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## Civil Court Term for Next Week in Jones

An even dozen law suits is scheduled for trial next week in the May Civil Term of Jones County Superior Court.

Four of the dozen are suits brought by the Jones-Lenoir Drainage District No. 1 against Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn C. Ferrell, Mr. and Mrs. Delia M. Zimmerman and Mr. and Mrs. Millard F. Waller.

Other cases docketed include the following:

C. D. Hodges against O. P. Sheppard.

Eula Griffin against George J. Heath.

Florence Nelson Ewell against Roy Ewell.

Furney Wilder against Mrs. Verena Brinkley.

J. C. LaRoque against R. A. Provost, R. E. Provost and others.

J. C. LaRoque against Rom and Nettie Provost.

The 11th case docketed is in the matter of the will of the late Robert W. Gooding and the 12th action is a motion scheduled to be made in the case brought by P. J. West against Miss Osa Smith.

## Prostitute Sues Madame for \$75,000 After Being Beaten

Eileen Hopkins Simpson, who says she was a prostitute in the house operated by Mrs. Eunice McLawhorn just south of Kinston on the New Bern Road, last week filed suit for \$75,000 damages against the alleged madame for injuries in a beating that she says she suffered at the hands of Mrs. McLawhorn and other occupants of the house late in April. She seeks \$50,000 compensatory damages and \$25,000 punitive damages.

Miss Simpson says that while being held at pistol point by Jimmy McLawhorn, son of the defendant in the action, Gene Ellington, an employee of the establishment, and the defendant she was beaten and stomped and dragged nude into the courtyard of the house. She lists a fractured skull, several broken ribs and bruises, cuts and contusions over her face and a large part of her body and claims these were inflicted in the fracas.

Criminal actions that were placed at the time of the fight include assault, assault by pointing a gun, operating a house of prostitution and attempted bribery of two members of the Lenoir County Sheriff Department against Mrs. McLawhorn.

Young McLawhorn and Ellington were each indicted for assault by pointing a gun. Bertha Wallace was booked for living in a bawdy house and D. J. Byrum, a Kinston private detective, was charged with prostitution.

At the time last Thursday when the damage suit was filed against Mrs. McLawhorn she was placed under \$25,000 bond in a seldom used legal action called "arrest in bail" which permits the plaintiff in a civil action that has resulted from an indictable act of the defendant to ask for the defendant to be put under bond to assure appearance in court. The order setting the \$25,000 "arrest in bail" was signed by Clerk of Court John S. Davis, who said it was the second such paper he had signed in over

## Nutrition Council Tours Maola Plant

The Jones County 4-H Nutrition Council toured a dairy manufacturing plant in New Bern last week. The 4-H'ers learned what happens to the milk from the time it leaves the cow until it is sold in the store to the consumer.

After leaving the milk processing plant they toured the ice cream plant and learned some "eye opening" facts concerning the ice cream manufacturing process.

This tour was arranged by Wilson Lowery, a member of the Nutrition Council.

The following members of the council attended: Wellyn Dawson, Don Mattocks, Sam Davis, Brent Hill, Pat Huffman, Elaine Parker, Susan Parker, Gretchen Davis, and Mrs. W. W. Lowery, Adult Leader, along with Home Agent Mrs. Faytie C. Gray, and Assistant Agricultural Agent L. B. Nance Jr.

## Registration Deadline

Saturday, May 14th, is the final registration day for those who wish to vote in the May 28th primary. County election board officials remind those who know that they are not registered to keep this in mind and they also advise those who are in doubt about their registration to check on or before this deadline. Precinct registrars will be on duty in each polling place from 9 a. m. until 6 Saturday, and later if necessary to accommodate the public. Saturday, May 21st, is "Challenge Day" on which any voter may "challenge" the right of any other voter to be registered. This is a seldom-used right but a necessary one under North Carolina election laws.

## Senator in Town

An acceleration of the tempo in the two-way fight for the United States Senate seat now occupied by Everett Jordan came in Lenoir County Wednesday with the appearance of incumbent Jordan for a "coffee conference" and general handshaking at Hotel Kinston, followed by a whirlwind tour of the county. Also it was announced that retired Kinston Physician Paul Whitaker would make a TV speech Monday night in behalf of Addison Hewlett of Wilmington, who is Jordan's opposition for the post.

## Firemen Meet

The May meeting of the Maysville Fire Department was held at the community building last Monday evening with approximately 35 present. The business session was held first with 3 members being selected to attend the Fireman's Convention at Charlotte this week.

## Senator Sam Ervin Says...

WASHINGTON — When the vote was taken on the foreign aid authorization bill last week, I found myself unable to support the measure.

NAY VOTE — The foreign aid program contains some worthy projects fit for support by the American taxpayers. It contains many projects which I cannot square with sound public policy. To adequately discuss the measure is impossible in the space here, but it should be of interest to the taxpayers to know that the authorization contained provisions for such things as the preservation of the temples of the Egyptians on the upper Nile and the guarantee of private loans to purchasers of homes in South America. The inclusion of such projects, and the enormity of the authorization in dollars, led me to the conclusion that there could be no reasonable justification for supporting the authorization bill. I voted against it. Later, the Senate will appropriate funds for foreign aid. I am hopeful that some of these items can be eliminated.

REALISM NOT EVIDENT — To me it is wholly unrealistic for the Administration to advocate a foreign aid bill of over four billion dollars while at the same time calling for economy in government. I am convinced that too many borrowed dollars are being put into the foreign aid program when the public debt is increasing and our domestic programs are faltering due to lack of funds.

