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No Curtailment Of Electric Power Scheduled For Carteret County

CAA's Harlee Branch Tells Beaufort's Rotary Club Of Great Strides In Aviation

In Addition To Defense Production And Operation, American Airlines Are Flying Over 80,000 Scheduled Route Miles Regularly

Despite the fact that defense extension has greatly intensified war time aviation, commercial transport planes are flying regularly over 80,000 route miles in this nation and to foreign countries from America, Harlee Branch, chairman of the Civil Aeronautics Board of the United States told Beaufort Rotarians at their regular weekly supper meeting in the Inlet Inn on Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Branch have been spending several weeks in Beaufort, resting from many months of grinding work which has faced the highest CAA-official in America.

LOCAL PARTIES KILL TWO DEER

A hunting party headed by Charles Hassell killed two deer last week. The first deer was killed by a member of the party on Thursday, the second on Friday. Beaufort News was unable to get names of parties as we go to press today.

JUDGE HAMILTON TO PRESIDE HERE

Judge Luther Hamilton of Morehead City, Special Superior Court Jurist, will preside over the December term of Carteret Court here next week. The one week session will be devoted exclusively to civil actions.

VOGUE TO REMAIN OPEN EVENINGS ON EACH WEDNESDAY

The Vogue, Beaufort's widely known ladies wear store, will remain open each Wednesday night until 10 o'clock, starting December 3, its owners, Mrs. Chadwick and Mrs. Smith announced this week. The open late rule is being started on Wednesdays to help take care of the Christmas shopping trade. Immediately prior to Christmas, starting about December 15 or December 17, The Vogue and many other Beaufort firms will remain open late each evening.

The Washington MERRY-GO-ROUND
DREW PEARSON & ROBERT ALLEN

WASHINGTON, D. C. NAZI INTRUDER

There is a German smuggler operating in the Caribbean off the coast of Mexico. This was the inside reason for the President's sudden transfer of the coast guard to the navy—the coast guard's ships and planes are added to track down the Nazi intruder. Sensational feature about the smuggler is that she is a former S. vessel—the 800-ton Diesel-engine yacht that once belonged to Atwater Kent, Philadelphia radio magnate.

The one-time pleasure ship now is being operated under the Panamanian flag out of Vera Cruz, Mexico, by Nazi agents in that city, and is being used to transport high test gasoline and mercury to small Caribbean islands where Japanese ships collect the smuggled strategic supplies.

The yacht recently unloaded 1,000 tanks of mercury at an island which for military reasons must be nameless. The former luxury craft came into possession of the Nazis by a circuitous route which intelligence experts uncovered only a few weeks ago. The purchase was made by a shipping company whose main office is in Vera Cruz and has a branch office in New Orleans, where transfer of title took place. The price was \$18,000. See MERRY-GO-ROUND P 7

Of the 80,000 route miles now in operation by American airlines under the CAA, approximately 40,000 are domestic, the remaining 40,000 being extensions to foreign nations in Europe, Asia and countries of the Western Hemisphere not under the American flag. America still holds supremacy of the air, and always has, Mr. Branch pointed out. He referred to the great Dutch airways extending from Europe to the Far East, which was one of the earliest pioneers over long routes. This great Dutch line, however, was using American made planes for several years before Pan-American began spider-webbing the Atlantic and Pacific oceans with established routes. Reference was also made to flying in Alaska commercially. That is one country where a person must fly if they expect to travel in a hurry from place to place in the territory which is one fifth as large as the United States. Alaska has only 480 miles of railroads, but thousands of miles of established and charter airlines.

The Rotary speaker brought out some interesting statistics relative to the expansion of aviation. He said that there had been an increase of 200 percent in commercial licensed pilots from July 1, 1938 to September 1, 1941. Commercial planes on established routes covered 108,000,000 miles during 1940, while during the same period 264,000,000 miles of non-scheduled plane operations was made. The latter figure is a hundred percent increase over 1938.

The value of aircraft production in 1938 was \$125,000,000; the production in 1940 was valued at \$550,000,000 and the expected value of production next year of commercial and war planes will reach the staggering sum of \$3,000,000,000.

One of the great problems of the CAA today is to map out future plans for aviation. "What See CAA Page Four

Mayor's Resignation Effective On Sunday

Mayor G. W. Huntley whose resignation from office becomes effective November 30, is more than likely to be succeeded by Mayor-Protem Graydon M. Paul, it was indicated today in conversations between Beaufort newsmen and municipal officials.

Newport Takes Double Header From Bridgeton

Newport Tuesday night won over Bridgeton in their first out-county game. The girl's game came out 28-14 with F. Nelson, high scorer for Bridgeton, and M. Mann putting them in for Newport. The boy's game opened with 8-4 first quarter Newport leading. The half showed a 14-11 score Bridgeton leading. Newport opened up in the last two quarters to come out 29-22 over Bridgeton. Ballard was high scorer for Bridgeton with Haskett for Newport. Coach W. H. McWhorter, formerly of Bridgeton, was well pleased over the victory.

