Finances

Not Hinder Food

Bennett Says That Food For

Freedom Should Not Be

Hampered By Inability

To Finance Farming Op-

The Purchase Of

Farm Items

"Farm owners and farm ten-

Pickerrell, County Supervisor for

the Farm Security Administra-

tion", the Defense Chairman said.

in Shallotte in the White Build-

Loans repayable in convenient

installments are advanced by FSA

for the purchase of such items as

seed, fertilizer, livestock and

proving pastures, enlarging or

houses and any reasonable expan-

sion of equipment which can be

supported by sound farm plans.

The FSA supervisor will advise

borrowers requesting assistance

in making out their farm plans;

and all farmers, of course, are

Mr. Page's office is located

Southport, N. C., Wednesday, January 28, 1942

Southport May

AT WILMINGTON

or Wilmington.

Expanding Naval Pro-

gram; Local Advant-

ages Are Being

Pressed

chance to land the project. For

Southport. Maps of this location

disposal of the Navy. The land,

through resolutions approved by

the county commissioners last

year, is available to the govern-

ment without cost. The county

and city jointly own a valuable

in and above the city limits.

tract of more than 600 acres just

Other features which seem to

favor the location of the dry

docks here includes the accessibil-

ity to the open sea, a feature

much to be desired in the event

the Southport location.

Eye Clinics To

month of February, according to

According to the plan, the state

deposit for the purchase of glas-

ses in the event they are found

to be necessary. This money will

be refunded in the event it is

found that glasses are not need-

The plan is to have one of the

ty superintendent.

Large Shipyard

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OUTHPORT MEN ESCAPE SUB ATTACKS

Garrett And S. V. Russ S. B. Frink Heads Red Cross Drive Two Vessels That Go Down Have Chance Of

re Carrier Venore ch Went Down Sat-

TEEN MEMBERS OF CREW PERISHED

Russ Aboard Tanker inces E. Powell As She tic Coast On Monday

L (Lee) Garrett, Southman who was first assistagineer on the torpedoed stelled American ore car-Tenore off the North Caromast Saturday was uninsecording to a message ed Monday night by his Mrs. Sallie Garrett. exspaper reports indicate sme 21 men on board the

V. Russ, Jr., son of Mr. Ms. Vance Russ of Southwas listed in an Associatless Dispatch today as one 17 survivors of the tankfrances E. Powell which torpedoed off the Atlantic Monday night.

by meager information was ble from the announcemade by the navy departwhich refused to say at point the attack upon the occured. The survivors landed at Lewes, Del. was a 7,096-ton vessel, sich only 17 survivors reported it is reasonable

me that some members

sume that some k ship's crew perished. me lost their lives after the was torpedoed, Garrett bemong those rescued. His was given as Florida he newspaper accounts of more. His wife and daugh-Ama Katherine, are spend-Imbably accounted for the giving his residence as

men including Garrett, of Gran crew of the Venore n recued after they had be for 38 hours in one of Masels lifeboats. Another at said to have contained men was swamped and as it attempted to leave the of the vessel while it making rapid headway in that to escape the submar-The crew of this first boat at to have become panicky to have left the ship in deto orders.

rescued men narrated the submarine got near to open fire with its and torpedoes by posing lightship, being camaflougthat purpose and using is to order them in. The a place in the late hours of cisy night.

deral Use Tax Affects Boats

Craft 18-Feet Over Will Be Requiramp After February 1

Referal Use Tax is imposed leasure boats propelled by of internal revenue.

ha not apply to boats used in charge of operations.
United States, a State, or Bolivia played here

Form 732 can be obtain-the Collector on request. (continued on page four)

Garrett Was 1st Assis-Engineer Aboard Defense Forces Asked To Attend Legion Meet Associated Press Story From Washington Tues-

Regular Meeting Of Brunswick County Legion Post Will Be Held At Legion Room Thursday Night At 8 O'clock

Plans are being made for one of the most important regular meetings ever held by members of Brunswick County Post No. 194, American Legion, here Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the Legion room.

W. F. Nufer, state air raid warden, will be present, and with him will be Charles Casteen, warden for the Wilmington area, and Sheriff C. David Jones of New Hanover county. Also present will be a Brunswick county boy who was at Pearl Harbor when the Japs attacked that Pacific stronghold on December 7.

W. S. Wells, chairman has asked that all members of the County Defense Brunswick council attend this meeting. Also invited are all air raid wardens, fire wardens and members of the defense police force of each community in Brunswick county.

One of the chief purposes of the meeting is to coordinate the efforts of the entire county organization and to determine as well as possible the responsibility that rests upon the shoulders of legionnaires.