I do not quarrel with a mutual security program that is realistic-

ly designed and administered effectively to help develop the areas of the world that are striving to strengthen freedom against communism.

COURAGE NEEDED — If this country feels that it is necessary to put the foreign aid program on an ever-expanding and permanent basis, then Congress, the Administration and the taxpayers ought to face up to the reality of the issue. It will cost more to all of us who pay taxes; future generations should not be saddled with the debt that the people and their leaders of today are unwilling to access themselves.

NO THEORY — As a Senator of the United States, it is my duty sincerely and honestly to tackle the problems that face the people whom I have the opportunity to represent in part. Requests for more money pour in from all activities of government; defense costs increase with regularity; education and other programs to improve the lot of our country demand attention. The money requests are not theoretical. No public funds can be expended without coming from the taxpayers or from borrowing, and I feel that President Eisenhower, the Administration and the Congress have to share the responsibility for talking about economy and failing to practice it.

The nation will have to make a very important decision in the not too distant future. As I see it, the decision is whether or not we are willing to stand up and be counted as willing to pay now for the benefits so many are demanding at

## Friendship Homecoming Sunday Morning at 11



The Reverend W. Burkett Raper, president of Mount Olive College, will preach Sunday at 11 a. m. at Friendship Free Will Baptist Church near Trenton, the Reverend Sheldon Howard, pastor, has announced.

Sunday is being observed as Homecoming Day at Friendship Church and a recent Sunday School building program will be dedicated in the afternoon.

Raper will be accompanied by Mary Moore of Smithfield, Patricia Herring of Albertson and Judy Foreman of Washington, all students at the College, who will present special music at the Homecoming service.

Present, past and potential members of the congregation are urged to attend this annual event, and, of course, to come equipped with the well filled picnic basket for the dinner that will be served on the church grounds following the worship hour.

## New Phones For Pink Hill Section

Telephone service for 41 rural families near Pink Hill became a reality recently when the telephone lines in that area were placed in service.

C. G. Fields, local telephone company manager, said this project involved burying 16.2 miles of cable and constructing 5.5 miles of new pole line costing \$26,650.

This is one of many rural projects being undertaken by the Carolina Telephone Company to provide service to rural areas in its 41-county operating territory.

## TRENTONIAN CHARGED

Lonnie Reynolds of Trenton was booked by the Lenoir County Sheriff Department Tuesday in warrants that charged the Jones County man with passing three worthless checks.

## NEW WAREHOUSE OFFICERS

Cecil Thompson of Wilson was named president of the East Carolina Warehousemen's Association Tuesday in Kinston, succeeding John Jenkins, who has served for the past year. John Fenner of Rocky Mount was named vice president and Alton Boswell of Wilson was named secretary-treasurer.

## Dairy Princess Contest Set for 8 Saturday Night

The Dairy Princess Contest will be held Saturday night at 8 in the Trenton School auditorium.

The following girls will compete for the title: Bobby Jean Rouse sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary, Wanda Ballard by the American Legion, Tommy Foscoe by the Trenton Rotary Club, Carol Haddock by the Oak Grove, Home Demonstration Club, Patricia Ann Humphrey by the Chinquapin HDC, Bobby Parker, Trenton Womans Club, Brenda Capps, Mallard Town HDC and Joyce Killingsworth, Shady Grove HDC.

These girls will be judged on their ability, beauty and personality. They will model in street length dresses and evening dresses.

The county winner will go to the area 9 Dairy Princess contest which consists of Carteret, Craven, Jones, Onslow and Pamlico counties. The area contest will be held June 2nd in Jacksonville, and the area winner will go to the state contest.

home and abroad.

To spend for meritorious programs is a laudable role of government; to borrow money to carry on these programs as standard policy is questionable public policy at least.

## Legion Auxiliary Picks Girls State Representatives

The American Legion Auxiliary met Monday night with Mrs. Wilson Lowery presiding. Mrs. A. J. Mallard presented the program on "Poppies and Memorial". Then reports were given by Mrs. Preston Banks, who talked on "Americanism" and displayed the 20 volume set of history books that the auxiliary is giving to Jones Central High School, and Mrs. Bill Johnson who talked on "girls state".

Carolyn Price and Lydia Bender are the two girls chosen to go to girls state this summer.

Macy Mallard, district president, reminded the member of the state convention in Asheville May 21-24. The group voted to attend the church service together May 29 at the Trenton Methodist Church, with each member wearing a poppy.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mrs. Milton Arthur, Mrs. Nick Mallard and Mrs. Pauline Waller. The next program will be on Junior Activities and will be presented by Mrs. Carl Flowers, Jr.

## Automotive Club is Learning About Cars

The Jones County 4-H Automotive Club met Tuesday afternoon for its 5th meeting. Officers of the club are President Don Mattocks, Vice-President Elaine Parker, Secretary Sue Noble and Reporter Suzanne Mallard.

There are 11 active members at the present time. The club's project is "The Car and the Highway".

At the first meeting the club visited W. F. Hill's service station in Trenton and he explained car keeping, car costs and keeping car records.

At the second meeting, the license examiner from Kinston gave a talk on traffic code and highway safety.

The club visited the Ford Motor Co. in Maysville for its third meeting and a mechanic there instructed the group on the owners manual.

Jake Croom at the county garage spoke on the motor in general and what makes a car run at the fourth meeting.

At the fifth meeting a movie on "Tommie gets the keys" was shown to the group. They also planned for a highway hazard hunt and will work with the patrolmen. Mrs. Wilson Lowery and Edward Parker are the adult leaders.