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Remaining Assets of Bft. Bank & Trust Co. Sold

RRA Payments in Carteret County Was \$17,433.72

Of These Payments Loans Were Made to 53, and Grants to 67 Persons

Payments totaling \$17,433.72 were made in Carteret County by the Resettlement Administration from July 1, 1935 to June 26, 1936, according to information received by the Beaufort News from R. M. Gantt of Durham, State Director for the National Emergency Council.

Of these payments, loans totaling \$15,836.72 were made to 53 persons and \$1,597.00 of grants to 67 persons were disbursed.

An additional activity of the Resettlement Administration, that of farm debt adjustments, showed that in Carteret County only one case had been adjusted through May, 1936 involving an original indebtedness of \$11,159.00 in addition to the saving through adjustment there was 1 case where a loan had been extended or where a reduction of interest rate had been effected. Further benefit from this activity was noted in the taxes paid as a result of adjustments, the State Director stated.

In All N. C.

The State of North Carolina had received rehabilitation loans through June 26, 1936 amounting to \$1,834,985.56 which were actually certified for payment. There remained the sum of \$202,718.52 in unpaid commitments. Rehabilitation grants during the same period were advanced in the sum of \$281,611.97. A total of 7,441 persons in North Carolina received loans, while 9,238 persons were the recipients of grants.

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Aycock Brown's Political Round-Up

When Luther Hamilton tendered his resignation "admission Democrats" of Carteret groaned—they knew that they would be fighting a losing battle without their regular skipper at the Democratic throbbles. In the meantime Hamilton went off to Blowing Rock for a vacation. And 19 of the 26 precinct bosses met to refuse acceptance of the resignation—Right now with Hamilton back on his native shores—it is a good 2 to 1 bet that he stays at the administration party's helm until after November. And that will worry the Republicans who felt confident that they would end this local "pig in the poke" Democracy with Hamilton out of the way—Carteret is a three party county—ie—Republican, Democratic, and Democratic—see what we mean—Would go into details but what's the use when it would probably never go in print anyway—What it will take to swing Carteret (Continued on page eight)

ALMANAC

- "If the devil catches a fellow idle, he will soon see him at work."*
- AUGUST
- 27—Last battle of the Revolutionary War, near Charleston, Va., 1782.
 - 28—Count Leo Tolstoy, greatest of Russian writers, born, 1828.
 - 29—First Indian Reservation established by New Jersey, 1758.
 - 30—Germans make their first air raid on Paris, 1914.
- SEPTEMBER
- 1—Confederates evacuate Atlanta after siege, 1864.
 - 2—Start of London, England, greatest fire, 1666, 6:00

LUTHER HAMILTON HAS NOT DECIDED

But Intimate Friends Believe He Will Remain As Chairman Until After November

Intimate friends of Luther Hamilton, such men as Irvin W. Davis, register of deeds and Will Webb of Morehead City and others are of the firm belief that he will withhold his resignation as chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee until after November—according to information reaching the sick bed of the editor of this newspaper this week. Hamilton tendered his resignation to the post he has held for the past 16 years, a few weeks ago.

Mr. Hamilton in a letter to the editor referring to the matter said: "I simply do not have time this morning—Aug. 25) to furnish you with the statement requested and do not think I shall be able to do so prior to your next week's edition. However, I assure you that just as soon as I can conveniently give the matter the attention required it will be done."

Mr. Hamilton has just returned from a vacation with his family at Blowing Rock.

W. E. SKARREN PAINFULLY BURNED

W. E. Skarren prominent Beaufort citizen is confined to his home in a serious and painful condition the result of severe burns received a few days ago when alcohol which he was using for bathing a leg ailment was accidentally ignited. Members of the family stated today that they thought he was showing slight improvement.

