Man Pleads No Contest To Affray

A local man was sentenced in District Court Friday on a charge of deadly weapon affray that resulted in a death.

Wayne Thomas, 507 North

Saunders Street, Raeford, pleaded no contest to the charge. The incident resulted in the death of Laverne Freeman. Judge Joseph Dupree sentenced Thomas to not more than 24 months supported. more than 24 months, suspended the sentence for five years, and placed him on probation for three and a half years. He was ordered not to carry a deadly weapon for five years and to pay \$300 to be applied to the funeral expenses of

Laverne Freeman and court costs. Charles H. Livingston, P.O. Box 523, Raeford, was placed on probation for two years on a charge of misdemeanor possesion of hashish. Entry of a verdict of guilty was withheld and he was ordered to pay court costs of \$27.

Roosevelt McPherson, Rt. 3, Box

263, Raeford, was found not guilty

of non-support.

Marvin Woods, Lot 4, N. Rae-ford MHP, Rt. 3, Raeford, pleaded guilty to trespass. Prayer for judgment was continued for three years provided the defendant does not go upon the property of or molest the

Robert (Rob) B. McNeill, the son

of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Burns
McNeill of Raeford, is one of two
Robeson Country Day School
nominees for the John Motley
Morehead Award.

Created in 1945, the Morehead Awards are made each year for undergraduate study at the Uni-versity of North Carolina. The

awards are honorary ones which are

accompanied by a grant of money

to finance recipient's studies.

Awards are made on the basis of

moral character, leadership, scho-lastic ability, extracurricular at-tainments and physical vigor. McNeill is president of the Beta Club and is presently serving on the

school's student activity committee for accreditation. His school activities have included the Science Club. Spanish Club, newspaper staff and annual staff. He is listed in "Who's Who in American Colleges and High Schools" and

"The Society of Distinguished American High School Students".

City Youth Named

Morehead Nominee

prosecuting witness for a period of

three years.
Alton Carthens, Red Springs,

pleaded not guilty to a charge of trespass. He was found not guilty. Harold Gene Brooks, Shannon, pleaded guilty to misdemeanor breaking and entering and larceny.
On the first count he was committed to the custody of the Commissioner of Correction as a "committed youth offender" for a term of not more than 24 months. On the second count, he received the same judgment to begin at the expiration of the first sentence. He was ordered to pay restitution of \$150, a fine of \$10, and costs.

Fred Jacobs, Rt. 1, Box 128,

Lumber Bridge, pleaded guilty to misdemeanor larceny. He received sentence of two years. The defendant appealed.

Larry Wayne Brooks, Shannon, pleaded guilty to misdemeanor larceny. He was sentenced to two years, suspended for five years. He was placed on probation with the following conditions on the sentence of the probation with the following conditions and the sentence of the probation with the following conditions and the sentence of the probation with the following conditions and the sentence of the probation with the following conditions are sentenced to the probation with the following conditions are sentenced to the probability of the probabi following conditions: that he not be convicted of shoplifting, larceny, fraud, embezzlement, or worthless checks, and that he pay restitution of \$50, fine of \$100, and costs.

Linwood Collins, Shannon,

pleaded guilty to three counts of misdemeanor larceny. He was sentenced to two years on each count and placed on probation for three and one half years, providing he is not convicted of shoplifting, fraud, embezzlement, receiving stolen property, or passing worth-less checks for five years. A fine of \$150 was imposed and he was ordered to pay \$100 restitution and

Lloyd Allen Howington, 216 E. Fifth Ave., Raeford, pleaded guilty to misdemeanor larceny. He received a sentence of not more than 12 months, suspended and was placed on probation for two years. He was ordered to pay restitution of \$25 and costs.

Raymond Lomax, Box 531, Raeford, pleaded guilty to two charges of assault. He received a prayer for judgment continued for three years

and paid costs.
Garcia Rodriquez, Red Springs, pleaded guilty to engaging in an affray. He received a sentence of 30 days suspended for three years provided he not trespass on the property of Josepy Ray, including Larry's Food Mart, and that he not molest Joseph Ray for three wears. molest Joseph Ray for three years. He paid \$23 fine and costs. Raymond King, P.O. Box 249, Raeford, pleaded guilty to assault.

He received prayer for judgment continued for three years and was fined \$10 and costs.

Myron McPhatter, Rt. 1, Rae-

ford, pleaded no contest to a charge of injury to personal property. He received a sentence of seven months.

James Harris Cross, Rt. 4, Box

37, Raeford, pleaded guilty to the offense of worthless check and two counts of violation of the prohibi-tion law. He was sentenced to six

Edward T. Thompson, Elgin, S.C., pleaded guilty to driving under the influence. A charge of speeding 66 in a 55 m.p.h. zone was dismissed. He was sentenced to 90 days, suspended for 12 months, and ordered to surrender his license upon his arrival at home. He was fined \$150 and costs. James Robert Hudson, Oakwood

Drive, Raeford, pleaded not guilty to second offense driving under the influence. He was found guilty of the lesser offense of careless and reckless driving. A sentence of four

months was imposed and he was fined \$200 and costs.

Jerald Martin, Lumberton, pleaded guilty to driving under the influence and driving without a license. He received a sentence of 12 months 12 months.

Final judgment was entered on Riley Jordan, 110 Fulton St., Raeford, who pleaded not guilty to driving under the influence (second offense) and was found guilty earlier. He was fined \$300 and costs and ordered to surrender his

and ordered to surrender his license. He appealed.

James Walter Watson, Rt. 4, Box 101, Raeford, pleaded guilty to speeding 65 in a 55 m.p.h. zone. He received a prayer for judgment continued upon payment of cost. He was fined \$8. Diana Hemingway Adams, Pine-

hurst, was charged with speeding 55 in a 45 m.p.h. zone. She was found not guilty.

