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Many Artists Arrive In Beaufort-AS SEASIDE ART COLONY OPENS



WITH THE OPENING of the W. C. U. N. C., Art Colony here early this week many art students arrived in Beaufort. While most of the udents in the colony are taking the course in painting outdoors sich is under the direction of Gregory lyy, there are other artists too, who are not taking the course visiting this historical and picturesque seaside town. The above photo was made on Pivers Island in 1938 when the students of art came to Beaufort for the first time. The photo by Bill Sharpe, then head of the State News , Bureau shows Miss Lucille Thomas in an artistic setting. (Bill Sharpe Pho-

REA Project For Rural Carteret Is Step Nearer from the Beaufort area, which represented only a small part of

Engineer Employed

To Make Survey

Immediately

Another important and

every community of Carteret

a general discussion between

civic leaders from various

430 PERSONS SIGN

gineer J. M. Grainger of Ral-

Dick Dickinson And

On Mako Shark Hunt

Dick Dickinson owner and mas-

ter of the 48-foot twin-motored

fishing cruiser "Tarheel" of Beau-

fort and a party of friends were

scheduled to sail southwardly this

afternoon through Inland Water-

by a group of college youths. If

they are fortunate in landing one

of these rare sharks, said to be the

most dangerous fighterrs ever

sought by rod and reel anglers, it

will be quite an accomplishment.

been landed with rod and reel-

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Capt. Leonard Wirtz, widely

Covering The Waterfront By AYCOCK BROWN

OLD-TIMERS along North Carclina's coast are saying the Coast Guard is "coming back". On the outer Banks, where Coast Guard-ing has ranked with fishing as a ing has ranked with fishing as a that is not served with elec-foremost and honorable profession tricity at present. Following there is ill-concealed excitement. Already, many stations are crowded with new recruits for training. parts of the county who had met with Farm Agent John Y. Lassiter and NCREA Enand there is talk of opening up sters sit around and listen once more to tales of the exploits of the famous surfmen of this vigorous

A YEAR OR TWO ago, the Bankers were melancholy about the new times. Stations were being abandoned, enlistments were not being made to fill expired services; patrols and lookouts were being curtailed or eliminated. The surfman, hero of the banks, seemed doomed to disappear in favor of the natty inlet boatman, or men who put out to sea in great deepsea cutters. Nowadays, it was said, the menace of the coast was eigh, a temporary steering disappearing before the powerful committee was appointed naval radio direction stations and (Continued on Page 4) naval radio direction stations and other navigation miracles.

THE WAR HAS changed all o that, and the Outer Bankers are wagging their heads sagely. Once

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BIRTHDAYS Of Famous People

14. Robert LaFollette, Sr., 1885. 15. Mmme. Schumann - Heink,

singer, 1861. Gustaf V, Sweden, 1858.

John Wesley, Methodist, 1703 Jas. Montgomery Flagg, artist, 1850. Elbert Hubbard, author, 1859

Raymond Ditmars (snakes)

HISTORICAL **EVENTS**

JUNE 14. Flag Day. 15. Geo. Washington, Com.in-Chief, Am. Army, 1775. Battle Bunker Hill 1775. 18. Senator LaFollette, died,

1925. Virginia Assembly, First

SERVICE CLUB **MEMBERS GOING** TO WHITE LAKE

Several Planning To Attend Camp This Year

Members of the Carteret County Service Clubs are to hold their annual week-end encampment at Marshburns Beach, White Lake, June 22-

Home Agents.

Members who do not furnish the below listed supply will be charged \$2.00 which includes food, lodging and camp expenses. Members who carry the food supply list pay only fifty cents, according to Miss (Continued on Page 4)

Carteret's Irish potatoes have been and blow up bridge. harvested, it was stated today by Farm Agent John Lassiter. In Carteret County this year approximately 1,500 acres were devoted to growing potatoes, which have brought prices ranging from 90 cents to \$1.90 per hundred since the first were dug about two weeks ago. The yield this year is about 25 per cent off, and although the price started at a high peak, the average for the season has been \$1.35 per 100 pound bag, according to estimates of the farm official. Up until this morning 105 solid railway car loads had moved represented only a small part of the total movement as the bulk were shipped via motor truck. Although accurate figures could not be obtained as we go to press it is estimated that between \$200,000 and \$250,000 was total value of all potatoes shipped from county.

WCUNC UNITS forward step was taken last night in the proposal to es-tablish an REA project which will serve practically OPEN SEASIDE **CLASSES HERE**

Modern Dance And Art Students In Group

coast, and once again their eyes in Carteret County have signed up to the service.

Four hundred and thirty persons in Carteret County have signed up and paid in \$5 each or a total of Carolina, returning to Beau-\$2,150 for membership in the pro- fort for summer session this posed REA project which would week brought a total of more serve practically all sections of than 30 students for registra-Carteret from Cedar Island to Stel- tion in the Art Colony under la. The average is 3.04 persons the direction of Gregory Ivy per mile on a proposed 128 miles of lines. Approximately 45 to 50 Dance under the direction of

per cent of the homes on this route of 128 miles would be served with electricity, when and if the project goes through.

