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IT'S UP TO THE MAN IN THE TOWER...



Salute to the Coast Guard

Tomorrow marks the 158th year in the life of the United States Coast Guard, a government unit which continually, in war or peace, gathers unto itself glory and honor by its day to day work on the waters of our nation.

Those of us along the Coast who have seen the valiant deeds of these husky, fearless, and jovial men of the sea cannot help but feel a deep pride in their accomplishments.

The list of deeds this unit has to its credit within the past year, inland and on the coast, is staggering—the cutter BIBB rescued 69 persons from the Bermuda Sky Queen in a thrilling episode in the North Atlantic, other Coast Guard units rescued more than 5,000 people from danger and saved or protected in these operations vessels and other property valued at \$160,000,000, aided flood victims in the Middlewest and the Pacific Northwest, helped evacuate people surrounded by forest fires in Maine, patrolled the Great Lakes and opened icebound traffic lanes, continued routine operation of 36,000 aids to navigation, enforced law on the high seas and navigable waters of the United States and was ever ready for emergencies with its 300 vessels and 20,000 men.

Coast Guardsmen at our own Fort Macon station performed one of the most heroic feats in the history of the Carolina coast when they rescued 22 men from the motor vessel Norfolk. The Norfolk went aground within sight of the station March 7 of this year. In spite of high seas and lashing winter winds, the rescuers and rescued came through without losing a man.

For this display of heroism and fortitude New Bern Rotary club sponsored a splendid banquet and presented the men of the station with a large marble plaque commemorating the rescue.

Coast Guardsmen in this locality will participate tomorrow in celebration of their 158th birthday at Cape Hatteras. Crews from Chincoteague, Virginia Beach, Hatteras and Fort Macon station will race in surfboats, (the men from Fort Macon are going to bring home the bacon), there will be various types of Coast Guard demonstrations, a great big picnic, and all in all, one bang-up day of fun for everyone.

On this anniversary the Coast Guard has received special commendation from high government officials and the commandant of the United States Coast Guard, Admiral Joseph F. Farley, who remarked, "I am proud of the work of the officers and men of the United States Coast Guard, for the successful accomplishment of their many difficult tasks—often under the most trying circumstances—during the past year. And I have great pride in the work of the men of the Coast Guard auxiliary who aided our forces in flood and hurricane relief work. To each I say a hearty "well done."

Thoughts for an open mind...

Every thing is already given us, but we have to develop capacity to receive.

Remember that no man can help us except he be a torch bearer; and all that he may teach within the flash of his coming and going, is how we too may take hold and carry our torch higher on the never ending road.

Live for something. Do good and leave behind you a monument that time can never destroy. Write your name in kindness, love, and mercy on the hearts of all you come in contact with day by day. Good deeds shine as the stars in heaven.

The wise man is happy when he gains his own approbation, and the fool when he recommends himself to the applause of those about him. Know thyself and flattery shall not harm thee; yea her speech shall be a warning, a humbling, and a guide. What the superior man seeks is in himself; what the small man seeks is in others.

Jim Morrill

SOUND VIEW

Those who celebrated birthdays in July are Mr. D. J. Hall, aged 80, Mrs. D. J. Hall, 67, Mrs. Isorah Bell, 53, Mrs. Joe Barnes, 33, Mrs. Willie Pelletier, 39 and Herbert Paige, 13.

Friends will be glad to know that Terry Garner is much improved since last writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Taylor and children, of Georgetown, S. C., spent twelve days with his sister, Mrs. Lester Hall.

Mrs. Bessie Pellittier spent Sunday with Mrs. Roland Farmer.

Mrs. Isorah Bell spent Sunday with Mrs. Minnie Sharp.

Mrs. Nellie Potter, of Croatan, is spending ten days with Mrs. Verona Hall, who has a new daughter, Saunders Kay, born July 22. Miss Margaret Hall, of Winston, N. C., came home Sunday night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hall for a week.

Those who visited at H. A. Taylor's Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Willie Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hall, Mrs. William Piner, Mrs. Harry Taylor, Mrs. Maney Salter, Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor, Mrs. J. H. Lewis, who has been

very sick, is much improved and so she will be able to out.

