



## Medical Society Meets Here; Polio Vaccine Available For Adults 20 to 40

The Duplin County Medical Society met at the Kenansville Cafe last Friday night for its regular monthly meeting. In the absence of the president, Dr. R. P. Willis, Dr. George Matthews of Rose Hill, vice president presided. After enjoying a delicious supper the group retired to the local Health building for the business session.

Highlight of the discussions was the proposed Salk Polio vaccine for adults from 20 to 40 years. Mrs. Christine Williams appeared before the group and told them that the county had \$1000 available to purchase the vaccine for the adult inoculation. The doctors present discussed it and decided that they would be glad to cooperate with the Health Department in case they were needed to administer the vaccine and there would be no charge for their services. It was decided by the Health Department that they could administer the vaccine without calling on the doctors.

## Briefs

**BY BOB GRADY**  
**SERVICES AT NEW WARSAW METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY**  
Rev. Mr. Poole, pastor of the Warsaw Methodist Church will conduct the first services in the newly remodeled church Sunday morning. Completion of the work is nearing an end. The church is expected to be filled to overflowing for the first sermon.

**YOUTH RECREATION**  
The summer recreation program for the young people of Kenansville got underway a few days ago. Bill Helton is directing the programs. They are for children of all ages. Recreation is going on each day except Wednesday afternoon at the Kenan Outlaw.

**NEW HOME STARTED HERE**  
Elmore Bell began construction today on a new five room residence building in the Bell-Quinn development on the Chinquapin road. Mr. Bell's new home will be of brick. It is located in the pines opposite the home of Woodrow Outlaw.

**NEW RESTAURANT**  
Cavis Edwards, operator of Evans Service Station in Warsaw has completed construction of a new grill or restaurant beside the service station on highway 117 north edge of town. Announcement of its opening will be in next week's Times.

**WHERE WAS STRICKLANDVILLE**  
We didn't know until a few days ago that before the post office was (Continued on Back Page)

## Spring Federation Home Demonstration Clubs In Agricultural Building June 4

**BY MRS. ALTA KORNEGAY**  
Spring Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs will be Tuesday, June 4 at 9:30 a.m. in the auditorium of the Agricultural Building. The program will be a flower arrangement workshop conducted by Miss Pauline Gordon. Extension specialist in Housing and House Furnishings, N. C. State College. Emphasis will be placed on Church Arrangements.

Miss Gordon will first give a demonstration and the women will work on their own arrangements. After they have finished, she will take each one and discuss it. Members are asked to bring their own flowers, frogs, modeling clay, wire, scissors or clippers, flower containers, vases, or whatever you have to work with. Flowers should be gathered in bud or freshly bloomed. Pick them in early morning or late afternoon. Group flowers together, tie with rubber band or loosely with string. Keep them fresh by keeping them in a container with water in it and sprinkling the flowers with water. (You can put four or five milk cartons or tin cans in a large box and pack them around them to prevent them from turning over.) Bring some foliage such as large begonia leaves, lily of the valley, or any foliage in season. If you bring foliage such as the leaves of holly hock, pick early in the morning and put them in water. If you pick ivy, pick old growth as new growth will wilt almost immediately. Bring some long stem greens and flowers if you want to work on Church arrangements.

## Pleasant Grove Community Club Hears Talk By Dr. Thomas E. Shaver

**BY MRS. EDD KORNEGAY**  
Dr. Thomas E. Shaver gave a very interesting talk on "Vision" on Thursday night when he spoke to the Pleasant Grove Community Development Club.

He told the group that vision is not something people are born with but is acquired as we grow and when a person has poor vision the everyday pursuits of life becomes a struggle. People do not think of the importance of good vision until the eyes begin to give trouble. He also said that astigmatism is one of the more serious disorders. He stressed the fact that it is very important to correct crossed eyes in children at a very early age as it becomes worse if not corrected.

During the business session a prize was presented to Mrs. Nora Outlaw for the most time spent in improving her mail box. This contest will be held open for another month to allow everyone to enter and improve as many mail boxes as possible.

