

Many Cases Continued In Court Last Week

All Civil Matters Continued Except Divorce Cases and Many Criminal Indictments Carried Over To January Term Of Court. December Term For Civil Cases Only.

The News gave a report of the proceedings of Superior Court last week up to midday Thursday. With the exception of five divorce and some motions no civil business was transacted. All civil suits were continued until the December term which is for the trial of civil matters exclusively. A considerable number of criminal cases were carried over to the January term and some new indictments were made. It appears therefore that the January criminal docket will be a rather full one. The case which excited most interest last week went to the jury too late to get in the News last Thursday. It was the case wherein Claude Murdoch a young man from Wildwood was indicted for having carnal knowledge of Ruby Bell a girl less than sixteen years of age. The case was hotly contested by both sides but ended in a verdict of guilty. On Friday an agreement was reached between all parties concerned whereby the charge was changed to an assault on a female. Under the terms of the agreement the defendant paid to the prosecuting witness \$1000 and the costs in the case, which ends the matter so far as the court is concerned.

The record as to the other cases in court is as follows:

Mrs. Ada Hughes, keeping a house of prostitution, noll prossed, no evidence.

Mrs. Will Ray Perry, same charge as above. Called and failed.

J. M. Mason and Addie Forbes, cohabitation, called and failed to answer.

Leslie Norris, seduction, judgment suspended. He is to pay prosecuting witness \$50 at once and \$10 a month for twenty months.

Bennie Garner, making liquor, noll contendere, four months on roads, sentence to start on 2nd of November.

Tuttle Robinson, larceny, convicted. Sentence 12 months in jail with permission to county commissioners to hire him out. He is not to come to Beaufort during that time.

Willie Smith having carnal knowledge of girl under 16 years old, called and failed.

Carl Gabriel, assault, not a true bill.

Eva Ward, trespass and assault. Prayer for judgment continued, she to pay prosecuting witness \$10 and to pay the costs.

Leo Wigfall, violating prohibition law, continued.

Bev. Jones larceny of a propeller. Judgment on paying cost and returning propeller.

Dave Sparrow, violating prohibition law. Called and failed.

R. D. Exum, driving a car while drunk, capias and continued.

Ruth Jane Harris, violating prohibition law, continued.

La Fayette Copes and Bud Stephens, violating prohibition law. Judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Charlie and Newby Johnson violating prohibition law. Called and failed, escaped from jail.

Ben Hester and Earl Johnson, violating prohibition law, continued.

Joe Earl Roberts, driving car while under the influence of liquor. Fined \$50.

G. D. Canfield, assault with deadly weapon, not guilty.

G. D. Canfield, liquor in his possession, judgment suspended on payment of costs.

W. T. Piner and Charlie Dudley, injury to personal property. Continued.

Harvey Taylor, driving car while under influence of liquor, continued.

B. J. Battle, violating prohibition law. Convicted, four months on the roads.

Elijah B. Fulcher, larceny, 12 months on roads.

Jacob Bell, driving car while under influence of liquor. Continued.

D. C. Butler, assault with deadly weapon, continued to January term.

D. C. Butler, assault with deadly weapon on Adrian Brooks, true bill. Continued.

Adrian Willis, violating prohibition law. Not a true bill.

James Hancock, Walter Styron, W. P. Bell, Adrian Willis, violating prohibition law. Not a true bill.

Divorces were granted to the following persons:

Walter Godett against Carrie Godett, grounds for divorce, adultery.

Joseph Willis against Clara Willis,

CRAVEN COUNTY FAIR NEXT WEEK

Automobile Races, Boxing Matches Exhibits And Other Attractions

NEW BERN, Oct. 25—Monday October 31 the gates of the Craven County Fair Grounds will swing open for the third time under the present management of the Craven Fair Association, and, according to a statement made by Secretary C. Green, the 1927 exposition will be the most pretentious of the trio.

