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PRICE TEN CENTS

17 Families Apply For Red Cross Aid In Tornado Stricken Area Of County

Sixty eight Duplin and Sampson county families have applied for Red Cross assistance in the wake of tornadoes that struck here April 8.

Both Sampson and Duplin county Red Cross officials said they hoped to complete processing the applications within two weeks. Assistance would be forthcoming immediately for those approved.

In Duplin County, where damage was somewhat less widespread, 17 families have applied for assistance. The first five applications were approved last night with assistance totaling \$4,000.

Mrs. M. B. Boney, executive secretary of the Red Cross said a meeting will be held next Monday at which it is hoped that all remaining applications will be approved.

One full time case worker has been working in Duplin since the tornadoes. A nurse worked several days but has since been transferred.

It has been reported that aid from the Red Cross towards rebuilding destroyed or damaged homes will be in the form of a loan. These reports are incorrect. As published in The Times the week of the tornado, Red Cross aid to approved stricken families is an outright grant or gift with no strings attached.

Flower Arrangement Work Shop Be Here Tuesday, June 4th

Miss Pauline Gordon, in charge of House Furnishings and Housing with the N. C. Extension Service, State College, will conduct a Workshop on 'Flower Arrangements,' Tuesday, June 4, beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the Agriculture Building, in Kenansville.

According to Mrs. Alta L. Kornegay, Duplin Home Agent, it will be an all day meeting. Miss Gordon will give a short demonstration on flower arrangements and then those attending will have an opportunity to work with and be advised on their own arrangements.

Those attending are asked to bring vases and frogs in addition to their own flowers.

"I hope that a large number of Duplin County's Home Demonstration women will be interested in this program, especially since we have a flower show planned along with the Fall Achievement Day this year," Mrs. Kornegay said.

Perley Faison, Alleged Rapist Be Tried August Court Probable Cause Found

J.P. Harmon Named Principal New High School For This Area

J. P. Harmon, principal of Warsaw school for the past 15 years, has been named principal of the new consolidated high school for Kenansville, Magnolia and Warsaw.

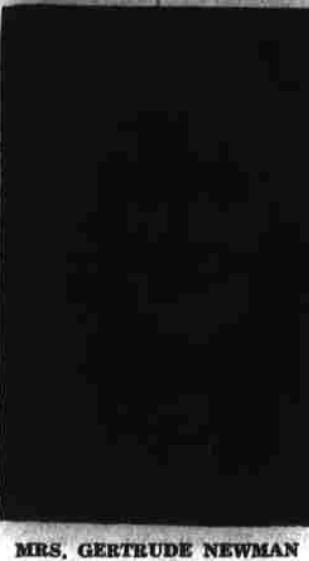
O. P. Johnson, in announcing the election of Harmon, said that the County is 'very fortunate' to have a man such as Harmon to fill the position of principal in the new high school.

Harmon attended Davidson College, where he received his A. B. Degree and East Carolina College where he was awarded his Master's Degree.

He is a native of Cumberland County. He is married and has one child.

Harmon is an Elder in the Warsaw Presbyterian Church where he teaches the Men's Bible Class. He is a member of the Warsaw Rotary Club.

According to Johnson, Z. W. Frazeile has been re-elected principal of Kenansville school for another year. Only elementary grades will be at Kenansville, Warsaw and



MRS. GERTRUDE NEWMAN

who will judge auditions of music students of Mrs. W. J. Middleton of Warsaw. Mrs. Newman is a faculty member of the National Guild and teacher of Piano, Musicianhip and Musical History. See more complete story on Warsaw page.

Warsaw To Put On Rat Campaign Next Week

Through a Jaycee sponsored project, an all out effort is to be made to rid Warsaw of her unwanted citizens—rats.

J. B. Herring, chairman of the Rat Killing Campaign, said today that rat poison will be put out next week throughout the town and owners of pets, cats and dogs, are asked to keep them tied or shut up for at least three weeks.

Joe Costin, Duplin County Sanitarian, is assisting with the project in an advisory capacity.

Jaycees are to meet Monday night to map final plans for the program.

Assisting with the project are the vocational agriculture departments at both Warsaw high school and Douglass High School (Negro).

The Town of Warsaw is cooperating with the campaign in that it is furnishing funds with which to purchase necessary materials.

Warsaw's all-out campaign against rats is necessary because, as Herring said, 'the town is overrun by rats.' It is hoped that this campaign will put an end to rats in Warsaw, at least for a while.



