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Tuesday Is Date Of Bond Election On State Level

Brunswick County Voters Will Go To Polls To Ex-press Wishes In Connection With Proposals

Brunswick county voters will go to the polls Tuesday to cast their ballots in the special bond election which has been called to seek authorization for financing capital improvements on the state

Voting will take place in each of the 17 precincts, just as in any other general election, and will be conducted under the supervision of the Brunswick County Board of Elections. Regular registrars and judges will serve for this

Following are the 10 points to be decided: 1. CAPITAL AREA BUILD-

The \$2.8 million provided for state office building construction in the bond issue is to be used to construct a state office building and surplus property building. A new state office building is needed to relieve the overcrowd-

EDITORS NOTE: Many voters have complained that they do not know or understand the propositions being submitted on the ballot. Included in this article, and in greater detail in the back page of The Pilot, we have made an effort to provide full information on each proposal.

ing in the present state office building, to give up space now leased by the state in several Raleigh buildings and to vacate substandard buildings. The money would provide for 150,000 square feet to accommodate several agen-

STATE TRAINING SCHOOLS:

shools in North Carolina are badovercrowded with reports indicating that population in these schools increasing 13 per cent per ready committed and relieve over- Lt. Earlie Smith. crowded conditions in the school.

North Carolina colleges are exyears and the bulk of the bond the National Guard. issue \$31 million has been slated

In 1960 statistics snow that the Continued On Page 5

Brief Bits Of

Special meeting of the Southport American Legion Post No. ber 3, at 7:30 o'clock at the Le- official word received Tuesday. gion Building.

CHURCH MEETING

Parishioners of St. Philip's Episcopal Church are urged to attend the annual meeting in the parish house on Monday evening at 6. A social hour will be enjoyed after the business meeting. All members are urged to come and bring another member.

BREAKS LEG

Mrs. E. C. Harrelson, member of the staff at Southport Savings & Loan Association, suffered a ambling down an oak-shaded broken left leg Saturday night street, taking bearings by "so and has been out of the office of many trees from the corner", to the local financial institution this find a house, is rapidly nearing

HOSPITAL PATIENT

Mrs. C. Ed Taylor of Southport tient at Duke Hospital in Dur- Jaycees, recently displayed a letminor surgery today and the Pickerrell, city manager. The letindefinite.

READY FOR WORK

senior Sunday School class have free mail delivery in Southport area said that they first saw the pledged themselves available for by many months. names and phone numbers.

State Officials



WELCOME-Governor Terry Sanford, right is extended a welcome Tuesday Ernest E. Parker, Jr., left, Southport attorney, who is serving as a member of the North Carolina Board of Conservation and Development by appointment from Governor Sanford.

National Guard Change Is Made For Shallotte

Capt. David Carmichael Turns Over Command Of National Guard To Lt. Earlie Smith

Capt. David Carmichael has been relieved as commanding of- Guard Armory at Shallotte Tuesficer of the 2nd Automatic Weapons Battalion, 252nd Artillery Group, of the North Carolina National Guard with headquarters at North Carolina during the day.

He has been transferred to year. Money from the issue would Battalion Headquarters in Wil- to hear Governor Sanford give a go toward providing accommoda- mington and has been succeeded progress report on the program tions for 150 additional student as commanding officer of the for Quality Education in North classrooms for 300 students al- Shallotte National Guard Unit by Carolina. He reminded them that

It is ironical that Capt. Car-This section calls for \$1.1 million. michael had charge of the new 3. STATE EDUCATIONAL IN- armory building at Shallotte for only two days before receiving his change of orders. That buildpected to increase enrollment by ing was occupied for the first 50 per cent in the next eight time on Monday of this week by

Capt. Carmichael has served as for new ideas and new curricula. for 13 colleges in the state for the head of the Shallotte National capital improvements in those col- Guard for a 10-year period. He said Tuesday that he now faces two options: He may qualify for promotion to rank of Major be- charged them with the final re- Several Civil Actions Disfore the first of the year and remain in service; or he can retire after 20-years service.

