

Hold Public Hearing



MEETING—Brunswick County shrimpers attended a meeting Tuesday morning at Shallotte Army where they aired their views and made recommendations concerning laws on shrimping. Shown above, left to right, are L. J. Hardee, Ernest E. Parker, and Cliff Wilson, (Staff Photo by Allen.)

Baptist Board Holds Session At Ft. Caswell

Important Changes Affecting Wake Forest College Discussed At Meeting This Week

Plans to elevate Wake Forest College to university status and a nomination committee's report concerning the selection of a new general secretary highlighted a meeting of the General Board of the Baptist State Convention at Fort Caswell Monday and Tuesday.

Dr. Harold Tribble, president of Wake Forest, told 71 members of the 97 member board, who represent almost one-million Baptists, of plans to provide a major program of graduate work at the college.

The plan would raise Wake Forest to university status and could place non-Baptists on the Board of Trustees.

Dr. Tribble said the Baptists could not support a program that will cost several million dollars to start and approximately \$1 million annually. "But it is needed and we must have it," he said.

"We do not want separation from the Baptist Contention but we want to build a great school and we will need outside financial help," the president declared.

The college must provide programs and direction that foundations will support before the school can hope to receive aid, he said.

Dr. Tribble wants to place top educators on the Board of Trustees. Some of the new members may not be Baptist. But the convention would still elect all board members.

Convention President Nane Starnes of Asheville said no action would be taken on the matter at the Fort Caswell meeting.

In other business, R. Knolan Benfield of Morganton, chairman of the committee named to select a successor to the late Dr. Douglas M. Branch, reported reducing the list of 85 possibilities to a much smaller number. The committee will recommend a successor at a meeting of the board in Raleigh on October 14-15.

The board approved a \$800,000 loan to the Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem. The money will be repaid from campaign receipts of the hospital.

New Commanding Officer



CHANGE—Lt. Colonel Carl Manis, Jr., left, Commanding Officer of Sunny Point Army Terminal, is shown as he turns over command of the Terminal to Lt. Colonel Archie B. Joyner, Jr., in a recent ceremony conducted at the terminal. Lt. Colonel Manis will remain at the Terminal and will be the Executive Officer and Director of Operations.

Music Week Is Being Held At Nearby Caswell

Interesting Week Of Musical Activities Being Carried On This Week At N. C. Baptist Assembly

The 1963 Junior Music Camp of the Baptist State Convention, directed by Joseph O. Stroud, is in progress at the North Carolina Baptist Assembly this week with more than 200 boys and girls, aged nine through 12, from all parts of North Carolina in attendance, for the five and a half days.

During the same days about 125 Baptist laymen of the state are studying Christian life and the Bible in discussions led by Dr. Charles Welborn of Durham, Dr. Olin T. Binkley of Southeastern seminary, and Dr. Charles R. Tucker of Wingate college. Directing this conference is Clyde L. Davis, Brotherhood and Royal Ambassador secretary for the Baptist State Convention. State-wide Baptist Brotherhood president is W. A. Mitchener of Oxford.

In the Junior Music Camp, chief item open to the public is the Festival Concert, to be presented on Friday evening. Looking toward this presentation, each morning there is one hour of choir rehearsal directed by Evans Gremlion of the First Baptist church, Albemarle. Accompanist is Miss Margaret Slate of Hayes-Barton Baptist church, Raleigh.

Daily activities also include group rehearsal and classes in sacred music, its direction and presentation. Each evening at 7, there is a worship service on the grass knoll atop the citadel overlooking the ocean as it receives the Cape Fear river.

Chief counselor for this camp is the Rev. Avery Lumsden of Maysville. Secretary is Mrs. Jeff Roberts of Greensboro, and George Dowdy of Jacksonville is bugler.

Teaching classes this week are: Evana Gremlion; Miss Isabelle Knott of Mize of First church, North Wilkesboro; Van Ramsey of College Avenue church, Lenoir; Jeff Roberts of Florida Street

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Less Acreage In Cultivation In County In 1962

Brunswick county farmers used 402 acres less land in 1962 than in 1961, according to a preliminary report of the North Carolina and United States Departments of Agriculture.

