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PRICE TEN CENT

Board Of Commissioners To Meet Twice Monthly

Commissioners met on Monday July 6, at their regular session. A very busy day was had and many important items were taken up. Two Board members were reappointed to the Duplin County Library Board, They we: e Mrs. Alvin Kornegay of Albertson and Mrs. W. R. Clifton of Faison, for a five year term. Other members on the board are Mrs. Lawrence Southerland, Kenansville; Mrs. Hugh Moxrison., Wallace; Mrs. N. B. Boney. Kenansville; Mrs. Jaul Potter of Warsaw and Mrs. W. H. Fussell of Rose Hill.

Effective July 1959 the Board of Commissioners will have two monthly meetings; on the first and third Monday of each month at 10:00 A. M. Due to the great amount of county business, the commissioners felt that they could not fully take care of the county business in one day. The resolution was adopted on Monday, July 6. W. McGowen was reappointed

County Tax Supervisor for a two-

Officers Named

Russell J. Lagier and Kenneth Reece, Lion Tamer; Rufus Elks W. Turner were reappointed spec- Twil Twister; and Director George ial tax attorneys for one year term, Penney, Bill Helton and Vernon H

Annual Red Cross Meet Reveals County Quota Not Reached

The annual meeting of the Dup- | fall. lin County Chapter American Red Mrs. Mattle Sadler's First Ald Cross was held last Friday night and Water Safety report was very in the chapter office in Kenans- good. Seven classes have been held ville. Attorney Robert L. West of during the past year and 132 cer-Warsaw, chapter chairman for the tificates presented. Fred Pickett ve ton, 62. past three yeras, presided and wel- has taught a swimming class at the comed those present who had Country Club in Wallace and is braved the heat wave to come, teaching another one now. The After the reading of the minutes Home Nursing report submitted by for the semi-annual meeting held Mrs. L. Southerland showed that last January, a report from the 4 classes had been taught recently Treasurer was made by Paul In- and 75 certificates issued through down of the 1959 rund Catopaign which revealed only about 50% of the quota was raised.

This report gave a break-the Home Nursing Institutes.

Community Services report showed that many organizations throughout the county had cooper-

The total amount collected as of ated with the Red Cross Projects June 15 was \$2394.29. \$1000.00 of at Camp LeJeune during the past this amount had to be sent to Na- year and many articles sent to the tional Headquarters which still U. S. N. Hospital, such as pocket leaves Duplin County owing \$544.- edition books, comic books, maga-89, which is not on hand, There- zines, pencils, combs, hard candy fore a supplementary Fund Cam- These items are still needed, Mrs. up the deficit.

The Jr. Red Cross, chairman, Mrs, Lee Brown, enrolled 11 white schools and 19 negro schools las

Marriage Law Change Effective July 1st.

Notice to all ministers and Justices of the Peace: that Marriage Law Change is Effective July 1, term of Highway Commissioner E. William A. Davenport 1959 has been released by Mrs. Christine W. Williams, Register of been forwarded to Governor David Thomas Chambers Deeds as follows:

The muddle of the North Carolina Marriage License caused by a law enacted hastily during adjournment of the 1957 State Legislature was corrected by the 1959 Legislature effective July 1, 1959.

The new law repeals the law enacted in 1957 and puts back into effect the time honored law which requires a marriage ceremony to be performed and recorded in the county which the marriage license

The 1957 law, which was repealed effective July 1, 1959, provided that if a Marriage License was pur-chased in the County of residence of either party to the marriage, the License could be taken to any Minister or Justice of the Peace anywhere for the ceremony to be performed. This law resulted in much confusion and anxiety among parties to marriages families ministers, and justices of the peace. Many couples do not know where such marriages are recorded. Under the 1957 law, all of the marriages performed in Duplin County are not recorded in our county some Licenses were purchased other counties, and the execut-licenses were returned to the county of purchase for recording. Also, the Duplin County Registry recorded many marriages which occurred in other counties persons who purchased licenses
Duplin went to other counties
be married.

The cooperation of all Ministers and Justices of the Peace in Dupand Justices of the Feace in Dup-lin County in performing in Dup-lin County only marriages in cases where the Licenses were purchas-ed in Duplin County is earnestly solicited. Strict compliance with this law is necessary to preserve our system of Issuing and record-ing Marriage Licenses.