He admitted that he may choose the latter course. Smith must complete certain qualifying tests before being promoted to the rank of Captain, and he hopes to be able to complete this within a matter of the the responsibility rests with you ing.

next few weeks. Dedication of the Armory Building will not be held for at and improved educational facili-194 will be held Friday, Novem- least three months, according to

Jaycees Number Houses In City

This Project Draws Expression Of Appreciation From Aldermen And Will port Presbyterian Church. Speed Home Mail De-

The time-honored custom of an end in Southport, thanks to the local Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Kirby Sullivan, local attorney was admitted Thursday as a pa- and president of the Southport ham. She is expected to undergo ter he had received from C. D. duration of her hospital stay is ter forwarded congratulations to Tabo." City man, burned to death the Jaycees, extended by both Pickerrell and the Southport trailer fire at Calabash. board of aldermen "for the fine In an all-out effort to retire the work done by the Jaycees in num- Brunswick County said the death building debt on Southport Pres- bering our homes and business of McCullum occurred about 1 byterian church, members of the houses. This work will hasten the a. m., Friday. Witnesses in the

baby sitting and light chores for Attached to the congratulatory m the girls and handyman chores letter was a copy of a resolution for the boys. Employment of passed recently by the board of bus County, had lived in Tabor young people will be greatly ap- city aldermen, in which the Junior City for many years. His son, preciated. Call Mrs. Al Martin, Chamber group were officially Johnny J. McCullum, owned an

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Governor Sanford Visits Brunswick

Call For Bids

Colonel R. P. Davidson, Dis-

trict Engineer, Corps of En-

gineers has announced that bids are scheduled to be open-

ed in the Wilmington District

office on 21 November for

maintenance dredging in the

Atlantic Intracoastal Water-

way between Alligator River,

N. C., and Little River, S. C.

The estimated amount of ma-

terial involved in this shoal

Bids for this work are soli-

posed Of Before Judge

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cited from small business

removal is 600,000

October Term

yards.

concerns only.

Week

First In Series Of Education Rallies Held On Tuesday Morning At Shallotte Ar-

Governor Terry Sanford spoke at the newly completed National day morning at 9:30 o'clock in the first of four Educational Rallies scheduled in Southeastern

More than 500 persons were on hand at this early morning hour the citizens of North Carolina had supported him in his cameducational standards of the State. He recalled that the last session of the North Carolina General Assembly had made provision for financing the educational program. And he reported that educational leaders have responded to the challenge

Then he spoke directly to the large number of high school students in the audience when he sponsibility for the success or failure for the program for improvement in education. "Nobody can present you with quality education," he said. "Your State and county officials and your school leaders can make these opportunities available to you," he continued, "but in the final analysis B. Mallard of Tabor City presidand upon your willingness to make the most of these enlarged

The meeting was presided over by Dr. M. H. Rourk, member of the North Carolina Better Schools Committee appointed by Governor Sanford. Following the opening song "The Old North State", led by Mrs. Joyce Carmichael, Dr. Rourk led in the Salute to the

Flag. The invocation was by the Rev. Drayton Cooper, pastor of South-Dr. Rourk extended a welcome,

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Tabor City Man Dies In Flames

Ralph Jenkins McCollum Loses Life When Trailer Burns At Calabash Early Friday Morning

Palph McCullum, 54-year-old in an early Friday morning house

Coroner Lowell Bennett of blaze at approximately 12:30 a.

McCullum, a native of Columsecretary of Sunday School, or designated "to accept the respon-oyster garden at Calabash. It Leroy Stanley, superintendent, for sibility for and proceed with, the was reported, said Bennett, that Continued On Page 5.

Promotion For Col. J. D. Duffie At Sunny Point

Promotion To This Rank Effective October 1 For Commanding Officer At Army Terminal

Headquarters, Department of the Army has promoted Lt. Colonel Johnnie D. Duffie, Commanding Officer of Sunny Point Army Terminal, to the rank of full Colonel effective 26 October 1961.

Colonel Duffie, who is from Columbia, South Carolina, assumed command of the U.S. Army Transportation Terminal, Sunny Point, on 1 January 1960, coming here from an assignment in the Office of the Army Chief of Staff. He enlisted in the South Caro-lina National Guard in 1936 and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in 1940. During World War II he served in Europe with the 84th Infantry Division, participating in four major campaigns.

His decorations include the Bronze Star Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Army Commendation Ribbon with Oak Leaf Cluster. and the French Croix de Guerre with Silver Star.

Colonel Duffie has studied at William and Mary College, American University, Taiwan University, Stanford University and Northwestern University.

Among the Army Service Schools he has attended are the Transportation Officers Advanced Course, Command and General Staff College, The Army Supply Management Course, and the U. Management School.

Sunny Point Army Terminal, which he commands, was constructed for the sole purpose of loading and discharging ammunition, and features the most mod-On Dredging Job. ern developments in ammunition oading. Safety devices and proective mechanisms are incorporated throughout its construction. The Sunny Point Army Terminal is a subordinate installation of the U. S. Arms Transportation Brooklyn, New York.

Colonel Duffie is married to the former Mary E. Lahey of Columbia, S. C. They are presently residing in Southport with their three children.

