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Whiteville Now

Over Total Of

Monday Sales Carried This

Season Is Expected To Come To Close On October 5

Unless Extension Is

Necessary

The Whiteville Tobacco Market

oday passed last year's sales reord and came close to equaling

the 1950 total in dollars paid out.

When sales started this morn-

ng, the market was within 87,-

900 pounds of the 1950 total in

Up to Friday night, Whiteville

warehouses had auctioned 32,525,-

406 for a \$53.62 average and a

The market this morning be

gan what is expected to be the next to last week of sales. Un-

less an extension is necessary be-

cause of unsold tobacco in the

area, sales are expected to come

Last week's sales were steady

The volume in pounds and the average per hundred for each day

Monday-743,552 for \$56.17.

Wednesday-689,450 for \$53.74

Monday's average of \$56.17

vas tops for the current season

The average, however, was good

throughout the entire week con-

sidering the quality of leaf plac-

**Employees Have** 

Pleasant Outing

A. Elmore Entertains

Members Of His Force At All-Day Picnic At Shal-

Thursday-725,738 for \$53.51.

Friday-719,858 for \$53.05.

Tuesday-693,746 for \$54.65.

approximately 700,000

to an end on October 5.

ere as follows:

ed on the floors.

lotte Point

pounds being sold each day.

of 44 days were 32,613,-

dollar total of \$17,394,327.02.

number of pounds.

Says Supervisor

Year's Total Over Total

PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

\$1.50 PER YEAR

## Brunswick Boys And Girls Will **Enter Exhibits**

Twelve Registered Dairy Calves Will Be Shown At Dairy Cattle Show In Wilmington Thursday And Friday

County Agent A. S. Knowlbers And Their Animals For Exhibition

North Carolina Junior Dairy Cattle Show, which opens in Wilmington tomorrow (Thursday) tered calves. Two of the boys, David and Bobby Swain of Southport, will each show two calves.

boys, Brunswick will have the following other entries with one calf each: Aldridge Babson, Wac-camaw 4-H club; Marvin Bennett, Floyd Bennett and Edwin Bennett, Shallotte 4-H club; El-eanor Rabon and James Albright,

week and those offered at the same show last year. Last year only five boys from Brunswick Bn (M) of the North Carolina

ers and exhibitors Thursday mor- each Monday night at the coun- Sharp of Reidsville will preside ning. The judging of the calves ty garage in Shallotte. will take place Friday morning.

will star in the special entertain-ment program at Legion Stadium 252nd AAA Group with headqua-lamery, Miss Dorothy Swain and

ton is holding a different Farmers Day program to which all ing the preceding year. rural families are invited. This free fish-fry at the Stadium. In the afternoon there will be conducted tours of Wilmington plants and industries. In the evening there will be a big enter- 8 p. m. tainment program.

# Flashes

is a student at Georgia Military Academy.

PRESIDENT VISITOR

Taylor. Mrs. Shakell will be the guest of Mrs. Taylor while visiting in Southport.

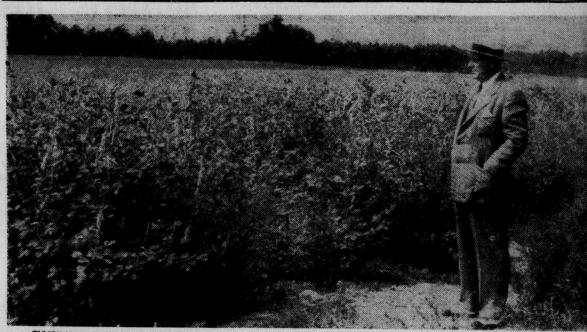
CEMETERY CLEANUP

ing or cleaning up of the Griffin Cemetery at Ash, near the

PAVILION STAYS OPEN

For the first time since devel- lows: to keep the Long Beach pavilion four days, beginning September the Army as a chaplain. At that tige of rot shows on either the ed a home at the beach and set serious point that "you can do in July while the girl was beopen all winter on Saturdays 17, 1951, and ending September time he plans to retire and return vines or leaves and the fruit is up housekeeping. For the judge, just about anything you want ing taken to Hewett's home to 7:4 An oyster roast will be operated "During this period we pass- and Mrs. Bennett have many at the same time in connection ed on all bills presented, and re- relatives in Shallotte and Waccawith the pavilion, it is said. In- turned 10 true bills and five not maw townships where they were fore but when G. E. Hubbard stay at the teach. He stated that mastered the seemingly impos- following the report of the alleg- 8:2 of beach homes have been reserved for the winter by service home and found that the condi- They lived near Ash until Mr. a loss to see just what was odd the term of court and the oppor- Clodfelter was at his best in Sheriff E. V. Leonard. He has

Doomed To Go



County Agent A. S. Knowles stated today that eight Brunswick county boys and two girls are will be included in the Army Ammunition Loading Depot. Sheppard hopes to be able to acquire other land in this county suitable for the production of early tomato plants. -(Wilmington News Cut.)

