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Trial & Error

Christmas is certainly in the air everywhere, and one is reminded of it more at night than any other time when one rides through the towns which are lighted so beautifully. It would be hard to tell which town in Duplin County is the prettiest. The lights in Durham are very beautiful also.

A book, "The American Indian in North Carolina" written by Douglas L. Rights states on page 121:

"About 1740 a Mr. Vaughn gave a large tract of land together with 100 slaves in an attempt to Christianize 5 Indian Tribes who lived here."

Mr. Vaughn does not name these Indian Tribes but states that "they disappeared as the settlement encroached upon them."

A free year's subscription to the Duplin Times for anyone having information about this.

The list of Service Men which the Duplin Times-Progress Sentinel has been running, instigated by Mrs. L. A. Wilson of Rose Hill, has been beautifully received, and we appreciate

Local Trooper Promoted



J. SAM BRILEY

A veteran State Trooper, located for many years in Duplin County, was promoted last week and reassigned.

J. Sam Briley was promoted to Corporal and sent to Lenoir County, with his new duty station located in Kinston. He had served seventeen and one half years in Duplin.

He was sworn into the Highway Patrol in June 1950 and assigned to Wallace, Duplin County, swelling the force to three men.

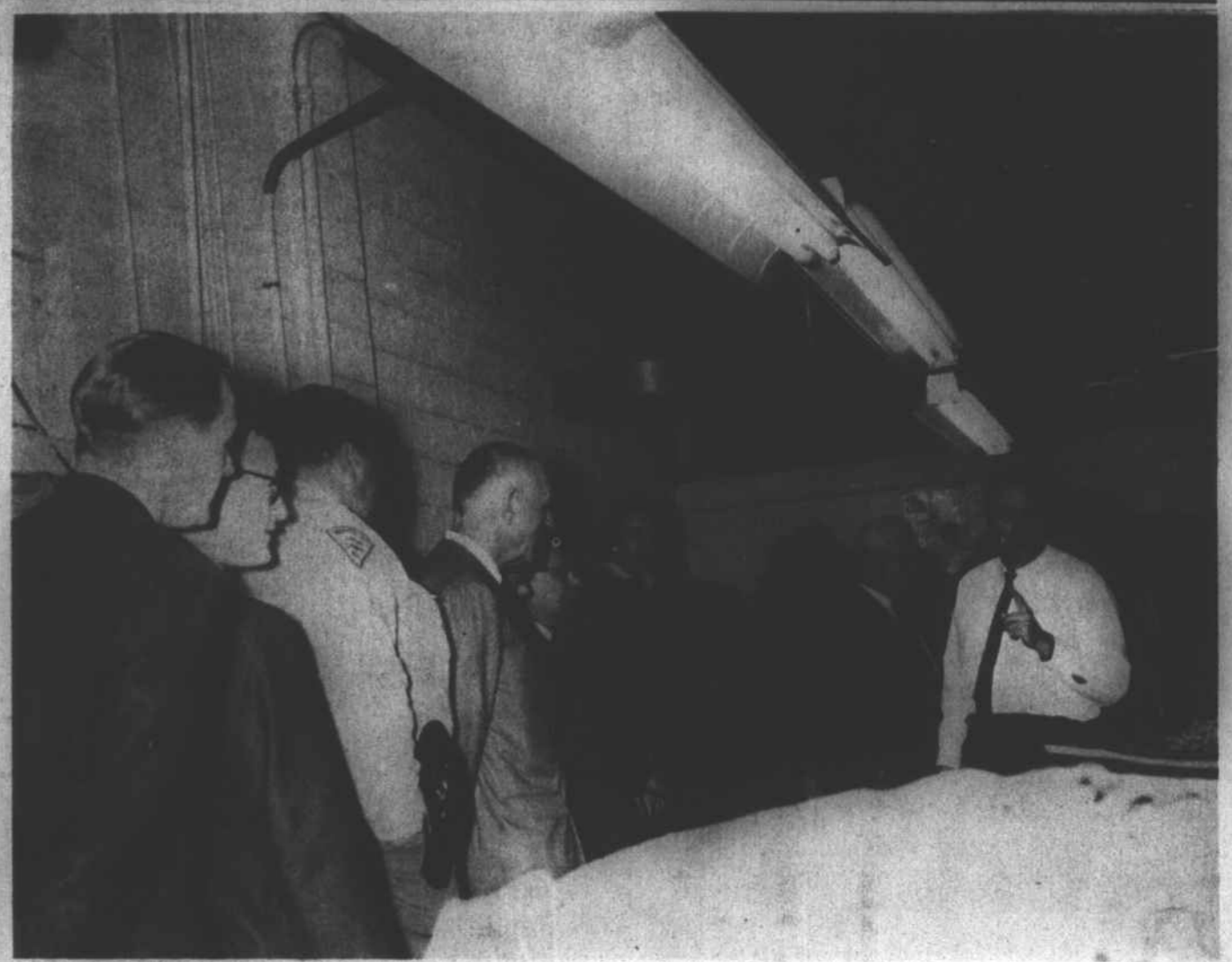
Active in religious and civic life Briley is a member of the Wallace Baptist Church, a Scottish Rites Mason, a Shriner, and a Charter member of the Duplin County Law Enforcement Association.

