

## Baptists Hear Mission Leader Friday Evening

Dr. Baker James Cauthern, Executive Secretary Of Foreign Mission Board Of Southern Baptist Convention At Caswell

### BROUGHT END TO MISSIONS WEEK

Sunday Morning Speaker Was Dr. J. P. Satterwhite, Missionary To Japan; Another Session Now In Progress

Dr. Baker James Cauthern, executive secretary of the Foreign Mission Board of Southern Baptist Convention, spoke at the North Carolina Baptist Assembly Friday night as climax of World Mission Week. He spoke of the vast mounting population of the world and of physical and spiritual hunger in the Middle East where he traveled recently. Rev. Hubert S. Mumford, associational missionary of Durham, presided at the service. Rev. and Mrs. L. C. Pinnix of Lillington gave a duet, and the invocation was by Rev. A. D. Frazier of Godwin Heights Baptist Church, Lumberton.

"If we blunder on the home-front in our dealings with the man who has dark skin," Dr. Cauthern said in his comments on Africa, "we open a vast continent with untold natural resources as a rich plum for the hammer and sickle to pluck." He reminded the congregation met in families for a week of missionary education that the highest revelation came first not to an Anglo-Saxon but to a Semitic people.

"The finest and best that we enjoy was received by us at the hands of others who brought the Gospel to us," he went on. "Our ancestors in Britain, Germany, and Scandinavia themselves received it, and in this country the Methodist circuit riders and Baptist preachers of colonial days were missionaries. Now we are called to go as preachers, teachers, educational directors, doctors, nurses, and leaders of sacred music to our neighbors who sorely need our help."

Sunday morning speaker at the Assembly was Dr. J. P. Satterwhite, medical missionary to Japan who is returning to that country after a year in North Carolina. It was during Dr. Satterwhite's tour of military duty in Japan that he decided to work in that country. He is a graduate of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine. Fred J. Smith, manager of the Assembly, presided at the Sunday service of worship.

## Brief Bits Of NEWS

**BACK FROM CAMP**  
George Savage and Chuck Smith have returned following a one week's visit to Camp Don Lee at Arapahoe.

**PUBLICATION AVAILABLE**  
The 1956 ASC Farm Annual has been published and is now available upon request at the office of the ASC in Shallotte.

**AT LAKE JUNALUSKA**  
Mrs. J. M. Harper, Jr., has been spending the past week at Lake Junaluska where she has attended study sessions in preparation for a teaching assignment at the School of Missions at Duke University next month.

**LIONS TO MEET**  
The Southport Lions Club will meet tomorrow (Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Community Building. This is to make up the meeting postponed last week because of the Fourth of July holiday.

**RECEPTION**  
The Rev. Lawrence Bridges filled the pulpit at Trinity Methodist Church for both the morning and evening services Sunday. Following the evening service, which was attended by visitors from other protestant churches in this community, a reception was held in the recreation room of the church.

**BRIDGE PERMIT**  
The Corps of Engineers has issued the State Highway and Public Works Commission a permit to build a bridge across the Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway to Ocean Isle in Brunswick County. Plans say the bridge will have a horizontal clearance of 80 feet, will be swing type and will be located 2.6 miles west of the present ferry which it will replace.

## On Telephone Program



**CEREMONY**—On the left is Harry L. Mintz, Jr., President of the Atlantic Telephone Membership Corporation, presided at the Cut-Over Ceremony held Friday night at Shallotte. Congressman Alton A. Lennon, right, was the principal speaker.

## Program Heralds New Phone Service

Visiting Dignitaries Take Part In Ceremonies Held Friday Evening At Shallotte School Auditorium

**CONGRESSMAN LENNON PRINCIPAL SPEAKER**  
Mr. and Mrs. Carvin Roach Made First Long Distance Call During Program To Son Stationed In Wyoming

The Atlantic Telephone Membership Corporation was cut-over Saturday night when the system covering wide areas of rural Brunswick county were given long distance connections through the Southern Bell office in Wilmington.

This followed a formal ceremony on Friday night held in the Shallotte high school auditorium, with a number of telephone company officials and visiting dignitaries joining several hundred telephone subscribers for an interesting program.

Harry L. Mintz, Jr., president of the co-op, presided and extended a welcome. This was followed by introduction of officers, with vice-president Cecil C. Robbins doing the honors. Then President Mintz took over again and presented a number of guests.

Among these was Dr. E. D. Bishop, manager of the Brunswick Rural Electric Membership Corporation, who explained something of the history leading up to the establishment of the cooperative. His parting admonition to members of the new group was to keep and use their telephones, and to give their cooperation and assistance to co-op leaders. He further cautioned them never to forget their financial responsibility to make the new system a self-sustaining venture.

Walter E. Fuller, of the North Carolina Rural Electrification office in Raleigh, and the officer in charge of rural telephone development, spoke of the early trials and tribulations of the sponsors of this project to bring telephone service to all of Brunswick county and recalled that the real start on the final successful effort was made at a meeting held at Shallotte on October 8, 1954.

