Remember This Boat?

CHANGED-Older Southport residents may recognize the lines of the above

essel and be able to identify her as the former steamer Wilmington, which in

ther years made daily trips from Southport to Wilmington. The vessel now ope-ates in Tampa Bay as a sightseeing boat. Until the first of this year it has been

Has Trouble With

This past week Drew Long,

constable of Shallotte town-

ship, went to Wilmington and

purchased himself a pair of

handcuffs from a pawn shop.

proud of them.

Church

ferry boat operating in the same area.

Of Shoals To Depth Of

12-Feet; Expect Work

To Require One

Month

Contracts for intracoastal wa-

erway maintenance dredging in-

The entire project calls for

he removal of some 113,000 cu-

oic yards of shoals from the wa-

erway at points from New Riv-

The waterway project depth i

12-feet but for the past several

vears the absence of funds has

original depth of 12 feet is being

At the boat basin at Southport

For the past year the

terway at points from New River in Onslow county to Little Special Service

Tacht Basin Will

County Board Endorses New

Members Of Board Of County Commissioners Ask For Outside Assistance In Mapping Plans For Water Control

OTHER MATTERS OF **BUSINESS SETTLED**

Time During Monday Session; New Purchase Arrangement Made

The board of county commiswick County Drainage District.

Monday be observed as a holiday by all county offices.

tion and present it to the board before purchase is made. A road in Shallotte township known as the Village Point and Pre-Dawn Singing By Color-Gause Landing road, was approved Choristers Is One Of

ing, if possible. proved for hard surfacing. This COMBINE CHOIRS road is approximately one one-fourth miles in length.

Ballard of Northwest township be relieved of four years taxes, '46,

The resolution approved with regard to the Drainage District was as follows:

age district known as Brunswick sentation of a cantata by the

district will not be able financi- Methodist Church, with members

known as the "Watershed Plan-ning and Flood Prevention Act" the fateful week end of the New York Port of Embarkation, first Easter will be shown as now assigned to Sunny Point, under the provisions of which the story in music unfolds. needed assistance can be obtain- It is expected that an overflow dling the parade crowd Saturday.

Medlin, and unanimously carried,

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BUSINESS TRIP

from tomorrow (Thursday) night uld be by late fall. to Thursday night of next week.

tomorrow (Thursday) at 12:30 restricting visitors. o'clock in the Community build- Both of these men held that

AT ST. PHILLIPS

Episcopal Church Easter Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

INSPECTING JOB HERE

huge railroad building job his and courtesy. company is engaged on at Sunny

ployees of the administration oflices at SPAALT.

| Continued on Page 4) | Scious when thrown from the vesay was that the name would be| Continued on Page 4) | Continued on Page Two
| Continued on Page 40 | Continued on Page Two fices at SPAALT.

On Fishing Pier

New Span Reaching Out Over Water Already, With Contractor Making Good Headway On Job

fishing pier at Yaupon Village is a one-piece structure up to the now making good progress and decking. The decking is of 3x8 there is assurance that the sports inch cypress, 20 feet in length minded folks will be able to use and free from knots. All was cut it some time soon after the mid- to the 20-foot specification and

water mark to the low water flooring. mark. Most of the pilings for the location is one block east this distance have been put in and of the main Yaupon Village some of the decking. The pile Street. The total length of the sioners were in session Monday driver which has been working structure is 800-feet, 600 feet of ports that the Red Cross fund with all members present. Sever- from the ground will be mounted it extending beyond the low wa- raising campaign is entering its al matters were attended to, the to the structure this week and ter mark. Old timers along this final stage and will come to most important of which was a proceed the rest of the way wor- part of the coast say that the close as of April 15. area is one of the best spots There are no bolts and nuts in anywhere for all sorts of sports

On a motion by Commissioner Herbert F. Swain, seconded by Commissioner Leo Medlin, it was Set For Easter

The Most Enjoyable Features Of Observance Of Easter In Southport

PRESENT CANTATA

It was ordered that Bessie This Will Take Place At 7:30 O'Clock At Trinity Methodist Church; Special Music At Morning Hour

