

# Kinston Hospitals Treat Thirty from Auto-Bus Crash

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### Over 300 Attend Open House Sunday at New Health Dept. Clinic

The Jones County Health Center held Open House Sunday afternoon and about 300 persons attended. The Jones County Home Demonstration Clubs sponsored the open house and Mrs. Earl Thomas, president of the HDC County Council and Mr. Thomas greeted guests at the door.

Mrs. Edward Oliver, secretary, then registered guests at the entrance and sent them to various rooms were Mrs. Alma Vassey, Mrs. Audrey Biggers, Public Health Nurses, Dr. L. E. Kling, Health Director, Henry Swiggert, Sanitarian and Miss Macy Mallard and Mrs. W. J. Johnson discussed each room with them.

Refreshments were then served on the outside of the building by members of the Home Demonstration Clubs.

The cost of the Clinic was \$39,155. Of this amount \$19,250 was from Federal funds, \$9,905 was from State funds and \$10,000 was paid from Jones County funds.

John J. Rowland, architect for Health Center, from Kinston was a guest Sunday along with other out of town guests.

Some of these were Dr. and Mrs. William Lee Hammond from New Bern, Ike Whitfield of Moss Hill, Chairman of the Lenoir County Board of Commissioners, Dr. Eleanor Williams, Health Director from Onslow County, Mrs. Paul Munsell, Health Nurse from Kinston, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hood, druggist from Kinston, and Dr. Ernest Bender from Pollocksville.

Carol Haddock, Health Queen, and Wilson Lowery Jr., Health King, were also present at the open house. Members of the HDC in the county made the draperies in the Health Center and also made

gowns, aprons and supplies for the clinic.

The plot of land on which the Jones County Health Center is located was given in memory of Verder Leroy Pollock by his wife and his daughter, Jean Ellen.

### Summer 4-H Program Outlined At Meeting of County Council

The Jones County Council of 4-H Clubs met last Monday in the Ag building.

The meeting was called to order by the President Wilson Lowery Jr. The pledges were led by Elaine Thomas and Rodney Johnson. Martha Koonce gave the devotional. The Council voted not to meet in July and August.

The following announcements were made by President Lowery: County-wide 4-H Vesper Service — Sunday, May 28, Trenton Park, 5:30 p. m.

County Demonstration Day — Thursday, June 1, Agricultural Building, 9 a. m.

County Dress Revue, Health Pageant, Talent Program — Wednesday, June 14 — Jones Central High School Gym, 8 p. m.

District Demonstration Day — Chocowinity — June 20.

4-H Club week — Raleigh — July 24-29.

4-H Club Camp — Swananoa — August 7-12.

Mrs. Faytie C. Gray, Home Economics Agent, announced that Mrs. W. W. Lowery Jr. Adult Leader, had received an award for the Area "Mother of the Year."

The June 4-H County Council will be held June 19 at the Trenton Park at 3:30 P. M. The program will be on Water Safety. Anyone interested in water safety is urged to attend this program.

### Pancake Supper

A pancake supper will be held Friday night, June 2, at the Fair grounds in Trenton. The adult leaders of the Jones County Organizations of 4-H Clubs are sponsoring the supper to raise money for the 4-H Club Development Fund. The Supper will be held from 5:30 until 8 and persons may eat all the pancakes they want for \$1. A square dance will be held after the supper.

### Jones County Clinic Schedule

Dr. L. B. Kling has announced the following clinic schedule for the Jones County Health Department effective April 15, 1961.

#### Tuesday and Friday — 9 to 11

1. Examination of Pre-school children (Bring immunization records.)

2. Well Baby Clinic

3. Venereal Disease Clinic

#### Tuesday and Friday 2 — to 4

1. Immunization Clinic

2. Foodhandlers Clinic

#### 3rd Monday Each Month 1 to 3

Maternity Clinic — Dr. J. J. Hannibal as Clinician — Mrs. Joanne Sugg, State Nutritionist, is also in the Health Department on this day. Other clinics offering services to residents of Jones County and in which Health Department Staff participate are:

#### Orthopedic Clinic

Health Department in New Bern — 2nd Tuesday every month — Children 8:30 to 11 — Adults 11. Everyone must register prior to 11.

