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## FOR PILOT STUDY

### Duplin County May Be Used By Conservation And Development

The Department of Conservation and Development would like to use Duplin County for a Pilot Study for the state of North Carolina. This was announced on Wednesday by Thomas B. Broughton, Chief of Community Development of the C & D Department of North Carolina. Duplin County Industrial Development Conference was held in Rose Hill in the school auditorium.

The department has arranged a questionnaire asking for pertinent information on the individual communities. These questionnaires will be sent out at a later date. The Industrial Department of C & D will then go to the communities a stated time and sit down with the community representatives and go over the data. Completed information will be filed with the department and ready for presentation when a prospect inquires. Broughton stated that the Department wished to run a pilot operation and would like to use Duplin for the study.

C. W. Surratt of Rose Hill, offered the services of the Rose Hill Chamber of Commerce to contact the communities of the county find out how much interest there is in Duplin. If proper interest is shown, the Department of C & D will make an appointment, come to Duplin, sit down and discuss the information which has been accumulated and determine whether or not it is ready for filing in the department at Raleigh for the convenience of prospects.

### Beulaville Jaycees Make Big Plans For Duplin County Agricultural Fair

The Beulaville Junior Chamber of Commerce announce the 1962 Jaycee Duplin County Agricultural Fair. For one week, September 10 through September 15 the Beulaville Jaycees will stage what will be the biggest fair in the history of Duplin County.

### Trial & Error

Isaacs-Kahn of Goldsboro seems to be offering a new service in Kenansville now. The gentleman who works in the drapery department was in Kenansville hanging drapes on Tuesday. When he started in the door of the house, a six-foot chicken snake was lying on the porch waiting for him. Under the supervision of the cook, and the young daughter who lived there he had to kill the snake. It would be hard to determine who was more frightened, the cook, the child, the service man or the snake. But the snake is dead!!!

Martha Sitterson and her house guest Dot Waters of Rocky Mount were reading last week's copy of the Duplin Times and got into a discussion on politics. Martha's niece, Becky Nielson of Miami, Florida, who is nine years of age, was listening to the discussion and asked the question, "What is politics?" Dot attempted to explain the word politics from a local, state and national angle. Becky listened for a few minutes and impatiently asked, "Well, what in the world does a pile-o-ficks have to do with it?"

The Duplin Times workers will be having holidays most of the week of July 4th. All of us have to vacation at the same time. As for my young daughter and myself, we plan to be in New Jersey with my married daughter and are looking forward to it.

Ruth.

## BRIEFS

### OFFICES CLOSE ON LEGAL HOLIDAY

Dr. John E. Powers, Duplin County Health Officer, announces that the Health Department will be closed July 4.

Mr. Rufus Elks, office manager of the Duplin County ASC Office, announces that the office will be closed July 4.

All offices in the Duplin County Courthouse will be closed on July 4. Also the offices in the Agricultural Building and the County Welfare Office.

The Duplin County 4-H Club, County Council will meet July 2, at 8:00 p.m. in the Agriculture Building. All officers and Adult Leaders are urged to attend.

Holiday To Be Observed  
The office of Superintendent of Schools will be closed July 4.

There will be no classes held at James Kempt School on July 4. Classes in the Summer Session will resume as usual July 5.

FELLOWSHIP SERVICE  
A Fellowship Service singing and devotion by Miss Mary Pate of Faison will be held at New Hope Christian Church, one mile East of Warsaw, on Sunday July 1 at 2:30 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend, states Rev. Otis Ridge, Pastor.

### Keith Hobbs On School Paper

Staff appointments for the East Carolina College student newspaper, the "East Carolinian," have been made by Editor William Griffin of Jacksonville, for the Summer School editions.

There will be two mammoth tents on the midway in addition to the shows and rides. One of these two tents will house Commercial exhibits, sponsored by merchants all over the area. All merchants, dealers, distributors, contractors, manufacturers and wholesalers: This is your chance to reach the public by the thousands. The other tent will house exhibits sponsored by Home Demonstration Clubs, FFA, FHA, 4-H, Farm organizations and Boy Scout Clubs. These exhibits will be judged according to suitability, general appearance, workmanship, economic aspect, originality and practical use. The

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### Methodist Ministers Named

N. C. Methodist Appointments were announced Thursday, June 21. The annual Conference was held in Winston. This was the 127th annual session. Bishop Paul N. Garber presided.

Bishop Garber announced Thursday that a special session of the North Carolina Methodist Conference will be held September 12 to decide the future of a proposed \$3 million campaign for Methodist Colleges.