The Duplin Board of County | resigned effective August 31 to ac cept another position,

A delegation composed of Hugh S. Johnson, Dallas Herring, C. W. Surratt, Jr., Mayor of Rose Hill, Nash Johnson, Dennis W. Ramsey, M. F. Bostie, Shelton Lewis and V. H. Reynolds appeared before the Board in the interest of a Poultry Disease Diagnatic Lationatory. which is to be located in Rose Hill. Mrs. William Spicer was appointed County Home Demonstration Agent to succeed Mrs. Troy

Kenansville Lions

Jim Bunce has been elected president of the Kenansville Lions Club for the 1959-60 year.

Other officers serving with him are: Bill Jasper first vice-presid ent; Pete Quinn, second vice-president; Z. W. Frazelle, third vicepresident; Rev. Lauren Sharpe secretary - treasurer; Lawtence Bill Jasper, poultry specialist, Reynolds.

Negro Couple Killed In Accident Friday At Charity Cross Roads A negro couple was killed Fri- knocking out a gas pump. Yelver-

day afternoon an automobile ac- ton and his wife were thrown from cident at Charity Crossroads. Kilthe car and killed almost instanled were Wyatt Y. Yelverton, 65, thy. ville and his wife, Priscille C. Yel other cuts and bruises,

According to reports Pearley Carlton of Richmond, Va. was driving a 1951 Pontiac toward Rose Hill, failed to stop for a stop sign proceeded to cross Highway No. 11, A 1959 Ford Pickup truck. driven by Henry R. Carter, 47, while farmer of Route 2. Wallace was travelling South on highway 11, the Pontiac pulled on the highway in front of him directly into

the path of the truck. When the vehicles collided, the impact knocked them about 40 feet into the corner of the store accident, marred the good report owned by Edwin G. Teachey,

These items are still needed, Mrs. N. B. Boney, Executive Secretary of the chapter with Home Service **General Hospital**

nitted to Duplin General Hospital during the past week. PINK HILL Baby Girl Lyles Bernice Herring Baby Boy Herring Grace Evelyn Bryant Meanor Jenkins Smith ALBERTSON candidate to fill the unexpired Ruth Sanderson L. White, who died recently, has WARSAW Judy Rouse David Michael Stancil the Duplin County Board of Com- Linda Faye Ward Matt Vann Edna Walters Robinson Marion Whitfield Letha Mae Carlton Barbara Arlene Scott CALYPSO Livie Oates KENANSVILLE Isabelle Jones Murphy

Joyce Ann Bell

Phoebie Lefler Johnson

Baby Girl Henderson

Richard Malone Lively

Amy Southerland Brown

Baby Boy Johnson

Sylvia Fae Brown

TEACHEY

VIRGINIA

Sam Hardison

Pearley Carlton

Golden Wright

Wilbert Futrell

Manerva Artis

CHINQUAPIN

WALLACE

Hattie Patrick MAGNOLIA Ida Dudley Ha RICHI, ANDS

Timmle Maready John B. Melton

Baby Girl Wright

Dora Hall Baysden

ROSE HILL

In addition, he has served as Mayor of Wallace for 10 years, was a member of the Board of Directors of the State League of Ella Kenan Hall Municipalities for eight years, and Baby Boy Hall also served as president of the Annie Ingram Cora Bostic Brinson Max Allen Jones Gordon Miller Don Carroll Hall

Poultry Disease Laboratory To Be In Rose Hill

responsibilities, reports.

Willard Hollfer

Recommended For

Highway Position

Luther H. Hodges.

of Wallace.

Willard Hoffler, of Wallace, as a

Resolutions have been sent from

missioners and the Town officials

Hoffler is currently serving as

member of the Duplin County

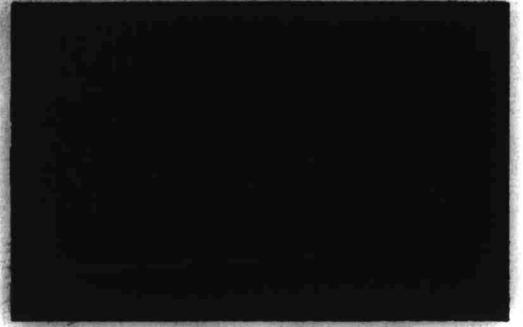
Board of Commissioners.

A poultry disease diagnostic laboratory will be set up in Rose Dorothy Greham Hill in Duplin County to serve Southeastern North Carolina Poultry industries and producers, according to County Farm Agent Vernon H. Reynolds, Funds for the laboratory were

made available in the last General Assembly when \$37,000 was set aside for this specific purpose. The County Board of Commissioners came across with their end of the bargain by making available a FAISON building for the poultry labora-

building for the poulty and a tory.

