

564 pounds for \$60.85. Fair Bluff now has 1,977,774 to go into orbit. pounds sold for \$1,162,309 or a First signs of the strange \$58.77 average. Against this last heavenly object came about 7:30

lotte Point.

and the report was that it failed tion. Charlie Johnson will re-

main as assistant chief. Howard had 9 years experi-

Use Of Petition while in the Army, where he in the ASC office in Shallotte was special agent with Army last week and made their nomi Intelligence. His special field nations for community committee was in the operation of liemen for the committee election detector apparatus. In addiwhich will be held on Septembe tion to his Army service, 10. Howard was in the Marine If there are other nomination Corps for 3 years during that farmers wish to make, they must do so by August 25. Ter eligible voters in a community may petition the chairman of the community election board by this date and add additional candi- amy were the following:

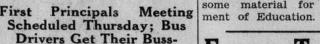
tion boards:

lender.

Other Candidates By

Recorder Has member of the Wilmington-Cape Fear Pilots Association, was painfully injured last **Busy Session**

some material for the Depart-



year it was 2,827,292 pounds for Friday evening when a big ball of a \$60.37 average.

Whiteville which has disposed of a glow that resembled the tail a tremendously large amount of of a comet. droughty leaf, and less so at The burst of smoke apparently

Tabor City and Chadbourn, which resulted from an explosion that have had proportionately less represented a second or third amounts of the low leaf. A decided change in the quality remained stationary while the

of leaf last week appeared on missile continued on in its filght. the markets all over the Border and South Carolina markets, according to USDA.

The change is expected to follow through this week, and con-tinue to improve. out of a celophane bag." Dan Harrelson and Ernest Parker also tinue to improve.

USDA reports, "deliveries to markets were fairly heavy. Sev- sky. eral markets reported blocked Folks down at Shallotte also sales the latter part of the week. saw the missile, and Mrs. Harry "Heavy sales are expected to White reported that it was clear-

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BENEFIT DANCE

Billy Melton and his orchestra ing on Tuesday evening failed. will play for a dance at the Community Building on Saturday, August 29, sponsored by the Live Rourk Speaker Oak Garden Club.

ATTENDING CAMP

Misses Donna Prevatte and Martha Harrelson will return home this week-end after spending two weeks at Camp Rainbow at Banner Elk.

LIONS TO MEET

The regular meeting of the o'clock.

OCCUPY APARTMENTS

Mrs. Maxine Fulcher and Mrs. We Measuring Up". Virginia Walton have moved into the Woodside apartments in the Lions International Counselor, front.

ATTEND MISSIONS SCHOOL

Mrs. James M. Harper, Jr. Mrs. Lawrence Bridges and Mrs. E. H. week in Durham.

fire erupted from a cloud of Grade by grade prices have re- smoke in the Southwestern sky. mained strong, particularly in At first it appeared to be elliptithe pooer leafs, on all markets, cal in shape, but then as it pass-But all have reported large vol- ed on toward the Northeast, it umes of pooer quality. This has looked more like a shooting star, been particularly noticeable at although occasionally it gave off

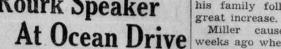
World War II. His wife is the former Miss Vera Jorgenson of Southport, and the family has moved into the Walton home on stage in its launching. The cloud Moore street.



saw the object flare across the Miller Family Returns To saw the missile, and Mrs. Harry Triplets ly visible from her home at Shal-

A second spectacular display The family whose way of life occurred during the early morwas rudely upset last month with ning hours Monday, when the sky the arrival of triplets is back in discoloration missile was fired Brunswick after living for a few

from a point in Virginia about weeks near Charlotte. 4:40 a. m. Capt. Fred Willing Nathan Miller and his folks moved back to Clarendon Planwas piloting a ship up the river and had a good view as the sky tation 'Tuesday after he decided that he was better off working took on an orange glow. A repeat performance of this launchfor his old boss, Cornelius Thomas, than he was on the job that he had been given in order to provide a higher income for his family following the sudden,



Miller caused a stir seven weeks ago when he said he might have to offer the new-born trip-

lets for adoption because he Shallotte Physician Is Prin- could not support them. Instead cipal Speaker At Thurs- he accepted a job on an eggday Evening Meeting Of producing farm in Mecklenburg Lions Club county.

