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## Postoffice Begins Alien Registration This Week

Postmaster Yaskell Announces That All Aliens Over 14 Years Of Age Must Register At Post-Office

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Postmaster Yaskell Emphasizes That There Is Nothing About The Registration For Aliens To Fear

Registration of North Carolina aliens living in the U. S. will begin at all first and second class post offices and at all city seat post offices on Tuesday, August 27. Postmaster L. Yaskell announces.

Under the Alien Registration Act of 1940 all aliens over 14 years of age are required to register and have their fingerprints taken at the nearest registration office to their homes.

Postmaster Yaskell will handle the job of fingerprinting and Registration, Congress has deputized the Post Office Department. After completion of the registration the files will be turned over to the Department of Justice.

The act was passed as part of the government's effort to combat fifth column activity by foreign agents. Postmaster Yaskell stated that the Post Office was acting solely as a cooperating agency with the Justice Department.

There is nothing about the registration," Yaskell said, "that should cause fear. The act was designed for their protection as well as that of the United States Government. The Government's purpose is merely to know how many aliens are in the county, where they are, and where they are. Registration will start on August 27 and extend to December 26. Registration is in no way connected with the aliens registered with the County Clerks which is a state law."

## Brief News Flashes

**PATIENT**  
W. W. Willets of Winnabow entered Doshier Memorial Hospital as a patient Thursday.

**FOR OBSERVATION**  
Harvey Cliff of Ash entered Doshier Memorial Hospital Saturday for observation.

**MEDICAL**  
L. L. Bryant of Southport entered Doshier Memorial Hospital Sunday as a medical patient.

**IN HOSPITAL**  
Malcom Lewis of Oriental was patient Sunday and Monday at Doshier Memorial Hospital.

**HOSPITAL PATIENT**  
Mrs. J. C. Carroll of Bolivia entered Doshier Memorial Hospital Sunday as a patient.

**ENTERS HOSPITAL**  
Miss Katherine Vereen of Freedom entered Doshier Memorial Hospital as a patient Sunday.

**BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT**  
Mr. and Mrs. John White of Southport announce the birth of a son at Doshier Memorial Hospital Sunday night.

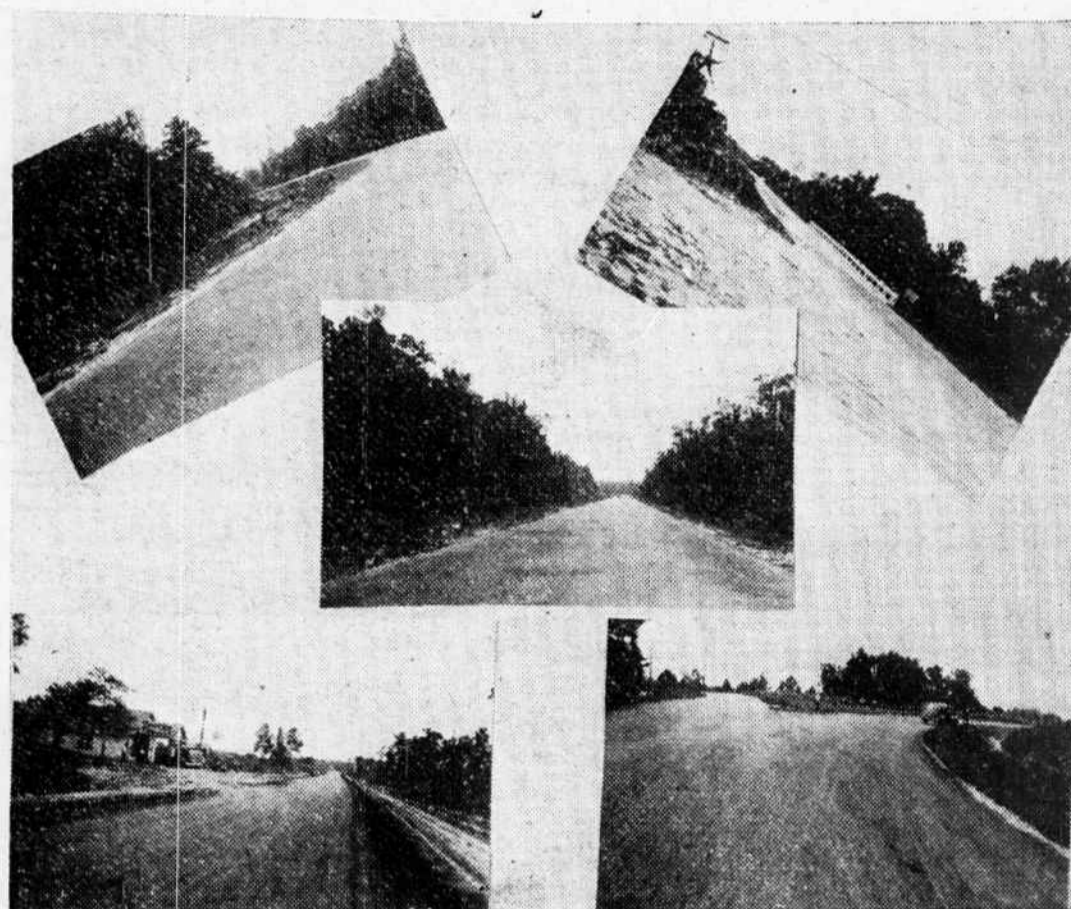
**TREATMENT**  
James E. Ryan of Baltimore entered Doshier Memorial Hospital Monday for treatment.