Taft Herring, Agriculture Chairman, reported that thirteen varieties of tobacco had been set on Vernon Bishop's farm. A corn demonstration is also growing on the Jones Dam farm and ten varieties have been planted. The club decided to sponsor the

## First Collective Duplin County Summer School To Begin Monday In Kenansville

The first collective summer school ever conducted in Duplin County will begin classes Monday morning at Kenansville school, at 8 o'clock. O. P. Johnson, County Superintendent of schools, said the program is designed to give students a chance who failed a course during the regular school year to make up the unit in summer school. This would allow successful students to graduate on time.

The school will be financed on a tuition basis. That is, those students who attend the school will have a tuition fee to pay. This program is designed not only for Duplin students, but students in other counties who wish to enter the program can do so. The summer school is accredited.

## ASC Offices To Stay In Kenansville; Move To Gooding Bldg.

According to S. T. Brown, secretary of the Duplin County ASC office the offices will not move from Kenansville. Yesterday an agreement was made with Dr. Gooding for the offices to be moved to his two story building next to the Duplin Times office. Mr. Brown stated that they expect to move about June 8th. The offices will remain there until the proposed annex to the Agricultural building can be completed. So farmers keep in mind after June 8th the ASC offices will not be in the Agricultural building but in the Gooding building.

## Vacation Bible To Begin Here Monday At Grove Church

The 1957 Kenansville Vacation Bible School will begin this coming Monday and run through Friday. The time will be 9-11 a.m. and the Presbyterian Church will be the host.

## Farmers Attend Willard Poultry Field Day

Approximately 25 Duplin farmers interested in poultry production attended the annual field day at Willard Coastal Plain Experiment Station, near Willard last week. Vernon Reynolds, County Farm Agent, said that the more important phases of poultry production were discussed.

## Water Committee Meets Here Friday PM If You Have Water Problems, Attend

Plans for the Duplin County Water Problems inventory meeting to be held at the County Agricultural Building in Kenansville on Friday evening, May 31, 1957, at 7:30 p.m. have been completed according to E. E. Kelly, chairman of the inventory committee.

Kelly said his committee was restating its invitation to every citizen of the county with a water problem to come to the meeting and report the exact nature of the problem. "This whole project," he said, "is aimed at finding out what the problems are so that something can be done about them. The people who have water problems are the ones that stand to benefit from this inventory. Those are the people we want to see at the meeting Friday night."

## B. F. GRADY SCHOOL 1957 GRADUATES

The B. F. Grady baccalaureate service was Sunday, May 19, at 3 o'clock in the school auditorium. The Reverend Boyce Wallace, of Murfreesboro, Tennessee, preached the sermon to the forty-eight seniors. Special music was rendered by Joyce Harper, Patricia Harper, Linda Rouse, Nell Garner, Betty Lou Waters, Mary Wallace, and Carolyn Outlaw. The class sang their hymn of dedication, Seal Us O Holy Spirit. The invocation was offered by the Reverend J. R. Bennett; the benediction was said by the Reverend Jimmy Hathorne.

Carole J. Moody and Robert Shelton Grady; the poet and poetess were Durwood Grady and Denise Herring; the statistician was Ray Westbrook; the class spirit, Ada Harper. Each member of the class and each high school teacher were remembered with small gifts.

## Cedar Fork Community Development Club Enters Finer Farms Contest For Year

Cedar Fork Community Development Club has entered the Carolina Power and Light Co. Finer Farms Contest, which is sponsored through the Soil Conservation Districts of North Carolina.

There are some 80 farm families in the area who are participating in the program. A first place prize of \$300 is being awarded to the community which shows the most improvement during the year and is doing the most with their soil on a community level. The award is not determined on the success of an individual.

On Monday evening in the school auditorium the class gave the play, The Ship Window. Seniors who played the parts of Jolls were Lois Williams, Mary Herring, Judy Wallace, Margie Howard, Betty Murphy, and Jean Gantler. Russell Barnes played the part of Flanagan. The class historian was Wayland Thomas Davis; the class prophet, James Davis; the class philosopher, James Davis; the class philosopher, James Davis.

Parents of the seniors were remembered by receiving large pictures of the graduates. The white caps and gowns with a touch of green, the class color, in the tassels made each senior quite happy in the picture as well as out of the picture. Stoles were worn by the nine Beta Club members among the class.

Some of the improvements which have been made in the Cedar Fork community are: (1) installing of 20,000 feet of tile drainage; (2) improving of 25,000 feet of open ditch drainage; (3) constructing three ponds; (4) conservation crop rotation on 300 acres; (5) crop residue utilization on about 1,100 acres; (6) improving of forest cutting on 400 acres of woodland; (7) planting of pastures on 25 acres and (8) wild life planting on 45 acres.

