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### Judge Slaps Fines On Bootleggers

Hillsboro.—Night patrols and tramping through fields and woods by Sheriff's deputies paid off in Orange County Court this week when Judge L. J. Phipps slapped heavy fines on convicted bootleggers and turned over their two confiscated trucks for sale.

Five men charged with the manufacture of illegal non-tax paid whisky for the purpose of sale

### McBane Wreck Victims Reported As 'Satisfactory'

Mebane.—The conditions of the three women who were injured in an accident here Saturday in which a transfer truck crashed through a brick front and plate glass windows, were reported this week as being "satisfactory."

The accident occurred Saturday afternoon when an automobile driven by Roy Smith of Burlington allegedly collided into the front of an Akers Company transfer truck driven by Harry Chase of Gastonia, causing the truck to get out of control and crash into McBane's General Store a few miles from Mebane on Highway 70. The store is situated 150 feet from the highway. The truck was reported to have been completely demolished and extensive damage was done to the store.

Mrs. D. L. McBane, wife of the owner of the store, and two shopkeepers, Mrs. Hurley Riggs and Mrs. Hattie Breeze, were carried to Watts Hospital in Durham for treatment of broken bones, bruises and cuts suffered in the accident. Five stitches were taken in the forehead of the truck driver. A reserve driver in the truck, Raymond Perry, who was asleep in the cab when the accident occurred, was not injured. Both Chase and Smith have been charged with reckless driving. State Highway Patrol officers said today.

The truck was reported to be carrying 18,000 pounds of crushed pineapple which showed no apparent damage.

The truck knocked almost the entire front of the building inward and its body turned sideways to fill the gap it opened. The cab of the truck was twisted at an almost 90-degree angle and rested inside the store.

State Highway Patrolman T. P. Hopler of Hillsboro said Mrs. McBane was buried beneath the rubble of the fallen structure and had to be extracted by removing cinder blocks and bricks that had fallen on her. Mrs. Baker, who arrived at the scene soon after the accident, stated that Perry said he had helped remove Mrs. McBane from the debris and that her body was projecting half way under the trailer.

A report from Mrs. Wm. Baker, whose husband, the Rev. William Baker, visited the patients, stated that Mrs. Riggs and Mrs. Breeze both had broken pelvis bones and that Mrs. McBane suffered broken ribs and flesh injuries.

No estimate of actual damages to the store has been announced. The truck was en route from Gastonia to New York.

### Smith Child Escapes Injury In Fall To Road

Hillsboro.—Little Larry Smith, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith of this city, narrowly escaped serious injury Monday night when he fell out of his father's car while travelling westward on Highway 70 near the Duke Power Station.

Returning from a Drive-In theater just this side of Durham, Larry was asleep on the back seat with his head in the lap of Mrs. W. G. Lassiter, his maternal grandmother, when he suddenly awoke, asked if he were at home, and apparently not realizing that the car was still moving pushed open the door and fell to the concrete pavement as the car sped down the road.

He was taken immediately to a Durham hospital but doctors could find no broken bones or injuries other than a skinned place on his forehead.

The car was said to have been travelling at a rapid clip and the child's escape from serious injury was considered little short of miraculous.

following their arrest in Bingham Township last week were handed fines totaling \$1,500. Costs of court amounted to another \$74.50 and their two trucks may bring another \$600 or \$700 when sold for the county's benefit, as directed by Judge Phipps.

Henry Herman Johnson was given a \$600 fine or two years on the roads and Herman Lee Griffin received a \$500 fine or 18 months confinement for directing the operations, while three Negroes, John Robert, Edward and O'Neill Hopkins were fined \$200, \$100 and \$100 each with lesser sentences of nine and six months for their part in the illegal whisky-making. Road sentences, according to the Judge's decree, could become effective if the fines were not paid or upon motion of the prosecuting attorney that the defendants had again violated the law.

H. G. Reese on two counts of giving worthless checks received a continued judgment until February 28 upon condition of payment of the checks and costs of court. Stephen Stephanor, Jr., also pleading guilty to a similar charge, was directed to pay the costs and the checks.

James G. Tyson for driving while under the influence of intoxicants and leaving the scene of an accident without giving his name and address was fined \$100 and costs and ordered to surrender his driving license. Joseph Parker for non-support of an illegitimate child was ordered to pay \$800 for his support.

