

Sunday School Picnic Tomorrow

An old-fashioned picnic will be held by members of Trinity Methodist Sunday school tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon at Fort Caswell.

The crowd will gather in front of the church at 3:45 o'clock. Prior to spreading the picnic lunches, those who wish may go swimming in the pools at a special rate granted by H. H. Thomas for this occasion.

Sunday school officials urge as

many as possible to attend the picnic, and a special drive is being made to have former members present.

Honor Drivers Friday Night

Principals of the consolidated schools of Brunswick county, members of the county board of education and school bus drivers have been invited to attend a dinner meeting at Shallotte school Friday evening of this week.

C. C. Brown, equipment engineer for the state department of education, will be present and will be principal speaker for the occasion.

Scout Executive To Attend Meeting

David Liles, district scout executive, will attend a meeting of the Southport Boy Scout Troop No. 35 Friday night.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 o'clock and will be held in the Southport Community Center Building. The public is cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Local People Attend Play

About 20 Southport people, including practically all of the school teachers, attended the

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Trott of Southport announce the birth of a son, Chas. M. Trott, Jr., at James Walker Memorial Hospital on Tuesday, September 23.

opening performance given by the Shelton-Amos Players in Thalian Hall in Wilmington last night. 20 complimentary invitation tickets were sent the Chamber of Commerce for distribution to these

HAVE HOPES OF BOMBARDMENT BASE

(Continued from page one) way of national defense has been done in Brunswick county, so far.

In their efforts to secure an airport for bombers, it appears that those who are pushing the matter have some very definite hope of success. Yesterday afternoon Senators Bailey and R. R. Reynolds wired the Chamber of Commerce here that they were cooperating to the fullest. The Chamber of Commerce will have a representative conferring with the Senators in Washington today or tomorrow. It is understood that Congressman Clark is also active.

PENDERLEA FARMS ARE AVAILABLE

(Continued from page 1) over counties, as well as the Welfare, WPA and Employment Service representatives to refer eligible families to the project.

Penderlea Farms is a resettlement project of the Farm Security Administration, composed of 193 farming units and homes. It is located in northwest Pender county, N. C. General farming, including tobacco and cotton, bulb growing, truck crops and livestock is carried on. A community school of eleven grades, operated by Pender county under the supervision of the State Department of Education, is on the project. A Mutual Association and a medical care association are open to all residents of the project.

To be eligible to occupy one of the farm units on the project an applicant must have derived the major portion of his income from farming in recent years. He and his family must be in good health. Preference is given to applicants who own outright or have substantial equity in workstock and farming equipment, however due consideration will be given a limited number of applicants who do not possess stock or implements. As a general rule the family rents on the project for the first year.

Eligible families can obtain information and make application through the local county FSA office, or may apply by letter to Mr. W. R. Robbins at Penderlea Farms.

DUCK STAMPS ARE READY FOR SALE

(Continued From Page 1) 212; Washington, 62,704; Louisiana, 43,069; New York, 42,934; and Iowa, 40,670.

North Carolinians bought 9,965 stamps.

Sold for \$1 at post offices, the duck stamps provide funds that help finance the Federal Government's refuge program. Every sportsman over 16 who hunts migratory waterfowl is required to

have on his person one of the stamps with his signature in ink across its face. Many are also purchased by collectors, the post office department's philatelic agency in Washington alone reporting a sale of 3,260 stamps last year.

W. M. U. MEETING AT TOWN CREEK

(Continued from Page 1) Scripture reading and discussion by Rev. A. L. Brown, Southport. Prayer by Rev. M. L. Mintz, a picnic dinner was served on the grounds.

AFTERNOON

Song, "Sweet Hour of Prayer"; Devotional by Mrs. M. B. Robbins. The "Power of Prayer" was discussed by Rev. M. L. Mintz. We had with us our state executive secretary, Mrs. W. D. Biggs, of Raleigh, also, Mrs. Dum

Oliver, one of our returned missionaries from China. She brought us a very interesting message on their work in China, also, of the war torn condition over there. We were very glad to have these

two mission workers with us; Motion to adjourn with the next meeting to be held at Mill Creek Church September 24, 1942.

Mrs. Carl Ward, Bolivia, president. Mrs. J. H. Mills, Winnabow, secretary and treasurer.

OUTDOOR WRITERS PLAN TO RETURN

(Continued from page 1) port has been selected for two years in succession.

They not only met here last year and are meeting again this year, but they elected Keziah, a Southport man, an honorary life member of the association. This

is an honor that has only been given to half a dozen other men and one woman since the organization was formed about a quarter of century ago.

ROUTINE SESSION OF COUNTY COURT

(Continued from page 1) medical services for the prosecuting witness. The defendant must remain of good behavior.

Hannah Washington, colored, was found not guilty of assault. Cuel Burnett, white, was found guilty of drunk driving and was given 4 months on the roads. Judgment was suspended upon payment of costs and a fine of \$50.00, his driving license being revoked for 12 months.

HOMECOMING DAY AT MILL BRANCH

(Continued from page 1) ladies.

The motive of this program was to renew interest in the Sunday school, prayer meetings and church services and to try to strengthen the band, increase the force, and make the community a better place in which to live.

Christman Explains New Federal Taxes In Force

(Continued From Page One) October 1st, will, on October 1 be required to pay one cent federal tax and on an admission charge of 15 cents the tax will be two cents. "In other words" continued Mr. Christman, "the tax amounts to one cent on each ten cents admission paid or a fractional part thereof". The personal exemption on income tax returns have been lowered to a point where there will be but few

who will not be required to file returns for the year of 1941 the deputy said.

Prison Doors Close Behind Willie W. Ward Last Week

(Continued From Page One) county has ever witnessed.

It was charged that Ward, on the 11th of May, 1940, faked a drowning in the Little River inlet near Calabash in Brunswick county, in order to collect \$43,000 insurance money on his life. His wife, Mrs. Edith Ward, subsequently collected the amount, and deposited it, after paying off some of Ward's obligations, in

banks throughout this area. Several months after the alleged drowning, Ward was discovered in Tifton, Ga., running a room or bowling alley using the name R. L. Wade. He was subsequently arrested in Tallahassee, Fla., and brought back here for trial.

At the trial last June, besides Ward, Mrs. Ward, W. C. Ward, Roy Barden Simmon and J. D. Baxley were sentenced to judgment upon Mrs. Ward's bonds and Baxley was suspended. W. Chess Ward received a sentence of 3 to 5 years.

AMUZU THEATRE SOUTHPORT Week of Oct. 1-9 Wed., - Thurs., Oct. 1-2 "COWBOY & BLOND" with Mary Beth Hughes and George Montgomery Also-Fox Movietone News. Fri., - Sat., Oct. 3-4 "GIRL FROM HAVANA" with Dennis O'Keefe and Clara Carlton Also "The Little Theatre." Mon., - Tues., Oct. 6 - 7 "I'LL WAIT FOR YOU" with Virginia Wiedler and Robert Sterling Also "Dance Of The Weed" Wed., - Thurs., Oct. 8 - 9 "Blondie Plays Cupid" with Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake Also-FOX NEWS. 1st SHOW 7:00 P. M.-ADMISSION BEGINNING WED., OCT. 1, 1941 ADULTS 20c Defense Tax 2c TOTAL 22c CHILDREN 10c Defense Tax 1c TOTAL 11c

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