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## Authentic Data On Gulf Stream Given

Recent Article Placed Stream's Position Far Off Shore

### LETTER TO REYNOLDS BRINGS GULF NEARER

The Gulf Stream is nearer the Carteret mainland than any mainland north of Florida. As a matter of fact the Gulf Stream is within 30 miles of Beaufort and Morehead City the local Chamber of Commerce learned with pleasure this week from government authorities whose business it is to chart the various navigable waters of the United States.

The reason the local Chamber of Commerce was pleased to learn that the stream was so near the coast of Carteret was because one of the finest books ever written about this state and her natural resources, "NORTH CAROLINA: Today and Tomorrow," edited by Paul Kelly and recently published by the Department of Conservation and Development would have people believing otherwise. Near the beginning of that splendidly written and elaborate book is an article in which it is stated that contrary to popular belief and frequent reports the Gulf (Continued on page eight)

### Warren Is Seeking Coast Guard Raise

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25—Representative Lindsay Warren is continuing his fight in behalf of the surfmen in the Coast Guard to get restored to them the \$1 per day subsistence allowance which they formerly received. The men in the 7th Coast Guard District now get 50 cents per day while in some districts they receive 75 cents per day provided they eat together. Mr. Warren is seeking to get the one dollar per day allowance restored without any restrictions. He said today that he had no hope of an appropriation for that purpose as the Budget Bureau would not approve the item, but that he was hopeful by reason of certain economies within the Coast Guard that it might be possible by July. It was Representative Warren who prevailed upon Admiral Billiard, then Commandant of the Coast Guard, several years ago to make the one dollar allowance, but it was reduced during the depression.

### POULTRY CAR DUE IN CARTERET SOON

Hugh Overstreet, county agent, has arranged for a poultry car to be at Newport on Feb. 3rd-17th and March 3rd, 17th and 31st. This purchase of poultry is sponsored every year at this time by the Farmers Cooperative Exchange of Raleigh, sales are paid for at the car, and this is an excellent opportunity for farmers to dispose of surplus poultry.

**IN WASHINGTON**

WHAT IS TAKING PLACE BY



Rufus R. Rumbley  
 UNITED STATES SENATOR

IT IS CUSTOMARY, following the inauguration of a President of the United States for newspapermen and radio commentators to seek out members of Congress, Governors and visiting dignitaries to ascertain their views on the inaugural address. This year was no exception, and press and radio have carried to our 130,000,000 people comment on the message of President Roosevelt. Any study of the address and any analysis of the comment that has followed, reveals clearly that the President's message caught the tempo of the times.

IT WAS A message of hope. It was a well-phrased appeal to individual patriotism. It was a document that went far beyond political (Continued on page eight)

### May Send Potatoes To Flood Victims

Plans were underway by Red Cross officials to send a carload of sweet potatoes from Carteret county to the flood victims of the Ohio and Mississippi. Already railroad officials have stated they would furnish a car for the purpose and that transportation would be free. Legion and Red Cross officials would solicit the potatoes from farmers of the county. Many have already stated that they would contribute to the car load. As we go to press Dr. F. E. Hyde, chairman of the local Red Cross Chapter was awaiting instructions from headquarters of relief activities as to where the potatoes should be shipped.

### Treasurer Of Fair



**Tom Kelly**

Tom Kelly, prominent in local American Legion circles will again be treasurer of the Legion sponsored Carteret county fair here in October, 1937. He served in that same capacity during the very successful fair of 1936, which was made possible by the sponsorship of Carteret Post, 99, of The American Legion, which has members in Beaufort, Morehead City and eastern communities. This year the O. C. Buck exhibitions will be the midway attraction at the fair.

### Civil War Days IN BEAUFORT

By (Late) Jas. Rumley Esq.

**Synopsis**

Heavy cannonading in the direction of New Bern on March 13, 1862 indicated to the people of Beaufort that the "war" had at last reached this section. On March 15, New Bern was captured. On March 17, the Confederate steamer Nashville, which had run the blockade to reach Beaufort, having lately come from England via Bermuda, sailed from this port safely; General John G. Fike with 1,500 troops occupied Carolina City on March 22 and on March 24 a detachment under a flag of truce came to Beaufort to invite citizens of the town to Carolina City for a conference. On the night of March 25, two companies of U. S. troops occupied Beaufort. Promised by General Burnside that the occupation of Beaufort would in no way corrupt the rights of citizens. But with the occupation of the town, the situation between slaves and owners became tense. Several acts of outrage were published in the foregoing instalments the last being the entrance of Dr. King's home by the Federal troops under the pretense of looking powder. This is the diary of the late James Rumley Esq., written here in Beaufort during the Civil War.

