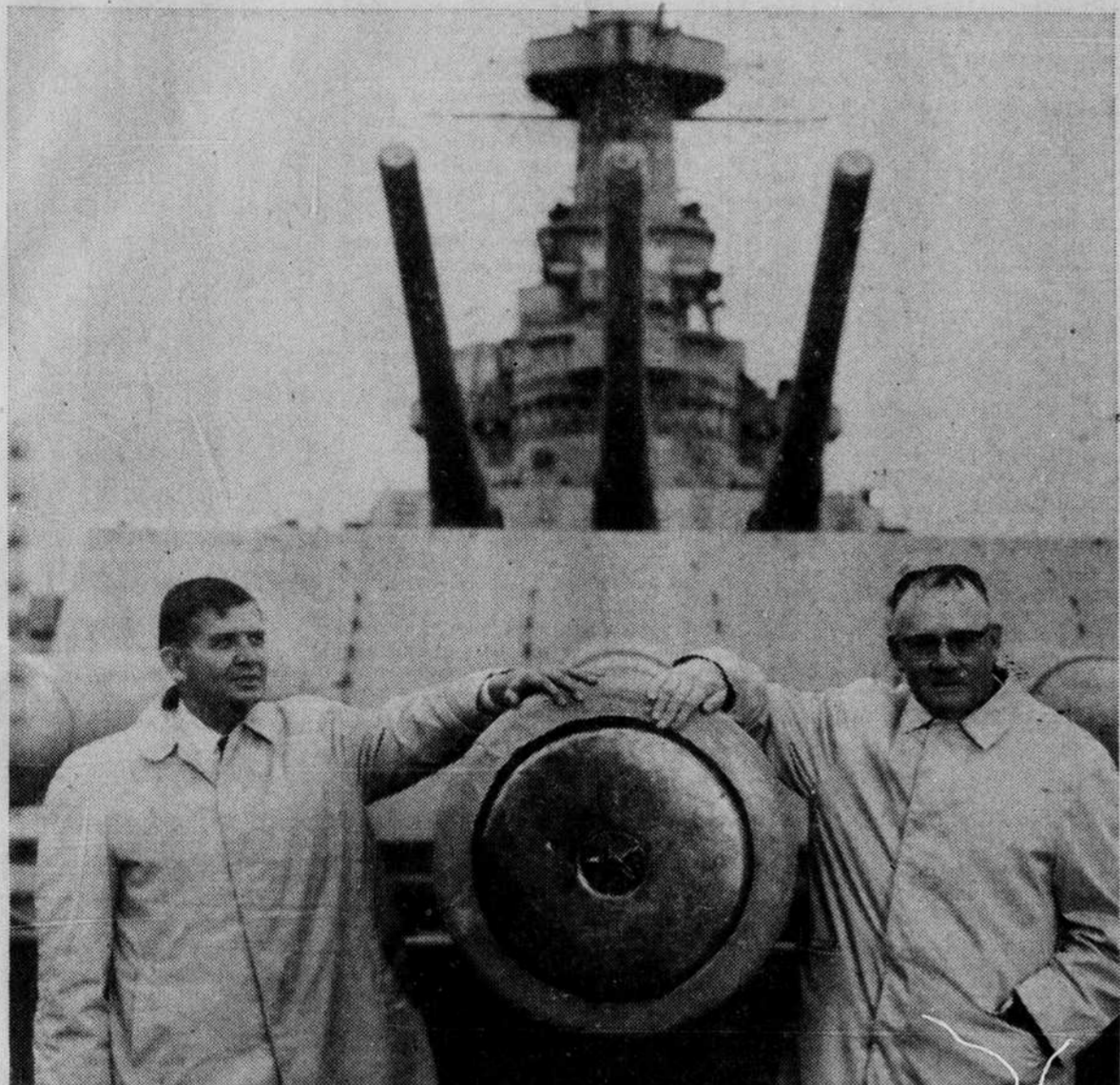


Pilot Receives Honor



HONORED—Governor of North Carolina Terry Sanford on Sunday made Capt. B. M. Burriss of Southport an Admiral in the North Carolina Navy. Governor Sanford said: "By reason of this ship being here, Capt. Burriss has done a masterful job. . . He placed this great ship in her slip in one of the finest exhibitions of seamanship ever to be seen in North Carolina." It was announced by the Battleship Commission that Brunswick County, under the leadership of H. Foster Mintz of Bolivia, has raised \$1,780.25 for the state-wide Battleship Fund drive, which is 356% of the County's goal.

