

Anniversary Of Missionary Work In This County

Sunday Marked Third Anniversary Of Arrival Of The Rev. W. R. Moorehead In County To Head This Work

MUCH PROGRESS IS REPORTED

Outstanding Gains Have Been Made In Vacation Bible School Program In Brunswick Association

This past Sunday was a red letter day for the Rev. W. R. Moorehead, Associational Missionary for the Brunswick Baptist churches, and Mrs. Moorehead, for it was the third anniversary of their coming to Brunswick Association to take up their work for the association.

Much change has been made since that day in 1948, when the Mooreheads moved into the Elmore residence near Bolivia. The association has seen some changes made during this period of time in their Vacation Bible school work in the churches. The association jumped from 61st place in the state rating to first place. There are more fields today that are formed as church fields, and more unity than has ever been reported in the association's history. The association has gone almost all-out in building new edifices; attendance has been on the up-grade for the last two years; and cooperative giving has seen an increase of over \$2,000 as compared to previous years.

More young people are taking the lead in the church services and in the associational work than in earlier years. The work of the associational program was begun under the leadership of the Rev. H. M. Baker, former pastor of the Southport Baptist church, and the Executive Committee of Brunswick Association, during the early part of 1947, when the first work was begun under the leadership of the Rev. George White, filled worker. The Rev. Mr. Moorehead's work has been very interesting and he has found plenty to do and keeps busy in the "Master's work" in his vineyard. He has made over fifteen hundred personal visits into the homes, over two hundred and fifty hospital visits, held over three hundred individual conferences, held over forty Vacation Bible Schools and taught over twenty-eight different study books, reached over five thousand persons during his total teaching period, visited over two hundred and fifty church fields for services of some nature or other, held over seventy-five associational meetings, traveled over one hundred thousand miles to meet these engagements.

The moderator, Rev. H. T. Hewett, urges that every church give their support to the cause of this program, and that every church include in their church budget some set amount to help

Brief News Flashes

NEW PRINCIPAL
B. M. Crawford, a former principal, has been elected to fill that post again this fall at Waccamaw High School. He was principal at the school from 1929 through 1936. For the past several years he has been principal of Piney Grove school in Sampson county.

TO LITTLETON
Prof. W. S. Stevenson, who resigned as principal of the Waccamaw school at the end of the spring session, will leave about July 10 for Littleton, where he has been elected head of the Littleton schools. Mrs. Stephenson will teach in the primary department at Littleton. The couple have been with the Waccamaw school for the past three years.

RIPE MELONS
Despite his own recent statement that this year's crop of watermelons would not be coming on until the 8th of July, Robert McCrackan brought in a good sized truck load of his favorite Walden Creek product Monday. Mr. McCrackan has 50 acres in the melons, he says. He planted so as to have a continuous crop all through the summer and well into September. Last year he sold melons from the first of July through September.



PROGRAM Fourth Of July Celebration Southport, N. C.

- BAND MUSIC** 11-12 O'Clock
In Front of Garrison Building—(Pope Field Air Force Band)
- LUNCH** 12-1:30 O'Clock
In Community Building—(Served by Southport Home Demonstration Club, Proceeds Benefit Hospital Fund.)
- PLATFORM PROGRAM** 1:30 O'Clock
Master of Ceremonies W. R. Doshier
Music Air Force Band
Crowning of Queen Congressman F. Ertel Carlyle
Music Air Force Band
Introduction of Speaker Hon. S. Bun Frink
Patriotic Address Congressman F. Ertel Carlyle
Music Air Force Band
- SPECIAL EVENTS** 2:30 O'Clock
Bag Race
Three-Legged Race
Greasy Pig
Greasy Pole
- MOTOR BOAT RACES** 4:00 O'Clock
1st.—Event for 5-hp. Motors
2nd.—Event for 7½-hp. Motors
3rd.—Event for 10-hp. Motors
4th.—Event Open Handicap.
- BAND CONCERT** 6:30 to 7:30 O'Clock
- STREET DANCE** 8:00 O'Clock—Till



Holiday Crowd To Help Hospital

Patrolman Is Stationed Here

One of 39 State Highway Patrolmen who have recently received promotions, Corporal C. H. Lynch, was transferred here from Jacksonville on July 1. He has already entered on his duties. His promotion and transfer to Southport was announced the past week by Commander J. R. Smith. Corporal Lynch has been stationed at Jacksonville for 10 years. It is understood that his duties at Southport will include the patrol of Caswell and Long Beaches and Route 130.

