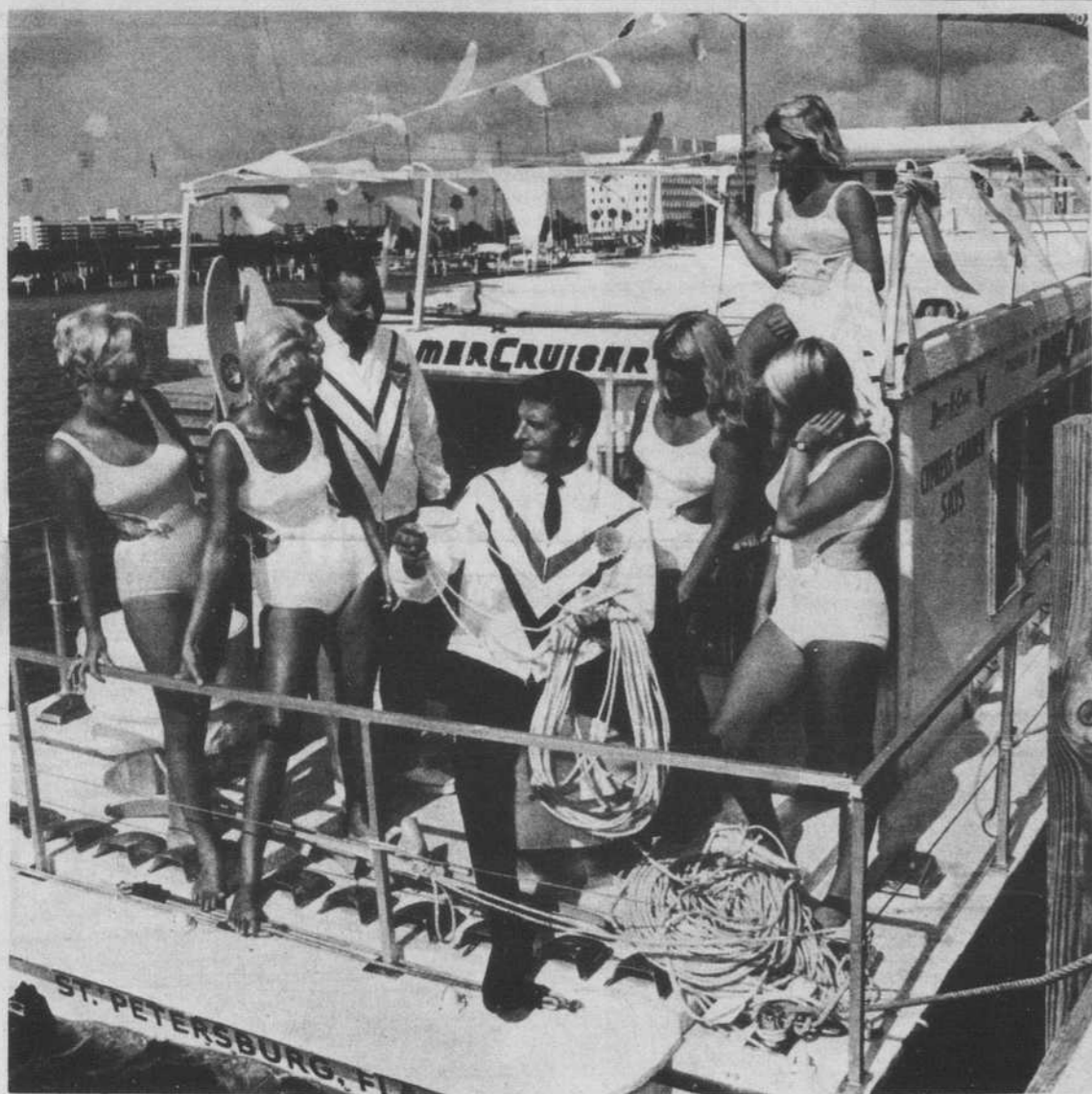


Shallotte Boy Is Midshipman

Lieutenant Commander Clarence E. Glover, (center), a Naval Reserve Officer from Charlotte, discusses life at the Naval Academy with North Carolina Midshipmen (L to R): Ronald E. Hewett of Shallotte, William T. Mauney, Jr., Michael S. Donnelly and Mackenzie C. Clark, all of Charlotte. The Midshipmen are members of the new Class of 1971, the largest class in Academy history.



