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## FISHING SMACK WRECKED SUNDAY

### Vessel Total Loss But All of Crew Were Saved By Coast Guard

The fishing schooner Louise Howard from New York to Beaufort made her voyage successfully down the coast and then when she arrived here, got wrecked on the bar last Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. A strong southwest wind blowing 25 miles an hour and a strong ebb tide, about two thirds out, caught the vessel and was about to capsize here when the captain ordered two anchors overboard hoping to bring her head up to the wind. The effort was unsuccessful however and the ship wallowed into a bed of breakers where she stranded and went to pieces.

Captain Henry Goodwin of the Port Macon Coast Guard station saw the plight of the Louise Howard and in a few minutes time the coast guard men started in their power boats for the ship. Despite the heavy seas that were running they came alongside the sinking vessel and succeeded in getting every man off without the loss of a single life. The ten men who comprised the crew were taken ashore and given such attention as they needed. As the vessel was a complete loss the personal effects of those aboard were all lost. Some eight or ten fishing dories were carried aboard the vessel and several of these that got adrift were salvaged by men in this vicinity.

The ship had aboard a ton of dynamite and several tons of rock ballast. The Louise Howard was the property of the Ocean Fisheries Company and was intended to be used for catching sharks and porpoises. The vessel was built three years ago and was of 176 tons capacity. She cost \$68,000 and had no insurance. The stiff wind and flood tide made a complete wreck of the fishing craft and pieces of rigging and other parts were scattered for miles along the beach. But for the prompt and efficient service of the coast guard men old Neptune would have taken a toll of lives as well as of the property which he destroyed.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following realty transactions have been recently recorded:

Mrs. S. B. J. Hornaday to C. S. Maxwell tract near Beaufort on Taylor's Creek, consideration \$245.

J. L. S. D. Edwards and wife to J. I. Mizell lot 160 town of Newport, consideration \$200.

E. F. Oglesby and wife to J. I. Mizell part of lot 155, town of Newport, consideration \$75.

D. G. Bell and wife to Chas. Taylor lots 12, 14, 15, 16, in block in Morehead City, consideration \$1,500.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Since last week's issue of the News Register of Deeds Troy Morris has issued matrimonial permits to the following couples:

E. W. Brooks and Mrs. Julia Cook, of Beaufort.

Fred J. Wenter (col.) and Madie Bell, of Morehead City.

Avant Long and Lizzie Bowden, of Wildwood.

Melvin Stryon, of Lupton, and Dorothy Goodwin, of Kee.

Thos. L. Willis and Amanda C. Nelson, Beaufort, S. F. D.

Geo. W. Hazox, Jr., Alioms, Pa., and Sarah M. Gaskin, Camp Glenn.

## ELECTRIC PLANT REPAIRED

The break in the electric service which occurred last Monday night was repaired and the plant started again Thursday night. The break was as serious as first thought any way. A man from Philadelphia came here to straighten out the trouble and found that a cable that goes through a conduit had gotten covered with oil and this stopped the flow of the current. Temporary repairs were made and the service resumed. The current is weak now however, and the lights are poor. The blue prints for the new engine and dynamo have been received and work on the foundation for them has started.

## COMMISSIONERS MET HERE LAST MONDAY

Beaufort, N. C., August 15, 1921.

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Carteret County, met this the 15th day of August, 1921, in special meeting at their regular meeting place in the courthouse in the town of Beaufort, North Carolina, with the following members present, to-wit: C. R. Wheatly, Chairman; J. L. Edwards and Henry O. Finer.

It was ordered by the Board that the expenses of all Ex Confederate Veterans be paid to the Reunion to be held at Durham, N. C. They are requested to take the matter up with Mrs. C. A. Clawson, Beaufort, N. C., and Mrs. Dan G. Bell Morehead City, N. C.

At a Special Meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Carteret County, held at their usual meeting place in the courthouse at Beaufort, N. C., on Monday, the 15th day of August, 1921, the following resolution was submitted by the Board of Trustees of the Beaufort Graded School properly endorsed by the Board of Education of Carteret County, viz:

Whereas the County Commissioners of Carteret County, North Carolina, did, at the request of the Board of Trustees of the Beaufort Graded School and the County Board of Education, call and order a special election to be held August 22nd, 1921, in the Beaufort Graded School District for the purpose of voting on a bond issue of not more than \$75,000 proceeds of which to be used in erecting a high school building in the town of Beaufort.

