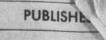
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May Have New World's Record

PRIZE-Mrs. Verna Atkinson of Guin, Alabama, is shown here with her 58lb blackfin tuna caught last Wednesday while fishing with Capt. Albert Dosher aboard the Idle On III. This fish is almost 10-lbs heavier than the latest published world's record. (Photo by Dosher).

New World's Record

# Big Blackfin Tuna Caught

A world's record may have been set here last week when Mrs. Verna Atkinson of Guin, Alabama, landed a 58-lb blackfin tuna while fishing with Capt. Albert Dosher aboard the Idle On III.

The listed world's record for these fish is 48-1/2 lbs., a fish taken off Capetown, South Africa. The fish taken here last Wednesday topped that mark by almost 10-pounds. The local catch was 48-inches long and had a girth of 30-1/2 inches.

Mrs. Atkinson was fishing with a Charlotte party which had 6 king mackerel, 6 amberjack 2 dolphin, 8 barracuda and 20 bluefish and Spanish mackerel. Although it was a good week for

Southport charterboats, the only reports came from Capt. Dosher. On Sunday he had the Harold Sikes party of Greensboro for a shoals trip and they brought in 155 blues and Spanish mackerel.

On Monday he had another trip to the shoals and came in with 50 blues and Spanish mackerel. Fishing time for this run was 1-1/2 hours, indicating that there were more there for the taking.

Although specific reports were lacking, catches during the past few days have been generally satisfactory for parties going out from Southport.



PLAN REVIVAL

A series of revival services will be held at Oak Island Baptist Mission July 25-August 1. The Rev. Jackie Cooper, pastor, will conduct these services the public in invited to attend.

LIONS SPEAKER

A young man from the State Department who recently has returned from an assignment in Nicaragua will be the speaker at the Southport Lions Club tomorrow (Thursday) at 6:30 o'clock. The meeting will be held at Trade Winds Restaurant,



Visitor From Central America

VISITOR-Mrs. Eva Gray and Burnett Coleman are shown welcoming IFYE Delegate, Miss Maria Herrera of Costa Rica, to Brunswick county. (left to right Mrs. Gray, Miss Herrera and Burnett Coleman, Assistant Agricultural Extension Agent.

# Girl From Costa Rico In County

Brunswick is host this month to an International Farm Youth Exchange Student, Miss Maria Herrera of Costa Rico, who is the first IFYE delegate ever visit this county.

Miss Herrera is spending July 6-22 here. She is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Gray in Supply and throughout her stay she will be attending 4-H Club meetings and Home Demonstration club meetings and will be taking part in some of the social activities that people from Brunswick county enjoy. She will also be on a tour of Wilmington one of the days she

is in Brunswick, Miss Merrera has 6 brothers and 2 sisters. She speaks Spanish and understands English if spoken slowly. She is 26 years of age. She came to Brunswick county from Hillsboro and her next stop is Illinois where she will spend

Miss Herrera was honored with a tea by the 4-H County Council on July 6, the date of her arrival in Brunswick, at the Extension Service Building in Supply. She was introduced to leaders and 4-H members who were present.

Any Civic Club or organization which would like to have her attend one of their meetings, should contact Mrs. Eva Gray or call the Extension Office in

#### Southport Man Is Honored By Hiway Group

Officials of the Ocean Hiway ssociation surprised Roy Stevens, past president of that when they attended a dinner meeting of the Brunswick Resources velopment Commission Monday night at the Trade Winds Restaurant at Long Beach and honor-ed him for his services while serving president of that organization last year.

Stevens is now executive director of the Brunswick County Re-Development Com-

H. Lloyd Macklen of Myrtle Beach, S. C., past president of the Association and presently the Association's state vice chairman of South Carolina, presented Stevens with a

plaque which read:
"To Roy A. Stevens — for unselfish dedication, exceptional leadership and outstanding accomplishments as president of the Ocean Hiway Association.

