

# The Public Record



## Warren Deed Transfers

Anderson Alston and wife to Wilbert K. Alston, 28.5 acres in Fork Township.

Francis Pridgen Paschall and others to Katherine Pridgen Miller, 21.537 acres in Fork Township.

Katherine Pridgen Miller and others to Macy T. Pridgen, Jr., 21.537 acres in Fork Township.

Katherine Pridgen Miller and others to Francis Pridgen Paschall, 21.537 acres in Fork Township.

Jane C. Hehl to Karl F. Hehl, Jr., 1.13 acres, 224 acres, 49 1/2 acres and 24.25 acres in Warrenton and Hawtree Townships.

Lake Gaston Estates, Inc., and others to Howard A. Small and wife, Lot B-48 of Lake Gaston Estates in Sixpound Township.

Sam M. Watkins, Jr., and wife to John E. Vernon and others, 3/4 undivided interest in 11.37 acres in Warren County.

Frank W. Ballance, Jr., as commissioner, to Patrick Alston and wife, 10 acres in Fishing Creek Township.

Frank W. Ballance, Jr., to Bernadine S. Ballance, three tracts in Warrenton Township.

Myrtice Banks and others to Hubert Banks and wife, 1.40 acres in Sixpound Township.

Myrtice Banks and others to Leonard Banks and wife, 4.20 acres in Sixpound Township.

Robert C. Moseley and wife to Walter D. Clay and wife, 0.67 acre in Roanoke Township.

Julia G. Gallian to Rose Oil Company, certain parcel in Smith Creek Township.

Eaton's Ferry Estates, Inc., to Robert Earl Seeley and wife, Lot 455 of Eaton's Ferry Estates in River Township.

Walter Henderson to Walter Henderson and wife, two acres in Sandy Creek Township.

Myrtice Banks and others to Jesse Banks and wife, 1.40 acres in Sixpound Township.

Myrtice Banks and others to Genola Goode and husband, 1.40 acres in Sixpound Township.

Thurman Richardson and wife to Teen Lynch and wife, certain tract in Fishing Creek Township.

Delois Jordan Champ and others to Perlina Jordan, one acre in Nutbush Township.

James Jordan, as executor, to Alfred Jordan, 19 1/2 acres in Nutbush Township.

James Jordan, as executor, to Samuel Jordan, 20 3/4 acres in Nutbush Township.

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## Marriage Licenses

Andrew Lorenza Carter, 20, black, of Norlina, to Florence Helen Hargrove, 19, black, of Norlina.

## Lawyer Discusses

### Hotel Liability

By ROBERT E. LEE

What is the liability of a hotel for the property of a guest that is brought into a hotel?

In North Carolina a hotel cannot be held liable for loss or damage of the property of a guest unless the loss results from the failure of the hotel to exercise ordinary care. Even then the hotel cannot be used for an amount in excess of \$100 if required notices have been posted.

However, if a guest notifies the hotel in writing that his property exceeds \$100 in value, and furnishes it with a list of the property and its value the hotel may be held liable for any loss or damage to the property resulting from negligence on its part.

Proof of the loss of any such property, except in the case of damage or destruction by fire, is deemed prima facie evidence of the negligence of the hotel.

## Peoples Presides Over Court Session

Judge Linwood T. Peoples of Henderson presided over a lengthy session of Warren County district court on Friday. Only 12 continuations were granted with 57 cases being docketed. Among cases disposed of were the following:

Calvin "Kitty" Allen, Harvey Boyd and Eddie Roy Davis, each charged with larceny were given prayer for judgment continued for one year and placed on probation for one year under the condition that each pay cost of court and \$50 restitution to E. B. Rideout. At the end of one year, if the defendants have satisfied the probation conditions, the case will be dismissed.

William McLean Davis, also charged with larceny was ordered to jail for 18 months and assigned to work under the supervision of the North Carolina Department of Correction. Notice of appeal given to next criminal session of Superior Court.

