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Fourth Annual Morehead City Coastal Festival Begins Thurs., Aug. 7

Covering The

Waterfront

By AYCOCK BROWN

GOVERNOR BROUGHTON is

democratic person. Take last

Sunday afternoon for instance. We

had an engagement to meet at the

parkway.

Stanley Wahab Is An Ocracoker Who Shares SUCCESS WITH FOLKS ON ISLAND



R. S. WAHAB IS A native of Ocracoke Island who went away, made a success in life. It was he who brought electricity, an ice plant, Wahab Village and Hotel, the Ocracoke Theatre, a number of cottages, and enumerable improvements to the island. R. S. Wahab-the natives call him Stanley-left the island in his youth, served for a time on a duPont yacht, (he owns a yacht formerly of the duPont fleet today), took a business course at Wilmington, and made a success of a co-operative buying plan for independent furniture stores. He lives at Baltimore, but his heart is still at Ocracoke. He is vacationing on Ocracoke Island this week and will be there next week to greet the Young Republicans and their distinguished guests-he will also be on hand to greet Governor J. M. Broughton and party who will arrive on the island aboard the flagship of the N. C. Fisheries fleet on August 9th or 10th. Stanley Wahab is making lavish preparations for the entertainment of the Governor and party-at square dances, native clam bakes, oyster roasts, fish frys and other entertainment, which this native Ocracoker knows how to promote and present. . . . In the above picture made earlier this week Ocracoke's most successful son, Stanley Wahab, is preparing to shove off in a native sail skiff eting cruise. Of the two, Wahab probably gets a bigger kick out of cruising aboard sprit-sail center board skiffs, than he does aboard his palatial yacht "Wanderer."-(Photo By Aycock Brown).

Message From **Our Governor**

It is pleasing to know that the Beaufort News is to carry an Ocracoke supplement for this season, and I am glad to be privileged in this supplement to send a brief message concerning Ocracoke Island. Ocracoke has a charm all its

own. It is unique among all resorts in Eastern America. I know of no place that excells Ocracoke in beauty and attractiveness. It has been my privilege several times to visit this delightful spot, and I look forward to future visits. The hospitality of the people is unsurpassed anywhere. It is an ideal spot for rest and recreation and for the enjoyment of unsurpassed beauties of nature. In the fishing season it attracts sportsmen from all over the United States, and in the hunting season it is the mecca of all who seek unusual hunting opportunities.

Ocracoke is a great North Carolina asset, and I rejoice in its recent growth and development.

J. M. BROUGHTON, Governor of North Carolina Raleigh, N. C.,

Contract For Work Expected To

Contract for the U. S. got out and was shown over the

Be Bigger and Better

Program Will Include Dedication Of New Morehead City Post Office, Bathing Beauty Contests, Dances By Name **Bands**, Parades And Boat Races

JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF MOREHEAD **CITY HAVE MADE NATIONAL EVENT OF FESTIVAL**

For the fourth successive year the annual Morehead City Coastal Festival will be presented beginning next Thurs day, August 7th and running through and including Saturday, August 9th. This year's event, according to its sponsors, will be "bigger and better" than ever, and includes three days and nights of gala festivity which is expected to attract several thousands to the Port City.

The first regularly scheduled event on the festival program will be a military and naval parade. which will take place on Arendell Street Thursday morning at 11:00 o'clock. Units from Fort Bragg and Camp Davis have been invited to participate in this event, along with the bands representing their respective units.

At 2:00 o'clock on the specially constructed band stand in front of the post office a musical concert will be presented.

The first round of the sailboat bathing beach project there which races will be held on Bogue Sound the State will turn over to the Army at Camp Davis as a spot to beginning at 2:00 o'clock, and this event, as in the past, will attract camp on convoy training marches sailboats from all over the county. and for recreation. We were to The Junior Yacht Club of Moremeet at his No. 1 Cadillac on the head City, with its compliment of fifteen or twenty "Comets", which IN THE GOVERNOR'S party will participate in the races, alway. were four other persons, Mrs. lends a thrilling sight to the spec-Broughton, Capt. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Genhegan of Raleigh. There was room for another in the tators who are expected to line the waterfront to view the events. See MOORE ABOUT, Pge. 3 roomy official car but when the

