

Orton Mansion



BEAUTIFUL—This is Orton Mansion, located on the Cape Fear River 10-miles from Southport. This week the azaleas in the famous Orton Gardens are at their peak of beauty, and thousands of visitors are expected to view this fairyland of color.

County Pastors Plan Chaplains Aid At Hospital

Interdenominational Group Organized Chaplains Service At Doshier Memorial Hospital

In order to provide spiritual help to hospital patients, county ministers decided to establish chaplain service at Doshier Memorial Hospital at the organizational meeting of the Brunswick County Association Monday.

Beginning May 6, a minister will be on duty at the hospital Monday through Friday from 10 a. m. until noon to visit patients. In addition to providing spiritual help, the minister will notify the patient's pastor of his condition.

Members of the committee working out details of the program include Rev. Edward B. Jordan of St. Phillips Episcopal Church in Southport, Rev. Harold Pickett of Shallotte, and Rev. Allen Richardson of Zion and Shiloh Methodist Churches.

The Brunswick County Interdenominational Ministerial Association is a newly formed organization of approximately 26 county ministers. Officers include Rev. Charles Lancaster of Trinity Methodist Church in Southport, president, Rev. Richardson, vice-president, and Rev. Jordan, secretary-treasurer.

The next meeting of the group will be on April 26 at the Trinity Methodist Church in Southport.

At Brunswick Town



VISITORS—Among the visitors to Brunswick County last week were these Carolina Power & Light Company officials and Edmund Harding, noted Washington, after-dinner speaker. The group were on their way from Florence, S. C., to Wilmington to conduct the annual dinner meeting of the Pioneer Club, whose members are power company employees with 25 or more years of service. The men are shown with Stanley South, archaeologist at Brunswick Town, who worked with Mr. Harding in the restoration of two old homes in Bath. The picture was made by Watt Huntley, also of CP&L and mayor pro-tem of Ocean Isle Beach.

Dr. McKnight Is Speaker Before Promotion Group

Dinner Session Of Brunswick County Chamber Of Commerce Held At Ebb Tide Restaurant Thursday

Dr. R. B. McKnight, retired surgeon who now makes his home at Shallotte, spoke at a dinner meeting of members of the Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce Thursday evening at the Ebb Tide Restaurant at Holden Beach.

Dr. McKnight called Rome the greatest empire the world has ever known, then cautioned his listeners not to sit idly by and watch America, the greatest democracy the world has produced, be guilty of making the same mistakes that led to the downfall of the Roman Empire.

The meeting was presided over by Phillip Thomas, Jr., president of the newly formed organization. He explained the beginning of the Chamber of Commerce movement and expressed the hope that it will become a county-wide venture. He spoke with pride of the possibilities for development and improvement if all citizens will work together.

President Thomas reported that several projects are under way, one of them being the preparation and distribution of promotional material to help advertise the area. A colorful folder already is being drawn up as a preliminary to printing, and Thomas spoke of plans for a business directory which will be of great service to visitors to Brunswick.

J. D. Griffin, chairman of the promotion committee was introduced, and he gave additional information regarding the folder. Ernest E. Parker, Jr., member of the Board of Conservation and Development, was recognized.

Dan Walker, who formerly was engaged in Chamber of Commerce work, spoke briefly at the close of the meeting. He congratulated the members on their good beginning, but cautioned against complacency. "It takes a lot of hard work to operate a successful chamber of commerce," he warned. "It is worth every bit of money and effort it takes, but I want to warn you that this is just the beginning of a hard job which lies ahead of all of us."

Bill Introduced For Building At Brunswick Town

Senator Ray Walton Introduced Bill Thursday While Legislature Men Aboard USS North Carolina

A bill calling for \$80,000 for a museum at Brunswick Town and \$96,000 for a Fort Fisher museum was introduced by Brunswick County Senator Ray Walton in the State Senate when the General Assembly met aboard the Battleship North Carolina in Wilmington Thursday.

The money for the two projects was not included in the State budget this year as area leaders had hoped.

Senator Walton said he has been assured that the Brunswick Town and Fort Fisher projects will be approved by the Historic Advisory Commission. The commission is expected to be created by law this week. He promised that funds for the two museum would be acted on by the Assembly this year.

Senator Walton's bill was co-sponsored by New Hanover Senator Cicero Yow.

