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Build Strong Bridge — Scott

Some 2,000 members of Brunswick Electric Membership Corporation listen while Lt. Gov. Robert W. Scott urges building of strong bridge to link today with to-

morrow for more informed people and better communities. Speaker is out of view to left. (Clemmons photo)

## Build For Future, Scott Tells REA

Those who direct the affairs of North Carolina are doing a good job by the people but there is still much to be done, Lt. Gov. Robert W. Scott declared in an address here Friday afternoon.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the Brunswick Electric Membership Corporation here, Scott said other states are eyeing progress being made in North Carolina in roads, education, mental health facilities, to mention some, and to such an extent that representatives are coming to the state for a first-hand view of the North Carolina way of doing things.

He told the 2,000 BEMC members present that only two other states have a lower government cost than the Tar Heel state, the state stands near the top in the smallness of capital debt and only four other states have fewer workers to run the state's business.

Still, he went on, there are deficiencies which must be met, one being the shortage of teachers for public schools (short 1,800 at the beginning of the current year), more must be done in the mental health field, greater attention must be given the state's water resources, and more hospitals are needed.

Declaring there are 5,000,000 people in North Carolina now, he urged more and better roads, more parks and centers for recreation and all because more cars are on the road and more people are taking to the outdoors since they have more leisure time than ever before.

Population-wise, he said the state is growing twice as fast as the national average and this is a challenge to every citizen. He said the electric cooperative and the state were similar in that both were controlled by

## Graduate 22 From Nurses Aid Course

Formal graduation exercises were held Monday morning in the Daughters of America Hall for the 22 members of the class of nurses aids that has been taught at Doshier Memorial Hospital for the past several weeks.

Participating in the program were W. F. Cupit, hospital administrator, who presided; the Rev. Fred Fordham, who delivered the invocation and the benediction; Dr. Norman A. Templeton, who greeted the visitors and congratulated the graduates; Kirby Sullivan, who gave a brief graduation address; George Crowley of Cape Fear Technical Institute, which participated with Doshier Memorial Hospital hold this course; and by L. T. Yaskell, chairman of the board of trustees of the hospital, who delivered the certificates.

One of the most unusual things about the class is the fact that there were 18 students the first day, 22 students the second day and there never was a single instance of being absent or tardy.

The course included classroom instruction as well as practical training with patients at Doshier Memorial Hospital and at Ocean Trail Rest Home. The instructors were very complimentary about the way students carried out their assignments.

Completion of the course creates a valuable supply of practical nursing and service as nurses trained in the field of practical nursing and service as nurses aids in the hospital. In completing this course, the students have taken a step toward compliance with some of the requirements of medicare.



MRS. FRED SMITH

## Mrs. Fred Smith State Officer

Mrs. J. Fred Smith of Southport was installed as first vice-president of Alpha Delta Kappa, national professional sorority, at a banquet in the Heart of Charlotte Motel Saturday night.

Not only has Mrs. Smith been active in this organization and in her profession as a teacher, but as wife of the superintendent of the North Carolina Baptist Assembly she is kept busy on a year-round basis.

Mrs. Smith holds a B. S. degree in grammar grade, history, English and physical education from Appalachian State Teachers College. She has had graduate courses, workshops and summer school at East Carolina, Meredith, University at Raleigh and Wilmington College.

Her teaching experience includes English and physical education in Bladenboro, one year; elementary grades in Raleigh Schools, two years; fourth grade in Wake county, ten years; fourth

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## Fred W. Spencer Funeral Sunday

Frederick Waddell Spencer, 78, of Southport, died in Doshier Memorial Hospital, Southport, Friday night after a long illness.

He served on the board of Aldermen of Southport for 13 years and was a member of the Eyoeta Tribe No. 5, Improved Order of Red Men for 50 years.

Mr. Spencer was a Southport contractor for 45 years and was a life-long member of Antioch Baptist Church, having been ordained a deacon at the age of 18 and had served the church in all capacities over the years.

## More Training In Vocations Is Prospect

The consolidation of the high schools in Brunswick county would not only provide a comprehensive academic curriculum but also would allow for the development of an expanded and improved vocational program.

Since more than 50 per cent of the students are served by these programs, this is an important aspect of the total school program, according to Ralph C. King, assistant superintendent of the Brunswick County Schools.

These programs consist of courses such as vocational agriculture and home economics, trade programs such as welding, brick laying, cabinet making, marineology, and introductions to vocations courses. A vocational program offering on the job training is also available.

