PO Box 42836 Fayetteville, NC 28309 (910) 424-6393

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Jesus F. Torres-Salazar, late of Red Springs, Hoke County, North Carolina, the undersigned does hereby notify all persons, firms, and corporations having claims against the estate of said decedent to exhibit them to Kristin L. Yahnke, P.O. Box 2683, Surf City, NC 28445, on or before the 5th day of November 2015, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms, and corporations indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This the 5th day of August, 2015. FRANK BRITT Administrator of the Estate of JESUS F. TORRES-SALAZAR 14 E 236 Kristin L. Yahnke Attorney at Law Kenneth Ording, P.C. P.O. Box 2683 2071 NC Highway 210 East Hampstead, NC 28443 (910) 329-0214

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CREDITOR'S NOTICE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION Before The Clerk COUNTY OF HOKE IN THE MATTER OF WILLIAM MARSHALL CURRIE

15 E 63 All persons, firms and corporations having claims against William Marshall Currie, deceased, are hereby notified to exhibit them to Christopher Currie, Executor, of the estate of the decedent at 6412 Ezra's Ct., Favetteville, NC 28304, on or before the 5th day of November, 2015, or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the above named Executor.

This the 5th day of August, 2015. Christopher Currie, Executor Of the estate of William Marshall Currie 6412 Ezra's Ct. Fayetteville, NC 28304

CREDITOR'S NOTICE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION Before The Clerk COUNTY OF HOKE IN THE MATTER OF JERRY DOYLE MORRISON, SR. 15 E 143

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against Jerry Dovle Morrison Sr., deceased, are hereby notified to exhibit them to Jerry D. Morrison, Jr., Executor, of the estate of the decedent at 2013 Merrimac Dr., Favetteville, NC 28304 on or before the 19th day of November, 2015, or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the above named Executor.

This the 19th day of August, 2015. Jerry D. Morrison, Jr., Executor Of the estate of Jerry Doyle Morrison, Sr. 2013 Merrimac Dr. Fayetteville, NC 28304

LEGAL DEADLINE: NOON FRIDAY PRIOR TO

E-mail legals to: robin@thenews-journal.com

PUBLICATION DATE

CREDITOR'S NOTICE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION Before The Clerk COUNTY OF HOKE IN THE MATTER OF EARL MCDUFFIE, JR. 15 E 139

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against Earl McDuffie, Jr., deceased, are hereby notified to exhibit them to Willaree M. McDuffie, Executrix, of the estate of the decedent at 108 Covington St., PO Box 369, Raeford, NC 28376, on or before the 5th day of November, 2015, or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the above named Executrix.

This the 5th day of August, 2015. Willaree M. McDuffie, Executrix Of the estate of Earl McDuffie, Jr. 108 Covington Ave. PO Box 369 Raeford, NC 28376

> **CREDITOR'S NOTICE** IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE

SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION Before The Clerk COUNTY OF HOKE IN THE MATTER OF ALAN B. COHEN 15 E 140

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against Alan B. Cohen, deceased, are hereby notified to exhibit them to Wanda W. Cohen, Administratrix, of the estate of the decedent at PO Box 1982, Raeford, NC 28376, on or before the 29th day of October, 2015, or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the above named Administratrix.

This the 29th day of July, 2015. Wanda W. Cohen, Administratrix Of the estate of Alan B. Cohen PO Box 1982 Raeford, NC 28376

NOTICE OF SALE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE
OF NORTH CAROLINA
SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION
HOKE COUNTY

15SP159 IN THE MATTER OF THE FORECLOSURE OF A DEED OF TRUST EXECUTED BY NATHA-NIAL ELDRIDGE AND JENNIFER ELDRIDGE DATED MARCH 16. 2012 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 979 AT PAGE 802 IN THE HOKE COUNTY PUBLIC REGISTRY, NORTH CAROLINA

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in the abovereferenced deed of trust and because of default in the payment of the secured indebtedness and failure to perform the stipulation and agreements therein contained and, pursuant to demand of the owner and holder of the secured debt, the undersigned substitute trustee will expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the usual place of sale at the county courthouse of said county at 11:30AM on August 26, 2015 the following described real estate and any other improvements which may be situated thereon, in Hoke County, North Carolina, and being more particularly described as follows:

BEING all of Lot 145, DOVE FIELD, SECTION FIVE, according to a plat of same duly recorded in Book of Slides 2-8, Map 5, Hoke County Registry, North Carolina.