Final Tune-Up For Ski Team

Jim Gray, project director for the all girl water ski team that will ski from St. Petersburg, Florida to Expo '67 in Montreal, August 15, according to word received this week from Jim Gray, projects director of the St. Petersburg Chamber of Commerce.

Ski Troup Will Stop Here On Marathon Trip

The group of 5 water skiers will arrive in Southport at 9:30 a.m. enroute to Expo '67. There will be a show in the Cape Fear River, and the group will dock at the Southport Boat Harbor for a short stop over before proceeding north along the Intracoastal Waterway.

The all girl team of water skiers will depart St. Petersburg on August 1st, with scheduled stops along the way. Their schedule calls for them to arrive in Montreal, Canada, at 6 p.m. on August 25.

The girls, all champion skiers, range in age from 12 to 27 years. The trip is approximately 2,500 miles in length and their tonboat will be a 40 ft. houseboat capable of speeds from 30 to 40 miles per hour. The boat will also serve as living quarters for the group during the trip.

Application Made For Tubbs Inlet

The Town of Sunset Beach has made application for a permit to relocate Tubbs Inlet by dredging and filling for the purpose of stopping severe erosion now taking place within the town limits.

The new inlet is to be located approximately 0.8 mile east of the old inlet and stabilized with steel sheet piling.

Plans submitted show approximately 1,500,000 cubic yards are to be removed from the new inlet and from a borrow area on the north side and deposited in a fill area between the new inlet and the east end of State Road No. 1177 on Sunset Beach which will close the existing Tubbs Inlet.

The old Tubbs Inlet, as it now exists, is to be left open until after the new inlet is completed. Plans showing the proposed work are available at the district office.

For accuracy and completeness of the record, all data in support of or in opposition to the proposed work should be submitted in writing setting forth sufficient detail to furnish a clear understanding of the reasons for support or opposition. The determination as to whether a permit will be issued must rest primarily upon the effect of the work on navigation. However, other pertinent factors, including fish and wildlife conservation aspects, will be considered in determining whether it would be in the best public interest to grant a permit. In cases of conflicting property rights, the Corps of Engineers cannot undertake to adjudicate rival claims.

Written comments pertinent to the proposed work will be received until 4:45 p.m., EDT, August 17 at the office of the Wilmington Corps of Engineers.

Attorney Fees Being Paid In Action Program

Because the law and lawyers are important in achieving opportunity and justice for the poor, the community action program of the Office of Economic Opportunity, through its legal services program, is making resources available to provide effective attorneys for persons unable to pay for these services, stated James C. Cox, Executive Director for SENCLand Community Action, who was guest speaker at a recent area civic club meeting.

Dr. Jesse C. Fisher, also a guest of the club, gave a background of the agency and explained programs funded.

Cox added that there is a definite need for the legal services program in the three counties that SENCLand Community Action serves.

"The helplessness and vulnerability of the poor to legal

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Shallotte Man Receives Honor

SSgt. Gene A. Bennett, an inventory management supervisor in the 3615th Supply Squadron, Craig Air Force Base, Alabama, last week was presented a unique and distinguished award from Brig. Gen. Choo Young Bock, commander of the 10th Fighter Wing, Republic of Korea Air Force.

Sergeant Bennett worked with the 10th Fighter Wing while serving with the 6146 Air Force Advisory Group at Suwon Auxiliary Air Field, Korea.

The letter from General Choo was written in Korean symbols; translated the letter stated in part:

"It gives me a genuine pleasure to express my hearty appreciation for your outstanding performance as a supply advisor to the 10th Fighter Wing, Republic of Korea Air Force from June 1, 1965 to June 29, 1967.

"During the above period, you have greatly contributed to the substantial decrease of erroneous information by your thorough research and verification prior to the submission to Air Material Depot, and the development of supply systems and procedures with your abundant experiences and job knowledge."

"... Your excellent cooperation and assistance rendered to our people during your duty period has considerably added to the enhancement of the existing relationship between Republic of Korea and the U. S. Air Force."

"Wishing you continuous success in your future endeavors, I offer you my warmest personal regards and best wishes."