Whereas, it now appears to the Board of Trustees of the Beaufort Graded School, that on account of the general depression in business and the economic conditions of the bond market, that this is not an opportune time to hold such an election.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees in regular meeting assembled, this the 15th day of August, 1921, do petition the Board of Education to request the Board of County Commissioners to rescind their order for the election aforesaid and that all actions appertaining thereto be deferred until business conditions and the money market will warrant further action.

U. E. SWANN, Chairman Board Trustees, Beaufort Graded School.

C. H. FERGUSON, Secretary.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Carteret County that the said election be and the same is hereby rescinded and the same is hereby complied with and granted, and the Register and Poll Holders are hereby advised and directed not to hold said election or proceed further in the matter and return the registration and poll books to the office of the Clerk of the Board. That a copy of this notice be sent each registrar and poll holder appointed for the said election.

C. R. WHEATLY, Chairman Board of County Commissioners of Carteret County.

TROY MORRIS, Clerk.

No other business appearing, the Board adjourned.

## REPAIRING THE POSTOFFICE

Postmaster Raymond Wheatly is having some much needed repairs done to the postoffice. The plastering on the side walls and the ceiling which was getting in bad shape is being put in order and some painting is being done. There is no way of stretching the building though or so to make it large enough to fill the requirements of the town.

## SCIENTISTS AT WORK HERE

Mr. Fort Cunningham and Messrs J. T. Barnes and H. F. Alkner of Trinity College arrived here last week and are staying at the Biological Station on Piver's Island. The object of the visit of these gentlemen is to make microscopic examination of sea water in relation to the supply of food for fishes. This is a part of a rather extensive program of the U. S. Bureau of Fisheries.

## BUSINESS MEN ADVOCATE TARIFF

### Convention At Greensboro Favors Protective Tariff For Southern Products

An interesting meeting of the organization known as the Southern Tariff Association was held in Greensboro Monday and Tuesday of this week. This association which is composed of manufacturers, bankers, farmers, merchants and others, has as its aim the securing of protective tariff duties on Southern manufactured products and raw materials. According to the statement of President Kirby 95 percent of the members of the organization are Democrats in politics.

The editor of the News was in Greensboro Monday and attended the tariff association both in the afternoon and evening. Perhaps the most interesting speech of the occasion was that of President John H. Kirby, of Houston, Texas, a wealthy lumber manufacturer. Mr. Kirby said he had been a Democrat all of his life and still counted himself one, but that fact did not keep him from favoring protective duties on Southern cattle, hides, cotton, peanuts, oils and other articles. Mr. Kirby compared the cost of producing the articles referred to in this country and their cost in foreign countries and argued forcefully the need of protective duties. He was exceedingly earnest in his manner of speaking and apparently, perfectly sincere.

Other speakers at the convention were E. W. Parsons, secretary of the American Chemical Society, F. W. Bonds, of California, and Senator Ladd, of North Dakota. Mr. Parsons who stated that he was a Georgian by birth, and a Democrat in politics, strongly favored an embargo on dye stuffs, claiming that the German dye trust would ruin the American manufacturers if allowed to bring their goods into this country. He analyzed his subject carefully and made a convincing argument. Mr. Bonds made an interesting talk on the subject of poultry and eggs. He showed that this industry was larger in value than either the wheat, cotton, or tobacco crops and therefore a very important one to the people of this country. He said eggs are bought in China for six cents a dozen and brought here to compete with the American hens. Senator Ladd spoke at the night session and talked about the financial condition of the country which he said was more important now than the tariff. He paid his respects to the Federal Reserve system and used scathing language in doing so. He criticized the railroads and the trusts. He advocated higher protective duties for farm products and said the South and West ought to get together and regardless of politics stand for a tariff on their products.

On Tuesday which was the last day of the meeting addresses were delivered by R. E. Taylor, of New Mexico; and William E. Burgess, of Washington, a member of the United States Tariff Commission. Both speeches were instructive and interesting. A letter from ex-Governor Bickett was read in which he stated that he was utterly opposed to the Republican tariff policy but that he would like to see Southern products protected. The convention passed resolutions favoring a tariff on certain Southern products and declaring for an embargo on foreign dye stuffs and appointed committees to go to Washington to urge that the said action be taken.

## ODD FELLOWS MEET

A meeting of the fourth district of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows was held here Tuesday. There was an afternoon and evening session at which matters of much interest to the order were discussed.

Grand Master L. W. Moore, of Wilmington was present, also Chas. O. Bales, Superintendent of the Odd Fellows home at Goldsboro, both of whom delivered addresses.

