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Trial & Error

With the opening of Liberty Hall soon approaching, the Times is doing an historical sketch of Kenansville and surrounding area and the Kenan family. We ask for the help of citizens of Kenansville who might have old pictures of the town and old historical records which would be of interest to publish in our story.

If you have such information which you would like to share please contact us at once. Work on the edition is already in progress.

This week has been politicians week in our office. Most everyone running has dropped in to chat with us. Even someone politicking for Senator McCarthy.

We were very glad to see Harvey Boney, who we hadn't seen for many years past. Mr. Hamilton came in to see us, Russell Lanier, LeRoy Simmons, Dave Henderson and many others. It is a busy time around the county.

Mr. Henry Belk in the Goldsboro News-Argus says: "So far as I am concerned it is a tossup as to whether Mel Broughton or Bob Scott provides the most awful campaign music. Mel has a swing band plumbing for him and Bob has squealing bagpipes making doing his best, or worst, for him." "Where ever sold Broughton and Scott the music for their campaigns assuredly is a mighty good salesman."

Ruth

Attend the Azalea Festival April 18-21

Wallace Receives Grant For Water-Sewer Expansion

Wallace was one of three Eastern North Carolina communities which will expand water and sewer facilities with federal grants and loans it was announced Monday.

Sen. Everett Jordan's office said that water-sewer loan of

Revival Begins Sunday Evening At Warsaw Methodist Church



The Reverend Wilbur Carroll Teachey, pastor of Grace Methodist Church in Clinton, will be the guest evangelist at revival services at the Warsaw Methodist Church. Services will be held at eight o'clock each evening Sunday, April 21 through Friday, April 26. Reverend W. R. Crowder is pastor of the church.

Rev. Teachey is a native of Rose Hill where he attended Rose Hill High School. He received his education at Bob Jones University in Greenville, South Carolina, Pembroke State College in Pembroke, and Duke University in Durham.

He is in his fifth year at Grace Methodist Church. Previously he served 4 years at Carvers Creek Methodist Church in Council and 5 years on the Cerro-Gordo-Olivet Charge.

Rev. Teachey is a member of the Board of Christian Social Concerns of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church, Goldsboro, District Director of Christian Social Concerns, member of the North Carolina Conference Television and Radio Film Commission, and a member of the Clinton Recreation Committee Advisory Council. He has just

completed two years as president of the Clinton Ministerial Association.

Rev. Teachey is married to the former Sylvia Boyette of Clinton, and they reside at 101 Doris Avenue in Clinton.

SPECIAL MUSIC

Special music is being obtained for each evening during the revival. The Reverend Durwood Pelletier of Warsaw will direct the congregational singing. Mrs. Walter P. West is church organist.

On Sunday evening a quartet composed of Mrs. W. J. Middleton, Jr., Mrs. Dorothy Johnson, Mrs. J. T. Gresham, and Mrs. J. P. Harmon, accompanied by Mrs. Rachel Bowden at the organ will present the special music. This group is from the Warsaw Presbyterian Church.

On Monday evening Miss Karen Deluca of the Bowden Presbyterian Church will sing, and she will be accompanied by Miss Barbara Raynor of Calvary Baptist Church at the piano.

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Cooper Art Show

The annual outdoor Art Show will be presented Sunday afternoon, April 23 from 3 until 6 p.m. at the Jack Cooper Home 2 miles South of Rose Hill on Highway 117.

The art work in the exhibit has been done by the 50 art students of Margaret Cooper and range from elementary school age to adults. They come from Wallace, Warsaw, Faison, Turkey, Mr. Olive, Clinton and Rose Hill.

"The painters and I invite the public to come and view the work done during the past school year and enjoy what we hope will be a lovely spring afternoon out of doors," said Mrs. Cooper. In the event of rain the show will be held Sunday, April 28.

Calypso Location of Data Processing Service



Data processing service has been announced for Duplin County, and the office will be located in Calypso. Discussing the new service are: (seated left) Mr. Robert Pearce, Executive Vice President of Management Data Processing Systems, Inc. of Clifton, N. J.; P. B. Ralford, Executive

Director of Duplin Development Commission, (standing) (l) Mr. Doug Pigford, Regional Vice President of the firm also a native of Calypso; (r) Mr. B. C. Albritton, Mayor of Calypso and President of the Calypso Development Corporation.

The selection of Calypso for the location of a data processing service was announced this week by Mr. Robert Pearce, Executive Vice President of Management Data Processing System, Inc., Clifton, N. J.; Mr. B. C. Albritton, Mayor of Calypso and President of the Calypso Development Corporation; and Mr. Milford Quinn, Chairman of the Duplin Development Commission. Mr. Pearce said that Mr. Doug Pigford, Regional Vice President of the firm and a native of Calypso, will manage the Calypso facility.

P. B. Ralford, Executive Director of the Duplin Development Commission, stated that data processing service is being used by many businesses of the area and that location of this firm in the county will be an asset to existing industry and business as well as be an added attraction to prospective new industry considering this section of the state. He said that nearness of the facility to clients to be serviced would help expedite the work being performed for them. He further stated that to be able to announce the location of a data processing firm in the county verifies the fact that one type of industry will inspire the location of other types of industry and business services to locate here.

