Most of The News



Democrats Will Hold Convention This Saturday

Precinct Chairmen Asked To Meet At 2 O'Clock In Order That Election Of County Chairmen May Be Taken Care Of First

Brunswick county Democrats will hold their biennial convention Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Shallotte high school.

D. B. Frink, chairman of the Democratic executive committees, has called for all newly elected chairmen of the various precincts to meet one-half hour earlier at 2 o'clock in order that the matter o felecting a chairman of the executive committee may be at- etc., have the spelling as Wagtended to before the co convenes.

One of the features of the convention will be to give each candidate for office an opportunity to speak briefly.

The following men comprise the executive committee by virtue of their election Saturday as precinct chairmen: Hoods Creek, Leo Medlin; Leland, D. L. Ganey; Town Creek, J. N. Sowell; Bolivia, Lester Edwards; Southport No. 1, L. T. Garner; Southport No. II, R. Will Davis; Mosquito, Frank Lennon; Supply, A. M. Parker; Secession, Bedford Ludlum; Shallotte, Fred Mintz; Frying Pan, John W. Garner; Grissettown, Harry Bennett; Shingletree, Eugene Carter; Longwood, M. C. Four Brunswick camaw, Wrent Mintz; Exum, Homer Russ.

Brief News Flashes

BENEFIT SUPPER

A benefit supper will be served tomorrow (Thursday) evening be-Community Building. Preparations spring. are being made to care for at least 200 persons

DOG VACCINATION

Jack Hickman will be at the Fire Station on each Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoon beginning May 9 for the purpose of innoculating against rabies. All dogs must be innoculated before June 30 or their owners will be prosecuted.

FISH FRY

The Town Creek Post American Legion will hold a fish fry at Town Creek Bridge Saturday, May 15, at 7:30 o'clock. Entertainment will be furnished by the typical July and August crowds Hezekiah Brewington Is Or- gular summer residents. Dan Mintz quartet. Proceeds from this occasion will go to the build- beachers despite the fact that

ADDITIONAL ACREAGE

Any farm operator who has a

Sunday Fishing Party Catches 226 Bluefish

Traces Change In Indian Name

Recently there has been a good deal in the papers regarding the Waccamaw Indians, supposedly lost tribe whose origin has never been definitely traced. They now live mostly in Welches Creek township in Columbus county.

Relative to the name "Waccamaw", former Post Master W. R. Holmes of Shallotte points out that old maps, books, gaman, not Waccamaw, as in the present day form.

Lake Waccamaw was Lake Waggaman and the Waccamaw River was Waggaman River. Waggaman seems to be more of an Indian name than Waccamaw. The English pronunciation of Waggaman into Waccamaw probably resulted in conversion of the name of the Indians, lake and river into Waccamaw, instead of the correct Wagga-

One thing is certain, reference to the Waggaman Indians may be found in old books. They are Waccamaw Indians of today,

Boys At Wake

students from Brunswick are in- large trout and with a sprinkling cluded in the record breaking en- of bluefish and sea bass. From ginning at 5:30 o'clock at the rollment at Wake Forest this now on, the indications are that

> Ash is represented by Ray Walton, third year law student. From game fish out on the gulf. Shallotte comes Odell Hewett, (Continued on Page Five)

Big Crowds At **Beaches Sunday**

Many Upstate Folks Came Down To Brunswick Coast Colored Youth For First Time This Season During Past Week-End

Sunday is said to have brought to the several Brunswick county none of them had what might be called official openings. It just appears to have been a great flood of visitors to all points, cotton allotment for 1950 and mixed with home owners and

cannot be determined whether were everywhere, Fort Caswell, a jury conducted an inquest into man would be here again on the here. the applicant will be eligible for Caswell Beach, Long Beach, Hol- the fatal shooting of LeRoy 14th of May for a full weeks such an increase until he files den Beach and Shallotte Point. Green. an application. The closing date Incompleted roads to Gause Land- Mrs. Joe Ramsauer and Miss

