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Democratic Rally To Be Held In Kenansville Nov. 1



Hon. Edwin S. Lanier

Mrs. Henry Stevens Named Presby. President Friday

Mrs. Henry L. Stevens, Jr. was elected president of the Wilmington Presbytery at the seventy-fourth annual meeting held in Clarkton Friday, October 19th.

The Wilmington Presbytery is one of the largest in the state. It is composed of seventy-three churches with a membership of about five thousand women.

Mrs. Stevens has served her church in many capacities: member of the choir, president of the Women of the Church, and chairman of World Missions, and now she is the first member of the Warsaw Presbytery to be elected Presbyterial President.

Others members attending the Presbyterial Meeting were: Mrs. A. J. Jenkins, Sr., Vice President; Miss Sallie Bowden, member of the program committee; Mrs. E. P. Ewers, President of the Warsaw Women of the Church, and Mesdames Norman Flowers, Henry L. Stevens, III, B. C. Sheffield, Es. Mitchner and Miss Nell Bowden.

Duplin County Democrats will gather at the courthouse Kenansville Thursday night, Nov. 1 for a rally.

Highlighting the program for the rally will be an address by state Commissioner of Insurance Edwin S. Lanier. Third Congressional District representative, David N. Henderson will also deliver an address and act as master of ceremonies.

Mr. Lanier has been very much in the news lately, having conducted hearings into malpractices in the auto liability insurance business. He is a 1923 graduate of the University of North Carolina's School of Commerce and was a special student in UNC Law School from 1930 to 1934.

After serving six years as a teacher and athletic coach at the Baptist Orphanage high school at Thomasville, Mr. Lanier served as student financial aid director at UNC for 31 years.

Mr. Lanier's political background includes four years as a city commissioner at Chapel Hill; five years as mayor of Chapel Hill; two years as an Orange County commissioner; and four years as a State Senator. He has also been the Democratic Precinct committeeman for Orange County and a member of the board of trustees, Baptist Orphanage Home.

In 1961 Mr. Lanier was named North Carolina Personnel Director and was appointed Commissioner of Insurance in 1962 to succeed the late Charles F. Gold.

Thursday night's program will get underway at 7:30. Included on the program is the recognition of county Democratic candidates. The public is invited to attend.



David N. Henderson

Pleasant Grove Tops Community Club Contests

Duplin County Community Development clubs held their annual athletic events contests Saturday afternoon at the Kenansville Elementary School yard. The events were conducted by the Agricultural Extension Service.

Winning titles in two events was the Pleasant Grove club which finished first in the men's horse shoe competition and Valley ball. The Bones club finished as runner-up to Pleasant Grove in men's horse shoes and Potters Hill finished second in volleyball. In women's horse shoe competition, Bones defeated Potters Hill for the title.

Contract Awarded For New Warsaw Postoffice Building

Construction of the new postoffice at Warsaw, was further advanced with the announcement by Postmaster General J. Edward Day that a contract has been awarded to Mr. Albert J. Jenkins of Warsaw to build and lease the building to the Post Office Department.

"We are continuing to build new postoffices where they are needed," Mr. Day said, "but we are constantly re-assessing our lease construction program to determine whether present buildings can be altered or remodeled to take care of our expanding volume of mail."

The construction program is being concentrated in those areas where the need is urgent and suitable space cannot be obtained except through new construction.

"We now have about 45,000 postoffice locations throughout the country, handling a volume of 65 billion pieces of mail a year. By 1973, it is expected to rise to 90 billion. It is clear, therefore, that we must redouble our efforts, not only in expanding our capacity but also in devising new postal techniques to meet the demands of our growing population."

Under the Department's Lease Construction program Mr. Albert J. Jenkins will construct the new building at the northeast corner of Hill Street and a public alley (across street from present site) and lease it to the Department for ten years, with two five-year renewal options.

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

"This formula," Mr. Day said, "utilizes the resources and investment funds of private enterprise for needed postal buildings."

The new postoffice at Warsaw will be constructed on a site containing 23,000 square feet, and is expected to be completed by April 1, 1963. It will have an interior space of 5,320 square feet, with an area of 13,686 square feet for parking and movement of postal vehicles.

An inventory filed recently with the New Hanover County clerk of court shows that Mrs. Kenan's estate included \$65 million in corporate, government, and municipal bonds and stocks, according to the Journal. Real property and other personal property pushed the total of her estate near \$75 million, said Frank H. Kenan of Durham, a nephew of Mrs. Kenan and trustee of her estate.

The paper said the inventory showed the bulk of her estate is in oil stocks, chiefly in several Standard Oil companies. Topping the list are 721,548 shares of Standard Oil of New Jersey common stock worth about \$27.5 million.

