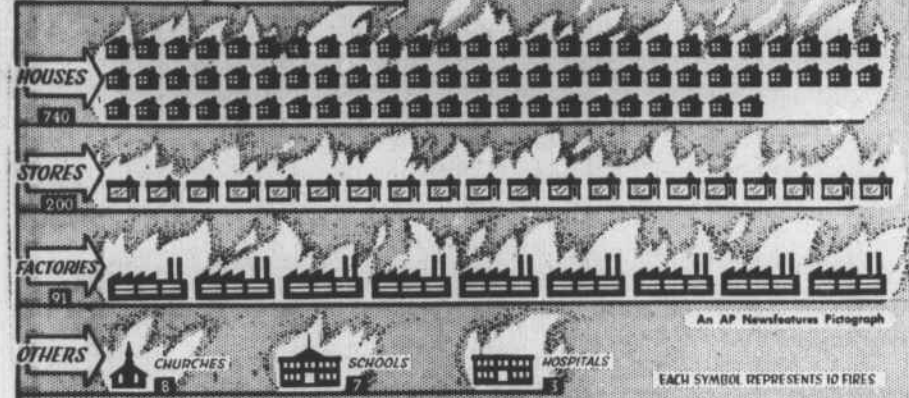


AN AMERICAN DAY OF FIRES



This is Fire Prevention Week. The National Fire Protection Association urges every homeowner and operator of a business establishment to check his buildings and remove fire hazards. This graph vividly shows the extent of disastrous fires in this nation during the course of one day.

Carteret 4-H Boys to Enter Calves in Wilmington Show

Lions Appropriate \$150 To Buy School Lunches

Morehead City Lions appropriated \$150 at their Thursday night meeting in the Fort Macon hotel to buy school lunches for needy children in the county.

The money is to be used to buy lunches for children in all county schools having lunch rooms. Lions stated. Lions Louis Norris, Harry Van Horne and Bobby Bell were appointed to administer the fund and select the neediest children.

Present at the meeting were Miss Imilda Townsend, blind case worker, and Thomas McGinnis, county superintendent of public welfare, to explain blind work carried on by the welfare department. Lions help to finance the blind program.

Miss Townsend said her work was concerned primarily with aiding the blind persons to improve their capabilities. She said she taught them braille and other forms of instruction and recreation that would enable them to occupy and amuse themselves.

Superintendent McGinnis said the work of the welfare department was slightly different from Miss Townsend's, in that the welfare department's job was aimed more at helping the blind and those with faulty sight.

His department's ultimate aim is to make these persons useful citizens who can help themselves, McGinnis stated.

Lions voted to maintain a booth at the county fair this month. This booth will be used to demonstrate the various devices used to aid blind persons.

Harry Van Horn, chairman of the Lions White Cane sale committee, stated that a full report still was not available on results of the White Cane sale. He did report, however, that 52 memberships had been sold to the North Carolina Association for the Blind.

Sale of the memberships was one aim of the White Cane campaign.

Lack of Cement Delays Opening of ABC Store

The opening date for the Have-lock ABC (liquor) store, the first in that community, has been delayed due to a shortage of cement, it was reported yesterday.

Originally, the Alcoholic Beverage Control store, which has been constructed next to Sermons filling station on highway 70, was scheduled to open Oct. 1. Cement for the floor could not be obtained, however, and finishing touches cannot be made until then.

The store, of concrete block construction, is being built by Oscar Sermons and will be rented to the Craven county ABC board.

Many Have-lock citizens are protesting against the store's opening. This is the second time that an attempt has been made to put an ABC store at Have-lock. The first attempt was stymied by ministers and congregations in the area.

Newport, New Bern, and Morehead City are looking upon the move with glum faces, fearful that the store's operation will cut sales at ABC stores in those towns. Each municipal government receives monthly a share of the liquor store profits.

