



Marineology Building Decorated

BEAUTIFIED—The Marineology building in Southport recently has been decorated by the students. The international flags painted across the top spell out the name, and the numeral pennants show the date. Preston Bryant is the teacher. (Staff photo by Allen.)

Mrs. Rourk Will Head Polio Drive Again Next Year

Mrs. M. H. Rourk of Shallotte North Carolina, has been named Brunswick County March of Dimes Director for the 1965 campaign which will be held in the month of January, according to Aubrey C. Johnston, chairman of the Brunswick County Chapter of The National Foundation-March of Dimes. In announcing the appointment, Johnston said, "We are fortunate in having a woman of Mrs. Rourk's abilities to direct the Brunswick County's efforts against birth defects which afflict one out of every ten American families."

Mrs. Rourk is a graduate of Woman's College in Greensboro North Carolina. She is a member of the Business and Professional Woman's Club, PTA, and Association of University Women. Mrs. Rourk has been active in March of Dimes work for fifteen years. She and Dr. Rourk are members of the Presbyterian Church of Shallotte.

In accepting the appointment, Mrs. Rourk said, "Birth defects kill and cripple more American children than any other human disorder. The March of Dimes is leading the fight against birth defects because it believes the people are ready to join in an all-out campaign against this tragic waste of human life."

Mrs. Rourk pointed out that the March of Dimes for the past six years has made important advances in the fight against birth defects. Through the 50 March of Dimes financed centers — including the Special Treatment Center at the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill — trained medical teams are providing the best medical care available for birth defects children and working to develop new techniques which will enable many more of them to live a useful life.

Scientists, supported by March of Dimes grants, are also at work in laboratories here and abroad seeking the causes of these fears.

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Tragedy Takes Life Of Child

A two-and-a-half-year-old Winabow boy drowned in Harris Swamp when he became lost after trying to follow his brothers and sisters Saturday morning.

A search party of Brunswick county citizens discovered the body of Curtis Jenkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Jenkinson of Winabow, in the water of Harris Swamp after a three hour search. The body was found by Thomas Galloway at about 3:15 p. m.

County Coroner Lowell Bennett of Shallotte ruled the death of young Jenkinson accidental. He said the child's parents had left the boy in custody of friends at home, when they went to Wilmington with another child to see a physician.

Bennett said four other Jenkinson children, ranging from four to 11 years old took off through the swamp headed for a store.

Apparently, unknown to the adults, Bennett continued, the child attempted to follow the other youngsters at a distance but lost his way and took a wrong path in the treacherous area.



Cook Book Being Tested

TOO MANY COOKS?—Four members of the Southport Junior Womans Club gather in the kitchen of Mrs. Tommy Kirby in Southport to test one of the recipes in the cook book they have published and which is being placed on sale this week. They are, left to right, Mrs. Kirby, Mrs. Afton Smith, Jr., Mrs. Bobby Jones and Miss Almeta Dixon. (Staff Photo by Allen)

Junior Womans Club Members Plug Cook Book

This week finds the members of the Junior Woman's Club starting the sale of their Cook Book. The money received from sales will be used for various projects undertaken by the club for the year. Mrs. Heidi Kirby is president of the club.

Projects include not only local community interests but work on a state and international level. Some of the projects for the past year have included a Heritage Exhibit displaying local antiques, something new for Southport; and an Art Show, designed to create an interest in the community in the realm of art. One of the most rewarding projects has been the local high school. A tea to help furnish the home economics department was held.

The Junior Woman's Club has not limited its projects to a local area.

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School Child Is Hit By Truck

A seven-year-old Ash boy is in fair condition at a Columbus county hospital after being struck by a pick-up truck while waiting for a school bus Friday morning near his home.

Larry Baines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Baines, was waiting alongside NC 130 for the school bus with his two brothers and a sister about 8 a. m. when the accident happened. Patrolman Earl Farmer said the Baines boy apparently ran in front of the truck driven by Frankie L. Babson of Ash and was knocked across the highway by the impact.

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Brunswick Birthday 200th Anniversary Celebration Sunday

Dredging Bids Are Advertised

The Army Engineer District, Wilmington has advertised for bids for maintenance dredging to be performed in Wilmington Harbor, in the Cape Fear River.

The site of the work is between the North Carolina State Ports Authority wharf and Southport, and in the Northeast (Cape Fear) River, 1 1/2 mile above the Hilton Railroad Bridge at Wilmington. The total quantity of material to be removed is estimated at approximately 900,000 cubic yards, including allowable overdepth.

Bids are scheduled to be opened at 2:30 p. m., EST, Thursday December 4, in Room 313 Customhouse.

County Historical Society Meeting

Mrs. M. H. Rourk was re-elected president of the Brunswick County Historical Society at its meeting Monday night at the recreation room of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Southport.

Also re-elected for another term as officers of the society were Mrs. Ed Driscoll of Southport, vice-president; and Miss Helen Taylor of Winnabow, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Blake of Shallotte was elected a member of the board of directors, replacing Rev. A. H. Phillips.

