

45 Students

Ask Trial

By Jury

In a surprise move, the 45 college students involved in downtown sitdown lunch counter agitation asked for a jury trial yesterday in Municipal - County Court.

Judge Hampton H o w e r t o n granted the request of Kenneth Lee, attorney for the group, and ordered the 45 students to post \$25 bonds for appearance in Guilford Superior Court for the June 13 term.

The students, including two white girls, were arrested on trespass charges at the S. H. Kress and Co. South Elm Street lunch counter April 21 after the store manager had warned them they would be arrested if they took seats at the counter.

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Lee made the motion for jury trial shortly after court opened, and the matter was handled within a few minutes. The courtroom was c r o w d e d, and the crowd contained a number of Greensboro Negro professional men.

In other action, the court granted a continuance of a manslaughter case to June 24. Sylvia L. McNeil, 21, of Asheboro, is accused in the highway fatality of Jack Voss. Voss was injured in the collision last Nov. 28 and died Dec. 10.

J. T. Adams of 1909 Marion St., convicted last week of allowing a vicious dog to run at large, appealed to Superior Court. Adams had been given a 30-day suspended term and had been fined \$1 and costs.

Other Cases

Worthless check convictions resulted in a two-year active sentence for Robert N. James of 2511 Freeman Mill Road. Vande E. Cuthrell, 46, of 1117 Freeman Mill Road, was fined \$100 and costs for allowing an intoxicated person to drive his car.

Johnny S. Saunders, 27, of 2104-B Perkins St., was fined \$70 and costs on assault and carrying concealed weapon charges.

Convicted of indecent conduct and fined \$50 and costs, Robert Scott, 25, of 729 Morningside Court, appealed to Superior Court.