

# County Officials Take Oath

## Management

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 basketball scorer in District 28 of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics. He graduated from ECU with a B.S. degree.

Active in public affairs in Greenville, Riddick was a charter member of St. James Methodist Church. He was vice president of the Greenville Optimist Club when he resigned to assume his new post as publisher of the Duplin Times-Progress Sentinel. Continuing his interest in sports, he has served as a team coach in the Greenville Little League organization.

He is married to the former Marie Edmondson of Bath, N.C., and they have two children, Ike, Jr., 7, and Suzanne, 2. They will make their home at Lord Duplin Apartments in Warsaw. Riddick is the son of James G. Riddick and the late Beatrice Williams Riddick. He has a twin brother, Mike, who teaches school in Hampton, Va.

## Jubilee 1968

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 disappointing this year for many of the poultry producers as it was in 1967; however, it was the third quarter of this year before commercial egg producers started breathing some relief after a period of eighteen months of depressed egg prices. The poultry industry in Duplin County has grown from almost nothing in fourteen years to over thirty million dollars gross income in 1967. This is a 17 percent increase over 1966. Poultry has made a real impact in the economy of Duplin County as it now makes up approximately 45 percent of the total gross agricultural income in Duplin County; whereas, in 1965 it was only 40 percent.

The expansion of the poultry industry has meant more goods can be bought and sold, thus benefitting businesses as well as those who are actually engaged in production. This is a home-grown industry that has provided better job opportunities and a higher standard of living for its people. This is a fine example of what local people can do through hard work and initiative and a desire to make things better. Our biblical reading tells us that the "Lord blesses those who help themselves." Cer-

The Duplin Times has enjoyed 36 years of successful operation in Duplin County.

J.R. "Bob" Grady came to Duplin in 1933 from Seven Springs and bought the Duplin Record, a paper which was being published in Warsaw. Shortly afterwards he moved the paper to Kenansville and established The Duplin Times. Kenansville was much smaller at that time than it is now and everyone said "It can't be done." But it was "done" and it steadily grew through his determination, dream and will that Duplin County should have a county seat paper.

Bob became known as "The fearless Editor", and his editorials were read and discussed in every corner of Duplin County. Bob loved Duplin with all of his big heart. He was a dreamer and lived to see many of his dreams for Duplin realized. One was the Duplin Story, an outdoor drama which was presented by all of the citizens of the county participating, and was produced for two seasons, 1949 and 1950. Another dream which Bob saw materialize was Duplin General Hospital. Another dream which he said would happen but he did not live to see, was a

tainly the poultry industry has been blessed with natural resources and leaders who through their creative, inventive, and imagination have developed an agricultural industry second to none in this area.

The Poultry Jubilee is a means of saluting all of the people who have a part in making the industry what it is. It matters not how small a part you have contributed, but that you have had a part in developing this nucleus. You and your family should attend this celebration and observe the magnitude of a great industry. We in the poultry industry invite the consumers to attend the Poultry Jubilee and salute the industry for providing you with such a wholesome protein product, that on a per pound basis, cost much less than a pound of some other protein food.

The Poultry Jubilee is held in the fall of the year when most everyone feels very humble and grateful for the many blessings they have enjoyed. This is one of the most significant aspects of the Poultry Jubilee. So as we celebrate this year's Poultry Jubilee let us all be cognizant of our success in the past but never rest on its laurels because the future is as bright as we want it to be.



Duplin County Clerk of Court, Mr. R.V. Wells, left administers oath of office to Mr. J.B. Wallace, center, who is assuming duties as Duplin County Tax Supervisor. Mr. Russell Tucker, right receives the oath of office as County Accountant. These two men took over their respective positions Tuesday, Oct. 1st.

Duplin County has two new county officials as of Tuesday, October 1, 1968.

Mr. Joseph B. Wallace for many years Duplin County's Veteran Service Officer an assistant to Mr. F.W. McGowan, duties on Tuesday as County Tax Supervisor.

Mr. Russell Tucker, after two

months as assistant, has assumed duties as County Accountant.

These men are filling positions previously filled by Mr. F.W. McGowan who retired effective September 30. The oath of office was administered to them by Clerk of Superior Court, R.V. Wells.

Mr. Wallace has assisted with the tax work for the past several years.

A native of Magnolia, Mr. Tucker is a graduate of East Carolina College and for the past two years has been employed by A.M. Pullen, Accountants, in Greensboro. He and Mrs. Tucker are making their home in Kenansville.

Cottle, Rose Hill; Russell Brock, Mount Olive; and C.C. Ivey, Jr., Mount Olive.

Mr. Paul Ed Dall, vice president, gave a report of the board of directors and Mr. W.B. Boyette, accountant, explained a statement of operation and a financial statement as prepared by his accounting firm.

