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Annual 4-H Club Christmas Party Set for 7:30 Saturday

The annual Jones County 4-H Christmas Program and Party will be held Saturday night, December 17, at 7:30 P. M. in the American Legion Hut in Trenton.

A committee composed of Carol Haddock, chairman, Betty Becton, and Hugh Pollock planned the following program for the occasion.

Welcome by Wilson Lowery, Jr., President 4-H County Council.

Devotional by Betty Becton.

Group Singing led by Brenda Hill and Audrey Doster with Mary Elizabeth West, Pianist.

Readings by Carol Haddock and Hugh Pollock.

Recognition of the supporters of 4-H by Mary Elizabeth Dixon.

Recreation led by Carolyn Price, Douglas Wright and Gretchen Davis.

Ushers will be Cyrus Whaley and Richard Jones.

Committees

Decorating — Clover and Friendly 4-H Clubs.

Refreshments — Maple Grove and Skyrocket 4-H Clubs.

Clean-Up — Eager Beaver and Wyse Fork 4-H Clubs.

Programs — Thunderbird 4-H Club.

Rape Attempt Charges Against Sailors are Tossed Out by Judge

Three sailors attached to the Camp Lejeune hospital had charges of assault with intent to commit rape against them tossed into the ash can last week in a probable cause hearing before Recorder Emmett Wooten.

Robert P. Epperson, Elmorris Still Jr. and Bobby Hardy, all negroes, were accused by two teen-aged negro girls, who admitted to the court that they got in the car with the three sailors at 2:30 in the morning, although they had never seen either of the sailors before.

Epperson was fined \$75 for reckless driving and the other two were fined \$50 for aiding and abetting in the reckless driving.

Aged Pedestrian is Lenoir's 14th Auto Fatality for 1960

A car skidding on wet pavement 2 miles north of La Grange Sunday morning claimed the life of 91 year-old Dock Grant, who was struck and killed almost instantly by the car which was driven by Mrs. Josephine Wilson Reaves of Wilson.

The driver told Patrolman S. H. Newman that she was driving about 55 miles an hour, when the aged Grant started to cross the road in front of her. When she hit the brakes the car went into a skid and struck Grant.

The death of Grant brings the 1960 highway death toll for Lenoir County to 14.

Marriage License

Marriage license issued by Jones County Register of Deeds Bill Parker during the past week went to:

James W. Blanser, 46, and Mary Moore Williamson, 46, both of Besurfert.

Clement Huffman Jr., 18, and Brenda Faye Hallay, 16, both of Richards.

Christmas Holidays

The Jones County Board of Commissioners approved the following holidays for all county employees: December 23, 24, Christmas Day and December 26 and 27. The court house will be closed during this period except for the office of Sheriff Brown Yates and the Agriculture Building will be closed during this same period.

Liquor Gets Seven Arrested in Jones

During the past week use, or abuse of whisky in one fashion or another got seven people indicted in Jones County.

Harvey Foster of Comfort got most deeply into trouble of the seven. He is accused of drunken driving; driving without a driving license and improper passing.

William E. Phillips of Trenton route 1 and Carson Roosevelt Hester of Norfolk, Va., were also accused of drunken driving.

James Moore of Knston route 6 was accused of public drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

Elmer Jackson and Willie Bruce Jackson of Beulaville and Willard Jackson of Rose Hill were all accused of public drunkenness.

Lighting Contest

The Maysville Garden Club is sponsoring a "Seasonal Lighting Contest" this year and urges everyone to participate. Judging will be held Sunday December 18. Three prizes will be awarded—first prize \$5, second prize \$3 and third prize \$2. The club is asking that lights be turned on early so that they will not be missed in the judging.



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Jones Central Lists 'A' and 'B' Honor Rolls

Jones Central lists the following students on the "A" honor roll for the second grading period: Lyndia Bender and Glenda Mallard in the 12th grade and Wilson Lowery in the 11th grade.

The "B" honor roll included: Peggy Craft, Carol Haddock, Joyce Killingsworth, Suzanna Mallard, Velma Waller, Ronald Davenport, Lillie Faye Banks, Patricia Huffman, Martha Koonce, Dianne Shepard, Howard Pruitt and Vera Mae Collins, for the 12th grade.

Morris Pike, Robert Scott, Ester Parker, Edna Earl Philyaw, Della Sue Riggs, Billy Eubanks, Sonja Cox, Dorothy Philyaw and Joyce Moore in the 11th grade.

Gerald Eubanks, Vance Venters, Nancy Davenport, Elizabeth Jones, Jo Ann Smith, Jasmine Jones, Cynthia Westbrook, Billy Moore, Stella Banks, Barbara Hay, Gilbert Philyaw, Sue Noble and Glenda Smith in the 10th grade.

Vivian Wilson, Billy Adams, James Budd, Harry Mallard, Bonnie Wilson, David Bryant, and Ben Greene in the 9th grade.

Land Transfers

Real estate transfers recorded in the past week by Jones County Register of Deeds Bill Parker included the following:

R. P. Bender to W. H. Humphrey 1.75 acres in Pollocksville Township.

Minnie Loftin Farrow to Aleather Farrow 3 acres in Pollocksville Township.

Calvin Lee Turner to Edward R. Turner a tract in Tuckahoe Township.

George E. Roberson to Annie Riggs Yancey 3.02 acres in Cypress Creek Township.

Hattie and David Burt to Isaiah and Rosetta Meadows 2.5 acres in Trenton Township.