Religious services will highli WHEREAS it appears to the ght the observance of Easter in Board that the landowners in the Southport, beginning with the Cawcaw Watershed area of this pre-dawn singing by colored sincounty have organized a drain- gers and concluding with the pre-

will attend this union service, THEREFORE, on motion made and special seating arrangements tain M. L. Ivory, assisted by M-

RESOLVED that the Board of No Restrictions **Yet For Visitors**

By W. B. KEZIAH J. C. Bowman, Southport at- operations, Col. William A. Mc- Governor Luther Hodges, Mayor torney, has returned from a busi- Aleer, Commanding Officer for E. L. White and the Commandness trip to Washington, D. C. Sunny Point under the Army ing officer at Camp Lejeune. The regular monthly meeting ons regarding visitors, but rigid Three Hurt In of the Southport Parent-Teachers restrictions will go into effect Association has been postponed when operations start. This sho-

the installation belonged to the The Rev. William L. Hicks will stallation, insofar as they kept ery was involved in a collision preside over Holy Communion and will preach at St. Phillips demand will preach at St. Phillips

Contractors, naturally, had some Three persons were injured, al-

Deadline For **Red Cross Set** For April 15th

Extension Of Time Asked By The Rev. L. D. Hayman, Who Is Directing Red Cross Roll Call In Brunswick

WORKERS BUSY IN EACH COMMUNITY

ge In Southport, With Ac-tive Solicitation Slated To Start This Week

been or are being secured to make a complete house-to-house visitation for roll-call of membership. Solicitations of membership among the business firms of the county are also being made.

at Winnabow. Mrs. Eunice Daniel is heading the work at Southport with Mrs. E. C. Blake assisting her in the suburban area near town. Mrs. Daniel is now listed an announcement of at assistants will be made.

"Every indication points to successful campaign," says Rev. Mr. Hayman. "People most favorable to the cause, declined the opportunity to ser-week by the Corps of Army Enve. Others will be announced lar ineers to the Norfolk Dredging ter, for the list of workers is as company of Norfolk.

W.M.U. Session Next Wednesday er in Onslov River, S. C.

Goshen Baptist Church Will ing Of W.M.U. Of Bruns- maintaining that depth. The prewick Baptist Association sent contract indicates that the

The W. M. U. of the Brunswick restored on the waterway. Baptist Association will have their annual meeting at Goshen Bap the project is also a 12-ft. of

Until Operations Begin This
Fall Visitors Will Be Able
To Inspect Work Progress
At Sunny Point

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State Young Peoples Secretary,
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For the past year the big of the basin and boatmen appear additional funds permit dredging to the basin and boatmen appear lowing associational leaders: Rev. handle the crowd. Incidentally, Mrs. Anne Clemmons, Mrs. L. J. been having much trouble get-text of messages delivered on Until the beginning of actual while he was there the C. O. met McKeithan, Mrs. Odell Blanton, ting up to their moorings and un-Mrs. Joe Reaves, Mrs . Margaret loading docks at low tide. McRackan and several of the G. The work on the waterway will be a service in itself, with Scrip-

> ciation reached the State goal should be reached about halfway again this year and also made the month with the work here the Standard of Excellence. The requiring about a week. The plans Continued On Page Two

> > Our ROVING Reporter

responsibility and authority with though all were released after With the definite naming of the come Sunny Poregard to visitors where they receiving examinations and first government terminals here as int it is and will remain. It is ville attorney, was recovered lowing too W. E. Yoder of Reading, Pa., were working. But all of them aid at Dosher Memorial Hospital. Sunny Point Army Ammunition not necessary for the public to Monday afternoon. The body was agreed to pay damage in the amfollowed the policy of the Army Ammunition and necessary for the public to Monday afternoon. general superintendent of the T. followed the policy of the Army Most seriously injured was Ri-Loading Terminal (SPAALT), the call it by its full military title. First reported by Hall Waters Olin Manual Control of the T. Engineers Visitors have been and

