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Numerous Speeding Charges Heard in Jones Recorders Court

Last Friday's session of Recorder's Court for Jones County was a light one as Judge Joe H. Becton continued his policy of leniency toward defendants who were predominantly traffic offenders.

Of the cases that actually came before Judge Becton for decisions, William Aubrey Dixon of Wilmington and Hiram Paul Hood of 1125 George Street in New Bern were given prayers for judgment continued on payment of costs for speeding 70 mph in 60 mph zones.

Joseph Taylor of Camp Lejeune, who was charged with speeding 70 mph in a 60 mph zone, had his case not prossed, and Clyde Kinsey of Pollocksville had the non-support case against him dismissed by Judge Becton.

The bulk of those cases in which defendants waived appearance and paid fines and costs stemmed from speeding charges. Bernice Hudson Scott of 304 West Highland Avenue in Kinston paid \$31 for speeding 70 in a 55 mph zone; PFC Dennis E. Cotter of Evansville, Indiana, paid \$26 for speeding 70 in a 60 mph zone; John Sandlin Hargett of Trenton paid \$29.50 for doing 70 in a 60 mph zone; Adolphus Pilston Godwin III of Raleigh paid \$26 for speeding 70 in a 60 mph zone; David Thomas Miller of Ernul paid \$31 for speeding 75 in a 60 mph zone; and, Sergeant J. C. Harriss of Oceanside, California paid \$26 for speeding 70 in a 60 mph zone.

In the miscellaneous department, Arnold Lester Brinson of Route 2 Richlands paid out \$13 for disobeying a stop sign; Council Lee Foy of Pollocksville forfeited \$13 for not having an inspection certificate; Gerald Alphonza Jarman of Route 3 New Bern lost \$13 for displaying an invalid inspection certificate; J. W. Hill, of Pollocksville paid \$45.18 in restitution for a worthless check; and, John Sandlin Hargett of Trenton paid \$16.50 for not complying with inspection laws.

Republican Hopeful



Arnold "Red" Tingle of Snow Hill route 3 this week announced that he would be a candidate for the state house of representatives from the ninth district which includes Greene, Lenoir and Jones counties. Tingle, a Du Pont employee, is 42

Maysville Council Has Busy Session on Different Items

At the recent town meeting in Maysville presided over by Mayor Nolan Jones, a letter from Senator B. Everett Jordan was read notifying the Mayor of hearings to come on the possibility of locating a radio station in Maysville. According to Senator Jordan's letter, no date for the hearing has been set.

In other activity, Edward Parker of the Jones County Health Department informed the town officials that the Health Department enforce the ordinance governing open sewers.

Parker also discussed at length the new laws regarding ambulance service. Some of the things discussed in connection with the plan to form a volunteer rescue squad in Maysville were: (1) Application to State Board for license to operate, (2) Health Department inspection and report, (3) Requirement of at least one first-aid trained person in ambulance, (4) Ambulance must be inspected every six months, (5) Driver of ambulance must be at least 18 years old, healthy, and licensed to operate the vehicle.

M. F. Clark of Clark's Funeral Home attended the meeting and offered to lease a 1962 Cadillac for rescue service. Jones County Coroner Dr. G. W. Davenport of Trenton is to be contacted for further information in the matter.

Everette L. Meadows and Franklin Riggs inquired about the possibility of opening a

Dignitaries Set for January 27 Exercise At Federal Building

An impressive list of dignitaries is scheduled to appear at the dedication services for the Federal Building and United States Post Office in Trenton on January 27, 1968.

Senator Sam J. Ervin Jr. will deliver the dedicatory address for the building that was completed nearly a year ago. Other guests include Chief Judge Algernon L. Butler of United States District Court, Eastern District of North Carolina; United States Attorney Robert H. Cowan; Chief Probation Officer Kirkwood L. Hanrahan; United States District Court Clerk Samuel H. Howard; and United States Marshal Hugh Salter.

The dedication of the building has been delayed until the parking lot could be paved and Senator Ervin could be free of pressing senatorial duties.

The building, which is located next to the Jones County Court house, houses six offices besides serving as the Trenton Post Office. These offices are: Judge John D. Larkins, Selective Service, Federal Crop Insurance, Soil Conservation, Farm Home Administration, and General Services Administration.

street beside Meadow's home where he intends to establish a business. The Board gave its consent to the request since it felt that another business in a residential district would not make any difference.

