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PERATION MINUTEMEN

Operation "Minute Men" will take place most any day now. This program is designed to alert our National Guard, Army and Air units and the general public to what to expect in case of atomic bombings. The idea is not intended as a scare but to inform us of what to expect in case of an emergency. It is a practice. All employers are requested to be prepared to give their help, who may be called, time off when the alert call

World tension is at a peak and America must be ready in case of an attack. Some military leaders thin! it is coming shortly; others don't think so. But, the masses in this country, not knowing internal war as Europe does, need to be familiarized with what it might be. To defend ourselves we must be on the alert. We, here in Duplin, are located in a strategic point; about half way between Fort Bragg and Camp Lejeune; about half way between Wilmington and Seymour Johnson Field in Goldsboro. We remember that Wilmington was one of the most important ports for the Confederacy during the Civil War and now with the ammunitions dump at Southport, in case of an attack, Eastern North Carolina can well be a vulnerable point for the enemy. We don't know when the call is coming but let's all be alert for the practice.—J. R. Grady.

Sunrise Service At Lyman

There will be a Union Easter Sunrise Service at 5:30 a, m, in the Bethel Presbyterian Church at Lyman (Muddy Creek) near Chinquapin, N. C. All of the people who live in the Chinquapin School area are urgthe Chinquapin School area are urglons. Also destroyed were 20 barand The following churchpate: Shiloh Baptist Church, Salem Presbyterian Church, Sharon Baptist Church, Chinquapin Presby-terian Church, Cedar Fork Baptist Church, Bethany Presbyterian Church, Lanier's Chapel Free-Will Baptist Church, Muddy Creek Prim-itive Baptist Church, and Bethel Presbyterian Church.

The special music will be enjoyed by everyone. The quartet of the Cedar Fork Baptist Church will ging "Were You There." In addition, the choir of the Bethel Presbytarian Church will sing "Sunrise" and "Resurrection." Rev. Norman Aycock, paster of Hallsville and Cedar Fork Baptist Churches, will lead the order of rapping. The meslead the order of service. The mes-sage will be delivered by Rev. Lauren Sharpe, pastor of the Kenans-ville Baptist Church. It is our hope that everyone living in this sec-tion will attend this inspirational service which is sponsored by the Chinquapin Ruritan Club. The service was arranged by the Rural Church Committee of the club, the members of which are Mr. Archie Lanier, Mr. James Southerland, and Rev. M. Vann Murrell, Mr. Cicero Lanier, Superintendent of Sunday School at the Bethel Presbyterian church, sided the committee preparing for the service.

Revival Services Begin Monday PM **Warsaw Baptist**



C. A. BAKER

Revival services will begin at the Warsaw Baptist Church next Monday night, April 11, and will contimue through the following Sunday night. Monday through Friday there will be services at Eight o'clock each morning, as well as services at eight each evening.
The pastor, Rev. H. M. Baker,

The pastor, Rev. H. M. Baker, will preach in these special services. An unusual feature of the revival at Warsaw is the fact that two brothers will be cooperating in these services. Mr. C. A. Baker, Minister of Music at the First Baptist Church Baumont Texas, will have charge of the song service each night.

IMP. C. A. Baker received his because the services of Music at the First Baptist Church in Raleigh. Services will be a youth revival will be a corned by the required by the required by the required by the services will be a service such many of the song service each night.

IMP. C. A. Baker received his begins at 8.30 p.m. with a sermon by the pastor, Rev. L. Beginning on Monday night, April 11 there will be a youth revival will conducted by Rev. Herman Hersey, For commissioner. Finn Lee and is now a town commissioner. Finn Lee and is now a

Two Men Caught

Four liquor stills were destroyed 5 gallon jars of whiskey.

On Friday, again back in Albert son Township, a 400 gallon subma-rine type still was destroyed along with 25 barrels of mash and two copper condensers.

