

# Society

## BENEFIT BRIDGE

Members of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Phillips Episcopal church entertained at a benefit bridge party Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. W. Thompson.

Mrs. J. E. Carr compiled high score for the ladies while the high score for the men was R. L. Ewald. Other prize winners were Mesdames H. W. Hood, R. Preston Bryant, A. E. Hunt, Mrs. W. S. Wells; Misses Margaret Parkhill and Margaret H. T. St. George, Miss H. M. Shannon.

## PINOCHLE CLUB

Members of the Pinochle Club enjoyed their outstanding party of the season Monday afternoon

at the home of Mrs. W. C. Reece.

The house was attractively decorated in the spirit of the Yuletide. In the dining room, where guests were served following the games, a tiny Christmas tree was the centerpiece, and mellow light from tall, white tapers cast dancing shadows about the room.

Those playing were Mrs. J. G. Christian, who won high score prize, Mesdames J. W. Jelks, J. E. Carr, D. M. Davis, J. W. Thompson, W. S. Doshier, H. T. St. George and Miss Marion St. George.

## MISS HOOD HOSTESS

Miss Nancy Hood was hostess Monday at a delightful bridge party at the home of her parents. The room where games were played was tastefully decorated with Christmas greenery and novelties.

High score prize for the evening was compiled by Mrs. William Jorgensen and consolation was cut by Mrs. Fred Willing. Others playing were Mesdames L. C. Fergus, W. R. McGlamery, A. D. Harrelson, R. B. Thompson and Miss Elizabeth Watson. Green ice cream garnished with

red cherries carried out the Christmas color scheme in the refreshments served at the conclusion of the games.

## BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. J. D. Sutton was hostess Friday afternoon to her bridge club. The Christmas motif was carried out in decorations and favors.

Mrs. J. E. Carr compiled high score while the consolation prize went to Miss Winnie Willis. Others playing were Mesdames J. G. Christian, H. T. St. George, D. M. Davis, M. A. Northrop, P. O. Leggett and W. S. Wells.

At the conclusion of the games tuna fish salad, crackers and coffee were served.

## CIRCLE NUMBER THREE

Circle No. 3 of Trinity Methodist church met last week with Mrs. Charles Wells and an interesting Christmas program was rendered, followed by exchange of gifts. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. The January meeting will be with Mrs. E. M. Hall at the Methodist parsonage.

## W. M. U. DAY OF PRAYER

On Wednesday, December 14 the W. M. U. of Town Creek Baptist Church observed the day of prayer for foreign missions at the church. As each woman told of the conditions and needs of a given field she was asked to offer a prayer for that special field. This continued throughout the day until all fields where Baptists have missionaries were learned of and prayed about.

Lunch was served at the noon hour by each lady having brought a small basket. Four of the brethren attended half the day, Ebert Lenair, John Mills, William Huffam and Bennie Mills. They were welcome by the following: Mrs. Tom Johnson, pastor's wife, Mrs. R. L. Rabon, Mrs. E. R. Huffam, Miss Estelle Mills, Mrs. J. H. Mills, Mrs. Mautsby Mills, Miss Margaret Mills, Mrs. Bessie Wolfe, Mrs. George Rabon, Mrs. Louise Bollinger, Mrs. Lula Sharpe, Mrs. Eloise Roach, Miss Omage Johnson, Little Elizabeth Johnson, Mrs. Bennie Mills, Mrs. Ebert Lenair, Mrs. Bigford. Quite a liberal offering was made for the Lottie Moon Christmas fund for the field studied.

Mrs. James Wolfe and daughter of Tampa, Fla., are spending this week with Mrs. Eva Wolfe.

# Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Corsi of New Jersey are spending the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Mrs. J. H. Hilton of Charleston is spending the holidays here with the family of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Molycheck.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith spent the past week-end in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Loughlin, Jr., and Mrs. S. L. Brinkman spent last week-end in Washington, D. C., with Captain S. L. Brinkman, who is a patient in the government hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Messick of Morgan City, La., are visiting relatives here during the Christmas holidays.

Miss Marion Watson and John Garrett, members of the faculty of Ashboro high school, are spending the Christmas holidays here with their respective parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Piner have returned to Bald Head Island after spending a month's vacation in Southport.

Mrs. E. M. Hall returned Monday evening from Raleigh where she attended the presentation of Bach's "Christmas Oratorio" by the St. Cecilia club.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thompson and daughter, Jean Evelyn, left this morning for Pearson, Ga., to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Thompson's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Holmes are spending the Christmas vacation in LaCrosse, Wis., with their son and daughter-in-law.

