



**INTEREST**—A group of interested visitors are shown stranding in front of the exhibit of books received from Southport, England, during the open house Friday night. On the left is Mrs. H. A. Livingston. Next, and facing away from the camera, is Miss Gertrude Loughlin. Mrs. A. E. Huntley is next, and the lady with the cup in her hand is Mrs. Susan Carson. The men on the right are City Manager C. D. Pickerrill and Alderman Harold Aldridge. (Huntley Photo)

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### OTHER PASTORS IN COUNTY RETURNED

The Rev. L. A. Bridges Returns To Trinity Methodists Church For Third Year

Two Methodist churches in Brunswick county came up with new pastors following the North Carolina Conference which was held in Wilmington last week.

Returning to their former appointments were the Rev. L. A. Bridges to Trinity Methodist Church in Southport; the Rev. L. D. Hayman to Yaupon Beach; the Rev. Charles F. Eakin to Town Creek; the Rev. W. R. King to Shallotte Circuit; and the Rev. Gerald Viden, Jr., to Concord.

At Shallotte's Camp Methodist church the Rev. H. A. Phillips, Jr. has been assigned. Shallotte has been served by a supply pastor since its former pastor, Rev. W. B. Starnes, resigned last January to enter the Air Force. Rev. Phillips is from Person county and graduated this year from Duke Divinity school.

He succeeds the Rev. Glenn Helms, who will return to Duke University to the School of Divinity.

The Rev. Jack Fulghum is the new pastor at Bolivia, succeeding the Rev. Alden Hemingway, who will return to Duke University Divinity School.

Dr. J. E. Garlington was assigned again as superintendent of the Wilmington district, which embraces the churches in Columbus county.

A. E. Goldfinch of Tabor City, Tuesday night, was re-elected district lay leader.

## Hot Weather Is Serious Problem

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Several times during the past week-end the statement has been overheard that this surely must be the hottest weather on record at Southport, particularly when the mercury climbed to the 100-degree mark on Sunday.

However, a search of the U. S. Weather bureau statistics Tuesday night by Mrs. C. Ed Taylor reveals that this is not true, and it was necessary to go back only to the summer of 1952 to prove the point. That year, on June 24, the thermometer hit the 103-degree mark. Sunday was the first time since that date that the temperature reached 100.

There was a marked similarity between the spell of hot weather 7 years ago and the one that has had this area sweltering this week. In 1952 there were five consecutive days when the reading (Continued on Page 2)



**CHAMPS**—There are the winners of the Carolinas Open Chess Tournament, which was conducted at the Community Center in Southport, Friday through Sunday. On the left Cookie Oliver of Southport, winner in the Boys Division; Mrs. Kathryn Harwell of Durham, winner in the Woman's Division; Mrs. N. M. Hornstein was director of the tournament, and is shown handing a trophy to Dr. Stephen Shaw of Columbia, S. C., winner in the Men's Division. On the right is David Steele of Raleigh, winner of the Junior Division. (Huntley Photo)

## Crown Carolinas Chess Champions

### Holiday Safety Check Is Slated

Members of the Shallotte Lions Club are cooperating with the State Highway Patrol in an effort to keep down holiday traffic accidents this week-end, and on Saturday they will man a station on U. S. 17 where motorists will be invited to stop for a cup of cold lemonade.

### Shallotte Man Drowning Victim

James D. Benton, Former Coast Guardsman, Loses Life While Swimming In Inland Waterway

J. D. Benton, 22, was accidentally drowned near Shallotte Point about 3:30 p. m., Monday. Coroner Lowell B. Bennett of Brunswick County said he was apparently alone in a boat off the point and fell overboard.

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## Prominent Man Dies Thursday

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## Open House Is Held Friday At Local Library

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## Telephone Co-Op Commended For Prior Payment

### Harry L. Mintz, Jr., President Of Atlantic Telephone Membership Cooperative, Receives Letter Praising This Organization

Harry L. Mintz, Jr., president of the Atlantic Telephone Membership Cooperative, has received a letter from William P. Riley, of the Telephone Operations and Loans Division of the Rural Electrification Administration, thanking him for an advance payment of \$15,000 on the loan made to this Brunswick county co-operative.

