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io arrested dispatcher Mary av before Magistrate J. Ho-: said. Greene issued a war-

partner with the police de-'active in the investigation

"too busy with coal miners" that a complaint had been make arrangements to bring aid.

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Adier indicated ins. Coleman work emer a not good pe disqualification, the case can be ident in Magis rate Court or by the mayor, in the judge's absence.

In order to initiate proceedium | magistrate court, an officer signs a complaint and the magistrate issues a varrant, Brouse said.

This procedure has been followed "in similar cases where the judge has disqualified himself," Brouse said.

Following her intoxication are st. Ms. Coleman signed a four-page complaint charging "police harassment, until to tree, false arrest, threat to physical health, mental anguish (and) conspirace an a result of an alleged mishandling of a firearm involving Sgt. J.E. O'Ne din the EOC in November and the arrest.

The statement says that while she was attending a Dec. 5 party at the Raleigh County Armory, Ms. Coleman's purse containing our keys and money was stolen. As she completed a report concarning the theft, she was arrested by Daniels, O'Neill and Patrolman J.S. Zilliachi for intoxication and was booked in Raleigh

Officers involved have declined comment.

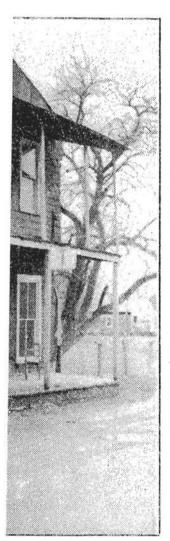
Ms. Coleman gave a copy of her statement March 7 to Neckley Newspapers

Ray Smith, who was the EOC's sole director and currently is a ini-commissi member, said earlier he was unaware of the alleged firearra incident until after Ms. Coleman's arrest.

Chief Thomas C. Durrett earlier asked that a trial date be get because "it has been determined the intoxication charge had nothing to do with the allegations against the officer (O'Neill).'

Ms. Coleman's statement says O'Neill held a gan barrel on her neck.

Durrett described the alleged firearm incident as "clowning" and launched an internal investigation which was concluded recently. He said the mayor would make the final decision concerning what action, if any, would be taken against the police officer.



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