Those who visited D. J. Hall Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Henderson and Mr. Cecil Hall.

Mrs. Linwood Fulcher and children, Ret and Shirley, of Miami, Fla., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Garner.

Mr. Allen Mills, of Cortez, Fla., spent ten days with his sister, Mrs. Daisy Garner.

Mr. and Mrs. Garwood Willis and children, of Miami, Fla., are visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hall spent a short while at Mrs. T. T. Taylor's Sunday. Those who called at Linwood Hall's Sunday include Mrs. Carl Buch, Mrs. Fred Cannon, Mrs. Ben Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Taylor. Mr. Floyd Garner spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Garner.

Orthopedic Clinic Today Dr. Hugh Thompson will be at the New Bern health center for the orthopedic clinic at noon today. Any person needing this service is eligible for admittance.

HERE and THERE

W. H. C. SALISBURY, Morehead City



Building permits issued by A. B. Roberts, building inspector, for the month of July were the highest this year since the February listing when the Southern Felt Corporation starting their building. Total for this month of estimated cost of new construction and alterations amount to \$80,800.00.

Commercial buildings include a warehouse to be erected by the Southern Felt Corporation at an estimated cost of \$30,000. This building will be located between the felt plant and the Madix plant. The Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Company will spend \$20,000 on an addition to their present exchange office. The present brick building has been moved to the north line of the telephone company property and the new structure will join it. A filling station at an estimated cost of \$4,500 is being built by the Sound Chevrolet company at the corner of 14th and Arendell streets.

Eight new houses are under construction ranging in price from \$500 to \$6,000. The principal ones are Grayden Willis \$6,600, David Carmon \$3,000, Stacy B. Rhue \$2,500, Leonard B. Rhue \$1,500. Leroy Guthrie is spending \$4,950 changing over the several stalls in the Morehead Motors building and Mrs. D. B. Willis is rebuilding her home recently damaged by fire at a cost of \$4,800.

Much interest has been manifested by the sidewalk observers over the moving of the brick office building of the telephone company to a new location on the north side of the company's property on 9th street. This is the first time a brick building was moved in the city. The job was completed on Friday ready to be lowered on its new foundation without a crack to show in the walls.

Eldon Nelson who for the past several years has been the head meat cutter in Freeman's Brothers market has accepted a similar position in the Food Center conducted by P. M. Strood.

Schools of the county, planning September openings, are not anticipating changes in openings on account of the polio epidemic according to announcement made by H. L. Joslyn, Superintendent of County Schools. Mr. Joslyn states that but few schools of the county lack a full corps of teachers.

Miss Carolyn Knight, of Madison, is a recent addition to the home service staff of the Tidewater Power company. She will work in the electrical department of the company. Demonstrations in the home will take up most of Miss Knight's time. She will attempt to point out better usage of various electrical equipment for the power company. Her work will cover the towns in the eastern part of the state.

This ballad has come to light in an old issue of a county paper and is said to have been recited for years among the fiddlers of Carteret county and best expresses this people's philosophy of life. They abide by this rhyme and follow its advice. Its origin is unknown.

Peace at home And pleasure abroad, Do all ye kin And serve the Lord. Keep all ye got And get all ye kin, Owe no debts And pay no man.

Boatmen in this area whose boats are equipped with ship-to-shore radio telephone facility will be glad to learn that a radio-telephone station is to be established in the vicinity for Fort Fisher by the Southern Bell Telephone system. While Norfolk and Charleston, S. C., have radio telephone stations in operation, pleasure crafts and commercial fishermen in this section are said to have experienced difficulty in contacting either of these points on routine matters or in time of emergency. It is said that this system will serve as far north as Cape Hatteras as well as far south of equal distance.

Ira C. Lewis of Marshallberg is one of a large number of students who won places on the dean's list of the school of Commerce in the University of North Carolina during the last quarter.

Notices have gone out to the stockholders of the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad that the annual meeting of this state-owned road will be held at the Atlantic Beach Hotel on Friday of this week, August 6. The transaction of such business as come before the stockholders at each annual meeting of this road will be the highlight of the gathering.