And Being more commonly known as: 207 Partridge Rd, Fayetteville, NC 28306

The record owner(s) of the property, as reflected on the records of the Register of Deeds, is/are Nathaniel Eldridge and Jennifer Eldridge.

The property to be offered pursuant to this notice of sale is being offered for sale, transfer and conveyance "AS IS, WHERE IS." Neither the Trustee nor the holder of the note secured by the deed of trust, being foreclosed, nor the officers, directors, attorneys, employees, agents or authorized representative of either Trustee or the holder of the note make any representation or warranty relating to the title or any physical, environmental, health or safety conditions existing in, on, at or relating to the property being offered for sale. Any and all responsibilities or liabilities arising out of or in any way relating to any such condition expressly are disclaimed. This sale is made subject to all prior liens and encumbrances, and unpaid taxes and assessments including but not limited to any transfer tax associated with the foreclosure. A deposit of five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid or seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750.00), whichever is greater, is required and must be tendered in the form of certified funds at the time of the sale. This sale will be held open ten days for upset bids as required by law. Following the expiration of the statutory upset period, all remaining amounts are IMMEDI-ATELY DUE AND OWING. Failure to remit funds in a timely manner will result in a Declaration of Default and any deposit will be frozen pending the outcome of any re-sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, the Substitute Trustee or the attorney of any of the foregoing.
SPECIAL NOTICE FOR LEASE-

HOLD TENANTS: If you are a tenant residing in the property, be advised that an Order for Possession of the property may be issued in favor of the purchaser. Also, if your lease began or was renewed on or after October 1, 2007, be advised that you may terminate the rental agreement upon 10 days written notice to the landlord. You may be liable for rent due under the agreement prorated to the effective date of the termination. The date of this Notice is August

5, 2015. Grady I. Ingle or Elizabeth B. Ells Substitute Trustee 10130 Perimeter Parkway, Suite 400 Charlotte, NC 28216 (704) 333-8107 http://shapiroattorneys.com/nc/ 15-072115

NOTICE OF SALE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE OF NORTH CAROLINA SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION HOKE COUNTY 15SP164

23-24C

IN THE MATTER OF THE FORECLOSURE OF A DEED OF TRUST EXECUTED BY TILL-MAN COOPER AKA TILLMAN A. COOPER DATED NOVEMBER 16, 2006 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 740 AT PAGE 145 IN THE HOKE COUNTY PUBLIC REGISTRY, NORTH CAROLINA

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in the abovereferenced deed of trust and because of default in the payment of the secured indebtedness and failure to perform the stipulation and agreements therein contained and, pursuant to demand of the owner and holder of the secured debt, the undersigned substitute trustee will expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the usual place of sale at the county courthouse of said county at 11:30AM on August 26, 2015 the following described real estate and any other improvements which may be situated thereon, in Hoke County. North Carolina, and being more par-

ticularly described as follows: All that certain property situated in the City of Raeford County of Hoke and State of North Carolina being known and described as follows:

Lot 162 McDougold Downs Section 3.

Address: 522 Dunrobbin Dr; Raeford, NC 28376 Tax Map or Parcel ID No.: 9467-03-01-162

And Being more commonly known as: 522 Dunrobin Dr, Raeford,

The record owner(s) of the property, as reflected on the records of the Register of Deeds, is/are Tillman A. Cooper.

The property to be offered pursuant to this notice of sale is being offered for sale, transfer and conveyance "AS IS, WHERE IS." Neither the Trustee nor the holder of the note secured by the deed of trust, being foreclosed, nor the officers, directors, attorneys, employees, agents or authorized representative of either Trustee or the holder of the note make any representation or warranty relating to the title or any physical, environmental, health or safety conditions existing in, on, at or relating to the property being offered for sale. Any and all responsibilities or liabilities arising out of or in any way relating to any such condition expressly are disclaimed. This sale is made subject to all prior liens and encumbrances, and unpaid taxes and assessments including but not limited to any transfer tax associated with the foreclosure. A deposit of five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid or seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750.00), whichever is greater, is required and must be tendered in the form of certified funds at the time of the sale. This sale will be held open ten days for upset bids as required by law. Following the expiration of the statutory upset period, all remaining amounts are IMMEDIATELY DUE AND OWING. Failure to remit funds in a timely manner will result in a Declaration of Default and any deposit will be frozen pending the outcome of any re-sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, the Substitute Trustee or the attorney of

any of the foregoing.
SPECIAL NOTICE FOR LEASE-HOLD TENANTS: If you are a tenant residing in the property, be advised that an Order for Possession of the property may be issued in favor of the purchaser. Also, if your lease began or was renewed on or after October 1, 2007, be advised that you may terminate the rental agreement upon 10 days written notice to the landlord. You may be liable for rent due under the agreement prorated to the effective date of the termination.

