

### BEULAVILLE

Mrs. Gib Batchelor left Tuesday for Duke Hospital, Durham, where she is taking her little daughter, Ramona, for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kennedy spent Thursday in Kinston.

John William Sandlin, familiarly known to this community as "Uncle Bud," whose death occurred at his home early Saturday morning, was buried Sunday afternoon in the family cemetery.

The Athletic Department of the High School sponsored a performance by the Tobacco Togs in the High School auditorium Monday

night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Dobson, Miss Kathryn Dobson and Yates Dobson spent Monday afternoon in Kinston.

Mrs. Peyton Whaley is at Duke Hospital, Durham, for an operation.

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. Eddie H. Thigpen Tuesday afternoon.

Ninth grade students, teachers and invited guests enjoyed a swimming party and picnic at Mumford's Point Tuesday.

Mrs. R. E. Quisen and Mrs. C. G. Sandlin have returned to their homes in Raleigh after visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vines and

children, Gloria and Blanton, of Buffalo, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vines of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Dobson and children, Eloise and Edward, of Kenansville, and Mrs. Alderman Dobson and little daughter, Lois, of Kenansville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Dobson, Tuesday afternoon.

The Senior class of the Beulaville High school with teacher and friends enjoyed a picnic and swimming party at Mumford's Point Friday.

Miss Kathryn Dobson, Miss Arlene Edwards and Miss Dorothy Albertson leave September 28th for Greenville, where they will be students at E. C. T. C. during the next session.

Norman Williams left Thursday for Raleigh where he entered State College, and Waddell Brinson, has gone to Rocky Mount, to enter a business college. Both of these young men were graduates of the 1937 class of Beulaville High School.

M. M. Thigpen was a business visitor to Goldsboro and Kinston Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Jones and children spent Sunday with relatives at Cypress Creek.

Miss Vivian Pike, of Kinston, was the guest of Mrs. J. H. Whaley Friday.

A number of young people from here attended the dance at Jacksonville Friday night.

was made of casing; and the planting of wheat and oats was discussed with the tenant. The poultry specialist discussed poultry problems, such as feeding poultry for egg production and the need of cleaning, repairing, and building the chickens houses and coops.

Tenants were particularly asked during this visit about the soybean seed that had been given to a demonstrator on each farm. They were most enthusiastic about the growth and yield of the beans. All of them had prepared and served them. The children in particular liked them, but the grown people shook their heads.

Tenants were encouraged to make minor repairs to the houses in order to let landowners know that they were willing to improve the house if materials were available. Improvements to yards and outbuildings were also discussed in an effort to arouse the tenant's interest in making their homes more comfortable and attractive.

As a further means of stimulating the tenant's interest in his food supply and home conditions, farm tours were planned on each farm. The man and woman in each home were asked to meet the landowner, the home agent, and other interested people at an appointed place on the farm. The group was then asked to go from home to home to see the food supply. Each family was asked to arrange a food exhibit on the kitchen table and to have their record of the year's work placed with it. They were asked to put out all canned products, a peck of meal, a bag of flour, a peck of sweet potatoes, a dozen eggs, a pound of butter, a gallon of sirup, a peck of dried peas, a peck of beans, and a peck of peanuts. They also were requested to keep the chickens and crows shut up so that the agent might see the livestock during the visit to each home.

Based on the experience of the two previous years, a more detailed 3-year program for the plantation demonstration was prepared in 1936. This long-time plan continues the production program and adds in the second and third years more work in simple meal planning and preparation, beautifying the home grounds, a minimum kitchen utensil plan, demonstrations on home-made kitchen equipment, and help with the family clothing problems.

It is the plan to gradually spread the plantation demonstrations over the State by adding a few new counties each year. For the past year records were received from 24 white and 87 Negro tenants in 6 counties. This year there are 11 counties enlisted in the work.

The improvement shown in the living conditions by the majority of those undertaking the demonstration, the increasing interest of the landlord, and, most of all, the deep appreciation as expressed by the tenants for this interest and help in their truly difficult problems make the plantation demonstration a most gratifying undertaking.

Oldest Customs House

The oldest customs house built within the boundaries of the 13 original colonies is in the new Colonial National Historical park at Yorktown, Va.

### Magnolia P. T. A. Holds First Meet

The Parent Teacher Association of Magnolia High School held its first meeting of the present school year, Monday night, September 6th. Approximately 150 parents were present, who exhibited much interest in the work outlined for the coming months. Of this number 44 called as active members. The main objective of the association for this year is to raise \$750 for the purpose of constructing a new gymnasium.

After the meeting adjourned, a social hour was enjoyed at which time refreshments were served.

The regular meetings of the P. T. A. are held the first Monday night of each month. The patrons are urged to attend and learn more about the school activities, which should be of vital interest to them. Interesting programs are also prepared for these meetings. Through cooperation of parents and teachers much good can be accomplished for the child, which, otherwise could not be done.

### Blind Begged Food

An army surgeon reveals that Old Point Comfort, originally called Cape Comfort by the English who first established the first permanent colony at Jamestown, has been continuously fortified for a longer period than any other spot in the United States. Old Point Comfort, jutting into the Chesapeake at the tip of the Virginia peninsula, and famous for more than a century, was first fortified with rude earthworks thrown up in 1609 as a protection against Spanish gun war. From this simple beginning has grown Fort Monroe, largest enclosed military reservation in the world.

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### County Court

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Herbert K. Adams, operating auto after driver's license revoked, drunk and disorderly, and public nuisance. 10 days in jail. Also charged with assault on a female with a deadly weapon. 10 days in jail to begin on expiration of previous sentence.

James Mobley, assault and disturbing the peace. Not guilty.

### All-Day Picnic Blizzard's Store

A all-day picnic will be held at Blizzard's store at Beulaville, on Saturday, September 18th. There will be dancing, music furnished by Smut Baits string band. Lunch will be served, and everybody is invited.

### Helping S. C. Tenant Farmers Help Themselves

By GUY A. CARDWELL

"Agents encouraged and worked with tenants on gardening. Illustrates lecture demonstrations in canning berries, tomatoes, and vegetables were given to white tenant in each of the counties. In Barnwell County, the agent organized the white women on the Porter farm into a club and held monthly meetings with them. The women are very much interested in the program.

During the late summer the marketing and poultry specialists and home agent visited each of the tenant homes. Fall and winter gardens were emphasized; a check

### Stanly Farmers Grow Lespedeza In Quantities

Stanly County farmers swear by their lespedeza, the county's main legume crop, said John W. Arts, farm agent of the State College extension service.

The N. C. Farm Forecaster has reported 30,250 acres of lespedeza growing on Stanly County's 8,728 farms this year, an average of 11 acres to the farm.

Lespedeza is sown mostly on wheat and oats in January and February. The growers use it for pasture, soil improvement, erosion control, roughage production, and as a source of cash income from the sale of seed.

During the first two or three weeks of September, mowing lespedeza for hay constitutes the county's main farm activity as farmers stow away great quantities of this nutritious legume, Arts pointed out.

Judging from the abundant growth and good stands of clover also found over the county, he continued, all available barn space will be utilized this season for hay storage.

Good legume hay makes a mighty fine dairy and stock feed, the agent commented, and it cuts the cost of maintaining farm animals in good health and productivity.

On a recent farm tour of the county, the farmers were particularly impressed by a stand of Kobe lespedeza 16 inches high on Dan Kinson's place.

The lespedeza was sown last February on a wheat crop that had been fertilized with a 3-13-6 mixture. The land had been treated within the last two years with agricultural lime at the rate of one ton to the acre.

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