Miss Jean Brownlee and Miss Henrietta Thompson.

Classes for the School of Dance are being conducted daily in the main auditorium of Community Center. Preliminary classes for the School of Art are also being conducted at Community Center. in the Southwest Room. Most of the work of the artists will be out of doors, the Community Center llass Room being used only for rainy day sessions and leature and Friends Cuba Bound

criticism periods. Dr. A. E. Shaftesbury, head of another W. C. U. N. C., unit, the Carolina Marine Laboratory, announced at the last minute that the unit which he had been bringing to the coast at Beaufort each year, would not come this season, but that he would be here to carry on research in marine biology field way bound for Cuba on the first at the Lab, before summer has Make shark hunt ever attempted passed.

The following students had reg-(Continued on page 8)

Court Officials On Cruise Wednesday

Judge J. Paul Frizzelle, Solicitor known big game fishing guide is Dave Clark, Court Stenographer. accompanying the party. He told Miss Hilda Jacobs, Sheriff C. G. a Beaufort Newsman today, that Holland, Clerk of Court L. W. Hasonly five Mako sharks have ever sell and members of the Carteret Bar enjoyed a cruise on nearby three in Australian waters and two waters aboard the State Fisheries in Bimini - Cuba waters. Capt. vessel "Hatteras" on Wednesday Wirtz, who with Fred Grieten, deafternoon. The cruise was made veloped the famous "Fin-Nor" possible through courtesy of Capt. fishing reel at their machine shop John Nelson, State Fisheries Comin Miami, said that Mako Shark missioner. Clerk Hassell invited which have been captured ranged as a special guest did not take the from nine to 14 feet in length and cruise as the grand jury had not weighed from 600 to 900 pounds. made their final report and he re-To capture them with rod and reel mained in his office to receive the 12-0 reels loaded with 39 thread report and discharge them, on orders of Judge Frizzella.

TOURS, France - Germans cros Marne at Chateau Thierry; others drive to 20 miles from center of Paris; three main thrusts nearly complete half-circle about France capital; French defenders inflict great losses on nazis.

BERLIN - Germans claim their 23. jointly with Pamlico and Paris; report another French Craven County Service Club force force blasted out of combat members and County and in channel drive; German artillery action on upper Rhine may be pre-lude to another drive.

> LONDON - British air forces carry war into northern Italy, Africa, Germany and against Germans in France; empire marshals men and war machines.

ROME - Italians sow mines to halve Mediterranean; allies momb Milan. Turin, other industrial cen-ters; Italian high command silent on operations; between 60 and 70 divisions mass on French frontier

ANKARA - Turkey, watching (Continued on Page 8)

Barden Speaks To Club Members



den was the key-note speaker in The Casino on Atlantic Beach to. day where 2,000 Twelfth District Club members met in annual session. Feature of the meeting wa a tremendous picnic dinner served during the lancheon period.

H. H. Perkins of CAA Inspects Air Field

H. H. Perkins, Regional Airport Engineer for the Civil Aeronautics Authority with headquarters in Atlanta came here last week and inspected the landing field facilities at the West Beaufort field. He commended the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce to privide the facilities, such as they are, and made a report. In his report he recommended that the facilities be included in air charts of the pation as an auxiliary landing field. Engineer Perkins also inspected the new Seaplane Landing Float at Pivers Island and made a favorable report on it.

Seashore Starts Service To Beach

E. L. Watkins, traffic manager or Seashore Transnortation Company advised The Beaufort News, just as we go to press today that his company has just established bus service from Beaufort to Atantic Beach. Busses leave Beaufort for Beach at 1.45 and 5.15 P. M., and returning leave Atlantic Beach at 4:50. Arrangements are being made for a later bus to leave each, announcement of which with the low one-way and round trip fares will appear in an advertisement next week.

Miss Morehead City To Be Selected

will be chosen.

COURT DOCKET VERY QUICKLY

Several Cases Are Continued Until October Term

Only three cases remained to be tried in Superior Court this morning in what turned out to be an exceptionally Sivisions are 12 1-2 miles from brief session of criminal Paris; report another French court. Judge J. Paul Frizzelle presided over the term this week. Judge Walter Bone will preside over the Civil session of Superior court next week.

The following cases were disrh Wednesday: Haywood Saunders, Negro, was

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omatoes

Harvesting of more than 800 cres of tomatoes in Carteret will get underway next week, and unless much needed rain comes withbe materially damaged, according to growers and packers here. Wayland Sermons plans to open the Beaufort Auction Market early in betta & Son, Inc., operating a packing shed in the old Corbett Packing Company building and S. M. Jones Company with packing sheds on Lenoxville Road near Atlantic Highway are advertising this week that they will purchase tomatoes at current market prices. Several other packing houses are expected to be in operation here as the harvest advanced. A few tomatoes were harvested by John Gunn from his farm this week. Tomato packing season provides employment for several hundred people along the coast.

