

Duplin Times

Straight from the Shoulder — Right from the Heart of Duplin

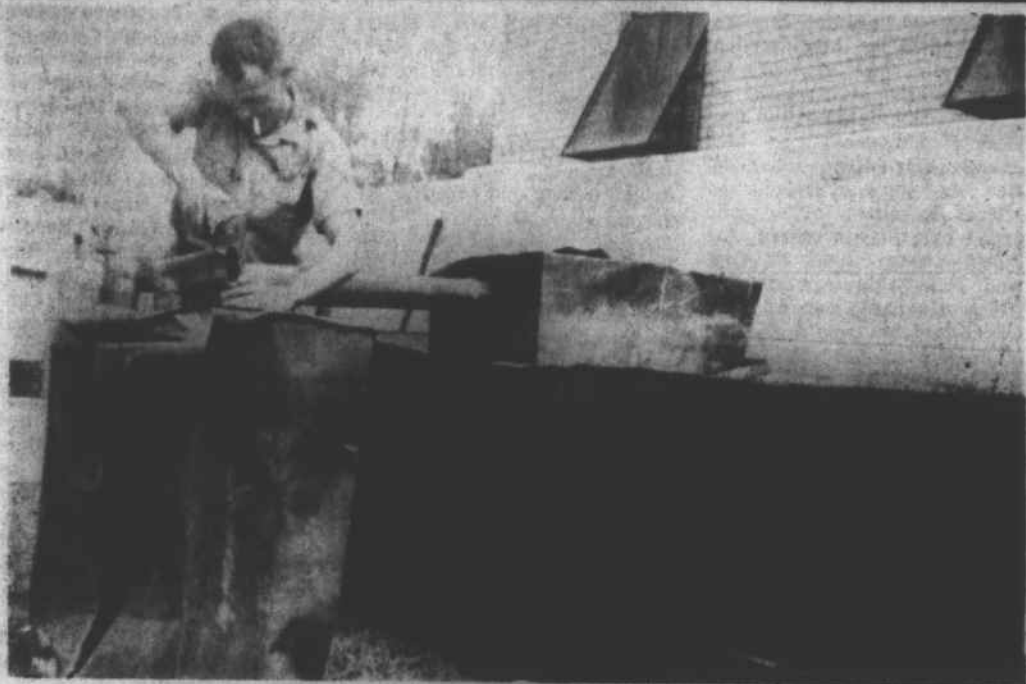
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LARGEST COPPER STILL. The largest all copper still ever located in Duplin was seized by the sheriff and his officers. Wednesday near Rose Hill. The retort held 554 gallons. Pictured with the apparatus is Deputy Ervin Outlaw.

Trial & Error

A. C. Holland, postmaster of Kenansville Post Office, and all of his employees, are busy as can be getting ready for the big dedication of the post office on Sunday, July 5. Congressman Henderson will be down for the day, and a band will perform for the occasion. Refreshments will be served and a very nice program—and it will not be too long—has been planned. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

One of our employees, namely Mr. Wooters, said that he had found out now why we have elections every four years. On being asked "why" he said that it took that many years to get the signs down.

Was visiting down in Rose Hill last Friday, and that is surely a busy town. I bought some of those home grown tomatoes at Rouse's Self-Service, and they tasted good—as a tomato should. Visited the new store and dry cleaning plant, which has been established in the old Rhodes Motor Company building. It really looks good. Sam's Drug is always like the "Grand Central Station" and I even ran into people there from Kenansville. Much civic pride is shown in the town—the churches, new homes and renovated buildings and new buildings speak of pride in their home town. Rose Hill has the potential of being the prettiest town in the county.

Have you visited the new Blockade Runner at Wrightsville Beach? The seven-story Motor Hotel is just beautiful and the food is delicious. There are not many places on the East-coast which will compare with it. Facing the ocean is a fabulous patio with swimming pool, tables and umbrellas. The interior decor is just plain beautiful. Ride down and have dinner with them and you will be most pleased.

We, here in the office, are excited this week as we have an ad in color for the first time. We are waiting with anticipation to see how Bell Motor Company ad will look.

