

In District Court

Shoplifting, DUI, Assault Cases Heard

The following Hoke County District Court judgments were issued Thursday.

Harvey Ransom Baucom, Box 292, Raeford, driving under the influence, pleaded not guilty, found guilty, \$150 and costs, surrender license and not drive for 12 months, limited-driving privilege granted, and complete successfully within 75 days the Drug and Alcohol Abuse School.

Patricia Brewer Jones, Rt. 1, Box 823, Raeford, speeding 47 in a 35 zone, \$10 and costs.

Cleveland McLean, Rt. 2, Box 513, Raeford, shoplifting, 90 days suspended for three years, \$100 and costs, and not go on the premises of B&W Food Mart for three years.

Michael Lee Locklear, Rt. 1, Box 189-C, Raeford, driving under the influence, 90 days suspended for 12 months, \$150 and costs, surrender license and not drive for 12 months, except as provided for by law, and complete successfully within 75 days the Drug and Alcohol Abuse School.

Hossies McDuffie, Jr., Box 525, Raeford, driving under the influence, second offense, six months suspended for three years, \$250 and costs, not drive for three years except as provided for by law, and complete successfully within 75 days the Drug and Alcohol Abuse School.

Marcus Lane Thompson, Box 1041, Raeford, driving under the influence, 90 days suspended for 12 months, \$150 and costs, surrender license and not drive for 12 months, limited-driving privilege granted, and complete successfully within 75 days the Drug and Alcohol Abuse School.

Mattie McBryde Singletary, 405 E. Prospect Ave., Raeford, speeding 50 in a 35 zone, \$10 and costs.

William F. Reynolds, Jr., Charlotte, speeding 65 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued, costs.

Michael Arpin, Fayetteville, speeding 65 in a 55 zone, voluntary dismissal by the prosecutor; exceeding a safe speed, prayer for judgment continued, costs.

Weldon McKenzie, Rt. 1, Raeford, assault with a deadly weapon, found not guilty, prosecuting witness to pay costs for frivolous and malicious prosecution.

William Worth McBryde, Rt. 1, Raeford, pleaded not guilty, no probable cause found, prosecuting witness to pay costs for frivolous and malicious prosecution.

Friday's judgments follow.

Calvin Graham, Rt. 1, Raeford, assault on a female and injury to personal property, prayer for judgment continued, costs; restitution made prior to plea.

Wilson McEachin, Rt. 1, Red Springs, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, 30 days suspended, \$25 and costs.

Eva Morrison, Rt. 2, Raeford, worthless check, 30 days suspended, \$30 restitution to Dr. J.W. Southerland, and costs.

Tommy Richardson, Rt. 2, Raeford, assault on a female, prayer for judgment continued, costs.

Sarah Doris Ham, Raeford, simple affray, 30 days suspended, \$10 and costs.

Johnny Thomas, Rt. 2, Raeford, possession of stolen property, six months suspended for 18 months, \$75 restitution to Roy Lee McLean, and costs.

William Neil Patterson, Rt. 3, Raeford, speeding 50 in a 35 zone, 30 days suspended, \$15 and costs.

Vonnie C. Lide, Rt. 3, Raeford, assault with a deadly weapon, found not guilty, prosecuting witness to pay costs for frivolous and malicious prosecution.

Johnny McRae, Box 1081, Raeford, assault on a female, found not guilty, prosecuting witness to pay costs for frivolous and malicious prosecution.

James Edward Watson, Rt. 1,

Box 269, Shannon, worthless checks, 30 days each count, suspended, \$20 and \$5 restitution to Miller's Corner, and costs.

Kenneth Jones, Rt. 3, Raeford, assault, and injury to personal property, voluntary dismissals by the prosecutor, on request of the prosecuting witnesses.

McKinley Arthur McLean, Rt. 1, Raeford, driving under the influence, and driving while license revoked, six to 12 months.

Tony R. Jones, Rt. 2, Box 262-B-3, Raeford, communicating threats, and assault by pointing a gun, voluntary dismissals by the prosecutor; prosecuting witness cannot be located.

