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Four Ranks In 1 Year



HOWARD STUBBS, 22, son of Mrs. Vera H. Stubbs and the late John H. Stubbs, of Parkton, has just been promoted to first lieutenant, USA. This makes four ranks Howard has held in twelve months: Sergeant, warrant officer, second lieutenant, and now first lieutenant—four more and he will be a colonel.

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SUMMER PLANS FOR BEAUFORT UNITS OF DUKE AND W. C. U. N. C.

Classes In Art And The Dance Discontinued On Account Of War

The W. C. U. N. C. summer unit in Marine Biology which has not met in Beaufort for two years past will be with us again this summer from June 8 to July 19. Dr. A. D. Shaftesbury, Associate Professor of Zoology and founder of the laboratory here will be in charge again. The laboratory on the water front a short distance west of the Community Center offers facilities for both undergraduates and advanced students interested in an opportunity for field work in marine zoology.

W. C. U. N. C. courses in Art and the Dance which have been conducted here in the past will not be given this year because of war conditions.

It has been announced that no courses will be offered this year at Duke University Marine Laboratory, Piver's Island, as have been offered for the past five years since its founding in 1938. The Laboratory will be open, however, for advanced students working on special problems, and the following members of the Duke University staff will be available for consultation: Dr. A. S. Pearce, Dr. H. L. Bloomquist, Dr. C. G. Bookhout, Dr. H. Oosting, and Harold J. Humm, Resident Investigator for the Rockefeller Foundation.

FIRING NOTICE

A warning has been issued of firing at 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. from May 24 until further notice. Activity: Antiaircraft gunnery. Area: From a point approximately 13,000 yards west of Fort Macon, the water area in a sector 7,000 yards offshore bounded by a line 104 degree True and a line 245 degree True.

ARTION BRIEFS

- COFFEE**
No. 23, Book I, good for one pound through May 30.
- GASOLINE**
No. 5 A coupons good for 3 gallons but must last through July 1.
- SHOES**
No. 17, Book I, good for one pair until June 15.
- SUGAR**
No. 12, Book I, good for 5 lbs through May 31.
- Stamps No. 15 and No. 16 in Book I are valid for 5 pounds of sugar each, for use in home canning, beginning May 24th.
- CANNED GOODS**
Blue G, H, J, good through June 7.
- Blue K, L, H, good beginning May 24.
- MEATS, ETC.**
Red E, F, G, H, good through May.
- Red J good through June.
- Red K good beginning May 30.

AMPLE SUPPLY NEW POTATOES DUE BY MID-JUNE

A & P Expert Predicts Present Shortage Will Be Ended By Heavy Shipments Early in June

NEW YORK, May 26. — Potato-hungry Americans will get plenty of new potatoes to eat by the middle of June, the nation's largest buyer of fresh fruits and vegetables predicted today.

"Abnormal weather, which retarded the crop in some states, combined with increased acreage in other states will cause a bigger volume of early potatoes than last year to be harvested between now and the middle of June," said Harvey A. Baum, vice president and general manager of the A & P Tea Company's produce-buying affiliate, the Atlantic Commission Company. "All of these early potatoes will be available for use in this country because they are not suitable for export."

"Government crop reports and advices from our company's field offices throughout the nation indicate that potatoes will be available in large quantities by June 10."

Wednesday Closings

Beaufort grocers have been closing on Wednesday afternoons for a number of summers to give employees an opportunity to give one week day afternoon of relaxation. The strenuous living of these days puts increased burdens on all merchants today. Yesterday a number of other stores including dry goods stores and the Five and Ten, began closing. Those who are for this believe that the public would be indulgent and understanding if every store closed routinely for an afternoon on Wednesday and hope to see it brought about.

Jerry Darling Hurt At Cherry Point

Jerry Darling, of Broad Street, was struck by the nozzle of a fire hose last Wednesday at Cherry Point. He was taken to the Cherry Point Hospital where it was found his leg was broken in two places. He is still in the Hospital but is improving and hopes to be home soon.

