

Moreland Given Active Sentence In Court Here

Stephen E. Moreland, Route 1, Edenton, charged with three counts of worthless checks, driving drunk, speeding 100 miles per hour in a 60 mph zone, failure to stop for blue light and siren, and operating left of center line, was given a total of two years active sentence by Judge Fentress Horner on December 8 during Chowan County District Court.

Attorney for the defendant, John White, plead not guilty to each charge, but offered no testimony in behalf of Moreland. Moreland issued a check to Winn-Dixie in the amount of

\$156.40 according to George P. Drawdy, manager, who testified for the state. Checks were also issued to Sears in the amount of \$126.30 according to manager Wayne Conner and Home Feed and Fertilizer Company in the amount of \$105, according to manager Roy H. Spruill. Moreland was given six months on each charge to run consecutively.

In the other charges, Sheriff W. H. Eurc of Gates County testified that he gave chase to Moreland in Gates County on November 30 about 10 P. M., and was aided by State Trooper M. L. Harrell, and finally caught the suspect in Chowan County after he wrecked his car by running off the left hand side of the road when trying to pass the patrolman and crashed at the bottom of an embankment.

Moreland was also charged with failure to list taxes. He was given a prayer for judgment continued upon payment of costs.

Other cases disposed of by the court included: William Warren, driving drunk, \$100 fine and costs and not operate a motor vehicle for one year. Defendant appealed.

Joseph McCarter Privott, driving drunk, 90 days, sus-

pended upon payment of \$125 fine and costs and not operate a motor vehicle for one year.

Ronald Glenn McPherson, speeding 60 miles per hour in a 45 mph zone and spinning tires, \$35 fine and costs.

Edward E. Stone, speeding 70 miles per hour in a 36 mph zone, not pros.

Phillip Ray and Connie I. Boedker, firefighting decr, each paid \$250 fine and costs and their guns were confiscated.

Stanley Glenn Cline, speeding 70 miles per hour in a 55 mph zone, \$10 fine and costs.

Thomas H. Tullidge, speeding 70 miles per hour in a 55 mph zone, \$10 fine and costs.

Carol Grant, no operator's license, not pros.

Joseph Walker, Jr., traffic violation, not guilty.

Jessie Lee Holley, Jr., non-support, prayer for judgment continued upon payment of \$15 a week for support and costs. Forcible trespass, not guilty.

Jessie Holley, trespassing, 30 days, suspended upon prayer for judgment continued upon \$10 restitution and costs.

Allen Lee Liverman, allowing unlicensed person to operate motor vehicle, not

pros. Herbert Felton, driving drunk, 90 days suspended upon payment of \$100 fine and costs and not operate a motor vehicle for one year. Herbert Wynn, destroying private property, six months, suspended upon payment of \$100 to C. H. Small and costs and five years good behavior.

Dubois Is Given Army Promotion

FT. HOOD, Tex. — John R. DuBois, 20, son of Mrs. Melba Bunch, West Queen Street, Edenton, N. C., recently was promoted to army sergeant while serving with the 1st Armored Division at Ft. Hood, Tex.

Spec. DuBois, a draftsman in Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion of the division's 46th Infantry, entered the Army in June, 1968, completed basic training at Ft. Benning, Ga., and was last stationed in Vietnam.

He holds the Army Commendation Medal and the Combat Infantryman Badge.

The sergeant is a 1968 graduate of Augusta Military Academy, Fort Defiance, Va.

His father, Harry DuBois, lives at 1200 South Court-house Road, Arlington, Va.



RING RECOVERED

Bill Shepard is again the proud possessor of his Annapolis class ring lost on a train in July, 1946. It was returned recently by the son-in-law of the man who found it. It had lain forgotten for 24 years in a drawer where the man had tossed it. Bill's name was engraved inside the ring, but it took a letter to the Navy Department to locate Bill's address. Bill, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Shepard of Edenton, was a member of the Naval Academy class of 1945, but was graduated in 1944. After 13 years in the Navy he retired as a lieutenant commander.

More Vets Eligible For Home Loans

W. R. Phillips, director of the Winston-Salem Veterans Administration regional office, pointed out today the changes in recent legislation designed to help 18,000,000 veterans to get a home of their own.

One provision wipes out an ending date for GI loan benefits for all veterans who served after January 31, 1955, and also restores these benefits indefinitely to 8.9 million Korean Conflict and World War II servicemen who did not use them earlier.

Another provision offers a veteran for the first time a program of loans for mobile home purchases—up to \$10,000 for a mobile home alone; up to \$17,500 if he gets a lot to place it on.

A third authorizes VA to make direct loans in any part

of the country to certain seriously disabled veterans who are entitled to specially constructed housing.

Phillips also called attention to provisions of the new law which:

(1) Eliminates a VA funding fee of one-half per cent on guaranteed and direct home loans to veterans who served after January 31, 1955.

(2) Authorizes VA to guarantee loans to refinance existing mortgage loans or other liens on homes and occu-

ried by veterans, and allows borrowers to pay lenders any required discounts. The guaranty may be for 60 per cent of the loan or \$12,500 which ever is less.

(3) Authorizes VA to guarantee 60 per cent, or up to \$12,500 of loans for veterans to purchase family units in condominium projects insured by the Federal Housing Agency.

(4) Eliminates January 31, 1975, as the terminal date for VA's direct loan program.

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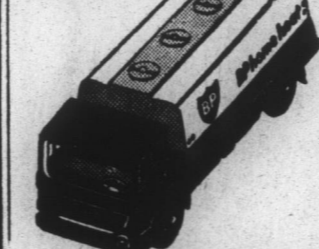
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