Theodore Watson, larceny, was also found guilty of misdemeanor larceny in the above larceny cases and was ordered to jail for two years, suspended for one year on the condition that he remain of good behavior and not violate any State or Federal criminal laws, pay \$100 as restitution to E. B. Rideout and cost of court and ordered to the Warren County jail for 10 weekends.

Jasper Alston, nonsupport, voluntary dismissal.

Earnice Ball, driving under influence, improper muffler, ordered to pay \$110 and court costs and attend alcoholic control course at area mental health clinic, to surrender operator's license and not operate motor vehicle on highways of N. C. until allowed to do so by Department of Motor Vehicles.

Betsy W. Bolton, worthless check, voluntary dismissal.

Byron Calvin Brown, no operator's license, voluntary dismissal.

Duke Wayne Buffalo, speeding 70 in 55 mph zone, called and failed. Ordered arrested for appearance on April 15 with bond set at \$100.

Prince J. Burwell, assault with deadly weapon, placed on inactive file until defendant returned to county.

Thomas D. Cabbagestalk,

Sr., two charges of worthless check, ordered to pay court cost and amount of checks.

Spurgeon Yates Daniel, speeding 65 in 55 mph zone, prayer for judgment continued upon payment of court costs.

David Davis, speeding 82 in 55 mph zone, improper muffler, found guilty of careless and reckless driving, fined \$50 and court costs.

Ronnie Edward Tally, David Watson and Vincent McKinley White, each charged with two counts of breaking, entering and larceny, waived right to preliminary hearing and bound over to Superior Court to answer charges with bonds to remain in effect.

"Peewee" Dortch, injury to personal property, voluntary dismissal.

Millard Solomon, injury to personal property, voluntary dismissal.

Donald Wilkes, injury to personal property, voluntary dismissal.

Ivey Felts, three charges of public drunkenness, ordered to the North Carolina Department of Corrections for not less than 30 days nor more than six months to be treated as a chronic alcoholic. He was also ordered to the county jail for 30 days for contempt of court.

John Andrew Gifford, Jr., speeding 70 in 55 mph zone, called and failed. Ordered arrested for appearance on April 15 with bond set at \$100.

Keneth Morse Guill, speeding 70 in 55 mph zone, called and failed. Ordered arrested for appearance on April 15 with bond set at \$100.

Matt Ransom Johnston, speeding 69 in 55 mph zone, found guilty of exceeding a safe speed, court costs.

Arthur Kearney, possession of a weapon of death and destruction and disorderly conduct, placed on inactive file.

William Gray Neal, speeding 70 in 55 mph zone, driving under influence, attorney's motion for nonsuit in the D.U.I. charge allowed and case dismissed. He was found guilty of speeding 70 in 55 mph zone and fined \$15 and court costs. Notice of appeal given to next session of Superior Court with bond set at \$100. After completion of the case, defendant dropped appeal and paid fine and cost.

Erma R. Richardson, worthless check, voluntary dismissal.

Stephen Walton Sherwood, speeding 65 in 55 mph zone, called and failed. Ordered arrested for appearance on April 15 with bond set at \$100.

Ace Eugene Silver, failure to stop at scene of accident, called and failed. Ordered arrested for appearance on April 8 with bond set at \$250.

Everett Rue Slagle, speeding 66 in 55 mph zone, called and failed.

George Albert Solier, Jr., failure to see safe movement, not guilty.

Kathleen Brow Tanner, failure to drive right of highway, fined \$5 and court costs.

Kenneth Ray Watson, failure to dim headlights, not guilty.

James Alvin Wortham, speeding 65 in 55 mph zone, called and failed. Ordered arrested for appearance on April 15 with bond set at \$100.

Joseph A. Ross vs. Anita G. Ross, absolute divorce granted.

