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NEW RULING PERMITS PARTY BOAT FISHING OFF SHORE

Bardens Inlet Open For Traffic June 1

Party boat operators will be permitted to take fishermen off shore in the Coastal waters of the 5th Naval District according to an announcement made to-day by Lt. W. H. Lewark, senior C. G. Officer of this Area.

This regulation is effective at once.

Lt. Lewark stressed the fact that only bona fide party boat operators who derive their living from this work will be permitted to take parties off shore, and they will be permitted to operate only from sunrise to sunset. No change in regulations governing pleasure boats has been made. The ruling is that they cannot go outside.

Bardens Inlet locally known as The Drain will be open for traffic June first. Party boats and commercial boats will be allowed to pass through this inlet and fish in the vicinity of Cape Lookout heretofore closed to all traffic.

There are areas along Salter Path where boats will not be permitted to enter at certain hours on certain week days. This information may be had at the Coast Guard Office, Post Office Building, Morehead City.

News of the lifting of fishing limitations was met with enthusiasm by party boat operators. A hundred or more attended a meeting at the City Hall, Morehead City, on Tuesday evening to discuss the situation. Chief Charles Bennett, USCG, presided, and the group talked the matter over from every angle. Already something like forty party boat fishermen of Beaufort and Morehead City have applied for licenses according to Chief Bennett.

Memorial Day Sermon Sun. At Baptist Church

Rev. M. O. Alexander will deliver the annual Memorial Day Sermon for Carteret Post 99 of the American Legion on Sunday morning, May 28, at eleven o'clock at the Beaufort Baptist Church. All Legionnaires and veterans of World Wars I and II are invited to assemble at the Legion Hut at 10:30 from which place they will go in a body to the church.

Laborers Arrive

The first group of migratory laborers—70 strong—arrived on Tuesday by truck and station wagon. The guests reached here a couple of days before the new camp was in readiness so they were distributed through the County until the end of the week when they expect to move into camp. Already potatoes are being dug at Straits and members of the crew are at work there. Digging will start elsewhere in the County by the first of the week which should utilize the group of laborers here now according to County Agent R. M. Williams.

RATION

BRIEFS
GASOLINE
A-10 good May 9 through Aug. 8.
SHOES
No. 1 and 2 "Airplane" Stamps Book III good indefinitely.
SUGAR
Stamps No. 30 and 31, Book IV, good for 5 pounds of sugar indefinitely. No. 40 good for 5 lbs. canning sugar through February 28, 1945.
CANNED GOODS
Blue Stamps, Book IV, A-8 through Q-8 good indefinitely.
MEATS
Red Stamps, Book IV, A-8 through T-8 good indefinitely.
FUEL OIL
Period 4 and 5 coupons good through August.
NOTICE
Every car owner must write a license number and State in advance on all gasoline coupons his possession.
Rent Control
All persons renting, or offering for rent, any living quarters whatever must register each dwelling unit with rent control office in their rent area.

HUMBER MAKES CHALLENGING ADDRESS TO H. S. SENIORS

Mr. Humber Says Lasting Peace Is Dependent on World Order Based on Law

Hon. Robert Lee Humber in his Baccalaureate address to the thirty-two seniors of the Beaufort High School on Monday evening gave a resume of our heritage and the contribution each century has made, then turned the thoughts of the audience and the Class of '44 in their seats of honor before him to "The World of Tomorrow" with the question, "What is the twentieth century to contribute?" He presented the paramount need of today—the stabilization of international life and in a word gave his formula for stability—law. "In our town we maintain order by law, in our state we maintain order by law; in the world today there is disorder—There is something missing—law." Mr. Humber believes that a World Federation of nations based on law is necessary for lasting peace. "There will be World War III, World War IV, World War V and on and on to contemplate without it."

To the group just going out into the adult world he left the final thought, "Civilization is yours to enjoy but with it goes the obligation to transmit it unimpaired and enriched—take the challenge, dedicate yourselves to it."

Following the address, Joyce Springle, President of the Senior Class presented the school with the sum of \$180 for the purchase of a set of stage scenery as a gift from the Class of 1944. Mr. Raymond Ball, Chairman of the Board, graciously accepted the gift. As member of the American Legion he also announced that the Legion Award was not given this year because conditions arising from the addition of a grade would make the same group eligible for it a second time. The award will, however, be given another year. He also took occasion to thank the faculty for loyalty and cooperation in a difficult year.

