

GR'D JURY RETURNS 23 INDICTMENTS

MINUTES OF GRAND JURY FOR MAY TERM, 1938

The Grand Jury met with seventeen members present, C. T. Johnson, Foreman. Business transacted as follows:

1119—State vs Claude Bowser, Jr., Murder of Lizzie Bowser with knife. Witnesses before Grand Jury: G. F. Gray, Brinkley Pierce, Dora Bowser, Willie Dowtin, Arman Bowser. A True Bill—unanimous vote.

1126—State vs Major Patterson—B & E, L & R merchandise from one C. L. Kelly's store. Witnesses before grand jury: C. L. Kelly, Julian H. Shaw. A true bill.

1123—State vs Wm. Henry Williams—Murder with bricks, clubs, sticks of one Beecher Radcliff. Witnesses before jury: Dr. B. Ray Browning, Sylvester Radcliff, Howard Johnson, Sarah Jackson, James Jackson. A true bill—unanimous vote.

1133—State vs Tommie Rowell—Carnal knowledge of one Jeanette Gibson over 12 and under 16 years of age. Witnesses before jury: Dr. J. R. Lassiter, Mrs. Dora Gregory, Jeanette Gibson, Dolphus Gregory, Mrs. Audrey Gregory. A true bill.

1127—State vs C. M. (Jack) Barkley—B & E. Witnesses before jury: C. R. Green, J. R. Wirtz, Mrs. Viola Browning. True bill.

1129—State vs LeRoy Campbell, Buddie Barkley—B & E and Larceny from W. A. White. Witnesses before jury: G. F. Gray, W. A. White. True bill.

1130—State vs LeRoy Campbell, Jack aBrkley—B & E and Larceny from L. F. Rook. Witnesses before jury: L. F. Rook, G. F. Gray, Herbert Rook. True bill.

1131—State vs Elijah Whitaker—B & E, L & R from Mrs. L. King. Witnesses before jury: A. A. White, Mrs. L. King, J. W. King. True bill.

1117—State vs John Carson—L & R, one cow, from R. L. Rudd. Witnesses before jury: O. E. Rudd, Tom Chestnut, R. L. Rudd, E. S. Richardson. True bill.

1124—State vs Delia Carter Balmer alias Strawberry Carter Balmer—L & R money value \$21.00 from John Harrison. Witnesses before jury: John Harrison, Aran Lowe, Emma Thornton, C. R. Green. True bill.

1132A—State vs Percy Williams—B & E Ruby Tillery. Witnesses before jury: Ruby Tillery, James Tillery.

1132B—State vs Percy Williams—Assault with intent to commit rape against Ruby Tillery. Witnesses before jury: Ruby Tillery, James Tillery. True bill.

1115—State vs Phillip Smith—Crime against Nature—against one William Davis. Witnesses before jury: P. R. Kitchen, Maud Theet, William Davis. A true bill.

1134—State vs Frank Townes—Assault & Battery on one Ethel Townes. Witnesses before jury: Ethel Townes, Charlie Arrington. A true bill.

1135—State vs Marvin Gray—Manslaughter, killing one Quesette Richardson. Witnesses before jury: Thail Richardson, Oziah Richardson, Irvin Richardson, Fred Evans. A true bill.

Adjourned 5:15. 16 bills passed. 5-3-38. Grand Jury assembled with Foreman and sixteen members present.

1125—State vs Winfield Ivey—Bigamy. Carrie Ivey and Mary Frown Ivey. Witnesses before jury: Eddie Jones, George Price, Carrie Ivey. A true bill.

1122A—State vs Osborne Lewter—Manslaughter, one Jack Faulcon. Witnesses before jury: Harry House, Tom Peters, Peter Dickens, F. W. Hines. A true bill.

1122B—State vs Osborne Lewter—Failure to stop involved in auto accident after collision killing one Jack Faulcon. Witnesses before jury: Harry House, Tom Peters, Peter Dickens, F. W. Hines. A true bill.

