

Mrs. R. L. Jones Receives Honor At "Flying-Up"

Girl Scout Honor Program Here Friday Evening Was Highlight Of Year For Members

Presentation to Mrs. Robert L. Jones of a pin marking twenty years service as a volunteer leader was a highlight of the annual Girl Scout Court of Awards, which was held Friday night at the Community Building in Southport.

Miss Janice Langston, adviser to the Girl Scout Council of Coastal Carolina, gave Mrs. Jones' award to Cub Scout Jon Jones who, in turn, pinned it on his grandmother. Jon had received his two year pin in Boy Scouts from his grandmother earlier in the week.

The impressive Court of Awards was opened by the Flag Ceremony conducted by the Girl Scout Honor Guard, Jackie Worley, Abbie Henry, Rachel Ann Harrison, Gail Strong and Zettie Carrier. Welcome to parents and friends present was given by Mrs. Jones as Neighborhood Chairman. She pointed out the growth in scouting in the Southport area since the program was inaugurated in 1961. Interest in scouting generally is evidenced by the fact that there are now over 6,000 Girl Scouts in the 21 counties comprising the Coastal Carolina Council, she said.

Thanks were expressed to the Mary Rebekah Circle of Trinity Methodist Church, sponsors of the scouts; to the leaders, members of troop committees, mothers and others who have helped carry out the activities. Special Commendations were given to Mrs. Pete Hart, Mrs. Horace Pigott and Mrs. F. H. MacGowan for their successful cookie sale.

The "flying-up" of Brownies to the Junior Scout program was conducted by Mrs. Pigott, Mrs. James Gore, Mrs. C. K. Henry and Mrs. Frances Key. Brownies receiving their wings were: Cornelia Bowman, Paula Davis, Jean Donnell, Renee Horne, Jenny King, Sandra Lee, Susan Lee, Mary Owens, Debbie Powell, Ria Ryne, Linda Stuckey, Jean Swanson, Patti Gail Swan, Mary Dee Swan, Helen Walker and Mary

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Brief Bits Of NEWS

FRESHMAN BENEFIT

The freshman class at Southport High School will hold a bake sale beside Randy's Saturday beginning at 9 a. m.

PIANO RECITAL

A piano recital featuring 40 students will be held at Bolivia high school on Friday at 8 p. m., according to Mrs. A. S. Knowles.

NEW WATER COOLER

A new water cooler has been presented to Bolivia High School by the senior class, according to Thomas L. Davis, advisor.

SATURDAY BAKE SALE

The Junior Woman's Club of Southport will hold a bake sale Saturday morning, starting at 9 o'clock next door to Leggett's.

FRIDAY HOLIDAY

The Waccamaw Bank and Trust Company at Southport and in Shallotte and the Southport Savings and Loan will be closed Friday in observation of Confederate Memorial Day.

MUSICAL PROGRAM

The BCT elementary and high school chorus will give a recital at the school on Tuesday at 8 p. m. James H. Frink is the director of the high school chorus and Miss Cora M. Davis the elementary group. The public is invited.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Brunswick County Historical Society will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Fellowship Hall of Camp Methodist Church at Shallotte. Stanley South, archaeologist in charge of the Brunswick Town project will be the speaker.

ATTEND CONVENTION

Mrs. Charles Blake, Mrs. Bobby Jones, Mrs. Ed Royal and Mrs. James M. Harper, Jr., attended the State Convention for the N. C. Federation of Women's Clubs held last week in Asheville. Mrs. Harper is president of the State Federation.

Gets 20-Year Pin



HONORED—Mrs. Robert L. Jones is shown here as her grandson, Jon Jones, pins her with the 20-year Girl Scout Service emblem which she received at the Court of Awards here Friday night. (Staff Photo by Allen)

Long Resigns As Head Of Schools

Submits Resignation To Brunswick Board Of Education At Tuesday Night Meeting

John G. Long resigned as superintendent of Brunswick county schools at a meeting of the Brunswick County Board of Education Tuesday night.

Following is the official entry in the minutes of this action: "The superintendent informed the Board of Education that he felt it only fair to tell them that he was considering employment elsewhere and that they might wish to start contacting a replacement to start work after June 30, 1963. He then submitted a letter of resignation to become effective July 1, 1963.

"The superintendent informed the board that he already had taken the liberty of giving each of their names as reference, as well as the names of the ex-members of the Board of Education, and stated that he would be grateful to each of them for a good recommendation, if he sees fit.

"Each member of the board agreed to give Long the best possible recommendation and expressed regret."

Long was reelected to his fourth term as head of the Brunswick County school system last month. He was out of town this afternoon and it was impossible to find out what his plans are for the future.