Sergeant Bennett was presented the letter from the Korean general by Lt. Col. John D. Cowgill, Craig AFB's chief of Maintenance.

A 1954 graduate of Shallotte High School, Sergeant Bennett is the son of Mrs. Fred J. Mintz of Shallotte.



Letter of Appreciation

L. T. Yaskell, right, chairman of the Board of Trustees for Doshier Memorial Hospital in Southport is shown here with W. F. Cupit, left, hospital administrator, and Tom Gilbert, center, vice-chairman of the board. Gilbert is shown presenting Chairman Yaskell with a letter of appreciation from other members of the board for his leadership and perseverance that has resulted in several recent gifts and improvements in the facilities at this hospital which has served the citizens of Brunswick county during the past 35 years. (Spencer Photo).

Growers Have Interest In Tobacco Bill

The chairman of the House Tobacco Subcommittee has announced that public hearings will be held in mid-August on House Bill H. R. 10963, and other similar bills, to authorize the transfer of acreage allotments and acreage-purchase quotas.

Briefly, the legislation will:

1. Permit the sale of allotments within the boundaries of a county, but not across county lines.
2. Permit the leasing of allotments across county lines, but only to adjoining counties.
3. Extend the one-year lease period to three years.
4. Remove the five-acre limitation on the present lease restriction.
5. Eliminate the possibility of speculation, by providing that any allotment purchased cannot be resold for a period of three years.

Because of the importance of this legislation, both to our tobacco growers and the economy of our area, I would appreciate your contacting our farm leaders and advising me their views on the proposal within a week.



Shallotte Man Honored

SSgt. Gene A. Bennett (left) is presented a letter of appreciation by Lt. Col. John D. Cowgill, chief of Maintenance, Craig Air Force Base, Alabama. The letter is signed by Brig. Gen. Choo Young Bock, commander of the 10th Fighter Wing, Republic of Korea Air Force. (USAF Photo).

Tentative Rate Of \$1.60 For County

Members of the board of county commissioners have set a tentative rate of \$1.60 for Brunswick county tax purposes for the 1967 levy and a copy of the budget for the next fiscal year now is in on file for inspection in the office of the Register of Deeds.

The rate remains the same as that for last year despite the fact that \$8-million has been added in tax valuation as the results of a revaluation program carried out last year. The 1966 rate was based upon a \$40-million valuation whereas the new budget was based upon a valuation of \$48-million.

The total budget amounts to almost \$2-million, including state and federal funds for the welfare program.

Under the proposals of the tentative budget the Brunswick County School system will receive 65-cents of the tax rate as compared to 60-cents last year. The school officials had pressed hard for 70-cents.

The tentative budget contains the following provisions: Schools 65, Resources Development Commission 6, Health Department 16-1/2, Public Assistance 19, Debt Service 17, General Operating Fund 20, Outside For 5, County Accountant 4-1/2, Agriculture Extension 4, Revaluation 2, Veteran Service Officer 1.

Fisheries Body Will Meet Here

Lew Dunn, food marketing specialist with the Department of Conservation and Development, was in Southport Monday completing plans for a dinner session of the North Carolina Fisheries Association at the Tradewinds Restaurant on August 11.

Dunn made it clear that attendance will not be limited to members, but will be open to all persons in this area engaged in the production of seafood.

One of the important matters of business expected to come before the association will be to study legislation which came out of the recent session of the General Assembly affecting seafood production in North Carolina.

Another matter will be to complete plans for a North Carolina delegation to attend the American Fisheries Exposition when it convenes in Boston in October. "We have a great deal to gain by being presented at this national meeting," Dunn said, "and we hope to complete plans for a sizeable delegation from North Carolina to attend the meeting in Boston."

Southport Girl Is Sub Junior State Officer

Two hundred girls, each a Sub-Junior club leader in her own community, will converge on Hamlet for the Fifth Annual Sub-Junior Jamboree on Tuesday, August 15. The North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs, Inc. of which the Sub-Junior Clubs are a part, will again sponsor the Jamboree. The purpose of the Jamboree is to further develop, among teenage girls in North Carolina, club know-how and leadership in the development of one of its priceless resources - its youth.

In many respects, the Jamboree will resemble a State Convention of Women's Clubs. It will be a "working" Jamboree - where girls learn by doing. Most of the learning will take place as the girls are guided through actual clubwoman skills.