Two Injured When Car Skids

William Sewell, Jacksonville, and Phil M. Jackson, Midway Park, were injured early Sunday morning when the car in which they were riding skidded and turned over on highway 24 about a mile west of the highway 24 and 70 intersection near Morehead City.

According to Patrolman J. W. Sykes, who investigated, the car, a 1948 Kaiser, was proceeding west on 24 when it ran off the right shoulder, careened to the left of the highway and shot 105 feet through the woods, turning over several times. It was raining when

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Score May Have Been 0-0, But It Adds Up to Good Football

The score was Beaufort 0, Morehead 0, but there will be argument until Thanksgiving as to which was the "better" team, which played the "best" brand of football, and who should have won the Mullet Bucket.

The crowd at the Thanksgiving game in Beaufort should top Friday night's 3,000 by far. Officer Herbert Griffin of Morehead City was asked Saturday morning: "Any fights last night?" The answer came back from a car-to-car grin: "Nope, everything went smooth."

Tommy Willis, 14, of Beaufort, declared in an after-game confab, "I didn't think Beaufort would win, but I sure didn't want Morehead to beat."

Eight Carteret county 4-H club boys will enter calves in the first annual Southeastern North Carolina Junior Dairy Cattle show Thursday and Friday at Wilmington.

The show, which is attracting exhibitors from 19 Southeastern North Carolina counties, is being sponsored by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.

100 Head Entered
Already more than 100 head of cattle have been signed up, according to the committee chairman. Exhibitors are boys and girls under 21 years of age from the counties of Bladen, Brunswick, Carteret, Columbus, Craven, Cumberland, Duplin, Hoke, Harnett, Jones, Lenoir, New Hanover, Onslow, Pamlico, Pender, Robeson, Sampson, Scotland, and Wayne.

Chairman R. G. Fitzgerald, in commenting on the show, reported that interest in it has "far-exceeded our expectations."

"We are looking forward to one of the best shows of this type ever held in the state. Anyone who comes to Wilmington to exhibit in this show will find a royal welcome waiting for him," Fitzgerald said.

The same Carteret boys entering calves in this show won a total of \$74 in prizes at a recent show at Wilson. They are Darrell Piner, son of Elwood Piner; Cecil Gillikin, son of Guy Gillikin; Mark Eubanks, son of Manley Eubanks; Henry Eubanks, son of Ivey Eubanks, all of Beaufort RFD; Tommy Oglesby, son of R. P. Oglesby, Morehead RFD; Herbert Page, son of Willie Page, Newport RFD; Leo Watson, son of Worth Watson, Pelletier; and Billy Simmons, son of Harold Simmons, Newport RFD.

Neil Bolton, secretary of the Wilmington show steering committee, has issued an appeal to all vocational agriculture teachers and county agents of the southeastern counties to send him a revised list of the number of exhibitors each county will have. The steering committee, he said, would like this list divided by boys and girls in order that the housing committee can make arrangements for housing for the boys and girls.

Parents Will Attend
Also, Bolton said he would like an estimate from the county agents and agricultural teachers as to how many parents are coming from the respective counties to attend the big banquet honoring the exhibitors and their parents Thursday night.

While details of the banquet have not yet been announced, both H. A. Marks, chairman of the banquet program committee, and Jacob Tinga, chairman of the banquet arrangements committee, have reported that those attending this event can be sure of a wonderful time.

Strength to the skies, an air of expectancy hung over every football fan... the first football game between Beaufort and Morehead City in nine years was in the offing.

A chilly northeaster swept across the field, but even the wind held its breath as green-clad Sea Dogs and their red-uniformed opponents lined up for the kick-off.

Red and black and green and white crepe paper streamers waved from white goal posts, their fragile flutterings contrasting with the confidence, fighting spirit, and robust performance of the two teams.

Ray Frances Hassell, reared in one of Beaufort's better-known families of baseball players, could not understand why they didn't keep playing extra quarters until one or the other of the teams won.

