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Southport, N. C., Wednesday, May 1st, 1940

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ties for servicing boats open to

Some time ago the Town of

ties and Ewing has been working

For First Time This Year

Baptists Have Completed

Their Plans, But the Pro-

grams For Other

Churches Are Not

May 13th through May 24

annual revival services for the

four protestant churches of South-

port, who plan to hold their

meetings simultaneously for the

Services in Southport Baptist

10 o'clock each morning and at

8 o'clock each evening. Rev. J. L.

first time this year.

Finished

VACATION BIBLE

Annual Revival Services

Will Be Held Simultane-

ously At Four Protestant

SCHOOL TO START

\$1.50 PER YEAR

me Winners n \$100 Prize Essay Contest

Prize In High School vision Went To Gwen-

OND PLACE

licate Prizes Will Be rarded To Two Boys Tied In High School Competition

Krahnke of Leland County Forestry Departgrammar grade division.

we a cash prize of \$15.00. for second place resulted he high school division, and feate prizes of \$10.00 will be hallotte and Harold Aldridge support. Second place in the mar grade contest went to

o of twenty essays representfirst and second place winin each of the five consolischools of the county. The used was "Why We Should ect Our Forests From Fire". from the high standard of the est entries it was apparent considerable study and pretien had gone into the writof the papers.

ocal contests received cash of three dollars and two respectively, in addition ing these essays eligible county contest. It is ining that in two instances rs accorded second place ratthe school contests won ty prizes over the first prize for the same school. idges in the county contest Miss Annie May Woodside, Bragaw, L. T. Yaskell, Geo-R. Foulke, Jr., and James

prize winner at Souththe high school division Macellas Cox, second prize ter Harold Aldridge. In the

ate War

about 60,000 German troops wway, and 40,000 Allies.

German objective is to date their position in hiem which they already They have 3 separate motorvisions sent out from Olso effort to contact their in Trondhiem. The Allies anded their forces in ports and in their effort to en-Trondiem have suffered redue largely to Germany's or air force. Reinforced by and anti air craft guns, and tank guns for the past 48 they have been able to the Germans where they

litary experts were amazed the speed of the advancing man army. In many places swift mechanzied columns an their supporting forces, lat the Germans were forced halt their swift advance in to consolidate their gains. te Nazie Press anounced that Ribbentrop would make a th an Saturday, that would interest to the whole world. this speech he attempted to that the Allies had planthe occupation of Norway, before the German occuin and that Germany merely to save Norway from a fate. The Allies, including

Krahnke; Annie Evans Winner In rammar Grades

TIE RESULTS

and Annie Lee Evans of port was declared winner in th of these young ladies will

mers were selected from

most of the important gave them a decided ad-Then too it was easier upplies. There are supposed

Norwegians immediately hied this a lie. Most of the

countries with the excep-Italy have been comly quiet this week, Mushas somehow managed to Italy in her precarius posithe fence. For he has his pro Nazi press ast his refusal to let Germarines operate in Mediwaters, so carefully, world is still guessing which side of the fence will eventually land.

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKERS



REV. R. S. HARRISON



THAD EURE

Thad Eure Will Address Southport Senior Class

Secretary Of State Will Deliver Commencement Ad-Friday Night In Local High School Audi-

CLASS DAY PROGRAM TOMORROW NIGHT

Inspiring Baccalaureate Sermon Was Delivered Sunday Morning By Rev. R. S. Harrison

Graduation exercises at South port high school will be held Fri-day night with Thad Eure, secretary of state, delivering the annual address before the senior

The last round of programs begins Thursday morning with the seventh grade graduation exercises at 10 o'clock. That evening at 8 o'clock the senior class day exercises will be staged in the form of a one-act play. Friday evening program will bring the commencement exercises to a

Trinity Methodist church, delivered the baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning in the high school auditorium, using as his theme "The Challenge of the Great Pioneer". Both the sermon and special music made a profound special music made a profound Be Concluded With Com-Pioneer". Both the sermon and impression upon the united congregation of the community.

In speaking of the youth of today, the Rev. Mr. Harrison appraised the boys and girls through the eyes of E. Stanly Jones, who, fre has been very little sen- fessed that he was delighted with mal war news this week. In the youth of the nation. "The way there has been skirmish- only) thing they lack", he said, ior class play. "The Birth Of of \$50.00. License was revoked in the Bolivia school auditorium. for position. Germany has "is a cause." Encouraged over Brunswick" will be presented. for 90 days. Walter Ald the apparent dissatisfaction of This is a pageant with music, will be presented. (Continued on page 4)

em to bring reinforcements Music Recital

Shallotte Music Teacher In Recital On Friday test Friday at 1 o'clock.