IN EVENT OF ALL-OUT WAR

Citizens Must Be Prepared

By Larry McComb

President Kennedy's address to the nation Monday night on the critically-dangerous Cuban Crisis could place the threat of all-out nuclear war closer than it has ever been in the past.

The Communist arms buildup in Cuba places the southeastern part of the United States in prime position for missile attack from there. Strategic points in North Carolina, such as state port installations, Camp Lejeune, Fort Bragg, Cherry Point and Seymour Johnson Air Force Base would be initial target areas.

Duplin County Civil Defense director, Ralph Cottle says, "in today's troubled world, men and women must realistically face the possibility of a surprise H-bomb attack. In the catastrophe of an all-out war, radioactive fallout would contaminate every portion of this country. H-bomb and missile blast patterns would devastate wide spread areas."

Cottle said that survival in a nuclear attack depends mainly on people themselves and added that, "now is the time for citizens and their families to inform themselves, make emergency plans, and learn to work together as a team."

Cottle has outlined the following instructions and precautionary measures to be taken before, during, and after a nuclear attack:

BEFORE

Select a Family Shelter - An ordinary frame house offers some protection. It may cut radiation danger by one-half. Best shelter area is on the floor, away from doors and windows, or preferably in a location with additional walls at the center of the house, under an arch if feasible.

A basement shelter will offer much more protection. It may reduce radiation danger to one-tenth.

An underground shelter with three feet of earth will give you almost total protection if it is equipped with a door and an air filter.

Stockpile Food and Supplies - Store in your shelter a 14-day supply of food and water plus a first aid kit, a battery radio, flashlights, and other emergency needs.

Prepare a family Action Plan - Assign emergency responsibilities. The family may be separated before an attack. It may be safer for you to remain at work or for children to remain at school. Plan to meet later at a pre-selected meeting place, but only when it is safe to move about.

Learn First Aid - Study Red Cross First Aid and home nursing. Take official courses if possible.

Learn Fire Fighting - Regular fire protection services may not be available in an attack. Fire prevention and fire fighting "know - how" may save your home or your life.

DURING

Obeys Instructions - Tune your radio to emergency Conelrad stations 640 or 1240. Heed official instructions on Conelrad. Don't use your telephone.

Evacuation - Evacuate only if instructed by Conelrad. Assemble emergency evacuation supplies for family automobile.

Shielding - Unless directed to evacuate, seek best available shielding. Close windows and doors. Draw curtains or blinds. Turn off or disconnect all gas and electrical appliances. Assemble family in shelter.

AFTER

Stay Put - Remain sheltered until officially advised it is safe. Don't rush out and expose yourself to radiation. Deadly radio-active fallout contamination could last two weeks or longer. Put a handkerchief over your nose and mouth to help prevent entry of dust. Keep the house closed tight. Nail blankets or coverings over broken doors or windows.

Decontaminate - Remove exposed garments. Thoroughly wash skin and hair with strong soap.

Obeys Instructions - If necessary, move to better shielding or travel to a safe area but only as directed and only when safe.

If you are in a place where there is no prepared shelter, Civil Defense recommends the following precautions:

INDOORS

Go to a basement or interior first floor room. Get under strongest desk, table, counter, etc., away from windows where things may fall on you. If nothing else is available lie face down along an interior wall away from windows. Stay put until authorities indicate it is safe to come out.

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\$130,000 Improvement To Albertson Latter Day Saints Church Planned

NC State College Agriculture School Plans Open House

County Agricultural Agent, Vernon Reynolds, announces that high school juniors and seniors and their parents will be special invited guests Nov. 3 at the North Carolina State College School of Agriculture open house.

A full day's activity is planned for the open house which will include an address by O. B. Copeland, associate executive editor, The Progressive Farmer, Mr. Copeland will talk on Careers From Earth and Atom.

Registration will begin at 8 a.m. at the William Neal Reynolds Coliseum and after Mr. Copeland's address and opening exercises students and guests will be taken on visits to special campus exhibits. At the exhibits they will see curriculum offerings, career opportunities, research in progress, and college campus life.

The Finance and Building Committee of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Albertson, has announced plans for a \$130,000 expansion program of the present building.

Construction is tentatively scheduled to start next spring on 10 additional classrooms and a cultural hall housing a gymnasium and auditorium. The classroom addition will be built on the north end and back of the present structure and the cultural hall will be located on the south end of the church.

According to Finance Committee man, Melvin Potter, church headquarters in Salt Lake City will provide 70 per cent of the cost of construction and the church will pay 30 per cent if construction is started within the next four years. After that church headquarters will provide only 50 per cent of the total cost.

Increased membership in the church has necessitated the new additions. The present church was finished in November of 1952 at which time membership was approximately 60. Now nearly 200 people attend the church regularly. Bishop Oliver Wayne Scott, Mount Olive serves as the church's pastor.