"Our eight high schools presently offer a total of 21 vocational education programs," King declared. "All schools have at least two vocational programs, with others having three programs and one school offering four programs. Should the eight schools be consolidated into three new schools as proposed by the Brunswick county Board of Education, subject to the approval of the \$1,500,000.00 bond issue on November the 8, and with our present vocational program, it would be reasonable to assume that each school could have 6 or 7 vocational programs. This would represent a broad comprehensive vocational curriculum, when properly organized and developed," King stated.

## Time And Tide

Thirty years ago this week the new flatbed press at The News Reporter Plant in Whiteville was used for the first time to print The Pilot. The most significant change was in the size of the paper which now went from seven to eight columns. There had been a general election the day before, and the late Clyde R. Hoey had been elected governor of North Carolina.

The season's first frost already had hit here, on October 30. The James Roosevelt yacht, Half-Moon, had been in the Southport harbor and a missing shrimp trawler had been found by the Coast Guard after her skipper had swam ashore to notify them of her position.

Five years later, on November 5, 1941, the Outdoor Writers were back in Southport and with them was the late Dr. T. Gilbert Pearson, noted ornithologist, who was back in his favorite haunts. State American Legion officials were coming here for a District meeting and there was a front page story telling that the CCC Camp at Bolton soon would be closed.

In connection with the coming of the Legionnaires we had one of the most ambitious co-op advertisements we ever carried in this newspaper. It was a double page spread, and there were 24 advertisers. The central theme was a welcome to the veterans at their meeting here.

The Pilot for November 6, 1946, showed scenes from the Halloween Carnival at Southport. Janice Swan was the queen, Gene Fulford was the king, and the crown bearer was little Michael Hardee.

Shalotte citizens were seeking dependable telephone service; the annual homecoming had been observed at New Hope Presbyterian Church at Winnabow and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Livingston had purchased the Episcopal Rectory. On the lighter side, a deer which had taken refuge from the hounds inside a wire enclosure at the Price farm near Southport had leaped nimbly from the pen once the disappointed dogs had dispersed.

Fifteen years ago this week plans for the U. S. Army Terminal at (Continued on Page Four)

## General Election Next Tuesday

### Schools Will Be Accredited In New Building

Should the \$1,500,000.00 proposed school bond issue be approved by the citizens of Brunswick county on November the 8 and the proposed new schools become a reality, they would be accredited high schools, according to George P. Williams, Superintendent of the Brunswick county schools.

"The State Department of Public Instruction would issue an interim accreditation for the new schools until the self-study and evaluation for each of the new schools could be completed, at which time the schools would, in all probability, be fully accredited by the N. C. State Department and also by the Southern Association of Schools and Colleges," Williams further stated.

"At the present time, only one high school in Brunswick county is accredited by the State Department of Public Instruction, under the new and recent standards. Most of the high schools in the county are presently accredited under the old standards (1930). However, in most cases this accreditation is in serious jeopardy due in part to poor and inadequate school facilities," Supt. Williams said.

### Halloween Fete Here Is Success

The Southport High School Halloween Carnival, last Friday night, was a big success, according to Principal T. M. (Pete) Lee and Coach Porky Mintz.

Though a final total was not released on the big event, it was certain that several hundred dollars was procured through the carnival. It will go toward purchasing a new sports and other activities bus for the school.

Mintz said a crowd of several hundred persons attended the carnival. "Even the afternoon session was good, attendance was fine for it," he said. The afternoon carnival session was added as a new attraction this year to enable persons who could not attend at night to participate.

There were many persons from out-of-town for the Southport Halloween fete, the officials said, including more adults than normally attends such an event here.

One of the most popular features, according to Mintz, was the auction sale at which products were furnished free of cost to the carnival sponsors, the Parent-Teachers Association and these were auctioned off to help in the final proceeds. A country store was another top feature, in addition to the usual features of the carnival.--(JIGGS POWERS).



Winners At Waccamaw

ROYALTY — Cathy Richardson was crowned queen and Jerry White was crowned king during coronation ceremonies at the Halloween Carnival Friday night at Waccamaw High School. Queen Cathy is a member of the freshman class while Jerry is a senior. (Photo by Mrs. R. Simons)



SHALLOTTE'S HOMECOMING QUEEN, Miss Christine Love (right), gets her crown from the 1965 Queen, Miss Leannah White, now a Fayetteville Methodist College freshman, as Pirate griddler Jerry Holden looks on. He sponsored the new Queen in the contest. The ceremony took place at the halftime of the Whiteville-Shalotte game, the Buc Homecoming tilt, Friday night —Elgie Clemmons photo.

