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## A School Grows In Duplin



**CONSTRUCTION SCENES AT EAST DUPLIN** - Construction of a new consolidated high school plant for the eastern part of Duplin County was well underway when these pictures were taken on May 31, 1962. The new school is located on Highway 111 north of Beulaville. It will be beautiful and modern in every respect and something that all of the people of Duplin and of Eastern North Carolina may well be proud of in our effort for quality education.



**EAST DUPLIN HIGH SCHOOL** is being constructed by Jones Brothers Construction Company of Wilson, N. C. Leslie N. Boney of Wilmington, N. C. is the architect. Walter G. Smith of Durham, N. C. is the electrical engineer. H. C. Cook of Calypso, N. C. is doing the electrical wiring. J. D. Smith is chairman of the Duplin County Schools.

Photos by Wilton Rowe, Tri-County.

**TRI-COUNTY ELECTRIC MEMBERSHIP CORPORATION** will furnish the electric power for the school which will have 2,000 amperes electrical service entrance capacity.

## Eighth District OES School Of Instruction Held In Wallace Saturday; Wallace Hosts

On Saturday afternoon, June 23, at 2-o'clock the annual School of Instruction for the 8th District, Order of the Eastern Star of the Grand Chapter of North Carolina was held in Wallace, with the Pat McGowan Chapter No. 186 as hostesses. Hall decorations were in keeping with "The Art of Living" theme in the East and "The Torch of Friendship" in the West.

Officers of the local chapter assumed their stations, after a lovely march, for the Ritualistic opening and closing. Mrs. Reba Harvell, Worthy Matron and Mr. Clinton Knowles, Worthy Patron filled their respective stations in the East.

Mrs. Virginia D. Holland District Deputy Grand Matron welcomed the guests and called the School to order, assisted by Mr. Felton Goodwin, District Deputy Grand Patron who offered the afternoon prayer.

Disturbished guests duly recognized were:

Mrs. Nancy Smith Carter, Worthy Grand Matron, from Garland.

Mr. Robert Frankin Sniceo, Worthy Grand Patron "Elizabeth City.

Mrs. Beasie Ruck-Jungum, Grand Secretary "Rocky Mount.

Mrs. Nellie B. Sines, Grand Treasurer "Lenoir.

Mrs. Elizabeth West, Grand Conducessee "Durham.

Mrs. Lucy Rhodes Duncan, Assisit

ate Grand Conducessee "Smithfield Mrs. Stella Gillespie, Grand Adah "Salisbury Mrs. Dorothy Miller, Grand Ruth "Hickory Mrs. Cleo S. Perry, Grand Esther "Zebulon Miss Mildred Perry, Grand Organist "Wingate Mrs. Janie Marshall, Grand Marshall "Harrell Mrs. Margaret M. Tillett, Grand Warden "Manteo Mrs. Reva Lewis Butler, Past Grand Matron "Dunn Mrs. Reta W. Henley, Past Grand Matron "Roseboro Mr. Ham N. Swift, Past Grand Patron, Raleigh Mr. Jesse M. Hanley, Past Grand Patron, Roseboro

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## Bookmobile Route For Negro Library

Anna C. Proter, Director of the Negro Branch of the Duplin County public library, covers most of Duplin County each month as she leads her car with books and travels the following routes: Route No. 1, Wallace, Beulaville, Iron Mine, Route No. 2, Beulaville, Big Bush, Deborah, Route No. 3, Samsom, Samsom, Beulaville, Route No. 4, Samsom, Samsom, Beulaville, Route No. 5, Beulaville, Samsom, Samsom, Beulaville, Route No. 6, Beulaville, Samsom, Samsom, Beulaville.

## Nursing School Started Monday

The Duplin County School of Practical Nursing will begin classes Monday morning July 2. The class rooms have been equipped for this training school in the elementary school building at Kenansville. Mrs. Susan H. Saunders of Rose Hill is instructor. This class is sponsored by the Goldboro Industrial Education Center and the Duplin County Board of Education.

There are twelve students enrolled.

