



Visits Antique Show

**PURCHASER** — Chris Robinson, star of the "Twelve O'clock High" TV series, examines an antique inkwell prior to purchase from Mrs. Eugene Tomlinson's display at the Azalea Antique Show held last week in conjunction with the festival. Robinson, a collector of inkwells, stated that this was one of the most unusual he had ever seen.

## Pretty Pond Site For Girl Scout Camping

Registrations are being accepted now for Girl Scout Camps Trilliee and Pretty Pond. Both camps are operated by the Girl Scout Council of Coastal Carolina. Trilliee is located near Goldsboro, and Pretty Pond, a waterfront specialty camp, is located near Boiling Spring Lakes in Brunswick county.

Camp dates are: Session 1 - Sunday, June 19; Saturday, July 2; Session 2 - Sunday, July 3; Saturday, July 16. Camp Trilliee will have a third session, Sunday, July 17; Saturday, July 30. Girls interested in attending either camp may register through the Girl Scout office in Goldsboro. Both camps are open to all girls. However, there is a swimming and age requirement at Camp Pretty Pond, Cadette and Senior Girl Scouts, and non-scouts who have completed the sixth grade and have passed the Red Cross beginner swimming test or its equivalent, may attend Pretty Pond. The aquatic program includes swimming, water skiing, canoeing, sailing and boating.

## Brief Bits Of NEWS

**REVIVAL SERVICES**  
Revival services are now in progress in the Southport Baptist Church with Dr. Carlton S. Prickett as guest preacher. They will extend through Sunday night, with services at 7:30 o'clock each evening.

**RABIES CLINIC**  
H. T. Blowner will be at Long Beach City Hall to vaccinate dogs for rabies from 9 to 3 p.m. on Saturday. On Saturday of next week he will be in Southport at the Fire Station from 9 until 3 p.m.

**FIRE STATION CALLS**  
Southport citizens are requested by the Southport Fire Department not to call the fire number except in case of fire or emergency requiring rescue operations. Members of this group are unpaid volunteers who should not be disturbed except for emergency calls.

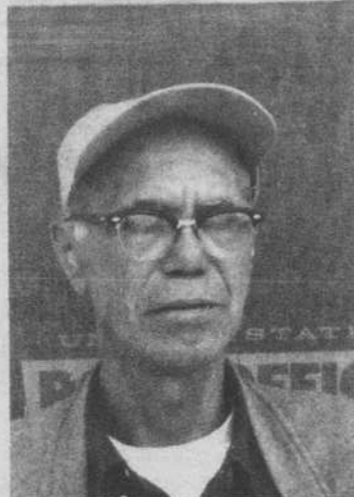
## Important School Matters Discussed

The Brunswick County Board of Education met Tuesday night and approved principals and teachers for seven of the 10 schools in the county system. W. B. Johnson has resigned as principal at Shallotte High School, effective, April 28. No successor was approved to fill this vacancy. Edwin F. Currie has resigned as principal at Waccamaw High School and John G. Long has been recommended to fill this vacancy. The action of the local committee was approved by the Board of Education.

T. M. Lee, who is serving as principal at Southport High School since the resignation of L. R. Biggerstaff on April 1, was recommended for election as principal by the local committee and this action was approved by the county board.

T. L. Davis was recommended for reelection as principal of Bolivia High School by his local committee, and this was ratified by the Board of Education. Similar action was taken with regard to A. C. Caviness at Brunswick County High School, James F. Clemmons at Lincoln High School; Henry B. Green at Cedar Grove; and Winston E. Brown at Piney Grove.

Action was tabled on election of a principal at Leland High School, where Rickfellow Venter did not apply for reelection. A delegation appeared at the board (Continued On Page Six)



APPOINTED

J. W. Tate, formerly of High Point, who went to work April 1 as building inspector for the Town of Long Beach. He is now a full-time resident of the beach community.

## Attends Meet In Washington

Mrs. Irene B. Hankins attended the annual convention of the American Personnel and Guidance Association, which convened in Washington, D. C. the week of April 4-7.

