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Education Bible School Off To Good Beginning

Session Held Monday
at The Southport School
Building With An Attend-
ance Of 131

COMMENCEMENT TO BE NEXT FRIDAY

Boys and Girls Enthusias-
tically Over Their Work And
Teachers In Charge
Expect To Accom-
plish Much During
Two Week's
Term

The Daily Vacation Bible
school was off to a good start
Monday with an opening day at-
tendance of 131. All departmental
principals and their assist-
ants were also present.

The enthusiasm of the students
during the opening day was very en-
gaging, according to Rev. T. Biles,
principal. Some of the boys and
girls were at the school for an
hour before time for the opening
session.

The Bible school will continue
throughout this week and next
with commencement exercises,
which will show the type of work
that has been taught during the
school. At that time certificates
will be awarded for faithful
attendance and work.

Plans are also being made for
putting next week for the boys
and girls who attend the Bible
school.

Miss Mary Lee Norment is in
charge of the beginners depart-
ment and is being assisted by
Misses Constance Bartels, Thel-
ma Johnson and Kathleen Ful-
bright.

Whatley is in
charge of the primary depart-
ment and is being assisted by
Misses Evelyn Loughlin and Lela
Hoard and Mrs. Alexander.

W. H. Hood is in charge
of the Junior department. Her
assistants are Misses Anna Tay-
lor and Aleasa Autry.

The intermediate department is
in charge of Miss Rebecca Alex-
ander who has as her assistants
Misses Elizabeth Taylor and Mrs.
W. S. George.

Through the courtesy of mem-
bers of the local school board the
school is being conducted in the
Southport high school building.
Lights and water are being
furnished by the town.

Begins Laying By Tobacco This Week

Sam Joe Frink, progressive
farmer of the Grissetown sec-
tion of this county, is laying by
tobacco crop this week. The
plants have attained a good
growth and are now above waist
height. It has not been topped.

Elects Chairman Of School Board

W. Ruark was elected chair-
man of the local school board at
an organization meeting of that
body held Monday night. At the
same time C. S. Ward was elec-
ted secretary of the board. Cap-
tain J. B. Church is the third
member.

Election of teachers for the
next school year was deferred
until Saturday night of this
week.

CHILDREN SHOULD BE VACCINATED

Mothers in this county are
urged by Mrs. Lou H. Smith,
county nurse, to have their
children between the ages of
6 months and 6 years immu-
nized against diphtheria. The
vaccination may be secured
from the family doctor or
from the county health office.
Mrs. Smith says that the
last case of diphtheria report-
ed in this county was in April
and she urges the co-opera-
tion of all parents in trying
to stamp out this dreadful
children's disease. One in-
oculation provides permanent
immunity, according to
Mrs. Smith.

Health Contest Results In Tie

Miss Marie Cooper, Long-
wood, and Miss Pauline
Ward, Regan, Winners
In Annual 4-H Health
Contest

Two girls from the Waccamaw
school, Miss Marie Cooper, of
the Longwood 4-H Club and Miss
Pauline Ward, of the Regan 4-H
Club, tied in the annual contest
held here Thursday to determine
the 4-H Health Queen for the
county.

Two other young ladies, Miss
Isabelle Lewis, of the Mill Creek
Club and Miss Mabel Edwards,
of the Exum club, were close behind
the winners in total points.

The examinations were made
by Dr. Arthur Doshier, who de-
clared the contestants this year
to be the best group of physical
specimens ever examined by him
in one of the county health con-
tests. Dr. Doshier has been in
charge of these examinations for
several years.

Death Comes To R. E. Sentelle, Jr.

Son Of Representative And
Mrs. R. E. Sentelle Died
Saturday Night Following
Extended Illness; Funeral
Monday Afternoon

Richard Ennis Sentelle, Jr.,
died Saturday night at the home
of his parents, Representative and
Mrs. R. E. Sentelle, Sr., in South-
port following an illness of sev-
eral months' duration.