Diplomas were awarded to 32 seniors more than half of whom had a four year average of 80 or above. Bobbie Jean Duncan led the class with an average of 94 but was not eligible for Valedictorian because part of her high school life was spent in Gastonia; Joyce Hall, Valedictorian had a four year average of 91.5/16 and Gloria Faye Laughton had an average of 91. Others above 80 were: Carol Deane Bessent, Mary Loua Carraway, Jean Elizabeth Fudrie, Dora Jean Jefferson, Joyce Eileen Johnson, Horace Greeley Loftin, Jr., Mary Frances Morton, Margaret Anne Paul, Philip Neal Simpson, Sallie Joyce Springle, Ellen Virginia Stafford, Anna Patricia Stallings, Emily Adams Taylor, Dorothy Ellen White, Herman Burton Daniels, Jr., had the distinction of attending school every day for the entire eleven years with the exception of an absence of three days at the end of his fifth year due to illness.

Music was furnished by the High School Glee Club and the Beaufort High School Band. On Sunday the Rev. W. Sanley Potter gave the Baccalaureate Sermon on the subject, "The Romance of Living" in which he showed how adventure, achievement, truth, and love all have a part emphasizing to the group of seniors that in life we find what we look for. Two anthems were given by the High School choir under the direction of Mrs. Charles Hassell.

In the Class Day Exercises on Friday seniors thought of themselves as gypsies taking to "The Open Road." Gypsy costumes lent an interest to the picture, parts were well taken, lines showed careful preparation and were given especially well making the evening an interesting one. Affectionate mention was made of the four boys of the class who were absent in the service of their country: Glenn Willis, Robert Dennis, Carl Edwards and Bobby Hudgins.

MUCH NEWS HAD TO BE LEFT OUT.
Due to a rush of political advertising much live news was crowded out of today's edition.

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Adair and daughter Rosmary returned to Erwin this week after ten days with his parents.

RECORD POPPY DAY EXPECTED SAT., MAY 27

Girl Scouts To Help in Sale of 1500 "Flowers of Remembrance"

Fifteen hundred memorial poppies have been ordered by the American Legion Auxiliary for sale on the streets of Beaufort on Saturday, May 27, according to Mrs. Raymond Ball President of the Local Auxiliary. The following committee is in charge of the sale: Mrs. Tom Gibbs, Mrs. Vance Fulford, Mrs. Dave Merrill, and Mrs. D. M. DeNoyer. The ladies plan to have a booth in Merrill's Store, and members of our Beaufort Girl Scouts will again sell on the streets.

Last year 750 of these little crepe paper flowers of remembrance were sold on the streets but did not prove nearly enough to meet the demands. Mrs. Raymond Ball, President of the local Auxiliary says they have doubled their order this year in anticipation of the biggest demand in the history of their poppy sales as they wear the symbol of remembrance we pay tribute not only to those who made the supreme sacrifice years ago but their sons who are today sacrificing their lives on fields of battle around the world.

The first nation-wide sale of memorial poppies was begun in 1921. Those early ones were made of silk by French widows and orphans. In 1922 the first poppies were made by American veterans and were produced in the hospitals of Minnesota. Now they are being made by disabled of both World Wars in over 50 government hospitals in 40 states.

Materials for making the poppies are furnished free to the veterans by the Auxiliary; volunteer workers from the Auxiliary teach the disabled men to make the flowers; and the Auxiliary distributes the finished flowers. Veterans and their dependents benefit from this tremendous project. They are paid for making the flowers and all of the money resulting from the poppy sale is in turn used for the relief of families of these men during their period of rehabilitation.

Mrs. McCain Laid To Rest Wednesday

Funeral services were conducted for Mrs. Minerva McCain at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alvin D. Garner, New Bern, RFD, by the Rev. W. B. Everett of the Free Will Baptist Church of New Bern, and the body was laid to rest in Cedar Grove Cemetery, Newport. The service at the grave was conducted by Elder Gurganus of the Free Will Baptist Church of Jacksonville.

Mrs. McCain died Monday morning at the home of Mrs. Garner in her seventy-ninth year. She was the daughter of the late Kilby and Rosa Simpson of Lenoir.

Besides her daughter, Mrs. McCain is survived by three sons: M. D. McCain and G. H. McCain of Newport, M. B. McCain, of Norfolk; two sisters: Mrs. Harriett Morris, Swansboro, and Mrs. Mamie Adams, Newport.

BIG BENEFIT DANCE JUNE 3

Returns to Go To Scout Bldg. Fund

Beaufort Jaycees are sponsoring a dance at the Atlantic Beach Casino for Saturday, June 3rd, for the benefit of the Beaufort Boy and Girl Scout Building Fund script \$1.20 including tax. "Skunk" Ernul and his Orchestra will make the Music and an enormous time is promised all those who attend—and well as the satisfaction of knowing they are helping with a worthwhile undertaking.