Mrs. Hankins is a counselor in the Brunswick County School System.

The 8,000 counselors who attended grappled with the challenges presented to them by disadvantaged youth, by problems of older citizens, the emotionally disturbed, and the need for new approaches to vocational education in light of a changing technological society.

Under the general theme of "Man in the World Society: Heritage, Status, Promise," main sessions focused on "The Family in the World Society," "Man in the Urban Condition," and the "Promise of Innovations," which emphasized the individual and his heritage, implications of contemporary society, and a look into innovative developments for the future.

A great number of guidance authorities and government personalities presented papers and had discussions on the general themes. These included vice-pres. Humphrey; Congresswoman Edith Green and Patsy Mink; (Continued On Page 4)

## Group Studies Plans For Help In New Program

Procedures for obtaining federal funds to help towns and counties finance public works and through them create new jobs resulting in a higher standard of living were explained at a conference here last week.

Grants up to 80 per cent of the cost of water and sewer projects are available to corporate bodies for financing various projects to the end that more people will have jobs and more people will become taxpayers to repay through taxes the original grants.

The program was outlined during a meeting at the Agriculture Building by Charles E. Edwards, Economic Development Administration coordinator for North Carolina, and John R. Hampton, appointed by Governor Moore to represent the state in matters involving the EDA.

Columbus county is eligible for such grants not because of poverty but because over 6 per cent of residents were unemployed last year. Either one or both can be used as justification for a request.

County commissioners are authorized to make the initial request by resolution. That done, an overall program citing what projects will be pursued will be required before a grant can be made.

Normally, it was said, the grant for a project will be 50 per cent of the cost but additional funds up to 80 per cent may be obtained when such additional needed money can't be obtained from local financial sources.

Mainly, the program is aimed at industrial development which includes providing water mains and a sewage disposal system either within or outside incorporated towns for immediate and long-range development.

Grants may also be used for providing highways and railroad spurs to potential industrial sites so that, in the event a prospect is interested in locating on a site, water and sewer, roads and railroad spur are already here waiting for you.

The program in essence, speakers said, is a "money-making" promotion. The idea is designed to provide employment and thus add taxpayers. Whether county people plan to (Continued On Page 4)



First Woman Alderman

**SWORN IN** — Mrs. Dorothy Gilbert is shown here being sworn in before Clerk of Court Jack Brown as a member of the Southport Board of Aldermen. She will fill the unexpired term of her late husband, J. A. Gilbert. (Strong photo)

## Woman Sworn In As Board Member Here

Mrs. Dorothy Gilbert was sworn in Monday at noon as the first woman member of the Board of Aldermen in the history of Southport. The oath was administered by Clerk of Court Jack Brown.

Mrs. Gilbert will fill the unexpired term of her late husband, J. A. Gilbert. She is a housewife and successful business woman, having been engaged in the ownership and management of a beauty shop and a florist shop.

The new member of the Board of Aldermen is the daughter of Mrs. Lizzie Robinson and the late D. C. Robinson. The latter was well known in Brunswick county political circles. Her sister, Mrs. Ressie Whitley, is Brunswick county auditor.

Attending the ceremony here Monday were her mother, her sister, her daughter, Mrs. Jean Kenny, and her grandson, Jimmie Kenny.

## Most Nominations Will Be Contested

Roney W. Cheers filed as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Clerk of Court but withdrew, leaving Jack Brown unopposed as the filing deadline for the May Primary was reached Friday.

Brown will be without opposition in the fall, as the Republicans, for the first time in many years, failed to file a full slate of candidates.

Another candidate without opposition is Arthur J. Doshier for the Board of Education from Southport School District. For this office the final election is in May. Doshier, veteran member of this board, has taken a strong stand in favor of consolidation of the high schools of Brunswick county.

Also without opposition in the primary and general election is Lowell Bennett, Brunswick county coroner, now completing his eighth year in this office.

Three candidates for the Democratic nomination for the board of county commissioners are without opposition in the primary. They are Parley Formyduval, Waccamaw township, member of the present board; D. G. Frink, Shallotte township, member of the present board; and V. A. Creech, Town Creek township.