The Clerk was instructed to notify the Highway Patrol that automobiles are being parked on both sides of the street and in both directions on Highway 17 and that this constitutes a traffic danger.

Mayor Thompson Says Small Has Failed To Appear to Press His Complaints

In a rebuttal to the "do-nothing" charge made against him last week by Dewey Small, Trenton Mayor Dr. John H. Thompson said recently that he knew that the city dump situation was bad and that no one was more eager to have something done than he, but that he had "invited Small and other discontented persons several times to come to the town meetings and air their grievances where they could be discussed."

Thompson said that Small had not attended any meetings since he had become mayor and that he thought the main problem was one of lack of communication. Thompson quoted Small as having said that he (Small) "didn't have time to attend town meetings" to which Thompson said that he replied he didn't have the time either but that he somehow managed to go.

When asked about Small's allegation that "someone has offered a place to move the dump to," Thompson said, "It is not

true. I do not know of any such proposal."

Small has been trying for some time to have something done about the trash dump which he says is a menace to his residence and slaughterhouse business. Small says that he has had no cooperation from the Trenton Town Board although there are more than a hundred people besides himself interested in getting the dump moved.

Three Jones Arrests During Past Week

The Jones County Sheriff's Department reports the following arrests during the past week: James W. Hill of Route 1 Pollocksville was picked up by Deputy Sheriff Milton Arthur and Constable C. N. Mallard on a capias.

John Haywood Davis of Pollocksville was charged by Patrolman C. W. Oakley with speeding 100 miles per hour.

Jasper Roy Payton also of Pollocksville was picked up by Patrolman R. B. Mason and charged with careless and reckless driving and driving while his license was revoked.

The R. L. Edwards Are Retiring Soon After 31 Years Serving Trentonians

R. L. Edwards is going out of the hardware and general merchandise business after 36 years in Trenton. Everything in the three-story brick building on Jones Street will be sold at an average discount of fifty per cent and the building itself which was erected in 1917 by the Woodmen of the World is to be rented, leased, or sold.

The items on sale are too numerous to list completely but a rundown of a few should bring back memories to several age groups. In the hardware section there is a cotton scales with pea and a wooden bucket.

In the kitchenware department there are Atlas jars and lids.

In the clothing line are available long-john underwear complete with trap-door and knee socks for children that date from the knickers era.

Also on sale are regular cigarettes and cigars and for those who have not forgotten how there are gummed cigarette papers and loose tobacco for rolling-your-own.

A trip through the store will reward one with such sights as an old-fashioned fly-sprayer with spray, kerosene lamps and lamp shades, ladies shoes of a bygone time, bathing suits of the early fifties and many other items of use and interest.

Edwards said that he opened the store in 1931 with savings that he had accumulated on a salary of \$65 a month. "Times were hard during the Depression," Edwards said, "And sometimes we didn't know if we were going to make it or not." The

Edwards, she is the former Esther Jernigan, have been married 41 years and plan to retire in the near future.

Eagle Season Passes Available Now; Give One to a Fan

Although April 16 is still quite far away 1968 season tickets for the 70 home games of the Kinston Eagles were on sale this week, and in numerous places.

This \$20 bargain is still the best buy in sports. Those who have receipt books and who will be happy to accommodate fans who want to get their names in the baseball pot early are:

Reuben Davis, David Broadway, Lynwood Kennedy, Dr. Clifford Cox, Mansfield Creech, Zeke Creech, Joe Hill, Bill Worthington, Buddy Haupt, Whalen Wallace, Marvin Kornegay, Jeff Kilpatrick, Bob Hill, Joe Hardy, Fred Hickock, Kenneth Edwards, Billy Woodard, David Nelson, Jerry Mansfield, Jack Wooten, Hyman Bizzell and Jack Rider.

FUNNY MONEY FOUND

Over the weekend all three of New Bern's banks wound up with some counterfeit \$20 bills. The funny money had been passed to grocers, filling stations and merchants in every part of the county. This is the second appearance of these bogus bills in two months in Craven County.

The Christmas Story

And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed.

And this taxing was first made when Cyrenius was governor of Syria.

And all went to be taxed, everyone to his own city.

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; because he was of the house and lineage of David.

To be taxed with Mary, his espoused wife, being great with child.

And so it was that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.

And she brought forth her first born son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.

And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

