

HARRINGTON

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Northampton-Hertford district. In the last session Harrington was chairman of the labor and commerce committee, vice chairman of highway safety and the only Senate member from the northeastern quadrant of the state to serve on the powerful joint Senate-House subcommittee on appropriations.

The joint sub-committee makes most of the key budget decisions for the legislature, resolving points of difference. Other committee assignments for Harrington in the last session were agriculture, the full appropriations committee, conservation and development.

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courts and judicial districts, education, local government, public roads and wildlife.

Sen. Harrington is the only layman serving as a member of the Court Reform Commission which has drafted all legislation to implement the constitutional amendment on court reform.

Six 1st District counties - Camden, Currituck, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Chowan and Gates - will be among the first in the state to come under the new district court system. The district court will begin in December in these six counties.

Of his work on the court reform group, Sen. Harrington said, "I am looking forward to getting around the district during the campaign and listening to what people have to say about the court system. As the only layman on the Commission, I am in a unique position because when I tell 'em 'the people think thus and so' the other members tend to listen."

In announcing his candidacy Harrington said, "I feel I can now serve the people of the 1st District better than I ever could. I have served all of them before except for one county and I think I know its people right well. I have been in the Senate long enough to get the necessary experience to be effective and my service on the appropriations sub-committee and Court Reform Commission put me in a position to be heard."

"I think it is going to be very important for this district to have strong representation in this next legislature in both House and Senate - more important than ever. We have lost approximately half our representation in the reapportionment. If we don't send strong men, we are going to be hurting. I believe I am in position to give that strong representation to our northeast district."

Harrington, a resident of Lewiston, is president of Harrington Manufacturing Co. The Harrington firm manufactures farm machinery and industrial type cutters for highway departments, railroads and logging concerns.

A native of Bertie County and a Baptist, Harrington recently turned 47.

During World War II Harrington served in the Army, being discharged with the rank of Technical Sergeant. He is married to the former Lettie Leigh Early and the father of three children.

Harrington is an aviation enthusiast. In addition to owning his own plane, he is a member of Tri-County Airport Authority which has developed a 3,950-foot lighted, hard surface airfield which will be opened later this spring.

The Tri-County field is located near the common border of Bertie, Northampton and Hertford counties. It is owned by the three counties.

VERDICT

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Ralph Stanley Vincent, 30, of Woodland.

A 12-month sentence was suspended upon payment of court costs and under the stipulation that John Barks, 27, of Garysburg remain on good behavior after Judge Gay heard "drunk and disorderly conduct" charges

Lonnie Harrell

Dies In Hospital

CARRSVILLE - Lonnie Edward Harrell, 73, a retired farmer and the husband of Mrs. Annie Williams Harrell, died early Tuesday in a Suffolk hospital after a brief illness.

A native of Northampton County, he was a son of William Richard and Mrs. Millery Corner Harrell. He was a member of Mt. Carmel Christian Church.

Besides his widow, surviving are two brothers, William Harrell of Rich Square and Arthur Harrell of Aulander; and two sisters, Mrs. Mamie Baker of Scotland Neck and Mrs. Blannie Harrell of Hobgood.

A funeral service will be conducted Thursday at 2 p.m. in W. J. M. Holland & Sons Funeral Home by the Rev. Thomas D. Sutton of Mt. Carmel Church. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

against the man.

"Traffic offense charges ruled on by Judge Gay and the results of same follow:
Don C. Torres, 25, Las Vegas, Nev., no operators license, guilty, \$10 and court costs.

Joe Nathan Vaughn, 34, Rich Square, no liability insurance; guilty, \$10 and court cost.

Jerry Woodrow Mayle, 16, Pleasant Hill, speeding 55 mph in 35 mph zone, guilty, cost of court.

Donald Frederick Witt, 48, Charlotte, speeding 50 mph in 35 mph zone, guilty, cost of court.

Johnny Lee Powell, 19, Ashboro, speeding 53 mph in 35 mph zone, guilty, cost of court.