Governor Names Southport Lady On Commission

Mrs. James M. Harper, Jr., Appointed Member Of Carolina Charter Tercentenary Commission

Governor Terry Sanford announced today the composition of the Carolina Charter Tercentenary Commission for the biennium 1961-1963. The following new persons were appointed by the governor to serve:

Mrs. James M. Harper, Jr., Southport; Dr. Henry W. Jordan, Cedar Falls; Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Wright, Wilmington; Mrs. Ernest L. Ives, Southern Pines; Dan M. Paul, Raleigh; William Carrington Gretter, Jr., Louisville; J. P. Strother, Kinston; Mrs. Ann B. Durham, Burgaw; and Mrs. Doris Betts, Sanford.

Commission members reappointed by the governor are Henry Belk, Goldsboro; Dr. Charles G. Davidson, Davidson; Lambert Davis, Chapel Hill; Grayson Harding, Edenton; Mrs. Kanoo A. Lehto, Wilmington; James G. W. MacLamroe, Greensboro; Mrs. Harry McMullan, Washington; Dr. Paul Murray, Greenville; Dr. Robert H. Spiro, Jr., Macon, Georgia; Mrs. J. O. Tally, Jr., Fayetteville, and David Stick, Kitty Hawk.

The Chairman of the Commission, Francis E. Winslow of Rocky Mount, also was reappointed by Governor Sanford for the years 1961-1963. Mr. Winslow has been serving in this capacity since his appointment in 1959 when the Commission was established by the General Assembly.

Ex-officio members of the Carolina Charter Tercentenary Commission are Dr. Charles F. Carroll, Superintendent of Public Instruction; Hargrove Bowles, Jr., Director of the Department of Conservation and Development; and Dr. Christopher Crittenden, Director of the Department of Archives and History. Brig. Gen. John D. F. Phillips, USA (Ret.), is Executive Secretary of the Commission.

The purpose of the Commission is to plan the observance of the 300th anniversary of the granting of the Carolina Charter in 1663 to the eight Lords Proprietors by King Charles II of England.

Soil Election Is Set Next Month

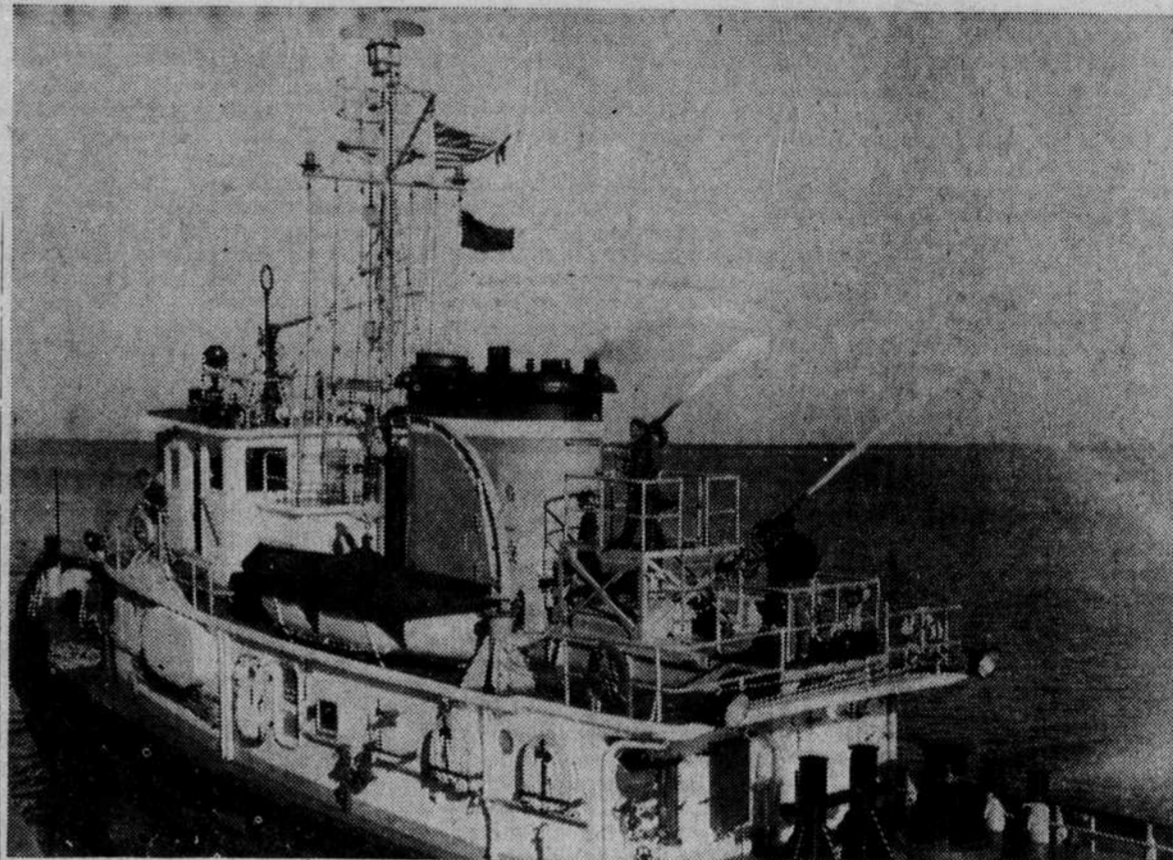
One Soil Conservation Supervisor For Brunswick County Will Be Elected