Except in tense moments the air reverberated with shouts of spectators and organized yells of the student bodies. The Morehead City See FOOTBALL, Page 7

Construction of Building at Airport Delayed by Shortage of Cement, Steel

County Fair Exhibits Due by 2 P. M. Tuesday

Mrs. Billie Smith, Beaufort RFD, will be in charge of Carteret county fair exhibits and will be at the exhibition building at the fairgrounds Monday and Tuesday of next week at 8 a. m. and throughout the day to accept exhibits.

There is no charge to put an item on display and this year the premiums are double the amount paid last year. For example, instead of \$1 for first prize in certain classifications, \$2 will be awarded. All exhibits must be entered no later than 2 p. m. Tuesday. Assisting Mrs. Smith in marking and classifying exhibits will be Mrs. Will Dail and Mrs. Paul Beachem, both of North River.

T. E. Kelly, Beaufort, in charge of the fair for the American Legion, sponsors, stated that booths in the new exhibit hall will be set up this week. He said all commercial exhibit space has been reserved by businessmen and there will be more school exhibits this year than last.

Lights in the parking area have been put up and arrangements made for both night and day watchmen. The 30 by 100 foot exhibit hall is complete. The metal building is finished with a blue shingle roof and electrical wiring was completed last week.

All types agricultural exhibits will be accepted, floral displays, canned fruits, meats, and vegetables, home cured meat, cakes, clothing, knitting, crocheting, paintings, handcraft, and seafood.

15 Examined
Fifteen persons were examined Thursday at the weekly cancer clinic at Kinston. Among those attending were persons from Morehead City and Oriental.

Coast Guardsmen, Firemen Search for Missing Doctor

The Coast Guard, Morehead City firemen and numerous volunteers rallied Friday night to search for a missing fisherman who turned up on his own, nervous and exhausted, several hours after the search began.

The fisherman, Dr. Oliver Fritz of Walkertown, near Winston-Salem, had gone out in the late afternoon in a small outboard motor boat to do some fishing.

Dr. Fritz did not return when expected and the Coast Guard was called by Copeland Motor Court, where he was staying.

The Coast Guard immediately began searching for the doctor but had little success since their boats were not of shallow enough draft to venture into waters where the Fritz boat was thought to be. The Coast Guard started its search before 10 p. m.

At 11 p. m. the Morehead City fire department was asked to assist and a general alarm was rung. Firemen began searching in their own private boats.

Both the Coast Guard and firemen continued their search until nearly 1 a. m. Saturday when the all-clear signal was rung. Dr. Fritz had returned to Copeland's.

The Forsyth doctor was exhausted from nervousness but still able to give a report on what had happened. He said that after he had finished fishing, he pulled in his anchor and prepared to start the outboard.

The motor would not start, though, and the boat drifted across the sound into marshes on the south side. The doctor became panicky, it was reported, and he was not able to start the outboard until several hours later.

The motor finally turned over however, and Dr. Fritz made it back to the motor court, just west of Morehead City under his own power.

Jack Kelley Speaks To State College Alumni



Jack Kelley, specialist in charge of animal husbandry for North Carolina State College Extension service, was the principal speaker at a meeting of the Carteret County State College club last night in Webb Memorial Civic Center, Morehead City. Mr. Kelley is pictured above.

Prior to becoming a specialist with the extension service in 1945, Kelly served for six years as the county agent of Jones county. He came to North Carolina from the University of Kentucky, where he received his BS and MS degrees in animal husbandry.

The new movie entitled, "North Carolina State College," was shown during the meeting. The motion picture is in color and with sound and depicts the work of State College during a 12-month period.

Today Mr. Kelley will visit with swine growers throughout the county. He will be accompanied by R. M. Williams, farm agent.

Rent Director Explains Law

John Perry, jr., area rent director, New Bern, announced today that there is no requirement as to public hearing, legal notice or other procedural matter if town boards wish to take action for continuing federal rent control in any incorporated place.

He said that all of the board of commissioners need do is to declare by resolution that a shortage of rental housing exists which requires the continuance of rent control.