**Third Installment.**

NOT SATISFIED with a fruitless search for powder, and the plunder of 15 barrels of corn from the pri- (Continued on page eight)

### TILLIE SET FOR BIG PARTY



What goes on? Left to right: Nancy Nichols, impersonating Tillie the Toiler, being drawn by Russ Westover. Westover is permitting Tillie to go to the President's Birthday Ball, January 30, in the person of Nancy.

### PRESIDENT'S BALL ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Skunk Ernul And His "Swingsters" Will Make the Music For Dancers

Previously announced for Saturday night, January 30, the local President's Ball will be given at the Community Center here on Friday night, January 29 instead. It was announced today by C. Lambert Skarrey, ball chairman. This is the third year that a President's Ball has been presented in Beaufort and in the past they have attracted a large number of dancers.

Proceeds from the ball, above actual expenses are used in the fight against Infantile Paralysis. Thirty per cent goes to the national committee while 70 per cent is retained locally to be used in the fight against this dreaded disease. The balls are given each year throughout the country on President Franklin D. Roosevelt's birthday. Giving the balls for the benefit of infantile paralysis sufferers was originally his idea.

Excellent music by "Skunk Ernul" and his "Swingsters" amplified thru an AP Sound system is promised patrons of the ball. His orchestra plays for a similar ball in New Bern on Saturday night. Admission will be \$1.00.

### Challenged To Play

The Beaufort Rotarians have challenged the Morehead City Rotarians for a game of basket ball to be played on next Tuesday night at the gymnasium in Beaufort. Tom Hood stated today that he would not know until tonight whether the challenge would be accepted.

### "Feathered Dynamite"

Excerpts of a story about quail hunting in Carolina by Corey Ford and Alastair MacBain, in the current edition of Colliers Magazine.

Corey Ford and Alastair MacBain, magazine writers of national note came to North Carolina quail hunting a few weeks ago. As the result of that hunting trip this State and the excellent quail shooting to be had within our boundaries has been given publicity in Colliers, The National Weekly, which is perhaps the most widely read weekly magazines in America.

Feathered Dynamite is the title of the Ford-MacBain story which is given prominence in the current edition of Colliers. Under this caption is the following subhead: "This is once you wont mind getting up in the morning—we're off to hunt quail, the fastest, trickiest, most satisfactory game birds. We're in the right place too, North Carolina, where the quail are increasing annually, due to sound conservation measures. Come along, you're sure of a shot."

Ford and MacBain did their hunting in the Piedmont area, and they were highly pleased with their various bags of feathered dynamite. It would have been the same story if they had hunted in our eastern section of the state or the western area because North Carolina, from the mountains to the sea is truly a quail hunting paradise.

Excerpts from the Ford-MacBain story follow:

"There is only one bird in Carolina. To be sure, there are warblers and orioles and larks, there are buzzards wheeling overhead and turtle doves cooing in the cornfields; but to your native Carolinian these myriads of feathered songsters, rendering their matutinal chorus within approximately a shoe's throw of your bedroom window each morning, simply don't belong in the same ornithological league. When they say "bird" down here in the South, they mean just one thing. They mean quail . . .

. . . And that is why as the snows pile higher in the North and (Continued on page two)

## Citizens Help Flood Victims

### How Groups Respond'd Receive Contributions From All Sections Of Carteret

Mrs. M. E. Bloodgood telephoned The Beaufort News office just as we go to press today and gave a complete list of the contributions to the Red Cross by groups. Names of individuals were omitted due to lack of space to print same. The list follows:

Beaufort Graded School	\$41.80
Local Chapter Fund	25.00
American Legion	15.25
Church	4.00
Rotary Club	7.50
Junior BYPU	1.00
Ruth Bible Class	4.50
Barbours Machine Shop	4.50
C. D. Jones Co.	12.00
Individual Gifts	\$135.65
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$256.20</b>

### RED CROSS OFFICIALS SURE OF LOCAL QUOTA

Citizens of Beaufort have responded freely in the drive now being conducted by the local chapter of the American Red Cross for funds to add the flood victims of the middle west. The initial quota for the local chapter was \$60. It was raised in less than 60 minutes. The quota was doubled and again contributions given freely by all solicited was easily raised.

The last message called for a quota of \$300, or five times the original amount asked early Monday and as we go to press today Mrs. M. E. Bloodgood, chairman of the drive for the Beaufort chapter which includes the communities in East Carteret were within a few dollars of the amount needed. The total amount raised until noon today was \$256.20, said Mrs. Bloodgood, but even before this edition goes on the street the total quota will probably be raised and over the top.

### Given Important Post



**Graham A. Barden**

Representative Graham A. Barden, of this Congressional District, and youngest member of the North Carolina delegation in Washington was selected last Friday to the post of 'official objector.' It is one of the most responsible and unsought positions in the House. It will be his duty to watch all bills on the private calendar and consent calendar and see that none except meritorious ones pass. This is only one of the important committee posts which Congressman Barden holds in the House.

