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### At Brunswick Town

## Celebrate 200th Birthday

The 200th anniversary of the establishment of Brunswick county as a political unit separate and apart from New Hanover was celebrated Sunday in an outdoor setting at Brunswick Town, site of the first courthouse. The observance was arranged by the Brunswick County Historical Society, with the Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce in the role of co-sponsor.

The principal address was delivered by Judge R. I. Mintz, who spoke on the "Courthouses of Brunswick County", tracing their itinerant movement from Brunswick Town to Lockwoods Folly and eventually to Southport and its present location. He had been preceded on the program by Stanley South, archaeologist in charge of the excavation project at Brunswick Town for the Department of Archives and History, who sketched in the historical background leading up to the establishment of the first county seat at Brunswick Town. It was significant that the Sunday ceremony was carried out at a site immediately adjoining the ruins of the first courthouse, now in the process of being excavated.

Present for the program and adding a few remarks of his own about the importance of Brunswick Town as an historic site was Dr. C. C. Crittendon, director of the Department of Archives and History. He also announced that bids are being opened today (Wednesday) for the erection of a museum visitors center at Brunswick Town.

Congressman Alton A. Lennon was another visitor who participated briefly on the program, extending his congratulations to (Continued On Page 4)

### Brief Bits of NEWS

#### BENEFIT SUPPER

The Shallotte Jaycees will sponsor a pancake and sausage supper Friday night between 5 and 7 o'clock at Shallotte High School, says President Dempsey Hewett.

#### TURKEY SHOOT

The Southport Jaycees will sponsor a turkey shoot Saturday from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. at Taylor Field, says President William Powell. Proceed from the event will be used for the Jaycee Christmas projects.

#### THANKSGIVING SERVICE

There will be a Community Thanksgiving Service next Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Southport Baptist Church with the guest speaker Dr. E. Frank Hall, pastor of Pearsall Memorial Presbyterian Church, Wilmington.

#### PTA MEETING

The Southport PTA will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Philip King program chairman states that a color film "School Libraries In Action" will be shown. This film, made in N. C. Schools, purposes to interpret school library services to pupils, teachers and parents. (Continued On Page 5)



Misses Shaaron Collier, Priscilla Collier, and Maude Shaw Wyche, three Hallsboro girls, who participated in the 200th Anniversary Celebration at Brunswick Town Sunday afternoon when they sang songs of the early colonial period. The old-fashioned pump organ shown here was loaned for the occasion by the A. P. Henry family of Winnabow.

## Forestry Plane Ditches In Swamp

A N. C. Forestry Service Pilot received only minor injuries yesterday afternoon when he was forced to land a single-engine plane in the eastern part of Green Swamp west of Bolivia.

G. E. Bellefontane of Kinston, who is temporarily stationed in Whiteville, was X-rayed and treated for a minor head injury at Doshier Memorial Hospital in Southport, but was not admitted. A passenger, Rod McElwee, assistant district forester, received no injuries, it was reported.

A spokesman for the Forestry Service district office in Whiteville said the plane was on a routine patrol when trouble developed. Bellefontane was forced to land on a rural unpaved road where the craft received considerable damage.

An investigation is being conducted by the Forestry Service and Federal Aeronautics Administration.

## Farm Census In Three Stages

Plans for taking the 1964 Census of Agriculture in Brunswick county were announced this week by John F. Holden, newly-appointed census crew leader for the county.

The job will be done in three stages, the crew leader said. First will come recruitment and training of enumerators to count all farms in the county. About one enumerator for each 150 farms will be needed. Shortly after November 19, the (Continued On Page 5)

## Seeking Bids For Dredging Waterway

The U. S. Army Engineer District, Wilmington has issued invitations to bid on maintenance dredging to be performed in the Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway between the Cape Fear River, and Little River, S. C. The bid opening is scheduled for 2:30 p. m., December 9 in the Custom house, Wilmington.

The quantity of shoaled material to be removed is estimated at 800,000 cubic yards, including 250,000 cubic yards estimated allowable overdepth.