on his forehead. Other occupants is over. It was not in the order of this week to say that they are of the accident. There is only one place where of the automobile were the lad's things to call this installation in expecting to move the furniture Harris had gone to the beach Leggie Oliver Inner a there is a semblance of a restriction. That is on the three concrete there and his 9-months-old brother and his 9-months-old brother and his cousin, Jesse Way-county, and we were told three Beach this week end. Mrs. Smith Fayetteville, owner of a home at Ruston Minery speeding (65-mph) piers being built by the Diamond ne Howard. None of them were years ago that the change in na- has spent much time here super- the beach. Both were wearing Buster Mincey, speeding (65-Miss Martha Sameth, person- Construction Company. There it hurt. Miss McGlamery and Miss me would occur when the Army vising the construction. nel specialist with the New York was necessary for the safety of Jean Thompson, a passenger in Transportation Corps took over. Her husband wrote this week boots when they went to the Luther Henry Crisco, Jr.

say was that the name would be- (Continued on page four)

Army Announces Activation Of

ration Not Expected Until This Fall

on loading terminal, located near rived yesterday. They will select Southport was announced last week by the Department of the trative empolyees who will be Army. The \$23-million terminal, trained for their work between which will not begin physical op- now and when operations com-They were for use in his business and he was quite eration until the fall, will begin mence. administrative operation effective April 1.

Coming on to Southport and without testing the open-Ammunition Loading Terminal of last week and formally took ing and closing ability of one (SPAALT), the terminal repre- command on April 1. The execuside of the cuffs, he slipped sents a departure in ammunition tive officer and second in comloading. SPAALT is the first ter- mand is Lt. Col. Gregg McLeod. minal designed for the specific A third executive is Major Jack purpose of handling various types Reavis. All are here and active of ammunition, explosives and in preparatory work. Mrs. Mcother dangerous cargo, providing leer, wife of the commander, is

The Department of the Army emphasized that Sunny Point was not a depot. SPAALT receipts Bank Cashier unprintable language before

The terminal will be operated by the Army Transportation Corps under direction of the New Port of Embarkation. Set For Friday SPAALT, however, will have its own identity with a commanding officer and supporting staff. Col. Three-Hour Service Will Be William A. McAleer, former com-Held Beginning At Noon manding officer of Kure Port, At St. Phillips Episcopal Japan, will be in command of Harrelson, former cashier and

Good Friday Services will be the Cape Fear River, some 15 Company, was charged last week thetist Church beginning April 13 water. The 10-foot dredging at held at St. Phillips Episcopal miles south of Wilmington and 5 with embezzling \$1,622 of bank Griffin, Pfc. Huggins and Pfc. The program begins at 10 o'clock this time apparently indicates Church from noon to 3 p. m. miles north of Southport, is be-funds. The missionary and guest that there is still a lack of Friday of this week. The Episcospeaker will be Mrs. J. D. Franks funds. However, the 10-foot dep-pal, Baptist, Methodist and Pres- vision of the Wilmington District at Sunny Point, Lt. Col. Gregg speaker will be Mrs. J. D. Franks and Surick the sample for the boats using byterian Churches are all partisits largest peacetime project of Investigation, Charlotte, and Surick the basin and boatmen appear cipating. since the District was established

riations for the project were is- Federal Reserve Act. what they could in helping to lowing associational leaders: Rev. For the past year the big The seven last statements spoken handle the crowd. Incidentally Joe Stanley, Rev. Henry Register, shrimpers and other craft have by Christ at the time will be the Sept.-Nov., 1951, with the goahead signal for construction being given in November 1951.

begin within 30 days and should ture, prayer, sermon and hymn. Short Session These words and the ministers

Activities Of Weekly Session Of Brunswick County Recorder's Court Completed Early In Afternoon

Activity in Brunswick county ber Of Prominent Cum- Recorder's court came to a close berland County Family, during the middle of the after-Drowned In New Inlet noon Monday with the following judgements being handed down: Lester Moore, non support, 9 Drowned Saturday evening months on roads, suspended on

from his plane flying over the Olin Major Frink, speeding Jessie Oliver Inman, speeding

First Military Personnel For Terminal Here

The Pilot Covers

Brunswick County

Commanding Officer Arrives Wednesday, Together With Executive Offi-cer; Military Policemen Arrived Friday

SPAALT IS NEW NAME FOR PROJECT

Recruiting Team Here Tues-day For Purpose Of Filling Certain Administrative Positions

