

## Four Eagle Scouts



**HONORED**—The four Shallotte Boy Scouts who received their Eagle Scout badges in a history making ceremony Tuesday night are shown with their parents. They are, from left to right, Charles G. Holden, Steven D. Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Holden, Mrs. James Marshall, James A. Marshall, Dr. James Marshall, Mrs. E. H. Redwine, Edward D. Redwine and E. H. Redwine. (Staff Photo by Allen)

## Williamson Has Explanation Of Stand On Bills

**Advances Plan To Cover Rotation Problem In Election Of County Commissioners**

By ODELL WILLIAMSON  
Last week the House disposed of two well-publicized bills just as I predicted in my previous column—the bill to provide daylight saving time was defeated, and the bill to require the installation of automobile seat belts was passed.

Another bill which your representative expects to see defeated is the proposal introduced by Rep. Steve Dole of Gaston to make it a misdemeanor for school officials to allow anyone to ride a school bus unless there is seat space for him. This bill is supposed to be a safety measure in that it would prevent children from having to stand while riding the school bus. But with North Carolina's outstanding safety record in operating the nation's largest school transportation system, I do not see that we have a safety problem in this field. Although the state does not assume responsibility for transporting pupils living within a mile and a half of school, I think it is much safer for the children to ride standing up than it is for them to walk along the highway. The fact is that children

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## Brief Bits Of NEWS

### P.T.A. MEETING

Open house will be observed Thursday night by Southport P.T.A. which meets at 7:30 o'clock at the high school, according to Principal W. N. Williams.

### COUNTRY COUSINS COMING

The Country Cousins will appear in Southport Saturday, at the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock, sponsored by the 8th grade. Advance tickets are being sold by the 8th graders.

### ON DEAN'S LIST

Larry Wolfe, son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Wolfe of Southport, member of the senior class at the University of North Carolina, made the dean's list for the fall semester. He is married to the former Brenda Wilkes.

### MIDDLETON FILES

E. F. Middleton, mayor of the Town of Long Beach, has filed for reelection as a member of the town council in the forthcoming municipal election. Bernard L. Heath, formerly of Greensboro, now of Long Beach, also has filed for the council. There are three vacancies to be filled.

### RESIGNS AS CHAIRMAN

W. P. Jorgensen has resigned as chairman of the board of trustees for Doshier Memorial Hospital but is remaining as a member of that body. He said that he was taking this step because of his health. A. H. Gainey, Jr., was unanimously elected to replace him as head of the board.

## Four Boy Scouts Get Eagle Award

**First Court Of Honor For This Purpose Ever Held In Brunswick Conducted At Shallotte Tuesday**

History was made Tuesday night when four Shallotte Boy Scouts were presented their Eagle Scout badges in Brunswick county at the Waccamaw District Court of Honor held in Shallotte High School auditorium.

Although a number of Brunswick county boys have received scout's highest award, this was the first time the Eagle Scout badge presentation has been held in Brunswick county.

Shallotte Boy Scouts who received their Eagle Scout award during impressive candle light ceremonies were James A. Marshall, 16, son of Dr. and Mrs. James Marshall, Edward D. Redwine, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Redwine, and Charles G. Holden, 15, and Steven D. Holden, 12, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Holden.

The awards were presented by Lee J. Greer of Whitville, to the mothers who pinned the badges on their sons. The scouts in turn pinned a miniature Eagle Scout badge on their mothers.

Judge Greer, Chairman of the Court of Honor, said the whole Waccamaw district is proud of Shallotte for having four eagles at one meeting.

"It is a tribute to the interest the town of Shallotte is showing toward the scouting program," he said.

All four new eagles are members of Shallotte Troop 506 and their scoutmaster is Paul Hardy.

At the meeting, the Shallotte Troop was presented awards for advancement, inspection and attendance. They also received a blue ribbon of their displays during Boy Scout Week in February.

Scout Executive W. C. Wall of the Cape Fear Area Council of Wilmington, District Executive Leon Guthrie of Waccamaw District of Whiteville, advancement Chairman P. P. Rinfrow of Fair Bluff, and Col. Motiff of Shallotte, a member of the Advancement Committee, attended the Court of Honor.

## List Pre-School Clinic Schedule

**County Superintendent Urges Importance Of Having Children Attend One Of These Clinics**

The following schedule of pre-school clinics has been announced by the Brunswick County Health Department:

- Waccamaw School - Tuesday, March 16; Bolivia School - Friday, March 29; Piney Grove School - Tuesday, April 2; Leland School - Thursday, April 4; Lincoln School - Friday, April 5; Southport School - Friday, April 12; Union School - Tuesday, April 16; Cedar Grove School - Tuesday, April 16; Bruns. Co. Training School - Thursday, April 18; Shallotte School - Friday, April 19; Longwood School - Tuesday, April 23.

