Bryon Teachey, ansistant Co-unry Superintendent of schools, presented 25 yr. award pins at the N. C. E. A. Banquet to Charley Thomas, G. F. Landen, W. S. Butler, Mrs. Margaret Hall Jones Wallace, Mrs. Hazel Kornegay, L. H. Fussell and Mrs. Gertrude Pope for 25 years of service, years of service.

Duplin farmers favortobacco quotas by 97 1/2 % vote.

RALEIGH, N. C. --- One new nember and six members re-

cently reappointed to the N. C. Board of Science and Techo-

logy were sworn in as the board met in Raleigh today. Secretary of State Tad Eure

ministered the oath of office, The new member is Dr. Ralph W. Cummings of N. C. State University, who replaces Dr. Harold F. Robinson.

Members reappointed are Dr. Paul M. Gross of Duke, who

serves as board vice-chairman; Dr. Marcus E. Hobbs, Duke pro-

vost; Dr. William F. Little and Dr. John C. Morrow of the University of North Carolina

at Chapel Hill; Dr. Robert W. Truitt and Dr. Arthur C. Men-

ius, Jr of N. C. State Univer-stry. Dr. Menius represents

the N. C. Atomic Energy Advisory Committee on the board;

the others represent their re-Spective institutions.

Governor Scott is ex officio

chairman of the board. Other

board members currently ser-

presenting industry; Senator Elton Edwards of Greensboro,

and former Senators C. Grank

Griffin of Monroe and Adrain

Shuford of Conover, representing the General Assembly.

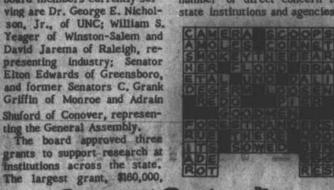
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went to Research Triangle In-stitute for laboratory equip-ment. A major protion of

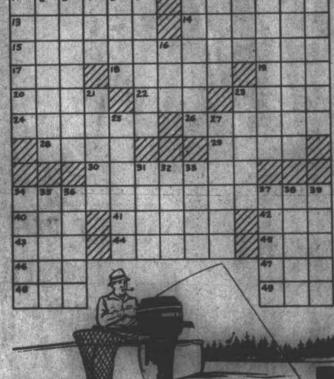
now under construction.

A grant of \$4,700 went to
Dr. Edward C. Sisler, Department of Biochemistry, N. C. State University, to study the possibility of speeding the ripening of tobacco by treatment with enthylene. This method is now successfully used on

bringing more than \$33 million of research revenue into North Carolina. He stated that laboratory instruments obtained under the new grant would be used by all divisions of the Institute on a variety of research programs, including a number of direct concern to state institutions and agencies.



grants to support research at institutions across the state. The largest grant, \$160,000, Sportsword Puzzle sack Lumitto



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Cypress Creek.

20 Years Ago

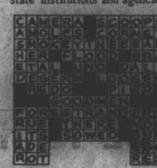
Sleet and snow predicted for

Duplin County. Mr. and Mes. O. R. Blizzard

of Kenansville win first place in Better Farming For Better Living Contest sponsor-ed by Lions Club in Wallace.

the funds will help to equip the Institute's new Chemistry and Life Sciences Laboratory

RTI president George Herbert pointed out that previous grants to the Institute by the General Assembly and the board had been instrumental in



Be Proud Of

The positive vote in favor of the water and sewer bonds yesterday indicated a substantial vote for progress on the part of Kenansville residents. With the addition of the sewage system and expanded water system, we can expect the economic growth of the community to in-crease at an accelerated rate.

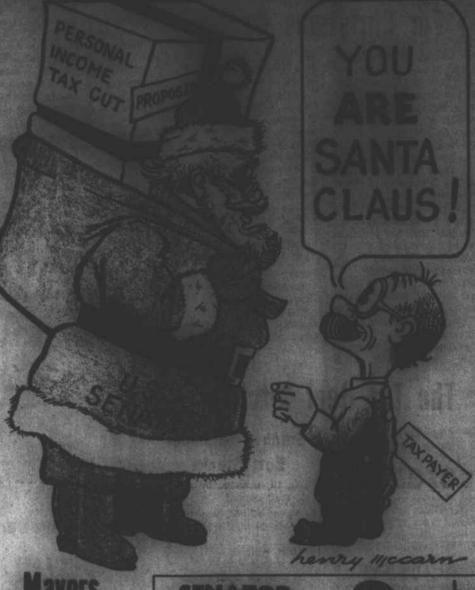
Like few other towns, we have a fine fire department, rated Number One in the state in 984; der expansion that provides ex-cellent patient care services; and Liberty Hall, famed Kenan restoration that is rapidly getting state and national recognition. The Kenansville community may become the histor-ical and cultural center of the region in years to come, Historical James Sprunt Institute is expanding its educational offerings for post-high school students. Few towns can boast of these facilities and yet maintain the lowest tax rate in the county. No other mun-icipality in Duplin County, has as low a tax rate as does Kenansville,