Mr. Darling is a member of the Beaufort Volunteer Fire Department. He has been a Civil Service employee of the Cherry Point Fire Department for the past eleven months.

Overgrown Collard

Capt. Dave Godwin of East Broad Street left one of his collards he planted last fall stay in his garden for seed. It has grown to be a tremendous plant and stands about five feet tall at this time. It is a curiosity for any one who has never seen one before.

Dance

Tonight, May 27th, from 8 to 11, the Boy Scouts are sponsoring a dance at the Recreation Center, Broad and Pollock Streets. Everyone—civilians and Service Men—invited to attend. Admission 25c.

Cabbages Moving

Cabbages are moving—hundreds of tons a day by truck and rail, and every ton represents from \$67 to \$87. This is expected to be the peak week of the season. Last Tuesday one of the big producers sent out 3000 bags (50 pounds to the bag), and he is only one of four or five big cabbage producers whose shipments would probably approximate that figure.

Every time a truck passes thru Ann Street out of town, five to ten tons go out. They are going fast and it is estimated that by the end of the week at least two thirds of the crop will have been cut. Those not cut, in some cases as with W. L. Lewis, represent a later variety cutting of which has scarcely begun.

The quality of cabbage, according to County Agent Williams is good although some of the northern markets do not like the pointed heads. For that reason they are selling at about \$20 below ceiling price.

CARTERET FOOD COM. MET TUES.

Melvin From State Office Promises Fair Distribution

MEAT OUTLOOK IS STILL DARK

R. T. Melvin, District Representative of the State Food Distribution Administration, Raleigh, was in Beaufort Tuesday evening and met with the Carteret County Food Distribution Advisory Committee at the Court House.

Mr. Melvin says the outlook is dark for meat for the next month or so. Stock piles for the military forces have reached a low and must be built up. Shortage of any one commodity is not acute, according to the State Committee, until substitutes have been substituted. For instance: There is no acute shortage of fresh meats, unless available chickens, pork, and fish have been used. The Committee does not go so far, however, as to withhold meats from coastal sections because of our proximity to the fish supply.

Tuesday evening the Committee, with the advice of Mr. Melvin, outlined a plan, however, that promises some solution to the meat problem. Reports from wholesalers and retailers will be obtained and population figures will be compiled to show meat quotas have not increased in proportion to population increases. These will then be presented to the State Office where they will be considered and equitable distribution of available meat is promised.

A weekly Area Food Survey will be made to the Raleigh Office by Secretary Stevick of the Carteret Committee. This Survey will be made from telephone conversations with wholesale and retail dealers. The State Office promises to go over these reports, compare them with those of other counties, and see that we are treated right.

Members of the new Carteret County Committee which met last night are: D. B. Willis, of Morehead City, Chairman; Paul Jones, of Beaufort, Vice Chairman; Dr. C. P. Stevick, of Beaufort, Secretary; John L. Crump, J. L. Seaman, W. P. Freeman, El Nelson, Graydon Paul, Leslie Moore, Carl Gaskill, Sam Edwards, B. J. May, County ACA; R. N. Williams, County Agent, and Hubert Jernigan, FSA.

FARM LABOR

Farm labor meetings are now being held in ten communities with the neighborhood leaders of Carteret County discussing ways and means of trying to relieve the farm labor shortage according to R. M. Williams, County Agent.

With so much of our man power either serving in the armed forces or working on defense jobs, an insufficient number of farm laborers are left to successfully handle the usual farm operations.

In many instances we may not have sufficient farm machinery or labor needed to produce and harvest our crops but we must not overlook the fact that our boys on the foreign battlefields have moved forward and won many a battle with only a limited amount of equipment.

Our job on the home front in producing the necessary food and fiber crops is just as important as the man on the front lines. Food is an important weapon of war. It has and will continue to determine to a large extent the outcome of our present war. Our country through the lend-lease has supplied large quantities of food to the other Allied Nations that are fighting with us and will have to continue furnishing them with food for something after the war.