Miss Ester Prevatt, member of the nursing staff at Brunswick County Hospital, left Wednesday to spend Christmas with her parents at Lumberton.

Mrs. Raymond J. Kiddoo of Charlotte arrived Friday to spend the Christmas holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ed Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Arrington and two children, Mrs. E. H. Cramer and son, Morris, arrived last week from the Panama Canal

# NEWS BRIEFS

**APPENDIX REMOVED**  
Mrs. David Ross of Freeland was operated upon Sunday at the Brunswick County Hospital for the removal of her appendix.

**INFECTION**  
Mrs. D. E. DeVane of Winnabow is in the Brunswick County Hospital for treatment for a leg infection.

**PATIENT**  
Green Lewis of Bolivia is a patient at the Brunswick County Hospital.

**OBSERVATION**  
May Clemmons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ermon Clemmons of Supply, is under observation at the Brunswick County Hospital.

**APPENDECTOMY**  
L. F. Early, member of the faculty at Shallotte school, was operated on Saturday at Brunswick County Hospital for the removal of his appendix.

**NEW ROOF**  
A new roof has recently been erected on the Ft. Johnston garrison building by Lightkeeper F. M. Molycheck.

**CHRISTMAS PROGRAM**  
Parents and patrons are invited to the Christmas program to be presented tomorrow morning at 10:15 o'clock in the Southport high school auditorium.

**BADLY BURNED**  
Nettie Hewett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hewett of Supply is a patient in Brunswick County Hospital where she is being treated for second-degree burns.

**OPERATION**  
W. L. Styron of Southport underwent an operation for the removal of his appendix Thursday night at the Brunswick County Hospital.

**IN HOSPITAL**  
Miss Thelma Johnson, daughter of R. O. Johnson, underwent an operation in James Walker Hospital, Wilmington, Thursday for the removal of her appendix.

**CHURCH APPOINTMENTS**  
Rev. C. N. Phillips will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at Shallotte Village; at 3 o'clock that afternoon at Union Methodist church and at 7 o'clock at Shallotte camp.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
"The Manger", will be the topic of a special Christmas message delivered by Rev. J. R. Potts Sunday evening at the Southport Presbyterian church. The pageant originally scheduled for Thursday, December 22, will be presented next Tuesday night at the church.

**CORRECTION**  
Last week when reporting the salaries approved by members of the board of commissioners for county employees for the coming year it was stated that Jailor J. H. Russ was to receive \$75.00 per month. This should have been 20c.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cannon left Monday for Charleston, S. C., to bring home their daughter, Miss Mary Dick Cannon, student at Charleston College.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Tobiasen have returned from Wilmington where they spent the past month with their son, Toralph Tobiasen. The three of them plan to spend the Christmas holidays in Evansville, Ind., with the parents of Mrs. Toralph Tobiasen, who has been visiting there for about a month.

G. W. Bunker spent the weekend in Southport but left Monday for Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Moore and son, Paul Merritt, of Morgan City, La., have arrived here to spend the Christmas holidays.

J. H. Shannon, assistant county auditor. Jailor Russ is on a straight fee basis for services rendered the county.



Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Little of Freeland announce the birth of a daughter at the Brunswick County Hospital Friday.

## Shallotte News

SHALLOTTE, Dec. 21—Byron Goley of Maryville College, Tenn., is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Goley.

Lloyd Early of the Shallotte school faculty was admitted to the Brunswick County hospital Friday afternoon where he underwent an appendectomy.

**LADIES AID SOCIETY**  
Mrs. M. M. Rosenbaum and Mrs. Lillian Oliver were joint hostesses to members of the Ladies Aid Society Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Oliver.

The following members were present: Mrs. H. L. Mintz, Mrs. J. G. Arnold, Mrs. R. S. White, Mrs. Charles Russ, Mrs. W. A. Russ, Mrs. Delmas Hewett, Mrs. M. H. Rourke, Miss Corrine Greene, Mrs. Lennon Swain, Mrs. Harvey Stanley, Miss Gladys Frye, Mrs. Lennie Hewett, Miss Eula Mae Long, Miss Catherine Chadwick, Mrs. H. C. Stone, Mrs. R. D. White and Mrs. Bailey Russ.

The hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Harvey Stanley and Mrs. Lennon Swain, served a delicious salad course to the guests.

Wingate Swain of Wake Forest College is spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Swain.

