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Potato Shipments On Increase Here

Much Produce Moves From Beaufort By Rail This Year

Irish potato shipments from Beaufort by rail during the past week has shown a steady increase, and although the total yield this year might fall slightly below some previous peak seasons, the farmers and brokers seem to be fairly well pleased with the situation. During the period ending last night exactly 95 solid carloads of potatoes had moved by rail from the Beaufort area. During this same period several hundred truck loads have moved.

In addition to potatoes, all produce shipments have been heavy out of Beaufort this season. Since the bean harvest began six carloads have been shipped by rail not including the movement of this commodity by motor truck. Approximately 130 solid carloads of cabbage have been shipped according to L. W. Jones, agent for the Beaufort-Morehead City railroad. And several hundred motor truck loads of cabbage moved during the harvest of this commodity which is practically ended now. Next week, tomato shipments will begin from Beaufort and although it is hard to estimate how many carloads will move from here, prospects indicate that it will be a peak year.

Final Exams For Students Monday

Principal R. E. Miller from Henderson, where he is visiting this week, notified The Beaufort News today that all High School students who were prevented from taking their examinations before school closed are requested to be at the schoolhouse on Monday, May 30 at 9 o'clock, at which time they will be permitted to take their examinations and thus get a grade. He requests that students bring in all rental books.

Guthrie Life Saver At Atlantic Beach

Although Atlantic Beach has been bountifully blessed by nature as being the only beach south of Long Island that runs east and west, thus eliminating undertow and offering exceptional advantages of safety, protection and southern breeze, complete life guard service is provided as an extra precaution for surf bathers.

Leroy Guthrie will again be chief life guard there this season, for the ninth year. He has been a life guard since he was 16 years of age. So far a "perfect" record at Atlantic Beach, there never having been a single loss of life there due to drowning.

Fishing And All Outdoors By AYCOCK BROWN

IT WAS the best cornbread I have ever eaten. Dannie Rose, first mate and galley chef aboard the Idle-On cooked it late Monday afternoon, after Capt. Dickinson's cruiser had returned from a trip off Cape Lookout Shoals and was moored at her pier in front of the Anchorage on Front Street. Board the Idle-On besides Capt. Dickinson and his excellent cornbread cooking mate was my friend Andrew J. Lewis, District Manager of Provident Life Insurance company and a group of his representatives including Jim Healy of Beaufort. Before I further I might add that the mackerel which Mate-Chief Rose cooked... mackerel which had been caught by the party during the early afternoon off at the Cape Lookout Shoals, was used in making the cornbread more delicious, and the Capt. Dickinson's right hand and galley operator prepares mackerel fit for a king... as well as a second rate newspaperman. THE INSURANCERS arrived Monday afternoon. In the party were M. R. Ferrell of Kingston G. I. Carrier, Battleboro; Kislser Assew, Enfield; B. R. Bissette, Spring Hope; T. J. Jones, Rock- (Continued on page eight)

Barden Will Speak At Harkers Island

Congressman Graham A. Barden will make an address at the schoolhouse on Harkers Island, Saturday night, May 28, at 8 o'clock, it was announced today. It will be the first speech of a political nature that the Third District Congressman has made in Carteret this year. During the last election he carried Harkers Island with a good majority in the Primaries. Since that time he has secured an appropriation of \$50,000 for dredging a channel from Back Bay (adjacent to Harkers Island) to Cape Lookout Light, on which work will start within the next few months. The public, and especially the citizens of Harkers Island are extended an invitation to be present for the address on Saturday night.

Social Security Official Coming Here on June 2nd

George W. Jeffrey, Manager of the Wilmington Field Office of the Social Security Board, will be in Morehead City between the hours of 9 and 10 A. M., Thursday morning, June 2, and in Beaufort between the hours of 11 and 12 A. M., for the purpose of assisting employers and wage earners who desire information regarding the old-age insurance features of the Social Security Act. Mr. Jeffrey says that it is his desire to see those persons who have worked in employment covered by the Social Security Act and who have attained the age of 65 since January 1, 1937, as well as the relatives of wage-earners who have died since that time. Mr. Jeffrey will be at the Post Office in Morehead City and in Beaufort. Anyone who has any questions regarding the old-age insurance features of the Social Security Act is invited to see him at that place.

