



Straight from the Shoulder — Right from the Heart of Duplin

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Annual 4-H Achievement Day Awards Were Presented Monday - Blue Ribbons Awarded



Left to right: L. L. Harrell, State 4-H Leader Dan Holler Assistant 4-H Leader; Donnell Kornegay, received Alumni Recognition Award; Annette Holmes, most outstanding girl in 4-H work; Mike Goodson, most outstanding boy in 4-H work as they were recognized Monday Evening at 4-H Achievement Program.

On Monday evening in the Agriculture Building at Kenansville Duplin County's 1800 4-H Club members were honored during annual Achievement Day. Blue ribbons were awarded 11 exhibitors who entered projects in the Star - News Newspapers 4-H honor program held in conjunction with the achievement day program. All top ribbon winners will compete against 4-H representatives from eight other southeastern North Carolina counties during the Star-News Newspapers regional honor program scheduled for Wilmington November 21 - 22. The highlight of the program was the selection of the most outstanding boy and girl in Duplin County 4-H Clubs. These awards were presented to Annette Holmes and Mike Goodson. During the program, Al Dickson of the Wilmington Star, explained the program and the participation of the Morning Star in the program, and complimented the youth of Duplin for their fine work in the program. He commented that the exhibit was excellent and that much interest had been shown. Dan Holler, State 4-H Leader explained the purpose of Achievement Day. He told how the boys and girls select their programs and work on them throughout the year and that achievement night was the climax to honor the ones who had achieved the most during the year. Adult leaders through out the county were recognized for their accomplishments. Donnell Kornegay, one of the adult leaders in the Pleasant Grove Community 4-H Club received an alumni recognition award as a former 4-H'er who has continued his work with the organization and for the service he has rendered. Adult leaders present 1 Certificates of award to the 4-H boys (continued on back)

Veteran's Day Celebration In Warsaw Tuesday

Once again there will be a gay time and much celebrating in the town of Warsaw on November 11th as has been the custom for many years now. This celebration which is now known as Veteran's Day so that it may cover World War II and the Korean conflict was once known as Armistice Day and in the early years the folks from all around this section looked forward to this celebration with much more zeal than they do now. It still is a big day in this little town though and many members of Post 127 of the American Legion work mighty hard to make everything come out right on the big day. As has been the custom a Carnival will be in town for the entire week of November 10th through November 15th to be enjoyed by the young and young in heart. On the big day the first thing on the program will be the Parade which will start at 2:00 p.m. and begin above the depot on Front street and then will turn and come down the truck lane and on by the City Hall where the Review Stand will be and down Front Street again back to the Warsaw Drug Store corner and across the railroad to break up. That night at 8:00 p.m. will be the Beauty Contest at the Armory at which time Miss Post 127 will be selected for 1959 and then at 9:00 p.m. until will be the big Dance which climaxes the celebration. The Beauty Queen is chosen from Representatives from each of the High Schools in this area and this year entries are expected from B. F. Grady, Wallace - Rose Hill, Beulaville, Chiquapi, Mt. Olive, North Duplin, and James Kenan Central High Schools. So far there are known of Gloria Batts from Wallace - Rose Hill, Betty Ann Ellis from North Duplin, and Jennie Quinn from James Kenan. Walker McNeil is Chairman of the Beauty Contest Committee and serving with him is H. H. Hatcher of Faison. The Parade Committee has Major W. P. Lee, chairman, and Gib Buck and Walker McNeil.

Anyone wishing to enter floats in the parade should contact Major Lee. Parade Float Committee and Judges will be Robert West, Ed Strickland, J. C. Page, D. J. Rivenbark, and Walker McNeil. Pet Parade Committee will be Walker McNeil and Mitchell Britt for anyone wishing to enter pets in the parade. In charge of caring for the Gold Star Mothers and the one to contact is Robert West. The Legion Float Committee, Bill Bartlett and H. H. Hatcher. The prizes for floats will be \$35. 1st Prize, \$25.00 2nd Prize, and \$15.00 3rd Prize. The prizes for the Beauty Contest will be \$25. 1st Prize, \$15.00 2nd Prize, and \$10.00 3rd Prize. The reviewing stand committee are Felix Stallings and Otis Swinson. The decorating committee are James Elms, Forest Martin, Ennis Tadlock, and Felix Stallings. Come on to Warsaw next week for the Carnival and Nov. 11th for the big Parade and Dance celebration if you want to have a big time.

