

## Public Health Workers Hear Dr. Grady Dixon

### Southeastern Health Workers Association Meets At Atlantic Beach

Dr. Grady G. Dixon of Ayden, president of the State Board of Health, in speaking to the Southeastern Health Workers association Friday following luncheon in the Ocean King hotel, urged them to remember the importance of general medicine and the necessity of their cooperation with the private practitioner.

His talk was followed by the election of officers. Heading the organization for the coming year is Miss Marie Farley, Jacksonville; W. C. Haas, Wilmington, vice-president; and James Caldwell, Jacksonville, secretary-treasurer.

### Nominations

Nominations for officers were presented by Dr. A. H. Elliott of Wilmington who also invited the association to Wilmington for its next quarterly meeting. The invitation was accepted.

Miss Farley succeeds Dr. G. V. Gooding of Kenansville, who presided at the luncheon meeting. The invocation was given by the Rev. Priestley Conyers, pastor of the W. E. B. Memorial Presbyterian church, Morehead City, and the address of welcome by Dr. S. W. Hatcher, president of the Carteret County Medical society.

To illustrate his theme, the importance of cooperation between public health and private practice, Dr. Dixon envisioned a tree with its roots representing science, the trunk, general practice; the branches, specialized fields of medicine; and the leaves, research.

### 'Strength in Source'

All specialization, he explained, must look to the source for its strength, the general practice of medicine, Dr. Dixon stated.

"In the field of public health, to you as public health workers it seems to me always imperative to remember that only as you go back to . . . general medicine can you become effective in your program," he continued. "Everywhere private practitioners are ready to cooperate with the program of public health . . ."

"It is necessary that you keep your medical society informed as to your program and keep in mind that your findings are to be referred to the private practitioner upon whose judgement the next move rests . . . general medicine is your strongest ally and to cut yourself from it is to cut a branch from its parent . . ." the speaker emphasized.

Dr. N. Thomas Ennett, Carteret county health officer, extended a welcome to the group on behalf of the Carteret county health department, which was host. He introduced the special guests, Dr. K. P. B. Bonner, chairman of the county board of commissioners and the county board of health, and Miss Ruth Peeling, editor of the Carteret County NEWS-TIMES.

## Mrs. John Nelson Dies Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Hattie Willis Nelson, Gloucester, wife of Capt. John A. Nelson, former fisheries commissioner, were conducted at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at her home. The Rev. R. N. Fitts, pastor of Marshallberg Methodist church, officiated, assisted by the Rev. H. G. Cuthrell, former pastor of the church. Interment was in Marshallberg.

Mrs. Nelson, who was 71, celebrated her 50th wedding anniversary Tuesday, Aug. 8. Captain Nelson, who retired on July 1, had served 49 years as head of the State Commercial Fisheries division.

Surviving are her husband; four sons, Stacy G. Nelson of Aulander, Ernest Nelson of Morehead City, Cranston and Clifton Nelson, both of Gloucester; three daughters, Mrs. Kel Gillikin of Marshallberg, Mrs. Roy Willis of Beaufort, and Mrs. Frank Krusz of Gloucester; two sisters, Mrs. Cullie Piner and Mrs. Madeline Wade of Williston; one brother, Tom Willis of Williston, and eight grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Sammy Leffers, Monroe Willis, Brady Wade, Leslie Wade, Ira Willis, Guy Willis, Guy Gaskill, and Joe Piner.

Out-of-town guests at the funeral were the Rev. and Mrs. Leoland Jackson of Salisbury, Md., Oscar Breese, Fayetteville.

Mrs. Nelson was the daughter of the late Isaac and Hannah Wade Willis of Williston.

## Town Commissioners Name Recreation Board

### At a Friday afternoon meeting of the Morehead City commissioners

which was continued from an Aug. 3 session, members of the Morehead City Recreation commission were appointed in accordance with the general statute on operation of municipal recreation programs. The board adopted the statute as their first step following the approval in referendum of a 10-cent levy for recreation, then they named members of the commission. Mayor George W. Dill, in announcing the commission, stated that most of those appointed have not had an opportunity to inform municipal authorities whether they would accept.

Four ex-officio members have been named. They are Thomas C. McGinnis, county superintendent of public welfare; Walter Freeman, town commissioner; Ralph Wade, high school faculty member; and Dr. D. J. Eure, who has been designated as "health" commissioner in the program. They will serve one-year terms.

"Operative" members of the board are as follows: Earle Mobley and Mrs. A. B. Roberts, jr., one-year terms; Skinner Chalk, jr., and Mrs. George Roberts Wallace, two-year terms; Mrs. O. H. Johnson, and Bruce L. Goodwin, three-year terms.

