

DUPLIN 4-H COUNTY COUNCIL MET ON MONDAY FEBRUARY 15

The officers of the 4-H Clubs in Duplin County held their winter county council meeting Monday, February 15th at ten o'clock at the Court House. The president Dempsey Simmons, presided over the strictly business meeting.

After the club song and the club pledge and the roll call the following business was transacted: The encampment will be held this summer at White Lake.

The officers were asked to contact all members and send to the Home or Farm Agent as soon as possible the approximate number from their school. The time for encampment will be the first week in July (8-10). The Spring Rally will be held

April 3rd. Each club will participate in a song and stunt contest, a dress revue and exhibits. All were urged to insist that all projects be up to date, especially the Health Records. The rest of the days program was planned, then there was a move to adjourn.

The following schools were represented:

B. F. Grady, Dempsey Simmons, David Grady and Lehman Williams, Leader.

Kenansville, Ellen Southerland, Edward Sykes and Billie Pickett. Chinguapin, Mrs. Eula Sanderson, leader.

Wallace, Loleta Kenan, Elizabeth Osborne, Dorothy Farris and Mary Katherine Blanchard.

Tobacco Compact Seems To Be Gone With The Wind, Mr. Farmer

It appears certain now that farmers in our section may forget the worries over tobacco compacts. Our General Assembly passed a control act to become effective only after Virginia, South Carolina and Georgia passed similar acts.

South Carolina passed a bill after much pressure had been brought but it appears certain that Georgia will not follow suit because, they say, Florida is increasing its production heavily this year.

Chinquapin Basketeers Playing Bang-Up Ball With Eye On Tourney

In their last three starts the Chinguapin basket ball teams have won as many double headers. Showing improvement in strength throughout the season the teams are priming up for the county tournament to be held early in March and hope to be able to give someone a run for their money, coach Chamblee of the boys team stated.

On February 12 th two teams took the Kenansville teams for a ride on the Kenansville court. The boys took a 21 to 15 decision while the lassies chalked up 36 points to Kenansville's 6.

On the 16th the two teams from the 'pin marched on Wallace and took them for a ride. The boys won 15 to 12 while the girls rolled up a 23 to 9 score.

B. F. Smith Buried Today

B. F. Smith, prominent Smith Township resident, died in a Kingston hospital Wednesday morning at 3:00 o'clock following an illness of 15 days.

Funeral services were held this afternoon from his late home, conducted by the Rev. W. H. Eubanks

of Pink Hill, Presbyterian pastor of Smith's church, assisted by the Rev. H. M. McLamb of the Pink Hill Methodist Church and the Rev. F. L. Goodman of the Kenansville Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Ruth Smith, two sons, Travis and Manley, 4 daughters, Mrs. Ray Smith, Mrs. Grover Rhodes, Dorothy and Virginia, all of Smith Township. Two brothers, C. H. Smith of Smith Township and Joe Smith of Newport News, Va. 4 sisters, Mrs. C. B. Williams, Mrs. M. F. Westbrook, Mrs. Buck Swinson, Miss Fannie Smith and two half-sisters.

Sheppard-Clifton

FAISON, Feb. 15 — Miss Nancy Rebecca Clifton of Faison, became the bride of Marshall Maurice Sheppard of Orrum at five o'clock, Friday afternoon, February 12, in the First Baptist Church, Kinston. The vows were spoken to the Rev. F. N. Cooper, pastor of the Eichlands Baptist Church, Richlands.

The bride was attired in a Navy blue traveling suit, trimmed with grey squirrel and grey accesso-

ries. She wore a beautiful corsage of white roses.

Mr. Sheppard is the daughter of Mrs. King Gibson and the late John M. Clifton of Faison.

She is a graduate of Western Carolina Teachers College, Cullowha, and is teaching in the public schools of Richlands.

Mr. Sheppard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin Sheppard of Orrum. He received his education at Wake Forest College, Wake Forest, and is now acting registrar for La Salle Extension University of Chicago, Ill.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard left for a short wedding trip to an unannounced point.

BRIDAL COUPLE HONORED AT DINNERS

FAISON, Feb. 14th. — Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Maurice Sheppard, who were recently married, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cox entertained with a turkey dinner at the Richlands hotel, Richlands.

The dining room was beautifully decorated with flowers. The dinner was served in three courses, and covers were laid for the following guests:

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Sheppard, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Murray, Miss Fannie K. Lewis, Mr. Lindsey Winstead and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cox.

Before her marriage on February 12, Mrs. Sheppard was Miss Nancy Rebecca Clifton of Faison.

FAYETTEVILLE, Feb. 13th. — Miss Ruth Murchison of Charleston, S. C. and a member of the faculty of the Fayetteville City Schools, entertained with a dinner Saturday, February 13th at the Cotton Boll, Fayetteville, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Maurice Sheppard, bridegroom and bride. Before her marriage, Mrs. Sheppard was Miss Nancy Rebecca Clifton of Faison. The dining room was beautifully decorated. The bridal motif was carried out, and the dinner was served in four courses.

Earle Rogers Makes Debate Team

WAKE FOREST, Feb. 18. — Earle J. Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rogers of Rose Hill, is one of the four debaters who

participated in the 102d annual convention of the founding of Wake Forest College.

Rogers, who is a preliminary contestant was the first to participate in Founders' Day as one of the debaters representing the Euzelian and Philomathean literary societies, debated the affirmative side of the query: "Resolved, That the federal government should own and operate all electrical utilities." The judges awarded the decision to the affirmative Euzelian side of which Rogers was a member.

An academic senior, Rogers is active in extracurricular activities on the Baptist campus. He is a member of the Euzelian literary society, one of the two historic literary societies which have cradled the forensic efforts of such distinguished men as Governors Bickett and Kitchin, John Charles McNeill, late poet laureate of N. Carolina, Thomas Dixon, author of The Clansman and The Leopard's Spots, and all three of N. Carolina's federal judges. Rogers is also president of the C. B. Howard Baptist Training Union, a member of the Mission Study Group, and reporter of the Thursday night section of the Euzelian Literary Society.

Rogers' debate was delivered before an audience consisting of members of the faculty, students and a number of visitors, including Federal Judge Johnson J. Hayes. His debate called forth favor-

In Raleigh From Duplin

Tommy Gresham has been in Raleigh for several days dealing with special legislative amendments. He along with Representative Quinn have a warm welcome of visitors from the county. R. C. Wells, I. Southerland, E. C. Newton and F. J. Goodman were in Raleigh on special business on last Tuesday and while there visited the legislature in session. They were present for most of the three hour argument on the liquor question.

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