The piano pupils of Miss Virand also south of Trond- ginia Fritts will be presented in a recital on Friday evening, May at eight o'clock, at Shallotte high school. The public is invited

The program is as follows: Love Brown, Minaree Brown; Little Green Frog, Miles, Joy Russ; Minuet in G, Beethoven, Vernie Hewett; The Gondolier, Strickland, Bobbie Clare Bennett; (Continued On Page 4)

Senator Simmons Dies In New Bern

NEW BERN, April 30-Furnifold McLendel Simmons, who served North Carolina in the U. S. Senate from 1900 to1930. died this afternoon at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Wade Meadows, here after becoming critically ill Sunday. He was 86 years old.

He had been living in retirement since 1930, when he was defeated by Josiah W. Bailey, the state's present senior senator.

Simmons, small of statute but energetic and determined, dominated the democratic picture in this state for 40 years, and his leadership seemed destined to continue unimpaired until he approached his 75th birthday.

Rev. R. S. Harrison pastor of Plans Complete

mencement Address Next

Lenoir-Rhyne College, will deliver ing a wide variety of charges the commencement address Thurs- were disposed of. when he returned to this country day night, May 6, before memafter several year's absence, con- bers of the graduating class at to charges of drunken driving. Shallotte high school.

were there first and oc youth with conditions as they are, pantomine and dance, and is guilty to charges of operating a several vocal numbers. likely to be one of the outstand- motor vehicle with improper liing features of the entire com-

mencement program. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered at 8 o'clock Sunday white, pleaded guilty to charges evening by Rev. L. R. Ennis, of being drunk on the highway. Friday Night evening by Rev. L. R. En Baptist minister of Durham. Other features of the com-

mencement program will be the Will Present Her Pupils the reading and declamation con- Joe Brown, colored, was

Beer Committee Backing

Responsible Citizens

RALEIGH, April March of the Wee Folk, Gaynor, Brewers and North Carolina Beer facturing intoxicating liquor. Doris Gore, Marian Anderson; Distributors Committee has re-Ciribiribin, Pestalozzi, Evelyn Bel- quested city and county officials lamy; Andante from "Surprise of Brunswick county to scrutinize Symphony". Hayden, Annie Lau-carefully "all applications for rerie Swain, Sigmund Swain; Gypsy tail beer licenses to the and that Love Song, "Will You Remem- the industry may be purged of (Continued on page 4)

Roe Spots Show Up On Coast judgment being suspended upon Chant Du Berger", Colas, Eliz-This Spring For First Time

John Roland Beck, deputy sheriff for Shallotte township stated Monday that fishermen all along the Brunswick coast were making great catches of spots, a very unusual occurance for this season of the year. Spots usually run in the fall and Mr. Beck states that this is the first time they have ever been known to be numerous in

the "pring. another unusual fact is that the spots are roes. No roes have ever previously been found among the few spots that have been taken in the spring. Runs of spots in the fall usually take

place at the same time with the runs of fall mullets and, as is the case with the mullets, many of the schools of spots in the fall are made up of roe fish.

Calabash, Gause Landing, Shallotte Point, Holden's Beach, Howell's Point have all been seeing good catches of the spots during the past three weeks, Right many of the fish at Topsail Inlet. Four days later ter on their wheels registered 34 are also being taken around Southport. However, the re-ports indicate that the fish taken at the down coast points are much larger than those found here at Southport. per day.

Leland Seniors Hear Address By Dr. Bedinger

Came To A Close Tuesday Evening With This Address As Principal Feature

CLASS NIGHT WAS HELD ON MONDAY

Rev. R. L. Jordan, Of Leland Baptist Church, Delivered Baccalaureate Sermon Sunday

commencement address was delivered last night before members of the graduating class at Leland by Dr. H. G. Bedinger, president of Flora MacDonald

The salutatory address was delivered by Mary Beck Allen, and the valedictory address was shared by Mary Wells Rouark and Gertrude Mills, who tied for top scholastic honors in their class. Dr. Bedinger was introduced by Principal T. R. Garrett.

following seniors: Barbara Fay Adams, Mary Beck Allen, Aleen Benton, Eva McGee, Gertrude Mills, Odessa Mintz, Viola Mintz, Minnie Ruth Potter, Mary Wells Lawrence Williams.

presented on Monday evening. It He will engage in general prac-The class day exercises were Miss Senior Class And Mr. Life surgery. Of Service". All members of the senior class were included in the cast. The baccalaureate sermon 8 o'clock in the school auditorium Johnson by Rev. R. L. Jordan, pastor of Smithfield. Leland Baptist church

Members of the junior class were: Phillip Dresser, chief, Emma Lee Williams, Ethel Douglas, Adarene Skipper, Elizabeth King, Lillie Williams and Flora Biggs.

