

SEAFOOD Mr. 2-17-38
Shrimp 8c; Croaks. 1 1/2c
SN Trout 5c; S. Malls 4c
Flouns. 8c; H Crabs 2 1/2c
P. Drum, 5c; S Trout 12c

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CARTERET COUNTY POLITICAL DOINGS BEGINNING TO BUD

Pritchard A. Lewis Is Potential Candidate For Legislature

Cleveland Davis Will Seek County Board Seat

Gherman Holland was the first man in Carteret to give any indication that he would be a candidate for public office during the coming election. He has stated that he would be a candidate for Sheriff. The following day Sheriff Elbert Chadwick announced that he would again be a candidate to succeed himself. He succeeded himself as sheriff without any difficulty during the last election. This time it may be a different story—or it may not.

The foregoing paragraph made news several days ago, and it looked as if politics was going to be on the wane for a while. But yesterday (Wednesday) it was indicated that Pritchard A. Lewis, would be a candidate for Carteret representative to the North Carolina Legislature. He has not made the definite announcement but The Beaufort News usually gets its facts straight, and there is every indication that Lewis is not only a potential candidate for state representative, but that he will make his formal announcement within a few days.

Representative Fred Seely, now supervising a construction project at Creswell could not be reached for comment as to whether he would be a candidate to succeed himself as State Legislator. The State Magazine in a political round-up two or three issues ago listed Fred Seely as one of the legislators who would be a candidate to succeed himself.

In this edition of The Beaufort News is the first paid political advertisement of the year. In same, Cleveland Davis of Harkers Island, and one of the best known citizens of that community, announces that he will be a candidate for the office of county commissioner subject to the Democratic voters in the coming

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LEGION BANQUET

About 60 persons have already advised Commander William L. Hatsell of Carteret Post 99 American Legion that they would be present on Tuesday night at the 'get-together' banquet in the main dining room of Fort Macon Hotel, Morehead City. Each mail is bringing in added responses from cards mailed by Commander Hatsell from members of the Post, signifying they will be present. Legionnaires and their invited guests and wives are extended the invitation to be present. Representative Graham A. Barden of the Third Congressional District will be the guest of honor and principal speaker at the event. Invited guests and Legionnaires are urged to meet at Fort Macon Hotel at 7 o'clock. The meeting will be called to order by Commander Hatsell at 7:30 o'clock, and following a song, Rev. B. H. Houston will offer invocation. Stanley Woodland will be toastmaster for the occasion. He will introduce, or recognize prominent guests and members present, before introducing the chief speaker of the evening.

ALMANAC



"A good man will as soon run into a fire as a quarrel."

- FEBRUARY**
- 19—The first lodge of the Knights of Pythias formed, 1864.
 - 20—Winston, N. C., destroyed for using a white flag as a decoy, 1862.
 - 21—Secretary of War Stanton discharged from Johnson's cabinet, 1868.
 - 22—First California railroad opened between Sacramento and Folsom, 1856.
 - 23—The Louisiana Lottery received a permanent charter from Nicaragua, 1892.
 - 24—Two men fall from the Suspension Bridge at Niagara Falls, 1854.
 - 25—Congress established a national currency, 1863.

MARTIN'S RECEIVE NEW SPRING LINE

Largest And Finest Line Ever Shown At This Store

In a half page advertisement appearing in The Beaufort News this week the E. D. Martin Company announces the arrival of the largest and finest display of Spring wearing apparel ever shown at this store. Regardless of what the February weather might be when you read these lines, it is "Springtime At Martin's" and that is how his advertisement is being featured.

New Spring toppers, each cost so attractively priced that they will have an appeal to women, have arrived and even before the advertisement appeared in today's edition, several were sold. Sport coats, toppers with fur collars, and topwear of many colors and styles are being shown at a Martin's.

