

# James Kenan Wins Class State Championship 13-12

James Kenan, a senior at the Kenan High School in Kenansville, North Carolina, won the Class State Championship in basketball on Wednesday, December 12, 1960. Kenan's team defeated the team from the other district in a thrilling game that ended with a score of 13-12. Kenan was the star of the game, scoring 12 points. The game was played at the Kenan High School gymnasium. The crowd was estimated to be one of the largest ever seen at a basketball game in the area. Kenan's victory was a great achievement for him and his team. He will now represent his school at the state championship in January.

## Two Negro Men Charged With Murder In Two Shootings In Duplin County

Two Negro men, identified as James Williams and Willie Smith, were charged with the murder of a white man in two separate shootings in Duplin County. The first shooting took place on Monday, December 12, 1960, near the town of Kenansville. The second shooting took place on Tuesday, December 13, 1960, near the town of Duplin. Both men were arrested on Wednesday, December 14, 1960. They are being held in the county jail pending trial. The district attorney has announced that the men will be charged with first-degree murder.

## Two Hottel Is Named Chairman Co. Commissioner

Two Hottel, a member of the Duplin County Board of Commissioners, has been named chairman of the county's new Housing and Community Development Commission. The commission was created by the board of commissioners on Wednesday, December 14, 1960. Its purpose is to study and report on the housing and community development needs of the county. Two Hottel is a well-known community leader and has served on the board of commissioners for several years. He will lead a team of experts in conducting the study.

## First Duplin County Team To Ever Win A State Crown

The first team from Duplin County to ever win a state championship in basketball is the Kenan High School team. They won the Class State Championship on Wednesday, December 12, 1960, with a score of 13-12. This is a historic achievement for the county. The team was coached by Coach Bill Taylor. The players were James Kenan, Willie Smith, and several others. The game was a close contest, with Kenan's team leading for most of the game. The victory was celebrated by the entire community.

## Apply Now For Short Course Scholarships

Students in the Duplin County area are encouraged to apply for short course scholarships. The scholarships are offered by the county's Agricultural Extension Service. They are available to students who are enrolled in short courses in agriculture, home economics, or other related fields. The courses are held during the winter and spring months. The scholarships will cover the cost of tuition and materials. Students can apply for the scholarships by filling out an application form and submitting it to the Agricultural Extension Service. The deadline for applications is January 1, 1961.

## Grady's Hill Wins SENCLAND Community Development Honors

Grady's Hill, a community in Duplin County, has won the SENCLAND Community Development Award. The award was presented to the community by the North Carolina State Department of Community Development. Grady's Hill was recognized for its outstanding work in improving the living conditions of its residents. The community has implemented a number of projects, including the construction of new homes, the improvement of the local school system, and the development of recreational facilities. The award is a testament to the hard work and dedication of the community members.

## Duplin Residents Have Opportunity To Present Road Requests December 13

Duplin County residents have the opportunity to present their road requests to the county board of commissioners on Thursday, December 13, 1960. The board will hold a public hearing on the requests. Residents can submit requests for new roads, road improvements, or other transportation projects. The board will consider the requests and make a decision on whether to approve them. This is a good opportunity for residents to voice their concerns and make their needs known to the county government.

## Rebecca Mazingo Dies From Injuries When Hit By Car On Way To School

Rebecca Mazingo, a 14-year-old student at the Duplin High School, died from injuries sustained when she was hit by a car on her way to school. The accident took place on Wednesday, December 12, 1960, on Highway 117 near the intersection of Highway 403. Rebecca was walking across the street when she was struck by a car. She was taken to the hospital but died shortly after arriving. The driver of the car was not injured. The police are investigating the accident to determine the cause.

## N. C. Bankers Win Top National Farm Award

The North Carolina Bankers Association has won the top national award for farm service. The award was presented to the association by the American Bankers Association. The award is given to the association that has the best record for farm service over a three-year period. The North Carolina Bankers Association has a long history of providing excellent service to farmers. The award is a recognition of the association's commitment to the farming community.

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## Bootlegger Caught Thursday

A bootlegger was caught on Thursday, December 14, 1960, near the town of Kenansville. The bootlegger was caught while attempting to sell illegal alcohol. The police seized a large quantity of alcohol and arrested the bootlegger. The bootlegger is being held in the county jail pending trial. The police are continuing their efforts to combat bootlegging in the county.

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