

# Finals Program Being Planned

Commencement Exercises At Brunswick County Training School Has Many Interesting Features

A. C. Cavaness, principal of the Brunswick County Training School at Southport, announces his commencement program, beginning on May 14th and with the finals on May 26th.

The senior play is scheduled for Friday night of this week.

The grammar grade glee club recital will be on Wednesday night, May 19th, at 8 o'clock. This is a very fine feature consisting of secular selections, choral readings, spirituals, folk songs and popular current songs. The public is cordially invited to attend. There will be no admission charge.

The high school chorus recital will be on May 21; the baccalaureate sermon on May 23rd; primary operetta on May 24; class night exercises on May 25th and graduation exercises on May 26th.

Thirty-three boys and girls are to graduate from the high school department. This is said to be an outstanding number for this high school. These graduates are, Ruth Bell, Kenneth Bellamy, Howard Bernard, Alma Brown, James Bryant, Printess Burney, Albert Cowan, George Clemmons, Lorenzo Clemmons, Vernice Evans, Abram Frink, James Frink, Vonnie Fullwood, Evelyn Galloway, Araminta Gore, Atlee Gore, James Gore, Joseph Gore, Lee Grant Gore, Vivian Gore, Carolyn Hankins, Roosevelt Hankins, Helen Harrison, Emma Jackson, Inez Johnson, Gerhelle

Joyner, Joseph McKoy, Edna Mitchell, George Mitchell, Wilhemina Parker, Frances Price and Odell Williams.

## HONOR STUDENT

Cadet R. Frank Plaxco, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Plaxco, Southport, was on the list of distinguished students at Fishburne Military School, Waynesboro, Va., for the academic month ending May 1, having met the requirements of no grade below 90 percent.

## Prospects Good For Fishermen

Early Appearance Of Big Blues Off Coast Has Been Attracting Sportsmen; Inside Fishing Starting

The outlook for sports fishing this year is better than it ever has been before during the early part of May. This applies to the whole of the Brunswick county coast, from Flying Pan Shoals on down to Little River, S. C.

Blue fish put in their appearance about three weeks earlier than they normally do. They are said to run somewhat larger than those of previous years. In addition to the blues, the wrecks of sunken ships off the coast have been yielding some fine catches of trout. These wrecks also yield up about all sorts of other bottom fish.

Both Long Beach and Holden Beach have easy access to the mouth of Lockwoods Folly River and Howell's Point. Howell's Point is drawing many sports fishermen on its own and the two beaches usually send in a lot more sportsmen to try their luck in the waterway and river mouth. The Inland Waterway, passing

## WELFARE DEPT.

### Ruth E. Patterson

Superintendent Public Welfare

Mrs. Jennie Wilson came to the welfare office to make application for an old age assistant grant. We investigated her needs and income in order to present the case to the Welfare Board. In our investigations we talked with Mrs. Wilson's son, John, with whom she was living. Mr. Wilson was not at all interested in having his mother receive an old age assistance grant because he said that he and his brother who lived close by were able to take care of her properly without outside help.

We talked to Mrs. Wilson about this, but she wanted us to continue with the application because she did not want to be a burden on her sons. She had no income except what they gave her, and she felt that she was too much of a burden on them.

When the case was presented to the Welfare Board, the application was rejected because Mrs. Wilson's two sons were willing and able to care for her without our help. When Mrs. Wilson learned the outcome she was very much upset. She told us how John's crops had been bad this year and how Andy's baby had been sick. She just didn't want to ask them for everything she needed.

We explained to her in case she was dissatisfied with the decision of the local Welfare Board she had a perfect right to appeal the case to the State Board of Allotments and Appeals. We helped her to sign the proper pa-

pers for such an appeal.

A day was set for a hearing and everyone who had any interest in the case was informed of the time and place. A representative from the state office, together with a stenographer, came down to hear the evidence on both sides. Mrs. Wilson told again of how she had no income except what her sons gave her. Her two sons told of how they owned enough property and had enough income so that together they were able and willing to take care of Mrs. Wilson.

The evidence gathered at this hearing was taken to the State Board of Allotments and Appeals where it was carefully studied. It was decided to uphold the first decision and not give a grant in this particular case.

