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### Trial & Error

My friend Lee Maxwell of Albertson sent me this poem today and I wish to share it with you. Try to apply it.

By: Grace Noll Crowell

I shall attend to my little errands of love Early this year. So that the brief days before Christmas may be Unhindered and clear.

Of the fever of hurry. The breath less rushing That I have known in the past.

Shall not possess me, I shall be calm in my soul, And ready at last.

For Christmas - The Mass of Christ - I shall kneel, And call out His name;

I shall take time to watch the beautiful light, Of a candle's flame;

I shall have leisure, I shall go out alone, From my roof and my door;

I shall not miss the silver silence of stars, As I have before;

And oh, perhaps - If I stand there very still and very long, I shall hear what the clamor of living has kept from me The angel's song.

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Also Ruth Wells is sharing this recipe with me. It sounds delicious.

- 2 beaten eggs
- 1 cup sugar
- 1/2 stick margarine
- 1 c. white raisins
- 1/2 c. coconut
- 1/2 c. chopped pecans.

Mix 1 & 2. Bake in uncooked pie shells 45-50 mins. at 425 on bottom rack. (If using frozen pie shell, thaw before adding filling.)

Ruth

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### County Holidays

Christmas Holidays for county employees will be Friday, December 22, Monday, December 25, and Tuesday, December 26. County Offices will be closed these three days.

### Duplin Times Holidays

Christmas Holidays for the Duplin Times-Progress Sentinel office will be Friday, December 22; Monday, December 25, and Tuesday, December 26.

### Cong. Henderson Mother Succumbs

WALLACE - Mrs. Virginia Boney Henderson, 82, mother of Rep. David N. Henderson, died early Sunday in Pender Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

A native of Duplin County, Mrs. Henderson was the widow of Isaac Newton Henderson. She lived her entire life here and was a member of the Wallace Presbyterian Church.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday at Wallace Presbyterian Church by the Rev. J. G. Morrison. Burial was in Rockfish Cemetery.

In addition to Congressman Henderson, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Charles Powell Wells of Wallace and six grandchildren.

### Forrest Dail Dies At 58

Forrest Dail, 58-year-old native of Summerlin's Crossroads section of Duplin county, on Route 2, Mount Olive, died Thursday morning about 4:15 in Wayne Memorial hospital, Goldsboro.

Mr. Dail had been a patient in the hospital for about a week, for treatment of a heart condition with which he had been suffering for the past several years, but his death was unexpected.

Funeral services were held in the chapel of Tyndall Funeral home Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Burial followed at the Dail family cemetery.

Only child of the late Mr. and Mrs. Calude Dail of Route 2, Mount Olive, Mr. Dail is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lila Swinson Dail of the home; one son, Tommy Dail of the home; and three daughters, Ann and Susan Dail, both of the home, and Ruth Dail of Wilson.

Clay samples show that volcanoes erupted off the Florida coast about 30 million years ago.

### Failure To Yield Causes Wreck

Failure to yield right-of-way at a blind corner in Beulaville, at 7:20 Sunday night, proved quite expensive for a young driver.

Leo Brown of Beulaville, driving a 1966 4-door Chevrolet was traveling east on highway 24, on way to church services and within 1/2 block of church, when he was struck by a car driven by Deloris Marie Evans, 18, of Route 1 Rose Hill. Deloris was driving a 1960 4-door Plymouth and entered highway 24 from the old Chinquapin road #1802. The left front of the Plymouth hit the right front of the car driven by Mr. Brown.

Beulaville Chief of Police H. J. Brown said that no one was injured but that both cars received injury to bumpers, grills fenders and radiators and that damages to each car might run from \$300 to \$500.

The Evans girls was charged with failure to yield right of way.

### Turkey Shoot

A Turkey Shoot is being sponsored by the Warsaw Moose Lodge on Friday and Saturday, December 16 and 17. The shoot will be held at H & B Milling Company on Highway 117 South from 7 until 9 p.m.



## Neighbors Help Clean After Tornado Damage



Mr. Keith Hinson of Ramsey Feed Company has a section of the famous frying pan set up on the site where Mrs. Sarah Bryan of the Fountaintown area lost two broiler houses and most of her other property sustained heavy loss. While neighbors worked Keith and his two assistants fried chicken to feed the crowd.

A tornado completely destroyed the two 10,000 capacity broiler houses belonging to Mrs. Sarah Bryan in the Fountain community on the night of November 26. The site of the houses was a mass of twisted tin, broken beams, shredded insulation and bent and battered brooders and feeders.

Mrs. Bryan's neighbors, both far and near, have been concerned for her loss she sustained. Friday they put this concern into action. This was clean up day. A group of citizens in the community gathered at the site of the broiler houses to clear away the debris and to prepare for the building of two new houses.