### To Elect Officers

These directors are required by law to meet periodically and at their first meeting to elect officers. At the Friday meeting the town board also agreed to contribute \$100 to the Protestants' association which is fighting the Tide Water Power company rate increase.

### Resolution Passed

A resolution concerning laying of sanitary sewers was also passed. This resolution stipulates that the amount to be charged property owners who want a sewer laid in their block will be set after a survey has been made to determine the overall cost. Levies will then be apportioned accordingly.

A former resolution stated that in 12 out of 16 property owners in a block paid a fee of \$50, the sewer would be laid. This ruling was adopted on an experimental basis but the amount levied has been found inadequate, according to Mayor Dill.

### Request Granted

H. L. Joslyn, town resident, appeared before the board and requested a laying of a sewer in a block in the western part of the town on the \$50 plan and his request was granted because the town had failed to amend the original ruling.

They then passed the new regulation.

## Honorary Tar Heels to Visit

Prospects are that 12 to 15 Honorary Tar Heels will be guests in Morehead City for three days in September. Robert G. Lowe, Morehead City chamber of commerce manager, announced yesterday.

Lowe said the Honorary Tar Heels, members of a group which is composed of out-of-state writers, photographers and publicists who have sponsored North Carolina in their particular field, would be guests in Morehead City, Sept. 16-18.

While here they will spend most of their time fishing and enjoying recreational facilities in Carteret county. All members of the group will be guests of local merchants and businessmen.

Some of those expected to be on hand are Leonard C. Roy and Gilbert LaGorce of the National Geographic magazine, John Stewart of Pathfinder magazine, Ray Trullinger, field and stream editor of the New York World-Telegram, Ollie Atkins, Saturday Evening Post Photographer, Joe Lowes, publicist, Tom McEvoy of Life magazine and Don Tracy and Al DeLardi, free lance writers.

Chester Davis, feature editor of the Winston-Salem Journal and Sentinel, also will be a special guest.

## Tide Table

Tides at Beaufort Bar		
HIGH	Tuesday, Aug. 15	LOW
9:09 a.m.		3:04 a.m.
9:28 p.m.		3:19 p.m.
Wednesday, Aug. 16		
9:51 a.m.		3:41 a.m.
10:10 p.m.		4:05 p.m.
Thursday, Aug. 17		
10:37 a.m.		4:20 a.m.
10:55 p.m.		4:54 p.m.
Friday, Aug. 18		
11:26 a.m.		5:03 a.m.
11:44 p.m.		5:47 p.m.

### Governor Will Visit

Gov. W. Kerr Scott will arrive at the nation's capital Friday to attend ceremonies commemorating Aug. 18 as North Carolina Day in conjunction with the Sesquicentennial celebration now going on at Washington. North Carolina is the 26th of 48 states and five territories to be so honored.

# National Guard Unit Gets 30-Day Notice; Carteret County's First Reservist Called

## Photographers Include Carteret In Two Movies

Two photographers, John Ehly and C. Sommer, have been in the county the past week taking movie shots for two reels of film which will be released next year by the advertising division of the State Board of Conservation and Development.

One documentary film will be 30 to 40 minutes in length. Mr. Ehly stated, and the other film, a travelogue will be 15 to 20 minutes in length. Both movies will be in color with sound.

The films will be distributed on a national scale, in accordance with plans made by Charlie Parkers, the bureau's director. Shooting of the films is under the direction of the communications center of the University of North Carolina.

In Carteret county the photographers have made pictures of fishermen mending nets at Harkers Island, Fort Macon, boat building, the beach, commercial and sports fishing, and the race track. They also plan a trip to Ocracoke.

Mr. Ehly and Mr. Sommer plan to leave tomorrow, but stated they may have to return prior to coming here, they were in Dare county. Shooting of the films began six weeks ago and is expected to be complete by Jan. 1, 1951.

## Phone Official Talks Rate Rise With Rotarians

Public utilities, such as Carolina Telephone and Telegraph company, have only one source of raising additional money if they need capital to improve their service, and that is by increasing rates. W. C. Darrow, commercial manager of the telephone company told Morehead City Rotarians at their Thursday night meeting.

Darrow said that under regulation of public utilities in North Carolina, it is impossible for any utility to accumulate a surplus for future improvements. He said that if any surplus was left over annually after stockholders were paid their dividends, it went for the purchase of new equipment instead of to a regular surplus fund.

If the company does accumulate a surplus annually, the State Utilities commission forces it to reduce its rates, the source of the surplus is gone and no equipment whatsoever can be purchased, either for present or future use, Darrow said.

Therefore, the commercial manager added, the small surplus that accumulates each year is used to buy small amounts of new equipment and when large amounts of equipment are needed, the company necessarily has to raise its rates in order to obtain funds to buy it. This need for large amounts of new equipment was the cause of Carolina's recent request for a rate increase he concluded.