In order to do away with the submarine cable connecting the power line of the Tidewater Power company between this city and Beaufort, an overhead system of wiring is being installed. Poles 100 feet in height are being erected on each side of Gallant's channel, south of the railroad draw to carry the necessary wires over this span of 604 feet. This will give a vertical clearance in this channel of 87.5 feet above mean low water and 85.0 above mean high water. This overhead power line is expected to eliminate the troubles this company has had with the submarine cable from breakage and short circuits.

Harvey Hamilton, Jr., who since opening a law office in this city was located in the Royal block, has taken over the office space in the Bank building occupied by the late A. B. Morris, attorney.

Farm men and women of this county who had planned to attend the annual State Farm and Home week, held at N. C. State College August 30 to September 3 have been notified that the event has been cancelled for this year due to the polio epidemic. A good delegation from this county had planned to attend this year's session.

Lewis Monroe Daniels, age 57, brother of Earl Daniels of Lola, Waddell Daniels of Marshallberg and Mrs. Fulford Willis, of Williston, passed away on Thursday at the Veteran's Hospital in Fayetteville. He was the son of the late Lewis and Janette Daniels of this

county. Mr. Daniels was a member of the New Bern police force for 18 years and was residing in that city at the time of his death.

It was a most interesting trip we made through the plant of the Madix Asphalt Roofing Corporation a few days ago. W. C. Carlton was our conductor and while he could not answer all the questions we asked him, yet he gave us a very good insight into the making of Madix products. The first requisite for making asphalt roofing is the felt base. In

the immense storeroom are hundreds of rolls of this material in several weights. These rolls are all of standard width, weighing nearly a half ton each.

Strolling back into the coating department we felt as if we were in the anteroom of the infernal regions. It was the next thing to a Turkish bath. The machinery in this department is a series of rollers and conveyors mounted on a tall framework which takes the felt base at the far end of the building, carries it through the vats of boiling coating solutions, after which it hangs in long loops to dry.

By the time the coated base reaches the end of the delivery racks it is dry and is threaded into a winding machine which rolls it into the required footage, is then wrapped, weighed and labeled, ready for shipment.

In the storeroom are several bins containing a hard granular material in colors of green, red, black and grey. This material is used to coat the prepared base as it comes out of the coating vats, giving the various colors one sees in the roll roofing or the cut asphalt shingles.

When the plant is in the process of converting the prepared base into shingles, the coated material as it comes from the delivery racks is threaded into an immense cutting machine, which in one operation forms the entire shape of the shingle.

From this machine the finished product is conveyed to the packers and bailers, ready for storage or immediate shipment. There appears to be no lost motion in the process of the finished product from the time the felt base leaves the storage until it comes out again, either as roll roofing or in the form of separate shingles.

Unloading of incoming freight and the shipping out of the finished products is cared for on the east side of the plant where a spur track gives this service. Truck loading facilities for the fleet of trucks operated by this concern, are on the west side of the warehouse. Small motor trucks in the storeroom convey the goods for shipment to either the freight cars or the immense trucks.

At present the felt base is being purchased from an outside plant. After opening of the felt mill here, about the first of the year, the base will be manufactured in connection with the other Madix operations.

SMYRNA

The vacation Bible school at the Methodist church closed Friday. A very nice and interesting program was given at the church Friday night with a large crowd present. After the exercises were over, the lights were turned out, and the children and teachers marched out carrying lighted candles. Lights were burned on the church grounds, and delicious ice cold lemonade and cake were served to everybody.

Miss Jane Hancock, of Greenville, N. C., spent last week here with her brother, Herbert Hancock and family.

Mrs. Mary Matthews, of Rocky Mount, returned to her home Monday after spending last week here with her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Pake.

Mrs. H. R. Chadwick and son, Bobby, spent Sunday night at Greenville with relatives.

Mrs. William Vance Fulford and little son, William Vance, Jr., of Beaufort, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith.

Mr. Mitchell Willis narrowly escaped being drowned Saturday night when he fell overboard from Captain Lester Pigott's boat out in a thunder storm on the sound; but for the good judgment and quick maneuvering of Captain Pigott, Mitchell would have been gone.