Colonel J. S. Grygiel, District Engineer, stated that bids under this procurement are solicited from small business concerns only.

## Jury List For December Term

Some 72 county residents have been selected to serve during the two-week term of Brunswick County Superior court for the trial of civil cases next month.

Brunswick citizens selected for jury duty during the December 7 term include: William Edward Parker and E. W. Morgan, both of Southport; K. T. Little and Melton R. Evans, both of Freeland; Shelton Stanley, John W. Smith, J. O. Smith, (Continued On Page 5)

## Speed Limit In Southport Will Undergo Change

A routine meeting of the Southport Board of Aldermen was held Thursday night at the City Hall.

The board voted unanimously to change the speed limits on several city streets. They established a 20 mph limit on Howe street (NC 87-211) from Moore street to Brown street and on Moore street from Howe to Ellis streets.

They established 35 mph zones on Moore street from Ellis street to Van Bureau, on Van Bureau from Moore street to the city limits, on Leonard street from Howe to Fodale, on Howe street from Brown to Cape Fear Road and from Cape Fear Road from Howe street to 12th street.

A 45 mph limit was put into effect on Leonard street from Fodale to North Park Avenue at the city limits.

Mayor E. B. Tomlinson said the new speed limits will be strictly enforced. The motion for the action was made by J. A. Gilbert, seconded by Crawford Rourk.

City Manager C. D. Pickerrill told the board the city would call for bids on the truck chassis for the City Street Department truck soon.

E. J. Prevatte asked the board to name two members to work with the Southport civic clubs on making plans to repair the Community Building. Mayor Tomlinson and City Attorney Kirby Sullivan said they would represent the city.

The board voted to contribute money to the Southport booster's club to the Southport Civic League to pay off unpaid bills. The money will come from the ABC recreational fund.

Otto Hickman resigned as electrical inspector for the City of Southport. He said he did not have time to perform the functions of the job.

All aldermen were present for the meeting with the exception of Johnnie Vereen and Fred Spencer.

## Education Board Holds Session

A decision to try to help Union High School meet their paving needs highlighted a meeting of the Brunswick County Board of Education in Southport Tuesday night.

Principal Jonathan Hankins and Local School Board Chairman Tilman Bowen asked the board to contribute \$900 toward the paving work. They said the school would raise \$2,000 for the project and they already had \$1,400. The board members said they would look at the school budget to see if the money can be found.

Superintendent A. W. Taylor told the board members that Elmer Ganey had bid \$63 for the 1956 Chevrolet pick-up truck at an auction last month. The board members voted unanimously to approve the sale.

Superintendent Taylor told the board members that he would be required to serve two weeks in reserve Army training in December.

The board approved the transfer of June Ann and Diane Lee Hewett to Bolivia school.

## TIME and TIDE

It was November 18, 1959, and a report said the present Southport water tank was in an unsafe condition and should be replaced at a cost of \$40,000. One of the landmarks in the town of Shallotte, the old R. D. White garage building, was being destroyed.

J. J. Loughlin, Jr., who had served as administrator for Doshier Memorial Hospital for the past 18 years, resigned because of illness in his family. The Audrey G. Hickman family in Winnabow was in the swine production business.

It was November 17, 1954, and Odell Williamson announced that he had purchased E. M. Gore's half interest in Ocean Isle Beach and now owned all the resort area. G. C. Stanley of Brick Landing paid his 1955 taxes with 3,677 pennies.

No official word had been received from an application to the federal government for disaster relief funds for county citizens. The Brunswick Telephone Committee, under Harry L. Mintz, Jr., met with officials of Southern Bell to discuss telephone service in the county. Miss Lena Ward became the bride of G. W. Fisher, Jr., Saturday.

It was November 16, 1949, and the State Highway Commission announced that new bridges along U. S. 17 at Jackies (Continued On Page 4)

## Southport Cops 3rd State 8-Man Title



SOUTHPORT'S DOLPHINS' LEADERS receive the school's third consecutive State 8-Man Football Championship Trophy after they had beaten Tar Heel, 46-27, in Saturday night's finale at Legion Field in Whiteville. Supt. A. Woodrow Taylor of Brunswick County Schools and also a member of the NCHSAA Board of Control (left), presents the title award to Dolphin tri-captains (left to right) Wade Beard, Rip Howard and Richard Pickett. (Elgie Clemmons photo).

