

LOCAL BAR MEMBERS PROTEST AGAINST RECORDER

Members Of Bar Petition The Court To Investigate Practices Of The Recorder

Special Meeting Of Brunswick County Bar Held Friday And Members Signed Complaint Against Recorder Stalaland

ERK DIRECTED TO COMPILE LIST OF CASES THAT ABOUT FIFTY CASES, DATING BACK TO 1939, REMAIN INCOMPLETE ON DOCKET

Remarks addressed to Judge Thompson by bar members a general discussion was had of the administration of the court and the final changing of judgments rendered at some time.

The local bar being of the unanimous opinion that justice is not properly administered and that the delay and punishment are not being fairly and justly dealt with on motion made by S. B. Frink, and seconded by G. Butler Thompson, the said bar unanimously voted that E. J. Prevatte be directed to prepare this resolution, and S. T. Bennett, the clerk of said Recorder's court, be directed by the court, if the court deem such action proper and necessary, to complete a complete list of all incomplete judgments, withheld or otherwise, as well as altered or modified judgments and deliver the same to the Honorable Judge C. E. Thompson, clerk of the Superior courts, now sitting at the court house, with the request that his Honor direct that a thorough and complete investigation and report be made by the grand jury at the May, 1942, term of the Superior court of Brunswick county, North Carolina, to the effect that such action shall be taken at that time as may be deemed necessary for the correction of the alleged irregular practices, to the end that fair and equal justice may be assured to all defendants and parties appearing.

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Judge Thompson Holds One-Day Term Of Court

Superior Court Judge Comes Here To Preside Over Several Civil Actions With No Jurymen Summoned

Judge C. E. Thompson, of Elizabeth City, came here Friday for a one-day term of civil court, which was held without calling in a jury and was thus disposed of at a greatly reduced cost to the county.

The case of Rice Gwyn vs. Gus Bland was continued until the May term.

The Eastern Light Co. was made party defendant to the suit of the Lehigh Acceptance Corp. vs. Emily McCoy and L. C. McCoy.

The case of Nellie B. Chennis vs. George Baucomb is set as the first civil case to be tried at the May term.

J. R. Avery, Lacy Dawkins and R. L. Rabon were named appraisers and were directed to make a report at the May term of their investigations regarding the suit of H. M. Potter, Sallie J. Reeves, and J. C. Potter and wife vs.

Community Elections To Be Conducted Friday

Is Of Utmost Importance That Farmers Cooperate In Selecting Best Men Available For Committeemen

IS NEW SET-UP FOR THE COUNTY

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Painfully Hurt By Stab Wound

D. N. Mintz, of Bolivia, was seriously and painfully hurt Friday when he accidentally stabbed himself in the side.

Mr. Mintz was trying to cut the harness off one of his mules, which was the victim of a sudden fit while working, and in the resulting struggle he plugged his knife into his own left side, dangerously close to his heart.

Republicans Nominate Candidates

Election Board Names Officials For May Primary

David Ross Made Chairman Of This Body And Robert S. Milliken Named Secretary At Meeting On Saturday

FILING DATE TO END SATURDAY

Chairman Will Meet Candidates At Shallotte Saturday For Accepting Filing Fees

Registrars and judges to serve for the coming primary and general election were named by the Brunswick County Board of Elections at a meeting of that body here Saturday.

In setting up their organization, David Ross was named chairman; Robert S. Milliken, secretary; and Riley Clemmons, Republican Representative, as third member of the board.

Saturday of this week is the final date for filing for office, and chairman Ross stated that he will be at Shallotte from noon on that day until 6 o'clock for the purpose of accepting filing fees. He is doing this in order to make it as convenient as possible for candidates to file.

May 2nd is the first Saturday for the opening of the registration books, and they will also be open on the following two Saturdays at all polling places. May 19th is the date upon which a detailed report of expenditures must be filed with the Clerk of Court by all candidates, this report to cover expenses of the primary campaign. Challenge day is on Saturday, May 23, with complaints to be heard between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m.

May 30th is the date for the first primary, and the results of this election will be canvassed by the board on June 2nd. June 27th is the date for the second primary, and these returns will be canvassed on June 30th.

A motion was made and carried that the voting place in Waccamaw precinct be moved from its present location to the James W. King packhouse.

The board passed a resolution requesting all election officials to donate one day of their time to assist with the sugar rationing registration in the event it is impossible to complete this registration before school is out in this county.

Following is a list of election officials for each precinct, the first one named in each instance being the registrar, the other two judges:

Hood's Creek: Mrs. Leo Medlin, L. W. Lennon, Mrs. D. L. Potter.

Leland: Mrs. R. C. Holmes, S. A. Sue, Lonnie Regan.

Town Creek: A. P. Henry, L. N. Sowell, Jesse Knox.

