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THE MISSING TREES—In front of the Agriculture building, Jail, Attorney Stevens office, beside the Court House and in back of the Court House have been removed to relieve parking congestion in Kenansville on court days. The trees in the background are on the Hospital grounds. More parking area but less shade for summer. The ancient old Oaks and Sycamore are gone!

World War II Dead Roll Of Honor

Plans for the establishment of the Museum abroad the U. S. S. North Carolina Battleship Memorial have progressed to the point where they are now ready to submit the Roll of Honor of North Carolina's World War II Dead to the engraver.

This Roll of Honor will be the most important feature of the Museum, and every effort is being made to insure that there will be no omissions or other errors in it.

The Duplin Times - Progress Sentinel is publishing a list below of the names of the men and women from Duplin County who lost their lives in World War II while in a line-of-duty status. This is a significant list and our readers are requested to study it and report any discrepancies directly to the Battleship Memorial, P. O. Box 417, Wilmington, N. C.

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| Potter, Ned | A |
| Ransom, James E. | A |
| Rodgers, Wade H. | A |
| Savage, Otis L. | A |
| Savage, Roy S. | A |
| Shaffer, John W. | A |
| Sheppard, Arthur J. | A |
| Simmons, James D. | A |
| Southerland, Theodore Dunn | N |
| Smith, Corris H. | A |
| Stanford, Maleon D. | A |
| Stuart, Oscar L. | A |
| Surcy, Pender | A |
| Swinson, William L. | A |
| Taylor, Curtis J. | A |
| Taylor, Jeff C. | A |
| Teachey, Ira B., Jr. | A |
| Teachey, Leroy J., Jr. | A |
| Teachey, Phillip | A |
| Thomas, Mike G. | A |
| Turner, Osborne C. | A |
| Turner, Clifton | A |
| Turner, Hubert J. | A |
| Weeks, Woodrow | A |
| Whaley, Marvin | N |
| Wiggs, Cecil Hertford | N |
| Wilson, Willis S. | A |

\$50 For Kenansville Sword

Louis Froelich moved his edged weapons factory from Wilmington to Kenansville during March of 1862. He operated under the name of Confederate States Army until the factory was destroyed by Federal raiders in the fall of 1864, while at Kenansville. Froelich made 11,700 cavalry sabres, 2700 officer's sabres and 6,500 bayonets, along with other edged weapons.

Some of these Froelich swords should still be around and collectors will pay as high as \$50 for one in fairly decent condition.

New Faison Post Office

Congressman David N. Henderson said today in Washington that he has urged the Post Office Department to take prompt action to provide a new Post Office building in Faison.

Henderson said the Department took bids in 1962 and subsequently rejected them all as being too high or offering unsuitable locations.

"I do not intend to get into the question of whose bid is accepted or what site is selected," said Henderson, "but I am insisting that action be taken. Faison is entitled to a modern postal facility such as the one at Calypso and the new one under construction at Warsaw, and I intend to see that they get it."

BRIEFS

NEW NAME
The name of the Goldsboro Industrial Education Center has been changed to the WAYNE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE. The Center will carry both names for some months to avoid confusion.

LEAF SUPPORT FIXED AT 57.2 CENTS
Because prices of goods and services have been upward, the Agriculture Department set the average 1964 price support for flue-cured tobacco at 57.2 cents per pound. The 1963 price support was 56.6 cents.

The increase in the average price support follows a 10 per cent reduction in tobacco acreage for 1964. There will be a referendum soon and the price supports will be effective only if growers approve the marketing quotas.

EXPLORATORY WORK TO START AT NEW HOPE DAM SITE.
Colonel J.S. Grygiel, District Engineer for the Wilmington District Corps of Engineers, announced today that exploratory drilling operations at the New Hope dam site are scheduled to begin during the week of January 20. The purpose of this drilling is to obtain information which will be needed later for the design of the dam. Three large motorized drill rigs will be used to accomplish the drilling.