Brown, white, and Leonard Wallace Negro, were arrested at a still which was located about two miles south-west of Johnson Church in Warsaw township

Revelle and Co

viewer's eyes. Some of the scenes portrayed are the "Palm Sunday Scene," the "Temple Scene," "The Trial Scene," and "The Crucifixion Scene," The pageant has a cast of

ice has been an annual observance at Unity Church for the last four carried out in such a large scale. It is hoped that this years produc-

county to come and worship at this Easter Service, Extra chairs have been placed in the church so that the church will now seat around 200 people, "We are hoping that we will fill the church to capacity for this service," said the pastor.

in Duplin County during the past, week by Sheriff's Department. On Thursday, a copper ring still was destroyed in Albertson town-

On the raid were Deputies W. O. Houston, M. D. Shivar, T. E. Revelle and W. C. Hill, constable.

On the raid were Deputies M. D. Shivar, W. O. Houston and Special Deputy Sylvester Tew/

taken by the officers along with the

Sunrise Service

At Liguer Still

Sunrise Services To Be At Unity Church

There will be a Sunrise Service a Pearsall Chapel Church Sunday Morning, April 10 at 6:00 a.m. Sun-

Over the week end, Garland J.

A 1949 Chevrolet at the scene was

Two stills were found and des On the raid were Sheriff Ralph Miller, Deputies W. O. Houston, T.

rested and jailed in Kenansville

The congregation of Unity Methodist Church will present an East-er Pageant 'Lead Me to Cavalry at sunrise service on Easter Sunday Morning at 7:00 a.m. at the church The pageant, written by the pastor, tells of all the events leading up to the death of Christ on Friday and His resurrection on Sunday. In graphic fashion the scenes of the Holy Week are recreated before the

about 30 people.

In addition to the pagenat there will be special Easter Music by the church choir and other hymns by the congregation. The Sunrise Serv years, but never before has it been

community affairs for several years and is a deacon in the Warsaw Baptist Church. He is owner and operator of Strickland's Oil Company

G. S. Best, present mayor, has given no indications as to his intentions to file for re-election.

I bled or Bunker Hill. My footprints marked the snows at Valley Forge. I pulled a muffled oar on the barge that bridge i the icy Delaware. I stood with Washington on the bun-drenched heights of Yorktown. I saw the sword surrendered. I AM THE GUARD. I pulled the trigger that loosed the long rifles havoc at New Orleans—these things I knew—I was here! The hill at San Juan felt the fury of my charge. The far plains and mountains of the Phillipines school to my shout—I AM THE GUARD. The dark forcets of the Argumen bleved with my havened. Chalcage The same bleved with my havened.

CIVILIAN IN PEACE, SOLDIER IN WAR—OF SECURITY AND HONOR, FOR

THREE CENTURIES I HAVE BEEN THE CUSTODIAN. I AM THE GUARD

I was with Washington in the wilderness, fought the wily warrior, and watched the dark night

At Concords bridge, I fired the fateful shot hear 1 'round the world

choed to my shout—I AM THE GUARD.

The dark forests of the Argonne blazed with my barrage. Chates we Thierry crumbled to my cannonade.

Under the arches of victory I marched in Legion—I was there! I AM THE GUARD.

I bowed briefly on grim Corregidor, then saw the light of liberation shine on the faces of my comrades. Through the jungle and on the beaches, I fought the enemy, beat, battered and broke him. I raised our banner to the serene air on Okinawa—I was there!—I AM THE GUARD. SOLDIER IN WAR, CIVILIAN IN PEACE-I AM THE GUARD.

I was at Johnstown, where the reging waters boomed down the valley. I cradled the crying child in arms and saw the terror leave their eyes. I moved through smoke and flame at Texas City. The stricken knew the comfort of my skill. I dropped the food that fed the starving beast on the frozen fields of the West and through the towering drifts I ploughed to rescue the margoned.

I have brough a more abundant, a fuller, a finer life to our youth.