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## Southport Club Offers Nursing Scholarship Aid

**Two Full Scholarships Will Be Offered Again This Year By Southport Woman's Club To Senior Girls**

Two full three-year nursing scholarships are to be awarded to high school senior girls in Brunswick County through the Southport Woman's Club, it was announced this week by Mrs. Johnnie D. Duffie, president.

The scholarships are made possible by the Brunswick County Tuberculosis Association and the local Society for Crippled Children and Adults, both of which are divisions of the Southport Woman's Club. Funds for these organizations are raised by the Woman's Club, which also administers their programs within the county in cooperation with the County Departments of Health and Welfare.

The scholarships will provide the complete costs for tuition, uniforms and books at one of 23 selected North Carolina Accredited Schools of Nursing. The recipients of the awards may choose any one of these institutions, depending upon their ability to meet entrance requirements.

All girls in the senior classes of the five white and three negro high schools in the county are eligible to apply. Information sheets, lists of selected Schools of Nursing, and scholarship application forms have been sent out to each girl in the graduating classes. The completed applications are to be in the hands of the Scholarship Committee by April 15, and announcement of the winners is expected on April 25.

Judging will be on the basis of mental achievement, moral integrity, physical condition and evidence of sincere desire to become a Registered Nurse. The judges are to be qualified persons outside of Brunswick County.

While it is not made a requirement, it is hoped that recipients of the scholarships will return to work in Brunswick County upon completion of their training.

Last year, the Woman's Club awarded one scholarship, won by Miss Rachel Kye of Bolivia. She is now in training at the James Walker Memorial Hospital School of Nursing in Wilmington.

## Math Workshops Set For Teachers

Basic mathematical concepts will be discussed at two workshops for the consolidated schools in Brunswick county Tuesday and Wednesday, according to Superintendent John G. Long.

On Tuesday, the Waccamaw and Shallotte teachers will meet at the Shallotte school at 3:30 while the teachers at Bolivia, Southport and Leland will gather at Bolivia school on Wednesday at 3:30.

The workshops will be conducted by Miss Nedra Mitchell, supervisor of elementary education for the State Department of Public Instruction in Raleigh. Miss Mitchell was formerly employed as an arithmetic consultant with the Winston company, publishers of the basic text book used in the grades three through eight in the county.

## Two Brothers Die Suddenly

**Lawton James Muncey Dies While Here To Attend Funeral Of Vincent Muncey**

A prominent Ohio industrialist, stricken while visiting a brother in Southport, died in James Walker Memorial Hospital, Tuesday morning.

Lawton James Muncey, 59, of Cincinnati, Ohio, died after a short illness. He had been visiting his brother, Vincent Muncey, who died in Doshier Memorial Hospital, Sunday when stricken.

Lawton Muncey was general superintendent of General Motors Norwood Plant in Cincinnati and both he and Vincent were sons of the late Allen and Polly Wooten Muncey. He was a native of Hyden, Ky. and a member of St. Gertrude Catholic Church in Cincinnati. Final rites are to be held in Cincinnati, Friday.

He is survived by a brother, Bige Muncey of Southport. Also, he is survived by his wife, three daughters, a son and two other brothers and three grandchildren.

Vincent Muncey, 64, of the Midway section of Brunswick County near here, died early Sunday morning in Doshier Memorial Hospital.

Final rites were held Monday at 1:30 p. m. from the chapel of Kilpatrick Funeral Home by the Rev. Homer McKeithan, with burial in Hyden, Ky.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Florence Muncey of the home; five sons, Hech Muncey, Scottburgh, Ind., Eugene Muncey, Covington, Ky., Lawton Muncey, Dayton, Ohio, Bruce Muncey, Cincinnati, Ohio and Luke Muncey, Dayton, Ohio; four daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Campenella, Cincinnati, Ohio, Mrs. Edith Brown, Southport, Mrs. Polly Lewis, Clarksville, Ohio, Mrs. Zilphia Mobley, Miami, Fla.; four brothers, Bige Muncey, Southport,

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## Miss Brunswick County



**WINNER**—The new Miss Brunswick County, Carolyn Johnson of Bolivia, is shown in the center after receiving the crown Saturday night in Shallotte. On her right is Lydia Long of Southport, the first runner-up. Second runner-up, Jean Gilbert of Southport, is on her left. On the second row are, left to right, Cheryl Rogers Watts, last year's queen, Jaycee President Gene Blair, and J. T. Clemmons, pageant public relation man. (Staff Photo by Allen)

## Walton Planning Bill To Increase County Salaries

**Brunswick Senator Discusses Other Matters Of Legislation Affecting This County**

Higher salaries for county workers, dissatisfaction with the present method of appointing school boards, stronger laws pertaining to the Board of Education and confusion over a plan to reorganize the county commission were some of the problems discussed by Senator Ray Walton in Southport Saturday.

