

Wanted Some Egg Nog

Didn't Get Eggnog

He didn't get any eggnog, but he did get a warrant slapped against him.

Katie Mae Pettiford swore out a warrant December 22 against Joe Louis Johnson charging him with disorderly conduct and using profane language in her business establishment on Barbee Street.

The Negro woman proprietress testified that Johnson, a young Zebulon Negro, came into her business establishment about five o'clock the afternoon of December 22.

"I heard someone cussing," she told Zebulon Recorder's Court Wednesday. "I went over to talk to him. He wouldn't listen. He started cussing me. I couldn't talk to him."

She testified that she said the best thing to do was to get the law, and then Johnson said he would turn the place into a blood bath.

On the witness stand Johnson testified that he went in the business and asked for a pack of cigarettes. He said he wanted to share the cost of a pint of liquor which the woman's boy friend in the back room had but the boy friend would not agree to the idea. The liquor was to be used for eggnog.

"He told me I wouldn't get none of the liquor," Johnson told the court.

Johnson denied he cursed loudly. He revealed he had been a training school inmate at the age of 13 for aiding and abetting in

a theft done by his brother. Judge Irby Gill imposed a 90 days on the roads sentence suspended on payment of \$50 fine and costs.

College Honor ECC Cadet Gets

Cadet A/1C James R. Tant of Route 1, Zebulon, and a member of the 600th AFROTC Cadet Group at East Carolina College, was the recipient of the "Cadet of the Quarter" award for the fall presented by the Group at the Fourth Annual Dining-In Friday evening, January 11.

Selected from the entire Basic Corps of approximately 270 cadets, Cadet Tant was chosen to receive this award on the basis of his Air Force officer potential, his proficiency in fundamental drill procedures, and his interest in the cadet corps and in an Air Force career.

Cadet Tant is a sophomore mathematics major. In addition to AFROTC, he is also a member of the Arnold Air Society, an extracurricular activity which has the purpose of advance air and space age citizenship; the Honorary Drill Team; and a former member of the Rifle Team.

Adult Farmer Class To Hear Pig Parley

Assistant County Agent H. Bruce Butler will discuss the opportunities in feeder pig production at the Adult Farmer Class Monday night at 7:30. The public is invited to attend the meeting to be held in Wakelon School agriculture department.

East Alley Almost Ready for Opening

Except for the removal of a couple of dog pens, East alley is almost ready to be opened, according to Police Chief Willie B. Hopkins.

The alley, approximately 2,000 feet long, extends from Whitley to Wakefield Streets. It will not be paved.

The town board advised the opening of this street to facilitate garbage collections.

Wakefield Church Re-calls Pastor

The congregation of Wakefield Baptist Church in a meeting Friday night called the Rev. W. R. Strassner as its pastor.

Mr. Strassner resigned as pastor of the church several months ago and became associated with Hampton Institute in Hampton, Va. He had served the Wakefield church for 17 years.

The pastor will serve on the first and third Sundays. The Rev. C. E. Askew, associate minister, will serve the church on other Sundays.

"The members prayed that it could be arranged so that he could continue his ministry with the church," one member said. "There has been great progress during the years of Rev. Strassner's administration."

Judge Reduces Youth's Fine In Theft Case

The fine of a Zebulon man was reduced in half after Zebulon Recorder's Court Judge I. D. Gill learned the youth had never been convicted of any crime.

Nealy Wall's fine was reduced from \$100 to \$50 after the judge learned of the young man's excellent character and he had not tangled with the law before.

Wall was given a one year road sentence suspended on payment of the fine and court costs on a charge of receiving stolen goods. Sheriff's Deputy S. J. Blackley testified that Wall received approximately \$200 from Bruce Jones.

Jones, a Route 2, Zebulon man of 22, was tried Friday, January 11, in Wake County Superior Court where he pleaded guilty of common law robbery. He was sentenced to five years in prison for robbing Phillip H. Richardson

of Nash County of \$1,300 on November 21.

Jones waived hearing of the charge in Zebulon Recorder's Court.

Deputy Blackley said Wall told him that Jones offered him \$200 and expenses to drive him to the country of Mexico. Wall told the deputy they left that night for the trip. He told the deputy he didn't know in the beginning where Jones got the money, but Jones later revealed to him where the money came from.

Wall and Jones returned from Mexico on Friday, November 30. Wall was apprehended in Zebulon; Jones was picked up in Wendell.

The court learned that Wall reimbursed Richardson the money which he got from Jones.

Wall did not testify. He is 22-years-old.

Polio Drive Most Successful Ever Staged Here; Over \$500

The polio Mothers' March last Thursday night was the "best ever," according to Mrs. Ben Thomas, chairman of the Zebulon drive.

"I'm very thrilled and happy with the outcome of the drive," Mrs. Thomas said. "We solicited the most we ever have in the five years I have been working with the drive."

More than \$550 was contributed during the Mothers' March, said Mrs. Thomas.

She said more is expected. The canisters, under the direction of Mrs. Armstrong Cannady, co-chairman, will remain in business establishments until the end of January. Shepard School also will make a contribution.

"I want to thank profusely the workers which helped with the drive," Mrs. Thomas said. "Without such interested and enthusiastic people the drive would not have been so successful."

Solicitors were Mrs. Robert Sawyer, Mrs. Philip Olive, Mrs. Wilton Gay, Mrs. Bobby Lee, Mrs. Tom Kimball and daughters, Donna and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Hinton, Mrs. Clarence Houtcutt, Mrs. Helen Gregory, Mrs. Willie B. Hopkins, Mrs. Wayne Davis, Mrs. Horace Gay, Mrs. Douglas Finch.

