

The Sports Corner

Pirates Break Dolphin Streak

The Shallotte Pirates put an end to Southport's winning streak yesterday afternoon with an 8 to 5 victory. Prior to this the Dolphins had won seven straight, including two games from Shallotte.

Yesterday it was a case of a well pitched ball game by Gordon Gore. Southport started with Scott Roberts on the hill. He was followed by Wayne Ludlum, who gave way to Donald Burris. Johnson was the Shallotte catcher while Rogers was behind the bat for Southport.

On Friday the local nine won a rain-interrupted contest from Shallotte by a 6-5 count. Ludlum was the winning hurler, while Hewett was the loser.

The purpose of the Soil Bank Conservation Reserve Program is to help maintain farmers' net income at the same time he is reducing his plantings of cash crops and practicing more conservation on the land.

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SOUTHPORT, N. C.

2 Shows Nightly Starting at 7:30 O'CLOCK

Wednesday and Thursday
April 10-11
"WORLD IN MY CORNER"
Audie Murphy and Barbara Rush

Friday and Saturday,
April 12-13
"RUN FOR THE SUN"
(Cinemascope)
Richard Widmark and Jane Greer

Monday and Tuesday,
April 15-16
"UNGUARDED MOMENT"
(Technicolor)
Esther Williams and George Nader

Wednesday and Thursday
April 17-18
"BETWEEN HEAVEN AND HELL"
(Cinemascope)
Robert Wagner and Cameron Mitchell

Waccamaw Defeats Shallotte, 6 To 2

SHALLOTTE — Waccamaw's Eagle baseball team defeated Shallotte's Pirates, 6-2, in a Brunswick County Conference game here Thursday.

It was the first Eagle baseball win over Shallotte in several years. Harold Wayne Milligan was Waccamaw's top hitter, collecting 3 for 4. Vernon Milligan was the winning pitcher, while Bobby Long was the loser.

Crop Insurance Closes April 15

Farmers Desiring This Coverage Must Make Application Before Deadline Expires

The Federal Crop Insurance corporation has limited the number of insurance policies that can be issued in each county this year, according to H. K. James, district supervisor for the U. S. department of agriculture agency. The limitation is due, James said, to the heavy liability which the corporation already has.

No applications will be accepted after April 15.

Federal all-risk crop insurance protects the investment necessary in producing a crop of tobacco. The supervisor pointed out that because of the high cost of producing an acre of tobacco as compared with other crops, and the number of growers participating in the program last year, North Carolina ranked second among the states in the amount of liability on the books of the corporation.

With all of the usual hazards in growing tobacco confronting us, and the most farmers planting old varieties that are not resistant to black shank and wilt, greater losses from disease are likely this year, James believes.

Realizing this situation, and the fact that the number of policies is limited growers interested in this protection are urged to contact the county crop insurance office at once. Applications are being received and policies are being issued on a first-come first-served basis.

The office in the courthouse annex in Whiteville serves Columbus and Brunswick counties.

NURSERY SCHOOL

A nursery school for children 3 and 4 years of age was opened Monday by Mrs. Joseph B. MacLeod at her home at the Yacht Basin. Enrolled are Cornelia Bowman, Bilbo Houghton, Ginny King, Dan MacLeod, and Ellen Watts.

Southport Ladies Visit Orphanage

Two-Day Trip Takes Local Group To Barium Springs And Davidson College For Brief Visit

By MRS. O. R. STUBBS

This is one time that I would like to be able to write briefly. But to write briefly would not get everything said that is necessary to explain the trip the Women of the Southport Presbyterian Church made to the Presbyterian Orphans' Home at Barium Springs last Wednesday, April 3.

We left Southport at noon with twelve ladies in the group. These were Mrs. Tom Gilbert, Mrs. P. G. Hickman, Mrs. Joseph B. MacLeod, Miss Kay Moore, Mrs. James Finner, Mrs. George Savage, Mrs. O. R. Stubbs, Mrs. Tom Tyler, Mrs. W. C. Webb, Mrs. Eva Wolfe, and Mrs. James Wolfe. Also with our group was the President of the Women of the New Hope Presbyterian Church at Winabow, Miss Ethel Purvis, who joined us in Southport.

