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Welcome To Kenansville

Kenansville is on the march again. This week three new businesses are being welcomed to town. About two years ago, several of the store buildings on the main street in town were vacant. But today there is not one empty.

Smith's 5 & 10¢ Store, next door to The Duplin Times, a free, opened to business in April. It is owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Smith who came to this community several years ago from the Pink Hill-Deep Run section. They have successfully operated a fish market for the past several years and now they have gone into the dime store business too. Mr. and Mrs. Smith state that they do not have all the plans they are planning to have, but if they do not have what you want, they will surely get it for you. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have two fine children, a boy and a girl.

Charlie's Grill, located next door to Waccamaw Bank and Trust Company, opened for business on Monday of this week. A modern up-to-date eating place, specializing in quiet orders and plate lunches. Charlie's Grill, owned by Mrs. Paul Ingram, is an attractive

Bell Motors To Have Official Opening In Kenansville Saturday; New Dealer

Bell Motors in Kenansville will have its official opening as exclusive holder of the Rambler Automobile franchise in Duplin County on Saturday.

Elmore Bell, dealer, said new models of the Rambler will be on display in the show room. The new business is located on the Chinquapin highway within the city limits of Kenansville.

Bell has been in the automobile business for 26 years and is a native of Duplin County. For the past several months, he has been in the used car business in Warsaw. He says that he has sold his used car business in Warsaw.

In addition to being the Rambler dealer, Bell Motors will continue to be in the used car business with the used car lot being adjacent to the business location in Kenansville.

The new building, constructed of concrete block and steel, is 90 feet by 45 feet. In the front of the building is a large show room and auto parts department. Office space is also located in the front of the building.

In the rear is located a large repair section where models of all cars will be repaired.

Ray Bell, son of Elmore Bell, and Elwood Maready will be in the business with Bell as parts manager-bookkeeper and salesman respectively.

Bell is married to the former Rosa Blaud of Mount Olive. They have four children, Ray, Patricia, Carol and Kay. They reside in Kenansville.

Briefs

Presented Television
Mrs. N. B. Boney was presented a portable television on Wednesday afternoon at a reception given by the Girl Scouts and their mothers, honoring her for twenty years of service as leader of the Girl Scout Troops in Kenansville. The story & picture will follow next week.

Youth Revival
A Youth For Christ Revival will be held in the Sarcota Free Will Baptist Church beginning July 5, through July 11, at 8:00 p.m. each evening. Special music will be rendered by "The Musical Messengers" quartet. All youth are cordially invited.

First Cotton Blossom
L. J. Taylor of Kenansville R-1 brought in the first cotton blossom to The Duplin Times office on June 17. This seems to be rather early for a cotton blossom. Mr. Taylor received his year's subscription to the Times for the first blossom brought into the office.

Road Work Completed
Road work in the State Highway Commission's Third Division last month was completed in Duplin County as follows: widening, grading, stabilizing and resurfacing was completed on the road from Calypso to NC-403. State forces replaced sub-standard bridges with culverts at the following locations: Blanchard Road, Murray and Jerome Road, Sholar Road, Cowan Road, Crescent Ivey Road and Pickett Road.

Membership Drive
Now is the time for members to renew their membership or to join the Duplin General Hospital Auxiliary. Membership dues are only \$1.00 per year, and except for National dues, every cent is turned into Duplin General Hospital for the comfort of the patients.

PLEASE see your membership drive chairman in each community and give her your dollar. Chairman for Kenansville District is Mrs. G. V. Gooding, Kenansville, N. C. If you do not know your membership chairman, send your dollar to the county president Mrs. Everett Stout of Wallace, N. C.

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Women Elected Duplin County Wins Gavel For Home Week Folks

Duplin County Home Demonstration Club Women won the Gavel at the Climax of Farm Home Week for having the largest attendance from any county in state. Seventy nine Club Women attended all or part of the week's activities, which included classes in foods, landscaping, furniture refinishing, Health, a tour and tea in Chapel Hill, plus a parade of Hats made by club members and a program on sitting, walking, and grooming presented by the Nancy Taylor School of Charm.

Those from Duplin appearing on the program were Mrs. David Williams, first State Vice President and Mrs. Adrian Davis, Southeastern District Music Chairman.

Demonstration On Barbecuing

An outdoor barbecue chicken demonstration was held Tuesday night at the Beantaneus Community Development Club.

Bill Mills, Extension Poultry Specialist, and Rahn Sasser, Duplin Assistant County Agent, were in charge of the demonstration.

One hundred persons ate the 100 pounds of chickens barbecued. The chickens were furnished by Warren Ford Hill.



LAST OFFICIAL VISIT - J. A. Glazener, Extension Program planning specialist, right, made his last official visit to Duplin County last week. It has been the tireless and enthusiastic work which has been responsible for the progress made in rural Duplin in the organization of Community Development Clubs. Seated with Glazener are, left to right, Jim Bunce and Ralph Sasser, assistant County Agents, and Vernon H. Reynolds, County Farm Agent, who have been instrumental from the County level Agriculture workers in the organization of the Community Development Clubs. (Photo by Paul Barwick)

Beulaville National Guardsmen Arrive At Fort Stewart For 2 Weeks

Officers and men of Btry. B 2nd AW Bn (SP) 252d Artillery, arrived at this Army Armor and Artillery Firing Center for two weeks of summer field training, Sunday, June 15th. The unit left Beulaville on a two day motor march, arriving here without accident.