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This Outstanding Organization Is Headed By Outstanding Citizen



New Home of Sound Chevrolet Company, Inc., Arendell Street, Morehead City

M. T. (Tom) Mills, president and general manager has extended cordial invitations to the public to attend the formal opening of Sound

Chevrolet Company, Inc., in their new home on Arendell Street Saturday, February 19. With the formal opening on Saturday comes the an-

ouncement that he outstanding automotive firm will not only handle Chevrolet cars, trucks and used cars, but also the Frigidaire Line.

Section Two of this edition of The Beaufort News is devoted to the formal opening of this firm.—Eubanks-News Photo.

His First Agency Was Under An Oak



M. T. (Tom) Mills

Tom Mills president and general manager of Sound Chevrolet, Inc., which extends invitations to the public to attend the formal opening of their new and modern home on Arendell Street in Morehead City, Saturday, February 19, started in business for himself under an oak tree in Mayesville back in 1926. He had been employed by his father-in-law who operated a Ford Agency. One day he decided to go in business for himself so he established a Chevrolet agency, and with no building available he set up his business under an oak tree which is still standing in Mayesville today. At first he was a sub dealer under the Jacksonville agency. Later he became a direct dealer over the Jackson agency. From that somewhat unique beginning, he established, three years later in Morehead City, Sound Chevrolet Company and for several years he has sold on an average of 130 new cars and 250 used cars. (In 1937 he sold 137 new cars and 242 used cars). In Morehead City Mr. and Mrs. Mills have a beautiful home on Evans street. They have three children Dorothy, Ann and Tom Mills Jr.

New Home Of Sound Chevrolet Is Credit To Carteret County

Public Invited To The Formal Opening On Saturday

TOM MILLS HEADS \$40,000 BUSINESS

Sound Chevrolet Company, Incorporated, which moved into its new home on Arendell street a few days ago extends invitations to all friends, patrons and the general public to attend the formal opening in the show rooms on Saturday. Not only will the visitors have an opportunity of seeing one of the best equipped Chevrolet agencies in Eastern Carolina, the newest models of cars and trucks, Frigidaire refrigerators (1938 models) each guest will be given absolutely free, a five dollar credit slip applicable on the purchase of a new or used car or Frigidaire refrigerator.

During the day refreshments will be served all guests visiting the establishment.

The new home of Sound Chevrolet is a credit to Carteret county and is by far the most beautiful and best equipped building of its kind in Morehead City or the average Eastern Carolina town or city. The building is 70 by 90 feet and its construction represents an expenditure of approximately \$10,000. The building occupies part of three city lots extending from Arendell street through the block to Highway street. Space not taken up by the building will be Sound Chevrolet's new Used Car Lot, which formerly was located down town.

Sound Chevrolet Company was established in Morehead City in 1929 by Tom Mills, a native of Mayesville. In 1933 with Arnold Webb as a partner, the organization was incorporated. Mr. Mills and Mr. Webb own all of the stock in the corporation. Tom Mills is executive president and

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Forging Ahead In Insurance Business



James Wheatly

On Saturday, February 5, James Wheatly, Carteret county representative of the Provident Life and Accident Insurance Company made a talk before 15 agents and executives of the insurance firm which has district headquarters in Rocky Mount. Andrew J. Lewis, general agent and Wheatly's boss said the following: "Jim made an excellent talk on 'The Interview.' His production during the last month has been outstanding, in the Agency. During the last month he paid for more cases than any other member of the 30 county Agencies, and thus gained membership in the Agency 'Three Star Club.'—(Eubanks-News Photo.)"

Account Due Beaufort School By Education Board Is Fully Settled

Local Bank To Be Closed On Feb. 22

Flags will be displayed on Tuesday, February 22, and the First Citizens Bank and Trust Company will observe a holiday on that date, it was announced today. February 22nd is Washington's Birthday and the day is observed as a holiday generally throughout the United States. Officials of the bank urge patrons to attend to their banking business on Monday, as the institution will not re-open after that date until Wednesday, February 23.

