

FROM BRUNSWICK COUNTY PLANTS



Clear Land To Be Used For Growing Plants

Jersey Truck Farmer So Well Pleased With Last Year's Experiment He Has Purchased Farm Site

TOMATO PLANTS FEATURE CROP

Walter H. Sheppard Had Good Luck Last Year With Crop Grown From Local Plants

As soon as weather conditions will permit, a big bulldozer began clearing operations on a tract of land along the road near Marsh Branch.

Plans are to grow tomato plants next spring on as much of the land as can be cleared and shaped for such plants.

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Brief News Flashes

Members of the Southport Community Club will hold their regular meeting tomorrow at the Community Center Building.

W. E. Bellamy has bought the Honey Cheers garage and home in Shalotte, near the bridge.

Work on building the outside work on the two brick building, that is being constructed for R. S. White, Shalotte, will be completed this week.

A representative of the U. S. Army Guard Recruiting Office, Wilmington, will be at the form room, S. O. building at Southport, tomorrow (Thursday) for the purpose of interviewing qualified persons who are interested in enlisting in this branch of the service.



GROWING—Folks who have been wondering how the transplanted Brunswick county tomato plants made out in New Jersey fields will be interested in the above pictures.

Brunswick Farm Bureau Drive Is Nearing Goal

With One More Month In Which To Enlist Members, Officials Of Farm Bureau See Good Chance For County

TOTAL OF 773 IS BRUNSWICK QUOTA

Preliminary County Report Reveals That Walter M. Stannaland Is Leading In Signing Up Members

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Top man in signing up new members, according to last week's check up, was Walter M. Stannaland with 100 members.

Leland Citizen Dies In Hospital

Charles Rufus Skipper Died Last Week In Wilmington Hospital Following Extended Illness

Charles Rufus Skipper, well known resident of the Leland community, died in the Bullock hospital in Wilmington last week after an extended illness.

Schoolmasters In First Fall Meet

Principal Martin C. Freeman Of Waccamaw Elected President Of County Organization

The Brunswick County Schoolmasters Club, organized ten years or more ago with both recreational and school advancement activities as its object, is again functioning smoothly after having its activities greatly curtailed by the war.

Hurricane Path Reported Headed West Of County

Hurricane Warnings Received Here This Morning Had Residents Digging In To Ride Out Storm

SAVANNAH HIT BY WIND MOVING NORTH

Mid-Morning Report Of Charleston Weather Bureau Indicates Storm Center To Miss Area

A hurricane warning which sounded like it was really intended for the Southport area had boat owners and residents along the coast digging in early today to weather a storm.

Some relief was felt when the mid-morning weather report from Charleston indicated that the tropical disturbance of hurricane intensity had veered inland after striking Savannah, Ga., with the prediction that the center would pass about 100-miles west of Southport.

Special Session Called For Today

Entire Day Monday Devoted To Trial Of Cases In Recorder's Court And Special Session Found Necessary

Monday saw the longest session of Recorder's court in many months, as the entire day was given to the trial of cases arising during the past week and with several that had been continued from previous sessions.

The minute books show the following entries for Monday: Clyde Church, reckless operation and damage to property, continued to October 20.



Our ROVING Reporter

From a forestry and economic standpoint, it is a long step from the fire-swept area of Brunswick county of twenty-five years ago to the hundreds of thousands of acres of well protected lands now producing pulpwood and other timber.

Homecoming Day At New Hope

Annual Homecoming Day will be observed at New Hope Presbyterian church at Winnabow Sunday, October 19, and a cordial invitation has been extended by the pastor, Dr. J. M. Waggett, to all members, former members and friends to be present.

Whiteville Mart Closes Selling Season Today

Prospects Are That 32-Million Pound Mark Will Be Reached By Time Sales End On Warehouse Floors Today

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LAST MINUTE SALES SWELL SEASON TOTALS

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Tobacco came rolling in during the week end and gave rise to hopes for a 32-million-pound season. To reach that mark, it will be necessary to sell 699,000 pounds during the final three days of this week.

One set of buyers have been left on the market to buy until final sales are held Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 15.

Deer Hunters Have Some Luck

Scattering Reports From Various Parts Of The County Indicate That Deer Are Plentiful This Year

No attempt has been made to check on the number of deer hunters in the Brunswick woods during the threeopen days, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, of last week, but it is safe to say that they ran into more than a hundred.

Oliver Evans, reckless operation, continued to October 20. Lester M. Oliver, drunk driving, fined \$100.00 and costs. Walter Thorp, drunk driving, (Continued on Page Eight)

Durham Dentist Returns To His Native County

Dr. R. H. Holden Has Opened Offices In Shalotte Soda Shop Building For Practice Of Dentistry



DR. R. H. HOLDEN

The ranks of the Brunswick county professional men recently received a fine addition when Dr. R. H. Holden, returned from Durham to his native Brunswick county and opened dental offices at Shalotte.

He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Holden, of Supply, and Holden's Beach. Dr. Holden graduated from Trinity Park high school in 1916. From then on until he went into the army in 1918 he attended Trinity College. His service in World War I included 12 months overseas.

