

Vocational Show Successful Event Friday Evening

Exhibits From Several Departments Give Evidence Of Good Work Performed At Waccamaw School This Year

ADULTS TAKE PART IN SHOW

Ladies Of Home Making Classes Have Fashion Show And Exhibit Fancy Work; Vet's Work Shown

On Friday night the home economics, agriculture and commercial departments and veterans of Waccamaw high school displayed various articles and handicrafts which they had made this year.

The program was as follows: Welcome, C. M. Long, Jr.; devotional, Virginia Evans; announcements, W. C. Stephenson; introduction of speaker, J. T. Denning; speaker, James M. Harper, Jr.

Fashion show: (High school home economics) speaker, Dietrich Russ; high school fashion show winners: 1st, Lucille McCumbee (cotton) school dress; 2nd, Lois Phelps, (cotton plaid) school dress; 3rd, Carrie Neal Evans, (blue waffle pique and eyelet trim) street dress; high school prize won by Blondell King for her exhibit, book ends given by Mrs. Wilma Baker.

History of Freeland Class, Mrs. Irene Tysinger.

Flower show winners:

A. Wild Flowers: 1st, Mrs. Ada Lee Inman; 2nd, Mrs. Marie Smith; 3rd, Mrs. Lura Simmons; 3rd, Mrs. Lee King.

C. Cutflowers (large arrangement): 1st, Mrs. Annie Mae King; 2nd, Mrs. Annie Mae King; 3rd, Mrs. Annie Mae King.

D. Cutflowers (small arrangement): 1st, Mrs. Ada Lee Inman; 2nd, Mrs. Jewell Williams; 3rd, Mrs. Lee King.

E. Crocheting (small pieces): 1st, Mrs. Annie Mae King; 2nd, Mrs. Annie Mae King; 3rd, Mrs. Jewell Williams.

F. Crocheting (large pieces): Mrs. Jewell Williams.

G. Crocheting bed spreads: 1st, Mrs. Ora Mae King; 2nd, Mrs. Otella King; 3rd, Mrs. Ada Lee Inman.

H. Pom-Pom Rugs: 1st, Mrs. Lura Simmons; 2nd, Mrs. Baker's Christmas gift from Freeland class, 3rd, Mrs. Bertha King.

I. Embroidered scarfs: 1st, Mrs. Lura Simmons; 2nd, Mrs. Lura Simmons; 3rd, Mrs. Lee King.

J. High School exhibit: 1st, Blandell King, 2nd, Genevieve Mintz, 3rd, Carrie Neal Evans.

K. Quilts: 1st, Mrs. Myrtle King; 2nd, Mrs. Florence Babson.

L. Needlepoint: (one entry) Mrs. Lee King.

M. Handicraft: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, Lillian Watts.

N. Hobbies: 1st, Lillian Watts, 2nd, Lillian Watts, 3rd, Lillian Watts.

O. Adult Fashion Show: 1st, Mrs. Ora Mae King and Ida Lee King (mother and daughter dresses); 2nd, Mrs. Smithie King, (evening dress); 3rd, Mrs. Maggie Smith, (street dress).