I have faced forward to the tornado, the typhoon, and the horror of the hurricane—these thinks I - I was there!-- I AM THE GUARD. Wherever a strong arm and valiant spirit must defend the nation, in peace or war, wherever a child ries, or a women weens in time of disaster, there I stand.—I AM THE GUARD.

FOR THREE C FNTURIES, A SOLDIER IN WAR, A CIVILIAN IN PEACE—OF SECURITY AND HONOR, I AM THE CUSTODIAN, NOW AND FOREVER.... I AM THE GUARD

DUPLIN GUARD OFFICERS

The invocation was given by the

Captain Richard S. Bostic, Commanding Officer of Battery B 150th AAA Bn (Gun

90mm) Beulaville, N. C. Captain Albert C. Hall, Jr., of Wallace

1st Lt. H. A. Hoffman, Btry B 295th FA Bn., Kinston, N. C.

Frank Jeter Is Speaker At Open House The Cross Of Christ Of Duplin County Agriculture Building Frank Jeter, from State College, ture building and many improve

was principal speaker at open house ments. of Duplin County Agriculture Build. ing, in Kenansville, Thursday night.

He urged the people of Duplin minister at Pink Hill, Bob Grady, County to go forward in their immayor of Kenansville, welcomed the provements and use all of their in-fluence to make the program better Ellis Vestall, vice chairman of the

Approximately 150 persons attend-d. Melvin Cording, from Wallace, and how the County built. ed Melvin Cording, from Wallace, served as master of ceremonies. He vas chairman of the Building Com. mittee which terminated its work with \$40,000 annex to the agricult

It is hoped that this years production will be the beginning of an even bigger and better service in the years to come. The paster and congregation of the church extends a warm welcome to the people of the entire come to the people of the entire come to the people and worship at this In Warsaw Race

J. Edward Strickland has filed for Mayor in the Warsaw town election which comes off May 3. · Strickland is at present a mem-ber of the Town Board and is serving as mayor pro tem.

He has been active in civic and lax Collections

Christ endured the cross despising the same. "If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, take up his cross and follow me."

"If in this life only we have hope then are we of all men most miserable, but now is Christ risen from the grave and become the first fruits

while we hout with the ranom, "Sal. V. H. Reynolds, Mrs. Pauline John. son, Mrs. Dora Betty Bell, George "Hold Thou the cross before my eyes and point me to the skies. Heavens glory breaks me to the Penny, A. M. Benton and Mrs. Em-ma Lockamy informed the group of

the functions of their office.

Special guests included: Kellon
James, District representative of
Federal Crop Insurance; H. N. Henley, District Field worker for ASC;
Miss Hilda Clontz and Mrs. Alta
Kornegay, both former Duplin Co.

home agents; Mrs. Frank Jeter and other members of the Building Com. other members of the Building Committee, Mrs. Walter Rhodes, Lewis Outlaw and J. W. Warren.

All members of the former and present County Board of Commissioners attended.

dise."

The vale of the temple was rent so one may now enter into the Holy of Holies and enjoy the blessedness to God. The vale of the temple was rent so one may now enter into the Holy

Christ the mediator between God

"Christ is risen, Hallelujah! Glory

the stone is rolled away."

Warsaw School Holds Speaking Contest: Winners Are Announced

Warsaw Elementary School recitation—declaration winners are re-leased by teachers of the school. In Miss Maggie W. Bowden's first grade, Debbie Roberts and Tommie

Costin were winners.
Allie Sheffield and Bobby Lanie were tops in Miss Nora Blackmore's In Mrs. Magdalene Stancil's first grade Mary Elizabeth Merritt and

Mike Davis were winners. Second grade finalists were Ma-rina Blackmore and Clarence Mc-Neill, Mrs. Lena C. Carlton is teach.