Of a total of 140,340 acres of farm land in the county, 21,467 acres were used in 1962 for the production of crops. This was 402 acres less than was used in 1961.

As for man-power, the report stated that 1,201 of the 8,067 farmers were working 100 or more days in 1962 in off-farm employment. There were 8,511 farmers in the county in 1961.

Corn, peanuts, wheat and oats all showed decreases from their 1961 level. But the reductions were off-set somewhat by increases in tobacco, soybeans, hays and sweet potatoes.

All categories of livestock production in 1962 showed reductions. This included brood sows, dairy and beef cows, laying hens and pullets.

The report also said that 106,339 board feet of saw timber was cut from county farm tracts.

Shrimpers Favor Six Months Season

Public Hearing Tuesday Gives Men Engaged In This Business Opportunity For Expression

The reopening of the shrimp season in Brunswick county and agreement on requests for new legislation highlighted a meeting of shrimpers in Shallotte Tuesday morning.

Ernest E. Parker, Jr., member of the Board of Conservation and Development and Commercial Fisheries Committee, announced that Director Robert L. Stallings, Jr., had reopened the shrimping season as of noon Tuesday.

The season had been closed by Director Stallings at 12:01 a. m. on July 1 in all inland waters because of the large quantities of small shrimp being taken.

In making the announcement, Parker, who is from Southport, said Director Stallings was pleased with the growth of the shrimp lately.

During the discussion, in which a cross section of opinion from interested parties from all sections of the county was aired, the shrimpers agreed on several important points.

They recommended that the outside and inside waters be opened or closed at the same time. They want the closed season to be from January 1 until July 1. The men agreed that during the closed season shrimp should not be taken for personal use. When the season is opened, they recommended that shrimping be on a seven-day a week basis.

The shrimpers also want Brunswick county put back under the state law. They agreed that the laws should have some teeth in them.

The shrimpers then requested Parker to inform Senator Ray Walton and Representative Odell Williamson of their views. They expressed hope that appropriate legislation would be introduced in the special term of the General Assembly which is due to be held in September.

Before the recommendations were made and unanimously approved, the problems of shrimping were discussed in detail.

"Close all waters, inside and out, from December 1 until July 15 and everyone will be happy," David Bule stated. He said he planned to visit Governor Terry Sanford this week about the problem.

O. B. Leonard recommended closing all waters, inside and out, from December 1 until July 1. "Then everyone would be treated fairly," he said.

Raleigh Floyd, Henry Williams and Henry Hewett agreed with Leonard. "Close one, close all and open one, open all," Hewett said. "The little man needs a break."

Ralph Potter also agreed with Leonard, but recommended that shrimping on Sunday be stopped. "This would give time for things to settle and help everyone," he said.

Ernest Danson, a weekend shrimper, disagreed. "Why not let the shrimp rest on Wednesday or Thursday?" he asked.

Wiley Wells, who left the county shrimping fields nine years ago for Florida, recommended more conservation practices. He said shrimp are protected inside and out in other states. He recommended

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Miss Brunswick To Greensboro

Carolyn Johnson, Miss Brunswick County for 1964, and Mrs. Peggy Hood, her chaperone, left Tuesday morning for Greensboro and the Miss North Carolina Pageant. The finals will be held Saturday night, and serving as mistress of ceremonies at this event will be Marilyn Vanderber, a former Miss America.

The Bolivia beauty has been spending much time recently with Mrs. Hood, who is her coach, and both are eagerly looking forward to this week's events. Judging begins tonight (Wednesday). A contingent of Shallotte Jaycees will be in Greensboro for the finals.

Improvement In Mail Delivery

Star Route Extended At Long Beach And Office To Remain Open All Year

Beginning Saturday Star route mail service will be extended to include Ocean Highway from Lincolnton Avenue to Charleston Avenue, at Long Beach Patrons residing in the effected area desiring to use this service should erect rural type boxes which should be placed on the ocean side (south side) of Ocean Highway.

It would be desirable to have these boxes grouped together at the head of each street involved. Since the carriers line of travel will be from Lincolnton Avenue to Charleston Avenue each patron should place his name and box

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Office Force At ASCS Meet

Various Aspects Of New Farm Program Will Be Discussed In Detail In Wilmington

The ASCS program will be discussed at length at a meeting in Wilmington Monday and Tuesday with representatives from 16 other county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Services County Manager Ralph L. Price said Tuesday.