## Tobacco Vote Scheduled For Area Growers

Brunswick County flue-cured tobacco farmers will be given an opportunity to vote in a referendum on November 15 for the continuance of their self-help sales plan for promoting their leaf, says ASCS Manager R. L. Price.

On this date growers will vote on whether they favor continuing to assess themselves up to \$1 per acre annually for the next three years. The money, if two-thirds of those voting approve, will be used for sales promotion of flue-cured tobacco.

Manager Price said that growers engaged in the 1964 production of flue-cured tobacco as landlord, tenant, or sharecropper are eligible to vote. "The referendum will be held in every tobacco producing county in the state at regular community polling centers and the usual voting hours will be observed," he added.

Administration of the program is in the hands of Tobacco Associates, Inc., a non-profit organization formed in 1947, with offices in Washington, D. C., Raleigh, Dillon, S. C., and Brussels, Belgium.

Tobacco Associates is headed by John D. Palmer, president, and a 25-member board of directors, with authority to set the annual rate of assessment up to, but not to exceed \$1 per acre, to carry on the sales promotion work.

## Off Shore Tower In Use Tuesday

### Speaker



EDWARD T. BERRY, III

## Shalotte Lions Host Governor

The Lions Club of Shallotte will welcome Edward T. Berry III, District Governor, District 31-H, Lions International, which includes 36 clubs in Eastern North Carolina at its Thursday meeting.

Lion Berry, a native of New Bern, has been a member of the New Bern club since 1955, and a Key Member since 1959. He has held all club offices and also served District 31-H as Zone Chairman, and as Deputy District Governor for two terms prior to being elected to his present office.

District Governor Berry will visit the Shallotte Club to advise and assist President Edward M. Gore and Secretary Wilton D. (Continued On Page Four)

## Soil Election For Brunswick

An election will be held in Brunswick County on December 11 to choose one supervisor for the Brunswick Soil and Water Conservation District for a three year term beginning January 1.

All qualified voters residing in the county will be eligible to vote in this election. James Bellamy, Jr., Shallotte, has been nominated by the present board of supervisors to succeed himself and a nominating petition has been prepared and has received the signature of 25 qualified voters in the county to make his nomination valid.

Anyone else in the county who wishes to have a name placed on the ballot should contact any member of the present board of (Continued On Page Four)

Rear Admiral Oscar C. Rohmke, USCG, Commander, Fifth Coast Guard District, announced this week that the offshore structure which will replace Frying Pan Shoals Lightship will be placed in commission on November 24, weather permitting. Ceremonies aboard the structure will mark the event.

The Frying Pan Shoals structure is the first of three such offshore stations to be built in the Fifth Coast Guard District. The other two will replace Diamond Shoals and Chesapeake Lightships.

The station located 33 miles southeast of Southport will be manned by a crew of six Coast Guardsmen with Oscar B. O'Neal, Boatswain mate first class, as officer in charge.

The station will serve primarily as an aid to navigation. However, here will be oceanographic equipment aboard.

Work on the station, which cost approximately \$2,000,000, was begun in August at the site. Its four main steel legs, driven to a depth of 293 feet below the ocean floor, holds the 25-foot high 55-ton deckhouse which is 86 feet square.

This new Coast Guard station is designed to have little wind resistance and will withstand the impact of extraordinary wind and wave action. It is expected to have a life expectancy of 75 years.

The top of the deckhouse will serve as a helicopter pad and will also be used to catch rainwater (Continued On Page 4)

## Making Plans To Hold Fund Drive

Heart Association volunteers are getting ready for next February's Heart Fund campaign, under the statewide banner of a "Hope for Hearts" theme, and the local Heart Funders will contact every home and farm in a neighbor-to-neighbor effort in the Brunswick County area.