Black shank, a dreaded and feared tobacco disease, has struck some 25 to 35 farms in Duplin County. Vernon Reynolds, County Farm Agent, reported today that more and more farmers are coming into the County Agriculture building with black shank specimens.



WALLS GOING UP — Construction on the James Kenan high school, which will consolidate Warsaw, Kenansville and Magnolia high schools, is progressing and is scheduled to be completed around October 1. The walls of the 19-room school are now being built. (Barwick Photo.)

## James Kenan High School To Be Completed Around October 1, '57

Construction of the new 19-room James Kenan consolidated high school between Kenansville and Warsaw is progressing according to schedule, according to County Superintendent O. P. Johnson.

The new school will consolidate Magnolia, Warsaw and Kenansville high schools, and is being constructed at a cost of \$250,000. Johnson informs that completion date is estimated at around October 1, this year, and students will occupy the structure as soon as the County has accepted it.

The 1957-58 school year will begin on August 20, Johnson said. Because of this, the 350 students for the new school will be consolidated in the Warsaw school. They will be moved to the James Kenan high school immediately after acceptance and the Warsaw elementary school children will occupy the Warsaw school.

Until everybody is settled, the elementary school in Warsaw will meet at various places throughout the town. James Kenan high school, named for one of Duplin's most outstanding citizens, will have J. P. Harmon as principal with 18 teachers.

Kenan, a General in the Revolutionary War, was on the first Board of Trustees of the University of North Carolina. He is buried west of Warsaw.

In referring to the new school, Johnson said that all gatherings will be held in the Kenan Memorial Auditorium in Kenansville until an auditorium can be constructed at the high school. "It is the only place we have which will be large enough to hold the entire student body at one time," he said.

However, unlike the other consolidated high schools, the new school will have a lunchroom completed when the rest of the building is accepted.

RETARDED CHILDREN CAN BE HELPED. Since the entire program is a benefit in behalf of retarded children all admissions will be paid by tickets. Dance tickets are \$2.00 and spectators \$1.50. There will be no reserved seats. The program will be from 8 p.m. to 12 midnight.

## Beulaville Organizes 4-H Community Club; Carol Miller Is Named President

**BY JIM BRINSON**  
The Beulaville 4-H Club had a special meeting on Tuesday May 21 at 8:00 p.m. in Miller's Restaurant. The purpose of the meeting was to organize the community 4-H Club. There were nine members present. The following officers were elected: President, Carol Miller, Vice-President, Bennett Kennedy; Secretary-Treasurer, Kattie Sue Grady.

Douglas Shivar Elected Head Kenansville JC  
The Kenansville Jaycees installed M. D. Doug Shivar, popular deputy sheriff, president for the coming year at a combination installation and Ladies night banquet at the Kenansville Cafe last Tuesday evening.

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## Dennis Blanton Duplin's Second Highway Fatality

Dennis Blanton, age 20, native of Duplin, was killed instantly Wednesday at 1:20 p.m. on Highway 41 two miles east of Wallace, when he stepped into the path of an oncoming car.

## Duplin Native Joins C & D Dept.



JOHN E. JOHNSON  
RALEIGH — John E. Johnson, who is credited with having done an outstanding job as a vocational agriculture educator in eastern North Carolina during the past ten years, will join the Department of Conservation and Development's commerce and industry division on June 1.

C&D Director William P. Saunders said Johnson will be assigned to the division's small industries section to help provide additional assistance in organizing and cooperating with local development groups, promote establishment of more food processing plants and better packaging and marketing facilities for the products they produce.

## Kenansville Cafe To Observe New Hours Soon

Kenansville Cafe in Kenansville will begin observing new hours next week.

Roscoe Jones, proprietor, announced today that beginning Wednesday, June 5, the Kenansville Cafe will be closed at 3 p.m. However, the Cafe will be open Sundays from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m., Jones said. The Sunday hours will go into effect June 9.



JUNE 6, 1944 — Allied troops landed in Normandy to begin great invasion of Europe.  
JUNE 18, 1943 — Withholding at-source system of tax collection signed into law by President Roosevelt.  
JUNE 16, 1922 — A helicopter was at College Park, Md., to height of 7 feet.