R. D. White, Jr., is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. White.

Harry Mintz, Jr., of University of N. C. Chapel Hill, is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mintz.

In 1870, over one-half of all gainful workers in the United States were engaged in agriculture. In 1930, only 21.4 per cent were employed in this basic industry, according to the United States Census Bureau.

The U. S. Census of 1940 will cover population, occupations, unemployment, agriculture, irrigation, drainage, manufactures, mines and quarries, and business.

Elephants are not afraid of mice, as a popular superstition would have you believe.

China has 8,426 miles of rail-ways within its boundaries.

From 1870 to 1930, the number of gainful workers in the United States engaged in transportation and communication increased more than 600 per cent, according to the U. S. Census Bureau.

# LEGALS

## MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed from Don Harrelson and wife, Sarah Althea Harrelson to the undersigned mortgagee, said mortgage deed being duly recorded in the Registry of Brunswick County, in Book No. 52 at page 556 and bearing date January 26th, 1922, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, both principal and interest, which said default has continued for more than thirty days, the undersigned mortgagee will, on the 27th day of January, 1939, at 12 o'clock Noon, at the Courthouse door of Brunswick County, in Southport, N. C., to the highest bidder, all of those certain lots, parcels or tracts of land situated, lying and being in Waverly and Township, County of Brunswick and State of North Carolina, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being all of note four (4) and five (5) in Block number one (1) in E. H. Smith's addition to the town of "Longwood", as will more fully appear by reference to a plat made by A. J. Brown, Surveyor, in July, 1925, registered in Book 25 of pages 411 and 412 in the Registry of Brunswick County, N. C.

Dated and noted this 20th day of December, 1938.

Wilmington Merchandise Company, Mortgagee. 1-11-39

## FORECLOSURE SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by that certain chattel mortgage dated March 2, 1938, recorded in Book 8 at page 156, by Harry Rourke and Crawford Rourke to the undersigned, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction, at the River-view Cafe, on Wednesday, December 14, 1938, at 12 o'clock Noon in the City of Southport, N. C. the stock and fixtures located in River-view Cafe on Bay Street, surrendered to the undersigned by Rourke Brothers.

D. P. Xanthos

By Robert W. Davis, Attorney  
Dated and posted this 22nd day of November, 1938. 12-7-c

## NOTICE

The Brunswick County Board of Education offers for sale the old Royal Oak colored school house (not including the site) near Supply. Sealed bids will be received and opened at noon on December 27, 1938, at the office of the County Board of Education in Southport. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Miss Annie May Woodside, Secretary, Brunswick County Board Education. November 28, 1938. 12-21-c

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Baker E. Robbins, deceased, late of the County of Brunswick, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at his home at Winnabow, N. C., or to Robert W. Davis, attorney, at his office in Southport, North Carolina, on or before the 7th day of December, A. D. 1938, or this will be pleaded in bar of any recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 7th day of December, 1938.

