

Anti-Submarine Attack Measures Are Outlined

LOCAL CHURCHES OBSERVE FIRST WAR TIME EASTER

Fine Music And Large Attendance Is Reported

Even though many people were apprehensive of holiday attacks by the enemy, Easter Services in the Churches in Beaufort and other parts of the county this year were exceptionally fine and impressive both from the viewpoint of worship and attendance.

At the Baptist church in Beaufort a larger than usual congregation was present for the Sunrise Service and heard an inspiring message by Rev. S. J. Erwin on the Significance of the Empty Tomb.

The Sunrise Service at Core Creek Community Church was well attended. High points of this service were the sacred numbers by the Beaufort Band and a solo by Dr. J. O. Baxter, Jr.

The Rector of St. Paul's in comparing the services this year with the former five years of his rectorship noted that all services this year were better attended and that a finer spirit of worship was noticeable.

The Rev. Stanley Potter, minister of Ann Street Methodist Church, in commenting on the services there stated that the day was one of the most satisfactory in his experience.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Miss Myrtle Zentmeyer, Baptist W.M.U. field worker for the State, will speak in Carteret county Baptist churches Friday, April 10.

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.

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

Navy Requests Shore Lights To Be Dimmed

BEAUFORT COMPLIES WITH SUGGESTIONS

Following conferences between Civil and Naval authorities, Capt. F. D. Pryor, sixth naval district officer, has sent an outline of measures to prevent submarine attack to all county and municipal authorities in coastal areas of the district.

(a) All street lights that reflect toward the sea on those waterfront streets and highways that are located along the ocean front, and all street lights, for the distance of four city blocks from the waterfront, on all intersecting streets and highways that approach the waterfront.

(b) All advertising lights and lighted windows near the beach front which face seaward and are visible from off-shore.

(c) All inland bright lights which are visible within two (2) miles of the shore.

Melvin Edwards Is Promoted By Army

Corporal Melvin D. Edwards, Beaufort young man, in the nation's armed forces, has been promoted to the grade of Sergeant (Temporary) in the Air Force Band at Dale Mabry Field in Florida.

RED CROSS FIRST AID

The following notes on First Aid Classes are stated by Chapter Officers. Mrs. W. S. Chadwick will begin a class tonight in the Core Creek Community building.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Chester N. Dunkle, Beaufort, N. C. to Lina Fodrie, Beaufort, N. C. (white). Douglas Dowdy, Morehead City, N. C. to Rosalie Avery, Beaufort, N. C. (white).

Has Rubber Answer?



Homer Pilkington, a former student in Heidelberg, believes he has found a substitute for rubber. Pilkington said he used a plant from his farm at Salisbury, Md., for the base and treated it with chemicals. Samples have been sent to Washington for analysis.

Board Of Review To Meet April 20

James D. Potter, Carteret County auditor, announced today that a meeting of the Board of Equalization will be held at the court house in Beaufort on Monday and Tuesday, April 20 and 21, 1942, at 10 o'clock.

At this meeting the Board will hear complaints in accordance with the Machinery Act.

TRANSFERS of Real Estate

- WHITE OAK TOWNSHIP: Ralph Bender et al to J. W. Peletier Sons, consideration \$3,000.00, 135 acres. NEWPORT TOWNSHIP: Katie Willis to J. M. Willis, consideration \$2,250.00, 150 acres.

- MERRIMON TOWNSHIP: C. G. Holland, Sheriff, to R. E. Chaplain, Trustee, consideration \$50.67, 98 acres. BEAUFORT TOWNSHIP: The Sound Fish Meal Co. to Herbert V. Parkin Sr., consideration \$400.00, 1-2 acre.

BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS AND STAMPS

ANNUAL SCOUT CAMPOREE AT ROANOKE RAPIDS

Program Planned For Three Day Event This Month

ROANOKE RAPIDS, April 8.—Some 2,000 Boy Scouts and Scouters of the East Carolina Council will come to Roanoke Rapids for three days, April 17-18-19, for their annual Camporee and Camporee officials are planning a series of programs featuring personalities known to every red-blooded boy in the land.