Mrs. Briley is the former Louise Harrison of Route 1, Williamston, and has been employed for the past ten years as bookkeeper for Townsend Auto Parts Company in Wallace. They have one son, J. S., Jr., age 19, a second year student at Mount Olive College.

The Brileys leave a host of friends in Wallace and Duplin County who regret their leaving but feel his promotion is well earned, and wish for them Godspeed in their new assignment. RBW.

PLANNING APPOINTMENTS

WARSAW — John A. Johnson was named chairman of the Warsaw Planning Board last night at a joint meeting of the organization and the Warsaw Town Board. Named to the board were Lee E. Brown and J. B. Herring, one-year terms; Brooks Boyette, two-year term; and R. E. Wilkins, three-year term. J. C. Page and E. C. Thompson were named honorary members to serve as advisors.



Mr. Harry Stroud, manager of Beulaville Garment Company explains their operation to (l to r) Howard Cottle, Bill Cutler, Alfred Basden, George Gold, Dixon Hall, Harry Oswald, Mrs. Elwood Fussell, Craven Brewer, Joe Sutton and J. B. Stroud. (Photo by Ruth B. Wells).

Key Industries Of County Toured

The Duplin County Board of Commissioners, members of the Duplin Development Commission, representatives from James Sprunt Institute and the County Newspapers have made a two-day tour of some of the key industries of the county.

The first group consisting of Mr. George Gold, Regional Manager of Conservation and Development, Lumberton, Commissioners Joe Sutton, E. E. Kelly, J. B. Stroud and Willard Hoffer; Duplin Development Board members; H. D. Kornegay, Amos Brinson, Craven Brewer and Harry Oswald; Representatives of James Sprunt, Dixon Hall; Director of Duplin Development Commission, P. B. Ralford; also Ken Ayers, Mrs. Elwood Fussell and Mrs. J. J. Wells.

The Beulaville Garment Company was the first scheduled stop. Joining the group for inspection of the plant was commissioner Leon Brown, Deputy Sheriff Alfred Basden, Printess Smith, Cecil Miller, I. J. Sandlin, Jr., Bill Cutler and Howard Cottle.

Mr. Harry Stroud, plant manager conducted the tour and explained the various steps in producing the good looking popular priced ladies dresses which may be purchased in many of the better stores in our area.

Search Continues For Cattle Rustlers

Deputies from the Duplin County Sheriff's Department are searching for cattle rustlers that operated in the Chiriquin area last week.