The date of this Notice is August Grady I. Ingle or Elizabeth B. Ells Substitute Trustee 10130 Perimeter Parkway, Suite 400 Charlotte, NC 28216 (704) 333-8107 http://shapiroattorneys.com/nc/ 15-071798

NOTICE OF SALE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE OF NORTH CAROLINA SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION HOKE COUNTY 15SP158 IN THE MATTER OF THE

FORECLOSURE OF A DEED OF

TRUST EXECUTED BY NICHO-

LAS C. JAMES AND ANGELENE J. JAMES DATED MAY 24, 2013 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 1042 AT PAGE 11 IN THE HOKE COUNTY PUBLIC REGISTRY, NORTH CAROLINA

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in the abovereferenced deed of trust and because of default in the payment of the secured indebtedness and failure to perform the stipulation and agreements therein contained and, pursuant to demand of the owner and holder of the secured debt, the undersigned substitute trustee will expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the usual place of sale at the county courthouse of said county at 11:30AM on August 26, 2015 the following described real estate and any other improvements which may be situated thereon, in Hoke County, North Carolina, and being more particularly described as follows:

Lying and being in Raeford Township, Hoke County, North Carolina and being all of Lot No. 7 as shown on a plat entitled, "Prospect Avenue Subdivision for Michael D. Inman and Deirdre W. Inman," as surveyed Holas C. James and wife, Angelene J. James by George T. Paris and Associates, P.A., on July 30, 2009 and recorded in Plat Cabinet 3, Slide 3-95, Map 003, Hoke County Public Registry.

A.P.N. 694340601285 And Being more commonly known as: 426 East Prospect Ave, Raeford, NC 28376

The record owner(s) of the property, as reflected on the records of the Register of Deeds, is/are Nicholas C. James and Angelene J. James.

The property to be offered

pursuant to this notice of sale is being offered for sale, transfer and conveyance "AS IS, WHERE IS." Neither the Trustee nor the holder of the note secured by the deed of trust, being foreclosed, nor the officers, directors, attorneys, employees, agents or authorized representative of either Trustee or the holder of the note make any representation or warranty relating to the title or any physical, environmental, health or safety conditions existing in, on, at or relating to the property being offered for sale. Any and all responsibilities or liabilities arising out of or in any way relating to any such condition expressly are disclaimed. This sale is made subject to all prior liens and encumbrances, and unpaid taxes and assessments including but not limited to any transfer tax associated with the foreclosure. A deposit of five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid or seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750.00), whichever is greater, is required and must be tendered in the form of certified funds at the time of the sale. This sale will be held open ten days for upset bids as required by law. Following the expiration of the statutory upset period, all remaining amounts are IMMEDIATELY DUE AND OWING. Failure to remit funds in a timely manner will result in a Declaration of Default and any deposit will be frozen pending the outcome of any re-sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, the Substitute Trustee or the attorney of any of the foregoing.

SPECIÁL NOTICE FOR LEASE-HOLD TENANTS: If you are a tenant residing in the property, be advised that an Order for Possession of the property may be issued in favor of the purchaser. Also, if your lease began or was renewed on or after October 1, 2007, be advised that you may terminate the rental agreement upon 10 days written notice to the landlord. You may be liable for rent due under the agreement prorated to the effective date of the termination.

The date of this Notice is August 5, 2015. Grady I. Ingle or Elizabeth B. Ells Substitute Trustee 10130 Perimeter Parkway, Suite 400

Charlotte, NC 28216 (704) 333-8107 http://shapiroattorneys.com/nc/ 15-071936

23-24C

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE 15 SP 140 NORTH CAROLINA,

HOKE COUNTY Under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by John H. Reedy and Ethel B. Reedy to Roy Kelly, Trustee(s), which was dated December 10, 2008 and recorded on December 15, 2008 in Book 00834 at Page 0298, Hoke County Registry, North Carolina.