Gwendolyn Mae High, 34, Garysburg, driving without license, no pros.

James E. Mahan, 19, Roanoke Rapids, failure to report accident, no pros.

John Q. Irby, 36, Jackson, speeding in excess of 55 mph but not over 70 mph, guilty, cost of court.

William Clifton Vann, 33, Conway, speeding 70 mph in 60 mph zone, guilty, cost of court.

Murray Gene Patton, 21, Bladenboro, speeding 75 mph in 60 mph zone, guilty, \$15 and court costs.

Julius Vadin Love, 50, Valentine, Va., failing to reduce speed when special hazard exists; guilty \$10 and court cost.

Jesse Eugene Hill, 53, Scotland Neck, speeding 50 mph in 35 mph zone; guilty, cost of court.

Mildred P. Brown, 39, Rich Square, speeding 70 mph in 60 mph zone; guilty, \$10 and court cost.

Joseph Turnage, 25, Hampton, Va., speeding 80 mph in 60 mph zone; guilty, \$20 and court cost.

Edward Broady, Gaston, driving under influence and driving without license; guilty, six months suspended sentence and \$100 and court cost on driving under influence charge and 30 days sentence suspended and \$25 and court cost on driving without license charge.

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Creecy's Campus

By MARVA SHOULARS

On Monday night, February 28, the annual Sweetheart Ball was held in the W. S. Creecy auditorium. The evening began with the presentation of the members of the Silverette Club, which sponsored the affair. The members were all dressed in gowns of red velvet. The members of the club present were Mrs. E. Strayhorn, president; Mrs. E. Winfrey, secretary; Mrs. W. Scott, assistant secretary; Mrs. J. Drew, treasurer; Mrs. D. Pope, Mrs. Z. Casterlow, Mrs. B. Scott, Mrs. B. Briley, Mrs. A. Wright, Mrs. I. Shoulers and Mrs. P. Boone.

Following the presentation of club members the candidates for Miss Sweetheart were presented. Miss Sweetheart of 1966 is Miss Mae Lois Clark of Lewiston. Miss Sweetheart of 1965, Miss Cynthia Gail Briley, crowned Miss Clark.

The first runner-up was Miss Sandra Copeland of W. S. Creecy School and the second runner-up was Miss Diane Smith, also of W. S. Creecy School. Prizes were given to Miss Sweetheart,

SERVICEMEN

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School in 1952.

Captain Whitley joined the Carolina Army National Guard in August 1952 and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in September 1964. His present assignment in the North Carolina Army National Guard is with Headquarters Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, 119th Infantry in Ahoskie.

LANE

RICH SQUARE - A Rich Square youth is serving with the Air Force in Viet Nam.

Airman Second Class Elwood Lane, son of Mrs. Tuttle M. Lane, arrived in Viet Nam on February 14 and is stationed at the air base at Da Nang.

He entered the Air Force in 1962 and prior to going to Viet Nam he was stationed at Holoman Air Force Base in New Mexico.

PROBE

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ferring to the requirement that the railroads pay all the maintenance costs. "The railroads want a piece of equipment put up that will last forever so they won't have to pay any maintenance costs so they end up pushing for specifications that cause the cost of these signals to go sky high," Sen. Harrington said.

Sen. Harrington said he was very pleased to learn that a signal light would be installed at Polecat as result of action Wednesday by State Highway Commission. "But there are still plenty of other crossings around the state that need to be lighted which can't be because the cost is too high. This is what needs investigation," according to Harrington.

about breaking into his house, Outland told him: "You can do what you want about it, but don't make me mad or I will close your place up and make it hard for you."

Turner stated that he was not charged at the time with any law

PAGE 12 TIMES-NEWS, Rich Square, N. C., March 3, 1966 violation and has not been charged.

The sheriff and his deputies acted to deprive Turner of his rights to freedom from unlawful invasion, coercion and intimidation and the right to be secure in his home, the suit claims. Turner's 12-year-old son was "greatly humiliated and held up to public scorn and derision" as a result of the acts by the sheriff and his deputies, the suit alleges.

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