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National Attention Focused On North Carolina Agricultural Research

Editors Note: Editors of USDA's National edition of the Yearbook of Agriculture singled out the N. C. Agricultural Experiment Station to highlight the operations and contributions of the Nation's 50 state research stations.

Citizens of Bertie County in North Carolina had wanted for years to expand opportunities for work in the county. To improve efficiency on farms was fine, but fewer farmers then could produce the peanuts, soybeans, and corn. If only we had home industry, they said, preferably industry that uses farm products. They began to organize to reach their goal. While they were organizing, scientists at the North Carolina Agricultural Experiment Station were working. Dr. Daniel T. Pope and Dr. L. N. Nielsen developed a sweetpotato that was better for processing. Then Dr. Maurice Hoover took the sweetpotato and perfected a new product-flaked sweetpotatoes. This was what Bertie citizens were looking for.

So an industry rose from the flat and fertile fields of Bertie and gave farmers a new market, new jobs for more people, and a new type of food for consumers. For the people of Bertie, the State experiment station has opened a multitude of new doors, just as it has been doing for all North Carolinians for generations and just as experiment stations are doing in all the States. When it was established in 1877,

Irrigation And Water Loans Available Through Farmers Home Administration

Often, it takes a real crisis to bring needs to our attention. Certainly, the drought that we have had this year in Duplin County has made farmers aware of the need for irrigation. The recent rains have tended to alleviate the dry situation of our farm land but before the tobacco crop is made, we may once again experience a dry season. This would have more adverse effect when the tobacco is large than at its present stage of growth.

Nowadays, with the high investments that one has to make in order to get a crop planted, it becomes necessary to employ improved practices in protecting this investment. Irrigation is just one improved practice that is being employed by wise, business-like farmers. Farmers who are using irrigation systems on their high-income crops (such as tobacco and truck crops) think in terms of not saving a particular crop but of producing a high yield and improving the quality regardless of droughts. Irrigation is invaluable as an aid in getting a good stand also.

Commissioners Of District 2 & 3 Run Again, Also JP's Of Island Creek

A run-off has been called in the County Commissioners Race in District No. 2 and District No. 3, and in the Justice of the Peace race in Island Creek Township.

In the second County Commissioner district which is composed of Smith, Wolfscrape, Glisson and Albertain townships, Kenneth Grady who received 551 votes has challenged William G. Sullivan, who received 633 votes. Grady is a candidate to succeed himself and Sullivan was a new-comer to the political field.

The Third Commissioner District race is from Limestone Township composed, Hallsville, Beulaville and Cedar Fork precincts. Leon Brown, a candidate to succeed himself, has challenged Murphy Simpson. Simpson was the high man with 500 votes and Brown had 671 votes.

IN RECENT JUDGES RACE

PHILLIPS TOOK ONSLOW AND JONES

H. E. Phillips, seeking election as Superior Court judge of the Fourth Judicial District, defeated Howard H. Hubbard in the Duplin County Democratic Primary by a margin of 3,515 to 2,154 votes. Phillips won 67.5 per cent of the 22 precincts.

Precinct	Hubbard	Phillips
Beaver Creek	35	133
Chinquapin	39	170
Cypress Creek	42	174
Piney Grove	33	60
Polocksville	137	396
Trenton	154	309
Tuckahoe	47	198
White Oak	109	147
Totals	598	1,887

BRIEFS

COUNTY COUNCIL
The Home Demonstration Clubs County Council will meet Friday, June 8, at 2:30 p. m. in the Agriculture Building in Kenansville. A movie will be shown on Community 4-H Clubs which will be of interest to all Home Demonstration Club members. Each club is urged to have a representative at this meeting.

FREE PAMPHLETS
Vernon H. Reynolds, Duplin Farm News, announces that he has available in his office pamphlets entitled "Guides for Fertilizing Fertilized Tobacco." All farmers interested in these pamphlets are invited to come by the Agriculture Building and get one.

NOTICE
The Duplin General Hospital Auxiliary will meet Thursday, June 7, in the staff room of the hospital. Next year's officers will be installed.

Camp Tuscarora Opens Sunday

On Sunday June 10th, Camp Tuscarora opens its gates for six weeks of Scouting advancement and fun in the out-of-doors to the Boy Scouts of Sampson, Duplin, Johnston, and Wayne counties. "I know of no better investment than the \$18.00 camp fee toward the future of any boy or toward one whole of a lot of 'summer fun,'" states Dr. R. W. Borden.