South Wharf To Be Up For Lease

Army Announces Plan To Accept Bids For Use Of Shipping Facility On Lease Basis

Savannah District Army Engineers are seeking prospective renters to lease facilities at King's Bay Army Terminal near St. Mary's, Fla., and a portion of the Sunny Point Army Terminal near Southport.

Sealed proposals for lease will be received until 3 p. m. and 3:30 p. m. EST, respectively, July 24, at which time they will be publicly opened in the Engineers' office at 200 E. St. Julian St., Savannah, Ga.

The properties are available for long-term lease up to 20 years and are suitable for an unlimited number of commercial or industrial enterprises—heavy and light manufacturing, warehousing, offices, handling and assembling, open storage and many other types of businesses. Rental may be based on either production output with a fixed minimum rental, or a fixed annual rental.

Only the south wharf and adjacent area of the Sunny Point Army Terminal is available for lease since it is an active Army installation engaged in handling large quantities of ammunition

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Resigns



JOHN G. LONG

Board Members Against Raise

Resolution Passed Monday By County Commissioners Asks Senator Walton To Withdraw Salary Bill

The Brunswick County Board of Commissioners unanimously passed a resolution opposing any salary increase for the elected county officials and called Representative Odell Williamson for help at a meeting in Southport Monday.

The resolution stated that the elected employees covered by the bill introduced by Senator Ray Walton received "substantial" raises in salary in the years 1959 and 1961. To cover the salary raises, the resolution continued, the tax rate would have to be increased.

"The Board is of the opinion

Superior Court Convenes Here

Several Cases Of Unusual Interest Scheduled For Trial In Superior Court Next Week

The trial of two murder cases and one rape case will highlight a lengthy criminal term of Brunswick County Superior Court which will convene in Southport beginning Monday with Judge C. W. Hall of Durham presiding.

Lee Andrews and Charlie Hill are charged with murder and Calvin J. Reayes with rape. Other cases to be tried include forgery, breaking and entering, speeding, assault and molesting a minor, to name just a few.

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Polio Collections Total \$1,317 In March Of Dimes

Mrs. M. H. Rourk Reports Participation From All Areas Of Brunswick In This Year's Campaign

Brunswick citizens contributed \$1,317.03 to the county's 1963 March of Dimes Drive with Southport nosing out Shallotte as the top contributor, according to Mrs. M. H. Rourk, county chairman.

The 24 communities in the county gave \$1,317.03 to the campaign. Southport led by contributing \$342.32 while Shallotte was a close second with \$340.34. Mrs. Fred Burdette was in charge of the Southport drive and Steve Becky led the Shallotte effort.

Other communities making donations, in alphabetical order, include Ash, Mrs. William Mathews, chairman, \$46.61; Bolivia, H. K. Jeanneret, \$33; Boone's Neck and Varnumtown, Mrs. Norman Bellamy, \$6.66; Ekum, Mrs. Roddy Bennett, \$2.01; Ekum church, Mrs. Bert Brown, \$2.25; Freeland, Mrs. Anson Smith, \$60.75; Calabash, Mrs. Harry Bennett, \$14; Leland, Mrs. Woodberry Benton, \$105.57; Longwood, Mrs. W. A. Long, \$23.80; Hickman's Crossroads, Mrs. Ernest Stanaland, \$6.37;

Grissetown, Mrs. Norman Grissett, \$2; Supply, Mrs. Garland Clemmons, \$62.16; Cedar Grove church, \$11.05; Sunset Beach, Mrs. Roy McKnight, \$17.30; Winabow, Mrs. Irvin Gilbert, \$22.19; Myrtle Head, Lloyd Parker, \$25; Thomasboro, Mrs. F. C. Osborne, \$17.40; Brick Landing, Mrs. Paul Thompson, \$5.30; Colored Schools, A. C. Caveness, \$102.71; Riegel, \$57.06; and Shallotte Point, Mrs. Odell Hardee, \$22.23.

Cheers Back As Shallotte Mayor

Recount This Morning Shows Lloyd Hewett Winner Over Alton Milliken

Mayor Roney Cheers, Aldermen Eli Kravitz, Henry Carter and Robert Hawes and newcomer Lloyd Hewett won positions on the Shallotte Board of Aldermen as a result of the municipal election Tuesday.

Mayor Cheers won his fourth term by defeating W. J. McLamb, Jr., the same man he edged out two years ago, 140 to 96.

Kravitz led the returning Aldermen with 149 votes while Carter and Hawes had 124 each. A recount this morning gave Hewett a place on the board after he and Alton Milliken apparently had wound up in a tie on the basis of the Tuesday night count. The recount gave Hewett 117 votes to 114 for Milliken. The ballot boxes were sealed after the official canvass and were placed in the Waccamaw Bank building overnight for safekeeping.