No change in duty assignment is expected due to Colonel Duffie's promotion.

Golfers To Meet Thursday Night

Of Court Ends Architect For Boiling Spring Lakes Golf Course Will Attend Membership Meet-

R. B. Mallard Here Last A meeting of the members of Boiling Spring Lakes Country Club, Inc., has been called for Eight divorces were granted tomorrow (Thursday) evening at during last week's term of Supe- Southport and beginning at 8 rior Court devoted to the trial of o'clock. Meeting place will be the Persons Desiring To Do Any civil cases, with Judge Raymond Southport Lions' club building.

According to Kirby Sullivan, member of the committee on A heavy docket greeted Judge charter and by-laws, many im-Mallard and the term ran out its portant items are scheduled for full five days, although several the meeting, including the possicases were non-suited after long ble election of a board of direc-Continued On Page 5

TIME and TIDE

Twenty-five years ago this week the new flatbed press at The News Reporter plant in Whiteville was used for the first time to print The Pilot. The most significant change was in the size of the paper, which now went from seven to eight columns. There had been a general election the day before, and the late Clyde R. Hoey had been elected governor of North Carolina.

The season's first frost already had hit here, on October 30. The James Roosevelt yacht, Half-Moon, had been in the Southport harbor and a missing shrimp trawler had been found by the Coast Guard after her skipper had swam ashore to notify them of her position.

Five years later, on November 5, 1941, the Outdoor Writers were back in Southport and with them was the late Dr. T. Gilbert Pearson, noted ornithologist, who was back in his favorite haunts. State American Legion officials were coming here for a District meeting and there was a front page story telling that the CCC Camp at Bolton soon would be closed.

In connection with the coming of the Legionnaires we had one of the most ambitious co-op advertisements we ever carried in this newspaper. It was a double page spread, and there were 24-advertisers. The central theme was a welcome to the veterans at their meeting here.

The Pilot for November 6, 1946, showed scenes from the Hal-

loween Carnval at Southport. Janice Swan was the queen, Gene Fulwood was the king, and the crown bearer was little Michael

Shallotte citizens were seeking dependable telephone service; Continued On Page 4

Receives Promotion



COL. JOHNNIE D. DUFFIE

Seek Information On Labor Supply

Big Attendance At Open House

On a recent Sunday the James Browns of Boiling Spring Lakes entertained company-4,832 persons, to be exact.

The husband and wife team new ranch-type brick home and nodded to throngs and shook hands until they were ready to drop with exhaustion. In fact, James, an auto mechanic at nearby Bolivia, is said to have taken to his bed the minute the last visi-

tor disappeared. The occasion had nothing to do with a Brown anniversary. Instead, the couple had graciously allowed hundreds to pass through their comfortable home on a tour of inspection connected with an open house event held by the developers of one of North Carolina's largest and newest real estate subdivisions. At Boiling Spring Lakes.

Burning Permit Law In Effect port Development Corporation. Both of these men wish

son this week reminded citizens able labor. He was particularly are moving out into rural areas. of Brunswick County that it is interested in the number of exagain necessary to obtain a burn- perienced operators he might be of the facility, he said the coing permit, before doing any burn- able to find in Brunswick county. operative's borrowing credit was ing within 500-feet of any wood-

the protection of the State Forest survey. Service of within five hundred (500) feet of any such protected area during the hours starting at Noted Layman midnight and ending at 4:00 p. m. without first obtaining from the State Forester or one of his duly authorized agents a permit to start or cause to be started any fire or ignite any material in such above mentioned places between the first day of October and the first day of June, inclusive. No charge shall be made for the granting of said permits.

"During periods of hazardous of the provisions of this act shall tithing. be guilty of a misdemeanor and The speaker declared that the Continued On Page 5

Women Desiring Jobs In Garment Industry Urged To Fill Out Information Sheet And Return Imme-

week to secure information dein this area, and the results are lotte; L. C. Batten, Hallsboro; J. expected to influence his decision B. Ward, Jr., Longwood; H. D. regarding the possible location of White, Jr., Chadbourn; Fred E. a plant in the Southport-Boiling Lay, Tabor City; Roy Swain, Spring Lakes section of Bruns- Winnabow; F. D. Inman, Ash; M. wick county.

reproduced on the back page of today's issue of The Pilot, and

EDITOR'S NOTE: As a public service, we are printing on the back page of today's State Port Pilot a labor survey form which may be used to help obtain industry for Brunswick County.

ployment in a garment manufacturing plant near home are urged | can do for you but what you can to fill in this information and return it as soon as possible. It may be mailed to P. O. Box 548, South-Harper, Jr., president of South- danger and peril."