But the 55-year-old Miller ad-The Thursday night meeting of mitted Monday that all that glit-Southport Lions Club will be held the Ocean Drive Beach Lions Club ters is not gold. "My family just tomorrow (Thursday) evening in was highlighted by an address by ain't satisfied, that's all. And the Community Building at 6:30 Dr. Henderson Rourk, prominent there's a heap of walking in this Shallotte physician and business- egg job from one building to anman. The former Lions District other and I've got bad legs that Governor spoke on the them "Are I get a little bit of pension for. In my other job I rode a tractor Rourk, who is now serving as mostly."

Paul Jones who owns the egg Carolina House on the water- prefaced his remarks by giving a farm said the Millers would carry summary of the recently held In- with them more than \$1,000 in ternational convention in New cash contributions, donated house furnishings, clothing, and about a York City.

Speaking with deep conviction, two-year supply of baby food. attested by a 13 year perfect at-"We have to give it up as a Arrington of Southport, Mrs. Rob- tendance record, Rourk cited the bad job," said Jones, who gave ert McDougald and Mrs. Mills of need for Lions to become even Miller a \$200 monthly salary, a Town Creek are attending the more service-minded. He termed rent-free home with all utilities Annual School of Missions this Lionism as a sort of religion that and a free chicken and egg diet. Continued On Page Five Continued On Page Five

dates. After August 25, if no ad- Evangeline King, Lillie May ditional eligible candidates are Ray and Eva May Washington added by petition, the official were charged with assault with ballot will be run including only a deadly weapon. Each was given

election boards. upon payment of certain charges Listed below are the candidates at the hospital and a fine of \$25 selected by the community elec- each. They all gave notice of

Lockwoods Folly: Herbert Charges of larceny of an auto-Clarendon Plantation Fol- Gray, McKinley Hewett, Edwin mobile against Armond Caison lowing Flurry Of Excite- Sellers, Stanton Brown, George and Corbett Elliott were adjudged ment Attending Birth Of Brown, Floyd Hewett, A. E. Cal- to be frivilous and malicious,

Herbert Royals, David Sellers, Robert Hawes. Continued On Page Five

Variety Of Cases Disposed Of Before Judge Earl Bellamy In Brunswick **County Recorder's Court** Monday

Cape Fear. At the bar he was able to make a painful Monday was a busy day in descent of the ladder, but Brunswick county Recorder's since that time he has been court, and among the cases dison the injury list and still is posed of before Judge Earl Bellusing crutches to get about.

Highway Folks the candidates selected by the 8 months on the roads, suspended.

> State Highway Commission appeal.

Probable cause was found Northwest: C. C. Chinnis, Fran- glary and breaking and entering wick County roads, and an access start on Monday. and bond was set at \$10,000.

road. Bituminous surface treatment that the school plants are in information follows: will be placed on 2.4 miles of the readiness for the opening school, Civietown road 1132, from NC and preparations are being made born in North Carolina in Rob-130 to road 1130; and 0.3 mile of to take care of a record enrollroad 1119, a part of Standbury ment.

road, from road 1130 to 1128. Announcement will be made Sand asphalt has been placed on later regarding the date for the 0.71 mile of road 1347, from US first county-wide teachers meet-17 to a dead end. This is known ing.

as Smith Avenue in Shallotte. Also in Brunswick County, the access road to Brunswick Town, St. Phillips Church and Governor Tryon's Place will be graded and stabilized

Wednesday morning when he

slipped on a tug from which

he was boarding a vessel and

Wilmington at the time and

managed to get aboard the

ship and pilot her down the

Outline Work

ority In Early Completion

The Southport man was in

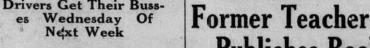
twisted his knee.

Completion is expected during Citizens of Brunswick and New Hanover counties have been invited to attend a public hearing tomorrow (Thursday) on important road matters, according to an announcement by Third Divi-

Brown. The meeting will be held at the office in Wilmington between the

the State Highway Commission. proposed ordinances also provide This is one of a series of meetings to be held in the Third spection service. Division. Other meetings are Clinton mission was held August 15th, planned for Burgaw, Clinton, Jacksonville and Kennansville, when persons in those areas will Attorney Kirby Sullivan were have an opportunity to present studied and amended.