Fraught with features which no other fair in this section of the state has had this year, the 1927 Craven County Fair will offer a variety of amusements which will suit the appetite of even the most fastidious person, automobile races, football games, wild west shows, fireworks, wrestling matches, boxing matches, bicycle and foot races and carnival features galore to be seen along the biggest midway ever offered here.

Championship Auto Races

The opening gun of the six day fair which starts Monday, October 31 will be fired by the eight speedy auto fiends who will pilot some of the fastest racing cars circling the dirt tracks of the country today. These races will start promptly at three o'clock and will be run under the auspices of the American Automobile Association of America. The same drivers will appear here who are appearing at the Brockton, Mass., fair this week—one of the biggest of the New England expositions.

Wild West Aggregation

After the automobile races, California Frank's Wild West Show will offer one of the most stupendous free acts in front of the grandstand. California Frank has been with all the large circuses in the country and carries with him ten people, thirty head of stock and a group of real western ryes with him ten people, thirty head hour performance. With California Frank are Reine Hafley, world's championship lady trick and fancy rider, Mammie Francis, world's greatest horseback rifle shot, Napoleon, the \$10,000 dancing horse, Little Jec, the midget cowboy and his comely mules and Appollo, the famous high jumping horse who leaps over a seven passenger automobile at every performance. California Frank will appear every afternoon and night of the six days fair.

Fireworks One of the Features

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights a marvelous exhibition of fire works will be offered in front of the grandstand at nine o'clock. Fifty-two set pieces with a complete change of program each night, will be enjoyed by the patrons of the fair and, it is understood, that this year's fireworks program is far superior to that of last year.

Stone Shows on the Midway

The W. T. Stone Shows, the same aggregation which delighted patrons of the fair at Norfolk, Va., this year will offer the midway attractions Six rides, ten shows, six concessions Continued on page five

MOSQUITO MAN HERE.

Dr. T. H. D. Griffith of Biloxi, Mississippi, U. S. Director of Salt Marsh Mosquito Survey was in town yesterday in conference with County Health Officer Dr. S. E. Buchanan. He was accompanied by Dr. J. H. Hamilton, Health Officer of New Hanover county and Messrs. Lassiter and Morgan of Wilmington. They inspected some of the marshes around here. Plenty of mosquito larvae were found and mosquitoes fully equipped to business also.

grounds, adultery.

Gladys Lewis Giles against Harold Giles, grounds—impotence.

Janie H. Lupton against James W. Lupton, grounds, impotence.

Sadie F. Byrd against Frank Byrd, grounds, abandonment.

The grand jury made the usual report as to conditions of jail, county home and county offices finding all in good shape. They did not adjourn until Friday and were complimented by Judge Harris for the faithful manner in which they had discharged their duties.

MENHADEN FLEET START FISHING

Some Very Good Catches Made This Week Around Hatteras

The menhaden fleet of Beaufort and Morehead City started on its fall fishing this week. Of course a few small catches of fish have been made before but the real season has just started. The big run of menhaden is usually off the bar here between the first and tenth of November. The fishermen are not waiting for them to get here though but have gone up the coast to meet them.

The fat back fishing this week is being done around Hatteras which is some 75 miles from Beaufort. The reports are that there are a good many schools there but they are scattered and it takes a lot of work to get a boat loaded. Sometimes when the schools are large it takes only one or two settings of the nets to get a load. Considerable time is lost going to and coming from the fishing grounds. The News has not been able to learn the catches of all the boats this week but did get some. Catches made the first of the week were as follows: The Blades 175,000, the Marks 193,000, the Parkin 441,000, the Balster 253,000, the Wallace 270,000, the Mace 325,000. The fish are mostly good sized ones and should turn out a good deal of oil and scrap.