Construction Bids For Power Plant Sought and a complete set of plans, costing over \$5,000.00, were drawn

Bids For Work And Material For Expansion Of Southport Power Plan Will Be Opened February 9th

GOVERNMENT GRANT AND LOAN AVAILABLE

Matter Of Supplying Sufficient Electric Power To Caswell Section Base Responsible

Calls are now being made for bids for construction of additions to the power house, the purchase and installation of new generating equipment and new transmission lines between Fort Caswell and Southport. Bids for this work and material will be opened on February 9th and it is planned to have the work completed by the first of May.

The need of much additional power to that now avaiable for Caswell section base resulted in the city being able to get an outright government grant of \$46,142.00 for extensions to the present plant. This was supplemented by a loan of \$45,000.00 The loan draws only 3-per cent interest and the interest and principal is to be repaid in 20 years from the net electric and power

The extensions will more than double the present available current. However, practically all of the additional power will be purchased by the government for use at Caswell. The project has national defense priority rating and will be rushed to completion.

Boys. Win And

Local Basketball Teams lotte During Past Week

Southport split a double-header with Shallotte here last night on report. To Carry Federal the local court, the girls dropped a 28-7 decision to the visitors SOUTHPORT SCHOOL (WHITE) while the local lads rolled along

to a 32-11 victory. The Shallotte girls were just The Snanotte garden were too good for Southport and were never in danger. The boys' game, to announcement this though, was another story and the office of the col- play during the first half was in Auditorium needs repairs. Also extremely close. In the final two some other windows require the extremely close. In the final two same. In need of several new toilof the boat beginning with port five tossed in 22 points et seats. ler annum for boats six- while holding the invaders to 5 in overall length to a points, two of which came on a of \$200.00 for a boat pretty field goal by young Jack

Bolivia played here Thursday seats broken down, Needs 60 bolts Bolivia played nere introduction also 60 clamps.

In and also obtained an even also 60 clamps.

In and also obtained an even also 60 clamps. of the tax will be evistamps which may be a 12-6 victory in the girls' game. from the Collector of The local boys won a 26-16 ver-library room, one leak plastering Revenue, Greensboro. Ap-dict and were in command of the off. Valve off radiator.

Claims Is Coon Hunting Champ

Despite importations of black and tan hounds, the blue-tick coon hunter of Charlie Sellers of Town Creek township is still rated as the invincible. undisputed champion as a coon catcher of any dog in Bruns-

night this past week Charlie and his blue tick rounded up and bagged six full grown coons, and they were not found denned up together. They were taken, tree after tree, some of which Charlie shimmied up after the victim. In other cases he shined their eyes and brought them down with his rifle. This made twice this year that Charlie and the blue-tick bagged six coons in one night.

Judge Receives Of Grand Jury

This Body Finds Need Of Of School Equipment, Of Brunswick county during the continued. County; Make Recommendations

At the conclusion of their findings here last week members of the Brunswick county grand jury submitted the following report to the court:

GRAND JURY, JANUARY **TERM 1942** "STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

"COUNTY OF BRUNSWICK IN THE SUPERIOR COURT Girls Lose Two THOMPSON, JUDGE PRESID-

"We the Grand Jury for the Split Double - Headers Court of Brunswick County con-January Term, 1942, Superior Southport, North Carolina on Monday, January 19th, 1942 respectfully submit the following

SHALLOTTE (WHITE) SCHOOL "Three stoves in wooden building in need of repairs. Water tank needs repairs. One window

WACCAMAW SCHOOL

(WHITE) "Windows are in very bad conwhen boat is first used. the game. Both teams finished about down. In need of several the game with young reserves new seats in toilet. Seat in Author apply to boats used. ditorium are in bad condition, 30

10th Grade Room, plastering in bad shape and in need of repairs.

BOLIVIA SCHOOL (Continued On Page 4)

Bulletins

With news that two Southport men have had tankers blown from From Washington Tues- under them during the past week day Indicates That One off the Atlantic coast, the war Will Be Located In Vici- has been brought closer home for people of this section. The fact that 10 vessels have gone down in this vicinity within the past OR SOUTHPORT ten days with a loss of life totaling about 100 men adds to the This, In Connection With seriousness of the situation.