Duplin was selected for the Eastern North Carolina soultry lab because of its leadership in poultry production in North Carolina. There are 20,000,000 broilers, about 600,000 turkeys and 300,000 laying hens in Duplin. The nearest laboratory to this area is in Raleigh.



tiac, received no broken bones but

cuts and bruises. He was admi ted

to Duplin General Hospital but

Patrolman Burge investigated

with careless an dwreckless driv-

ed under \$3,000 bond until the in-

This accident, eventher th i

was not considered a fourth of July

that Duplin County would have

One wreck was reported on

white school involving two Mar-

ines. One wreck was reported at

the Topsy Turvey, involving a

truck and one minor wreck near

of L. H. Quinn's store in Kenans-

molishing the Chevrolet.

gated by G. R. Stewart.

Miller was taken to Duplin Gen-

Miller says he blacked out and

WRECK AT LIDDELL

A car driven by Elbert Smith of

Cross-roads, near upper Duplin, in

July 4. Mrs. Smith who was riding

with her husband, was reportedly,

the most seriously injured, al-though the driver and three other

occupants in the McNeil car suf-

fered minor injuries and we're

treated at Lenoir Memorial Hos-

pital in Kinston. Mrs. Smith was

McNeil was charged with failing

Patrolman B. D. Burge, who

held there for X-rays.

to yield the right-of-way.

BURGE MOVES TO

WINSON-SALEM

released on Saturday.

the next week.

Teachey.

had for the holidays.

The rains which have fallen on ercos in Eastern North Carolina in the past week have been more valuable than the one million dollar price tag attached in most instances,

Farmers and merchants alike were carrying with them some long faces until the rains came. It looked like the entire Easte n North Carolina farming Bel: would go down at the hands of high

Other Holiday Accidents Minor

temperatures and drought, but the rains saved

Some of the bottom leaves of tobacco have been lost. They 'ave burned up in the field. In some instances, as high up as the third cropping of tobacce has been damaged

Corn also was revived by the rains.

(Photo by Paul Barwick.)

Teachey Negro Killed Saturday Night At Cabin

ceived a crushed left elbow and Carlton, the driver of the Pon-

Log Cabin, west of Teachey. the accident. Carlton was charged term of criminal superior court ing, manslaughter, and was releasty Sheriff's Chief Deputy Norquest which was to be in Wallace wood Boone, and Constable Robert

the Teachey community, was killed instantly Saturday night around midnight when he was shot in the eye with a .32 callber pistol by Lillie Mae Peterson. Negro woman of Teachey. The shooting occurred at The

Joe Lewis Chasten, Negro, of

The Peterson woman is being held in Duplin County jail and is charged with murder. The case will be heard in the August 31 The shooting was investigated Powell and Highway Patrolman

TIMES SPORTS -:- -:- By Joe Costin LITTLE LEAGUE STANDING

Jaycees 5

Lions 3

RESULTS OF GAMES

LAST WEEK

LEGION 7 ROTARY 5

tary their second defeat of the sea-

State Nurses' Association, will meet at Lakewood Park near Fayetteville, N. C. on Tuesday July 14 at 6:30 P . M. Please bring a picnic supper. The Duplin County ASC office Jaycees

Lions 6

Legion 5

Rotary 18

three-for-three.

reports that initial measurement ias been completed on all farms the county and all notices have been mailed. The office erpresses appreciations to the farmers for the cooperation they have received from the farmers,

NURSES' ASSO, TO MEET District No. 14, North Carolina

Duplin County is now being spotchecked by state office personnel in order to determine if all tobacco has been measured This work is being done by heli-

MAKES TOP HONOR LIST Ruth Eve Lineberger of Rt. 1,

t East Caroling College who won corried a 7-1 record into the game, other by Tommy Costin. top academic honors for the spring Of course Manager Wilson's team Leading the way for the Lions quarter, Her name is included on was playing without the service were Frank Ezzeli and Paul Britt the "All Ones" Honor Ross in re- of three of his regulars. To make a with three hits apeice. Britt drove cognition of the fact that she game of it Manager Ted brought in three runs and Ezzell had two received the highest possible mark up several players from the farm RBI's. in all courses in which she is en- system.