#### Rheumatic Fever Clinic

Wilmington — At the Health Department — Each Tuesday 1 — Appointments must be made by your Health Department or private physician for this clinic.

Parents are urged to have their children (who are to enter school this Fall for the first time) examined either at the Health Department or by their private physician and see that their immunizations are up to date before June.

ship and for service in their departments were presented by heads of departments of instruction.

Among those recognized was Cadet Lt. Col. George T. Ipock, Jr., Trenton, air science.

The Student Government Association gave recognition for outstanding service during the 1960-1961 term to James Speight, Kinston, president.

A special award was presented to Bobbie Jo Sutton, Rt. 3, LaGrange, Rachel Spivey Memorial Award to outstanding home economics student.

Thirty-eight East Carolina seniors who, because of notable service in student activities, represented the college in the national yearbook "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" were presented to the audience by Dean of Student Affairs James H. Tucker.

#### Annual Awards Day

East Carolina College's best received recognition Thursday at the Annual Student Awards Day sponsored by the Student Government Association.

Departmental awards to students chosen for excellence in scholar-

### More Than 1,000 East Carolina Graduates Receive Degrees

East Carolina College conferred degrees Sunday, May 21, on more than 1,000 seniors and graduate students who completed their academic work during the 1960-1961 term. Exercises took place at 6 p. m. in the college stadium on the East Campus.

Governor Terry Sanford of North Carolina delivered the commencement address. President Leo W. Jenkins of East conferred degrees upon members of the Class of 1961.

Graduates with high academic records were honored this year for the first time at the college by inscriptions on their diplomas indicating their distinguished records as students. Among the fifteen members of the Class of 1961 graduated magna cum laude was Mary Rebecca Hill of Kinston.

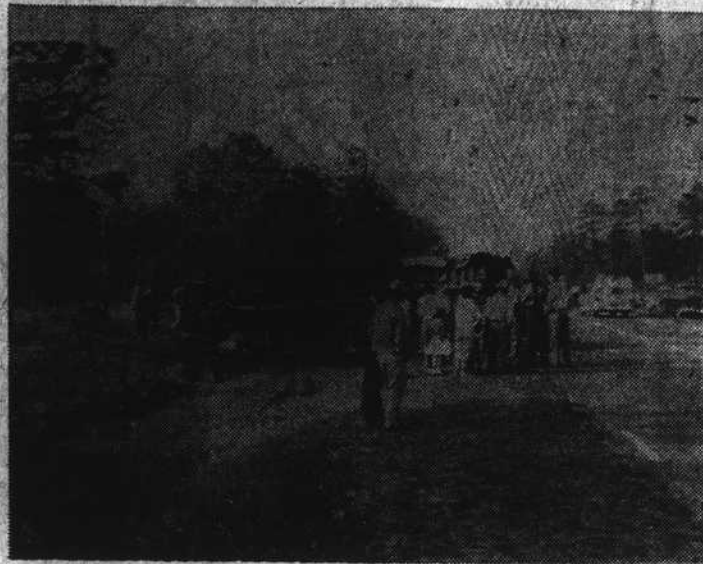
Students from Jones County receiving degrees were Willis Jackson Aman, Rt. 1, Maysville; George Thomas Ipock, Jr., Trenton.

Students from Lenoir County were:

M. A. — Catherine Ann Howard, Council Travis Jarman, Horace Greeley King, Martin Van Buren Lee, Edith Smith Mayo, Elwood

Victor Meadows, Betty Joan Turner, Victor Bernard Waller, Dennis Earl Williams, Rt. 1, Daniel Anthony Yanchisin, Kinston; A.B. — Ronald Lewis Henry, Kinston; B. S. — Bruce Callaway Blevins, Daniel Paul Bridge, Matt Lee Elmore, Vincent Gene Handy, Lionel Barrymore Harper, Rt. 4, William Blackledge Harper, Kinston; Bobby Holton Harrison, Rt. 1, LaGrange; Marilyn Besty Hill, Rt. 1, Deep Run; Mary Rebecca Hill, Rt. 6, Billy Gerald Hollowell, Velma Kay McLawhon, Joyce Faye Merritt, Rt. 2, Marjorie Jean Kennedy Moore, Anne Elizabeth Pulley, Kinston; Sallie J. Jarman Quinn, Rayburn Rhodes, Rt. 2, Julia Elizabeth Taylor, Rt. 1, Pink Hill; Linda Grey Vick, Lida Elizabeth Hoffman Webb, Rt. 2, Agnes Corinne Wooten, Rt. 3, Kinston.