War in the Pacific during the past week has been highlighted by the almost unbelievable valour of the men who are holding the Philippines. Around Singapore, Dispatches from Washington though, the picture is not so vesterday were to the effect that bright and the Japs continue their the Navy Department will build a gains.

dry dock costing from \$1,500,000 In Russia the Reds continue to to \$2,000,000 at either Southport drive out the Nazi armies, and there has been no indication yet that this counter attack is slowas having an exceptionally good ing down. But from Lybia there nearly two years now plans have cess of General Rommel's force been underway for a huge dry against the British, who have dock on the river just above depleted their air force and armoured divisions in order to send reinforcements to the Far East.

by private interests. These plans are, it is understood, now at the January Term **Superior Court Comes To Close**

Court Business Concluded Thursday After Both Criminal And Civil Actions Disposed Of

JUDGE THOMPSON

of a bombing raid, and the ab-In winding up the January term sence from this locality of a conof Brunswick county Superior centration of other vital military court, for trial of both criminal and civil cases, Thursday the fol-Steps have ben taken to have lowing cases were tried before every possible consideration given Judge C. E. Thompson of Elizabeth City.

of bastardy and non support. Sentence of 6 months on the roads was suspended upon pay-Be Scheduled ment of costs and the sum of \$3.00 per week to the clerk of the Maritime Commission in Free Examinations Will Be until it is 14 years of age.

Schools Under This Plan sed without leave.

Gus Bland was found not guil-An effort is being made to ty of trespass. The case charging Benjamin F.

scendule a series of eye clinics Improvements In Some for the consolidated schools of Kates with drunken driving was Among the civil actions the Miss Annie May Woodside, coun-

by S. B. Frink, commissioner,

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will pay the examination fee of \$1.00 per examination for the first 50 children who have their February lire eyes examined. However, free examination will be given only to Quota Announced those children who have a \$5.00

List Of Persons Who Have Received Tires During Past Week Is Also Pub-

L. T. Yaskell, chairman of the most highly-respected eye special- Brunswick County Tire Rationing ists in this section to conduct the Board, has been notified of the examinations, and all tests above tire and tube quota for this counthe 50 for which the state is re- ty for the month of February. sponsible will be available to the For passenger cars there will be

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Coast Guardsman Huntley Bowls The Perfect Game judge was vacationing in Florida.

The perfect game has been bowled.

Well, maybe the local alleys are one section short of regulation; and maybe rubber banded pins aren't the hardest in the world to upset; still 12 straight strikes calls for a steady nerve and a keen eye, and that's just what A. E. Huntley, second in command at Oak Island Coast Guard station, had Friday night. Se he bowled

That was the night that the station team was supposed to bowl the town five. The latter group-or part of it-failed to show up, and maybe it was

best that way if Huntley's score guard talent.

Rivalry was renewed Monday night between two teams comprised of local ladies. Last week's losers were this week's winners in two out of three sets. Following are the individual scores:

121-97-168. Totals: 701-643-671. Huntley: 141-146-121; Corl-

ette: 122-148-143; St. George: 157-197-188; Carr: 62-79-155. Totals: 600-718-705.

Late War Campaign Will Begin Soon For War Relief For Freedom Plan

Citizens In Every Section; Miss Woodside Asks For Cooperation and Generous Response Of Chapter Chairman

Following a meeting here yesterday of the executive' committee of the Brunswick County Chapter of the American Red Cross announcement was made that S. B. Frink, prominent Southport attorney, will serve as chairman of the Red Cross War Relief Fund drive in this

CHAIRMAN



ANNIE MAY WOODSIDE

in this appeal for funds for war work is \$1,500.00, about one-sixth of which has already been raised without benefit of a concerted county-wide campaign. Of this amount about \$245.00 came from Shallotte high school where the part in the Brunswick County teachers and pupils pitched in for an inspiring demonstration of cause of inability to finance his patriotic service.

the drive Chairman Frink was frank to admit that work of this nature is new to him, and he is appealing to the good citizens of Brunswick county to lend their one-hundred percent cooperation to this drive for relief funds.

wick can do."

Another important result of

WAS PRESIDING Federal Community Building Now Open and all farmers, of course, are welcome for technical advice at the county Extension Agent's of-

New Bids Asked On Barge Job

All bids recently called for by court for the support of the child Washington for the construction Several Ladies Are Alterof 500 madium sized barges were Provided Fifty Girls And The case against John Jenrette rejected, now bids being asked for Boys Of Consolidated for embezzlement was nol pros- with changed specifications that will enable the successful bidders to ship the barges knocked down, F. O. B. railroad cars at the point of construction.

Finely McMillan of Wilmington, who has been engaged in the construction of barges here for some time, and who was one of the low sale of the E. H. Smith property bidders at the original letting, is again bidding. Bidding forms, blue prints and specifications were obtained for him last week through the Chamber of Comemrce. The bids will be opened in Washington on February 2nd.