Appointments for Duplin and surrounding areas were made as follows:  
GOLDSBORO DISTRICT  
Dist. Supt. - M. W. Lawrence  
Duplin - J. P. Pegg;  
Faison - B. R. McCulpen;  
Pink Hill - J. D. Mitchell;  
Rose Hill - T. T. Steele;  
Sarecta - R. G. Spence;  
Seven Springs - James G. Lupton;  
Turkel - Friendship - G. E. Hawkins;  
Wallace - W. H. Kirby;  
Warsaw - L. T. Wilson;  
Woodland - W. E. Howard.

### Alexander New Lions Club Pres.

Mr. Best Alexander, Manager of some Federal Savings and Loan Company, was installed an incoming president of the Warsaw Lions Club last Tuesday night, June 19, at the regular meeting held at the Coffee Shoppe here. Lion Ben Parrott of Kinston was guest speaker and installing officer. Jack Alexander of Kinston who will be the new Deputy District Governor of the Lions Club was also guest at the meeting.

Other officers installed are as follows: H. C. McCullen, Vice President; Johnny Jenkins, Jr., Tail Twister; and C. W. Hinson, Lion Tamer.

## County Board Of Commissioners Has Busy Routine Day; Asst. Agent Clapp Resigns

At a meeting of the County Board of Commissioners held on Monday, June 25, the following items were discussed and dealt with:

\$100.00 was appropriated for drainage of the Duplin County Spring Property located near the County Courthouse.

### SHOT TO DEATH

KINSTON - A Duplin County native, Kenneth Owen Stroud, 23, was killed Monday while operating a taxicab in Anchorage, Alaska. He was shot in the back of the head by unknown assailants, according to reports.

## Grady Defeats Sullivan; Simpson Defeats Brown - Commissioner Race

Saturday was Run-off day for candidates of Duplin County who were challenged after the Democratic Primary which was held on May 26. This ended a long political battle which had been hard-fought in Duplin for the past eight weeks.

Kenneth G. Grady, a candidate to succeed himself in the Primary, was high man in the run-off for Commissioner of the second district composed of Cabin, Glisson, Wolfscrape, Smith and Albertson Townships. Grady was trailing William G. Sullivan by 82 votes in the First Primary and in the second Primary

he led the ticket by 109 votes. There were three contestants in the first primary.

New-comer to the political field, Murphy Simpson, defeated Leon Brown who had been county commissioner for several years. Simpson is from the Third Commissioner District composed of Limestone, Hallsville, Beulaville and Cedar Fork precincts. Brown was defeated in the first primary by Simpson

by 129 votes, and in the second primary by only 89 votes. In the first go-round there were four contestants.

McKoy Herring and Gene Kelly of Wallace were high men in the Justice of the Peace run-off in Island Creek Township. Other contestants were Garland Kennedy and Homer Boney.

The results of the elections were:

Commissioner second district:						
	Cabin	Glisson	Wolfscrape	Smith	Albertson	Total
Kenneth G. Grady	215	114	177	152	279	937
William G. Sullivan	35	236	391	35	131	829
Commissioner 3rd District						
	Hallsville	Beulaville	Cedar Fork	Chinquapin	Cy Cr.	Total
Leon Brown	52	260	121	314	173	820
Murphy Simpson	263	408	50	194	63	888
J. P. - Island Creek						
	Locklin	Wallace	Charity	Total		
Gene Kelly	65	370	129	564		
McKoy Herring	33	319	18	370		
Homer Boney	26	141	116	283		
Garland Kennedy	16	291	19	326		

### Tobacco Field Day, July 6

A tobacco field day will be held at the Central Crop Research Station Clayton, North Carolina, on Friday, July 6. All Duplin County farmers and others interested in tobacco are invited to attend this field day program at 2:00 P. M. Extension Tobacco Specialist and Research Workers from State College will be on hand to discuss the following work on tobacco.

1. Old and new varieties and promising lines.
2. Brown spot studies.
3. Chemical weed control.
4. Fertilizer replacement & irrigation.
5. Soil fumigation for nematode control.
6. Developments in mechanical harvesting.

### Stephen B. Dunn Drowns In Fish Pond Friday

A 14-year old boy drowned near Magnolia Friday afternoon while fishing with his father in a private pond.

Stephen Boyd Dunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson Dunn, apparently stepped in a deep hole while wading in the pond and could not swim, said Duplin Coroner Hector McNeill. His father was on the other side at the time, McNeill added.

The body was recovered by the Rose Hill Rescue Squad about one hour later.

Surviving, in addition to his father, are mother, Mrs. Lena Dunn; one brother, Johnny Emile; and two sisters, Nelda Lee and Sherry Jane Dunn, all of the home.

### Smith Tried In Federal Court

Jacob Smith, colored, of Teachey, was tried in Federal Court during the past week for misuse of tobacco marketing card in 1958. He was fined \$250.00 and sentenced to 2-1/2 years and payment of the fine.