NEW YORKERS TRY DOLPHIN FISHING

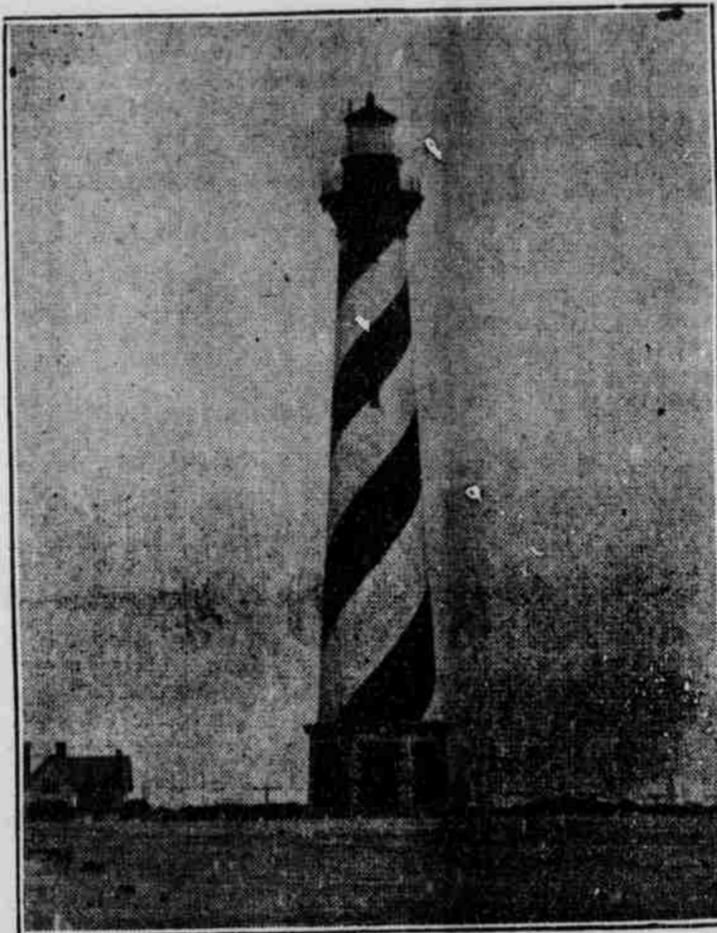
The fame of Gulf Stream fishing off Cape Lookout is attracting anglers from other states. From New York this week came Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Merline, Irwin Swartz and Miss Rennie Murphy to fish the bluish-shade waters with Capt. George Lewis aboard his charter boat "Squeaky." They landed 17 dolphin on Tuesday one of which was unofficially reported as weighing 35 pounds—The brilliant colored catch of dolphin were iced and shipped north.

Captain Arthur Midyette veteran guide who had the party which made the first catch of dolphin on North Carolina with rod and reel a few years ago also had a party in the stream on Tuesday—Last week Bob Lang, Jack Neal and Frank Kugler and others fishing with Capt. Guy Lewis aboard the "Piggie" landed many dolphin and amberjack. Kugler said the "Piggie" was in his estimation the best boat in local waters for fishing offshore. He described the craft as a seaworthy piece of timber.

Atlantic Youth Will Soon Join U. S. Fleet

Harry Morris of Atlantic, apprentice seaman, U. S. Navy is now at his home on a 17 day leave. Young Morris was accepted at the New Bern station on May 18, 1936 and enlisted in Raleigh the following day, then sent to the Naval Training Station at Hampton Roads, Virginia, where he has just completed 16 weeks to Military Training. Morris had the high honor of being in the Prize company while at the Station. His company won the highest honors for 12 out of the 16 weeks of competition, which is something that is very seldom done. The ordinary leave from the Station after completing the 16 weeks is 10 days but for the fine record that his company had, Morris was given an additional 7 days. After finishing his leave Morris will return to Hampton Roads for further transfer to the U. S. Fleet.

MAY BECOME FEDERAL PARK



Representative Lindsay Warren Working For It

Representative Lindsay Warren announced that it was the desire of the National Park Service to create by Executive Order a National Monument at the famous lighthouse at Cape Hatteras. The property was abandoned by the Government in May when the new light tower was placed in commission. The procurement Division of the Treasury Department agreed not to dispose of the lighthouse waiting upon the bill that Mr. Warren was to introduce in January which would have given the property to the State of North Carolina for park purposes.