E. F. Clement, in charge of public relations for Southern Bell (Continued on Page Four)

## Donations For Storm Victims

Two Contributions Have Been Received During Past Week From Church Groups For Benefit Of Hurricane Sufferers

Mrs. Phil King says that during the past week donations for the Red Cross Hurricane Relief fund have been received from two Brunswick county churches. These were Shallotte Baptist Church with \$32 and the Gospel Center Baptist Church, with \$13.45.

Mrs. King says that while no active solicitation will be conducted, any contributions will be received and transmitted through proper channels.

## Brunswick ASC Officials Plan Friday Opening

"Open House" Will Be Held In New Quarters Of County Farm Organization At Shallotte This Week

### NEW QUARTERS IN OLD BANK BUILDING

Ample Space, Modern Accommodations And New Equipment Help Efficiency Of Farm Program

Open house will be observed at the ASC offices at Shallotte Friday evening of this week, beginning at 6 o'clock, and a general invitation has been extended citizens of Brunswick county by the members of the county committee and the office personnel to be present.

The farm organization now has offices on the second floor of the Old Bank Building in Shallotte. They were moved there from Supply several months ago when quarters in the County Agricultural Building were condemned.

Since moving into the new surroundings, new equipment has been added and good use had been made of the additional working space that has been made available. The rooms are air conditioned.

Mrs. Ada Varnum is office manager. The county committee is comprised of Lonnie Evans, chairman; Edgar Holden and C. W. Knox.

## County Farmers New Association

Brunswick County Dairymen To Meet Monday Night At Bolivia To Discuss Organizing Breeder's Association

The dairymen of Brunswick county will meet at Mae's Cafe in Bolivia Monday night at 8 o'clock to consider the organization of a Breeders Association, according to an announcement by A. S. Knowles, county agent.

All dairymen are urged to attend in order to get expression from everyone. R. R. Rich, Extension Dairy Specialist, will be present to lead the discussion. "In order for dairymen to maintain and improve their herds they must use latest technique in breeding and feeding practices," said County Agent Knowles this week.

Reports on the number of cows bred during the first quarter of this year indicate 1957 will be another record year for artificial breeding of dairy cows in North Carolina.

T. C. Blalock, dairy specialist for the N. C. Agricultural Extension Service at State College, reports that if the current level of growth continues for the remainder of the year more than 60,000 cows will be bred by the state's 60 county cooperative breeding units.

March was the big month in the quarter with a twenty-five per cent increase in the number of cows bred over March, 1956.

The top ten counties—Alexander, Cabarrus, Caldwell, Columbus, Bladen, Macon, Stokes, Orange, Randolph, Stanly, and Wilkes—had an average gain of eighty-two per cent. Top increase for the month was Stokes County where Technician H. J. McGuigan bred exactly four times as many cows as last year. P. W. Scott, (Continued on page four)

## TIME and TIDE

By JIMMIE HARPER

Headline: "Lights And Water Now Available At Ft. Caswell." Dateline: July 14, 1937. This was the week that the Southport Board of Aldermen voted to allow the legal sale of beer on Sunday.

W. S. Wells had just completed the building of a new charter boat and was in doubt as to whether to call her the "Summer Girl III." The date had been set for the yachting regatta, and R. E. Sentelle was moving his law practice to Newton.

On July 15, 1942 The Pilot carried an appeal for local persons to cooperate with the Red Cross in making surgical dressings. And the Southport Civilian Defense program was being organized.

Bill, the Orton tame deer, was observed as having become tamer, and headlines announced, "Stamp No. 7 Now Good For Sugar."

Ten years ago Rice Gwynn was draining his Longwood farm to increase farming acreage. One Rovin' Reporter reported on Lewis Spaulding's work in constructing a new shrimp boat fleet (Continued On Page Four)

## Scene At Yacht Basin



The harbor at Southport, is noted as a base for sports and commercial fishing craft and as a stop-over for pleasure boats cruising the Intracoastal Waterway. Highly popular with anglers who like to charter boats for deep-sea fishing, Southport's picturesque waterfront also attracts sightseers, artists and photographers year around. At the mouth of the Cape Fear River, Southport is rich in historical interest and is gateway to fine beaches.

## Sailfish Derby Has Good Start For The Season

Score Card Indicates Good Prospects For Record Catch Of Bill Fish Along North Carolina Coast This Year

By JIM HARDIE  
Congratulations are in order for the Southport charter boat fleet on two counts: First, for the whiz-bang start they have gotten on the sailfish season; and second, for the splendid cooperation they have rendered thus far to the press.

For my own entertainment, I am keeping a running count of the sailfish which are caught this season at Southport, Wrightsville Beach and Morehead City. I am calling it the sailfish derby.

As you may know, Morehead City took an early lead in the sailfish derby with a pair of fish caught the first week in June.

