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When Man's Best Friend Becomes Unfriendly

When a dog man's best friend, becomes unfriendly it is time for the owner to do something about it. During the past few days two or three children in Beaufort or East Carteret have been bitten by dogs. That is a dangerous business. Regardless of whose dog it is or the circumstances surrounding the dog bite, it is dangerous because some dogs carry the germs of rabies and rabies brings on hydrophobia and hydrophobia is the most horrible and fatal disease known to medical science. It was Louis Pasteur who discovered the vaccine which has frequently saved the lives of those bitten by mad-dogs, and it is a sure cure if the patient bitten receives the treatment in time, just like hydrophobia is sure death unless the patient gets proper attention. Even the most friendly dog around the house might be a rabies carrier, unless its owner has complied with the state law which says all dogs must at intervals be vaccinated. But in many counties, even here in Carteret, the law is not observed by all dog owners. It is one law which by all means should be enforced. It is not enforced and it would be a safe bet to say that more than 50 percent of the dogs in Carteret and all North Carolina counties have not been vaccinated against rabies. The summer season is a season that dog owners would do well to keep their canines tied up. The summer season is a time when municipal police should see to it that owners keep their dogs at home, or else they, the police shoot them. Physicians advise that when a child or any person is bitten by a dog which is known to be unvaccinated, that the dog be killed immediately, its head cut off so that an examination of the brain be made to determine if it is infected with rabies. And get the bitten person to a doctor immediately.

Life Guard Needed At Inlet Inn Dock

A life guard is needed at the Inlet Inn dock. It is a fine place to swim and huge crowds go there each day for that purpose. Included in the throng are many small children or non-swimmers. Efforts should be made on the part of some local civic organization to employ a life guard to be on duty there at certain periods of the day. It may be something which the Boy Scouts could do at no cost. Most of the older scouts are excellent swimmers and they could be designated to duty at certain periods each day or each week on the Inlet Inn Dock. It is a nice proposition for the NYA to consider. And The American Legion, The Rotarians or any of the local civic organizations could at small cost sponsor the employment of a life guard for the Inlet Inn dock and in turn do a worthwhile deed for the youth of the town who go swimming and bathing there. Any way you look at it—there is a need for a life guard at the Inlet Inn Dock.

The Inlet Inn Dock

As we understand it the Inlet Inn dock is a private dock but every white person is extended the privilege of using same for swimming or other water activities. There have been some complaints from local white citizens that while the colored people of the town were not using the dock for swimming purposes there are frequently times when colored people throng along the waterfront in that vicinity and even go on the wharf for observation purposes if nothing else. That is a bad situation. The good colored people of Beaufort know that it is a situation which should not be tolerated, and it is quite likely that the condition will not be tolerated for any length of time. Legal-



ly the colored people have just as much right there as white people—from a Town Ordinance standpoint. But the Inlet Inn dock is a private dock and if the owners care to hang a sign and say no bathing from this pier, they could do so with authority. But the owners will do nothing of the sort—insofar as the white people of the town are concerned. If colored people continue forming a gallery in that vicinity when white people are bathing—it is going to make a bad situation worse.

The Manual Arts Training School

Credit is due to civic clubs and firms of Beaufort who are cooperating in making the Manual Training School conducted by Fred Lewis at the Boy Scout hut a success. Such loyal support means the citizens of Beaufort are interested in the welfare of the children of the community. Such training not only keeps the children off the streets and away from unwholesome environments but it teaches them to make useful objects. During the past week some 80 boys and girls have been busy making trays, aprons, doll clothes, paper butterflies, boat models and tables under the direction of Mr. Lewis. The boys are also mending benches and chairs for the Sunday schools. All boys and girls from the age of seven to 16 are eligible for registration in the manual training school and there is no charge to the enrollees. Much credit goes to Fred Lewis, who conceived the idea, and much credit goes to the organizations here which helped finance the project. Those who are sponsoring the school follow: Rotary Club, American Legion, Beaufort Business Association, J. F. Duncan's S. S. Class, Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church, Ruth Bible Class, Legion Auxiliary, Lipman's Store and Feltons. They are to be commended for their splendid interest.

Our Mail Box

C. M. T. C. CAMP

To the Editor:

I have been chosen to represent the Citizens Military Training Camps in Carteret County and it will be impossible for me to be in the county before the middle of July and that will be to late. If you know of five or six boys that might be interested in the camps, I will appreciate you sending me their names.

The boys from Carteret County will go to Fort Bragg, N. C. from August 3rd to Sept. 1st.

Any help you can give me will be greatly appreciated.

I will not go in any details about the camps as you are familiar with the purpose and workings of them. Thanking you in advance, I remain,

Very Truly Yours

Guion B. Simpson,

2d, Lt. F. A. (CASC) Bragg.

Editor's note: Any boy in Carteret who wishes to enlist in the C. M. T. C. may bring his name to the editor of The Beaufort News or write Lt. Simpson direct for further details. A. B.

Flea beetles causing costly destruction of tobacco plants in the northwestern tobacco belt of North Carolina may be controlled by spraying the plants with a poison mixture, recommends extension entomologists at State College.

Obituaries

JAMES CHADWICK

Gloucester—Funeral services for James Chadwick, 76, were conducted at the home here Friday with the Rev. Mr. Joyce, pastor of Straits Methodist Church, and the Rev. Sam Leffers retired officiating. Mr. Chadwick died Thursday night following an illness of several weeks. He was widely known in this Coastal county and played an important role in the life of Gloucester community.

Surviving are five sons and three daughters: They are: Carteret County's Sheriff Elbert M. Chadwick of Morehead City; Dr. W. S. Chadwick, Carteret health officer and practicing physician of Beaufort; Henry Chadwick, Gloucester; Vivian Chadwick, Smyrna; Harry Chadwick, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Flora Bates, Gloucester, and Mrs. Bert Mears, New Bern. Two brothers, J. W. Chadwick

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of Beaufort; Monroe Chadwick of Straits, and one sister, Mrs. Pauline Moore of Beaufort also survive.

MRS. CLARA WILLIS

Funeral services for Mrs. Clara Willis, 56, were conducted at the home on North River road on Thursday June 17 with the Rev. C. T. Rogers officiating. She died Wednesday evening of an heart attack. Interment was made in the Longest Cemetery near North River road.

Mrs. Willis is survived by her husband, Albert Willis and four daughters: Mrs. Eugene Perry, Miss Ola Bell Willis, Miss Lillie Mae Willis of this county and a sister who lives in Virginia. Four sons also survive. They are: Robert (Cecil, Ernest and Will Willis of this county.

ELIJAH BELL WILLIS

WILLISTON — Funeral services for Elijah Bell Willis, 11-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Willis of Williston were conducted at the Methodist church here Friday afternoon with the Rev. Mr. Mathewson and the Rev. Mr. Joyce officiating. He died on Thursday. During the last rites the Davis choir rendered songs.

Besides his parents the youth is also survived by one brother, Preston Willis and three sisters. They are: Mrs. Walter Wade, Mrs. Lelia Gillikin and Miss Rosa Mae Willis.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Willis.

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