## In addition to the four calves that will be placed by the Swain Inspection For Shallotte Unit **National Guard**

day, October 15

showed calves, the animals be- National Guard has been scheding all grades. This year eight uled for Monday, October 16, boys and two girls are in the 1951, it was announced today by running with a total of 12 fine the North Carolina Adjutant Gen-

Thursday evening the young been appointed inspector by Lt. here next Monday for the trial their parents, the General John R. Hodge, Comman- of civil cases. various county agents and vo- ding General 3rd Army. His incational agriculture teachers will spection will include a complete who was appointed special judge be the dinner guests of the Ag- review of all phases of the by Governor Scott, will be the ricultural Committee of the Wil- Shallotte unit activities to de- first woman ever to preside at mington Chamber of Commerce. termine the efficiency of the unit a term of Superior Court in this Later the same evening the and the status of administration county. Still she will not come

rters at Bluethenthal Field, Wil-mington. Col. Kenneth M. Cor- About two months ago Judge The dairy cattle show will be held from 9 a. m., till noon on bett, Commanding Officer of the Sharpe visited these relatives in Friday. Prizes will be awarded unit, stated that once each year Southport. all winners at the close of the every National Guard unit is in- Probably outstanding in the spected by a representative from cases that will come up before the Regular Army. These inspec- Judge Sharp next week is that day event of the show, Wilming- tions last one day and complete- of the re-trial of the Miss Mary ly cover the unit's activities dur- Lou Mintz suit against the At-

program includes speeches and inspection, MSGT Hugh D. Vance ed \$34,000 for injuries she allegthe unit administrative assistant, edly received when she fell down

Brunswick county men who were interested in attending artillery or motor mechanics, electricians or clerks school and joining the Shallotte National Guard. His office in the county garage, Shallotte, is open daily from 8 a. m1/4

# The Grand Jury

Final Session Of This Grand Jury Unless Special Term Superior Court Is Scheduled

Having been sworn in at the term of criminal court last January the Brunswick county grand jury completed its duties for the year 1951 last week. This is, of course, provided no special term of criminal court is called during the remainder of the

Instead of having a new grand

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## Judge Sharp Will Hold Civil Term

Reidsville Jurist Will Be First Woman To Preside Over Session Of Superior Court In This County

TERM CONVENES HERE ON MONDAY Trial Of Mintz Suit Against

Atlantic Coast Line Expected To Take Up

at the one week term of South-Lt. Col. H. R. Tuebner has port Court that is to convene

In coming here Judge Sharp, here as a stranger. She is a

lantic Coast Line. At a trial here During the afternoon of this last year Miss Mintz was awardto the Supreme Court and a new 5-6. there are no indications that the coming one will be any shor-

> The jury that has been called to serve next week is as follows: H. W. Brown, F. W. Spencer, Mrs. L. B. Caison, W. Herbert Swain, W. S. Wells, J. S. Aldridge, Lucille McRackan, Southport; E. D. Bishop, C. D. Jenrette, W. Garland Varnum, Fred-Continued on Page Five

Mrs. Ivan Bennett, Whose Husband Is Serving As Korea, In Southport For

is spending several days here with her sister, Mrs. Sam. T. Bennett. She was in Japan with

the Army in 1918.

## Recorder's Court

ued at the Monday, September 10, session of the Recorder's court. No session was held on September 17, as Superior Court was in session. Likewise no session was held Monday of this week as Judge W. J. Mc-Lamb was said to be on his

and Sgt. Charles L. Gore, unit a flight of steps at the Coast Teacher Association of Wacca- and other fixtures in the shape caretaker, will aid the inspect- Line offices in Wilmington where maw High School is sponsoring of cold drinks.

