

Presents Championship Trophy



CHAMPIONS' SMILES light up the faces of Southport Coach Pete Lee (second from right) and his Dolphin co-captains, Rodney Garner (25) and Jerry Spencer (15) as they receive the State 8-Man championship football trophy following Saturday night's 40-13 win over Tar Heel in the finale at Whiteville. Making the presentation at left is L. J. "Hap" Perry of Chapel Hill, executive secretary of the N. C. High School Athletic Association.—(Elgie Clemmons photo).

Southport Small Boat Harbor Is Set For Start

Preliminary Action Taken By Council Of State And Board Of Alderman Before Ports Authority Meeting

The North Carolina Council of State authorized the issuance of \$500,000 in bonds to construct the small boat harbor at Southport at a meeting in Raleigh Tuesday. Director James W. Davis of the State Ports Authority in Wilmington said a protected boat basin, a general service pier, a commercial pier and five piers for commercial and pleasure crafts are expected to be built. He said construction will start within the next six months.

Approximately eight acres of the surrounding lands will be available for private development. "It is hoped that private investors will build boat repair facilities and generally develop industry in Southport such as seafood processing plants," Davis told the Council.

He said the members of the State Ports Authority will meet in New Bern Monday to discuss the Southport project further.

The bonds for the project were approved during a state-wide referendum in October of 1959.

Visit At Brunswick Town



COMMITTEE—Mrs. Roscoe D. McMillan, president of The Garden Clubs of North Carolina, Inc., left, is shown during a visit to the site of the Nature Trail at the Brunswick Town Tuesday. On the right is Stanley South, site archaeologist. Others, left to right, are Mrs. J. B. Warth, Mrs. James M. Harper and Mrs. Ernest Parker, all of Southport. (Staff Photo by Allen).

Osteen Talks At Republican Rally Held In Shallotte

District Republicans Hear House Minority Leader At Shallotte Armory Friday Night

The Republican party is on the brink of an "unparalleled success story" which will be unfolded during the 1964 election, William Osteen, minority leader of the state House of Representatives, told more than 200 persons from Brunswick, Columbus and New Hanover counties Friday night in Shallotte.

"The people of North Carolina need, want and will have a two-party system in 1964," Osteen, who is from Greensboro, declared. "The Republicans are ready and willing to accept the challenge to become part of an unparalleled success story in North Carolina."

"The people of all 100 counties will elect local and state officials who can make this story complete next November," Osteen predicted. He said Representative Tom Bennett of Carteret county will be joined in Raleigh by other Republicans throughout the state to make the GOP truly a state-wide party.

What is the difference between the Democratic and Republican parties, Osteen asked? "The national administration in Washington believes its purpose is to create and parcel out an economy to the people. The Republican party feels that the duty of government is to act only when individuals cannot act for themselves and then only to create an atmosphere where the individual can carry on for themselves."

He said the Democratic party would have a hard time with Kennedy on the ticket in 1964. "Last week the majority party had a big meeting in Asheville and the main speaker said Kennedy would be their man," Osteen stated. "Well, let them try to sell Kennedy to the people of our state."

"The Democratic party has put itself above the interest of the State of North Carolina," Osteen charged. "The main interest of the majority party is to perpetuate itself in power."

The majority party violated the State Constitution by leaving an unbalanced budget at the General Assembly this year, he charged. "One of the accomplishments of the Democratic party has always

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Pearl Of Great Price

Rare Black Pearl Found

Alice Brown Makes Unusual Discovery While Opening Clams At Mack's Cafe In Southport

Is a black pearl a pearl of great price? That's the question that is causing Alice Brown, cook and kitchen maid at Mack's Cafe in Southport some anxious moments since she discovered one of these rare gems the other day while opening clams for preparation of a specialty of the Southport waterfront restaurant—clam chowder.

At first Alice thought she had found a black marble. "That's what I said," she said. "I said 'I've found a black marble. Then somebody told me they bet it was a pearl, so I showed it to Mack. I got to thinking about it, so I took it to Wilmington for a jeweler to tell me was it worth anything."

One Wilmington jeweler took one look and said it looked like a valuable pearl, but confessed that he was not qualified to appraise its worth. He suggested that she send it to New York for an appraisal. Alice said that the report from New York indicated that the

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Finds Pearl



LUCKY—Alice Brown of Southport is shown here opening clams at Mack's Cafe in Southport, the same chore she was performing last week when she found a rare black pearl. (Staff Photo by Allen).

Duke Foundation Assists Hospital

Dosher Memorial Hospital In Southport Is One Of Many Institutions Receiving This Aid

The growing assistance of The Duke Endowment to hospitals and child care institutions of the Carolinas is recorded in annual reports of its Hospital and Orphan sections, which were released in Charlotte Wednesday.

The reports show that in the fiscal year which ended Sept. 30, 1962, the Endowment provided \$3,049 to assist Doshier Memorial Hospital in operating expenses.