Joey Wayne Strickland, Bennettsville, S.C., possessing marijuana, \$5 and costs.

Elaine Lowery, Rt. 1, Raeford, communicating threats, voluntary dismissal by the prosecutor; neighborhood dispute settled out of court.

Gilbert Tillman, Robbins Heights, Raeford, assault by pointing a gun, voluntary dismissal by the prosecutor; prosecuting witness failed to appear; assault by pointing a gun (second count), found not guilty.

Morris Dial, Wagram, assault with a deadly weapon, pleaded not guilty, found guilty, 12 to 18 months suspended for two years, probation for two years, pay \$500 for payment of the prosecuting witness's medical bills, and costs; defendant gave notice of appeal.

Wanda Denise Edwards, Rt. 3, Red Springs, simple assault, found not guilty.

Betty McNeill, 413 W. Sixth Ave., Raeford, assault with a deadly weapon, found not guilty.

Earlson Campbell, Rt. 1, Raeford, nonsupport, 30 days suspended for five years, pay \$40 every two weeks for the benefit of the child, and costs; costs remitted.

Harley Lee Scurlock, Rt. 1, Parkton, uttering a forged check, seven counts, three to six months, suspended for three years, probation for three years, in consecutive sentences seven counts, three to six months each, to run consecutively, suspended for three years, probation for three years, on conditions he make restitutions of \$20 on each of three checks, and \$45, \$10, \$40 and \$50, all to Miller's Corner, and pay costs.

Thomas Jeffery Strickland, Rt. 1, Rowland, carrying a concealed weapon, 90 days suspended for two years, \$100 and costs, and weapon to be confiscated and disposed of by law.

Eugene Harris, Rt. 2, Box 507, Raeford, driving while license revoked, third offense, pleaded not guilty, found guilty, six months suspended for five years, \$300 and costs.

Joseph Chavis, Rt. 1, Red Springs, nonsupport, prayer for judgment continued, on payment of costs; costs remitted for good cause shown.

Browsing in the files of The News-Journal

25 years ago

Thursday, July 25, 1957

The J.M. McGougan family of Lumber Bridge, Route One, in the extreme southeastern section of Hoke County, has been chosen one of North Carolina's six "Master Farm Families" by the Progressive Farmer magazine and the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service, it was announced this week.

The Hoke County school board met Thursday night and set Thursday, September 5, as the opening date for all schools in the county.

Heavy general rainfall, accompanied by an electrical storm and gusty winds, was reported in all sections of Hoke County Tuesday night, and in other neighboring areas as well, pushing temperatures down and bringing relief to suffering crops.

The spread of the gas war from the Piedmont section through Moore and Hoke County on Tuesday of last week, and from Hoke into the edge of Cumberland on Wednesday, marked about the end of the spread.

A federal team will arrive here Wednesday to advise local school officials how to step up integration of Hoke County schools so as to comply with Title IV of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

Charles G. Rose III, young Fayetteville attorney, has been appointed district prosecutor for Hoke-Cumberland District Court.

Wind and hail cut a \$150,000 swath through Quewhistle Township Thursday evening, laying waste 75 to 100 acres of tobacco and several hundred acres of corn, soybeans and other crops.



TO CAMP -- These Hoke County Cub Scouts are shown getting ready to leave for another day of camp Friday morning at St. Andrews College in Laurinburg. They went to camp daily last week. They are shown with their leaders, Diane Stec (left) and Vickie Wright. [Staff photo by Pam Frederick.]

Area Incidents

Car, Fence Damaged

The following were reported the past week to the Raeford Police Department, Police Chief Leonard Wiggins said Tuesday.

Mary C. McNeill of 705 Saunders St. said July 21 someone damaged her fence, probably with a vehicle. The damage amounted to about \$100.

Someone cut the top of Eva Haddon's convertible, causing about \$450 damage. The report was received July 21. Eva Haddon lives at 316 McRae St.

Two cans of beer worth \$1.50 were stolen from The Pantry on Harris Avenue Friday.