Homes Murphy and son, Wendell, owners of Murphy Milling Company, of Rose Hill, report that one of their cows had been

butchered and the hide was found near their leased pasture in the Chiriquin area Sunday. A definite date for the slaughter has not been established but Mr. Murphy said "Due to the real cold weather last week it would

ed stop. Joining the group for inspection of the plant was commissioner Leon Brown, Deputy Sheriff Alfred Basden, Printess Smith, Cecil Miller, I. J. Sandlin, Jr., Bill Cutler and Howard Cottle.

Christmas Greetings To Our Overseas Service Men

The fifth and last printing of Duplin's men in service overseas exhilarated us with the success of the project and exhausted us from the effort of the search!

We are sure that we have not listed all our men who are overseas this Christmas, but with constant questioning, then following leads, hours of phoning, consulting with as many post offices, newspapers and school records as possible, we have done all we could to get as many addresses as possible. We are sorry for any whose names we missed.

The rewards of the search are heartwarming indeed. The visits with the parents and wives, their interest and appreciation, the new friends made were all splendid, but best of all was to find that our country is mindful of its own and all other men who are in our armed forces. There is a strong current of concern over the county. People are praying for the safe return of our men. They are surely not forgotten.

Let's hurry to make this a memorable and meaningful Christmas to those men miles so far from home. Send as many cards as you can to let them know we think of them.

Grateful thanks go to all you who have helped compile this list. Without you many men who are away would not receive the joy of Christmas Greetings. Lets use the list and send greetings to our absent ones. Do it this week end so they will receive the greetings by Christmas and, in Tiny Times own words "God Bless Us, Everyone".

From Rose Hill.
(In Germany)

Lt. Alton M. Fennell
Hq Troop 2nd A.I.C.
APO New York, N. Y. 09696
(In Viet Nam)

Sp/4 Willie Fennell
US 53439430

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Quinn Named To IGA Advisory Bd



MILFORD QUINN

A Duplin County man has been elected to serve on the IGA National Advisory Board. Milford Quinn, President of Quinn Wholesale, has returned from the board meeting held last week at the O'Hara Inn.

Chicago, Illinois. This is a working board instead of an honorary board and will meet somewhere in the nation every three weeks, and each board member is required to spend one day per week meeting with IGA wholesalers.

The ten men, selected to establish guide lines for the overall national operation in addition to Mr. Quinn are:

- Ted Wetterly, Executive Vice President of Wetterly Foods, St. Louis, Mo.
- Paul Ware, President Super Food Service, Chicago, Illinois.
- Richard J. Jones, President J. M. Jones, Co., Champaign, Illinois.
- Richard D. Harrison, President The Fleming Co., Topeka, Kansas.
- Tyler N. Reynolds, President Rhyme Merchandise Co., Bill

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Commissioners Adopt Schedule 1970 Revaluation

Mr. Joseph A. Sutton was unanimously elected Chairman of

Prominent Wallace Businessman Dies

WALLACE — Albert John Cavanaugh, 63, well-known businessman of Wallace, died Sunday morning in Sampson Memorial Hospital in Clinton after a short illness.

He was owner and operator of Cavanaugh Jewelers and owner of the Wallace Five and Dime Store in Wallace. He was a former member of the Wallace Board of Commissioners. He was a member of the Wallace Methodist Church where he had been a member of the church choir for many years.

He was past master of Wallace Masonic Lodge 596, a member of the Scottish Rites, a Shriner, and a member of the Wallace Lions Club. A lifelong resident of Duplin County, he was the son of the late John Stephens and Berta Blake Cavanaugh.

Survivors include his widow, the former Edith Covington; one son, Albert John Cavanaugh Jr., of Raleigh; two sisters, Mrs. Erchey Lanier and Mrs. C. P. Fussell Sr., both of Rose Hill. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 11 a.m. at the Wallace Methodist Church by his pastor, the Rev. George Forts assisted by the Rev. Wallace Kirby of Dunn, the former pastor, assisted by the Rev. Charles Sparks, pastor of the Rose Hill Methodist Church. Burial was in the Rockfish Cemetery in Wallace.