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## Scheduled Friday

tory of the court. .

corder's Court here next week.

week that the fair will be open with being able to make 35 miles and Ladies' Night Wednesday a mean streak and with the dec-10 p. m. and on Saturday from 10 enough to go outside for deep the Shallotte and Southport clubs your (O'Quinn's) blood run red led the financing question. "This is not only open to re-

To make up for no session Monday and try and clear the docket of cases continued from September 10, a session will be held Friday of this week. If the accumulated docket can be cleared that day it will be one of the biggest days in the his-

## At Ash School more was host to all of his em-

Annual Community Event To Be Held On Friday force and members of families And Saturday, October 5 attended. The picnic dinner was

ASH, Sept. 24 — The Parent- shrimp, cold slaw, corn bread Announcement was made this

If the usual custom of having no Recorder's Court while Superior Court is in session is followed, there will be no Re-

## Following a long standing custom the Elmore Motor Company at Bolivia was closed all day Saturday, and owner J. A. El-

ployees and their families at a picnic dinner at Shallotte Point. About 30 workers, the office one of those made-on-the-spot affairs, consisting of fried fish,

> There was no speaking, just riding. Mr. Elmore took his own boad down on a trailer for the

sidents of the Waccamaw School handles Chevrolets exclusively ent. Continued on Page Five



# ROVING Reporter

ripe tomatoes from the vines and right to left. has been gathering them ever though the concluding report to Judge Walter J. Bone was very troops were dispatched there from brief. This report was as fol.

Yeloned towards and the vines have everything from ville were residents of the South-fresh blooms on up to fully deport area last week. With the master Denning.

Whiteville was made by Toast-fresh blooms on up to fully deport area last week. With the master Denning.

The Whiteville editor taking rape of

very rare and they are said to Continued On Page Four

Captain Roy Robinson, retired 999 conch shells out of 1000 are Deputy District overnor. Coast Guardsman, this past week. right handed. The one left hand-Twisters S. H. Hilburn and Ce-Assuming that the plants were ed specimen in this number is ofsomething unusual or we would ten unnoticed because it is iden-ed. not be invited around, we went, tical in all respects with the right Dinner came next in order, fol- to the release of R. C. Hewett, The first of June Captain Robin- handed specimens, except for one lowed by the introduction of Lion Jr., from jail under a bond of son set out 8 plants on a small detail. The opening on the left Denning as toastmaster by \$2,500. This sum was put up square plot of ground in his handed conchs is from left to President Mintz, who also intro- immediately by D. Carl Andrews, back yard. Just after the middle right and on the more numerous duced the various guests. The Shallotte business man, and Hewof July he gathered his first right handed specimens it is from welcome was extended by Lion ett was released from jail. He

veloped tomatoes. The vines are judge coming here to preside at The Whiteville editor, taking rape of a 12-year-old white girl 6:4 Next April Col. Bennett will supported on a trellis about four the term of court, Mrs. Bone the role of humorist, told a se- of the Supply community. The more than the usual amount of by demonstrating how he learned children. We had seen one of them be- work, but he greatly enjoyed his a simple trick in juggling and He disappeared immediately memebrs of the widely known brought us a large left-handed both he and Mrs. Bone had been sible by balancing two pocket- ed crime, but returned a few We have examined the county Bennett and Jenrette families. conch shell this week we were at looking forward with interest to knives on the point of a needle. days later and surrendered to 9:1: men and others. The beach will tions are fair, also some repairs Bennett began his services with about it. Left handed conchs are tunity it would give them of be- the character of a mimic, sneeze since been held in jail without

## Sailfish Catches Being Made Here Last Year Sales Big News Of Sports Fishing During Past Week In Southport Has Been Luck With Sails

Big news for the past few weighed 62 pounds.

Year's Total Over Total days for Southport fishing has been the good luck with sailfish James Atkinson of Drexel Hill,

a 1-foot sail weighing 45 pounds of Fuquay Springs and their catch while out with Captain James included 17 dolphin and 35 blues Arnold aboard the Kiabab.

for one day Sunday with three had another sailfish to show for sailfish. Even more thrilling to his trip out on the Idle-On. The parties aboard the Capt. Linwood Roberts' craft was a brief skirmish with a marlin. This fish was estimated to weigh 400 pounds.

In trip out on the Idie-On. The lucky fisherman was Cary Pickett of Durham. The party also caught 40 bluefish.

These fish by no means begin

measured 7 feet, 11 inches and fine gamefish.

Pa., who was fishing with Capt. \$17,394,327.02 PAID
OUT UP TO FRIDAY

Catches.

The current run of luck began on Saturday, September 15, when Other members of the party were Claude Lester and L. A. Mudge

> and mackerel. The Jim-Jam set the season's Yesterday Captain Basil Watts

The Stardust, Wilmington boat to show the extent of fishing neil as representatives of eight fishing out of Southport, had a thrills provided during the past counties met here Friday night to sailfish on both its Saturday and ten days by sailfish. There have been many other strikes and sev-Captain Victor had a party eral other fish have been hooked which brought in a sail on Sat- for a brief fight, only to have urday and on Monday R. L. Mc- them break away. All boatmen Laurin caught the largest sail- working in the area around the Last year, sales for the full fish of the season while fishing old position buoy report sightaboard the Cadet. This beauty ing an unusual number of these

## O'Quinn Sentenced For Manslaughter

Cameramen Out With Fishermen

John Hemmer and Sebastian Sommer of the State News Bureau are out today with two of the Southport sports fishing boats seeking action shots of sailfish.