One Soil Conservation Supervisor for Brunswick County will be elected by popular vote in an election to be held during the weeks of December 4-9.

The Brunswick County board of Soil Conservation Supervisors at a recent meeting in Shallotte nominated J. D. Bellamy, Jr., of Shallotte for this post and are now circulating a nominating petition. Chairman Bellamy stated that if there are any other interested groups in the county that have a candidate, he can be nominated in similar manner.

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New Fireboat In Action



DEMONSTRATION—The new combination tug-fireboat at Sunny Point Army Terminal is shown here in a demonstration of her 4,000-gallon per minute output of water at 150-lbs. pressure—specifications which will greatly improve the water front fire-fighting strength of the fire department at the nearby U. S. Army installation.

Draw Jury List For Two Weeks Superior Court

Judge R. I. Mintz Will Preside Over Two One-Week Special Sessions For Civil Actions

Two one-week special terms of Superior Court devoted to the trial of civil cases, will be held beginning on December 4, and December 11, with Judge R. I. Mintz of Wilmington, presiding. Judge Mintz is a native of Brunswick County and a former Southport attorney. The following list of jurors was selected by the Brunswick County Commissioners in executive session held here Monday:

First Week: V. W. Beck, D. G. Bozeman, Donald M. Frink, J. R. Mintz, R. H. Sellers, R. Talmadge Hewitt, W. B. Grissett, Allen Stanley Jr., and J. E. Long, all of Shallotte; G. M. Smith, E. H. Cox, Frank Hewitt, J. W. Stanley, W. W. Babson, R. M. Piver, Harry Gore and Wesley Smith, Jr., all of Ash. Arthur W. Knox, Paul McDowell, R. S. Willetts, Jr., and Carl McKeithan, all of Bolivia.

Also, Larry Robinson, Lennell W. Hewett, Jack Wallace, Jennette Brown, Garland Clemmons and Washley Lancaster, all of Supply; Joe Reeves, Carl K. Lewis, Martin Sullivan, E. O. Sullivan, R. O. Williams and Frederick A. Gaine, all of Leland; Numan King, Hoyt Inman and Odell Evans, all of Freeland; Robert McKenzie and L. W. Clemmons, both of Southport, and Charlie C. Henry, Jr., of Winnabow.

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Special Election For ASC Friday

***Three Communities Will Be Involved In Farm Election Which Has Been Called By State Committee**

A special election will be held to determine the ASC Community Committees from three Brunswick County townships, Friday.

The election affects the communities of Shallotte, Town Creek and Waccamaw, and is being held at the request of the N. C. State ASC Committee. By this action the former election held September 11 is declared null and void. The action by the state committee follows investigation of charges of irregularities at the polls in the above-mentioned communities during and immediately following the last election.

The polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 6 p. m., at the following polling places: In Shallotte, the old Sommerset Garage at Grissettown; in Town Creek, the old Willett's Store at Bolivia; and in Waccamaw, the Agricultural Building at Waccamaw School. The candidates will be the same named on the ballot in the previous election.

It was further ordered by the state committee that ballots be tabulated publicly by the county committee at the ASC office in Shallotte, as soon as possible after the polls are closed. Any questions as to eligibility to vote or hold office will be settled by the county committee, subject to appeal to the state committee.

Candidates from Shallotte are Lonny Blackman, John Howard Gore, Annie Belle Hewett, Grover Hickman, Paul Holden, Horry Jenrette, Robert McLamb, Wilbur

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Information On Labor Comes In

Return Of Questionnaires Indicates High Percent Of Experienced Workers In County

The response to the request for applications from workers for a small garment industry plant which possibly may locate in the Southport-Boiling Spring Lakes has been gratifying. To date, between 150 and 200 forms have been filled out and returned and the applications show little sign of slowing down.