Easter Services Here This Week

Sunrise Services At Community Building Will Start Religious Observance Sunday

While the traditional united Easter Sunrise service will highlight religious services in Southport this week, all denominations are planning special events during the regular worship period.

The major event will be the Easter services on the grounds of the Community Building at 6 a. m. Rev. Charles Lancaster of Trinity Methodist, Rev. Mark Owens of Southport Baptist, Rev. Robert Childs of Southport Presbyterian, Rev. Edward B. Jordan of St. Phillips Episcopal church and Rev. L. D. Hayman will conduct the services. The BCTS chorus will present special Easter numbers.

During the days before Easter, a number of special religious services will be conducted at the local churches.

Holy Communion will be observed at both Trinity Methodist Church and St. Phillips Episcopal Church Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Good Friday services will be held at St. Phillips on Friday at noon, 1 p. m. and 2 p. m.

The four churches will all hold Sunday services at 11 a. m. At St. Phillips, the dorsal, or the red velvet curtain behind the altar, will be dedicated in memory of the late Norma and Joseph J. Laughlin.

On Sunday night at 7:30 p. m. at the Baptist Church, the choir under the direction of Mrs. A. E. Huntley, will present a program of Easter music.

Southport Man May Go Abroad

Attorney S. Bunn Frink Invited To Be Member Of American Group To Tour Europe This Fall

Brunswick County Attorney S. Bunn Frink has been invited to be a member of the North Carolina City, County and State Government Officials' People to People Goodwill Delegation that will tour Europe and the Soviet Union during September and October, according to Secretary-Treasurer John A. McMahon of the North Carolina Association of County Commissioners.

"Attorney Frink's leadership in his area and his wide interests make him an able representative of North Carolina and of the (Continued on Page 4)

Bolivia Boys In FFA Competition

Boys From That School Won First Place In Dairy Cattle Judging Division

Bolivia FFA students took first place in the dairy division of the Waccamaw Vocational Agriculture School Federation Competition in Delco Thursday.

The members of the winning Bolivia team were Joe Lewis, Kenneth Benton, Paul McDowell and Morry Watkins. Their advisor is John King, agriculture teacher at the school.

By winning, the Bolivia dairy team earned the right to represent (Continued on Page 4)

Preacher



Former Pastor To Hold Revival

The Rev. Gerald M. Vaiden, Jr., Will Preach Series Of Revival Services At Concord Methodist Church

The former pastor of Concord Methodist Church in Supply, Rev. Gerald M. Vaiden, Jr., will return to conduct revival services next week, according to Rev. Harry Jeanneret.

The services will be held Sunday through Friday at the Concord Methodist Church beginning at 7:30 p. m. Topics to be discussed during the week, in order, include "Christ Is the Answer but Are We Asking the Right Question?", "Steps in Christian Growth"; "Entering the Kingdom of God"; "Justification by Grace through Faith"; "I Believe in the Holy Catholic Church"; and "The Last Judgment: The Necessary of Love".

Rev. Vaiden was raised in Hopewell, Virginia, and attended public schools in that city. Intending to be an architect, he (Continued on Page 4)

Joel L. Moore Dies In Hospital

Prominent Southport Business Man Had Suffered Heart Attack Several Days Prior To Death

Joel L. Moore, 69, died Saturday morning in Doshier Memorial Hospital.

The deceased was a prominent business man in this community and for many years was engaged in the retail grocery business. He was a director of the Southport Savings & Loan Association.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Janie Elliott Moore of the home; a son, Joel L. Moore of Orlando, Fla.; a daughter, Mrs. Claude W. Rankin, Jr. of Fayetteville; two brothers, A. Wallace Moore of Southport and Eugene Moore of Ahsokie; and a sister, Mrs. Inez Alexander of Charleston, S. C.

Final rites were held Monday at 2:30 p. m. at Trinity Methodist Church by the Revs. C. H. Lancaster and Robert Childs with burial in Northwood Cemetery. (Continued on Page 4)

Bolivia Annual Is Distributed

This Year's Publication Dedicated To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reynolds Of High School Faculty

The largest Bolivia annual ever, "Bear Tracks", was distributed to students at the school Thursday, according to Annual Advisor Thomas Davis.