The first week has been on the firing range as the anti-aircraft artillery Guardsmen fire their twin 40-mm guns at radio controlled planes. The second week will be devoted to field exercises.

Col. Kenneth M. Corbett, commanding officer of the 252d AAA Group and senior commander of the encampment at Fort Stewart, led an orientation program Monday, welcomed the troops, and explained the mission of the encampment.

Following a parade Saturday, the men will be free for recreation trips to Savannah Beach, Sea Island or other nearby points of interest.

Btry B Commanded by Captain Richard S. Bostic, is making its first summer encampment since reorganization of the North Carolina National Guard. However, for most of the men, Fort Stewart has been the summer field training site for 12 years.

The basic weapon for AAA Guardsmen is the M-42, a self-propelled twin 40-mm rapid fire gun. After four days of firing at towed targets and small ramming officer of the 252d AAA Group and senior commander of the encampment at Fort Stewart, led an orientation program Monday, welcomed the troops, and explained the mission of the encampment.

Btry B will return to Beulaville on Sunday, June 21.

Glazener Presented Gift Of Appreciation Taylor Elected Treas. Community Clubs

The Duplin County Community Development Association Board of Directors met Thursday night, June 11, in the Agriculture Building with 30 members present.

The group elected Sam Taylor as Treasurer of the Community Development Association to succeed Laverne Pickett who resigned due to health reasons.

Mr. J. A. Glazener, Extension Program Planning Specialist from State College, was presented a silver tray by the group in appreciation of his good work with the clubs in the county. Mr. Glazener made a talk on the progress and good work the clubs had done and praised the Duplin County Clubs for the fine work accomplished in the communities and urged the clubs to continue their great work.

Mr. Glazener is retiring on July 1, 1959 and will be missed by the clubs in his great leadership and guidance in this work.

Hallsville Is 11th Community To Organize

Duplin County's eleventh Community Development Club was organized Friday night at Hallsville. J. A. Glazener, Extension Program Planning Specialist, was present to get the club organization ground work laid.

Vernon H. Reynolds, County Farm Agent, will speak to the Hallsville Club tonight on the finer points of organization in and effort to assist the members with their immediate phases of organization.

Any community in Duplin County which wishes to organize a Community Development Club can receive assistance from the County Agent's office just for the asking.

Three Men Are Arrested For Liquor Making

Owen C. Galaspie, Willie Vann and Willie Carlton have posted \$500 bond each and waved their preliminary hearing on a charge of manufacturing illegal whiskey. Sheriff Ralph Miller and Deputy T. E. Revell arrested Galaspie at the still, located in Kenansville Township about three miles west of Kenansville on the Magnolia highway Tuesday morning. Vann and Carlton came into the Sheriff's office and gave themselves up.

Destroyed at the still were 12 one-half gallons of whiskey, nine barrels of mash and a 100-gallon submarine type still.

The three men will be tried in the next term of Duplin County Court.

MINSHEW HITS HOME RUN

Arthur Minshew, one of the Little League's outstanding hitters hits a tremendous home run against the Jaycees last Saturday as Manager Ted Wilson's Rotary team defeated the Jaycees 25-4. Minshew crosses home plate, while Freddie Eason scores just ahead of him.

TIMES SPORTS By Joe Costin

LITTLE LEAGUE STANDINGS:
Rotary 5 1
Legion 4 2
Lions 3 3
Jaycees 0 6

GAMES THIS WEEK:
Jaycees VS Legion
Rotary VS Lions
Lions VS Jaycees
Legion VS Rotary

Lions Defeat Jaycees, 15-6
Last Wednesday afternoon the Lions of Manager Paul Britt defeated the Jaycees 15-6 in a free scoring game on the Jaycees Field. Donald Knowles and Paul Britt, Jr. lead the winners with three-for-four. Britt and Knowles scored four runs each as Donald Bradshaw came up with two hits and two RBIs.

The Jaycees with four losses thus far this season came up with only four hits. Harry Sheffield hit one and Paul Bell, Willie Jones, and Senator Matthews had the other three.

Rotary Edges Legion, 4-3
Larry Cooke, with a 3-0 record on the hill hurled a neat three hitter

Demonstration On Bottoming Stools And Chairs Held

Fourteen Home Demonstration Crafts Leaders of the Home Demonstration Clubs met in the Agriculture Building on Tuesday, June 16th, to learn how to "bottom stools and chairs."

