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Welcome Sign

VELCOME TO SOUTHPORT

A DEEP WATER

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Winnabow Postmaster



PERMANENT-Tom Rabon, right, appears to be happy as he looks over his certificate of appointment as permanent postmaster at Winnabow postoffice. With him is Frank E. Graham, field service officer.

Record Prices Being Paid For Weed Offerings

The Whiteville tobacco market took a breather Monday in observance of the annual Labor Day holiday. For the first 22 selling

days the market has set new poundage and price records as compared to previous seasons. Already 24,717,044 nounds have been sold for a season's average of \$64.43 which brought in \$15,924,687 to tobacco farmers.

For the same comparable period for 1960 sales, 22,289,-762 pounds was sold for a \$61.09 average or \$13,617,919

Full sales are expected the rest of this week with warehousemen expecting even better quality than last week. George Gold, sales super-

visor said, "Buying companies have had a chance to clean up and ship out their overflowing warehouses that were filled from the full sales of the past two weeks. I expect an even higher average to be recorded as we be-

gin the fifth selling week. "Both quality and price was off slightly the latter part of last week but that was to be expected as farmers generally sold their offquality tobacco. I expect a better grade of tobacco selling at record prices on the floors tomorrow and lasting through the week."

Brief Bits Of

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wells have returned from a trip to Florida and Texas.

FALLOUT BOOKLETS

Available at the Southport Public Library, courtesy of the City of Southport, are booklets which might some day save your life. Printed by the Office of Civil Defense, the booklets relate facts about fallout and family fallout Day September 10. shelters. There is no charge.

4-H FUND PLANS

September 15 is now well organiz- will be special singing by visiting Community leaders have accepted bins will be the evangelist for a drive, says A. S. Knowles, County Homecoming Day. Services will be Agricultural Agent. Community each evening at 7:30 o'clock.

WINS FIRST PRIZE

the Southport Junior Chamber of Lebanon for 6 years. nouncement was made regarding revival next week.

Tom Rabon Gets Full Appointment

Notice Of Permanent Appointment As Postmaster At Winnabow Delivered Hunting Season To Him On Thursday

Tom B. Rabon, who has been erving as acting postmaster of the Postoffice at Winnabow since Webruary 20, has received his appointment as permanent postmaster, with commission being delivered to him in person Thursday y Frank E. Graham, field service officer for the U.S. Postoffice Department.

Rabon, who is a native of the Winnabow community, assumed the duties of acting-postmaster as relief for Mrs. Louis Robbins, who also had served as acting postmaster. She had followed Mrs. Christine Potter, who had served

in that same capacity. The last time the Winnabow Postoffice had a permanent postmaster was on December 31, 1952, when Mrs. J. L. Henry resigned from that postion after serving

for many years. terms of his appointment is signed by President John F. Kennedy and by President John L. Kennedy and Postmaster General J. Edward Day. The term is for a life appointment, or until retirement. The following letter from Post-

master General Day accompanied he appointment: "It is a pleasure to notify you of your appointment as postmas-

"I congratulate you upon ap-

Robbins Holding Lebanon Revival

Former Pastor Is Now Pastor Of High Point Church -Homecoming Day This Sunday

Lebanon Baptist Church, Winnabow, will observe Homecoming

The Rev. Woodrow W. Robbins, a former pastor of Lebanon Church, will bring the morning The Brunswick County 4-H De- message which will be followed velopment Fund Drive that begins by dinner on the grounds. There ed throughout most communities. groups in the afternoon. Rev. Robthe challenge to help with this week of revival services following

kick-off rally on September 15. Rev. Mr. Robbins, this revival will Waccamaw river in the Regan hold particular significance, for community of Brunswick county this was the location of the first at the intersection of NC 904 John Ganey of Southport won revival over which he officiated and the Ash-Hickman's Cross first prize in the contest sponsor- That was 20 years ago, in the fall Roads highways, the highway paed here recently by members of of 1941. He served as pastor at trol reported late yesterday.

Commerce and received a new The Rev. Mr. Robbins, who now trol said, were W. J. (Bill) Piver speedboat with outboard motor, is pastor of Lexington Avenue of Asheville but formerly of near There was much interest in the Baptist Church in High Point, says Chadbourn, John Hall of Clarkcontest, and a large crowd was on that he is looking forward to see- ton, and Anson Nelson, 45, of hand Monday afternoon on the ing many of his friends and for- Ash. Southport waterfront when an mer church members during the The body of Ellis was taken

The public is invited to attend.

Opens Saturday

The first half of the split season on doves opens Saturday at noon and will extend through October 14 according to Game Protector David Gause Tuesday. The second half of the season will be from December 13 to January 15.