After a conference between Representative Warren and R. Bruce Etheridge, Director of Conservation

and Development, it was agreed that it would be far more preferable for the government to control the property as a National Monument than for the State to have charge of same. Mr. Warren has notified the Treasury Department of his approval and the proper order is expected to be issued in the near future.

Although government engineers reported several years ago that the lighthouse could not be saved on account of the terrific beach erosion at Cape Hatteras, it is now believed that by reason of the work being done by the National Park Service CCC camp and the Transient Service, the historic structure may be preserved.

Carteret Farmers Owe Government \$56,500 on Fed. Land Bank Loans

By PAUL MAY

Washington, D. C., Aug. 25—Carteret County farmers owed the government \$56,500 on 27 individual Federal Land Bank loans at the outset of this year, it was reported today at headquarters of the Farm Credit Administration. Some of the loans date as far back as 1917, the figure given representing total indebtedness on all loans granted since the Federal Land Banks started operation in that year.

In addition to this sum, Carteret county farmers owed \$54,175 on 52 land bank Commissioner loans, all made since May 1, 1933.

The total number of borrowers in (Continued on page eight)

BOOZE GETS MANY INTO COURT HERE

William M. Stephenson, continued for verdict and judgment.

Carlton Stewart, reckless driving, not pressed with leave.

Offie Best, trespass, assault and drunkenness, continued to Sept. 1st.

Dr. A. P. Whitehead, operating car on public highway under the influence of intoxicating liquor, judgment reserved by court until later date.

Robert E. Meadows, operating car on public highways under influence of liquor, continued to Sept. 1.

Fred Pully, drunkenness on public highway, continued to Sept. 1st.

Kenneth Taylor, drunkenness on public highway, continued to Sept. 1st.

Norman Bizle, drunkenness on public highways, case continued to Sept. 1st.

First Annual Tennis Tourney For Carteret Begins On Monday

By W. C. CARLTON

The First Annual Carteret County Tennis Tournament will begin Monday, August 31st. The tournament will be divided into three classes with prizes for the winners being contributed by Noe Hardware Co., Carteret Hardware Co., and Willis Hardware Co., all of Beaufort.

The Ladies Division should provide some keen competition and prove very attractive to the gallery. There are several better than the average players in the county who will scrap it out for the trophy being presented by Carteret Hardware Co., to the winner.

The Boys Division will be open to those 16 years of age and under on August 30, 1936. There are a large number of youngsters who have begun playing this summer but have come forward by leaps and bounds as racket wielders and are able to provide stiff competition to the winner of the award which is being donated by Willis Hardware Co.

The Mens Division will be composed of those above the age of 16. A large number of contestants are expected in this division as there are

several courts over the county where players have had an opportunity to play tennis for some time but have never had a chance to engage in a tournament of this kind and will welcome the occasion by which the Championship will be decided. Noe Hardware Co., is giving the award in this division.

All matches will be played on the courts at Beaufort Graded School. Those desiring to enter any of the three divisions of the tournament may register at any of the hardware stores sponsoring the competition or notify W. C. Carlton at Beaufort. No entrance fees are being charged for the Ladies Division or Boys Division and only a 25c fee for the Mens Division. All entries must be in by Friday night at 8 o'clock and play will begin Monday morning. Drawings will be made at the Noe Hardware store Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and the pairings posted on the bulletin board in front of the store. There will be no double plays. All matches will be singles. Some matches will be played at night and a small charge will be made to meet expenses.

Bought By Henry K. Fort Company Inc.