1121—State vs Noah Bowen and Jesse Ward—L & R chickens value \$28.96 Clarence Keeter. Witnesses before jury: called and failed. Recalled 5-4-38. Clarence Keeter, G. D. Pittman appearing. True bill.

1120—State vs Alvin Crawley—B & E, L & R from W. H. Weeks, value \$50.00. Witnesses before jury: W. H. Weeks, true bill.

1136—State vs Willie Phillip Smith alias Willie Davis—Murder. One Sarah Jane Smith. Witnesses before jury: Monroe Harrison, Valentine Daniel, J. W. Robertson, Della Harriss, J. T. Riddick. True bill unanimous.

Jury adjourned at 12:30 for the day.

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1137—State vs Iro Boddie, Jr.—B & E, L & R from one Mooly Hardy. Witnesses before jury: Mooly Hardy, H. C. Sykes. True bill.

Mrs. Harper's Death

(Contributed)

On April 23, 1938, death entered the home of Earl Harper, and claimed from him his devoted wife, Sudie Lue Jenkins Harper. She was born Sept. 13, 1914, and died April 23, 1938; was married Sept. 17, 1932 to Earl Harper. To this union was born one daughter, Hazel Louise, age 4 years. She professed faith in Christ in early life and joined Corinth M.P. Church and was a faithful member until the end. She was friendly and loving to all who knew her, always ready to lend a helping hand to anyone in the time of need. She was a devoted wife and mother, and will be greatly missed in her home and community. 'Tis hard to give her up. While we know our loss is her eternal gain. She was in declining health for several years before she was finally confined to bed and brought to the Roanoke Rapids Hospital where she bore her sufferings patiently until the end came. Loving hands did all for her that could be done, but could give her but little rest or comfort in this world, but we have this good consolation, that she lived the life in this world that we can know she is safely resting now where there is no pain or death. While she was called in early life some day we will understand and we should know God does all things for the best. Her death has cast a shadow over a number of lives and her chair is left vacant in our homes that can never be filled. May God's comforting blessings be upon the bereaved family and especially her husband, little daughter and aged father and mother. She told me a few days before her death that she had nothing to fear and didn't mind dying only to leave her husband, her child and loved ones, for she knew she could have rest when God took her to his eternal home. We should all be thankful to know she was ready and willing to answer God's call and be prepared to meet her again. She was gently laid to rest on April the 25 in Corinth Cemetery where a large number of her loved



Halifax

Misses Josephine Murcer and Eugenia Farlow of Kenansville were guests of Mrs. A. L. Hux Monday evening.

Mrs. Fred Cates and small daughter are spending some time in Spencer.

Miss Louise Bass returned Sunday after spending two in Richmond with Mrs. Walter G. Bass.

W. R. Caudle spent last week in Mississippi.

Miss Marjorie Freeman of Kinston and Bill Phillips of Kinston and Richmond were week-end guests of Miss Laura Read.

Miss Annie May Pearce of Greensboro spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Pearce here.

Mrs. Edward Carlyle and son of Battleboro were visitors here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Vincent and son of Murfreesboro were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cassada of Roanoke Rapids were Sunday guests of Mrs. D. M. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Read and son spent the week-end in Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Satterwhite were Sunday guests of Mrs. Annie Jennings.

Mrs. W. R. Caudle entertained the Earnest Workers Sunday School Class on Tuesday evening. Sandwiches and tea were served.

ones and friends had gathered to pay her the last tribute of respect. The funeral service was conducted by her pastor, Rev. Tranayer. Song service by the Corinth and Aurelian Springs Choir. Pall bearers were Arch Liles, Bud Perry, Edward Wilson, Raymond Harper, Picot Walker and Whit Morris. Flower girls were a number of her friends. We miss the one we love still, a place left vacant in our so well. Her precious voice is homes that never can be filled. God in his wisdom, the boon of love has given, and tho on earth her body lies, her soul is safe in heaven.

A sister in law,
B. L. J.

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dear warm heart is stilled, but a place is vacant in my heart that can never be filled.

By one who loved him.

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