Numerous Cases Before Recorder

For Shallotte Judge Walter M. Stanaland Had A Busy Day In Recorder's Court Here On Music Recital Monday; Cases Cover Many Offenses

Monday was a busy day for Judge Walter M. Stanaland in Brunswick county Recorder's Dr. P. E. Monroe, president of Court, and numerous cases cover-

Judgment was suspended upon On Wednesday evening the sen- payment of the costs and a fine on Friday, May 3rd, at 8 p. m.

Walter Aldridge, white, pleaded censel Judgment was suspended upon payment of costs.

W. G. Burns and N. A. Burns, They were given 30 days on the roads, sentences being suspended upon payment of a fine of \$15.00

Joe Brown, colored, was found guilty of public drunkenness and was given 90 days on the roads. Judgment was suspended upon payment of the costs and a fine

enness. Judgment was suspended upon payment of the costs and Laurice months.

Tert Adams, colored, was found guilty of possession and manu-Given 12 months on the roads, judgment was suspended upon payment of the costs and a fine

Raymond Redding, colored, was

Isaac Williams, colored, was (Continued on page 4)

Pickle Jar Makes Quick Trip Here

Thursday, April 18th, Stacy of paper, enclosed it in a pickle Orton, on their bicycles Sunday. jar and threw the jar overboard On the trip down the speedome-Maxie Cooker picked the jar up miles from their home. at Southport.

It had traveled southward, along the route. Both claimed through waterway and river at they enjoyed the trip and got about twelve and a half miles plenty of exercise. Their elapsed

Announcement About Yacht Basin Expected Any Day

Commencement Exercises U. S. Army Engineers Have Given Approval To All Technical Aspects Attending Will Be Staged in Recrea This Development And Other Plans Are Pending

The deeds to the rights of way depth.

An announcement of great in- a yacht basin at Southport, ac- ern limits of the Town of Southterest in connection with the cording to Lieut. Col. George W. port and is to be connected with Southport basin may be released engineer.

Gillette, Wilmington district army the intracoastal waterway by a suitable channel of the same within a few days by Allen C. Ewing, who has been representing were furnished by the Town of In addition to furnishing rights the City of Southport in negotia- Southport and the Southport Har- of way the city has agreed to tions designed to raise necessary bor company and accepted as provide suitable bulkheads, boatfunds for providing the bulkhead satisfactory by the chief of the slips, walkways, and other facilirequired by the U. S. army en- U. S. army engineers corps. gineers before the project is be-

the rivers and harbors act of able terms to all.

The chief of the U. S. army June 20. 1938, and provided for Some time ago engineers corps has approved the the dredging of a yacht basin, Southport passed resolutions action of the Town of Southport 230 feet wide, 450 feet long, and agreeing to provide these faciliand other local interests in furn- 12 feet deep.

ishing the rights of way and spoil disposal areas for dredging ed in a marsh area near the west-obligation. Dr. Brown Will

Practice Here

Diplomas were awarded to the Young Physician Moves Here From Clinton And Will Practice Medicine And Surgery

Dr. Landis G. Brown of Clin-Rourk, Annie Mae Williams and ton will move here this week and will open an office in Southport. was entitled "The Wedding Of tice, including both medicine and

Prior to his residence in Clinton, Dr. Brown served for two was delivered Sunday evening at years as assistant surgeon at the county hospital in

He received his degree at the University of North Carolina in who served as marshals during 1931 and while there he was commencement programs assistant instructor in histrology and embryology and assistant trainer of the athletic associa-

western university in 1934 and completed 18 months of internship at Grasslands hospital in New York. He resided in Grasslands for one year for a residency in surgery, spending the next year at Jamaica hospital in New

Plan Announced

Mrs. George Cannon Will Present Her Students In Recital Friday Evening Final Week Of Of This Week

Mrs. George Cannon will present her piano pupils in recital Miss Clara Shepard and the high school glee club will assist with