Has Run Mail 35 Years



Cleveland Davis

I have met many interesting people in this section of North Carolina, but outstanding in my mind is Mr. Cleveland Davis, who for 35 years has carried the mail from the island to the mainland. He began at the age of thirteen and carried the mail in a sailboat to Beaufort, with a load of fish on to Morehead City. In fair weather and foul in stormy weather and calm, having to cross the Beaufort bar on every trip. Mr. Davis during his 35 years of service never missed a schedule except once when he was capsized in a storm. However, he managed to save the mail, and also his boat, but he lost his load of fish. The next day he made his regular scheduled trip.

A sailboat, as everyone knows, is dependent on the wind. But during periods of calm weather, Mr. Davis would row his boat across the sound. There never was a storm along the coast which kept him from maintaining (Continued on page eight)

Confirmation of Sale Signed Wednesday By Judge Sinclair

For \$402 the Henry K. Fort Company Inc., of New Jersey, bought the remaining assets of the Beaufort Banking & Trust Company when offered for sale at public auction here Monday. It marked the final liquidation on the part of the State Banking department of the defunct institution which closed on December 29, 1931 and was placed in liquidation a few days later, according to Hugh Davis, Liquidating agent.

In Greenville Wednesday Superior Court Judge N. A. Sinclair signed the order confirming the sale.

Henry K. Fort a resident of Philadelphia who owns considerable interests in Carteret county including real estate on Bogue Island and the largest preferred share of The Beaufort News was present at the sale and made the high bid for his corporation.

The individual bids on the remaining assets amounted to only \$247.50. Only a few persons were present for the sale. Perhaps the most valuable of the assets was the Richard Lewis place on Harkers Island with the exception of minor repairs this house is said to be in good condition.

Prior to the sale Monday the assets of this bank had been sold individually and collectively several (Continued on page eight)

Covering The Water Front By AYCOCK BROWN

IT WILL BE A worthwhile project if the WPA grants a sum of money to the U. S. Bureau of Fisheries for the construction of rearing pools for small fish. What Dr. Prytherch has in mind is to convert one or two of the many lagoons formed by the salt marshes between Morehead City and Beaufort for the purpose. At first it will be more or less experimental, but Dr. Prytherch feels confident that fish—especially mullets can be penned in the ponds and reared to maturity.

IF THE WPA will finance the way for these experiments, and if they prove successful one may not in the future be surprised to see the housewife going not to a freezing plant or market after their seafood but to the fish pools where their choice seafood will be caught before their eyes and perhaps killed and cleaned only (Continued on page five)

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	Friday, Aug. 28	Low
4:05 a. m.		10:23 a. m.
4:41 p. m.		
	Saturday, Aug. 29	
5:05 a. m.		11:15 a. m.
5:35 p. m.		11:22 p. m.
	Sunday, Aug. 30	
6:00 a. m.		12:04 a. m.
6:27 p. m.		12:18 p. m.
	Monday, Aug. 31	
6:51 a. m.		12:51 a. m.
7:15 p. m.		1:09 p. m.
	Tuesday, Sept. 1	
7:37 a. m.		1:34 a. m.
8:01 p. m.		1:58 p. m.
	Wednesday, Sept. 2	
8:25 a. m.		2:17 a. m.
8:48 p. m.		2:47 p. m.
	Thursday, Sept. 3	
9:14 a. m.		2:59 a. m.
9:36 p. m.		3:35 p. m.

Mrs. Wm. G. Mebane Has Moved To Raleigh

Mrs. William Giles Mebane and her son Yancey have moved to Raleigh to live. She is the widow of the late William Giles Mebane, who for many years was editor of The Beaufort News. She and her son had lived at their home here since her late husband's death. She was employed for the past year by the Womens Division of the WPA.

Marshallberg Detour

The State Highway Commission lists a detour in this county as follows:

"SMYRNA TO MARSHALLBERG County Project 139—3.06 miles said asphalt to be completed 10-1-36. Detour over county road; 7 miles dirt, fair condition."

The 3.06 miles road is being surfaced with a good grade of sand asphalt by William P. Brown, Lexington road contractor.

There are three women on U. S. stamps.