

Superior Court In Haywood Grown From 9 Cases In '53 To 475 Cases In '54

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Two years ago North Carolina Superior Court cases for each of its three districts. Since then the number has grown in population and in civil and criminal litigation that today our courts handle in 21 judicial districts.

Heretofore written of the County Court, now, in this we want to consider our Superior Court — its beginning. The Superior Court for the Western District was first convened in Waynesville April 10th, 1815, with Judge W. Lowrie presiding. Judge Wilson, Solicitor, Attorney, which lasted two or three years, there seems to have been on the docket, five cases were tried, allowing for adjournment.

Grand jury, for this district as follows: Thos. Leeman, Malcolm Henry Clark, Joseph Sorrells, Newton, Shederick Hyatt, Bryson, Thos. Hughes, Green, Martin Fulbright, Welch, William Deaver, Stiles, Elijah Deaver, John Jonathan Woody, and John

get a better idea of the number of cases tried and of, we find that a plain sound and unruled record 76 pages (foolscap size) the minutes of the court years, April, 1815 to April, courts were held each in April and October. There have six Superior Court cases; three are designated Civil terms and given up nearly altogether the trial of Criminal

County has had four court judges, viz: Garretson, J. C. L. Gudger, Harwood and Felix E. Court Business Today 139 years from 1815 (1954), the court in this county has so at today a rather elaborate of bookkeeping has up in the Clerk's office a great number of books, consist of minute books, dockets of different books of administration of wills probate books, case (great stacks of them) books, lunacy, J. P. books

Air Force Now Doing Their Own Recruiting

On the 1st of July the United States Air Force took over operational control of its own Recruiting Service. Since 1947 when the Air Force and the Army became two separate organizations, Army and Air Force Recruiting was accomplished by a joint effort. However due to the tremendous defense build up in particular, the Air Force, plus prevailing world conditions, the Secretary of Defense recently signed a bill giving the Air Force and the Army separate control of their respective Recruiting Organizations.

Due to the tremendous emphasis put on air power, thousands of young men will be needed in the coming year to meet Air Force personnel requirements. An all out effort is being made by Air Force Recruiters all over America to acquaint the general public with their Air Force, its mission and career opportunities.

Your local Air Force Recruiting Sergeant will be at the Post Office in Waynesville between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. each Wednesday.

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HASTINGS, Neb. (AP) — Reprimanded for not brushing her teeth twice a day, the little girl told her Dad "but I don't have enough teeth to brush them twice a day." She was going through the missing teeth stage.

and records, Road Commission reports, widow allowances, witnesses cost records, etc.

So you can well understand how that this work of litigation and bookkeeping would keep our present Clerk, J. B. Siler and his Assistant Clerk, Miss Dixie Campbell, busy. Indeed, this work has grown and accumulated over the years that the Clerk's office and the storage basement underneath (which were thought to be ample 20 years ago) are about filled to capacity.

Now compare this to the nine cases on the docket—and five tried in 1815 with the 425 cases on docket at this July term. Of this great number, probably two-thirds will be tried or nopropped, others will be continued for one reason or another, many capases will be issued—and so it goes.



DANCE TEAM QUEEN, Peggy Baldwin, left, of Skyland, a member of the Valley Springs Dance Team, was crowned Souare Dance Queen at the VFW Folk Festival in Canton. Joyce Ann Morgan of Bethel, a sophomore of Bethel high, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Morgan was runner-up. She danced with the Bethel Team, Miss Morgan was also Queen of the Ramp Convention this May. (Photo for The Mountaineer by Frances Deaton).

606 Eligible For 10-Year Party Of Champions Set For July 22 At Camp Hope

A total of 606 Carolina Champions are eligible to attend the annual 10-year service group party scheduled for Camp Hope Thursday, July 22.

Of this total 97 Champions are incoming members. John Stephens, of Champion's R. M. and C. Department, will preside over the dinner meeting, and the Rev. Clayton J. Lime, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church,

will give the invocation. H. A. Helder, vice-president and Carolina division manager, will welcome the guests and a member of the 10-year group will respond.

Dwight J. Thomson, vice-president in charge of industrial and public relations, general office, Hamilton, O., will be in hand to extend greetings to the 10-year Champions.

A special program of late afternoon recreation has been arranged for 4 p.m. and dinner will be served "right on the dot" at 6:30 o'clock.

Colonel Jack Major, Paducah, Ky., humorist, has been secured as featured after-dinner entertainment. Colonel Major sometime ago became a national stage figure and has spent much time on radio and making personal appearances.

He has traveled extensively throughout the United States and many foreign countries. The following 97 Carolina Champions become eligible for the 10-year continuous group this year:

Mildred Chambers Adams, John Laranzo Allen, Harry Lee Anderson, Nellie Jane Blalock, Roy Mc Koly Blythe, Lola Ivalee Brown, Jack Brown, John Finley Broyle, Jr., James Alexander Bryson, Luc Stamey Buckner, John Taylor Burrell, William Stuart Calvin, Fred Boone Carver, Martha Irene Childers, Eldon Luster Clontz, Freda Hall Cochran, Grace Wes Cooper, Furman Joseph Davis, Frances Blalock Denton, Jesse Hill ton Deweese, Sarah Elizabeth Ferguson.

