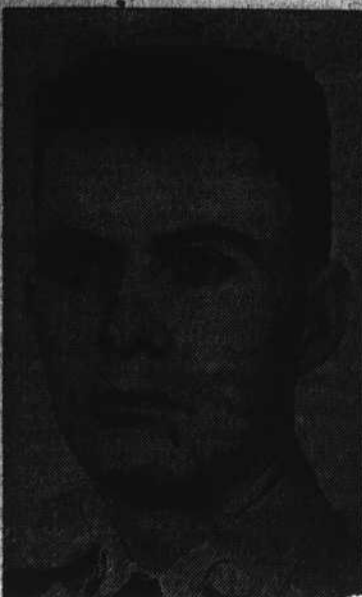


Sgt. Randall Mallard At Ft. Benning, Ga.



Sgt. Randall G. Mallard of Pollocksville, recently helped his team win the Special Troops command volleyball championship at Fort Benning, Ga. Sergeant Mallard played for the command's Headquarters Company team. He is a clerk in the company. The sergeant entered the Army in November 1953 and among his decorations holds the UN and Korean Service Ribbons. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Levie G. Mallard, he attended Jones Central High in Trenton.

New Bernian Hurries Into Cemetery Fence

Andrew Godette of 1105 New South Front Street in New Bern didn't quite make it Sunday afternoon but Kinston officers say he was trying hard. Godette, apparently traveling at above the legal speed limit, slammed into the fence around Maplewood Cemetery at the foot of Lincoln Street. He was indicted by investigating officers for reckless driving and damaging city property. His car also suffered considerable damage.

Road. This picture was taken at the point just beyond the Trenton-Kinston highway near Leslie White's store.

The Vine Swamp part of the project extends from the paved road through the Copeland farm up back of the David Williams farm, across the Cobb Road and some several hundred yards beyond Cobb Road. It includes 10,730 feet of this kind of cleaning out, deepening and widening that is pictured here.

This joint Jones-Lenoir drainage project is expected to bring a large major of relief to several hundred acres of land in the two counties. Here dragline operators are busy on the 13,700 foot Ashe Branch section of this operation which is labeled the "Vine Swamp Project".

The Ashe Branch section begins at the point where Ashe Branch joins Vine Swamp and then runs up the stream and will come to an end at the old Pleasant Hill

Chinquapin Community 4-H Club Organized; President Delores Heath; 16 Members

Last Friday night a group of 4-H Club boys and girls from the Chinquapin community met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lowery and formed a community 4-H Club.

Mrs. Lowery presided over the meeting until officers were elected. The meeting opened with the members saying the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and 4-H Club pledge. Following the devotional

members appointed on this committee are Joyce Jones, Patricia Humphrey, and Wilson Lowery, Jr.

There being no further business, Shackelford showed some slides on 4-H Club Camp and urged each member to make a special effort to attend camp this summer.

Refreshments were then served by the leaders, Mrs. Wilson Lowery, Mrs. Walter Ives, and Mrs. D. A.

The meeting was closed by everyone present joining hands and forming the Friendship Circle.

Members present in addition to the officers were Fletcher Smith, Raymond Price, Rosa Ann Gray, Walter Ives Jr., Patricia Humphrey, Franklin Heath, Joyce Jones, and Lillian Nicholson.

Eagles Home Games

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the group sang three songs, "Blessed Be The Tie", America, and "Sarah-spon-da".

William Shackelford, Assistant County Agent, then explained the purpose of the meeting and led a discussion as to what a community 4-H Club could and should do for its members, leaders, and community.

Following this discussion, the sixteen 4-H members present voted unanimously to organize a community club.

Officers were elected as follows: president, Delores Heath; vice-president, Wilson Lowery Jr.; secretary-treasurer, Robert Gray; reporter, Carolyn Price; program chairman, Bobby Heath; song leader, Dean Dudley; and recreation leaders, Joyce Killingsworth and Wellyn Dawson.

After officers were elected, the members discussed different projects they would like to sponsor. Four members were appointed to select several projects, after investigating them, and reporting back to the club at its next meeting. They are Wellyn Dawson, Bobby Heath, and Rosa Ann Gray and Joyce Killingsworth.

Bobby Gray then moved that a special committee be appointed to select a name for the club. Mem-

Assistant Fire Chief Hurt Tuesday Night

Assistant Kinston Fire Chief Joe Halley fell late Tuesday night while fighting a fire in the establishment of Robert Johnson at 913-915 Tower Hill Road and suffered painful but not serious bruises.