The deceased was 31 years of
age and was the eldest son of
Representative and Mrs. Sentelle.
He was stricken with influenza
last February and a cancerous
growth set in immediately follow-
ing that illness. The cancer ef-
fected his lung and kidney and
quickly sapped his reserve ener-
gy. During the latter stages of
his illness Mr. Sentelle was at
the home of his parents here, ex-
cept for the time he spent in
hospitals at Duke University and
at Hamlet.

Mr. Sentelle was educated at
Mars Hill, Wake Forest and at
the Harvard Law School. He pas-
sed the State Bar Examination
in 1929 and for the past five
years had been practicing law in
Canton. He was considered one
of the most promising young
lawyers in Haywood county.

The deceased was unmarried.
In addition to his parents he is
survived by one brother, G. H.
Sentelle, Canton; Mrs. Helen
MacMillan, Southport, and Mrs.
H. G. Smith, Chattanooga, Tenn.
The latter was unable to attend
the funeral of her brother.

The funeral services were held
at the Bethel Baptist church in
Haywood county Monday after-
noon at 4:00 o'clock, the Rev.
Mr. Joyner, pastor of the de-
ceased, conducting the final
rites. Interment was made in the
church cemetery. A large crowd
gathered to pay their final tri-
bute of respect and the floral
offerings were of unusual beauty.

Painfully Injured In Auto Accident

Fred Dutton, of Ash, was a
patient in the Brunswick County
hospital recently and received
treatment for cuts and bruises
sustained two weeks ago when
his automobile ran into a ditch.
He was not seriously hurt and
was dismissed from the hospital
last week.

Dr. Arthur Doshier Responsible For Brunswick County Hospital

Has Been Performing Ma-
jor Surgical Operations
On Patients In This
County For Many Years;
Has An Envious Reputa-
tion

DR. WILLIAM DOSHER IS ABLE ASSISTANT

Dr. Arthur Doshier Is Head
Of Surgical Staff And
Dr. W. R. Goley Is
Head Of The Medi-
cal Staff Of Local
Institution



Dr. William Doshier (left) and
Dr. Arthur Doshier (right), above,
look after the medical needs
of citizens in this section of
Brunswick County.

Surgical operations performed
by Dr. Arthur Doshier in the
homes of his patients long before
the Brunswick County hospital
was erected probably had a great
deal to do with the decision to
establish that institution in
Southport.

For more than thirty years Dr.
Doshier has been practicing medi-
cine in Brunswick county and
during all this time he has work-
ed in close co-operation with his
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Sees Prospects For Good Crops In County

County Agent J. E. Dodson Says That Corn Crop In
This County Is Unusually Good; Tobacco Crop Is
Ragged In Places

County Agent J. E. Dodson said Monday that the
corn prospects for Brunswick County are the best they
have been in years but tobacco in several sections has
been retarded by continued cold spells and drought.

Mr. Dodson said that one of
the reasons that the tobacco crop
was ragged in some sections was
a scarcity of plants. Some farm-
ers had to wait until their
neighbors had finished setting out
their crop before they could se-
cure plants, he said, and tobacco
of several different varieties may
be found in the same patch on
some farms.

Showers which have fallen
during the past few days have
done much to help crops of all
kinds and farmers over the coun-
ty are hard at work with their
cultivation.

BIRTHS IN COUNTY EXCEED DEATHS

During the first quarter of
this year there were 110 births
in the county as compared with
41 deaths, according to
figures compiled by Mrs. Lou
H. Smith, county nurse. This
record includes both white and
colored statistics.

During the month of Janu-
ary there were 13 white births
and 15 colored; there were 7
white deaths and 5 colored.
For the month of February
there were 22 white births
and 20 colored; there were 6
white deaths and 8 colored.
During March there were 26
white births and 14 colored;
there were 12 white deaths
and 3 colored.

