

Bank Husband Goes For Gun Wife For Help; No Damage

Wesley Sullivan, white man of Kenansville township, is out under a \$5000 bond after being arrested and charged with driving after license revoked, drunk, disorderly conduct and beating his wife. This all happened Sunday night and Sunday morning.

According to officers, Sullivan was found Sunday night at Herbert Lynn's Service Station on Goshen at Wards bridge. Lynn's station is said to be a notorious joint where drinks and half drinks may be found most any time. Arriving at the station officers picked up Sullivan. They found bottles of liquor in his car and a shot gun.

Mrs. Sullivan told officers that her husband had knocked her down with his fist, kicked her in the stomach and went for his shot gun to kill her. She went running for help as Wesley went for the gun.

Officers brought him to Kenansville where he was given a hearing before Justice of the Peace C. B. Sitterson. It was also said that after the fracas Mrs. Sullivan stated she would not attempt to get him out of jail. Lynn went on his bond.



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Commission Takes Action

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After a full discussion it was moved, seconded, and duly carried, that a certified copy of the minutes of the Board of County Commissioners and of the County Board of Health, pertinent to the resignation of the County Health Officer as well as a copy of the minutes of this meeting be forwarded to the Attorney General of the State of North Carolina, by the County Attorney for his information and advice as to additional duties, if any, incumbent on the Board of Commissioners.

The Chairman then stated that the County Accountant had only made a summary check of the records of travel vouchers of the employees of the County Health Department, and that since complaint had been made and evidence heard in regard to these irregularities, and after discussion, it was the opinion of the Board that a complete audit of all the records of the County Health Department should be made. The County Accountant then stated that it was his intention to begin such audit in the immediate future, but because of the seriousness of the allegations made, that he would prefer a reputable firm of accountants be employed to make this audit, and that if this suggestion is followed that he would cooperate with such auditors.

After a full discussion it was moved, seconded, and duly carried, that the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Duplin County be authorized, with the approval of the secretary of the local government commission to employ the firm of A. M. Pullen & Co., of Raleigh, or other reputable accountants, to make such audit and to enter into a contract with said firm for such purpose, and when said audit is complete to deliver a copy of the same to the Solicitor of the Sixth Judicial District of North Carolina.

A true copy. Board of County Commissioners of Duplin County.

Deaths

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Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the Calypso Baptist church. Burial followed in the Calypso cemetery.

She is survived by one daughter Mrs. B. G. Foster, two sons Daniel Webster and Joel McCray Hair of the home. Three sisters Mrs. Maggie Raynor, Mrs. Katherine Guy and Mrs. Charlie Smith, two brothers Henry H. Bradshaw and Raymond Bradshaw. Several nieces and nephews.

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Mrs. Gertrude Holmes, 72, died Thursday May 10th at 1 p. m. at her home in the Garners Chapel community after an illness of four months. Surviving are the husband, Joel Holmes; two sons, Edward Holmes of the home, Garson Holmes of the Herring Crossroads community; two daughters, Mrs. J. C. Coker and Mrs. L. C. both of Mt. Olive, Route 4, and 22 grandchildren. Funeral services were held at the home Friday at 3 p. m. with the Rev. Isaac Terrell, pastor of the Garners Chapel Baptist church, of which Mrs. Holmes was a member, in charge. Burial was in the cemetery.

A & P Stores Buy 5 Million From Farmers
CHARLOTTE, May 7 — The agricultural economy of the Carolinas was bolstered during the past year through the sale of more than five million dollars' worth of fresh farm produce to one firm, A&P Food Stores.

Company officials revealed here today that Atlantic Commission Co., produce-buying affiliate of the grocery chain, paid \$1,412,938 to farmers in North Carolina and \$3,402,137 to producers in South Carolina for a total of 3,885 carlots of fresh fruits and vegetables during the fiscal year ending February 24, 1951.

"These figures do not include many other thousands of dollars worth of fruit and vegetables purchased for local sale in our Carolina stores," said P. M. Bealer, Jr., vice president of the Southern Division of A&P with headquarters in Charlotte.

"Nor they include the many tons of canned fruits and vegetables purchased by the company from producers in the two states," he added.

