



B. F. GRADY SCHOOL

Grady Features Vocational Courses

The B. F. Grady and Outlaw's Bridge Schools are located in the northeastern part of Duplin County. These schools have a combined enrollment of approximately one thousand students.

Besides the regular prescribed subjects, the high school students have the advantage of vocational home economics, agriculture, and typing. Visual education is stressed throughout the schools.

Six additional classrooms are in the process of construction at the B. F. Grady School and it is hoped that these rooms will be in use within the near future. When the building program is completed this fall, Grady School will have a new school cafeteria also. The agriculture department will be able to expand through the use of the rooms that have previously been used for lunch room purposes. A new milk refrigerator and venetian blinds have been purchased for the cafeteria. Venetian blinds have also been installed in the teacherage. Additional equipment has been purchased for the commercial department. The home economics department has been repainted and some new sewing machines have been added.

The teaching staff of the B. F. Grady School consists of the following: Prof. H. M. Wells, Principal, Miss Margaret Smith, Mrs. Alice Davis, Miss Mary Anna Grady, Miss Lillian Hoffer, Miss Thelma Dilday, E. Mortor Sills, J. E. Dotson, Miss Ruth Taylor, Miss Madeline Carswell, Mrs. Effie Outlaw, Mrs. Mary Stroud, Mrs. Katie Rowell, Mrs. V. R. Garner, Mrs. Mary Dotson, Mrs. Henrietta Grady, Mrs. Mamie Fordham, Mrs. Josie Smith, Mrs. Louise H. Wells, Mrs. Hazel R. Kornegay, Mrs. Carrie Outlaw, Miss Bessie Kornegay, Shirley Max Smith, Billy Smith, Miss Catherine Stokes, and Mrs. Doris T. Byrd, public school music.

The Outlaw's Bridge teachers are Wilbur Williams, Miss Rachel Outlaw, Mrs. Lucy O. Smith and Miss Sallie Outlaw.

Agriculture Department—J. H. Dotson, Instructor
The Vocational Agriculture Department of B. F. Grady School is now emphasizing three phases of instruction. We have enrolled in training one hundred sixty World War II veteran trainees, approximately seventy all-day students of Vocational Agriculture; and forty adult farmers—making a total of two hundred seventy students. The veterans program has seven full-time instructors and is supervised by the vocational agriculture teacher, J. H. Dotson.

There are ample supplies and equipment for properly carrying the tremendous load of instruction expected. There is a total of 7,138 square feet of floor space, which makes our plant one of the largest in the state. The value of our plant and equipment is approximately \$70,000.

The department emphasizes visual aids as a method of creating interest in instruction. We have secured a Bell and Howell motion picture projector, two film strip machines, and an opaque projector. The department is equipped with its own duplicator, adding machine, ten carriage typewriter, and steel files for records. Individual steel storage lockers have recently been added for storage of shop clothing and materials. We have designed and made a cabinet suitable for housing complete mechanical drawing equipment for a class of twenty-four students. The cabinet is completely stocked. Numerous sets of film strips, charts, and other teaching materials and aids have been recently added to the department.

We have an active Future Farmers of America organization. This organization emphasizes leadership which is inspired by public speaking and parliamentary procedure. These activities are exercised through classroom study and competitive contests. Our chapter has won first place for the last two years both in parliamentary procedure and crop judging contests in the Duplin-Pender Federation. Our total score of winnings on all contests gave us the over-all pennant for last year. We hope to win it again this year.

Our adult farmers (young men) study the latest and best practices of farm improvement and management in the classroom and are then required to practice them in a natural situation at home on their farms. Most of our veteran trainees are to be supervised on the



HUGH M. WELLS
Principal B. F. Grady School

the progress they have made through study and the doing of recommended practices in farming. Some of the practices that have been recommended and expanded are: pasture acreage and improvement, more and better livestock and how to care for it, crop insect and disease control, better utilization of fertilizers, legumes, cover crops, farm machinery repair, and household improvements.

The full-time instructors in the G. I. Program are: Franklin Quinn, Justin Kornegay, Lester Britt, Lewis Westbrook, Herman Sutton, Randolph Smith, and Carey Williams.

Home Economics Department—
Miss Thelma Dilday, Teacher
With the following objectives before us the B. F. Grady Home Economics Department is striving toward training youth in all phases of home-making—child care, clothing, family economics, family relations, foods, health, and housing:

1. The ability to manage personal and family resources intelligently.
2. The skills necessary in performing operations necessary to efficient management of the home.
3. The ability to make intelligent adjustments to changing conditions.
4. The understanding of differences of individuals and groups because of unlike family and national background.
5. The understanding of the effect of wholesome family life upon the development of each family member.
6. The realization of the value of continuous moral and spiritual growth.
7. The ability to participate constructively in group and community experiences.
8. The ability to enrich home living through creative experiences.
9. A recognition of the individual's responsibility for maintaining satisfying family living.
10. A realization of the relation between well adjusted family members and their successful adjustment in vocations.
11. The ability to make the home safe, livable, and attractive.
12. A desire to obtain emotional maturity.
13. The realization that satisfaction may be derived from doing a job well.
14. The ability to distinguish between needs and wants.