Myrtle Beach Party Aboard

Idle-On Hit Into Big School Of Fish On Way In From Off-Shore Trip And Made Good Catch

MANY PARTIES WERE OUT SUNDAY All Available Boats Were In

Service Sunday And Trout And Bluefish Constituted Major Part Of Catches

A catch brought in late Sunday night by the Idle-On, Captain Hulan Watts, was the most insting of the year to thousands of sportsmen who watch for the first concentrated appearance of bluefish out on Frying Pan

The Idle-On had been to the gulf with Jake Lackey, R. E. L. Borwn and other prominent Myrtle Beach sportsmen who make regular trips here. The gulf yeilded a fine catch of the big game fish and the boat and party started homeward late in the afternoon. Near Southport they ran into real excitement when Captain Watts spotted a big school of bluefish. The boat waded into them and at the end of an hour and a half 226 of the fish had been reeled in. The blues, not counting the big game fish taken by the party, weighed approximately 400 pounds.

Saturday, the day before this catch, saw a big rush of sport fishermen to Southport. Every Four Students From Bruns-wick County Included In three shrimp boats were also Record Enrollment At chartered. Catches both Saturday Wake Forest College This and Sunday, and not including the haul made Sunday by the Idle-On, ran from 100 to 200 WAKE FOREST May 2-Four pounds, most of the fish being the blue fish will claim the center of attention along with the big

> One thing that worries the boatmen is the inclination of fishing parties to all want to come Saturdays or Sundays. At such times it is difficult to secure Continued On Page Five

dered Held Under \$1,000. For Grand Jury Action

would like to plant more than prospective home builders coming tween Southport and Wilmington, tured the prediction that he would one of the nationally known orgained his liberty Thursday night

Students Enjoy Recent Visit

One of the highlights of the school year at Shallotte was the recent trip to Washington, D. C., taken by members of the senior class.

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places visited: Mt. Vernon, tomb of George Washington, Arlington National Cemetery, tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Washington Monument, Bureau of Printing and Engraving, F. B. I. Headquarters, Smithsonian In-

The following made the trip: Keldon Meares.

To Washington

The group left Shallotte by bus at 8:30 o'clock on the morning of April 20 and returned at 1 o'clock on the morning of

Bottom row, left to right: Carolyn Smith, Joan Bennett, Ruth Galloway, Marie Fulford, Geraldine Cox, Winifred Register, Mary Frances Hardee, Billie Leonard, Esther Williams, Joyce Hewett, Doris Mae Hewett, Rose Marie Gray and Evelyn Holden. Top row, left to right: W. J. McLamb, Jimmy Bellamy, Burness Hewett, Joseph Carter, Floyd Kirby, Jr., Cameron Norris, Billy Caison, Mrs. S. T. Russ, L. R. Galloway, James into the case. Robbins, Roy Hewett, Floyd Clemmons, Bobby Stanley and

ssociated Press Writer In

Nation's Capital Reviews vestigation

FEDERAL AID ASKED BY CHIEF FREEMAN

Nine-Year-Old Princess Is Taken To Washington To Appeal For Help to Pre-. vent "Extinction" Of Tribe

By MARGARET KERNODLE

WASHINGTON, April 27-Is a neglected in North Carolina? That was the question considerby a Congressional committee

A pretty nine-year-old princess amed Coo (after a dove) joined er grandfather and five other ome bronze-skinned men in elling their story—the story of Waccamaw Indians, they

Bosone (D-Utah) told a Public Lands Subcommit-"They are a lost tribe. If leave them that way the State f North Carolina isn't going to

Congresswoman Bosene and Rep. Poulson (R-Calif) have inced bills which, in effect, vould establish an Indian reservation in Columbus and Bladen counties, N. C. for the more than

340 Waccamaws reported living there, Rep. Morris (D-Okla.), chairman of the group, said the hearing will be continued later in order to hear from North Carolina members of Congress and rom the Bureau of Indian Af-