P. Veterans exhibit: A. Lamps: 1st, Grady Herring; 2nd, Dexter Hughes; 3rd, Stacy King.

B. Coffee Tables: 1st, Rex Main, 2nd, Paul Harmon, 3rd, Ronon Babson.

C. Foot stools: 1st, Ed Simmons, 2nd, Roscoe Inman, 3rd, William Benton.

D. Deck: 1st, Alton Bennett, 2nd, Homer Russ, 3rd, Stacy King.

E. Over all winners in veteran group, money given by Walter

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Brief News Flashes

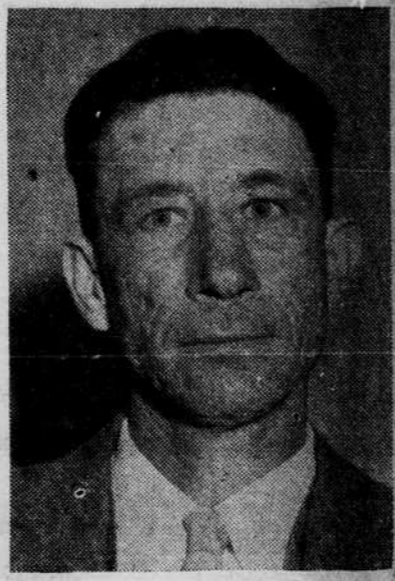
LAUNCHES NEW BOAT

A new shrimp trawler, the Beulah, was launched in Florida this past week for Bill Wells. The craft is identical with the Claudia J., the Wolfpack and other boats belonging to Mr. Wells.

BALL GAME SUNDAY

Manager Blackie Webb has announced that his ball club will take on Winter Park here Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Although their efforts have been confined mostly to practice, it is said that Southport now has the best town team in years.

Three Candidates



RUNNING—Three more candidates in the May Primary Election are C. A. Montgomery, Leland, candidate for board of commissioners; M. R. Tripp, Shallotte, candidate for sheriff; ElRoy King, Waccamaw, candidate for county commissioner.

Sport Fishing Locally Is Good As The Weather

The only thing wrong with sport fishing at Southport during the past week has been the weather, and on days when parties could go out results have been good.

The period just preceding the recent rough weather saw blue-fishing reach its probable high point of the spring season.

Credit for the biggest catch of the week goes to Jake Lackey and party from Myrtle Beach, fishing from the Idle On of Captain Hulan Watts. Fishing only half a day the party of six brought in 111 large bluefish that filled six large family size wash tubs heaping full. Another Myrtle Beach party headed by R. E. L. Brown brought in 678 bluefish from a trip out aboard the same boat.

The Moja, Captain Victor Lance, brought in from 162 to 400 blues each trip.

Captain James Arnold with the Kiabab and its parties had similar luck every day. A very notable catch aboard this boat was made by Mr. and Mrs. George Gould of Massachusetts. The couple used flyrods and boated 175 bluefish in two hours. This is the first time that fishing for bluefish with this equipment was ever attempted on this part of the coast.

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Candidates Receive Church Questionnaire

Committee Representing Allied Church League Prepares And Distributes List Of Questions This Week

ASKING STAND ON VARIOUS ISSUES

S. Bunn Frink Replies To Questionnaire With Letter Seeking Fuller Information On Movement

Fuel was added to the political flame in Brunswick county this week when a committee appointed by the Allied Church League prepared and circulated to all candidates a questionnaire concerning their stand on several issues.

The questionnaire asked the following seven questions:

1. Do you favor the sale of alcoholic beverages in Brunswick County? In Southport?

2. Would you favor a State referendum on all alcoholic beverages?

3. Would you favor increasing the pay of Brunswick law enforcement officers to enable them to live and work above fear and bribery and command the respect of our citizens?

4. Will you, to the best of your ability, strive to perform your duties of office with no regard to creed or color, party affiliation, fear or favor?

5. Do you have a constructive plan for Brunswick County Schools so that they may be run without political interference?

6. Are you willing to avail yourself of all possible help to know more about your office and its duties, such as the help offered by the Institute of Government at Chapel Hill?

7. Are you willing to cooperate with the Allied Church League and other groups toward the promotion of better government and citizenship?

Reaction to the questionnaire ranged all the way from speedy and complete compliance with the request for the information; and angry resentment against the Allied Church League for invading the field of politics.

Taking a position at neither extreme, S. Bunn Frink, Southport attorney and candidate for the Democrat nomination for State Senate, wrote the following letter to the Rev. H. M. Baker, chairman of the committee, sending along a copy to this newspaper with a request that it be published:

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New Principal Goes To Bolivia

Principal Talmadge Page Has Resigned To Accept Position At Windsor; Charles B. Honeycutt To Bolivia

Talmadge O. Page, principal for the past two years at Bolivia high school, has resigned to accept a similar position at Windsor.

