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COURT IN SESSION

Criminal Docket Will Probably Consume Entire Week.

THE CASES TRIED
A Number Of Fines Imposed and Several Defendants Sent To Road Up To This Time.

The criminal term of Stokes Superior court in session here this week is having to deal with a lengthy docket which will probably consume the entire week.

Judge Henry P. Lane, of Rockingham county, is presiding at the term and is making excellent progress in disposing of the large docket, while his judgments are meeting with general approval. Solicitor John C. Bower, of Lexington, in representing the State, is making the way of the transgressor hard, and has made a favorable impression among Stokes people.

Large numbers of witnesses and spectators are in attendance at court. The hotel has been taxed beyond its capacity and it has been necessary for many of those in attendance at court to seek lodging in private homes.

Cases disposed of up to this time are as follows:

State vs. Jim Williams, a. d. w., fined \$27.00 and cost.

State vs. Lem Bennett and Morgan Sizemore, affray, fined \$10 each and half the cost each.

State vs. Andrew Bennett, c. c. w., fined \$10 and cost.

State vs. John Burge, c. c. w., fined \$5.00 and cost.

State vs. Roy Bullin, trespass, judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State vs. N. A. Martin, a. d. w., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State vs. Geo. Baily, larceny, ten months on road.

State vs. Rufe Lash, larceny, five years in State prison.

State vs. John Heath, forcible trespass, fined \$100 and cost.

State vs. Charlie Cardwell, larceny, thirty days in jail.

State vs. Ham Manuell, guilty, judgment pending.

State vs. Edgar Nelson, c. c. w., fined \$10 and cost.

State vs. Hard Martin, retailing, judgment pending.

State vs. Everett Chilton and J. K. Smith, affray. Both defendants plead guilty of simple assault. Smith fined \$20 and half cost, Chilton fined \$10 and half cost.

State vs. John Hicks, a. d. w., fined \$75.00 and cost.

State vs. Robah Flynt, c. c. w., fined \$20 and the cost.

State vs. James Cox, retailing, judgment pending.

State vs. Ruel Reid, c. c. w., fined \$20 and cost.

State vs. Eugene Davis, larceny, six months on road.

State vs. Lum C. Mabe, c. c. w., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State vs. J. A. Stephens, a. d. w., fined \$25.00 and cost.

State vs. Jim Tom Lawson, Leff Mabe, Lum Mabe, Cleve Lawson and John Lawson, affray. All guilty except John Lawson. Jim Tom Lawson, Cleve Lawson, and Lum Mabe fined \$40 each and one fourth the cost. Leff Mabe fined \$20 and one fourth the cost.

State vs. Jim Tom Lawson, Leff Mabe and Lum Mabe, disturbing entertainment. Fined \$5.00 each and one third the cost each.

State vs. A. L. Crabtree, d.

m. p., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State vs. Bethel Owens, a. d. w., fined \$75.00 and cost.

State vs. Bill Pompey, c. c. w., fined \$20 and cost.

State v Simon Kiger, retailing, 60 days on county road. Defendant appealed to Supreme court.

State v Charlie Cardwell, larceny, 30 days in jail and county commissioners given the right to hire him out.

State v Walter Priddy, larceny, 6 months on county road.

State v Rob Young, forcible trespass, fined \$30 and cost.

State v John Welch, Luke Welch and Ernest Galloway, a. d. w., all guilty, judgment suspended as to Ernest Galloway. Judgement as to John Welch and Luke Welch, fined \$15 and each and cost.

State v Bill Manuell, a. d. w., fined \$5 and cost.

State v Dudley Hairston, affray, defendant pleads guilty, fined \$5.00 and cost.

State v Creed Hairston, affray, 30 days on county road.

State v Bud Gordon and Nan Tillotson, f. and a., Gordon sentenced to a term of 2 years on county road. Prayer for judgment continued as to Nan Tillotson.

State v. Dudley Hairston, a. d. w., fined \$5.00 and cost.

State v Cleve Lawson, c. c. w., fined \$10 and cost.

State v Andrew Bennett, c. c. w., in two cases, defendant pleads guilty in both cases, fined \$5 in one case and \$10 in other and cost.

AT MOORE'S SPRINGS

Dance and Picnic On Easter Monday -- Public Invited To Attend.

The Reporter is requested by Mr. W. G. Moore, proprietor of Moore's Springs, to announce that there will be a dance at Moore's Springs on Easter Monday to which the public is cordially invited. The people are requested to bring baskets and have a picnic and a pleasant day is assured all who attend. The young men are requested to keep sober and quiet and conduct themselves properly, as it is hoped that the older people will come out and enjoy the day.

We have on hand the largest and best assorted stock of HARDWARE since we have been in the business. If its farming utensils of any kind you are after see us before you buy. Remember the Johnston Mowing Machine and Hay rake. Ask any one who has used them, and you will be inclined to go and do likewise. No better on earth and the price is right. All kinds of plows, hoes, cultivators, harrows, etc.

