

## Boyle Company Of Sumter Low Bidder On Work

Latest Contract To Be Awarded For Work At Sunny Point Goes To South Carolina Firm For \$510,490.95

THREE LOWEST BIDS WERE VERY CLOSE

Security Roads And Fence Enclosing Installation Included In Latest Letting Yesterday

The Boyle Company of Sumter, S. C., was low bidder with an offer of \$510,490.95 for road and fence construction work at Sunny Point yesterday afternoon. Seven bidders were in the field for the work.

The three low bidders were all pretty close. Next to Boyle J. F. Towell of Raleigh submitted a bid of \$520,837.80 and E. B. Towels of Wilmington was third with a bid of \$521,368.89.

The highest bidder of the 7 competing was J. M. Thompson of Raleigh whose bid called for \$793,007.13.

The customary course is to award the contract to the lowest bidder and it is therefore assumed that the Boyle Construction Company will be awarded the job later on this week after investigations have been made.

The bids cover the building of about 13 miles of security roads, together with the construction of about the same length of steel wire fence, on steel poles sunk in concrete.

The roads are known as security roads, built for guard patrolling in jeeps and to the exclusion of all other traffic. The roads and fencing will extend completely around the active part of the installation with only three gates, one each at the upper and lower ends of Route 130 and the third at the Administration Headquarters. All laborers will enter and leave at the administration gate.

It is understood that the gate on Route 130 will be for emergency use only and for uses of a strictly military nature.

The site preparation work, storm drainage and erosion control work, going with the road and fence building contracts, cover the building of culverts, drainage, planting of grass, etc.

Reverting to the road, it will not be paved but will be graded the same as all modern roads. It will be built of rock, dredge from the river in the preliminary operations. The Young Stone Company of Charlotte now has a rock crusher engaged in grinding up this material. It is provided all contractors at no charge beyond the rock crushing costs.

## Brief Bits Of NEWS

**AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
March 27 is Passion Sunday and at 7:30 o'clock evening prayer and sermon will be conducted at Phillips Episcopal Church by the Rev. William L. Hicks.

**NEW STORE OPENS**  
The Town Shop, featuring ladies ready to wear, will open tomorrow (Thursday) in the business district on Moore street. The proprietors are Mrs. Evelyn Thompson and Mrs. Lois Jane Herring.

**DOG VACCINATIONS**  
G. B. Lewis, in charge of inoculating dogs in Town Creek and Northwest townships against rabies, will make his rounds on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. Dog owners are asked to watch out for his posted notices.

**TO KING'S BAY**  
The U.S.E. Dredge Hyde is scheduled to go to King's Bay, Ga., in six weeks or two months for two months of dredging where they are to build the ammunition depot. Several Southport and Brunswick county men are employed on this dredge. John O. Daniel of Southport is one of the mates.

**VISITED PARENTS**  
M. Sgt. and Mrs. B. A. Maples and daughter spent the past week at Bolivia with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rourke, parents of Mrs. Maples. For the past three years the family has resided in Newfoundland, where Sgt. Maples was stationed. They are now bound for the Philippines for another tour of duty. Mrs. Maples was the former Miss Helen Rourke.

## Being Demolished



**LANDMARK**—The Stuart House, located on the waterfront in Southport, was badly damaged during Hurricane Hazel. Workmen started last week on the job of tearing down this famous old building which was the home of the late Miss Kate Stuart. For many years it was the center of hospitality for this community.

## Name 3 Members To County Board

**Dr. M. H. Rourke, Roy Sellers And Thomas W. St. George Are Appointed To Serve Four Year Terms As Members Of County Board**

**TWO OLD MEMBERS HAVE TWO YEARS**

**Representative Sullivan Has Introduced Bill Governing Removal Of Storm-Borne Property**

A bill was introduced in the House of Representatives Monday to name Dr. M. H. Rourke, Roy Sellers and Thomas W. St. George to four year terms as members of the Brunswick County Board of Education.

Corbett Coleman of Waccamaw and Herbert Long of Leland still have two years to go on their terms as members of the board.

Dr. Rourke is at present a member of the board as the representative from the Shallotte School District. Last year he engaged in a spirited race with Walter Stansland for nomination as a member of the board.

