

## Council Pays High Tribute To Fisheries Research Institute

### Air Enthusiasts To Meet Tonight With CAP Officers

### CAP Considers Possibility of Establishing Unit In Carteret County

Carteret county air enthusiasts will meet with officers of the Civilian Air patrol at 8 o'clock tonight at the Inlet Inn, Beaufort, to discuss possibility of organizing a CAP unit here.

Capt. Harvey A. McKee, Air force-CAP liaison officer, informed Dan Walker, manager of the Beaufort chamber of commerce, that he and Col. George D. Washburn would make an inspection trip to this area and meet with those interested in a CAP unit.

Captain McKee said, "Our national program now encompasses all activities, used by or related to, aviation. Our National Radio Net is one of the finest of its kind in the nation and will definitely have great interest appeal to amateur radio fans.

"Our Cadet program, for boys and girls, ages fifteen (15) through seventeen (17), is aimed at giving every youngster in our nation who is interested in aviation, a thorough knowledge and understanding of this subject.

"Our service rendered to air-minded America by our Search and Rescue squadrons have been favorably commented on by civic-minded groups throughout the country and our plans in this respect will enable us to do even greater service."

Both the Beaufort and Morehead City chambers of commerce requested that CAP officers investigate the possibility of establishing a unit in Carteret county.

Among those expected at the meeting tonight are Jack Savage, Earl Taylor, Tom Mills, Mr. Walker.

### Home Nursing Course Considered

A discussion of the possibility of establishing a home nursing program in the public schools took place Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. Marion Everett, general field representative of the southeastern area, American Red Cross, met with Dr. N. Thomas Ennett, chairman of the eastern Carteret county Red Cross district.

It was agreed that more than likely such a home nursing program can be instituted. The desirability of organizing a Junior Red Cross in the schools was also discussed as were plans for the annual Red Cross fund-raising campaign to be held in March.

Mrs. Everett expressed the opinion that this area should be well organized for relief work, particularly in connection with damage done by windstorms.

The resignation of Mrs. Harry McGinnis as home service chairman was accepted and Mrs. James D. Rumley was appointed to fill the vacancy. Other appointments were Mrs. Ed Potter as treasurer and Lockwood Phillips as publicity director.

## Edwin Matthis Erects First TV Set in Carteret County

"Sometimes it's good and sometimes it's bad," reports Edwin Matthis, Morehead City, on reception from his television set, the first in Carteret county, which he has had in use for a month.

Mr. Matthis installed the set at his radio repair shop on Bridges street in late September. In addition to the regular set he uses two boosters to increase the likelihood of reception from the nearest TV station, Richmond, Va. (The station at Greensboro, he explained, cannot be received on his channel).

### Mrs. Fred Boswell Wins Prize on Wedding Cake

Mrs. Fred Boswell, Beaufort RFD, won a blue ribbon and \$5 cash premium on a 28-inch three-tiered decorated wedding cake she entered at the State fair last week.

The cake stood on a mirror which was 22 inches in diameter and gracing the edge of the mirror were white icing swans and minute pink rosebuds and pale green leaves.

The cake was topped with an elaborate chapel decoration under which stood a bride and groom. In the roof of the chapel, designed with criss-cross lattice work, twining leaves, and rosebuds, were two silver bells, also made of icing. On the peak of the roof were two tiny white doves.

It was reported that Mrs. Boswell's entry was the first wedding cake ever to be entered at the fair.

### Agent Commends County Sweet Potato Growers

Carteret County sweet potato growers are to be commended for their splendid cooperation in the sweet potato storage house fumigation campaign that was put on in the county last week, R. M. Williams, county agent, said yesterday.

This is the second season in which the potato growers have cooperated with the county extension service office in sponsoring a fumigation project with Larvicide to destroy potato disease organisms in storage houses, reported Mr. Williams.

A considerable number of farmers who fumigated their houses last fall have reported that their potatoes kept well while in storage. It was felt that the fumigation was a wise investment. Storage house fumigation kills the disease organisms which live over summer in the house or on baskets. It does not kill diseases that are brought into storage on the potato after fumigation or does it make up for improper storage conditions.

