

Homecoming At Leland High Friday Night

By JIGGS POWERS
LELAND--Homecoming activities at Leland High School, Friday night, Feb. 10, will be featured by a three-game basketball bill, also the annual LHS Homecoming Queen Contest and Homecoming celebration.

Coach Joe Best's Leland Tiger teams will meet the Bolivia Bears outfits in a tripleheader Homecoming affair, beginning with the 6 p.m. contest between the Tigerettes and Lady Bruin girls' teams.

A jayvee battle between the Baby Tigs and the Baby Bears will follow the girls' game and the night of basketball will be concluded by the big varsity boys' fracas. All of the games will count in both the Brunswick County and Lower Cape Fear Conference standings.

One of the top highlights of the program will be the climax of the Homecoming Queen contest, under the direction of Mrs. Hilda W. Council, a member of the Leland High faculty. Four pretty Leland girls have been in the running for the Queen title and the winner will be crowned at halftime ceremonies during the boys' varsity finale.

Mrs. Frankie Rabon, who as Miss Brenda Harrelson was the 1966 Homecoming Queen, will be present to crown the new queen. Mrs. Rabon now resides at Winnabow.

The Beta and Monogram Clubs of the school are co-sponsors of the Homecoming Program.

The girls in the Homecoming Queen event are representatives of each class in the school. They are Beth Blake, Senior Class; Janie Wilkins, Junior; Pam Corbett, Sophomore; and Cindy Nobles, Freshman.

Mrs. Council said that gifts will also be presented to the oldest mother present at the game; to the youngest mother on hand; and to the mother with the most children enrolled in Leland school.

Notes on the four Homecoming Queen candidates:

BETH BLAKE, a senior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Blake of Leland; is co-captain of the Tigerettes Varsity basketball team; is a member of the Beta Club, is secretary of the Brunswick County Betas, is business manager of the Leland High School yearbook, "Lehlan"; editor of the school newspaper, "Tigers Roar"; is also a member of the Girls' Chorus and the Monogram Club, and is a class superlative.

JANIE WILKINS, junior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilkins of Leland; is the other Tigerettes co-captain; is a member of the Girls' Chorus, Science, Math and Monogram Clubs.

PAM CORBETT, sophomore, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy M. Corbett of Leland; is a member of the Tigerettes varsity basketball club; is also a member of the Betas, Library, Glee, Math, Science and Monogram Clubs; and holds membership in the Future Homemakers of America and in the Girls' Chorus.

CINDY NOBLES, freshman, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Soles of Leland. She is a Tigerette cheerleader and is a member of the Math Club, Glee Club and Science Club and is also affiliated with the Leland chapter of the FHA.

Coach Best's Tiger girls will be striving to improve on their
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BETH BLAKE



JANIE WILKINS



PAM CORBETT



CINDY NOBLES

Brunswick Man Named Executive

Robert E. Grissett, a former Brunswick county resident and a graduate of Shallotte High School, has been appointed executive vice president of the newly formed Automotive Parts Division of Borg-Warner Corporation.

Announcement of the appointment was made this week by Arthur J. Welch, president and manager of the new division.

The Automotive Parts Division was formed to consolidate marketing and sales operations for all Borg-Warner automotive replacement parts into a single group. The consolidation will permit more efficient customer service by providing a single source of supply for the parts which have been marketed independently by several Borg-Warner divisions, said Welch.

Affected are products now marketed by the Warner-Motive Division, under the "PACCO" and "Shurhit" trade names, and by the Borg-Warner Service Parts Co. Grissett had been a vice president of the Warner-Motive Division. The new division will be headquartered in Franklin Park, Ill.

Grissett is a 1936 graduate of Shallotte High School. After serving in the Armed Forces in World War II, he opened a grocery at Grissettown, with his brother-in-law, Grover R. Gore.

He joined Shurhit Products Inc. in 1946 as an accountant, was promoted to comptroller in 1952, and executive vice president and general manager in 1957. He remained as a vice president and manager when the company was purchased by Borg-Warner Corporation in 1963.

Grissett and his wife, Lucille, have one son, Robert, a student at the University of Miami (Fla.).



