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Those ambitious fellows who've been trying to reach Mars might just as well be trying to reach another star: Garbo.

And then, there are those folks who don't have to roll in a glue vat to feel all stuck-up.

It's pretty lucky King Edward only lost his head over a woman. Many a king lost his over a chopping block.

Many restaurants have posted "No Tipping" signs on the walls, evidently with a view of attracting the Scotch trade.

Go without dinner dishes and plates if you will, but you must have license plates, so we've learned.

Many motorists have found that it takes three things to make an automobile run—gasoline, oil and license tags.

Congratulations

We extend our congratulations to city officials upon the fine appearance of their new quarters, which they occupied for the first time last week. Located on the first floor of the new community center building, the new office is beautiful from the outside as well as from within.

The next time you have business with the city, go yourself to see just what an improvement the new quarters are over the old.

Progressive Note

During the past two weeks there has been a period of unusual building activity in Southport. In addition to two new residences that are under construction, roofing and repair jobs have been in progress in several sections.

We are glad to see the leaders make a start, and we hope their example will be followed by some of their neighbors. Homes in which their owners take a pride are the greatest asset to any community.

Beautiful Weather

Not once during the past 10 days has the temperature dropped below the 48 degree mark, and the weather has been almost as ideal as the advertisements that made California and Florida famous.

We fear that it is tempting the wrath of mother nature to write a statement like this. Rather would we woo her further blessings and plead for Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week to be as beautiful as were those same days last week.

School Showers

Through the efforts of the Southport Civic Club arrangements have been made for a double-header basketball program here Friday night, the proceeds to be used for the construction of shower rooms in the basement of the Masonic building.

The girls' team from Bladenboro, winners last year of the Wilmington Star-News tournament, will come here to play Bolivia, the runner-up team, in what promises to be one of the best girls games of the season. The second half of the double bill will be a contest between the Camp Sapona team and the Southport all-stars. Added to their natural rivalry is the fact that both these teams have been playing good ball this season.

Basketball fans have a real treat in store for them, and everyone interested in the health and sanitation of boys and girls playing on basketball teams of the county should plan to attend this benefit game.

Ideal Location

If the parties who last week made inquiries regarding the location of a pulp mill in Brunswick county really are looking for a suitable location, it is very doubtful that they will be able to find a better place.

There are dozens of sites in this county easily accessible by water, rail and truck. More than that, Brunswick county is the third largest in timber area in North Carolina, is joined on the west by Columbus county—the second largest timber area county. Bladen county, the state's largest county in point of timber area, and Pender county, which rates fourth, all are nearby.

You can't beat this set-up so far as transportation and available raw material are concerned.

Welcome Visitors

We are proud, indeed, that Southport is to be the first North Carolina port ever to be visited by a U. S. submarine, and we extend a very cordial welcome to officers and members of the crew of the PERCH. May your stay in Southport be pleasant.

And to the hundreds of visitors who will visit the boat while she lies at the government dock here we also extend a welcome. The presence of the newest and finest of Uncle Sam's submarines is a special attraction here, but there are dozens of other permanent features that make our town attractive.

For instance, there is Fort Johnson, which stands barely a hundred yards from the dock where the submarine is anchored, the first colonial fort in North Carolina. Read the inscription on the tablet on the garrison grounds, and if you want to go inside the building, the left wing, which is the Southport Public Library, is open for visitors.

Looking out across the harbor, and in the foreground, is Battery Island, famous bird sanctuary, a sure place of interest for the nature lover. Beyond lies Bald Head Island, the only spot in North Carolina where tropical vegetation flourishes. A half-hour boat-ride will carry you to this place, which is a thousand miles removed from its logical geographical location.

And to your right, across the harbor, you see the buildings of Fort Caswell. For several years, now, these buildings have stood deserted. Recently the owners began efforts to repair and repaint the dwellings over there in order to get them ready for vacationists next summer. If you want to see a truly amazing scene, visit Fort Caswell. You will begin planning now to spend your next summer's vacation there.

Up the river toward Wilmington you can see the buildings of the U. S. Quarantine Station. This is the Ellis Island of North Carolina, for last week there were thirty-one members of a grounded steamer quartered there. The station is an object of constant interest to visitors.

Beautiful Franklin Square is not the least interesting spot in Southport. Hundreds of native shrubs are growing beside walks that wind their way beneath the Live Oaks. Legend has it that if you drink water from the well in the square, you'll never be willing to leave Southport.

You all know about the work of the Civilian Conservation Corps, but if you have never visited a model CCC camp, accept the open invitation to visit Camp Sapona. You will be impressed with the apparent success of efforts to make men out of unemployed boys.

But why go on. We want you all to see for yourself just why Southport people take such a pride in the charm of their town.

The System

Sunshine Magazine. A commercial traveler, visiting a large business office, jokingly boasted to the manager that he could pick out all the married men among the employees. He was challenged.

He stationed himself at the door as the employes returned from the noon luncheon hour and designated those whom he believed to be married. In almost every instance he proved to be right.

"How do you know?" asked the manager in amazement, after the experiment. The answer was simple. "The married men wipe their shoes on the mat; the single men don't."

The National Income

Chattanooga News. The nation's income this year may total \$62,000,000,000, according to the Department of Commerce. This will be highest since 1929. The 1931 income was \$61,700,000,000. In the depression the national income slumped to \$36,000,000,000. The proper income should be around \$90,000,000,000.

On the basis of a \$62,000,000,000 income, however, the per capita income would be \$1,400, compared with \$1,097 in 1933. So we are really having "Recovery."

Shalotte School News

(CORNELIA HOLDEN) Working

Since the Christmas vacation is over, the pupils are all back to school, hard at work. You can especially recognize the seniors by the sweat on their brow.