The Carolina produce, both fresh and canned, was distributed throughout the grocery chain's stores in 40 states, taking the Carolina labels into almost every section of the country.

George Dickson At Pearl Harbor

George R. Dickson, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dickson of Rosehill, is currently serving on board the harbor tug USS Oneyana at Pearl Harbor, T. H.

The Oneyana is one of the largest harbor tugs the Navy uses. It assists large vessels in and out of Pearl Harbor and moves numerous barges alongside ships and docks for loading or unloading cargo. The tug is also equipped to act as a fire boat.

Dickson first entered the Naval service in October, 1950, and before arriving in Pearl Harbor, was stationed at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

Complete Coast Guard Courses Awarded Ribbon

LA (S) H. L. Bland, currently stationed at the Navy Material Catalog Office, Brooklyn, New York, has been awarded the Commendation Ribbon and a citation from the Commander of the 7th Fleet, in the name of the Secretary of the Navy. He was recommended for meritorious service as assistant to the supply officer for aviation material on board the U. S. S. Leyte during operation against the enemy in the Korean Theatre.

His hard work over long arduous hours in the procurement, storage and allocation of unprecedented volume of aviation material aided in maintaining maximum aircraft availability. This contributed materially to the success of the ship in carrying out the assigned mission.

L. A. Bland is the husband of the former Miss Stella Carr.

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COLORED NEWS

Pvt James L. Hall, son of Nick Hall of near Kenansville is now stationed at Camp McCoy, Wisconsin. Camp McCoy is a major training center in the Fifth Army and was reactivated in September 1950. James graduated from the Kenansville colored High school in 1944.

AWARDS AVAILABLE TO 4-H CLUB MEMBERS
By Riddick E. Wilkins
Negro County Agent
For the first time in 4-H club history, awards will be made available for Negro 4-H members in programs offered through National Committees on boys and girls club work in 1951 it was learned through the Negro County Agents' office in Kenansville. These awards will be available on both county and state levels to boys and girls who have three years of club work; are between 14-21 years of age and have done an outstanding job in any of the various phases of club work. The following donors are making the awards available:

- Achievement National Committee on boys and girls work.
- Canning Kerr Glass Mfg. Corporation.
- Clothing Spool Cotton Company.
- Dairy Achievement Lederle Laboratories Division, American Cyanamid Co.
- Dairy Foods Carnation Company.
- Dress Revue Simplicity Pattern Co., Inc.
- Forestry American Forest Products Industries, Inc.
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- Frozen Foods International Harvester Co.
- Garden Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Co.
- Health Improvement Kellogg Company.
- Home Improvement Sears-Roebuck Foundation.
- Meat Animal Mr. Thomas E. Wilson.
- Poultry Dearborn Motors Corp.
- Soil and Water Conservation Firestone Tire and Rubber Co.
- Tractor Maintenance American Oil Company, Pan-Am Southern Corporation, Stanolind Oil-Gas Co., and Standard Oil Co. of Indiana.

All total prizes and awards will amount to some \$2,500 for Negro Club work.

County Agents Have Free Building Plans

Farmers who want practical help with building help can obtain free blueprints and other assistance from county farm and home agents of the State College Extension Service.

This is pointed out by H. H. Ellis, extension agricultural engineer, who says many Tar Heel citizens may not know about this service.

Some 500 sets of plans for practically all types of farm buildings, including dwellings, are available. Upon request, the agents will show actual construction drawings and assist the farmer in choosing the type of building most adapted to his needs.

Extension Workers Receive High Honor

The U. S. Department of Agriculture this week presented Superior Service Awards to three veteran employees of the State College Extension Service.

They are John A. Arey, an extension employee for 37 years and specialist in charge of extension dairy work since 1920; John W. Jeffries, who has 23 years of service in extension and is now assistant Negro State agent; and Mrs. Maude R. McInnis, Wake county home demonstration agent since 1924 and an extension employee

Forresters Get Schooling On Bottomland Hardwood Management

By Horace J. Green
Asst. Dist. Forester
Mr. John A. Putnam of the Southern Forest Experiment Station, New Orleans, La., conducted a short school on April 30 and May 1 for employees of the Department of Conservation and Development, Division of Forestry. This school was attended by Assistant Forester Fred Claridge and other Management Foresters from the Raleigh office, and Foresters from the district offices at Whiteville, Fayetteville and Rockingham.