In Miss Nell J. Bowden's second grade, Becky Todd and Thomas ruse were winners.
Miss Lenora Womack's third grade

had Betty Wood and Billy Wood as Elizabeth Sutton and Dan Mc-Neill received awards for Mrs. Martha Buck's third grade. Sandra Lanier and David Hinson vere winners in Mrs. Rosa W. Hol-

ingsworth's fourth grade. In Mrs. Betty Helton's room, Brad Minshew and Judy Martin received winner's awards. Edna Earle Bright and Bennie Dunn were winners in Mrs. Alice G.

Holland's fifth grade.

Mrs. Joan Best's fifth grade winers were Bill Rollins and Linda Mrs. Edna McLamb's sixth grade winners were Micky Askey and Anne Baker.

Duplin General Hospital Report For March Given

Since the opening of Duplin General Hospital on March 4, a total of 94 persons were admitted through March 31, according to Hospital administrator Jim Wilkerson. Of the 94 admitted during March,

51 had been discharged prior to A total of 366 patient-days were recorded with 22 new born days reg.

Of adult patients, a break down shows that 218 of the 366 patient - days, were by white patients and 148 by Negro patients.

579 lab examinations were mad the in-patient clinic and 124 lab tests at the out-patient clinic.

County Council Of Demonstration **Club Entertains**

Duplin County Home Demonstra. tion County Council entertained the County Board of Commissioners, Monday at dinner in the Home Ag

ent's office. Commissioners attending were: A. C. Hall chairman; E. E. Kelly

Lot Kornegay, Leon Brown and B. Stroud. Other guests were Mrs. Pauline Johnson, Miss Mae Hager, Vernon Reynolds, Ed Simpson, Howard Elis, Mrs. Vallie Oxley, Mrs. Christine Williams and Faison McGowen Official hostess for the occasion were: Mrs. Ash Miller, Mrs. Jim Fulford, Mrs. Andrew Miller, Mrs. Frank Blanchard and Mrs. C. L.

Dobson's Chapel Will Hold Revival April 11-17

The Dobson's Chapel Baptist gin this coming Monday at 7:30 pm. and continue each night through Sunday night, April 17th. This includes a Saturday night and a Sun-

lay morning service. The guest preacher for the meet-ing will be Rev. Elliot B. Stewart pastor of the Riley's Creek Baptis Church, Rocky Point, N. C. He is a fills the world today. From the graduate of Wake Forest College grave that could not hold him, low and Souther nBaptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky. Having been the former pastor of Corinth and Teachey Baptist Churches, Rev. Stewart is well known and loved in this sestion. We are happy to welcome him to our church to hold our revival. Rev. Stewart is a conse-crated evangelist and his messages

will be an inspiration to all.

Special music will be given by both adult and junior choirs. The adult choir is directed by Mrs. Pres. ton Brown and Mrs. Ina Murrell The boys and girls will enjoy the period during each service for sing-ing choruses. In addition, there will be a well supervised nursery for

Home Demonstration Federation Meet To Be In Kenansville On April 14 District Federation of Home Dem. Sci in Duplin, will welcome the onstration Clubs will hold their grow, to Kenansville and Duplin.

annual meeting in Kenansville, April 14, beginning at 10:30. The 27th will give the response, district is composed of Duplin. Greetings will be presented by Sampson and Cumberland counties Dan Holler, State Extension offic-

Mrs Pauline S. Jonnson, Dupfin

David Williams, chairman, Duplin; Mrs. M. M. Troublefield, vice-chairman, Sampson; Mrs. A. B. Lanier, secretary, Duplin; and Mrs. J. L. Reaves, historian, Cumberland.

as follows: member.
Theme: "4-H Opportunities." The Ruth Cavenaugh, Duplin 4-H mem-Devotional will be given by the Rev. ber will sing "Desert Song."

Wade H. Allison, pastor of the Oak Tours will be conducted at Du-Plains Presbyterian Church.
Mrs. Ashe Miller; A. C. Hall.
chairman of the Duplin County
Board of Commissioners; and O. P.
Refreshments will be served in the

The meeting will be in Kenan Audi-torium. er; Vernon Reynotas, Duplin Farm Agent; Bob Grady, Kenansville Ma-Officers will be elected and in- yor; and Z. W. Frazelle, Principal stalled at the meeting, according to of Kenansville School. Miss Katrina Sutton Sampson 4-H

Present District officers are Mcs.