North Carolina Pottery On Exhibit Saturday

On Saturday October 29th, from two to five p. m., I shall have on exhibit in room number four of the Courthouse annex about fifty pieces of North Carolina Pottery. These pieces were made at the North State Pottery at Sanford in Lee County, and at the Auman Pottery at Seagrave in Randolph County. All of these pieces are hand-turned. The finger prints on the inside will bear out this statement. Many people think that pottery is made in a mold, but to-day, as of old, the potter's wheel is still revolving. It is an interesting sight to see how the skillful touch of a master potter can shape these fascinating creations from a lump of common clay. Gentle curves and graceful lines merge to form things of beauty that live in your heart from year to year.

There is a charm in pottery which grows upon you. A bowl, with a few flowers in it, is wonderfully effective in any room. A vase here, a jar there, an ornamental pitcher in some odd corner—what distinction they give to your home! For gifts nothing could be more in taste. Where discriminating taste is revealed in the fascinating art of flower arrangement, the quality of a bowl or vase is an indispensable factor. North Carolina Pottery affords a variety of forms, tones and glazes in infinite combinations of marvelous beauty for table or other decoration.

Thackery said, "Next to excellence is the appreciation of it."

EDITH POWELL,
Home Dem. Agt.

MOREHEAD BLUFFS HOTEL WILL BE SOLD AGAIN

Morehead Bluffs hotel which was sold at the courthouse door a few weeks ago under an execution and was knocked off for \$1600 is being advertised for sale again owing to some hitch in the former sale. The hotel and about three acres of land are to be sold. The sale is to take place on the 7th day of November and will be conducted by Sheriff Wade.

MISS FLORENCE PARKIN RECEIVED HIGH HONOR

Greensboro Oct. 23—Members of the zoology field club N. C. C. W. yesterday reported that in a recent meeting they had chosen Miss Florence Parkin, of Beaufort, their president for the present year.

Other officers chosen were as follows: Miss Helen Williams, of Yadkinville, Vice President; Miss Ann Wilkinson, of Cady, secretary and treasurer; Miss Alice Wesley, of Maiden, chairman of program committee; Miss Sarah Brown of Belcross chairman of publicity.

Both the outgoing President and new President of the club are Student Assistants in Zoology at the college.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Only one marriage permit has been issued since last week and that was to Paul Merrill and Mabel Bell, Morehead City.

FAIR EXHIBITS BETTER QUALITY THAN ANY BEFORE

Several Farm Exhibits That Were Especially Good. Baby Contest Interesting

BIGGER FAIR NEXT YEAR

The county fair held at Newport last week, according to all reports was the best that it has ever been. Moreover the fair managers say that they are to have a still bigger one next year. The fair began as a small one day community exhibit. It has now become a three day event and plans are to enlarge and add a number of features next year. In other words those who are responsible for the fair want to make it a Carteret county enterprise that will have a conspicuous part in the development of the county. The exhibits last week showed a big improvement in quality over previous fairs. The attendance was good and the people seemed to be pleased with the fair.

Mr. Walter R. Mann's exhibit of garden products deserves special mention.

The Better Baby Contest was an interesting event. Twenty two babies were weighed, measured and examined by Dr. Buchanan, County Health Officer. The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Murray D. McCain of Newport won first place, and that of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. James of Morehead City won second place.

There was only one entry in the school exhibit—that of Newport school. This created quite a bit of comment among the people who were especially interested in school affairs. The exhibit consisted of three parts, a sand table, the toy shoppe, and the gift shop. The sand table was a map of Carteret County. The land was made of sand while cement acted as a breakwater. The islands and indentions were faithfully reproduced as were the roads with their curves and "not fool proof signs." Real water showed where rivers, sounds and ocean meet. Never could there have been a more realistic reproduction of the county. The toy shop was made entirely by the boys, as was everything in it. There were animals of various kinds, and airplanes of many sizes and colors, besides toys equal to any pack carried by Santa Claus. The Gift shoppe showed the work of the girls. There was fancy work, toys, handpainted vases, and many useful articles that every girl would like to possess. Their booth was decorated prettily with moss and wisteria ingeniously cut from crepe paper.