Roy Sellers, named to represent the Bolivia School District, will replace G. K. Lewis, current chairman of the board. In last year's primary election Sellers was the only man from his school district to file for this office.

St. George, named to represent Southport School District, is serving at present as a member of the board having been named to succeed Ray H. Walton, who resigned when he went to Raleigh as Senator from this district. Walton had succeeded him on the board when St. George resigned two years ago. This was before his business made it necessary for him to be absent from the county for several months. Prior to that he had served for four years as a board member.

Ralph Phelps of Southport was the only man from Smithville township to file for the board of education last spring. Another house bill in which there was particular interest during the past week was one introduced by Representative Kirby Sullivan dealing with the disposal of property that washed or was blown on the premises of other owners, particularly during

**Methodist Youth Launch Program**  
Young people of four Methodist churches in Brunswick county will participate in Christian Witness Mission this week end, with Trinity Methodist Church in Southport being the center of operations.

**Christian Witness Mission For Brunswick Sub-District Will Be Held During Coming Week-End**  
The plan of visitation is to have one local youth and one visitor in each visitation team. The young people may also have the assistance of their adult counselors.

Purpose of the mission is find unchurched youth in the communities of the participating churches; to enroll them in the youth fellowship; lead them to a commitment to Christ and help them to witness, according to the Rev. R. H. Jordan, pastor of the Southport church. He said the program is part of a nation-wide effort of Methodist churches.

## Waccamaw Work Delayed By Water

D. W. Sneider of the Coast-wide Construction Company stated this week that he will begin work on the Waccamaw snag and debris removal job just as soon as the water in the stream falls enough to permit locating some of the snags, logs and rafts that are to be removed.

If this work is attempted during a period of high water, he pointed out, the workmen will be unable to locate a lot of obstructions. The water is not abnormally high now, but Sneider thinks it will have to go down about three feet lower than it is before the required work can be done.

## Schedule Revival For Mill Creek

**The Rev. McKenney Cobble Will Be Guest Minister At Revival Beginning On Sunday, March 27**

Rev. W. F. Naylor, pastor of Mill Creek Baptist church has announced that beginning Sunday morning, March 27, and continuing through April 1, Rev. McKenney Cobble will be guest preacher at the series of services to be held at the church.

The Rev. Mr. Cobble is pastor of Gillespie Avenue Baptist Church at Knoxville, Tenn. He received his education at the Carson-Newman College at Jefferson City, Tenn. He was with the Home Mission Board for 6 years, working in Kentucky and Tennessee. He has several churches in

## Trash Dumping May Be Serious

**Southport Residents Who Have Been Dumping Garbage On Highway Right-Of-Way And Private Property May Be In Trouble**

It is a violation of the State laws to dump garbage anywhere on the shoulders or on the right-of-way of any highway, and this week Corporal O. H. Lynch of the State Highway Patrol called at this office to ask the cooperation of the public in this matter.

He stated that at several places on the old River Road, in the Southport city limits and out as far as the Magnolia Dairy, people have been dumping garbage on the shoulders of the road. To prove his point, he carried a newsman around on this stretch of River Road and pointed out 11 different places where garbage had been dumped.

"This looks bad," said the officer, "and I am being compelled to take action against such offenders if they can be caught." He asked that law abiding residents and people traveling the road report any instance where they see anyone dumping garbage on the shoulders of this and other roads.

Town and county officers are also being asked to assist in curbing this practice of dumping garbage by arresting or reporting anyone they see dumping on any highways shoulders or right

## Closing Dates For Cotton And Peanut Farmers

**Final Date For Releasing Peanut Allotment Is Now April 25; Farmers Urged To Release If Not Planting**

**THE SAME PRINCIPLE APPLIES TO COTTON**

**Brunswick ASC Leaders Urge Growers Either To Grow Acreage Or Release It For Benefit Of Others**

On March 3, the N. C. State ASC Committee changed the previously established closing date for release and reapportionment of peanut acreage for the state. The closing date for accepting released allotments from Brunswick county peanut growers is April 25.

The final date for applying for reapportionment if released allotments by peanut growers wishing to harvest more acreage in 1955 is May 5.