mitment has been made by the membership increased four per Outside Burning Near shown enough interest in this location to come here on a tour year. He went on to point out of inspection, and he has follow- that the co-operative would coned up this visit with a request tinue to grow because towns and County Ranger Kenneth John- for information regarding avail- cities are growing and people

concerted effort that is being ing was good. The State law relating to the made to make jobs available here burning of brush reads as follows: in Brunswick county and to de-"Starting fires within five hun- velop a regular payroll. In addidred (500) feet of areas under tion to the efforts of the two protection of State Forest Service above-mentioned groups, the Shal--It shall be unlawful for any lotte Jaycees also are active, and person, firm or corporation to official of that organization said start or cause to be started any yesterday that he and his fellowfire or ignite any material in any members stand ready to assist in of the areas of woodland under any way possible with this labor

Is Heard Here

Kenneth S. Keyes Speaks On Subject Of Tithing Before Audience In High School Auditorium

Kenneth S. Keyes, nationally known layman, was speaker Sunorest fire conditions, the State day evening at the first of the Forester is authorized to cancel Fifth Sunday Evening Union all permits and prohibit the start- Services being planned by the ing of any fires in any of the Protestant ministers of Southport. woodlands under the protection of Scene of this meeting was the the State Forest Service or with- Southport High School auditoin five hundred (500) feet of any rium, and the speaker spoke on such protected area. Any person, the subject of "Stewardship", with firm or corporation violating any special emphasis on the topic of

upon conviction shall be fined not sin of partial surrender is the more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) greatest transgression of the av-Continued On Page 5

Waccamaw Girl Is Essay Contest Winner For REA

Announcement Made At Annual Membership Meeting Held Friday In Whiteville Warehouse

A Brunswick county student at the Waccamaw High School took first place honors in the essay contest conducted by the Brunswick Electric Membership co-op-

was made at the annual meeting of the co-operative held Friday afternoon at Smith's warehouse in Whiteville. The first place winner was Fran

Announcement of the winners

Browning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Browning. Her prize Second place went to Carol C.

Pridgen, of the Mt. Olive high school and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence L. Pridgen. Her prize was \$20. The third place winner was

Reva Mae Cartrette of the Williams township school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Cartrette. Reva received \$10. An estimated 5,000 people from

he four-county area served by the co-operative were present for a full afternoon of music, speeches, receiving of numerous prizes and general social amenities. Speakers for the meeting in-

clude Walter E. Fuller of the Tar Heel Electric association and Congressman Alton A. Lennon who has attended every meeting of of the co-op since he was elected to Congress

Top feature of the hase of the session was the election of 11 directors to serve during the coming year, which part An effort is being made this Attorney D. F. McGougan. The directors are: C. D. Branch, presisired by the owner of a garment dent, Evergreen; Ennis Anderson, plant as to the availability of vice-president, Fair Bluff; T. D. trained sewing machine operators Lindsey, secretary-treasurer, Shal-

M. Ray, Nakina; and R. T. Mer-A labor survey form is being cer of Bolivia. There were no nominations from the floor.

Congressman Lennon, in brief women who desire regular em- impromptu remarks, urged his listeners for continued support in the trying times ahead ing attention to Russia's intention of destroying the country economically.

Then he emphasized the levity of the times with a quote from President Kennedy's inaugural address: "Not what your country do for your country."

The Congressman brought the challenge closer with the Presiport, or may be delivered in per- dent's significant remark at son to Kirby Sullivan, president | Chapel Hill a few weeks ago: "It of the Southport Junior Chamber is very likely that all of us here of Commerce, or to James M. today will live out our lives in

President Branch, commenting Both of these men wish to that this was the 23rd annual make it plain that no final com- meeting of the co-operative, said industrialist to build here. He has cent last year but power sales

Touching on the fiscal aspects This is just another step in a good because its financial stand-

It was pointed out that the co-operative has not only met all Continued From Page 5

Tide Table

Following is the tide 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 Thursday, November 2, 2:59 A. M. 9:17 A. M. 3:13 P. M. 9:53 P. M Friday, November 3, 3:52 A. M. 10:12 A. M 4:03 P. M. 10:40 P. M. Saturday, November 4, 4:39 A. M. 11:03 A. M 4:50 P. M. 11:25 P. M. Sunday, November 5, 5:24 A. M. 11:51 A. M. 12:05 P. M. 5:34 P. M. Monday, November 6, 6:05 A. I 6:16 P. N Tuest

6:47 A. 6:56 P. Wedn 7:27 A. 7:35 P.