"TIMMY OUTLAW"

Local Boy Takes Part In Va. Festival

Mr. Timothy Outlaw, Jr., of Kenansville will represent the sophomore class at the King College, Bristol, Tenn., Dogwood Festival Saturday afternoon, April 27.

This annual spring festival at King College is one of the outstanding events of the college year. As a member of the court in attendance on the Dogwood king and queen, Mr. Outlaw will be honored by the colorful pageant to be presented, which this year is based on James Thurber's fantasy 'The Thirteen Clocks.'

Other events of the Dogwood Festival week end at King include the spring play, art exhibit, a piano recital and a special vesper service.

Mr. Outlaw is majoring in psychology and is a valued member of the King College basketball team. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Outlaw of Kenansville.

BY PAUL BARWICK

Probable cause has been found against Perley Faison, 22-year-old Negro, charged with raping a neighborhood white woman near Wallace, in a preliminary hearing in Kenansville and has been ordered held by Justice of the Peace C. C. Hester for the August term of Superior Court.

Faison pled 'not guilty' to a charge of breaking into and entering Mrs. Mary Lou Carter's house on the night of March 31, 1957, and raping her.

It was brought out at the hearing that Sheriff Ralph Mifler was called to the scene of the alleged crime about 4:30 a.m., after the alleged crime had occurred around 1:30 a.m. March 31.

Sheriff Miller said that when he arrived at the Carter house, near Wallace, the bed was bloody and there were blood stains on both the bedroom and dining room floors. The dining room window, through which it is alleged Faison entered the house, was still open.

Chief Deputy Boone testified on the stand that the window was open approximately 12 to 13 inches.

Sheriff Miller said that Mrs. Carter advised him upon arrival that Perley Faison was the one who attacked her. Boone then went looking for Faison and found him with two other Negroes, Arthur Mitchell, Jr. and Leroy Smith, parked beside highway 117 between Wallace and Burgaw, headed in a northerly direction.

The car had given out of gas, according to Boone.

Sheriff Miller said that he asked Mitchell about the incident and that he had said Faison left the car while he was parked at a tobacco barn near Mrs. Carter's house with the statement that he was going to 'get him' a woman.

However, when Faison was questioned, he said that he was in Brunswick County at the time of the alleged attack and 'hadn't been in Duplin.'

Boone testified at the hearing that after he picked up Faison and brought him to Duplin General Hospital, Kenansville, Mrs. Carter said 'That's the man, Perley, you know you did it.'

It was revealed at the hearing that Faison is alleged to have entered the house and Mrs. Carter heard him. She got out of bed, took a .410 gauge shotgun with her into the dining room. She said she fired over her head in an effort to scare him.

Then, Faison is alleged to have hit Mrs. Carter in the head with an oak chair, fracturing her skull and cutting a gash around the eye.

Mrs. Carter stated Faison told her he wanted \$300 or 'he would kill' her. Then, he is alleged to have forced her into her bedroom where he told her to take her clothing off. She said that she started taking them off, asking him not to hurt her. He is alleged to have ripped the clothes from her and then removed all of his clothes.

The attack, according to Mrs. Carter, occurred on her bed in her bedroom. She never lost consciousness, she stated. After the alleged attack, Mrs. Carter went and got all the money she had and took him to take it and leave. After that, she said Faison then tied her feet together with wire and her hands together with a piece of copper wire, threw her up on the bed and covered her up with quilts and left the house.

She said she managed to free herself and get to the telephone and summons help at around 3:45 a.m.

At hearing, Mitchell reversed his story concerning the whereabouts of the threesome during the time of the alleged attack.

Previously, he had told Sheriff Miller and SBI Agent J. P. Thomas that he put Faison out and saw him walking toward Mrs. Carter's house. He said Faison was gone about one hour, the same length of

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Tobacco Planters Stay Away From Sampson, Columbus, Robeson, Bladen

Farmers in Duplin County are urged not to go to either Sampson, Columbus, Robeson or Bladen counties for extra tobacco plants this year, or ever, if they should happen to run short.

County Agent Vernon Reynolds, said that a relatively new parasite, which attacks tobacco plants and corn, which weed attacks the roots of these types of plants and chokes them to death.

There is no known method to eradicate (wipe out) the disease.

Although Witch Weed does not attack tobacco, seeds can be brought back to the County without the transporter knowing about it.

Each plant produces millions of tiny seeds. One tobacco seed is about 30 times larger than a Witch Weed seed.