Other defeated candidates include incumbent A. Earl Milliken with 97, Hoyle Henson 109, D. C. Andrews 92, and Jim Merritt 53.

Municipal Election Winners



OATH—Mayor E. B. Tomlinson, Jr., center and three members of the Southport Board of Aldermen who were elected Tuesday are sworn in by Clerk of Court Jack Brown, second from right. In the picture, left to right, are Harold Aldridge, J. A. Gilbert, Tomlinson, Brown and C. L. Rourk. (Staff Photo by Allen)

Williamson Glad Insurance Bill Gets The Axe

Brunswick County Representative Says Visits Through State Help Broaden Vision Of Needs

By ODELL WILLIAMSON

This past week there was very little accomplished as far as legislation is concerned, because on Tuesday the Legislature journeyed down to Camp Lejeune for a visit and held a short session there. Then on Friday morning, after a short session in Raleigh beginning at 8 o'clock, the Legislature left for a trip to the Trade Fair in Charlotte. There is only one more of these "legislative junkets" to be made, and that is on May 14 when we head for the mountains of Jackson county and then to Asheville for a session there.

Although there has been criticism from some quarters about "excessive" out-of-town visits by the General Assembly, I think they have served a good purpose by acquainting the members with the different parts of the State. The Legislature's visit to New Hanover and Brunswick counties, I believe, will be helpful in our getting the appropriations for Brunswick Town and Fort Fisher.

It is the obvious duty of a member of the Legislature to aid in getting support for bills that would benefit his county and State. On the other hand, it is also his duty to try to defeat legislation that he believes would work a hardship on the people. For instance, this past week the Senate defeated by a one-vote margin the bill that would have doubled the minimum coverage of the compulsory automobile liability act. This victory for the opposition was brought about mainly by the efforts of members who

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Tomlinson Elected Mayor Of Southport

Crop Damage Hurts Farmers

Hail and frost caused considerable damage to tobacco and truck crops during the past two weeks, according to A. S. Knowles, Acting County Extension Chairman for Brunswick County. The hail has damaged tobacco in parts of Waccamaw, Town Creek, and Smithville Townships. Then on May 2 a severe frost damaged tobacco throughout the county and ruined the pole bean crop in most areas.

Farmers in this and adjoining counties have come to the aid of Brunswick growers who had hail damage or otherwise needed tobacco plants.

Middleton Leads Beach Candidates

Present Mayor Of Long Beach One Of Three Men Elected To Town Council In Mail Ballot

Incumbent Mayor E. F. Middleton and two new members, E. M. Underwood and Woodrow Vennel, won positions on the Long Beach Board of Commissioners Tuesday as 764 votes were cast in the election.

Middleton led the ticket with 561 votes while Underwood, a former mayor, had 377, and Vennel, a former charter fire chief, had 338.

The four losing candidates for positions on the board included Melvin Clanton with 286, John L. Barbee 252, Herbert E. Rogers 228 and H. E. Edwards 200.

The 764 ballots was an increase of approximately 200 over the number in the last election. Results of the election will become official when Governor Terry Sanford appoints the three high men to serve on the board, a step that is provided by legislative act.

Extend Time For Yaupon Election

Failure Of Complete Set Of Candidates To File Resolutions In Special Legislation

Lack of candidates required the North Carolina General Assembly to postpone for one month the Yaupon Beach election for the Board of Commissioners.

Candidates for positions on the Board can now file until May 21 and ballots will be sent out to freeholders on May 28. The ballots are to be returned by 6 p. m. on the Friday following the second Monday in June and are to be opened on that Friday. Board members will take office on July 1.

The bill, which was introduced by Senator Ray Walton, passed in the Senate on Thursday and

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Harold Aldridge And C. L. Rourk Returned As Members Of Board Of Aldermen, With J. A. Gilbert Also Elected

Eugene B. Tomlinson, Jr., was elected mayor and two incumbents, C. L. Rourk and Harold Aldridge, and a former mayor, J. A. Gilbert, won positions of the Board of Aldermen in the municipal election held in Southport Tuesday.

Tomlinson received 363 votes to only 222 for Johnnie Vereen in the race for mayor. Tomlinson, who previously served in the office for one term during 1957-58, led 189 to 71 in Ward No. 1 and 164 to 151 in Ward No. 2.

"It is with a great sense of responsibility that I assume the position of mayor of Southport," Tomlinson said after the results were final Tuesday night. "I appreciate the exceptionally fine vote majority that was accorded me.