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Farm Bureau In Defense 10% Cut In Tobacco

N. C. Farm Bureau President B. C. Mangum reported today (June 18) strong defense of the ten percent cut in flue-cured tobacco acreage, in the face of Georgia attempts to eliminate the cut.

Mangum has spent the past several days in Washington, conferring with USDA officials. Congressman Harold Cooley said other Congressmen. He also spent some time in Atlanta with Georgia Farm Bureau leaders.

North Carolina is backing USDA all the way to prevent certain functions in Georgia from drawing a king-sized

Large Copper Still Seized

The largest copper still ever located by officers in Duplin County was found Wednesday by the Sheriff and his deputies. It was located some three miles west of Rose Hill near the home of Edward Sholar.

The entire apparatus for the manufacture of whiskey was made of solid copper, retort, doubler and condenser and all connecting tubes. The workmanship was exceptional. The retort held 554 gallons of mash and was capable of making some 50 to 60 gallons of whiskey each run. The retort measured 8-feet long and was 3 ft. high and 3 ft. wide. The solid copper body was strengthened with bands of angle iron around it and iron supports on the outside of the corners. It rested on elevated iron rods and was fired by gas using tobacco curer burners.

In addition to the solid copper retort, doubler and condenser, the officers found 1100 gallons of mash in five olive barrels and three tubes of LP gas with burners.

Edward Sholar was charged the possession of material for

Wake Forest Students To Conduct Youth Revival

This week end of June 19-21 will mark the occasion for a series of Youth Services sponsored by the First Baptist Church in Warsaw. The services will be highlighted by a group of talented and outstanding young men from Wake Forest College who will serve as the principal speakers. Time and place for the Friday and Saturday meetings is 7:30 P. M. at the Warsaw Junior High Gymnasium with the Sunday services being held at the First Baptist Church. A special invitation is extended to all young people and adults.

The Friday night lineup will feature William Faircloth of Clinton and Charles Van Wagner of Charlotte. Faircloth captained the Wake Forest football team the past season and served as president of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. He was also president of the

purpose of manufacturing non-tax-paid whiskey and was released under \$500 bond to the July 14 term of General County Court.

Officers making the raid were Sheriff T. E. Revelle, Deputies S. C. Dempsey, Jack Albertson, Glenn Jernigan and Constable Bennie Rich.

Field Day Set At Faison

There will be a Field Day on Tuesday, June 23, beginning at 9:00 a.m. at the Coastal Plain Vegetable Research Station, Faison. The public is invited to attend and during the day you will have an opportunity to observe:

- (a) Pickling cucumbers-Chemical weed control, broadcast seeding and nutritional studies, variety trails and mechanical harvester.
- (b) Carrots - Weed control with herbicides and plastic and asphalt mulches.
- (c) Tomatoes-Chemical weed control and variety trails.

Intramural Athletic Association and was inducted into Omnicron Delta Kappa, national leadership fraternity. He will

BRIEFS

RECEPTION FOR REV. AND MRS. STEELE SUNDAY EVENING

A reception is being given Sunday evening, June 21, from 8 until 10 o'clock in the Ross Hill Methodist Church Fellowship Room, honoring Rev. and Mrs. T. Fant Steele, who will be leaving this area soon. All friends are cordially invited to attend.

Roll Call
Bear Marsh Baptist Church, 207 years old, route 2, Mount Olive, voted in recent Business Conference to have an

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The U. S. Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals at New Orleans Monday suspended an earlier ruling by Southern Georgia District Federal Judge Frank M. Scarlett, who had enjoined the United States Department of Agriculture from enforcing a 10 per cent acreage cut on the type of tobacco grown principally in Georgia and Florida.

Enforcement of the tobacco control program had been held up in North Carolina and all flue-cured states until this situation could be made clear. The ruling by the Georgia judge is a serious threat to the tobacco program in North Carolina.

Agricultural officials told the appeals court that taxpayers stand to lose millions of dollars if this year's quotas are not enforced. They asked that the injunction be set aside pending a hearing. This was done. Since price support has been set, it would appear that there will be no reduction in tobacco prices this year anyway. The case will still have to be fought out in the courts. Georgia and Florida farmers will put their "extra 10 per cent" in trust pending the appeal decision.