Default having been made of the note thereby secured by the said Deed of Trust and the undersigned, Trustee Services of Carolina, LLC, having been substituted as Trustee in said Deed of Trust, and the holder of the note evidencing said default having directed that the Deed of Trust be foreclosed, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at the courthouse door of the county

courthouse where the property is located, or the usual and customary location at the county courthouse for conducting the sale on August 25, 2015 at 11:30AM, and will sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described property situated in Hoke County, North Carolina, to wit:

ALL that certain property situated in the Township of Raeford in the County of Hoke and State of North Carolina, being more fully described in a Deed dated 02/05/1987 and recorded 02/06/1987, among the Land Records of the County and State set forth above, in Deed Volume 250 and Page 707._And being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:__That certain parcel or tract of land lying and being in the City of Raeford. Bounded on the South by Donaldson Avenue, on the West by Lot No. 6, Map Book 4, Page 51, on the North by Lot No. 8, Map Book 3, Page 76, on the East by Lot No. 8, Map Book 4, Page 51, and being more particularly described as follows, to wit: __BEGINNING at an existing iron rod in the north right of way line (30 feet from center) of Donaldson Avenue, said road being located N 87° 30' 00" W 315 feet from the west right of way line of McMillan Street; thence as said right of way N 87° 30' 00" W 105.09 feet to an existing iron rod; thence N 02° 31' 30" E 200.19 feet to an existing iron axle; thence S 87° 22' 10" E 104.90 feet to an existing iron pipe; thence S 02° 28' 14" W 199.95 feet to the BEGIN-NING, containing 0.48 acre, more or less, according to a survey by John T. Furmage, Registered Land Surveyor, dated February 2, 1987, and being all of Lot No. 7, Map Book 4, Page 51, Hoke County Public Registry.

Save and except any releases, deeds of release or prior conveyances

Said property is commonly known as 827 East Donaldson Avenue, Raeford, NC 28376.

A cash deposit (no personal checks) of five percent (5%) of the purchase price, or Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750.00), whichever is greater, will be required at the time of the sale. Following the expiration of the statutory upset bid period, all the remaining amounts are immediately due and owing. THIRD PARTÝ PURCHASERS MUST PAY THE EXCISE TAX AND THE RECORD-ING COSTS FOR THEIR DEED.

Said property to be offered pursuant to this Notice of Sale is being offered for sale, transfer and conveyance "AS IS WHERE IS." There are no representations of warranty relating to the title or any physical, environmental, health or safety conditions existing in, on, at, or relating to the property being offered for sale. This sale is made subject to all prior liens, unpaid taxes, any unpaid land transfer taxes, special assessments, easements, rights of way, deeds of release, and any other encumbrances or exceptions of record. To the best of the knowledge and belief of the undersigned, the current owner(s) of the property is/are John H. Reedy and wife, Ethel B. Reedy.

An Order for possession of the property may be issued pursuant to G.S. 45-21.29 in favor of the purchaser and against the party or parties in possession by the clerk of superior court of the county in which the property is sold. Any person who occupies the property pursuant to a rental agreement entered into or renewed on or after October 1, 2007, may, after receiving the notice of sale, terminate the rental agreement upon 10 days' written notice to the landlord. The notice shall also state that upon termination of a rental agreement, the tenant is liable for rent due under the rental agreement prorated to the effective date of the termination. If the trustee is unable to convey

title to this property for any reason, the sole remedy of the purchaser is the return of the deposit. Reasons of such inability to convey include, but are not limited to, the filing of a bankruptcy petition prior to the confirmation of the sale and reinstatement of the loan without the knowledge of the trustee. If the validity of the sale is challenged by any party, the trustee, in their sole discretion, if they believe the challenge to have merit, may request the court to declare the sale to be void and return the deposit. The purchaser will have no further remedy. Trustee Services of Carolina, LLC Substitute Trustee Brock & Scott, PLLC Attorneys for Trustee Services of

Carolina, LLC 5431 Oleander Drive Suite 200 Wilmington, NC 28403 PHONE: (910) 392-4988 FAX: (910) 392-8587 File No.: 15-10592-FC01 23-24C