He will be succeeded as head of the Bolivia school by Charles B. Honeycutt, who served this year as principal at Swansboro. He has had considerable experience as head of various high schools in eastern North Carolina.

The new school man is a graduate of University of North Carolina and has his masters degree from the Duke University. He served for three years during the late World War as a member of the U. S. Marine Corps.

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Guy Phillips To Be Graduation Speaker Here

Graduation Exercises Set For Friday Night At Southport High School With Noted Educator On Program

FORMER TEACHER PREACHED SUNDAY

The Rev. Jerry Newbold, Former Southport Teacher And Pastor, Delivered Baccalaureate Sermon Sunday

Commencement exercises at Southport school began Sunday with the baccalaureate sermon delivered by the Rev. Jerry Newbold, a former pastor of Southport Presbyterian church and a former teacher at the high school.

Tonight the eighth grade graduation exercises are being held, with a full program honoring the rising high school freshmen.

Class night exercises will be held Thursday evening when the seniors will present "The Senior Merry-Go-Round".

The graduation exercises will follow on Friday evening with Guy B. Phillips, head of the department of education at the University of North Carolina, delivering the commencement address.

Catherine McRacken is valedictorian and Rebecca McRacken is salutatorian.

County Agent Has Bulletins

Information Bulletins For Various Problems And Blueprints For Farm Construction Included On List

A complete display of information bulletins have recently been installed at the office of the county agent in Supply. These bulletins are free to farmers and cover almost every phase of farming.

To give some idea of the type of information here are titles of a few bulletins: "Curing Bright Leaf Tobacco," "Tobacco Insect Control" (in plant bed and in field); "Seedbed Preparation For Pastures," "Tobacco Barn Construction," "Farm Mechanization," "Drying Crops with a Tobacco Barn"; "Raising Hogs," "Growing turkeys," "Laying Flock Management"; "Cotton Production and Cotton insect Control"; and spray "Information for Peaches and Apples".

Farmers can get almost every kind of farm building blue print free through the county agent's office. A blue print list is maintained at the office and order of blue print can be made and delivery of print in about three days.

Farmers are urged to write or visit the office for any information needed to improve the general farming practices on the farm. Special service of furnishing blue prints on farm houses are being carried on by the Extension Service in cooperation with FHA in order to assist farmers with the Farm Housing Program.

During the month of April, according to D. L. Mercer, County Forest Warden of Brunswick county, forest fires burned a total of 11,606 acres resulting in damages of \$55,566.00 to young and merchantable timber. All of the fires were man caused and should have never occurred.

Men fought fires day and night in an effort to curb them before they burned large areas. Because of dry, windy weather, much effort was lost and the fires were allowed to run wild doing great damage not only to the forest, but to buildings, live stock and game. Mr. Mercer urges the people of Brunswick county to please be careful with fire. Don't start any fires that will burn into wood or grass-land.

The recent local showers have given temporary relief to the fire situation but with a few days of sunshine and wind, the condition

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Farmers Warned Of Screw Worms

Unusually Warm Weather During Winter Months May Mean These Pests Will Be Worse Than Last Year

Although it was stated last fall that the screw worms probably would not infest this area again in many years, recent reports by entomologists indicate that the flies that breed the forms survive the unusually mild winter and the worms are already getting in their injurious work on cattle and other livestock in various counties in the State.

Last September and October resulted in some fifty thousand

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Caswell Beach And Long Beach Consolidated In Big Real Estate Deal

House And Family In New Part Of Town

Mrs. Bertha McKeithan Home Jacked Up And Loaded On Truck And Moved To New Location Saturday

When Mrs. Bertha McKeithan learned that the house in which she was living was due to be wrecked she was greatly disturbed, and the situation was little better when the owner informed her that all he wanted to do was clear the lot; that she could have the house if she could get it moved and could find somewhere to place it.