Mrs. Nina Wade, who has been sick for the past week, is very much better at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Piner, of Marshallberg, spent a short time here last week.

Services were held at the Baptist church here Sunday at 11 o'clock by Reverend Styron, a young man of Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pigott, of Gloucester, was in our community Sunday afternoon.

Relatives from Smyrna attended the Pigott family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Willis, at Gloucester, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Eleanor Wade, of Williston, was here a short time Sunday evening.

Mrs. Eva Willis, of Morehead City, visited relatives here over the weekend.

Capacity production will be in full operation by the beginning of next year, it is reported.

Miss Elise Willis, was home from her work at Beaufort some days last week, due to the illness of Attorney Claud Westly, who was taken to Morehead City hospital. Mrs. Charles Willis, of Marshallberg, visited relatives here Thursday night and Friday. Mrs. Hazel Chadwick visited Mrs. Irvin Willis and Mrs. Elmer Dewey Willis at Williston, a short time Thursday evening.

NORTH RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Warren are the proud parents of a baby boy. Mother and her baby are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parker and son, of Wilmington, spent a few days here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wade.

Mrs. Paul Beachem and Mrs. Clarence Beachem returned home Tuesday from Charlotte, where they have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Beachem.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Smith and cousin, Bradford Smith, all of Raleigh, spent the weekend here visiting Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Whitehurst and children, all of Beaufort, spent a while here Friday night visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wade.

Mrs. Thelma Whitehurst, of Beaufort, spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Riley Beachem.

Miss Patsie Willis, of Beaufort, spent the weekend here visiting Miss Zara Beachem.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beachem spent Sunday afternoon at Bettie, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beachem.

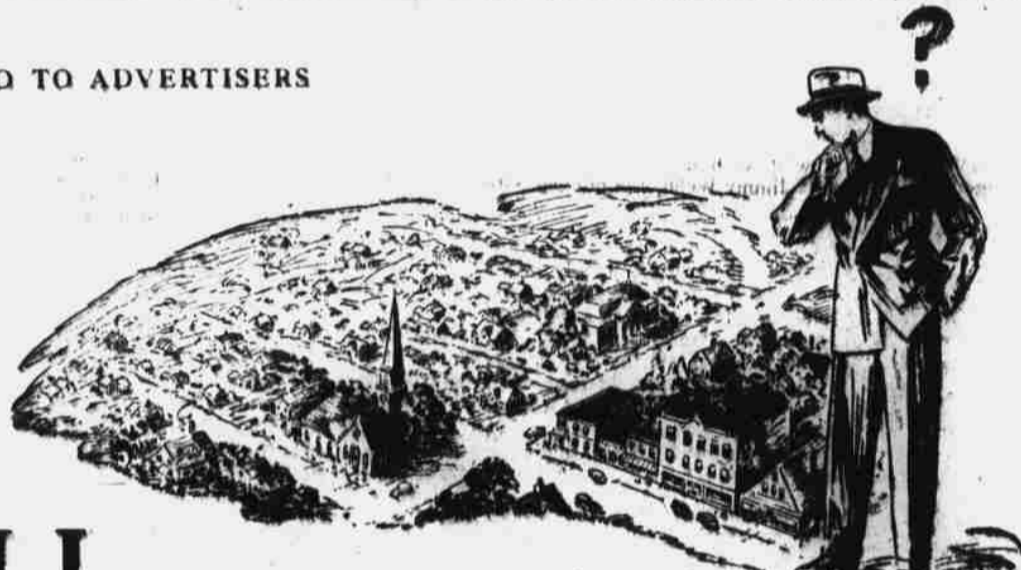
Miss Emma Perry returned home Friday after spending the week at Jolivia, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Taf Louis. Miss Gertrude Louis, of Bolivia, are visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Essie Garner.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Arthur and Mrs. W. P. Arthur and son, Clifton all spent Monday in Wilmington.

Mrs. C. D. and son, of Morehead City, spent a while here Sunday visiting Mr. O. D. Warren and family.

Mr. W. W. Garner, of Southport, spent the weekend with his family. Mr. and Mrs. Mack Simpson spent Saturday afternoon in Atlantic, visiting the Morris's.

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