This parasite has been known to kill entire fields of corn.

Two Complete Slates Of Candidates File For Beulaville Town Election

Beulaville politics is beginning to take on an air of expectancy these days. During recent months there has been some agitation to remove the present town board on the theory that they have been spending too much money. According to reports it has been claimed, that Beulaville spends more money than some nearby towns for upkeep.

However, another group contends that an investigation of the facts have revealed that the reverse is true, that the town government is not as expensive as some towns nearby. The town tax rate is set at \$1.25 and the minimum water charge is \$2.50.

Former North Carolina Newspaper Gal Sweeps Maine Press, Radio Awards; Received Apprenticeship Duplin Times

The names of the contestants but each entry was numbered and this was the only identification used in the contest.

Awards were Maine Daily Press—correspondents, that is not regularly employed staff members.

Feature: First prize: Mrs. Helen Caldwell Cushman for MEMO TO MUFFIN, Lewiston Evening Journal.

Column: First prize: Mrs. Helen Caldwell Cushman, FOR MEN ONLY, Portland Sunday Telegram.

Maine Weekly Press: First prize for human interest story: Mrs. Helen Caldwell Cushman for Cranberry Harvest; Saturday Magazine of the Lewiston Evening Journal.

Awards in the Radio and Television Field: First place in continuity in the creative writing field: Mrs. Helen Caldwell Cushman of WRUM WGHM for BIRDS SING IN DECEMBER a special Christmas broadcast for the Livermore Falls Trust Company.

Home Dem. Women Observe 12th Annual Celebration; Tell Others of Work

For 65,000 home demonstration women in North Carolina, April 26, through May 4, will mean a time for telling others just what their club activities mean to them.

This is the week set aside for the observance of the 12th annual National Home Demonstration Week across the nation. Ruth Current, state home agent, announces. Ten Heel women join with 1-2 million club women in America in telling their story of how 'Home Demonstration Work Serves the People.'

The home demonstration program offers the newest reliable information to North Carolina club women on such subjects as food and nutrition, clothing, housing, home furnishings, household equipment, home management—including long range planning, health and safety, child care and development, family relations, family economics, good business practices, and marketing and consumer buying.

North Carolina club women, in addition to studying these basic home economics subjects are now rounding out their program with projects in education, music, reading, citizenship, and international relations. In addition, aims are to interpret the aims of national home demonstration week are six fold. The purpose is to further acquaint the general public with the Cooperative Extension Service and its home demonstration program planned by

and for homemakers; to help families understand better their part in planning and carrying out the extension program; and to stress research that relates to the home and family and to encourage homemakers to put research findings into use.

to people the scope of home economics and its contribution to family and community life; to recognize the work of volunteer leaders without whose services the home demonstration program would not benefit as many families as now; and to inform people about the duties of their local home demonstration agent, and how to take advantage of her assistance.

The week will be observed locally in a number of ways. Plans include events such as tours, achievement days, open houses, and demonstrations. The purpose of these will be to inform other homemakers about this educational program and the help they may receive from it.

Extension workers and homemakers will be speakers at meetings of civic and service clubs, schools and churches, farm organizations, and other groups. Newspapers and radio and television stations will carry news and features about the work in their areas. Exhibits illustrating typical and outstanding activities will be prepared and displayed in store windows and other prominent places.

Recreation Program Planned Here

The Kenansville Lions Club will sponsor a summer recreation program for the young people of the community this summer. Coach Bill Kilton of the Kenansville school will supervise the program. About \$800 is needed to carry it through 10 weeks, starting May 27th and a drive will be put on by the Lions here next week.

School grounds and gymnasium facilities will be available. Such activities as gymnastics, various games including base ball and recreation for the younger ages will be planned. This will be the first such program ever undertaken in Kenansville. The Lions and Junior class are to sponsor the Spook Hop each Friday night which will be a part

Freak Windstorm Damage

A freak windstorm struck nearby Kenansville Tuesday afternoon about 2:30 when a whirlwind suddenly developed and took the porch room and part of the house roof from the home of Jesse Brown who lives just back of the service station at the intersection of highway 11 and the Magnolia road at the stockade here. George Penny was driving his pick-up along at the time and said the wind nearly turned it over. He saw the roofs blow off with the twister placing the porch roof on top of the house and part of the house roof blown into a field. Occupants of the house ran out. No one was hurt. He said the sky was black with corn stalks, trash and sand. It was over almost in a flash.

