

### Trial & Error

So! Our Progress Edition hits the mails today. We hope you will read it and thank our advertisers who made it possible.

Due to circumstances beyond our control, we were unable to cover all phases of progress in the county which we had planned to cover. Progress in Duplin the past year has been stupendous.

We have gone through a remodeling spree at the office, which of course meant moving all of the offices, and confusion in general.

However, in this issue we tried to cover the towns of the county.

Our great rural areas which are the backbone of our county will be covered in a later issue.

Anyhow, with a tired force we say,

Pleasant Reading,  
Ruth

### Political Race Set To Go.. Commissioners Race Hottest

Filing date for the May Democratic Primary closed Friday, April 15 at 12 o'clock noon.

It appears that it will be a quiet race this year except for a few hotly contested seats in the race for county commissioners, one seat on the Board of Education, and a race for North Carolina State Senate, as well as several constable races.

For North Carolina State Senate, LeRoy G. Stimmings (D) is running again. He served as State Senator when a citizen of Duplin last represented the district. He is opposed by J. N. (Nick) Kalmar (D), of Faison, and G. L. (Pat) Sholar (R) of the County Board of Education special 4-year term which was made vacant by the death of James Albertson, the

appointee W. Orlando (Joe) Albertson is running and he is opposed by Dr. E. L. Boyette of Chinquapin.

Three county commissioners have to run this year and each of them have opposition. For district No. 2 which Kenneth Grady is now serving, he is opposed by Giamon R. Holland, Emmett Kelly and Randall Hargrove.

District III, Murphy J. Simpson, incumbent, is opposed by Leon Brown and R. Paul Kidd.

District IV, J. Willard Hoffer who is now serving is opposed by Roland C. James.

Other races are for Constable. In Faison the two contestants are George H. Davis and Jimmy Kelly, in Wolfscrape Township, running are Carroll Herring, George Swinson, Sr. and E. E. Proctor. Albertson Township, Bursell Holland and

Joe D. Stanley are in the racing. In Rose Hill, Lonnie Casteen will oppose Edward Chestnut.

For North Carolina State Legislature, Hugh S. Johnson, Jr. (D) is opposed by Gordon C. Merritt (R).

Others who filed but have no opposition are: R. V. Wells, Clerk of Superior Court; T. Elwood Reveille, Sheriff of Duplin County; Russell J. Lanier, Judge of County Court; William E. Craft, Solicitor of County Court; H. B. McNeill, County Coroner; County Board of Education (2 six year terms), Russell Brock and James F. Strickland.

#### JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

For JUSTICE OF THE PEACE: Warsaw, W. J. Middleton, Jr., and A. C. Lockamy; Faison, Ed Ellis, Paul Grice, James G. Dickson and (R) W. R. (Bill) Clifton; Albertson, M. B. Holt, Jim Byrd, Ted K. Grady; Smith, Jesse Thigpen; Limestone, G. S. Muldrow; Island Creek, R. F. Powell, Leo

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### Duplin 4-H's Exhibit 13 Steers In Livestock Show

Duplin County 4-H Club members exhibited 13 steers in the twenty-sixth Annual Coastal Plain Livestock Show and Sale on April 13 and 14 at the Lenoir and Jones Counties to compete for honors in the show.

Due to the outstanding support received from firms and businessmen of Duplin County and the surrounding area, the sale proved highly successful. The 13 sold for an average price

of \$38.50 per hundred weight. Club members stated they were highly pleased with the results of the sale and the buyer support.

Steers entered in the show and graded choice were exhibited by Jimmy Jones, Gerald Kornegay, and Danny Alphin of R.F.D. No. 1, of Faison; Charles Costin and Bill Costin, Jr. of R.F.D., Warsaw.

Those graded Good were exhibited by Mack Jones, Mt. Olive; Douglas Whaley, Chinquapin; Anthony Westbrook and Keith Westbrook, Albertson; James Byrd, Warsaw; Dekalb Wells, David Byrd, and Frankie Byrd of Rose Hill.