We must utilize every available source of labor and equipment on our farms in order that we might get the maximum production. The exchanging of farm labor and machinery in every community should be practiced to the fullest extent.

According to the latest information that we can get there will be only approximately a little better than fifty percent of the usual migratory help that has been available in harvesting the Irish potato crop. Plans are under way at the present time to try to get a migratory labor camp in Carteret County.

Don't try to store much flour and cereal over the hot months—buy less and oftener.

Promoted



CAPTAIN MAUDE E. CARRAWAY, USA, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Carraway of Merrimon has just been raised to her captaincy from the rank of first lieutenant. So far as we know, she is the only Carteret girl who has attained this rank.

Captain Carraway is a graduate of the Beaufort High School and Buxton Hospital, Newport News, Virginia. She entered the Army at Walter Reed Hospital and has been stationed at the Army Hospital, Kodiak, Alaska, since September, 1941.

BEAUFORT BOYS In The Service

Julian Hamilton, Seaman, second class, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Hamilton, of Ann Street, has completed his "boot" training at Bainbridge, Md., and been ordered to Jacksonville, Fla., for further training.

Sgt. Maurice Willis left Sunday after spending a week's leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Willis, of Cedar Street. Maurice is at present stationed at Nashville, Tenn., on maneuvers.

John E. Wiley, son of Mrs. John Wiley of Turner Street is serving with our forces in North Africa.

Capt. Johnnie Way arrived Wednesday from Camp Shelby, Miss., and will visit with his mother, Mrs. B. C. Way, of Front Street until Friday. Miss Varina Way drove as far as Goldsboro to meet him.

Odell Merrill, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Merrill, of Ann Street, has been transferred from Camp Shank, N. Y., to New York City for special training in psychology at the College of the City of New York in preparation for personnel work.

Charles Roy Eubanks, recently transferred to Morris Field, Charlotte, spent the weekend in Beaufort.

William Cutherell, Machinist Mate, USNR, stationed at the Airport, Norfolk, is spending this week with his parents at Highland Park. David who is also in the Navy had recently been assigned to the same post.

Jack Barnes, Drew Field, Fla., has been promoted to private first class.

Ben Bell has been transferred from Kessler Field to Smyrna Air Base, Tennessee.

T. C. Avery, ART, second class, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Avery, has been ordered from Corpus Christi, Texas, to San Diego, California, for four weeks of special training.

Second Lt. Anne Stout has received her assignment in the USA and is stationed at Camp McCall, near Roxboro, N. C.

Ralph L. Thomas, of Ft. Dix, N. J., son of Mr. Charlie Thomas of Turner Street, has been promoted from 1st Lt., U.S.A., to Captain.

Earl Garner, grandson of James Willis, Turner Street, is in the U. S. N. R., and is receiving his training at Bainbridge, Md.

Sgt. Warren H. Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor, has been transferred from Nashville, Tenn., to South Carolina. Another son, James W., Boatswain's Mate, 2nd class, is serving with our forces overseas.

Clarence Guthrie, Pharmacist Mate 1st Class, U.S.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Guthrie, of Ann Street, is back in Norfolk after four months in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, which he describes as "the most beautiful place I've ever seen with the exception of Beaufort."

J. KY BEAM WINS HONOR

Chosen On Basis of Competitive Exams Given Here In Apr.

On April 2 qualifying tests of aptitude and general knowledge were given at the Beaufort High School for the Army specialized training program and the Navy College Training Program. J. Ky Beam, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Beam, of Orange Street, is the only one of those taking the examination who has received his appointment to date.

J. Ky went to Raleigh on May 8 for his physical examination. He has been notified that he passed and will be sworn in in Raleigh on June 22 which will be the date of his seventeenth birthday. He will then report either July first or November first to Duke or Carolina where he intends to begin, with the approval of the government, his course in engineering. If the quality of his work meets the required standards, he will be given four years of college training by the Government.