Guests at the meeting were H. F. Davis, district manager for the telephone company, and Larry Jones, guest of his father, Rotarian Clyde Jones.

## Lions Receive Bronze Plaque

Former Lions president, Frank Moran, presented the club Thursday night with a bronze plaque in recognition of a net gain of 12 members during the year ended June 30, 1950.

It was also reported at the regular weekly meeting in the Fort Macon hotel that Lions International now has 8,055 clubs in 28 different countries on five continents, with a membership of 402,841.

Lion Charles L. Price, jr., extended the club an invitation to attend MCTI graduation exercises Thursday night. The group decided to go to the exercises in a group, following their meeting.

Lion Fred Lewis, chairman of a Ladies Night committee, reported that a fried chicken supper at Atlantic Beach has been planned for the night of Aug. 24.

Mrs. Ruby Holland, clerk of local draft board 16, announced yesterday that records from Kinston arrived in Beaufort Friday.

## Battery B Receives Alert Friday

The national emergency made itself felt in many Carteret county homes during the weekend with the alerting for a call to active duty of the county's National Guard unit, Battery B, 449th Field Artillery Observation battalion, and the first call to active duty of a reservist in the county, Sgt. Floyd M. Chadwick, jr., of Morehead City.

Battery B received its alert Friday and was told to be ready for a call to active duty within 30 days. Its post when called to active service was not revealed due to military secrecy.

Sergeant Chadwick on Friday received orders to leave Thursday for Keesler Field, Biloxi, Miss., for active duty with the Air Force, of which he is a reservist. His orders stated that after two days processing at Keesler Field he is to proceed to Robins Air Force base in Georgia for regular duty.

### Lt. Alford Commands

Battery B is commanded by Lt. Ben Alford of Morehead City. Other officers in the unit are Lts. Howard L. Rivers, Morehead City, Merritt E. Bridgman, Havelock, Norman E. Masters, New Bern, and McDonald Nelson, Havelock. Master-Sergeant William T. French of Newport, RFD 1, is first sergeant.

The 449th Field Artillery Observation battalion has headquarters in Smithfield with Lt.-Col. Norman Grantham its commanding officer. Battery A is located in Kinston.

Sergeant Chadwick is a radio operator with the Air Force Airways Communication service. He entered the Air Force Feb. 11, 1943, and served in South Dakota, Kansas, Iowa and California before going overseas to Hickam Field, Hawaii.

### Served in Pacific

From Hickam Field he was sent to Kwajalein Island in the Marshalls group. He remained on Kwajalein for 18 months, except for a 30-day tour of duty on Majuro Island. In December of 1945 he returned to the United States and received his discharge at Ft. Bragg.

Notice of the call to active duty came as a complete surprise. Sergeant Chadwick stated. His was the first call to active duty of any reservist in Carteret county since the beginning of the Korean crisis.

### 67 Men

Sixty seven enlisted men, in addition to M/Sgt. French, comprise the remainder of Battery B. Their names follow: Hugh W. Gaskins, William L. Yeager, Charles K. Broadhurst, Harold L. Hooks, Arthur K. Lewis, Willie W. Moore, Frederick G. Nelson, William O. Ball, John C. Brewer, Albert S. Brogden, William G. Lovick, William M. Porter and Martin N. Willis, all of Morehead City.

Also from Morehead City are Lester L. Hall, jr., Roger L. Hogard, Samuel L. Hughes, Mart T. Lewis, Elbert D. O'Neal, jr., Garland R. Smith, Donald L. West, Clarence F. Bell, Andrew Guthrie, David L. Guthrie, Thomas E. Lewis, Milton Robinson, jr., Hubert W. Smith, Reginald T. West, Linwood E. Willis, Calvin T. Player and Horace L. Piner.

From Newport RFD 1, Vernon B. Taylor, Lonnie P. Henderson, Charles T. Pringle, Neal A. Cagle. See GUARD, Page 8

## A&NC Re-Elects Officers; Fry Roofing Magnate Speaks

All officers, directors and members of the executive committee of the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad, state-owned line, were re-elected at the A and NC's annual meeting Friday at Atlantic Beach hotel.

Re-elected president was M. G. Mann, formerly of Newport and now living in Raleigh. Others who will serve with him are W. Guy Hargett of Richlands, secretary-treasurer, R. Wayne Albright of Raleigh, attorney, L. V. Morrill of Wilson, inspector, and Hilton Smith of Raleigh, expert.

### Executive Committee

As president of the railroad, Mann was also elected president of the executive committee. Others on that committee are H. S. Gibbs, Morehead City, G. Frank Seymour, Goldsboro, and Judson Blount, Greenville.