"Salary adjustments for county employees must be made for the continued growth of the county," Senator Walton stated. "We must attract and keep qualified persons." He said he definitely would introduce legislation on the subject.

Senator Walton expressed strong dissatisfaction with the method now being used to name school board members. This week the bill to appoint the board in the counties will be introduced in the House and then go to the Senate. The boards will be named by Tuesday in order for the members to take office by April 1.

"We have the responsibility to appoint the school boards members this year and I hope it is the last time," he declared.

A bill has been introduced in the General Assembly to have the people elect the boards directly and Senator Walton is one of its strongest backers.

"I favor electing school boards and I will do everything I can for such a bill," he stated emphatically. "If the people are going to vote on the school board members, then they should elect them and not leave the responsibility to the school board."

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## Carolyn Johnson Is Miss Brunswick

**Change Days Of Health Clinics**

X-ray and general immunization clinics in Brunswick county will be held only every other week beginning in April, according to County Health Officer Dr. A. H. Elliott.

The x-ray clinics will be held in Shallotte on the first and third Monday of every month only. The time will be from 9 to 12 o'clock.

The general immunization clinic in Southport will be held on the first and third Tuesday of the month from 1 to 4 o'clock.

The Shallotte immunization clinic will be conducted on the first and third Thursday of the month from 1 to 4 o'clock also.

## Health Meeting Held At Supply

**Further Information Is Given Regarding Home Nursing Program In Brunswick County**

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## Long Beach To Hold Election On Water Bonds

**National Development Corporation Makes Gift Of \$30,000 For Construction Of Canal Bridge**

Acceptance of a \$30 thousand gift to construct a canal bridge and a calling for a \$325 thousand bond election to finance a proposed water system highlighted the meeting of the Long Beach Board of Commissioners Saturday at the Town Hall.

Town Manager Dan L. Walker read a letter from National Development Corporation offering to give Long Beach \$30 thousand for the construction of a creosoted timber bridge on Lincolnton street across from Davis Canal.

Mayor E. F. Middleton of Charleston, S. C., who presided at the meeting, is president of the corporation which developed the Brunswick county beach town.

The bridge will provide a 12-foot mean high water clearance over the dredged area.

During the discussion, it was pointed out that while the bridge will enhance the property of the development company, it will also raise the town's income via property values.

The bridge will make possible the drainage of more than 1,200 acres of marsh lands in the area. This in turn will provide better mosquito control for the beach community.

On Commissioner E. W. Morgan's motion, which was seconded by Commissioner W. L. Simmons of Greensboro, the board unanimously voted to accept the gift.

The board will turn the money over to the State Highway Department who will construct the bridge.

The Board also unanimously passed an ordinance calling for a \$325-thousand water system bond election with the hope of matching funds from the Accelerated Public Works Program.

Brunswick county recently has been declared a disaster area and is eligible to receive matching federal funds for public works projects.

If the grant is not honored, the town will need to call for

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## College Credit Course Begins

**Teachers And Students With College Credit May Attend Course In Guidance Being Taught At Bolivia**

The second class in Education 360 G, Principal of Guidance, will be held Monday night at Bolivia High School, beginning at 6:30 o'clock according to Brunswick County Superintendent John G. Long.

The course is being offered by East Carolina College and three quarter hours toward renewal of an "A" or "G" certificate will be given. The course will run for ten weeks and classes will be three hours in length.

Ethel D. Booth will serve as course instructor. She is widely recognized in the field of guidance and is highly recommended, Superintendent Long said.

Twenty persons from Brunswick, Columbus and New Hanover counties attended the first session and enrolled in the class.

## 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	Thursday, March 21	LOW
4:07 A. M.	10:50 A. M.	
4:28 P. M.	11:03 P. M.	
	<b>Friday, March 22</b>	
5:06 A. M.	11:43 A. M.	
5:25 P. M.	11:58 P. M.	
	<b>Saturday, March 23</b>	
6:00 A. M.	12:33 A. M.	
6:20 P. M.		
	<b>Sunday, March 24</b>	
6:53 A. M.	0:52 A. M.	
7:12 P. M.	1:21 P. M.	
	<b>Monday, March 25</b>	
7:44 A. M.	1:43 A. M.	
8:03 P. M.	2:08 P. M.	
	<b>Tuesday, March 26</b>	
8:33 A. M.	2:33 A. M.	
8:54 P. M.	2:58 P. M.	
	<b>Wednesday, March 27</b>	
9:24 A. M.		
9:46 P. M.		

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