

Worth Remembering
The fallen and best cars of corn
along the lowest towards the
ground.—Dr. Reynolds

American Legion To Spearhead Spiritual Reawakening Movement

A movement for a spiritual reawakening of the people of America has been launched by The American Legion. Legionnaires have been asked to spearhead a Divine Guidance movement to encourage regular church attendance and daily prayer.

The movement will be inaugurated on Sunday, February 3, ninth anniversary of the date when the four chaplains went down praying together aboard the torpedoed U. S. Transport Dorchester in the North Atlantic.

In resolutions adopted at the Legion's National Convention in Miami last fall and by the North Carolina Department Executive Committee, Sunday, February 3, has been designated as Go To Church Sunday. All Legion Posts are urged to arrange special services in their churches on that day.

County Schools Get Jackass

Judge Phillips in County Court here this week gave the Duplin County Board of Education a mule and cart. He did not specify if the donkey was to be used as a pet for the personnel or to be used by Willard Johnson and Willard Brinson to help haul coal to the various schools.

After looking over the little brown donkey and red cart, Superintendent Johnson decided there was no point in adding any more jackasses to the Duplin County schools so they auctioned off the mule and cart. It was "cried off" by Sheriff Ralph Jones near the Board of Education building and an attentive audience and finally sold to the highest bidder, C. W. Sutton, of Beulville for \$60.00.

Harry Kramer Heads Red Cross Drive Again

An executive board meeting of the Duplin County Red Cross was held Friday night in the school room here.

Mrs. Mary Caruthers, field representative of Atlanta, Ga. and Goldsboro, was present for the meeting. Plans were discussed for the fund campaign.

Mr. Harry Kramer of Wallace will serve as chairman for the fund campaign for the second consecutive year. Mr. M. E. Allen, who has been treasurer for approximately the past ten years, resigned. Mr. Paul Ogan was welcomed as the new treasurer.

Legion Post Makes Donations

The Turner-Simmons-Newborn Legion Post at Maxwell's Mill in Kenansville, soon after mid-day lightning and thunder roared. Heavy rain fell for a short time. An old saying, new to us, is that when it chunders in winter it will snow within nine days. How about it kids?

Weather Stories Are Told Here

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World Stew Due Partly To U. S. Cooking Say Author Byrd

Communist newspaper with headlines screaming of American atrocities in Korea.

This was the year that "L'Entrecote grilée au Charollais Beurre" at the Hotel de Paris at Genoa cost \$1.20, while a club steak half the size garnished with friend potatoes and shreds of dressing cost \$2.85 on the railroad dining cars from New York to Charleston.

Nineteen fifty-one is the year in which the U. S. bought \$600,000,000 worth of new French friendship.

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Warsaw Men Donate Pint Of Blood Each To Bloodmobile In Goldsboro Last Friday

Through efforts of the Duplin County Red Cross nine Duplinites, all Warsaw men, went to Goldsboro last Friday to the bloodmobile and donated a pint of blood each. Harry E. Kramer of Wallace, chairman of the Duplin County Chapter sent the following letter for D. J. Rivenbark, Jr., Post Adjutant of the Chapter, to be read in Warsaw:

Mr. D. J. Rivenbark, Jr., Post Adjutant
The American Legion
Charles R. Gavin Post No. 127
Warsaw, North Carolina

Register of Deeds Albert Outlaw Receives Compliment From Judge Henry A. Grady

Albert T. Outlaw, popular Register of Deeds in Duplin and County Historian was recently complimented by Judge Henry A. Grady, Judge of the Superior Court in Warsaw. Judge Grady presented Mr. Outlaw a book with the following inscription by Judge Grady on the fly leaf:

I present this priceless book to my friend and cousin, Albert T. Outlaw, as a slight token of my appreciation for the fine work he has done in genealogy and in the history of Duplin County.

Coy Kennedy Able To Leave Hospital

Friends of McCoy Kennedy will be glad to learn that he left the hospital in Kingston Sunday and is now staying with his daughter Mrs. Lawrence Ryder in LaGrange. He visited Kenansville Monday and was looking well. Coy was seriously injured a few weeks ago in an auto wreck in which early Newton was killed.