Frank Wells and Robert McBroom, Negro youths charged with the murder of Wesley Lewis Bowling on Christmas night, were bound over to the next term of Superior Court after probable cause was found. Bond was not permitted.

In other cases, Almond D. Ezzell was judged guilty of assaulting Marshall C. Hamilton and was ordered to pay the costs, \$1.15 to the prosecuting witness and remain of good behavior. His sister, Macie Ezzell, hauled into court as result of an argument over her brother's case with the prosecuting witness and his wife on the streets of Hillsboro, was charged with disorderly conduct and threatening the life of Mrs. Lizzie Hamilton. Judgment was continued for six months after she was ruled guilty of disorderly conduct.

Clarence Cates was fined \$5 for public drunkenness and S. A. Gibbs, pleading not guilty to a charge of reckless driving growing out of a highway collision, won acquittal.

### Orange 4-H Is Radio Program

Hillsboro.—The Orange County 4-H program was on the air last Saturday at 12:45 p. m.

Miss Ollie Mae Crabtree of the St. Mary's section and Kenneth Brown of the New Hope section discussed Hillsboro historically and Orange County agriculturally.

### Restaurant, Market Sanitary Grades For Orange County Are Announced

Dr. O. David Garvin, district health officer for the Orange-Person-Chatham-Lee District Health Department, has announced grades for restaurants and meat markets of Orange County for the quarter ending December 31, 1948.

Grades are based on certain requirements of equipment, water supply, toilet facilities, dish washing sinks, refrigeration, Grade A milk, garbage storage, cleanliness of utensils and equipment, health certificates for employees, methods of handling and storage of food.

"Orange County has an unusually high standard of food handling establishments," Dr. Garvin stated. "The majority of these places have new equipment in keeping with the latest sanitation practices. During the past year, six new restaurants and five new markets have been opened. Operators of establishments have for the most part been very cooperative with the health department and are to be commended for their services to the eating and marketing public," he pointed out.

The establishments and their grades are:

**Grade A Restaurants**  
Aggie's; Bluebird; Brady's; Buecaner; Campus Cafe; Carolina Inn; Carboro Cafeteria; Carolina Coffee Shop; College Sandwich

### Carriage Trade



Prudence Penny, a 3-month-old Persian kitten, rides in style thanks to the lift given her by her cocker spaniel friend, Blackberry. The frisky animals are owned by Mrs. Bessie Black of the Ridgewood Cattery, Chicago.

### Deadline Nears For Tax Listing

Hillsboro.—With only three tax listing days left before the deadline, County Tax Supervisor Ira Ward yesterday estimated that 25 per cent of the property still remained to be listed.

Deadline for listing of 1949 taxes has been set for January 31 and list takers have been holding appointments in each township throughout the month. A schedule for those remaining appointments may be found in another section of this paper. Taxes may also be listed at the county tax office in the courthouse, it was noted.

The tax supervisor urged that all citizens list their taxes before the time limit expires inasmuch as delayed listing causes considerable inconvenience. Penalties for late listing may be invoked February 1, it was stated. Failure to list taxes could result in indictment by the Grand Jury and prosecution in the courts.

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Shop; Colonial Inn; Colonial House System; Curve Inn; Danziger's; Dud's Tavern; Gooch's; Green Top; Hillsboro Cafe; Hickory House; Infirmary Kitchen; Lenoir Hall; Log Cabin; Marathon; Monogram Club; N. C. Cafeteria; Pines; Port Hole; Seafood Grill; Seville Cafe; Sandwich Shop; Shady Oaks; Spencer Hall; Terminal Lunch; Terrace View; University Cafe; Varsity; Village Grill.

**Grade B Restaurants**  
Cates Cafe; Cole's Hot Dog Stand; The Little Shop; Hollywood Soda Shop; Taylor's Cafe; Sutton.

**Grade C Restaurants**  
Friendly Cafe; Harry's.

**Grade A Markets**  
A & P; Andrews-Riggsbee; Bright's; J. L. Brown & Son; Carr's; Carboro Cash; Fairview; Forrest Brothers; Bowler's; Gordon's; E. T. Hearn; L. D. Hearn; Huntley-Shields; Montjoy-Leigh; Open Bible; Pender (Colonial); Shue's; Terrell's Corner; Thrifty Food Store; Village Grocery; West Hillsboro Grocery.