Morris suggested Congressmen nay make a trip to look into the situation described to the committee. Other members of the committee said a survey seemed

Two plans of possible help were mentioned: 1. An outright grant federal funds for education (Continued on page five)

Following are some of the Special Session To Decide Case

Brunswick County Election Board Visits Man About Whose Candidacy There Was Some Controversy

Members of the Brunswick ounty Board of Elections met in special session Friday night, April 28, at the home of the chairman for the purpose of considering an affidavit protesting the failure of the board to include the name of W. H. Brew on the ballot as a candidate for member of the County Board of Education from the Leland School District.

After a discussion of the facts before the board, a decision was reached to defer action until Monday, May 1, at which time a full investigation could be made

The board met in Southport at 2 o'clock on Monday, May 1, and (Continued on page five)



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boats. The boatmen point out that tor, is now constructing what distant places. One day during week days usually afford a better may be the most attractive home the past week the American chance of making a good catch yet built at Caswell Beach. The Music Corporation of America building is near the handsome wired us from New York that one summer home of Mr. and Mrs. of their best known orchestras Harris Nelson of Leaksville-Spray. would be available for a dance It is being built for Dr. and Mrs. or other gathering in Brunswick Nathan Womack of Iowa City, on either June 1 or June 2. As Iowa while spending their vaca- they are on tour and will be

Dearmond Swain, local contrac- | county is more or less known in Free On Bond low while spending their vacathey are on tour and will be tion here last summer Dr. and through here, a special rate was Mrs. Womack bought a water offered. Contacting them it was front lot and plan to become re- found that the regular appearance rate was \$1,500 but they offered

to appear here while marking Three years ago Lucius P. La- time for about one-half of that. Following Coroner's In- mar, one of the circulation sup- The trouble was that Brunswick ervisors of the Washington, D. county has no floor large enough C., Times-Hearld, spent a week for this 25-piece orchestra and operations. Should they find fish ton; 3 grandchildren and 1 great Hezekiah Brewington, 18 year in Southport in February. When the crowd it would draw. Anyold youth living on Route 130 be- he returned to his duties we ven- way, it was nice to know that swing into line in short order. come back. This week a letter chestras of the American Music tory's capacity has been enlarged neth McKeithan, Elbert Kirby, at the County PMA Office. It Reports are that the visitors when Coroner John G. Caison and advised that the Times-Herld Corporation was anxious to come over what it was able to handle H. L. Clemmons, and M. M. King.

Columbus Indian Tribe Status Up "Adpots" New Baby Before Congress Another Group Of Highway Accident Victims Have Opportunity To Discover Southport Hospitality

in an accident below Shallotte pastor of

in the hospital.

Mrs. Frank Lain and Mrs. to the hospital to see what sort The Information Furnish- Richard Lain of Middleton, N. Y., of arrangements could be made ed During Committee In- enroute to Florida, were injured for her care. Rev. H. M. Baker, near the South Carolina line Fri- church was visiting the hospital day a week ago when one of the at the time and when he diswheels dropped off the pavement covered the predicament Mrs. and in trying to get back on the Lain was in he volunteered to pavement the driver lost control care for the baby until the of the car. The vehicle ended up mother was able to be discharged against a telephone pole in a from the hospital. Meanwhile, Mr. battered condition and the two Frank Lain flew down from New Mrs. Lains were injured enough York to see about having the to require hospitalization at Dosh- car repaired, and while in Souther Memorial Hospital in South- port was a guest of Mrs. Christine Frink.