J. Ky graduated from the Beaufort High School in May of this year with a scholarship average in the nineties. In his first year of high school he was recipient of the American Legion Award, he was a member of the Science Club, of the basketball and baseball teams. Beta Club, President of the Junior class, secretary of the Senior class, and was Salutatorian of the class.

Out Of School 10 Years, Went Back, Graduated

Mrs. Annie L. Gaskill and her guest, Mrs. Albert Clark Gaskill, will leave on Sunday morning for Chapel Hill to attend the commencement exercises of "Miss Annie's" son, Albert Clark, who graduates from the University School of Commerce on May 31st with a B. S. Degree.

Albert Clark finished the Beaufort High School in the Class of 1927. He attended college for something over two years when it became necessary for him to stop and work. He reentered in 1942 just ten years after he stopped and completed his course. His major interest has been Accountancy.

Plans for the future are necessarily indefinite because of the probability of being called into the Army. Mrs. Gaskill is a trained nurse connected with the Greenville County Hospital at Oxford.

New Inductees

The following men were called to report to Ft. Bragg on May 21 for examination for the Army: BEAUFORT: William Arendell Mace, Clarence Duncan Warren, Edmund Thomas Smith, George Davis Cunningham.

MOREHEAD CITY: Joseph Haywood Willis, Samuel Lee Hughes, Richard Dexter Eubanks, James Booth Macy, Macon Earl Wheaton.

NEWPORT: Bruce Arrington Taylor, Calvin Fair Adams, Mason Hughes Garner, Robert Woodland McCabe, Bennie Calvin Taylor, William Jesse Riggs, Theodore Roosevelt Sharte, Theodore Ray Garner.

STACY: Edwin Gaskill. SEA LEVEL: John Elliot. HARKERS ISLAND: David Yeomans, William Raleigh Willis, Edward Lewis, James Morton Willis, Elbert Lee Davis.

SALTER PATH: Charles Veto Willis.

MARSHALLBERG: Henry Franklin McIntosh.

LOLA: John Styron.

TYPHOID CLINIC

June 7-14
Atlantic—Health Clinic, 11:00 A.M.

Roe—Mrs. Dora Day's Store, 1:30 P.M.
LOLA—Free Will Baptist Church, 2:00 P.M.

June 9-16
Merrimon—Merrimon Methodist Church, 10:30 A.M.
South River—Edwards Chapel, 11:00 A.M.

North River—Church, 2:30 P.M.
June 11-18
Morehead City—City Hall, 10 A.M.

Store dry goods such as flour, cereal, sugar, spices in tight containers to keep out dust, moisture,

POPPIES SOLD IN BEAUFORT ON SATURDAY

Money Used To Help Disabled War Veterans

Red crepe paper poppies will be sold in Beaufort on Saturday, May 29th, by the American Legion Auxiliary of which Mrs. J. V. Caffrey is President. Those who wear a poppy on that day will honor the men who have given their lives in the present conflict as well as those who fell in the World War of twenty-five years ago.

The custom of selling memorial poppies began in 1921. Since 1922 they have been made by disabled veterans confined in hospitals. Those to be used this year were made in more than 50 hospitals and disabled veterans' work rooms in 40 different states.

Money from the flower goes to the rehabilitation and child welfare funds of the Auxiliary where they will serve the disabled fighting men of both wars and the children of the dead and disabled of the two wars.

Tax List To Be Divided This Year

The 1942 delinquent Carteret County Tax advertising will be divided this year. All delinquent names East of Newport River will be advertised in The Beaufort News and the names west of Newport River will be advertised in the Morehead City paper.

This plan has been advocated for a number of years by the management of the News but it took the war to bring it about due to the shortage of labor and materials the whole list would have been a burden to either paper this year. The list is now being prepared and the first issue will appear on June 10th in the News.