For Library

The people of Shalotte are being asked to donate money for library supplies in order that the PWA work may continue in the high school library. There is a library fee required from each high school student and this is used to buy new books. The upkeep on the old books is very great because our library is so small. So far the library fees have had to be used for repair materials and not for new books. The people of the community therefore are going to donate funds in order that the school may have the proper equipment and supplies.

Shalotte-Bolivia

The second county basketball game of the series in which Shalotte has taken part was played at Southport January 7. The game was between Shalotte and Bolivia. The fact that the score was 16-16 at the end of the game shows that it was very exciting. An extra five minutes was played in order to break the tie. The final score was Bolivia 21, Shalotte 19.

The Shalotte boys and Bolivia boys also played. Their game turned out differently. The score was 40 to 11, in favor of Bolivia.

Travelers

Edwin Clemmons and Clifton Clemmons, of Supply, spent the Christmas holidays in Florida.

Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Wilson announce the engagement of their daughter, Edna, to Bailey Russ, of Shalotte. The wedding will take place in the near future. Miss Wilson is the mathematics teacher here.

Wedding

Mr. J. J. Hawes, of Supply, and Miss Ethlyn Green, of Zebulon, were united in marriage December 29. Miss Greene is a member of the Supply school faculty.

Visitors

Miss Hatridge Sellers spent the Christmas holidays with Miss Susie Clemmons, both of Supply.

In Florida

Marion Gatlin, the science instructor, spent the Christmas holidays in Florida.

Librarian

Miss Flaxie Stanland, the librarian, is giving efficient service in her work here, which is greatly appreciated by the faculty and students. We all hope her work will continue throughout the school term.

Rents Books

Miss Wilson, who has charge of the book room, has rented 352 books, which have been used this term.

Grissettown

Grissettown, Jan. 12—Mrs. Mary Ann Milliken celebrated her 70th birthday the 3rd. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Milliken and Lt. Milliken and her grand children, Misses Earl, Mary, and Ruby were her guests. Miss Loue Mitchell High was also there. Drew Long is very successful as law officer. He generally gets who he goes after. Roma Gene Long, Mr. and Mrs. Ella M. Long's little daughter, has been ill.

Waccamaw School News

By Edna Mintz REORGANIZATION

The Sappho Literary Society met January 5, and reorganized. The following officers were elected: President Ivan Bennett, Vice-president Roscoe Robbins, secretary Nell Walton, Censor Annie J. McKeithan, Critic Irvin Milligan, Chaplain Evan Hughes.

SENIOR PLAY

The seniors are very busy working on their play, entitled, "Here Comes Charlie". The play is being sponsored by G. M. Lecka. It is scheduled to be given at an early date.

VISITOR

Miss Lois Brady, a graduate of this school, and a student at Campbell College, Buies Creek, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Brady.

BASKETBALL

The Leland basketball team was scheduled to play Waccamaw Wednesday night, but due to bad weather they did not come. Since the independent team of Waccamaw was present, they played Waccamaw school boys. The school team won with a score of 40-10.

RINGS ARRIVE

The Seniors were all smiles when they came back to school, after the Christmas holidays to find that their rings had arrived.

NEW STUDENT

We have two new students in high school, Harold Braisher, from Oklahoma, and Juanita Adams, from Kentucky.

Baby Chicks Need A Vigorous Start

Only Way To Have Good Result With Baby Chicks Is To Start With Healthy Chicks And To Keep Them Growing

North Carolina poultrymen are facing one of the most important times of the year with the arrival of the baby chick season.

Extension poultry specialists at State College estimate that 20,000,000 baby chicks will be started this year. This is approximately six chicks for every individual in North Carolina.

Taking care of this tremendous horde of new birds places a responsible burden on the shoulders of the State's poultrymen. Feeding, management, and housing problems must be met with a store of scientific knowledge if the chicks are to prove profitable to the farmer. Slipshod methods mean losses and inferior birds. Improper feeding is responsible for huge losses each year, declares H. C. Gauger, poultry specialist at State College. But, he says, these losses can be cut greatly if the farmer will become acquainted with scientific feed formula.

In a radio talk on the Carolina Farm Features program Friday, January 15, he will take up recent findings in poultry nutritional research and explain how these late developments can be of great help to the poultryman.

The schedule in full for the week of January 11-16 follows: Monday, W. L. Clevenger, "How Good American Cheese Can Be Made on the Farm"; Tuesday, Otto Veerhoff, "Methods of Pro-

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pagating Woody Plants"; Wednesday, Robin M. Williams, "Training Tomorrow's Farmers"; Thursday, Mrs. Cornelia C. Morris, "Meat Canning"; Friday, H. C. Gauger, "Recent Findings in Poultry Nutrition Research"; and Saturday, "Forestry Department"

Mr. Lansain Philips and Dolan Philips were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. J. M. Hewett. Dulith Victory, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John High, fainted yesterday when she was pushed by another child. Though he grows Burley tobacco, C. A. Henderson of Madison county, does not allow any of his lands to remain in winter. Fred and Fletcher Shore, 4-H club members of the Yadkin Club in Yadkin county purchased two registered Guernsey heifers as a club project.

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ENJOYS CAMELS THE WHOLE DAY THROUGH

WORLD'S CHAMPION SPEED SKATER, Kit Klein, says: "I like to enjoy Camels the whole day through. I rely on Camels for digestion's sake - enjoy them while I'm eating and afterwards."



TED HUSING, ace sports announcer, says: "Mine's a hectic life - but my digestion keeps running smoothly. I enjoy Camels with my meals and after. Camels are mild - better for steady smoking."

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