Even though Mrs. Wilson did not get the OAA grant she was seeking, she felt more satisfied after having gone through the application and the appeal. She showed herself and her sons that she was trying to help herself as much as possible. At the time of the appeal she felt that she was being given every opportunity to tell her individual problem to the highest authority. She saw too clearly that it was really meant that her boys really meant it when they said they would take care of her.

Every applicant or recipient of a public assistance grant is made to feel that they are perfectly free to make their dissatisfaction known to the state authorities through this right of appeal.

within three or four hundred yards of the Holden Beach development, also offers sportsmen at that beach a lot in the way of fine inside fishing.

Shallotte Point, at the mouth of the Shallotte river, is also coming right along as an attractive spot for fishermen and the same can be said of Gause Landing, Seaside and Calabash.

A recent trip down that way revealed the presence of many parties from points throughout this and other states. Reports are that these inside fishing parties are not yet making such big catches. They are, however, get-

ting enough fish to be greatly pleased with their trips. They return a little later for another go at it is assured.

### UNUSUAL CATCH

Lewis Dorne, of New Bern, fishing Saturday on the pigfish grounds in the river and off Fort Caswell, caught a speckled trout that was nearly two feet in length. Local fishermen say they have no records of speckled trout being caught in this area and during the spring months.

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## "Silver" Program Is Presented By Acme-Delco OES

BOLTON, May 10.—The Acme-Delco Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star celebrated its silver anniversary with approximate exercises Tuesday night with sixty members and guests present.

The anniversary celebration followed a covered dish supper in the hall which was attractively decorated with Spring flowers.

The program included recognition of visitors and charter members, a history of the chapter by Mrs. G. Hobbs, a song, "Star of the East," by a quartet composed of Lois Ward, B. Singletary, Lora Mae Brown and Geneva Brown, and a talk by Mrs. J. R. Howard of Lake Waccamaw.

Charter members attending included Mrs. Etta Daniels, Mrs. Grace Pridgen, Mrs. Sarah Grimstead of the Masonic-Eastern Star Home is one and is the chapter's guest at the home. Mrs. Grace Rouark of Southport and Mrs. Kate Marks of Delco are other charter members now af-

filled with other chapters. These were presented life certificates.

Guests included Mrs. Harriett L. Powell of the Goldenrod Chapter, Wilmington and Mrs. Reta H. Henley, of Roseboro, past grand matrons of the Grand Chapter of North Carolina, J. M. Henley, past grand sentinel of Roseboro, and Norwood Parker, district deputy grand patron of Clinton.

Clinton, Live Oak, Goldenrod, Kinston, Cobarril, Whiteville, Kinston, and Wright G. Campbell, Concord, were represented.

Members were urged to attend the Grand Chapter meeting to be held at Asheville from June 6 to 10.

## Old Stones Put In Chicago Building

MANTEO—Two stones, believed to have been used as ballast in ships that brought Sir Walter Raleigh's colonist to Roanoke Island is being embedded in an exterior wall of the new addition to the Chicago Tribune's new addition to its newspaper and radio center. The building, constructed of historic stones from the various states of the Union,

officials estimate that the transports Navy men for thirds of the cost the Navy have to pay for commercial transportation for the same men. The Navy today has more than 400 ship and station papers that are printed for the benefit of Naval personnel isolated from regular services.

In schools established by the Navy in Trust Islands of the Pacific, classes in the practical use of English are held for the native children. A Navy submarine, the only seagoing craft which provides a stable platform, is helping American scientists make accurate gravity measurements at sea. Naval Air Transport Service

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

The Shallotte Livestock Market

will be open for the purchase of hogs and cattle, every day, beginning Monday, Dec. 1, 1947, and continuing each day thereafter.

DAILY MARKET PRICES WILL BE PAID

W. McKinley Hewett, Mgr. Shallotte, N. C.

## CATHOLIC INFORMATION

Dickie, a Buick and the Pope

Suddenly something hit me from behind and I found myself sprawled at the far side of the pavement. Sitting up, half dazed, I saw out in the gutter an overturned express wagon and the grinning and almost gloating visage of my seven-year-old nephew.

