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## Heron And Egret Rookery At Lenoxville Will No Longer Be Guarded By Audubon Warden

### Capt. Godwin Served As Warden During Past 14 Years

Lenoxville heron and egret rookery loses its protection this year as a result of corner-cutting economizing on the part of the National Association of Audubon Societies with headquarters in New York. Unless the North Carolina Bird Club can make arrangements to give the birds protection by a warden, the rookery this year will be open to any person mean enough to go there and harm the birds, steal the eggs from nests or whatnot.

Robert P. Allen, sanctuary director of the national association of Audubon societies advised Capt. Godwin through letter a few days ago that they could no longer pay him the \$60 per year salary for posting signs against trespassing at the rookery and watching the birds. Capt. Godwin had been warden for the past 14 years. There is a possibility that the North Carolina Bird Club will assume the responsibility of protecting the birds and employ a warden. There is also a possibility that the Carteret Game Warden will be instructed to guard the rookery from invasion by persons who would harm the birds. Capt. Godwin's letter from Mr. Allen which gives reasons for the Society's discontinuance of warden service and other interesting data relative to the rookery follows:

I was glad to have your report and to know that your interest in the Lenoxville Rookery continues. Owing to increasing demands made upon our financial resources by bird species that are in a really critical condition in this country, (Continued on Page 8)

## Covering The Waterfront

By AYCOCK BROWN

FOR THE past several days I have been planning to write a story about the fishing laws, the size of net meshes and other data in connection with the recent incident down at Cape Lookout when many fishermen using nets with meshes smaller than allowed by law, were ordered to stop fishing until their nets did comply with the law. One of the reasons I did not write the story was because I did not understand clearly both sides to the question. I still do not understand every little detail in connection with the question, but this week I was fortunate in receiving from my fine fishing friend Jimmie Guthrie, a letter, which explained pretty clearly how the matter stood up. I am running that letter today in this column, because Jimmie Guthrie certainly gave both sides to the question. The letter follows:

To the Editor:  
BE SURE YOUR sins will find you out. Because we have transgressed the laws, changed the ordinances and broken the everlasting. (Continued on Page 8)

## My Neighbor Says:

Roasted shelled peanuts combine nicely with rice in croquettes.

Warm weather is a good time to make rolls, since they rise easily when it is warm.

Juice left from spiced fruits makes an excellent basting liquid for chops or roasts. It is especially tasty when used on ham.

Butter burns easily. Consequently it is a good plan to use other fats, such as lard, lard substitutes or oils, for browning purposes.

Leftovers will shrink on exposure to the air. They should be allowed to cool and then covered with waxed paper before they are stored in the refrigerator.

A sieve is a necessity in flower seed sowing. The soil should be sifted over seeds and it is best sifted over seeds when planted in the open ground.

Harnett County growers appear to be pleased with their checks for participating in the 1938 agricultural conservation program, reports C. R. Ammons, farm agent.

## Albino Terrapin Found At Davis

An albino terrapin of the diamond back species was found in Oyster Creek near Davis on Monday by Justin E. Davis of that community who in turn sent it to The Beaufort News editor with instructions that it be turned over to the laboratory on Piver's Island. Capt. Charles Hatsell, who has been propagating diamond backs for the past 30 years at the U. S. Bureau of Fisheries on Pivers Island said that although out of some 100,000 or more hatched here only two or three had been albinos and none ever reached maturity. The terrapin which Mr. Davis sent was an adult, about 6 inches long. It will be on permanent display at the aquarium museum here.

## BAND LEADER'S CAREER BEGAN TWO YEARS AGO

### Today Paul Moore And Orchestra Well Known

Paul Moore, who brings his outfit to Atlantic Beach on May 5 for the Fourth Annual Junior Senior Prom and for the pre-season dance on the following night in the Casino began his musical career as a band leader two years ago, at the Raleigh High School, and Eastern Carolina soon began to know the Paul Moore orchestra as a 14-piece unit.

They have maintained this size band now for 2 years, although the personnel has changed almost entirely since Paul entered State College last Fall. The past 4 months have seen the greatest improvement of any band ever to come out of N. C., and they are now playing the latest Shaw and Goodman arrangements with ease, and sounding very smooth on their sweet arrangements.

Late engagements of note played by the band are, The Easter Ball of the Bachelor's Club, in Lumberton, N. C., The Fall and Spring Dances of the Kappa Alpha Fraternity, held at the Washington Duke Hotel in Durham, the winter (Continued on page 8)

## PLAYERS ARE IMPROVING IN GOLF TOURNEY

### 54-Hole Playoff Closes Next Sunday

Gulf Stream Golf Club Spring Tournament enters its last week of competitive play with a bang and practically every player has improved every game. In fact the Club has some shot makers now that enter almost any event that they desire.

Sunday, April 30th will close out the 54 hole play-off for the Barbuec supper and prizes that go with the play-off.

Players turning in the eight lowest scores during the 54-hole play-off will be matched and start playing for the Club Championship. It is hoped that this play can be finished in two weeks as some of our championship timber will be leaving town for the Summer holidays. This will be interesting play and well worth watching.

