

Drunken Driving Convictions Reach An All-Time High

Raleigh—Drunken driving convictions in North Carolina reached an all-time high in 1947, with 9,059 persons losing their right to drive because of drunken driving as compared with 5,928 convictions for the same offense in 1946, the Motor Vehicles Department announced this week.

During the month of December 913 persons lost their driving privileges on account of drunken

driving. This was more than double the 436 who were convicted of the same offense in December of 1946.

Total revocations for 1947 were 11,665, as compared with only 7,280 in 1946. Motor Vehicle officials attributed the increase to better enforcement on the part of the State Highway Patrol, which was doubled from 213 to 423 men by the last legislature.

Revocations and suspensions processed during December totaled 1,324. That figure included 23 persons caught driving drunk outside the State; 81 driving drunk and miscellaneous; and 46 transporting liquor. Thirty-two persons

lost their licenses during the month for speeding in excess of 75 miles per hour; and 18 for reckless driving and miscellaneous. Fourteen lost their right to drive for larceny of automobiles, and five for being habitual violators of traffic laws.

During December, 288 persons were convicted of reckless driving, as compared with only 264 during the same month in 1946. However, a reckless driving conviction does not require revocation or suspension of license on first offense.

During the year, 65,334 persons were convicted of other traffic violations not requiring revocation or suspension on first offense.

During December, 2,819 persons were convicted of speeding, more than double the 1,053 persons who were convicted of the same offense in December, 1946. The December speeding convictions brought to 26,237 total speeding convictions for 1947. During the month, 1,529 persons were convicted for failing to have driver's license; 994 for driving with faulty equipment, 639 for improper lights, and 405 for running through red light.

Enotah Echoes Joins Press Association

The Enotah Echoes campus publication of Young Harris College, recently became affiliated with the Georgia Collegiate Press Association as announced by Winfield Fickle, Atlanta editor.

In making the announcement Fickle pointed out that the paper has undergone a "face-lifting" this term in as much as the general make-up has been improved along with the style and tone of the content.

Star Miller and Miss Edna Herren are faculty advisors for this semi-monthly publication of the college.

The USDA estimates an annual loss from grubs of about 100 million dollars, with an additional 200 million dollars' loss caused by lice and ticks. The parasites can easily be controlled by spraying at the right time. Consult your county agent

PERSONALS

Mrs. T. S. Evans had as weekend guests, her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ferguson and son, Tommy, of Sylva.

Mrs. J. W. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bishop and son Harry, spent Sunday in Atlanta with Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompson and son, Bill III.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hardin and daughter, Laurie, and Robert McCombs returned Saturday to Oak Ridge after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Winchester and family and Miss Ella McCombs. They were called here on account of the death of Mrs. W. F. Davidson, sister of Mrs. Hardin and Mr. McCombs, who was killed in an automobile accident in Winter Haven, Fla., last Tuesday.

Tom Evans and K. P. Farmer of Arlington, Va., left Sunday for a ten-days' visit in Miami, Fla.

John Bayless of Knoxville spent Tuesday night here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bayless.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Griffith of Cornelia, Ga., spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Savage. Mr. and Mrs. John W. Friebe

Final Rites Held For Mrs. Daisy Braswell Tuesday

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the funeral chapel at Marble cemetery for Mrs. Daisy Braswell, 65, of Marble who died in an Andrews hospital Monday. The Rev. Algia West officiated and burial was in Marble cemetery, with Ivie funeral home in charge. Pallbearers were Robert Revis, Marion Bruce, Lloyd Lunsford, John Bettis, Gordon Luther and Wayne Ladd.

Surviving are the husband, of Roan Mountain, Tenn., visited Mrs. Friebe's father, R. C. Staples, over the week-end.

Mr. Staples and Miss Ray has as guests during the holidays, Mr. Staples' son, John, Memphis, Tenn., his daughters, Mrs. C. E. Gorman, Birmingham, Ala., Mrs. C. R. Vance, Roan Mountain, Tenn., and Mrs. Fred Carrier, Bluff City, Tenn.

Dr. Francis Coy has received word of the serious illness of his father, Sanford Coy, in Anderson, Ind., and is expecting to be called any time to his bedside.

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Schedule of Masses
Bryson City, 1st and 3rd Sunday 8:00 A. M.
Canton, 5th Sunday—8:00 A. M.
Cullowhee, 1st Wednesday — 7:00 A. M.
Fontana Dam, 2nd Saturday — 8:00 A. M.
Franklin, 2nd Sunday — 8:00 A. M.
Highlands, 3rd Saturday — 8:00 A. M.
Murphy, 1st Saturday — 8:00 A. M.
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ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 918,042.95
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	2,562,348.72
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	12,643.72
Corporate stocks	500.00
Loans and discounts (including \$ None overdues)	640,571.34
Bank premises owned \$21,454.68, furniture and fixtures \$7,871.19	29,325.87
Other assets	37,848.62
TOTAL ASSETS	4,201,281.42
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,657,937.58
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	965,575.30
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	14,470.52
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	298,271.85
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	13,771.41
TOTAL DEPOSITS	3,950,026.66
Other liabilities	46,681.73
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	3,996,708.39
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital *	100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	4,573.03
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	204,573.03
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	4,201,281.42

* This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$100,000.00.

MEMORANDA
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 340,100.00
I, W. D. Whitaker, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Correct—Attest: W. D. WHITAKER
Percy B. Ferebee
Z. L. Whitaker
W. F. Forsyth
Directors
State of North Carolina, County of Cherokee, ss.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of January, 1948, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
ALWAYNE B. STRATTON, Notary Public
My commission expires November 19, 1949.

Upper Peachtree

Farmers in this vicinity have begun their plowing for spring planting during the pretty days of the past week.

Carolyn Moore has been confined to her home from having a tooth extracted.

Dave Burrell and family expect to move to Gastonia next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gwynn McGuire and children of Maryville spent the week end with the C. W. Thomassons.

Mrs. Morrison Moore went to Rodda-Van Gorder hospital in Andrews Saturday for treatment.

Bill Leatherwood is moving back to this community.

Mrs. J. O. Galloway and children of Copperhill are spending this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison Moore.

B. A. Breedlove has been sick for several weeks.

Vernon and Hill Thomasson visited their brother in Blairsville Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. W. and Vina Barker visited Mrs. Hill Thomasson Friday afternoon.

The Rev. George Wilson preached here Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewell Curtis and baby were dinner guests of the C. W. Thomassons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Math Leatherwood spent Sunday with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brendle.

Charles Griffith was a dinner guest of Fred Breedlove Sunday.

Misses Allie and Vallie Moore were Saturday night guests of Miss Jean Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Curtis visited Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Lloyd of Murphy Saturday night.

J. D. Burrell was a dinner guest of Bill Barker Sunday.

The Rev. James Truett, pastor, preached here Sunday night.

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