Commissioners facing opposition are T. S. Bowmer, being opposed for the Democratic nomination for representative from Smithville township by John L. Barbee; A. Clemm Holden, being opposed by J. W. Robinson and H. T. Sellers for nomination to the board from Lockwoods Folly; and George T. Ruark, who is Clyde Collier and Mrs. Estelle Crutchfield. Two candidates will be nominated, and there is an informal agreement that each county in the district Brunswick and Columbus, will be represented.

There is a five-man contest for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff, with E. V. Leonard being a candidate for reelection. His opponents include David Swain, Daught Tripp, Woodrow Russ and Johnnie R. Corbett.

Odell Williamson has no Brunswick county opponent for nomination as one of the two Democratic candidates for the House of Representatives from the 13th District. However, he must run in with two-county race against Arthur W. Williamson, Clyde Collier and Mrs. Estelle Crutchfield. Two candidates will be nominated, and there is an informal agreement that each county in the district Brunswick and Columbus, will be represented.

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## Judging Team Finishes 8th

By MILTON COLEMAN  
The Brunswick County 4-H Livestock Judging Team tied for 8th place in the Kinston Junior Livestock Judging Contest last Thursday.

The team members are Kenneth Hewett, Roy Hewett, Steve Hewett and Richard Jones. An alternate was Jimmy Gray. Four boys participate as a team and the three highest scores make up the team score.

There were fourteen teams entering the contest, many having already entered five and six other contests. This was the first contest of the year for the Brunswick team.

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## Farm Referenda Scheduled April

By ARCHIE F. MARTIN - Wednesday, April 27, is referendum day for livestock and commercial egg producers.

Swine producers will vote for or against an assessment of five cents per head for all hogs sold for slaughter through hog buying stations, auction markets and meat packers in North Carolina. This money will be used for promotional, educational and research programs approved by the board of directors of the N. C. Pork Producers Association. If the vote is favorable the program will remain in effect for the next three years.

Beef cattle producers will vote for or against an assessment of 10 cents per head on cattle sold for slaughter. The seller of the cattle may ask for a refund of the assessment by writing to the N. C. Cattlemen's Association within 30 days of sale. The money collected is used to maintain an office for the Cattlemen's Association; an executive secretary is employed to do a continuing job of promoting the consumption, sale and use of N. C. grown beef, using whatever media is most effective. This assessment will also be for a three-year period if the vote is favorable.

Egg producers will vote for or (Continued On Page Six)

## Time And Tide

Three members of the Cape Fear Pilots Association had had a thrilling experience on the Thursday before our issue for April 22, 1966. The bilge pump on the little pilot boat, the R. R. Stone, had become disabled and the craft had filled with water. The men of the Oak Island Coast Guard station saw the distressed craft and rescued all hands aboard. The late Dr. Roy C. Daniels had been elected president of the Southport Building and Loan Association, succeeding his father, the late J. N. Daniels, in that office.

Dr. Ralph McDonald, candidate for governor, was coming to Southport for a Saturday speech; the thermometer had dropped to a cool 39-degree reading during the previous weekend; and Ira Chadwick had been named the most athletic boy at Shallotte High School.

The paving project on the road to Long Beach was nearing completion, or at least it said so in the front page of The Pilot for April 23, 1941: Early truck crops produced in an experimental farming operation on Bald Head Island were harvested and on their way to market.

The late John Eriksen had been nominated for a fourth term as Mayor of Southport, young Joel Moore had decided to give up alligator hunting for the season after he had almost grabbed a rattlesnake by mistake; and Mrs. George Cannon of Bolivia was leading the Cancer Crusade for Brunswick county.