Senators Everett Jordan and Sam Ervin, Jr. in a joint statement regarding the court action said, "It is most unfortunate that we have had the demoralizing and loose talk about 10-cent tobacco next year or any period. We are not going to have 10-cent tobacco this year, next year, or any year."

A motion for a stay of judgment in the Georgia tobacco quota case has been filed by the U. S. Department of Agriculture in the U. S. Court of Appeals in New Orleans.

(d) Peppers - Chemical weed control, variety trails and nutritional trails.

(e) Other plots on the station. Many of the research personnel will be on hand to discuss their work and answer questions.

Last Week For June Brides To Register

This is the last week that June brides may register in the Duplin Bride of the Month contest sponsored by the Duplin Times-Progress Sentinel and merchants throughout this area.

A total of 23 merchants are offering valuable gifts to the lucky June bride who is selected in a drawing, from registrations mailed or brought into the newspaper office, and the drawing will be held this week end with the announcement of the winner to appear in either the June 25 or July 2nd edition.

Approximately 12 June brides have registered with the Duplin Times-Progress Sentinel to date. It is hoped that all Duplin brides, who have married

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Now, We Have Color

The Duplin Times-Progress Sentinel features color in this edition for the first time in the history of the newspaper.

Bell Motors, Rambler dealer of Kenansville, has the distinction of being the first advertiser to use color in this newspaper. Their advertisement, found on the back of today's edition, is in red and black and is an example of the versatility in offset printing.

The Duplin Times-Progress Sentinel changed to offset printing with first edition in October, 1963, to give its readers clearer pictures and a more easily read newspaper. Since that time, a great deal of favorable comments have resulted from this changeover.

In the past months, personnel of the newspaper were learning all of the intricate technicalities of the new type of printing. Much has been learned and many improvements have been made in the layout of the newspaper and the advertising as well as news matter. Color printing is new for this paper, although it is used extensively by many offset presses.

Bell Motors will run another page in color next week to follow up on their fifth anniversary sale. This highly promotional volume Rambler dealer has found that his advertising in the Duplin Times-Progress Sentinel has brought more response than any other media they have used.

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croding to Rufus Elks Jr., manager of the ASCS Office. The motion seeks a stay of a judgment handed down by Federal Judge Frank M. Scarlett, who enjoined the Secretary and other personnel of the Agriculture Department from enforcing a 10 per cent cut in far acreage allotments for Type 14 flue-cured tobacco for the 1964-65 marketing year.

An immediate appeal to the judgment had been filed May 28, the day after Scarlett signed the order. The motion in New Orleans is for a stay of the judgment.

The Agriculture Department requested an early ruling on the motion.

One of the points at issue is the legal definition of "Type 14 tobacco" as used in Judge

The Southeastern District 4-H Demonstration Day was held at the Alexander Graham Junior High School, Fayetteville, last week. Duplin County 4-H'ers competed with club members in the other 16 counties in the district for top honors in their demonstrations.

Four club members took top honors in their demonstrations. They were: Linda Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buck W. Carter and a member of the Greenwood 4-H Club, placed in the Blue Ribbon group in the dress revue; Lela Ward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ward and a member of the Beaver Dam Club, placed in egg cookery; Ralph B. Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hunter and a member of the Cedar Fork Club, placed first

in poultry barbecue; and Bobby Goodson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Goodson and a member of Pleasant Grove, also took top honors in fruit and vegetable marketing. These winners will compete with the five other districts in Raleigh during State 4-H Club Week. Club week will be held July 20-24.

Mary Alice Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Thomas of Magnolia, was elected vice-president of the district. She will serve in this office for the next year.

In addition to naming winners in each demonstration, the participants were awarded blue, red, and white ribbons according to the quality of demonstration. Duplin 4-H'ers received nine blue, four red, and two white ribbons.