Sweet potato harvesting is getting under way on a limited scale in various communities of the county this week.

Reports by various potato growers indicate that practically normal yields of U. S. No. 1 potatoes will be harvested on some fields; however, most reports show that there will be a considerable reduction of yields due to excessive rain conditions during the early growing season. No attempt will be made to dig some fields due to the small number of potatoes available for harvest. The best information available indicates that there will be around 50 per cent of a normal crop harvested.

On some farms the early set potatoes rotted in the ground while those which set on the vines later are still small in size. For this reason and due to the favorable growing weather conditions at the present time many growers are delaying harvesting in order to obtain maximum yields.

A rather high percentage of cracked potatoes have been observed on a number of farms thus far, Mr. Williams added.

### Tide Table

(Tides at Beaufort Bar)

| HIGH      | Friday, Oct. 28          | LOW |
|-----------|--------------------------|-----|
| 1:04 a.m. | 7:04 a.m.                |     |
| 1:32 p.m. | 8:12 p.m.                |     |
|           | <b>Saturday, Oct. 29</b> |     |
| 2:15 a.m. | 8:16 a.m.                |     |
| 2:37 p.m. | 9:14 p.m.                |     |
|           | <b>Sunday, Oct. 30</b>   |     |
| 3:19 a.m. | 9:27 a.m.                |     |
| 3:38 p.m. | 10:09 p.m.               |     |
|           | <b>Monday, Oct. 31</b>   |     |
| 4:19 a.m. | 10:31 a.m.               |     |
| 4:34 p.m. | 10:57 p.m.               |     |
|           | <b>Tuesday, Nov. 1</b>   |     |
| 5:13 a.m. | 11:25 a.m.               |     |
| 5:21 p.m. | 11:39 p.m.               |     |

High tribute was paid to the work being done at the Institute of Fisheries Research at a meeting of the institute's advisory council Wednesday in Morehead City.

Present for the meeting were many distinguished personalities, including Dr. R. E. Coker of the department of zoology, University of North Carolina, George R. Ross, director of the State Board of Conservation and Development, Roy Hampton, chairman of the commercial fisheries committee of the state board, and Dr. Hardeen Taylor, scientific consultant, president of the New York Academy of Sciences and recent delegate to the United Nations Scientific panel on natural resources.

Mr. Ross led off the meeting with a discussion of the problems now confronting the department of conservation and development as involves exploitation of various marine resources. He said the institute was instrumental in "obtaining the basic facts relating to the fishing industry, a job well worthwhile."

Dr. Taylor's speech dealt with the theoretical purpose of such an Institute and stated that he felt its work should not be so much repressive but more promotive and creative. He said much scientific advancement had been made in almost every field of production with the exception of the fishing industry which still uses methods dating back to the days of sailing vessels.

He concluded his speech with the admonition to make the most of the opportunities available in this area and at the institute to produce results beneficial to fishermen and conservationists alike.

Dr. Coker spoke on the idea behind the Institute, the elaborate planning and study which preceded its founding, and the great support given to its work by the State and outside sources.

Mr. Hampton concluded the morning's talks with a listing of recent accomplishments of the Institute. Particular emphasis was made on findings relating to shrimping habits, research work on shrimp net mesh sizes and oyster research.

Members of the Institute's staff look up the afternoon's program with a discussion their present work.

Carter Broad presented his studies of the shrimp in sound and ocean waters in North Carolina. Dr. Eugene Roelofs described in detail the fish census which he has been making of fish in the sounds and also discussed the selective value of net meshes of different sizes. Dr. A. L. Chestnut explained that oyster investigations were under way at the Institute and summarized its results thus far.

Wednesday night the Institute's executive committee met and approved both the past year's program and the program planned for the coming year. Members of the executive committee are Dr. Coker, chairman, Dr. Taylor, Mr. Hampton, Rex Winslow of Chapel Hill and Fred Latham of Belhaven.

### County Officials, Doctors Plan School Health Program

Plans for treatment of certain school children; particularly tonsil cases, in keeping with the school health program made possible by the 1949 North Carolina Legislature, were made at a meeting Tuesday afternoon in Webb Memorial Civic center, Morehead City.