Mr. W. E. Fodrie's farm exhibit was a special feature of the fair. This exhibit would have been a credit to a fair of many more exhibitors. To show you what a variety of things may be grown in Carteret County, a list of Mr. Fodrie's exhibit is given below:

1. green peas
2. dry peas
3. okra
4. Sudan grass
5. Milo maize
6. four varieties of pepper
7. two varieties of sorghum
8. two varieties of soy beans collards
9. Three varieties of cabbage
10. table beets
11. two varieties of stock beets
12. rutabagas
13. turnips
14. six varieties of hay
15. sunflowers
16. tomatoes
17. two varieties of lettuce
18. Swiss chard
19. cabbage
20. corn
21. two varieties of grapes
22. figs
23. two varieties of apples
24. two varieties of Irish potatoes
25. pecans
26. milk and butter.
27. eggs
28. honey.
29. honey
30. honey
31. pears
32. eight kinds of canned goods

Mrs. K. L. Garner's farm exhibit was especially good too.

A list of the prize winners is as follows:

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POLICE COURT ITEMS.

Superior Court had the right of way last week and the Police Court didn't do much business. Only two cases were tried. Elijah Arddesty, submitted to the charge of having been drunk and was fined \$1 and costs. Lucein Johnson, colored, on a drunkenness charge was assessed \$5 and costs.

Enterprising Truck Grower Has New Peas And Snap Beans

Mr. K. W. Wright, the Virginia truck farmer who bought a tract of land in this county and leased another not long ago, is in a fair way to show the great possibilities for truck growing in this section. Possibilities that are going to be realities before very long so Mr. Wright says. These fine truck lands around here are capable of raising two or three crops a year and potentially are very valuable.

Mr. Wright brought into town beautiful samples of Pilot May peas and Fall Refugee snap beans today which excited the admiration of all who saw them. They were raised on the Snowden farm where Mr. Wright has fifteen acres planted in them. He expects to begin shipping them Monday and as the market is high on new peas and beans expects to get good returns from them. If there had been more rain this fall the peas and beans would have been earlier. Mr. Wright has an acre and a half of cabbage plants which he will transplant. He expects to have 200 acres of truck in cultivation. So far Mr. Wright is well pleased with the results he has gotten since coming to Carteret county.

Popular Minister Of Morehead City Dies

Morehead City, Oct. 27—The sad news reached the city at six o'clock yesterday morning of the death of Rev. J. E. Holden, pastor of the M. E. Church of this city. Death came as the result of an intestinal abscess. He was being treated in the New Bern Hospital. He had been ill for the past three weeks. The funeral was held today (Thursday) at 10 o'clock from the church and interment was made in Bay View Cemetery. Mr. Holden was born in Chatham County, near Pittsboro. During his pastorate in this city he has made scores of friends and the whole community mourns his loss. Presiding Elder Wooten of New Bern conducted the services.

Navy Day Celebration

Navy Day is being observed today in Morehead City. The Coast Guard boat Campbell from Elizabeth City commanded by Captain Miller arrived in port at 1:30 Wednesday and is stationed at the city dock. The public is invited to visit the ship.

NICE CATCH OF SHEEP'S HEAD

Mr. Buell Cooke is probably entitled to the blue ribbon for catching sheep's head this season. Last Saturday afternoon he spent about two hours out at the bulkhead in a skiff and caught twenty four of the striped beauties. Some of them were quite large and they averaged up well.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following deeds have been recorded by Register of Deeds R. W. Wallace since last week:

- J. F. Duncan, Comr. to R. E. Chaplain, 1 lot Beaufort, for \$650.
- R. E. Chaplain and wife to Geo. J. Brooks, 1 lot Beaufort for \$10.
- Floyd F. Loftin and wife to H. G. White, 1 lot Beaufort, for \$100.
- Floyd F. Loftin and wife to Leslie C. Davis, 1 lot Beaufort, for \$10.
- L. J. French and wife to Sallie S. Springle, 1 lot Beaufort for \$10.
- C. L. Davis and wife to J. L. Morton, 25 acres Beaufort Township, for \$10.