F. D. I. SIGNS

Little brass signs are now dis-
played at the windows of the
Peoples United Bank of South-
port informing prospective de-
positors that their money is insured
up to \$5,000. Business at the
bank has been good since restric-
tions were removed three weeks
ago.

Brunswick Ladies To Be Hostesses

Home Demonstration Club
Women Of This County
To Be Hostesses At The
Annual District Meeting
Of Organization

Brunswick County women will
be hostesses at the annual meet-
ing of the District Federation of
Home Demonstration Clubs at
Carolina Beach on June 19. The
(Continued on Page Eight.)

Brunswick County Citizens Sign Petition For Walker's Freedom

D. A. Walker and Chaney
Walker, two close relatives
of Jesse C. Walker, Brun-
swick County's most famous
outlaw, were in Southport
Monday afternoon circulating
a petition asking executive
clemency for this man who
recently returned to North
Carolina to complete his 30-
year sentence in the state
penitentiary in Raleigh after
being free for 16 years.

Several of the county offi-
cials signed the petition, in-
cluding Sheriff J. A. Russ,
County Attorney J. W. Ru-
ark and M. B. Watkins, as-
sistant clerk of court. The
paper also bore the signature
of Sheriff John Hall of Col-
umbus County.

The two men who were
working in behalf of their
imprisoned relative spent the
morning in the Shallotte
neighborhood and secured the
signature of scores of citi-
zens who live in the same
community where Sheriff
Jack Stanley was killed by
Walker 25 years ago while
attempting to arrest him on
some minor charge.

Included among the list of
signers was Tom Clemmons,
first cousin of the murdered
sheriff. Ex-Sheriff J. E. Rob-
inson, who was with Sheriff
Jack Stanley at the time he
was killed, refused to sign
the petition. He told the men
that he had forgiven Walker
for the attempt he made to
kill him after shooting Sher-
iff Stanley but declared that
he would have no part in set-
ting him free. He assured
Walker's relatives that he
would do nothing to block
their efforts to get him out
of prison and asked them to
tell Walker to come to see
him when he gets out, if he
does. Three brothers of ex-
sheriff Robinson were among
the signers.

Another man who refused
to sign the petition was R.
W. Davis, who was associa-
ted with Judge E. H. Cran-
mer and Solicitor Homer
Lyon in the prosecution of
the Walker case. Mr. Davis
stated that he did not know
what the sentiment of the
Stanley family was concern-
ing the attempt to liberate
the man who murdered their
relative and he declared that
he would sign the petition
only at their request.

Forester Talks About Problems Of His Service

H. N. Wheeler, Chief Lec-
turer Of U. S. Forestry
Service, Was Speaker At
Southport School Audi-
torium Friday Evening

CCC MEN ATTENDED MEETING EN MASSE

Few Local Citizens Present
But Those Who Attended
Were Greatly Impres-
sed By The Lecture,
Which Was Illus-
trated With
Slides.

H. N. Wheeler, chief lecturer
of the U. S. forestry service, was
speaker at the Southport high
school auditorium Friday night
at which time he gave an illus-
trated lecture showing the rapid
destruction that is being suffered
by the forests of this country.

Mr. Wheeler's talk began with
a clear-cut exposition of the rapid
depletion of the virgin forests
of the United States since the
white settlers first arrived in the
country. He then went into the
full meaning of forestry—culti-
vation, harvesting and protection.
He showed the value of forests in
wood products, as a check against
soil erosion and in checking
floods and droughts.

The speaker was introduced by
L. T. Yaskell, local postmaster.
Raymond Talpot, of the forestry
service, H. J. Pakek, state forest
inspector and Lieutenant Morris
E. Milliner, educational supervi-
sor of district "A", accompanied
Mr. Wheeler to Southport. While
here the party paid a visit to
Bald Head Island. The men were
more impressed with the beau-
tiful live oaks in Southport than
they were with the tropical
growth on the island.