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Brunswick county schools will

open for the fall term on Friday,

perintendent John G. Long.

rive.

Publishes Book

August 28, according to announce-Miss Sara Bertha Townsend ment this week from county Su-Donates Copy Of "An American Soldier — The A meeting of all principals was Life Of John Laurens" held here yesterday, and these To Southport Public Limen have been at work since Monday. Janitors will report for brary duty next Monday, while teachers

will go to work on August 27, Miss Sara Bertha Townsend, a one day before the students arformer teacher of English in the Southport high school, has pre-

School bus drivers will report sented a copy of her book, "An at the county garage at Shallotte American Soldier-The Life of John Laurens", to the Southport on Wednesday of next week to receive their buses. A bus driver Public Library.

license examiner will be on duty It came this week to Miss Ger-Gives Notice Of Projects at the garage next week, Monday league of the author on the local through Friday, to give road tests league of the author on the local trude Loughlin, who was a col-That Will Receive Pri- to prospective bus drivers. school faculty. Although the local On Friday, the first day of lady, who has served this summer school, students will register, as acting librarian, recalls Miss

The State Highway Commission books will be given out and as-Townsend very pleasantly, most has approved and set up funds signments will be made in order of the information about her against Nathaniel Hill for bur- for improvements to three Bruns- that school may get off to a fair came from the cover of her book, which was published by Edwards

Superintendent Long reports & Broughton. A portion of that

"Sara Bertha Townsend was eson County, where her people Continued On Page Five

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, August 20, 2:50 A. M 9:03 A. M. 9:28 P. M. 3:05 P. M Friday, August 21, 9:46 A. M. 3:31 A. 10:08 P. M. 3:48 P. M August 22, Saturday, 10:29 A. M. 4:12 A. M 4:31 P. 10:47 P. M. M Sunday, August 23, 11:11 A. M. 4:53 A. 11:28 P. M. 5:15 P. M Monday, August 24, 11:56 A. M. 5:36 A. 6:02 P. M. 0:00 P. M.

Tuesday, August 25, 0:11 A. M. 6:22 A. M 12:43 P. M. 6:55 P. M. Wednesday, August 26,

0:59 A. M. 7:12 A. M. 1:34 P. M. 7:51 P. M.



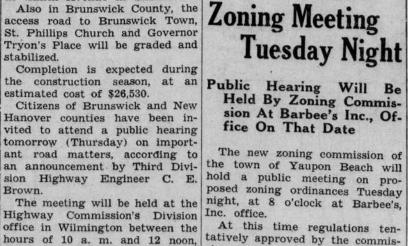
The Pilot of August 16, 1939, announced that a "mass fleet" of three charter boats were preparing for an invasion of Gulf Stream waters lying off Southport. The quest: Big game fishbarracuda, amberjack and dolphin. W. R. McAuley was in charge of a highway crew which was widening the street out to the Sawdust Trail intersection, but rain had interferred more than a little. Arrangements were complete for the merger of the Northern Columbus area with the Brunswick Electric Membership Corporation.

These were the days when the Vanderbilt yacht Alva stopped over in Southport each year, and two local men, R. I. Mintz and W. B. Keziah, had been invited aboard this palatial craft. Six twin-motor seaplanes were based here that week during bombing practice offshore, as Southport took on a pre-war military look. J. M. Davidson of Greensboro had caught a West Indies carrier shark while fishing off Bald Head; the "Marvelous Midget with the Mighty Midriff" had put on a free show on a downtown street corner; and a society page item reported a recent session of the Pinochle Club.

It was August, 1944, and an aftermath of the recent storm (of hurricane force was that a big tree blew down in the yard at the home of Charlie Sellers near Winnabow, then when the wind shifted it blew it back up again! A longer duck hunting season was promised for the coming fall 80 days, in fact; but this held little promise for the nimrods, who in those days were having trouble rounding up ammunition-civilian type, that is.

W. S. Wells had bought a new "jumbo trawler," a big boat that was constructed at Mayport, Fla. Talmadge Varnum was Continued On Page Two

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when city and county officials sion will be open to inspection and the general public will have and discussion. All interested resian opportunity to discuss road dents and freeholders of Yaupon problems with representatives of Beach are invited to attend. The