AMENDED NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE 15 SP 13

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust made by Vicki L. Preston to William R. Echols, Trustee(s), dated the 31st day of October, 2012, and recorded in Book 1010, Page 245, in Hoke County Registry, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the note thereby secured by the said Deed of Trust and the undersigned, Substitute Trustee Services, Inc. having been substituted as Trustee in said Deed of Trust by an instrument duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Hoke County, North Carolina and the holder of the note evidencing said indebtedness having directed that the Deed of Trust be foreclosed, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at the courthouse door in the City of Raeford, Hoke County, North Carolina, or the customary location designated for foreclosure sales, at 10:00 AM on September 3, 2015 and will sell to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate situated in the County of Hoke, North Carolina, and being more particularly described as follows:

Being all of Lot No. 28 in a subdivision known as Millbrook, Section One, according to a plat of the same duly recorded in Plat Cabinet 2, Slide 2-99, Map 5, Hoke County Registry, North Carolina. Together with improvements located thereon; said property being located at 108 Kipling Drive, Raeford, North Carolina.

Trustee may, in the Trustee's sole discretion, delay the sale for up to one hour as provided in NCGS §45-21.23.

Should the property be purchased by a third party, that party must pay the excise tax, as well as the court costs of Forty-Five Cents (\$0.45) per One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) required by NCGS §7A-308(a)(1).

The property to be offered pursuant to this notice of sale is being offered for sale, transfer and conveyance "AS IS, WHERE IS." Neither the Trustee nor the holder of the note secured by the deed of trust/ security agreement, or both, being foreclosed, nor the officers, directors, attorneys, employees, agents or authorized representative of either the Trustee or the holder of the note make any representation or warranty relating to the title or any physical, environmental, health or safety conditions existing in, on, at or relating to the property being offered for sale, and any and all responsibilities or liabilities arising out of or in any way relating to any such condition expressly are disclaimed. Also, this property is being sold subject to all axes, special assessments, and prior liens or encumbrances of record and any recorded releases. Said property is also being sold subject to applicable Federal and State laws.

A deposit of five percent (5%) of the purchase price, or seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750.00), whichever is greater, is required and must be tendered in the form of certified funds at the time of the sale. An order for possession of the

property may be issued pursuant to G.S. 45-21.29 in favor of the purchaser and against the party or parties in possession by the clerk of the property is sold. Any person who occupies the

property pursuant to a rental agreement entered into or renewed on or after October 1, 2007, may after receiving the notice of sale, terminate the rental agreement upon 10 days' written notice to the landlord. Upon termination of a rental agreement, the tenant is liable for rent due under the rental agreement prorated to the effective date of the termination. If the trustee is unable to convey

title to this property for any reason, the sole remedy of the purchaser is the return of the deposit. Reasons of such inability to convey include, but are not limited to, the filing of a bankruptcy petition prior to the confirmation of the sale and reinstatement of the loan without the knowledge of the trustee. If the validity of the sale is challenged by any party, the trustee, in their sole discretion, if they believe the challenge to have merit, may request the court to declare the sale to be void and return the deposit. The purchaser will have no further remedy. SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE SER-VICES, INC. SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE c/o Hutchens Law Firm P.O. Box 1028 4317 Ramsey Street

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You are hereby notified that an application is now pending before the Raeford Board of Adjustment whereby the above named Phyllis Smith is requesting a Conditional Use permit to utilize an approximate 3.13 acre lot having pin#694341201020 located between Oakdale Gin Rd and Iris St in the city's Extraterritorial Jurisdiction as a Religious Institution (up to 200 seats). The property is owned by William Frierson Heirs c/o Margaret V.

A public hearing will be held by the Raeford Board of Adjustment

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- Lot 101 Wedgefield Phase 3A Phase 1B, from Thomas Family Business Inc. of Fayetteville to Maebuilt Inc.
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- Lot 14 Copper Creek, from J.P.
- Morgan Chase Bank, National Associates, of Columbus, Ohio to the Secretary

Real Estate Transfers of Veterans Affairs of Decatur, Ga.