Returning to the United States he continued his dental studies and was graduated from the Atlanta Southern Dental College in 1923. Following his graduation he spent six months with the North Carolina State Board of Health, opening his own dental office in Durham in April, 1924. He had a large and profitable practice

Prize-Minded Fishermen Get Lesson In Sailing

Three Winners On Rodeo List

Brunswick county furnished winners in three divisions for weekly prizes for the Annual Fall Fishing Rodeo according to announcement made Thursday.

The big story was the 7-ft. 11-in. sailfish caught by Dr. Elliott Motley, of Charlotte, aboard the Idle on, a Southport craft. This catch remains the outstanding entry of the tournament thus far.

Longwood School Adds Two Grades

Principal James Dicks Will Teach Classes In Two Grades Being Added For Benefit Of Students In Area

J. T. Denning, Superintendent of the Brunswick county school system, states that beginning next Monday, October 20, the State is establishing 9th and 10th high school grades at the colored school at Longwood. All colored students in those grades living in the area are asked to be present on that date.

James Dicks, principal of the school, will teach these two high school grades. He is a graduate of Allen University, of Columbia, S. C., has had eight years as teacher and principal, is a veteran of World War II, married and his wife is also a teacher. They will live at Longwood.

The school, which has been functioning in an old church building during the fall months, will open up Monday in its new 4-room building, each room being 24 by 32 feet. This building has been a great need of several years for the colored people in the Longwood section. The old building which it is replacing was in an extremely bad state of repair.

Former Resident Dies In Virginia

Martin Miller Spent Several Years Here As Engineer Aboard Menhaden Boats

Martin Miller, a veteran of the first world war, died at home in Virginia Thursday as a result of heart trouble. He was about 60-years old and was a brother of Mrs. R. F. Placco, of Southport. He never married.

Several years ago Mr. Miller resided in Southport for three or four years and served as engineer on the menhaden boats U. L. Coz (Continued on Page Six)



DR. R. H. HOLDEN

there until he sold out this summer in order to return to Brunswick county.

During his residence in Durham Dr. Holden served two terms as president of a tri-county Dental Society, the counties being Durham, Orange and Person. He (Continued on Page Four)

Captain Jodie Arnold Held A Class In Elementary Seamanship Aboard His Dory Saturday Afternoon

Former Postmaster And Lawyer Attend Fishing Foray To Corn Cake Inlet Has Unhappy Ending When Somebody Forgot Can Of Petrol

A deal was arranged for Capt. Jodie Arnold to take the two prospectors over to Bald Head Island early Saturday morning, using his outboard motor boat.

The former postmaster, spending Friday night with friends in Wilmington was to do the impossible thing of coming down early and wake Davis, another impossible early morning undertaking. But, the occasion was so momentous, the former postmaster actually managed to get up at 5 a. m. He drove all of the way down from Wilmington and after half hour of effort he managed to awaken the lawyer by throwing rocks through his up stairs window.

Permission having been secured from Mrs. Herring for her husband to go fishing, the two conspirators for the \$1,000.00 prize hurried around to the dock where Capt. Jodie was waiting for them.

Each had two rods, two extra reels, extra lines, all calculated to hold that 64-pounder. They happily stowed everything aboard and Capt. Jodie yanked the starter lanyard and gave the order to shove off.

In about an hour they arrived by routes that the crew does not fly to a point some six miles off Southport and a mile and a half off Bald Head, so close to Corncake they could see the waters. Yaskell describes those waters as being full of big drum.

Young Waccamaw Resident Passes

Funeral Services For Clyde Long Were Conducted Saturday Morning From Soldier Bay Baptist Church

Funeral services for Clyde Long, 35-year old citizen of Waccamaw township, were conducted Saturday morning at Soldier Bay Baptist church by Rev. Woodrow W. Robbins, pastor of the church. Mr. Long died in the Doshier Hospital at Southport Thursday, after a long illness.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Jolly Long, one son, Jerry Long and his mother, Mrs. D. B. Long, all of Ash.

Active pallbearers were Dalton Simmons, Melton Evans, Roland Simmons, Pawnee Formyduval, James Purvis and Jesse Purvis. Honorary pallbearers were Deacons of Soldier Bay church, Bardeen Coleman, Parley Formyduval, Orby Lee Stanley, Rufus Phelps, Baxter Williams and Armstrong Evans.

Hallowe'en Ball Tickets On Sale

E. R. Weeks Is General Chairman Of Event Which Will Feature Music Of Virgil West Orchestra

E. R. Weeks, general chairman of the Masked Ball which will be sponsored by the Southport Lions Club on Hallowe'en eve, has turned over the matter of decorations to a sub-committee headed by Lion Club Secretary D. J. Smith. With his reputation for getting things done, there seems good reason to expect a jam-up job of setting the stage for this event.

Chairman Weeks says that the club is lucky to have Virgil West and his popular orchestra signed up for Hallowe'en eve, and he is starting tomorrow with the advance sale of tickets for the ball.