The fire has done several hundred dollars damage, according to Assistant Chief Rudolph Nobles but a full survey has not been completed.

The alarm was turned in at 2:43 a. m. Wednesday and so far the origin of the blaze has not been

Nervy Stallings Cadet Saves Taxpayers Big Hunk of Cash



Aviation Cadet Donald L. Eversole, center, is being congratulated by Truman W. Miller, president, Serv-Air Aviation Corporation, for a job well done on a recent cross country flight that

when his aircraft's engine began "cutting out" over Ayden enroute back to Stallings. Cadet Eversole brought the T-4 on to Stallings and landed even though his windshield was covered with oil and he was losing altitude rapidly

Kinston Brothers Charged in Killing of Jones Tenant Farmer

Family Size Still is Destroyed in Jones By Sheriff and Deputy

Jones County Sheriff Brown Yates reports the discovery and destruction of a small "family size" whiskey still Thursday afternoon in White Oak Township.

Yates says the still consisted of two mash barrels of a total capacity of 100 gallons and a small steel drum still. Yates admitted that it didn't look like a very commercial apparatus. He was assisted by Deputy Roy Mallard in the location and elimination of the stumphole factory.

Two thieves Paroled One Jones, One Lenoir

Among paroles issued in Raleigh Monday were a pair that went to a Jones Countian and a Lenoir Countian, both serving time for breaking, entering and larceny.

John Welsey Miller, 29 year-old Kinstonian, was sentenced in August of 1954 to a 6 to 10 year term for his part in the theft of several thousand dollars worth of cigarettes from two Kinston wholesale groceries.

Pete Thompson, 19 year-old Jones Countian, was sentenced at the September court term in Trenton to serve 3 to 5 years for breaking in a Maysville business establishment.

Johnny Wilson Has Trouble Sunday on East Washington St.

Johnny Wilson of 521 Fields Street was driving east on Washington Street Sunday when his car for some as yet unexplained reason rammed into the rear of a parked car belonging to Pauline Patrick of 518 Lincoln Street. In turn the Patrick car slammed

Willie Simmons of 610 North Davis Street is charged with murder and his brother, David, of 507 South Orion is held as an accessory before the fact of murder in the Saturday pistol slaying of James Whitfield, Trenton route one tenant farmer.

Captain Giasco Evans, who investigated the shooting which took place at 6:45 p. m. in the Palace Club at 238 1-2 South Queen Street, says that eye-witness accounts of the incident state that Willie Simmons shot Whitfield twice, after Whitfield had engaged in an argument with David Simmons.

Dennis Lee Williams, operator of the juke joint, says that Whitfield and David Simmons became involved in an argument and that he came over to them and asked Whitfield to leave, since Whitfield had been involved earlier in the evening in a similar argument with another person in the club.

Williams has said in a written statement that Whitfield replied, "OK", turned and was starting to walk to the exit. At that point Willie Simmons appeared and shot Whitfield in the back. The wounded man - although found to be shot in the heart by later examination - managed to walk about 25 to 30 feet before he fell to the floor. Then, Williams written statement continues, Willie Simmons walked over to the body of the dying man and shot into it once more. This second bullet struck the Jones Countian in the arm.

The Simmons brothers left the club and were arrested later by Captain Evans and Policeman Leslie Moore.

into another parked car belonging to John Wesley Solomon of 406 Azanis Street. A total of \$300 damage to the three cars was estimated by investigating officers and Wilson was charged with reckless driving.

N. C. Symphony in Kinston Tuesday

The North Carolina Symphony will present a free concert for approximately 1,200 school children in the Grainger High School Auditorium at two o'clock next Tuesday, May 1. The free children's concert is made possible by the adults who buy memberships in the North Carolina Symphony Society.

Tuesday night, at 8:30 the symphony will present the adult concert in Grainger High Auditorium. Soloist will be Miss Rachel Ewing, harpist. The full Symphony of about sixty-five members will take part in both performances, conducted by Dr. Benjamin Swalin.

Tickets are available for the adult concert by calling Rev. J. C. Bradshaw at 5996 or Tom Griffin at 6169, or they may be purchased at the box office just before the performance.

Frank Bell Passes Away in Richlands

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. April 25 for 75 year-old Frank Bell of Richlands who died Monday afternoon after a long illness. Burial was made in the Banks Family Cemetery near Comfort.