The local ASCS Committee reduced his tobacco allotment in 1959 as a result of the misuse of the marketing card.

### FHA Forestry Loans Now Available

FHA loans for purchasing forestland, planting seedlings, or for other purposes relating solely to forestry practices such as fencing, insect and disease control, thinning of weed trees, and fire protection are now available under a new authority recently implemented by USDA according to B. A. Parker, Jr., FHA Supervisor.

In the past funds for this purpose were prohibited except where this was minor to the loan received. Now a Farm Ownership or Soil and Water loan may be made to acquire a farm that will be partly or wholly forestland, or to enlarge a farm of this type and to refinance debts against the forestland on such a farm.

Some of the objectives of such loans are:

1. Encourage and promote operation and management of approved forestland and restoration practices on land suitable for forestry (Continued On Back)

### Cutler Named Zone II Chairman

William H. Cutler of Beulaville was recently selected as Zone II Chairman of Zone II District 33-N of Lions International.

Cutler became a member of the Lion Club in 1958 and has been an active member of the Beulaville Lion's Club. Cutler has served his local club as Secretary and is now President.

During his term of office as President, the Beulaville Club sponsored many activities to raise money for the many philanthropies of the club. Cutler is Cashier of the Beulaville Waccamaw Bank & Trust Company.

He is most active in community affairs and is Chairman of the Finance Commission and member of the Board of Trustees of the Beulaville Methodist Church.

### Harold Kornegay At Sales Convention

Harold D. Kornegay, local Nationwide Insurance agent, is attending the Southeastern region's 1962 Summer Sales Convention at Jekyll Island, Georgia this week.

Accompanying him are his wife and children.

As Professional award winner in a recent sales contest Mr. Kornegay qualified for this all expense paid trip for the family.



A section of the group who attended the Duplin County Industrial Development Conference held in Rose Hill on Wednesday. Sitting at the head of the table is Thomas B. Broughton, Chief Community Development Section of Conservation and Development.

### Industrial Development Conference Held At Rose Hill; C & D Men Give Info

Representatives of Rose Hill, Burgaw, Albertson, Goldsboro, Rocky Mount and Kenansville were present at the Duplin County Industrial Development Conference held in Rose Hill on Wednesday, June 20. The Conference was held in the Rose Hill School house, and sponsored by the local paper.

### Remeasuring Excess Acreage Begun, June 25

The office manager of the Duplin County ASCS Office announces that remeasuring and redistribution of excess acreage was begun June 25. The personnel in the office appreciate the good relationship between the farmers and the reporters in getting this job done as quickly and efficiently as possible.

Several representatives from the Division of Conservation and Development were present to conduct the round table discussion which was presented in four separate parts: "Necessity of Upgrading County and Municipal Services for Industrial Development," "What to do Before and After the Prospect Arrives," "How to Develop Prospects on 'Your Own,'" and "Explanation"

### Negro Branch Public Library Has 5471 Volumes

The Negro branch of the Duplin County Public Library has a total of 5471 volumes with which to begin the new year July 1, 880 volumes have been transferred from the White branch during the past year. Circulation for the 12 months ending June 30 has been 40,730 volumes.

This branch of the public library is located in a building on the campus of F. E. Smith High School in Kenansville. Anna L. Foster is librarian and anyone desiring to know the schedule should contact her.

## Department Seeking Competitive Bids For New P. O. In Warsaw

The Post Office Department is seeking competitive bids for an improved building to house its postal operations at Warsaw, North Carolina. Postmaster General J. Edward Day announced.

Under the Department's Lease Construction program, a contract will be awarded to the bidder who designates a building suitable to the Department's needs and agrees to improve it or provide a new building according to departmental specifications and then lease it to the Department for a basic period of ten years with two five year renewal options.

The Department's capital investment will be limited substantially to postal equipment. The building will remain under private ownership, with the owner paying local real estate taxes.

### Kenya African Visitors To Be In Duplin-August

Three visitors from Kenya East Africa will visit Duplin during week of August 8 - 13 according to an announcement by R. E. Williams, Negro Agricultural Agent for Duplin County.

Arrangements are being made for these officials to live in farm homes and to visit extensive, with farm families.

### Duplin Women Attended Homemakers Week; Mrs. Williams Installed Officers

Among the women from Duplin who attended Homemakers Week June 19-22 at North Carolina State College in Raleigh were: Mrs. C. L. Sloan of Calvesa, Miss Marjorie Torrey of Wallace, Miss Thelma Dilday and Miss Mary E. Grady of B. F. Grady School, Mrs. Irene Assistant Home Agent and Mrs. David Williams of Rose Hill who is the immediate past president of the State Council of Home Demonstration Clubs.