The public is invited to attend. PROGRAM

Evelyn Dawn Hickman; "A Bunch Lewis; "Parade", Presser, Frances L. C. Fergus is now in its final of Daisies", Martin, Virginia "Joyous week. and Rhetta M. Lesh; Farmer", Schumann, Kathleen Some contributions have been Caison; "Grandfather's Clock", made although few Southport peo-Schiller, Dorothy Freeman; "Even- by the committee. ing Star", Wagner, Mary Emma Rabon; "America", Presser, Vir- campaign which has been endorsginia and Elizabeth Lewis; "An ed by the President as a worth-Elbert Simmons, white, pleaded of Cokley, glee club; "In Rose help materially with the work clean up electrical wiring, purguilty to charges of public drunk- Time", Armour, Frances Lesh; which this group is doing. "Morning Prayer", Streabbog, School", Presser, Duck Potter Thompson, James Carr, R. I. for better living should be re-The program is as follows:

Military March, Bucher, Ruby
Minarce Brown; Litary Beer Licenses Only To

Wants County And City a fine of \$10.00. The fine was and Mary E. Rabon; "Woodland Mintz, James Harper, in South-ported to her. Authorities To Grant remitted, but the defendant must remain of good behavior for 12 "Falling Waters", Truax, Rebecca Bolivia.

School", Presser, Duck Potter Thompson, James Carr, In South-ported to her. Pines", Rungee, Rhetta M. Lesh; port and Mrs. George Cannon in The purpose (Continued). Tharpe; "Anvil Chorus", Verdi, glee club; "Rosenfee", Mary Lou Earp; "Dreaming", Agnero, Marjorie Hickman; Trio "Minuet in G," Beethoven, Carolyn, Rebecca, Wetona Tharpe; 'Maybell's Ringing", Stewart, Mary Lillian Potter; "Humorfound guilty of charges of aid-eske", Dvorak, Carolyn Tharpe; ing and abetting in the manufac- "Hoping On", Dvorak, glee club; ture of intoxicating liquor. He "La Priere Dune Vierge", Badwas given 6 months on the roads, arzewska, Wetona Tharpe; "Le Light Brown Hair", Foster, Miss Clara Streeter Shepard; Prelude found guilty on charges of pos- in C No. Sharp Minor, Rachmaninoff, Juanita Cannon.

Bicyclists Here On Tour Sunday

John Wilmot and John Stan-Willis, of Morehead City wrote ley, young Wilmington men, tourhis name and address on a slip ed to Southport and back, via

They explored various places time was four and one half hours.

Making Plans For Revival Meetings At All Churches

The project was authorized by the public on equal and reason-

Reports Interest In Yacht Racing

The Siseta, beautiful yacht of Mrs. John J. White of Atlantic City, N. J., was here Sunday night in command of Captain Joel Van Sant, designer of the Moth type racing boats. Captain Van Sant was very much interested in local plans for yacht accommodations. He stated that several new boats of the type of the Syndicate of Beaufort, S. C., had been built this year and that a number of the sportsmen members of the South Atlantic Yachting Association were saying they wanted to come to Southport to race this

Among the several other palatial craft here at the same time with the Siseta was the Saunterer of Sussex, Conn. E. T. Bischoff, her owner, was very much interested in the harbor and proposed boating facilities here.
Literature is being put

aboard all yachts, and all possible courtesies are being shown. Several yacht owners have remarked on the streets that Southport is the friendtown they had countered on their travels.

Cancer Program

Representatives Of Committee Will Solicit Funds For Cancer Control This

"The Garden Waltz", Hopkins, Woman's Field army for the control of cancer, headed by Mrs.

Some contributions have been

This is a part of the national

The county campaign of the Mrs. Marion S. Dosher Asks

Mrs. Marion S. Dosher, county show will be enlarged. chairman of the Better Homes Work, glee club; "Whippoorwill", ple have been approached as yet campaign, announces that the final week, known nationally as Better Homes Week, is here.

Airplane Ride", Ritcher, Bobbie while cause and it is hoped that as her report must go off on the directed by Mrs. Prince O'Brien. Robbins; "In the Time of Spring", Brunswick county will be able to 10th. Any painting, building, Any exhibitions of drawings or Mrs. Fergus' assistants are farm equipment, or any improve-Hickman; "Close of Mesdames William Styron, Robert ment in Brunswick which makes

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These Bill Boys Give Each Other A Lot Of Publicity

For the past two or three years Bill Sharpe and Bill Baker of the Department of Conservation and Development at Raleigh have been outstand-ing in publicity work for the state, Sharpe as publicity director and Baker as the ace cameraman.

