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Briefs

Cautious Halloween

Kenansville Police Chief Tyson Bostic urges that all Ghosts, Goblins, Witches and Motorists be extremely careful in their Halloween activities Friday night, "Extreme Care," he said, "should be exercised by trick-or-treaters as they cross the main streets in Kenansville, which are also heavily traveled state highways."

Unicef

The UYM of the Methodist church and the G's of the Baptist Church will be collecting money for Unicef in Kenansville Thursday night from 7:00 P. M. until 9:00 p. m.

To Meet

The annual meeting of the Duplin County Farm Bureau will be held Monday, November 3, 1969 at 7:30 P.M. in the Duplin County Courthouse. President David Kilpatrick stated the organization is now serving over 1700 families in Duplin County.

Area Chairman

Mrs. Bobbie Heath has been appointed Kenansville Area Chairman of the Cystic Fibrosis Fund Campaign by Maxine Kelly, President of the Duplin County Chapter of the North Carolina Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation.

All Jaycees

The Rose Hill Jaycees announced today that they will send Christmas packages to local servicemen on foreign duty. Persons are asked to send names of friends and loved ones on foreign duty to Bob Carr, Box 277, Rose Hill, N. C. 28408.

Deadline for submission of names is November 14, 1969.

Revival

Revival will be held at Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church November 2nd through November 7th at 7:30 P.M.

Guest speaker will be Rev. James White, a former Pastor. Homecoming will be the following Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Stock Quotations

National Spining stock quotation was 10 1/2-6/8 on October 28, 9:53 a. m. The stock market quotation was released to by Goodbody and Co., of Charlotte, N. C.

To Sell Light Bulbs

The Rose Hill Lions Club will conduct an Electric Light Bulb Sale Thursday night Nov. 6, 1969. All profits from the sale will go to the North Carolina Association for the Blind and will be used in their program to make life better for the blind.

Highway Funds

Recent funds allocated by the North Carolina State Highway Commission to be used in Duplin County contain three projects as follows:

N. C. 34 construction of the Warsaw bypass, \$1.5 million.

Widening of N. C. 41 from S. E. 1100 to S. E. 1200 in Wallace, \$730,000.

Widening of Main Street in Kenansville, \$250,000.

Wesley Opens Branch Office

Wesley Oil Company of Wallace has opened a branch office in Kenansville with Jimmy Barnhart as service man.

The service office is located near the Triangle American Service Station at the intersection of highway 34 and U.S. highway 17. The office will be open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Monday through Friday.

Honored At Nat'l Convention



Mrs. Lois Britt

A Duplin County woman was one of four Home Economic Extension Agents in the United States to receive an award for distinguished service. Mrs. Lois Grady Britt received the award at a recognition luncheon on Wednesday, October 29, at the annual meeting of the National Association of Extension Home Economists held in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania October 28 through October 30.

Mrs. Britt was cited for her outstanding service to county families in both the Extension Homemakers Club and 4-H Clubs.

Her intense interest in 4-H work is contagious and she admits to thriving on the constant round of school activities and projects which she includes programs with "something for everyone". The 4-H

program today gives every boy and girl an opportunity to develop their potentials or specialty in some field because the program continues in effect all year around.

Lois is the daughter of Mrs. Perry L. Grady of Rt. 1, Mount Olive and grew up on a farm in Duplin County. She is a graduate of B. F. Grady High School and received a B.S. Degree in Home Economics in 1956 from East Carolina University. A week after graduation, Lois was married to Ralph (Dick) Britt and two weeks later began her present position as Extension Home Agent, working mainly with the 4-H Club Program.

While working full time Lois earned her Masters Degree in Sociology from NCSU, Raleigh in the spring of 1969.

She is an active member of Bethel Methodist Church where three years ago she was awarded a Life Membership in the Womens Society of Christian Service for her outstanding contributions to the work of the church.

A member of North Carolina Association of Home Economists, Lois is serving the organization as secretary and has served on various committees. She has served as District secretary, vice president and president of NCAEHE. She also served one term on a National committee which arranged national convention and has attended National conventions in Boston and Chicago in addition to the present one in Philadelphia.

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Rose Hill Elementary School which contained grades 4 through 7 was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin on Sunday October 26 with only records from the principals office salvaged.

The Rose Hill Fire Department was assisted by many Duplin Fire Departments in their furtill effort to save the fifty-five year old building.

Rose Hill School Destroyed By Fire

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a Rose Hill Elementary School Sunday morning. The school was completely integrated and contained grades 4 through 7.

The blaze was discovered about 8 a. m. Sunday by Gordon Scott operator of a service station opposite the school.

Rose Hill Fire Chief Clayton Herring said Sunday that it appeared the blaze started on the stage in the auditorium from the electrical wiring.

