

MANY SIGHTSEERS

Monday brought what is said to have been the largest number of sightseers ever to visit the Southport shrimp buying houses in a single day. Not all were sightseers. Many went to buy shrimp to use as bait for fishing. Horace Pigott, who works with his brother, Dallas Pigott,

said that he sold one-pound lots of shrimp for bait to more than 50 people.

BACK AT BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mallard and daughters, Barbara Jean and Carolyn, have returned to their summer cottage at Holden Beach. They were called to Raleigh last week due to the death of Mr. Mallard's father, J. W. Mallard.

AT HOLDEN BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Self and children, Raleigh, are spending this week at Holden Beach. Mr. Self is with the State Highway Commission, in charge of prison industries.

LIGHTNING STRUCK HOME

During the severe rain and electrical storm that visited a large part of the county Thursday, lightning struck the home occupied by V. L. Ward at Holden Beach. A good sized hole was knocked in the roof. Mr. Ward had just left the house 15 minutes previously.

TOBACCO BARN BURNS

A tobacco barn full of tobacco, understood to be owned by John Lancaster, on the Supply-Holden Beach road was destroyed by fire Friday.

ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Boyd of Charlotte are on their vacation this week and are spending part of the time with Mrs. Boyd's sister, Mrs. Wilbur Haskin, in Carteret county.

AT HOLDEN BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. DeLoach and sons, Larry and Billy, of Tuscaloosa, Alabama, are spending the week at Holden Beach.

POISON IVY HOW TO KILL IT.

IN ONE HOUR. If not COMPLETELY PLEASED you 35c back. Kill the outer skin. IT PEELS OFF and with it goes the ivy infection. Ask any druggist for TE-OL. Often one application is enough. Today at LEGGETT'S, Southport, N. C.

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Also, "Noisy Neighbors", (Com.)

Monday, Tuesday, July 12-13—

"UNUSPECTED"

JOAN CAULFIELD and CLAUDE RAINS

Also, "Musical Memories"

Wednesday, July 14—

"THE WICKED LADY"

JAMES MASON and PATRICIA ROG

Also, Chapter 10—"Dangers Of Canadian Mounted"

COMING

"OUT OF THE PAST"

Robt. Mitchum - Jane Greer

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ing two weeks at Holden Beach. With them are Mrs. A. C. Chance and children, Oliver and Cherial, of Fayetteville.

GOLDSBORO VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Modlyn and Mr. and Mrs. E. Griff Porter, of Goldsboro, have been guests of Mrs. Carie Edgerton at the Edgerton Cottage at Caswell Beach this week.

WITH THE POWELLS

Judge and Mrs. Frank Daniels and family, of Goldsboro, have been spending the week with the R. W. Powell family at Caswell Beach. Judge Daniels is one of the Goldsboro owners of Caswell Beach.

AT BUTLER COTTAGE

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Boyd, of Warrenton, are at the Butler cottage at Long Beach for two weeks. Miss Betsy Rose Jones, of Henderson, is visiting them.

Phelps Reunion Planned Sunday

The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Austin Phelps of Waccamaw township will have a reunion on Sunday, July 11, at 11 o'clock. It is planned to have the entire gathering attend services in a body at Soldier Bay Baptist church. After this they will go to the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Phelps for a basket dinner. For those who can do so, everyone is expected to bring a basket.

Among the several from outside Brunswick expected to attend are Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Phelps of Highland View, Fla.

PERSONALS

Sgt. Ennie Weeks, of the U. S. Marine Corps, Washington, D. C., has been spending the holidays here with relatives. Miss Ann McRackan is spending a week at Holden Beach with her aunt, Mrs. Neil Clark, of Monroe.

Phillip McKeithan of New York is engaged in repairing the old McKeithan home here and it will be used by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canady, of Wilmington, as a summer home. Mr. and Mrs. Canady, Mrs. E. W. Thompson and son, W. C. Thompson, were down for the day Monday.

Billy Bragaw of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill spent the week end here with his family.

BEER PETITION

(Continued From Page One) to an apparent error in listing. The commissioners passed a resolution voiding a deed made by Brunswick county to Mrs. Gladys F. McKoy for the R. E. Gore lands. It appeared that an error had appeared in the description, and it was ordered that Mrs. McKoy be refunded her purchase price of \$100.00.

Rovin' Reporter

(Continued from page One) and summer he has been toiling in

the sun at Long Beach, building houses and selling them. In July he will go to the tobacco market, a big booster for Long Beach and seasoned against the heat he encounters.