**Grade B Markets**  
C. B. Brown; Forrest & Forrest; Helen's; Lloyd's; McBane (Smith); Powers; W. Franklin.

**Grade C Market**  
Midway.

**Abattoirs**  
Piedmont Packing Company—Grade A; Farmers Exchange—Grade B.

### State Press Moves On Hill As Pearson Talks Tonight

Chapel Hill.—Newspaper folk from all over North Carolina will converge on Chapel Hill today for the three-day 24th Newspaper Institute, featuring speeches by Drew Pearson and other top newspaper figures and round table sessions for members of the working press.

Pearson, noted Washington columnist and radio commentator, will be the principal speaker at

the opening session in Memorial Hall at 8 o'clock tonight. Seats will be reserved for those attending the three-day Newspaper Institute until the time of the address, after which the hall will be thrown open to the public. A total of only 1,800 can be accommodated.

Frank A. Daniels, general manager of the Raleigh News and Observer and president of the State Press Association, will preside.

### State Got Three Times as Much As Contributed In Polio Funds

### Mrs. C. H. Pender Heads Classroom Teachers Unit

Hillsboro.—An Orange County unit of the Classroom Teachers Department of the North Carolina Education Association has been organized with Mrs. C. H. Pender of Cedar Grove as president.

The unit is the 94th to be organized in the state.

Other officers elected at the organizational meeting held last week were Mrs. J. M. Harris, Hillsboro, vice president, Mrs. R. D. Studebaker, Carboro, secretary, and Mrs. Margaret Walker, Cedar Grove, treasurer.

Miss Eunice Riggins, president of the state organization, met with Orange County N. C. E. A. unit and explained the purposes of the organization, which are:

1. To promote within the teaching group the highest type of professional practices; to encourage active participation of classroom teachers in school problems; to develop and arouse genuine loyalty to a code of professional ethics.

2. To procure and maintain higher qualifications for entrance into and continuance in the teaching profession; to promote teacher participation in school management; to aid in setting up adequate salary scales, tenure, sound retirement systems, and such other improvements in conditions as will enable teachers to function properly as a vital factor in educational progress.

3. To foster a cooperative spirit and bind teachers by ties of strong allegiance to the central organization.

4. To cooperate with all other civic organizations with a view of interpreting to them the general problems, function, needs and steady progress of the public schools; and to enlist their aid in this progress.

### TO DO SCHLEY STORY

Fred Bailey, of the staff of the Country Gentleman, will be in Orange County next week to do a story on Schley Grange, recent winner of the national contest to select the outstanding grange organization. Bailey also does reporting for the National Grange in the nation's Capital.

Members of the Grange this week met with Sears and Roebuck Foundation officials and were authorized to proceed at once with plans for their new building.

### Article On Ed Barnes 'Sends' California Hog Man Who Wants To Come To Orange

Hillsboro.—Ed Barnes, assistant Orange County farm agent, who for some time has been promoting the breeding and growth of Spotted Poland China hogs in this county, has learned that advertising brings results.

Recently he was the subject of a lengthy and laudatory article regarding his activities in The Patriot Farmer, state farm journal, which was later reprinted in the Spotted Poland China Bulletin, a trade paper for that phase of the swine raising industry. Barnes described his plans for making Orange County the Spotted Poland China breeding center of the state. They sounded so good that a reader in far-away Sacramento, California, who apparently knows and loves the swine business, has developed a yearning to move to Orange County.

R. R. Ross, after reading the article, promptly sat down that very night, according to his letter,

received more than three times as much in funds for caring for its polio patients from the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis in New York in 1948 than it raised in its 1948 March of Dimes, according to the figures just released at state headquarters here as the 1949 drive for funds in Orange County continues.

The national office sent into this state a total of \$1,417,110 during 1948, and a total of \$463,000 was raised in the North Carolina March of Dimes last year, half of which was retained by the county chapters.

That means that this state, which had approximately \$400,000 in the chapter treasuries at the beginning of 1948, spent close to \$2,000,000 during the past year, mostly during the terrible polio

### Proceeds Of Special Movie To Polio Fund

Hillsboro.—All proceeds from a special movie to be held at the Gem Theater, West Hillsboro, tomorrow will go to the March of Dimes Drive, it was announced here this week.