> was Miss Mary Lou Lain, age 11 others in Southport tried to make leigh of the appointment of a months and a daughter of Mrs. the Lains feel at home while 17-man committee to handle his Richard Lain. Mary Lou was not here and arranged for them to campaign for renomination in injured at all in the wreck, and see as many of the local sights Brunswick county. Mrs. Pearce whose home was as possible when they were able near the scene of the accident, to be out of the hospital. Mr. said Judge Jeff D. Johnson, camgraciously volunteered to keep Baker took Mrs. Frank Lain to paign manager for Senator Grathe baby while the mother was Wilmington Saturday to board a ham, plane for New York where she ignore the boundaries of factional Monday Mrs. Pearce's son de- hoped to meet her husband and politics and are frankly seeking reloped the measles and it be- sister-in-law who left Southport the active support of all of the came necessary to bring the baby Friday by car for New York.

Vocational Night At Waccamaw School

Planting Tobacco Nearing Finish

Following a good rain over most of the county on Monday night, the work of transplanting tobacco has speeded up and nearly all growers should be able to finish transplanting this week, according to county A. S. Knowles. They should have finished before this but the very dry weather held things up badly.

Nearly all growers who do not finish transplanting this week will be those who lost their plants from blue mold, thre ough failure to spray. Some plants were also lost by being left uncovered in cold weather. Those growers will be able to get plants from neighboring farmers, but it follows that these neighbors want to be sure they have enough plants for their own use before they sell or give away the surplue they

In addition to facilitating the transplanting, County Agent Knowles says that the rains have also greatly improved the condition of the plants both in the fields and in plant beds. Other crops, too, are perking up under the stimulating effect of the rain.

Ministers Guests At Fort Caswell

With Pastors Of Churches From Seven Surrounding Counties Present Pastors of Baptist churches

from several counties were invited to a fish fry at Ft. Caswell Monday. Dr. R. K. Redwine acted as chef for the occasion and was ably assisted by Mr. Maxwell, Mr. Clemmons, Mr. Lewis and Mrs. Hewett. The purpose of the fish fry

was to acquaint the pastors with the Caswell property, the improvements that have been made at Ft. Caswell, the proposed program for the summer, available accomodations and rates. Mini-Continued On Page Five

First Menhaden **Boats Now Ready**

pany Vessels

Reports are that the boats of the Brunswick Navigation Company are to begin the season search for fish this week, with three boats staged for the initial It is understood that the facfleet bringing in a greater volume mond Galloway, Floyd Kirby, Folks are still stopping us to of catches should the fish be as Thomas Kirby, Dr. M. H. Rourk,

Annual Program to Acquaint will receive a large majority," Activities Of Special Branches Of School Will Be
Held May 12

Teported Judge Johnson, "and we deeply appreciate this feeling.

"We have had many voluntar offers of service and support from the service and support from t

Exhibits By Commercial And Vocational Groups Planned

This is a traditional program quito, Carl S. Ward; Supply, part of the commencement series.

The public is cordially invited.

E. Bellamy; Shallotte, Dr. R. H.
Holden; Frying Pan, Dr. M. H.

James M. Harper, editor of the State Port Pilot, will be the guest speaker. J. T. Denning, Superintendent of schools, will introduce the speaker.

A fashion show will be presented by the home economics girls and the Mill Branch and Freeland adult classes.

Awards will be made at the close of the program.

After the program, open house will be held with special exhibits from each department to be displayed. These exhibits are assigned class room projects as well as home projects. The commercial and booking projects. The agriculture department will feature Fish Fry Held Monday At manual arts, by veterans and Baptist Seaside Assembly agricultural boys. The home arresting officer. economics department will sponsor a flower show, handicraft, needlework and modern methods of food conservation.

> This program is under the direction of Miss Patricia Mintz and good behavior. of the commercial department; Mrs. Wilma P. Baker, home (Continued On Page 5)

Supply Resident **Passes At Home**

Funeral Services Being Conducted This Afternoon For Mrs. Etta Clemmons Who Died Tuesday

Mrs. Etta A. Clemmons, 78 year old resident of the Supply community, died at her home yesterday morning. Graveside ser-vices are being held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Pros-Expected That First Trips Of pect cemetery where burial is be-Season Will Be Made ing held. The services are in charge of the Rev. Ira Britt.