Ray Hope, a Warsaw 4-H'er, exhibited two individual hogs in the show. Ray's pigs graded U. S. No. 1 and sold for \$25.50 per hundred weight.

### Pork, Egg & Beef Referendum

Wednesday, April 27, 1966, is a very important date for the farmers of Duplin County to remember. This is the day that they will have the opportunity to vote for the continuation of an assessment to promote the use of their products.

This assessment will be used according to how a group of representative farmers feels will best promote the use of the products they themselves produce. This promotion will be to get more beef, pork, and eggs consumed and in turn help the

market demand and price to the farmers.

According to Jack Cooper, Joe Williams and Maurice Jackson Co-Chairmen of this referendum, the following polling places will be open for the convenience of the farmers of Duplin County.

**POLLING PLACES**

Waller's Store - Scott Store Community  
Wendell Murphy's Feed Mill

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In connection with the steer show, a beef carcass show will be held at the Frosty Morn Meat Plant, Kinston on Saturday, April 23, 1966 at 9 a.m. Ribbons will be presented to the exhibitors of the top 10 carcasses. Cash awards will be as follows:

First Place - \$100  
Second Place - \$75  
Third Place - \$50  
Fourth Place - \$25  
Fifth-Tenth Place - \$10 each

This show includes only steers slaughtered at the Frosty Morn Plant. The public is invited to this show.