Mr. L.C. Woodcock, manager of Southeastern Farmers Grain Association pointed out the progress made by the corporation, and explained the expansion now under way at the grainery.

A further item of business, a change in the Constitution and By Laws allowing compensation for directors, was adopted by the members.

Door prizes were awarded throughout the evening with little Miss Joy Cottle doing the drawing. The grand prize, a color portable TV went to Mr. Leon Hatcher of Chinquapin.

## Spinning

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 nty in 1965 with 50 employees. This firm is now completing their third expansion of the Warsaw Plant, which now has over 400 employees. Plans are now well underway to construct a new plant in Beaulville with operations expected to begin in early 1969. National Spinning Company operates other plants in Whiteville and Washington, North Carolina.

Other awards worth hundreds of dollars will be made available to "Miss Duplin County" contestants by Steed's Tire Service, Quinn Wholesale, Inc., and Home Federal Savings and Loan Association.

The "Miss Duplin County" pageant, sponsored by the Warsaw Jaycees, will be held on Saturday evening, November 9th, in the Kenan Memorial Auditorium, Kenansville, North Carolina, beginning at 7:00 p.m.

## Grainery

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 the manager, board of directors, and the members of their outstanding achievement at the Southeastern Farmers Grain Cooperative. He reminded the members that as a highly successful cooperative they were now setting the price for grain in the area.

He also pointed out the interest in the cooperative as demonstrated by the stockholders and directors. He commended the directors for their interest as evidenced by 98 percent attendance to the thirteen board meetings held last year.

He challenged the farmers to never lose sight of the necessity of the farm family unit. Small farmers need service and cooperatives may be the answer to their survival.

During the business meeting presided over by President Eugene R. Carlton, three members of the board of directors were re-elected for a three-year term. These were: Doane

conservative paper.

In the year 1963 The Duplin Times and the Progress Sentinel, a weekly paper in Rose Hill, merged and the process of printing was changed to "offset". This has made a much better looking paper than the old method.

In the 10 years of Mrs. Grady's newspaper operation, Duplin County has grown so fast, and so many new developments have taken place that the paper has almost had to be a "Chamber of Commerce Mouth Piece". In the past ten years Duplin has seen several industries come into the area, new businesses spring up, old buildings replaced by new ones, housing developments, restoration of Liberty Hall and many, many other developments.

The Duplin Times-Progress Sentinel feels that new blood in the operation will be a good thing for a growing newspaper in a growing county.

## Community

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 Gaitha Drew  
 David Byrd  
 Thurman Evans  
 S.A. Boone  
 J Rockfish  
 Richard B. Boyce  
 Joe Ward  
 Paul E. Smith  
 Gibson Carr  
 Tommy K. Smith  
 K Rose Hill  
 Horace Fussell, Jr.  
 Charles F. Hawes  
 Ira T. Fussell  
 Albert J. Cottle  
 R.C. Henderson, Sr.  
 L. Smith  
 D.L. Smith  
 James Ray Thomas  
 Lawrence J. Houston  
 Lloyd Kennedy  
 Wilbur Sumner  
 M Warsaw  
 Herbert L. West  
 Robert D. Blackmore  
 William J. Costin  
 Clyde Bradshaw  
 Melvin Herring

## Probable Cause

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 died about 10 o'clock Saturday night from a 22 rifle bullet in his head. His father, James Thomas Frederick allegedly fired the shot earlier in the afternoon at their home on Rt. 2, Mount Olive, Wolfscrape Township.

## Welcome To Rose Hill's 6th Poultry Jubilee

Wed. - Thur. Oct. 9-10  
 STARTS 7:45  
 The Grizzly!  
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 Hours From 8 A M to 2 P M

## Demonstrates

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 tigate. Juicer hamburgers are yet to be--but why not find out first hand when the next demonstration is to be held. That will be 3 to 5 o'clock on Friday afternoon October 4 and each Friday afternoon during the month of October.

## WELCOME

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his Azalea Clowns, Miss Poultry Princess and her court, and floats of all sizes and descriptions. Horseshoe qualifications will be underway with qualifiers going on to compete for the championship. Also Cake baking contest Judging will get underway with winners to be announced later. The cakes will be judged on their general appearance, shape, size and icing. After the judging is completed all cakes will be sold to the highest bidder and all proceeds donated to the Retarded Childrens Fund.

## TWILITE DRIVE-IN THEATRE

BEULAVILLE, N. C.

Thur.-Oct. 3  
 STARTS 8:00  
 Starring Lloyd Bridges  
**ATTACK on the IRON COAST**  
 Fri.-Sat.-Oct. 4-5  
 Starring William Holden  
 Cliff Robertson  
 Vince Edwards  
**"THE DEVIL'S BRIGADE"**  
 SUNDAY ONLY Oct. 6th  
 Audrey Hepburn  
 Alan Arkin  
 Richard Crenna  
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