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Lenoxville Rookery Invaded By Gunners

MCHS FINALS BEGIN SUNDAY

Dean Israel Noe And J. M. Broughton Speakers

The Very Reverend Israel H. Noe, former dean of St. Mary's Cathedral in Memphis, Tennessee, who is now on vacation in Beaufort his home town, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon at Morehead City High School Sunday morning (May 29) at 11 o'clock. The Commencement exercises of the Morehead school will be concluded on Friday night, June 3, when J. M. Broughton of Raleigh will deliver the principal address.

There are 54 members of the Senior Class of Morehead City's school this year. Of that number 49 will receive diplomas, it was stated today by H. C. Joslyn, principal. Also taking part in the Commencement Exercises will be 28 members of the Commercial School, who will receive diplomas.

Carteret Flowers Going To Market Throughout U. S.

Carteret county grown flowers are being shipped to cities throughout the United States this week. The last week of May is one of the best of the season for flower growers, because all varieties are in big demand by florists throughout the country to be placed on sale for Decoration Day which falls on May 30. Each day from the farms of S. E. Hayne, H. B. Avery and J. K. Vandervoer, flowers are moving and an average of one loaded express car daily is needed to take care of the shipments.

Dean Noe Will Introduce Him



Senator Reynolds

When he makes the annual Memorial Day address here on Sunday afternoon, May 29, Senator Robert R. Reynolds will be introduced by the Very Rev. Israel H. Noe. The Memorial Day exercises will be held under the auspices of Carteret Post 99 of The American Legion. Legionnaire C. L. Beam received the following telegram from Senator Reynolds on Tuesday: "Am looking forward with pleasure to delivering the Memorial Day address under the auspices American Legion and Legion Auxilliary at Beaufort next Sunday at 3 o'clock. I expect to arrive in Beaufort about 2 P. M." Robert R. Reynolds USS.

Legionnaires To Attend First Baptist Church Sunday

The members of Carteret Post No. 99 and all ex-service men are requested to meet at the Hut in Beaufort Sunday morning at 10:30 where the line of march will be formed to attend the First Baptist Church. The pastor Rev. Ben F. Gehring will deliver a special message to the ex-service men. There will also be special music by the choir.

Obverse of a Coin
The obverse of a coin or medal is the side containing the principal device, the front, or side meant to be displayed.

Warden Godwin Has Issued Warning To Poachers

Audubon Warden D. J. Godwin said today that poachers were busy at Lenoxville Heron Rookery on Sunday afternoon, May 22, between the hours of 2 o'clock and sunset, and it likely that arrests will be made since the license number of the car in which the alleged gunners went to the location where three species of heron and (Continued on page eight)

Beaufort Bowlers Win In Championship Match

Dean Noe Presents Trophy Monday Night

Morehead City's Jaycee Bowling team which won the recent tourney from the Beaufort Chamber of Commerce's team, will be guests of the latter's team at a banquet in the American Legion Hut here Monday night (May 30) at 7:30 o'clock. At this banquet, however, the Beaufort Team will be awarded the Bowling Trophy. Dean Israel H. Noe will present the trophy, and deliver a short address. The Tournament which lasted for eight weeks ended on Tuesday night, May 17, and the four highest bowlers from each team were selected to play off the championship match last Tuesday night. In the championship match Beau-

HALF HOLIDAYS TO BEGIN SOON

C of C Directors Have Monthly Meeting

Chamber of Commerce directors met in the office of Dr. C. W. Lewis on Monday night for the purpose of discussing plans for half holidays during the summer months, the coming postoffice celebration and other matters of a routine nature. The half-holidays which are observed by merchants during the summer months will begin at an early date, if the firms here will cooperate. Definite decision has not been made as to what day of the week the holiday will be observed.

A lengthy discussion was held in connection with the official opening celebration of the new postoffice and federal building here. No definite date has been set for the opening. A committee was appointed to push plans for the celebration.

Another matter of importance which claimed the attention of the directors was a report on the NYA shell souvenirs which will be distributed free of charge to tourists. Quite a large number of souvenirs have already been distributed and during the summer months several hundred more will be given away. This method of advertising Beaufort is proving very successful.

"Tong," Chinese Word
"Tong" is a Chinese word meaning club or association. The tong wars have given Americans a false impression. The tongs are usually organizations for social betterment, to prevent disputes, but sometimes things get out of hand and there are "wars."

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 head of the estuaries.

