



The Maysville Teenage Club is working to make money for its part in the Finer Carolina Contest. It has recently bought a juke

box, tables, a record player, and several games to use during meetings on Friday nights. Pictured above at left are Sue

Foscoe and Bonnie Meiggs selling candy to Mrs. Jo Thompson and at right a group of teenagers are enjoying a game purchased with some of the money made.

Trenton Fifth Grader Drowns Friday Morning

Thirteen year-old Bobby Chase, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chase of Trenton, was drowned early Friday morning in a freak accident at Mussle Shell Creek near Friendship Free Will Baptist Church east of Trenton.

The fifth grade student was helping his father at about 5 a. m. bail water from the creek in a deep hole washed out by the floods that followed last year's hurricanes.

The young fellow either tripped or lost his balance and fell in the creek while getting water for a tobacco transplanter. His father attempted to rescue the child but almost drowned in the unsuccessful attempt.

Funeral services were held from Friendship Free Will Baptist Church Sunday (April 29) and burial followed in the church cemetery.

New Projects Chosen By Maysville PTA in Finer Carolina Race

The PTA Finer Carolina Committee met April 16 at the home of Mrs. Robert Mattocks to decide on a new project.

The new piano and the lunch-room projects are well underway, so the committee decided to improve and furnish a much needed teachers' lounge in the school.

They will also improve the teachers' rest-room and add a first aid kit to the lounge.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. Ed Warren, chairman, Mrs. Mattocks, publicity chairman, Mrs. Kathryn Holden, Mrs. Kay Jenkins and Mrs. Frances Hay.

Jones County 4-H'ers Urged Make Early Application for Summer Camporee June 11-16

Assistant Farm Agent Williams Shackelford this week urged all Jones County 4-H Club members to make an early application to attend the annual 4-H Camp which is being held this year at Camp Schaub near Waynesville in the Great Smoky Mountains of North Carolina.

Only 33 4-H'ers can attend this year. Each must have an active 4-H project and must have his record book of the project up to date.

Application to attend the encampment must be accomplished

with \$13 and the up-to-date project record book, Shackelford emphasized.

Total cost of the week will be \$25, with the balance payable on the morning of departure from Trenton. The trip will be made by chartered bus.

Full information on the trip can be obtained from any member of the extension department or by calling the farm agent's office in Trenton.

May Day Program Tuesday in Maysville

Maysville Elementary School held its annual May Day celebration, May first. There was open house from 8 until 10 a. m. during which visitors were invited to all the rooms.

The grades had a science exhibit on display in the library and an adjoining room. From 10 until noon the first six grades performed different games and dances they had learned during the year.

Then there was a picnic from 12 until 1 on the school grounds.

During the remainder of the afternoon, there were races, high-jumps and soft ball games. Children and grownups alike enjoyed the day.

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Jones Sheriff Reports Trouble With Stumphole Makers, Sellers, Users

The past week was strictly a whisky week for Jones County Sheriff Brown Yates. Not that the Sheriff was imbibing himself, but all of his department's activities for the past week were caused, in one way or another by the "cup that cheereth".

Last Friday Sheriff Yates and Deputy Roy Mallard raided a still on the Goldsboro Lumber Company farm in Tuckahoe Township and although the rig was in operation the men at the still got away. Only one road runs into the still area and as the officers came in the still operators took off through the woods. There were five 400-gallon mash boxes, two 50-gallon mash barrels and a small steel-drum still with copper coil.

Sheriff Yates said he was going to question Eddie Murphy, tenant on the farm where the still was found, and if he didn't have

some pretty good answers he was going to indict him for the still's operation. The still, mash and about a gallon of freshly run "panther juice" were destroyed by Yates and Mallard.

In the peddling department Ira Jones of Chiquapin Township was charged Saturday with bootlegging and selling for and two pints of this potent brew.

In the use department Henry Tull Hines of Kinston route one was booked for drunken driving.

Four Teen-agers Held On Armed Robbery

Kinston Police and Sheriff's Department Tuesday night cooperated in the arrest of four teen-agers in connection with an armed robbery.