Rosa Holloway vs. Jordan Holloway, court found defendant to be disabled and to be drawing social security and children to also draw social security and case dismissed.

William Henry Alston, public drunkenness, ordered to attend alcoholic control courses at area mental health clinic.

Joseph Levon Lewis, failure to drive right half of highway, case dismissed.

## Completes Course

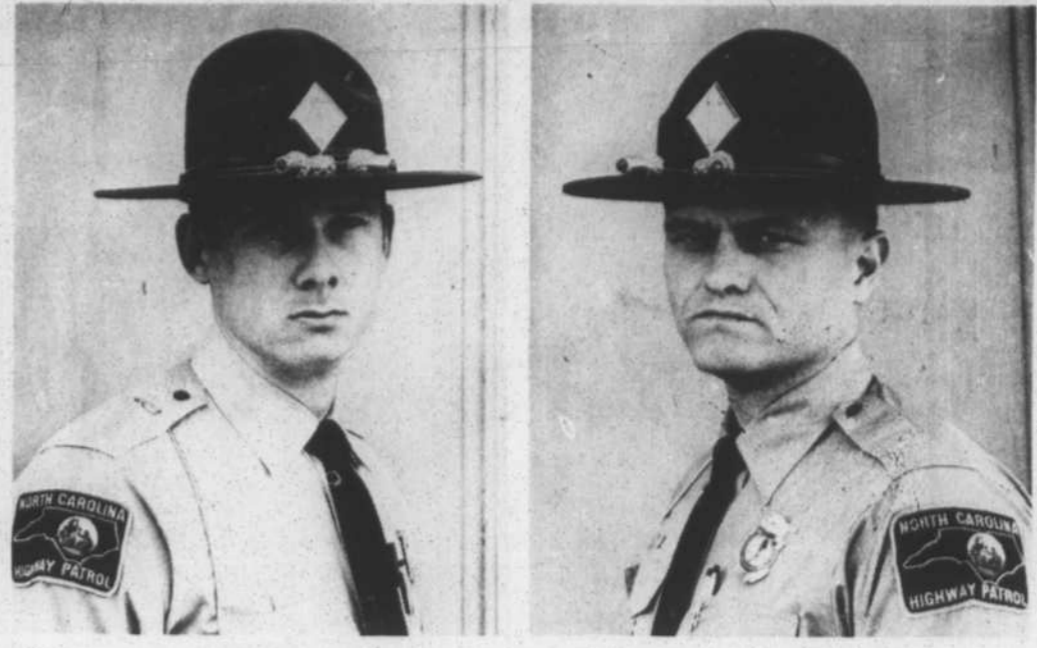
Army Private Douglas A. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Brown of Route 2, Macon, recently completed a utilities engineer course at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Students were trained in basic engineering skills to include carpentry, masonry, plumbing, sheet metal, pipeline construction, electrical repairs and refrigeration.

A 1976 graduate of John Graham High School, he entered the Army in October, 1976.

## First Named

Ruth I. Abrams was the first woman named to the Massachusetts Supreme Court in 196 years.



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## New Troopers Begin Duties

Warren County's newest on-the-road training until April from Troopers Mike Miller and V. R. Vaughan of Warren County.

Bennett, a native of New Bern and Palmer of Elizabeth City, were both previously employed by police departments before joining the State Highway Patrol.

Bennett was employed by the New Bern Police Department, reaching the rank of sergeant. He was also a member of the New Bern Fire Department.

Palmer worked on the Elizabeth City Police Department for three years.

Both men recently completed the basic training for patrolmen at Chapel Hill. This is their first assignment.

Trooper Bennett is married and the father of a daughter, age 8. They will reside on Battle Avenue in Warrenton.

He is a "Civil War buff" and adds that fishing is one of his hobbies.

Trooper Palmer is single and resides in the Afton community. He includes hunting and fishing among his hobbies.

Both men are receiving Genuine persian lamb skins are those of Karakul lambs from Afghanistan.