**AT PRESBYTERIAN**  
Fools Make A Mock Of Sin" was the sermon subject of Rev. R. Potts at Southport Presbyterian church Sunday evening 8 o'clock. The public is invited.

**CHILD ILL**  
Betty Reeves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Reeves of Calhoun, is a medical patient at Doshier Memorial Hospital.

**IN HOSPITAL**  
Mrs. Pearl Leonard of Shallotte entered Doshier Memorial Hospital as a medical patient Thursday.

## HIGHWAY NEARS COMPLETION



**HARDSURFACE**—This year for the first time Brunswick county farmers will be able to haul their tobacco to Whiteville all the way on hardsurface. If all goes well, the final link in the project will be opened to traffic by the first of next week. Above are shown several views of the road. Left below is shown the road at Ash (that's the postoffice on the left); lower right is shown the Y at Shallotte, where turns are made for intersection with U. S. Highway No. 17; center is shown a sweep through the Waccamaw river swamp, once the bane of travelers on Highway No. 130; left above is a curve and bridge in the swamp; right above is shown the beautiful concrete bridge that spans the Waccamaw river, dividing line between Brunswick and Columbus.

## Training School For Law Officers

Will Be Conducted By F. B. I. Instructors At Chapel Hill, One Each Month, Starting In October

Sheriff D. L. Ganey and Chief of Police M. R. Lewis, Jr., have just received invitations from the Institute of Governors to divide up their forces and send men to each of the 7-day Police Schools it will hold at Chapel Hill each month, beginning in October, in co-operation with the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

The FBI is again sending the best instructors from its National Police Academy to assist State and local officials in these training schools, according to the announcement received here. And the purpose, according to Director Albert Coates, is to bring the best police training in the country within the reach of all the 3,000 or more officers in the State during the coming year.

The first school has been tentatively set for October 18 to 25, and others will follow in November and December, 1940, and in January, February, March, April, and May, 1941.

The Institute has held twelve Police Schools since 1930, but these have been mainly for local chiefs, department heads, and inspectors.

## Gulf Stream Fishing Is Popular Sport At Southport

Gulf stream fishing at Southport is rapidly developing as a major sport and among the neighboring counties, Columbus is ranking high for the number of sportsmen who journey over for trips out on the gulf. Chadbourne is especially notable for the number of sportsmen who are taking to the fishing. Bill Edmund, forest fire warden for Columbus, and John Henry Land being among the greatest devotees.

Edmunds and several other Chadbourne men have already made three or four trips to the gulf this year and are planning further expeditions. So far, most of their trips have taken place just when the weather got bad. While their catches have not been outstanding, Bill remarked on his last trip that they expected to get the breaks next time and catch something that would give Chadbourne the headlines in the papers.

One of the Southport sport fishing boats, the Sea Girl, Captain Hulan Watts, has

## Completion Of No. 130 Joins Two Counties

Last Link Of Hard Surface Will Be Ready For Brunswick Farmers To Haul Weed To Market Over For First Time

AGITATION FOR ROAD FOR PAST 20 YEARS

Will Also Give Columbus County People Access To Beaches and Other Recreations In Brunswick

If any highway in North Carolina is entitled to bear the name of Tobacco Road it is the Whiteville-Shalotte highway, with its last short gap now being completed and with a heavy poundage of this year's Brunswick county tobacco due to roll over the last gap, on the way to the Whiteville and other markets of the border belt.

Brunswick county has no tobacco market of its own, but produces heavily of tobacco, the product running high in quality. The road has always constituted practically the only route to market and while it was just an unimproved dirt road conditions often became terrible during the

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## Sport Fishing Approaching Best

While the peak of sport fishing is said to have passed on many sections of the North Carolina coast, it is claimed that the real fishing season is just now beginning at Southport. The barracuda will be out on Frypan for a long time yet. With them will be plenty of amberjack, dolphin, cero, etc. Closer inshore will be both Spanish mackerel, blues and plenty of trout.

