



Tees Off At Oak Island

PLAY—Mike Barber, editor of Golf and Club News of Quebec, Canada, is shown here as he tees off while playing in a foursome Tuesday with Agnew Fulcher, second from left, and Bob Smith, professional at Oak Island Club.

Heart Sunday Big Push In Fund Campaign

With Heart Month now in its third week, dedicated volunteers will use everything from smart socializing to door-to-door flying squad tactics to raise funds to fight heart disease.

The Heart-O-Rama Dance will be held at the Shalotte Armory Friday night at 7:30 o'clock with music by the Escorts and Carnations. These are all Brunswick County talents, musicians, dancers, shindig girls devoting their time to fighting this dread disease.

The HeartO-Rama Country Style show will travel to Leland High School this week on Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock. The Southern Harmonizers, Freedom Gospel Singers, WVCB's Hired Hands, and Cowboy Durbin Varman with his singing, swinging guitar. Entertainment like this all goes for the Heart Fund.

On Sunday the fund campaign reaches a peak with a door-to-door solicitation of funds. Under chairmanship of Mrs. Freeman Hewett, over 200 volunteers will personally canvass residence of the area. Special squads will call on from 15 to 25 houses each.

Volunteers will leave an envelope at homes where there is no answer. These may be filled with a contribution and mailed to the Brunswick County Heart Fund or given to the area chairman.

"In determining the size of your gift, remember you are giving for every heart you love; heart disease is a family problem. It affects young children, teen-agers, young adults, middle-aged bread-winners and senior citizens. So give generously," urges Mrs. Hewett. Community chairman throughout the county are: Holden Beach, (Continued On Page Four)

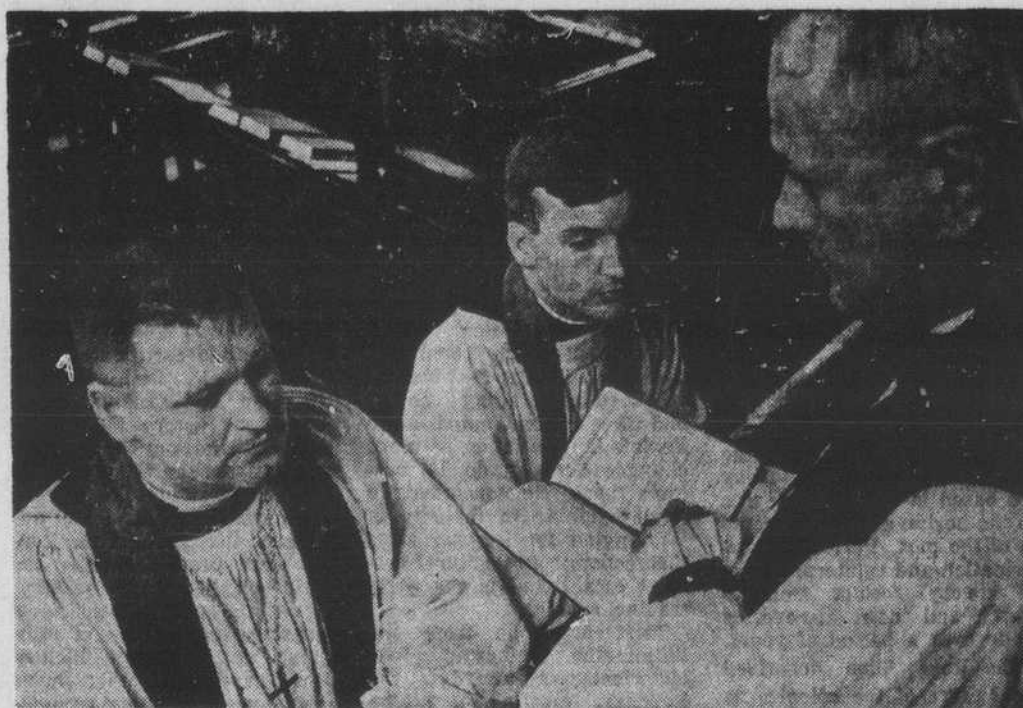
Need Volunteers For Gray Ladies

Volunteer workers are needed for the Gray Ladies serving at Doshier Memorial Hospital in Southport. The group is being reorganized and new helpers are needed so that a full Gray Lady Service program can be maintained.

Gray Ladies are women who give personal services that contribute to the comfort and recovery of the sick, the injured or the handicapped. The work done ranges from writing letters, reading and shopping for patients to aiding the hospital staff so that they may be freed from non-medical tasks. This program provides satisfaction to the volunteer worker because she has certain knowledge that she is performing a needed and a helpful service.

The Gray Ladies are a national organization and a branch of the American Red Cross.

In Southport the Gray Lady program was initiated in 1962 and with the help of the high school age group, the Candy Strippers, has been a great help to both patients and the hospital. At the hospital staff's request the Southport Junior Woman's Club is at (Continued On Page Four)



Ordination At St. Phillips

CEREMONY—The Rev. James Frederick Fordham, left, and the Rev. Thomas Clark Kehayes were ordained priests in the Episcopal Church Tuesday by Bishop Thomas H. Wright. The Rev. Mr. Fordham is rector of St. Phillips in Southport, scene of the ordination ceremony.

