

### Varied Docket Aired in Court

The December Term of Chowan County Superior Court ended December 19 and only one jury case was tried with the defendant being convicted.

Judge Perry Martin of Rich Square presided at the term and Thomas S. Watts of Elizabeth City prosecuted the docket. Cases disposed of included:

Willie Percy Perry, reckless driving, six months, suspended upon payment of \$100 fine and costs and not drive for six months.

William Hill Black, Jr., speeding, 29 days, suspended upon payment of costs and not drive until January 4, 1974.

Kelly Springfield White, non support, six months.

Robert Eugene Riddle, drunk driving, six months, suspended upon payment of \$200 fine and costs.

Arthur W. Privott, three counts of worthless checks, six months, suspended and placed on probation for three years and fined \$500 and costs.

Walter Carter, drunk driving, 90 days suspended upon payment of \$100 fine and costs.

Eltan Maeful Holley, drunk driving, six months, suspended upon payment of \$200 fine and costs, not drive for two years and placed on probation for two years.

Bryan Merriett Miller, speeding, \$15 fine and costs.

Alfred Milton Mason, drunk driving, 90 days, suspended upon payment of \$100 fine and costs.

Kermit McDonald Fleming, drunk driving, six months, suspended upon payment of \$250 fine and costs.

Linton Earl Fleming, resisting arrest, six months, suspended upon payment of costs and placed on probation for three years.

Thomas Alvin Fleming, obstructing an officer, 90 days, suspended upon payment of costs and placed on probation for two years.

Joseph Ward, assault, directed verdict of not guilty.

Percy Twine, disorderly conduct, 29 days, suspended upon payment of costs, which were remitted.

Paul Gregory, Jr., receiving stolen property, 12 months, suspended upon payment of costs and placed on probation for three years.

Larry Spencer, non-support of pros.

Johnny A. Smith, assault on female, not pros upon payment of costs.

Elizabeth Gregory, failure to disperse, demonstrating without a permit and assaulting an officer, six months, suspended upon payment of costs, placed on probation for three years and abide by an 11 P.M. curfew.

Ernest Lee Holley, escape, 12 months to run concurrently with existing sentence.

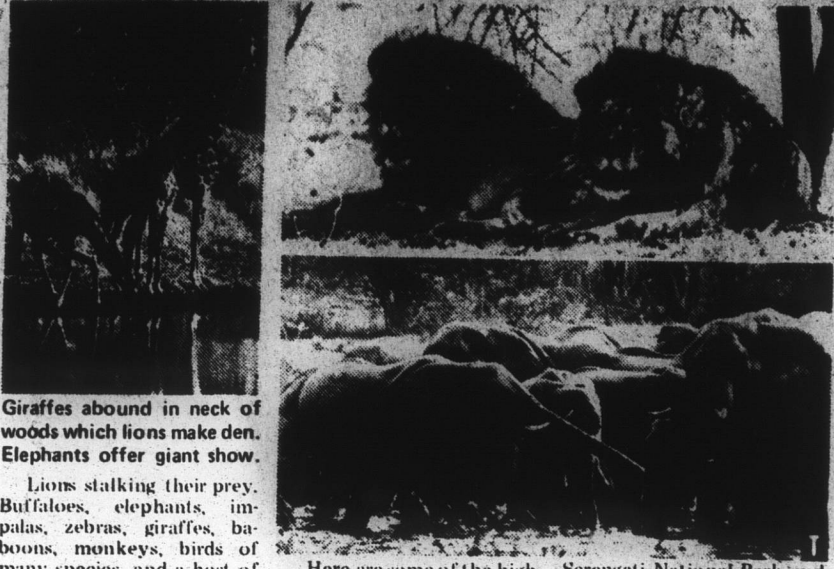
Russell T. Byrum, motion to remand allowed.

Clifford Lee Sullivan, drunk driving, six months, suspended upon payment of \$200 fine and costs.

Jessie Lee Johnson, failure to disperse, final judgment entered on bond.



### YOU'LL BE JUST WILD ABOUT AFRICA



Giraffes abound in neck of woods which lions make den. Elephants offer giant show.

Lions stalking their prey. Buffaloes, elephants, impalas, zebras, giraffes, baboons, monkeys, birds of many species, and a host of other animals in their native habitats. Dancing by local tribesmen. See it all and continue to see it years later in your own home. For the thrills and fun of your discovery of the natural wonders of East Africa, once captured on film on a photo safari, will provide a lifetime of memories.

Helping to shed light on the "dark continent" is Lufthansa German Airlines, which offers a complete 18-day tour for \$1,485 including air fare. Flights are round-trip from New York to Nairobi, Kenya, and the tour provides a splendid safari that includes everything from "A" (antelopes) to "Z" (zebras).

Lufthansa also accommodates others who have set their sights on an even longer camera safari with programs of 22 and 32 days.