R. E. GRISSETT

Memorial Gift Adds To Fund

James F. Clemmons, Jr., of Leland, Mrs. Frances Clemmons Stanley of Southport and Ardel Clemmons of Ohsville, N. Y., have made a \$100 contribution to the Library Building Fund in memory of their father, the late James F. Clemmons, Sr. This is the first large memorial gift made by Negro members of the community.

Membership in the \$100 Club of the Building Fund was made by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Francis, prominent Negro educators.

Other contributions of \$100 were made by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J. Hardee and Baggett Transportation Company.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Orle Gore, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ratcliffe and the Franklin Square Motel were among others donating to the building fund in the past few weeks.

Memorial contributions have been received also for Mrs. Fred M. Burdette, Sr., and Mrs. Mary Eva Fuzzell.

The Building Fund Committee reports that it is now within \$4,000 of the total goal.

Brief Bits Of NEWS

BAKE SALE
The Mary Rebekah Circle of Trinity Methodist Church is sponsoring a bake sale Saturday morning starting at 9 o'clock in front of Leggett's. Proceeds will go for the benefit of nursery of the Sunday School.

COLLEGE NIGHT
Brunswick County high school juniors, seniors and their parents are invited to Wilmington College, Thursday evening, from 7 to 9:15 o'clock when approximately 40 college representatives will be present to discuss entrance and requirements, financial aid and course offerings.

BENEFIT FISH SUPPER
The Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church will sponsor a fish supper featuring fried flounder or trout, Saturday, at the Educational Building of the church from the hours of 5-9 p.m. Home-made cakes and pies will also be on sale. All proceeds will go to the new church building fund. The public is invited.

Farm Bureau Leaders And Solons Talk

"We must go for mechanization in tobacco to keep in the business of small farming," stated Ira L. Chadwick, president of the Brunswick County Farm Bureau during a dinner meet with legislators and legislative committee members from Brunswick, Bladen and Columbus county at the Cape Fear Restaurant near Elizabethtown Tuesday night.

J. S. Melvin, president of the Bladen County Farm Bureau, was host for the meeting. Mrs. J. S. Melvin, president of the Bladen County Ladies Committee, was hostess for the ladies attending. About 25 persons were present.

"The fault of not having modern day mechanization in tobacco and blueberries lies in the Extension Department," stated Jimmy Green, State Senator representing the three counties. "We need to stand up for the farmers. It seems the Extension Service caters to the wants of the small business, and the farmers just aren't pushing hard enough for the mechanization they need and want to produce the quantity of crops expected for them."

Problems concerning secondary roads, sales tax, and nut grass along with the recent appropriations for a research unit for the blueberry growers were discussed.

Legislators attending the meet were Sen. Green, Rep. Clyde Collier and Rep. Chatham Clark.

Members of the Brunswick County State Legislative Committee attending were Ira L. Chadwick and James D. Bellamy, Jr., Mrs. Ouida H. Hewett, secretary of the Brunswick County Farm Bureau, also attended. The general purpose of the special meeting was a discussion of all Farm Bureau policies and resolutions that need legislative attention in the near future.

Chadwick At Durham Meet

Ira L. Chadwick, president of the Brunswick County Farm Bureau, attended County Farm Bureau President's Conference at the Jack Tar Hotel, Durham with members from the 100 counties of North Carolina.

"The annual conference gave the presidents an opportunity to consider problems that are involved in our programs on county, state and national levels" said President Chadwick.

"There are many legislative problems coming up that I think might benefit the farmers of Eastern North Carolina and particularly our region that Farm Bureau supports," said Chadwick.

Members of the Brunswick County Board of Agriculture (Continued on Page 4)

County Board Meets Monday

Members of the board of commissioners met in regular session here Monday and heard Gil Horton, president of Southeastern North Carolina Beach Association, talk about the program of this promotional organization, Glenn Tucker and Bill Mitchum were with him.

Graham English and Bobby Powell of the State Highway Commission were present and discussed road matters.

Clemit Holden was named a member of the advisory committee of the Economic Opportunity Agency. V. A. Creech was named a member of the advisory group of the planning division for area improvement in the highway system.