## Southport Boy Among Winners

### Cookie Oliver Is Winner In Boys Division With Junior Division Championship Going To David Steele

Dr. Stephen Shaw of Columbia, S. C. won the 10th Carolinas Open Chess Tournament concluded here Sunday night. The South Carolinian led a record field of 44 contestants through the three day tourney.

## Recorder Has Busy Session

### Variety Of Cases Disposed Of Before Judge Earl Bellamy Here In Recorder's Court Monday

In Brunswick county Recorder's court here Monday Joe C. Hall pleaded guilty to public drunkenness and was fined \$25 and costs.

## Draw Jury List For July Terms

### Two Weeks Of Civil Court Are Scheduled To Be Held Here Next Month, The First To Convene On July 13

Two special terms of Brunswick County Superior Court for trial of civil actions will be held here during July. The first will convene on July 13, the second one week later.

## Training School Helps Firemen

### Representative Of N. C. Department Of Insurance Teaches Second Unit Of Fire Service Training Program

The Southport Fire Department has recently undergone intensive training under the supervision of the State Department of Insurance.

## TIME and TIDE

By JIMMIE HARPER

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"Open House" was held on Friday night at the Southport Public Library in its new quarters at the City Hall so that the public might see the improvement made in facilities.

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The three communities which lead in this drive were Southport, Shallotte and Bolivia, although there was participation from almost every section of the county.

"I wish to express our sincere appreciation to everyone who contributed to the heart fund this year," said Mrs. Walton this week. "I especially wish to thank the volunteer workers who helped with the collections. It is through this fine spirit of cooperation that we were able to raise a total of \$381.61 this year."

Following is a breakdown of this total, showing collections for each community, together with the chairman:

Ash, Mrs. D. H. McBride, chairman, \$40.82; Bolivia, Mrs. D. H. Hawes, chairman, \$101.76; Hickman's Crossroads, Mrs. Catherine Benton, chairman, \$2.63; Leland, Mr. Bully Ganey, chairman, \$40; Longwood, Mrs. Dessie E. Long, chairman, \$18.97; Maco-Northwest, Mrs. Forest Williams, chairman, \$6; Makatoka, Mrs. Homer Russ, chairman, \$15.19; Piney Grove School, Rev. Ed Armstrong, chairman, \$14; Shallotte, Mrs. Pauline Triplett, chairman, \$235.03; Supply, Mrs. J. E. Kirby, chairman, \$19.65; Southport, Mrs. J. B. Warth, chairman, \$293.03; Sunny Point, \$41.80; Winnabow, Mrs. A. P. Henry, Jr., chairman, \$25.35; Yaupon-Long Beach, Mrs. Clinton Bellamy, chairman, \$21.56; contributions by mail, \$5.82; Total, \$881.61.

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In Brunswick county Recorder's court here Monday Joe C. Hall pleaded guilty to public drunkenness and was fined \$25 and costs.

George Hughes was found guilty of reckless operation and was fined \$25 and costs.

Ralph B. Clemmons was found guilty of allowing an unlicensed person to drive, and Angas M. Clemmons was found guilty of driving with out a license. They shared the costs, and she paid a fine of \$25.

Probable cause was found against Winnie Atkinson, who was charged with assault with intent to kill. Bond was set at \$500.

DeMery W. Baysden was found guilty of drink driving. Judgment was suspended upon payment. (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	Low Tide
<b>Thursday, July 2</b>	
5:03 A. M.	11:08 A. M.
5:32 P. M.	11:52 P. M.
<b>Friday, July 3</b>	
5:50 A. M.	11:53 A. M.
6:16 P. M.	0:00 P. M.
<b>Saturday, July 4</b>	
6:35 A. M.	0:36 A. M.
6:56 P. M.	12:35 P. M.
<b>Sunday, July 5</b>	
7:17 A. M.	1:18 A. M.
7:35 P. M.	1:18 P. M.
<b>Monday, July 6</b>	
7:57 A. M.	1:58 A. M.
8:12 P. M.	1:59 P. M.
<b>Tuesday, July 7</b>	
8:36 A. M.	2:37 A. M.
8:49 P. M.	2:39 P. M.
<b>Wednesday, July 8</b>	
9:14 A. M.	3:15 A. M.
9:27 P. M.	3:20 P. M.

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