



Another Library Contribution

**CHECK** — John L. McCarron, Jr., Vice-President of Ryan Stevedoring Company, Inc., of Mobile, Ala., presents C. D. Pickrell, City Manager, with a check for \$1,000 for the Building Fund of the Southport-Brunswick County Library. Members of the building fund committee reported this week they are now within \$5,000 of their goal of \$81,500.

## Meeting Will Decide Plans For Projects

W. A. Powell, chairman of the Resources Development Commission for Brunswick County, announced Tuesday that a meeting with representatives of the Economic Development Administration has been arranged for elected officials and citizens of Brunswick county.

Powell said that the meeting has been scheduled for Monday at the Agriculture Building in Supply in order that E.D.A. representatives can explain the various programs that Brunswick county is now eligible to obtain. Brunswick county became eligible for the full range of E. D. A. programs on January 1. These include grants and loans along with grants for technical studies.

Arrangements for this meeting were made with Charles S. Edwards, North Carolina Coordinator of E. D. A.

Others who will attend the meeting are John Hampton of the State Task Force, Tom Willis of East Carolina Regional Research and Development Institute, and John Fralley of the Huntington Office of E. D. A.

Elected officials and citizens of the county are urged to attend.



Open Office Here

**ARRIVE** — The Manpower Resources Employment team moved into quarters on Moore St. in Southport this week to start an extensive survey of Brunswick county. Shown above are Ben E. Johnson, supervisor, and Robert Mooneyham, Manager of the Employment Service Mobile Team. The survey is being conducted in cooperation with the Resources Development Commission for Brunswick County. The office will open for operation on Monday, January 16.

## Adult Classes Organized At Bolivia High

The Cape Fear Technical Institute has again agreed to cooperate with the Bolivia High School in providing adult education opportunities for area residents if adequate interest is expressed. In view of anticipated employment opportunities in nearby locations which probably will require high school graduation or the equivalent, it is felt that every effort should be made to permit those who dropped out of school, for whatever reason, to continue their education.

Cape Fear Tech is prepared to offer any course of study for which as many as 15 people express interest. However, the initial courses to be scheduled at Bolivia are listed as follows:

**Basic Education I** — For those who either did not attend school or who dropped out before completing the fourth grade, and would like to improve their reading ability and communication skills. No cost.

**Secondary Education I** — For adults who dropped out of school between the fourth and eighth grades and would like to work toward eventual high school graduation. No cost.

**Secondary Education II** — For those who dropped out of school in the ninth or tenth grades and wish to work toward high school graduation. Cost: \$4.25.

**Secondary Education III** — For adults who dropped out of school in the eleventh or twelfth grades and wish to review in preparation for the high school equivalency test. Cost: \$4.75.

**Modern Math for Parents** — A short introductory course designed to help parents understand the latest methods of teaching mathematics in the public schools. Cost: \$2.00.

**Business Education** — A basic course in the fundamentals of business education, including typing, shorthand, and bookkeeping as needed in small business management and marine records.

Additional courses, such as small engine repair, tractor mechanics, and other vocational and technical offerings may be provided if sufficient interest is expressed.

All residents of the Bolivia area who would like to participate in this adult education program are asked to report to the Bolivia High School auditorium on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock for an organizational meeting.

## Former Banker Dies Thursday

**RALEIGH** — George Wilson Bunker, 88, died unexpectedly at his home here Thursday.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 11 a.m. in Eden Street Methodist Church by Dr. T. Marvin Vick and the Rev. Arthur Phillips. Burial will be in Montlawn Cemetery.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Lydia Potter Bunker, and a daughter, Mrs. Doris Bunker Doshier, both of the home; a son, Howard Hugh Bunker of Bristol, Conn.; a brother, John P. Bunker of Dedham, Mass.; three grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

He was a native of Rutland, Vt., and was a banker before he moved here in 1935. He was an accountant and office manager.