The 104-page yearbook was dedicated to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reynolds, teachers at the school. Carolyn Johnson, the new Miss Brunswick County, was selected as Miss Annual Queen.

The dedication to Reynolds read as follows: "To Mr. Reynolds, because each student at Bolivia High School, whether he is a participant in sports or not, appreciates deeply the service which he has rendered our school. He has always acted with friendship and has given his time unselfishly to our athletic program."

To Mrs. Reynolds, the inscription read as follows: "To Mrs. Reynolds we are extremely grateful for her encouragement, her hard work, unselfish devotion and extensive interest in school activities."

Miss Johnson was selected from eight other girls, each sponsored by a school club, as the Annual Queen. The other contestants were Glinda Johnson, Debby Willetts, Eloise Pierce, Marsha Hickman, Marie Sullivan, Dianne Russ, Pat O'Queen and Dianne (Continued From Page 1)

Williamson Has Hope For Funds For Brunswick

Brunswick Representative Thinks It Was Helpful To Have Legislators Meet On Battleship

By REP. ODELL WILLIAMSON
As you already know, this past week the General Assembly met at Wilmington aboard the U. S. S. North Carolina. I think that this worked out to be a good thing for our area, since the legislature got to visit two places of interest in our county. We were able to visit Orton Plantation and Brunswick Town.

One reason I think the visit to Brunswick Town was so important is because the members of the General Assembly were greatly impressed with what they saw there; so much so that I think we will be able to get the appropriation asked for in a bill introduced by Senators Ray Walton and Cicero Yow, to build a museum on Brunswick Town and at Fort Fisher.

With proper financing, the historically-rich old settlement can be turned into a wonderful tourist-drawing card on the style of St. Augustine, Fla.

This past week a bill passed the House that will require any boat that is powered by any engine to carry a life-preserver for each passenger. This is already a law insofar as the federal gov- (Continued on Page 4)

Services Held In Old St. Phillips

Post Office At New Development

Boiling Spring Lakes Rural Station, a branch of the Southport Post Office, will be opened for business on April 15.

Located in the Boiling Spring Lakes Shopping Center, it will be operated by James W. Huffham who was named clerk in charge.

Patrons desiring mail service through this office should notify their correspondents of their new address, which should read, Boiling Spring Lakes, Southport, N. C.

This facility will handle most postal matters normally handled in the main office.

More Chairmen In Cancer Drive

Organization Set Up To Carry Drive For Cancer Funds Into Every Community In Brunswick

Volunteer chairmen for two additional areas for the 1963 Cancer Crusade were announced this week. Mrs. D. H. McBride, assisted by others to be named later, will head the workers in the Hickman's Crossroads, Longwood, Ash, and Freeland area. Mrs. Sam West will conduct the crusade in the Leland-Navassa area.

The Brunswick County volunteers will join forces with some 2,000,000 similar volunteers throughout the nation to conduct the annual Cancer Crusade during the month of April.

All Brunswick County citizens are urged to take an active part in supporting the campaign. Heeding the advice in the literature left by the worker may help save a life.

The immediate objective of the crusade is to save half of those who develop cancer each year—or the lives of 265,000 men, women and children. It is believed that this can be done if people are persuaded to get to their doctors in time for prompt treatment. Now only one out of three cancer patients is being saved because of delay in diagnosis.

The Brunswick County Unit Chairman, Brig. Gen. James Glore, of Southport, stated, "We look forward to that day—we hope not too distant—when cancer will be wiped out—when our families and friends and people everywhere will be freed from the dread prospect of a disease which has caused so much pain and suffering." (Continued on Page 4)

Afternoon Services Are Part Of Azalea Festival Activities During Past Weekend

A large congregation attended worship services at old St. Phillip's church at Brunswick Town Sunday afternoon as part of the Azalea Festival activities.

Brunswick Town as a tiny seed that grew up to become America was the subject of the sermon delivered by Rev. John M. Lewis of the First Baptist Church in Raleigh.

Every person or thing has within a hidden trait, Rev. Lewis said.

"In the seeds are the hidden splendor of the lily bloom. If anything happened to the seed, the bloom would not grow," he continued.

"Every person within himself contains this hidden splendor which must be brought out."

With this in mind, Rev. Lewis, in conclusion, discussed the world today. "The task confronting the people of this nation is to bring forth the hidden splendor of Democracy and make it effective in the world today."