J. P. Amendment Defeated In Duplin Vote Small - Definitely Democratic

Duplin County did its part on November 4 in carrying the Democratic Triumph over the nation. Over the nation, the Senate gains for the Democrats even surpasses the 1952 record, the margin in the upper House is now 62-34 in favor of the Democrats and late returns give the Democrats at least 280 House Seats. In the 20 Precincts of Duplin County were as follows: For U. S. Senator, B. Everett Jordan (D) 2460, Richard C. Clark, Jr. (R) 183. For Attorney Gen. (D) Seawell (D) 2658, for member of Congress, Third District, Graham, A. Barden (D) 2697; Joe A. Dunn, (R) 182. Solicitor 6th Judicial District, Walter Britt (D) 2731. State Senator, 9th Senatorial District, Gayle Mercer (D) 2748, Cicero P. Yow, (D) 2681. H. E. Rogers (R) 148. Clerk of Court General County Court, R. V. Wells, 271. Sheriff Duplin County, Ralph Miller, 2754. For Legislature Hugh Johnson Jr., 2736. For Judge Gene - 1 County Court, David Newton Henderson, 2743. For Solicitor of County Court, Russell J. Lanier, 2730. For Coroner, Hector B. McNeil, 2734. The Constitutional Amendment to raise the jurisdiction of Justice of the Peace from \$50.00 to \$200.00 in Civil matters was defeated with a vote of 1493 against and 1253 for. For County Commissioners the vote was: Kenneth Grady 2731, L. on Brown 2743, Willard Haffner, 2736. And for County Board of Education the vote for William F. Dal was 2793.

Pearsall Urges Warsaw Methodists Support Higher Education Program

The Warsaw Methodist Church on Tuesday evening was host to church Loyalty Dinner. About 100 members and friends of the Warsaw church were served a delicious turkey dinner. After the dinner the words of welcome and recognition of God was given by Rev. L. T. Wilson. Mrs. Arnold Jones sang a solo accompanied by Miss Pearl West at the piano. The highlight of the evening was an address given by Tom Pearsall of Kenansville. Pearsall was introduced by E. C. Thompson who first explained the part of the Campaign for Christian Higher Education program. The goal for the Warsaw Church is \$3000. and for the Carlin Church \$2000. for a three-year period. Thompson pointed out what an outstanding man Tom Pearsall is in the state. He has won a high place in government, church and many other fields. Pearsall served in the general Assembly for four sessions and at one time was speaker of the House. Pearsall was most enthusiastic about the Campaign for Christian Higher Education being put on in North Carolina through the Methodist churches. He stated that every

Mrs. W. J. Pickett Succumbs Sunday

Mrs. Ella Pickett, widow of the late William J. Pickett died suddenly Sunday night at her home in Kenansville. Funeral services were conducted at the Kenansville Presbyterian Church, Tuesday morning at 11:00 o'clock by Rev. Eugene Davis, pastor, assisted by Rev. Edwin S. Coates of Farmville. Interment followed in Golden Grove Cemetery. She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. D. H. McKay of Lillington, Mrs. J. A. Nelson, Jr. of Miami Florida, Mrs. Roy Sitterton and Mrs. Vande Gavin both of Kenansville. Four grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. J. B. Cooper of Wallace and Mrs. E. S. Coates of Farmville. One brother, J. L. Quinn of Chiquapi. Active pallbearers were: Amos Q. Brinson, L. H. Quinn, F. W. McGowan, Frank Somers, James F. Atkinson, Iven N. Bowden, W. E. Craft and Ralph T. Brown. Mrs. Pickett, the former Ella Quinn, was born in Chiquapi but has lived in Kenansville since she was married forty-seven years ago. She has endeared herself to the people of Kenansville with her many deeds of kindness and her thoughtfulness toward others. Since she has lived in Kenansville she has been a most active member of Grove Presbyterian Church and was always a willing worker and generous giver to its many projects. Mrs. Pickett has also been active in the civic organizations of Kenansville.