Private Gerald Chuenaces of Camp Lejeune, the reported victim of the robbery, says that the four picked him up and relieved him of \$30 at the point of a dagger in the hands of Bobby R. Cade of Kinston route two.

The other three teen-agers are charged with aiding and abetting in the robbery assault. They are David D. Dail and William M. Loftin also of Kinston route two and Billy R. Butler of Ayden route one.

Officers report that the quartet first picked up Ernest Tyndall of 313 East Lenoir Street, but dumped him after finding that he had no money.

Probation and Fines For Two Kinstonians

Joe Hinson of 600 Perry Street and Bruce Rider of 611 Abbott Street were placed on probation last week in Federal Court in Washington.

Both had pled guilty to embezzlement of federal funds. Hinson from the Farmers Home Administration and Rider from the Kinston post office. Each had made full repayment of the funds they admitted using.

Each was given a 12 month prison term suspended on payment of a \$500 fine and upon the condition they remain on probation for a two year period.



This smiling citizen is Kinston policeman J. F. Spence Jr., seen with a pair of nice-sized rock he netted last week with a skin net in Neuse River several miles above Kinston. The larger weighed in at 13 pounds and the small fugitive from a fish stew pot weighed six pounds.

High Speed Chase is Triple Trouble for Cove City Resident

Jesse B. Riggs of Cove City route one wound up under triple charges Wednesday morning after he tried to outrun ABC Officers Clarence Bland and Paul Young.

Caught in upper Vance Township, Riggs is charged with speeding 80 miles per hour, failure to heed to a siren and driving without a license.

NEWS FROM SERVICEMEN

B. W. COLLINS NOW AT PEARL HARBOR

PEARL HARBOR, T. H. (FH TNC) — B. W. Collins, chief quartermaster, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Collins of Maysville, and husband of the former Miss Margaret Carstensen of Oakland, Oreg., participated in a six hour "Dependents' Cruise" April 6 while serving aboard the Pacific Fleet escort destroyer USS Epperson, operating out of Pearl Har-

The cruises, which were only for, T. H. recently authorized by the Navy, are designed to acquaint dependents with how their husbands and fathers live and work at sea.

The Epperson is flagship of Escort Division 12.

JOHN B. HAWKINS RETURNS FROM CARIBBEAN EXERCISE

QUONSET POINT, R. I. (FHTNC) — John B. Hawkins, chief aviation machinist's mate, USN, husband of the former Miss Norma Outlaw of Route 2, Trenton, returned to Quonset Point, R. I., March 30 with Navy Patrol Squadron 8 after completing participation in Operation "Springboard" in the Caribbean.

The spring training exercise was designed to coordinate units of the Atlantic Fleet in amphibious operations.

Wyse Fork Home Clubbers '56 Project Centers in Improving Their Church Interior

The Wyse Fork Home Demonstration Club took for its 1956 project improving the inside of their church, Pilgrim's Home Free Will Baptist Church.

A committee including: Mrs. Thomas Hood Jr., Mrs. Robert White, and Mrs. Eugene Hood was

appointed by the president to check the needs and to have material ready for work by the 14th of February.

On that day all the ladies came prepared to work with mops, brushes, clothes buckets and lunch. By the end of the first day one

coat of varnish had been applied to four pine panelled rooms, one coat of paint to two others and walls of the nursery wall papered. The following afternoon the hoc'ers wall papered the beginners room and completed the walls of the rooms that were worked on the day before, also mopped floors so they would be ready for paint the next day. The floors of four rooms were painted and linoleum rugs laid in the nursery and beginners room. This completed work for the first week.

The second week husbands were called for help in sanding the floors of the rooms that were finished in pine panelling. After which two coats of varnish were put on the floors to finish up the Sunday School rooms.

The third week the Home Clubbers varnished the floor of the auditorium and vestibule and waxed all the floors. The club got lots of praise from its Pastor, neighbors, and visitors for its work.

