

Book Club Anniversary



BIRTHDAY—These are members of the Round Table Book Club of Southport on the occasion of their 11th anniversary. Left to right, front, are Mrs. John Swain, Mrs. Reece Swan, Mrs. Susie Carson, Mrs. Albert Bogie, Mrs. Bill Faulk, Jr., and Mrs. Walter Aldridge. Back row are Mrs. A. E. Huntley, Mrs. Mark Owens and Mrs. Philip King. Mrs. E. C. Blake was not in the picture.

County Winners In Spelling Bee Contests Named

A Southport girl and a Cedar Grove boy were crowned Brunswick champions at county spelling bees Thursday at Bolivia and BCT.

Miss Jeanette Galloway, 14, daughter of Carl Galloway of Yaupon Beach, and Malcolm Smith, 13, whose guardian is Mrs. Maye Bellamy of Supply, advanced to the regional bee in Wilmington May 2 where they will compete against other county winners.

Miss Galloway downed Thomas Barnhill, 12, in the 15th round when the Leland student misspelled "bounteous". Miss Galloway spelled the word correctly and the next, "magnificent" to win the crown for the white schools in the county.

It took Smith 33 rounds to defeat Phyllis Williams of Leland. She missed on "occasion" which Smith spelled and the next word, "theory" for the championship of the Negro schools of Brunswick county.

Contestants in the white school contest in the order of their dismissal, were Terry Willets, Bolivia School; Lana Soles, Waccamaw School; Norris Johnson, Bolivia School; Byron Holden, Shallotte School; Gail Strong, Southport School; Patricia Diane Watts, Waccamaw School; Nellie Hewitt Shallotte School; and Pam Corbett, Leland School.

C. P. Willets and H. Foster Mintz, both of Bolivia, and Miss Gertrude Loughlin, county elementary supervisor, served as judges at the Bolivia contest. Douglas Hawes of Bolivia was the pronouncer.

Contestants in the Negro contest in the order of elimination include: Linda Fullwood, Longwood School; Wyndell Evans, Piney Grove School; Angela Mitchell, Union High School; and Joyce Bernard, Brunswick County Training School.

Assistant Superintendent William N. Williams, Miss Loughlin and James M. Harper, Jr., served as judges while Mrs. Philip King of Southport was the pronouncer.

All the contestants in the spelling bees were presented ballpoint pens by Doyle Howard, state-editor of the Star-News Newspaper of Wilmington, sponsors of the contest.

Trio Honored

Named To Governor's School



JAMES K. BRYANT WADE FRANKLIN BEARD, JR. KAREN NIELSEN

Three Brunswick County students have been selected to attend the Governor's School for Gifted Children this summer at Salem College in Winston-Salem.

Wade Franklin Beard, Jr., of Southport, Karen Nielsen of the State School for the Blind in Raleigh, and James K. Bryant of Union, were named from Brunswick County over other county subjects at the school.

They are the first students from Brunswick county ever named to attend the Governor's School, which was established last year.

Beard, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Beard, Sr., of Southport will study social studies this summer. He has a high academic average at Southport High School and is a member of the Beta Club.

Miss Nielsen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Nielsen of Shallotte, will be enrolled in the social science section of the school. A sophomore at the State School for the Blind, she has a 95.5 average while taking 12 subjects this year.

Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bryant of Supply, is a junior at Union High School. He is a member of the National Honor Society, Crown and Scepter Honor Society and the Science Club. Bryant will study science this summer.

Superintendent A. W. Taylor said no announcements have been made concerning students accepted in the fine arts at the Governor's School.

The school was set up last year by Governor Terry Sanford as a pilot educational program offering specialized instruction at Salem College at Winston-Salem for gifted children in the summer.

Students are selected for the Governor's School because of outstanding talents in the performing arts or academic rating along with grade averages recommendation by teachers and other staff members.

Some 3,000 students from throughout North Carolina were nominated by the various schools in the state to attend the honor school, but only 400 were selected. They will be furnished free room, board, tuition and laundry during the school term, which runs from June 10 til July 31.