Marshall I. Pickens, executive director of the sections and a trustee of the Endowment, said \$1,232,400 was provided to assist 184 hospitals in North and South Carolina, with 129 state hospital receiving aid. It was the largest appropriation made for this purpose in the 38-year history of the Endowment. It was given on the basis of \$1 a day for each free day of bed care and represents 77,118 more free days than in the previous year. "The increase," he explained, "reflects the growth in population and the growing tendency to use hospital services in time of illness."

"Hospitals in the two states are aware of their responsibility to provide adequate facilities for the increasing numbers who need their services and to keep abreast of the advances in medical science," Pickens said.

He pointed out that short-term general and special hospitals in the two states, other than those operated by the federal government, added 684 beds in the year, bringing the total to 16,076 in North Carolina and 7,537 in South Carolina, exclusive of bassinets, and keeping the two states in a favorable position in the ratio of beds

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Durham Pair In Custody Charged With Burglaries

Sheriff's Department And Two Police Departments Cooperate On Speedy Solution To Crime

Two men were arrested at Carolina Beach Tuesday and were charged with burglary of three Yaupon Beach firms Sunday night, thanks to the good work and close cooperation of the Brunswick County Sheriff's Department and the policemen at Yaupon Beach and Carolina Beach.

Troy L. Gooch, age 20, and Ronnie Norman Moore, age 18, both of Durham, were arrested at Carolina Beach in connection with a Monday night robbery. On Tuesday Sheriff E. V. Leonard and Deputy Alex Ganey went to the New Hanover county resort town to talk to the suspects, who finally admitted they had paid a nocturnal visit to Yaupon Beach the night before.

They are in jail in Wilmington, and following a preliminary hearing there, will be brought to Southport Monday for a hearing in Recorder's court.

The bathroom window at the back of Hallman's was knocked out and torn up by the robbers. Tracks indicate that a car drove up in back and three sets of foot prints lead to the store. Hugh Hallman reported that about \$105 was removed from the store including 32 \$2 bills which were hidden under the counter. He also believes that a half dozen cartons of cigarettes, 10 to 12 pairs of men's shorts and a dozen pairs of white socks were taken.

The burglars then drive down

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Nature Trail Plans Are Discussed Here

Petition For Industrial Vote

With 501 persons on record as favoring an industrial development vote, the Brunswick County Board of Commissioners agreed Monday to call the election on January 14. Chairman William Powell and Billy Doshier of Southport, J. T. Clemmons of Shallotte and Benard Benton of Leland presented the petitions with 501 names at Monday's meeting. The Jaycee members informed the board that 5 or 10 more petitions would be presented later in the week.

The election is being held on January 14, 1964, and the board agreed with the suggestion. Two statewide issues, a Constitutional amendment reducing the size of the House of Representatives and a school improvement bond issue, will also be submitted then.

Chairman Powell said the Jaycees are trying to have every county organization endorse the tax - levy - for - industry - vote. Club representatives plan to visit each county group in the near future.

Knowles Praises Research Help

Many Contributions To State Agricultural Program Results From "Nickels-For-Know-How"

By A. S. KNOWLES
Extension Chairman

You don't have to be involved in the production of one of North Carolina's major farm commodities to have benefited from the farmer's self-help Nickels for Know-How program. These observations were made when reviewing some of the many lesser known contributions to Tar Heel agriculture that have been made through the feed and fertilizer assessment nickels program.

The nickel funds haven't been used to support work on problems in every area of our agriculture, but they have helped accomplish many things in many different fields, whether related to a big money crop such as tobacco or poultry or to smaller contributors to the overall economy such as grapes, nursery plants and blueberries.

Most farmers are aware of the progress that has been made against tobacco insects and diseases. But not very many are aware of the progress made possible through Nickels for Know-How in the areas of blueberry diseases, controlled mineral nutrition in carrots, sweet potato diseases, or growth regulators in azaleas.

It would be difficult to find a feed or fertilizer user in North Carolina who hasn't benefited in some way from the contributions he

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Mrs. Roscoe D. McMillan, President Of The Garden Clubs Of North Carolina, Inc., Visitor Tuesday

Mrs. Roscoe D. McMillan of Red Springs, president of the Garden Clubs of North Carolina, Inc., was in Southport Tuesday for a meeting of the Committee for the Nature Trail at Brunswick Town.

Mrs. James M. Harper, Jr., of Southport is chairman of the committee and Mrs. Ernest Parker is also a member. Stanley South, archeologist in charge of the Brunswick Town project for the State Department of Archives and History, met with the committee and plans were made for beginning the project.

This is an undertaking that is comparable to the Garden Club sponsorship of the Elizabethan Garden at Manteo. One important difference is that major emphasis will be upon native plants and shrubs which are native to this section.

The project has been adopted by the state organization and throughout the next year there will be decorations and exhibits featuring this early settlement on the banks of the Cape Fear River above Southport.

One place where considerable publicity will be given this project will be at the Annual State Garden Club Exhibit at Charlotte, where a distinctive and educational display is being planned.

Following a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Harper, Mrs. McMillan, Mrs. South and others interested in the Nature Trail visited the site of the project at Brunswick Town.