Two cars of us took off full of anticipation and completely overjoyed to be able to make this trip. We were expected at Barium Springs at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening, in time for supper. We drove pretty regularly, but had to stop to buy gas and refreshments, as some of the ladies had left without lunch.

We stopped at a place in Lumberton that was nice, clear, and well kept. But in this cafe there was only one poor, lone man to cook and serve twelve hungry, talkative women. He really did a wonderful job of serving.

Needless to say, we arrived late, but since they were expecting us, we did get our supper. And in case you are listening, Barium Springs, we are still talking about that delightful country ham.

We left the dining room and were taken to the church for their mid-week prayer service. We sat in a group and were made to feel more than welcome by their pastor, the Rev. Bob Collins, and the faculty.

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TV Program Schedule

WMTD-TV CHANNEL 6	WILMINGTON, N. C.
Thursday, April 11	1:30 Safari
11:00 Price Is Right	1:55 Baseball
12:00 Strike It Rich	2:30 Eddy Arnold
12:30 Message for Today	3:30 Saturday S.
1:30 Cooking can be fun	3:45 Message Today
1:30 Club 60	4:00 Perry
2:30 Tennessee Ernie	4:30 Jackie
3:00 Matinee Theater	5:00 Perry
4:00 Brighter Day	5:00 Spect
4:15 Secret Storm	10:30 Hit 9
4:30 Edge of Night	11:00 Wrestling
5:00 Comedy Time	Sunday, A
5:30 Kiddie Time	11:00 Church
6:30 Lone Ranger	12:00 This ever
7:00 Weather News	1:00 Oral
7:15 Doug Edwards News	1:30 Front Faith
7:30 Dinah Shore	2:00 Church
8:30 Pendulum	2:30 Mr. N
8:30 Dragnet	3:00 Forum
9:00 Playhouse	3:30 Zoo
9:30 Tennessee Ernie	4:00 WideWorld
10:00 Video Theater	5:30 Outlo
11:00 Margie	6:00 Dine
Friday, April 12	7:00 Navy
11:00 Price Is Right	7:00 Navy
11:30 Strike It Rich	7:30 Secenal
12:00 News	8:00 Steve
12:30 Message for Today	9:00 Hour
1:30 Cooking can be fun	10:00 Loreting
1:30 Club 60	10:30 Artidrey
2:30 Tennessee Ernie	11:00 This Life
3:00 Matinee Theater	11:30 Late
4:00 Brighter Day	Monday, A
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4:30 Edge of Night	11:30 Strikrich
5:00 Comedy Time	12:00 News
5:30 Kiddie Time	12:30 Mess Today
6:30 Wild Bill Hickok	1:00 Cook
7:00 Weather News	1:30 Club
7:15 Doug Edwards News	2:30 TennErnie
7:30 Quartet	3:00 Maththeater
8:00 Blonde	4:00 Drivay
8:30 Life of Riley	4:15 Secrem
9:00 Favorite Story	4:30 Edgelght
9:30 Ray Milland Show	5:00 Pule
10:00 Cavalcade of Sports	5:30 Kiddie
11:00 Ray Anthony Show	6:30 Cisc
Saturday, April 13	7:00 VewNews
11:00 Bar 6 Theater	7:15 Dougd News
12:00 Big Top	8:00 PeoplFummy
1:00 Dance Review	8:00 Goldhouse
	8:30 Susie

Tower



Hurricane-Proof Telephone Line

Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Co. is completing a "hurricane-proof link" in its network of North Carolina communications facilities.

J. M. Wasson, vice president and North Carolina general manager, says the \$460,000 project will provide a radio-relay section between Maxton and Wilmington, for the Wilmington-Charlotte toll line. Long distance calls now travel through underground cable between Charlotte and Maxton.

The five towers in the radio-relay system, to be completed this month (April), have been built to withstand winds of 125 miles per hour. The highest tower, at Smith's near Lumberton, is 350 feet. In addition to it and to towers at Maxton and Wilmington, other radio-relay stations are located at Council and Bishop.

The system uses aimed beams between the towers to transmit telephone calls at the speed of light.

The company says the system will go into service with 24 circuits (the equivalent of 24 pairs of long distance lines). Another 24 circuits will be added to the system this summer, and 12 more are planned for early 1958.