In commenting on the selection of Calypso as the location for Management Data Processing Systems, Mr. Pigford stated that information developed by a survey proved beyond any reasonable doubt that Duplin County and eastern North Carolina is suffering a rapid pace and there is a need for the service his firm is establishing at

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Holiday Accidents

In spite of the great number of fatal accidents in the state during the Easter weekend, Duplin County was most fortunate. A prediction of 20 fatal accidents for the state was made for the weekend. It was far exceeded when the number reached 40.

Duplin had a few minor ac-

cidents and only two which involved injuries, but no deaths. However, death lurked in the adjoining counties of Pender and Wayne.

On Easter Monday about 10:30 a.m., William Minchew, Jr. of East Boney Street, Wallace

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Miss Blueberry Queen To Visit

WILMINGTON, N. C. -- The reigning Blueberry Queen, Pamela (Pam) Zollars of Fayetteville, will visit the North Carolina Azalea Festival at Wilmington as a special guest.

and will take part in many of the activities.

Miss Zollars is a lovely young lady who already has won many honors, with the title of Blueberry Queen among the

ON DEANS LIST

The Dean's List for the fall semester of the present academic year at Campbell College was announced this week from the office of Dean A. R. Burkot.

The following students from Duplin were honored for academic achievement:

Judy Ann Keebaugh of Calypso, Nida Ophelia Britt of Faison, Lewis Weldon Brock of Rose Hill and Jamie M. Strickland of Warsaw.

Azalea Festival

most coveted. She is a senior at Methodist College in Fayetteville, and her hobbies are creative writing, poetry, and abstract art.

She plans to teach in the elementary grades when she finishes college. She is the daughter of Mrs. R. W. Zollars and the late Major R. W. Zollars.

Among her titles have been "Miss Flame" of Cumberland County, "Miss Congeniality" in Fayetteville Miss Teenager Pageant, "Miss 82nd Airborne Division" in 1965, Homecoming Queen at Fayetteville High School in 1964, and May Queen at Methodist College last year.

New Store Hours In Wallace

New store hours have been set by Wallace merchants.

It was announced this week that at a recent meeting of the Merchants Association of the Wallace Chamber of Commerce a complete schedule of store hours was adopted.

These new hours will be in effect for the remainder of 1968: Wallace stores will open at 9:30 a.m. Closing hours will be 5:30 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday; 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday; 9:00 p.m. on Friday; 7:00 p.m. on Saturday.

These hours will be effective year 'round, it was pointed out.

Stores Open Friday Nights

With the new opening and closing schedule for Wallace stores beginning this week, Friday night, April 19, will mark the first Friday night that local stores will be open until 9:00.

Children will be admitted to the Danca Theatre free for this special Friday night so that their parents might shop. "We cordially invite our friends and patrons to take advantage of this opportunity for convenient shopping," a spokesman for the merchants group

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Wallace - Rose Hill Seniors To Present Finian's Rainbow

The musical comedy, FINIAN'S RAINBOW will be presented by the senior class of Wallace-Rose Hill High School on Thursday, Friday, and Monday, April 25, 26, and 29. The performance will be presented at the Wallace Elementary School Auditorium.

Director of the play is Mrs. Sam Glasgow, faculty member and one of the senior sponsors at Wallace-Rose Hill High School. Mrs. Glasgow commented, "The play FINIAN'S RAINBOW is one which I feel will be a

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Burlington Rotary Choir Boys To Appear

The Burlington Rotary Choir Boys will appear at the Kenansville Elementary School Auditorium on Friday night, April 19, 1968 at 8 p.m. This is being sponsored by the Tar Heel Fine Arts Society and James Sprunt Institute.

Sixty (60) boys between the ages of 9 and 12, who have exceptional singing voices and musical ability, comprise the choir. They come from eight elementary and two junior high schools in the Burlington City Schools, and rehearse for at least a year prior to becoming members of the performing choir.

This choir is the only one of its kind in North Carolina. The choir is sustained by the Burlington Rotary Club, whose members provide financial assistance, and the parents of the choir boys who work vigorously on various committees in meeting the needs of the performers. During the past eight years, the boys have sung in 90 programs to an audience of 40,000.

Their musical repertoire will range from the early church music of Palestrina to the contemporary music of the 20th century.

The public is invited to attend. Admission will be by season tickets, and tickets (adults \$2 and children \$1) will be on sale at the door.

The choir is being brought back by popular demand and a large attendance is expected.



BURLINGTON ROTARY CHOIR

Prominent leaders of the turkey industry joined other poultrymen and legislators at the nation's capitol recently to discuss major issues facing broiler turkey and egg interests. A special reception following a busy day of activities was co-hosted by Southeastern Poultry and Egg Association bringing together a large

number of poultrymen and legislators to better acquaint them with problems and issues facing the industry.

From left to right: Bill Griffin, Monroe, North Carolina; Senator B. Everett Jordan, North Carolina; and Marvin Johnson of Rose Hill, director and secretary-treasurer of Southeastern Poultry and Egg Association.