Present at the meeting were Dr. N. Thomas Ennett, county health officer, H. L. Joslyn, superintendent of Carteret county schools, Thomas C. McGinnis, superintendent of public welfare, Dr. Frank Hyde, president of the county medical society, Hoyle L. Green, administrator of the Morehead City hospital, and each surgeon practicing in the county.

Following discussion it was reported that a treatment plan would probably be put into effect within the next two or three weeks.

### Havelock to Get Disposal Plant, Water System

A "desperate need" for housing for civilian personnel employed at the marine corps base at Cherry Point was cited by the utilities commission as it granted Havelock Builders and Supply Company this week the right to construct a water system and sewage disposal plant.

Granting a certificate of convenience and necessity, the commission's order quoted testimony of officials of the Cherry Point base and citizens as to the need for the project, which would be located on a site near Sloum Creek, adjacent to the air station.

## Judge Orders Negro's Attacker to Pay \$550, Suspends 2 Year Sentence Against White Man

### Zoning Board Schedules Hearing

### Air Base Commission Seeks Opinions on Law Requiring Building Permits

The Cherry Point Marine Corps Air Zoning commission has scheduled a public hearing for 2 o'clock Tuesday, Nov. 15, on the resolution adopted at the first session of the commission Oct. 18.

This resolution provides that a permit must be obtained before any construction or reconstruction can be carried out in the area within the vicinity of the base and along highway 70 to Newport.

The hearing will take place in the office of the public works officer, Marine Corps air station.

The zoning commission has the power "to regulate and restrict the height, number of stories, and size of buildings . . . the percentage of the location and use of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, residence or other purposes . . ." in the following area:

"Beginning in Craven County at the southeastern corner of the Cherry Point Marine Corps Air Station Base on Highway 101, and running thence south one mile; thence westwardly and parallel with State Highway 101 to a point one mile eastwardly of U. S. Highway 70; thence southwardly and parallel with said highway 70 to the northern boundary of the Town of Newport in Carteret County, or said boundary extended eastwardly; thence westwardly with said boundary of said town, or said boundary extended, to the right of way of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad Company; thence northwardly with said right of way of said railroad company to a point one mile northwardly of the west end of Sloum's Creek; thence north 45 degrees east to the boundary of said Cherry Point Marines Corps Air Station Base, and thence with said boundary southwardly and eastwardly to the place of beginning."

The county boards of Craven and Carteret counties will act as boards of adjustment in case of appeals concerning decisions in their respective spheres of jurisdiction.

No charge will be made, the zoning commission states, for issuance of a building permit.

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### JCs Buy Outfits For Safety Patrol

Beaufort Jaycees have ordered 12 rain capes and hats for members of the Beaufort school safety patrol. They will also purchase Sam Brown belts and badges for patrol members.

Al Stinson, chairman of the Jaycee safety committee, reported at the meeting Monday night that he has met with the boys several times. They will be organized according to rank, lieutenants, captains, etc.

The Jaycees will also award merit badges to those boys doing outstanding work on the patrol.

Mr. Stinson reported that a safety film will be shown at the local theatre once a week and passes have been obtained for members of the school safety squad.

Two films on fire prevention have also been ordered from the National Fire Underwriters and these will be shown at the theatre in the near future.

### Negro Youth Committed To Training School

A 13-year-old Beaufort Negro youth was committed to Morrison Training school, Hoffman, this week after he pleaded guilty to burglary before juvenile court Judge A. H. James.

### Congressmen Visit Air Base To Investigate School Problem

Cherry Point, N. C. — Public hearings, aimed at obtaining information on over crowded schools in the Cherry Point and North Carolina area, were conducted here Tuesday by a special sub-committee of the house of representatives' education and labor committee.

The sub-committee, headed by Congressman Cleveland M. Bailey (D-West Va.) heard military and civilian officials' personal testimony on school facilities problems caused by population congestion created by activities of the federal government during and since the war.

From this data, collected here and at similar hearings in the South and far West, the congressional group will make recommendations for permanent legislation to supplement emergency laws that have been continued on a temporary basis.

Brigadier General Ivan W. Miller, Commanding General of the Marine Corps Air station, and Robert Pugh, Craven county school superintendent, outlined the need for additional elementary and high school classrooms in this area.

