

In District Court

Judge Frees Driver Not Advised Of Rights

A 63-year-old man was acquitted of a hit and run charge Friday in District Court after Judge Joseph E. Dupree ruled the man was not properly advised of his legal rights prior to questioning. Malcolm White, Rt. 2, Raeford, had been accused of leaving the scene of an accident, drunken driving, and failing to reduce speed to avoid a collision after John D. Black claimed his car was struck from behind by a green Ford while preparing to make a turn from 401-A.

Black testified he could not see who was driving the car, but went to get a friend, county coroner Frank Crumpler, and later located the car and noted a damaged fender.

Crumpler, who was called to testify next, said he was present when Trooper K.W. Weston came to White's home to investigate and Crumpler testified "the very first thing" Weston did was advise White of his legal rights. However, Crumpler said he didn't remember exactly what the trooper said.

Weston testified he advised White of his legal rights, not immediately, and his account of the rights included the phrase, "If you can't afford an attorney, the state would try to appoint one."

White's attorney, Philip Diehl, immediately motioned for a dismissal based on the Miranda ruling of the Supreme Court. Dupree granted the request, telling the courtroom action should be taken to insure highway troopers make use of printed cards setting forth the prescribed wording of a defendant's legal rights.

Also, Friday, Billy R. Locklear, 22, of St. Pauls, waived a preliminary hearing on three counts of breaking and entering and larceny and three counts of receiving stolen property and was bound over to the grand jury. Bond was set at \$10,000.

Also headed for the grand jury are charges against Jerry Scott of Raeford, and Tommy L. Barnes, Rt. 2, Raeford, after the pair waived a hearing on a charge of credit card theft. Bond was continued for each.

Welton Locklear, Rt. 3, Red Springs, was cleared of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill (ADWITK)

after a finding of no probable cause.

Two persons pleaded guilty to drunken driving and the state withdrew two cases of DUI Friday.

William R. Beckwith, Rt. 1, Raeford, was handed a \$500 fine along with a six month suspended term, a 3 1/2 year probation period, and orders to give up his license for one year. A Breathalyzer reading was listed as .21.

Also pleading guilty to DUI was Sylvester Covington, Rt. 1, Raeford, after the state dropped a second charge of speeding. He was given a suspended 90-day term, fined \$150, and ordered to give up his license for one year. A limited driving permit was granted. Blood alcohol level was listed as .15.

Those pleading guilty to lesser charges after DUI was dropped were Belton Day, Rt. 2, Raeford, reckless driving, having no license, and inspection violation, prayer for judgment continued (PJC) until Feb. 14; and Billy R. Collum, Elizabethtown, driving left of center, PJC upon payment of costs.

Several defendants were found not guilty of various charges. They were Terry W. Caulder, 614 Main St., Raeford, two counts of trespassing; Jeffrey S. Sorn, Marysville, Wash., trespassing; Steven Short, Ft. Bragg, trespassing; and Joe E. Maynor, Rt. 1, Raeford, injury to personal property. The prosecuting witness in the latter case was ordered jailed until court costs were paid.

Will McLean, Rt. 1, Raeford, pleaded guilty to ADW in a charge growing out of a dispute with Bud Brown, Gen. Del., Raeford, and a 30-day term was suspended upon payment of \$20 restitution to Brown. McLean was found not guilty of a charge of injury to personal property involving a light fixture belonging to Brown, and Brown was ordered jailed until court costs paid for frivolous and malicious prosecution.

Sheppard Cummings, Laurinburg, was found guilty of assault on a female and a six-month term was suspended for two years and \$50 restitution payment ordered.

Debra D. Hall, Raeford, pleaded guilty to consuming alcoholic beverages in public and a ten-day jail term was suspended upon \$10 fine.

Timothy L. Watson, Rt. 1, Raeford, pleaded guilty to assault and the prosecuting witness, Donald E. Smith, was ordered to pay costs.

Melvin Parkins, Jr., Raeford Hotel, pleaded guilty to inadequate support

and a PJC for five years provided he pay \$30 a week support. Costs were remitted.

