Shallotte Wins History Bowl—Again

its second consecutive county History Bowl win Saturday at the Fort Fisher Town State Historic Site.

The team of four eighth-graders won two games to take the county championship, then came within 10 points of claiming the regional title.

Trask Junior High of New Hanover

Trask Junior Figh of New Hanover County won the overall champion-abip with a score of 620 to 610.

"It was equally matched," said Jim Bartley, assistant site manager at Brunswick Town, and moderator of Saturday's bowl. "They went into avertime. It was a matter of who got overtime. It was a matter of who got the last question."

When the five-minute overtime had ended, Trask's team took home to their school a \$100 cash prize, a rotating trophy and a permanent plaque, while Shallotte Middle received ed with the results, according to sponsor Pauline Hewett. "They're really pleased and excited. They've worked really hard," she said. Team members included Perry Culpepper, captain; Michelle Johnson, Chris Byrd, Andy, Clempers, and Chris Byrd, Andy Clemmons and Chris

The New Hanover County team will represent the Brunswick Town and Fort Fisher historic sites in the state History Bowl finals this spring.

The competition is sponsored by the Historic Sites Section, Division of Archives and History, N.C. Department of Cultural Resources.

Brunswick County schools com-

peted with each other for the county title, with the winner facing the top New Hanover County team for the

To gain the regional match, played

Richardson, Scott Neeley and Jeff

This team will be trying to recap-

ture the rotating trophy that spent its first year at North Brunswick and

has since been shared by West and

"It's about time we got it back up

here," said North's sponsor, scho librarian Carol Callahan.

South Brunswick schools

the afternoon, Shallotte won its inin the atternoon, shallotte won as in-itial county game against Leland Middle School 1,090 to 70, then defeated Waccamaw Elementary School 730 to 370 to become the county champion. In the opening round Waccamaw had defeated South Brunswick Middle School with a score of 700 to 560.

In the contest, the teams take turns answering questions for points in four 10-minute quarters. Questions are based on material in the students' eighth-grade North Carolina history text. The textbook is used as the basis for a 30-page study guide presented. guide prepared by historic site

employees.
Guides are distributed one month in advance so eighth-grade students can study for the bowl competition, said Jim Bartley, assistant site manager at Brunswick Town. Previously the study guides were sed on a variety of sources, not just based on a variety of sources, not just the textbook. Bartley prefers the cur-rent system. "At least they can be studying what they should be study-ing in school," he said. For the county and regional mat-

ches students are expected to be familiar only with North Carolina history through the Civil War. "It works out pretty well. It's basically where the kids are at the end of the first semester," he continued.

But at the state bowl, he said,

students will answer questions that span the state's 400-year history.

This is Brunswick County's fourth year of competition in History Bowl.

SHALLOTTE MIDDLE SCHOOL claimed the county History Bowl title for the second consecutive year Saturday. Shown above with team sponsor Pr

Heweit (second from right) are members Chris Byrd, Andy Clemmons, Michelle Johnson, Perry Culpepper

Representing Leland Middle School were Tammy Williams, Gwynette Hooper and Tracie Dagucan, coach-ed by Owen Jones. South Brunswick's team consisted of Kyle Monday, Joseph Southern, Greg Williams, Locke Karriker and An-

thony Justice. They were coached by Geraldine Swain, Sandra Robinson and Ann Medlin.

Representing county runner-up Waccamaw Elementary School were Julie Babson, Bret Bolton, Chris Russ, Roland Ward and Daniel

Whaley, coached by Mary Katherine Griffith

New Hanover County schools competing in addition to Trask were Wilmington Christian Academy, Noble Junior High and Williston Junior

High School Quiz Bowl Teams Compete Saturday

Teams from Brunswick County's three high schools are gearing up for the county's seventh Quiz Bowl competition, to be held Saturday, Feb. 7, at 1 p.m. in the Brunswick County Government Center Public Assembly Building near Bolivia.

The academic competition is sponsored locally by the Brunswick Coun-ty Public Library in cooperation with the high schools, indicated Felecia Hardy, youth services librarian.

Quiz Bowl was initiated in 1980 by the North Carolina State Library, with Brunswick County one of the original participating library

The often lively competition is open to the public at no charge.

Brunswick County's winning team will advance to district play-offs, to be held at the Clinton Public Library on March 7. From there, the winner advances to the state finals in Raleigh in April.

In double-elimination competition, four-member teams will answer questions on a broad range of subjects, from current events to math, science, literature and entertain-ment. Each game consists of three rounds of increasingly difficult questions and increasing point values. In the last round of each game, team members may consult before answering questions worth 30 points

Attempting to retain the title for a second consecutive year for South Brunswick High School will be Arris Golden, Jeff Rea, Lenny Smith and Raymond Engerleth. Alternates are Andreas Kahn and Victor Lee, Mabel Callaway, librarian, is the team's

From West, competitors are Tanya Butler, Nicole Johnson, Kelly Bayley and Kristi Lewis, with alternates Kristen Boyles and Joel Johnso onsors are Bertha Bell and Judy Harris, guidance counselors.

From North Brunswick High School, team members are Jimmy Wright, captain, and Jonathan Ballard, James Goddard and Evoria



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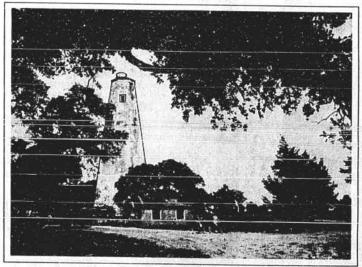
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