Adult Education



STUDENTS—Pete Worsley, instructor in bookkeeping and shorthand at the adult education class in Southport is shown here observing work being done by his students this week. Classes meet twice each week in a three-hour session. (Staff Photo by Allen).

Reject Bids

Agreement On Boat Harbor

The State Ports Authority asked for new bids on the proposed Southport Small Boat Harbor and approved an agreement governing the operation of the facility at a meeting in Elizabeth City Saturday.

On Tuesday Governor Terry Sanford and the Council of State took similar action.

Executive Director James W. Davis called the low bids opened April 16 for the project substantially in excess of the advanced estimates and more than the \$500,000 available for the work. The total construction cost, as recorded by the low bids, was \$680,131.

The project will be broken down into several parts before the new bids are asked two-weeks hence, he said. The administration building is being removed from the project for the present time.

Although the agreement governing the operation of the Southport Small Boat Harbor was made between the SPA, county and city, the SPA will have complete control over the project.

"It is understood and agreed that nothing contained in this agreement is intended or shall be construed in any manner or under any circumstances whatsoever as creating or establishing the relationship of co-partners, or creating or establishing the relationship of a joint venture or as constituting either party as the agent or representative of the other, for any purpose or in any manner whatsoever," the resolution reads.

"It is understood and agreed that this agreement is executed by the Board of County Commissioners of Brunswick County only to the extent of agreeing to cooperate in appointing the two members to the Southport Port Commission and their participation in the activities of the Southport Port Commission."

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Democrats Name Precinct Officers

Democratic precinct officers were elected Saturday during organizational sessions, Party Chairman Kirby Sullivan reported Tuesday.

The precinct meetings were held in preparation for the County Democratic Convention May 9 at Bolivia High School. The county executive committee will meet prior to the general meeting at 1:30 p. m.

During the meetings at each of the 18 precincts in Brunswick county, committees consisting of a chairman, vice-chairman secretary and two members were elected. The chairman and vice-chairman automatically became members of the county executive committee.

All Democrats in good standing were named as delegates to the county convention on May 9. The new precinct officers, listed in order of chairman, vice-chairman, secretary-treasurer, and two members include:

Hood Creek, Paul Brown, Mrs. Carol M. Carroll, Mrs. Mary E. Brown, E. E. Medlin and Charles Carroll.

Leland, I. D. Butler, Miss Mary Wells Rourke, Mrs. Catherine Clark, Dwight Crainshaw and Frances McCafferty.

Town Creek, George Henry Lanier, Jr., Mrs. Vivian Tatum, V. A. Creach, Jr., A. P. Henry, Jr., and Mrs. Florence Sullivan.

Bolivia, Douglas H. Hawes, Mrs. Juanita Lewis, Mrs. Ina Mae Mintz, Gilbert Reid and Robert K. McKeithan, Jr.

Southport No. 1, William A. Powell, Betty P. Smith, Sylvia James, P. A. Fulcher, Jr., and Kirby Sullivan.

Southport No. 2, James M. Wolfe, Mrs. Gene G. Fullwood, Mrs. Florence Doshier, Ivan Ludlum, and G. W. Fisher.

Oak Island, James Kyle, Mrs. C. E. Bellamy, H. A. Templeton, Jr., H. O. Clark and Mrs. Sam Carr.

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GLORIA JEAN MCCOY

Scholarship For Shallotte Girl

A Shallotte girl has been named the recipient of the Southport Woman Club's third \$750 nursing scholarship, Mrs. E. C. Blake, club president, announced Monday.

Miss Gloria Jean McCoy, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell S. McCoy of Shallotte, was selected to receive the grant from among the four applications received by the woman's club.

Miss McCoy, who will graduate from Shallotte High School in May, has been accepted for nursing training at Southeastern General Hospital in Lumberton.

"I want to be useful as a citizen and as a person," Miss McCoy said on her application blank. "I feel that being a nurse will be the best way in which I can serve humanity."

Mrs. Philip King, chairman of the scholarship committee for the Southport Woman's Club, said that four applications were received from Brunswick county students and the decision on the winner was most difficult. "We felt, however, that Miss McCoy was outstanding and will return to Brunswick county to work after graduating from nursing school," she said.