Representative Graham A. Barden (D-NC) also spoke in behalf of the local school problems.

It is estimated that the average attendance in the next five years will climb to 1,400 elementary students and 500 high school students. About 550 elementary students are now enrolled in this area, and some 250 high school students attend school in New Bern, Morehead City, and surrounding communities.

To handle this anticipated student load, 29 elementary classrooms, in addition to the 10 already requested, and a high school of 25 classrooms, with an auditorium, lunchroom etc., would be needed.

Other members of the sub-committee were Thomas H. Burke (D-Ohio), and Roy W. Wier (D-Minn.). Brigadier General John K. Cannon, USA, represented Ft. Bragg at the hearing. Major William Ward, Jr., USMC, appeared for Camp Lejeune. Educational officials from Fayetteville and Cumberland counties were also present.

### Morehead's White Way Goes into Operation

Morehead City's new white way on Arendell street went into operation for the first time Friday night.

The new lights, authorized by town commissioners over a year ago, extend from the Jefferson hotel to 11th street.

They operate under a new mechanism which turns them on and off automatically, according to the intensity of natural light.

George Stovall, manager of Tide Water Power company, stated that he hopes to install a similar system in Beaufort as soon as the equipment is available.

### Farmers Must Report To ACP Office by Nov. 1

Farmers in the county are again reminded that Tuesday, Nov. 1, is the closing date for reporting practices carried out under the 1949 ACP program, ACP officer B. J. May stated today.

All approvals of practices not reported by Tuesday will be canceled and money for the practices returned to the county pool, Mr. May stated. He also reminded farmers that no more purchase orders will be issued for winter cover crop seeds and permanent pastures.

All of the \$16,000 allotted to the county for carrying out practices in 1950 has been allocated to farmers. May continued, and therefore no further approvals can be given with promise of payment unless additional funds can be secured. He concluded that there is no possibility of securing more money until spring, if then.

### State JC Head Names C. Wheatly For District Job

Claud Wheatly, Jr., of Beaufort was appointed district 8 vice-chairman of the State Jaycee Hoover Commission Project committee at a district 8 meeting in the Kingston Jaycee Youth Center Monday night.

Micou Browne of Raleigh, state Jaycee president, appointed Mr. Wheatly to what was termed "one of the most important jobs in district 8 this year." More than 100 Jaycees from eight eastern North Carolina towns, 20 of them from Morehead City and three from Beaufort, assembled in Kingston to discuss the findings of the Hoover Commission investigating federal government practices.

Frank Owens, president of Kingston Jaycees, opened the meeting and then presented Bernard Leary of Morehead City, vice-president of district 8. Mr. Leary in turn introduced the two guest speakers, Micou Browne and Dave Harris of Charlotte.

Principal speech of the evening was made by Harris who is state chairman of the Jaycee Hoover Commission Project committee. Harris explained the findings of the commission and what effects its recommendations would have upon the federal government if carried out.

Following Harris' speech the group passed a resolution adopting the state and national Jaycee plan for advocating reforms in the federal government. It was agreed that local clubs should be encouraged to educate the public to the findings of the Hoover commission and also to request signatures to petitions to the president of the United States urging needed reforms.

Last item of business at the meeting was the choosing of a meeting spot for the next district 8 meeting in January. Greenville was chosen as the site.

### Rotarians Hear Talk on Cripples

Beaufort Rotarians were urged to help cripples in every way possible, particularly in matters of rehabilitation and employment, by Rotarian Jack Oakley at the meeting Tuesday night in the Inlet Inn dining room.

Mr. Oakley's program concerned the care of crippled children. He brought a two-year-old crippled child, David Canfield, Morehead City, to the meeting to demonstrate that such a disability was not necessarily one that confined a child's activities.

The child displayed his artificial limb and easily showed Rotarians that it was no handicap by jumping and frolicking as well or better than any child his age. Mr. Oakley stated that present day scientific orthopedic surgery had done so much to correct his deformity that he seemed to be perfectly normal in all his physical activities.

President Thomas Ennett showed the club a bulletin from the Athens, Greece, Rotary club and read excerpts from the bulletin. He also read a letter from the president of the Athens club stating that this was the first post-war publication of the group.