The movie, "King of Kings," the story of Christ, will be presented and students of the West Hillsboro school will attend in a body. Students from the Hillsboro High School and the Hillsboro-Negro School may be excused to attend the performance.

This special matinee will be at 1 and 3 o'clock and admission will be "a contribution to the March of Dimes."

epidemic last summer, it was pointed out by Mrs. Phillips Russell, director of organization.

She said this amount was spent for medical care for North Carolina's 2,509 victims in 1948.

By the 15th of this month, she said, North Carolina had 447 patients still in hospitals in this state and a few at Warm Springs in Georgia.

The cost of treating these more than 447 patients is a minimum of \$12 a day each, Mrs. Russell explained, and "before all these victims of last year's epidemic are pronounced cured or at least able to leave the hospitals, we would estimate that North Carolina will have spent \$3,000,000."

She pointed out that "there are requests now in the state headquarters office amounting to more than \$100,000 for aid to the various county chapters—none of which can be filled."

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Chancellor Robert B. House will extend the University's welcome and President Daniels will respond. The opening program will include vocal selections by Norman Cordon.

Jenkin Lloyd Jones, editor of the Tulsa, Okla., Tribune, and H. Galt Braxton will speak at the Friday morning session here, and Miss Beatrice Cobb, editor of the Morganton News-Herald and secretary of the North Carolina Press Association, who has just returned from a clipper trip around the world, will address a luncheon session at the Carolina Inn.

The Friday afternoon program will be devoted to group meetings. L. C. Gifford, publisher of the Hickory Record, will preside over a session of the Associated Dailies, of which he is chairman, and Tom Lassiter, editor of the Smithfield Herald and member of the NCPA executive committee, will conduct a clinic for the weeklies.

George V. Allen, Assistant Secretary of State and former staff member of the Durham Herald, will be the principal speaker at the dinner session at Duke University Friday night.

Governor Kerr Scott has been invited to deliver the annual press awards at the Duke session Friday night.

A closing breakfast session will be held in Chapel Hill Saturday morning, honoring past presidents of the State Press Association, with Henry Belk, Goldsboro News-Argus, presiding, Roland F. Beasley, editor of the Monroe Journal, will be the principal speaker.

A brief session of the Press Association will conclude the program around 10:30 that morning.

Hal Boyle, famous war correspondent and now roving reporter for the Associated Press, will speak at a meeting of the Associated Press Club, to be held in connection with the Institute at 1 p. m. Thursday at the Carolina Inn. Jonathan Daniels, executive editor of the News and Observer and president of the club this year, will preside. Other features of this meeting will include a report of the Continuing Study Chairman by Sam Ragan, assistant to the editor of the News and Observer, and the election of officers.

### Nearly Million And Half Pounds Shipped By CROP

Hillsboro.—R. H. Claytor, Orange County chairman of the state Friendship Train drive in December which collected thousands of pounds of grain and other foodstuffs in this county for overseas relief, made public this week the following report of progress from Rev. Wayne McLain, North Carolina director of CROP, the Christian Rural Overseas Program.

1,440,997 pounds have been collected to date and 47 carloads shipped. At least 5 more carloads are to be shipped, making a total of 52 carloads of food shipped from North Carolina farms and towns to our brothers overseas.

1,500 carloads went out from 24 states during the Christmas period. At least 500 more are expected.

"In terms of cold figures," Rev. McLain said, "this is what North Carolina and the nation have accomplished through CROP. The meaning, however, of this national gift to our neighbors overseas is inestimable. It will mean health again to children dying of tuberculosis. To displaced persons, wandering across Europe homeless, without food, and without hope, it will mean a warm bowl of soup, a nourishing bun, and cheer in a cheerless world. To thousands dragging themselves from task to task by sheer effort of will, it will mean restoration of life's energies. In millions who participate in the giving and in the receiving across the world, the spirit of brotherhood will be quickened anew. Through the love and the humanitarian concern expressed in this gift many will be brought to exclaim, 'God has not forsaken us!'"

I feel sure that the realization of what your work in making this gift possible means to thousands of men will be a continuing source of joy to you in the days to come.