Wilmington is now served by three major "open wire routes." In 1954 Hurricane Hazel, which knocked out nearly 40,000 of the company's telephones in the eastern portion of the state, halted service over all three long distance routes, leaving Wilmington temporarily cut off from outside telephone communication.

"We have designed this new link to prevent any future hurricane from again isolating the Wilmington area," Mr. Wasson says.

Farmers add molasses to livestock feeds to make them more palatable, just as cooks add sauces to foods to make them more tasty.

Revival Services Begin April 22

Revival services will begin on Monday night, April 22, at 7:30 o'clock at Bowden Memorial Baptist Church at Maco. They will last through Saturday, April 27, with the Rev. Anson Smith as the guest preacher.

This is the second series of meeting that the Rev. Mr. Smith has held at Bowden Memorial and

the church considers itself very fortunate to be able to bring him back into the community and church. Every one who possibly can is urged to come hear him.

Prayer meetings will be held on Friday and Saturday evenings at the church preceding the revival as preparations for the revival services. The Rev. Walter G. Phelps is pastor of the Bowden Memorial Baptist church.

Read The Want Ads

Telephone Talk

by
PAUL B. WOODSON
Your Telephone Manager

ALMOST ANY HOMEMAKER around town will tell you one of the most tiring parts of running a home is "running" from room to room. "Room-to-room travel," is how one good lady described it the other day. I'm no adviser on home economics, but was able to tell her a good way to save steps. Have additional telephones installed where they are most needed, like the kitchen, bedroom and den. And I showed her how the smart decorator colors blend, contrast or harmonize with her own color schemes. If you need additional phones, just call our Business Office and place your order. They cost so little—less than a nickel a day plus a one-time charge for color and installation.

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"SCIENCE SPECTACULARS," the Bell System's hour-long dramatic television presentations, are being enthusiastically viewed. The first, titled "Our Mr. Sun," was telecast last November. The second, "Hemo the Magnificent," was shown last month. Other gripping science dramas will be presented on network television later. Color films of these exciting spectacles are available for showing to your school, civic or church group. To arrange for showing these films, just call our Business Office.

With The Men In Service

Specialist Third Class Joseph O. Edwards, whose wife, Sarah, lives in Freeland is a mechanic in the 1st Field Artillery Missile Battalion in Germany. Specialist Edwards entered the Army in 1949, completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C., and arrived in Europe in April 1956. His mother, Mrs. A. G. Bostic, lives in Hallsporo.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Scottie Long

Funeral services for Scottie L. Long, 74, were conducted Sunday, March 31, at 2 o'clock from the Soldier Bay Baptist Church by her pastor, the Rev. Tom Williams.

Pallbearers were: Rogie Evans, Houston Hewett, George V. Smith, James Purvis, Preston Evans, and Myzell Smith.

Honorary pallbearers were deacons of Soldier Bay Church.

Mrs. Long was the wife of the late D. Burris Long. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. M. T. Koss, of Wilmington, one grandchild, Jerry Long, of Ash and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Mary E. Long, of Ash.

After a refreshing night's rest, we had breakfast in the dining room with the children. We were again taken in tow by the very capable Miss Taylor, who showed us around the campus. We visited the baby cottage, the laundry, the sewing room, the infirmary, and saw what makes a wonderful place like Barium Springs tick.

We visited the manse and met the gracious lady who presided over it. We met the little Collinses, the pastor's children, two adorable little boys—two and a half and five months. The manse is new, modern and lovely.