Members of the scholarship committee, beside Mrs. King, are Mrs. Robert L. Jones and Mrs. James Glone.

This is the third nurses scholarship the club has awarded to girls in Brunswick county. Miss Rachel Kye, a Bolivia graduate, is entering her third year of study at James Walker Memorial Hospital. Miss Eva Bryant, a graduate of BCT, is a second year student at Winston-Salem State Teachers College.

Southport Glee Club Will Sing

The Southport High School Glee Club will present "Spring Sentiments In Song" in the high school auditorium on Friday at 8 o'clock. The program will consist of songs by the glee club and special numbers by several groups.

Brenda Jordan will be featured in a vocal solo. The sextet, composed of Martha Mallison, Sandy Potter, Brenda Jordan, Diane Worth, Joyce Gurley, and Martha Harrelson, will sing two numbers. A quartet made up of Greta Jorgensen, Brenda Crouch, Susan Harrelson and Mary Lee Jones will sing one number.

Miss Brunswick County of 1964, Carolyn Minton, will do a song and dance routine.

Following an intermission a boys' chorus will sing six numbers. Members of this group are

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Post Office Will Change Schedule

The limited adjustments in some postal services ordered in Washington March 10 by Postmaster General John A. Gronouski to save \$12.7 million annually will begin to take effect in Southport and other cities May 4, Postmaster Neil Jorgensen said today.

Service changes planned locally include new window service hours on Saturdays, beginning May 9, from 9:30 a. m. to 1 p. m. This is not a curtailment of service but an adjustment in hours made necessary by the limited number of employees who will be on duty.

Patrons are urged to transact

Extension Group Plans Tour For 50th Anniversary

The Extension Advisory Board is sponsoring a tour of Supply and Shallotte areas on Friday afternoon, May 8, to see and study several extension activities in recognition of the 50th Anniversary of the Cooperative Extension Service in the United States. On May 8, 1914, President Wilson signed the bill authorizing the Agricultural Extension Service.

The tour will begin at 1 p. m. at the Extension Service Office in Supply where the Home Demonstration members will display some of their project work learned through extension's teachings. The display will include suits, hats, refinished furniture, etc. The tour will move at 1:45 p. m. to Fred Mintz's farm in Shallotte to observe chemical weed control in tobacco and bulk curing barn; 2:15 at Harry White's home in Shallotte to observe home built by Extension Service Plan 55A, and observe landscape of Fred Mintz lawn. The tour will be at Donald Frink's farm at 3 p. m., on Shallotte Point road to observe broiler operation and swine farming. At 3:45 the tour will stop at Mrs. Herbert Russ' farm (2 miles west of Shallotte on U. S. 17) to observe the Forestry Demonstration and see James Bellamy's new tobacco variety and week control demonstration.

The tour will be at Dewey Grissett's farm near Grissetown at 4:15 p. m. to see a tobacco demonstration. The group will go on to Gause Landing at 5 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Eva Gray to see 4-H Club Work. The tour will then go over on Ocean Isle Beach at 5:30 p. m., to observe American Beach Grass Demonstration which shows good potential for holding sand in place.

Those on the tour and others that cannot make the tour are invited to meet at Dockside Restaurant in Calabash for supper (dutch) and a short program that should be of interest.

Everyone is invited to make the tour.

Anniversary Of Book Club Here

The Round Table Book Club celebrated its eleventh anniversary with a luncheon meeting at the Southport Public Library during National Library Week with Mrs. Susie Carson, one of the club's charter members, as hostess. Other charter members present were Mrs. Albert Bogie and Mrs. John Swain. Mrs. Swain cut the birthday cake.

The discussion for the meeting centered around a study made by the club of new countries formed in the past fifteen years. Plans were made to read and report on books about Communism at the June meeting of the club which is to be held at the home of Mrs. Swain. Those present for the meeting, in addition to the charter members, were Mrs. E. C. Blake, Mrs. A. E. Huntley, Mrs. Phil King, Mrs. W. L. Aldridge, Mrs. Mark Owens, Mrs. Reese Swan and Mrs. Bill Faulk, Jr. A new member, Mrs. O. W. Carrier, was welcomed to the club.