Southport retaliated in mid-June when Basil Watts broke the ice and boated the first sail. Morehead came through the following day with its third billfish of the season. This gave Morehead City a 3-1 advantage in the sailfish derby, but Basil trimmed the margin on June 18, when his boat (Continued on page three)

## Tarpon Providing Fishing Thrills

Must Request Farm Re-Check

Farmers who have received notice that they have an excess of tobacco acreage have only ten days from the date shown on their notice to come to the Brunswick County ASC office and fill out a request for disposition or remeasurement.

Failure to do this will result in these growers receiving an excess marketing card. The minimum cost for disposing of excess tobacco shall be \$3 per farm and for remeasurement shall be \$6 per farm.

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## Lions President Name Committees

President Kirby Sullivan Names Members To Serve In These Capacities During Coming Year

Kirby Sullivan, Southport attorney, takes over tomorrow (Thursday) night as the new president of the Southport Lions Club. Meanwhile, he has announced the appointment of the following committees to serve during the coming year:

Attendance, H. G. Ratcliffe, chairman, Guy Garrett, C. R. Livingston. Constitution and By-Laws, James C. Bowman, chairman, Don Harrison and J. E. Brown. Finance, W. P. Jorgensen, chairman, Prince O'Brien and Edwin P. Hayes.

Lions information, D. C. Herring, chairman, Roy Robinson and G. C. Kilpatrick. Publicity, B. G. Torrance, chairman, James M. Harper and C. E. Bellamy.

Membership, M. R. Sanders, chairman, Robert Clewenger and E. J. Prevatte. Convention, E. E. Parker, Jr., chairman, Morris Carmer. Program, Ray H. Walton, chairman, E. E. Parker, Jr., and William F. Murphy.

Citizenship and Patriotism, R. L. Thompson, chairman, James T. (Continued On Page Three)

## Change In Date For Opening Is Seen Possible

Indecision Still Remains Regarding Opening Date For Border Belt Tobacco Markets This Year

### LOAN RATE SET AT 50.6 CENTS

Final Action Upon Opening Of Local Markets Depends Upon Decision In Southern Market Area

When the Border Belt tobacco markets will open for the 1957 sales went up in the air slightly over the holidays when Fred L. Royster of the Bright Leaf Warehouse association said permission has been granted the belt to open with South Carolina.

At the same time, South Carolina marts began thinking of opening about July 25—five days ahead of its July 30 time, as the Georgia markets declared they will be selling July 18.

Nothing definite has been established.

Another facet of the tobacco time picture came into definite focus over the weekend when the U. S. department of agriculture announced a support price averaging 50.8 cents a pound.

This is up one-tenth of a cent a pound from the early season estimate of 50.7 cents.

R. G. Maultsby, sales supervisor for the Whiteville market, said nothing definite has been done about the market openings. The uncertainty in South Carolina is the unsettling factor.

He reported that from Lake City have come some expressions of sentiment for opening as early as July 25 to cut down the spread of time between the Georgia (July 18) and Palmetto belt dates.

"Nothing has been done though," Maultsby said.

In his opinion he said it is most likely that South Carolina will stick to the original July 30 date. He said it would be to the belt's advantage as tobacco would not be ready before then.

Final action for the Border Belt is being held in abeyance to see what happens to the south. At present the market is scheduled to open August 1, and that (Continued on Page Four)

## Health Official Attend Courses

Mrs. Charles Aldridge Has Returned From Chapel Hill Where She Took Special Courses In Public Health

Mrs. Charles Aldridge of the Brunswick County Health Department has completed courses in public health this summer at the University of North Carolina School of Public Health.

The two courses that were given are Public Health 190 and Public Health 195. This work was offered by the Department of Public Health Nursing of the UNC School of Public Health.

These two courses got underway on June 6 and were completed on July 3. Each course consisted of two hours of class-work daily.

A total of 55 public health (Continued On Page Four)

## 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	Thursday, July 11,	Low Tide
7:22 A. M.	1:22 A. M.	
7:55 P. M.	1:23 P. M.	
	Friday, July 12,	
8:05 A. M.	2:04 A. M.	
8:34 P. M.	2:05 P. M.	
	Saturday, July 13,	
8:45 A. M.	2:44 A. M.	
9:11 P. M.	2:45 P. M.	
	Sunday, July 14,	
9:24 A. M.	3:23 A. M.	
9:45 P. M.	3:25 P. M.	
	Monday, July 15,	
10:02 A. M.	4:01 A. M.	
10:20 P. M.	4:04 P. M.	
	Tuesday, July 16,	
10:40 A. M.	4:48 A. M.	
10:54 P. M.	4:44 P. M.	
	Wednesday, July 17,	
11:20 A. M.	5:17 A. M.	
11:29 P. M.	5:26 P. M.	

## Lions District Governor Back

Dr. M. H. Rourke, District Governor Of N. C. 31-H, Returns With Family From Eventful Trip To West Coast

Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Rourke and their children, Henderson and Marie, returned Monday night from a months visit to California, where Dr. Rourke attended the Convention of Lions International and was inducted as District Governor of N. C. 31-H.

Following the State Convention held in Asheville early in June, the Rourkes left for the West Coast via the Southern route and visited several major points of interest. (Continued On Page Four)