Williams Family Holds Reunion

The family of the late Black and Ada Williams met Sunday, November 2, for their annual family reunion. The group enjoyed a bountiful dinner of all kinds of eats including barbecue and all the trimmings. Members of the family attending were Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Williams and family of Smiths township; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Garner and family; Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Quinn and family of Mt. Olive and Mr. Tom Williams and Miss Lena Williams of Kinston. "Methodism is on the march in Christian Higher Education," stated Pearsall. "If you have a course and work at it, you can get help. The Methodist have a good program and will work at it." From 1910 to 1950 the population of this country has increased 65%, in same period the college enrollment increased 600%. In 1975 there will be a need for 93,000 places in colleges for boys and girls in this state. He closed his speech by stressing the tremendous responsibility on the shoulders of each adult, and urged them to meet the problem that is now facing us.

LaGrange Plays Erwin Friday At Wallace; 8 P. M.

LaGrange Bulldogs will meet Erwin Friday night in Wallace in the first round of eliminations to select the State's football champions for 1958. LaGrange is winner of the Coastal Conference with a 7-0 record and Erwin is winner of the Mid-Central Conference with a 8-0 record. Overall, LaGrange has a 8-3 record while Erwin has an 8-1. Kick-off is 8 p. m. The winner of the LaGrange-Erwin game will meet the winner of the Mount Olive-Soc. team in the game This game is being played in Mount Olive Friday night at 8 p. m. Mount Olive is the winner of the East Central Conference and has a perfect record for the season in all football play.

"Chuck Wagon Gang" In Kenansville November 13, "You All Come"

The famous radio singers of Fort Worth, Texas, the "Chuck Wagon Gang" will give a musical program of gospel songs at the Kenan Auditorium and Gymnasium in Kenansville, Thursday, Nov. 13, 1958, at 8:00. This program is sponsored by the Kenansville Lions Club to raise money for the projects which the club sponsors - the Boy Scout and Cub Pack Units, the summer recreation program and work for the blind. It will not only be entertainment, but your participation will help all these projects which will ultimately benefit everyone. Your support is urged. The tickets are on sale in all the schools of our county or may be purchased by writing the Kenansville Lions Club, Kenansville, N. C. Price for adults is \$1.00, 50c for children under 12, and child 1

BLOODSHED BOXSCORE ON N. C. HIGHWAYS

RALEIGH - The Motor Vehicles Department's summary of traffic deaths through 10 a. m. Nov. 3, 1958. Killed This Year 850 Killed To Date Last Year 876

Briefs

TURKEY SHOOT

The Warsaw Junior Chamber of Commerce will be sponsoring month of November. The shoot their "Annual Turkey Shoot" every Thursday night during the month will take place across from the Coffee Shop (George Henry's) in Warsaw. The grounds have been prepared for the shoot and we Jaycees are looking forward to seeing you every Thursday night of this month. A member of the Jaycees will call you and remind you of the annual event. We do hope you can come out and try your luck. Should a member fail to contact you, then feel free to come on out, we will be glad to have you. All proceeds will be used for local civic improvement. We are giving our time and effort and we feel you will want to share in making our friendly community even more friendly.

104 In Attendance At Youth Meet

The Kenansville Sub-District Methodist Youth Fellowship held its monthly meeting at the Calypso Methodist Church Monday night, October 27th. 11 churches were represented with 104 members present. Julian Jessup, of Wallace, Sub-District Chairman of Christian Faith presented an inspiring devotional centered around the Thanksgiving Theme. He was assisted by 4 other members of the Wallace MYF in presenting a program of ideas to be used by MYF groups in planning for Inter-nominal Thanksgiving Services. Oletta Johnson, of Kenansville, who is serving as Christian Outreach Chairman, discussed the UNICEF Halloween trick-or-treat plan for underprivileged children overseas. She urged all MYF groups to participate. Mary Ellen Surratt, of Rose Hill, presided over the business session. Several groups made pledges to the MY Fund. Susan Clifton, of Faison, led the recreation. The group enjoyed a social hour and refreshments served by the Calypso Woman's Society of Christian Service. During the social hour the committee in charge of planning the program for the District Youth Rally to be held at Century Methodist Church in March held a meeting and made plans. This committee is composed of Melvin Williams, Pink Hill, Mary Ellen Surratt, Rose Hill, and Rev. Dwight A. Perry, Rose Hill.

