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County Home Clubber Council Has Busy Meeting Last Week

The Home Demonstration Club County Council met at Jones-Central High School Cafeteria last Wednesday with 35 members present. Mrs. Earl Thomas presided and Mrs. Lee Wilcox gave the devotional.

Mrs. Ann Brock, assistant home agent, introduced the program on "Flowers for the Fall", given by Mrs. W. J. Poffenbaugh and Mrs. Cecil Wooten of Kinston. Then Mrs. Brock gave a report on Farm and Home Week that was held in Raleigh.

Mrs. Nelson Banks gave a report on the Crafts Camp held in Mantoo, and Mrs. W. W. Lowery gave a report on the 4-H Club Development Fund.

Mrs. Wilmer Mallard was appointed as the First Aid Chairman for the Council.

The group has a project planned for the year and it is to accept a

survey for consolidation of the Trenton-Maysville Telephone Exchange, which would mean that the two towns would not be on a long-distance basis.

The Council announces that it will provide transportation of State Fair exhibits during that week in Raleigh.

Mrs. Dewey Jenkins was appointed as Extension Advisory Board member, representing the Home Demonstration Clubs in the county.

Three committees were appointed.

On the Achievement Night committee, Mrs. Joe Becton, Mrs. Garland Pike, and Mrs. Robert Lee.

On Fair Decoration, Mrs. Mary Wiggins, Mrs. Gene Philyaw and Mrs. Gene Green.

On the Housing Tour, Mrs. W. W. Lowery, Mrs. Mike Dawson and Mrs. Thomas Hood Jr. Mrs. Dawson will also be a delegate for the 1961 United Nations Tour.

State's First All-Breed Hog Show Success in Kinston Last Week

L. B. Outlaw Jr., who was director of the first All-Breed registered hog show ever held in North Carolina, has termed the Kinston event a success, and plans are already underway for another next year.

Some 79 animals from the major breeds in production in North Carolina were sold for an average of \$104 each, which was a better price than has been enjoyed this season at any one-breed show and sale, Outlaw says.

Joe Moye Jr. of Farmville had the show champion, an open Duroc gilt that was sold for \$400 to the Bath Future Farmers of America Chapter.

Calvin White of Lenoir County had the show reserve champion, a bred Hampshire gilt, that went for \$250.

In the breed winners, Moye's gilt

was top in the Duroc division, and W. F. Barbre of Benson's boar took division honors.

White's gilt and Charles Lewis' boar were tops in the Hampshire class.

Jack Hubbard of Fayetteville had the top Poland China gilt and Bobmy Cox of Jones County had the show's top Poland China boar.

E. M. Hunt of Denton had both winners in the Yorkshire division.

Ray Blizzard of Lenoir County had both winners in the Spotted Poland China division.

ADULTERY?

Henry Hines, 65, and Mabel Thaxton, 44, sometime riverbank residents, were charged last week by Kinston police with committing adultery.

Murder Charge Heads Criminal Court Term Next Week in Jones

Judge Albert Cowper of Kinston will preside over the September Criminal Court Term of Jones County Superior Court which is to be convened at 10 Monday morning.

As usual the majority of the cases docketed for trial by Solicitor Walter Britt involved automobiles.

The major charge set for trial is that in which Raymond Earl Koonce is charged with killing William McDaniel.

The 16 year-old Koonce is charged with shooting the 17 year-old McDaniel after a fracas on April 22nd of this year at a juke joint in Trenton.

A single shot from a .22 caliber pistol struck McDaniel in the heart.

Two Jones Arrests

Jones County Sheriff Brown Yates reports only two arrests in the past week in the county and both involved alleged misuse of automobiles. Brack Dudley of Maysville route 1 is accused of driving without a driving license and Ruth Cash Small of Pink Hill route 1 is charged with driving drunk.

Colonel Lewis Named Overall Chairman of Bicentennial Planning

Monday night the Kinston City Council named Colonel Meriwether Lewis overall chairman for the planning of Kinston's bicentennial celebration which comes in 1962.

Colonel Lewis made a preliminary report to the council on surveys that had been made by a committee including himself and Aldermen Carl Wooten and Mansfield Creech.

Lewis says he has but one or two fixed notions about the pattern of the city's 200th birthday party. One, that it should be entirely historical and not commercialized, and two that the celebration should be all-embracing and not last more than one week.

Two Auto Damage Suits Filed Last Week in Superior Court

Jones County Superior Court Clerk Murray Whitaker reports the filing of two automobile damage suits during the past week.

Darrian Lee Gooding has brought action through his guardian, Tommie Gooding, against Robert Gleen Whitfield to recover \$4,000 damages and Lawrence Vale Pollock is asking \$600 damages from Roy Prentic Pugh and K. A. Becker.

Gooding alleges that he was a passenger in the car of Whitfield on March 20, 1960 when it was involved in an accident caused by the negligent and careless driving of Whitfield. Gooding says he suffered a broken shoulder and numerous other less serious injuries.

Pollock's suit grew out of a collision on June 29, 1961 between his car and an ice cream truck driven by Pugh and owned by Becker. Pollock seeks only to recover damages to his car, since he was not injured in the wreck.

Leslie White Asks Trial Tax Charges In Eastern Division

Jones County farmer and general store operator Leslie White last week asked that tax fraud charges brought against him by the federal government be transferred from the Middle Division courts to the Eastern Division courts.