Most gratifying, is the fact that the majority of the applicants boast of experience in the operation of sewing machines and other light industrial machinery, something which stands high on the priority listing of the interested manufacturer.

The information contained in the applications is now being processed and will be forwarded to the out-of-state interested party as soon as it is completed.

Women with sewing skills are urged to fill out the forms which have appeared in recent issues of The Pilot.

County Teachers Hear Education Secretary Speak

Dr. A. C. Dawson Speaker At Annual NCEA Banquet Held In Southport Monday Evening

Approximately 150 educators attended the annual banquet meeting of the Brunswick County unit of the North Carolina Education Association held here Monday night at the Southport Lion's Club building.

The Thanksgiving Day motif, which included Pilgrims, Indians, turkeys, corn tassels and real Brunswick County pumpkins, was the work of Southport school students and set the stage for a purely educational meeting, which was opened with Invocation by Thomas Bowmer, marineology teacher at Southport High School.

Following the formal welcome, delivered by Mrs. James Glone, president of the Brunswick NCEA unit, Superintendent of Schools, John G. Long addressed a few remarks to the large congregation of teachers, principals and other educational leaders, before an Indian Dance was performed, by an elementary group of students from Mrs. W. R. Lingle's class.

Dinner followed before W. N. Williams, principal of Southport High School, introduced the chief speaker, Dr. A. C. Dawson of Raleigh. Dr. Dawson is Executive Secretary for the NCEA.

After the usual opening pleasantries the speaker launched immediately into the heart of his subject. In taking note of the recent bond issue defeat suffered by Governor Terry Sanford and the people of North Carolina, Dr. Dawson said: "The forces which have always opposed progress in North Carolina are making the most of this setback. On every side you hear, 'Sanford had his ears pinned back,' and not a word about the defeat of a program which held quality education as one of its good right arms! A pity."

The guest speaker related that he "did not have to remind his listeners that he was not a political appointee, but one of them; a teacher chosen from the ranks," since he had, in the past, often journeyed to Brunswick County to officiate at basketball tournaments.

"The only axe I have to grind is the fine edge of learning, of education in my native state," he stated.

As a goal in the immediate years ahead, Dr. Dawson pointed out the improvement of education in this state by means of "a fine instructor supervisory program already underway in North Carolina."

And the Executive Secretary posed the following question to his audience: "Does spending more money improve the quality of education?"

"Statistics, polls and surveys," said Dr. Dawson "answer this in the affirmative." Taxes, said the educator, "are necessary evils in any system of public education; else, where is the money to come from?"

The guest speaker exhorted his listeners to greater effort.

"The ball is now rolling," he said. "No longer does a North Carolina teacher have to leave the state for economic reasons. We in the teaching profession, are slowly coming into our own." Dawson warned that the struggle is not yet over and done with.

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Prevatte Made President For New Club Group

Southport Attorney Named The President Of Boiling Spring Lakes Country Club By Directors

The board of directors for the Boiling Spring Lakes Country Club, Inc., during a meeting held last Thursday night in the law offices of E. J. Prevatte, elected officers and appointed committee chairman.

Prevatte is president; H. F. Mintz, vice-president; Kirby Sullivan, secretary and treasurer; Tommy Kirby, assistant secretary-treasurer; and James C. Bowman, attorney.

Bowman was named chairman of the by-laws committee, while Kirby and A. E. Huntley were named as co-chairman for the greens and golf course committee. The board of directors will be responsible for the clubhouse-building committee, while Mintz was placed in charge of the membership committee. Mrs. James Glone heads the committee on furniture and fixtures, and Kirby will be in charge of publicity.

The developers have agreed that 10 percent of the proceeds from the sale of lots adjoining the new golf course will go to the new club, and 5 percent of the sale of

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Brunswick Girls And Boys Winners

Large Number From This County Participate In Annual Event Sponsored By Star-News Newspapers

Brunswick County 4-H Club members won 9 blue ribbons, 14 red ribbons and 3 white ribbons at the 4-H Honor Program finals held at Wilmington Saturday. The contest was sponsored by the Wilmington Star-News newspapers, and nine Southeastern N. C. Counties participated.

It was acknowledged to be the largest such achievement program ever put on in this section of the state, with 639 separate exhibits displayed and judged.

Some 600 persons were on hand in Brodgen Hall, New Hanover High School, to watch the judging and the dress revue and talent show which preceded it. Competing in the revue from Brunswick were Meta Gail McNeil and Martha Rabon. In a tractor-driving contest, William Hickman of Brunswick County placed sixth.