High	Friday, May 27	Low
5:57 AM.	12:04 AM.	
6:23 PM.	12:01 PM.	
Saturday, May 28		
6:49 AM.	12:57 AM.	
7:11 PM.	12:54 PM.	
Sunday, May 29		
7:39 AM.	1:47 AM.	
8:03 PM.	1:44 PM.	
Monday, May 30		
8:33 AM.	2:36 AM.	
8:56 PM.	2:36 PM.	
Tuesday, May 31		
9:27 AM.	3:25 AM.	
9:49 PM.	3:27 PM.	
Wednesday, June 1		
10:22 AM.	4:15 AM.	
10:43 PM.	4:21 PM.	
Thursday, June 2		
11:18 PM.	5:08 AM.	
	5:20 PM.	

She Was An Honored B. H. S. Senior



MISS SHIRLEY JOHNSON

Pictured above in her graduation cap and gown is Miss Shirley Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson of Beaufort. Miss Johnson was one of the most honored students at the local high school during the past year. She was president of her class, valedictorian, the best all-around student and the most popular. And she did not take all the honors in her family during the school year. Her younger sister, Mary Christine Johnson, an eighth grader won the American Legion Scholarship Award which was given to the person most outstanding in scholastics generally.

Mayor Receives CMTC Information

Mayor Huntley received considerable information this week about the Citizens Military Training Camp which will open at Camp Bragg June 16 and continue through July 15. In a letter from the Procurement Officer it was stated that Beaufort had designated few if any candidates for the encampment. Any young man desiring to take the military training offered may get complete information from Mayor Huntley.

The Lint-Doctor
A lint-doctor is a sharp-edged ruler on the delivery side of the calico-printing cylinder, to detain any lint or fibers which may come off the cotton cloth.

Tee-Tinsey Johnson Kills James Fulford

Wife Of Former Senator Passes In This County

Funeral services for Mrs. Belle Simmons, 73-year old wife of Former Senator Furnifold M. Simmons were conducted at Christ Episcopal Church in New Bern last Sunday afternoon with the Rev. C. E. Williams, rector, assisted by Bishop Thomas C. Darst officiating. She died at Morehead City hospital Saturday afternoon following an illness of about two years. She was brought to Morehead City about three weeks ago from Tacoma Park, Washington where she had received treatment.

Her husband, Senator Simmons, her daughter Mrs. Wade Meadows and her brother Seth Gibbs were at her bedside when she died Saturday. Mrs. Simmons was a native of Hyde county, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gibbs of Middleton. She and Senator Simmons had been married for 52 years.

Besides her husband she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Meadows and Mrs. Joe Patterson of New Bern; two step-daughters: Mrs. Graham Andrews and Mrs. Louis Mahler of Raleigh; one stepson, J. H. Simmons of Jones county; one brother, Seth Gibbs of Beaufort and one sister, Miss Mary Gibbs of Blowing Rock.

Willis Assistant Beach Manager

James Newman Willis, mayor and postmaster of Atlantic Beach is assistant this year to Manager E. G. Petry at this resort. Since 1930 he has been general superintendent of the Beach property. He is now assisting in preliminary preparation for the opening of the beach hotel June 2.

Stranded Nyugat Floated Tuesday

DEAN NOE WILL PREACH SUNDAY NIGHT AT DAVIS

The Very Rev. Israel Harding Noe, former dean of St. Mary's Cathedral in Memphis, Tennessee, will be guest pastor at the Davis Baptist Church, in the Davis Community on Sunday night. Announcement that he had accepted the invitation to preach there was made by Irwin W. Davis today. A cordial invitation is extended everyone to attend the services and hear the famous divine preach, it was stated.

Adjusting County Debt

After many conferences between the representatives of the Bondholders Committee and the County Board of Commissioners, all technicalities have been adjusted and the plan is now in operation, it was stated today.

One provision of the agreement between the County Commissioners and the Bondholders Committee is that bond coupons maturing on or before July 1935 are to be made available for use in paying taxes which are delinquent for the year of 1934 and prior years. S. A. Chalk of Morehead City has been named agent for the Committee who has placed in his hands coupons to be used for this purpose. No doubt he will be glad to assist in cooperating with any and all taxpayers who are interested in effecting financial savings in the payment of their county taxes for these years.

New bonds are to be issued and exchanged for the old bonds outstanding as soon as practical, which will be in the near future.

Use of Kind Words
Jud Tunkins says kind words in this life should not be monopolized by the high-power salesman.

