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CHIEF KELLY SAYS BLACKOUT WAS 100 PERCENT

Thanks People Of Beaufort For Cooperation

At 9:17 last night the siren sounded for the State-wide Blackout, and for the first time in history more than three and a half million North Carolinians had their homes in absolute darkness for forty-five minutes. Everything was very quiet, even the wind dropped so that the siren was heard plainly all over town. Beaufort lights went off instantly. Before the writer could raise a shade and look out everything was in as absolute darkness as if she were alone in the world. There was not even a sound until one dog barked twice as if to give assurance that there was life about.

Chief Warden T. E. Kelly interviewed this morning reported perfect cooperation. He expressed satisfaction at the fine spirit shown and wished to thank the people of the town for their attitude. He says all wardens were on the job. He and Mayor Paul went through the town, front and back, and could not find a light anywhere which, as he says, is nothing less than 100 percent. Individual wardens interviewed report the same thing. The only violations any have reported was that of two persons innocently emerging from a picture show unaware that the blackout was on, and all they needed was a suggestion to fall in with things.

Fifth Newton Boy In The Service

Four sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Newton of Vandevere and Cape Lookout Lighthouse Station were pictured in this paper on May 4th. Two, Joseph and Vernon, U.S.N., were on the same ship in the Pacific; Charles was at the Newport, R. I. Naval Training School; and Walter was with the Army at Fort Knox. On September 1 a fifth son, Theodore, entered the Army and is now in camp in Florida.

Jackpot Upped \$20

John Day of Morehead City added his \$90 at the Beaufort Theatre last night by not being around when his name was called. His absence, however, is responsible for the fact that the pot will reach the interesting figure of \$110, next week.

The two billion pounds of grease and fats wasted annually in the U. S. would make glycerine for about 613,800 tons of dynamite to grease skids for the Axis.

AROUND TOWN

—With—
MACK CLARK

We noticed, with quite a degree of humiliation, that one of the state papers today carried two items about the success of the SCRAP DRIVE in our neighboring city across the Newport river. One of the auto-dealers of Morehead City has won for his company state-wide recognition and an award for having provided the steel furnaces of the nation with 90 tons of scrap iron and steel.

One of the school teachers of the school over there, and also several of the pupils have likewise done superb jobs of planning and collecting heaps of scrap. We commend the patriotism of all these.

Looking Backward

—From—
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The McIntosh is making her last voyage as a freight boat this week. Upon her return to Beaufort she will be turned over to Mr. G. W. Levering for use in menhaden fishing. Mr. Levering leased the McIntosh last year and under the command of Capt. Ned Lewis had a very successful season. Capt. Chauncey Willis who with Mr. Leon Deane has been running the McIntosh has gotten the Mocking Bird, of 125 tons, and will continue hauling freight.

The latest addition to the faculty of the Beaufort Public Schools is J. R. Raper, of Linwood, N. C., who arrived here Sunday. Mr. Raper will teach mathematics and science.

Miss Eleanor Taylor of New Bern who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Eugene Carrow, left Tuesday returning home.

Mrs. Sissie Davis and daughter, Miss Lucy, and son, Charles, of Kinston who have been here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Davis, left Saturday returning home.

Opportunities For H. S. Girls and Boys, White And Colored

Young people, 17½ to 24 (inclusive) interested in securing NYA defense training free, including all expenses, should write Mrs. M. M. Gaylord, NYA Interviewer, Box 163, Greenville, for further information regarding courses in radio, aircraft, woodwork, welding, machinery, forging, or pattern making. After training those completing courses are guaranteed private employment at a good rate of salary. During training they are given maintenance, all expenses, and \$10.80 a month for spending money.

There are training centers for both white and colored. Colored girls must have high school education but there are openings for white boys and girls and colored boys that do not require a high school diploma.

The NYA centers for these young people are located as follows: Greenville and Scotland Neck for white girls; Durham and Wilmington for white boys; Fayetteville for colored girls; and Elizabeth City and Rocky Mount for colored boys.

'Uncle Joe' Carraway Laid To Rest Tuesday

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning for Rev. Joseph Mason Carraway of Merrimon, better known in Carteret County as "Uncle Joe", who died Sunday afternoon at 4:30 at his home.