This is the second project local Jaycees have undertaken to help toward the \$5,000.00 goal for a Scout Club Building on the town donated lot on Pollock Street south of the County Library. Returns from the Jaycee Scrap Paper drive were also dedicated to the same cause. Remember! One week from this Saturday.

Speaker For Memorial Day



Hon. Graham A. Barden of New Bern, Representative in Congress from the Third District, who will speak Sunday afternoon, May 28th, at 3:00 P. M. in the Court Room at the Court House in Beaufort in the annual Memorial Day exercises under the sponsorship of Carteret Post 99 of the American Legion. Exercises will be held indoors instead of on the lawn as has been customary in other years. There will be special music by a male quartet and by the Beaufort High School Band. The public is invited to attend.

CARTERET BOYS IN THE SERVICE

Sgt. Harry McGinnis, Ft. Bragg, spent the past week-end here with Mrs. McGinnis.

James G. Murdoch, Jr., son of Mr. J. G. Murdoch of Wildwood, won his Navy "Wings of Gold" and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Marine Corps last week at Pensacola, Fla.

Donald Willis, S. I. C. USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl T. Willis, of Ann Street, arrived on Friday from Norfolk on 5-day leave.

Carl Edwards, Musician 3c, has been transferred from San Diego, Calif., to Norfolk.

Cpl. Ben Bell, Jr., USA Air Corps, son of Mrs. B. A. Bell is back from the Aleutian Island and Alaska and is due to arrive in Beaufort Thursday to spend two weeks. Ben entered the Army seventeen months ago. He was sent to the Aleutians in June of last year and from there to Alaska. This is his first leave at home since the day he was inducted.

S/Sgt. Edgar S. Weaver of Wilson, formerly of Beaufort, has been awarded the Air Medal for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the Southwest Pacific in which hostile contact was probable and expected. On these missions enemy airdromes and installations were bombed and attacks made on enemy naval vessels and shipping.

Cpl. Bert Clarke, USMC, stationed at Cherry Point following 2 period of service on the West Coast, spent the past week-end here with friends.

Lt. and Mrs. Lucian Whitmore arrived Saturday from Dalhart, Texas, to spend five days with Mrs. Whitmore's mother, Mrs. W. S. Chadwick of Pollock Street.

Odell Merrill, USA, is expected to arrive from Camp McCain on Saturday for a week. Mrs. Merrill who has been teaching at Princeton will join him here.

Pfc. V. J. Austin, USMC, son of Mrs. Sid Austin of Turner Street, was wounded while working on communication lines following action at Bougainville and is now in a USMC Hospital in California. Austin has been serving aboard since last July.

Lt. (jg) Tom Davis left last week for Little Creek, Norfolk, where he is to be skipper of a mine sweeper.

Pfc. Claud Glover left Monday for Camp Polk, La., after spending twenty days with his parents the J. W. Glovers of Pine Street.

Edwin Gatlin, USN, has been transferred from San Diego, Cal., to Chicago for four months aircraft engine training.

John Davis has been sent to North Western University, Chi-

CORONATION OF HEALTH KINGS AND QUEENS

Exercises To Be On Lawn of Inlet Inn

The coronation of the Carteret County Kings and Queens of Health will take place Saturday afternoon at 2:30 on the lawn of the Inlet Inn. Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, Dr. K. P. Bonner, will have the honor of crowning four young personages who have qualified for the distinguished rank. They are: Alberta Jones, of Newport, Senior Queen, Francis Willis, Atlantic, Senior King, Peggy Hamilton, Beaufort, Junior Queen, and Billy Shepherd, Newport, Junior King.

The Carteret County Health Department selected the four as tops from some thirty odd aspirants. Selection was made according to standard health score sheets.

Betty Lou Merrill will preside at the exercises on Saturday. Jimmy Davis will welcome the group. Miss Virginia Stanton, President of the 4-H Service Club will make the response, and Mr. L. R. Howe, State 4-H Club Leader, Raleigh, will bring a word of greeting to the Carteret Clubs.

The 4-H Clubs are composed of boys and girls from 10 to 21 years of age. The 4-H's they seek to cultivate are the head, heart, hand, and health. The program on Saturday is planned primarily to glorify health but there will also be a display of what some of the club members have been doing with their hands. Girls will model dresses they have made as Mrs. Y. Z. Simmons, Home Economics Teacher, judges the best. The winner in this review will enter the District Dress Review at New Bern in the summer.

The coronation ceremony is an annual affair under the direction of Miss Dorothy Banks, Home Agent, and R. M. Williams, County Agent.