Evelyn Williamson to Jesse Mabry 3.25 acres in Pollocksville Township.

NON-HABIT FORMING

Teenager Wade Suddreth of 1002 Pollock Street was treated for an injury he suffered Monday that resulted from hammering on a live cartridge which exploded.

Court Cleared Many Cases From Jones County Docket

Trenton Firemen Have Supper on Saturday

The Trenton Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad had a barbeque supper Saturday night in the fire station with approximately 300 persons attending. The children ate hot dogs outside.

Guests of honor were Fire Chief and Mrs. J. T. Haley of Kinston, Fire Captain and fire instructor David Lee and Mrs. Lee of Kinston, and Mr. and Mrs. Lacey and family of Jacksonville. Mr. Lacey is Supervisor of Navy Supply of MCAF at New River.

Former mayor of Trenton, W. H. Hammond, gave a short speech to the group, praising the Fire Department in its success since its beginning, and Nelson Conway also gave a word of thanks.

The Trenton Womans Club with help from the department is in the process of repairing toys for underprivileged children for Christmas, and Fire Chief Travis Batchelor has announced that if the toys are to be ready in time, help is needed with the repair work.

He appeals to all firemen and other interested men to go to the station at night to help with the work. With co-operation of the town people, this project can be done annually, but everyone needs to help.

Successful Meeting Trenton PTA Held on Wednesday Last Week

The Trenton School Parent Teacher Association met Wednesday in the school auditorium. Beginning at 5:30, the Ways and Means Committee sponsored a supper consisting of fried chicken and chicken salad plates.

Then the parents were invited to the room of their children to look at their work and talk with the teachers. When the regular meeting began, an adaptation for a reader and pantomime was given entitled "Where Love Is, God Is", and the scene was of an old shoe shop in the early days of Russia.

Taking part as pantomimists were Mr. and Mrs. Millis Wright and son, Keith, Amos Taylor, Fred Pippin and Mrs. Lionel Swink. Miss Tiny Hammond was the reader and Walton Bass sang, accompanied by Mrs. Bass.

Following the program, a short business meeting was held and at the end of the meeting, room count was held with Mrs. Jane Noble's fifth grade winning first place. Darris Koonce presided over the meeting, assisted by Mrs. Haywood Davenport, secretary and Mrs. Clifton Pollock, treasurer.

The November 28th term of Jones County Superior Court cleared 63 cases from the criminal docket of the court, including 34 charges of speeding in which individuals had placed cash bonds in lieu of paying fines.

Judge Malcolm Paul of Washington, who presided over the session, handed prison terms to William Bert Smith for two liquor law violations, to David Chadwick for assault with a deadly weapon, to Roosevelt James for assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill, to Deb Loftin for assault with a deadly weapon.

Smith drew a 12-month term of the first charge and a 2-year term to begin at the end of the first sentence, with the last sentence suspended on condition that he not violate any state or federal law for a 2-year period.

Chadwick drew 6 months, James got 2 years and Loftin was given 6 months.

Other cases included William T. Banks, who drew a 2-year term that was suspended on condition that he not molest his wife or children and remain on good behavior. Banks was charged with assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill and drunken and reckless driving. Banks had attempted suicide after the assault on his wife, but the pocket knife he stuck in his throat failed to inflict more than a serious injury.

A liquor violation charge against Leroy Williams was not pressed.

The following drew jail terms suspended on payment of \$100 fine and court costs for drunken driving: Frank Brock Koonce, Ralph Denter Collins, Albert Nelson Yates (a second charge against Yates was not pressed), James Alex Lofton.

For speeding 90 Ernest James Riggs was fined \$100, 79 Leslie E. Tilghman was fined \$25, 85 David Larnell Barfield was fined \$100 and for going 80 William H. Britt Jr. was fined \$75.

Non-support and assault on a female charges against Tharon M. Howard were not pressed.

Jesse Clinton Gray had a 60-day jail term suspended on payment of the costs for violating the liquor laws.

Leroy Taylor was fined \$10 for driving without a driving license. James Allen Houston had a 60-day jail term suspended on payment of a \$50 fine for carrying a concealed weapon and driving without a driving license.

Benjamin Leroy Parker was fined \$25 for public drunkenness and violating the liquor laws, Harold Whaley got the same fine for the same charges.

Aaron Simmons was found not guilty of violating the liquor laws. Josephus Franklin was fined \$25 for violating the liquor laws.

The grand jury refused to return a true bill in the manslaughter charges that had been brought against Robert Hicks, whose car struck and killed Charlie Joyner.

Carrie Hill was fined \$100 for violating the liquor laws.

Benjamin F. Ward was fined \$200 for driving after his driving license had been revoked.

Bad Bootleggers' Day

Wednesday was a bad day for the Kinston bootlegger's society. Members of this fraternity brought before Judge Emmett Wooten, along with their penalties, included: King Pridgen \$75 and costs, Henrietta Stevenson \$75 and costs, Alphonso Dixon \$75 and costs, Eunice Staten \$100 and costs, Mary Louise Phillips \$100 and costs, Lott Lawson \$200 and costs and Preston Isler 6 months in prison. Each had previous liquor law violation convictions.



NOBODY WINS THIS RACE—Sprinting to avoid soldiers' gunfire, rioters in Caracas, Venezuela, leave the dead and wounded in a street near the city university. Strife has plagued the Betancourt government.