Shalotte Post Sponsor Beauty

Miss Marion Anderson Daughter Of Mr. And Mrs. M. D. Anderson, Entered In State Beauty Pageant

Now in Raleigh where she is employed in the Allied Chemical and Dye Corporation, Miss Marion Anderson has been entered by Shalotte American Legion Post No. 247, to compete for the title "Miss North Carolina" at the convention in Burlington on July 20-21. Miss Anderson is 23 years old

Varied Entertainment Expected To Attract Huge Crowd To Southport For Holiday Festivities

CLUB WOMEN TO SERVE MEALS

President Of Hospital Auxiliary Urges All Residents To Help Raise Building Funds

Hundreds of Brunswick county residents and visitors to beaches in this area are joining today in an old fashioned celebration of the Fourth of July. The program includes all the customary features, from patriotic address by Congressman F. Ertel Carlyle to a greasy pig race.

Plans for the program were worked out by members of the Southport Home Demonstration Club, who hope to be able to raise the sum of \$500.00 for the Doshier Memorial Hospital building fund through the sale of food and refreshments and the proceeds of a street dance this evening.

Already a tidy sum has been realized from the "Queen of the Fourth" contest, which was won by Miss Gloria Hewett after a spirited race with 10 of Southport's most attractive and popular young ladies. She was sponsored by Art Newton's Studio. Mrs. H. R. Smith, president of the Hospital Auxiliary, is very appreciative of today's efforts and of the splendid spirit with which

Approve First Funds For Job At Sunny Point

Funds totaling \$1,640,000 have been allocated by the Armed Service Committee of the House of Representatives for work on the proposed Army Ammunition loading depot which is to be located at Sunny Point in Brunswick county.

Spokesmen for the committee said that this amount was requested for this year by the Budget Bureau and does not represent a cut from the proposed expenditure of \$22,805,000. Officials stated that if the Budget Bureau finds that it can spend more than the requested amount in this year a request for further funds may be made of the committee.

Congressman F. Ertel Carlyle, who was a visitor in Southport Tuesday, says that he anticipates no obstacle for this project. "This amount appears to be the requirement for getting the project underway," he explained. "It definitely does not represent a cut of the original estimate, and as the work progresses, more money will be made available to carry on."

"This entire area is in for a new period of expansion and development," predicted Congressman Carlyle, who came down with his wife and daughter to spend last night at their cottage at Long Beach.

Shalotte Unit National Guard Now In Training

Men Of Shalotte Outfit At Camp Stewart, Ga., For Two Weeks Intensive Training Program

CONDITIONS OF BATTLE SIMULATED

Portion Of Period Will Be Spent Under Combat Conditions On Reservation At Camp Stewart

In command of Captain John K. Burns and Lieutenants David E. Carmichael and Kemp Holden, the Shalotte unit of the North Carolina National Guard left Sunday morning for Camp Stewart, Georgia. The battery is scheduled for two weeks of intensive target practice and field training, from July 8th through July 22nd.

During this training the gun section will fire at towed sleeve aerial targets and remote controlled airplane targets with the 3 40-mm antiaircraft guns and the two multiple mount .50 calibre machine guns that are assigned to the unit.

For three days the battery will be in maneuvers under combat conditions on the Camp Stewart reservation. During this time radio communications, battle rations, sleeping in pup tents and camouflaging of positions will be the order of the day.

The camp period scheduled is strenuous and will leave no time for blues or boredom. However, veterans of previous camps have found the training period a welcome change from normal activities and they call it a vacation with pay.

Captain Burns and Lieutenant Holden have both recently returned from a 4-months stay at the Artillery School of the U. S. Army at Fort Bliss, El Paso

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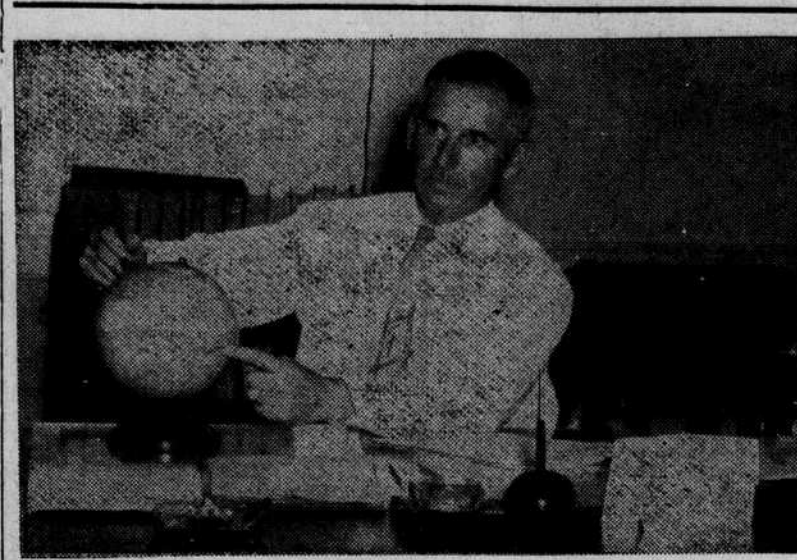
Brief Session Of Court Held