Fred Brinkman, executive director of the OHA and now residing in Virginia Beach, Va., thanked both the Resources Development Commission for Brunswick County and the Greater Chamber of Commerce of Jacksonville for "sharing Roy and his time" with the Association.

J. E. L. Wade, founder and past president of the OHA and a past mayor of Wilmington, presented Stevens with an engraved "key to the city" of Wilmington, on behalf of Wilmington Mayor O. O. Alls-

Wade also represented the Association in presenting a silver set to Stevens in appreciation for his work during the past year. Among the OHA officials

present for the dinner meet-G. Travis of Jackson-

ville, OHA director and North Carolina president of the Association; M. Bishop Alex-(Continued On Page Four)

#### County Board **Holds Session**

The Brunswick County Board of Education met in a special session Monday and the Shallotte School committee represented by Edwin Clemmons, J. E. Kirby, Sam Inman and Wilton Harrelson met with the board.

committee asked for a definition of the duties of the local school committee regarding teacher certificate, school store, school lunchroom, milk program and school accreditation.

The bill in the amount of \$374.40 from the Shallotte Armory officials was discussed as to who should be responsible. The board requested that a check be made as to the agreement between the school committee and the armory officials for the use of the armory.

The Shallotte committee stated

they would discuss the purchase of furniture for the new classroom and report back to the county board. An accreditation of Shallotte

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reported to be good.

and Germany.

Holden Beach was

pre-induction examina

Brunswick Interested

**Erosion Study Report Filed** 

**Roy Stevens Honored** 

AWARD-Roy Stevens right, executive director of the Brunswick County Re-

sources Development Commission, was honored Monday night by several officials of the Ocean Hiway Association, which he headed as president last year. Here he is shown receiving a plaque from J. E. L. Wade of Wilmington, a former presid-

ent and one of the organizers of the OHA.

Brunswick Beaches

The Wilmington District Engineer and the South Atlantic

Division Engineer, Corps of Engineers, have submitted their

Carolina between Cape Fear and

the North Carolina-South Caro-

lina State Line. The study area

included the entire ocean frontage

of Brunswick County and includes

port and the barrier island chain

made up of Smith Island; Oak Is-

pon Beach and rong Beach; Holden Beach; Ocean Isle Beach; Sunset Beach, and Bird Island.

Damage to property, resulting from hurricane winds, storm

tides, and wave action have been

nerable to future storms.

Beach, Holden Beach, Ocean

Isle Beach, and Sunset Beach.

shorelines would consist of a

dune, having an elevation of 20

feet above mean sea level, which

is constructed integrally with a

beach berm, having an eleva-

tion of 15 feet above mean sea

level. Dune stabilization would

be accomplished by planted vege-

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Time And Tide

had been called out the night before our edition of July 10, 1935,

to rescue a yacht off Wrightsville Beach. Mrs. E. H. Cranmer,

member of the local school committee at Southport, was not the

followed by Highway No. 130 for a proposed paving project.

survey had begun to determine the most suitable route to be

The Amuzu theatre in Southport had been closed for repairs: "knee-

Kenneth McDonald in a ceremony performed at Trinity Methodist

Church, with the Rev. Henry Ruark, cousin of the bride officiating.

The year was 1940, the date July 10, and the Democrats were: off to Chicago for their National Convention, with the North Caro-

lina delegation was S. B. Frink, who was heading west to help nominate F. D. R. for a third term. Shrimp were late arriving,

but finally they had appeared in good number. Sports fishing was

by walking a second story ledge after being locked up in the local law office of attorney R. I. Mintz; Mrs. F. Mollycheck had landed a cat (feline) on a fishing rig she had left baited after pulling it from

the water; and a new and short-lived column showed up in The

The war years, July 11, 1945, and the Allies were going all out to force the Japanese to surrender. John B. Ward, Waccamaw township farmer, said that his tobacco crop was the best he had

ever grown. Warrant Officer James McKeithan had received the Bronz Star Medal for meritorious service in Holland, Belgium

stories of men returning from service; but there was another front page story relorting that a large group had reported for

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having a good season; there were several

Pilot that week. "Sport Stuff", by David Watson.