Rev. E. H. Davis of Louisburg, an old friend of Mr. Carraway, conducted the services, assisted by his pastor, Rev. Jerome Hunneycutt, and he was laid away in the old family burying ground at his home.

Mr. Carraway was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Carraway who built the house in which he was born and died. While he was still a young man he was ordained a minister in the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church when Conference met in Newport. He has served churches at Mt. Olive, Goldsboro, LaGrange and in almost every community in the county east and north of Beaufort. During the last World War, even though he had retired to his home at Merrimon, he took up active work again at Kinston when the pastor there was called into the Service.

For two weeks past loved ones have known that the end was near. With him were three daughters, Mrs. Ben M. Rogers of Graham, and Mrs. Jess W. Adams and Miss Nita Carraway who made their home with him. His grandsons, William McIntyre, of Rocky Mount, and Joe McIntyre and his wife of Wilmington, and his grand-daughter, Mrs. Jack Neal of Beaufort, were also with him.

Those coming from a distance for the funeral were Ernest Martin of Norfolk, B. M. Rogers of Graham, William Compton of Graham, and Donald McIntyre of Rocky Mount. In addition scores of relatives and friends from this section drove out for the services. "Uncle Joe's" was the rare achievement of a life of nearly a century throughout which he held the love and respect of every one who knew him.

SCRAP METAL CONTEST STARTS TODAY IN N. C.

New Chairman Election Board



F. R. SEELEY, pictured above has been appointed Chairman of the Carteret County Board of Elections. Bayard Taylor who has held this office since the death of D. W. Morton, sent in his resignation last week. The other members of the Board are T. C. Wade of Morehead City and George Brooks of Beaufort.

An Opportunity For Hi School Grads

There is a wonderful opportunity for young men and women, aged 18 years and up, who have graduated from a standard high school, to apply for the position of Junior Procurement Inspector (Trainee), \$1440 per annum for duty as employees of the Army Air Forces. Persons who apply and who pass a general and mechanical aptitude test will be placed in training for a period of approximately nine weeks. Upon successful completion of the training course, trainees will be eligible for assignment to Assistant Procurement Inspectors at \$1620 per annum, and higher grades.

Persons interested are urged to file Civil Service Form 4000 ABC with the Regional Director, 2nd U. S. Civil Service Region, Federal Building, Christopher Street, New York City.

TRANSFERS of Real Estate

- NEWPORT TOWNSHIP
- Bessie L. Watson et ux to Leslie C. Clancy, consideration \$400.00 2 acres.
 - John Cannon et ux to William H. Cannon, con \$1.00, 8 acres.
 - Benjamin Ward et ux to Lemuel Montford, con \$35.00 1 acre.
 - Benjamin Ward et ux to W. H. Montford, con \$65.00 3 acres.
 - Benjamin Ward et ux to C. W. Ward, con \$100.00 43 acres.
 - Mary M. Harrelson et ux to Lexie 13 acres.
 - Garner, consideration \$1,600.00

INTEREST SHOWN IN NUTRITION

Date of Opening To Be Announced

Last week those interested in a Standard Nutrition Course to be given by Mrs. Ruby Simmons, Vocational Home Economics teacher, were asked to get in touch with any of half dozen Beaufort ladies. A gratifying number have expressed an interest. The group hoped to get going at once but there has been some delay in getting text books and the opening meeting will be announced later.

The ladies will meet in the parlors of the Baptist Church probably on Tuesdays and Thursdays and the hours will probably be from 8 to 10 in the evening. The course will cover 12 hours work which will mean six meetings. Both the day of meeting and hour will be matters for discussion at the first meeting of the class. There will also be an opportunity to see whether members want to meet as one class or be divided into two smaller groups. If there are others interested who have not expressed themselves, they should call Mrs. J. G. Allen, Phone 418-7 at once so she will know for how many to plan.

The group is fortunate in having Mrs. Simmons for this work. She has had training and experience that give her assurance in directing the work and will give those housewives who are trying to keep families fit during these trying days useful and practical help.