Miller has been assigned to Currituck County and will begin his duties there by the middle of April.

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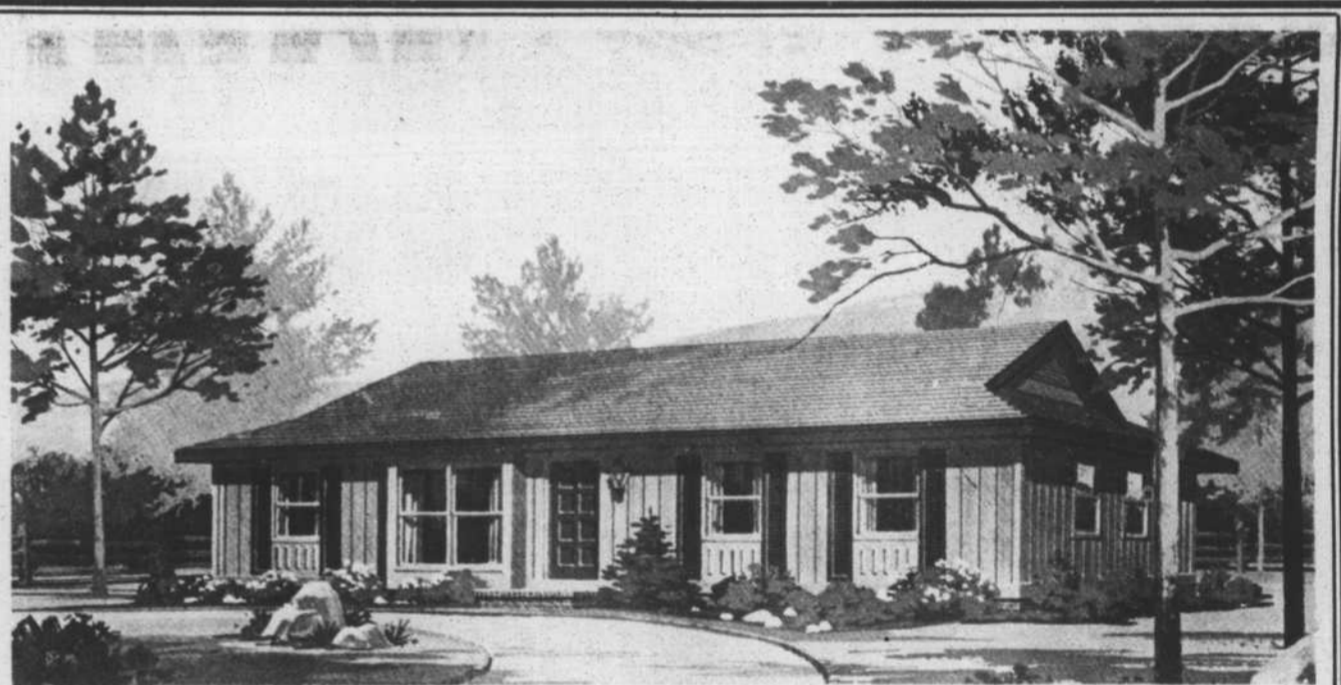
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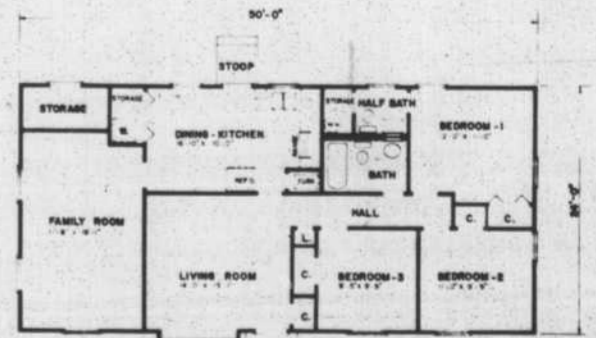
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