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

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.

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 excels Ocracoke in beauty and attractiveness.

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., July 30, 1941.

Three Day Event Will 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 Thursday, August 7th and running through and including Saturday, August 9th.

Covering The Waterfront

By AYCOCK BROWN

GOVERNOR BROUGHTON is a democratic person. Take last Sunday afternoon for instance. We had an engagement to meet at the beach and then drive down to Fort Macon State Park to see the new bathing beach project there which the State will turn over to the Army at Camp Davis as a spot to camp on convoy training marches and for recreation.

IN THE GOVERNOR'S party were four other persons, Mrs. Broughton, Capt. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Gephagan of Raleigh. There was room for another in the roomy official car but when the Governor saw me waiting he told the other members of the party: "I will ride with Aycock."

I WAS UNABLE to accept the Governor's invitation to go to the See WATERFRONT, Page 7

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.

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 races will be held on Bogue Sound beginning at 2:00 o'clock, and this event, as in the past, will attract sailboats from all over the county.

See MOORE ABOUT, Page 3

WRONG INITIAL IN SCARBOROUGH'S AD

Discovered too late to correct in the Special Ocracoke Island supplement today, is an error in the initials of the progressive firm of C. J. Scarborough, located on the south side of Silver Lake.

BEAUFORT AIR FIELD IMPROVED

Earl Taylor, local aviation enthusiast, has had his entire crew of workmen mowing the grass and smoothing out the rough spots on the three runways of the landing field in West Beaufort this week.

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 James B. Crawford, commandant of Camp Davis, on behalf of North Carolina, owners of the resort project.

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 the Mr. Bigs in the War Dept. 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.

The college boy who wrote "Daddy" up and enlisted in the marines—right after getting that plump royalty check for his first hit! Jimmy Stewart is dating Georgia Carroll when he gets "leave." He's no dope.

Mrs. John Steinbeck is working in a New York ad agency. She admits to chums they've parted, which you reported months ago and then "retracted"—just 'cause you were asked to do so. Chaplin, I hear, has already made a million from See WINCHELL, Page 2

Scoutmaster Parkin In Charge Of All Meeting Plans

COMMUNITY CENTER WILL HOUSE SCOUTS

Troop 51 of the Boy Scouts of America here have extended invitations through their Scoutmaster, Bill Blades Parkin, to all scouts and scouters of the East Carolina Council to spend a week-end of fun and merriment at Beaufort "The Land of the Sea" beginning August 22 and continuing through August 24.

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 Carteret seat of government in the Fourth Annual Pageant of Beauty which will be presented next week-end as a high spot of the Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsored Coastal Festival in Morehead City.

Loving Gets Contract For USM Airwing Actual Construction Work Expected To Begin Soon

Contract for the U. S. Navy's Marine Airwing at Cherry Point was awarded this week to T. A. Loving Company, of Goldsboro; and seven associates. These are Central Engineering and Construction Company, A. H. Guyen, Nello L. Teer, Albemarle Plumbing and Heating Company and the Thomas Electrical Company of and the West Construction Company.

Work on the project is expected to start immediately. The number of men who will be employed there has not been announced, and this is something which probably will not be known until actual construction is underway. It is likely that many of the employees, numbering thousands, who were employed by the T. A. Loving Company on the gigantic Fort Bragg 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 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.

Table with columns for Daylight Saving Time, HIGH, and LOW, listing tide times for Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday.

British American Ambulance Plane Drive Underway In Carteret County



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.

IN SPITE OF DIFFICULTY TO SECURE MATERIALS DUE TO WAR NEEDS COUNTY'S REA WORK GOES AHEAD

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.

Approval Is Given For Substation Construction

HOUSE WIRING BEGINS IN SOME COMMUNITIES



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.

Since the outbreak of the Russo-German war, the Communist party line has somersaulted. The current dictum is, no interference 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 report that the party has made no change in its policy of propagandizing soldiers and sailors. This is being pushed as vigorously as before, although with little success.

Another significant development in subversive influences relates to the Japanese. Since the expulsion of the Nazi and Italian consulates, intelligence See MERRY-GO-ROUND—Page 2

In spite of increased difficulty in securing material, due to war priorities, construction on the local REA lines is proceeding at a rate better than scheduled. Approximately 100 miles of poles have been set, one-third 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 Tidewater 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 being air-expressed today to Richard Nowinson, editor of The Republican, publication of the National Federation, who will be on Ocracoke Island at the invitation meeting there next week-end.