Such favorites in the sporting world as Bobby Feller, the Cleveland Indians star pitcher now doing service in the U. S. Navy; Sam Chapman, Philadelphia Athletic shortstop also in the Navy; Governor J. M. Broughton, and a number of others have accepted invitations to attend the Camporee and appear on programs planned for the Scouts during the three days.

Governor Broughton will address the Scouts at 4:30 in the afternoon on opening day, and will lead a mammoth parade through the streets of Roanoke Rapids under a guard of honor of Eagle Scouts selected from troops in attendance.

Feller and Chapman, who are stationed at Norfolk, will appear on programs scheduled for the second day of the Camporee and will associate with the boys during the entire day.

Local Camporee committee officials have planned three full days of activities for the Scouts. Reviews, stunts, parades, tribal campfires, and real Scout projects to test the skill of the best of Scouts have all been arranged.

Norman Scrivener, field executive of the Halifax District, Boy Scouts of America, will be Camporee Chief and is working diligently with all committees to see that this is the best Camporee ever held in Eastern North Carolina.

Twelve Scout districts make up the East Carolina Council. They are: Albemarle, Beaufort, Craven, Carteret, Contentnea, Halifax, Edgecombe, Greenville, Martin, Roanoke-Chowan, Rocky Mount and Wilson.

War—'Down Under'



Australian soldiers are pictured concreting a gun emplacement near Darwin, in northern Australia, as they prepare to meet the onslaughts of the invading Japs. This is in the MacArthur theater of operations, where sizeable U. S. fighting forces have joined with their Anzac brothers. Note the colorful campaign hats.

Million Gardens Goal Of 4-H Club

One Million 4-H Gardens! That is the goal set by 4-H Club boys and girls on farms, and in towns, villages and hamlets in every section of the United States, to help win the war.

In addition to contributing to the nation's "Food for Freedom" drive, the clubsters will have the opportunity to win special recognition for meritorious service in the national 4-H garden contest, in which awards provided by Sears, Roebuck will be given for outstanding achievements in gardening.

Gold-filled medals will be given five representatives of the blue award group in each county. Four selected from the county winners in a State will each receive a \$25 Defense Bond.

One of the four State representatives will be considered in selecting sectional and national winners. There will be eight of the latter, comprising the two highest scoring participants in each of the four extension sections, each of whom will receive an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago next November, and a \$100 Defense Bond.

Behind The Headlines

—BY HUGO S. SIMS—

Must Await Axis Strategy

The problem of the United Nations will be much simpler when the Spring plans of Germany and Japan have been revealed. As it is, Allied leaders must attempt to meet possible thrusts in a number of vital areas and, consequently, their divided forces can hardly expect to hold back the first fury of coming offensives.

Implacable Enemies Bar Victory

(3) Complete victory over Russia and mastery of the Near East, even including a junction with Japan, would not, however, win the war for Hitler.

Where Will Nazis Strike?

Nobody knows what Germany will unleash in the next four months. Hitler has openly talked about "annihilating" Russia but this publicity only arouses suspicion that it is designed to cloak another move.

(1) Obviously one possibility is an all-out offensive against Russia, with the purpose of eliminating the Soviet entirely from the war and acquiring undisputed control of Russia's vast resources.

(2) Another sector, however, rivals the Soviet as the goal of

Boatswain Etheridge Is Named Asst. Port Capt.

CARTERET CROP SPOILAGE CAN BE CUT IN HALF

Better Grading And Packing Will Be Big Help

Prevention of waste in food distribution will be a vital factor in the effort of Carteret county's 1-300 farm operators and workers to achieve their wartime food production goals, it was indicated today in a survey by a leading distributor of North Carolina farm produce.