Motorists Urged Watch Drivers License Expiration

Raleigh—The Department of Motor Vehicles cautions motorists today to pay closer attention to the expiration date on their driver's license.

Under the Department's revised driver licensing program, begun in 1948, a number of licenses are expiring daily. Elton R. Peele, of the Licensing Section asked that motorists take a close look at their driver's license and note the expiration date which he pointed out, falls on the licensee's birthday.

Albritton Plants Wanted In Lenoir

In the classified section of the Times will be found an ad for G. Y. MacArthur of Grifton asking for the new Albritton strawberry plants. Mrs. MacArthur writes that her husband is very anxious to get hold of some of them. If any of you have some or know where plants are available please contact Mr. MacArthur.

Duplin Cotton Ginning Report

Census report shows that 4,490 bales of cotton were ginned in Duplin County from the crop of 1951 prior to January 16, 1952 as compared with 1,042 bales for the crop of 1950.

Grade No. 1, a meat-type hog bred by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, carries approximately 62 per cent Landrace and 38 per cent Berkshire blood.

H. E. Latham Named Chairman Board Trustees; List Committees

H. E. Latham, Rose Hill insurance man, was named Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Duplin Hospital at the organization meeting of the Trustees Tuesday night. J. R. Grady was named vice-chairman. F. W. McGowan was named by the Board of County Commissioners as secretary and Lee Brown of Warsaw was elected treasurer. L. P. Wells, chairman of the County Commissioners opened the meeting and presided until a chairman was named. Mr. Latham then took charge and directed the meeting and discussion in a very able manner. He recognized the honor and trust placed in him but said he looked on it more in terms of the responsibility and obligations involved rather than the honor. After discussing the general set-up he appointed with suggestions and advice of the entire group the following committees:

Hospitalization insurance: J. B. Stroud, Jr., of Paison, chairman; Mrs. Mattie W. Sadler, Kenansville; Grover Rhodes, Smith Township and W. F. Miller, Beulville. This committee will lay plans and aid in a program of educating people of the county to the value of hospital insurance. If the people of the county are adequately covered this could mean a guarantee of the financial success of the institution.

Finance Committee: J. O. Stokes, Kenansville, chairman; L. P. Wells, Wolfesboro and E. E. Kelly, Glisson. This committee will handle all of the financial problems in the operation and maintenance of the hospital.

Personnel and Public Relations: J. R. Grady, Kenansville, chairman; Mrs. H. L. Pippin, Magnolia; H. E. Kramer, Wallace and Mrs. Caldwell Smith, Rock Fish. This group will supervise the publicity and selection of personnel.

Building and grounds: Mrs. Willie Byrd, Wolfesboro, chairman; L. P. Wells, Wolfesboro; Graham Reece, Cypress Creek and Rudolph Simmons, Albemarle. This group will deal with the buildings and grounds.

Donations and Memorials: H. E. Kramer and J. R. Grady, co-chairmen with every member of the Board of Trustees serving on the committee. This group will have charge of all conditions and memorials to the hospital.

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Drunken Mother Takes Infants On All Night Spree; Goes To Prison

Liquor and immorality presented itself in about its lowest form in Duplin Wednesday night when a young 35 year old white mother with three small children and two phlegmating men spent the night in a parked automobile between Lyman and Chinquapin. The children, twins age three, and a baby only a few months old, had hardly enough clothes on to say they were clothed. Whiskey kept the mother and the men from the cold.

Wednesday morning about 5 o'clock deputies Oscar Houston and Jim Futrel were called to the scene of the parked car. They found Mrs. Ray (Louise) Southerland, and her brothers-in-law Graham and Height Southerland and the three children in the car in front of Wallace's Service Station. The woman and men were drunk, officers said. One man was on the floor in the back seat, the other in the front seat. The mother was drunk in the back seat with the three infants snuggling to her trying to keep warm.

Officers carried the woman and children to the home of her father-in-law, reported to be Ross Southerland. The men were brought to Kenansville and jailed. A warrant was sworn out against all three for public drunkenness, public nuisance and neglecting her children.

Judge Phillips lost no time in bringing the case to trial. He sent the woman to the State prison for 6 months and gave Graham Southerland one year and Height Southerland 6 months on the roads. The children were given into the custody of their grandfather.

