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G. DUDLEY PASSED AWAY YESTERDAY MORNING

Funeral Services Being Conducted This Afternoon

Mr. Willie Griffin Dudley, 68, son of Henry and Fannie Lawrence Dudley, died at his home on the old New Bern road Wednesday morning at eight o'clock following three years of failing health although he was confined to his bed only about three weeks.

Funeral services are being conducted this afternoon from the Harlowe Methodist Church by the Rev. Jerome Honeycutt, pastor, assisted by the Rev. W. Y. Stewart of Core Creek Community Church. The body will be laid to rest in the church graveyard.

Honorary pallbearers are: Leonard Morton, Tom Mills, Raymond Taylor, I. W. Davis, L. L. Springle, Lawrence W. Hassell, Carlisle Taylor, and C. C. Chappell, Judge Luther Hamilton. Active pallbearers, Leslie Moore, Leslie Springle, George Huntley, Jr., Neal Campen, Charles Hassell, and James D. Potter.

Mr. Dudley was a well known farmer and hunter and one of our county tax listers. He was a man with a large number of friends who are saddened by his passing.

Mr. Dudley is survived by his wife, the former Dolly Foreman of Core Creek; by two daughters, Mrs. Jack Grady and Miss Lillian Dudley of New Bern, and one son, Leaton Dudley of Beaufort, RFD. All were with him at the end. He is also survived by two sisters: Mrs. Dallas Saddle of North Harlowe, Mrs. C. T. Eubanks, of Beaufort, RFD, and by a brother, R. T. Dudley of Beaufort RFD.

School Sept. 2

All Carteret County Schools will open Thursday, September 2nd.

Supt. J. G. Allen asks us to state that there has been no change in the law requiring beginners to be 6 years old on or before October first in order to enter school this fall.

Mr. Allen also requests parents who have not already done so to comply at once with suggestions made by the physicians and nurses at the Pre-school Clinic in the spring so that children will be physically fit when school opens. He says that without exception, school pupils of all ages will be required to meet the smallpox vaccination requirements. Since this is true, he suggests that where vaccination will be necessary, it be done at once so that arms will be well before close contacts of school buses and recess play add to difficulties with sore arms.

Station Reopens

Ivy Eubanks, of Gordon Street, who has been associated with Paul's Garage for some years, has reopened the Service Station at the Corner of Ann and Live Oak Streets.

Colored Inductees

Three Carteret inductees reported to Ft. Bragg this week: Hubert Lee Chadwick, and Walter R. Copes, of Beaufort, Haywood Willoughby, of North Harlowe. With them went Otis Dixon from outside the County.

RATION BRIEFS

COFFEE

No. 21, Book I, good for one pound until July 21.

GASOLINE

No. 5 "A" coupons good for 3 gallons but must last till July 21. "T" coupons expired June 30.

SHOES

No. 18, Book I, good for one pair through October 31.

SUGAR

No. 13, Book I, good for 5 lbs. through Aug. 15. Stamps No. 15 and 16, Book I, good for 5 lbs. each through October for use in home canning.

CANNED GOODS

Blue, N. P. Q, good July 1 to August 7.

MEATS, ETC.

Red P, Q and R good until July 31.

BEAUFORT BOYS IN THE SERVICE

Capt. James P. Clawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clawson, of Turner Street, who is in Commission Branch, U. S. Health Service, has been transferred from Arkansas to Atlanta. Frank D. Clawson, Yeoman, 3rd class USN; another son has been transferred from Washington, D. C., to Bainbridge, Md., for basic training. Ensign Charles A. Clawson, a third son, with the U. S. Maritime Service, is on his second trip to North Africa.

Lt. (jg.) Edward Potter USNR, who has been temporarily stationed at Cherry Point last Saturday returned to his post at Sanford, Fla.

Lt. Tom I. Davis, USNR, of Charleston, S. C., and Mrs. Davis, of Durham, arrived at the week end to visit Tom's parents, the Leslie Davises of West Front Street.

Ralph Dudley, USCG, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dudley, of Beaufort, RFD, after which he expects to enter Pre-Flight School as a Naval Air Cadet. Ralph has been in the C. G. since May 1940 and has seen service outside our waters on North Atlantic Convoy duty.

James Bryan Lawrence arrived Sunday to spend a short furlough with his wife, young son, and other relatives. Lawrence entered the Army at Ft. Bragg in February of this year from which he was transferred to Camp Edwards, Mass. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. August Lawrence, of Otway, and his wife was Moira Pake, daughter of Mrs. Julia Pake. This is his first leave since he entered the Service so he is just getting acquainted with his four months old son.

Maurie (Wilkie) Willis has been transferred from Camp Davis to Camp Pickett, Va.

