

Joe Lanier

SON of A

Yesterday in Raleigh, Duplin and Jones counties officially got themselves a new representative in the House as Wendell Murphy was sworn in. If this young agribusinessman from Rose Hill is one-tenth as successful in Raleigh as he has been in private business. Duplin and Jones County will reap many benefits. . . There was a whole lot of swearing-in going on in Raleigh yesterday. It was a swearing time in a swearing town. There was another swearing-in ceremony in which Duplin and Jones County will both be well represented, and that was when Senator Harold Hardison once again took his oath of office. With these two men looking out for our interests in Raleigh, I think we will be in the good for two years. . . We will watch and

It seems those folks in Washington who are trying to make things work like a utopia and have no foresight, have once helped us by costing us. This time it was the telephone long distance monopoly they broke up. . And, thanks to them, we will be looking at telephone bills from double to triple what they are now. Of course long distance bills will be less. and this will help a few, but the majority of the telephone users will find their bills .If all the informarising. tion being printed and talked about is correct about the changes in the telephone rates, then it will be cheaper to call a person in Kalamazon. Michigan, and have them call your neighbor and relay your message cheaper than for you to call your next-door neighbor.

If you think politicians are a bunch that don't look out for themselves. I suggest you consider the latest nerease in salary they just added for themselves - some over \$9,000. The Congressmen in Washington, I am talking .Sometime before about. this past election, a couple of options were passed with some fancy lawyer wording that no one really paid any attention to - that is outside

of the politicians themselves. .This new rule, or option or bill or whatever you might want to call it - said in simple terms. . . The Congressmen or Congresspersons, whichever, were to receive a cost-of-living increase of, let's say, \$16,000.

. . Now, it is a multiple-choice rule. . . If you vote "no" for the \$16,000, you automatically get \$9,000. .However, both options cannot be voted away. . . If you vote against one, you get the other. . . So the Congressmen can come home and say, "I voted against the big raise. However, the other Congressmen made me take a \$9,000 raise." . .That may sound amusing, but there are plenty of people whose total salary does not amount to that increase, and these people are paying taxes to make that increase possible.

If you would like to see some old photographs of Duplin County, the place to be is the Rose Hill Restaurant on Saturday at the Historical Society meeting. Sonny Sykes has gone about Duplin County photographing some treasured family pictures. He now has them on slides and will show them Saturday at 12 noon. . . Son-of-a-Gun. . .

BOARD OF HEALTH

Harry Carlton of Wallace was re-elected chairman of the Board of Health at a recent meeting in Rose Hill. Beulaville's Donna Thigpen was elected vice chairman.

Other members reappointed were Margarette Kenan, Dr. J.M. Kornegay and Russell Bostic.

Members of the board also include Dr. Steve Griffith. William Richards and Allen Nethercutt.

GRATITUDE EXPRESSED

Dan Newkirk and family wish to express their sincere gratitude to the Kenansville Jaycees. Quinn Company.

Quaker Oats, Jackson's IGA and Kenansville Elementary School for the pancake supper benefit. Also, many thanks to the Socialites Club and Esquire Club for their private donations, and to the Duplin County Shriners for their donation of several cords of firewood.

Legal **Notices**

TOWN OF KENANSVILLE DUPLIN COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA

ADVERTISEMENT FOR SEALED BIDS OF SURPLUS PROPERTY UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of a resolution duly adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Kenansville, North Carolina, declaring the property hereinafter described as surplus and ordering it sold, notice is hereby given that the following described property will be offered for sale upon sealed bids at the Town Hall in Kenansville, North Carolina. which bids will be opened publicly at 11:00 o'clock A.M. on the 31st day of January, 1983, said property

being described as follows: One (1) 1973 Ford Garbage Truck ID # F60DCQ83973 Eleven (11) four (4") inch fire hydrants Three (3) six (6") inch fire

The personal property described above may be inspected or bid instructions may be obtained by contacting Tyson Bostic or Stan Ricker, at the Town Hall in Kenansville, North Carolina

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids and to award the contract to the bidder which in the opinion of said Board is the highest responsible bidder, and whose bid is most beneficial to the interest of Town of Kenashville This 10th day of January 1983.

Mary Anne Jenkins Town Clerk William E. Craft 1-20-2t-TOK-44

NORTH CAROLINA **DUPLIN COUNTY**

NOTICE OF SALE Under and by virtue of the order entered by the Superior Court of Duplin County on Decembe 1982 in case number 82 SP entitled "In the matter of Myrtle Court approved the sale of some of her property by her trustee, W. Dorth Langston, Jr. and appointed the undersigned commissioner for sale, the undersigned trustee will

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offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, on the premises in Duplin County, North Carolina, at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, February 4, 1983 two tracts of the land of Myrtle Jones Williamson, the said tracts of land situated in Wolfescrape Township, Duplin County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

TRACT ONE BEGINNING at a nail in the center line of N S.R. 1559, the northwestern property of A.M. Malpass Deed Book 503, Page 382

Malpass Deed Book 503, Page 382 and the northeastern corner of Myrtle J. Williamson Deed
Page: thence leaving said road 5.08° 52' C5'' E. 9.01 feet to an existing iron axie; thence S.08° 52' 06'' E. 20.99 feet to an iron pipe set; thence S. 08° 52' 06'' E. 1271.00 feet to an iron pipe set in the center of a ditch; thence with said ditch S. 84° 35' 20" W. 354 26 feet to an iron pipe set; thence leaving said ditch and with the eastern property corner of Donnell Bell Deed Book 55, Page 395 N. 07° 48' 35" E. 1263.49 feet to an iron pipe set in the southern right of way of said road; thence N. 07° 48' 35" E. 30.00 feet to a nail set in the center line of said road; thence with said road N. 83° 30' E. 33.00 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING containing 10.18 acres including said right of way as surveyed by W. Hillman Ray, Jr., Registered Land Surveyor, November 8, 1982. TRACT TWO