Topics to be discussed include the ASCS program philosophy, proposals and payment procedures for feed grain and wheat stabilization. "We expect to be able to start making feed grain payments soon," he said.

In addition to Manager Price, County Chairman Lonnie Evans, Chief Clerk Ada Varnum, Administrative Clerk E. Lois Gore, ACP Clerk Dorice Raybon and Feed Grain Clerk Virginia Mintz will attend the Wilmington meeting.

Mrs. Sarah Knox will be in charge of the Shallotte office on Monday and Tuesday. She will be assisted by Paulette Babson and Sandra Holden.

Specialist Urges Ridge Cultivation

Extension Specialist Roy Bennett Has Advice For Brunswick County Tobacco Growers

Tobacco farmers may be able to reduce some of their wet weather problems later by proper cultivation now, Extension Specialist Roy Bennett of North Carolina State college said as he advised Brunswick county farmers "to get back to the sound practices of ridge cultivation."

Water damage to the crop has tended to be heavier where farmers have gotten away from ridge cultivation in recent years, he said

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New Commanding Officer At Base

Professor



DR. W. ALLEN SPIVEY

Son Of County Native Abroad

Dr. W. Allen Spivey In Europe This Summer On Grant By National Science Foundation

Dr. W. Allen Spivey, son of Mrs. Dolores Galloway Spivey and grandson of Mrs. Nellie G. Rudolph, both of Wilmington, is now in Europe for a month on a trip sponsored by the National Science Foundation. While there, he will participate in conferences and meetings as a U.S. representative and as a representative of

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During the Korean War, he was assigned as S-3, 531st Highway Transport Group at Chumhon, Korea. Then followed a two-year assignment as Chief, Motor Transport Division, Camp Zuma Japan.

Colonel Joyner next attended the Advanced Transportation Officer's Course at Fort Eustis, Virginia, and upon completion was assigned to the Military Motor Transportation Division, Office of the Chief of Transportation, in Washington, D. C.

During his Washington assignment, the new Sunny Point Commander attended the Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

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TIME and TIDE

Five years ago this week members of the Southport board of aldermen voted to renovate the Southport City Hall. The home of the city facilities, formerly the Southport Grammar School, was to be modernized on the exterior as well as interior improvements such as a new heating system.

Funds were being raised by the rescue unit of the Southport Fire Department to pay for a pneomolator, a device used to revive persons who have drowned or suffocated.

Ten years ago this week bids were opened for the major construction jobs of the Sunny Point Army Terminal with the biggest involving the construction of the three large docks. It was estimated the materials needed would include 2,000 car loads of gravel, 4,000 car loads of cement, and would require 540 days for completion. The piling job would require over 9600 concrete piles, each between 35-foot and 65-foot in length, toalling, if placed end to end, 88-miles.

Sports fishing again bowed to the weather as once more hundreds of visitors were disappointed by being cancelled out due to the rough seas.

Fifteen years ago this week large numbers of shrimp were being caught here and shipped south to Louisiana for packing. One recent exportation was a large trailer truck carrying 12 tons of shrimp to the Louisiana port. The reason was that the shrimp were small, but just right to be canned. When their size increased they would be shipped north to the large cities.

Mayor John D. Erikson, holder of that position in Southport for 14 years, had resigned due to the time that he spent fishing elsewhere on the menhaden boat that he captained. The position was filled by Hubert Livingston.

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Final Plans For Small Boat Basin Ready For Board

Cooper Cass, Chairman Of Sub-Committee, Was In Southport Saturday For Local Check

Final plans, specifications and cost estimates for the proposed Southport Small Boat Harbor will be presented at the July meeting of the State Ports Authority, Cooper Cass, chairman of the sub-committee, reported Saturday.

Cass, made the announcement after a meeting with city officials. He said the place of the meeting has not been determined yet.

Chairman Cass also said he was pleased with the progress of the application for federal matching funds under the Accelerated Public Works Program. He added that the Southport project has been assigned a project number by the federal body.