INDUCTEES

The following men reported to Ft. Bragg on Monday for Pre-induction examination: BEAUFORT: Cecil Johathan Freeman, George Asa Eastman, Leslie G. Moore, John Shelton Beeton, William King Taylor, Alton Glenn Dickinson, Harold Herman Robinson, Virgil Leroy White. BEAUFORT RFD: Nelson Calvin Skinner, Louis Elwood Piver. NEWPORT: James Godwin Russell, Charlie Lee Freeman, Alpha Quinton Salter, Kenneth Leamon Miller, Marvin Willis. NEWPORT RFD: Norman Lee Guthrie, Theodore Roosevelt Smith, Willie Moore Howland, Claude Roosevelt Dixon, Thurston McCay Rice, Walter Herbert Oglesby, Jessie Ray Swinson, Vernon Butler Taylor, George Albert Pennell. MOREHEAD CITY: Walter Hubert Willis, James Vance McElroy, Roma Durwood Wade, James Morton Davis, John Samuel Parker, Jr., Joseph Ray Lentz, Troy Wilson Swindell. HARKERS ISLAND: Cletus Rose, Willard Preston Willis, Clem Creston Gaskill. MARSHALLBERG: Jas. Louis Willis. SALTER PATH: Alex Guthrie. STACY: Andrew Pittman, Alvah Braxton Fulcher. SEA LEVEL: James Allen Salter, Hallett Ward Styron. WILDWOOD: Luke Herbert Wetherington, Jr. LOLA: Donald Gilgo. ROE: Ronald Earl Goodwin. ATLANTIC: Charles Romaine Mason.

Mrs. Nannie Gaskill Buried on Tuesday

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. Nannie Gaskill from her late home in Sea Level.

Mrs. Gaskill died Sunday afternoon at the Morehead City Hospital at the age of 74. She had been a patient in the hospital for a few days only but had been in ill health for some time. Elder Edwards of Jacksonville conducted the funeral and the body was laid to rest in the family burial ground at Sea Level.

Mrs. Gaskill is survived by a daughter and three sons.

Honest farmers do not use non-highway gasoline for other purposes. Honest distributors do not make false claims in an effort to obtain additional supplies. Honest motorists do not patronize the black market.

Cpl. Walton Hamilton, USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hamilton, has arrived in Hawaii.

MORE INTEREST IN PRIMARY AS MAY 27 NEARS

Gubernatorial and Senatorial Races Of Chief Interest

163 BALLOTS SENT TO MEN IN SERVICE

The Primary on Saturday expected to call out but a light vote may do a little better than was expected a week ago. There is less lethargy and some serious politicking as the date for election approaches. So far but 163 absentee ballots have been requested by service men, 61 of which were requested by men serving outside the United States.

Chairman Seelye says this number is much less than the Board had hoped for. Voters are urged to get out and signify their choice for each office as an obligation of those on the home front.

Interest of Democrats has centered chiefly around the gubernatorial race in which Gregg Caery, Gastonia, and Ralph McDonald, Winston-Salem, have been the leading figures, and the senatorial race in which Clyde R. Hoey, Shelby and Cameron Morrison, Charlotte, have carried on the most active campaigns. The third man seeking the nomination for governor is Olla Ray Boyd, Pine-town. Three other men are seeking Reynolds Senate seat: Arthur Simmons, Burlington, Marvin Lee Ritch, Charlotte, and Giles Yeoman Newton, Gibson. Candidates for Lieutenant Governor are: W. I. Halstead, L. Y. Ballentine, Jamie T. Lyda; for Secretary of State: Thad Eure, W. N. Crawford; for State Auditor: George Ross Pou, Fred S. Hunter; for State Treasurer: L. J. Phipps, Chas. M. Johnson. Two names are to be selected for the State Senate from the only three names appearing on the County Ballot: D. Libby Ward, New Bern, K. A. Pittman, Snow Hill, and R. A. Whittaker, Kinston. H. S. Gibbs, Morehead City is the only Democrat filing for the House of Representatives.

The only Republican contests are for the office of Lieutenant Governor and State Treasurer. N. H. Russell is unopposed for the House from Carteret County. Republican candidates for Lieutenant Governor are: A. Harold Morgan, George L. Greene, Robert L. Lovelace; and for State Treasurer: S. B. Roberts and Hiram B. Worth.

F. R. Seelye, Beaufort, Chairman County Board of Elections, T. C. Wade, Morehead City and A. T. Gardner, Beaufort, members of the Board have named the following Registrars, Judges and Poll Holders for Saturday in order named. Where Poll Holders are not named they will be added by the 27th.