So far the communities in East Carteret have not reported. Collections in those communities usually made through the schools are always generous, because the contributors are people who have been aided themselves during local disasters, by this same American Red Cross.

During a drive last year for funds to aid the victims of tornado razed towns in this and other Southern states the citizens of Cedar Island were among the largest contributors, according to population. Back in 1933 Cedar Island was right in the path of a hurricane which caused thousands of dollars in damage, and which received Red Cross aid hardly before the wind had died out.

Citizens in Eastern communities may make their contributions to their local school or church officials who in turn will send same into headquarters here. It was stated. (Continued on page five)

### COASTGUARD OFF TO FLOODED AREA

Motor Lifeboats And Many Men Sent From This District

Approximately 50 coastguardsmen aboard 15 motor life boats have gone to the middle west flood zone for rescue duty. In the northeast section of the state the men and their boats entrained from Norfolk. From the southern section, that is from Creeds Hill to Oak Island, the men and their boats entrained from Wilmington.

From Coastguard Advance Base A in Morehead City, the 125 foot patrol boat Cahoon under the command of Capt. Jenkins with a crew of 17 men sailed yesterday for New Orleans where it will be one of many

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### This Announcement News to Beaufort

An announcement appearing in the Twin-City Herald Wednesday read as follows: "Notice—Effective January 28th until further notice, highway traffic will be closed on the Beaufort causeway from 12:00 midnight to 5 A. M. — Bridge under construction. State Highway and Public Works Commission." Just why those in authority did not notify The Beaufort News is not known unless they were under the impression that it would bring protests from the citizens of Beaufort. And that is what it did, so today Chamber of Commerce officials in Beaufort have wired authorities asking that the bridge not be closed to traffic for more than one hour at a time.

### Soil Conservation Meet Here Saturday

"Hugh Overstreet, county agent, is calling a meeting of all the farmers in Carteret for Saturday, Jan. 30th, at 2:00 P. M., at which time the Soil Conservation Program for 1937 will be presented to them. H. A. Patten, former agent of Craven County and at present in Raleigh with the Soil Conservation Program will be here to talk to the farmers. All farmers in the county have been notified by Mr. Overstreet, and any one interested in this program is invited to attend."

### TWO STATION BOATS MISSED THEIR TRAIN

The Ocracoke picket boat stopped at Morehead City this morning to refuel before continuing to her home station. A motor life boat with crew of three men from Kinnekeet station stopped at Fort Macon to await orders before continuing to her station. Both of the foregoing boats had started for Wilmington to entrain for the flood area of the middle west, but reached there too late to catch the train which would have transported them, it was reported.

### A NEW SUBSCRIBER IN TELA, HONDURAS

Added to the subscription list of The Beaufort News this week was Jack A. Taylor, of Tela, Honduras, Central America. He is the son of C. B. Taylor, high official of the United Fruit Co., who lives in Boston, and a grandchild of the N. W. Taylors here in Beaufort. Mr. Taylor is not the only subscriber we have in foreign lands. Each week copies of The Beaufort News go to Mexico, Canada (Continued on page two)

### Quail Hunting Good In County Recently

Quail are plentiful and the gunning for these birds has been very good in Carteret county during the recent mid-winter warm weather. Local, county and visiting sportsmen have frequently gone afield and bagged their limit without any difficulty. Stanley Secombe and L. E. Combs of Connecticut and New Jersey returned to their homes this week after shooting quail for several days with Cooch Chadwick over his splendid bird dogs. Mr. Chadwick told a News reporter that the hunting was fine while the out of state residents were here.

### TIDE TABLE

Information as to the tide at Beaufort is given in this column. The figures are approximately correct and based on tables furnished by the U. S. Geodetic Survey. Some allowances must be made for variations in the wind and also with respect to the locality, that is whether near the inlet or at the heads of the estuaries.

High Tide	Low Tide
Friday, Jan. 29	
10:00 a. m.	3:52 a. m.
10:25 p. m.	4:18 p. m.
Saturday, Jan. 30	
10:38 a. m.	4:36 a. m.
	4:59 p. m.
Sunday, Jan. 31	
11:06 a. m.	5:21 a. m.
11:14 p. m.	5:41 p. m.
Monday, Feb. 1	
11:46 a. m.	6:08 a. m.
11:55 p. m.	6:26 p. m.
Tuesday, Feb. 2	
12:27 a. m.	7:00 a. m.
12:35 p. m.	7:15 p. m.
Wednesday, Feb. 3	
1:18 a. m.	7:45 a. m.
1:20 p. m.	8:08 p. m.
Thursday, Feb. 4	
2:07 a. m.	8:49 a. m.
2:15 p. m.	9:01 p. m.