Trial & Error

The printers told me this morning that we had the first frost of the season today. They asked me to be sure and put it in the paper because Mr. Grady always ran a news story on the first frost. I, for some reason, failed to see the frost. Evidently I was so sleepy when I stumbled out to get the News and Observer, that I didn't notice.

Our Eastern Press Association met last week end in Ahoskie and Murfreesboro, and it was a fine meeting. The people in that part of the country believe in eating as much as the people in Duplin, and their meals were delicious. We were over at Chowan College in Murfreesboro on Saturday morning to attend the dedication of the addition to the building at the School of Printing. They have a wonderful school of Printing which should be of much interest to many boys and girls who are thinking of a career. We have two boys from Duplin at Chowan this year. One boy is from Wallace and the other is Bill Rollins of Warsaw, John MacSweeney, who is head of the school of printing, was beaming from ear to ear as he showed the press around the printing department. He has done a wonderful job and deserves much credit.

Have you been reading our Editorial page lately? We have revamped the style of our editorial page and carry a public forum now which discusses many vital items of interest to the people of Duplin County. We invite you to write to us and give us your opinions on different events. It seems that so many issues have been taking place in Duplin that it has been hard to keep up with everything that is going on. I heard one man remark the other day that he had rather watch activities in Duplin any time, than watch television.

A certain person, whose name I refuse, to call, is showing pictures of you-know-who all over town. That's all right just wait until after this week end! I'll be able to brag too about my grandson.

Ruth

Fire House Needs Donations Of Utensils, Linens

The Kenansville Fire House is nearing completion. There is now a need for kitchen utensils, linens and drapes throughout the house.

At a meeting of the Fire Auxiliary Ladies held on Monday night, it was decided to ask for donations of money from the people in the surrounding area so that the supplies could be purchased for the fire house. Donors are asked to mail a check or money to Mrs. Paul Stephens in Kenansville. Mrs. Stephens is treasurer of the Auxiliary. Donations are requested to be in by the first of November so the fire house can be furnished for the dedication service in December.

This was the second meeting of the newly organized Ladies Auxiliary and the next meeting will be held on November 26. At this meeting, Fire Chief Sharpe gave a report on the progress of the new Fire House.

Mrs. Juanita Kretsch is president of the auxiliary.

BLOODSHED BOXSCORE ON N.C. HIGHWAYS

RALEIGH-The Motor Vehicles Department's summary of traffic deaths through 10 A. M., Monday, October 22, 1962:

Killed To Date 1011
Killed To Date Last Year 948

Goldsboro District Methodists Hold Rally; \$348,136 Quota Set

Methodists entered the third week of rallies as the seventh of nine District meetings was held at St. Paul's Methodist Church, Goldsboro last Monday night. All of the 104 churches throughout the district were represented at the rally.

Bishop Paul N. Garber, Richmond, Va., resident Bishop for the North Carolina Conference, was the keynote speaker. Others who participated were J. Nelson Gibson of Gibson, the crusade general chairman, and Rev. Glenn Trembath, crusade director, Goldsboro District Superintendent, Rev. M. W. Lawrence, presided and the best pastor was Rev. N. W. Grant.

Workshops were set for Wednesday, Oct. 24 at Clinton Methodist Church, Thursday Oct. 25 at St. Luke's Methodist Church, Goldsboro, Tuesday, Oct. 30 at the Smithfield Methodist Church, Wednesday, Oct. 31 at the Warsaw Methodist Church, and Thursday, Nov. 1 at the Snow Hill Methodist Church. The workshops and Thursday, Nov. 1 at the Snow Hill Methodist Church. The workshops begin at 7:30 p. m.

The quota set for the Goldsboro District is \$348,136. This is the fair share for the district according to crusade directors and includes no cushion or padding. The expenses for the crusade will be paid for by a group of laymen in the conference. Each church has been urged by the directors to accept its quota to be decided in each local charge at a session of the quarterly conference.

The state's second largest denomination is seeking to fulfill a promise made in 1959 to raise \$5 million for the establishment of Methodist College at Fayetteville and North Carolina Wesleyan College at Rocky Mount and to strengthen existing schools. The 1962 campaign called

Topsail Tide Table

Mo.	Date	A. M.				P. M.					
		High	Low	High	Low	High	Low	High	Low		
Oct.	25	5:40	11:42	5:49							
	26	6:22	12:03	6:29	12:36						
	27	7:00	12:43	7:06	7:07						
	27	7:37	1:18	7:42	1:47						
	29	8:11	1:54	8:15	2:30						
	30	8:45	2:28	8:47	3:05						
	31	9:18	3:03	9:23	3:43						