Plans for the program at Brunswick Town Sunday in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of the founding of Brunswick county were discussed. Acknowledgement was made of two gifts of money which will help materially in staging this celebration. One for \$200 came from the Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce. Another for \$100 came from the board of county commissioners.

R. V. Asbury reported on plans for publishing a historical booklet in connection with this significant date in the records of Brunswick county. He invited the contribution of worthwhile material and January 1 was set a deadline for acceptance of information to be included.

Mrs. Harry L. Mintz, chairman of the program committee, introduced William Paulk, assistant to the historic site manager at Brunswick Town, who made a brief report on activities at this project before showing a movie "The First 100 Years of North Carolina".

Faulk announced that bids for the construction of a visitors center and museum at Brunswick Town will be opened next Wednesday.

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Judge R. I. Mintz of Wilmington will deliver the principal address Sunday afternoon during a program at Brunswick Town for the Bicentennial Celebration of Brunswick County.

Activities will get underway at 2 o'clock at the site of the first courthouse in this county, Stanley South, archaeologist in charge of the Brunswick Town project of the State Department of Archives and History, will help paint in an authentic historical background for this occasion.

The entire program has been arranged by the Brunswick County Historical Society of which Mrs. M. H. Rourk is the president. On the welcoming committee with her will be Miss Helen Taylor, Mrs. Ida Kellam, Mrs. Ed Driscoll and Mrs. Harry Mintz.

Co-sponsors of the event will be the Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce, which made a substantial financial contribution to help defray the expenses of the program. Another contribution came from the Brunswick county board of commissioners.

Judge Mintz, the speaker, is a native of Brunswick county and is familiar with the early records in the courthouse, having served for several years as Register of Deeds.

The 200th anniversary was actually on March 8, but the group decided to delay the celebration in order to have a fall program at the historic site, where State Archaeologist Stanley South, has promised to have underway the excavation of the courthouse ruins. The court house, it is believed, was the first in New Hanover and Brunswick Counties in the mild 1700's, according to R. V. Asbury, Jr., guide at the historic site, and also a director.

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Child Dies Of Truck Injuries

A 16-month-old Thomasboro girl was critically injured Thursday afternoon when she was run over by a truck in the driveway of her home.

Marilyn Rene Smith daughter of Wendell Smith of Thomasboro, was dead on arrival at Doshier Memorial Hospital in Southport. County Coroner Lowell Bennett said it was the ninth highway death of year in Brunswick.

She was killed when a gas truck, driven by Jimmy White, 25, of Shallotte, was making a delivery at her Thomasboro home and backed over her.

Her sister, Verna Smith, 12, saw Marilyn's body after the truck had passed over it and picked it up and carried it into the house.

An inquest into the death was called by Coroner Bennett for Friday night in the Courthouse in Southport.

Brunswick 4-H

Awards Program Held

A total of 45 blue ribbons were presented for 132 exhibitions at the annual Brunswick county 4-H achievement program at Supply Tuesday night.

Miss Barbara Knowles and Steve Hewett took top honors, the achievement medals and certificates. The junior achievement award was presented to Lynn Hewett.

County champions announced at the program included Meta Gail McNeil, senior, and Lynn Hewett, junior, dress revue; Julia Hewett, public speaking; foods and nutrition and dairy foods; Lynn Hewett, home improvement and home economics; junior health princess, and medal winner in foods and nutrition; Faye Clemmons, county health queen; Barbara Knowles, clothing, and Linda Cheers, Lynn Hewett and Meta Gail McNeil, clothing medal winners.

County champions in the agricultural divisions include Kelly Reynolds, corn and garden; Julian Bell, soybeans and forestry; Harvey Bell, field crops, tractor, agriculture, and district tractor winner; Eddie Hufham, health king with Jimmy Gray, junior winner; Steve Hewett, electric; with Richard Jones as medal winner; Larry Holden and Julian Bell, medal winners in agriculture, Larry Holden also won a medal in field crops.

Certificates of merit were awarded the adult leaders of the

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In Southport

Garden Club To Welcome President

Mrs. Roscoe D. McMillan of Red Springs, state president of the Garden Club of North Carolina, Inc., will be the honored guest at an informal luncheon on Thursday, November 19, at the Boiling Spring Lakes Country Club. Co-hostesses for the occasion will be the members of the four garden clubs of the area, the Southport Garden Club, the Woodbine Garden Club, the Live Oak Garden Club and the Oak Island Garden Club.

Mrs. McMillan will attend a meeting of the Brunswick Town Committee during the morning and will attend the luncheon before going with the committee to view the progress made on the Brunswick Town Nature Trail, one of four statewide projects sponsored by the Garden Clubs.

Other who will attend the luncheon will be members of the state committee and personnel at the Brunswick Town State Historic Site.

All members of the four clubs are asked to bring a covered dish for the luncheon, which will be held at 12 o'clock. This time was chosen to allow members who work to attend during their lunch hour. Members may bring whatever they would like to the luncheon, but if they wish suggestions concerning what they should prepare they are asked to contact Mrs. James Barnes any day after 5 o'clock.

Leland Girl Is Shot By Brother

A 14 year-old Leland girl was accidentally killed when the pistol her older teenage brother was playing with went off Friday in their family's roadside seafood market at Leland.