Three Cases In Recorder's Court

Another Light Session For
Judge Peter Rourke And
Other Officials; Suspend-
ed Sentence Of Dave
Bell Must Be Served

Another light session of Re-
corder's Court was held here last
Wednesday before Judge Peter
Rourke.

Ed Gause, colored, was found
guilty of non-support and was
given 60 days on the roads, this
sentence was suspended upon
condition that the defendant
pay the costs of his case and
provide for the support of
his wife and children. It was
further ordered that he must re-
main of good behavior and re-
frain from the use of intoxicat-
ing liquor.

Elbert White, white, pleaded
guilty to a charge of assault and
judgment in his case was sus-
pended upon payment of the
costs.

Dave Bell, colored, was tried
during March, 1934, in Recorder's
Court on a charge of bastardy
and was given 6 months on the
roads. This sentence was sus-
pended upon certain provisions
of the presiding judge. It was
shown to the satisfaction of the
court Wednesday that Bell failed
to comply with the provisions of
this judgment and he was or-
dered to begin serving his road
sentence.

Four Girl Scouts Help At Hospital

Four members of the Girl
Scout troop spent last Saturday
at the Brunswick County hospital
making bandages.

The following scouts rated
highest in a good deed contest
held a few weeks ago and as a
result were given this privilege:
Misses Mary Catherine Northrop,
Anna Taylor, Susie Sellers and
Frances Bellamy.

Members of the troop will be
notified as to the place and time
of their next meeting.

New Officer At Local CCC Camp

Lieutenant Ralph A. Glenn, of
Concord, has been stationed at
CCC camp 427, Southport, re-
placing Lieutenant M. I. Francis,
who has been transferred to Oha-
tsee, Ala.

Heads Hospital Medical Staff



DR. W. R. GOLEY

Dr. W. R. Goley, of Shallotte,
has practiced medicine in Brun-
swick County for more than 30
years. He graduated in 1902 from
Virginia Medical College in Rich-
mond and began practicing medi-
cine at Supply. He later moved
to Shallotte and has been located
there since 1904. He has done a
tremendous practice over a wide
territory and his patients, espe-
cially in the upper end of the
county, swear by him as the best
country doctor in North Carolina.

Baptist Revival Now In Progress

A successful revival meeting
is being conducted at the South-
port Baptist church with Dr.
Marcus Kester, pastor of the
First Baptist church of Wil-
mington, assisting the pastor, the
Rev. T. H. Biles, with the preach-
ing.

Dr. Kester has brought strong,
soul-stirring messages and the
attendance at the meeting has
increased with each service. A
fine spirit of congregational sing-
ing has added much to the ef-
fectiveness of the services.

The Rev. Mr. Biles filled the
pulpit of the First Baptist
church Sunday evening while Dr.
Kester preached at the local
church.

The first of the morning ser-
vices was conducted yesterday
and there will be two meetings
each day during the remainder
of this week. The evening ser-
vices are at 8:00 o'clock.

Sudden Stroke Fatal To Negro

John Frink, Southport
Negro, Died Tuesday
Morning Following At-
tack Suffered While Dig-
ging For Clams Across
The River

John Frink, Southport negro,
died Tuesday morning shortly
following an attack which came
upon him while he, together with
Fred Moore and Collie Frink,
were digging clams in Buzzard's
Bay, about seven miles from
(Continued on Page Eight.)

Southport Boy Is President Of Class

Frank M. Niernsee, Jr., has
been elected president of the
sophomore class at High Point
college for next year. He is the
son of Mrs. Eleanor Niernsee of
this place and is a graduate of
Southport high school.

Young Niernsee has made a
splendid record during his first
year in college. He recently won
the tennis singles championship
of the school and was a member
of the winning doubles team. He
was a member of the varsity
basketball team during the past
season.

His extra-curricular activities
have not caused this boy to fall
down in his school work and he
has maintained a high average
for the year.