We still think and will go on thinking—meaning that we are unalterably convinced that the hundreds of beach lot owners at the various resorts in Brunswick county can do nothing wiser than to erect homes as soon as possible. Take Long Beach, for example. If as few as 10 percent of the people who own vacant lots there were to build homes, it would mean around 75 new residences.

This applies pretty much the same to Caswell Beach, Holden Beach and various other beaches that form the beautiful Brunswick county coastal playground. The need as possible of the Brunswick beach property owners to build homes, if they want to profit by what they own and hope to see their beach grow.

Quincy Scarborough, Fayetteville lad who is spending the summer at Long Beach, is a great collector of birds. Catching them while young he trains them and keeps them as pets. In addition to a great number of other birds, Quincy and two other Fayetteville boys have two red tail hawks, one red shoulder hawk, two great horned owls, one cooper hawk and two crows. Some of these birds are in process of being trained to hunt. At present the boys are very anxious to get some young cooper hawks and crows. Any Brunswick folks who know of a still active cooper hawk or crow nest, that means with the young still in it, will be doing the boys a big favor if they will write Quincy at Southport advising where such nests can be found. He will pay for the trouble.

N. W. Blake of the Wanet Farms, on Route 1, Leland, has 75 acres in hybrid corn, from which he expects to get an average of 75 bushels to the acre. He stated this week that this corn was looking mighty nice and that with good weather for the

rest of the maturing season it would live up to expectations. Mr. Blake kind of lost out on cucumbers this year. He planned 40 acres and produced a good crop. Unfortunately his crop hit the market at the time of a slump in prices. The Wanet Farms are right on the Cape Fear river in Northwest township.

We felt pleased when Mrs. Lou H. Smith came around last week and told us that when she goes back at her old home in Sumter, S. C., she is going to look forward to reading this column every week. To her it will be a letter from home.

Saying that he knew we were on our feet a lot, our good friend, Coy C. McCuiston, hosiery manufacturer of Burlington, brought us six pairs of socks from his own factory Monday. Mr. McCuiston owns a home at Caswell Beach and his family spends the summers there, while he comes down for week ends. His socks are even more appreciated than the watermelons that others of our friends forgot to bring us.

Several of our friends among the State Highway Patrolmen say that too many car and truck owners are overlooking the matter of taking their machines to the Inspection Lane when it fills its dates in this county. The result may be that a lot of owners may find themselves in a last minute rush that will cause them to get left. The next scheduled dates for the lane to be in Brunswick county is August 11-12 at Shallotte and August 14-16 at Southport.

While lunching with E. D. Bishop, manager of the Brunswick Electric Membership Corporation Saturday, we were advised that owing to trouble that the engineers had experienced in getting up the final plans on many angles of the huge extension project, it will take several weeks longer than was originally expected to complete the project. This does not mean that any of the plans of the extension in the way of new transmission or distribution

lines have been changed. All such plans will be carried out, the delays simply mean that on some of the scheduled lines the patrons will have to wait a few weeks longer to get their current.

DEMAND GROWS

(Continued from page one) beach residences where they can send their families to spend the summer and where they can personally take a vacation for one or two weeks. But they cannot afford to leave their work and spend weeks supervising the building of houses.

This week a prominent up-state doctor who owns beach property in Brunswick county said to a newsmen: "Get us a reliable builder who can buy material at wholesale and thereby lessen some of the present costs; a man who will deliver turn-key jobs without a lot of extras to double the estimated cost and we will build homes at a rate that will surprise you."

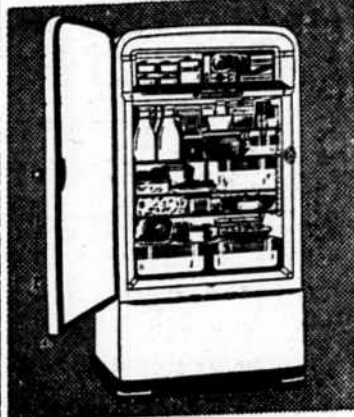
Owners of two different beach developments have spoken about the same need within the past week.

INTERESTS TURN

(Continued from page one) this week, R. W. Jr., invited the newsmen to go for a sail. Knowing in advance that a pretty strong and fresh wind was blowing from the northeast and being allergic to swimming with all of his clothes on, the newsmen hurriedly made use of the same excuse he invented ten days ago

Southport harbor, which is the biggest expanse of water on the North Carolina coast, will have a goodly number of sailboats out each day. Leonard Davis, local boy, also fostering aquaplaning, has been giving any number of candidates the opportunity to test their skill, or else take the dip in the river.

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