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Commissioners Draw Two Jury Lists Monday

Monday the Jones County Board of Commissioners drew two lists of jurors; one for the October 29th civil term and the other for the November 26th criminal term of Jones County Superior Court.

The October jury list includes: O. B. Griffin, Edison M. Brown, J. T. Creech, Wesley Jones, Warren Jenkins, Allen Floyd Heath, James Herbert Meadows, Carl A. Smith, Ben Westbrook, Leslie Jenkins.

J. L. Conway, Roy Ball, Melvin Banks, A. W. Nelson, C. Jennings Harriett, Joseph Stallings, Lloyd Dixon, Cecil Adams, H. L. Oxley, Guy A. Tyndall.

Ernest O. Thomas, J. H. Meadows, Ralph E. Jones, Herber Jones, Joe Becton, Jesse Ray Collins, B. T. Phillips, Harris K. Dale, W. H. Pate and Harold Smith.

November Jurors

The November 29th panel of jurors includes: Wayne Mallard, Alton Lee Nobles, Albert Lewis Mallard, James M. Bender, Charlie L. Davis, John H. Toler, Carl S. Killingsworth, James Davis, George R. Simmons, Clayton Turner, E. P. Andrews.

Thomas M. Johnson, Abraham Simmons, Needham Houston, Nelson Conway, Emmett L. Mallard, W. F. McDaniel, Bromo Spivey, Bland Kennedy, Floyd Hughes, Vance Taylor, Roger A. McDaniel, F. R. Mitchell.

J. B. Miller, Bobby Byrd, Gilbert M. Scott, Guy L. Eubanks, Jesse Hill, Richard H. Parker, W. P. Marshburn, Lawt Miller, Dewey Jenkins.

I. D. Hill, E. G. Boyette, R. H. McDaniel, Willie J. Jones, Leon Barrow, J. R. Jarman, Wayne Stillely, Allen Griffin, Fred Koonce and Chris Mercer.

Kinstonian Caught In Wake County

Tommy Coston of Kinston was arrested Tuesday in Fuquay Springs and charged with auto theft, drunken driving and driving without a driving license.

The car was reportedly stolen in Greene County, and at the time of his arrest Coston had a summons

Kinston Group Visits Mississippi to See Sewage Disposal Plants

Twenty-one Kinstonians and three men from Raleigh made a two-day trip this week to Mississippi to see and hear about lagoon-type sewage disposal plants.

Flying from Kinston early Tuesday the group returned to Stallings Field at 10:30 Wednesday night after meeting on Tuesday with the State Sanitation Committee of Mississippi and visiting numerous sewage disposal plants in the Jackson area.

On Wednesday the group visited plants of this same type at Starkville and West Point.

The Raleigh guests for the trip included Earl Hubbard and E. W. Knight of the North Carolina Stream Sanitation Commission and C. W. Mengel, the city's consultant engineer.

Kinstonians making the trip included Mayor Guy Elliott, Alder-

Jones Board Tells State Welfare Funds Cannot be Matched

Welfare items and drawing two panels of jurors were the major items of activity Monday for the Jones County Board of Commissioners.

In the first instance the board instructed its clerk to notify the State Welfare Department that \$3565 requested for matching funds was not available and could not be made available during the current fiscal period.

The board did authorize the transfer of \$1200 from the general fund to the welfare budget for the blind to cover what is listed as a "typographical error" in the Aid-to-The-blind fund that was made during the past fiscal period.

The board also voted to have the welfare offices open from Monday through Friday from 9 to 5 each day, and to not close the offices during lunch hours.

And finally the board authorized Commissioners Fred Foscoe and Harold Mallard to hire two people to supervise the distribution of surplus foods when the county enters that program on November 1st.

Caught In The Act

Kinston Policemen Sam Ives and R. G. Stroud at 2:15 a. m. Wednesday caught 16 year-old Jesse Ray Bryant of Kinston route one as he was in the act of ripping the coin slot from a washing machine in an automatic laundry on the 200 block of East North Street. Kinston police in recent weeks have been plagued with a continuing series of just such thievery in which the damage to coin operated machines has been much worse than the amount of money stolen.

to Lenoir County courts to answer to a drunken driving charge.