Revival Services

Rev. Walter Goodman will be guest speaker at a series of revival meetings at the Harper-Southern Presbyterian Church, located at Albertson, November 10 through November 15. Services will begin each evening at 7 o'clock. The public is invited.

Barbecue Dinner

The Warsaw Fire Department is sponsoring a barbecue dinner, November 11 at the Firemen's Hut, behind City Hall. Barbecued Chicken and pig, prepared (continued on back)

13 FATALITIES

The accident of Sidney Smith of Warsaw on Wednesday brings to thirteen the number of fatalities in Duplin County for the year 1958. During the year 1957 there were only 14 deaths by car accidents. That leaves only one to be as many as last year, with the Thanksgiving and Christmas season still ahead of us. The Patrolman of Duplin was every driver to stop and think. Don't let yourself be the one to complete the record.

Sidney Smith Killed Instantly

Sidney Durant Smith, age 66, of Warsaw was killed instantly Wednesday when his car left the highway at the intersection of 11 and 111 near the B. F. Grady School. Smith was traveling on the highway from Pink Hill toward Kenansville when his car ran off on the right shoulder of the road for about 231 feet and hit the drain tile head on. The front of the car hit full force, knocking the motor backwards and breaking the transmission and drive shaft. He was driving a 1955 Ford "Fisher" which was completely demolished. According to eye witness Alvin Kornegay, Smith was killed instantly, as he ran over there as soon as the car stopped and Smith was dead, probably of internal injuries. Patrolman Stewart investigated the accident. Smith is survived by his wife, the former Early Mae Teashey; six sons, Horace of Berkeley, Cal.; Durant of Castro Valley, Cal.; John Harmon of Salisbury; Sidney and Stanley of Rose Hill; Randall of Warsaw; one daughter, Mrs. Ray Strickland of Faison; two sisters, Mrs. J. C. Miller of Beulaville; Mrs. L. C. Miller of Beulaville; one brother, Neal Smith of Beulaville.

TIMES SPORTS By Joe Costin

ALL EAST CENTRAL CONFERENCE SELECTION



DREW GRICE



BUDDY BLANCHARD

The East Central Conference Coaches met in Beulaville Monday night of this week and selected a first and second All-Conference team. There were three players that made unanimous all conference, Van May of Mt. Olive, Buddy Blanchard of James Kenan and Buddy Mercer of Beulaville. The conference consist of Swamboro, Richland, Mt. Olive, Beulaville, Burgaw, North Duplin and James Kenan. James Kenan lead all other school in the conference in placing six players on the two teams. Mt. Olive was second with five, and North Duplin, Beulaville and Richlands landed three players each. The players from James Kenan that were on the first team were Buddy Blanchard, Drew Grice and Shannon Brown. On the second unit for the Tigers were Bill Straughan, Ernest Knowles and Bobby Bizzell. Those received honorable mention from James Kenan were David Benton, Denny Batts and Mac McNeil. (I personally don't see how they over looked Bobby Best of James Kenan because he looked mighty good to me.)

Listed Below Are The Two Teams:

1st TEAM	POSITION	SCHOOL
Buddy Mercer	Back	Beulaville
Vann May	Back	Mt. Olive
Buddy Blanchard	Back	James Kenan
Jimmy Futrell	Back	Beulaville
Drew Grice	End	James Kenan
Jack Faucette	End	Mt. Olive
Shannon Brown	Tackle	James Kenan
Allen Sutton	Tackle	Mt. Olive
Wade Taylor	Guard	North Duplin
Ray Smith	Guard	Beulaville
Charles Swinson	Guard	North Duplin
2nd. TEAM		
Bill Taylor	Back	Burgaw
Bill Straughan	Back	James Kenan
Phil Faucette	Back	Mt. Olive
Charles Horne	Back	Richlands
Sidney Balcombe	End	Burgaw
Joe Hollingsworth	End	North Duplin
Gene Williams	Tackle	Richlands
Sam Taylor	Tackle	Mt. Olive
D. T. Marshburn	Guard	Richlands
Ernest Knowles	Guard	James Kenan
Bobby Bizzell	Center	James Kenan

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