Brunswick Navigation Com- Mrs. Clemmons is survived by a sister, Mrs. Lillian Galloway, Supply; two brothers, Robert C. McKeithan, Southport; David H. McKeithan, Fort Lauderdale, Fla. four sons, Robert Lee Clemmons. Supply: Roger Clemmons, Southport; Calmer Clemmons, Wilmin-

Active pall bearers are: Vinton Galloway, Guy McKeithan, Kenlast year. This should permit the Honorary bearers are: Richfor making applications is May ing and Seaside are said to be Lou Harrelson of Orton Planta10, 1950.

It may sound silly, but it all continued on page five)

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H. C. Stone.

Name Committee In County For **Senator Graham**

udge Jeff D. Johnson Announces 17-Man Committee To Handle Campaign For Re-Nomination Of

NON-FACTIONAL COMMITTEE NAMED

Johnson Reports That There Is Much Interest In Brunswick In Graham Election Campaign

Announcement was made today from election headquarters of A third passenger in the car Mr. Baker, Mrs. Frink and Senator Frank P. Graham in Ra-

"In forming this committee," voters. Dr. Graham has hundreds of good friends in Brunswick, and we feel that each one of them should feel free to cast his ballot without feeling that in doing so he becomes identified with some group or faction

among Brunswick county voters indicates that Senator Graham Patrons And Friends With reported Judge Johnson, "and we

"We have had many voluntary offers of service and support from the people of your good county," OPEN HOUSE TO stances where some of those who have written to us do not appear on the county committee, we Fashion Show By Home Ec- know that these folks will be onomics Department And active in their support of Senator Graham.'

The following have been named as chairmen for their respective precincts: Hoods Creek, Leo Medvocational, commercial, lin; Leland, Mac F. Jones; Town nome economics and agricultural Creek, J. L. Henry; Bolivia, H. classes will sponsor Vocational Foster Mintz; Southport No. 1, Night on Friday, May 12, at 8 James M. Harper, Jr.; Southport at the Waccamaw high school. No. II, Thomas St. George; Moswhich is featured each year as a Floyd Kirby; Secession, Capt. W. This year plans are developing oward a very eventful occasion.

Tourk; Grissettown, D. B. Frink; Shingletree, Amos J. Walton; Armstrong Evans; Waccamaw, Dave Ross; Exum, J. E. Dodson.

Varied Docket **Tried In Court**

Most Of Cases Disposed Of Monday Before Judge W. J. McLamb Were For Traffic Violations

A varied docket was disposed of here in Recorder's court Mondepartment will feature typing day before Judge W. J. McLamb with the following entries made: Thomas Lennox Long, possession, nol prossed at instance of Raymond Haire, passing traffic

on cure, costs. Leroy Hooper, assault with deadly weapon, 8 months on roads, suspended on payment of costs Cecil Mishoe, public drunkness

fined \$10.00 and costs. Norris Israel Davis, speeding, nol prossed at insistance of arresting officer.

Fairly Dearwood, no operator's (Continued on page five)

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
	Thursday,	May 4.	
9:36	A. M.	3:37 A	. M.
10:11	P. M.	3:37 P	
	Friday,	May 5.	. 8
10:32		4:30 A	. M.
11:08	P. M.	4:30 I	. M.
	Saturday,	May 6.	
11:32	A. M.	5:25 A	. M.
0:00	P. M.	5:27 F	
	Sunday,	May 7.	1
0:06		6:23 A	. M.
12:33	P. M.	6:28 I	. M.
	Monday,		
1:06	A. M.	7:23 A	. M.
1:37	P. M.	7:34 I	. M.
	Tuesday,		100
2:05		8:21 A	. M.
2:38	P. M.	8:39 I	. M.
	Wednesday	. May 10.	- 63
3:02	A. M.	9:17 A	
3:35	P. M.	9:41 F	
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7		-	-