Wilma Blanch Ford, Edward Furness, Grady Winfield Hall, Milford Benning Hall, Vivian Hall Roy W. Hamilton, Bonnie Mae Haney, Virgil Homer Hannah, Ann Dudley Hardin, Walter Fannin Hargrove, Lawson Woodfin Henderson, Venney Luther Henson, Lawton Hicks, Pete Nelson Higgins, Jr., Tommy Lee Holcomb, Thomas Howell, Kyle Clarence Huffman, Herschel Jenkins, Ev Genevieve Johnson, Zonnie Sellers Kelly, Anna Mae Kephart, Odell Lindsey, Vivian D. Long, E. L. Mackey, Ramell Swanger Mashburn, O. L. Mason.

Austin Milan McClure, Joel Calvin McCreary, Easton Howard McIntyre, Bobby Joe Mease, Rufus Bradford Mease, Kaywood Andy Messer, John Mizell, Eddie Montgomery, James Andrew Morris, Lester Leonard Mull, Roland Ephram Osborne, Jr., Ernest Leland Oxner, Theodore Parton, Ernest Hesciah Patrick, Gordon Rice Penland, Archie William Pilkington, Grace Marie Pitts, Charles Oscar Pressley, Ray Pressley, Don Hubert Putnam, Nellie Iona Reed, Eva Elizabeth Robinson, Harrison Russell, William Carr Thomas, Vir-

Bookmobile Schedule

Tuesday, July 20	
CLYDE	
Will Justice	8:45-9:00
Frank Stamey	9:15-9:40
Sam Jackson	9:50-10:05
M. W. Dotson	10:20-10:45
Jack Belcher	11:00-12:00
Clyde Town Hall	1:00-2:00
Annie Long	2:15-2:30

Friday, July 23	
ALLENS CREEK - BALSAM RD.	
Allens Creek School	8:45-9:15
E. K. Chambers	9:30-9:45
Grand View Heights	10:00-10:15
Paul Browning	10:30-10:45
Kay Allen	11:00-11:30
Jack Whitner	11:45-12:15
Thelma Arrington	12:30-12:50
Guy Queen's Store	1:00-1:15
Barber's Orchard	1:30-2:00
Allen Hyatt	2:15-2:30

Pfc. Fugate On Duty With Marines In Korea

Marine Pfc. James H. Fugate, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben C. Fugate of Route 3, Waynesville, recently arrived at Inchon Harbor aboard the transport Gen. John Pope to join the 1st Marine Division in Korea.

The division has been in Korea since shortly after the outbreak of the conflict. From that time until the truce, Marines served almost continuously on the front lines.

The 1st Marine Division was awarded two Presidential Unit Citations for outstanding combat efficiency during the Inchon landing and the Chosin Reservoir action.

Thomas Jefferson and John Adams, signers of the Declaration of Independence and former Presidents both died July 4, 1826, 50 years to a day after the Continental Congress adopted the Declaration.

Carroll Washington Scott, Ernest M. Shuler, Mabel Burnette Singleton, Annie Mae Smathers, Rubye Fish Smathers, Callie Barnes Smith, Clifford David Smith, Guy Weaver Smith, Vanice Barnabus Soesbee, Lethel Bethel Stockton, Gordon Earl Summey, Yoder Pinkie Surret, Myrtle Ledford Sutton, Carrol A. Towe, Euphia Maude Varner, William B. Welch, Garland Hendricks Wells, Fannie Dotson West, John Thomas West, Will Whitaker, Ruth Holland Wills, Billy Furman Wood, Julla Vernua Woody, Albert Eugene Worley, Martha Wright.



RUNNER-UP in the VFW beauty contest, was Miss Janet Ann Foster, 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Foster, of Bethel. She is a member of the 10th grade of Bethel school. (Photo for The Mountaineer by Frances Deaton).

U. S. savings have grown from less than 69 billion dollars in 1940 to an estimated 250 billion today.

Japan's milk production in 1953 was 182,208,000 gallons, 21.9 per cent above the previous year.

Rotarians Told World Is Sick Of War, Destruction

"The world is sick of destruction," Dr. Ralph Eutsler, of Roanoke, Va., told Rotarians here Friday. The speaker has been giving a series of lectures at the Lake, and slashed at isolationists, as he said, "put men together and the world will be together."

"No nation in the world can remain on a firm foundation until every nation in the world is on a solid foundation," he said as he pointed to the problems which have been created in the atomic age.

"The number one problem of the atomic age is moral," the speaker said, "since human nature remains the same. Morally we have not kept pace with the scientific and business world in our advancements."

"Isolation has never worked, and we must look beyond a program of

self interest, and follow a program that will be of the most ultimate good to everyone."

The speaker was presented by Hugh Massie, chairman of the program committee. William S. Ray is president.

There were 38 visitors present for the meeting, from seven states.

It would take the work of a million men to repair the damage done in the United States by insects.

Bus manufacturers estimate that the United States will need 25,000 new school buses each year for the next three years.

A 55-year-old man needs twice as much light to see objects at night as he required when he was a teen-ager.

The Shepherd

Sarah Flower Adams

"The day of the Lord is near."

Obadiah 15

When Sarah Flower Adams grew . . . To womanhood she hoped to do . . . Great things by acting on the stage . . . but ere she could in that engage . . . A chronic illness would appear . . . To blight both health and stage career . . . But strong in faith she wrote a song . . . To be sung by an ageless throng . . . And that hymn would immortal be . . . 'Twas "Nearer, O, my God to Thee."

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2nd MONDAY IN SEPTEMBER

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