Skarren won from McQuaid, 12 up.  
Potter from Noe, 23 up, 5 to go.  
Owensby from Chas. Hassell, 12 up.  
Beam 11 up on Tyler.  
Chas. Britton 10 up on Tom Kelly.  
Louis Dickerson 6 up on Greer Hudgins.  
Dr. Darden Eure five up on Dr. W. L. Woodard.  
George Bailey won from George Snooks four up.  
Bob Lang 6 up on Jack Neal.  
Hardy Lewis 4 up on Ray Hassell.  
Bob Dunn 1 up on Halsey Paul.  
Hugh Piner and Ben Jones will play 18 holes account both their opponents defaulting.

## RATTLESNAKE

When the seven year old son of Kirk Dickinson of the Core Creek section told his father that he had seen a snake under the piano, his parent replied: "Oh, you didn't see any snake." Mr. Dickinson placed his hand under the piano to prove there was no snake there. To his astonishment he heard a rattle and with a stick he reached again beneath the piano. Out from beneath the piano crawled a young rattler with three rattles and a button on its tail. It was killed quickly—and in the future when his son says snake, Mr. Dickinson will take him more seriously.



## COUNTRY DOCTOR Continued

As plainly as if today, I can remember his story of the return from death of the late "Court" Bliven.  
"Yes, my friends, it is hard to believe," the doctor intoned in his thin tumbling voice, late one night as we sat up at the home of a friend. "But," he continued, "Court Bliven and I made a solemn pact that which of us should be the first to pass away would come again to let the other know there is returning from beyond the grave."

"It was past midnight when I was driving home from Wanchese. The moonlight spread in silver patches across the road. It was just north of the 'Battleground,' where many soldier had met death. It seemed I felt a 'presence,' and tho I was speechless, and tho he spoke not a word, there stood 'Court' Bliven with the friendliest look on his face."

Imagine the hair-raising effect this would have on a boy of 12 or 13. No wonder he was never forgotten by those who knew him. But this yarn was nothing to the one he told us about his experience when a young medical interne in Baltimore. (Continued on page two)

## Dead Whale Was Only Unconscious

The dead fishing whale which Iredell Salter and Arthur Lewis found in their sink net down at Cape Lookout the other day was only unconscious. This was discovered shortly after they had tied a hawser to its tail and were towing the mammal off shore to set it adrift. At the same time the whale regained consciousness it almost upset the boat, because it's idea was to go in the opposite direction from which it was being towed. Cutting the line quickly Salter and Lewis released the whale in so doing perhaps saved their boat and their lives. No telling what would have happened if it had not been released as soon as it started showing signs of life. When the whale was first discovered it was tangled and rolled up in the net—and apparently very much dead, but, as outlined it was only unconscious.

## ANNUAL YOUTH EXHIBIT TO BE HELD MAY 13-14

### NYA Activities Will Feature In Event At Bank Bldg.

The annual youth exhibit for the State of North Carolina will be held in Raleigh the 19th and 20th of May according to instructions received by Mrs. D. F. Merrill, NYA supervisor for Carteret County. And in accordance with these further requests, there will be held the annual exhibit for Carteret County on the 12th and 13th of May. The exhibit will be shown in Beaufort and the committee has secured the building formerly occupied by the Bank of Beaufort on Front Street. Several units and organizations will participate in this work, among them being the National Youth organization under direction of Mrs. Merrill, the scout groups—boys and girls—under supervision of their leaders; the WPA Recreation groups directed by their supervisors, the schools throughout (Continued on page 8)

## Marietta College Students On Visit Local Laboratory

Twenty-five Marietta (Ohio) college students who are making an annual field trip in North Carolina were scheduled to arrive at the U. S. Fisheries Laboratory and the laboratory of Duke University on Piver's Island today. The students are members of the biology and botanical departments of the Ohio institution.

Early this week they visited Baldhead Island and Southport and were shown many localities there by W. B. Keziah, the civic club leader who is putting that section on the map in a big way. While here they will stop at the Duke and Fisheries lab dormitories. Accompanying the group is Professor R. L. Walp, zoologist and H. R. Eggleton, botanist.

## Actor Victor Moore Would Send Fish

To the Editor:  
Your paper, The Beaufort News is creating so much interest among the members of the "Leave It To Me" company now playing at the Imperial Theatre, that I am having considerable difficulty in keeping their minds on their work, particularly Victor Moore who is crazy about fishing. He says the next time he catches a sword fish he will bring it down to North Carolina and turn it loose to match one of those Carolina tarpon you spoke of in one of your recent additions.

Sincerely,  
Harry Howell.

## MAY FROLIC

The May Frolic sponsored by the P. T. A. and presented by Mrs. Stallings' Dramatic Classes of Beaufort and Morehead City and Betsy Stallings dance pupils will be given at the Beaufort Graded School auditorium on May 9, at 8 o'clock.

Rehearsals are in progress now and this promises to be an outstanding event.  
Keep the date in mind, May 9.