Several Major Operations At Local Hospital

Seven Operations For The
Removal Of Appendix
Performed At Brunswick
County Hospital During
Past Two Weeks.

DOCTORS PERFORM ONE AMPUTATION

Five Tonsilectomies Also
Add To The List Of Op-
erations As Doctors
And Nurses Continue
To Have Busy
Time

Seven operations for the re-
moval of the appendix, five ton-
silectomies and one amputation
have helped keep doctors and
nurses at the Brunswick County
hospital busy during the past
two weeks.

Mrs. P. G. Carlisle, of Ashe,
was taken to the hospital last
Monday and on the following
day surgeons amputated her right
leg below the knee, removing the
right foot that was infected with
gangrene.

Patients who underwent op-
erations for appendicitis were: H.
B. Lewis, Miss Zora Robertson
and Miss Mae Mooney, all of
Supply; John Neill Long, Leon
Burns Grey, and Curtis Hewett,
Shallotte, and Mrs. D. E. Mitch-
ell, Leland.

Those who had their tonsils re-
moved were: Master LeRoy
Burns, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs.
LeRoy Burns, Sr., and Mrs. Geo-
rge Walton, Southport; C. L.
Meares, Shallotte; Mrs. Q. M.
Potter, Winnabow; and Otto
Charles McDowell, son of Mr.
and Mrs. T. P. McDowell, of
Bolivia.

Scarlet Fever Cases In Town

Three Residents Of South-
port Suffering From This
Malady At Present; Con-
tinuous Cases Since Last
August

Mrs. Lou H. Smith, Brunswick
County nurse, reports that there
are three active cases of scarlet
fever in Southport at the pre-
sent time and that there have
been from one to three cases re-
ported in town each month
since last August.

Mrs. Smith says that she is
unable to explain the reason for
the continuous appearances of
this disease. Every possible pre-
caution has been taken to have
each case carefully isolated and
a representative of the State
Board of Health has visited
Southport recently in an effort to
determine the best method of
control.

So far, all cases have been
light and no serious results have
been reported. Scarlet fever is
recognized by members of the
medical profession as a danger-
ous disease. Infections of the
middle ear, heart and kidney are
the most serious complications.

Mrs. Smith is asking that
mothers co-operate with her in
an effort to control the future
spread of this malady. She asks
that mothers examine their chil-
dren closely and that they call a
physician at the first sign of
scarlet fever.

The onset is usually sudden,
beginning with a sore throat,
vomiting, fever, which is follow-
ed in two or three days by a
generalized pin-point rash. The
rash usually appears about the
neck and spreads downward.
The incubation period is from
two to seven days and the dis-
ease may occur in any season.
However, the greatest number of
cases usually appear in colder
weather. Children are the most
susceptible, about 75 per cent of
all cases occur in children under
10 years of age.

Mrs. A. W. Moore's Mother Is Dead

Mrs. B. L. Orr, mother of Mrs.
A. W. Moore, of Southport, died
Sunday at her home in Currie.
The funeral was conducted at
Currie Monday afternoon.

Those from Southport who at-
tended the funeral were: Mr. and
Mrs. A. W. Moore, Mrs. Inez
Alexander, Miss Rebecca Alexan-
der and J. L. Moore.

Tide Table

Following is the tide table for
Southport during the next week.
These hours are approximately
correct and were furnished The
State Port Pilot through the
courtesy of the Cape Fear Pilot's
Association.

Morning	Evening
H L	H L
May 29—	
4:54—11:05	5:25—11:51
May 30—	
5:48—11:56	6:14—Midnight
May 31—	
6:40—12:42	7:02—12:45
June 1—	
7:28—1:31	7:49—1:31
June 2—	
8:16—2:18	8:33—2:18
June 3—	
9:01—3:04	9:17—3:04
June 4—	
9:46—3:49	10:00—3:49