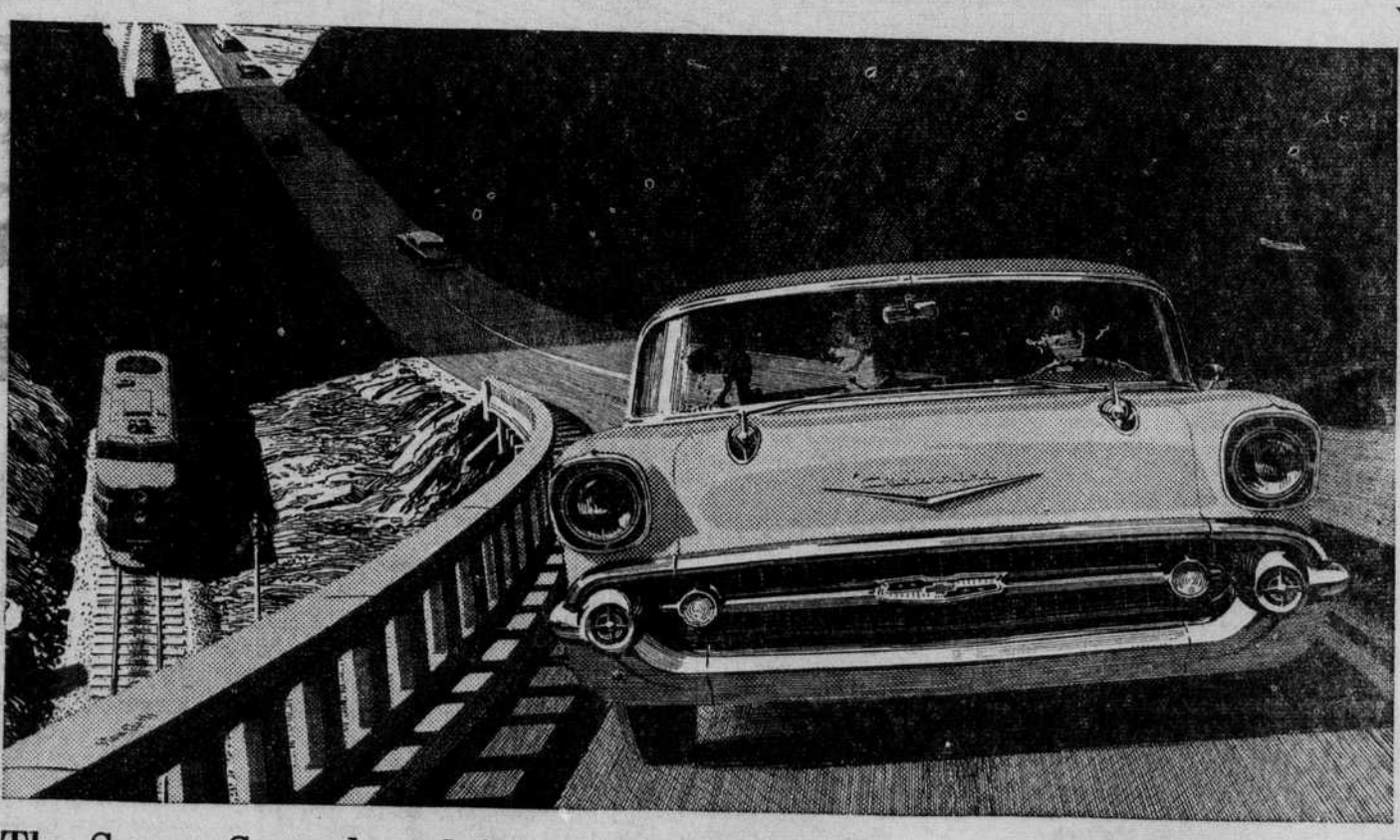
We were sorry to have to leave so early in the day, but we had been invited to go by Davidson and visit the college there. So we left Barium Springs with a heart full of appreciation for all the hospitality that had been shown us and the many joys we received from that wonderful place.

The visit to Davidson was all too brief, although very enjoyable. M. W. McGill, father of our Mrs. Ernest Parker, and bur-sar at the college, took us in hand when we arrived there and showed us around. We went inside of the lovely million dollar church building and were shown each department of this new church. I could write a considerable amount on just this church alone, but our time was limited and so also must this article be.

We had so much to see, and did get to look at some of the older buildings. This great college was founded in 1837, so we really did enjoy going over those old buildings where history and great men have been made.

We left the college and were taken by Mr. McGill to his home. There his wife served us a delightful lunch. I won't dwell on this delicious lunch, for this gracious lady with all her hospitality has the blessings and thanks of each of us who had the pleasure of meeting her and being in her home.

As I mentioned in the beginning, I would have liked to have made this brief, but this could not be a brief article and do justice to those who were so wonderful to us. Words can never express our gratitude to those people who made it possible for us to have such a wonderful time. We give each and every one of them our heartfelt thanks and blessings.



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