A letter from the White House revealed that the name of Mrs. Harry S. Truman had not been placed on the registration books at Orton Plantation by the First Lady, but by some prankster. That myth was exploded in our issue for April 17, 1946. The Highway Commission had erected a sign at Bell Swamp showing the distance to Southport to be 16 miles. It replaced the old sign showing the distance to be 17 miles; and the reason was not that the distance had been changed, but that the 17-mile sign was being confused by motorists as another marker on U. S. No. 17. (Continued On Page Four)

## Name Election Officials For Primary Date

H. Foster Mintz has been appointed to serve again as a member of the Brunswick county Board of Elections, along with Arthur Sue and L. C. Babson. Mintz will continue to serve as chairman.

At a meeting last week the following were appointed to serve as election officials in their respective precincts:

Hoods Creek: Registrar, G. W. Lennon; Democrat judge, Mrs. Mabel D. Williams; Democrat alternate judge, Mrs. Addie Scott; Republican judge, Rosell Skipper; Democrat clerk, Mrs. Eloise Brown, Republican clerk, Mrs. Agnes Skipper.

Leland: Registrar, L. H. Reynolds; Democrat judge, Elmer Acock; Democrat alternate judge, Mrs. Ella Perry; Republican judge, Thomas L. Gillis; Democrat clerk, Miss Louise Willis, Republican clerk, Mrs. Hertha Bell Chiles.

Town Creek: Registrar, Mrs. A. P. Henry, Jr.; Democrat judge, W. D. Lanier; Democrat alternate judge, Tate Gainsy; Republican judge, Woodus Mercer; Democrat clerk, Mrs. Elizabeth Goodman; Republican clerk, Mrs. Elizabeth Mercer.

Bolivia: Registrar, Royce Rabon; Democrat judge, L. J. McKeithan; Democrat alternate judge, Worth Mercer; Republican judge, Alfred Willetts; Democrat clerk, Mrs. M. F. Tatum; Republican clerk, Mrs. Eva Mae Willetts.

Southport No. I: Registrar, Mrs. Mary Bellows; Democrat judge, Mrs. Joe Norman; Democrat alternate judge, Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson; Republican judge, Mrs. Vera McKeithan; Democrat clerk, Mrs. Elinor Jackson; Republican clerk, Mrs. Dorcas Ann Lewis.

Southport No. II: Registrar, Miss Annie St. George; Democrat judge, Miss Elsket St. George; Democrat alternate judge, Mrs. Carrie Harker; Republican judge, Mrs. Elnore Potter; Democrat clerk, Mrs. Mez Adams; Republican clerk, Mrs. Ellen Watts.

Oak Island: Registrar, Sam Edwards; Democrat judge, Linwood King; Democrat alternate judge, Mrs. A. H. Cromer; Republican judge, Mrs. W. R. Price.

Mosquito: Registrar, C. S. Ward; Democrat judge, Mrs. Nancy Crouch; Democrat alternate judge, Clarence Lennon; Republican judge, Mrs. Willie Clemmons.

Supply: Registrar, Mrs. Velma Robinson; Democrat judge, Mrs. M. M. King; Democrat alternate judge, Mrs. J. N. Lancaster; Republican judge, J. Dewey Sellers; Democrat clerk, Mrs. Mary Randolph; Republican clerk, Mrs. (Continued On Page 4)

## Highway Claims Seventh Death

WINNABOW — A 70-year-old Leland man was killed approximately two miles north of here Sunday night when he walked into the path of an auto.

Patrolman G. C. Howell said Henry James of Route One, Leland walked into the path of an auto operated by Calvin Jones of Winnabow, who was traveling north on U.S. 17.

He said no charges would be made in connection with the accident, which occurred shortly after 8 p.m.

## 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 21.	
8:09 A M	2:22 A M
8:21 P M	2:28 P M
Friday, April 22.	
8:45 A M	2:58 A M
9:03 P M	3:04 P M
Saturday, April 23.	
9:21 A M	3:40 A M
9:45 P M	3:40 P M
Sunday, April 24.	
9:57 A M	4:22 A M
10:27 P M	4:22 P M
Monday, April 25.	
10:51 A M	5:16 A M
11:21 P M	5:16 P M
Tuesday, April 26.	
11:51 A M	6:10 A M
	6:10 P M
Wednesday, April 27.	
0:21 A M	7:10 A M
12:57 P M	7:16 P M