Sgt. Frank Merrill, USA is stationed in Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Merrill joined him there over the week-end.

Pvt. James Langdale, USA, returned to Tennessee Friday following a visit with his mother, Mrs. Maggie Langdale, of Orange Street.

A. L. Clayton, USCG, who makes his home with the Jim Fodrie's on Ann Street has been entered in the Marine Hospital at Norfolk for observation and treatment.

David Hill goes back tomorrow to Camp Cooke, California. He has been notified that he is one of ten selected to enter Officers Candidate School upon his return. Ensign Robert Hill, USNR, has sailed on one of our airplane carriers.

Clinton Lewis, USCG, whose wife was the former Miss Mary Quiddy, has been transferred from the Pacific war zone to Ft. Macon.

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Member of An Old Beaufort Family Dies in Washington

An old Beaufort resident, David B. Perry, husband of the late Ethel Watson Perry and father of Elizabeth P. Stanner and John W. Perry, both of Washington, D. C., died at the Sibley Hospital in Washington on Thursday, July 8th. Funeral services were held at the Church of Our Savior in Washington and burial was in Glenwood Cemetery.

Mr. Perry, son of John Perry, was a member of one of our old Beaufort families. He was one of the few living who could give first hand information of the big storm of 1879 and the Atlantic Hotel Disaster. His uncle, Mr. Ben Perry, was manager of the hotel at the time and he, but a boy then, was in the hotel at the time of the tragedy.

For years Mr. Perry was connected with the Bureau of Pensions in Washington from which he was retired about six years ago. He loved Beaufort and made it a point to come back each year to visit friends and relatives. Mrs. Daisy Hattell was a cousin of his as well as the late Dr. C. L. Duncan, Mr. Frank D. Perry of New Bern, and Miss Etta Perry, of Raleigh.

SNOWDEN FARM SOLD TO WRIGHT LAST SATURDAY

Mrs. M. S. Snowden Successful Farmer Gives Up Her Work

Last Saturday choice farm land in Carteret changed hands when Mrs. M. S. Snowden, of Craven Street, sold her farm to K. W. Wright one of the big farmers of the County.

Mrs. Snowden's land two miles out on the New Bern road was bought by Mr. Snowden from M. R. Springle in 1927 and farmed by him until his death eight years ago. Since then Mrs. Snowden has continued to operate it with marked success. She had fifty acres of the land in a high state of cultivation specializing in potatoes and cabbage. On the place is an excellent tenant house occupied by Ottis Kittrell, a forced draft curing system potato house that will take care of from twelve to fourteen thousand bushels of potatoes, a potato grader, and other outhouses.

Mrs. Snowden's retirement from active farming has been hastened by a fall nearly four weeks ago resulting in a serious fracture of her arm from which she has been told she will not recover completely for something like a year.

Mrs. Snowden told our reporter yesterday that her plans for the future are uncertain. When she closes up her affairs here, there seems to be nothing to hold her in Beaufort except the friends whom she loves and to whom she will always return, but there are no members of her family here, and she feels she will probably spend the greater part of her time nearer to them.

Rotary Club

The Rotary Club met around the dinner table at the Inlet Inn on Tuesday of the week where they enjoyed a creamed chicken dinner topped off with ice cream. Attendance was excellent although no visitors joined them.

Lt. Herbert Berger, USN, who makes his home at the Inn gave a splendid and practical talk on Post War conditions. Sgt. Hoyle, who has served in the Infantry for thirty years also gave an interesting talk. Lt. Berger is down from New York to equip the offices in the Lipman Building leased by the government for hospital use.

County Board July Meeting

The Board of County Commissioners met Monday morning at the Court House with Chairman K. P. B. Bonner, Tilton Davis, C. Z. Chappell, and Wallace G. Styron present.

L. C. Carroll of Newport presented a petition requesting the State Highway and Public Works Commission to make improvements to that certain road northwardly from O. O. Fulcher's Store to the railroad "Y."

The Board gave George Lewis permission to live at the County Home until the property is disposed of.

One hundred dollars was the amount agreed upon as fair rent for the County Home for the thirty days period during which it was used as a camp for migratory labor.

The budget for the Board of Education for the fiscal year of 1943-44 was tentatively accepted, budget for the Welfare Department for the fiscal year 1943-44 was tentatively accepted, and the General Fund Budget was approved subject to approval of the Local Government Commission in Raleigh.

Rev. W. Y. Stewart presented the matter of an appropriation for The Carteret County Library but no action was taken.

Other business consisted of several tax adjustments.

Auxiliary Helps Our Girl Scouts

The American Legion Auxiliary has just presented the Girl Scouts of Beaufort with a check for \$5.00 for their National Registration Fee. Mrs. Jack Neal, the leader, and this group of teen age girls appreciate this encouragement and recognition.