Besides Blount, those on the board of directors are Mann, Seymour, Gibbs, L. W. Hassell, mayor of Beaufort, Dempsey Hodges of Kinston, William Dunn of New Bern, Thomas W. Davis of Pink Hill, W. O. Abbit of Williamston, George D. Folk of Edenton, George

W. Ipock of Ernul and Maj. J. T. Kingsley of Norfolk, president of the Norfolk-Southern Railroad.

Only change made in finance committee officers was the election of C. A. Eury of New Bern to replace G. Allen Ives. Others on the committee are H. L. Joslyn of Morehead City, Thurmon Williams of Griffin and Ray Henderson and Ben O. Jones, both of New Bern.

In his address to the stockholders, President Mann emphasized the part Morehead City should play as a part in the railroad's development. He said it was the closest port in the east coast to shipping lanes and had the lowest pilot charge in and out of the port.

### Port Possibilities

Development of the port will bring added revenue to the railroad, not only in the Morehead City area but along its entire trackage to Goldsboro, Mann declared. He asked the stockholders to renew their efforts toward improvement and development of Morehead port facilities.

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### Expressed Faith in State

Governor Scott said he had nothing but the deepest faith in the state's ability to pay off its indebtedness. Reflection of this faith from financial experts is shown in the low interest rate, slightly more than one-and-a-half per cent, asked by banking syndicates on the state's road bonds, he remarked.

The governor concluded that the people of the state want to "Go Forward" and that with the help of everyone in the state his program of making North Carolina greater will be a success.

### No Mayor's Court

There was no Morehead City mayor's court yesterday afternoon because the mayor was out of town on business.

### Body of Crash Victim Identified

Identification of Lieut. Robert W. Barnes, USMC, as the victim of a plane crash last May 18 on Osabaw Island near Savannah, Ga., was determined by the dental department at the Jacksonville Naval Air station, it was learned yesterday.

Lieutenant Barnes, the husband of Mrs. Margaret Barnes, formerly of Morehead City, was returning to Cherry Point air base from Jacksonville, Fla., when his Navy Corsair exploded and reportedly fell into St. Catherine's sound, 15 miles south of Savannah.

The identification was established by comparing seven or eight teeth with the chart on the Marine pilot's health record. The records were sent to Jacksonville, Fla., from the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.

The deceased pilot was assigned to the Second Radar Air wing, Cherry Point. Memorial services for him were conducted at the base Tuesday, May 23.

### Wanted 30 Years

It may take a little prodding on the state's part to complete these programs, Governor Scott observed, but they will be finished. "After all," he commented, "I tried to get a telephone for 30 years and it was only after I ran for governor that I got one!"

"And," he chuckled, "if any of you don't have a phone now I'll be for you if you go to the extreme I did!"

Critics of the governor's program have been sadly mistaken in their charges that the state is going into debt on a heavier scale than the federal government, Scott remarked. He said that on the contrary the last legislation reduced taxes and that the only tax increase, a one cent per gallon gasoline tax, was voted by the people of the state themselves to remove the "mud tax."

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### 32 MCTI Students Will Graduate Thursday Night

Henry Lee Bridges, State Auditor, will Deliver Commencement Address

Thirty-two students of Morehead City Technical institute who have completed a one-year course will receive their graduation certificates at ceremonies Thursday night at the institute. The graduation exercises will begin at 8 p.m.

The guest speaker will be Henry Lee Bridges, state auditor. Col. J. W. Harrelson, chancellor of North Carolina State college, will preside and the certificates will be presented by E. W. Ruggles, director of State college extension division.

The Rev. L. A. Tilley, pastor of the First Methodist church, Morehead City will give the invocation. This will be the third annual commencement and the first to be held at the institute. Former graduating classes received their certificates at programs in the Morehead City high school auditorium.

James I. Mason director of the institute, extends an invitation to the public to attend the ceremonies. Members of the graduating class were honored at a dinner last night at the MCTI dining hall. Sidney Childress was toastmaster. John Kimberly gave a toast to the seniors and Vernon Suits responded. Mrs. William Lewis provided piano music. Also attending the dinner were members of the faculty.

### Governor Speaks At A&NC Meeting

Development of the port at Morehead City ties in directly with North Carolina's growth and improvement within coming years, Governor Kerr Scott told stockholders of the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad at their annual meeting Friday on Atlantic Beach.

Port development locally will have much to do with increasing industrialism in eastern North Carolina and making the state more self-sufficient, the chief executive stated. He said it could be seen easily that eastern North Carolina was badly in need of industrial development simply by looking at statistics that showed that only five per cent of North Carolina's industries were located east of Raleigh.

In former years the state has neglected its responsibility to the people but such is not the case now, Scott commented. In addition to developing ports at Wilmington and Morehead City he said satisfactory results were being achieved in road improvement, rural telephone extension, school construction and hospital construction.