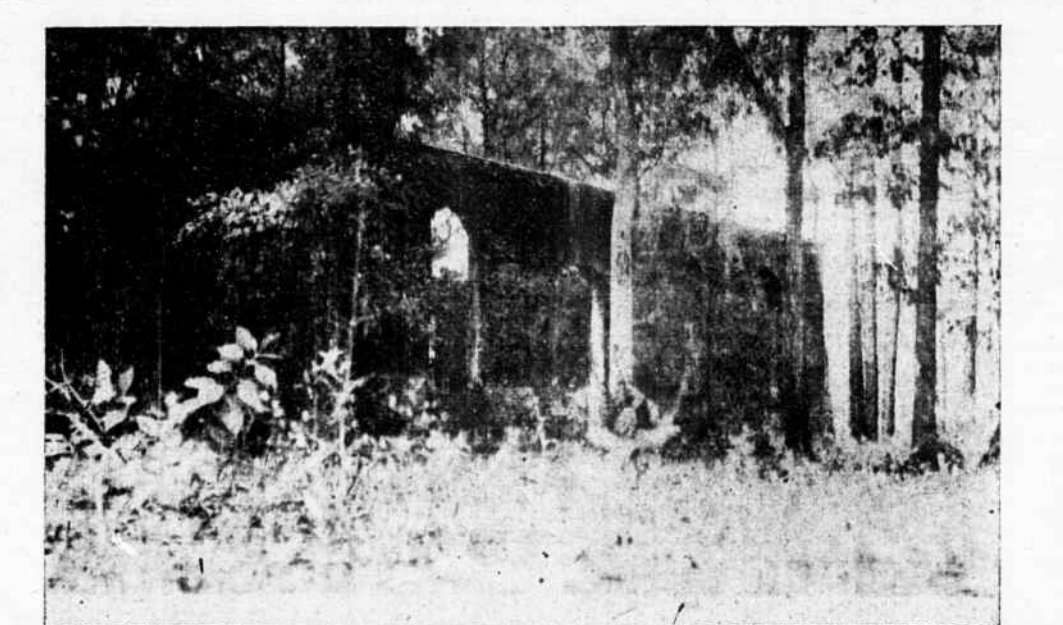
Bolivia: Foster Mintz, D. L. Mercer, H. L. Willetts.

Southport: Elsket St. George, Thomas St. George, Lester Davis.

Mosquito: Ernest Gilbert, Frank Lennon, Elwood Clemmons.

Supply: Vinton Galloway, Frank Floyd, Edgar Holden.

RUINS OF OLD CHURCH



ST. PHILLIPS—This is the season for visiting famous Orton Plantation in Brunswick county, and one of the places of interest in connection with a visit to the famous gardens is the site of old St. Phillips church, erected in 1725 at Old Brunswick.

Dewey Edwards Dies In Hospital

Resident Of Bolivia Dies In Veteran's Hospital Monday; Funeral Services Conducted Thursday

Dewey Lee Edwards, 39, of Bolivia, died at 10:30 o'clock Monday night at the Veterans hospital at Fayetteville after an extended illness.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Bolivia Baptist church by Rev. Woodrow Robbins and Rev. B. R. Page. Interment was in Griffin cemetery near Ash.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Mary Edwards, Bolivia; four daughters, Miss Annie L. Edwards, Miss Macy L. Edwards and Miss Lois Edwards, all of Bolivia; four brothers, Ralph Edwards, Bert Edwards, Bruce Edwards, all of Exum, and Fred Edwards, Wilmington; five sisters, Mrs. Ava Holden, Mrs. Stella Mintz, Mrs. Olivia Russ, all of Bolivia; Mrs. Maggie Brady and Mrs. Curtie Bennett, both of Exum.

Palbearers were: Active, six nephews; honorary, Ralph Smith, Dallas Johnson, Herbert Pittman, Odell Bennett, W. A. Kopp, John Elmore, Archie Johnson and Robert Phelps.

Three Cases In Court Monday

Three Cases Brought Before Judge Walter M. Stalaland Here In Recorder's Court This Week

In Recorder's court here Monday the case of Culbert Simmons, white, was remanded by Judge Walter M. Stalaland to the juvenile judge for trial.

Ruby Kelson, white, was charged with drunk driving and motion was made by her attorney for a jury trial. Bond for her appearance was set at \$400.00.

Bertha Rogers, colored, was found not guilty of aiding and abetting in reckless operation.

Week's Program For USO CLUB

Schedule Of Activities For Service Men At Southport USO Club Outlined For Coming Week

The following program for the Southport USO Club has been mapped out for the coming week: Thursday, April 16th, 8:30 P. M.: Motion picture, "ROSE OF WASHINGTON SQUARE", Tyrone Power, Alice Faye, Al Johnson.

Friday, April 17th, 8:30 P. M.: Motion picture (same show).

Frink Withdraws From Race For Solicitor

Southport Man Had Received Considerable Encouragement Regarding His Candidacy Before Deciding Not To Run

WILL MAKE RACE FOUR YEARS HENCE

Right Now Consuming Attention Of Southport Attorney Is To Enter Navy Service Of U. S.