The moon, which is just now verging towards fullness, should bring some great trout fishing around the wrecks off Bald Head Island and Fort Caswell and also here in the river.

## Beer Licenses For Brunswick

Total Of 36 Beer Licenses Issued To Retail Dealers In Brunswick; Must Keep Clean Or Close Up

RALEIGH, August 12.—There are 36 places of business in Brunswick County licensed by the state to sell beer at retail.

Figures, compiled by the Brewers and North Carolina Beer Distributors Committee as of August 1, disclosed that the state has issued retail beer licenses to 3,997 dealers in North Carolina. The 1940-41 tax year (for beer licenses) began May 1, and it is probable the number will reach last year's total of 4,934 before the year ends next April 30.

Mecklenburg county's 280 easily tops Guilford's 222. Forsyth is third with 175, followed by Buncombe with 155, Durham, 145, Wake 139, and New Hanover 134. Rowan has 95, Alamance 82, Robeson 80, Gaston 82, Halifax (Continued on page 6)

## Revival Services At Concord Church

The pastor, Rev. C. N. Phillips, announces that a revival service will begin at Concord Methodist church at Supply on Sunday, August 18, and continue on through the week. Rev. R. S. Harrison pastor of Trinity church, Southport, will assist, also other pastors. A cordial invitation is extended to every one to attend.

## Marketing Cards Being Delivered By County Agt.

Marketing cards for sale of the 1940 tobacco crop are being distributed this week at the office of County Agent J. E. Dodson.

Cards for Lockwoods Folly township were distributed yesterday; farmers of North West, Smithville and Town Creek townships are receiving their cards today; cards for Shallotte township farmers will be distributed tomorrow and those for Waccamaw township will be handed out Friday.

Mr. Dodson points out that it will be necessary for landlords only to call for cards.

"When you sign the Operator's Agreement, as required on delivery of cards," says Mr. Dodson, "You agree that you will be penalized ten-cents per pound for any tobacco sold on your card that was not produced on your farm, and you are liable to have your 1941 allotment reduced by this amount illegally sold on your card."

"Please come for your card on the day set aside for your township," he adds.

## Two-Day Session Of County Court

Recorder's Judge Unable To Get Through Crowded Docket Monday And Was Forced To Hold Special Session Tuesday

It was impossible to complete the crowded Recorder's court docket Monday and several other cases were disposed of yesterday before Judge Walter M. Stanaland.

Mamie Brown, colored, was found not guilty of making an assault with a deadly weapon. LeRoy Brown, colored, was charged with a similar offense and was found not guilty.

Henry Sloan, colored, was found guilty of making an assault with a deadly weapon. Given 90 days on the roads, judgment was suspended upon payment of a fine of \$50.00 and cost.

Vance Brown, colored, was found guilty of making an assault with a deadly weapon and was given 8 months on the roads.

Willie Sloan, colored, was found guilty of making an assault with a deadly weapon and was given 12 months on the roads.

Willie Bryant, colored, was found guilty of possession of intoxicating liquor for purpose of sale and was given 8 months on the roads, judgment being suspended upon payment of a fine of \$100 and costs.

McDonald Gilliken, white, pleaded guilty to charges of violating the speed law. Judgment was suspended upon payment of costs. James W. Hankins, colored, was found guilty of reckless operation and was given 90 days, judgment being suspended upon payment of costs.

Jake Nelms, white, was found guilty of making an assault with a deadly weapon. Sentence of 12 months on the roads was suspended upon payment of costs and upon condition that the defendant remain of good behavior for 2 years.

W. L. Shiver, white, was found guilty of making an assault with a deadly weapon and received a similar sentence.

Thomas B. Murray, white, was found not guilty of making an

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## Home-Coming Day At Camp Church

On Sunday, August 25, home-coming day will be observed at Camp Methodist church, Shallotte. This is not just a Methodist gathering, but for the entire community and those who have lived there and friends of the church. Dinner will be served at the church by the ladies of the community. Special music will be by several church choirs. The pastor, Rev. C. N. Phillips, cordially invites you to come and share the fellowship together.

## REVIVAL MEETING CLOSES



**AUGUST MEETING**—The two weeks revival at Mill Creek Baptist Church came to a close Sunday. Last week services were held twice daily, with the pastor, Rev. A. L. Brown, being assisted by Rev. D. D. Lewis, of Westminster, S. C. The revival was one of the most successful held in recent years.