Two Ordained For Ministry Here Tuesday

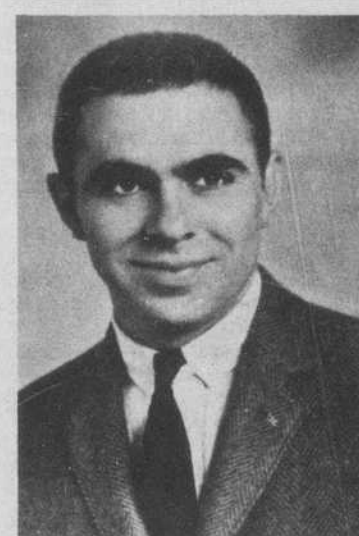
Two young men were ordained to the ministry of the Episcopal Church in a colorful ceremony Tuesday in St. Philip's Church, Southport, James Frederick Fordham and Thomas Carl Kehayes were advanced to the priesthood by the Rt. Rev. Thomas H. Wright, Bishop of East Carolina, assisted by eighteen attending clergy.

The Preface was read by the Rev. George B. Homes, rector of St. Paul's Church, Edenton. The sermon was preached by the Rev. William L. Smith, rector of St. Anne's Church, Jacksonville. The Litany was read by the Rev. Henry Johnston, rector of Holy Trinity Church,

Fayetteville. The Epistle was read by the Rev. Edward T. Small, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd Church, Wilmington, and the Holy Gospel was read by the Rev. Hunley A. Elebash, Executive Secretary of the Diocese of East Carolina. The ordinands were presented by the Rev. Howard T. Cutler of Holy Innocents Church, Lenoir County, and the Rev. Mr. Smith.

The altar linens used for the service were a gift to the old St. Philip's Church in Brunswick Town from Queen Anne in 1756, and are used only on special occasions. Following the service the congregation entertained the clergy and their families and visitors for luncheon at the Boiling Springs Lakes clubhouse.

The Rev. Mr. Fordham is the rector of St. Philip's Church, Southport and the Rev. Mr. Kehayes is assistant rector at St. Anne's Church, Southport.



JOHN L. BARBEE



J. W. ROBINSON

Two Candidates For Commissioner



SHIRLEY CAROLYN EVANS

Two candidates have announced for the Democratic nomination for member of the Board of County Commissioner, one for Smithville and the other for Lockwoods Folly, and neither has ever run for public office before.

John L. Barbee has announced that he will seek the democratic nomination for county commissioner of Smithville Township. He is a member of the founding family of Yaupon Beach.

In announcing he said, "that the greatest needs of Brunswick's people are the improvement of its educational and medical facilities. Through the office of commissioner, I will work toward the improvement of these facilities and the progress of the county as a whole."

Barbee has plans to meet as many of the citizens of Brunswick county as possible before the election. He stated that he welcomed the chance to talk with any civic or fraternal group in the county.

He attended Southport School and graduated from State College in Industrial Arts. He is a past vice-president of Brunswick Chamber of Commerce, a committee member for "Operation Upgrade", member of the North Carolina Education Association, and a director of Southport's P.T.A. Halloween Carnival. He teaches math at Southport High School. He is a vice-president of Barbee's Inc., a corporation that has developed Yaupon Beach and much of its surrounding area.

The former Catherine Walton of Wilmington is the candidate's wife, and they have one son, John, Jr., who is nine months old.

J. W. Robinson is a native of Brunswick county who wandered far from home and through many interesting experiences before he returned home four years ago to go in business near the place where he was born.

He owns and operates the Ebb-Tide Restaurant at Holden Beach. He has participated in numerous promotional efforts for the development of Brunswick county and took an active interest in the political campaigns during 1964.

During his youth he spent several years as a jockey, riding mounts on several leading eastern racetracks. Later he organized and led his own swing dance band. Once he was married, he decided it was time to settle down, and he knew the place to do it—right here in Brunswick county.

His wife helps him in his restaurant operation. The only other political ac- (Continued On Page Four)

One Contestant Enters Pageant

There is one contestant for the title of Miss Brunswick this week as a reminder is passed along that February 24 is the deadline for entries.

Mrs. Shirley Ward, pageant director for the sponsoring Shalotte Jaycees, urges young ladies who are toying with the idea of entering not to let the deadline catch them. "We are anxious to have a large list of contestants this year," she said this week. (Continued On Page Four)

Homecoming At BCHS Friday

Homecoming at Brunswick County High School will be celebrated on Friday evening at 7 o'clock in the school gymnasium.

The Brunswick County High School band will strike up a tune promptly at that hour. Among the activities planned will be departmental dance, including students from kindergarten through grade 9; the crowning of the Miss Homecoming Queen for the year 1965-66; basketball game between the B.C.H.S. Lions and the Union Bears; recognition of guests and graduates of the school.