Mr. Putnam, the foremost specialist of bottomland hardwoods in the South, pointed out common beliefs that are untrue regarding hardwood lumber.

First, fire causes much more damage to hardwoods than it does to pines. A fire of the same intensity will kill larger hardwood trees than it will pine trees.

Second, bottomland hardwood trees, usually considered as being slow growing, will and do in most cases grow as fast or even faster than pines.

Finally, in most cases it is easier to get suitable reproduction back after a harvest of cutting hardwoods than it is after a harvest of cutting of pine.

Anyone owning bottomland hardwoods or any forest land that desire advice concerning management of their forest problems are invited to contact their County Forest Wardens or Tom Rhyne at the District Office in Whiteville, N. C.

Cotton Services To Be Available

The farmer who knows the official grades of his cotton is in the best bargaining position when the time comes to sell it. Lacy Weeks, county agent for the State College Extension Service, asserted this week in reminding growers that federal classing and market news services will be available again this year.

Mr. Weeks' statement was coupled with a timely reminder that August 15 is the deadline date for cotton improvement groups to file application for the U. S. Department of Agriculture services.

Under authority of the Smith-Doxey Act, cotton classing and market news services are free to the grower-members of any group organized to promote the improvement of cotton.

Under the program, Weeks explained that cotton samples are pulled from each bale, usually by ginners cooperating with the improvement groups, and sent to the nearest USDA classing office. As each sample is officially classed, the classing office prepares and returns to the farmer a "green card" showing the official grade and staple length.

Farmers who are not now members of cotton improvement groups are urged to contact the county agent for information on groups already organized in the county or for help in forming a new group.

Rambling

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out of picking on me. "Old Betay" decided to set up again when I stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bachelor. I decided I had better go back to the Magnolia Ess station and have more water put in her before she blew her top. When I arrived at the Duplin Times office in Kenansville, I had had a very interesting but hot trip.

Local J. P. Cases Heard This Week

Justice of Peace C. B. Sitterson, disposed of the following cases this week.

Annie McCann, white, charged with careless and reckless driving causing damage to personal property. She was sighted to County Court.

Florence Ingram, colored, charged with assault and interference with officers in the performance of their duty, namely Patrolman J. S. Briley and constable A. R. Marley. They were arresting her son who was engaged in an affray. She fought and cursed the officers. She was bound over to County Court.

Ardell Lanier, white man, was arrested Sunday in Cypress creek Township on charges of operating an automobile while under influence of liquor, with improper lights and transportation of non-tax paid whiskey. He was bound over to county court under a \$200 bond.

James B. Larkley was bound over to county court under a \$100 bond on charge of careless and reckless driving and damage to personal property. He was arrested Saturday by Patrolman Briley.

Jessie Jones, colored, was bound over to county court under \$100 bond on a charge of selling liquor. He was arrested by W. O. Houston, Saturday.

Are Farmers To Blame?

By R. FLAKE SHAW
The average housewife today doesn't know who to blame for the high cost of beef, but she thinks the guilty party might be the farmer. What she and the general public don't seem to understand is the fact that the support price of meat, as well as all other farm commodities, is computed from the cost of living index and not by the farmer.

The prices of meat are at present levels, not because of a lag in production, but because of record high incomes and free spending of consumers. A good example of this is the 17 percent wage increase that industrial workers have received since the outbreak of war in Korea.

In view of this wage spiral, it is a small wonder that the cost of living index has gone up accordingly.

The question foremost in our minds today is "Will we get more or less beef now that OFS has issued a regulation controlling producer prices?" The answer to this is that we will get less beef, and a lot of that will be of an inferior grade.

"Why?" we might ask, "will this happen?" The answer to this question is that farmers will have no incentive to produce high grade beef, because the price he has to pay for food and other products is climbing, while the price he would

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All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 10th day of May, 1951.
Irene M. Strickland,
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Executrix of the estate of Floyd J. Strickland.
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