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the Duplin County Board of Commissioners at their regular first Monday meeting.

The board selected and designated banks in the county as Official Depositories for funds of the county, each bank to furnish collateral approved securities to protect such deposits.

Cooperative Savings and Loan and Home Federal Savings and Loan were designated as official depositories for funds of the Clerk of the Court, Home Federal Savings and Loan was designated as official depository for the special County Library fund. All deposits in these to be amply secured as required by law. The board passed a resolution providing that interest be paid on public deposits by official depositories and that the interest be credited to the various funds so deposited.

The board approved and recommended to the State Highway Commission stabilization of one mile of road #SR1703 and 1.7 mil of road #SR1732 near city limits of Warsaw.

County Beer License were issued to Martha Jordan, Wallace, N. C.

Quinn McGowan Co. of Warsaw and Beulaville and Edgerton Funeral Home officials notified the Board of Commissioners that as of January 10, 1968 they would no longer be engaged in any form of ambulance service for the county, giving as their reason the wage and hour law and new regulation published by the State Board of Health. They expressed regret but also stated the reasons given

made it mandatory for them to withdraw ambulance service.

The board had discussed this matter with those providing ambulance service in the County, and members of the rescue squads at their last meeting and will be taken up again at the adjourned meeting December 18, at which time it is hoped to have temporary solution.

This action is brought about by complete changes in the statutes of North Carolina by the 1967 General Assembly. The statute requires considerably more expensive equipment to operate an ambulance. Every ambulance must have on it one person who possesses a valid ambulance attendance certificate from the State Board of Health.

The law provides that the Board of Commissioners of any county is authorized to provide

Christmas Cantata Sunday, December 17

A Christmas Cantata "Night of Miracles" by John W. Peterson will be presented at the Warsaw Presbyterian Church Sunday night, December 17th, at 8 p.m.

Soloists will be Mrs. Tommie Phillips, Mrs. John Weatherly and Mr. Henry M. West, Jr. Narrator, Rev. J. Don Skinner Organist, Mrs. Ben Bowden, Pianist and Chorus Director, Mrs. W. J. Middleton, Jr. The public is cordially invited to attend.

or cause to be provided ambulance services, and further provides that the board is au-

thorized to levy a special tax at such rate as may be necessary.

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Soil Supervisor Be Elected

Notice to All Qualified Voters in Duplin County Election of Supervisor For Duplin Soil and Water Conservation District.

Pursuant to North Carolina General Statute 139-6 as amended by Chapter 815 of the 1963 Session Laws, an election will be held in Duplin County on December 8, 1967 to elect one supervisor for the Duplin Soil and Water Conservation District for a three-year term beginning January 1, 1967.

All qualified voters residing in the county will be eligible to vote in this election.

Soles New FHA Supervisor

Mr. John M. Soles, a native of Columbus County, has been named County Supervisor for Duplin Farmers Home Administration.

Formerly employed for one year as county supervisor of FHA in Green County, he was assistant supervisor in Wake County and has taught Vocational Agriculture for two years at Apex in Wake County.

Mrs. Soles was formerly

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ROSE HILL JAYCEES PRESENT CHECK TO TRAINABLE CLASS.

Shown above is a picture of the Trainable Class of Duplin's Retarded Childrens Chapter at the Rose Hill School. Mrs. Annie May Blanton, teacher of the class is shown accepting a check for \$500.00 from James E. Gill, treasurer of the Rose Hill Jaycees. The check represents funds raised for the class by donations from interested citizens in Duplin County who purchased prize winning cakes at the Rose Hill

Poultry Jubilee held in October of this year. Standing above are Deborah Sanderson, Timmy Register, Jean Foss, Larry Matthews, Vicki Mercer, Steve Newdick and Ricky Lee. Laying on table are Mark Fussell, Chris Foss, Patricia Matthews. On table is Gregory Wilson. One pupil, J. F. Bailey was absent when the picture was made.