The following were reported to the Hoke County Sheriff's Department.

Cecil Jerry West, 42, of Rt. 1, Raeford, Circle "H" Mobile Home

Park, was charged with three counts of forgery and one of uttering a forged check, after an investigation following the department's receipt of a report that a check made out to West and cashed by Jimmy Dewey McQuague of Jimmy's Exxon, U.S. 401 North, was forged. The check was for \$173.19. The money was recovered by Raeford Police Department Detective J.E. Murdock.

A.H. Smith of Rt. 2, Raeford, reported Sunday his .22 pump rifle worth \$60 and a box of .22 bullets were missing from his home. He last saw the rifle July 17.

Emma Ruth Purcell, 321 Keith Ave., near Raeford, reported she found a screen off the window of her home when she returned Sunday but found nothing missing.

'God's Prison Gang' To Be Shown

"God's Prison Gang," a motion picture documentary telling of the conversion of four criminals to the Christian way of living, will be shown Sunday at Raeford Four-square Church, 506 E. Prospect Ave., starting at 7 p.m., and at Raeford Evangelical Methodist Church, on the corner of Green Street and West Sixth Avenue, starting at 7:30.

The film, shot behind the walls of New York's Attica prison, is hosted by Art Linkletter. It tells the story of how the work of International Prison Ministry is accomplishing what more guards,

higher prison walls and greater financial expenditures have failed to do -- keep released inmates from returning to lives of crime.

Telling their stories in the 44-minute film are George Meyer, Al Capone's favorite driver; Floyd Hamilton, (Public Enemy No. 1), the last of the Bonnie and Clyde Gang; Jerry Graham, the "robber king" of California; and Ted Jefferson, convicted of crimes from drugs and robbery to murder.

Also featured is "Chaplain Ray," whose Dallas-based International Prison Ministry has changed the lives of thousands of inmates over the past 18 years.

GOD'S PRISON GANG A DRAMATIC MOTION PICTURE DOCUMENTARY
"the public enemies"
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EVERREADY FLOUR 5 lbs. 79¢	SALT 5 BOXES \$1.00	POTATOES 10 lbs. \$1.19
COKE 2 liter (Plastic) \$1.09		
Register! WIN A Mountain Dew Raft to be given Fri. August 6; 6 p.m. (Hardin's Rockfish only)	GASOLINE REGULAR & UNLEADED GAS - Hardin's at Rockfish ONLY	OLD SOUTH ORANGE JUICE 1/2 gal. 99¢
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It Was Fun Before We Learned

Eating Is Hazardous To Health

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There was a time when eating was fun, one of life's real pleasures. That was before we Americans discovered that eating is hazardous to our health.

As youngsters, we were taught to eat several selections daily from the four food groups. Now, we're learning to be suspect of anything edible.

Let's look at a typical breakfast. The bacon and sausage that we love so much have nitrates and fat. Our eggs have cholesterol. Hash browns are fried -- another no-no. Milk has too much butterfat. Our cereals, we're told, aren't really nutritious and we eat them with too much

sugar. Coffee is suspected of causing possible heart problems. This is breakfast, the meal mothers promote to their children as the most important meal of the day.

We could settle for a glass of water and that all-time favorite breakfast item -- toast. But, can we really trust toast?

No, say some scientists from Kansas State University. Toasting our bread, they claim, promotes a chemical reaction that reduces protein building amino acids in bread and converts nutrients into unusable forms. The scientists say it would be more nutritious if we didn't toast our bread.

Do you realize that our breakfast has just been reduced to bread and

water? Maybe when we threw convicts in the hole and fed them bread and water, we were doing them a favor. If we'd known then what we know today, we could have threatened them with bacon and eggs, hash browns, cereal, milk, coffee and toast. That would have made them change their ways!

It all sounds pretty ridiculous, doesn't it? The problem is that too many conclusions are being drawn from inconclusive research. It is the type of "research" that gets people on talk shows and helps them sell books and articles, but it doesn't add much scientific knowledge about the causes of various health problems or their prevention.