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## 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, January 5,	
3:03 A M	9:34 A M
3:15 P M	9:46 P M
Friday, January 7,	
4:09 A M	10:34 A M
4:21 P M	10:40 P M
Saturday, January 7,	
5:03 A M	11:34 A M
5:15 P M	11:40 P M
Sunday, January 8,	
6:03 A M	12:28 A M
6:09 P M	
Monday, January 11,	
6:51 A M	0:28 A M
7:03 P M	1:16 P M
Tuesday, January 10,	
7:39 A M	1:16 A M
7:51 P M	2:04 P M
Wednesday, January 11,	
8:27 A M	2:04 A M
8:33 P M	2:46 P M

State and local Tar Heel officials will play host to six Federal government officials Thursday and Friday, as members of the U. S. Department of Commerce, Environmental Science Services Administration, Site Evaluation Committee visit North Carolina's coastal region in search of an ideal location for a proposed multi-million dollar oceanographic research laboratory and berthing facilities for the Coast and Geodetic Survey's East Coast oceanographic fleet.

More than 60 sites along the entire Atlantic seaboard and as far south as the Virgin Islands are in the running for the proposed Federal facility. The Site Evaluation team will look at seven sites during its two-day visit to North Carolina.

The ESSA team will arrive in North Carolina aboard the "Carolina Cardinal," the Department of Conservation and Development's executive aircraft, on Thursday morning, to view sites in the Beaufort-Morehead City area. On Friday, the visitors will fly to Wilmington to look at sites in the Wilmington and Southport areas.

Members of the ESSA Site Evaluation Committee will include: Dr. Harris B. Stewart, Jr., Director of the Institute of Oceanography; A. W. Anderson, Technical Assistant to the Director, Institute for Oceanography; William Wright, ESSA Science and Engineering; Capt. Allen Powell, ESSA Coast and Geodetic Survey; Loy Shipp, General Services Administration; Dr. John Lyman, Oceanographer and private consultant.

North Carolina's efforts to land the ESSA facility are being coordinated by the Department of Conservation and Development and through cooperation of local businessmen and officials in the Beaufort, Morehead City, Wilmington and Southport areas.

Director Dan E. Stewart, Assistant Director W. J. Griffin and Industrial Development Representative Marshal L. Shepherd of the Department of Conservation and Development are involved in planning for the visit of the ESSA group, along with Gordon D. Zealand, Executive Director of the Carteret County Industrial Development Commission; Hugh Branch, Executive Director of the Wilmington Committee of 100; and Roy A. Stevens, Director of the Resources Development Commission for Brunswick County.

Top officials in science, research and education have also played a major role in North Carolina's presentation to ESSA. They include: Dr. E. D. Palmieri, Chairman of the Physics Department at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; Dr. Virgil I. Mann, Chairman of the Geology Department at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; Dr. H. F. Robinson, Dean of Research at North Carolina State University; Dr. Taylor

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## SENCBA Asks More Members

Each governmental body in the four counties served by the South Eastern North Carolina Beach Association has been asked to appoint two members to represent it on the board of directors of the association.

Every county, city, town, and community government in the four county region has been contacted and notified that each is entitled to representation on the board of directors of the promotional organization.

This procedure is in line with the Charter of the Association, the constitution of which prompted Thad Eure, Secretary of State, to single out SENCBA as the strongest area promotional organization on paper in North Carolina.

Gilliam K. Horton, President of the South Eastern North Carolina Beach Association points out that the procedure gives each community a direct voice in the methods used to promote the development and prosperity of Southeastern North Carolina and two votes in the control of all expenditures relating to the promotional activities of the Association.

The county governments of Brunswick, Pender, Onslow and New Hanover, and each of the city, town or community governments within these counties, have been notified they are entitled to participation by having representatives from their respective bodies on the board of directors of the Beach Association and have been requested to make these appointments.

The organization of the Association permits, in addition to the appointments from the governmental bodies, the election of twelve members at large on the board of directors of the Association.

Those elected to the Board of Directors for 1967 are: Roy Stevens, Bill Waters, Luther Cromartie, John Burney, Billy Hill, Leaky Davis, Glenn Tucker, Pete Hicks, Chet Jones, John Craig, Mrs. Helen Tatum and Drew Griffin.