EYES ON SICILY AND ITALY



Mussolini has been telling his people for months that Sicily was in no danger; that the island was well fortified and ready to repel any Allied threat. However the Allies invaded Sicily last week and the battle for its possession is still going on with the Allies making steady progress towards its capture.

NON-DIMOUTERS AGAIN IN COURT

25 More Called Before Mayor For Violations

Mayor Paul's Court on Monday was again devoted largely to violators of the dimout regulations. Twenty-five more received summons to appear before him this week. The names represent the cross section of drivers that one would expect — there were men and women, service men and civilians, old and young, white and colored, rich and poor, strangers and natives, those who answered their summons and those who didn't. Incidentally, the Mayor says, capias were issued for the arrest of those who were summoned for both the fifth and twelfth and who failed to appear.

One man from out of town was dismissed as were guests of the preceding Monday but only after he promised compliance; disposition of another rather involved case was not made, all others paid their "costs" without question.

TOWN BOARD

Our City Fathers met at the Town Hall Monday night with but three members present. Commissioner Bayard Taylor is still ill at his home and Calvin Jones, elected to serve in the place vacated by E. H. Potter, has resigned because as a Notary Public he is not eligible to hold the office. A successor for Jones will be appointed by the Board at their next meeting.

The tentative budget for the town was discussed and in its final form will be adopted at the meeting the first Monday night in August. A copy will then be published in this paper for the information of the public. Final papers were also signed for the transfer of the Community Center to the Government.

In Africa



Sgt. William M. (Bill Murray) Thomas, USA, son of Mrs. Sallie King Thomas and the late L. E. Dock Thomas, of Craven Street, entered the Army in April, 1942, at Ft. Bragg. He was sent to Camp Edwards, Mass. From there he went to Scotland in August of last year and in December to North Africa where he has been stationed since then.

Citizens Service Corps Meeting Mon.

Members of the Beaufort Citizens' Service Corps of Civilian Defense are invited to a meeting to be held on Monday afternoon, July 19 at 4:00 P. M. at the Episcopal Parish House. Main subject of the meeting will be "The Importance of Safe Food Handling in Wartime," followed by movies on the subject.

In addition to this, Mrs. J. G. Allen will present plans to the group for their next month's project.

Anyone who does war service work such as collecting salvage, rolling bandages, canning, etc. is a member of the Citizens' Service Corps.

Flue-cured Tobacco Referendum - July 24

The War Food Administration has announced that farmers will vote on Flue-Cured tobacco marketing quotas for the 1944 crop, or for the 3-year period 1944-46, in a referendum to be held July 24, 1943. This date is in accordance with recommendations of Flue-Cured tobacco farmers, warehousemen, businessmen, farm organization leaders, and other farm leaders from the Flue-Cured areas. The announcement follows the signing by the President on July 7, of a joint resolution providing for the proclamation of quotas for the 1944-45 marketing year. National marketing quotas and state and farm acreage allotments will be the same as for 1943, with similar provisions for adjustment as have prevailed in the past, it was explained. Tobacco producers will vote by secret ballot and polling places will be designated in local communities by AAA County Committeemen, local farmers will be in charge of community polling places. Any farmer is eligible to vote who, as an owner, tenant, or sharecropper, is entitled to a share of the proceeds of the 1943 Flue-Cured tobacco crop. Before quotas become effective they must be approved by a two-thirds majority of all eligible farmers voting.

Another Carteret Flyer in Africa

Second Lt. Quentin M. Lewis, U. S. A., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira W. Lewis, of Marshallberg has gone across and is with our Air Forces in North Africa.

Lewis enlisted in the Air Corps in January, 1942. He received his training at Maxwell Field, Ala., Lakeland, Fla., Sumpter, S. C., and was given his wings and commission at Turner Field, Albany, Ga. Lewis is a graduate of the Smyrna High School. He also attended Wake Forest College and was employed by Glenn L. Martin, Baltimore, at the time he entered the Service.

Victrola Records For Men at Sea

The American Legion Auxiliary is making a nationwide collection of old victrola records during the month of July for the use of our boys on ships in combat zones where they are not allowed to use radios.

Next week the Girl Scouts under the direction of the Beaufort Auxiliary will make a house to house canvas for records. Everyone is asked to look up all those not in use and have them ready when the Scouts come round. Mrs. J. V. Caffrey, President of the Auxiliary, asks us to say that even cracked ones are acceptable as they will be sent to the District Auxiliary office for reconditioning before being sent out.

165th. BIRTHDAY OF M. E. CHURCH OBSERVED SUN.