WRONG INITIAL IN SCARBOROUGH'S AD

we rode down to the State Park. Discovered too late to correct in





CHAIRMAN W. Y. (Bill) STEWART of the British-American Mercy (Ambulance) Plane Drive in Carteret reported as we go to press today that contrary to reports the campaign to raise a voluntary quota of \$800 on the central coast was not ended. As a matter of fact the drive is just getting underway and he cheerfully reported that through the cooperation of co-workers one half of the total quota had been raised. Similar drives are underway in every county of North Carolina and the general idea is to raise sufficient monies to purchase a huge six-stretcher, 2motored Grumann Amphibian plane which will be presented for civilian use to the British Government from the people of the Old North State...State Treasurer George Ross Pou of the ONSF Campaign, at his summer cottage on Atlantic Beach for the week-end, reported that several counties had already gone over the top with their quota. Chairman Stewart of the Carteret campaign paid especial tribute for the fine work which is being accomplished by his co-worker, Mrs. Julian Hamilton in Beaufort where \$150 was raised on the first day of the drive. With the generous support of several prominent business men and manufacturers of Carteret, including Jack H. Neal and R. W. Safrit of Beaufort, George R. Wallace and J. W. Jackson of Morehead City and others, along with the splendid cooperation which members of the summer colony on Atlantic Beach and in Marehead City are giving, (they plan to stage a British Ambulance Benefit at Dunes Club next Saturday night, assisted by Lon Bolich and others) that not only will the Carteret Quota be raised, but this county will go over the top in its campaign of mercy. The above photo shows James Imbrie, official of the British American Ambulance Corporation of New York talking with Miss Jean Brownlee of the WCUNC School of Modern Dance in Beaufort and one of her students when the huge plane, similar to one which North Carolina citizens will buy, was on an exhibition tour Navy's Marine Airwing at Cherry Point was awarded this week to T. A. Loving Super DeLuxe with the special Ocracoke Island sup-town in my Super DeLuxe with the initials of the progressive firm of cock Brown).



Begin Soon

TROOP 51 OF BEAUFORT INVITING 500 TAR HEEL BOY SCOUTS TO BE HERE ON WEEKEND OF AUG. 23RD

BOARD TO MEET MONDAY

Carteret Commissioners will meet on Monday. They are expected to adopt budget for 1941-42 at this sitting.



Memos of a Girl Friday: Dear Mr. W .: When William L.

Shirer, CBS correspondent whose best-seller is "Berlin Diary," got back here after many years in Germany, he visited all the Mr. Bigs in the War Dep't. They found his observations on the German army so interesting and informative they urged him to call on the commanding officers of all the U.S. Corps areas and relay the same info. He was provided with letters of introduction and rec'd a warm welcome and keen audience everywherewith one exception . . Lieut. General Yoo-hoo Lear brushed Shirer off, virtually throwing him out of his office. His explanation could possibly interest me."

The college boy who wrote "Daddy" up and enlisted in the marines-right after getting that plump royalty check for his first beautiful but she is also very talen-Georgia Carroll when he gets fort High School in May with high-"leave." He's no dope.

Mrs. John Steinbeck is working in Junior Chamber of Commerce a New York ad agency. She admits to chums they've parted, which been: Miss Lucille Thomas, who you reported months ago and then "retracted"-just 'cause you were

See WINCHELL, Page 2 | ence Smith, Miss Beaufort of 1940. 9:28 PM

Scoutmaster Parkin In Charge Of All **Meeting Plans**

Troop 51 of the Boy Scouts ded invitations through their ployed by the T. A. Loving Com-Scoutmaster, Bill Blades Par- pany on the gigantic Fort Bragg kin, to all scouts and scouters of the East Carolina Council to Spend a week-end o fun and merriment at Beaufort The Land of the Sea" beginning August 22 and continu-

ing through August 24. Several hundred scouts are ex-See TROOP 51, Page 8

Miss Mary Johnson Is Chosen As Miss Beaufort Of 1941

Beaufort Rotarians at their meeting on Tuesday night were unanimously in favor of Miss Mary Johnson, beautiful and talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, being Miss Beaufort of 1941. She will represent the Carwas that "nothing a newspaper man | teret seat of government in the has to say about military matters Fourth Annual Pageant of Beauty which will be presented next weekend as a high spot of the Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsored Coastal Festival in Morehead City. Miss Johnson is not only very . Jimmy Stewart is dating ted. She graduated from Beau-

est honors. . . She is 16 years old. Former "Miss Beauforts" at the Sponsored Coastal Festivals have won top honors and reigned as queen over the second annual fesasked to do so ... Chaplin, I hear, has already made a million from Beaufort of 1939 and Miss Flor-

seven associates. These are Central Engineering and Construction Company, the Mecklenburg Construction Company, A. H. Guyen, Nel-lo L. Teer, Albemarle Plumbing and Heating Company and the Thomas Electrical Company of and the West Construction Comlars. Work on the project is expect-

ed to start immediately. The number of men who will be employed there has not been announced, and COMMUNITY CENTER WILL HOUSE SCOUTS this is something which probably will not be known until actual conthis is something which probably struction is underway. It is likely that many of the employees, num-

f America here have exten- bering thousands, who were em-See LOVING, Page 8

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. So meallowances must be made for variations in the wind and also with respect to the locality, that is wheth er near the inlet or at the head of the estuaries.

Daylight Saving Time

HIGH LOW Friday, Aug. 1 3:05 AM 3:54 PM

Saturday, Aug. 2 4:16 AM 5:00 PM Sunday, Aug. 3

5:25 AM 6:03 PM Monday, Aug. 4 6:27 AM

Tuesday, Aug. 5

Thursday, Aug. 7

Company, of Goldsboro; and official car trailing us.