S. Bunn Frink, prominent Southport attorney, last night formally withdrew his candidacy for the district solicitorship and issued the following statement:

"On or about January 14th, 1942, I applied for admission in the United States Naval Forces. A short while thereafter my application was denied and then I decided to offer for district solicitor of the Eighth Judicial District. Last week I was in Charleston, South Carolina, and was advised by the naval authorities that my application would be re-considered and that my application would very likely be accepted within the next few days. In view of the foregoing facts and being of the opinion that this is no time for dissension or disagreement and no time to engage in a heated campaign that would distract our attention from the main issue of the day, viz, 'To win the war'; and to win this war is a job that we should all cooperate together on and not let any other issue arise to lessen our efforts to crush the Axis Nations, which with the help of God, we will, I have decided to withdraw my name as a candidate for the office of District Solicitor of the Eighth Judicial District and have this day so informed the secretary of the State Board of Elections.

First Aid Class Is Nearing Close

Miss Louise Asbury, Certified First Aid Instructor, Has Been Teaching Colored Citizens

Miss Louise Asbury, a certified instructor for the American Red Cross first aid program, is completing this week a class which she has been teaching for the benefit of a number of colored citizens of the community at the Brunswick county training school.

Members of the class include Helen Stephens, Eva Lee, Roberta Ellis, Estelle Swain, Henry A. Holmes, Randall Howell, Catherine Marbury, Cora L. Parker, Alberta Lyonsa Roseboro, Alberta Beatrice Robinson, James F. Clemmons, Alvin C. Caviness and Grace O. Smith.

Poppy Day Is To Be Observed

Local Legion Auxiliary Will Cooperate In Program To Have Everyone Wear A Poppy On May 23

Poppies of patriotic remembrance will bloom in Southport on Saturday, May 23, Mrs. J. D. Sutton, president of Brunswick County Unit of the American Legion Auxiliary, announced today.

Every man, woman and child in the city will be asked to wear a poppy on that day in honor of the men who have given their lives for America. The poppies will be distributed by volunteer workers from the Auxiliary and the coins contributed for them will be used in Legion and Auxiliary work for the war disabled, their families and the families of the dead.

The poppies which will be distributed here have been made by disabled veterans at Otten Hospital. Making the little red flowers has given many veterans employment.

Republicans Will Enter Race With Complete Ticket

Candidates Nominated At Convention Held In Supply Thursday Morning; Party Organization Completed

F. L. LEWIS WILL BE CHAIRMAN

Party Platform Stresses Danger Of Nation At This Time Because Of Conditions Relative To War

Republican voters of Brunswick county met Thursday at Supply and nominated candidates as their standard-bearers in the general election in November. It was agreed that members of the party will not participate in the May primary.

First to be mentioned as a possible candidate, and last to agree to accept a nomination, was M. L. Mintz, candidate for the House of Representatives in 1940. He will again make the run for that office. The name of no other candidate was mentioned.

The sheriff's candidate is C. P. Willetts, Bolivia automobile dealer, who popped up as somewhat of a dark-horse. Although there was considerable conferring before the convention got underway, the name of no other man was offered.

Garfield Simmons was named candidate for the office of coroner, but only after R. H. Sellers had asked to be relieved of the nomination.

W. Levi Swain, Shallotte businessman, will make the race of clerk of court this fall. He, too, was without opposition for his party's nomination.

D. R. Johnson, of Winnabow, was named candidate for the party in the race for judge of Recorder's court. No candidate offered against him for the nomination.

The three men nominated for county commissioner were E. Mercer Cox, Bolivia; Allen P. Russ, Ash; and McKinley Hewett, Shallotte.

The following executive committee was elected for the two year period: F. L. Lewis, chairman, Charles M. Trott, secretary, and the following members: H. L. Willetts, Edgar Holden, S. J. Wilson, Garfield Simmons, C. Ed. Taylor.

The following delegates to the state convention were chosen: George H. Cannon, R. H. Maultsby, M. L. Mintz, C. Ed. Taylor, W. L. Swain, C. M. Trott, John Jenrette.

The following delegates to the congressional convention were chosen: Lester Babson, R. D. White, I. D. Harrelson, F. D. Inman, C. W. Knox, O. B. Sellers, W. A. Kopp.

On motion duly carried the delegates to the state convention were elected alternates to the

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.

TIDE TABLE	
Thursday, December 25	
0:51 a. m.	7:16 a. m.
1:10 p. m.	7:38 p. m.
Friday, December 26	
1:44 a. m.	8:19 a. m.
2:06 p. m.	8:33 p. m.
Saturday, December 27	
2:39 a. m.	9:16 a. m.
3:04 p. m.	9:24 p. m.
Sunday, December 28	
3:36 a. m.	10:08 a. m.
4:01 p. m.	10:11 p. m.
Monday, December 29	
4:30 a. m.	10:57 a. m.
4:55 p. m.	10:57 p. m.
Tuesday, December 30	
5:19 a. m.	11:44 a. m.
5:43 p. m.	11:43 p. m.
Wednesday, December 31	
6:01 a. m.	
6:26 p. m.	12:30 p. m.