Refreshments will be on sale throughout the evening. Funds raised will be used to help pay for band uniforms and for other school expenditures.

Time And Tide

Members of the board of alderman for the City of Southport were working on a project for a new cemetery, to be located on the property near the CCC camp site. Incidentally, Camp Sapona was under quarantine because of a mild epidemic of influenza in this area.

This was happening during the week of February 19, 1936. The WPA payroll, a sum of about \$5,000 twice each month, was a boost to the county economy; shad fishermen were reporting good luck; and there were signs that this would be a good season for horse traders, as several truckloads of farm animals had been seen in and about the county.

Five years later to the day and final census figures for 1940 showed Brunswick with a total population of 17,125. Lockwoods Folly led all other townships with 3,433 people. Dr. Archibald Henderson, professor at UNC, had recently written an account of a duel involving Robert Howe, a native of Brunswick, and this piece was lifted from his history book and was reprinted in The Pilot.

A group of Cabarrus county fox hunters had enjoyed good sport on a recent expedition to this county, and Orton Nursery was in the news due to their use of live fishworms to turn the dirt in pots where plants had been transplanted.

February 13, 1946, and there was a front page picture announcing that George Warren, who had served as executive officer at the Navy Section Base at Fort Caswell during World War II, was going into business in Whiteville. REA officials had expressed an interest in helping to bring telephone service to customers in Brunswick county.

Brunswick county had exceeded its quota in the March of Dimes; the foundation was poured for the new Smith-Douglas plant at Navassa; and the old prison farm on Brunswick River was being offered for sale by the State Highway Commission. (Continued On Page Four)

Weed Growers In Whiteville Meeting Friday

L. T. Weeks, general manager of Flue-Cured Tobacco Cooperative Stabilization Corporation, and the Cooperative's Director from District Number 4, James B. Pate of Rowland, announced this week the 8th annual stabilization district meeting for the tobacco growers in District Number 4 will be held in Whiteville at the County Agricultural Building on February 18, beginning at 2 p. m.

This district includes the following counties from the Border Belt of North Carolina: Anson, Richmond, Scotland, Robeson, Columbus, Brunswick, New Hanover, Bladen and Cumberland.

Both Weeks and Pate stated that the meeting is being held solely for the benefit of tobacco growers and others interested in tobacco. An informative program has been planned highlighted by an optimistic report from stabilization's staff concerning the previous year's operations and the outlook for the future.

John D. Palmer, president of Tobacco Associates, Inc., or his representative will discuss the recent activities of that organization's efforts to promote increased exports of flue-cured tobacco. W. H. W. (Bill) Anderson, executive secretary of Tobacco Growers' Information Committee, will discuss current problems confronting the industry, including comments on tobacco taxation and the health issue.

Stabilization's members elect annually at the district meeting an advisory committee from each county in the district. These committeemen serve the vital function of helping to disseminate information regarding stabilization's operations to other tobacco growers in their area as well as to the general public.

Both Weeks and Pate pointed out that this meeting offers an excellent opportunity for every grower in the district to learn more about the tobacco program. They encourage all growers to be in Whiteville at the County Agricultural Building on Friday to participate in this meeting.

Brief Bits Of NEWS

ACCIDENTAL DEATH
Following a coroner's inquest Friday night into the death of Mrs. Mildred Pearl King the jury found that the fatal pistol wound was the result of an accident and her husband, William Erman King, was freed from blame.

GOSPEL SING
A Gospel Sing will be held at Bolivia High School auditorium, Saturday, beginning at 8 p. m., featuring the Hickman Family, New Gospel Singers, Southern Harmonizers, Richardson Family, and the Gospelbeers. Proceeds will be for the benefit of the building fund of Shiloh Methodist Church.



Shells And Crabs

BEACHCOMBING—Clarence Murphy, Yaupon Beach building contractor, is shown here holding up one of the scores of big stone crabs that washed up along with bushels of conch shells and other marine life at the lower end of Long Beach as a result of Sunday's storm. Shell collectors had a field day Tuesday.

Group Presents Brunswick Story

Five Brunswick county citizens interested in and working for greater industrial development of their area were told in Raleigh Monday of the basic requirements industry needs before it will consider plant locations.

The group met with Dan E. Stewart, director, William J. Griffin, assistant director, and staff members of the Department of Conservation and Development's Commerce and Industry Division to discuss ways and means of securing more industry for the county.

Stewart stressed the need of a community having adequate utilities such as water, sewage disposal facilities, electric power, and well-planned sites before it invites industrial prospects to see what it has to offer. Attending the meeting from

Brunswick were W. A. Powell, Southport, chairman of the Brunswick County Resources De- (Continued On Page Four)

Decorated By Vice-President

Vice President Hubert Humphrey decorated a North Carolina airman Saturday for courageous action in the Viet Nam conflict.

It was one of several decorations Humphrey bestowed while on a tour of U.S. military installations.

On S.Sgt. Leon Fullwood of Southport, N.C., he pinned the Distinguished Service Cross. Afterward the vice president lunched with a group of officers and enlisted men of the 3rd Tactical Air Wing.