The Future Homemakers of America is an active organization in our school, and a very vital part of our homemaking program. Last year our chapter had forty-five nationally affiliated members. It is customary for our club to entertain with a Mother-Daughter banquet which brings a climax to the year's work. Officers for the 1950-51 school year are: President, Ila Marie Kornegay; Vice President, Shirley Smith; Secretary, Mary Ann Sullivan; Treasurer, Gail Hines; Reporter, Marcia Scott; Chapter Mother, Mrs. Emmett Kelly.

Our department made several improvements during the last school year, and we have many plans of continued improvement. Redecorating the department living room was one of our outstanding class projects last year. This included painting the walls and woodwork, making slipcovers and curtains, refinishing furniture, and rug making. New equipment added during the year included sewing machines, refrigerator, electric stove, iron, and buttonhole attachment. During the summer the laboratory litchens were painted, and plans are under way for rearranging the kitchen units, and for furnishing the entire department with

twenty-five home projects were completed by our homemaking pupils last year. These projects were mostly an outgrowth of classwork, coming from all areas of family living.

Athletic Association
The athletes of B. F. Grady School are looking forward to a good year. An athletic association was organized last year and members in this organization have to meet certain requirements before being eligible to membership. The members must have a scholastic achievement above average, and they must be voted in unanimously by the old members. The members are: Edith Byrd, Margaret Wood, Gynn Kelly, Sarah Waters, Hazel Stroud, Eleanor Kornegay, Ruth Teachey, Larry Harper, L. J. Grady, Evelene Davis, Shirley Smith, Ruby Powell, Ray Manning, Donn Wells, Jimmy Williams, and Lynn Harper.

Hazel Stroud, outstanding guard, was voted to be the most valuable player on the steadily improving girls team last year. She was presented a trophy at the athletic association banquet last year. Alfred Wells was voted the most valuable player on the boys team. He also received a trophy. Alfred led the boys in scoring with a total of 530 points and Sarah Waters led the girls with a total of 344 points.

Our goal is physical development and the instilling of good sportsmanship ideals in the minds of our teen-age girls and boys.

Bishop Wright To Preach Final Sermon at The Lost Colony

Manteo, N. C. — The Rt. Rev. Thomas D. Wright, Episcopal Bishop of the Diocese of East Carolina will deliver the final sermon at The Lost Colony here next Sunday morning, September 3, at 11 o'clock. His message will bring to a close the summer series of sermons delivered by outstanding ministers of all denominations during The Lost Colony's 1950 season. Religion has always played an important role in The Lost Colony seasons here since the drama began in 1937.

STACY LANIER BURIED SUNDAY

Stacy Lee Lanier, 45, of Chinquapin, died Saturday morning following an extended illness. Funeral services were conducted at the home Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Rev. A. D. Wood, assisted by the Rev. N. E. Gresham. Burial was in the Chinquapin Cemetery. Surviving are his wife, the former Norma Lee Cavanaugh; one daughter, Dorothy, two sons, Stacy, Jr., and Roy Allen Lanier; his mother, Mrs. Ida Lanier; two brothers, Archie of Beulaville and Richard of Durham; two sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Kennedy of Beulaville and Mrs. Sina Jenkins of Roanoke Rapids.

Polishing floors with wax can be done faster if a fan blows on the wax as it is applied.

QUAD-COUNTY TEACHERS PLAN PROGRAM OF WORK

The Duplin, Onslow, Pender, and Sampson Home Economics Association of Teachers met Thursday, Aug. 10 in Warsaw to plan its program of work for each teachers meeting.

The Association elected as its officers for the 1950-51 year the following: Miss Ella McGowan, Chairman, Pender; Miss Theima Dilday, B. F. Grady; Mrs. Clara D. Reid, F.H.A. Advisor, Richlands; and Miss Jewel L. Cox, Reporter, Warsaw.

The group were served refreshments at the home of Mrs. Kathleen Snyder in Warsaw.

QUAD-COUNTY HOME EC. TEACHERS MEET IN CALYPSO

The Quad-County Home Economics Teachers Association met in the Calypso Home Ec. Department Tuesday, Aug. 15 to organize the program of work in the field of Home Economics for the school year. The group planned the units of work and the teaching resources

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Their next planned meeting was held at Carolina Beach on Sept. 16 with Mrs. Kathleen Snyder as hostess.

TRAVEL INCREASES TO WRIGHT MEMORIAL

Kitty Hawk — More people visited the memorial to the Wright Brothers this summer than ever before. Records show 45,066 visitors registered in June and July of this year as compared with 31,000 for the same period in 1949.

GRASS ROOTS Sept. 1st.

The opera department of the N. C. Federation of Music Clubs will present the Grass Roots Opera Company of North Carolina on Sept. 1st at 8:30 p.m. at the Watergate. The company is well known throughout the Southern states. The performance is sponsored jointly by the N. C. State Society and the National Capital Sesqui-centennial Commission. Tickets may be procured without charge from John Slear, president, N. C. State Society.

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