Weekly Session Of Brunswick County Recorder's Court Concluded Before Noon Monday

All business was disposed of before noon Monday at the regular weekly session of Brunswick County Recorder's Court. The following judgments resulted:

- Mildred Brooks, allowing minor to operate car, ordered to pay costs.
- Frank Massick, speeding, fined \$10 and costs.
- David Earl Britt, reckless operation, fined \$25 and costs.
- H. G. Arnold, affray, motion for jury trial by State.
- D. E. Dripp, affray and parking on highway, jury trial asked by State.
- Leo Russ, public drunkenness, fined \$5.00 and costs.
- James A. Trotter, drunken driving, \$100 and costs.
- T. A. Hughes, public drunkenness and assault, called and fined, capias.

Around The World



FIGURING—Delmas J. Fulcher, Southport man who has been employed by the U. S. Army Engineers for several years, is shown studying a globe to see just how far it is to Bangkok, Thailand, where he and his family will spend the next two years in ECA work.—(Wilmington News Cut.)

August 2 Set As Market Opening

Register Has Forms For OPS

Register of Deeds Amos J. Walton decided this week that evidently his office has been chosen as a point of distribution for OPS forms for merchants and business men of Brunswick county. At any rate, he has begun to receive supplies of printed materials necessary to carrying out this price control program.

"I will be glad to handle these forms," said Mr. Walton Tuesday, "but it will be impossible for me to make delivery throughout the county. The best thing I know to do is to let the people know that I have the forms, and to tell them that they can get them if they will come to my office."

Fulcher Family Will Go Abroad

Delmas Fulcher Accepts Post With Government Of Thailand While On Leave Of Absence From U. S. Army Engineers

Mr. and Mrs. Delmas J. Fulcher and their two children, Delmas Fulcher, Jr. and Mary Susan Fulcher, will leave the last of July for Bangkok, Thailand. They will make the trip by air.

Mr. Fulcher has recently accepted an administrative post with the Thailand Economic Cooperation Administration. Mr. Fulcher is scheduled to report in Washington on July 8 for a two-weeks training period before leaving for his new duties.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Fulcher are natives of Southport, Mrs. Fulcher

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Border Belt Opening Arrangement Will Allow Some South Carolina Markets To Start July 30

GEORGIA AND FLORIDA BEGIN SALES JULY 19

Sales Time Will Be Five Hours Daily Instead Of Five And One-Half Hours As Last Year

Columbus County tobacco markets—Whiteville, Tabor City, Chadbourne and Fair Bluff—will begin the 1951 season on Thursday, August 2.

Marketing of the flue-cured crop will start on July 19 with the opening of the Georgia-Florida Belt.

The board of governors of the Bright Belt Warehouse Association in a meeting Friday at Raleigh set the opening dates and hours of sale for the various flue-cured belts.

The governors fixed August 2 as opening date for South Carolina and North Carolina Border Belt markets and fixed five hours as the daily sales period through August 31. However, South Carolina markets which elect to do so and give notice of their intention by July 3 may open on July 30 and sell four hours per day through August 17.

All border markets will operate five hours a day beginning August 20 and continuing through August 31.

The Eastern Belt opening was set for August 21 and sales were limited to five hours per day through August 31.

The Middle Belt opening was set for September 4 with markets operating five hours per day through August 31.

O'Quinn Being Held For Jury

Brunswick County Man Ordered Held Without Privilege Of Bond Following Inquest Friday Night

At the formal inquest held in the court house Friday night, Pat O'Quinn was ordered held without bond in the fatal shooting of Mrs. O'Quinn at her home at Calabash Monday of last week.

The husband, who made little effort to escape, and was found asleep in a home 10 miles from the scene of the killing on the following day, will be tried at the next term of Superior Court which convenes in September. He is represented by the law firm of Frink and Herring.

There was no eyewitness to the killing. All four of the witnesses testified that they heard shots and screams and saw Mrs. O'Quinn stagger from the house and fall in the yard. A few seconds later, the witnesses said, O'Quinn emerged from the house, entered a car and drove off. The four witnesses all live in close proximity to the O'Quinn home. They are Mrs. Josey Nance, Kenneth Nance, Clifton Wilson and Eddie Morse.