Feed Grain Plan About The Same

Details Of Program Will Be Announced Later By ASC Office Prior To Sign-Up For 1964 Program

The 1964 feed grain program is very similar to the 1963 program, according to Manager Ralph L. Price of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service in Shallotte.

The program will be voluntary, all feed grain bases are combined, diversion payments are available, and price support will be made available to participating farms. Manager Price said there are a few basic changes that affect farmers. Farmers may divert the feed grain base. This compares with a maximum diversion of the larger of 25 acres or 40% of the acres diverting about 40 percent of the base will be higher this year for farmers diverting above 40% of their total base. The double cropping provision will be eliminated from the 1964 program. Acreage diverted in 1964 may not have a crop harvested under the double cropping provision.

The 1964 program sign-up will

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Achievement Day Set Wednesday

Important 4-H Program Will Be Held In Extension Building At Supply On November 13

Brunswick County will hold its Annual 4-H Achievement Program on Wednesday, November 13, at 7:30 p. m., in the Extension Service Building in Supply.

The 4-H members completing their projects will exhibit either the project or a portion of the project to be judged as a preliminary to the Star-News Newspaper Honor Day Program on November 16 in Wilmington.

The 4-H Achievement Program should prove interesting and educational to all that attend. It will consist of reports of work accomplished, talent numbers, and a 4-H film entitled "Man Enough For The Job."

Hugh Vance, Electrical Advisor for the Brunswick Electric Membership Association

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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, November 7,	
0:19 A. M.	6:29 A. M.
12:48 P. M.	7:21 P. M.
Friday, November 8,	
1:22 A. M.	7:33 A. M.
1:47 P. M.	8:23 P. M.
Saturday, November 9,	
2:24 A. M.	8:36 A. M.
2:46 P. M.	9:20 P. M.
Sunday, November 10,	
3:23 A. M.	9:27 A. M.
3:41 P. M.	10:12 P. M.
Monday, November 11,	
4:17 A. M.	10:32 A. M.
4:31 P. M.	10:59 P. M.
Tuesday, November 12,	
5:07 A. M.	11:22 A. M.
5:18 P. M.	11:43 P. M.
Wednesday, November 13,	
5:51 A. M.	12:08 A. M.
6:00 P. M.	

Brief Bits Of NEWS

HISTORICAL MEETING

The Brunswick County Historical Society will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock at the Sacred Heart Parish House a special invitation is being extended to young people to attend this meeting.

TO HOLD BAZAAR

The women of the Daughters of America will hold their annual bazaar on November 22 in the Stacy Wade Building. There will be a fancywork booth, baked goods, mystery packages, lunch and other features. Receipts will go for the building fund. A door prize will be given.

GOSPEL SING

A gospel sing will be held at Shallotte High School Saturday night, November 16, beginning at 8 p. m. and featuring the Stanley Brothers and the Clinch Mountain Boys. The program will be sponsored by the Dixon Chapel Methodist Church.

METHODIST BAZAAR

The Annual Methodist Bazaar will be held Friday in the house next door to Arrington's, at the corner of Moore and Davis streets. The building formerly was occupied as the law office of Herring & Walton. Fancywork and other items suitable for Christmas gifts will be features, and plans are being made to serve lunch at noon. The sponsors are the members of the WSCS of Trinity Methodist Church.

Announce Schedule For Food Sign-Up

Applications for the United States Department of Agricultural's donated commodities program will be taken by the Brunswick County Welfare Department by townships beginning Friday, according to Mrs. Emma Tatum, director.

"Because of the large number of expected participants, applications of persons whose last names begin with letters A through M will be taken on certain days while applications from persons whose last name begins with the later N through Z will be taken on other days," Mrs. Tatum said.

Applications for persons whose last name begins with the letters A through M will be made from 8:30 to 10:30 A. M. as follows: Northwest Township, November 8, at Old Leland Post Office; Town Creek Township, November

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TIME and TIDE

It was November 5, 1958, and the Democrats swept to victory in the county election. S. B. Frink led the ticket with 3,783 votes for the State Senate. Consecration services for the new Southport Presbyterian Church were to be held Sunday with Rev. Joe B. McLeod, a former pastor, as guest speaker.

C. E. Blake of Southport had to go all the way to Mexico to land a sailfish. Kitty Margot Lewis of Bolivia was among the Campbell College students attending the state-wide meeting of the Baptist Student Union in Asheville. Undeclared Southport football team was to play Shallotte, who had not won a game in seven starts, Friday.

It was November 4, 1953, and the only change in Methodist ministers in the county was in Southport where Rev. N. L. Jones was transferred to Sampson county. Odell Blanton was ordained as a Baptist minister and assigned to Farmer's Missionary Church near Leland.

Frankie Watts and Virginia Phillips were crowned King and Queen of Southport High School. Mrs. M. H. Rourke of Shallotte was named to head the 1954 March of Dimes drive in the county.

It was November 3, 1948, and all Democrats scored landslide victories over the Republicans with Amos J. Walton leading the ticket with 2,479 votes for Register of Deeds. Even Harry S. Truman edged out Republican Thomas Dewey for President in the county.

The Coastal Drug store in Shallotte, owned by Fred Mintz,

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