Congregation of One of Oldest M. E. Churches of N. C. To Honor Founders

Members of Ann Street Methodist Church have again set apart a day to commemorate the founding of their Church in 1778, 165 years ago, and to pay tribute to those who carried on during the hard early years in spite of the distress due to a war in which the enemy even visited Beaufort shores.

Now because of another war, with its familiar restrictions, the Committee has planned a less elaborate celebration than for the past two years, but those who love their church and are grateful to the founders have nevertheless set apart next Sunday as a day of appreciation.

At the eleven o'clock service, the Rev. W. Stanley Potter will speak on The Church Alive, and the choir will render special music suitable for the occasion. At the evening service, Mr. M. Leslie Davis, who knows and can recall and present in an interesting manner more facts about our town than anyone it, has agreed to tell the congregation some of the stories of old Beaufort suitable for such an occasion. At this service both the adult and the Sunshine Choir will give special numbers.

For nearly seventy-five years following the Revolutionary War, the Methodist Church was the only house of worship in Beaufort. There is no family with roots deep here, members of which have not at some time had a heart interest in it as their church home. This makes the circle of those who will be interested in this service of appreciation reach far out beyond the present membership. Everyone is invited to attend and honor not only the founders but all the faithful ones who have carried on the work throughout the years.

Looking Backward

From BEAUFORT NEWS 1923

As was foretold by The Beaufort News some weeks ago, Turner Street is to be extended across the creek to Gallants Point and a large suburb will be added to Beaufort. A contract to do this work has been let to Capt. E. M. Willis and he has already commenced on the preliminary part of the job. A causeway will be built which will connect the town with the new territory and it is expected to be finished in a few months.

The Gallants Point land was sold some months ago to New Bern capitalists and they propose to make a real estate development out of it. There are several hundred acres in the tract. These have been surveyed and plotted and in due time will be offered for sale.

Ferry Wanted by Harkers Islanders The people of Harkers Island are anxious to be more closely connected. See LOOKING BACK Page 10

DISH WASHING DEMONSTRATED TUESDAY - FOR FOOD HANDLERS

N. N. Norman of U. S. P. H. Service Gives Program

Employees of Beaufort restaurants, drug stores, and boarding houses attended the first meeting of a food handlers' course on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 at the Episcopal Parish House.

A bacteriological demonstration showing the growth of germs from hands, hair, coughing, and necktie on specially prepared germ food opened the program. This was followed by a detailed demonstration of the simplest, most effective method of washing dishes, given by N. N. Norman, sanitary engineering consultant with the United States Public Health Service.

"In Your Hands," a film strip on the subject of sanitizing dishes, glassware, and silver in restaurants and drug stores, completed the program.

The second meeting of the course sponsored by the County Health Department will be held next Tuesday afternoon at the same time and place.

2,715 Pounds Wool Marketed on 8th.

Seven farmers and five 4-H club boys from Carteret County marketed 2715 pounds of wool at Kinston, Thursday of last week for \$1274.42. This was the largest amount of wool that was offered for sale from any of the counties in this section according to information received from the county agent's office.

The price of wool on the day of this sale from 40 cents to 53 cents per pound depending on the grade and quality. A representative of the Chatham Manufacturing Company of Chatham, N. C. purchased it. The majority of the wool leaving this county brought an average of 47 cents per pound.

Thees having wool to offer for sale were Mr. A. L. Guthrie, of Marshallberg, Allen Moore, Aaron Moore, Alfred Moore, Leroy Han, cock and W. B. Guthrie of Harkers Island. The 4-H club members marketing wool were Bobby King of Beaufort, Billy Oglesby, Bobby Oglesby, Walter Ray Ewell and John Swinson of Newport, RFD.

Election At Wake Forest

In a recent special election at Wake Forest College to fill vacancies created by the departure of student body officers, two boys of local interest figured, Roscoe Mason, formerly of Beaufort, now of Norfolk, was named Vice President of the student body and Charles Parker defeated Earl Parker and our John Davis for Secretary and Treasurer.

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, July 16	
7:48 AM.	1:57 AM.
3:17 PM.	1:59 PM.
Saturday, July 17	
8:43 AM.	2:49 AM.
9:11 PM.	2:53 PM.
Sunday, July 18	
9:37 AM.	3:38 AM.
10:05 PM.	3:47 PM.
Monday, July 19	
10:33 AM.	4:28 AM.
10:59 PM.	4:41 PM.
Tuesday, July 20	
11:28 AM.	5:17 AM.
11:53 PM.	5:36 PM.
Wednesday, July 21	
	6:09 AM.
12:22 PM.	6:55 PM.
Thursday, July 22	
12:45 AM.	7:03 AM.
1:16 PM.	7:39 PM.