



Straight from the Shoulder — Right from the Heart of Duplin

Dedication, Open House Of Annex At Agriculture Building March 31

Dedication of an open house at Duplin County's new annex to the agriculture building will be Thursday, March 31, at 7:30 p. m. Dr. Frank Jeter, North Carolina State College, will deliver the principal address.

Melvin Cording, chairman of the County Council, says several of North Carolina's outstanding agriculture leaders are expected to be on hand for the occasion.

O. P. Johnson Is Attending State NCEA Meeting

O. P. Johnson, superintendent of Duplin County Schools, is attending the North Carolina Education Association annual meeting in Asheville.



Army Capt. William H. Grady, son of Mrs. Emma Grady, Route 1, Kenansville, checks a tactical map at Camp Desert Rock, Nev., where he is participating in Exercise Desert Rock VI.

Walking Blood Bank To Be Organized For Duplin Hospital; You Are Needed

A walking hospital blood bank is being set-up at Duplin County General Hospital. Jim Wikerson, hospital administrator, said several persons in the county have volunteered to donate.

Ramsey's Feed Mill Opens For Custom Grinding, Feed Mixing For Livestock

Ramsey's Feed Mill, an outgrowth of the poultry project of Dennis Ramsey of Rose Hill, is already open and ready for business.

Methodist Men's Club Organized At Warsaw

Rev. Howard M. McLamb, superintendent of the Goldsboro District of the Methodist Church, addressed an organizational meeting at the Methodist Church in Warsaw.

Leadership Schools For Duplin County Home Demonstration Women Are Held

Kenansville, several leadership schools have been held recently in Duplin County for Home Demonstration leaders.

Jr. Baseball Team Organized In Kenansville

A Junior Baseball team has been organized in Kenansville for all boys between the ages of 12 and 15 years of age.

Revival To Begin Magnolia Church

A revival at the Baptist Church in Magnolia, will begin March 27 and will run through April 3.

Soybeans Stolen And Liquor Still Done Away With

A load of soybeans were stolen Tuesday night from a building on the farm of Nash Johnson, near Hill.

Chicken Chain Started For '55

Ten Duplin County 4H Club members have been awarded 100 chickens each as part of the County Chicken Chain sponsored each year by the Sears-Roebuck Foundation.

Hosea Vann Cut In Basketball

During the morning assembly, on March 15, in the Beulaville school, three trophies were presented to the basketball team.

Flower Show And Tour In Kinston

The flower show and garden tour will be held in Kinston March 30. Tours will start at Woman's Club building on King Street.

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Thanks To The Bankers

In February, the Banks of Duplin sent three boys to the two weeks short course on farming at State College in Raleigh.

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EDITORIAL

Our Young Boys
If we don't protect the young people today, in later years they are not going to protect us. Our congratulations go out to Rev. J. G. White for his efforts in helping the young boys in this area.

G. E. ALPHIN, SR.
As the world waxes today, and we try to build a new order, we here in the South can't help but reflect when one of our old living citizens dies.

An "Old Timer" Of Duplin, Of Civil War History, An Inventor, Goes To Rest At 94
By CALVIN PORTER
One of Mount Olive's oldest and most colorful citizens died this week, Gilbert Elmore Alphin, Sr., 94, prominent retired farmer, merchant, and inventor, died at his home here Monday night after a lingering illness.