Mrs. Hart will be in charge of technical services, assist with the Southport Library and supervise bookmobile operations.

Miss Dickey will be liaison with the N. C. State Library and the County Library Board of Trustees. She will handle all book ordering, including memorial books, and will be responsible for overall supervision and policy making for the county library system.

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## Site Survey Team

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## Harold Green Is After Board Seat

A proxy fight over a seat on the board of directors of the National Development Corporation, developer in the Long Beach area in Brunswick county, is expected to reach a climax at the annual meeting of stockholders at Long Beach on Monday, January 9.

Seeking a place on the board is Harold Green, of Wilmington, a real estate developer.

He said Tuesday the reason for his action is based on his "desire to improve the management of the corporation."

According to the notice of the annual meeting, the corporation has 660,000 shares of capital stock outstanding and entitled to vote at the session, which will begin at 11 a. m. A partnership composed of E. F. Middleton and E. F. Middleton Jr., owns 148,150 shares or 22.45 per cent of outstanding stock.

Green said he owns 3,815 shares and has received proxies on more than 100,000 shares.

"I have over 200 people who have mailed me their proxies out of approximately 800 shareholders and there are still several days to go before the annual meeting," he said Tuesday.

Green said he was seeking to fill the vacancy on the board created by the death of O. Carl Jones, formerly of Wilmington. He disclosed that he met with

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## Purchase Site For Library

Members of the board of trustees of the Southport-Brunswick County Public Library have purchased a portion of the Cranmer property on Moore street in Southport as a site for the proposed new library building.

The lot adjoins the Waccamaw Bank and Trust Co. property and is next door to the Cranmer home, being the vacant lot east of this residence.

The firm of Ballard and McKim has been employed for architectural services.

With about \$5,000 more to raise in local contributing funds, it is hoped that work can begin early in the new year on the construction of the new building.

## Firm Announces Vice Presidents

The Directors of Ryan Stevedoring Company, Inc., have elected three new vice presidents, including John L. McCarron, Jr. Others named to the offices of vice president were Lawrence K. Joseph and David J. Turner.

McCarron was employed on April 5, 1946. Prior to his election, he has served in many locations and is now General Superintendent of Ryan operations at the Military Ocean Terminal, Sunny Point, where he will remain as Vice President in charge of operations.

Ryan Stevedoring Company, Inc., independent contracting stevedores, maintains their home office in Mobile, Alabama, with operations there and in the ports of New Orleans, Louisiana; Baton Rouge, Louisiana; Gulfport, Mississippi; Panama City, Florida; Georgetown, South Carolina; and Sunny Point.

## Parents To Talk Monday

The second in the series of Parental Guidance Conferences sponsored by the guidance committee of Union High School will be held Tuesday evening, 6:30 p. m. at the school. Topic for discussion at this meeting will be "Opportunities Beyond High School Offered By Community Colleges and Technical Institutes."

Ormand Optiz of Southeastern Community College, Whiteville, and Clarence Dodgens of Cape Fear Technical Institute, Wil-

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## Five Projects Get Approval In OEO Plans

The Board of Directors of SENCland Community Action, Inc., has approved five anti-poverty projects developed by the agency's staff and has requested \$476,944 from the Office of Economic Opportunity to carry out the programs during the coming year.

The "Conduct and Administration" component will require \$79,920 in Federal Funds to carry out the administrative, clerical, and record-keeping activities of the Anti-Poverty Offices in Bladen, Brunswick and Columbus Counties.

The "Multi-Purpose Services Centers" will require \$218,746 in Federal Funds to establish ten (10) centers throughout the tri-county area as a means of extending social, health, education, welfare and employment services to low-income families. This project will be administered by SENCland Community Action, Inc.

The "Family Planning" project will require \$24,092 in Federal Funds and is designed to educate participants in planned parenthood. The administration of this project is being delegated to the Health Departments in Bladen, Brunswick and Columbus Counties.

The "Home Management" project will require \$38,347 to provide instruction in basic homemaking skills and will be administered by the Agricultural Extension Services of Bladen, Brunswick and Columbus Counties.