Routine Session Of Country Court since 60-percent of the furniture and equipment was already here.

Six Cases Disposed Of Be- mittee met and asked for volfore Judge Walter M. unteer hostesses and other help-Stantland Here In Re- ers, and this call was speedily ancorder's Court Monday

Following a two-weeks lay-off arrangements can be made. six cases were disposed of here children at the small fee of \$1.00 8 tires and 7 tubes; for trucks, in Recorder's court Monday be- made regarding the dedication fore Judge Walter M. Stanaland. and formal opening of the build-Last week's session was postpon- ing. ed because Superior court was there was no court because the New Territory

J. N. Johnson, white, was charged with non support, the was any indication of the coast case being nol prossed with leave. Jannie Holden, colored, pleaded Brunswick Included In New

guilty to charges of drunk driving. Given 90 days on the county farm, judgment was suspended upon payment of costs and a fine of \$50.00. Her driving license was suspended for 12 months. Lawrence Rogers, who escaped Columbus and Brunswick coun-

from the state prison farm with ties has been formed by the Em-Hubbard: 132-152-134; Willing: only one month and 3 days of a ergency Crop and Feed Loan 184-138-125; Thompson: 178-128- two year sentence remaining, was Section of the Farm Credit Ad-112; Bussells: 86-128-132; Watson: found guilty of escape and was ministration with offices in given 6 months, the sentence to Whiteville according to announcerun concurrently. Judgment was with held in

the case charging D. G. Wilson fice is W. G. Bradshaw, who has (Continued On Page Four),

SUGGESTS THAT FSA MAY ANSWER PROBLEM The quota assigned Brunswick Loans Repayable In Convenient Installments Are Advanced By FSA For No farmer should fail to take

"Food for Freedom" program beoperations, according to Barnie Bennett, County Defense Board In accepting responsibility for Chairman. ants who have difficulty in getting loans to operate their farms to the best advantage should talk over their problems with C. D.

"Its a big job", said Mr. Frink, and I cannot possibly hope to make a success of it without a good organization behind me. If ing. the folks will help me out, though, we'll see what old Bruns-

the executive meeting was the farming implements; also for imnaming of Miss Annie May Woodside chairman of the Brunswick improving barns and shelters, County Chapter to fill the unex- building brooder and laying pired term of the late J. Berg.

Sometime Later

MAJORITY OF THE

nating as Hostesses Un-

til Official Set-Up Is

Announced For

Building

ular salary wil take charge.

since 60-percent of the furniture

Members of the Brunswick

County Defense Recreation Com-

swered. These workers are serv-

ing in rotation until permanent

Future announcement will be

For Seed Loan

Area With Headquarters

In Whiteville; Applica-

tions Still Made At Coun-

A new territory embracing

In charge of the Whiteville of-

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ty Agent's Office

ment made this week.

The Federal Community Build-

Staff Of Volunteer Workers fice. In Charge Of Local To provide a living at home Building Until Formal and surplus food for market is And Dedication now a common goal for every

(continued on page four) FURNITURE HERE Longwood Lady Taken By Death

Funeral Services Monday Afternoon For Mrs. Tom T. Ward Of Brunswick County Community

ing (USO) at Southport was Funeral services were held opened Saturday night and will be operated by a staff of volun- Monday for Mrs. Tom T. Ward, teer workers until arrangements resident of Longwood, who died can be made for its formal dedica- Sunday after a brief illness. The tion. Following that, trained services were in charge of Rev. workers who will receive a reg. B. B. Parish of the Baptist church, burial being in the family cemetery. Mrs. Ward was 38 Major Bob Cowan, of the recreation department of the Sal- years of age and was a daughter lett, representing the Federal of the Longwood community. Surviving are her husband, T. Security Administration, request-

ed last week that the building Julie Bell; a step-son, Kenneth (Continued on page 4)

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. High Tide Low Tide

TIDE TABLE

Amurouay,	December wa
0:51 a. m.	7:16 a. m.
1:10 p. m.	7:38 p. m.
	ecember 26
1:44 a. m.	8:19 a. m.
2:06 p. m.	8:33 p. m.
	December 27
2:39 a. m.	9:16 a. m.
3:04 p. m.	9:24 p. m.
Sunday, L	
3:36 a. m.	10:08 a. m.
4:01 p. m.	10:11 p. m.
	December 29
1:30 a. m.	10:57 a. m.
Legg n' m	10.57

5:19 a. m. 5:43 p. m. 6:01 a. m.

10:57 p. m Tuesday, December 30 11:44 a. m. 11:43 p. Wednesday, December 31

12:30 p. 6:26 p. m.