KILLED IN ACTION

Mr. George Willis, Jr., son of George Willis, of Scotland, Md., gave his life at the age of 25 to his country. His father received a card from the War Department last week informing them that he was lost in enemy action. George was in the Coast Guard and when last heard from he was in Nova Scotia. He was a graduate of Great Mills, Md., High School and a boy that was well admired by his schoolmates. George is well remembered for his kindness and respect toward others. He is mourned by his father and sister Mahallie of Scotland, and is the nephew of Mrs. Roland Davis and Mrs. William Hatsell of Beaufort, N. C. — A clipping from the St. Mary's, Md., News.

Mrs. Windley Gives Interesting Scrap

Mrs. B. E. Windley took some interesting bits of scrap down today as a contribution to the Scrap Metal Drive. They were parts of the German Hindenburg destroyed by fire in 1937 on its first trip over Germany as it was about to tie up at the U. S. Naval Air Station at Lakehurst, N. J. The metal was gathered by the Homer Lewis' who lived nearby at the time of the disaster. Kept until now as a souvenir, it gave Mrs. Windley a certain grim satisfaction to feel that it will be used in our present struggle with Germany and the other Axis Powers.

Fall Pigs Need To Be Vaccinated For Cholera

Pork is an essential war food, and North Carolina is one of the major pork-producing States of the East. Dr. C. D. Grinnells, veterinarian of the Agricultural Experiment Station at N. C. State College, makes an urgent plea to all swine growers to protect their fall pig crop from diseases.

New Post Master At Davis, N. C.

Joe Davis was sworn in September 30 as Post Master to succeed Virgil Styron who has been serving a temporary appointment since Mr. Alvah Davis reached the age of retirement last summer. This means that the Post Office will be moved to permanent quarters in the Davis store. Mr. Davis has just had his store remodeled, installed new lights, fixtures, and has made it a suitable and convenient place in which to handle the mail in addition to his other business.

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Orchids to the Johnsons as Walter Winchell would say! Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson and Bill live in the caretaker's cottage at the Gulf Stream Golf Course right under the airplane spotter's tower, but that doesn't make airplane spotting their responsibility any more than it is yours, and they have plenty to do.

COMMUNION SERVICES AROUND THE WORLD

The Episcopal and Methodist Churches will have their regular Communion Services next Sunday morning at which time the sacred influence of this memorial will be reinforced by the knowledge that 15,000,000 Protestants will gather at the same time at the Communion Tables of their respective churches.

DUCK HUNTING PERMITS NOW BY MAIL

Coast Guard identification cards for duck hunting may now be secured by mail. Permit application blanks may be filled out and mailed to Lieut. N. H. Church, Captain of the Port, Morehead City, Assistant Captain of the Port, Elizabeth City; or Miss Helen Hawk, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at New Bern. The permit will then be mailed back to the applicant with the seal of the Captain of the Port. Except for permission to mail applications for new duck hunting permits, regulations governing the issuing of identification cards remains the same. Guests on board boats owned and operated by a person with a Coast Guard identification card need not secure an identification card.

BEAUFORT BOYS In The Service

HODGES IN SOLOMONS

Eugene Hodges, son of Mr. and Mrs. Millie Hodges of Turner street writes home from Solomon Islands: Aug. 20, 1942. Dear Mother and Dad; I am well and getting along fine. Hope all the folks at home are well. Yesterday was my birthday. I sat around all day and ate coconuts. I am on Guadalcanal Island; it sure is a pretty place—plenty of coconuts and Japs.

I haven't heard from you since I left, but by the time you get this maybe I will get one from you. I don't want you and Dad to worry about me because I am perfectly safe here and will be as long as the war lasts. Will close, with lots of love to all.

Eugene Hodges. Joseph B. Windley, recently stationed at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, is now in the California desert area on maneuvers with a Los Angeles address.

Dorsey Martin left for Ft. Bragg on Monday to enter the U. S. Army. His service station and store at Martin's Corner (where route 70 turns sharply toward North River) has been leased to Dewey Hardesty who will operate it for the duration.

Guy Lewis, son of H. H. Lewis of Ann street, stationed at Camp Crowder, Mo., has been promoted from Pvt. to Corporal.