Governor saw me waiting he told

the other members of the party:

'I will ride with Aycock." And so

C. J. Scarborough, located on the I WAS UNABLE TO accept the south side of Silver Lake. In the Governor's invitation to go to the ad the initial "T" is shown instead See WATERFRONT, Page 7 of the correct initial "J"

BEAUFORT AIR FIELD IMPROVED

Earl Taylor, local aviation enthusiast, has had his entire crew of workmen mowing the grass and smoothing out the pany. Initial cost of the project rough spots on the three run ways of the landing field in will be almost fifteen million dol- West Beaufort this week. These runways are 1,200 feet. 1,450 feet and 2,900 feet in length. The U.S. Marine air-

men now on maneuvers in New Bern this week will be advised of the improved facilities made possible by Taylor's interest in the local landing field.

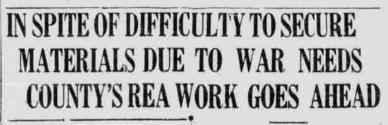
They Inspect Fort Macon Beach-**READY TO LOAN IT TO THE ARMY**



PICTURED ABOVE are two men who stand ready to offer Fort Macon State Park Beach to Brigadier General 9:27 AM James B. Crawford, commandant of Camp Davis, on behalf 10:25 PM of North Carolina, owners of the resort project. At left above, commander in chief of the State Navy, is Governor port that the party has made no J. Mellville Broughton, who inspected Fort Macon Beach 11:30 PM site early this week. Previously, in company with aides of General 3 James B. Crawford, Camp Davis Commandant, Charles J. Jenkins

widely known automobile dealer of northeastern North Carolina and new member of the Parks and Forestry Committee of the 12:30 AM Department of Conservation and Development, shown at left, dered labor unions dominated by 12:34 PM inspected the site with the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Communists to help their campaign Beaufort. The Department of Conservation and Development which 1:26 AM has charge of all State Park Properties, are very willing to turn Fort

1:32 PM Macon State Park Beach over to Camp Davis troops if they need same as a convoy training or marching camp site. Governor Broughton also 2:16 AM 2:26 PM Beaufort Community Center properties and West Beaufort as camp 3:02 AM sites, if same are desired for that purpose by the Army at Camp Davis,



GAME FISH PLENTIFUL

Game fish are abundant off Beaufort Inlet at this time. Governor Broughton and party made one of the best catches of week.

Washington, D. C.

DEFENSE 'INCIDENTS' Out of 26 major "incidents of damage" in defense plants last month. military intelligence authorities have evidence that 14 were caused by sabotage. The other 12 were accidents.

Of the 14 sabotage cases, four were fires and 10 were mechanical damage. Two are attributed to Communists; the others to Nazi agents. There is no indication that Communists and Nazis worked together.

Since the outbreak of the Russo-German war, the Communist party line has somersaulted. The current dictum is, no intereference with defense output. It is significant that since the Nazi attack on the Soviets there has been a sharp decline in strikes

However, intelligence agents rechange in its policy of propagandizing soldiers and sailors. This is being pushed as vigorously as before, although with little success. In fact, party generals are so dissatisfied with results that they recently orby offering their halls as soldier recreation centers.

Japanese Consulates.

in subversive influences relates to ard Nowinson, editor of The Rethe Japanese.

See MERRY-GO-ROUND-Page 2' meeting there next week-end.

Approval Is Given ' For Substation Construction

HOUSE WIRING BEGINS IN SOME COMMUNITIES

In spite of increased diffiulty in securing material, due to war priorities, con-struction on the local REA lines is proceeding at a rate better than scheduled. Ap-proximately 100 miles of poles have been set, onethird of all transformers hung and right-of-way cutting is moving along. Poles are now being set across the North River marsh into the Straits and Otway communities.

Design of a modern streamlined substation, to be located on U. S. 70 near Newport, has been approved by Washington and construction will begin on it in the near future, The Cooperative will purchase wholesale power from the Tidewa-

See REA, Page 8

Ocracoke Island **Edition Reaches** Chicago Friday

Several copies of The Ocracoke Island Edition of The Beaufort News this week will be read in Chicago, Ill., on Friday afternoon, which incidentally is the same time the newspaper reaches Ocracoke Island, only 60 miles from its place of publication. At the request of N. C. Young Republican Federation President John Wilkinson, Jr., of Washington, N. C., four pounds of this edition, about 12 copies are Another significant development being air-expressed today to Richpublican, publication of the Nation-

Since the expulsion of the Nazi al Federation, who will be on Ocand Italian consulates intelligence racoke Island at the Invitation

10:30 AM

7:01 PM AM

5:52 PM Wednesday, Aug. 6 2:16 AM 8:15 AM 8:41 PM

9:03 AM

3:14 PM Fort Bragg or elsewhere .- (Beaufort News Photos.)



Hearty Welcome