Jack, the town's pet pointer, had attracted attention to himself

The Naugatuck, Coast Guard patrol boat stationed at Southport,

The improvements along the

the mainland community of South-

### findings on a study made for hurricane - protective measures for the coastal area of North Forthcoming Derby Focuses On Crabs

to take the champion Brunswick

That is the question being asked

compete against champion

North Carolina last year dis-

placed Florida to become the

third highest crab-producing

state in the nation, according to

the State Department of Conser-

vation and Development. Almost

25 million pounds of hard blue

crabs were landed at state ports.

Production of hard blue crabs

in Brunswick last year and on which the state tax of 10 cents

per barrel was paid totaled 696

120-pound barrels, the C&D De-

The crab derby in which the

crabs race (sometime run and

sometime crawl) down a 15-

foot plyboard is staged for the

primary purpose of stimulating

greater interest in production and

processing of hard blue crabs in

North Carolina. It was held at

The unique derby is sponsored

Plans call for a number of

this year by the Greater Wil-

mington Chamber of Commerce

and the State Department of Con-

other events at Carolina Beach

on Derby Day, according to Van

Reid, executive vice president

of the Greater Wilmington Cham-

ber of Commerce. The derby will

Defense Strategy Seminar for

1965, during the period June 20-

Defense Strategy Seminars are

conducted for two weeks each

summer at The National War

College under the direction of

the Joint Chiefs of Staff. Ap-

serve Component Officers of all

the military services attended

this year's seminar, the purpose

of which is to develop a fuller

appreciation of the various as-

In view of the purpose and

nature of the seminar and the

very limited quotas provided each

of the Armed Services, selec-

tion for attendance is considered

pects of national security.

a distinct honor.

servation and Development.

partment reported.

Long Beach in 1962.

as Brunswick crab "experts" are

reported to be training their "meanest and ornierest" crabs

ducing counties in the state.

31, at 11 a. m.?

is No. 1.

Southport Boy

hard blue crab to represent the county in the Fifth Annual North Carolina Crab Derby set for Carolina Beach on Saturday, July Louis David Dixon, son of Mrs. Louise Dixon, Southport, was sworn into the State Highway Patrol at ceremonies July 1. The 23 year old trooper was one of 50 new patrolmen authorized

severe on the developed barrier by the General Assembly. islands in the area. The erosive He attended West Orange, High School in New Jersey and Tenwaves has caused a considerable nessee Wesleyan College and was loss of beach and dune material a driver license and has left many areas vulexaminer of the Department of Motor Vehicles in Asheville.

The report is only partially Trooper Dixon is married to favorable in that the reporting the former Charlene Norton of Erie, Tenn.

officers find conditions which could be improved economically He is a member of Pi Kappa are along the developed ocean Phi and the family attends the shorelines of Yaupon Beach, Long

Methodist church.

#### **Brunswick 4-H Members Win**

Approximately 25 4-H members from Brunswick county, their leaders and some parents attended the District Demonstration Day held at Union Pines High School, Cameron, on June

Among the demonstrations that boys and girls from Brunswick participated in several awards were received

Lynn Hewett received a white ribbon for the dairy foods demonstration entitled "A Cottage Full of Cheese." Lynn also received a white ribbon on the public speaking event.

Linda Cheers received a blue ribbon in the girls demonstration on electricity. The title of her demonstration was "Light and

only woman school committee member in Brunswick, for Mrs. Don Evans and Bill Fowler re-J. E. Dodson had been named to a similar position at Waccamaw. ceived a white ribbon for their Farmer Cooperative Demonstra-

Kenneth Hewett received a red action" had been introduced as a feature on one of the popular new ribbon for his Forestry Demonautomobiles; and Miss Marion Ruark had become the bride of stration and also received a red ribbon in the public speaking contest. Gloria Clemmons received a red ribbon for her fruit and vegetable demonstration.

Also receiving a red ribbon was Richard Jones for his livestock onservation demonstration.

Harvey Bell was first runnerup in the Tractor Driving Contest July 2. in a very difficult composition.