Shooting hours are from noon to sunset; the limit is 12 birds and possession is limited to 24.

Marsh hen season opens on September 20 and extends through November 28. The limit is 15-per day and 30 in

Duck season opens on November 21 and extends through December 30. There is a limit of 3 per day, 6 in possession.

ASCS Election Slated Monday

Brunswick Farmers Will

pointment. It, of course, carries Brunswick County Farmers will with it not only an opportunity be electing the ASC Community and regulations of the Depart- grams as the Soil Bank Program, full military honors. Quotas, Storage Facility Loans, and Jesse Yarborough. the Feed Grain Program, and oth-

> These men will see to it that such national programs are properly adapted to conditions in Brunswick County and to individual farms, and it is the background and experience of these Continued On Page 2

Bladen Man Dies In Sunday Crash

Fatal Wreck Occurs At Regan Crossroads Late Sunday Afternoon To Claim Only Highway Victim

Albert Ellis, 30, of Clarkton, died instantly Sunday at 6:50 p. goals will be announced at the For the visiting minister, the m. in a two-car wreck across the

Injured in the wreck, the pa-

from the Peacock mortuary by Continued On Page 2

Girl Scout And **Brownie Troops Resume Activity**

First Meetings Of Fall Will Be Held Early Nexs Week With List Of Projects Already Chosen

Scouting activities for Brownie Troop 20 and Girl Scout Troop 502, Southport, will be resumed next week, with a full program planned for both groups.

First meeting of the Brownie will be Monday at 4 p. m. at Trinity Methodist Church; while the Scouts will hold their initial meeting for the year on Tuesday at the same time and place.

Mrs. Horace Pigott and Mrs. James Glore, Brownie Troop Leaders, state that their first big project will be a combination shellhunting expedition and picnic on September 23, at which time Brownies are to gather shells to be used in a handicraft project. A week-end camping trip to Camp Pretty Pond is in the offing for Girl Scouts, according to leaders Mrs. Darrel Smith and

earned money for this trip by operating a soft-drink stand dur-ing the 4th of July Art Festival. Major project for the year for the Scouts is the compilation of a booklet on historical places of interest in Southport. By making such a booklet available to summer visitors, the Scouts feel they will be making a worthwhile con-

Mrs. Ralph Cammack. The Scouts

tribution to their community. Troop committee members for the Brownies are Mrs. James Bowman, chairman; Mrs. George Gregory, Mrs. Rob Austin, Mrs. Harold Spencer, Mrs. Philip King and Mrs. Pearce Horne.

Committee members for the Girl Scouts are Mrs. James Melton, chairman; Mrs. James Barnes; Mrs. Frances Key; and Mrs. Harold Aldridge. Mrs. Robert L. Jones is neighborhood chairman for both

Leland Citizen

Charles Eugene Brownie, sday Accident

Leland died Saturday of injuries day afternoon. A briefing period, sustained Thursday evening in an in which workers will be instructautomobile-motorcycle collision. ed in the mechanics of the survey, Brownie was admitted to James will be held at that time Walker Memorial Hospital after | Appearing elsewhere in the the motorcycle he was operating State Port Pilot today is a faccollided with an automobile driven simile of the census blank which by James LeGrant Campbell, Rt. will be used Sunday afternoon

2. Wilmington. the point of impact.

Elect Community Com- at the intersection to allow three accurate information can be obmitteemen On That Date cars to pass before he proceeded tained.

not see the cycle, police reported. of Southport Baptist Church, retoday at 10 a.m. at the chapel of each family in town will help us for important public service, but committeemen who in 1962 will be Andrews Mortuary, with the Rev. by filling out the blank ahead of an obligation to adhere strictly responsible for the local adminis- Fred Albright officiating. Burial time. If this is done, then no one and faithfully to the postal laws tration of such national farm pro- will be in National Cemetery with will have to call in the individual

Honorary pallbearers will be Dr. vey.

Horace Moore, Dr. J. W. Dickie, Continued On Page 2

ing Herbert Rogers in this role.