ATTENDS CLERKS CONVENTION

Mr. R. V. Wells, Clerk of Superior Court of Duplin County, attended the Clerk's convention held in Asheville at the George Vanderbuilt Hotel last week. Wells said that 64 out of the 100 Clerks of the state were present, which was a very good average.

Two Liguor Stills Are Destroyed

have been destroyed in Duplin County in the past week. One still was destroyed in Kenansville township Monday and on Tuesday another was destroyed in

Wolfscrape township. On the raid were Deputies W. O.

August 19th And 26th Dates Set For Duplin County School Opening

T e County Board of Education ools for full days work on Monsele ted August 19, and August 26, day and Tuesday prior to the openas the days our schools will open ing of their schools on the fol-

On Monday, July 6 a 1956 white on May 19. wholesale distributing truck driving Company, was parked in front close on Friday, October 30, for their District Meeting, the place to be announced later. Go don Miller, colored of Route

Schools will close two days for 1. Kenansville was coming down Thanksgiving, November 26, and Highway 11 driving a 1957 Chev- 27

All schools will close on Tuesrolet four door owned by Benjamday, December 22 for Christmas in Dunk of East Orange, New Jersey, and ran right into the back of and remain closed until Monday, the parked truck, completely de-January 4. The only Spring Holiday is

Easter Monday which comes or eral Hospital by the Kenansville April 18. The State Board of Education has provided funds in its budget to Agent. She replaces Mrs. Alta Kor-

ambulance and treated for cuts and bruises on the chest and head but was not too seriously injured. cess of the usual 180 school days. 31. did not see the parked truck ac-Teachers will report to their schcording to reports. Only about \$50.00 damage was done to the truck. The accident was investi-

J. Gordon Blake **Attends Probation** A car driven by Elbert Smith of Pink Hill and another being operated by Rosewalt McNeil Negro

ated by Roosevelt McNeil Negro of Fayetteville, collided at Liddell J. Gordon Blake from Kenansville, N. C. has completed the Pro-Lenoir County, about 10:30 a. m. bation Officers' in-service training seminar held at the Institute of Delegates included the entire 55- T. C. Summerlin Government in Chapel Hill. man staff of the North Carolina

Probation Commission.

probation investigation and supervision were covered with emphasis being placed on the problems encountered by probation officers.

Lee Bounds, Assistant Director

of the Institute of Government was in charge of the seminar. T. D. Stokes, one of the Ceramission's five Division Supervisors and a member of the Commission since has been in Duplin County for the past 44 years, is being transferred sion Director C. Gordon Maddrey, to Winston-Salem on July 15. He assistant Director W. S. Burleson, will be patrolman in that section. Burge came to Duplin County from R. L. Gay all spoke on administrative matters, in Benlaville for the past several The seminar was held July

his fell The committees in each lowing Wednesday. They will use high school a tendance area may this time to prepare for the openselect either of these dates. If they ing of school, When school opens Hits Parked Truck select August 19, their schools will two days later we expect to have a close on May 12, and if they select full day of school the first day and Auriet 26 their schools will close out day thereafter. The aim of the State Board of Education in The White Schools will close providing these extra days is to en by Martin Anderson Farrior of for the District Teache's Meeting give the children 180 full days of Kinston and owned by Henry J. in New Bern on Tuesday, October Instruction. We expect to imple-Kane of Coastal Plains Distribut- 20, and the Negro Schools will ment this aim in Duplin County

Mrs. Mae Spicer To Be New Duplin Co. Home Agent

employed as Duplin County Home pay teachers for three days in ex- negay who resigned effective July

> Mrs. Spicer served as County Home Agent for one year beginning in 1955 and prior to that time had been Assistant Home Agent to Mrs. Pauline Johnson-Mrs. Kornegay succeeded Mrs

Mrs. Spicer will begin he duties as Home Agent on August is married to William

Spicer, who is associated with the Duplin Soil Conservation Service

Probation Commission. Probation law and techniques of Gets New Post

Appointment of Tilden C. Summerlin to the position of service representative in the Dodge Char lotte region was announced

In his new post Summerlin will supervise Dodge service activities in the Richmond district, Summerlin joined DeSoto Division of Chrysler Corporation in June, 1955, Previously he was service manager of automobile dealership in Petersburg and Rich-

ing a tremendous grand slam home Lost run in the third with the score tied. The Rotary scored all their runs in the third on two walks, three hits, and two Legion errors. The Legion scored twice in the fourth to win 7-5 Arthur "Showboat' Minsnew started for the Rotary and was the losing pitcher.