But then a series of good neighbor acts set in, and Saturday afternoon the house was carried through the streets of the town from the old location next door to the Hubbard service station to a lot back of the

Presbyterian church. Figuring in the chain of circumstances which made it possible were: One man who has paid the bill for moving; two young moving contractors who did a skillful job at no more than day wages; a sawmill man who loaned the necessary heavy timbers for completing the operation; a truck owner who made a special concession in the price of his vehicle; and a Southport couple who gave a building lot.

And now the Bertha McKeithan home, with all occupants intact, has been set down in a new permanent location.

New Superintendent Of Welfare Named

New Factory Is Now Underway

Originally scheduled to leave Norfolk Monday and arrive here yesterday, the floating menhaden plant of the Sanders Products Corporation was delayed to make additional adjustments with its machinery. According to J. L. Barr, who has already arrived to train the crew in the operation of the plant, it will be here by Thursday night.

Mr. Barr stated Tuesday that the outfit left Norfolk early this morning and is being brought down by a tug of the Sanders Towing Company. The "Big Chief" a huge menhaden boat, owned by Mr. Sanders is coming down at the same time with a load of equipment.

The factory will be in operation by the first of next week, according to Mr. Barr.

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Halstead Holden Gets Track Win

Scores Another Victory For UNC Track Team In Dual Meet With Duke University Saturday Afternoon In Durham

Halstead Holden, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Holden, and one of the bright stars of the University of North Carolina track team, scored his fourth consecutive victory Saturday afternoon with a victory in the half-mile event over Bullock of Duke University. His points helped the Tar Heels to a one-sided victory.

Holden is Southern Conference champion in the 880-yard race, and will defend his title the last of this month.

The four most recent track meets in which he won all of the 880 yard races are as follows: May 13, defeated Bullock, of Duke at Durham.

May 6, at Georgia Tech, defeated Bob Renshaw, intra-conference 880-yard track king, by rounding the track in one minute and 56 seconds.

April 29, against State College at Raleigh, carried off first in the 880 in two minutes and three seconds. This race was run in a driving hail and rainstorm.

April 22, defeated Camp Lejeune on a new cinder path in two minutes and eight seconds.

Middleton Interest In Long Beach And Entire Property Formerly Belonging To Caswell Involved

BIG DEVELOPMENT PLANS IN MAKING

Income And Home Association Is Name Of New Concern Which Is Incorporated In Two States

The Income and Home Association, a bi-state corporation of North and South Carolina, is taking over the Middleton interests on Long Beach and is also acquiring Caswell Beach with its 2,300 acres and approximately three miles of ocean beach lying between Long Beach and the North Carolina Baptist Seaside Assembly grounds at Fort Caswell.

All of the lands from the Baptist Seaside Assembly Grounds from the ocean to the intracoastal waterway except the homes and building lots now owned by private interests are included in the merger, according to Frederick McDonald.

The combined Long Beach and Caswell lands will give the Income and Home Association approximately 15,000 acres of land and the most beautiful unbroken 13-mile stretch of beach on the North Carolina coast.

Engineer McDonald, consultant engineer who announced the merger, is widely known for his successful engineering of a number of the major Florida developments. He is now a resident of Charleston and for the past several weeks has been giving his full time to the preliminaries to the Long Beach development.

The whole 13-mile stretch of beach from the Baptist Assembly grounds to Lockwoods Folly inlet will be known as Long Beach.

The Income and Home Association is a Charleston, S. C., management, organized to syndicate, operate and to win diversified investments under the guidance of an associated staff of over 20 engineers, business and technical men. E. F. Middleton, Sr., president of the Carolina Lands, Inc., present owners of Long Beach, is president; Frederick H. McDonald is vice-president and E. F. Middleton, Jr., secretary and treasurer.

Among the several directors yet to be announced, President Middleton stated he hoped to have included R. W. Powell, of Goldsboro and others who have been associated with him in the ownership of Caswell Beach. Several other North Carolina men are also slated for directors positions with the organization.

Mr. McDonald states that the plans are to redesign things to form a single unified development for Long Beach to become the best planned coastal development in the southeast. Five thousand acres will be planned for the year-round residence of over 10,000 families, plus the seasonal recreation population.

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