A number of persons pleaded guilty to various traffic offenses. They were Dennis R. Harder, Camp Geiger, speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone and littering, 30 days suspended, \$25 fine; David L. Green, Rt. 2, Raeford, no registration and no financial responsibility, PJC to Jan. 24;

Thomas W. Tate, Rt. 1, Raeford, no operator's license, no registration, no financial responsibility, 12 month term suspended for three years, no driving until licensed, \$50 fine; Daniel Turner, Zebulon, speeding 68 in a 55 mph zone, \$10 fine; James Joseph Ratchford, Jr., speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone, PJC upon costs.

Found not guilty was Johnny H.

Sellers, East Laurinburg, charged with allowing unlicensed person to drive and allowing person under influence of liquor to drive.

NoI proessed with leave by the state was Larry Bullard, Rt. 4, Red Springs, for non-support.

Glenn Miller, P.O. Box 842, Raeford, pleaded guilty to six worthless checks to Wood's Store totaling \$218.81. Miller was handed two suspended 30-day jail terms and ordered to make restitution.

Also pleading guilty to worthless checks was Joseph Morgan, Rt. 8, Fayetteville, who was given a 30-day sentence suspended upon payment of restitution for \$55.30 to A & P.

Joe Harris, no address listed, pleaded guilty to worthless check for \$27.98 to Parks Grocery and a 30-day sentence was suspended upon restitution.

Stonewall Report

By Mrs. Harold Chason

The Morning Worship service at Sandy Grove visited Methodist Church will be conducted by Lester Sessoms at 11 a.m. Sunday Jan. 12.

Mrs. Bertha Hendrix and Mrs. Daniel Justice visited K.W. Leach at the Veterans Hospital in Durham Sunday afternoon.

New Years guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Chason were Mrs. Myrtle Sappenfield and Mrs. Lennie Randleman. Guests on Thursday were Mrs. Edwin Godwin of Greensboro, Mrs. Joan Gardner of Memphis, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. C.P. Chason, Mrs. Coty McLamb of Fayetteville and L.M. Chason.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jones of Charlotte were New Years guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Jones.

Miss Wanda Grant returned to Appalachian State University after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Grant Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard McMillian entertained friends New Years Eve night to ring in the New Year. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Boyles, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Grover McMillian, Gordon Treadwell and Dwight Jackson.

Mrs. Edgar McGougan visited Mrs. Bessie McMillian, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Worlds in Fayetteville and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wood in Rockfish Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard McMillian held a cook out at their home Saturday night honoring the McMillian family. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nurnemaker of Nags Head, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Lunsford, Mr. and Mrs. Grover McMillian, Vicki and Tammy McMillian, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daniels, Bryan and Sherry Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Neill A. Jackson, Dwight and Greg Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Davis, Mrs. Florence McGougan and Barbara McMillian.

Miss Debbie Bledsoe of Charlotte spent last week with Miss Martha Hendrix, Miss Hendrix and Miss Beth Fields of Red Springs spent Sunday in Charlotte visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gaudit and sons.

Mrs. Amanda Ammons of the Open Arms Nursing Home visited with Mrs. P.A. Webb Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Scott of Fayetteville were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Simmons of Fayetteville were Sunday guests of Mrs. Chester Beasley.

Curtis Ray and son of Aikens, S.C. visited Mrs. Chester Beasley Christmas Eve.

Miss Mildred Crawley and Mrs. Lila Rahn of Fayetteville visited Mrs. Stanley Crawley Sunday.

Mrs. Myrtle Sappenfield, Miss Marjorie Chason, Mrs. Mary Ann Goodman and Mr. and Mrs. Minor McGougan of St. Pauls were Sunday guests of Mrs. Allie K. Maxwell and Mrs. Flozelia Clardy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crawley attended the funeral of Clyde Causey in Rockingham New Years Day.

Mildouson Homemakers Club Twelve members and five guests enjoyed a luncheon at the K&W in Bordeaux Shopping Center Tuesday night for the December meeting.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McKenzie, Joyce and Tim McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson McBryde, Mrs. Earl Tolar, Mrs. Mary Adams, Mrs. J.A. Jones, Mrs. Mildred Winburn, Mrs. Gladys Johnson, Miss Margaret McKenzie, Miss Sarah McKenzie and Mrs. Bertha Hendrix.