Corp. Billy Weeks, brother of Mrs. Fred King of Moore street, has been transferred from Fort See Service Page 8

REGULAR ROTARY MEETING TUESDAY

Beaufort Rotarians gathered for their regular dinner meeting at the Inlet Inn last Tuesday just prior to the State-wide blackout.

Mayor Graydon Paul spoke on the plans for the blackout and the hope of making it 100 percent for Beaufort. Dr. W. L. Woodard made an appeal for volunteer airplane spotters to complete the roster for the night hours. As chairman of the Carteret County District of Boy Scouts, he also reported on the Scout meeting at the Civic Center in Morehead City last week and discussed the financial campaign of the Eastern Carolina Council of Scouts set for early in October.

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Twenty-four hours a day volunteer spotting, however, has its ups and downs, and were it not that the Johnsons have a feeling of responsibility in the matter there are times when we would have to apologize for intervals in which planes pass without being reported. As Mrs. Johnson says, "If nobody's there, we go up. It just seems we can't think of letting one go by without reporting it." Let's not exploit the Johnsons because they feel this way, but let's appreciate their attitude for it is comforting to know that if in an emergency the tower is unmanned for a short time, that they feel this way about it.

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The movement for world-wide communion is sponsored by the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, and overseas by the World Council of Churches and national and denominational groups. In so far as conditions make it possible they hope that it will be celebrated by all Protestants the whole world over.

COL. J. G. ALLEN & JUNIOR ARMY IN SCRAP DRIVE

Schools In County In Major Campaign For Allied Victory

If in the next few days your child comes home and announces that he is a Lieutenant or a sergeant or a corporal or a private in the Army, don't look distressed at what you think is phantasy or worse. He will be exactly right for the school children of the County are to be organized into a Junior Army to assist in the collection of SCRAP METAL vital to war production. If he announces that he is a Colonel or Major or Captain, you may well raise a question for Colonel Allen is the highest ranking officer in the County, Principals are the Majors, and Teachers the Captains.

The object of the Junior Army will be to contact every farm and home in every school district for SCRAP. If you have a small quantity of iron, steel, rubber, copper, brass, bronze, aluminum, zinc or lead for your country, they will be glad to take it to their school to be put in a place assigned for it by their Major. If you have a large amount, they will take your name and address with a list of the items you have on a slip of paper and their Captains will arrange thru the Major to contact the Local Salvage Committee and arrange to have it called for.

Materials collected in the school scrap yard will be sorted, and at the end of the campaign they will be taken to junk dealers and sold. Each school will make an effort to get some friend of the school with a truck to volunteer for this. What See Col. Allen Page 8

MEN'S RUBBER SHOES TO BE RATIONED

Beginning October 2nd, all manufacturers, retailers and intermediate distributors in men's rubber boots and rubber work shoes must file an inventory Form R-601 with their Local Board.

October 10th last day for receiving inventory forms and issuing certificate of registration. Hereafter no sales at retail and no transfers within the trade can be made unless the inventory has been filed and the "Certificate of Registration" has been posted. Registration Number must be sent to supplier with each order. Contact your Board immediately for your Inventory Form R-601. They are ready and willing at all times to serve you. Answer all questions pertaining to the rationing program and furnish you with Forms and posters. However, your Board will greatly appreciate it if you will file your inventory as soon as possible and avoid the rush at the closing hours. Thank you.

Alma Davis, Executive Secretary Local Ration Board NC 16

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.

HIGH	LOW
Friday, Oct. 2	
7:10 AM.	8:23 AM.
2:33 PM.	9:25 PM.
Saturday, Oct. 3	
3:11 AM.	9:25 AM.
3:54 PM.	10:21 PM.
Sunday, Oct. 4	
4:20 AM.	10:25 AM.
4:37 PM.	11:13 PM.
Monday, Oct. 5	
5:21 AM.	11:20 AM.
5:35 PM.	12:02 PM.
Tuesday, Oct. 6	
6:12 AM.	
6:24 PM.	12:14 PM.
Wednesday, Oct. 7	
6:57 AM.	12:47 AM.
7:08 PM.	1:05 PM.
Thursday, Oct. 8	
7:40 AM.	1:29 AM.
7:51 PM.	1:50 PM.