

Brunswick Man May View Test

Chief Ralph F. Frink Has Long And Envious Service Record, For Cluding Hitch in Marine Corps...

Brunswick county has at least one man serving on one of the ships that is shortly to be blown up in the atomic tests. He is Chief Ralph F. Frink, of Shallotte. While the ship he is now on is not named it is believed to be now on its way to the Hawaiian Islands to be decommissioned and used in the test.

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News From Doshier Memorial Hospital

Mrs. S. C. Young, of Bolivia, entered on Monday as a surgical patient.
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Atkinson of Winnabow announce the birth of a son on Tuesday.
Billie Tripp, of Shallotte, entered as a surgical patient on Tuesday.
Baby Jean Sellers, of Winnabow, entered on Tuesday as a medical patient.
G. B. Thompson, of Supply, spent from Wednesday until Monday as a medical patient.
Mrs. W. E. Barefoot, of Supply, entered as a medical patient on Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hewett of Ash, announce the birth of a son on Saturday.
James Edward Creech, of Southport, entered on Thursday as a surgical patient.
Baby Andrew S. King, of Leland, entered as a medical patient on Thursday.
Mrs. Ellen Robinson, of Supply, spent from Thursday until Monday as a surgical patient.
Mrs. Bell Williams, of Ash, spent as a medical patient from Friday until Saturday.
Mrs. Elnita Coleman, of Ash, entered on Friday as a surgical patient.
Mrs. Elwood Clemmons, of Bolivia, entered as a medical patient on Friday.
Master Edwin Dozier, Jr., of Southport, spent from Friday until Saturday as a medical patient.
Baby Jimmy Wescott, of Southport, entered as a medical patient on Saturday.
Mrs. Annie Gray, of Shallotte, entered on Saturday as a surgical patient.
Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, of Winnabow, entered as a medical patient on Saturday.
J. R. Doshier, of Southport, entered on Sunday as a medical patient after the war was over.

Steady Growth In Valuation

Tax Books For Brunswick County Have Reflected Steady Increase In Property Valuation For Past Five Years

With nothing spectacular or boomish happening, the records of Tax Collector W. P. Jorgensen show a steady and gratifying increase in taxable property in Brunswick county during the past five years.
To illustrate, according to the tax listing the total taxable property in Brunswick county in 1941 was \$8,699,928. In 1942 these figures had grown to \$8,749,175. In 1943 a total of \$9,030,436 worth of property was listed and in 1944 the listing jumped to \$9,400,861. Last year, 1945, the listed property value ran to \$9,847,010.00.
This is an increase of \$1,147,082, in taxable property in the county during the five years.
This early figures for 1946 are, of course, not yet available. But, many people who are in the know about such things have been heard to predict that 1946 and 1947 will show a greater increase in taxable property than any of the past five years.
The encouraging thing about it is the fact that the county is slowly but surely paying up its bonded indebtedness.
Mrs. E. R. Danford, of Winnabow, entered as a medical patient on Sunday.
Roger Woodard, of Louisvills, Miss., entered on Sunday as a medical patient.
Mrs. Laura Lambro of Shallotte entered as a medical patient on Monday.

NCEA MEETING HELD AT LAKE THURSDAY P. M.
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fodils and narcissis interspersed with spirea and snowdrops and

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flanked by crystal candelabra holding lighted tapers. Placed throughout the length of the tables were miniature decorative bowls of English ivy and lighted candles in crystal holders. Yellow and white mixed spring flowers and the N.C.E.A. program in silver set the decorative motif carried out in the smaller details of place cards, napkins, and programs.
Before guests were seated they were asked to join in the first stanza of the National Anthem and in the Pledge of Allegiance. Dr. T. T. Hamilton of the New Hanover High School offered grace.
During the three-course dinner Mrs. Baldwin presented special guests, officers of the district, presidents of the local units, and committee chairmen. Superintendents, in turn, presented the members of their local delegations.
Entertainment of the evening included two vocal solos by Mrs. Lloyd Collier and two violin numbers by Mr. R. A. Hodges, both musicians accompanied by Mrs. Robert O. High at the piano.

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Young Democrats Club
REORGANIZATION MEETING
FRIDAY NIGHT, MARCH 15th
BOLIVIA HIGH SCHOOL
This meeting will be called to order at 7:30 O'clock, Clifton L. Moore, District Solicitor, will be the principal speaker. This is a preliminary step in getting Brunswick County's Young Citizens interested in their responsibilities for Good Government.
MRS. S. B. FRINK
District Vice-Chairman Young Democrats Club