Three days before the killing, O'Quinn, just released from the Federal prison at Petersburg, Va. where he was sent when convicted of passing counterfeit money, had sworn out a warrant against Mrs. O'Quinn and Gus Bland, a former deputy sheriff. The warrant charged the couple

Big Attendance At Opening Of Summer Program

Request For Reservations Indicate That Attendance During First Week At Caswell Will Set Record

B.T.U. DELEGATES HERE FOR SESSION

Indications Also Point To Big Attendance At Three-Phase Conference Next Week

The Caswell Baptist Assembly formally opened Monday and apparently has a record attendance. As early as last Thursday, Dr. R. K. Redwine, the director, stated that around 800 requests had been made for reservations. Last year the attendance is said to have reached nearly twice the number of those applying for reservations for the Baptist Training Union week.

With the deadline for this week's issue of the paper coming a little earlier than usual owing to the 4th of July, no accurate check could be made of the number of registrants coming in Monday and Tuesday. However, the young people were still coming in late Tuesday afternoon and it could be definitely said that the number was exceeding all expectations.

Next week, July 9-15, is also expected to bring out a large gathering. Featuring this week will be the Deacon's Conference and the event may have close competition from the gathering of the State Camp for Int. R. A.'s and the Junior G. A. and R. A. Camp for the Rocky Mount Division.

The entire two months of the Assembly gives indications of being largely attended, Dr. Redwine says. The many interested visitors of the past few months have been loud in their praise of the beautiful shaded and cool seaside assembly grounds of the North Carolina Baptists.

TO WINSTON-SALEM
Mr. and Mrs. N. G. (Shorty) Parker, formerly of Fayetteville, more recently of Fayetteville, have moved to 3888 Tech Blvd., in Winston-Salem. Mr. Parker has been with the McLean Trucking Company, Inc., for several years and has been transferred to the home office in Winston-Salem. He is a brother of Ernest Parker of Shalotte.

Commissioners In Session Monday

Road Petitions Took Up Major Portion Of Time At Monday Session Of County Board

Requests to the State Highway Commission for the taking over of various roads occupied the main attention of the board of county commissioners while they were in session Monday.

The Commissioners approved the State taking over and putting in all-weather condition a section of road in Waccamaw township, approximately 5 miles in length and running from Duncan's Cross Roads to Exum. Also a road in Lockwoods Folly township, running from Lucian Phelps' to Hubert Brown's, two miles in length. Also in Lockwoods Folly township a section of road 9 miles

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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.

High Tide	Low Tide
Thursday, July 5	
8:30 a. m.	2:38 a. m.
8:46 p. m.	2:31 p. m.
Friday, July 6	
9:07 a. m.	3:14 a. m.
9:21 p. m.	3:07 p. m.
Saturday, July 7	
9:43 a. m.	3:49 a. m.
9:55 p. m.	3:47 p. m.
Sunday, July 8	
10:20 a. m.	4:24 a. m.
10:29 p. m.	4:28 p. m.
Monday, July 9	
11:01 a. m.	5:00 a. m.
11:09 p. m.	5:12 p. m.
Tuesday, July 10	
11:48 a. m.	5:30 a. m.
11:55 p. m.	6:02 p. m.
Wednesday, July 11	
0:00 a. m.	6:24 a. m.
12:42 p. m.	7:02 p. m.

Our ROVING Reporter
W. B. KEZIAH

In the column of servicemen, elsewhere in this paper, there is no intention to discriminate against anybody, white or colored. When information is received regarding any of them, especially the boys who have been in service for some time, those who are overseas and those who visit their homes, space is found in the column for mention of the fact. Provided we hear of it. Relatives should send us the details of anything along the above lines.

As a usual thing the hot months of summer slow up home construction in this area. This year things are the other way. June has been seeing a nice upward trend in home building, both in Southport and at the nearby beaches. This trend is bound to assume a faster pace. A building contractor stated a day or two ago and he knew a lot of people who have home building in mind. He said all of them would start just as soon as definite announcements are made of the nearby defense pro-

ject. J. C. Pardee of Charlotte has been here the past week. A good many years ago, when the W. B. & S. ran on its rails instead of rubber tires, Mr. Pardee was here for a considerable time, working for the W. B. & S. Like the late H. M. Shannon and a good many other Southport citizens, Mr. Pardee believed then, as he still believes, that something is due to come to North Carolina through the mouth of the Cape Fear river.

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