G. W. SWAIN, Administrator of the Estate of Baker E. Robbins.



**MAGNOLIA DAIRY**  
GRADE "A" MILK  
Southport, N. C.



**MERRY CHRISTMAS**  
To Our Friends And Customers  
**SOUTHPORT COAL AND ICE CO.**  
Southport, N. C.

# TAX PAYERS Please TAKE Notice

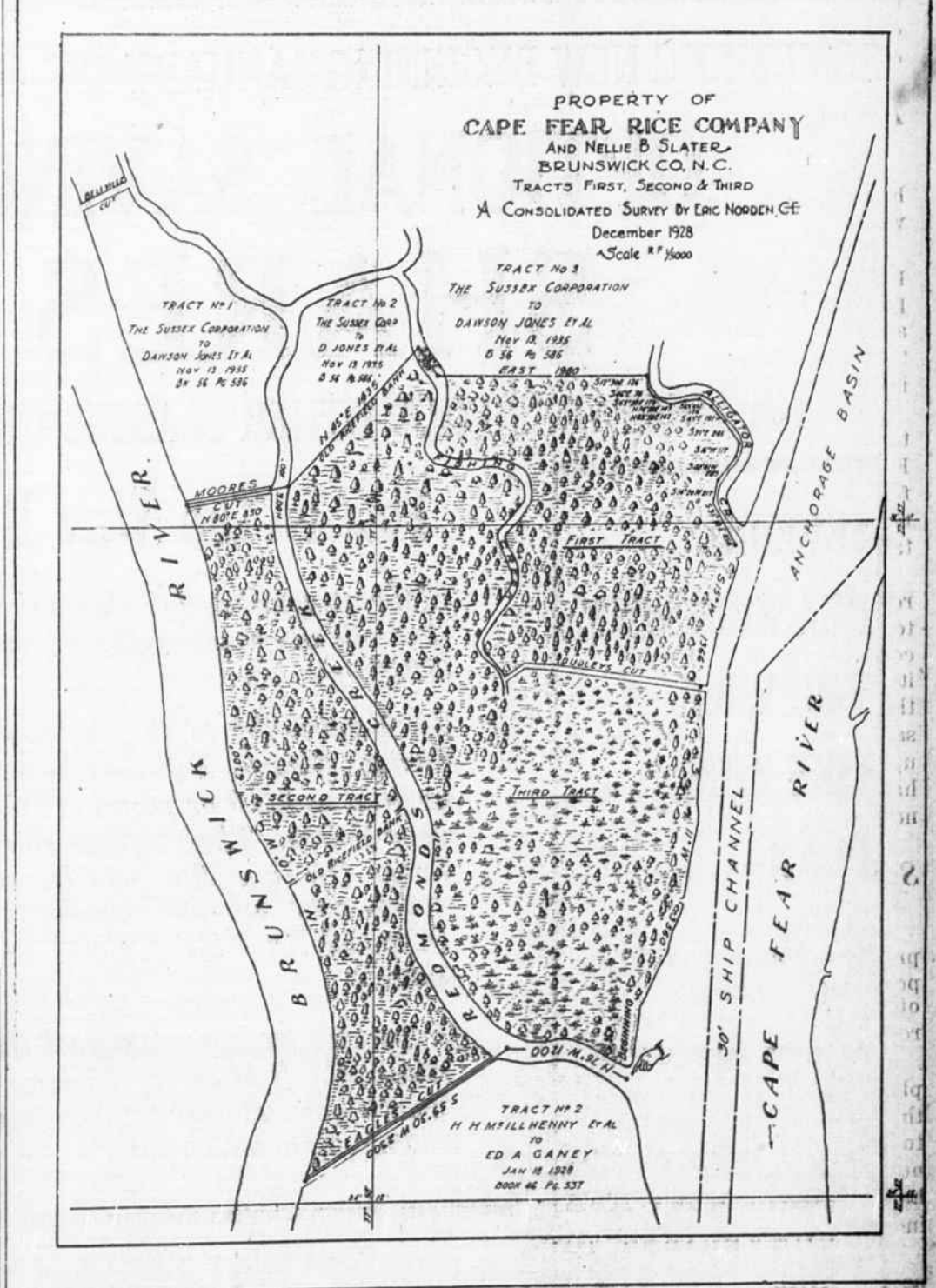
The County is badly in need of funds at this time. The Board of County Commissioners, at their meeting December 19th, 1938, passed the following order:

"ORDERED that Chas E. Gause, Tax Collector, be authorized and instructed to proceed with levy on personal property on January 3rd, 1939, on all delinquent taxes due Brunswick County as provided by law"

## PAY YOUR TAXES NOW

And avoid all penalties and cost, and embarrassment of having your property levied on for TAXES FOR 1937 AND PRIOR YEARS

**CHAS. E. GAUSE**  
TAX COLLECTOR  
BRUNSWICK COUNTY



May we offer our wish for peace and prosperity throughout the coming year.

**CUT RATE STORE**  
Harry Robinson, Mgr.  
SOUTHPORT, N. C.

able in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Brunswick County on the 7th day of November, 1938; and that on said date Alias Summons was issued as to Ed A. Ganey and Dawson Jones, and summons was issued against W. D. Anderson, who was made a party to said proceedings, all returnable Monday, January 9th, 1939. Said land is situated in Town Creek Township, Brunswick County, and said State, adjoining the lands of Dawson Jones, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at the mouth of Redmond's Creek where it empties into Cape Fear River, it being the 4th corner of Tract Number 3 described in a deed made by H. H. Millberry in 1912, and that summons was return-

and others to Ed A. Ganey, dated January 18, 1929, and recorded in Book 46, page 557, Records of Brunswick County, and having such other notes and boundaries as set out in a cut or plat hereto attached and made a part of this description, and being the same land as described in a deed to Eric Norden by Nellie B. Slater and her husband, dated January 23, 1929, and recorded in Book 20, page 254, hereby refers to for the purpose of including said description herein as fully as if set out herein.

R. B. Holden, Clerk Superior Court of Brunswick County.  
This 7th day of November, 1938. 1-4-39