When Louise was locked behind bars after the sentence she didn't seem to mind at all. She immediately smiled and began primping.

Grove Presbyterian Church To Be Shown In February Issue Of State Church Paper

Grove Presbyterian Church and Mansie will be a feature article in the February Presbyterian News, a state-wide church paper, according to an announcement by Dr. Harold J. Dudley, executive secretary of the Synod of North Carolina. Dr. Dudley says he is assuming the church and probably the manse to be the oldest in the local church in an historical shrine of the Presbyterian church in North Carolina. Members of Grove are looking forward with great eagerness to the February issue of the magazine.

Melvin Cording Of Wallace Named Member Of The American Jersey Club

January 30, 1952 — Melvin G. Cording, Wallace, has been named a member of the American Jersey Cattle Club. He is a local breeder of registered Jersey cattle.

The recent application of Cording for membership was approved by the Club's Board of Directors at their last meeting. Requirements for membership specify that an applicant must be an owner of Jersey cattle and be a careful and reliable breeder. His application was endorsed by at least five members of the Club. His membership gives him the privilege of voting in the organization's affairs. He is also entitled to specify membership fees when transacting business with it.

Warsaw Commissioners Vote To Secure Land For New Armory Proposed There

At a recently called meeting, the board of commissioners voted to purchase a tract of land for the National Guard Armory. The Board voted to obtain an option on the proposed site near the National Guard Armory until July 30. Meeting with the Board was a committee from the Merchants Association comprised of Henry Merritt, Paul Potter and Earl Whitaker and a special committee which Mayor G. C. Thomas, George Bennett and L. B. Hule.

Poultry Specialists At State College Say Efficient Production Should Be Aim Of Every North Carolina Poultryman Who Wants To Have A Profitable Season In 1952.

W. W. Eagles, of Macclesfield, past president of the North Carolina Farm Bureau and member of the American Farm Bureau Federation's Forage Crops Committee, will conduct a special session concerning the organization's 1952 Annual Convention, February 10-13, at the Sir Walter Hotel in Raleigh.

Mrs. Whitfield is a former member of the State Board of Agriculture, and served as Chairman of the Women's Division for the Better Schools and Roads Campaign.

Two Doctors Visit Kenansville May Locate Here

Two young doctors from the Charleston General Hospital of Charleston, W. Va., spent Tuesday and Wednesday nights in Kenansville looking over the town and county. They are considering locating in Kenansville in a partnership for general practice of medicine. They are Drs. G. B. Davis and R. F. Willis. Dr. Willis is a native of West Virginia and graduate of the Medical College of Virginia. They both are married and have two children each. Both are veterans of World War Two. They will complete their internship at the Charleston Hospital on July 1st and if they decide to locate here will begin practicing on August 1st.

Livestock School Here Said To Be One Of Best Held In State; 107 Farmers Attend

The Livestock School held in Kenansville last Tuesday, was one of the best held in the State this winter according to the Specialist from State College who took part in the program. 63 farmers attended the morning session at which time Beef Cattle Production and Marketing was discussed by J. S. Buchanan and William Hunter. 44 farmers attended the afternoon session when Jack Kelley and A. V. Allen, and H. D. Quisenberry discussed hog and sheep production and marketing. All five of these livestock specialists were from State College and the North Carolina Department of Agriculture in Raleigh.

Presbyterians Launch Campaign To Raise Funds Union Theological Seminary

Wilmington, N. C. Jan. 27—The Southern Presbyterian Church opened a campaign here today to raise funds for enlarging the facility and expanding the church's 140-year-old Union Theological Seminary at Richmond, Va.

Dr. Ben B. Lacy, Jr., president of the institution since 1926, made three appearances in the city during the day appealing for aid so that the seminary may be enabled to train sufficient ministers to meet the ever-growing demand of churches throughout the South.

Public Invited Attend School Board Meeting

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Jesse B. Brown, chairman of the Kenansville school board, announced this week that the local school board will meet in the school house at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday night, Feb. 12th for the regular monthly meeting. The public is invited to attend for the purpose of giving any suggestions, ideas or criticism in connection with the general welfare of the school children of this school district.