Those receiving blue ribbons were: Stella Wells, Rose Hill-dairy foods; Linda Carter, Rose Hill-dress revue; Lela Ward, Rose Hill - egg cookery; Ralph Hunter, Beulaville - poultry barbecue; Anthony Westbrook, Albertson - public speaking and wildlife; Gloria Meritt Rose Hill - public speaking; Auna Lee Hawes, Rose Hill - sewing; and Frederick Rouse, Albertson - Tractor operator.

The red ribbon winners from the county were: DeKalb Wells, Rose Hill-forage crops; Bobby Goodson, Mt. Olive-fruit and vegetable marketing; Charlotte Howard, Warsaw - fruit and vegetable production; and Gail Costin, Warsaw-rural defense.

The white ribbons went to Bill Costin, Jr. and Robert Sloan, Warsaw-forestry and Linda Wray, Warsaw-electric.

Those participating in the talent contest were: Gail Sloan, Beulaville; Alan Johnson, Rose Hill; Barbara Whitfield, Mt. Olive; and Gail Swinson, Mt. Olive.

The parents and 4-H Leaders should be commended for their efforts which help make this program successful. Approximately 47 4-H'ers, leaders, and extension agents from the county attended the program.

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Other officials of the Duplin Association attending the conference included Arthur Kennedy, vice president, of Beulaville, N. C.; Taft Herring, director, of Mt. Olive, N. C.; Woodrow Maready, director, of Chinquapin, N. C.; L. Pa. Wells, director, of Mt. Olive, N. C. and Garland P. King, general manager.

New Policy On Meat Regulations

The new policy is that all stores handling meat and poultry items shall be under the Health Department, "Rules and Regulations" and subject to these requirements by law; except those which limit their sales to the following specific items.

1. Prepackaged meats and poultry. This means that all such items have been packaged at an abattoir, meat processing plant, poultry processing plant, or regular meat market prior to shipment to the retail establishment, and that packages may not be broken at the retail place.
2. Fat back and cured side meat which may be cut as sold.

The Board of Health urges all stores selling meat and poultry items to comply with Article 14 of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes of North Carolina.

RALEIGH - The Motor Vehicles Department's summary of traffic deaths through 10:00 A. M. Monday, June 15:

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| Killed To Date | 624 |
| Killed To Date Last Year | 529 |

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Eugene Carlton Sees Double Volume Of Credit By PCA's In Decade

"The volume of credit service to agriculture by production credit associations may double the next decade," according to Eugene R. Carlton, president of Duplin Production Credit Association, who has just returned from Bal Harbour, Florida, where he attended the 30th Anniversary Production Credit Association. Directors' Conference on June 7-9.

Reports at the conference indicated the application of capital using technology in agriculture and reorganization of farm units are continuing and the short and intermediate term credit needs of farmers will probably double during the next ten years. The PCAs should continue to furnish an increasing share of the credit needs of farmers."

"The 77 production credit associations in Florida, Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina have provided approximately \$4 billion in credit service to farmer members since organization 30 years ago. The Duplin association has provided \$44,645,245.00 to farmers of this area since organization in December 11, 1933," according to Mr. Eugene R. Carlton.

"The PCAs in the four-state district with 90,000 farmer-members made loans to 50,000 of these members in 1963 in the amount of more than \$865 million, more than double the volume 10 years ago," he said.

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Volunteer Firemen Purchase Truck

The Beulaville Volunteer Fire Department has purchased a new truck especially designed for fighting rural fires.

This truck does not belong to the Town of Beulaville, nor was it purchased with tax funds of any type. Funds for the truck came from charges made for out-of-town calls and other services rendered by the volunteer group. The group is composed of 22 men. When a member becomes uninterested and fails to attend meetings

and take part in the work, he will be likely dropped from the membership and another member secured to keep the group at the 22 member level.

Cecil Miller, assistant volunteer fire chief, says that the group purchased a new Ford truck chassis and contracted with C. W. Williams Co. of Rocky Mount to build the body to their specifications.

The truck carries 1,000 gallons of water and is equipped with high pressure pumps sup-

plying 2½ in. lines. It carries ladders and full fire-fighting equipment, including oxygen equipment, Scott air pack and portable extinguishers for oil and electrical fires.

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