But it's not "all work and no play." When 200 healthy, energetic girls get together, it's necessary to program outlets for the tremendous energy such a group generates. This will be channeled into such recreational activities as swimming, slumber parties, luau and other "girl gab" sessions.

The Hamlet Juniorettes are hostess to the Jamboree this year and have planned to house their guests at the exclusive Whispering Pines Motor Lodge in Whispering Pines. Plans are also in process for a "Meet the Candidates" Pool Party where the girls will have an opportunity to meet and talk with the girls who have been nominated for the Sub-Junior state officers.

Mrs. George H. Cates of Fair

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Board Praises Own Chairman

L. T. Yaskell, chairman of the Board of Trustees for Doshier Memorial Hospital, was honored Tuesday when his services were recognized by his fellow board members in the form of a letter of appreciation.

Delivering this message in person was Thomas T. Gilbert, vice-chairman of the board. A portion of the letter follows: "Since assuming chairmanship of the Board of Trustees in June 1966, your understanding and approach to the problems of the hospital has been noteworthy. Your sense of responsibility and devotion has been an inspiration to both the other members of the Board and hospital employees alike. You have helped to establish a higher standard of patient care and treatment by insisting that the Board set forth effective policies under which the hospital is to operate.

"Your almost daily visits to the hospital has promoted better relations between the hospital and the community. Your being aware of the many problems of the hospital has been an asset to the monthly meeting held by the trustees. It is our hopes and desire that you continue to serve the hospital and the community for many years to come.

Yaskell served as board chairman during a previous tenure prior to 1947, when he moved to New Jersey. He never lost interest in the hospital, and upon his return to this county accepted appointment to the board, and later the responsibility of chairman.

Time And Tide

Thirty years ago this week, plans were almost complete regarding the sailing regatta to be held in Southport harbor. Governor Clyde R. Hoey was to fire the starting gun and a wide variety of entertainment was scheduled to take place in Southport during the three-day event.

A fishing camp at Holden's Beach was to be constructed to provide the North Carolina prisons with seafood. The fishery would be located nine miles from the prison camp at Supply and would be operated by convict labor.

The Southern Kraft Corporation was still seeking a site for a loading dock in the vicinity of Southport; a Southport citizen, Frank M. Sasser, was elected district commander of the American Legion; W. R. Lingle had been named principal of Southport High School by the local board.

Twenty-five years ago this week, a complete investigation of the U.S.O. Club in Southport was ordered by Governor J. M. Broughton. The request was made to the U.S.O. headquarters in New York. There was a restriction prohibiting dancing in the building because it was against the policy of the sponsoring organization, the Salvation Army. The Club was for Service Men and it was felt that dancing should be allowed if they wanted it. The operating personnel had been dismissed because of this incident.

The tobacco markets in the area were to open soon and a 59-million pound crop was expected for the border belt region. This was an eight million pound increase over 1941.

The local Pogge boats were skipping over the fine schools of bluefish and Spanish mackerel to concentrate on menhaden.

The Navy was appealing to private owners for the use of ship to shore radio telephones; weather bureau statistics showed that July had been one of the hottest months during the past decade; and it was reported that there was no more tires available to the farmers.

Twenty years ago this week the matter of the government taking over Fort Caswell and converting it into a state park was under

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Brief Bits Of NEWS

HISTORICAL SOCIETY
The Brunswick County Historical Society will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Parish House of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Southport.

REAPPOINTED
Kirby Sullivan has been reappointed by Governor Dan K. Moore as a member of the Board of Trustees of Cape Fear Technical Institute in Wilmington. His term will expire June 30, 1975.

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, August 3,	
5:21 A M	11:40 A M
5:57 P M	
Friday, August 4,	
3:15 A M	0:34 A M
6:45 P M	12:34 P M
Saturday, August 5,	
7:03 A M	1:22 A M
7:27 P M	1:22 P M
Sunday, August 6,	
7:51 A M	2:04 A M
8:15 P M	2:10 P M
Monday, August 7,	
8:39 A M	2:45 A M
3:57 P M	2:58 P M
Tuesday, August 8,	
9:27 A M	3:34 A M
9:45 P M	3:46 P M
Wednesday, August 9,	
10:15 A M	4:16 A M
10:33 P M	4:34 P M