Mrs. Richard Turlington, Mrs. James Debnam, Mrs. Wilbur Debnam, Mrs. George Massey, Jr., Mrs. Rex Tippett, Mrs. Thurman Murray, Mrs. Charles Hawkins, Mrs. Howard Beck, Mrs. Henry Andrews, Mrs. Ruric Gill, Jr., and Misses Judy and Mary Palmer.

After the drive, Mrs. Thomas entertained the solicitors at a coffee hour before an open fire.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Allman, who were unable to help this year, were invited to the social hour. They were remembered with a gift.

Car Catches Fire

Police were called to a burning car at Fork Drive in during the weekend. The 1958 Chevrolet convertible was owned by Jerry D. Strickland of Route 3, Zebulon. Cause of the fire was unknown. Damages were estimated at approximately \$50.

16-Year-Old Girl Claims Youth Tried To Attack Her

Judge I. D. Gill sent a breaking and entering and assault on a female case to Wake Superior Court last Wednesday.

Elvis Horton, 19-year-old Route 3, Zebulon Negro, tore the screen off the window of Roosevelt Perry's home on Route 1, Zebulon and entered the room of his daughter.

According to police who quoted 16-year-old Thelma Perry, Horton climbed across a bed in her

room and made his way to the bed on which she was lying. She told police Horton made improper advances to her.

Police said Horton did not appear to have been drinking.

The act occurred about five o'clock the morning of January 6. Horton was given a hearing in Zebulon Recorder's Court. He is now in Wake County Jail in lieu of a \$2,000 bond.

Shepard School

Abounding With Activities

Shepard school was host to the Berry O'Kelly group of agricultural teachers and NFA presidents of the group Friday, January 11. Similar meetings are held monthly at one of the twelve schools located in this group.

Guidance is playing a vital role in our schools each year. The group under the direction of J. W. Warren, district supervisor and State NFA advisor, selected this topic to be discussed in our January meeting with guidance personnel from the State Department and other areas that might be of importance to our youth.

Our supervisor selected an interesting topic to be discussed in the form of a panel for the group. Miss T. Lorraine Combo, guidance consultant from the State Department of Instruction, was selected as overall moderator. The panel consisted of Miss Combo, moderator; "Occupational Opportunities," discussed by Lewis Robertson, counselor, from the Federal Employment Security Commission; "Apprenticeship Training Program," discussed by J. B. Archer, counselor, North Carolina Department of Labor; "Counseling Youth for Employment," W. A. Freeman, counselor, Fuquay Consolidated and Apex Consolidated Schools; and "Training Opportunities in Vocational Education and Technical Areas," J. Warren, district supervisor.

Other key persons attending the meeting were G. L. Crews, Principal, M. L. Wilson, Principal, Richard B. Harrison High School, Funeral rites for Mrs. Alice Richard B. Harrison School; Mrs. W. A. Freeman, counselor, Harnett County Training School, Dunn; Miss Flora Keys, vocational home economics teacher, Fuquay Consolidated, and L. W. Wallace, agricultural teacher, Caswell County Training School, Yanceyville.

The local NFA officers were host to the group presidents for a workshop conducted by William Hunt, second vice-president of the State Association of New Farmers of America, Caswell Training School, Yanceyville. He discussed

Hospital Report

During the month of December there were 87 admissions, 50 major and minor operations, nine births and no deaths at Wendell-Zebulon Hospital, according to hospital officials.

with the presidents the budget for 1962-63; Oxford Orphanage Contributions by local chapters; National, State and local programs of work; qualifications for local, state and national officers, modern and superior farmer degrees and our NFA summer camping program.

The home economics department under the supervision of Mrs. D. P. Taylor, entered the group with a wholesome meal consisting of barbecued chicken, potato salad on lettuce, hot rolls, coffee, ice cream and cake.

The agricultural department was host on Tuesday, January 8, to a tobacco meeting in cooperation with the county extension personnel, Mr. Davenport and Mr. Askew. R. R. Bennett, extension tobacco specialist, was the speaker.

Jaycees vs. Wendell

Zebulon Jaycees will tackle the Wendell Lions February 2 in the Wendell school gymnasium. The local Jaycees recently organized a basketball team and this will be their first game.

On February 16, the Wendell Lions squad will be in Zebulon for another match with the Jaycee quint.

The Jaycee club is coached by Lawrence Liles, assisted by Billy Green and W. G. Griswold.

Youth Appeals Sentence; Charged With Stealing Eight Spark Plugs

Stanley Jerome Price appealed a one year road sentence imposed on him Wednesday by Judge I. D. Gill in Zebulon Recorder's Court.

Price was convicted of a charge of taking eight spark plugs December 18 from an unidentified person's car on Wakelon school grounds.

Officer Wilson Stallings testified that he and Night Policeman Windel Perry were patrolling the night of December 18. They saw Price on Church Street. He was wearing an overcoat and "looked as if he were holding something in his right pocket."

Stallings said he and Perry decided to check Price. Price dashed across a vacant lot when the officers approached him. When he ran, the officers saw Price throw

an object away. They later found the object, the spark plugs, and apprehended Price.

Upon questioning Price, the officers quoted Price as saying he took the spark plugs from the glove compartment of a car on the school grounds. He told the officers he didn't know whose car he took them from.

The 26-year-old told Judge Gill he has served two terms on the roads, each a two-year-term. He also told the judge he has undergone a series of six shock treatments at State Hospital for what he described "a nervous disorder."

Price told Judge Gill: "I didn't get them to use. I just got them to throw away, I reckon."

The one year sentence carried an amendment that medical attention be recommended for Price.