Mayor Strickland Wins Contest

Mayor Ed Strickland of Warsaw was winner in the milking contest. The milking contest which was held in Wallace Friday morning June 1, was the "kickoff" for June Dairy Month in the County. Mayor Strickland was presented a country ham by Warsaw Mayor Combs, he won the contest by milking seven pounds of milk in one minute.

Television Safety Film

Governor Sanford is preparing a film on traffic safety for presentation on television as per the following schedule:

PHILLIPS RESIGNS AS TAX COLLECTOR

The Duplin County Board of Commissioners in regular session on Monday, June 4, accepted the resignation of Harry L. Phillips, County Tax Collector, effective September 1, 1962.

Cucumber Harvester Demonstration

There will be a cucumber harvester demonstration at 9:30 a. m. Thursday, June 14, at the Vegetable Experiment Station at Faison.

Turkey

Turkey producer-grower and contract-producers who have not already done so should contact their ASCS county office immediately to determine their ability to vote in the proposed national turkey marketing order and to certify the quality of turkeys they marketed in 1961.

Dairy Princess To Be Selected For Duplin, June 14

June is dairy month. Every county in the state is being encouraged to have a dairy princess. Duplin County's contest for selecting a Princess will be held June 14, at 3:00 in the Kenansville School Auditorium.

14,077 Volumes Circulated By County Library

14,077 volumes were circulated by the County Library during the past 11 months. This information was revealed in a report to the Library Board on June 1 by Miss Dorothy Wightman, County Librarian. Book mobile circulation was 4,296 volumes; office circulation was 9,871 volumes. 1477 volumes have been added to the County Collection, bringing the total collection up to 22,792 books, only a little over 1/2 book per capita, goal being two books per person.

Shoots Brother In Argument

Joe Nathan Joyner of Clinton is alleged to have shot and killed his half brother Billie Joyner at Bowden on Saturday night, with a pistol.

Growers Urged To File Certificate

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Registers Of Deeds To Hold Convention

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Milk Minute Men

Ever hear of the Milk Minute Men? A group of men and women in Duplin County, dining out during June Dairy Month, will give rewards to waitresses, waiters, counter girls and counter men in public eating places.

Topsail Tide Table

Mo. Date	High	Low	High	Low
June 8	6:06	12:26	6:17	
9	12:28	6:54	1:16	7:11
10	1:15	7:44	2:07	8:08
11	2:05	8:34	2:58	9:05
12	2:54	9:24	3:49	10:02
13	3:45	10:13	4:39	10:59
14	4:36	11:03	5:29	11:56
15	5:24	11:54	6:19	

District Day Activities For 4-H's At Hobblon High School, June 12

Twenty Five 4-H Club members from Duplin County will participate in District Day activities to be held at Hobblon High School in Sampson County on Tuesday, June 12. Duplin boys and girls will compete with club members from 16 other counties in the Southeastern District at this time.

Trial & Error

We are very happy to announce that Mrs. Iris Powell of Kenansville has joined the Duplin Times staff on a part-time basis and is helping us with the news. She will cover Court House news, Agriculture Building, Library, Welfare, Board of Health and all of the local offices in the County seat. Mrs. Powell will call on you in each Monday or Tuesday and will appreciate it if you will remember during the week that she is coming to see you and jot down facts of interest for the paper. We hope you will enjoy this extra news we have this week.

Charters Were Granted To Two New 4-H Community Development Clubs

New charters were awarded to two new 4-H Clubs in Duplin County at the regular meeting of the Duplin County Council of 4-H Clubs held in the Agriculture Building Monday night, June 4. Clubs organized were Rones Jr. - Sr Group at Rones Chapel and Mill Swamp near Chinquapin. Glenn Williams, president, presided at the meeting which was attended by 92 members. All clubs represented gave reports on how they celebrated 4-H Club Sunday in their respective churches. Reports were given on the results of "Car Wash Days" held by each club to raise money for the 4-H Development Fund.

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Dr. Robinson was born in his home in Wallace Thursday morning, May 30, and was rushed to James Walker Memorial Hospital in Wilmington where he succumbed on Friday, June 1. He was 75 years of age.

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Aprons were modeled in the first division with Barbara Ann Henderson of the Pin Hook Club, winning first place with a white apron and a pink and white checkered apron. Sandra K. Dail also of the Pin Hook Club won second place with a green floral apron.

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