Hemer is aboard the Idle-On of Captain Basil Watts with a party of South Carolina sportsmen and Sommer is out with Capt. Howard Victor aboard the Cadet. Included in the latter party is E. D. McGougan, commissioner of N. C. Wildlife Resources Commission; J. Singleton, Hiram Grantham and R. D. McMillan, Jr., of

Red Springs. The State News Bureau cameramen came here when they heard that local boats have been having unusually good luck with sail fish during the past few days and today they one of the boats will continue

## Whiteville Men Feature Program

Editor Willard G. Cole Of At Bolivia Meeting

occasion and the craft is credited brated its second anniversary June 25 she suddenly developed to the constitution. The Council per hour and of being sturdy night with representatives from laration that she "would make few minor changes and then tackand the Bolivia teachers as over Calabash," she brought out Braxton explained the Council

> high school gymnasium and the weapon, he said, that the pistol chief speaker was Willard G. was accidentally discharged and Cole of the Whiteville News Re- (Continued on page Five) porter. During the past several years Mr. Cole has become much in demand as a speaker to serve Hewett Released all general occasions. The Bolivia Lions and their guests were very much pleased with his speech.

The program began by the gathering being called together by H. Foster Mintz, president of the club. One verse of America "Come around to the house and be rather sought after by colfollowed by invocation by Lion Chief Of Chaplains In see my tomato vines." So said lectors. It may be said that about J. T. Denning of Southport, the

ed to by Lioness W. A. Kopp.

it was a vacation with perhaps to, if you want it bad enough, serve as a baby sitter for his

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Trial Came To Close Late Friday Afternoon After Beginning To Pick Jury Tuesday Afternoon

DEFENDANT GETS 15-20 YEARS IN PEN

Notice Of Appeal Given By Defense Attorneys; No Other Cases Tried Following Completion Of This Trial

J. G. (Pat) O'Quinn, resident of the Calabash community, was convicted of manslaughter by a Chestnut, Sampson. convicted of manslaughter by a verdict of Brunswick county jury An operating budget for the penitentiary.

life for the fatal shooting of his to work out their own plan to wife, Mrs. Ruby Dell O'Quinn, raise their quota, using eight cents five days after his release from per capita as the rate.' the Federal Reformatory, Peters- Populations of each county in burg, Va., in June of this year. the Council were noping at least that The State sought to convince the jury that O'Quinn had brooded become pregnant during his ab- ly: sence and that he carried out a preconceived plan to kill her.

his wife had reconciled their 473; Sampson, \$3,982, and New differences while he still was in Hanover, \$5,061. The News Reporter And to her pregnant took that he took the stand to testify that he loved his wife and looked forthe amount in each of their countries. camaw Bank & Trust Co. ward to resuming life together ties. with her in their home. He reported that all was well between The Bolivia Lions Club cele- them until on the afternoon of The Elmore Motor Company guests. A total of 90 were pres- a pistol with which she threat- would have to pay high for an The event was held in the grappling for possession of this

# On \$2,500 Bond

Supply Man Allowed Freedom Under Bond When Crowded Court Docket Made It Impossible To Try His Case

Unable to reach his case last and Judge Walter L. Bone agreed Wade Mobley and was respond- is scheduled to be tried at the 5: since. He has gathered several For the time being Judge and The presentation of Editor will be in January unless a spenext term of criminal court. That tomatoes almost daily. At present Mrs. Walter L. Bone of Nash- Cole and R. F. Clodfelter of cial term is called during the

Hewett is charged with the

## **Area Industrial Progress Mapped** At SENC Meet

The Pilot Covers

Brunswick County

S. Lee Braxton Of Whiteville Is Made Permanent President Of Development Council

OPERATING BUDGET OF \$25,000 IS APPROVED

Executive Director To Be Employed By Eight Counties To Promote Industrial Growth

BURGAW, Sept. 24. — S. Lee Braxton of Whiteville was elected president of the Southeastern These fish by no means begin North Carolina Development Coucomplete the organization.

Other officers elected were: J. G. Anderson of Surf City, vice president; Kermin Austin of Clinton, second vice president, and J. B. Clark of Elizabethtown, secretary-treasurer.