Last February's fund raising effort in Brunswick county totaled \$1,270.95 according to the reports made available this fall. State Heart Fund receipts came to the all-time high of \$614 thousand, a record for any voluntary health agency in the state.

The new "Hope for Hearts" theme was selected to call attention to the hope for all hearts made possible by the recent progress in medicine and community health. The Brunswick County Heart Association will call for stepped-up support in this year's campaign, to increase the Association's programs of cardiovascular research, education and service.

### By JIGGS POWERS

(News Reporter Sports Editor) LEGION FIELD, Whiteville — A steam-rolling band of Dolphins from Southport scored with amazing consistency here, Saturday night, to annex their third straight North Carolina 8-Man football championship by beating a plucky, but outmanned, Tar Heel Panther club, 46-27.

And, in winning, Coach Pete Lee's boys from the coast of Brunswick County kept their slate clean in 8-man football. They've never lost a game in this type play, with the title victory here being their 24th against a single tie in three full seasons. In all types football in the three-year span, they've won 30 times, tied once and lost once.

Over 1,000 Mark During the victory here, Southport ran its scoring total in its three-year period it has been in 8-man football to above the 1,000 mark; with the 46 points here giving it a total of 1,020 against 272 scored by its opponents over the same span.

Six Dolphins shared the scoring spoils here in the title triumph. Quarterback Rip Howard, Ends Dickie Aldridge and Stacey Sellers each scored two TDs, while Sellers and Howard added a PAT each; Richard Pickett, a half-back, tallied the other TD, while Back Frank Barbee and End Billy Helms had the other points after.

Howard, Southport's talented southpaw quarterback, had his best night of the season when he ran for two touchdowns, passed for two more, while completing eight of nine throws, interrupted two passes and made a shirt-tearing save on one occasion when Pharr appeared to be long gone. Aldridge rounded out his two-touchdown performance with some good defensive play to make this the best game of his three-year career.

In addition to his touchdown, Pickett teamed with Big Ed Harper to point out a lot of yardage that shook up the Tar Heel defenders as the Southport half-backs hammered away at the line. This set up tricky end-around maneuvers and pass plays as the Bladen county boys concentrated on trying to stop the Dolphin running game.

Pharr Shines In Defeat For Coach Wilma Hughes' injured-belabored Tar Heel club, White "Bo" Pharr proved he was deserving of the two-time All-BB3MC honors he has received. The 175-pound senior speedster ground out yard after yard and topped his team's offensive efforts with three touchdowns and turned in a good defensive show, also. End Robert Inman had the other TH touchdown. Pharr, Inman and Quarterback Mickey Grimsley had the Panther PATs.

Defensive standouts included Guard Floyd Bordeaux, Grimsley, and Inman, in addition to Pharr for the losers; Roger Sellers, Pickett, Woody Taylor, Wade Beard and Jerry Swain for the champs.

Southport rolled up a total offensive of 415 yards; 231 rushing net and 184 passing net; to 251 for the losers. The champs led in first downs, 16-11.

Pharr Goes 42 Pharr had the longest scoring run of the night, going 42 yards for his team's third TD in the final chapter and added others on runs of 16 and 1 yards. Dickie Aldridge took a pass from Rip (Continued From Page 8)

## 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 19,			
7:11 A. M.	1:10 A. M.		
7:34 P. M.	1:48 P. M.		
Friday, November 20			
8:02 A. M.	1:57 A. M.		
8:26 P. M.	2:40 P. M.		
Saturday, November 21			
8:55 A. M.	2:46 A. M.		
9:20 P. M.	3:32 P. M.		
Sunday, November 22			
9:48 A. M.	3:37 A. M.		
10:17 P. M.	4:26 P. M.		
Monday, November 23			
10:46 A. M.	4:31 A. M.		
11:17 P. M.	5:22 P. M.		
Tuesday, November 24			
11:45 A. M.	5:28 A. M.		
	6:20 P. M.		
Wednesday, November 25			
0:20 A. M.	6:30 A. M.		
12:45 P. M.	7:21 P. M.		