Brief Bits of NEWS

MINISTERS TO MEET
The May meeting of the Brunswick County Ministerial Association will be held on May 4 at the New Hops Presbyterian Church in Winnabow at 1:30 p. m.

MYF SUB-DISTRICT
The Brunswick County MYF Sub-District meeting will be held on May 4 at 7 p. m. There will be a brief council meeting at Camp Church.

SPECIAL POLIO CLINIC
A special oral polio vaccine clinic will be held at Brunswick County Training School in Southport Sunday afternoon from 12 to 3 p. m. and from 4 to 6 p. m.

BARBECUE SUPPER
A barbecue supper will be held at Zion Methodist Church Saturday beginning at 6:30 p. m. The barbecue will be pit-cooked on the church grounds Saturday. The church is located on Highway 17 at Town Creek.

Fulcher Leads Young Adults

Phillip Agnew Fulcher, Jr., has been appointed Young Adult Chairman for Preyer in Brunswick County, Campaign Manager Kirby Sullivan announced Monday.

Fulcher, owner of Carr Insurance Agency at Southport and Yaupon Beach, was born on October 5, 1933, the son of the late Philip A. Fulcher, who died in 1934, and Maxine Clemmons Fulcher.

After graduating from Southport High School, he served for four years in the Navy before receiving an honorable discharge.

Fulcher worked with the Highway Patrol for three years, being assigned to Elizabethtown.

He returned to Southport in January of 1962 and purchased the insurance agency.

TIME and TIDE

It was April 29, 1959, and Senator S. Bunn Frink and Representative James C. Bowman arranged a public hearing for Wednesday in Raleigh, with the Highway Commission on ferry service across the lower Cape Fear.

Roney Cheers, W. J. McLamb, Jr., Dykes Hewett and Eli Kravitz were candidates for mayor of Shallotte. Mrs. Betty Leggett had been the sweepstakes winner in the Southport Flower show for the past two years. The marriage of Arliss Willets of Bolivia and Edna Faye Skipper of Leland was held Saturday.

It was April 28, 1954, and sensational early catches of king mackerel were being made by party boats in Southport. Miss Joanne Brown of Southport was elected May Queen at Meredith College in Raleigh.

Plans were announced to extend telephone service to Long Beach and Fort Caswell during the summer. R. O. Lewis was chairman of the Board of Elections. The cafeteria facilities at Fort Caswell were being enlarged for the summer season.

It was April 27, 1949, and Hubert A. Livingston was renominated without opposition for the office of mayor of Southport while Leon Galloway, E. D. Bishop and Roney W. Cheers were running for mayor of Shallotte. Tommy Garner was chairman of the county Cancer drive.

North Carolina Baptists made a priority bid of \$148,000

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Install Venters NCEA President

The installation of new officers highlighted the annual banquet meeting of the Brunswick County unit of the North Carolina Educational Association at the Ebb-Tide Restaurant Wednesday night which was attended by 184 school personnel.

The newly installed officers, all unanimously elected at a previous meeting, include President Rockefellow Venters, Vice-President Donald Sellers and Mrs. Mina Lane, secretary, all of Leland.

Plaques were given to Mrs. Abba Crumpler, who retired at Leland last year, and to Miss Gertrude Loughlin, who will retire as county elementary supervisor this year, by Superintendent A. W. Taylor. The awards for outstanding service were presented from the county NCEA unit and the Brunswick Board of

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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, April 30,	
9:58 A. M.	4:22 A. M.
10:26 P. M.	4:16 P. M.
Friday, May 1,	
10:35 A. M.	5:03 A. M.
11:04 P. M.	4:54 P. M.
Saturday, May 2,	
11:17 A. M.	5:46 A. M.
11:48 P. M.	5:37 P. M.
Sunday, May 3,	
12:06 A. M.	6:34 A. M.
	6:28 P. M.
Monday, May 4,	
0:39 A. M.	7:27 A. M.
1:03 P. M.	7:28 P. M.
Tuesday, May 5,	
1:35 A. M.	8:24 A. M.
2:04 P. M.	8:34 P. M.
Wednesday, May 6,	
2:34 A. M.	9:21 A. M.
3:06 P. M.	9:39 P. M.