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## PROHIBITION LAW TO BE ENFORCED

### Reorganization of Forces to Centralize Responsibility and Get Results

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Work of reorganizing the prohibition enforcement unit of the Internal Revenue Bureau is proceeding speedily and satisfactorily. The new reorganization plan put in effect by Prohibition Commissioner Major Roy Haynes, has been installed in about three-fourths of the states and territories and it is expected that all of the work will be completed by the first of September at the latest.

Commissioner Haynes' plan of reorganization is the very simple one of placing all of the activities in connection with the administration and enforcement of the Prohibition Amendment in the hands of one man in each state, holding him responsible for all results and centralizing in him all necessary authority to obtain results in his state. Under the old system there were state directors and federal inspectors and a total separation of the permissive and enforcement departments. Under that system there was, even under the most favorable circumstances, a division of authority and responsibility. Very frequently friction arose between the two branches and to use a common expression, "the buck was passed."

Reorganization Will Save Money Under the reorganization the permissive and enforcement features will be coordinated under the state directors, thus eliminating the chance of friction, uncertainty and confusion which constantly existed under the old system. This coordination, of course, makes for more direct, more speedy and, therefore, more effective administration.

In addition to these advantages over the old system, the reorganization will effect considerable saving in operation. In the single item of salaries there will be a saving of \$100,000. Duplication of inspections and investigations will be eliminated, as under the old system such work was performed by state directors and also by federal inspectors. There will be an elimination of voluminous correspondence, much of it duplication between individuals and U. S. District Attorneys on one hand and both the state directors and federal inspectors on the other. There will also be an elimination of duplicate files and records.

Major Haynes believes in centralizing all authority in the state head and holding him absolutely accountable for the administration and enforcement of the law. It is thoroughly understood among the state directors that no excuses will be accepted for any failure of law enforcement in the territory under their jurisdiction. It is also understood that those making a good record will be accordingly recognized. On account of this it is expected that a great many more arrests and prosecutions will result in the future than have in the past.

It is understood the prohibition enforcement authorities are going to insist upon criminal prosecutions for violators of the law, in addition to fines. They believe the greatest menace to law enforcement is not in the petty bootlegger who peddles half a pint, but in the aristocratic and wholesale bootlegger, who because of the enormous profits involved, goes into the game of violating the law on a tremendous scale. As a rule this class of law violators are men of wealth and influence and very often of social position. They are not to be deterred merely by the payment of fines but they do fear criminal prosecution and sentence to the penitentiary.

## CORRECTION OF ERROR

Through a typographical error in the advertisement of N. Macon Moore in the News last week it was made to appear that the Removal Sale did not begin till August 27th. It should have been said that the sale would last until August the 27th. The fact that people read ads in the News is shown by the large number who asked Mr. Moore about the date of the sale. The News regrets the error and gladly makes the correction.

## BEAUFORT WINS TWO FROM MOREHEAD CITY

The world series will have nothing on the series of base ball games going on between Morehead City and Beaufort, in so far as interest around here is considered. As is usually the case where towns are situated near each other there is considerable rivalry between the two and it is on the ball field that this rivalry gets its fullest expression.

A series of five games was arranged recently and three of them have been played. Morehead City took the first game with a score of 3 to 0 and Beaufort captured the next two. The first game was played on the Morehead City grounds last Friday a week ago. The next was played on Tuesday on Beaufort's field and resulted in a score of 2 to 1 in favor of the locals. Yesterday the third game took place at Morehead City and this was scooped by Beaufort with a score of 3 to 1.

The two teams seem well matched and the scores have not been large at either game. Each team plays a good percentage of local men but such also has several outside players. Yesterday the battery for Beaufort was Perry and Coward, for Morehead City, Smith and Hughes. Beaufort got 11 hits and made 5 errors; Morehead City got 6 hits and made 5 errors. Skarren in right field played like a big leaguer and was the star of the occasion. Perry pitched a good game but according to accounts got rather a raw deal from one of the umpires. Large crowds at both towns have witnessed the games and developed much enthusiasm.

In the game here on Tuesday the contest was mainly between the two pitchers. Johnson for Beaufort allowed but two clean hits. Smith, the Morehead City pitcher, pitched a good game also, allowing but one hit. Johnson struck out 16 men and Smith eight. Beaufort made 4 errors and Morehead City pulled off 3. Rice got the only hit for Beaufort, while K. Smith and W. M. Wade, hit safely for the other side.

The lineup for the two teams Tuesday was as follows:

Beaufort:	Morehead City:
Shipp, ss.	Thornton, c.
Thomas, 3b.	Minshes, 3b.
Coward, c.	McPoy, ss.
Skarren, 2b.	R. Smith, p.
Rice, if.	Wade, W. M., 2b.
Guthrie, cf.	Jones, rf.
Faulkner, if.	Wade, lf.
Fallock, lb.	Hall, cf.
Johnson, p.	Carter, lb.
	Hughes, cf.