Mrs. C. L. Sloan of Calypso Club, and Mrs. Walter Rhodes of Cabin Club had charge of this workshop. These two ladies attended the district crafts camp at Camp Monroe last August and learned how so that they could come back and teach others. The following Club women made stools at this workshop: Mrs. Joe Sloan; Mrs. C. L. Davis; Mrs. David Brock; Mrs. C. L. Sloan; Mrs. E. J. Carter; Mrs. Lillian Grady; Mrs. Ralph Miller; Mrs. Rodolph Futrell; Mrs. Elliot Brinson; Mrs. Alice Kornegay; Mrs. D. V. Gwaltney; Mrs. Norwood Blanchard; Mrs. Walter Rhodes; and Mrs. Nellie Batts.

Ladies Auxiliary Installs Officers

The Ladies Auxiliary of Duplin General Hospital met on Thursday afternoon in the lounge of the Nurses home at 3:00 p.m.

Mrs. Hugh Johnson, president, presided with the secretary Mrs. George Carr serving.

L. U. Chandler, hospital administrator, welcomed the members and gave a report on the progress of the hospital work in the past year.

Following a short business session, new officers were installed as follows: President, Mrs. Everett Stout Wallace; Vice-President, Mrs. Hugh Wells; Albertson; Second vice president, Mrs. Hugh Johnson of Rose Hill; Secretary, Mrs. L. U. Chandler of Wallace; Treasurer, Mrs. Ed. J. Strickland of Warsaw.

The new president explained her plans for the coming year and committee chairmen were elected from the floor. The meeting was adjourned to meet again in September. The time and place to be announced later.

Mrs. Ivy Burden, acting hostess for the hospital, served delicious hot drinks and cookies.

C. F. Cafes & Sons Get Govt. Contract

In the most recent reporting period, small business firms in North Carolina received \$344,218 in government contracts. This announcement was made by the Charlotte Branch Office of Small Business Administration.

These awards were made as a result of SBA's cooperative set-aside program with government purchasing agencies. Under this program SBA representatives, in cooperation with purchasing officials of civilian and defense agencies, reserve proposed contract for exclusive competitive award to small business firms.

Among the North Carolina businesses receiving awards were Charles F. Cafes & Sons, Inc., Farmington, N. C. Two (2) contracts totaling \$25,237 for food products.

Shooting At Ammon's Grill Results In Three Arrests - One Was By Accident

William Carlton and Nick Hall are charged with allegedly causing "trouble" at Ammon's Grill in Kenansville, Sunday afternoon.

Sheriff Ralph Miller said today that Carlton is alleged to have fired a .25 caliber pistol into the grill about 6 p. m. Sunday. According to Mrs. Iola Ammons, operator of the grill and who swore out the warrant charging the two, Hall and Carlton had been fighting, the shot resulting in the incident. Hall is charged with engaging in a fray. Carlton is charged with assault with a deadly weapon.

Both men have posted bond. Their hearing has been set for Saturday morning, in Kenansville, before Magistrate C. C. Hester.

A "fire incident in the grill" resulted when Sheriff Miller and Deputy W. O. Houston went to Carlton's house to arrest him. Hosey Vann was on the back porch, under the influence of alcohol. Deputy Houston aroused him and asked him if he was Carlton. Vann replied that he was.

Vann was brought to Kenansville with officers thinking they had Carlton in custody. It was not until Monday that the wrong man had been arrested. Vann was then charged with public drunkenness.

Sheriff's Department Has Busy Time With Break-ins; Thief Takes Bones

Dean's Super Market and Leon Cole's Jewelry Store in Beulaville, were broken into over the weekend, according to Sheriff Ralph Miller.

The thing which has baffled investigating officers is that the person or persons who entered the businesses through a rear window took only some neck bones, a few cakes and crackers. "What I can't understand," said Sheriff Miller "is why the person took neck bones when there was plenty of steak and ham meat around."

Finger prints were lifted from the super market and jewelry store.

Junior Swinson's packhouse, near Beulaville, was also entered Monday night. According to Sheriff Miller, one pair of Army pants, a handsaw, and four gallons of gas in a five gallon can was all that was missing from the packhouse. Investigation is continuing.

Mrs. Maggie Mobley, who lives in the Lyman community, is a very sound sleeper. Someone or several people, went to her house Sunday night and jacked her car up, within 10 feet of her house, and removed a wheel and new tire.

Evidently the wheel and tire were too hot for the thief. It was recovered by Chief Deputy Norwood Boone Monday in front of Henry Carter's, near Wallace, in a ditch. The wheel and tire have been returned to Mrs. Mobley. Investigation into the incident was by Sheriff Miller and Deputy Boone.

Our Washington - New York Trip

James Kenan Seniors, Accompanied by Mrs. Pearl McGowen and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Brinson. By PEARL C. MCGOWEN

On May 20 thirty-nine seniors left for an educational tour of our Nation's Capital and New York City. Before our bus left the school grounds, we paused for a short prayer. From the heart of our class president, Drew Gales, sent up a prayer for guidance and safety on our trip. Our bus driver, Mr. Floyd Coates, was one of the best (according to a statement signed by every member of the group).

We found Mt. Vernon a place of historical beauty indeed. We also enjoyed a tour of Lee's home. We visited the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and witnessed the changing of the guards. The Lincoln Memorial Building



The James Kenan High School Seniors who recently visited Washington, D. C. and New York City. This picture was taken while they were in Washington, before they left for New York.

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