In an effort to determine the exact cause of the fire and its starting point, the Rose Hill Chief called the Deputy Fire Marshal L. B. Williamson and S. B. I. Agent Bill Green. Deputy E. G. Baker is assisting.

Investigation began Monday despite intense heat from smoldering rooms. Officials agreed with Herring that the fire began in the area where

new electrical circuits were being installed in the auditorium. However, the complete investigation may require several days.

A fire from the electrical wiring on the first day of school was quickly brought under control with only minor damages sustained.

Superintendent C. H. Yelverton said renovations are being made on a building in Rose Hill formerly occupied by James Sprunt Institute and with probable purchase of four mobile units classes for the 403 students will begin the later part of this week or first of next.

The county carried \$130,000, insurance on the fifty five year old structure and \$10,000 on its contents.

Fire Departments from North east, Wallace, Teachey, Magnolia, Warsaw and Kenansville assisted in containing the fire.

Duplin Red Cross Community Leaders

P. E. Ralford, Emergency Fund Campaign manager for Duplin County Chapter of the American National Red Cross with headquarters in Kenansville, announces the following co-workers for the various committees: Albertson, B. F. Grady and surrounding neighbors; Mrs. Clyde Potter, Beaufort, Attorney Grady

Mercer, Jr.; Bowden, Mrs. Gilbert Holmes; Cabin, Mrs. Robert Ray Thomas; Calypso, H. E. Grubbs; Chinquapin, Mrs. T. G. Huffman; Falson, Mrs. Helen Little; Friendship, Mrs. Eva James; Hallsville, Mrs. Andrew Miller and Mrs. D. D. Blalock; Kenansville, Mrs. Vernon Reynolds; Magnolia, Mrs. Fennell Smith; Potters

Hill, L. M. Bostic; and Rose Hill, Rev. Clarke Porter, III. Sarecta, Mrs. Carey Williams; Smiths, Mrs. Ruby Gray Smith and Mrs. Hilda Grace Smith; Teachey, Mrs. Jack Stuart; Warsaw, Mrs. Robert L. West; Wallace, James Padgett; Jones Chapel, Foster Peckham; Jones Chapel, Mrs. Della Jones; Bethel, Mrs. J. L. Grady and the 4-H club; Beaufort, Mrs. Jasper Brock; Rooky Branch, Jimmy Barwick; Brock's Chapel, Marvin Brock; and The Negro Division, Mrs. Irene A. Carr assisted by E. Dudley Monk.

Veterans Day Celebration You All Come!

Warsaw welcomes you to the largest Veterans Day Celebration in the Nation!

Since World War One this small Duplin County community has paused each November to remember all who have served in the Armed Forces of our Country.

Sponsored by the American Legion, Warsaw Jaycees, Warsaw Lions Club and Warsaw Rotary, the town goes all out in making this a most memorable celebration.

Schedule of activities are as follows:

Week of November 3rd to 8th: Johnson's Rides will be featured on the fair grounds.

Wednesday Night - November 5th: A big, free street dance will kick off the celebration. Beginning at 8:30 P. M. in the Clark Shopping Center, everyone is invited to participate or spectate to the fine music provided by the "Echos", a popular band from Jacksonville.

Thursday Night - November 6th: "Miss Veterans Day" pageant will be held at the War-

saw Junior High School. Over a dozen young ladies will vie for the title "Miss Veterans Day."

Featuring talent and beauty these pretty lassies come from Duplin and surrounding counties. A fashion show will be held along with this pageant. Miss Carol Ann Tucker, a former "Miss Veterans Day" will be Mistress of Ceremonies.

Saturday - November 8th: All day activities featuring the annual Veterans Day parade. Beginning at 11:00 A. M. the streets will come alive with a mile long parade featuring military units, marching bands, floats and beautiful girls. A highlight of the parade will be Miss North Carolina, representing the Jaycees of North Carolina. A special military exhibit is planned and all military units will be represented in the parade.

A giant outdoor Dinner will be held all day serving the public.

Beginning at 1:30 P. M. the Rolling Acree Saddle Club will

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Boy Scouts Visit Nation's Capital

Boy Scouts from the Tuscarora Council "captured" the Nations Capital over the past week-end.

The 1,200 scouts were guest of Tricia Nixon at the White House, presided by General Westmorland, entertained by the Marine Band and silent drill team, congratulated by congressmen and senators, gaped at by tourist peeking through the White House fence, and were allowed to march 1,200 strong on the Nations Capital.

Duplin County Scouts joined scouts from Wayne, Johnston, and Sampson Counties in the culmination of a three-year citizenship training project which earlier took them on a 100 mile hike to Bath and hike to Halifax to commemorate the beginning of the American Revolution—cleared litter from 200 miles of roadides and sent 7,000 letters to servicemen in Vietnam.