Mrs. W.W. Walker returned home Saturday after spending last week with Mr. and Mrs. Randy Walker in Winter Haven, Florida.

Miss Glenda and Terest McKenzie attended a New Years Eve party at the home of the Rev. Mr. McLendon in Fayetteville and a New Years Eve service at the United Methodist Church in Parkton.



SQUADSMAN OF THE YEAR - The Hoke County Rescue Squad named Jim Wade (left) Squadsmen of the Year for 1974. Commander Earl Conoly is shown presenting a plaque to Wade.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION	
RAEFORD SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF RAEFORD, N.C. AS OF DECEMBER 31st, 1974 (COPY OF SWORN STATEMENT SUBMITTED TO THE ADMINISTRATOR AS REQUIRED BY LAW)	
ASSETS	
THE ASSOCIATION OWNS:	
Cash on Hand and in Banks	\$410,869
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	\$83,400
Mortgage Loans	\$7,345,248
Share Loans	\$207,421
Advances made to our shareholders against their shares.	
Office Furniture and Fixtures	\$7,695
Office Building	\$44,478
Other Assets	\$29,012
TOTAL	\$8,128,123
LIABILITIES	
THE ASSOCIATION OWNS:	
To Shareholders	
Shares Outstanding	\$6,578,193
Notes Payable, Federal Home Loan Bank	1,000,000
Accounts Payable	\$1,069
Loans in Process	\$285,397
Undivided Profits	\$71,095
Federal Insurance Reserve (If Insured)	\$186,400
Other Liabilities	\$5,969
TOTAL	\$8,128,123
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF HOKE	
Franklin R. Teal, Secretary-Treasurer of the above named Association personally appeared before me this day, and being duly sworn, says that the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.	
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 6th day of January, 1975, Rebecca L. Conoly, Notary Public. My commission expires: September 12, 1977.	
	Franklin R. Teal Secretary-Treasurer

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2 Auction Sales

1st SALE

Red Springs, N.C., Saturday, January 11, at 10:00 A.M., 89 acre Farm. Located 3 miles west of Red Springs. Farm known as part of D.W. Oxendine Estate. Tobacco 4,408 lbs., Cotton 16 acres, Buildings - 1 House, 1 Tobacco Barn, 1 Pack Barn. For information & maps contact Roy Lee Chavis across the road from the Farm. Notice - Free \$25.00 to the person guessing nearest selling price of this Farm.

2nd SALE

Dundarrach, N.C., Saturday, January 11, at 10:30 A.M. Located appr. 8 miles north of Red Springs. 7-room House & 1 1/2 acres Land. All Household Furniture, 2 Trucks, all outside personal property. Sold piece by piece. Come bring your truck, everything must be moved day of sale if possible. Mrs. Ernestine Brewer Owner - Lunch served.

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Kiwanis Gives To Library

The Kiwanis Club recently donated \$1,000 to the Bicentennial library building fund. Part of the donation was raised at the annual pancake supper held in December. Benny McLeod, secretary-treasurer, reported.

Oh, no!



An "Oh, No!" is something unexpected that messes up your money plans

An "Oh, No!" is when that "little something extra" your boss hinted about giving you for Christmas turns out to be one of his wife's fruit cakes.

That money was to help with Christmas bills. Now the bills are in ... but the money's gone.

But we can help when an "Oh, No!" strikes.

We arrange loans for 1,001 reasons. Give us the reason and we'll try to give you the money you need.

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DOG ORDINANCE

BECAME EFFECTIVE

Jan. 1st, 1975

All owners of dogs residing in the City of Raeford must obtain city dog tags prior to Feb. 15, 1975

TAGS AVAILABLE AT THE CITY OF RAEFORD TAX OFFICE FOR \$2.50

The city leash law provides all dogs within the city must have city dog tags by Feb. 15 or they are subject to be impounded.