CRIMINAL COURT
A Criminal Term of Superior Court is in session this week. Judge William J. Bundy is presiding and Solicitor Walker T. Britt is prosecuting for the State. Cases are docketed for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

FAT STEER SHOWING
Mr. Jack W. Parker, Extension Animal Husbandry Specialist from N.C. State College, assisted by Marion C. Griffin, Agricultural Extension Agent, will hold a 4-H Fitting and Showing Demonstration for Fat Steer on January 28, 1964, at 4:30 p.m. The demonstration will be held at the home of Frederick (Bud) Rouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rouse, in the Pleasant Grove Community of Duplin County.

This demonstration will be very helpful to 4-H members and other people interested in learning how to prepare a steer for a livestock show.

The public is invited to attend this demonstration.


Joe Costin Master Warsaw Lodge

The members of Warsaw Masonic Lodge No. 677 held their annual Ladies' Night and installation of Officers Tuesday evening at the Masonic Temple on College Street.

The following officers were installed for the ensuing year: Joseph L. Costin, Master; John L. Powell, Jr., Senior Warden; Forest L. Martin, Junior Warden; James F. Strickland, Treasurer; and...

3 Killed 4 Shot Violence Stalks Duplin

When You Buy A Package Of Cigarettes-



13 Cents Goes for TAXES

10 1/4 Cents for Processing and Marketing

3 1/4 Cents Goes to Farmer

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Violence stalked Duplin again over the weekend, leaving a trail of death, blood and injuries. Two young men were slain and another seriously injured in a shooting, another shot in a robbery attempt and a third death occurred when a man was crushed when a tractor-trailer ran over his body from head to toe.

Lyman Royce Tingle, 33, of Kinston, was crushed to death Monday near Beulaville when he fell directly beneath the wheels of a tractor-trailer. Tingle was working with the Herring Construction Co. of Kinston on the farm of Owen Whaley, between Whaley's Crossroads and Potters Hill. He was in the process of moving a ditching machine, and apparently slipped off the side of the truck-tractor and fell directly under the wheels. The heavy machine passed over his body from head to toe crushing him to death. The machine was driven by David Heath, Jr. of Kinston.

An inquest has been set for Thursday night by Duplin Coroner Hector McNeill.

Tingle served in the Marine Corps for nine years and is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Ralph Lee and Mrs. Charles Lee of Kinston, and Mrs. George Fickett of Portland, Maine; and one brother, Preston Tingle of California.

Duplin deputies have Norman Graham, 51, Beulaville Negro, under arrest charged with attempted armed robbery and inflicting serious bodily injury not resulting in death. Clifford Whaley, 52, who is an employee for years of Ransom Mercer's service station in Beulaville, has identified Graham as the man who shot him Friday night in a robbery attempt. Whaley is reported in satisfactory condition in Duplin Memorial Hospital after a .22 cal bullet was removed from his back.

Officers say that Whaley alleges that Graham was crouched in the back seat of Whaley's car when he returned to the car after buying groceries and was discovered by him when he placed the groceries over the back of the front seat and his hand struck the man's head. The man is said to have leaned forward and to have thrust a pistol in Whaley's back, demanding that he drive away and give him his money. He drove the car to the side of the store and attempted to get out. It is then alleged that the assailant shot him, the bullet lodging under the skin of his back. Whaley jumped from the car and ran. The man fired the pistol again but missed him. Then the assailant ran, but was located by officers at his home about three miles north of Beulaville on Highway 24. Investigation has not been completed.

George Bennett, 51, of Wolfscrape Township, Scott's Store Community, near the Duplin-Wayne line, is being held in the Kenansville jail, without bail, charged with two counts of murder and one charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill.

It is alleged that Bennett shot down three young men in the doorway of his three-room house where he lives alone about a quarter of a mile from Charlie Blizard's store, Sunday about 6:30 p.m.

Sheriff's officers say that Bennett told them that the boys' car backed into a ditch near his home and that he went to help them get the car out, but

Annual Meeting of Industrial and Agricultural Council

The Annual Meeting of the Industrial and Agricultural Council, Inc. will be held on Wednesday, January 29, at 7:30 p.m. in the courtroom of the Duplin County Courthouse. The principal items of business will include a report of the activities since this association was formed in 1933 and the election of five directors (one from each Commissioner's district) who will serve during 1964.