Beams, feeders and posts to one side, and the refuse was burned in two large fires.

At lunch time Ramsey Feed Company, with whom Mrs. Bryan contracts to grow broilers, served lunch consisting of fried chicken, potato chips, slaw, rolls and soft drinks. The ladies in the community prepared pie and cake for dessert.

"I told the Red Cross woman I didn't see how I could get through this without my oldest son here to help me," said Mrs. Bryan. Her son, Victor, was granted leave and returned to the United States from Vietnam. He'll be here until December 28 and then return to complete his tour of duty in Vietnam. While he is here he will help his mother decide on the type of houses they will build to replace the ones that were lost.

Mrs. Bryan has three other sons who were busy helping with the clean-up operation. "Everyone has been so good to me," says Mrs. Bryan, "and I certainly do appreciate it."

Helpers were: Dell Brock, Gordon Hunter, Vincent Horne, Wade Horne, Leo Fountain, Preston Brown, Myron Brown, Stanley Bryan, Vic Bryan, Bill Bryan, Sam Bryan, Fred Hunter, Archie Horne, Garner Horne, Clifton Fountain, Cleo Brown, Norma Roy, Velma Brown.



Mrs. Sarah Bryan, with probably the only possession that was not damaged or destroyed by the tornado that hit the Fountaintown area on the night of November 26, Neighbors have concentrated their efforts to help Mrs. Bryan clean up some of the debris caused by the storm, and are getting ready to rebuild the two 10,000 capacity broiler houses that were demolished.

### Stabbing Follows TV Argument

A Duplin County man is in Central Prison Hospital in Raleigh following an argument which climaxed with a stabbing Friday night.

Cleveland Swinson, 38, formerly of Warsaw, was reported in satisfactory condition after being stabbed four times by Melott Faust, 29 of Charlotte. Both men are negroes. Swinson was committed to Central Prison on September 3, 1959.

Officials at the prison said Swinson gave the following account of the stabbing. Swinson was watching television about

9 p.m. when Faust kept passing in front of him and obstructing his view. A fight followed an argument with Faust stabbing Swinson with a screw driver which had been sharpened to a fine point. A similar weapon was found in the area.

Swinson sustained three wounds in the chest and one in the lower right section of the back. Faust admitted fighting with Swinson but denied stabbing him.

An official of the prison said that a shake down of that area of prison revealed six homemade knives.

Swinson is serving a 20 to 25 year term in Central Prison on a second degree murder charge for the fatal shooting of Willie Boykin, July 11, 1959.

David Swinson, brother of Cleveland Swinson, reportedly got into a fight and got cut at Ernest Perry's Store about one mile north east of Warsaw. David went home without knowing who actually did the cutting and got his brother Cleveland to come with his shot gun to help him out. Back at the store Cleveland threatened the person who cut his brother and Willie Boykin tried to intervene. Cleveland shot Boykin through the heart, killing him instantly.

## Tax List Takers Named, Instructional Meet December 20

Tax List Takers for 1968 will meet with the County Tax Supervisor at the Courthouse in Kenansville, N.C., on Wednesday, December 20, 1967, for general instruction in methods of securing a complete list of all property which is to be assessed during the approaching listing period.

Listing of 1968 taxes begins January 1, 1968, and should be completed by January 31, 1968. All persons are urged to list their taxes early in January. List takers will be securing Farm Census information at the same time as 1968 taxes are being listed. Farmers are urged to be prepared to give this information when listing 1968 taxes.

List takers and assessors for 1968 by Townships are: Warsaw: Mrs. Mary H. Best, Mrs. Sallie B. Huie, and Mrs. Rachel Baars (Part-time). Faison: Mrs. Eunice Faison, Faison, and Paul Grice, Clypsco. Wolfscrape: Mrs. Ruby F. Whitfield and Mrs. James Wells Route 1, Mt. Olive.

Glisson: Carl Kornegay, Albertson. Albertson: Mrs. Lena Davis, Albertson. Smith: Mrs. Veachie Smith, Kenansville. Limestone: Emil Thigpen, Chinquapin, Rt. 1 and Mrs. Lowanda Thigpen, Beulaville. Cypress Creek: Elmo Maready, Chinquapin and Denver Sholar, Rt. 2, Wallace.

Island Creek: Mrs. Lila Mae Teachey, Rose Hill, Mrs. Naomi Carr, and Mrs. Verda Wells, Wallace. Rockfish: John W. Marks, Wallace, Route 1. Rose Hill: Mrs. C. T. Fustell, Jr., and Mrs. June B. Robinson, Rose Hill. Magnolia: J. N. Horne, Magnolia. Kenansville: Mrs. Pauline Nethercutt, and Mrs. Myrtle K. Quinn, Kenansville.