Here are some of the highlights that come into view on the 18-day adventure:

Leave Nairobi in specially designed game-viewing vehicles, equipped with photo hatches, for the start of an exciting big game safari. You enter Samburu Game Reserve, famous as the location for the filming of the movie "Born Free." Chances are the visitor will spot rhino, lion, cheetah, leopard, elephant and the dangerous buffalo. They're all fair game for the photographer.

Enjoy a drive into the Masai Mara Game Reserve-one of the most beautiful areas of Kenya. Large herds of buffalo and elephants are seen among the thickets, while hippos bask in the Mara River. Perhaps you will glimpse a rare roan antelope or rhinoceros. Then it's on to Tanzania's world famous

Serengeti National Park and spectacular Ngorongoro Crater grasslands where vast herds of game graze.

Take a short drive to Lake Manyara Reserve to view its tropical forests and Soda Lake. The shores of the lake are pink with flamingos. The Reserve is noted for its herds of elephants, and especially for the lions sleeping in the limbs of trees. Then to the colorful town of Arusha and return to Nairobi.

Touring groups are limited to approximately 25. They are fully escorted, and travelers stay at the best hotels and camps. Also included are Micro Bus trips. All meals are included (a la carte where available) except in Nairobi, where only breakfast will be provided.

For further information, call Lufthansa-or see your local travel agent.

### Crunching Power Is Accelerated With Rubber Coat

The U. S. Coast Guard icebreaker Yankton will wear a rubber slicker this winter.

In a search for materials that will stick to an icebreaker but not to ice, the Coast Guard has coated the 110-foot vessel's hull with a special rubber developed by The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company.

Like wax on skis, the thin layer of rubber, is expected to protect the icebreaker's hull and make it easier for it to slide over ice.

Instead of ramming through thick ice, as many believe, an icebreaker actually slides up onto the frozen water and then crushes down through it with the weight of its hull.

When driven over ice, regular paints wear off quickly and the exposed hull then sticks to ice more than it would if painted. The added drag increases an icebreaker's power requirements and fuel consumption.

The Yankton is one of six icebreakers being painted with new materials in a Coast Guard research project conducted by Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

### New Machine Speeds Solid Waste Retrieval

A new machine capable of sorting 10 tons of shredded solid wastes per hour has been introduced by the Wemco Division of Envirotech Corporation, Menlo Park, Ca.

The Wemco Rising Current Separator recovers valuable resources through the separation of refuse into well defined fractions by water flow and specific gravity. The separator yields two dewatered products: a 'float' consisting of heavy combustibles and a 'sink' composed primarily of glass, aluminum and other non-ferrous metals.

The separator is applicable to municipal solid waste, auto scrap, or any situation in which a separation of materials is desirable.

### Researchers Find Use For Refuse

Members of two horticultural research teams from Pennsylvania State University have found a constructive use for discarded anthracite mine refuse banks.

The scientists say that a refuse and nutrient combination will serve as well as an inexpensive substitute for the two million tons of topsoil now used annually in greenhouses.

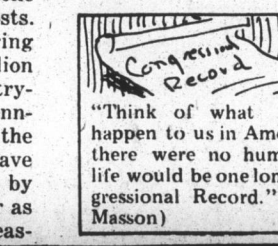
Properly treated and crushed coal refuse is relatively inexpensive, abundant and can be trucked as far away as New York and Baltimore for less than the cost of soil, according to estimates.

By adding extra light and by balancing moisture levels

in the refuse soilless medium, rose yields were increased 60 to 90 per cent above those of flowers grown in a soil mixture with natural light. Estimates of the cost of installing and operating the supplementary lights in conjunction with the anthracite refuse growing medium indicate that the additional income from the first year alone would finance the initial costs.

More than 800 towering banks of refuse, 900 million tons in all, scatter the countryside of northeastern Pennsylvania counties. Over the years many of the banks have started to burn, either by spontaneous combustion or as a result of trash fires, releas-

ing sulfur gases into the air. The scientists say the soilless growing medium, combined with techniques to enrich the atmosphere of greenhouses, has potential for production advances that can help Pennsylvania growers compete with the more favorable flower growing climates of California and Florida.



"Think of what would happen to us in America if there were no humorists; life would be one long Congressional Record." (Tom Masson)

### Personality Quiz

#### YOU-TOO DOMINEERING?

Many people who are excessively bossy would do well to developing attitudes. Take this test to find out whether such attitudes form a predominant part of your personality.

1. When a couple has entertained you at a party and you wish to thank them, you should (A) Thank them before you leave, (B) Insist that they return your visit on a specified occasion, or (C) Write them a note telling what a good time you had, and that you would like to entertain them on some mutually convenient occasion?

2. If a friend borrows a book from you which he hasn't returned for some time, (A) Ask that he return it as soon as possible, (B) Ask how he enjoyed it, or (C) Tell him never to ask to borrow anything from you again?

3. If a close relative of yours who has died has a favorite charity which you hope his friends will donate to, (A) Request that contributions to that charity be made in lieu of flowers, (B) Specify that donations will be welcome, but not rule out the possibility of sending flowers, too, or (C) Leave it to the discretion of the mourners?