Following the regular meeting the board of directors met and decided that the club should sponsor the Boy Scout movement and Beaufort's summer recreation program as its principal project of the year. It was stated that the group could choose no project as worthwhile for community service as the ones chosen.

Guests at the meeting were George W. Dill, Jr., mayor of Morehead City, and R. P. Moore, Goldsboro, district soil conservationist with the United States Department of agriculture.

### Beaufort PTA to Sponsor Carolina Hayride Caravan

Beaufort Parent-Teacher association will sponsor the Carolina Hay Ride Caravan at 8 o'clock Friday night in the school auditorium.

Starring in the show will be Uncle Ray and Winstead, also featured will be Tye Frost and "The Melody Boys," with "Susie Q" as the special added attraction. The Fishermen's Quartet of Harkers Island will sing.

James Garland Willis, Morehead City, was sentenced to two years on the roads in Tuesday's session of recorder's court when he entered a plea of nolo contendere to the charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

Sentence was suspended on condition that Willis remain sober and on good behavior for five years, pay a \$50 fine and costs, and pay \$500 to the clerk of superior court for the use of the prosecuting witness, Larry Ward, Morehead City Negro.

The charge was drawn up as the result of an encounter Saturday night, Sept. 24, when authorities said Willis cut Ward severely about the body with a knife.

According to police reports, Ward was employed at a white residence on 13th street off Shackleford street in Morehead City.

The Saturday night in question when he finished work he left the residence and met his girl friend who was waiting for him in front of the house. Further down the block they passed a house where Willis was sitting on the porch.

Witnesses reported that Willis jumped from the porch exclaiming "We don't want any niggers around here." With that he struck Ward several blows with a knife, inflicting several deep cuts in his chest near his heart.

Ward was taken to Morehead City hospital where he received treatment for a considerable period of time.

William Fenner Kelton, Morehead City Negro, charged with reckless and careless driving, drunken driving, involvement in an accident, damage to property, and hit and run, was found guilty of drunken driving and sentenced to six months on the roads.

Sentence was suspended on condition Kelton pay a \$100 fine, the costs of court, and cost of the damages to the car of Julius Caesar Stanley. A second charge of drunken driving against Kelton was not pressed.

Charges against Kelton arose as a result of his wild ride through Beaufort and the causeway Sunday night striking one car in Beaufort and another on the Morehead City bridge.

Mildred Garrish and Annie May Smith were both found guilty of See JUDGE ORDERS, Page 4

### Farm Contest To Close Nov. 5

The Better Farming for Better Living contest booklets must be in the hands of the county home agent or the county farm agent by Nov. 5, it was announced today.

Forty-six families in the county are participating in the contest, according to Mrs. Carrie Gillikin, home agent, but they will not be eligible for any of the cash awards unless their contest booklets are turned in by the deadline.

This booklet is sponsored cooperatively by Tide Water Power company, the agriculture extension agents in the county, and the Beaufort chamber of commerce.

Families participating keep account of the greater part of a year's work on the farm. It covers their activities in the community, eating habits, appearance and efficiency of their farm and home, land and farm practices, production, and business operations.

A sweepstakes prize will go to the family having the highest score in all 13 counties participating. Two regional awards will also be made. One region includes Bladen, Brunswick, Columbus, Duplin, New Hanover, and Pender counties; the other region includes Carteret, Craven, Greene, Jones, Lenoir, Onslow, and Pamlico counties.

### Clerk of Court Issues Warning to Businessmen

A. H. James, clerk of superior court, reminded businessmen today that any of them who are operating a business or firm under an assumed name must register that name in the clerk of court's office. This does not apply, however, to firms incorporated under state law.

### Morehead City to Consider Granting More Cab Permits

At the request of various cab companies in Morehead City, the town has agreed to consider the issuing of four more taxi permits.

A public hearing on the matter has been scheduled for 7:30 Tuesday night, Nov. 8, at the municipal building.

Specifically scheduled for consideration is an additional permit for the Service Cab company, an additional permit for City Cab company, one more for Veterans Cab company, and another for Quincy Hester.