Pelletier: Mrs. Thelma Vincent, Sam B. Meadows, W. B. Norris.
Stella: J. C. Barker, J. Worth Watson, Adrian Morris.

Newport: Mrs. Prudie Potter, Y. Z. Simmons.
Wildwood: H. L. Murdoch, A. E. McCabe, H. B. Taylor.
Bogue: Mrs. Essie Smith, Leon B. Taylor, Herman Taylor.

Broad Creek: W. L. Guthrie, Cola, Guthrie.
Salter Path: Geo. W. Smith, Stephen Guthrie, Cicero Willis.

Morehead City: E. A. Council, C. R. Davant, Clayton Guthrie.
Beaufort: John D. Brooks, Mrs. Lella G. Willis, L. J. Noe.

Haylowe: Geo. W. Ball, Will Hardesty, Mrs. Lionel Connor.
Wire Grass: M. N. Eubanks, Mrs. Addie Norris, Wilbur Merrill.
Merrimon: H. B. Salter, Guy Caraway.

Lukens: Mrs. Nellie Norman Alvin Lewis.
Long Pine: Mrs. Gladys King Carol Simpson, Sol Wilkins.
Bettie: George W. Gillikin, Theo Willis, Harvey Lawrence.

Otway: Denard G. Gillikin, R. L. Lawrence, Iredell Lawrence.
Straits: H. D. Chadwick, J. B. Whitehurst, C. T. Jarvis.

Harkers Island: Mable Davis, Alton Willis.
Marshallberg: Irvin Moore, Capt. Fred Gillikin.

Smyrna: G. W. Davis, John B. Davis, Mrs. D. B. Wade.
Williston: Mrs. Pauline Wade, Mrs. Seymour Davis.

Davis: Hamlin H. Davis, Corbett Davis, Elmer Willis.
Stacy: Wm. Fulcher, Andrew Mason, Irvin Fulcher.

Sea Level: Alva B. Taylor, Herbert Salter.
Atlantic: Clayton Fulcher, Wiley Mason.
Cedar Island: Bernice Goodwin,

LOCAL BOY IN PLANE CRASH IN ENGLAND

Details Not Given In Brief War Department Message

News was received last Thursday by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jones of Queen Street of the death of their youngest son, Hugh Allen Jones, Flight Officer, U. S. Army Air Force, in a plane crash at Glosop, England, on May tenth. Details of the accident were not given.

Hugh attended the Beaufort High School and at the time he entered the Army in July, 1942, he was employed by the Government Printing Office in Washington, D. C.



Hugh had his preliminary flight training at Santa Ana, California; from there he was sent to Twenty-nine Pines for a second period of training. He was later ordered to Lemoore, California and from there on September 9th was assigned to Chandler, Arizona, where he was graduated from the Advanced Flying School at Williams Field on November 3. He came home on his last leave on November 8 and left again for San Francisco on the 9th.

Hugh was ordered abroad in April 1944 where he has been "somewhere in England" participating in a course designed to bridge the gap between training in the States and soldiering in an active Theatre of War. His next station was to have been one from which America's fighting planes take off to battle the Nazi war machine.

Surviving are F/O Jones' parents; four sisters: Mrs. Jack Windley, Beaufort, Miss Annie Neal Jones, Williamsburg, Virginia, Miss Bessie Jones, Beaufort, Miss Helen Jones, Newport News; two brothers: Messrs. Ben Jones and Howard Jones both of Beaufort; and an aunt, Mrs. Clifford Lee Hornaday, Warrenton, Va.

Graduate

Young Tom Kelly graduated from the High School Department of Edwards Military Institute, Sealeburg, on Tuesday of this week. Mr. Tom Kelly, Sr., went down for his son's graduation, and Tom Jr., returned with him.

Hugh Lupton, Walter Goodwin. Portsmouth: Mrs. Mattie Gilgo, Milan Willis, Ed Dixon.

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, tides whether near the inlet or at the head of the estuaries.

	HIGH	LOW
Friday, May 26	6:11 AM.	6:13 PM.
Saturday, May 27	12:07 PM.	6:57 AM.
Sunday, May 28	12:57 PM.	7:03 PM.
Monday, May 29	1:15 AM.	7:46 AM.
Tuesday, May 30	1:51 PM.	7:59 PM.
Wednesday, May 31	3:01 AM.	9:29 AM.
Thursday, June 1	3:57 AM.	10:20 AM.
Friday, June 2	4:53 AM.	11:09 AM.
Saturday, June 3	5:27 PM.	11:49 PM.