D. W. Sabiston to Annie Sabiston, 47 acres Harlowe Township, for \$1.

Harold Maxwell and wife to Mrs. O. C. Willis, 1 lot Morehead City, for \$10.

Mary Royal et als to Waldron Bailey, Trustee, tract near Morehead City, for \$10.

James E. Willis, Mortgagee to Webb & Gause, 1 lot Morehead City for \$750.

EUZELIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETS TUESDAY EVENING

The Euzelian class of the Baptist Sunday School will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Wiley Taylor on Marsh Street. All members are urged to be present.

"The Green Cloak" a fine serial story will start in this newspaper in a few weeks. Send in your subscription today. One dollar for six months or \$2 a year. For \$2.25 you get the News and a fine dictionary.

The organization of the Beaufort News is much larger than most people realize. Every issue of it is the joint product of the efforts of about twenty five people.

HIGHWAY BRIDGE WILL OPEN SOON

Final Work On Bridge Being Done Now. Laying On Roadway

The public is not allowed to use the big Beaufort-Morehead City, State Highway bridge yet but it is a fact that it has been used several times. Cars and trucks carrying workmen and supplies have crossed it from one side to the other. This means of course that the bridge is nearly done and will be ready for public use very soon. Last Sunday afternoon on the Morehead side many cars were driven down to the foot of the bridge and the occupants of the cars walked out on the bridge and gave it an inspection.

Last week the Simmons Construction Corporation's force began laying the asphalt top on the concrete base between the Atlantic hotel and the foot of the bridge. This top is being laid at the rate of 1000 square yards a day. It will not take many days to finish this part of the job if weather conditions are favorable and then asphalt laying on the fill between the two drawbridges will begin. The grading for this roadway has been in progress for several weeks and it will be ready for the asphalt just as soon as the other work on the other side is completed. The drawbridge men are rushing the work on the Morehead City drawbridge and hope to have it ready in a day or so. Of course it is possible to raise and lower either of the bridges by hand but this is a slow and lengthy process, taking about half an hour. The mechanical lift will raise the bridge in about two minutes. Power to operate the bridges will be furnished by the plants of the two cities and the power will be ready when needed. All in all indications point to the fact that the bridge will be ready for public use in a few weeks.

COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT MOVES INTO NEW QUARTERS

The County Health Department which has been occupying rooms in sided over by Miss Estelle Caffrey. Saturday into its permanent quarters in the county building adjoining the courthouse. Three rooms are used in this building and the department is well provided with space and facilities for its work. There is an office and reception room in front pre-uded until the December term which Dr. Buchanan has a private room in which to interview people and there is another room used as a laboratory and for other purposes. The rooms are well lighted, ventilated and heated by steam.

LIBRARY DONATION DAY.

Friday November 4, from 3 to 6 P. M. will be Donation Day at the Public Library Room No. 5 Old School Building. Everyone is urged to attend. Donations of cash and good interesting books are asked for. Subscriptions will be received at this time.

TIDE TABLE

Information as to the tides at Beaufort is given in this column. The figures are approximately correct. 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, October 28	
9:18 A. M.	2:54 A. M.
9:37 P. M.	3:37 P. M.
Saturday, October 29	
9:51 A. M.	3:29 A. M.
10:13 P. M.	4:17 P. M.
Sunday, October 30	
10:29 A. M.	4:08 A. M.
10:55 P. M.	5:01 P. M.
Monday, October 31	
11:05 A. M.	4:53 A. M.
11:14 P. M.	5:51 P. M.
Tuesday, November 1	
11:48 A. M.	5:46 A. M.
12:10 P. M.	6:47 P. M.
Wednesday, November 2	
12:52 A. M.	6:48 A. M.
1:16 P. M.	7:48 P. M.
Thursday, November 3	
2:03 A. M.	7:55 A. M.
2:24 P. M.	8:48 P. M.