

County Court will convene Monday, October 1st for a week's term. Superior Court will convene Monday, October 5th for a two week term. Judge Leo Carr is scheduled to preside. The first week will be for criminal cases and the second for civil cases.



A square dance is held in Kenan Memorial Auditorium in Kenansville each Saturday night beginning at 8 o'clock. The dance is sponsored by the Kenansville Lions Club.

Straight from the Shoulder — Right from the Heart of Duplin

County Court Disposes Of Many Cases In One Of Heaviest Dockets In History

County Court opened up the largest of the first week this month with an unusually heavy docket. Judge Phillips began hearing cases on Thursday, Sept. 27th, following adjournment of Superior Court. Court continued through most of last week. The Times reports cases disposed of as far as the Clerk's office has recorded them. Next week we hope to give you the remainder of September's County Court.

Warsaw Groups Entertain Indoor Sports Club

The Warsaw Rotary club and the Professional Women's club of Warsaw entertained the Indoor Sports club of Clinton on Thursday evening at 7:30 at a barbecue chicken supper in the American Legion Hut. The tables were attractively arranged with autumn flowers, the mantle in magnolia leaves with red and white flowers.

Nursing Classes Postponed Until Wed. Oct. 3

"Due to the fact that so many of the ladies of this community are still helping their families and friends grade tobacco and getting it ready for market, the home nursing class that was to have begun in Kenansville on Tuesday, September 18, has been postponed for two weeks," reports Mrs. N. B. Boney, Duplin County's Executive secretary of the American Red Cross.

Church Supper Here Sunday

The Fifth Sunday Night Fellowship supper will be held Sunday evening at 6:30 p. m. at the Grove Presbyterian church. Members and friends of all three churches are urged to attend, and each is to bring a picnic lunch and iced tea. The program will be led by the Young People's League.

LeRoy Simmons Gets Acquittal In Raleigh On Charges Of Failure To Obey Officers

(The following story appeared in today's Raleigh News and Observer.) Leroy G. Simmons of Albertson, who identified himself as president of the Duplin County Farm Bureau, was acquitted yesterday in City Court on a charge of failing to obey an order of local police.

Correction

Last week the Times carried a story about the Scott's Store Home Demonstration club. The list of officers was incorrect. The following are the officers for the club: Mrs. Zollie Konegay, president; Mrs. Jasper Herring, vice president; Mrs. Elmo Blizzard, secretary and treasurer.

Sister Helen Hunt Takes Bar Oath In Clinton

Miss Morada Alice Hunt of Greenville County, sister of Miss Helen Hunt of Magnolia, was given the oath to practice law in North Carolina on the 19th day of September, 1951, in Superior court in Sampson County. She was presented to the bar by Hon. Rivers Johnson of Warsaw and Judge Leo Carr administered the oath. She graduated from the University of North Carolina Law school this summer.

Editorial

The Duplin Industrial Council, which might be called the father of the newly organized Southern Industrial Council needs help. The two organizations, working jointly for a common goal are in the infant stage and like all infants must be nurtured and carried along until real growth sets in. During this stage it is easy to become disheartened and say "Oh, what's the use?" But "What's the use" is the very reason for its existence. Anything started that embodies a worthwhile goal and is set on reasonably solid foundation will succeed to those engineering it will but have faith and fortitude.

The Duplin Industrial Council has moved along reasonably well in its organizational stage. It has not brought any new industries in to the county but what it has done cannot be counted as wasted. Duplin has received very favorable publicity in the press of the state and many large industries have sat up and taken a second look at Duplin. Industry and big money in North Carolina have paid high compliments to Duplin county for the efforts manifested in this movement. Rome was not built in a day and neither can new industry or greater prosperity be brought into Duplin County in a day. The Duplin Industrial Council so far has been carried on by very busy men who have given their time and money in an effort to get it going. They believe in Duplin County and believe that this organization is what we need to promote the economic interests of the county. A brochure on Duplin County's possibilities is now with the printer in Raleigh and \$700 in cash is needed to get it out and into circulation. The book tells the story of Duplin and what it has to offer. It can't do us any good in the printing plant. It needs to be in circulation. Business men, professional men and farmers are called on to make a contribution to the Industrial Council to get these books moving. Send your donation to Faison McGowan, treasurer, in Kenansville. The job must be done and it is going to be done. The sooner the better.