The fourth game of the series is to be played Friday on Beaufort's grounds, beginning at 3:30 p. m.

## TENT MEETING IS MAKING GOOD PROGRESS

The revival started here over two weeks ago is still in progress and is meeting with good success. Eversheds Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McAdams, experienced evangelists of the Free Will Baptist denomination are conducting the services and are pleased with the results that have been obtained so far. They have come here with the intention of making a success of this revival and propose to stay here until they do, that is they will not stop until they have won a big victory for the great cause. Services are held twice daily in the tent, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Prayer services at the tent begin at 7:30 p. m. There are also prayer services at the stores at 10 a. m. and prayer meetings in private homes at 4 p. m. daily. On next Sunday afternoon at 3:30, Mrs. McAdams will lecture on experience in the West Indies. Mr. F. F. Loftin who has charge of the music during the meetings has gone away for a few days. Miss Rosa Willis of Davis plays the piano during the services. Miss Franklin and Miss Taylor do personal work during the services.

We learn that what came near being a serious accident happened at South River Sunday. A party of boys or young men went to the mouth of the river near the beacon where the water is very deep and current strong, anchored their boat and went in bathing. The current took them away from their boat and but for the arrival of Capt. L. B. Goodwin who happened to be passing they would have been drowned.

## SENTIMENT GROWS FOR PROTECTION

### Arizona's Democratic Senator Urges Protection of Cotton Industry

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Republicans are viewing with a great deal of satisfaction the speech Senator Ashurst, Democrat, of Arizona, made in the Senate on the day the Fordney Tariff Bill was reported to the Senate from the House. It might be added that Democrats are viewing the same speech with a great deal of concern. In the opinion of both Republicans and Democrats, Senator Ashurst's speech and the position it outlined, forecasts a very serious split in the Democratic party upon the tariff. The Senator's speech was devoted to the subject of a protective tariff upon cotton, which he said was absolutely necessary for the continued prosperity of the American cotton planter.

While the Senator's speech was devoted particularly to the Egyptian or long staple cotton which is raised in the southwest it was a comprehensive and scholarly discussion of the cotton industry as a whole, both in this and other countries. He pointed out that it costs 46c a pound to produce the long staple Egyptian cotton in the United States. The Egyptian grower pays not over 50c per day for his labor. It costs southern cotton growers \$6.00 to \$10.00 per bale to ship to Boston, the cost varying according to distance. On the other hand the Egyptian cotton grower can ship his cotton from Egypt to Boston for \$3.00 per bale. Senator Ashurst insisted the American grower is entitled to a protection which equals these differences between labor and transportation costs and then said:

Democrat Pleads For Tariff "The Government of the United States within the past fifteen years has spent large sums of money in testing soils, sending out experts and urging farmers to plant Egyptian cotton. We have spent thousands of dollars demonstrating that we could build up this industry in America. Yet, the Tariff Bill which has come to the Senate from the House of Representatives puts cotton on the free list, which means that the American grower of cotton will be exterminated unless the schedule is corrected. I appeal to the Senators not to destroy this Egyptian cotton industry. Free trade will destroy it and I appeal to the Republicans not to destroy it."

Were Senator Ashurst the only Democrat taking such a position, it would not be so significant, but he is not alone. During the closing hours of the debate upon the Fordney bill in the House, Representative Gardner, of Texas, ranking Democratic member of the Ways and Means Committee and in the absence of Representative Kitchin, leader of the Democrats in the tariff schedules, took the floor and announced that he intended to support the protective schedules on hides and cotton. It is pointed out that in this position he was supported by a very appreciable following in his own party. Only a few weeks ago, Governor John M. Parker, of Louisiana, in New Orleans, urged his people to discard that idea that a tariff was a political issue. He stated that it was an economic proposition pure and simple and the agricultural south would be better conserved by a protective tariff than it would by the traditional Democratic doctrine of free trade.

## DEAF MUTES VISIT KINSTON

Sixteen deaf mutes went to Kinston last Sunday to attend religious exercises conducted by Rev. R. C. Fortune in the Episcopal church there. Corbett Lewis a deaf youth from Storey, Carteret county attended the services and on his way home stopped at the News office and told about the trip. After attending the services in Kinston a party of the deaf mutes drove over into Jones county to the scene of the lynching which took place there last Saturday. They saw the dead body of the man who was lynched and were very much impressed with the whole affair.

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