He will be tried first in Wake County, then in Greene and finally in Lenoir for the lengthening list of violations.

man Simon Sitterson Jr., Carl Wooten and Mansfield Creach, City Manager Jim Blue and City Engineer Billy Baker.

Jake Strother, Jack Hankins, J. V. Brittle, Jim Billings, Larry Neuhoff, Ed Lilly, Waite Howard, Jack Oakes, Oliver Anderson, Dr. L. E. Kling, Phillip Fordham, Milton Williams, Speight Stroud and Thomas Faulkner, completed the group.

The City of Kinston is faced with an order that forces it to have in operation by January 1, 1965 a sewage disposal plant that will meet the specifications of the State Stream Sanitation Committee.

Preliminary estimates indicate that the project will cost considerably more than two million dollars, and city officials wanted to explore as fully as possible the most logical and most economical ways of making such a large investment of the tax payers' money.

Maysville Firemen Set Date for Christmas Party, December 13

Robert Mattocks presided at the Monday evening meeting of the Maysville Fire Department at the community building.

Plans were discussed for their Christmas party and the date was set for Thursday night, December 13. Mattocks will appoint a committee to make the necessary arrangements.

The group also made plans to begin work on the addition to the fire house which will include a kitchen and all facilities. After this completion, the men plan to meet at the fire house. Construction is to get underway in the very near future.

Later the men, served by Albert Bracey, Merle Jones, Harold Brown and William Earl Mattocks, enjoyed a barbeque supper with all the trimmings. There were approximately 40 members present.

Jones One of Five Counties Competing for State Fair's Highest Exhibition Awards

North Carolina's Board of Farm Organizations and Agencies, which sponsors the State Fair "County Programs", has invited Jones County to present an exhibit this year depicting a phase of its agricultural program.

Jones County, along with Buncombe, Johnston, Sampson, and Wake Counties, were chosen to participate in the program on the basis of recommendations from the several district representatives of organizations and agencies which make up the Board.

Many Jones County educational agencies will participate in developing the exhibit's central topic, "Education . . . Key to Progress". Work was begun on the project last May.

In presenting the exhibit, Jones County will be in competition with the four other counties for the highest single award offered by the Fair, a first place premium of \$650. Second premium is \$500, and the other three awards are \$450 each.

The "County Program" was adopted by the allied agricultural agencies of the state in 1959 as a theme for the general development of farm community life in the state. Since then, Newspapers, broadcasting associations, and financial and commercial organizations have backed the program vigorously, turning it into a forceful element in the progress of the United Agricultural Program.

Fair officials have emphasized to

County Agent Asks Consideration for New Ag Building

Monday Lenoir County Farm Agent Joe Koonce appeared before the county commissioners and asked them to give serious consideration to the construction of a new and more adequate agricultural building.

Suggestions a year ago that the county swap the city the ag building for the old city hall were summarily rejected by both the extension department and county officials.

The city sought the ag building site so that it would have control of the full frontage on King Street of the 200 block where the new city hall is located.

The board listened to Koonce's request, but took no action.

Week of Court Removes 305 Cases from Criminal Docket; Gives 3 Divorces

Self Defense Ruled In Father's Killing Son of August 16th

Judge Henry Stevens of Warsaw issued a directed verdict of not guilty last week after hearing the state's evidence against 55 year-old Frank Farrow of New Bern route 3.

Farrow was charged with murder in the shotgun slaying of his 25 year-old son, Collet, on the night of August 16th.

The evidence before the court tended to indicate that the father only fired to prevent being cut by his son who was advancing on him with an open knife in his hand, while in a drunken rage.

Dime-A-Dip Supper

The WSCS of the Maysville Methodist church will sponsor a Dime-A-Dip Supper which is to be held Thursday evening October 11 at the community building. Serving will begin at 6 p.m., lasting until 8. Proceeds will be applied to building fund for the educational building.

Four Jailed; One Man Asked to Be Put 'In'

During the past week Jones County Sheriff Brown Yates reports the arrest of four men, one of whom decided that he needed to be shut up for a while to sober up. He was Jack Grimsley of Pollocksville route 1, whose request was honored and he was jailed on charges of public drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

James Shackelford of Hookerton and Isaac Morgan of Kinston were also jailed for public drunkenness and David Leo Perry of Dover route 2 was accused of reckless driving.