Mr. Brown further stated that in the future all meetings of the board will be open to the public. Regular meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday night in each month except the summer months of June and July. The reason for opening these meetings to the public is a desire on the part of the Board to bring about better relationship between the school and the parents.

Hospitalization
Do you own hospitalization insurance? If not now is a good time to look into it. Sickens doesn't choose its time or victims. You may be next. Be prepared.

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Ashley Brinson Said Be Improving

Ashley Brinson, prominent Dobson, N.C. farmer, seriously injured in a car-truck crash last week in front of his store on the Chinquapin road. According to reports, Mr. Brinson was driving towards Kenansville and the truck towards Chinquapin when the crash occurred. Mr. Brinson was seriously injured and rushed to a Wilmington hospital. Last reports said he was getting along very well and was out of danger. A Negro companion received slight injuries. His auto was completely demolished, it was said. The driver of the truck, a Negro man from Smithfield escaped unhurt. The front end of the truck was damaged.

The accident came near becoming a top tragedy. As the truck sped short to the left into the front porch of a Negro home. Some damage was done to the porch. Three or four young Negro children were sitting on the porch but escaped injury.

4,000 Miles Of Paving On County Roads In '51

Raleigh Feb. 4 — Over 4,000 miles of county roads were hard-surfaced in North Carolina last year with funds from the \$200,000,000 secondary road bond issue.

Official year-end figures, released today by Highway Chairman Henry W. Jordan, showed that the State Highway Commission had completed 82 per cent of the 12,000-mile secondary paving goal set by Governor Scott when the bond issue was approved by the voters of North Carolina in the 1949 referendum.

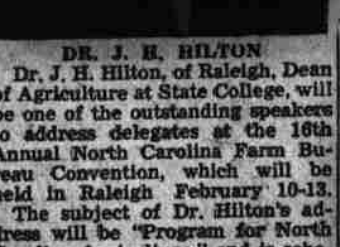
A total of 4,023.3 miles of secondary roads were paved in 1951, bringing the total mileage hard-surfaced under the bond program to 9,836.5 miles. In the previous year, 4,554.8 miles were paved.

The figures do not include paving on primary highways or other projects not included in the secondary road program, and do not cover resurfacing or widening of secondary roads.

The paving goal has been exceeded in 36 counties by December 31, which means that future secondary road bond projects let in the counties will be a "bonus" of that much additional mileage above the mileage promised them in the pro-rata distribution of funds at the beginning of the program. These counties are Chowan, Edgecombe, Hertford, Greene, Lenoir, Pitt, Duplin, Franklin, Johnston, Nash, Wayne, Wilson, Chatham, Davidson, Harnett, Hoke, Lee, Moore, Randolph, Robeson, Scotland, Anson, Mecklenburg, Montgomery, Richmond and Polk.

Chairman Jordan reported that 13,904.6 miles of county roads had been stabilized under the bond program for all-weather use. This total is 37.61 per cent of the 36,000-mile stabilization goal.

Highway officials have stated that as the bond paving program nears its end this year, increasing emphasis will be placed on the stabilization program, which is designed to help people living on county roads that do not carry enough traffic to justify paving them.




DR. J. H. HILTON
Dr. J. H. Hilton, of Raleigh, Dean of Agriculture at State College, will be one of the outstanding speakers to address delegates at the 18th Annual North Carolina Farm Bureau Convention, which will be held in Raleigh, February 10-13.

The subject of Dr. Hilton's address will be "Program for North Carolina Agriculture," and is scheduled to be delivered during the opening session on the opening day of the convention, February 10.

Farmers from all sections of the State will be on hand for the four-day convention session, which promises to be the largest in the history of the Farm Bureau.

Dr. Hilton, a native of Catawba, is considered in many educational circles as the outstanding dean of agriculture in America. He was educated at N. C. State College, Iowa State College, the University of Wisconsin and Purdue University. During his 19 years of experience as an educator and research scientist, Dr. Hilton has published some 30 scientific works on agriculture, and is recognized throughout the nation as an authority on dairy cattle and livestock nutrition.



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She is active in the State Federation of Women's Clubs, and is at present, a member of the Finance Committee of that organization.

Hay stocks on farms January 1 totaled 73.4 million tons, nearly 4 million tons more than the total on hand a year earlier.