Lonnie Evans, chairman, urges all Brunswick county peanut producers to release their acreage if they are not going to plant it, so as to keep the county's acreage up as well as their own.

March 25 has been set as the date for releasing cotton acreage for use by other farmers in Brunswick county.

In North Carolina, 74,819 acres of cotton allotment were not planted last year, and were not released for planting by other farmers. This is definitely money out of the farmer's pocket, and income lost to the county and state that is needed at this time. Farmers are urged to put to this practice that is costing North Carolina future acreage in its traditionally important money crop.

Under the law individual allotment are made on the basis of the law providing for release of cotton acreage, however, permits the farmer to retain his full planting history for the release, providing he has planted as much as one-tenth of an acre during one of the previous two years. For this reason overplanting this year can cost the farmer up to one-third of this planting history unless he releases all acreage that will not be used. This can also cost him considerably in lost income.

## Beach Building Nearing Hundred

**Census Taken Sunday Indicates That Building Has Reached Three-Quarters Mark Toward This Goal**

E. F. Middleton of Charleston, S. C., and Long Beach made the statement this past week that there will be more than a hundred homes ready for use at Long Beach by the first of June.

His statement sounded something in the order of optimism, despite the fact that it is known that rebuilding is at something of a boom stage. Just to see for themselves, a representative of the State Port Pilot and Tommy Thompson of T. F. Scholes, Inc., went down the beach Sunday afternoon and checked on developments.

Putting things in several categories: The half a dozen homes that were left by the storm; houses that were swept away from their original locations and



Senator Ray Walton is not very optimistic about an early adjournment of the legislature. He thinks it will be about the middle of May before they get away from Raleigh. A long stay there does not hold out a pleasing prospect to either him or his colleagues. To make matters worse in his case his legal business here is piling up on him at such a rate that he is compelled to put in all of his week end time at home, including Sundays, attending to the things that accumulate during the five days he spends in Raleigh each week.

The Connie Sue, Long Beach

## Preacher



**REV. FRANK ROBINSON** will be visiting evangelist for the services at the Bolivia Baptist Church, March 27 through April 3. Rev. Mr. Robinson was pastor near Roanoke Rapids for several years. He is now pastor of the Oxley Baptist Church near Asheville. He attended Southwestern Seminary and was the first man to graduate from the Seminary Extension Department. Rev. Richard McDuffie, pastor of the church, invites the public to attend.

## Sanitary Rules Affect Building In The County

**Regulations Governing Installation Of Plumbing And Septic Tanks Particularly Important On All Brunswick Beaches**

The Brunswick County Health Department has drawn up the following set of regulations governing installation of plumbing and septic tanks; and they are expected to be of particular interest to owners of beach property who are now rebuilding:

"It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to install or build any residential or other type of sewage disposal plant or plumbing at any residence, storehouse, factory, or other place of residence or business in the county of Brunswick without first obtaining a permit from the Health Officer of Brunswick County or his duly authorized agent, provided that this section shall not apply to any sewage treatment plant which will or may treat sewage from more than 15 persons . . .

"It shall be unlawful for any plumber or other person to install any plumbing fixture of any nature in any residence, storehouse, factory, or other building in any unsewered area within the City of Southport, or the County of Brunswick, unless written permission be obtained from the County Health Officer or his duly authorized agent. Permits for the installation of kitchen sinks, lavatories, commodes, and bath tubs which are to be installed in buildings in unsewered areas shall in no case be granted unless it is clearly shown that the discharge from such fixtures will be handled in such a manner as not to cause a nuisance, or to become offensive or annoying to the neighboring citizen, or in any manner jeopardize the health and comfort of the community in which the installation is made.

"Any residential sewage disposal plant installed in the County of Brunswick, shall be constructed under the supervision of the County Health Officer or his duly authorized agent.

"Any septic tank installed in (Continued on Page 2)

## Better Hurry Up To Sunny Point

**Official Word From U. S. Engineers Office Indicates That Period For Unrestricted Visiting May End Soon**

Word from Colonel R. L. Hill Monday of this week, was to remind the public that they can visit and see Sunny Point now but that it will soon be closed to the general run of visitors.

In fact, it appears likely that guards will be placed at Dock 2 by the first of April. This is indicative that the public will not be allowed on No. 2 after that date.