The following resolution was passed with regard to the closing of Tobbs Inlet:

"The Board of Commissioners of Brunswick County, is regular session February 6, 1967 upon a
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Head Start To Operate Again

George F. Williams, Superintendent of Brunswick County Schools, has reported that the Head Start program has been approved by the Brunswick County Board of Education for the summer of 1967.

The program is designed for helping children of limited opportunity who will enter the first grade for the first time in the fall of 1967. It will provide health and dental services, parent interviews and counseling, feeding of the children and meetings of parents and other residents of the community.

Superintendent Williams is asking all parents who will have children entering school for the first time in September to contact the school in their area for information and application forms.

All applications should be in by February 15.

Now In Raleigh

Two Representatives

The North Carolina General Assembly convened today (Wednesday) on Raleigh and for the first time in history Brunswick county has two representatives in the lower house. This situation was not caused by a redistricting plan that gave Brunswick two men all her own, but rather is the result of the combination of Brunswick and Columbus counties into the 13th House District, which has two representatives. His colleague will be Clyde Collier of Columbus County.

This marks the sixth term for Representative Williamson, who first went to the legislature in 1947. He has held numerous appointments in important legislative roles and it is expected that he will draw favorable committee assignments this term. In connection with plans for redistricting, Williamson says he will fight to retain Bladen county in the Seventh Congressional District. On matters of taxation he says he will not support legislation to increase any taxes.

He classes himself as a staunch



ODELL WILLIAMSON



CLYDE COLLIER

supporter of Wilmington College and cites the large number of Brunswick and Columbus county boys and girls who attend that institution. He has a tendency to favor university status for East Carolina College.

He has no major matters of local legislation in mind, he said. Clyde Collier will be going

to the legislature for the first time and has remained non-committal on most issues. He appears to be adopting a wait and see attitude toward his duties in Raleigh.

Brunswick is grouped with Bladen and Columbus in the 15th Senatorial District which is represented in this session by Jimmy Green of Clarkton.

Response Good To Survey For Job Openings

The Manager of Employment Service Mobile Team reports that to date 408 persons have filed application for work in Brunswick County. "This is a good response so far, but in order to present a complete picture of the available work force for Brunswick County many more applicants are needed", stated the Manager. "We have in hand now quite a few job openings in the Wilmington area and some in Brunswick county for qualified applicants", he said.

The Mobile Team came here on January 18th under the sponsorship of the Resources Development Commission of Brunswick County, to provide Employment Services to the citizens of this area and to compile a Manpower Resources Report to be used in an attempt to gain new industry. In order to present a good report it is vital that everyone age 16 and over, who is available for work be counted.

The Mobile Team has offices in the former Randy's Sandwich Shop in Southport with hours of 8:30 a. m. until 5:30 p. m., Monday through Friday; in Shallotte at the Armory, open from 8:00 a. m. until 4:30 p. m.; and a trailer unit located at Supply this week only, open from 8:30 a. m. until 5:00 p. m., Monday through Friday.

Next week the Trailer Unit will move to Bolivia for a one week stay.

Southport Man Receives Degree



DR. E. B. TAYLOR

Edward B. Taylor of the Office of Student Affairs, Auburn University, has just been granted a Ph.D. degree by the University of Nebraska--the first person to be awarded a doctorate in the field of adult education.

The interdisciplinary degree consisted of studies in sociology, psychological measurements, and educational administration. Taylor's dissertation was based on a survey he conducted for the Nebraska State Bar Association on the continuing education of lawyers.

Dr. Taylor received the bachelor of science degree at Davison College, the bachelor of science at North Carolina State College, and the master of arts degree at Columbia University. He was recipient of a Kellogg Foundation grant for research and experience at the Nebraska Center for Continuing Education in 1963-64.

Recently appointed as advisor to fraternities at Auburn, Dr. Taylor has additional duties in student insurance and disciplinary matters. Before his appointment he served as assistant director of Engineering Extension and assistant professor of textiles.

Dr. Taylor is vice chairman of the Board of Stewards, Auburn Methodist Church and president of the McGehee Bible class. He is vice president of the Auburn University Faculty Club, founder and past faculty advisor, Auburn chapter of Beta Theta Pi social fraternity, past faculty advisor of the Auburn Student Engineers' Council and Auburn Engineer magazine, and past president of the Fraternity Advisors Council.