Rev. Edward B. Jordan of St. Phillips Episcopal church in Southport also took part in the Brunswick services.

Miss Brunswick County, Carolyn Johnson of Bolivia, and Sylvia Henson of Shallotte, dressed in colonial costumes, served as hostesses for the event.

Brunswick Town Guide R. V. Asbury reported that 1,893 persons visited the historic site Sunday afternoon.

Jury List For Superior Court

Names Of Citizens Who Are On List Of Jurors For April Term Are Drawn By Commissioners

The jury for the regular term of Brunswick County Superior Court for trial of civil cases has been selected by the Board of Commissioners. The term convenes April 29.

Brunswick county citizens named include Roy Ganey, John Troy, William F. Evans, James Brown, R. A. Benton and Paul McDonald Gainey, all of Leland;

Gilford E. Cumbee, Kenneth S. Stiller, Earl L. Elwood, John R. Swain, D. D. Shannon, Ivan Wayne Ludlum, L. D. King, Jr., William L. Evans and Frank Jackson, all of Southport;

Earl Gause, Marvin Watts, W. L. Bellamy, Lawrence C. Floyd, Bunn J. Stanley and A. D. Stanley, all of Shallotte; Lewis Smith, McArthur Little and Roy McKeithan, all of Freeland; Hoyt Lancaster, Clyde Gallo- (Continued on Page 4)

Reports Attempt To Burn Auto

Supply Merchant Odell Blanton Discovers Burnt Cardboard Beneath Front Seat

Evidence was discovered Monday morning that someone attempted to set fire to the automobile of a Supply businessman and Brunswick County Sheriff's Department and the Fire Marshal's Office in Raleigh are investigating the incident.

Odell Blanton discovered a burnt piece of cardboard under the front seat of his late-model automobile early Monday morning and immediately called the Sheriff's Office. After investigating, the State Fire Marshal was called to the scene.

Blanton had last used his automobile Sunday night after which he parked it under the carport (Continued on Page 4)

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, April 11,	
9:10 A. M.	3:30 A. M.
9:37 P. M.	3:33 P. M.
Friday, April 12,	
9:43 A. M.	4:08 A. M.
10:09 P. M.	4:07 P. M.
Saturday, April 13,	
10:16 A. M.	4:48 A. M.
10:46 P. M.	4:43 P. M.
Sunday, April 14,	
10:57 A. M.	5:31 A. M.
11:30 P. M.	5:23 P. M.
Monday, April 15,	
11:46 A. M.	6:19 A. M.
	6:13 P. M.
Tuesday, April 16,	
0:24 A. M.	7:14 A. M.
12:45 P. M.	7:13 P. M.
Wednesday, April 17,	
1:24 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
1:51 P. M.	8:24 P. M.

Brief Bits Of NEWS

BAKE SALE
Members of the Southport Junior Woman's Club will sponsor a bake sale Saturday morning on the sidewalk between Leggets and the post office.

EXAMINER AT BOLIVIA
The Driver's Examiner's Office will be open at Elmore Motor Co. at Bolivia on the 2nd and 4th Friday in each month.

BARBECUE SUPPER
A barbecue chicken supper will be served at the Ocean View Methodist Church at Yaupon Beach on Friday from 5 to 7:30 p. m.

MYF CAR WASH
Members of the MYF of Ocean View Methodist Church and Trinity Methodist Church will hold a car wash Saturday morning, starting at 10 o'clock, at Dan Shannon's Tranquil Harbour Texaco Station.

BIBLE SCHOOL
Children planning to attend Bible School at Trinity Methodist Church starting May 27 are asked to register this week with Mrs. James C. Bowman, who will serve as superintendent this year. This is for the purpose of being able to order necessary supplies.

EASTER HOLIDAY
All city and county officers, the two branches of Waccamaw Bank & Trust Co., Southport Savings & Loan will be closed Monday for Easter. The county commissioners will meet on Tuesday. The schools of Brunswick county will close at noon on Friday and will observe Monday as a holiday.

CHANGE AT PRESBYTERIAN
The Southport Presbyterian Church will change the Sunday School time from 10 to 9:45 o'clock, starting this week.

DRIVE TO CLOSE
The Annual Easter Seals drive will end the campaign on Sunday, and all who wish to contribute are urged to do so before then.