Chairman Cass, who is from Winston-Salem, met Saturday morning with Mayor Eugene Tomlinson, Ernest Parker, James Bowman and City Manager C. D. Picklerrell, all members of the local ports development committee, at the City Hall.

Brunswick Man In New Position

Raymond B. Gilbert Named Instructor In Math And Science At Rowan Industrial Education Center

Raymond B. Gilbert has been appointed as instructor of applied mathematics and science at the Rowan Industrial Education Center, it was announced today by C. Merrill Hamilton, IEC director. His appointment was effective July 1.

As a member of the full-time staff, he will teach courses in applied trade mathematics, applied physics, and basic electricity. Prior to opening of the Center on September 3, he will set up the science laboratories and develop instructional materials.

A native of Brunswick County, Gilbert has taught physics and industrial arts in Raleigh at Needham E. Broughton High School for four years. During this time he also taught adult night courses in radio and television principles and servicing, basic electricity and electronics. He has served as principal of Littleton High School in Warren County for three years and as a teacher in the Fremont City Schools for five years. While in Fremont he was also employed as a radio-television repairman by the Aycock-Selby Company.

Gilbert is a graduate of N. C. State College in mathematics education, physics, and industrial arts. In 1961 he received the Master of Education degree in physical science from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Also, he attended the Sylvania Electric Products television service school in Buffalo, New York, and in 1954 did additional graduate study in physics, attending Union College, Schenectady, New York, on a General Electric Company summer fellowship.

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School Opening On August 27th

Teacher - Pupil Orientation Day Will Be Held One Day Earlier On August 26; Holiday Schedule Given

Brunswick county schools will officially open for classes on Tuesday, August 27, and close on Monday, May 25, according to Superintendent A. W. Taylor.

The tentative school calendar allow for four days off before the Christmas vacation and three days off in the spring. Holidays include Labor Day, September 2; the Southeastern District NCEA meeting in Fayetteville, October 22; Thanksgiving, November 27-31; Christmas, December 20-January 1; and Easter, March 25-30.

All principals will begin work on Thursday, August 13, and teachers will report on Thursday, August 22. Janitors and maids will begin work on Tuesday, August 20.

Football practice will start on Thursday, August 13, and the teacher-pupil orientation day will be observed on Monday, August 26.

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.

THURSDAY, July 11	FRIDAY, July 12	FRIDAY, July 12	FRIDAY, July 12	SATURDAY, July 13
10:58 A. M.	5:13 A. M.	11:23 P. M.	5:21 P. M.	0:16 A. M.
11:23 P. M.	5:21 P. M.	11:54 A. M.	6:02 A. M.	6:55 A. M.
				7:22 P. M.
				7:14 A. M.
				7:52 A. M.
				8:30 P. M.
				8:52 A. M.
				9:36 P. M.
				9:52 A. M.
				10:40 P. M.
				10:50 A. M.
				11:40 P. M.

NEWS

BAKE SALE

The Daughters of America will have a bake sale on Saturday morning starting at 9 o'clock between the post office and Leggett's.

VISITS PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Wells and family of Key West, Fla., spent last week here with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wells. They formerly lived in Southport.

OUT OF SERVICE

Homer McKeithan, Jr., has been discharged from the U. S. Air Force and will enter Shenandoah Music Conservatory in Winchester, Va., in September.

HEALTH MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Lay Group Committee for the Chronically Ill Program Monday at 8 p. m. in the Agriculture Building at Supply. All interested persons are urged to plan to attend.

BOAT WINNER

W. G. Smith of Brown Summit was awarded the new boat and motor Thursday at the conclusion of the contest sponsored by the Southport Junior Chamber of Commerce.

ASKS FOR HELP

Patrolman Billy Day has a yellow blanket loaned to Linda Jo McLeland, who was involved in a wreck on June 24 South of Winnabow. The owner, who lives in Southport is asked to get in touch with Patrolman Day so he may return the blanket.

FISHING PARTIES

Capt. Earl Hancock had two successful fishing parties for holiday weekend visitors aboard his charterboat, Miss Creola. On Friday J. P. Scarboro and party of Goldsboro caught 292 Spanish mackerel and 15 bluefish. On Saturday W. A. Waller and party of Greensboro had 11 king mackerel, 96 Spanish mackerel and one sailfish that measured 7-feet in length.