The "Nelson Amendment" project will require \$115,839 in Federal Funds and will provide work for unemployed persons who will assist in excavation of Brunswick Town. This project will be administered jointly by SENCland Community Action and the North Carolina Department of Archives and History.

An additional \$95,904 is to be provided locally through the use of buildings, equipment, and volunteer services.

Executive Director, James Cox, told the board that the development of coordinating procedures between agencies would provide for a greater concentration of available resources in those areas where the needs are the greatest and would also avoid duplications.

Agencies cooperating in the development of these projects are: Welfare, Board of Education, Health Department, Agricultural Extension Service, and Employment Security Commission. "With this kind of cooperation," Cox states, "I am very optimistic about achieving our anti-poverty goals."



Change In Command

**LIBRARIANS**—Miss Dorothy Dickey, left, and Mrs. Philip King, right, talk over some last minute details at the Southport-Brunswick County Library as Miss Dickey succeeds Mrs. King as acting-librarian.

## Miss Dickey New Librarian Here

Miss Dorothy L. Dickey of Long Beach assumed duties as Acting County Librarian for the Southport-Brunswick County Public Library on January 3, following the resignation of Mrs. Philip King.

The new librarian is a North Carolinian by adoption, coming to the state from her native Ohio. Miss Dickey is a graduate of Kent State University and received her library training at the Carnegie Library School, now the Graduate School of the University of Pittsburgh. She has served as Children's Librarian for the Akron Public Library, and from 1944 to 1965 was Head of the Children's Department, Olivia Raney Library, Raleigh.

Miss Dickey has held offices in both state and national library associations. She was secretary of the Children's Section, Ohio Library Association; a member of the Caldecott-Newberry Committee, American Library Association, and also treasurer of the Children's Librarian Section, A.L.A.

Mrs. Charlotte Jones and Mrs. Charlotte (Mickey) Hart will assist Miss Dickey in the main library and Mrs. Esther Robinson will continue as Bookmobile Librarian.

Under a new division of duties, Mrs. Jones will assume responsibility for the operation of the Southport Library, inter-

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library loans, film borrowing and supervision of the Shallotte Branch.

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## Mrs. King Is Guest Of Honor

Mrs. Philip King, who has retired as Librarian of the Southport-Brunswick County Library effective January 1, was honored on Sunday evening with a dinner party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Henry, Jr., at Winnabow. Present to express their appreciation for the approximately eight years of faithful service she has given were members of the library's board of trustees, the building fund committee and staff.

Mrs. King was presented a silver tray by Mrs. James M. Harper, Jr., vice-chairman of the county are urged to attend.

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## Time And Tide

There was a picture of a submarine on the front page of The Pilot for January 6, 1937. It was the Perch, which was scheduled here on Thursday of the following week. There was a headline rumor that a couple of pulp manufacturers were interested in Brunswick as a possible location for a mill.

The master of the Greek ship Mount Dirtyfs, which had broken in two and sunk on Frying Pan Shoals the week before, expressed his gratitude for the hospitality and generosity of Southport citizens. The crew still was in town. There was keen interest even in the winter off-season in a yacht basin for Southport.

One month after Pearl Harbor, The Pilot came out in January 7, 1942. A front page headline announced the beginning of tire rationing, with L. T. Yaskell and Prince O'Brien chairman and secretary, respectively, of the first rationing board. Another war note was the beginning of a course of instruction in home nursing, with Mrs. L. C. Fergus, a registered nurse, conducting the class. Word from the State Highway Commission was that a new drawbridge over the intracoastal waterway would be built at the same site that was being served by the pontoon bridge on the Caswell Beach road. "If The Girls Don't Marry Seems Its Their Own Fault," teased a front-page headline story which reported that official census figures showed there were 327 more men than women in Brunswick.

In our issue for January 8, 1947, the front page picture proved that the war was over. Three of Mr. Willie Halmes' boys were out of service and back at Shallotte and they were opening a business in what has formerly been the old post office building. Proudly

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