Doing an outstanding job of representing Brunswick county in the talent contest were Kathy and Vivian Richardson in a vocal duet and Kathy Ward doing a piano solo, Kathy received a blue ribbon proximately 200 selected Reand will represent Brunswick County at 4-H Club Week in Raleigh July 26-30, and will participate in the State Talent Show on the evening of July 29. Richard Jones and Steve Hewett did a miscellaneous act called "Hambone" in the talent contest. Susan Gray was selected as

first alternate in the dress revue. Leaders attending and assist-

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# Study Fe Assembly

Churc.

The Church Music Come which is held annually at North Carolina Baptist Assem.

is in progress this week.

It is sponsored by the Church
Music Department of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina under the direction of Joseph O. Stroud.

An evening worship will be held every evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. Eugene Owens, professor of preaching at Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Wake Forest, is the conference pastor.

At 8:15 o'clock evening a concert will be presented, Monday night, Delores Poovey, soprano, performed. On Tuesday night, Hal Tyson, who is the 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Tyson of Wilson, gave a piano concert. His composition "Three Pieces for Piano" won first prize last year in the composition contest at the Contemporary Music Festival at East Carolina Col-

lege in Greenville.

Judi Pinnix, mezzo-soprano, and David Pinnix, pianist, will give a joint concert tonight (Wednesday). Judi is from Lillington and is a graduate of Meredith College in Raleigh and the Eastman School. David and Judi have returned from Rome, Italy, where David has been studying under a Fulbright Scholarship. In September he will become a member of the piano faculty of Greens-

The Intermediate Choirs in Concert will be heard Thursday. ducted by Donald Plott, who is Director of the Music Department of Davidson College, will present "A German Requiem" by Johannes Brahms. This great choral work, for solo voices, chorus, and orchestra occupies a unique position among the works of the master. The symmetry and perfect equlibrium of all its parts stamp the work as a product of Brahms' complete maturity, and this perfect fulfillment of his self-imposed task reveals the composer at the very height of his

The public is cordially invited to attend the various concerts.

#### Welfare Board Now Has Five

Three new members of the Brunswick County Board of Public Welfare were sworn in by J. E. Brown, Brunswick County Clerk of Court Monday. were Clifford P. Clark of Leland for a three year term, Dalton B. Simmons of Ash for a one year term and J. B. Ward, Jr., of Longwood for a three year North Carolina was slightly behind Maryland, the No. 2 state in crab production. Virginia

Other board members are James M. Wolfe, Southport, and Ernest M. McGee, Jr., Leland. A county may have a three or a five member board. The board of county commissioners recently requested a shift to the five member board. This board is composed of two members appointed by the commissioners, two members appointed by the State Board of Public Welfare and one member selected by these four mem-

Board members should be representative, public spirited lay citizens and demonstrated concern for the social needs of the county and should not be selected to represent any special group or professional affiliation. They must be able to give the necessary time to attend board meetings regularly and must not use their membership on the

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#### Tide Table be a free attraction. Following is the tide Brunswick Man

table for Southport during the week. These hours aare approximately correct and were furnished The State Port Pilot through the courtesy of the Cape Fear Pilot's Association. HIGH LOW TIDE TABLE

THURSDAY, JULY 15, 3:06 A. M. 8:45 A. M. 3:00 P. M. 9:12 P. M. FRIDAY, JULY 16, 9:21 A. M. 3:43 A. M. 9:45 P. M. 3:37 P. M. SATURDAY, JULY 17. 9:57 A. M. 4:20 A. M 10:17 P. M. 4:45 P. M SUNDAY, JULY 18, 10:35 A. M. 4:57 A 10:52 P. M. 4:56 F MONDAY, JULY 19. 11:19 A. M. 5:35 11:31 P. M.

TUESDAY, JULY

WEDNESDAY, 0:16 A. M. 1:02 P. M.

12:07 A. M.

In High Office The National War College in Washington, D. C., announced that Major A. W. Taylor, a resident of Southport, participated in the