Fire Permits Are Revoked

Duplin County Forest Ranger Eugene Wells has announced that all fire burning permits have been cancelled until further notice.

All persons are advised to be careful with fires in or near wooded areas.

This is a state of emergency.

Warsaw Boys Head U.N.C. Fraternity

Two Warsaw men have been elected to offices in Phi Delta Kappa, an honorary education fraternity at the University of North Carolina.

At the annual election held last week, William G. Kornegay was chosen president of the organization and David J. Middleton secretary-treasurer. A third office, that of vice president, went to Paul B. Walter of Asheville.

Kornegay is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kornegay of Route 2, Warsaw. He has taught in the Gastonia City Schools and served as an instructor in the U. S. Air Force.

Middleton is the son of Mrs. D. J. Middleton of Route 2, Warsaw. He has taught in the Warsaw High School and served in the U. S. Air Force.

Both men are working on their doctorate in education at UNC.

Phi Delta Kappa is the oldest and largest professional fraternity for men in education. It has 63,000 members at 84 colleges, including 222 members at the University of North Carolina. The fraternity has as its chief purpose the promotion of free public education.

Cliffs Of Neuse

Cliffs of Neuse State Park near Seven Springs, is one of the most beautiful sites in Eastern North Carolina this time of year.

Dogwoods are in full bloom with a sprinkling of wild peach blossoms adding additional color. Freshly budded trees and new leaves give the air a freshness which is unsurpassed.

At the Cliffs, there are many different varieties of birds which add more color to nature as well as notes from God's creations for the

Scott's Store Home Demonstration Club Has Annual Fashion Show; Club Building

BY MRS. OARIE J. SCOTT

The annual fashion show of the Scott's Store Home Demonstration Club was held at the Pleasant Grove Community building Wednesday, April 24.

Miss Thelma Dilday, Home Economics teacher from B. F. Grady school and two of her students, Misses Harpers were judges. There were eleven ladies taking part in the dress revue as follows: Mrs. E. Kornegay, Mrs. Zoille Kornegay, Mrs. Irvin Kornegay, Mrs. Cecil Kornegay, Mrs. Donnell Kornegay, Mrs. Emmett Herring, Mrs. Tatt Herring, Mrs. Leland Herring, Mrs. Missa Murphy, Mrs. Edwin Holt and Miss Leana Walker.

It was a difficult task to choose winners with so many lovely outfits to choose from, but Mrs. Cecil Kornegay was the number one winner, wearing a dress-duster and hat ensemble with Mrs. Tatt Herring following as number two with also a dress-duster outfit. Mrs. Edd Kornegay won third place with a plain shantung dress and Mrs. Edwin Holt was in fourth as a winner wearing dress and cape ensemble which could be worn many different ways.

Mrs. Cecil Kornegay, number one winner will enter County dress revue.

This is a state of emergency.

WARSAW YOUTH INJURED FINGER

Stephen Stencil, eight year old boy of near Warsaw was brought to the local hospital last Friday night where he was treated for injuries to a finger. He caught his finger in a water pump at his home. The finger nail was torn off and the finger split.

RED STRICKLAND IMPROVING

Friends of A. J. 'Red' Strickland will be glad to learn that he is improving at Duke hospital where he underwent major surgery last week. Latest reports say he may return home in a few days.

HENEY MIDDLETON IN DURHAM

Henry D. Middleton of near Warsaw has left Duke Hospital where he was carried several weeks ago suffering an acute heart attack. He was at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Joe Bell on Bob Aire Ave. in Durham, but returned to his home near Warsaw today.

Briefs

W. F. (Bud) Miller of Beulaville sold his home here last week and plans to move to Swansboro some time in the near future. Mr. Miller is employed at Camp Lejeune and is moving so he will be closer to his work. He is planning to begin building in a few weeks near the Swansboro high school. Mr. Miller is a member of the board of trustees of the Duplin General Hospital.

Five File For Local Offices

Five candidates have filed for town commissioner in the town of Kenansville as of today. No one has filed for mayor. Filing time will be Saturday, April 27th and registration books will close Saturday. Also Saturday has been designated as challenge day. Registration and filing books are in the office of C. C. Hester.

Incentive Mayor Phil Kreteck has filed for town commissioner. Others filing for commissioners are incumbents Ralph Brown, Leo Jackson and Joe Quinn. A new filer is I. R. Caison. Incumbents J. O. Stokes and E. C. Tyndall say they will not file for reelection. The election is May 4th.