4. If you're in an auto collision, the best thing to do first is (A) Inquire whether the other individual was hurt, (B) Claim immediately that the other driver was in the wrong, or (C) Threaten to call your lawyer.

5. If you're interviewing applicants for a particular job and you know that one in particular is not qualified, you should (A) Tell him he won't do, (B) Thank him for his interest, or (C) Tell him to keep in touch.

For correct answers, see below. If you score four or more answers correctly, you are probably not a domineering individual.



ANSWERS: 1. (C) Thanking your hosts before you leave is a routine way of expressing appreciation and does not imply a later get-together. And insisting that they visit you on a particular date may not conform to their other plans. Instead, a personal thank-you note is most appropriate. 2. (B) If you ask how he enjoyed the book, it will serve as a hint that he should return it. 3. (B) Many friends of the bereaved would like to do both—sending donations to a charity as well as sending flowers to mourners. They should not be discouraged from doing so. 4. (A) Inquiring about the condition of the other driver is good manners. Legal hassles—if any—should be reserved for the courtroom. 5. (B) By thanking a job applicant for his interest, you express appreciation for his showing up for the interview. Bluntly telling him he isn't qualified may make him feel he has wasted his time. And telling him to keep in touch is a futile gesture.

### Sports Afield

#### By Ted Kesting

Man's most moving recollection, if it has been written, is that of a hunt. Perhaps the observation is true. Writes John Johnson, Camping Editor of Sports Afield, "but when the lordly moose comes to mind my most vivid memories are those of sight."

The best moose hunting often comes just before the "Moon of Falling Leaves," when willow, poplar, birch and maple magically come alive with bold splashes of brilliant colors. Thinking of moose, it's not hard to visualize fluffy snowflakes the size of rose petals, and the dancing flames of a companionable campfire.

The North American moose is one of the most remarkable animals on earth. While circumpolar in range, and known by other names, ours is the biggest and most magnificent. He is the largest antlered beast ever to walk the earth.

The regular, or common moose, is like all his breed, a northern animal and is mainly thought of as a Canadian animal. His range is most of Canada, excepting arctic regions and the range of the Alaska-Yukon moose. His true habitat stops on the south at the United States border, although he has ranged over from time to time into states such as Minnesota, Maine, New York and North Dakota.

A mature bull moose is a lot of animal. Some subspecies are bigger than others, but a moose can stand 7 1/2 feet at the withers. His antlers will reach well over ten feet in length.

Yukon moose can, without question, weigh up to 1800 pounds on the hoof.

With some unfortunate setbacks here and there, the overall moose range and population has steadily increased over the years, and the reason is two-fold. First, logging and the big burns (forest fires) have made better moose habitat. Second, there is a lack of wolves. Wolves are the age-old enemy of moose, and where they are plentiful they take a terrible toll. With no wolves to combat and plenty of good food, moose increase. They're even running out on the prairie where you'd normally expect to find only pronghorns and buffalo.

If you hunt moose, and are after "horns" we urge that you be selective. Don't ever shoot "just any moose" to say you have. They are a rare and precious trophy, one of the world's most desirable game animals.

When you finally see that mighty brown-black monarch, with his incredible legs, his mighty bull neck, enormous shoulders and torso sleek as an otter, with his hundreds of pounds of delicious meat and antlers like the spreading branches of an oak, stalk within range. Try to find a rest. Glue those old cross hairs behind his shoulder and squeeze the trigger. We guarantee that as you roam the earth and bag all the splendid trophies it has to offer, you'll never forget any of your moose. They're one of the all

### New Books At Local Library

New books received at Shepard-Pruden Memorial Library include the following:

ADULT-FICTION  
The Riverside Villas Murder by Kingsley Amis.  
Postern of Fate by Agatha Christie.  
Evergreen Gallant by Jean Plaidy.

Please Pass the Guilt by Rex Stout.

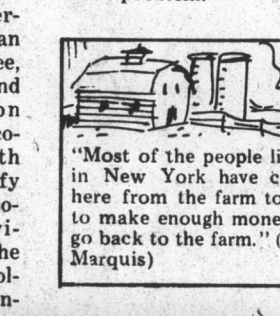
ADULT NON-FICTION  
The Terrarium Book by Charles M. Evans.  
The Oxford Book of English Verse by Helen L. Gardner.

### Conference on Viruses To be Held in Mexico

An invitational conference on the public health hazards of viruses in water will be held June 9-12, 1974, in Mexico City, sponsored by the American Public Health Association and made possible by a grant from The Carborundum Company of Niagara Falls, New York.

Objectives of the conference, as determined by an APHA Planning Committee, are to bring together and update information on whether viruses are an ecological and public health problem in water; identify the "state of the art" of isolating and identifying viruses in water, including the sensitivity of recovery in polluted waters; exchange in-

formation on studies currently in progress; review and delineate the methods useful in recovery of viruses from water and beneficial research techniques; and exchange information to determine which, if any, specific viruses constitute a public health problem.



### Edenton Ceramics Wishes Everyone a Happy New Year

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