At the present time no part of the huge installation is closed to the public, except there on the docks. The docks are only open to workmen, officials and visitors accompanied by some authorized person.

These restricted visits on the docks were created by the Diamond Construction Company and are intended to prevent possible injury to visitors and interference with workmen on the dock. The Army Engineers are perfectly willing for visitors to inspect

the terminals. At the same time the engineers have rigid safety rules for the contractors doing the work and the contractors in turn have to maintain a measure of safety rules for visitors.

Since the start of operations the Diamond Company and all other contractors at the installation have been showing the visitors the utmost consideration, but the Diamond folks have had to exercise reasonable safety precautions by seeing that unescorted and unauthorized persons do not drive or walk over the big docks.

Authorized to take interested visitors anywhere, W. B. Keziah of the The Pilot office will be glad to accompany and show interested visitors over the docks and other places. He says, however, that he does not know how long he will be allowed to continue escorting these visitors to some points of installation.

## Crisp Not Held By Coroner Jury

**Polio Vaccine May Be Given**

Children enrolled in the first and second grades of schools in Brunswick county will have an opportunity to be inoculated against infantile paralysis if present plans of the Brunswick County Health Department materialize.

This work will not be done without the written consent of the parents, and slips already have been sent out by the students for their signature.

The other uncertain factor is the supply of vaccine, and if this is available the treatment will be given to children for whom permission has been granted.

The health department has changed the day for the clinic in Southport to Tuesday afternoon each week, beginning at 1 o'clock. The Shallotte clinic is held each Friday, starting at 1:30 o'clock.

## Recorder Hears Traffic Cases

**Another Busy Day Spent In Brunswick County Recorder's Court Monday With Traffic Cases Predominating**

Another full day was required to dispose of the cases in Brunswick county Recorder's court here Monday, with the following judgments being rendered:

Roy McMillan operating truck of excessive height, fined \$10 and costs.  
Boyd Haward Harris, speeding (65-mph) fined \$10 and costs.  
Tom Griffin Gunn, speeding (65-mph) fined \$10 and costs.  
Willard Clifton Lewis, allowing minor to operate car, taxed with costs.

William King, assault on female, 30 days on roads, previous judgment of 30 days invoked to run consecutively with this sentence.

Clara Miller, assault with deadly weapon, 30 days in jail.  
Walter McCrae, assault on female, 30 days in jail, suspended on good behavior for two years and payment of costs.

James H. Faircloth, speeding (55-mph with truck) fined \$10 and costs.  
Cecil Overton Pickett, reckless operation, speeding, fined \$25 and costs.

Joseph Taylor, expired operator's license, fined \$25 and costs, fine remitted as defendant has acquired operators license.

William Franklin Bird, speeding (70-mph) fined \$15 and costs.  
Eloise Todd, no operator's license, fined \$25 and costs.  
Albert Coolidge Hughes, allowing unlicensed person to operate car, costs.

Sarah James Randall, no operators license, fined \$25 and costs.  
Arthur Berritt Thompson, speeding (65-mph) fined \$10 and costs.

Raymond Gause, drunk and dis-

**Following Hearing Friday Night At Leland Verdict Rendered Freeing Defendant For Fatal Shooting Wednesday Morning**

**SOLICITOR BURNEY MAY PRESENT BILL**

**He Indicates That He Will Present Bill Of Indictment Before Grand Jury At May Term Of Court**

A Brunswick county coroner's jury Friday night voted to free R. E. Crisp, Leland automobile dealer, of criminal responsibility for the fatal shooting last Wednesday morning of James Anthony Ferreri.

The inquest was held at Crisp Motor Co., near the scene of the shooting.

Prior to the hearing Crisp had been held under a \$2,500 bond. Since the trial Solicitor J. J. Burney, Jr., has been quoted as saying that he will send a bill before the Brunswick county grand jury at the May-term asking that Crisp be indicted for murder.

Evidence presented at the hearing Friday night came from Sheriff Albert H. Gray, D. M. Parker, Patrolman Seth Thomas and Mike Pollak.

Gray gave a report of his investigation into the fatal shooting. Parker, who was with Crisp as he went into his used car lot to search for intruders and who was an eye-witness to the shooting, gave a detailed report of the occurrence. Patrolman Thomas reported his activities following his arrival upon the scene of the shooting.