No ruling has been made in the death of Rama Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David B. Morris, by County Coroner Lowell Bennett of Shallotte, who is investigating the incident.

Coroner Bennett said the girl's brother, Robert Morris, said he was playing with a pistol when it went off. Bennett said the girl died of a 22 caliber gunshot wound in the back of the head.

The shooting occurred about 4:15 p. m. Friday and the girl died four hours later in James Walker Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at 3 p. m. at Goshen Baptist Church by the Rev. James C. Spivey. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David B. Morris; one brother, Robert of the home; one half-sister, Mrs. Richard Cleaver of Lehigh Acres, Fla.; and her maternal grand mother, Mrs. Annie Crews of Jacksonville, Fla.

Tourist



E. C. BLAKE, proprietor of Blake Builders Supply in Southport, is in Las Vegas on a vacation trip he won in a recent Hot-pot contest. This one of several trips he has won during the past few years.

Long Beach Case Leads To Arrest

Two Lumberton policemen were arrested following an investigation of break-ins at Long Beach, last weekend.

Climaxing an investigation ordered by Police Chief W. M. Harris, SBI agent Max Bryan and chief police investigator Wilbur C. Lovette brought formal charges against Thomas Britt, 29 and Aaron (Possum) Stone, 30 both veterans of the Lumberton police force.

An election night automobile accident in which Stone was injured apparently led to the probe that culminated in the formal charges.

Several partially-filled bottles of whiskey reportedly were found in bushes alongside Riverside Dr. where the two officers were involved in the accident. Britt's car rammed into a power pole.

An investigation was ordered after Banker and former State Treasurer John B. Stedman reported that his Long Beach cottage had been entered and looted of items, including a quantity of partially-filled liquor bottles from the cottage bar.

Stamps on the bottles found near the wreck scene showed the whiskey had been purchased in the beach area and local officers said tonight this was used to forge another link in the case against Britt and Stone.

The next link of suspicion came when investigators said they found a witness who said a white Oldsmobile similar to

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TIME and TIDE

It was November 11, 1959, and the first service at the new Yaupon Beach Methodist Church was scheduled for Sunday under Rev. L. D. Hayman. Rev. Mark Owens, pastor of a Greenville Baptist church, was called to the Southport Baptist Church as pastor.

The boats of the Southport menhaden fleet landed 35,000 tons of fish in 1958, 8,678 more than in 1957. First Lt. Darrell Fisher of Southport was appointed commanding officer of D Company in the 505th Infantry, Shallotte, under Coach Gene Winfree, won the Waccamaw Athletic Association gridiron title.

It was November 10, 1954, and D. Carl Andrews was appointed mayor of Shallotte when Leon Galloway resigned from the position by moving out of town. The State Highway Commission reported that 12 persons had died on the roads of Brunswick county.

Rev. L. D. Hayman, a former Methodist pastor here, retired and moved back to Southport. Dan Harrelson purchased the Daniel building next to the Southport Baptist Church and prepared to open a grocery store after his waterfront quarters were destroyed by Hurricane Hazel.

It was November 9, 1949, and Captain Hendrix Phelps and

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Brief Bits Of NEWS

POWER INTERRUPTION
The Carolina Power and Light Company will have the current cut off from 6 to 8 o'clock Sunday morning, November 15.

YARD OF MONTH
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Livingston have been selected by the Southport Garden Club for yard-of-the-month honors for November. They live on Moore street.

JOIN PTA NOW
Mrs. T. M. Lee, membership chairman of Southport PTA, urges all parents to join between now and Nov. 19, date of next PTA meeting, by contacting grade mothers or teachers or Mrs. Lee. The membership booth will be set up in the hall at the school prior to the PTA meeting.

BENEFIT SUPPER
The Shallotte Jaycees will sponsor a pancake and sausage supper at Shallotte High School November 21 from 5 to 9 p. m., says President Dempsey Hewett. Proceeds from the event will be used to beautify the streets of Shallotte.

CHOIR COMING HERE
The Boy's Home choir of Lake Waccamaw will present a concert at the Southport Baptist Church Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. A silver offering will be taken after the concert and reception for Boy's Home. The event will be sponsored by the Southport Junior Woman's club.

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, November 12	LOW
0:46 A. M.	7:10 A. M.	
1:23 P. M.	8:08 P. M.	
	FRIDAY, November 13	
1:45 A. M.	8:12 A. M.	
2:20 P. M.	9:04 P. M.	
	SATURDAY, November 14	
2:44 A. M.	9:16 A. M.	
3:15 P. M.	9:58 P. M.	
	SUNDAY, November 15	
3:42 A. M.	10:16 A. M.	
4:09 P. M.	10:47 P. M.	
	MONDAY, November 16	
4:36 A. M.	11:12 A. M.	
4:01 P. M.	11:36 P. M.	
	TUESDAY, November 17	
5:28 A. M.	12:06 A. M.	
5:52 P. M.		
	WEDNESDAY, November 18	
6:20 A. M.	0:23 A. M.	
6:43 P. M.	12:57 P. M.	