CONCERT AT USO MAY 30

On Sunday, May 30th, there will be a concert beside the USO at 6:45 P.M. Everyone is cordially invited to come and hear W. O. Carl Grozan, Jr. conduct the C. B. S. Band in their very excellent program. The program is as follows:

1. Gloria March—H. Lossy.
2. Overture to "The New Moon"—I. Romberg.
3. La Campanella—Rodriguez.
4. Irving Berlin Melody Waltz
5. Army Air Corps March—Crawford.

Intermission.
6. Regimental Drinking Song W. Rock.
7. Merry Widow Waltz—F. Lehár.

8. Volga Boatmen—Tradition-al.
9. Dear Old South—Medley.
10. Service Medley.
11. National Anthem—F. S. Key.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Harry Richard Joyce, Irvington, N. J., to Georgia B. Lewis, Morehead City.
Floyd Staten Frost, Salter Path, to Berna M. Willis, Salter Path.
Herbert Carter, North Harlowe, to Lucinda Culley, North Harlowe, (colored).

Not More Than 7c Pound For Potatoes

Consumers in the southeastern OPA region have been asked not to pay more than the ceiling price of seven cents a pound for new potatoes.

The request, made in a statement by Francis E. Kamper, OPA food official, resulted, he said from information that many stores in the region have been selling new potatoes as high as ten cents a pound.

"Under no circumstances," Kamper said, "should a consumer pay more than seven cents a pound for new potatoes, whether produced in this area or shipped in from California, Texas, or other potato producing states. There is no way to justify a retail price any higher than this."

States included in this OPA region are: Georgia, Florida, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Tennessee, Alabama, and Mississippi.

Overseas



LT. JOHN HUGHES SKARREN, USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. (Bill) Skarren, of Ann Street, is serving with our men overseas. Lt. Skarren graduated from the Army Flying School at Columbus, Miss., last October.

Mrs. Delmar Martin Dies Monday In Pa.

Mrs. Delmar Martin died at her home in Greenville, Pennsylvania, on Monday of this week following an illness of several years. She is survived by her husband, son of Mr. E. D. Martin, of Beaufort, and by two sons, Delmar, Jr., age 21 years, and by Kenneth, who is 19. Delmar is in the Army and is stationed in Rhode Island; Kenneth is with the U.S.M.C. "somewhere in the Pacific."

Mrs. Martin was a native of Pennsylvania. Mr. Martin learned printing in the old Lookout office here under H. H. Hamlin and is still in the newspaper business. He is with The Argosy, of Greenville. The family have been frequent visitors here at the home of Mr. Ed Martin until Mrs. Martin's health prevented.

Orthopedic Clinic

The State Orthopedic Clinic conducted by Dr. High A. Thompson, of Raleigh, will be held in Greenville, Friday, June 4th from 12:30 to 4:00 p.m.

This Clinic takes all types of cripples, both white and colored, free of charge if they are unable to afford private treatments. It is desired, though not required, that patients be referred by a physician or the Welfare Officer and that the patient bring such note to the Clinic.

The Pitt County Health Department Offices are located at the corner of Third and Green Streets, Greenville.

Dr. C. L. Swindell Back In Beaufort

Dr. Charles L. Swindell who is well known in Beaufort and who practiced medicine here from 1919 to 1923 has returned from Shelby to open an office here again. He will be located on the second floor of the old Duncan Building, more recently, the Lipman Building. Dr. Swindell will make his home in an apartment in the same building in which he has his office.

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.

HIGH		LOW
Friday, May 28		
4:30 AM		10:52 AM
5:07 PM		11:33 PM
Saturday, May 29		
5:33 AM		11:45 AM
6:05 PM		
Sunday, May 30		
6:27 AM		12:30 AM
6:54 PM		12:35 PM
Monday, May 31		
7:18 AM		1:22 AM
7:40 PM		1:23 PM
Tuesday, June 1		
8:02 AM		2:10 AM
8:23 PM		2:07 PM
Wednesday, June 2		
8:45 AM		2:53 AM
9:03 PM		2:49 PM
Thursday, June 3		
9:27 AM		3:32 AM
9:49 PM		3:29 PM