- Two tracts in the Quewhiffle Township, from Roberta A. and Donald L. Duerner of Carthage to Gentry Restoration LLC of Laurinburg
- 7.36 acres in the Antioch Township, from Pyong O. Troxell to Ji-Lowery Farm LLC of Red Springs
- Lot 76 Mayfield Section 2, from Timothy J. and Patricia Ryan Gozelski of Willow Springs to George and Lavonda Robinson of Raeford
- Lot 43 Summerfield East Section 1, from Amanda M. Johnson to Tanya Grabousky of Raeford
- Lot 11 Black Branch Section 1, from Jeffrey K. and Vivian M. Walker of Raeford to Jeffrey K. and Vivian M. Walker of Raeford
- Two tracts on West Donaldson Avenue, from Strategic Realty Fund LLC of San Jose, Calif. to Emily McCants of Raeford

- Lot 17 Pinewood, from James Michael and Mary Rebecca Sutton of Raeford to Joshua Daniel Sutton of Raeford
- Lot 74 Turnberry Section 1, Part 5, from H&H Constructors Inc. of Fayetteville to Donald Cornelius and Sabrina Glover of Raeford
- · Lot 15 Stonewall Section 2, from Bette and Duane Asbra of Redwood City, Calif. to Bette and Duane Asbra, as trustees under a Nov. 5, 2014 trust agreement in Redwood City, Calif.
- Lot 4 Riverbrooke Section 1, Part 1, from Felicia and Micah D. Tilley of Lacey, Wash. to J.P. Morgan Chase Bank, N.A., of Columbus, Ohio
- Lot 54 McDougald Downs, from Michelle L. and Calvin E. Freelake of Clarksville, Tenn. to Daniel McGarvey and Mary Catherine Wolf of Raeford

- Lot 11 on North Duffie Road, Red Springs, from Hoop LLC to Luz Adriana-Dominguez of Red Springs
- 744.89 acres on Roper Farms, in Smith Township of Robeson County andthe Allendale Township in Hoke County, from RG Heritage LLC of Miami, Fla. to South Hilltop Road LLC of Pembroke
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- Lot 256 Summerfield East Section 4, from Karen A. and Kyle McMillan of Fayetteville to Alaina Lee and Jeremy D. Kenny of Raeford
- Property on Alex Baker Road, from Plantation Days Inc. to Lois and Jonathan Michaels Sr. of Raeford

• 1.711 acres on Poole Road, from Anne-Marie McClean, administrator of the estate of Lenora J. McClean and Mrs. McClean's husband, William C. Young; Marchall H. McClean, Sharmin McClean and Roman Kurjewicz, and Tara McClean to Tarra McClean of Raeford

- · Lot 7 Steeplechase, from Andrew and Ann Hindman of Alexandria, Va. to Carmen Decker Smith of Raeford
- Lot 187 Colonial Charters Section 5, from Klara and Michael D. Threatt of Stockdale to Jeremy and Laurisa Creech of Raeford
- Lot 99 Woodland Phase 5, from the Secretary of Veterans Affairs of Washington, D.C. to Maria F. and Steven Russi of Miami, Fla.

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- 0.047-acre tract in the Quewhiffle Township, from Sally Carpenter of Clarkston, Wash. to Lee Jerome Collar of Raeford
- Lot 25 Liberty Point, from Alice Peterkin of Stoneville to The Bank of New York Mellon as successor trustee for J.P. Morgan Chase Bank, N.A., as trustee for NovaStar Mortgage Holding Trust of West Palm Beach, Fla.
- •Lot 211 Wedgefield Phase 1A, from Daniel Evans of Pittsboro to the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, Washington, D.C.

Mitchell of Raeford to Glynn Patrick Owen Mitchell of Raeford Aug. 12

• 621 Niven Ave., from Sai Hwai Tsai

- Lot 9 Creekstone, from Bank of America, N.A. of Chandler, Ariz. to Jeffrey Allen Hall Jr. of Fayetteville
- Lot 14 Falcon Ridge, from the Secretary of Veterans Affairs of Washington, D.C. to Trevor W. Davis of Fayetteville
- Lot 7 Turnberry Section 1 Part 5, from H&H Constructors of Fayetteville to Debbie A. Harris of Raeford
- · Lot 9 Hendrix Farms, from Nationstar Mortgage LLC of Lewisville, Texas to Adrian and Morgan N. Acosta

- Lot 142 Brownstone Farms Section 1, Part 2, from James T. and Kamela Thagard of Raeford to Matthew S. Harter and Oecha Torres of Raeford
- •Lot 1 of a platentitled "Recombination Survey for Thomas A. Strickland", from Strickland Construction and Development Inc. of Raeford to Amy J. and Ozcar Kulac of Fayetteville.

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For children

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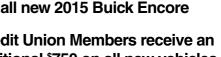
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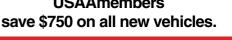
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