Howard Rufus Hayes, Jr., Rt. 1,

Box 598, Raeford, pleaded guilty to an inspection violation. He was ordered to pay costs.

Thursday Session Lou Gary Chavis, Rt. 2. Box 355, Pembroke, pleaded guilty to DUI (second offense) and received a six-month term suspended for three years. He was fined \$250 and costs and ordered not to drive until properly licensed. Breathalyzer

Lester D. Ray, 109 Shadsford Blvd., Fayetteville, pleaded guilty to DUI and received a 90-day term suspended for 12 months. He was

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reading was

fined \$150 and costs. A limited driving permit was issued. Breath-

alyzer reading was 122.

John W. Moody. 604 Loungine
Lane. Fayetteville. pleaded guilty
to DUI (second offense) and unsafe movement and received a sixmonth term suspended for three years. He was fined \$250 and costs and ordered not to drive until properly licensed. Breathalyzer reading was .20. Tommy J. Sams. Rt. 2. Raeford.

pleaded guilty to a stop sign violation and received a prayer for judgment continued. He was taxed

Harold D. Odom, Rt. 1, Box 641/2. Red Springs, pleaded guilty to an inspection violation and was fined costs.
Stanley G. Land, Rt. 1, Box 483

Red Springs, pleaded guilty to DUI after the state dismissed a charge of speeding 80 in a 55 m.p.h. zone. He received a 90-day term suspended for 12 months and was fined \$150 and costs. A limited driving permit was issued. Breath-

alyzer reading was .12.

John E. Blue, Rt. 1, Wagram, was found not guilty of a stop sign violation.

Tanna Locklear, Rt. 1, Box 758. Shannon, pleaded not guilty to an assault on a female. He was found

guilty and sentenced to 60 days in the Hoke County Jail.

Derek K. Sharp, Ft. Bragg, pleaded guilty to driving left of center. After hearing evidence, the court ruled that the plea of guilty be stricken and the court found

him not guilty. Willie C. Nobles, Rt. 3, Fayetteville, pleaded guilty to exceeding a safe speed after the state dismissed a charge of speeding 65 in a 55 m.p.h. zone. He was given a prayer for judgment continued and fined

James E. Lee Jr., Rt. 1, Laurinburg, pleaded guilty to exceeding a safe speed after the state dismissed a charge of speeding 63 in a 55 m.p.h. zone. He was given a prayer for judgment continued and was

James W. Thompson Jr., Rt. 4.
Fayetteville, pleaded guilty to speeding 75 in a 55 m.p.h. zone and was fined \$15.

Bernice Locklear, Rt. 1, Box 60. Red Springs, pleaded guilty to speeding 70 in a 55 m.p.h. zone

and was fined costs.

John J. Peterkin, Rt. 1, Box 577, Raeford, pleaded guilty to speeding 70 in a 55 m.p.h. zone after the charge was reduced from 71 in a 55 m.p.h. zone and he was fined costs.

Omission

One case was omitted from last week's District Court news.

Chuck Barton, Rt. 4, Box 99, Raeford, pleaded not guilty to assault and was found guilty. He was given 30 days suspended on payment of costs and the condition he not trespass at LaFayette Mobile Home Park for the next three years. However, Barton gave notice of appeal and the district attorney subsequently filed a voluntary dis-missal in the case.

Erdie Picant, Fayetteville, pleaded guilty to illegal passing and was fined and charged costs.

Thomas Glen Bohn, Ft. Bragg, was fined and charged costs after

pleading guilty to speeding 65 in a 55 m.p.h. zone.

Jeffrey Brooke Allen, Fayette-ville, pleaded guilty to an inspec-tion violation. He was fined costs.

Alvin Gregory Osornio, Fayette-ville, pleaded guilty to speeding 62 in a 55 m.p.h. zone. He was fined and charged costs. Charles Clark, Red Springs.

pleaded guilty to improper equip-ment. He was fined costs. James Edward Lee, Jr., Laurin-

burg, pleaded guilty to speeding 63 in a 55 m.p.h. zone. He was fined and charged costs.



marshal for graduation. His athletic pursuits have included being a member of the school's basketball, soccer and baseball

Hoke Man Elected Co-op Board President

Elias Rogers of Hoke County was elected president of the Lumbee River Electric Membership Co-

operative board of directors at the Oct. 18 meeting.

Rogers, who has served 10 years on the board, was elected a vice-president in 1975. He joined the electric cooperative movement in 1967, becoming the first Indian elected to the board. He is presently serving as a director on the N.C. Electric Membership Cooperative

State Board of Directors.
Timothy Strickland of Rt. 3,
Maxton, defeated long-time director and board president Hubert Prevatte of Rt. 1. Pembroke, to represent members in the Smiths, Red Springs, Shannon, Rennert, Burnt Swamp, Philadelphus and Pembroke areas.







A 16 year study of 3000 longshoremen found the death rate from coronary heart attacks was 1/3 higher among sedentary workers than among those who handled the cargo. Heavy cigarette smoking created even higher risk of premature heart attacks than the sedentary life. The sedentary longshoremen expended 925 fewer calories per day than the cargo handlers, which suggests a reduced diet in calories for the sedentary worker.

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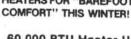


Fred T. Warren, an at-large director from Rt. 2, Raeford, was defeated by Gus Bullard of Rt. 2.

Incumbent directors J.W. Hunt of Fairmont and Davis K. Parker Jr. of Fayetteville were re-elected to the 12-member board.

Elias Rogers

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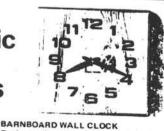
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