## "A BETTER COUNTY THROUGH IMPROVED FARM PRACTICES"

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1949 TRENTON, N. C.,

## lub Work of Year Is urveyed By Jones Clubs chievement Program

Recognition for a year's work in Home Demonstration and 4-H Club activity was the order of business at the Agriculture Building in Trenton last week. More than 100 citizens of Jones County gathered for the annual Achievement Night program and the picnic supper which pre-ceded it. The speaker of the evening was Mrs. Verona J. Langford, eastern district home demonstration agent. monstration agent.

The club which took the spe-cial certificate award from among the 12 Jones County Home Demonstration Clubs was he Mallardtown unit, which by a point grading system outstrip-ped the remaining 11 clubs. Oth-er clubs represented in the con-test and at the meeting were Oak Grove, Piney Grove, Maple Grove, Chinquapin, Hopewell, Foy's, Dogwood, Maysville, Plea-cont Util Caring Branch and Foy's, Dogwood, Maysville, Plea-sant Hill, Spring Branch and Tuckahoe. A personal award, also made by Home Demonstra-tion Agent Mary Helen Loftin, was to Mrs. Albert Taylor of the Maple Grove Club — a reading certificate for her book reports to her club. Also noted at the program was the participation of 107 club members in the re-cent Jones County Fair.

cent Jones County Fair. Assistant County Agent George Wiggins made special commen-dation to the following 4-H Club members in four activity chasi-fications: Elles Barrow chasi-

REPORTS DUE OFFICE Some Jones County farmers

are going to be without a cotton acreage allotment for the coming year in the face of a reduced 532-acre allotment for the entire county, Nelson Barker, secretary of the County's Produc-tion and Marketing Administra-tion (AAA) says.

The reason for the reduction from the 5,600 acres of 1942, he says, is the failure of farmers to plant cotton in the ensuing years. He added, however, that he did not believe the individual acreage cuts would result in a material pinch to any one person.

Secretary Barker said also that Jones County farmers are tardy in making their required reports to the Triple-A office in Trenton. He called attention to the requirement for turning in vithin 10 days after the com-pletion of the sale of the crop. Only 25 per cent of the cards had been brought into the office by the end of the week.

The second instance of tardi-ness was the return of reparts of the use of conservation meterials



**GOVERNOR SPEAKS TO THRONG AT FESTIVAL** 

Governor W. Kerr Scott is shown here as he told more than 600 persons on Friday at the Harvest Festival of the Wheat Swamp Christian Church that the greatest weakness in the state was its rural churches. He urged his listeners to hold the church banner high and to revitalize the church. The need, he said, was dictated by the need of living in a world-wide neighborhood in

the stepped-up civilization of an atomic age. Seated on the speaker's platform in front of the cenfury old church, left to right, are John P. Dail, chairman of the church beard: Henry Jor-dan, chairman of the State Highway and Public Works Commission Pastor Rabon Roser Dr. J. Y. Joyner of La Granger and Wheat Swamp School Principal J. T. Forrest. (Whitaker-Leffew Photo)

## **Trenton To Be Scene of Bankers Meeting For Farm Credit Studies**

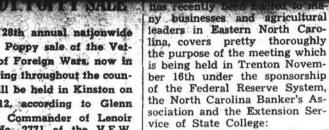
Mallard, Kenneth Pollock, and Harold Stilley in field crops; and Jack Meadows and Bob Parker in gardening.

In her talk to the group Dis-trict Home Agent Langford stressed the need in 1950 in getting more members into the club activities. She pointed out that the age group from 14 to 45 years, after 4-H and before the average age of Home Demon-

said the reports are due within 30 days of the issue of the pur-chase orders by the office. He added, however, that he felt that the dry weather of the past few weeks delayed the use of 'the materials considerably.

members should be the 1950 goal for every county, and that the participation of husbands and fathers should be urged in average age of Home Demon-stration Club activity, must be reached. She added that 100 new lard, presided at the meeting.

The 28th annual nationwide Buddy Poppy sale of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, now in full swing throughout the country, will be held in Kinston on Nov. 12, according to Glenn Hayes, Commander of Lenoir Post No. 2771 of the V.F.W. The sale of Buddy Poppies will be conducted by the Ladies Auxiliary to the Post and by women and girl volunteers.



The Agricultural Committee of the North Carolina Bankers Association, The Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond and North Carolina State College jointly and cordially invite you to attend an area meeting for bankers, professional agricultural workers and others active in the agricultural field on Wednesday, November 16, 1949.

The afternoon program will consist of a tour of the H. C. Mallard farm in Jones County, during which the good management practices which have built up the farm and are presently in effect will be pointed out and explained over a portable public address system.

Guests are requested to assemble at 2:30 p. m. at the Court House in Trenton where an automobile caravan will be formed to proceed directly to the Mallard farm. In the event of inclement weather the program will be held indoors. In such event, announcement of the place will be made at the Court House rendezvous. The party will return to the new American Legion Hut in Trenton for dinner as guests of the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond. The after-dinner program will be an illustrated discussion of the important part that credit (or the expenditure of capital funds) and the knowhow of the professional agricultural workers have contributed toward increasing the value and production of the farm. Adjourn-ment should come by 8:30 p. m. Invitations to this meeting are being extended to individ-uals in the following counties: Carteret, Craven, Duplin, Jones,

would espe cially like to have at least two officers or directors from each bank, but in no sense is a bank limited to that number. An equally cordial invitation is extended to professional agricultural workers and others active in the field of agriculture.

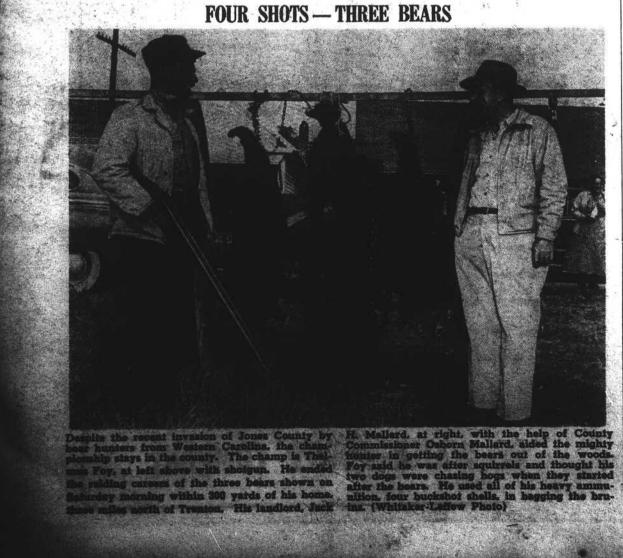
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In order to complete arangements we must know how many persons will be present at dinner. We would appreciate your advising us immediately on the enclosed postal card the names of those from your office who will attend. A prompt accept-ance will facilitate arrangements.

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## JONES COUNTY TB VICTIM IS ADMPTTED **TO SANATORIUM**

The emergency tuberculosis patient of one month ago, who received private hospitalization under the sponsorship of the Clen Newton Smith American Legion Post, has been admitted to the State Sanatorium, Welfare Superintendent F. J. Koonce has reported. Mrs. Herbert Hill, the patient, entered the Sanatorium on November 2nd after a three weeks' stay at the Cumberland County Sanatorium in



Fayetteville. When the plight of the victim of the disease became known, and it was found that there was no place for her immediately at the state institution, the Legion Post sponsored aid for her. The post, under the direction of Commander Bruce Johnson, volunteered 10 per cent of the cost of the private hospitalization. The response by others made up ample funds for the three weeks' care in the Cumberland County Sanatorium.