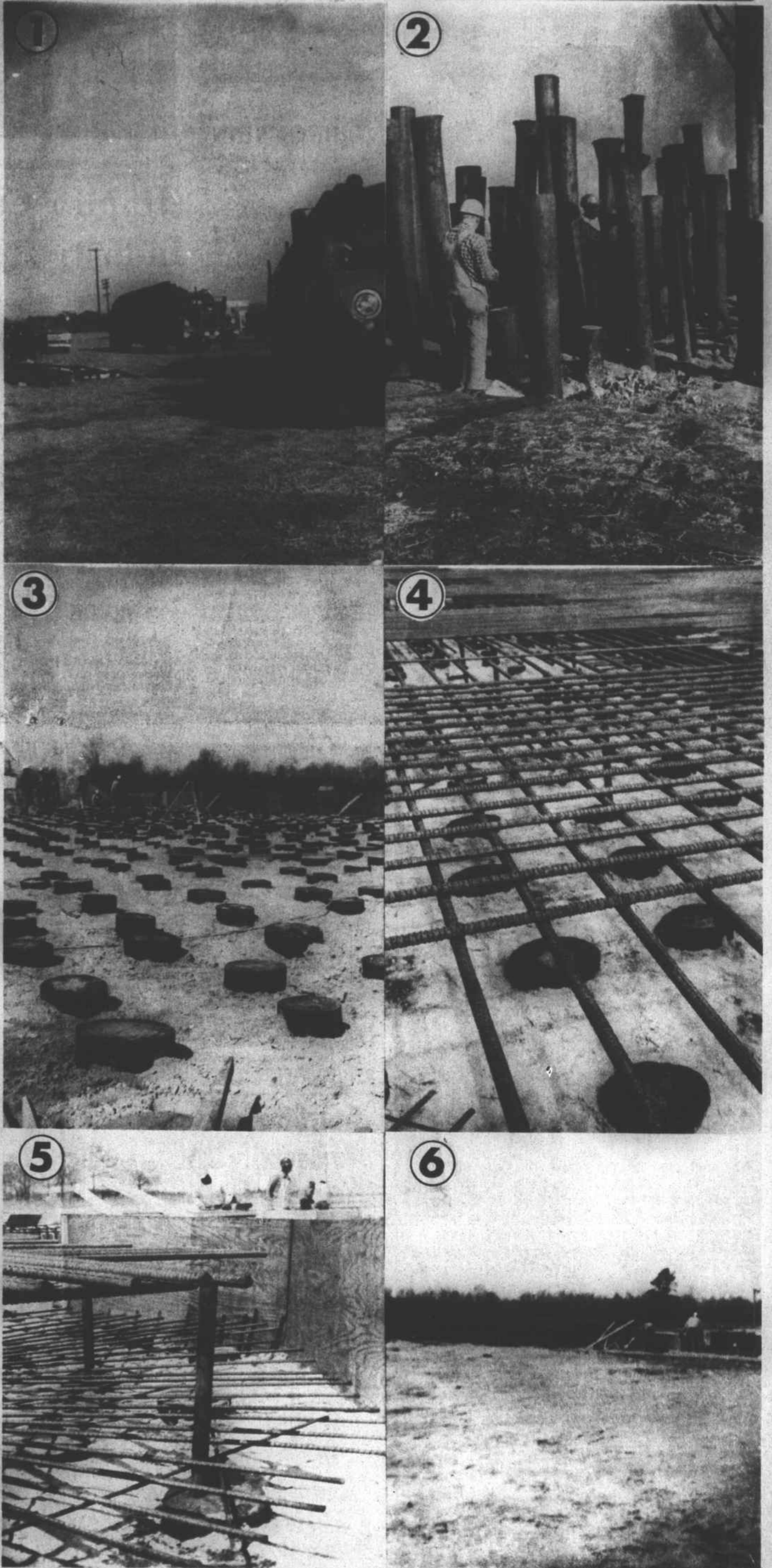
### Dr. Dudley To Speak At Unweiling

Hebron Presbyterian Church, Pink Hill will have a special service Sunday April 24 at 7 p.m. at which time there will be an unweiling and dedication of two markers recently erected in the church yard.

One is a marker donated by Mr. Malcolm L. Grady which tells of the organization of Hebron Church in 1886.

The other marker is one bearing the names of the charter members of the church and has been erected by the congregation with the generous help of descendants of the charter members and other friends.

Dr. Harold Dudley, General Secretary and Stated Clerk of the Presbyterian Synod of N.C., will speak at the dedication service. The public is invited to attend and a special invitation is extended to all the descendants of the charter members of Hebron Church.



THE LAYING OF THE FOUNDATION OF SOUTHEASTERN FARMERS GRAIN ASSOCIATION, INC. FROM THE PILING TO THE CEMENT. Picture 1 - trucks bringing the pilings onto the site. (2) - Pilings have been driven to desired weight-bearing capacity of 25 tons. (3) Pilings have been cut level for placement of steel and pouring concrete foundation (4) Reinforcing steel placed over piling in preparation for pouring concrete foundation. (5) Outer forms have been placed around the foundation walls and preparation for pouring the 36" foundation slab is now complete. (6) This is the finished form and steel for the entire foundation which was poured last Wednesday.



THE NEW CHINQUAPIN POST OFFICE which will be dedicated on Sunday, April 24. Congressman Henderson will be the speaker for the dedication.

### Chinquapin To Dedicate New Post Office

Chinquapin's new Post Office will be dedicated at 3:00 p.m., Sunday, April 24, 1966. Postmaster Allen W. Lanier announced today.

Among honored guests expected to attend will be Congressman David N. Henderson

of the 3rd Congressional District and Mr. C. B. Gladden, Regional Director of the Atlanta Postal Region. Mr. J. M. Smith, Rt. 1, Chinquapin, will be Master of Ceremonies. The public is invited to help celebrate this occasion.

The new facility, located at Chinquapin, is part of the Post Office Department's lease construction program, the local Postmaster explained. Under this program, investment financing is used to obtain needed facilities which remain under

private ownership, pay local taxes to this community, and are leased to the Federal Government. At the same time, the need for large outlays of money from the Federal Treasury for construction purposes is eliminated.

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### Foundation SE Grain Association

Last Wednesday the foundation slab for the new grain elevators being erected south of Warsaw was poured. According to C. R. Glascock, supervisor of the project for Borton, Incorporated of Hut-  
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