TIME and TIDE

The best news on the front page of The Pilot for September 9,

1936, was that the late Dr. J. Arthur Dosher had been elected

to American College of Physicians and Surgeons. This is the

highest degree of recognition which may come to a member of

the medical profession. A vessel manned by personnel from the

U. S. Bureau of Fisheries was tagging shrimp in local waters

The men's singles were being run off in Southport tennis tour-

nament which had stretched over a period of several weeks, with

Fred Willing having defeated Carey Reece in one of the early

upsets. Bad weather had interrupted Labor Day weekend fishing;

the editor had a stirring piece about the benefits of having elec-

tric lights in homes, and expressed the hope that lines soon would

School had opened for the 1941 fall term, and The Pilot for the

week of September 10 reported that a vocational agriculture de-

partment had been added for the first time at Shallotte. Otto

Hickman had been named Chief of Police for Southport, succeed-

Twenty years ago it was possible to know almost all the boys

and girls in the county who were going off to college. Some of

them enrolling that fall included: Victoria Lancaster and Jose-

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run the full length of Highway No. 17 through the county.

with the object of being able to check on migratory habits.

Bookmobile Back In County Budget

The Members Of Protestant Churches Cooperating In Collecting Information For Future Use

Church Census

For Southport

Planned Sunday

Southport's four Protestant churches will conduct a Family Church Survey this Sunday afternoon and survey-takers will begin their canvass of the city Fatally Injured promptly at 3 o'clock in an effort to determine the religious affiliation of every white citizen of the city.

Sr., Dies In Wilmington tails of the survey, the ministers In announcing last-minute de-Hospital Following Thur- requested that all persons who have volunteered to help with the Charles Eugene Brownie, Sr., of tist Church promtply at 1:45 Sun-

Each family is urged to tear out Police said Brownie was thrown this sample blank from the news over the hood of the Campbell paper, fill it out with accurate car and landed some 36 feet from information, and attach it to the front door for the survey Sunday. Campbell, who was headed west In this way, less time will be conon Church, told police he stopped sumed by the surveyors, and more

across 3rd. Street. He said he did The Rev. Mark Owens, pastor Funeral services are being held marked this morning, "We hope homes, and other activities pounds. the Agricultural Conservation Pallbearers will be W. D. Sulli- planned for Sunday afternoon will Program, Price Supports, Acre- van, G. A. Hogan, L. J. Cashwell, not be interrupted because of the aboard the Botfly with the Mathe- coln High School as reported last there will be enough Go-Karts in age Allotments, Marketing B. W. Preston, Robert L. Justice survey." The Rev. Mr. Owens is son party of Charlotte brought in week); \$500 for renovation of a this area that we can hold week-

serving as chairman of the sur- a 7-foot 6-inch sailfish, 42 kings, wooden building at Union; and ly races. If we can light our Another spokesman for the local On the same day, Capt. Dick

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Resigns Job As Tax Collector

INSTALLED-City Manager C. D. Pickerrell, right, is pointing (with pride) to

the newly erected sign near the city limits. It has a painting of Bald Head Light-

house, done by local artists Waters Thompson and Mrs. Bette Leggett, and at night there is a colorful, revolving light.—(Dan'l Walker Photo.)

Mrs. Betty P. Smith submitted her resignation as Tax Collector for Brunswick County Tuesday, and Douglas H. Hawes of Bolivia was appointed to fill the vacancy created by her resignation.

Mrs. Smith has served this office for five years, having succeeded M. D. Anderson as Tax Collector. Her resignation becomes effective October 1.

She left this morning for a vacation trip to California but will be back in time for the auditors to check her out and turn over the office to her

Good Fishing Is

Catches Continue Good Off Southport For Both Shoal And Off-Shore Parties

Offshore fishing last weekend with Southport sports fishing fleet ranged from good to excellent with parties from North Carolina and some from out of the state. Plenty of the big fellows were brought back while sea bass blues were taken by the hundreds of

2 amberjack, 2 barracuda and 45 \$1,000 for renovation of a wooden track and can put on a weekly Spanish and blues.

Skipper aboard the Eva K with the A. J. Shropshire and party of Rocky Mount had a sailfish. The next day, Monday, Capt Skipper took out the Hulick party from Shelby and brought back a

Capt. Glen Tunnell, Monday, aboard the Riptide, took the Hulick party of Shelby out and caught 7 dolphin, 4 bonito, 20 blues and a sailfish 6 feet four inches long.

took out Charlie Dowd of Siler der Miller, with burial in North-City and caught 58 blues and wood Cemetery. Spanish mackerel.

with the Ide On II had E. A. Carr Davis, Merrit Moore, Harold Sparrow and party of Charlotte Aldridge and James M. Harper, for a catch of 10 kings, 1 bar- Jr. racuda, 1 dolphin and 60 pounds Survivors include her husband;

Willie Cope of Stanley aboard Harrelson, Southport, Mrs. C. A. who caught 2 amberjack, 2 kings, Fox, New Bern and Mrs. Don 2 barracuda, 10 red snappers, 20 Williams of Hawaii; a brother, Spanish, and 60 pounds of sea W. M. Brinkman of New York; Continued On Page 2

*The Commissioners Announ-

Civil Defense Support Members of the board of coun-

y commissioners voted Monday to continue payments of \$200 per month for the support of the Brunswick County Bookmobile and the sum of \$150 per month for Civil Defense. These payments must come

from non-advalorum tax sources, but after closer study of budget figures, the commissioners decided that they would be able to squeeze in these two items and pay for nem out of intangible taxes and from fees for services.