## Key Industries County Toured

The second scheduled tour of some of Duplin County's industries was conducted Wednesday, December 6.

This tour was arranged by Mr. P. B. Raiford, director of the Duplin Development Commission. Making the tour were Mr. Raiford, Amos Brinson, Harold Kornegay and Harry L. Oswald, members of the Commission: Joe A. Sutton, E. E. Kelly, W. J. Hoffer, and Leon Brown, members of the Board of County Commissioners. Also making the tour were Mr. Printess Smith of Beulaville, Mr. Vernon Ward of James Sprunt Institute; Mrs. Elwood Fussell, secretary to the Duplin Development Commission, and Mr. Ken Ayers of the Wallace Enterprise.

First scheduled stop on the tour was NASH JOHNSON & SON'S FARM. Mr. Bizzell Johnson was host to the group and took them through the hatchery showing the equipment where the baby chicks are hatched. They also viewed the hatchery

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## Moose & Merchants of Beulaville Sponsor Christmas Scene



The Merchants of the town of Beulaville and the Moose Lodge of Beulaville are sponsoring the Christmas Scene formerly displayed by Clifton and Gilbert Campbell.

The outdoor scene is located on the old Chinquapin Road about one mile South of Beulaville (turn south on street on west side of Beulaville Elementary School), and is a realistic portrayal of the scene in Bethlehem nearly two thousand years ago. The Virgin Mary sits beside the manger with live sheep in the immediate background where cattle are lowing. The little church with its steeple pointing upward reminds you of your privilege to worship.

Santa and his helpers are there. No child should miss the electrically operated helpers who hammer and saw diligently to get toys prepared for boys and girls all over. The miniature village is a delight to children of all ages.

This Christmas scene is operated on a non profit basis and is one of the most outstanding Christmas scenes in the area. The public is cordially invited by the Merchants of Beulaville and the Moose Lodge of Beulaville to view this fabulous attraction.

### Husband Kenansville Lady Dies Suddenly

Thurston Holt, 48, of 4805 Mickey Drive, Memphis, Tennessee, died suddenly at his home Friday night.

Funeral services were conducted from the Memphis Funeral Home Sunday at 3 p.m. with burial following at a Memphis Cemetery.

Mr. Holt had been employed for the past twenty two years with De-Canale and Company and was president of the frozen foods division.

He is survived by his wife, the former Grace Kornegay, of Route 1, Kenansville and four children: John a member of the U. S. Air Force stationed in Texas, Joe, Carolyn and Bill all of the home, and two sisters.

A member of the Grace Methodist Church, he actively supported the Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts, and was a veteran of World War II.

## Wallace Wreck Inflicts Serious Injuries

Two Burgaw ladies, apparently neighbors, were seriously injured in a wreck at 12:20 p.m. in Wallace Monday afternoon, at the intersection of highway 117 and East Southerland Street.

Chief Earl Whitaker of the Wallace Police Department said that Helen Kunow Bremer, 67, white female of Route 1, Box 69, Burgaw was traveling north on highway 117 and made a left turn to East Southerland Street into the path of a big tractor trailer truck. The 1964 Chrysler she owned and operated was damaged in excess of \$600. Her injuries included broken ribs, a badly lacerated leg and scratches and bruises.

Operator of the 1967 International Tractor-trailer truck was Thurman Leo Watson 52, white male of 2872 Adams St. in Wilmington. The vehicle was owned by B B & CC Tarmenter Transportation Company of Wilmington. A \$403 estimate of damage was set for the truck.

A passenger in the Bremer vehicle, Vivian L. Davis, Rt. 1, Box 61 of Burgaw, a white female age 58, received a broken right shoulder, a broken hip, several broken ribs and severe lacerations. Both ladies were taken to Pender Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Bremer was charged with failing to yield the right of way.

The Wallace Police Department investigated an rendered assistance.

## McCullers To Speak At Annual CPCA



Coastal Production Credit Association will hold its 34th Annual Stockholders Meeting. The meeting will be held at Kenansville Elementary School Auditorium on Friday, December 15 at 3 p.m.

Charles McCullers of Dunn will be guest speaker. Mr. McCullers is an outstanding speaker known throughout the state and has charmed audiences everywhere.

The Association reports a good year and is still progressing, however they realize many problems are ahead and urge all members to attend the meeting. Reports of the operation for the past year will be given and directors will be elected. Door prizes will be given. General Manager, Garland P. King, urges all members, friends and interested families to attend this Annual Stockholders meeting.