White has been charged with filing fraudulent income tax returns for the years 1956, 1957, and 1958.

The government says in its indictment that White during those three years paid a total of \$192.66 in federal income tax and it claims that he owed for that period \$4,663.20.

Since the North Carolina office of the Internal Revenue Service is in Greensboro all tax charges are brought in the middle division federal courts.

Maysville Firemen Treat Little Leaguers to Steak

The Maysville community building was the setting for a surprise steak dinner for the members of the Little Baseball League Friday evening of last week.

The meal was sponsored by the Maysville Firemen. Present to cook and serve the meal were Earl Yeoman, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brock and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Curtin.

Members of the team present were: Rickey Keyes, Jackie Spradley, Warren Turner, Cleve Bell Provost Jr, Barry Henderson, Jerry Gardner, Dan Bryant, Bruce Bracey, Robert Curtin, Ronnie Curtin, Percy Conway William Meadows, Jimmy Provost, Ronnie Meadows, Roy Meadows, and Bobby Buck.

Guests were Debbie Curtin and Jay Brock.

Land Transfers

Jones County Register of Deeds Bill Parker reports the recording in his office during the past week of the following land transfers:

From Leonard Overbee to Christopher L. Adams one lot in Tuckahoe Township.

From Isaac T. Hill to Lonnie G. Pate .5 acre in Tuckahoe Township

From R. T. Johnston to E. C. Dail one acre in Chinquapin Township.

From John D. Larkins to George R. Hughes one lot in Trenton.

From Manley Howard to Nathan B. Cannon 100 acres in White Oak Township.

Charged with Rape

Nineteen year-old Buddy Williams of Grifton route 2 has been charged with committing rape upon a 12 year-old child in his neighborhood. Both are negroes. The warrant against Williams was signed by the mother of the child and the Sheriff's department says a medical examination has indicated that an attack had been made upon the child and she has reportedly told officers in the Sheriff's Department that the act was not voluntary.

Heavy Loss in Fires That Hit Packbarns

This week Kinston Firemen report heavy loss from fire that has struck two packbarns in Lower Lenoir County, each of which contained a considerable quantity of tobacco.

On the Joe Temple Jr. farm in the Sanday Bottom section Tuesday night at 11:07 loss was estimated at \$10,200 — \$4,000 for the barn and \$6,200 for tobacco.

Sunday on the I. S. Patterson Farm just off Highway US 258 the loss was estimated at \$5,500—\$2,500 for the barn and \$3,000 for tobacco.

County 4-H Club Council Meets Monday

The 4-H County Council met Monday afternoon with Wilson Lowery presiding. About 35 members were present for the important business session.

Susan Parker of Pollockville was appointed to the Extension Advisory Board, representing the 4-H Clubs in the county.

The Skyrocket 4-H Club volunteered to clean up the concession stand during the fair week.

The group voted on first, second and third choices of the 4-H camps and dates for 1962 and the counties they would like to camp with.

Three committees were appointed at the meeting. One was for 4-H Achievement Night on Nov. 11 and on that committee are Betsy Armstrong, Johnny Davis, Faye Haskins, Morris Pike and Robert Collins.

On the nominating committee are Elaine Thomas, William Jarman, Linda Moore, J. N. Hill and Margaret Jones.

On the County Council program planning committee for next year are Betty Becton, chairman, Cathy Stilly, Kenneth Doster and Susan DuVal.

Marriage License

Jones County Register of Deeds Bill Parker reports the issue of the following marriage license during the past week:

Ralph Ernest Lane, 20, of Camp Lejeune to Charlene Marie Scott, 17, of Flint, Michigan.

Herbert DuVal, 22, of Washington, D. C. to Minnie Cheston, 19, of Trenton.

Carl Rouse Brown, 20, of Cypress Creek Township to Mary Jo Dixon, 18, of Richlands.

Monday A Record Day

All money records for the 67-year history of the Kinston Tobacco Market were broken Monday. More dollars paid out than on any one day: \$1,354,242.37, and the highest average price ever paid for a single day: \$68.19. The total poundage sold Monday was 1,986,040. This pushed the season's sales past the 32 million pound mark and showed the money paid out beyond the \$20 million dollar mark.

NEW KINSTON LAWYER

Last Monday Foster Frederick Cheek Jr. of Winston-Salem took his oath of office as an attorney before Superior Court Judge Henry L. Stevens, who was presiding over Lenoir County Superior Court. Cheek will be associated with the law firm of LaRoque and Allen.

Legion Gives City \$2,500 for Lighting Ball Park



Monday night Joseph Dixon Rountree Post 43 American Legion Commander R. E. Cheek gave the Kinston City Council one of its most pleasant surprises in a long time by handing Mayor Guy Elliott a check for \$2,500 to be used in lighting a little league baseball diamond at Teachers Memorial School.

Commander Cheek, before handing the pretty piece of paper to

Mayor Elliott, told the council that Youth Welfare is the major program of the American Legion both in Kinston and in the nation.

Cheek reminded that Post 43 had sponsored Junior American Legion Baseball for many years, had sent boys from the city and county school systems to "Boys' State" for many years, and sponsors a Junior Rifle Team.

The decision to make the \$2,500 donation was a further evidence of the Post's active interest in Youth Welfare. Cheek said he and the Post realized that Kinston had one of the finest recreation departments in the state, but also realized that there was a pressing need for another lighted playground, especially in the neighborhood that is served by Teachers Memorial School.