## Passenger Liner Seeks Refuge From Hurricane

Three Business Places Robbed

## NO DAMAGE FROM STORM IN SOUTHPORT

Northeast Wind Blew For Several Hours, But Never Reached Gale Proportions; Boats Were Moved

The tropical hurricane which caused nearly two-score deaths when it struck the coastal region of South Carolina Sunday resulted in considerable excitement, but no damage at all, in Southport.

High spot in the day's activities so far as the storm watchers were concerned was shortly after noon when the Merchants and Miners passenger liner Alleghany, Captain Nelson in command, came in and anchored in the Southport harbor to escape the storm.

Aboard the liner were 180 passengers who breathed much easier when this haven of refuge was reached. On the passenger list were several prominent persons, including Pinky Wilkinson, secretary to the Fire-Board at Baltimore, Md.

The ship was piloted in by Captain I. B. Bussells of the Cape Fear Pilots Association and left early Monday morning after fear of the storm had subsided.

Getting back to the Southport angle on the storm, there was a strong northeast blow Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night, but at no time was there any real cause for uneasiness. Storm signals were displayed and all small craft were carried up the waterway for shelter. Most of the

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## Surf-Casting At Long Beach Being Developed

A good indication of fine fishing that will be more accessible to sportsmen next year is found in several fine catches of fish made from the strand at Long Beach last week.

Mr. Middleton and his associates planned such a pier last winter. The work, however, was delayed awaiting assurance that the State Highway Commission would pave the two-mile gap of sand-clay road leading up to the beach. Assurance of such construction at an early date has recently been given.

The four or five hundred property owners at the beach are very much pleased over prospects of hard surfaced roads all the way and the assurance of greatly increased pleasure and sport facilities at the beach. Folks who have watched the first year's developments at the beach are confident that the beginning of next summer will see more than a hundred substantial homes there.

## County Health Nurse Advises County People

Says That County Residents Should Get In Touch With Their Family Physician To Secure Necessary Preventative Measures

## SPECIAL CARE OF PRE-SCHOOL KIDS

Mrs. Smith Calls Attention To Weekly Tonsil Clinic At Southport Hospital

Since Mrs. Lou H. Smith, county nurse, has been unable to have a regular schedule in the county this summer for typhoid and diphtheria inoculations, she is advising that as many as can either come to her office or see their family doctor for these treatments, especially for the children entering school in September.

"We only have one month to get ready for school," she said. "We are required this time to have the children vaccinated against small pox and inoculated against diphtheria. Please see that this is done before the first day of school. Your family physician will be very glad to render you this service, unless you prefer coming to the health office. I will be in the office most of the time from now on until school opens."

"At present we have no contagious infectious diseases among our children, but it is better to play safe and be protected against these diseases, especially diphtheria, of which we usually have several cases during the fall and winter months."

"We are continuing to hold our tonsil clinic for school children each Monday through September 9th. We are advising that parents have the children's tonsils removed before school begins, if they are giving them trouble. Parents can get this done at the Doshier Memorial Hospital each Monday morning at a reduced rate."

## Cast Named For Amateur Play

A mystery comedy in three acts, by Clark Willard, will be presented by The Little Theatre Amateur Players of Southport on September 12th.

The cast is as follows: Nell Travis, housekeeper at Viewcrest, Evelyn Loughlin; Gilbert Wright, attorney, Edmond Newton; Alice Perkins, Mildred's chum, Myrtle Brown; Mildred Marvin, she has inherited the estate of Maxwell Marvin her uncle, including Viewcrest, Lelia Hubbard; Hazel Wayne, Mildred's chum, Helen Dean Sutton; Jed Travis, who appears to believe in gillyloo birds, Waters Thompson; Herbert Marvin, Mildred's brother, D. I. Watson; Sheriff Macklin, he has taken a (detective) course; Claude McCall; J. Steel, the coroner, undecided; Wong Song, his past is unknown, Johnnie Simmons.

## Tide Table

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

TIDE TABLE	
Thursday, August 15	
5:37 a. m.	11:43 a. m.
Friday, August 16	
6:23 a. m.	0:19 a. m.
6:44 p. m.	12:33 p. m.
Saturday, August 17	
7:04 a. m.	1:05 a. m.
7:23 p. m.	1:23 p. m.
Sunday, August 18	
7:42 a. m.	1:47 a. m.
8:00 p. m.	2:04 p. m.
Monday, August 19	
8:19 a. m.	2:26 a. m.
8:36 p. m.	2:45 p. m.
Tuesday, August 20	
8:56 a. m.	3:02 a. m.
9:12 p. m.	3:22 p. m.
Wednesday, August 21	
9:33 a. m.	3:36 a. m.
9:48 p. m.	3:57 p. m.