Duplin County Scouts met in their areas at 5 a.m. Friday morning October 24 with buses loading at Wallace, Rose Hill, Magnolia, Beaufort and Warsaw. They assembed in Goldsboro where the four chartered buses departed for Washington D. C. at fifteen minute intervals.

A bag lunch was eaten on the bus and scouts arrived at Quantico Marine Base at approximately 1 p. m. Following assignment by sections to barracks, Friday afternoon was spent visiting the National Zoo in Washington D. C.

Back at Quantico, supper was served in the G. I. Mess Hall where 1,200 excited boys were comfortably bedded down for the night in the seasons first real cold weather.



Boy Scouts are packed and ready to board a chartered bus for their week end trip to the Nations Capital where they were entertained by Tricia Nixon. Parents may have

been less enthusiastic as they watched their off springs depart in below freezing temperatures Friday morning.

Saturday, again crisp and cold, saw the boys up at 6 a.m. Following breakfast in the Mess Hall they went by bus to Arlington National Cemetery where they saw the changing of the Guards at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. They also visited the grave of the late President John F. Kennedy. The next stop was at Lincoln Memorial which was toured by the group. Back on the bus, the scouts ate lunch enroute

to destination where they marched in a body to the Capital. From the Capital they visited Washingtons Monument where they heard General William Westmoreland, U. S. Army Chief of Staff praised them as "the key stone of liberty". Other dignitaries participated in the ceremony.

From Washingtons Monument the scouts marched to the White House where they were received and welcomed by Presi-

dent Nixon's daughter, Tricia, who told them they are "an inspiration to the nation". They presented Tricia with an engraved whole tooth jewel box, which Tricia said she would always cherish.

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Waccamaw Board Of Directors Meet

The Waccamaw Bank Board of Directors held its regular monthly meeting in Duplin County on Wednesday, October 22. The meeting was held at The Country Squire and began at 11:00 A. M. Following the meeting, President Lawrence Bowers and the Board Members were host for a luncheon at which the Advisory Board members of the Beaufort, Kenansville and Rose Hill branches were guests. Representing the county as special guests were J. W. Hoffer, Chairman of the County Board of Commissioners; Garland King, Chairman of Duplin Development Commission; and P. B. Ralford, Executive Director of Duplin Development Commission.

Along with other business discussed at the meeting, Mr. Bowers reported that during the past year Waccamaw had opened branches in St. Pauls and Wilmington and that an application had been filed requesting permission to open a branch in Erwin. He said that Waccamaw had experienced fine growth in Duplin, and due to the increased business acti-

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Weekend Shooting Man Dead

A Duplin County man is dead following an argument in his home Saturday night. His brother-in-law is being held in the local jail without privilege of bond and will be given a hearing sometime this week.

Joe Miller, 34, negro male of Rt. 1 Seven Springs was pronounced dead on arrival at a Kingston Hospital, about 1 o'clock Sunday morning. Miller died from a 2 1/2" caliber pistol wound in the center of his forehead, possibly inflicted by his brother-in-law, David Ford, 34.

The shooting took place in the town of Westport, Thurgood in the Duplin County community. Both men were reported

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S E G Annual Stockholders Meeting

The Warsaw National Guard Armory was filled to capacity Monday night at the 19th annual membership meeting of members of the Southeastern Service Men's Association.

The annual meeting began at 8 o'clock with Dinner. Business was conducted as usual at the meeting. Plans for a

Domino Circle of Rose Hill recognized special guest and W. B. Butler of Sulltown introduced the speaker, Richard Deane, Jr., President of Columbia Bank of Cooperatives.

The speaker presented an interesting report of cooperation between the buyers of agricultural land and the farmer. He stated that the farmers could receive

ment and effective use of co-operatives.

L. C. Woodcock, secretary-treasurer of the association reported on the progress of the treasury including erection of fire steel storage bins, and purchase of Mount Olive Grain mill. The total charge reported of the combined facilities now in operation will be announced in the next meeting.

planned for the coming year however loading and unloading improvements will be made at the Mount Olive plant.

Paul E. Dell gave the treasurer's report and W. B. Butler explained the Statement of Financial Position reported

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Miss Veterans Day Pageant Mistress Of Ceremonies



Miss Carol Ann Tucker

Carol Ann comes from Magnolia, and she is a junior at East Carolina University. She graduated from James Sprunt High School and she is a past "Miss Veterans Day".

She is a talented pianist and vocalist, and has written many songs of her own. She has appeared in the "Miss Poultry"

pageant and the "Miss Duplin County" pageant as a contestant.

Carol Ann is returning as Mistress of Ceremonies for the seventh year. She was such a beautiful girl last year and added so much charm and sparkle to the pageant that we felt we could improve on our own.