Pilgrim Home Revival

A series of revival services will be held each night next week at 7:45 in Pilgrim Home Free Will Baptist Church with Willie Stillely of Bridgeton in the pulpit. And the week of services will end with the annual Homecoming on Sunday, October 14th. All members of the congregation are urged to attend the revival and the homecoming and the public is invited to any of the services between the 8th and 13th.

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Bookmobile Schedule

Friday, October 5
Wyse Forks — 10: a. m.
Gaylord Green's Store — 11:30 a. m.
Wayne Harper Store — 1:30 p. m.
Leslie White Store — 2:30 p. m.

Friday, October 12
Pleasant Hill — 10 a. m.
Howard's Store — 11:30 a. m.
Comfort — Fannie Nicholson Home — 1 p. m.
Whaley's Store — Hargett Crossroads — 2:30 p. m.
Doc Jones Store — 3:30 p. m.

An extremely busy week of Jones County Superior Court presided over last week by Judge Henry Stevens saw a total of 305 criminal charges cleared from the court docket and three divorces granted.

A vast majority of the criminal charges arose from speeding indictments on US 17, from which 252 pleas of guilty in absentia were accepted by the court. Fines in these ranged from about \$30 to \$80.

Drunken Driving

Cases before the court also included a large number of traffic indictments. Among these were 11 charges of drunken driving. Wesley Harding Gaskill was found not guilty of drunken driving and a similar charge against William Thomas Sessoms was not pressed. Those who were convicted or pled guilty to drunken driving were fined \$100 and the court costs and lost their driving license for one year. They included Jake Lee Smith, Wayne Whitty Parker, Mainous Corbett, Vann Patrick Bender, Edward N. Lawless, Annie Murphy Hill, Salem Frazer Koonce, Harold Mercer Whaley and Jonas Guy Turner.

Driving Without License

Those found guilty of driving without a driving license or with an expired driving license were fined \$25 and the court costs. This list included John Alfred Franks, J. D. Dawson, Elvie "Pete" Jones, Deb Loftin, William Henry Humphrey, Rosa Lee Hatchell, Warren Jenkins, Herbert Benjamin West, Hosey Staten and Edwin Wallace Webb. Miss Hatchell was also charged with violating the liquor laws, for which her car was ordered confiscated.

Other Speeding Cases

Cases not included in the US 17 pleas of guilty in absentia that involved speeding were heard against the following: Brodie Earl Stevens, and Guy Herman Hopewell Jr. both processed, John Hubert Brookshire \$25, Phillip Hollowich \$30, Angelo Demola \$40, Franklin Mervin \$10, Willie Lee Bryant \$25, Johnny Council Jackson \$25, Lewis Buck Kinsey (90 miles per hour), \$50, Raymond Arnette Jr. \$25, Horace Perry Jr. \$40, Hal Preston Potter \$25.

Liquor Charges

The following heard the included judgments for violating the liquor laws: Wilber Metts \$10, James Leroy Thompson \$25, Esley Koonce \$10, Furney Mundine nol pressed, Bobby Ray Roberts, James William Turnage, John Allen Turnage and Jesse Williams all to pay costs, David Williams not guilty.

Miscellany

Other cases included Robert Whiffled assault with a deadly weapon, pay costs and gun confiscated; Jesse James Brimmer not guilty of non-support; Benjamin T. Murrell pay costs for assault and disorderly conduct; Rosa Lee Hatchell not guilty of assault with a deadly weapon; J. D. Cottle nol pressed one bad check charge and ordered to pay \$75 into court for Bill Jones in another charge; Jimmy Lee Toodle was fined \$50 for reckless driving, Floyd Heath had a charge of driving on the wrong side of the road nol pressed, Monroe Mercer had a \$100 fine remitted for shooting a doe deer and William Jasper Rhodes was given five years in prison for sticking up the Wyse Forks ABC store.

Three Divorces

The couples divorced during the weekend included Dora MacKenzie Bender from Claude Bender, Guie D. Hill from Rosetta Kennedy Hill and Mary H. Green from William Etha Green.