David Williams, chairman, Duplin:

Butterfly and "Sonatine."

Faulton Hodge from Shelby, will deliver the principal address on

"IFYE 4-H Member." At the luncheon, "Rural Life on the Farm" will be given by Doris The program as planned to date Ann Maxwell, Cumberland 4-H

Johnson, superintendent of County Home Agent's office

Mrs. Carrie Penny In "Fair" Condition After Shooting; Jeff Alphin Being Held

12 gauge shotgun near Beulaville, stay away."

Monday morbing. When she returned around 10:30,

Monday morning.

Jeff Alphin, 44, white, from Beu-laville, is still in Kenansville jail. Sheriff Ralph Miller said today that left arm and stomach and right side, no bond has been set for Alphin When officers arrived, Alphin held pending the outcome of Mrs. Pen-them at bay, according to Sheriff ny. He is charged with "assault with Miller. He advised investigating of-

Sunrise Easter Service At Dobson's Chapel At 5:30 a. m., this coming Sunday,

a Sunrise Easter Service will be held at the Dobson's Chapel Baptist Church. During this service, we will refreh our heart with the account of the rien Chrit. The fine choir will ing the unforgettable "Were You There." In addition, the pastor, M. Vann Murrell, will give the message. Anyone who would enjoy com-ing is cordially invited to attend

this inspirationa Iservice

Mrs. Carrie Howard Penny, aroun Sheriff Miller, Mrs. Penny "has bro-30, is in Duplin General Hospital, in ken up our home." He said that Mrs. Kenansville, in "fair' condition af- Penny had been to his house earlier ter being hit with three shots from a Monday morning and "I told her to

Alphin shot her three times, the shots hitting her in the right arm, a deadly weapon with intent to kill ficers that he would "shoot if you and doing serious bodily injury."

According to Alphin's story, says

While Sheriff Miller attracted Al-

while Sheriff Miller attracted Ar-phin's attention, Deputy T. E. Re-velle inched closer to him and with a dash, ran into Alphin knocking him down. Alphin lost his gun in the encounter. He was arrested and arought to Kenansville and officially One Baby Born

At Duplin Hospital General Hospital during the past

A baby girl was born to Mrs. Em-ily Lanier Edwards, white, of Beu-laville. Father of the baby is Gerald



Governor Luther H. Hodges (right) is shown here with his statement strongly endorsing the current cancer crusade and asking North Church will hold its Spring Revival
April 11—17. The services will be-April 1. The Governor has designated April "Cancer Control Month and presented his statement to Dr. John R. Kernodle, Burlington, first vice-

April Designated As Cancer Control Month; Progress Being Made To Cure

Governor Luther H. Hodges today control continues to be a vital prodesignated April as Cancer Control blem demanding vigorous action or Month as the North Carolina Divi- the part of medicine and science as sion of the American Cancer Society completed plans for its 1955
abould be made to save lives
educational and fund raising crusade which got underway throughcount the program of research,
education, and service conducted

be a well supervised nursery for the convenience of parents with young children. Mrs. Ashley Brinson will be in charge of the nursery.

The church and its pastor. M. Vann Murrell, extend a cordial invitation to all to attend this week of revival services.

The church and its pastor. M. The church and its pastor. M. Then the convenient of the convenient is prompt.

American Cancer Society and to the convenient of the conven

sade which got underway throughout the State Friday.

Urging support from all citizens
during the Society's month long
campaign, the Governor said: "Cancer is the major cause of death n
North Carolina and throughout our
nation, Many of these cancer victims
could be saved with present knowcerline in cases where diagnosis is
early and treatment is prompt.

"According to the American Canlearn as much as possible about