THEY'RE KILLING DUCKS DURING BLUEBIRD WEATHER IN UPPER CORE SOUND AND OUTER BANKS TERRITORY



DESPITE THE fact that the weather has not been very favorable for duck shooting since the opening of the hunting season on November 1, more migratory wildfowl has been killed this year in the upper Core Sound and Outer Banks territory than in several years. Often visiting and local hunters have killed their bag limits of ducks and geese day after day. As winter begins, hunting will become better and to the person who enjoys wildfowl gunning a trip to the northeastward waters from Beaufort is sure to bring results. These photos from Ocracoke Island Beacon show methods of hunting, bags and a retriever bringing in the game

Beaufort News Buys New Type

As a result of the purchase of a series of Gothic type today from Charles D. LeGrande, district representative of the Mergenthaler Linotype Co., The Beaufort News will in about two weeks be able to do many printing jobs which heretofore had to be sent to larger cities. This type will be set on our linotype machine and will result in every job set in this series will have new, fresh type plus eliminating the slow process of hand setting with type that is used over and over, which does not print clear after it has been used a number of times. Very few printing shops in a town this size have this modern arrangement, but it is another of the many improvements that have been added since the local paper has been under its present management.

FOR CHRISTMAS

Give Subscriptions to The Beaufort News, most widely read newspaper on the Central Carolina Coast.

TIDE TABLE

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

HIGH	LOW
Friday, Nov. 28	
4:22 AM	10:37 AM
4:38 PM	10:47 PM
Saturday, Nov. 29	
5:12 AM	11:29 PM
5:27 PM	11:29 PM
Sunday, Nov. 30	
5:57 AM	11:32 AM
6:10 PM	12:17 PM
Monday, Dec. 1	
6:36 AM	12:15 AM
6:50 PM	1:00 PM
Tuesday, Dec. 2	
7:12 AM	12:55 AM
7:27 PM	1:40 PM
Wednesday, Dec. 3	
7:48 AM	1:32 AM
8:05 PM	2:16 PM
Thursday, Dec. 4	
8:23 AM	2:10 AM
8:44 PM	2:52 PM

Exploratory Work In Puerto Rico Is Offered Fishermen

Under the direction of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Laboratory at Beaufort, a vessel will soon be fitted out for extensive exploratory fishing operations in Puerto Rican waters, Dr. H. F. Prytherch announced this week.

Purpose of the exploratory operations is to determine the commercial fishing possibilities off the coast of Puerto Rico, and to train the natives of that island possession of the United States how to take, pack and otherwise benefit from the available fish crop.

There will be a job for two North Carolina coastal fishermen who can qualify for the work which will include handling of various type fishing gear. The job will pay \$150 per month and expenses. The two fishermen who are accepted for the work will have a job lasting for two years. Persons interested in applying for the job, may do so now thru the local U. S. Fish and Wildlife Laboratory. The boat to be used will be fitted out in February or March. Two Diesel engines will also be needed, and anyone qualifying as same, desiring to have the job may also apply.

CHRISTMAS SEAL SALE UNDERWAY IN COUNTY NOW

Mrs. J. G. Allen Has Charge Of Sales In Carteret

Mrs. J. G. Allen has charge of Christmas Seal sale in Carteret county with the exception of Morehead City. Mrs. W. S. Chadwick has charge of the bond sale in Beaufort. The bonds resemble commercial bonds and run in denominations from \$5.00 upward. They are labeled "The Crusade of the Double Barrel Cross, Christmas Seal Bond." They bear the imprint of the doublebarrel cross, intentional insignia of the fight against tuberculosis.

In Raleigh this week Governor Broughton issued the Christmas Seal proclamation which follows: "Under the sponsorship of the North Carolina Tuberculosis Association, there will again be held this year the annual sale of Christmas Seal."

Loans Available For Farmers For Home Building

I. E. Pittman announced this week that the Housing Authority has formally opened its office in Clinton. Mr. Pittman, cashier of the First Citizens Bank and Trust Company in Morehead City, is Carteret County commissioner of the Eastern Regional Authority.

All persons in Carteret County who are interested in having the Authority to build a home for them are urged to register their names with Mr. Pittman at once.

Primary purpose of the Eastern Carolina Regional Housing Authority is to construct homes for farm-owners or farm tenants who are in need of new homes but who are unable to construct such homes for themselves. Basic eligibility requirements are that applicants for the homes be citizens of the United States and that the farms upon which the homes are to be built be potentially an economic unit to assure a living income for the owner or the tenant. See LOANS Page 8

COVERING THE WATERFRONT

By AYCOCK BROWN

REV. LOUIS HAYMAN Atlantic, N. C. Guest Columnist

THE FALL fishing season has about closed along the coastal section from Sea Level to Cedar Island. Catches have been large this season, and fishermen have realized good prices for their catches. Activities are in evidence for the mid-winter fishing which is trawling for flounders and sink-net fishing. Catches are not so large, but the quality of the fish is fine, and prices are good.