There had been a general protest against discontinuation of the bookmobile, which had developed a widespread popularity through-Being Reported the board who wanted to cut out this week that between for the bookmobile. We just had to be fifty entries are expected. sure we could find a legal source for payment".

situation.

The commissioners called attention to that fact that some infor- says that there is a growing insum of \$8,500 has been set up in this summer, and good crowds Bolivia; \$8,500 for cafeteria at cated near the Prison Camp site. Bob Austin Sunday Union High School (not at Lin- "I hope that by next summer Continued On Page 2

Southport Lady Passes Friday

Norma B. Loughlin

Saturday, Capt. Fred Fulford, of her daughter, Mrs. Dan Harrel-Davis Bros. IV, with Vance Bow- son, in Southport. She was the man of Handleman, got 10 kings wife of J. J. Loughlin, former Sunday the Davis Bros. IV with Hospital, and had been in poor the Bill Soals party of Whiteville health for several years.

at 3 p. m. at St. Phillip's Epis-Monday, the Davis Bros. IV copal Church by the Rev. Alexan-

Saturday, Capt. Basil Watts Harrelson, James T. Barnes, John

a son, J. S. Loughlin of Piqua, Sunday the Idle On II had Ohio ;three daughters, Mrs. Dan

Progress Report For City Made By Pickerrell

New Sign Erected At City Limits Is Colorful Addition; Paving Projects Recently Completed

Literally highlighting a cycle of ducted and completed, stands a huge sign on Howe Street in Southport, welcoming vacationists. tourists, homeseekers and industry alike.

Built by the city and situated on city-owned property, the sign is something special. The newcomer finds an 8x12 foot structure, fixed between rustic pineframing with a brown background, superimposed upon which is a stretch of blue sky, cloud and water and a likeness of the famed Bald Head Island lighthouse, long a landmark in lower Brunswick.

C. D. Pickerrell, Southport city manager, related with quiet pride that "not only was the sign a purely local effort, but the art work too, was created by Southport artists, Mrs. Bette Leggett and Waters Thompson."

The colorful sign is floodlighted by night, and an electric beam emanates from the tower of the lighthouse, to swing in realistic

Among other brand new city improvements are seats built on the city dock. These are permanent benches, and were installed primarily for the benefit of visitors and residents who like to spend a pleasant hour or two flown on the Cape Fear, watching the ships and boats.

The city has also just completed resurfacing and extention pavece Restoration Of This ment around the courthouse; while Service And Continued Nash Street, between Atlantic and Howe has been resurfaced. A. block of street from the River Road to the Southport Presbyterian Church has been hard surfaced and Pickerrell revealed that an alley on Bowery Hill has also been paved A little further afield, the work

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Shallotte JC's Sponsor Races

Go-Kart Extravaganza Scheduled For Shallotte Sunday, September 17

Members of the Shallotte Jayout Brunswick county. In making cees are sponsoring a mammoth the announcement of the board's Go-Kart race at the Shallotte decision, Chairman F. H. Swain Raceway on Sunday afternoon, said, "There was not a member of September 17. Spokesmen said the board who wanted to cut out this week that between forty and

The objective of this Jaycee promotion is to raise funds to This same attitude apparently help build a cottage at Boys Home prevailed with regard to the Civil at Lake Waccamaw, and gate Defense program, particularly in prizes will be offered as an added view of the present international incentive for advance ticket sales.

Thurston Mintz, one of the promotors of the Shallotte Raceway, mation regarding budgeted capital terest in Go-Kart racing. He and improvements for the schools was his partners have held several incomplete, and specified that the events over the Shallotte track the school fund for restrooms at have attended. The track is lo-

tourist attraction to our area." Tide Table

Funeral Services Held Saturday Afternoon For Mrs.

Mrs. Norma B. Loughlin, died early Friday morning at the home administrator at Dosher Memorial brought in 126 blues and Spanish | Final rites were held Saturday

Active pallbearers were E. C.

and nine grandchildren.

Following is the tide

show, we will be adding another

table for Southport during the week. These hours are approximately correct and were furnished The State Port Pilot through the courtesy of the Cape Fear Pilot's Association. HIGH LOW

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