## Can We Wave Our Flag Too Much?

Is it possible to wave the flag too much? Provided, of course, that you wave it with integrity? Is it possible to study Lincoln or Shakespeare too much? Is it possible to read the Bible too much? The great, the good, the true, are inexhaustible for inspiration, example and strength. I believe that we are not waving our flag enough, not nearly enough. It seems to me that we are developing a tendency to be timid or even apologetic about waving the stars and stripes. Walk up and down the streets on July 4th and count the flags. It is our nation's birthday, a sacred day in world history, the most important day of America. Why isn't the flag flying on every rooftop and from every home and building? This complacent attitude is strong evidence of cancerous patriotic decay. The flag is a symbol of our national unity. It is the spirit of our undying devotion to our country. It stands for the best that is in us for loyalty, character, and faith in democracy. Isn't our flag a synonym of the United States of America? Does it not represent man's greatest, noblest, most sublime dream? Is it not the zenith of achievement, the goal to which generations have aspired? Ladies and gentlemen, I believe it is time for us for themad, rushing Twentieth Century American . . . to stop for a moment and think. Let us arrest our near reverential admiration of material success and return to the spiritual and ethical values. Let us imbue and rekindle in ourselves and our children the so-called old-fashioned way of patriotism, a burning devotion to the principles and ideals upon which our country was founded. Should not every home own and proudly display the colors on holidays and other occasions? Isn't the flag Patrick Henry, Jefferson, Franklin, Washington, Nathan Hale, Gettysburg and Valley Forge, Paul Revere, Jackson and other great men and women who have given us our heritage. When you look at the flag can't you see the Alamo, Corrigedor, Pearl Harbor, The Monitor, The Merrimac, Wake Island, and Korea? Lest we forget, isn't the flag Sanders Field, Bataan, Iwo Jima, Normandy, Babe Ruth and Davy Crockett? The great events of our past and present are wrapped up in our flag. It is a symbol of this blessed nation, a giant in industry, education and commerce. Millions of fertile square miles, wheatlands, coal mines, steel plants. Our great republic, the chosen infant destined to be man's last and remaining hope for suffering humanity, a shining beacon of light, noble and glorious, the haven for the oppressed and persecuted and truly God's gift to mankind. That is what the flag means to me. Can we wave it too much? I don't think so.

Reply of S. L. DeLove of the Know Your History Hour, December 30th, 1956, to a listener who wrote as follows: "Your programs are wonderful - especially the no commercials - but you are waving the flag too much." The above has been reprinted annually in many national magazines, newspapers and radio stations, and is a part of the Congressional Record. Dr. DeLove is the author of The Quiet Betrayal and president of Independence Hall of Chicago.

## Union Defeated In Rose Hill

For a good while now the Amalgamated Meat Workers Union of America has been claiming that it represents our employees here at Rose Hill Poultry Corporation.

It has been our belief that after our people had the opportunity of considering this matter from every stand point, a majority of them would come to the conclusion in their own judgement, that this union would not work out in their best interest.

This whole question has now been settled by a secret ballot election which was held here today, June 29, 1962, by the National Labor Relations Board. Practically all employees eligible to vote, cast ballots in this election. The outcome was 87 against the union, 69 for the union.

Our corporation is, of course, gratified at this expression of loyalty on the part of our employees. It is our intention to conduct our dealing with the employees of Rose Hill Poultry Corporation, in such a manner as to continue to merit their loyalty and their confidence.

Rose Hill Poultry Corporation

## Let Death Take Holiday, July 4

CHARLOTTE - The N. C. State Motor Club predicts that four persons will lose their lives in traffic accidents on North Carolina streets and highways during the one-day July Fourth holiday Wednesday.

The traffic fatality report will begin at 6 p. m. Tuesday and extend through midnight Wednesday, a period of 30 hours.

The 1961 July Fourth holiday extended for four days and took a statewide toll of 18 lives and 428 injuries in a total of 707 accidents. Leading driver violations were: speeding, 118; driving on wrong side of road, 108; failure to yield right of way, 90; and following too closely, 73.

"Just because July Fourth this year is a one-day holiday and falls in the middle of the week, we urge North Carolina motorists not to be lulled into a sense of false security and thus become careless while behind the wheel," cautioned Thomas B. Watkins, president of the N. C. State Motor Club and the National Automobile Association.

"We hope everyone helps keep it a happy holiday by letting death take a holiday, too."

## Dixon, Accepts Job In Waks County

Tom Dixon, who has been associated with Farmers Home Administration for the past two months left June 29 for Wake County where he will begin work as Assistant Supervisor for Farmers Home Administration. Dixon is a native of Roseboro and his family is living in Durham at the present.

## Warsaw Managers Named By Carolina Telephone

As of July 1 Carolina Telephone will divide its local management responsibilities in the Warsaw area a change made necessary by the increasing number of telephone subscribers in the Warsaw, Beulaville, Faison, Kenansville, Rose Hill, and Wallace exchanges.

U. G. Daughtridge, commercial manager, and W. E. Goodwin, plant manager, at Clinton are to assume responsibility for commercial and plant operations respectively in the Warsaw area.

The business office in Warsaw will continue to serve subscribers in this section, W. Y. Vann, Warsaw manager since 1948, is being transferred to Henderson.

Vann who has lived in Warsaw for the past 14 years will move to Henderson in July. Vann has been active in Warsaw civic and church affairs and he and his family will be greatly missed.

U. G. Daughtridge became commercial manager at Clinton in 1961. He will be responsible for the operation of both the Clinton and Warsaw business offices and for matters involving relations with customers and the public.

Daughtridge began his telephone career in 1957. A graduate of the University of North Carolina, he has served with the Commercial Department in New Bern and was transferred to Clinton from Henderson where he was assigned as commercial representative.

W. E. Goodwin has been Clinton plant manager since 1951. His Warsaw and Clinton duties will relate to plant operations and will include overall supervision of the installation and maintenance of telephone facilities in these areas.