CLAMS STILL hold the spotlight and prices are excellent. With cold weather coming on, the work will slow down. However, many are taking to tonging these bivalves in the deeper waters, and reports are that catches are very good. Oysters are to be had on the local markets and the flavor is fine. The stock is about average, and the prices range all the way from sixty cents to a dollar according to the quality of the stock. The oystermen report that the supply is not so good, and that the catch per day is small compared with other recent years.

THE FACT that the electric light lines have been established at Cedar Island, the question now See WATERFRONT, Page 8

Christmas Street And Tree Lights To Be Turned On Soon

RED CROSS

Number Of Members Already More Than 1940

The Chairman of the Red Cross Roll Call for the Beaufort Chapter, Edward C. McConnell, reported today that the total memberships enrolled came to a total of 298. This number is divided as follows: Beaufort zone 1 - 17; zone 2 - 9; zone 3 - 85; zone 4-20; zone 5 - 24; zone 6 - 6; zone 7 - 10; zone 8-33; zone 9 - 16; zone 10 - 22. Atlantic 20; Bettie - 7; Russell Creek - 4; Cedar Island 25.



The number to date, 298, is far ahead of the grand total of 241 for last year and gives a sure promise that the goal of 400 will be reached. The chairman was quite confident that when all of the zone workers in Beaufort turned in their reports, and when the 17 districts in the county had made full reports the goal would be oversubscribed.

1942 AUTO AND TRUCK LICENSE SALE TO START

Will Be Available In Morehead On December 1

PLATES FOR FARMERS TRUCKS ARE REDUCED

North Carolina's 1942 auto and truck license will go on sale in Carteret County next Monday morning at the Carolina Motor Club's branch office located in Sound Chevrolet Building on Arendell Street in Morehead City. Mrs. Vernon Willis, branch manager of the Motor Club office stated today that the license plates this year would have an orange colored background with black letters, or just the reverse of the 1941 licenses.

The new licenses may be displayed anytime after December 1, and must, according to law, be displayed not later than midnight, December 31. Persons operating motor vehicles without the new 1942 license plates attached after December 31, will be subject to arrest by patrolmen. Exception to the case is a license. See LICENSE Page 8

Red Cross Knitters Urged To Speed Up

All women who are knitting size 1 or 2 sweaters for the Red Cross please finish as soon as possible and return to Mrs. E. C. McConnell. Shipment of these sweaters should be made within a few days.

Father And Son Banquet Dec. 12

Plans are now underway to present the annual Father and Son banquet of Newport Vo-Ag Class on December 12, it was announced here this week by C. S. Long, instructor, who was at Beaufort Publishing Company making arrangements for printing the programs. The annual banquet is a high spot of the school year at Newport and usually features a number of outstanding speakers.

Local Tide Water Plants Have No Shortage

Yuletide street lighting will not only be permitted on the Carteret Coast this year, but Beaufort is planning to have the colorful decorated bulbs erected and turned on by early December, it was indicated here today. There is no power shortage on the Carteret Coast, and contrary to some reports, Christmas lighting for street and tree decorations will be permitted this year as previously, it was definitely announced today by George Stovall, general manager for Tide Water Power Company here.

Christmas trees will be arriving on the coast for sale at local stores within the next few days. Already many merchants in Beaufort and Morehead City have stocked complete new supplies of tree lights, and news of curtailment of power in other sections of the country, had many worried, because they See LIGHTS Page 8

LOFTIN MOTOR COMPANY GETS PHILCO AGENCY

The largest and most complete line of Philco radio and refrigeration supplies ever shown in Carteret County are now on display at Loftin Motor Company's show rooms on Craven street. Elsewhere in this edition are advertisements announcing the appointment of Loftin Motor Company, pioneer dealer of Ford products on the Carteret coast, as the new Philco agency on the central coast. The Philco agency will be in addition to the automobile business which Loftin Motor Company will carry on as usual.

Persons who are interested in giving radio and refrigerators as Christmas gifts this year are invited to visit the Loftin show rooms and inspect the new and large display of Philco products on display.



Notes of an Innocent Bystander:

From James W. Barrett's book on Joseph Pulitzer, the great newspaper publisher: "A journalist in JP's (Pulitzer) conception, is a statesman as well as a writer. The basis of it was something more profound than persistent curiosity about people and things. JP, of course, was the most incorrigible busybody of his day and age. His habit of asking questions about everything under the sun and demanding accurate as well as immediate answers was an amusing and often annoying trait, but it was only a mechanism through which an eager, prehensile mind was kept supplied with working material. He had an objective which he refused to put aside. As long as he lived, he wanted to inform and mold public opinion—not just for the sake of profits, but for the sake of progress in the direction where he thought America ought to be heading."

Our Incurable Busybody Dep't.: Doesn't Army Intelligence think that Great Britain has a severe case of brass-hat poisoning? ... Aren't the members of the Supreme Court now all pulling one way—at each other's hair? ... Did you know that the President changed the nickname for Morgenthau to "Six Per Cent Henry"? ... What two Cabinet officers are suffering from make-up poisoning? - (Their friend's make up See WINCHELL Page 7