## Little Enthusiasm Shown In Election

With the General Election less than one week away little excitement has been generated among the voters of Brunswick county. A light vote may be one result of this condition.

The fact that several Democrat candidates are unopposed probably accounts for some of the lack of activity. Clerk of

Court Jack Brown, Recorder Clinton Bellamy and Coroner Lowell Bennett do not have opposition on the county ticket. The same holds true for Congressman Alton Lennon, Solicitor James C. Bowman and James C. Green, candidate for the State Senate, on the district level. (Continued on Page Eight)

### Name Officials To Serve Polls Next Tuesday

Only one of two vacancies still exist in the list of officials who will serve Tuesday at the General Election, Chairman H. Foster Mintz of the Brunswick County Board of Elections, said Tuesday.

The polls will open at 6:30 a.m. and will remain open until 6:30 p.m. Election returns will be tabulated and posted Tuesday night at the Agriculture Extension Building at Supply.

Following is the list of election officials as announced by Chairman Mintz:

HOODS CREEK -- Registrar, G. W. Lemmon; Democrat judge, Mrs. Mabel D. Williams; Republican judge, Rozell Skipper; Democrat marker, Mrs. Addie Scott; Republican marker, L. C. Millnor; Democrat clerk, Mrs. Eloise Brown; Republican clerk, Mrs. Agnes Skipper.

LELAND -- Registrar, L. H. Reynolds; Democrat judge, Mrs. Ella Perry; Republican judge, Thomas L. Gillis; Democrat marker, Elmer Aycock; Republican marker, Henry M. Bordeaux; Democrat clerk, Miss Louise Willis; Republican clerk, Mrs. Hertha Bell Chiles.

TOWN CREEK -- Registrar, Mrs. A. P. Henry, Jr.; Democrat judge, W. D. Lanier; Republican judge, Woodus Mercer; Democrat marker, Cedric Mintz; Republican marker, B. J. Mills; Democrat clerk, Mrs. Elizabeth Goodman; Republican clerk, Mrs. Elizabeth Mercer.

BOLIVIA -- Registrar, Royce Rabon; Democrat judge, L. H. McKeithan; Republican judge, Alfred Willetts; Democrat marker, D. L. Mercer; Republican marker, C. W. Knox; Democrat clerk, Mrs. Homer Hodge; Republican clerk, Mrs. Eva Mae Willetts.

SOUTHPORT #1 -- Registrar, Mrs. Mary Bellows; Democrat judge, Mrs. Jo Norman; Republican judge, Mrs. Vera McKeithan; Democrat marker, Mrs. Jean Fulwood; Republican marker, Mrs. Frances Key; Democrat clerk, Mrs. Elinor Jackson; Republican clerk, Mrs. Dorcas Ann Lewis.

SOUTHPORT #2 -- Registrar, Miss Annie St. George; Democrat judge, Miss Elsket St. George; Republican judge, Ed Harrelson; Democrat marker, Ivan Ludlum; Republican marker, H. A. Schmidt; Democrat clerk, Mrs. Inez Adams; Republican clerk, Mrs. Ellen Watts.

OAK ISLAND -- Registrar, Sam Edwards; Democrat judge, Linwood King; Republican judge, Mrs. W. R. Price; Democrat marker, Mrs. Pat Cromer; Republican marker, W. R. Price.

MOSQUITO -- Registrar, C. S. Ward; Democrat judge, Mrs. Nancy Crouch; Republican judge, Mrs. Willie Clemmons; Democrat marker, Clarence Lennon; Republican marker, Mrs. Betty Clemmons.

SUPPLY -- Registrar, Mrs. (Continued on Page Six)

### 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 3,	
10:57 A M	4:46 A M
11:09 P M	5:40 P M
Friday, November 4,	
11:51 A M	5:40 A M
	6:34 P M
Saturday, November 5,	
0:15 A M	6:46 A M
0:57 P M	7:40 P M
Sunday, November 6,	
1:27 A M	7:52 A M
2:30 P M	8:46 P M
Monday, November 7,	
2:39 A M	9:04 A M
3:03 P M	9:46 P M
Tuesday, November 8,	
3:45 A M	10:10 A M
4:09 P M	10:40 P M
Wednesday, November 9,	
4:45 A M	11:10 A M
5:03 P M	11:34 P M