Dr. Taylor is a member of an active United States Army reserve unit, the 375th General Support Group, with the rank of major.

Dr. Taylor was reared in Southport, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. Ed Taylor. He is married to the former Helen Bryson of Woodruff, S. C. They have two daughters, Elizabeth, 15; and Nancy, 11.

Small Business Is Responsible

Administration of the Title IV loan program from the Office of Economic Opportunity has been transferred to the Small Business Administration.

Title IV loans, previously available only through small Business Development Centers, will now be available nationwide through all of SBA's Regional Offices.

In addition, SBA has announced that because of new broadened eligibility criteria, Title IV loans will be divided into two groups. E O L (1) loans will serve persons whose incomes are below that required to meet basic family needs. E O L (2) loans will be made to persons whose incomes are above that required to meet basic family needs but who cannot qualify for any of SBA's other loan programs.

SBA has indicated that it plans to expand its relationship to community action agencies, and to cooperate with voluntary associations of businessmen and other interested groups who will provide screening, counseling, and management training for Title IV borrowers.

Under this new policy, residents of Bladen, Brunswick and Columbus Counties are now eligible to participate in this expansion program.
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Historical Society Meeting Monday

The regular meeting of the Brunswick County Historical Society will be held on Monday night in the Visitor Center-Museum at Brunswick Town State Historic Site beginning at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited and especially those persons interested in joining the society. Persons needing transportation may contact Mrs. M.H. Rourke in Shallotte, Miss Helen Taylor in Winnabow and Bill Faulk in Southport and plans for transportation will be coordinated.

After the business meeting, a tour of the exhibits area is planned to show the progress being made in the installation of the exhibits and displays. The formal dedication and opening of the museum is planned for April.

Board Backing Freedom Of Choice Again

The Brunswick County Board of Education met Monday night with Arthur J. Doshier serving as chairman in the absence of Chairman O. K. Bellamy.

Supt. George Williams discussed with the board the wage and hour law which is being implemented for certain employees of the Board of Education and the problems it presents.

The board set March 15 through April 15 as the official student choice of school period in compliance with the Civil Rights Act and the Freedom of Choice Plan adopted and approved by the Board of Education. Each student will be required to file a choice of school form during this period indicating his choice school for the 1967-68 school year.

The board approved the P.A.C.E. program for 1967. This program provides employment opportunities for students that are attending or entering certain colleges with non-profit agencies and institutions.

The board reviewed the present status of the Board of Education budget, noting particular codes in which there existed insufficient funds for the normal operations of the schools for the remainder of the fiscal year. No action was taken on this matter.

Approval was given the attendance of Supt. Williams to the National Convention of the American Association of School Administrators to be held in Atlantic City February 11-16. Board members adopted the following resolution concerning the death of Bernard Davis, teacher at Southport High School: "We, the Board of Education, would like to record in our minutes a statement of appreciation to the late Bernard Davis for his dedicated service as a teacher in the Brunswick County School System."

"We also extend to Mrs. Davis and the children our deepest sympathy and condolences."

Clemmons Boy State Graduate

J. Stewart Clemmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Clemmons of Supply, completed the requirements for his Bachelor of Science degree from North Carolina State University on January 17. Upon graduation Clemmons entered the NCSU Graduate School in pursuit of Master of Education degree. He will be studying under an assistantship in the Department of Agricultural

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J. Stewart Clemmons

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, February 9,	
8:03 A M	1:46 A M
8:15 P M	2:22 P M
Friday, February 10,	
8:39 A M	2:28 A M
8:51 P M	2:58 P M
Saturday, February 11,	
9:15 A M	3:04 A M
9:27 P M	3:34 P M
Sunday, February 12,	
9:45 A M	3:40 A M
9:57 P M	4:10 P M
Monday, February 13,	
10:21 A M	4:22 A M
10:33 P M	4:46 P M
Tuesday, February 14,	
10:51 A M	4:58 A M
11:09 P M	5:22 P M
Wednesday, February 15,	
11:27 A M	5:40 A M
	5:58 P M