"The next two years will be a challenge to the mayor and the Board of Aldermen," he continued. "I believe that we will face this challenge united in our effort to improve our city."

In the race for Aldermen in Ward No. 1, Rourk with 220 votes was the only man elected. His opponents, Harry Sell had 136, W. L. Huffham 109 and Frank Jackson 96.

Aldridge, the high vote-getter for the aldermen, received 354 votes and Gilbert had 238 and were elected to the board from Ward No. 2. Losing candidates included Basil Watts with 236 and W. J. Jenkins with 212.

Of Southport's 700 registered voters, 588 votes in the election.

Son Of Retired Couple Honored

Dr. Louis D. Hayman, Jr., Made Man Of The Year In Jacksonville; His Wife Publishes Book Of Poems

Dr. Louis D. Hayman, Jr., son of the Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Hayman of Southport, recently was honored by being named Man Of The Year in his home town of Jacksonville.

The selection was made by the Jacksonville Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. Hayman's nomination for the outstanding community man of the year came as a result of his work with the Heart Fund, work on a committee for the rehabilitation for the aged, service on guest lecturer program for local high school, work with the Onslow County Blood Program, active membership in Trinity Methodist Church, committee chairman in local Lions Club and service with a boy scout troop committee.

He is president of the Onslow County Medical Society, acting Chief of Staff at Onslow Memorial Hospital, was instrumental in organizing a community-wide anti-tetanus drive and served with local Civil Defense in erecting an emergency hospital.

Dr. Hayman is not the only member of the Jacksonville branch of the Hayman Clan to

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Approval Given Loan For Phone Expansion Plan

First Phase Of Expansion Program By Atlantic Telephone Membership Corporation Begins

The Rural Electrification Administration announced May 1 final approval of a \$1,526,000 loan to Atlantic Telephone Membership Corporation of Shallotte, and the immediate release of funds, according to Harry L. Mintz, Jr., corporation president.

Construction will begin immediately. Bids will be opened Tuesday, May 21, for the construction of a combination dial office and warehouse at Shallotte, additions to the Bolivia dial office, and dial offices at Holden Beach and Boiling Spring Lakes.

Bids will be opened the same day for the furnishing of central office equipment for the Bolivia and Shallotte exchanges. These dial offices will receive completely new equipment.

Contract has already been approved and installation completed of mobile radio equipment. This equipment will improve service and maintenance, as well as reduce maintenance costs.

At the same time negotiations for additions and changes to toll lines and equipment will commence. Present toll facilities will be tripled.

It is estimated these expenditures will amount to approximately \$450,000.

These are the first steps in a 5-year expansion program costing \$1,526,000.

Plans for letting contracts for outside plant facilities should be completed by July 1. These plans call for the addition of approximately 400 miles of telephone lines to present facilities, about 98 percent of which will be buried plant.

These funds will provide facilities designed to provide service to 3541 subscribers. The cooperative is presently serving 1575 subscribers. In addition to improving service with the latest equipment and facilities available, the cooperative plans to institute 1-, 2-, and 5-party service in lieu of the 1-, 2-, 4-, and 8-party service presently offered.

Willetts Named Bolivia Mayor

Automobile Dealer Elected To Head Municipal Government In Election On Monday

A new mayor and two new aldermen were elected to the Bolivia Town Board Monday as 87 of the community's 91 eligible voters went to the polls.

Arliss Willetts, who was making his first run for public office, defeated incumbent Mayor J. M. King 53 to 34. Willetts is a 25-year-old automobile dealer. In the race for the Board, Paul Huffham, an electrician, received 77 votes; Brunswick County Tax Collector Douglas Hawes 66; Malcolm Knox, a school teacher, 55; and Robert Phelps, a merchant, 47; and were elected.

Incumbent Aldermen R. K. McKelthan with 45 votes and Edward Murrell with 44 were defeated in their bids for re-election.

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, May 9,	LOW
8:08 A. M.	2:29 A. M.	
8:37 P. M.	2:28 P. M.	
	Friday, May 10,	
8:42 A. M.	3:08 A. M.	
9:09 P. M.	3:04 P. M.	
	Saturday, May 11,	
9:17 A. M.	3:47 A. M.	
9:45 P. M.	3:39 P. M.	
	Sunday, May 12,	
9:54 A. M.	4:27 A. M.	
10:22 P. M.	4:16 P. M.	
	Monday, May 13,	
10:35 A. M.	5:09 A. M.	
10:07 P. M.	4:59 P. M.	
	Tuesday, May 14,	
11:26 A. M.	5:56 A. M.	
	5:49 P. M.	
	Wednesday, May 15,	
11:58 A. M.	6:48 A. M.	
12:25 P. M.	6:50 P. M.	