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I again call attention to the fact that the second Quarterly Conference will convene at Davis Chapel next Saturday and Sunday. Let all the stewards of Danbury circuit please attend.

T. J. FOLGER.

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WALNUT COVE LETTER

Big Creek Telephone Co. Taps the Town Fork Line.

MEETINGS BEGINS

At Stokesburg M. E. Church Citizens Buy Automobiles—Other Items.

Walnut Cove, March 31.—Rev. Mr. Poe is conducting the protracted meeting at Stokesburg M. E. church which began Sunday night.

Messrs. R. P. Joyce and J. G. Fulton have bought new Ford machines.

Messrs. Stamey Ripple and Ralph Petree of Winston spent the afternoon in town Sunday with friends.

Miss Helen Keith spent the week-end with home folks at at Winston.

The Big Creek Telephone Company have tied in their line with the Town Fork Co. This company now has six lines including Southern Bell Company.

Mr. R. E. Semple spent the week-end with home-folks at Martinsville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bailey, Jr., returned Sunday from a few days visit to relatives in Winston-Salem.

Mr. J. T. Smith of Reidsville is spending the week in town on the tobacco market.

A large crowd of people are passing through town enroute to Danbury to attend court this week.

Mr. Sullivan Bode of Walker-town was in town last week.

Mr. J. M. Ambler of Winston was in town last week.

Mr. E. C. Stonestreet of Winston was in town Tuesday.

Walnut Cove Route 1.

Walnut Cove Route 1, March 30.—Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Smith and little son, Odell, visited Mr. C. F. Smith Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Lee Baker spent Sunday at Mr. L. Tuttle's.

Mr. Bud Long and family of Tobaccoville visited Mr. G. T. Burge's Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Sadie and Glenn Tuttle and Paulina Smith visited Mr. G. T. Burge's Sunday afternoon.

At the home of Mr. W. E. Butner Sunday evening Miss Louella Fulp delightfully entertained her many friends in honor of her guests, Misses Naomie and Viola Ingram. Every one seemed to enjoy the occasion immensely.

There was a party at Mr. Andrew Bowles' Monday night. Messrs. Jim and Robt. Burge visited Mr. Thos. Tuttle Sunday night.

Mr. Watson Smith spent Sunday with home folks here.

Mr. Blaine Newsom spent Saturday night with Mr. Arthur Newsom.

Misses Alice and Carrie Watts spent Saturday at Mr. J. R. Smith's.

Miss Etta Bowles is spending a few days with her brother this week.

There will be a party at Mr. Laurie Tuttle's Tuesday night.

GOSSIPER.

Owing to the fact that the Quarterly Conference will convene at Davis Chapel on the 1st Sunday in April, there will be no preaching at Snow Hill and Danbury on that date by the pastor.

J. T. FOLGER.

DON'T BE DISFRANCHISED.

It is a disgrace to be disfranchised. Pay your poll tax before May 1, otherwise you cannot vote in the fall election.

King Route 2.

King Route 2, March 30.—The school at Mt. Olive closed Friday with an entertainment.

A large crowd was present and a nice programme carried out.

Mr. J. M. Covington happened to a very bad accident while out chopping in the woods by cutting his foot open. Hope he will soon recover.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Covington fell into the fire a few days ago and was badly burned, but is improving, we are glad to note.

Mr. Paul Johnson made a business trip to Winston the past week.

Miss Cora Tuttle, who has been visiting her sister in Winston, is expected home soon.

Gideon.

Gideon, March 31.—Much sickness is prevalent over this section at present.

Mrs. Sam Gatewood, who has been very low with pneumonia, is some better, we are glad to know and we wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Chelt Branson and child are very ill with pneumonia, we are sorry to know. Hope they will be out soon.

Mrs. Bruce Gatewood spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Roscoe Gann, of this place.

Mrs. Zeb Martin, of near Greensboro, is visiting her mother on Madison Route 3.

Messrs. Lemmie and Wyatt Duggins went to Walnut Cove Saturday on business.

Mr. W. M. Flynt returned last Friday from a business trip to Winston-Salem.

Mr. J. Frank Dunlap, accompanied by Mr. Cary Flynt, went to State Line Saturday, returning Sunday with his sister, Miss Bertha Dunlap, who has been conducting a school at that place.

The weather is putting the farmers greatly behind with work in preparing for their crops. But, Mr. Farmer, you should not worry about weather conditions for everything works together for good to them that love the lord.

Now as I have drifted into scripture if you will pardon me, I will further say, we all should be God-loving men and not God fearing men, as some call it. We should fear old sator and love our Lord. Now let's keep the good work on a push. A helping hand loaned for a little act of kindness given a friend in time of need will be appreciated and will comfort his heart.

Death of Young Man Near Sandy Ridge.

After a continual illness of several months, Willie Carter, a son of Mr. Rufus Carter, who lives near Sandy Ridge, passed peacefully to his reward on the 30th of March, and was buried at Delta on the 1st of April. The funeral services were conducted by the pastor Rev. T. J. Folger, assisted by Revs. D. A. Oakley and C. A. Wall.