Bill. Bill Keziah of the Chamber of Commerce. Bill, Bill and Bill have always worked together pretty well, barring a few instances when the local Bill got cantankerous.

Department of Conservation and Development. Bill Keziah is still here, and nothing could move him. Bill Sharpe is now in Winston-Salem, where he DAY, one of the most unusual

weekly papers in the state. local Bill, carrier pigeons and

Methodist church still are incomplete, but beginning May 20 and running through May 26 Rev. S. E. Mercer of Franklinton will assist Rev. R. H. Harrison. Only evening services are planned.

May 13 also has been set as the opening date for the annual Daily Vacation Bible school which will run for two weeks. Sessions will be held in the high school each day from 9 to 12 o'clock,

Asks Reports On Campaign

That Final Report On Better Homes Week Co-

reports be sent in to her at once ark. An art department will be

Southport has also had a

Bill Baker is still with the owns and publishes THURS-

Recently an Associated press dispatch went out about the fishing. Rod and gun editors eyerywhere picked it up. Bill Sharpe, down at Winston-Salem, also picked it up. His THURSDAY came out with the following story: "The sea gulls loafing over

Frying Pan Shoals are due to get a lesson in fast flying soon-if the plans of Bill Keziah don't gang aglay. For Bill has arranged for some of the early Gulf Stream fishermen to report to him by carrier pigeon. Rivalry between some of the

fishing towns along the North Carolina coast is intense and nobody fights harder for Southport's place in the angling sun than Bill. This year Hatteras and Oregon Inlet got the jump on him with huge early runs of channel bass but Bill is going to report the first catch of big game fish off the North Carolina coast or wear out a flock of pigeons trying."

Flower Show To Be Held Friday Of Next Week

tion Wing Of Masonic Building As In Years Past; Dance To Be Held In Community Building

CLASSIFICATIONS ARE PRESENTED AGAIN

Attempt Will Be Made To Make This Biggest And Best Event Of Its Kind Ever Held In Southport

The annual flower show sponsored by the Southport Woman's Club, will be held Friday, May 10. The show and the tea will be held as formerly in the east wing of the army and navy building. The dance will be held in the community center build-

All entries must be in by 12 o'clock noon. Judging will take place before the doors are opened to the public at 2:30 o'clock.

For the convenience of those who wish to enter flowers the classifications as announced several weeks ago are repeated. First and second prizes will be given in each class, with first and second ribbons going to in-dividual entries. The prizes will be awarded for the greatest number of ribbon points in each class A sweepstakes prize will be given for the greatest number of

ribbon points in the entire show. Class A will consist of speciman flowers to be judged on perfection of bloom. This class is not limited as any flower is eligible for a ribbon, which will count has been set as the dates or toward the prizes for that class. Containers for specimen flowers

will be provided at the show. Class B is artistic arrangement. One division will be miniature exhibits, another porch arrangements, a third division of this class will be table church will be held twice daily, at arrangements. For this division exhibitors are asked to provide their own card table, centerpiece Hodges of New Bern will do the and service for one. Besides trays will also have a place in this

Plans for the first week of the series of meetings at Trinity Class C is for wild flowers collections. Prizes will be given for the largest collection of fresh (not pressed) wild flowers which

must be labeled. Class D Will contain potted plants. As in class A. ribbons will be given for individual plants as this class is not limited. These ribbons will count as points to-

ward the prize for this class. Class E will be for collections of vegetables, either fresh, candren between the ages of 4 and ned, or dried. They must be

grown by the exhibitor.

Class F will be miniature gar Class G will be school exhibits. Information in regard to this class will be given in next week's

paper. Class H is provided for shadow boxes. These have not been en-tered before and as the boxes themselves will be limited, appli-cation must be made early for operation Be Made To this class. Only six will be allowed to enter. Next year it is hoped that this feature of the

There will also be a section of the flower show devoted to special exhibits. There will be a division of relics and curios under Mrs. Dosher requests that all the direction of Mrs, Cronly Rupaintings are welcomed and may be turned over to Mrs. O'Brien any time prior to 12 o'clock on the day of the show.

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Tide Table Following is the tide table for Southport during the next week. These hours are appreximately correct and were furnished The State Port Pilot through the courtesy of the

Cape Fear Pilot's Association. TIDE TABLE

Thursday, May 2

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