### Early Wednesday Wreck At Hargett's Crossroads



This is the way the bus wound up after the wreck at 6:45 Wednesday morning. It slammed over

er on its right side, and skidded more than 100 feet down and across the highway with its 41 passengers.

Both Kinston hospitals had their emergency facilities taxed early Wednesday when 35 persons were given emergency treatment for injuries that came in a bus-car collision at Hargett Crossroad on US 258 about 20 miles south of Kinston.

Only four of the 35 were hospitalized and miraculously none of these was classified as critically injured.

Mrs. Irma Simpson Gaskill of Bayboro was driving west on Highway NC 41 and failed to stop for a stop sign at the intersection of US 258. Her car struck the rear of the bus which was headed south,

carrying 41 civilian employees to work at Camp Lejeune. James Chavis was driving the bus and Roy Rouse of La Grange is owner of the bus.

Mrs. Gaskill and Rebecca Ireland, a passenger in her car, were the most seriously injured of those hospitalized.

Ralph Chestnut of 1509 Shine Street and Charlie Rigsby also of Kinston were sitting in the area of the bus where the car struck and they have each been hospitalized.

At presstime Wednesday the highway patrol had not indicated what indictments would be made, if any in connection with the wreck.

### Special Venire Set; Land Suit Pre-emptorily Set in Jones Court

Judge Sumner Burgwyn last week agreed to continue until the civil term of Jones County Superior Court the law suit brought by Ethan Mills and his wife, Lillie Brown Mills, against Wesley Jones and Raeford Blizzard.

But Judge Burgwyn did all in his power to assure that the case would be tried at that time: He ordered it to be the first contested case tried at that October session and further ordered that a special venire of jurors be summoned from Craven County because of the nature of the case and of the widespread acquaintances some of the litigants have in Jones County.

In the suit the Mills couple allege that Jones and Blizzard attempted to take two tracts of land they own in Tuckahoe township by substitution of a deed for a mortgage.

The couple admits they owed Jones and Blizzard some money but their allegation is that they never agreed to give their land to pay off that debt, but they did agree to give a mortgage on the land to insure payment of the debt.

They further allege that in addition to the substitution of a deed for a mortgage, both tracts of the land they own were put in the deed rather than only one tract that they had agreed to mortgage. Their complaint alleges that this second tract of land was added both to the deed and to the records in the office of the Jones County Register of Deeds after the first paper had been drawn.

The Mills complaint asks for \$35,000 actual damages and for \$50,000 punitive damages from Blizzard and Jones. Meanwhile an injunction has stopped timber cutting operations on the land involved until the question of true ownership of the land is settled.

### Jones County Holding Poppy Day Saturday

The American Legion Auxiliary of Glen Newton Smith Unit 154 has announced that 1961 Poppy Day will be observed in Jones County on May 27. Poppies will be on sale in Pollocksville Maysville, Trenton and Comfort.

Auxiliary Poppy Chairman Mrs. A. J. Mallard of Pollocksville, said the annual observance is held to honor the more than 500,000 Americans who died, and the nearly 1,000,000 Americans who were wounded, in both Wars and the Korean Conflict.

"Memorial poppies, made by disabled veterans of this country's past three wars, will be worn both as a memorial to our war dead, and as a tribute to the disabled," Mrs. Mallard said. She added the red paper poppies were made by the veterans in the Fayetteville, Durham, Salisbury and Oteen Hospitals.

Although all funds received from Poppy Day go either to disabled veterans or their families, the main purpose of the observance is to honor America's dead.

### Low Bidders Negotiate Purchase of Imperial Tobacco Facilities

Last week A. C. "Bert" Martin was high bidder for the Imperial Tobacco Company plant on the southeast corner of Heritage and Peyton and E. L. Scott and Louis Rapier were high bidders for the offices of the British concern on the southeast corner of the same intersection.

The bid prices of \$41,000 and \$22,000, respectively, were rejected but negotiations between these same bidders has resulted in a private sale at an un-publicized boost in the price.