By W. B. KEZIAH months to go before construction is completed to the extent of putting the installation in operation, the Sunny Point Army Ammunition Loading Terminal

(SPAALT) commands all deep

water ports on the Atlantic Coast,

from the Virginia border to

Miami, Fla., so far as Army Transportation is concerned. SPAALT is the official shortening of the name. For the sake of brevity the public is at liberty to call it Sunny Point. Even the military officials and men, when not enaged in official communications, refer to the place as Sun-

ny Point. Great Terminal A picked group of crack Military Police from the New York Administrative Operation week. They are under command of Capt. Maurice L. Ivory and Begins, But Physical Ope- M-Sgt. Hoskinson, They will be here for several months engaged in the work of training Civilian

A recruiting team from the Activation of a new ammuniti- Army Transportation Corps arand hire a number of adminis-

Colonel William A. McAleer who Designated the Sunny Point arrived at Southport Wednesday maximum safety with minimum also here having arrived late (Continued on Page 2)

Former Cashier Of Shall-

WILMINGTON-Edwin Charles manager of the Shallotte branch The new terminal, located on of the Waccamaw Bank and Trust

agent in charge, Federal Bureau filed before U. S. Commissioner J. Douglas Taylor here charging The authorization and approp- Harrelson, 33, with violating the

> fore Taylor and was released on a The 33-year-old former cashier

is charged with embezzling the funds and converting them to his own use on July 28, 1954.

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.

	Thu	ırsday,	April 7		
7:59	A.	M.	1:52	A.	M.
8:25	P.	M.	2:00	P.	M.
***************************************	F	riday,	1:52 2:00 April 8		
8:36	A.	M.	2:33	A.	M.
9:01	P.	M.	2:33 2:37	P.	M.
	Sa	turday,	April 9 3:13 3:13		
9:11	A.	M.	3:13	A.	M.
9:38	P.	M.	3:13	P.	M.
9:45	A.	M.	April 10 3:51 3:49	A.	M.
0:14	P.	M.	3:49	P.	M.
			April 11		
10:21	A.	M.	4:30	A.	M.
10:51	P.	M.	4:30 4:26	P.	M.
			April 12		
10:59	A.	M.	5:12 5:05	A.	M.
11:31	P.	M.	5:05	P	M.
	We	dnesday	y, April	13	
11:42	A.	M.	5:56	A.	M.
0:00	P.	M.	5:50	P.	M.

Report Progress

Construction on the new steel is being welded together to form as a result there will be no pat- Mrs. Eunice Daniel In Char-It is about 200-feet from high ching together of the decking or

It was ordered that Easter the steel framework. Everything fishing.

worship services will feature special music as the Easter theme is told in song and story.

WHEREAS it appears that this project will be of great economic value, both to the owners of the land in the area effected and also to the county as a whole; and WHEREAS it appears that these landowners in the proposed district will not be able financial.

Worship services will feature special music as the Easter theme is told in song and story.

"The Triumphant Hour" is the mame of the cantata which will be presented at Trinity Methodist Church by the choirs of Southport Baptist Church and Trinity Methodist Church with members of the list of workers is as company of Norfolk. The boat or yacht basin here work is progressing satisfactor. In charge of the entire colored in charge of the entire colored population and will announce her to the Norfolk Dredging ter, for the list of workers is as company of Norfolk.

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ed by Mrs. Dallas Pigott. The cantata is unique in that Police of Wilmington, 10 of the Congress has enacted legislation color slides depicting scenes of crack Military Police from the

Transportation Corps, does not plan any change in the regulati-

First under Col. Roland C. Hill. Corps of Army Engineers, and continued under Col. Raymond L. Hill, who succeeded Colonel

people, that they were entitled to Monday afternoon when a jeep visit and inspect the growing in- driven by Miss Betty McGlam-

of interviewing prospective em- docks without authorization or Thompson was knocked uncon- assurance be Sunny Point installation. In part deep water. With his heavy clo-

Stone Named To Succeed Himself

Members of the Brunswick County Board of Education met here Monday night and reelected Henry C. Stone superintendent of schools. He has been serving since July 1953, at which time he was named to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of J. T. Denning.