The Nominating Committee, composed of W.D. Gardner, the Chairman, Paul Potter, Raleigh Lanier, Eldon F. Thornton, Mrs. Ruth Grady, and B. Melvin Potter, met on January 6, and selected the following nominees for directors for 1964:

District I, Allen Draughon, Jr., Warsaw, N.C.
District II, Elmo Blizzard, Albertson, N.C.
District III, William B. Cutler, Beulaville, N.C.
District IV, T.J. Baker, Wallace, N.C.
District V, C.W. Surratt Jr., Rose Hill, N.C.

New Post Office For Beulaville

A contract has been awarded to Mrs. Sarah S. Bolin, Beulaville, to rent new quarters to the Post Office Department, on Main Street, between Lee Avenue and Jackson St. to improve postal operations in Beulaville. Postmaster General John A. Gronouski announced.

"We are continuing to build new post offices where they are needed," Mr. Gronouski said, "but we are constantly reassessing our construction program to determine whether present buildings can be remodeled, or whether our postal needs can be served by moving to an existing building at a new location."

"We now have about 45,000 post office locations throughout the country, handling a volume of 65 billion pieces of mail a year. By 1970 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 Construction program Mrs. Sarah S. Bolin will improve the building according to departmental specifications and rent it to the Department for five (5) years, with three (3) five year renewal options.

The new quarters at Beulaville will contain an interior space of 1972 square feet, with a platform area of 120 square feet and an area of 3,760 square feet for parking and movement of postal vehicles. It is expected to be completed by June 1.

Scout Financial Drive Successful

The first meeting of the year for the Council Executive Board of the Tuscarora Council, Boy Scouts of America, was held at the Kenansville School Cafeteria Thursday night.

Scout Executive Bruce M. Boyers met with the Council to participate in the planning for the new year.

The final financial report for 1963 was given.

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| Magnolia | \$300.00 |
| Rose Hill | 831.00 |
| Wallace | 2,000.00 |
| Warsaw | 653.50 |
| Albertson | 100.00 |
| Pine Ridge | 73.45 |
| Potters Hill | 58.16 |
| Calypso-Faison | 330.00 |
| Calypso-Faison Division | 250.00 |
| Duplin Division | 420.75 |
| Total | \$5,016.66 |



CHARLES L. McCULLERS.

These nominees will be presented at the meeting for the member's consideration. Members will be privileged to make other nominations from the floor. Mr. Charles L. McCullers, General Manager of the Duplin Chamber of Commerce, will be the principal speaker of the occasion. Mr. McCullers was formerly General Manager of the Kinston Chamber of Commerce. He is a humorous and inspirational lecturer. His favorite topic, "Four Wheel-Drive" has brought walls of laughter and moments of meditation before many audiences during the past several years.

The Council is a civic organization with 193 members. C.W. Surratt Jr., is president and Mrs. Christine W. Williams is secretary.

The public is invited to attend this meeting and to become

Beta Club Sponsors Dance

The Wallace Rose Hill Beta Club will sponsor a dance Friday night January 24, after the basketball game (Wallace-Rose Hill vs. East Duplin) till 12:30 p.m.

Music will be furnished by the fabulous "Rebels" of Wallace. At the dance a mystery guest will be introduced. Admission will be 75¢ per person. The dance will be held at the American Legion Bldg. in Wallace.

Powell Red Cross Head

Dr. Hugh M. Powell, director of the Poultry Disease Diagnostic Laboratory at Rose Hill, was chosen 1964 Campaign Manager for the Duplin Red Cross Chapter.

After graduation from high school at Sylvester, Ga., Dr.



DR. HUGH M. POWELL

Nursing School Now Interviewing

The Duplin County School of Practical Nursing is a division of the Goldsboro Industrial Education Center, affiliated with the Duplin General Hospital, Kenansville, North Carolina, is now making appointments for interviews for people wishing to enroll in the September, 1964 Class, announces Mrs. Susan H. Saunders Instructor.

Persons interested in studying Practical Nursing may write call or visit the School of Nursing located in the Kenansville Elementary School for further information. Application forms may be obtained from Superintendent O.P. Johnson's Office in Kenansville.

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