The Southeastern Industrial Council, embodying 8 counties in this section, has been organized. Lee Braxton of Whiteville is president; J. G. Anderson, Toppal, vice president; Kermit Austin, Clinton vice president and Attorney Clark of Elizabethtown is secretary. The board of directors consists of: Charles Wallace; Bryant Bryan, Calypso and Aubrey Cavanaugh, Warsaw. The new organization hopes to do for the Southeastern section what the Duplin Industrial Council is attempting to do for Duplin. The SEIC is going to work along with our organization in an effort to secure something for Duplin. Next week we will try to tell you more about the larger organization. In the meantime let's get those brochures out of the printers office and get them working for the county. — J. R. Grady.

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Veach Family Hold Reunion

Some of the descendants of the late S. J. Veach gathered at the home of Mrs. Veach in the Friendship neighborhood Sunday for a reunion and picnic dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Veach were host and hostess. Children of the late Mr. Veach present were Ralph, Mrs. Park Bridges of Warsaw, Mrs. and Mrs. Fletcher Veach of Califorma. Grandchildren present were: Capt. and Mrs. Fletcher Veach, Jr. of Ft. Bragg, Mrs. Charlie Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Eeoles Pridden of Norfolk. Mrs. Wilson Shoular and Wilson, Jr. of Rich Square, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bell of Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Piner of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grady of Kenansville and Mr. and Mrs. George Pridden of Warsaw. In addition to those named were a number of great grandchildren, relatives and neighbors.

"Dusty" Walker Recalls "Duplin Story" Friends In Kenansville; Now In New York

The following letter was received by the Times a few days ago. Many Duplinites recall "Dusty" of "Duplin Story" days. My thoughts have good reason to frequently turn in the direction of Duplin County and Kenansville. But never more strongly than on this day. Twelve months ago I was heading down the home stretch of my most interesting theatrical experience to date and I'm sure the most exciting opening night of my life.

Place Orders This Week For Beef Heifers

A number of farmers in the county have asked the County Agent's office to assist them in buying some beef heifers for breeding stock. The County Agent will leave on a trip in the Mountains Sunday, September 30, for the purpose of buying these cattle. Any farmer, or club member in the county who would like for the Agent to buy some cattle for them this fall should place his order no later than Friday, Sept. 28.

Clinton Community Concerts Preparing For 1951-52 Season; Name New Officers

Douglas Richards, Clinton merchant, was recently elected president of the Clinton Community Concert Association by the Executive Committee of the Association. Richards succeeds Don Britt, who resigned after two years in office. Richards' election as President, scheduled to begin Monday, October 8th, and continue for one year.

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Magnolia Boy Now Enrolled Oak Ridge

OAK RIDGE, — Cadet Pvt. William Fred Pickett, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Pickett of Magnolia, was among the cadets who inaugurated the 10th session of Oak Ridge Military Institute last week.

Warsaw Fire Department Sets Charges

The Warsaw Fire Department has set a minimum charge for responding to fire calls outside of Warsaw except in Kenansville and towns that have fire departments. The schedule is as follows: Minimum Charge — \$25.00 flat rate per call for the first hour, and \$25.00 for each additional hour. The fire department may, when it sees fit, reduce this charge to a lower sum.

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Duplin Times Has A Visitor

Wednesday afternoon during the storm in Kenansville the Times force was busy at their job of setting up this week's Times. Suddenly a sharp flash of lightning and Kenneth Rabon, linotype operator for the Times, found his hands on the keyboard with fire rolling all around him. The lightning had struck a power line some where nearby and came into the Times office via the power lines and made straight for the linotype. Kenneth suddenly froze in his seat but soon unfroze and headed for the main house switch. After it was all over it was found that the motor switch on the machine was burned and partly melted. No other damage was done. After several hours the machine was going again and the paper got out Friday morning instead of Thursday afternoon.

Annual Reunion

The annual Byrd reunion will be held Sunday, September 30th, at the Ten Mile church. All members are invited to come and bring a basket. The above announcement was made last week by Miss Ruth A. Byrd of Goldsboro.

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