Now is the time for the town officials and residents to consider other projects that will cial growth of the Kenansville

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WASHINGTON - - As Congress begins the final month of the current legislative session, the major problem continues to be the enactment of appropriations

Congress will move more rapidly on several of these bills.

idly on several of these bills. Even so, I would anticipate that when the Senate completes action on essential appropriation bills, there will not be enough time at this session to clear the calendar of all of the pending major bills. While this virtually assures that Congress will have a full agenda to deal with at the opening of the next session, the delay on some of these measures may have some

Only five of the thirteen regular money bills have been sent to the President for the fiscal to the President for the fiscal year which began July 1. Federal departments have been operating for months under continuing resolutions which permit agencies whose appropriations have not yet been enacted to continue operation at the same level as that year. The five regular money bills which have cleared congress are those which fund public works, independent agencies, and the Treasury-Post Office, Interior, and Agriculture Departments. and Agriculture Departments.
Two other appropriations are in Senate-House conferences.
These are bills providing monies for the State-Justice-Commerce Departments and Congress itself. The military congress itself. struction and District of Colum-

bla money bills are now on the Senate Calendar, but the tax reform bill under debate has delayed action on them. Three appropriation bills are still awaiting House action. Under Congressional protocol, the Senate must defer action on them until the House acts. Two of these measures are highly controversial. These are the Defense Department appropria-tion, which constitutes the lar-gest single item in the fiscal 1970 budget, and the foreign-aid appropriation. In recent

years, the foreign aid bill has often delayed adjournment.

One other appropriation bill may become the center of controversy in the remaining days of the session. This is the Health, Education, and Welfare money bill which provides Federal aid for public school desegregation. As written by the House, HEW funds shall not be used to force Southern schools to integrate on penalty of locing

used to force Southern schools to integrate on penalty of losing Federal funds. Whether this House provision will remain in the bill is uncertain. Previous House actions dealing with this subject have come to a standstill in the Sentate. This year, however, with Federal decrees requiring more and more busing of students into non-neighborhood schools, the public is intensely interested in the problem. As the readers of this column know, I recently offered a resolution to permit freedom of choice by parents and students in the selection of the public school they attend.

The appropriations logism has raised questions as to whether Congress can complete action on many other bills. These include the tax reform bill.

Your Congressmen DAVID N. HENDERSON

There are no direct commercial airline flights or scheduled ocean vessels between the United States and Cuba but a recent flight from that country to Canada carried some interesting passengers. They were Americans who had decided to come home and face the music. Most had criminal charges pending against them for airplane hijacking or for other offenses committed before their departure. In short, they were not just political refugees but were also fugitives from justice.

It is significant to note that

lt is significant to note that in Cuba they were not imprisoned, but were allowed at least some degree of freedom. In returning to America they faced almost certain imprisonment. Their choice of an American prison over Cuban freedom speaks volumes about what kind of a way of life each of these Years ago, the late President John Kennedy made the point that the Berlin Wall was a monument to communism's faisession, the delay on some of these measures may have some vert people from democratic virtue. Any good legislation nations from entering East Gerrany but to keep the people of tion before it becomes a law. East Germany from leaving.

ligible.

It would seem to me that some of America's young people, such as the group which is talking about traveling to Cuba to help with the sugar harvest and those who recently hoisted the flag of the Viet Cong during the Washington demonstrations, could learn a great lesson from studying the pattern of movement of people who have had a choice during the past two decades: those who the past two decades; those who have had a first hand taste of

Communism, Such people have overwhelmingly voted with their feet and have chosen demo-

which comes from having rockets with nuclear warheads pointed at our every enemy. Man needs inner security and peace, and this cannot come from concentrating all our might on our enemies with our own manmade weapons. God takes care of the enemies of the soultie we have surrendered ourselves to him. We try to fight the battle He has offered to fight for us. That is why we fall.

The task of every Christian is to move toward greater liberty and freedom, which is the noblest promised land of all. God is still a miracle working-God, I've seen Him in action! As recently as today!

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