LIONS 6 JAYOEES 5

The Jaycees almost pulled the Jaycees 6 biggest upset of the season as they fell short of a victory over the Lions by just one run. It was a Last Wednesday afternoon. Man- well played game as Manager Paul age: Wilbert Boney's Legion team I'

handed Manager Ted Wilson's Ro- exert enough to win 6-5, Charles Anderson, the Lions son, as they teimmed the Rotary outstanding little pitcher, allow-7-5 behind the four hit pitching of ed only two base hits, one by cat-Wallace was one of sixty students Mickey Walker. The Rotary team cher Harry Lee Thigpen, and the

ROTARY 18 JAYCEES 6 Manager Ted Wilson's Rotary Leaguers anywhere, also collected jumped all over the last -place three hits, two singles, and one Jaycees Saturday afternoon and dauble in helping his team upset swamped them 18-6 behind threethe front-running Rotary. Ray hit pitching of Johnny Carlton. Lane, another power hitter for the Carlton also collected three of his Legion had a perfect day with teams hits and scored twice.

Arthur Minshew, Henry Carl-Little Johnny Caryton led the ton, and Bobby Gavin led the win-

Tobacco Price Support Rate For Some Flue-Cured Subgrades Will Be Lowered

Price support rates for a number of flue-cured tobacco subgrades will be lowered considerably with this year's crop. According to H. D. Godfrey, ASC State Administrative Officer, this move is designed to put more tobacco on the market risther than under

Subgrades to be discounted include tohacces with unde-strable qualities, such as those with a gray-green, thick, slick, leathery appearance According to Godfrey, new subgrades have been added this year to cover these types of tobacco.

Among the cultural practices generally associated with the undesirable characteristics are heavy fertilization, close spacing, new methods of sucker control, topping practices, and irrigation. Curing techniques used by some growers to offset the changes introduced by new varieties or cultural practices also are a factor in the lower quality flue-cured tobackon

being offered. Gedfrey urged that growers use only proven cultural harvesting and curing practices in order to realize the greatest return for their production.

Bill Jasper Resigns Duplin Position To Become Poultry, Egg Specialist

ition as Assistant Farm Agent in effective August 31 Duplin County, specializing in pou While filling the position of ltry, to accept a position with the Poultry and Egg Murkeling Speci-North Carelina Extension Service alist, Jasper will be enrolled in the

Specialist. He wilf replace Dr. Clayton P. Agriculture Economics. Libeau who has a leave of absence in order that he may go aboard is currently vice president of the is the Middle East to teach in one Kenansville Lions Clubs. He is a of the Universities for the next member of the Catholic Church. wo years.

Jasper, a 1958 State College

Rubbish Fires Cause Much Loss Of Property

Fires that started in rubbish de stroyed property worth \$21,108,000 reports. in 1957, a jump of \$10,000,000 over

"There is little value to discarded clothing and broken furniture stored in attics, basement garages. but these accumulations can feed a fire that could destroy valuable property and endanger lives," warned Chief Lauren Sharpe of the ran out of the back door. Kenansville Fire Department,

Chief Sharpe advises that rubbe cleared from storage places, to remove this danger of



as Poultry and Egg Marketing State College graduate school work ing toward a Masters Degree in

Jasper is a native of Burgaw. He Jasper is to be married August 15. to Miss Carol Norman, of Charlotte. They will reside in Raleigh. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs J. A. Jasper, of Burgaw,

NEGRO ENTERS HOME NEAR PINK HILL

A negro entered the home of Mrs. Richard Stroud near Pink Hill and struck her on the head with a drink bottle, according to

Mrs. Stroud and her two children were resting on their bed. when the breeze in the window stopped. Mrs. Stroul got up and went into her living room to see When she did the man bit her on the head as she yelled at him. He On Thursday night, a possee of

over 100 men searched for the negro near Albrittons Crossroads. but the search stopped due to heavy rains. According to reports the man

was later found in South Carolina and has been brought back to Le-



RALEIGH - The Motor Vehicles Department's summary of traffic deaths through 10:00 a. m. Monday

July 6: Killed to Date Milled to Date Last Year 456 Note to Editor: The official July Fourth toll computed from 6:00 p. m. Friday July 3 through mid-

night Sunday July 5 came to 8.
Fifteen died over the same per-iod last year. THE RESERVE OF STREET OF A LOS ASS.