The longest account was given by the 16-year-old Pollak, who

## Solons Working On Water Need

**Critical Situation Looms For Long Beach Development Unless Help Comes From Federal Source**

Information is to the effect that Senator Sam Erwin, Senator Kerr Scott, Congressman Ertel Carlyle and Congressman C. B. Deane are working on a Disaster Relief project that is intended to relieve the Long Beach water problem created by the storm in October.

The Long Beach Water Company had several miles of 2-inch water mains given to the operating company and the beach in 1947. There were also two good wells that provided an abundant supply of water.

The projects is one for new piping and this will cost about 90 cents per foot or \$5,000 per mile. The project is to obtain about 6 miles of piping, or about \$35,000 in cost.

The water from the beach well is said to be entirely o. k., but further use of the 2-inch pipe is called out of the question when the matter of the need is to be met. An effort is being made to obtain 6-inch pipe of the same

## Name Workers In Red Cross Fund Campaign

**The Rev. L. D. Hayman, Chairman Of The Annual Fund Drive In Brunswick County This Year**

**DIRECTORS FROM EVER YSECTION**

**These People Who Have Assumed Responsibility For Drive To Remain As Permanent Directors**

The Rev. L. D. Hayman, Director of the Red Cross fund raising campaign for Brunswick County, has completed the organization and the workers are out in their respective areas making house-to-house calls for membership enrollment in the Brunswick Chapter. The membership enrollment card goes to everyone making a contribution of one dollar or more.

According to announcement of the Rev. Mr. Hayman, a representative group of citizens has been secured as directors in the program and will continue as directors of the chapter, composing the governing board, and will be confirmed at the annual meeting which takes place at the end of the fund raising drive.

Ray Walton is president of the chapter and Mrs. J. M. Harper, vice-president. Mrs. Robert Willing is treasurer. Mrs. Donald Tydings is Home Service Director, the Rev. Mr. Hayman is acting chapter secretary and director of the Fund Raising Program.

The full board of directors in addition the officers just named are as follows: L. C. Babson, Freeport; Mrs. Davis Herring, Southport; Cleon Evans, Ash; Mrs. Edward Wessel, Leland; Mrs. E. G. Goodman, Town Creek Area; Mrs. Early Danford, Bolivia; Mrs. Irma Holden, Supply; Mrs. Joe Ramseur, Ortan-Pleasant Oaks; Guy McKeithan, Shallotte-Grissetown; Mrs. Lottie Chadwick, Village Point-Gause Landing Road; Mrs. Joyce Young, Hickman Crossroads; Mrs. Annie A. Montgomery, Negro population of the county.

These directors have been given the power to name their respective local helpers for the fund raising effort. As soon as these persons are secured, their names

## Southport Man Gets New Post

**Joel Moore, Jr., Has Accepted Position As Executive Director Of Orlando, Fla., Convention Bureau**

Joel L. Moore, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Moore of Southport, has been appointed Executive Director of the Orlando (Fla.) Convention Bureau. Until his appointment to this position he was with the Miami Beach Convention Bureau, where he was assistant to the director.

Mr. Moore is 28-years old and is a graduate of the Southport High School and of the Citadel at Charleston, S. C. He served in the Merchant Marine as an engineering officer during World War II. Following his graduation from college he entered the Army and was a company commander in Korea where he was decorated with the Bronze Star for meritorious service.

## 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, March 24	
7:59 A. M.	1:52 A. M.
8:19 P. M.	2:08 P. M.
Friday, March 25	
8:45 A. M.	2:40 A. M.
9:08 P. M.	2:54 P. M.
Saturday, March 26	
9:34 A. M.	3:28 A. M.
9:59 P. M.	3:39 P. M.
Sunday, March 27	
10:25 A. M.	4:19 A. M.
10:53 P. M.	4:29 P. M.
Monday, March 28	
11:21 A. M.	5:14 A. M.
11:50 P. M.	5:23 P. M.
Tuesday, March 29	
00:00 A. M.	6:12 A. M.
12:23 P. M.	6:23 P. M.
Wednesday, March 30	
0:53 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
1:28 P. M.	7:29 P. M.