Corbett Coleman was elected chairman of the board, a position left vacant when Roy Sellers was named to replace G. K. Lewis as representative from the Bolivia school district. Sellers attended his first meeting Monday night.

Sunny Point Assist In Handling Big Crowd At the request of the Chief of

went from here to assist in han-They were in command of Cap-Sgt. Hoskinson. Others composing the cadre were Corporal Gibson, Corporal Tiirina, Pfc. Wilson, Pfc. Headley, Pfc. Haidl, Pfc.

Patterson. Cpl. William A. McAleer, C. O.

Wreck Monday

Jeep-Auto Collision In Business District Creates Quite A Bit Of Excite-

Excitement was created here Baptist Church corner.

F. Scholes, Inc., is spending a Engineers. Visitors have been and chie Fullwood, 7-year-old young- worry of a lot of people in Southfew days here inspecting the are being treated with patience ster, who sustained a bad gash port and elsewhere in Brunswick Port of Embarkation, arrived yes- visitors and employees that visi- the jeep, received bruises and This relieved our own mind, but expressing his thanks to W. B. newly created inlet to fish, and speeding, (55-mph in 45-mph terday and has begun the work tors should not drive out on the were treated for shock. Miss the public did not have the same Keziah for a recent trip over the Harris reportedly stepped into zone), fined \$10 and costs.

T. L. Smith of Siler City wrote beach, 3 miles below the scene (65-mph) fined \$10 and costs.

Get Maintenance New Handcuffs

the link on his wrist for the purpose of demonstrating to spectators how it It worked allright, clicked shut. Then declined to click open in response to the key. Drew finally back-tracked to Wilmington and had to have the cuff burned off. He is

will arrive by both truck and rail for transfer direct to the holds of waiting ships.

Sunny Point.

big The seven last statements spoken Each of these last savings will

Of Court Held

Guards for the installation.

Sunny Point is in command of

Faces Charges

otte Branch Waccamaw Bank And Trust Company Charged With Embezzle-

Ray J. Abbaticchio, special

Harrelson waived a hearing be-\$1,500 bond.

Tide Table

High Tide

Drainage Work

Tax Matters Took Up Part dle of May.

resolution relative to the Bruns- king from the decking.

ordered that hereafter all county offices needing to make a purchase shall make out a requisi-

ed by the commissioners for pav-A road in Smithville township leading from No. 87 to the end of the school bus route was ap-

'47, '48 and '49 taxes because of double-listing.

County Drainage District No. 1 combined church choirs at 7:30 for the purpose of constructing o'clock. a water control project in said worship services will feature spe-

ally to complete this project, nor from Southport Presbyterian do they have the means with which to obtain needed technical as- palian Church. It will be direct-WHEREAS it appears that the

by F. H. Swain, seconded by Leo are being provided.

Brief Bits Of

P. T. A. MEETING

The regular meeting of the Southport Lions Club will be held Brown, there were no regulations

SPECIALIST ARRIVES

Throughout Brunswick county volunteer solicitors are at work at Leland, Town Creek, Bolivia, Supply, Village Point, Shallotte, Grissettown, Hickman's Cross-roads, Ash, Freeland and Southport. All are under competent leadership and local helpers have

In addition to those already announced as members of the board of directors, Mrs. Florence Sullivan, is directing the efforts busy securing zone workers in the town of Southport, and as MAINTENANCE WORK soon as these workers are enentire working staff, including both officers, directors and their Contract Calls For Removal

I am delighted with the hearty response in every way. Not a single person who was asked to he cluding the dredging of the boat come a director or a helper he had at Southport, were let last declined the opportunity to ser-week by the Corps of Army En-

Be Host To Annual Meet-prevented the engineers from

A. girls and R. A. boys. The Brunswick Baptist Asso- take about a month. Southport

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Fayetteville Man **Drowns Saturday** Attorney J. O. Harris, Mem-

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while fishing in the new channel condition that defendant pay \$10 cut by the storm at the lower per week to support of his wife end of Long Beach, the body of and two minor children.

At Lockwoods Folly

heavy clothes and rubber hip mph) fined \$10 and costs.