## Municipal Election To Be Held Here Tuesday

### His Job Only One Of Kind In World



CAPT. CHAS. HATSELL, of the U. S. Fisheries Station on Piver's Island is not only assistant to the director, Dr. Prytherch, but he is also the world's only propagator of Diamond -- Back terrapins. Early in May he will begin releasing some 15,000 young terrapins in coastal waters of North Carolina. This work of replenishing the stock of terrapins each year, has resulted in saving them from extinction. Capt. Hatsell was the subject of an interesting person story which won a prize in recent WIN magazine contest. The story was written by Aycock Brown.

## Beaufort-Morehead Mayors Seek Lower Local Light Rates

Mayor George W. Huntley of Beaufort and Mayor S. H. Gibbs, of Morehead City are seeking a reduction in the existing electric light rates. They have asked the Utilities Commission to make an investigation. It seems, according to information contained in a letter to the Commission that Wilmington's minimum rate is \$1 per month while in Beaufort and Morehead City it is \$1.20. The Twin-city mayors hope to have our local rates lowered to correspond with Wilmington and other places where the minimum rate is only \$1 per month.

## Harkers Island Ferry Schedule Changes April 29

The summer schedule for the Harkers Island Ferry was announced today by Roy J. Hart, District Engineer. The schedule which becomes effective Saturday April 29, follows:

Leaves Island	Lvs. Gloucester
8:00 A. M.	9:00 A. M.
12:00 Noon	1:00 P. M.
3:00 P. M.	3:30 P. M.
5:30 P. M.	6:00 P. M.

In cases of emergency, Mr. Hart stated, the ferry will continue to operate as in the past.

## Union Revival To Begn May 21

Arrangements have been made for the Union Revival Meetings of Beaufort to be held in the Ann Street Methodist Church. The first meeting will be on the night of May 21. Rev. M. L. Banister of Oxford is to do the preaching and Mrs. Georgia Frost Barnes, of Lenoir County, lead the singing. Mrs. Barnes is well known and highly appreciated here. She has a fine personality, a trained voice and a sweet Christian character. Mr. Banister is a very successful pastor. He will appear for the first time on the program here the night of the 22nd. Mrs. Barnes will be here on the 21st of May. A general invitation is extended the public to attend and participate in these meetings.

## Tennis Association To Be Organized

Anyone interested in joining The Beaufort Tennis Association will meet at Biggs Shoe Shop at 7:30 tonight.

## Interest Increases As Voting Time Approaches

Interest has increased considerably in the municipal election scheduled for next Tuesday, when voters of Beaufort will have an opportunity to cast ballots for their favorite candidates for the offices of mayor, board of aldermen and chief of police. The polls will open at 7 o'clock and remain open until sunset, it was stated here today.

Although the election of town officials is being talked considerably on the streets, this newspaper has had only one display advertisement from any of the factions interested. This advertisement which appears under the caption "Whispering Campaigns" appears on page four of this edition. It is the only display ad of the entire campaign, although candidates for office have been running their announcements now for several weeks.

Three candidates are seeing the office of mayor. Mayor George W. Huntley who has served for the past two years in this capacity is seeking re-election, W. W. (Cooch) Chadwick, who is well known here and has many friends who would like to see him elected to the office of mayor is also a candidate. The third candidate, a member of the well known Taylor family, Bayard Taylor, will be no stranger in the office if he is elected because he has served as mayor in years gone by.

There are two groups seeking office on the town board. First to announce for aldermen was the (Continued on Page 8)

## Fishing And All Outdoors

By AYCOCK BROWN

AN INCREASING number of fishing cruisers equipped with pulps and outriggers are making their appearance along the waterfront of Central Carolina Coast communities. Four or even three years ago, a craft carrying such equipment appearing in our fishing area attracted much attention locally. That was before big-game fishing became a reality instead of a sort of a dream. Many of the cruisers coming into our North Carolina ports equipped for off-shore fishing are giving ideas to our local guides, would probably remain here during the summer for the Gulf Stream fishing off the Capes of Hatteras and Lookout if they could book parties. Some of them, as a matter of fact, are booking parties for the exploitation of the fine fishing grounds ranging from 30 to 50 miles off shore at the Hundred Mile Curve or Continental Divide. In the meantime our wiser boatmen are equipping their vessels with outriggers, and more powerful motors. (Continued on Page 3)

## TIDE TABLE

Information as to the tide at Beaufort is given in this column. The figures are approximately correct and are 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, April 28	LOW
3:08 A. M.		9:39 A. M.
3:49 P. M.		10:12 P. M.
	Saturday, April 29	
4:17 A. M.		10:37 A. M.
4:52 P. M.		
	Sunday, April 30	
5:17 A. M.		11:13 A. M.
5:48 P. M.		11:32 P. M.
	Monday May 1	
6:10 A. M.		12:10 A. M.
6:38 P. M.		12:24 P. M.
	Tuesday, May 2	
6:59 A. M.		1:04 A. M.
7:24 P. M.		1:11 P. M.
	Wednesday, May 3	
7:46 A. M.		1:50 A. M.
8:11 P. M.		1:56 P. M.
	Thursday, May 4	
8:31 A. M.		2:35 A. M.
8:55 P. M.		2:39 P. M.