Goodwin joined the company as a lineman in 1946 and moved to Clinton from New Bern where he was a construction foreman. Prior to that, he had been assigned to Rocky Mount and to unlocated construction forces.



W. E. Goodwin

U. S. Daughtridge

## American Agriculture's 100 Years

By: Bertie C. Parker, Jr.

This is a memorable year for American agriculture. It is the Centennial of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the system of land-grant colleges and universities.

Today 100 years after President Abraham Lincoln signed the act establishing the Department, and the Morrill Act creating the colleges, the American agricultural plant is the most efficient and potentially the most productive in the world. And the American people are the best fed in the world; at a cost for comparable foodstuffs well below that which consumers in any other country have to pay.

Agriculture is the United States' biggest business, employing more than 7 million people on its 3.3 million farms and ranches. And it is indeed significant that these 7 million produce the food and other commodities consumed by our 185 million people. If other words, each farm worker today grows enough food and fiber for 27 people. When President Lincoln signed the act creating the Department of Agriculture, on May 15, 1862, each farm worker produced enough food and fiber for only 5 people.

These enviable attainments by American agriculture, which we take more or less for granted, are in large measure a result of the 100 ensuing decades of research, education and varied technical, financial and other services to farmers and ranchers and other land users, to the processors and marketers of farm and forest products and even more importantly - the consumers of food, fiber, oil and wood products from our land. These services have been developed by the Department, the colleges, and the State agricultural experiment stations authorized by the 1862 Hatch Act, with which the Department cooperates.

Somewhat as a 100-year-old couple may look back with fondness and pride on their children and grandchildren, so does the Department of Agriculture have ample reason to take the highest satisfaction in what its "offspring" have done to improve the lot of all Americans - on the land and off. Their interests always have come first; and the Department, during the 10 decades of its existence, has added a broad variety of services to meet their needs. In the 1930's came the Department's most spectacular expansion of services to help the Nation's farmers and livestock men achieve more efficient and profitable production and better family living in rural areas. By this time, efforts to hold down production of crops in surplus simply had become an added problem demanding the Department's continuing attention, began with crop and marketing controls through the operation of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1933.

Soil and water conservation, to preserve our remaining heritage of crop and pasture land, became an important part of the Department's business in the 1930's. Congress enacted the Soil Conservation Act to provide technical and other help in controlling erosion and floods on farms and small watersheds. The Agricultural Adjustment Act and changed to the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, and soil conservation aspects of this legislation became its primary objective.

The Department's contributions to better rural areas family living

## BRIEFS

**AP CLOSED 10th.**  
A & P Store in Warsaw will be closed on Wednesday, July 4, for holiday, announced J. J. Armstrong, Manager.

The Farmers Home Administration office will be closed Wednesday, July 4.

## A New F.B.T.I.P. Is Available

At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the Duplin County Farm Bureau it was announced that a new Farm Bureau Tractor Insurance Policy will be available to members of the Farm Bureau in the near future.

This policy features a \$1,000.00 payment for the accidental death of a Farm Bureau member and spouse and a \$500.00 payment for accidental death of other members of the household who are under 21 years of age, due to accidental death on any unlicensed vehicle. The policy premium will be included in the annual dues.

Safety Seat Belts are also available through the Farm Bureau at special prices.

Immediately after July 1 Mrs. Whaley in the office in Kenansville will be glad to help Farm Bureau members with applications for gas tax refunds.

## D. V. Specialists

Beginning in Duplin County Monday, July 2, Discount Variety Specialists will be in the County for 5 or 6 days.

They have been participating in a special training program to identify the discounted varieties and other strains similar to (C-139, C-140, C-232, C-187 Golden Wilt), the discounts. The training has consisted of one week (3 days at Whiteville, N. C. and 2 days at the Coker farm in Hartsville, S. C.) Some of the D. V. Specialists have been working with D. V. program since its necessary beginning.

At the beginning there are 57 Discount Variety Specialists working in the Border Belt Area and will move northward as the program progresses and the tobacco crop matures.

**CONFUSED?**

**PLAN YOUR TRIP IN ADVANCE DON'T STOP IN TRAFFIC**

AMERICAN TOURING ASSOCIATION, INC.



**John G. Clapp**  
John G. Clapp, Assistant County Farm Agent, will be leaving Duplin to work as Assistant Extension Agronomist at Clemson College, Clemson, South Carolina. He has served as 4-H Club Advisor for boys for the past year. His resignation is effective July 31.

## Topsail Tide Table

Mo.	Date	High	Low	High	Low
July	3	8:50	2:42	9:07	2:44
	4	8:34	2:34	8:48	2:47
	5	8:17	2:24	8:24	2:47
	6	8:00	2:13	8:00	2:54
	7	7:43	2:02	7:43	2:59
	8	7:26	1:50	7:26	3:02
	9	7:09	1:37	7:09	3:05
	10	6:52	1:25	6:52	3:08
	11	6:35	1:12	6:35	3:11