Approximately \$90,000 Indebtedness Has Been Paid By Board

The \$21,312.98 account due the Beaufort School on June 30, 1931 by the County Board of Education has been fully satisfied, according to a report prepared under the direction of Supt J. G. Allen and submitted by the County Board at its regular meeting Monday, February 7th, at which by special invitation J. R. Ball, Chairman; C. Z. Chappell, Treasurer, A. T. Hill, and W. H. Taylor, members of

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JUDGE GRADY TO HOLD COURT HERE

Several Murder Cases On Docket of March Term Session

Judge Henry A. Grady, one of, if not the most eminent Superior Court jurist in North Carolina will preside over the March Term which opens here on Monday, March 14. It was stated at the Courthouse today. Here in Carteret he will be confronted with several murder cases during the coming term. Judge Grady knows how to dispose of such cases in a

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\$10,000 PAID TO CARTERET BY ABC

Net Profit Since The Stores Opened \$39,633.02

The audit submitted by the accounting firm of Williams and Wall covering the operation of the ABC stores in Carteret County, shows that for the first six months of this fiscal year profits over and above all operation expenses amounted to \$8,809.29.

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SCIENCE AND ART WILL BRING FAME TO OLD BEAUFORT

During Summer Three Biological Units Coming Here

Woman's College Will Establish Art School

Science and art are destined to bring fame to historic old Beaufort. Already Beaufort is second only to Woods Hole, Massachusetts, as the center of marine biological experiments along the Atlantic coast and with the announcement this week that Duke University would start actual construction of their Marine Biological School in the south side of Pivers Island within a month, Judge T. D. Bryson, of the Duke Law School who was in town on business said that he could not speak authoritatively on the plans, but that he felt sure that Duke was planning to begin operations of their marine biological summer school here during the coming summer. A very substantial pier has just been completed on the Duke properties and the paved road leading to the site has been finished. Dr. Prytherch is of the opinion that the unit to be built this spring will consist of at least five buildings. The initial expenditures of Duke in the

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Finback Whale

The whale which Dan Yeomans and a party of friends killed down at Cape Lookout Tuesday afternoon about 3 o'clock was not a 'hump-back' as first announced through the press stories under Beaufort datelines, but instead a 'finback.' Curator H. H. Brimley identified the giant 50-foot mammal when he, Dr. Herbert F. Prytherch of the Fisheries Laboratory, and Director Harry Davis, of the museum and party went to the Cape Wednesday aboard the Sandpiper. Cecil Sewell, Roy Hamilton Graydon Paul on Tuesday night were planning to tow the 30-ton whale into Beaufort and display same on Paul's Marine Railways. But after seeing the whale on Wednesday, Mr. Paul decided that the idea was not practical as the whale, which had been punctured with 100 or more bullets from a 30-30 rifle, seemed to be waterlogged. Associated Press and United Press stories about the whale-killing covered the nation under Beaufort datelines and Lowell Thomas, Paul Sullivan and other newscasters announced the event over national hookups. It was good publicity for Beaufort. Just what will happen to the carcass is not known.

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, Feb. 18	Low
10:47 a. m.		4:41 a. m.
		4:56 p. m.
	Saturday, Feb. 19	
11:18 a. m.		5:28 a. m.
11:28 p. m.		5:41 p. m.
	Sunday, Feb. 20	
12:01 a. m.		6:18 a. m.
12:08 p. m.		6:26 p. m.
	Monday, Feb. 21	
12:48 a. m.		7:11 a. m.
12:54 p. m.		7:24 p. m.
	Tuesday, Feb. 22	
1:40 a. m.		8:09 a. m.
1:51 p. m.		8:21 p. m.
	Wednesday, Feb. 23	
2:39 a. m.		9:07 a. m.
2:51 p. m.		9:18 p. m.
	Thursday, Feb. 24	
3:54 a. m.		10:06 a. m.
4:01 p. m.		10:14 p. m.