"Hello, Uncle!" he shouted. "I sure can go some, can't I?" "Yes," I answered, rising slowly and trying out each limb separately. "I'll admit your speed, but I'm not a bit convinced of your steering ability."

"Oh, I can steer all right, when I want to! You ought to see me steer the Buick all over town!"

I scoffed at the boast, but after dinner we all went out for a drive and Dickie proved beyond any question his infallibility as a steerer. Up and down hills, around curves, in and out of traffic we went, Dickie on his father's lap, steering with accuracy and full confidence, because he knew that behind his own little hands on the wheel were the big, strong, sure hands of his daddy.

This little episode is a simple parallel to the Dogma of Papal Infallibility, which is simply that the head of the Church of Christ is preserved from teaching error in matters of faith or morals, due to the special assistance of the Holy Ghost, the Spirit of Truth.

The Pope may steer his own little express wagon with inaccuracy; but when the occasion arises for him to direct the motor car of God's revealed truths, the hands of the Holy Ghost are behind his on the wheel, to make certain that the faithful are guided unerringly in their beliefs.

From Peter to Pius XII there have been 262 Popes, no one of whom has defined a single dogma which conflicted in any way with the dogmatic definitions of any other Pope.

To the Catholic the dogma of Papal Infallibility is clear, logical, and essential to a Church founded by God for all men for all time.

If it's anything Catholic, ask a Catholic! For further information on this subject write for free pamphlet to P. O. Box 351, Whiteville, N. C.

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FORMER GOVERNOR

## J. MELVILLE BROUGHTON

CANDIDATE FOR THE UNITED STATES SENATE

As Governor, Legislator and Public Servant, Former Governor Broughton Took An Active Part in the Accomplishment of These Progressive Measures for the Farmer:

1. Former Governor Broughton has been engaged actively in farming for over twenty-five years and is himself a flue-cured tobacco grower.
2. Mr. Broughton has been active in securing better prices for tobacco. In October, 1943, while he was Governor when the price for tobacco collapsed, he declared a marketing holiday and kept the markets closed until he was successful in working out plans for better prices and a stabilized market. In 1945 he personally appeared before officials of the Office of Price Administration insisting on an increase in the ceiling price for tobacco. The increase was granted which meant more than 10 million dollars to the growers of tobacco. In 1946 he appeared before the proper government agencies insisting that ceiling prices and allocations on tobacco be abolished. This was done and meant millions of dollars to the growers.
3. He has long been a member of the Farm Bureau and State Grange and has probably spoken to more farmers in farm meetings than any person in the State. He delivered one of the principal addresses at the annual meeting of the National Grange at Grand Rapids, Michigan in 1944. He appeared on the program of the National Farm Bureau meeting at San Francisco in December, 1946.
4. Mr. Broughton was instrumental in establishing the Flue-Cured Tobacco Stabilization Corporation which has meant many millions of dollars in increased income to farmers. He prepared the charter and by-laws for this organization and has worked closely with the organization since its establishment.
5. Mr. Broughton in 1947 drafted the legislation authorizing the establishment of Tobacco Associates, Inc., and prepared the charter and by-laws for the organization. Tobacco Associates is proving to be of great benefit to tobacco growers in the European Recovery Program and the continuation of satisfactory Federal farm legislation for tobacco.
6. Mr. Broughton has been actively connected with the dairy industry of the State. While he was Governor he approved the program and procured the allocation of funds to set up at State College the best dairy equipment for institutional purposes to be found in any institution of the South.
7. Mr. Broughton has shown great interest in other agricultural crops produced in North Carolina, such as cotton, peanuts, and fruits and vegetables. He collaborated with State Marketing Specialists in drafting the Commodity Referendum Act passed by the 1947 General Assembly under which farmers may act jointly with dealers and processors in promoting the sale, distribution and consumption of farm products. At the present time he is advocating the establishment of processing plants for Irish potatoes to place potato-growing on a sounder and more profitable basis in North Carolina.

ON THE BASIS OF THIS RECORD

## J. MELVILLE BROUGHTON

MERITS YOUR VOTE AND SUPPORT FOR

## UNITED STATES SENATE

IN THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY MAY 29