Executive committee members amed and counties represented

W. G. Fussell, Bladen; H. W. Hood, Brunswick; S. D. Scott, Jr., Columbus; Aubury Cavanaugh, Duplin; O. O. Alisbrook, New Hanover; Herbert Eastwood, Onslow; J. V. Whitfield, Pender, and Glenn Thornton, Sampson.

Members of the board of directors named and counties represented were:

Fussell, Clark and Clyde R. Jordan, Bladen; Hood, Dr. R. H. Holden and R. B. Rabon, Brunswick; Scott, Braxton and Ralph W. Spivey, Columbus, Cavanaugh, M. G. Cording and Byron Bryant, Duplin; Allsbrook, C. H. Trask and Glenn N. Tucker, New Hanover; Eastwood, R. L. Mullen and Albert Venters, Onslow; Whitfield, W. W. Williams, Jr., and Anderson, Pender, and Thornton,

here Friday evening and Judge Walter L. Bone of Nashville promptly sentenced him to serve from 15 to 20 years in the state first fiscal year was estimated at \$25,000 and, on a motion by Anderson, the Council voted to finance the Council by having "each county pay on a popula-O'Quinn was on trial for his tion basis and allow each county

1950 census. Quotas for each couover the report that his wife had nty, accordingly, are approximate-Bladen, \$2,376; Brunswick, \$1,-539; Columbus, \$4,039; Duplin \$3,7 O'Quinn declared that he and 285; Onslow, \$3,363; Pender, \$1,-

prison and that he had forgiven Before the motion was approvher for her infidelity which led ed, representatives from each cou-

> The cost of supporting the Council was contained in the by-laws

ened to shoot him. It was while executive director to manage the Council's promotion activities. The consensus of members was that a budget of \$25,000 for the first year would be the minimum required to employ such a man, staff his office, pay for his traveling expenses, and provide for other necessities.

## 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.

gh Tide			Low	Tide	
1	Th	ursday,	September	27	
6	a.	m.	. 11:06		m
5	p.	m.	11:42		
			September 28	3	
3		m.	11:55		m
9	p.	m.	0:00		
			September		
6	a.	m.	0:23	a.	m
		m.	12:4\$		
	St	ınday,	September 3		
7	a.	m.	1:01	a.	m.
2	p.	m.	1:23	p.	m.
	1	Monday	October 1		
		m.	1:39	a.	m.
0	p.	m.	2:07		
	3	fuesday	October 2		
8	a.	m.	2:17	a.	m
9	p.	m.	2:50	p.	m
	W	ednesda	y, October	3	
2	a.	m.	2:56		m
2	p.	m.	3:35		
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DINNER MEETING FOR THURSDAY

es Has Bean Working With 4-H Club Mem-On the eve of the Southeastern

Bolivia 4-H club, and Joseph and Carolyn Price of Southport.

With pride the county agent

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Annual Inspection By Representative Of Regular Army Scheduled For Mon-With pride the county agent points out the contrast between the entries to be offered this

calves, all of them registered.

The calves will be trucked to Wilmington by their young own
The calves will be trucked to Wilmington by their young own
The calves will be trucked to Captain John K. Burns and meets ernor's office that Judge Susie

young visitors with their heifers and training.

In conjunction with the Thurs-

# Brief News

AT PREP SCHOOL Charles Blake, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Blake of Southport, Report Made By

Mrs. Clara Moye Shakell of Greenville, State president of the King's Daughters, will be the special guest of the Southport Chapter of King's Daughters at their meeting here Thursday night at the home of Mrs. C. Ed

There will be an all-day work-J. M. Milligan farm, Friday of jury each term of court the cusbroke out in Korea a little over this week. All who have rela- tom is to have the same body tives or friends buried there, or sit at all criminal sessions held United States last fall, but her are otherwise interested, are ur- during the 12 months. The con- husband, Col. Ivan Bennett, a ged to attend or send someone cluding business of 1951 grand chaplain in the Army for 32 with working equipment and a jury required four full days, al- years, was sent to Korea and

opment started, present plans are opment started are opment started are op

## or. A formal inspection in ranks she was employed. The railroad its third annual Community Fair of the Shallotte unit will begin at took an appeal from the verdict on Friday and Saturday, October eating, bathing, fishing and boat Captain Burns stated that he trial was ordered. Miss Mintz was interested in talking to the Brunswick county men who were

Wife Of Chaplain **Visiting Sister** 

Mrs. Irvin Bennett of Raleigh

# Nearly 40 cases were contin-