COMMENCING at an existing nail in the intersection of N.C.S.R. 1559 and N.C.S.R. 1372; thence with the center line of N.C.S.R. 1372 S. 10° 45′ 50° E. 719.62 feet nail set in said road. THE POINT OF BEGINNING: thence leaving said road and with the center line of a ditch along the southern property line of Johnnie McWells Deed Book 488, Page 317 S 79° 36' E. 103.43 feet to an existing iron pipe; thence S. 72° 11' 05' E. 248.96 feet to an iron set, thence S. 67° 29' 45" E. 45.63 feet to an iron pipe set; thence S. 87° 01' 20' E. 585. 64 feet to an iron pipe set; thence with the Donnell Bell property line Deed Book 553, Page 395, S. 08° 16° 10° E. 353.56 feet to an existing iron axle: thence N. 84° 35° 20° E. 684.26 feet to an iron pipe set in the western boundary line of A.M. Malpass Deed Book 503, Page 383; thence S. 10° 53' 53' W. 1130.97 feet to an existing angle iron in the Johnnie McWells property line; thence with the McWells property line N. 73° 46° 50° W. 125.88 feet to an iron pipe set; thence leavin said McWells line N. 13° 49' 01' E. 386.89 feet to an iron pipe set. hence N. 28° 49' 43" W. 78.31 feet to an iron pipe set; theace N 63° 40' 15" W. 381.59 feet to an iron pipe set, therice N. 18º 15' 50' W. 196.31 feet to an iron pipe set. thence N. 47° 24' 36" W. 236.32 feet to an iron pipe set; thence N.

02° 58' 24" W. 83.07 feet to an iron pipe set; thence N. 57° 47' 27" W. 171.73 to an iron pipe set; thence N. 03° 15' 33" E. 102.89 feet to an iron pipe set; thence N. 66° 20' 24" W 106.30 feet to an iron pipe set; thence N. 86° 01' 45" W 282.73 feet to an iron pipe set; thence S. 04° 30' W 64.66 feet to an iron pipe set; thence N. 85° 30' W. 234.62 feet to an iron pipe set on the eastern right of way of N.C. S.R. 1372; thence N. 85° 30' W. 31.10 feet to a railroad spike set in the center line of said road; thence with said center line N. 10° 45' 50 W. 252.18 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING containing 13.81 acres, as surveyed by W. Hillman

Ray, Jr. Registered Land Surveyor, November 8, 1982. The tracts will be first offered separately and then together with sale being by whichever method brings the highest price.

The said tracts will be sold without any allocation of crop allotments.

The highest bidder at the sale will be required to post a cash deposit of ten per cent (10%) of Final sale or sales are subject to

Court approval. DATE: December 28, 1982 Farris A. Duncan, Commission Post Office Box 1104 Goldsboro, North Carolina 27530 Telephone: (919) 735-9427

1-27-41-FAD-135

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR Having qualified as Executor of e Last Will and Testament of Mary J. Coston, late of Duplin County, North Carolina, the un-dersigned does hereby notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the estate of said decedent to exhibit them to the undersigned at Rose Hill. North Carolina, on or before the 6th day of July, 1983, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned. This the 30 day of December,

Ed Dudley Monk, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Mary J. Coston Lanier and Hall, Attorneys

at Law P.O. Box 87

Kenansville, N.C. 28349 296-1444

Kenansville, N.C. 28349 Phone (919) 296-1197 1-13-31 WEC-43 the Last Will and Testament of Sybil W. Thigpen, late of Duplin County, North Carolina, the under-

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estate will please make immediate

payment to the undersigned.

This the 30 day of December

Kenneth S. Ball, Executor

of Sybil W. Thigpen

HAYWOOD

of the Last Will and Testament

1982

Lanier and Hall

Attorneys at Law

Kenansville, N.C. 28349 296-1444

DUPLIN COUNTY FILE # 82 CVD 575

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF

JUSTICE DISTRICT COURT DIVISION

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF

by ELLEN FAY CASTEEN, AT-

FAY CASTEEN, INDIVIDUALLY

TO: William Haywood Casteen, one of the above named de-

fendants: Take notice that a pleading

seeking relief against you has been

filed in the above entitled action. The nature of the relief being

sought is as follows: an action fo

Judgment against you for default and non-payment of a promissory

note to Humphrey-Hardison Oil

You are required to make de

fense to such pleading not later than the 8th day of February, 1983.

said date being 40 days from the first publication of this notice, or

from the date complaint is required

to be filed, whichever is later; and upon your failure to do so the party

seeking service against you will apply to the court for the relief

William E. Craft, Attorney

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NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

DUPLIN COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION PETITION BEFORE THE CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT ANGELINE LEACH, Administra-trix For the Estate of FANNIE

WILLIE SAMUEL LEACH TO WILLIE SAMUEL LEACH:

TAKE NOTICE that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above-entitled special proceeding. The nature of the

That respondent, Willie Samuel Leach, is an abandoning spouse within the meaning of G.S.\$31A-1(3), and has lost all right to intestate succession in any part of the estate of Fannie Leach.
You are required to make de

relief being sought is as follows:

fense to such pleading, not later than February 11, 1983 and upon your failure to do so the party seeking service against you will apply to the court for the relief sought.

This the 30th day of December.

MALONE, BROWN & MATTHEWSON, P.A. Glennie M. Matthewson, I Attorney for Petition 705 Kent Stree P.O. Bx 867

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