Now They Turn In Fire Alarms To Call Police

James William Fulford, Beaufort Negro, who was perforated with bullets near Alarm Box 36, last Sunday night died in Morehead City Hospital Monday night. "Tee-Tinsey" Johnson, who allegedly did the shooting hopped into a Chevrolet and sped away in the general direction of Harlowe his home. During the excitement someone turned in a fire alarm from Box No. 36.

That brought not only the police but also the fire department. When they arrived on the scene they found critically wounded Fulford, but no Johnson. The shooting took place near one of the restaurants in the colored section shortly after churches had turned out on Sunday night. It was stated by eye-witnesses that the Harlowe Negro was primed up with liquor, which probably was the cause for the shooting.

On Wednesday afternoon another false alarm was turned in from Box No. 36. The department and police answered the alarm to discover no fire, but instead Willie Turner, Negro World War veteran who had run amuck and cut up his mother Sade Turner. Willie was taken to jail. The next time an alarm is turned in hereabouts, persons will be wondering whether there is a fire underway, or some sort of shooting or cutting out in the Negro section of town?

Triumphal Arch
At Orange not far from Avignon, stands the finest triumphal arch in France, probably dedicated to Tiberius. It is 62 feet high and occupies a space 64 by 28 feet.

Out Of Date Chart Cause of Costly Mishap

Accompanied by Tug "Resolute" the S. S. Nyugat sailed from Cape Lookout Light at 3:10 P. M., presumably for Newport News, Va., Coast Guard and Port Officials reported.

When the S. S. Nyugat of Budapest, Hungary, sailed from Morehead City last Friday morning at 6 o'clock the weather was perfect, except for a light southwest breeze. Port Terminal pilots saw the vessel safely across Beaufort bar and left her at 7 o'clock. Four hours later she was stranded on Lookout Shoals about 10 miles southeast of Cape Point. Cause of the accident which was to prove mighty expensive was an out of date chart which First Officer R. Kovacs was using at the time.

Cape Lookout Coastguardsmen under the command of Capt. Fred Gillikin went out to the stranded steamer. A radio message was sent to the C. G. Cutter Mendota, some 200 miles away to come to the Nyugat's aid. In the meantime with only a slight list and apparently no damage the crew remained aboard the vessel. The Mendota made every effort to pull the stranded Nyugat from the shoals, but could not. As a last resort the Merritt-Chapman Company in New York whose business it is to salvage wrecked vessels was notified and their tug, the "Resolute" was sent to the scene. After working several hours the Resolute assisted by the (Continued on page 8)

C. B. Arthur Buys Bogue Sound Home

The Hibbs homeplace on Bogue Sound was sold this week to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Arthur of New York City, it was announced by John L. Crump, Morehead City real estate broker who handled the transaction. The country estate, situated on a high bluff overlooking Bogue Sound is one of the prettiest home locations in Carteret county.

In addition to the residue of Colonial design, the estate includes 125 acres. Mr. Arthur, new owner of the estate is a native of Morehead City. He is an executive of Liggett and Myers Tobacco Company. Mrs. Arthur, the former Miss Elodie Webb is the daughter of William M. Webb of Morehead City. Amount involved in the transaction was not given for publication, but it amounted to several thousand dollars.

Covering The Waterfront By AYCOCK BROWN

BIG NEWS of the week on the Coast of Carteret was the stranding of the Hungarian S. S. Nyugat on Cape Lookout Shoals. The vessel laden with scrap iron of No. 2 grade, sailed from Morehead City Monday morning at 6 o'clock for Genoa, Italy. Pilots took the vessel past Beaufort bar and left her at 7 o'clock. At 11 o'clock she piled up on one of the shoals off Cape Lookout about 10 miles from Cape Point. Shortly after noon Associated Press wired that an unidentified steamer was aground on Cape Lookout Shoals and to follow up with bang-up coverage. I knew positively that it was the Nyugat, but checked with Capt Gillikin of Cape Lookout before sending the wire.

SO MUCH for that. Elsewhere today in this edition you will read about the wreck of the Nyugat and her subsequent floating after a hundred or so hours. . . . And on Tuesday night I presented at our Rotary meeting a man who could tell us more about wrecks on Cape Lookout Shoals. I had asked Mr. Esposito, who discovered the fine climate and fine soil of Carteret county as a place ideal for the cultivation of beans and tomatoes to be guest speaker on our program. You see for the current quarter I am chairman of the program committee. But Mr. Esposito (Continued on page 8)