At least half of the estimated \$4,300,000 annually lost from spoilage and damage to North Carolina fruits and vegetables alone can be prevented by the use of better grading, packing and better and more direct distribution methods, Earl R. French, marketing director for Atlantic Commission Company, A&P produce buying affiliate, declared in the survey's summary.

Will Issue Cards Of Identification And Boat Licenses

DUTIES INCLUDE POLICING WATERS

Boatswain Hugh Norman Etheridge, commanding officer of Beaufort Station, U. S. Coast Guard, with headquarters at Fort Macon was designated as Assistant Captain of the Port for the Morehead City-Beaufort area by Commander R. B. Hall, 5th Naval District Captain of the Port early this week, it was announced today.

Mrs. Hassel's Pupils Will Present Recital

Mrs. Charles Hassell will present Miss Merry Johnson, piano pupil, in a recital in the Beaufort High School auditorium at 8 o'clock Friday evening, April 17.

AROUND TOWN

The Atlantic Front, the Pacific Front, the western front, battles on Bataan, in the air and under the sea. And now the Home Town Front.

SELECTIVE SERVICE NOTICE

All men between 18 and 44 years of age, who registered for Selective Service on February 16 will receive an occupational questionnaire in two parts—one for the Selective Service Board and the other for the United States Employment Service.

THE NEW NAVY MEDICAL CENTER

The new Navy Medical Center, Bethesda, Md., contains the largest library on medicine in the world.

THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER, USS RANGER

The aircraft carrier, USS Ranger, is named for a ship commanded by John Paul Jones.

Of interest to a great many residents of the coast in communities extending from Ocracoke and Hatteras to Swansboro and Jacksonville, is the fact that the local Captains of the Port will have authority to issue U. S. Coast Guard Identification Cards, and Licenses to Operate Vessels in Territorial Waters of the United States or to Depart Therefrom, both of which are required by persons employed aboard vessels, or boats navigating certain waters at the present time.

The newly appointed Captain of the Port stated today that for four days beginning Friday and ending next Tuesday (not including Sunday) that he would have a representative stationed at the Coast Guard Patrol Base in Morehead City for the purpose of issuing application blanks for those seeking Identification Cards or Licenses to Operate vessels in certain waters. Applicants will be given instructions on how to fill out the application blanks. They will also be instructed to have same filled out properly and return with photograph, which must be of a special type. An ordinary snapshot would not meet specifications.

In addition to having complete control of all waterway traffic entering or leaving or in the ports of Morehead City and Beaufort, the Captain of the Port will also have control over the piers, the issuing of identification cards and licenses to operate as outlined in the foregoing paragraph, the policing of the harbor and many other duties.

There has been an increasing need for a Captain of the Port in the Morehead City-Beaufort area recently, due to the arrival of seaborne and inland waterway traffic which has congested local harbors. There has been so much confusion on the part of the general public with regard to boat licenses for vessels under 100 feet in length, with means for self propulsion, and personal identification cards that Commander Hall, See BOATSWAIN Back Page

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The public is invited to attend the presentation of these two young students of music.

While the headlines tell us of battles raging all around the world—of the Russians cutting their way out of Leningrad, of the Japs bombing India, of the Aussies and Yanks under MacArthur throwing landing parties out of Australia—we are all of us about to realize that part of the war is going to be fought and won right here in our own home town; down Front St., out Turner St., and along Ann St.

For instance, we have long enjoyed the luxury of casually picking up the phone, calling the drug store and having a nickel coke or fifteen-cent pack of cigarettes brought to our easy chair. Well, that's a thing of the past, a happy memory to carry with us "for the duration," as far as the drug stores of Beaufort are concerned. Starting next Monday we will have to walk to the drug store for purchases under twenty-five cents.

For instance, again, is your tube of shaving cream or tooth paste nearly empty? Well, don't see ABOUT TOWN Page 5