PIRATES LOSE SUNDAY GAME

Firemen Slaughter Visitors With 12-3 Score

ment not only as Demon Fire Fighters but demons on the

Brooks tossing them over for the local lads thrilled the crowd with the sensational manner in which he pitched himself out of two oles into which he slipped due to lightly erratic fielding on the (Continued from Page 1)

Bigger And Better Bowling Alley To Replace Idle-Hour

While Sheriff C. G. Holland has given the assurance that his ofice will conduct a complete invesigation to determine if the blaze was or incendiary origin, Al Coop er, owner, stated today that the \$30,000 loss sustained when the Idle Hour Bowling Alley on At lantic Beach, would be replaced mmediately with a bigger and bet ter building.

fanned by a southwest breeze and a liquor still going at full blast in soon the building was completely Stella Woods a few days ago and destroyed. General alarms were sounded and fire fighting equip- ficers recognized one Robert Wil-ment from Beaufort and Morehead liams, a white man and upon in-City arirved on scene and stood formation obtained in that section by to protect nearby residences, have issued warrant for him and which would have been gratly en- his brother Bert Williams. Unless dangered had the wind been blow- they have fled the county the aling from another direction.

Cooper, owner of the popular nabbed this week-end. recreation center, state dthat his Dancing to the tunes of Dee Peterson and his orchestra with a ing would include 15 alleys inbeauty show sponsored by More- stead of 10, and that 24-hour and a tiny stream was trickling inhead City Junior Chamber of Com- shifts would be carried on by work to a container from the still when merce as an added attraction will men rebuilding the structure. "Our the officers arrived. Asked what be featured in Atlantic Beach Casi-no on Saturday night, June 15. A number of beautiful girls will be original Idle-Hour building was Sheriff Holland stated that it was

SPORT AT RACTS WOMEN ANGLERS-

Surf Casti. La Carolina Coast-



SURF CASTING along the North Carolina coast which once attracted only fishermen, today attracts a large number of fisherwomen. Such scenes as the one above made on the Southeast coast of the State are not uncommon, and especially during the month of June when bathing suits are suitable for surf casting toggery and when the big channel bass and blues are running in schools along the beaches. The above photo was posed by Miss Katherine Meir of in the next few days, the crop will Wilmington-Wrightsville. It has been widely published as publicity picture by the State News Bureau of the Department of Conservation and Development. (Bill Sharpe Photo)

the week and several buyers are Legion Post Seeking Naval U. S. Air Base For Carteret County

Pass Resolution To Curb 5th Column Activities

Carteret Post 99 of the American Legion here met on Friday night and upon suggestion from their State You put out a good paper. There evelt to curb any "Fifth Col-umn" activities which might be starting or in the embry-onic stage on the Carteret Coast. The Legionaires of the local post also prepared resolutions which will be submitted to the Board of County Commissioners for further action seeking the further action, seeking the stablishment of a U. S. Na-val Air Base somewhere in which have been caught in sur-Beaufort base ball fans Carteret County. In the rounding salt waters recently, "Fifth Column" resolution were the same. Although three were treated to one of the which also will be presented reference books I have checked finest exhibitions of base ball to the County Board it was fails to do anything but verify that has been witnessed in several years and established the Beaufort Fire Department not only as Demon Fire many Copies of the Resolutions, both check with Dr. Prytherch who is as to "Fifth Column" activities from my way of looking at it, tops

ball diamond by drubbing and the establishment of a Naval in the icthyology field, but he is the hitherto and outstanding Air Base were forwarded the North out of town this week. Gehrmann Wilmington Pirates to the Carolina Congressional Delegation declares that Boston Mackerel are tune of 12-3. in Washington.

Carteret County has been taken since the World War Navy air base was in commission at Camp Glenn and the birthplace of Coast Guard about but someone ought to make aviation at the same site after the War, the people of the coast or many of them have felt confident that such a base should be estabished in this stragetic location. The Navy got along fine with ita ir base at Camp Glenn, and the loast Guard got off to its flying (Continued on Page 8)

Warrants Issued For Blockaders Of Stella Woods

Sheriff C. G. Holland, Deputy Murray Thomas and Emmet Chap-The fire, discovered about 2:30 lain and Officers George Nelson o'clock Wednesday morning, was and Alex Norris swooped down on while no one was captured, the ofleged blockaders will probably be

The still was of 50 gallons caentered in the contest, and Coastal destroyed by a fire only a few probably very poor as the source of water supply for the boiler smakl g. . . nd ment ETAOI ETA came from a ditch.

Fishing And All Outdoors By AYCOCK BROWN

FROM RSVP: "Dear Aycock: Commander, June Rose, adopted resolutions approving action of President Rose, advertised and the good work up. But, when you say alligators are as numerous in evelt to curb any "Fifth Col-

valuable as a food fish, that they Although no favorable action are identified under that name in towards establishing an air base in the markets, and that Bonito have very coarse flesh and bring very little as food fish. I believe Gehrmann knows what he is talking

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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.

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