Winners of ribbons from Brunswick, with color of ribbon and category, follow:

In the Garden category, William A. Hickman took a blue ribbon with a plate of five prize sweet peppers; William Hickman also took a blue ribbon with a plate of five tomatoes.

In the Home Grounds Beautification category, Kelly Holden took a blue ribbon. In Beekeeping, John Grissett took a blue ribbon for one quart of clear honey; in the Poultry category Priscilla Hewett won a red ribbon, while Susan Gray won a red ribbon for making a Church dress.

In the Senior clothing department, Martha Rabon won a red ribbon for a blouse and skirt; while Martha Rabon took a red ribbon for a street dress. In the Food Conservation category (canning), Susan Gray took a red ribbon for peaches, and Nancy Bellamy took a white ribbon with beets.

Susan Gray won a blue ribbon with grape jelly; Meta Gail McNeil a red ribbon with cucumber, while Susan Gray won a red ribbon for her peach pickles. Meta Gail McNeil took top honors (blue ribbon) with her biscuits, and Belinda Holden a red ribbon with blueberry muffins. Belinda came back strong in the cake department with a red ribbon atop her pound cake.

Barbara Simmons won a red ribbon in the Home Improvement category, with her dresser scarf; Ronald Holden won a blue ribbon for book ends, with Barry Linkoos copying a red in the

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Wilmington Site For Examination

In answer to many queries directed to this newspaper, the regional examination for entrance into the Peace Corps will be held at Wilmington and in the post office building in that city on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. The newly-organized Peace Corps is open to all young Americans who pass examinations, and has the blessing of the present national administration. Members, like military personnel, may be sent to distant stations, both here and abroad.

The examinations will begin promptly at 8:30 a. m. on both designated days. Persons interested in joining the Peace Corps are urged to apply at Wilmington a few moments before the examinations are begun.

Trailer Section Is Being Opened

The Developers Of Boiling Spring Lakes Making a Play For Residents With Mobile Homes

Since a good-sized segment of modern America moves on wheels, the developers of Boiling Spring Lakes are in the process of clearing land and building an access road for a trailer section.

A spokesman for the big residential development said Friday that the move was in response to inquiries from many persons now living in trailers.

"Few people desire to spend their lives inside the cramped quarters of an automobile trailer home," he said. "Here at Boiling Spring Lakes we are now ready to make a play for those who will sell lots upon which trailers may be parked. Most of these lots will eventually hold permanent homes, of conventional design."

A tour of this section proves that shade trees of all size grow in profusion. Holly and blackjack, oaks and gums, predominate. It is as lovely a spot for a mobile home as can be found anywhere.

Through the section runs a sand road with an historic background. Once there was a village here; a village called Alpine, and

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TIME and TIDE

Twenty-five years ago this week the Southport Lodge of the Junior Order observed the 40th Anniversary of its founding. That occasion was observed at a turkey supper served in the Junior Order Hall on Howe Street. (And that building now is in the process of being dismantled.)

Some statistician had come up with the information that the majority of people in Brunswick county lived on a farm—and they still do; a very poor shrimping season had come to a close—and that might have been written this fall; five Brunswick county hunters had missed broadside shots at a deer—thus producing enough shirrtail material for an old-fashioned quilt.

There was kinder treatment for a baby deer, shown in a front page picture in our issue for November 26, 1941. His name was Bill, and he was a pet at Orton Plantation. There was agitation for a causeway and bridge directly from Southport to Fort Caswell, where the Navy had commenced construction of a Section Base.

A local lady had experienced considerable difficulty rescuing her pet dog from the back seat of her burning automobile—the dog persisted in re-entering the blazing vehicle; the Not Exactly editor had had some warm words of praise for Clyde Dyson, obliging bread deliverer—who has been inactive during recent weeks because of his health; and this was an unusually good edition of The Pilot from the point of school columns, there being three of these in that issue.

The front page of The Pilot for November 27, 1946, really had

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Brief Bits Of NEWS

THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS
City and county offices, the banks and the Savings & Loan will be closed Thursday in observance of Thanksgiving. The schools of Brunswick county will be closed Thursday and Friday for this holiday period.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE
A union Thanksgiving service will be held at Trinity Methodist Church Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The Rev. Drayton Cooper, pastor of Southport Presbyterian Church, will be the speaker.

PRIZE WINNERS
Mrs. Penny Priquette received the television set given by the Southport Savings & Loan Association during their recent 50th Anniversary Celebration. Julia Faye Lewis of the Antioch Church Community received a transistor radio, with another radio being presented to D. H. Wescott of Bolivia.