State of North Carolina, Stokes county.

In the Superior Court, Spring Term, 1914.

Report of Committee Appointed To Draft Resolutions Relative To the Death of Hon. Walter W. King.

To Honorable Henry P. Lane, Judge Present and Presiding:

WHEREAS, on or about the 25th day of September, 1913, a few days previous to the last term of this Court, in the Providence of Almighty God, death claimed Honorable Walter W. King, who for forty years or more was an honored member of the Danbury bar; and, whereas, at a meeting of the bar held at the Court House in Danbury during the last term of this Court, which meeting was presided over by Honorable E. B. Jones, the undersigned were appointed a committee to draft resolutions respecting the death of Mr. King, and report the same to this term of the Court, and in pursuance of their appointment aforesaid, they most respectfully submit the following:

WHEREAS, in the wise Providence of Almighty God it has been His will to call from our midst Honorable Walter W. King, who for forty years or more, was an honored and able member of the bar; and, whereas, in the death of Mr. King, we realize that the profession has lost an able and honored member, the family and relatives a kind and affectionate husband, father and relative, and the State and county a good and useful citizen; Now, therefore, be it resolved:

I. That we deplore the death of Mr. King, and feel that in his death the profession has lost an able and honored member, the family, relatives and friend, and the State and county a good and useful citizen. That his place cannot be filled, and the loss is irreparable.

II. That he was an able lawyer and advocate, conscientious in the discharge of his duty, and always had the courage of his convictions. That he always took an interest in the welfare of the public, and was much concerned in matters of a public nature. That for a long term of years next preceding his death, he was a consistent member of the Presbyterian church at Danbury.

III. That we tender our sympathy to all the members of the bereaved family. That while we deplore his death, we humbly bow to the will of Almighty God, who doeth all things well.

IV. That we request these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Court, and a copy thereof published in the Danbury Reporter, and also furnished to the family of the deceased.

Respectfully submitted, March 31st, 1914.

C. O. McMICHAEL, N. O. PETREE, J. D. HUMPHREYS, Com.

State of North Carolina, Stokes county.

In the Superior Court, Spring Term, 1914.

It is ordered by the Court that the foregoing resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Court, and that the Clerk furnish a copy of same to the family of Honorable Walter W. King, and also a copy to the publisher of the Danbury Reporter for publication.

HENRY P. LANE, Judge Presiding.

This farm contains 220 acres two and half miles of Summerfield, three miles of depot, three-quarters of a mile of a good school, and within three miles of the County High School. The land is adapted to tobacco as well as to grain. Seventy acres of open land, balance in oak and pine. Has a good six-room house, two tobacco barns, pack house and grain barn on it. Price right. Good terms.

Donnell Bros. Lumber Co. Oak Ridge, N. C.

MR. KURFEES WRITES

On Road Work Soon To Be Started In Meadows Township.

PERSONAL INTEREST

Should Not Be Considered In the Location and Construction of the Roads.

Mr. Editor: I learn with pleasure that the contract for building Meadows township's roads has been awarded.

It is evident now that our long dreamed of good roads will soon be a reality. Differences of opinion have existed, and will no doubt continue to exist, as to the advisability of the project now under way. This being the case it will be a hard matter for our road commissioners to please all our citizens in the survey and construction of our roads. I believe each of them to be fair-minded men, but I certainly do not envy them their job.

I believe it has been, and will continue to be their constant aim to treat everybody fair, and give each and every citizen in the township a square deal, and especially those through whose land the road runs. But we who own land along the route of the highway must remember that our personal interest alone cannot be the guiding rule of surveyor or commissioners, but on the contrary they must have in mind the interest of every citizen. A slight variation from the route mapped out by the engineer, might now and then be of quite a benefit to the land-lord from the standpoint of his personal convenience in the shaping of his field, etc., but from a standpoint of a proper location for a permanent highway both for construction and maintenance, the case would be quite different. Take for instance my own case. I understand the first act of the surveyor was to split right through my field in the town of Germanton, thus destroying valuable land for farming purposes besides being a town lot. It will greatly inconvenience me, not only taking my land, but causing me to build considerable extra fence, etc.

If they had followed the old road it would have been far better for me personally, but as stated above the best interest of all the people would not have been served.

I mention my own case only because I know many others along the route will fare as I have, some may fare better and some even worse, but I want to beseech each land owner along the way to be broad minded in this matter. Don't think for a moment that the engineer, or either member of the committee, have anything but the best interest of all at heart and if at times we feel that our personal interests are being somewhat interfered with, just remember that in a short time we can adjust ourselves to the circumstances. So let's say "go ahead, boys; the road must be built, place it where you think it will do the greatest good to the greatest number."

Let us all forget self for just a little while, and co-operate with our commissioners and assist them in giving us the best service possible, remembering the while that their task is a hard one, an undesirable one, and a very responsible one.

Yours for good roads, and a prosperous and happy community.

JNO. W. KURFEES. March 28th. 1914.