Such resolution does not require approval of the governor, but the Housing Expediter should be notified promptly of the action, he explained. Without action to continue control, federal rent control will end Dec. 31.

He also pointed out the federal rent law provides that action to continue rent control after Dec. 31 may come through popular referendum, if that method is preferred to governing body action.

A further local option privilege, the rent official said, is that the board of commissioners could, even after passing a resolution to continue federal control, vote to end control any time between now and the end of the present federal rent law on June 30, 1951.

Accountant Explains New Income Tax Schedule

The new federal income tax schedule and its complexities were explained to Morehead City Rotarians by Albert Gaskill, accountant, at the Thursday night Rotary meeting.

President James I. Mason gave a brief report to the club on National Employ-The-Physically-Handicapped week. He urged all who could to employ the physically handicapped, or if not able to, refer them to the local employment office for assistance.

Robert (Bob) Banks was present as guest of Lou D. Gore.

Lack of cement and steel is delaying construction of the new administration building at the Beaufort-Morehead City airport, M. T. Mills, chairman of the airport commission reported yesterday.

All other materials are on the site and the building has been staked out. W. C. Flowers, Beaufort, is in charge of construction.

Mr. Mills said there were hopes that the building would be complete within a month, but with this material shortage he said no one can say when it will be finished.

The building, of concrete block construction, is located just south of the present one which is being used as the Piedmont Airlines office and headquarters for the county Civil Air Patrol.

It will contain a waiting room, dinette, office, and restrooms. Cost of construction is estimated at \$12,000.

The new road into the administration building, to go north from the west Beaufort road, has been approved. Philip Ball, county surveyor, was scheduled to survey the road yesterday morning but probably didn't do so because of the rain storm, Mr. Mills stated.

Obtaining of all right-of-ways from property owners concerned was effected Saturday.

Mr. Mills repeated his warning that any motorists found using the airport runway as a road, now or in the future, will be taken to court without fail and prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

Superintendent Releases Faculty Arrangements

H. L. Joslyn, county superintendent of schools, today released names of teachers and the classes under their instruction. Beaufort and Morehead City faculty arrangements appear below. The remainder will appear in Friday's issue of THE NEWS-TIMES.

Beaufort, T. G. Leary, principal, physical education and science; Mrs. Madolyn Ainsworth, commercial; Miss Lena Duncan, history; Miss Gladys Chadwick, math and English; Mrs. Olivia P. Floyd, French, English, history.

Thomas McQuaid, mathematics, physical education; Miss Velna Collins, English, library; Frank Hawkins, physics, biology, general science; Mrs. Annie Salter, English; Mrs. Geraldine Beveridge, home economics; Miss Shirley Johnson and W. H. Skarren, 8th grade.

Everett S. Stevens, jr., P. N. Marsteller, 7th; Mrs. Florence Brooks, 6th and 7th; Mrs. Ormah Jenkins and Miss Maude Greene, 6th; Mrs. Grace Fodrie and Mrs. Margaret Hopkins, 5th; Mrs. Pearl Day and Mrs. Nellie Willis, 4th; Miss Leslie Arrington, 4th and 5th.

Miss Susan Rumley and Mrs. Mary Gray Hill, 3rd; Miss Janice Pake, 2nd and 3rd; Miss Catherine Gaskill and Mrs. Elvin T. Hancock, 2nd; Mrs. D. M. Fulcher, Mrs. Beatrice Martin and Miss Myrtle Piver, 1st.

Morehead City, Mrs. Helen Baily, math, French; Miss Pearl Brinson, English; Mrs. Rosalie Dowdy, English and library; Mrs. Zelma Phillips, history, Latin, sociology; Gannon Talbert, jr., math, physical education.

J. C. Staton, English, math, physics; Mrs. Florence Cordova, home economics; Delfido Cordova, industrial education; Ruth Self, commercial; Ralph T. Wade, music; Mrs. Grace Wallace and Mrs. Octavia Nelson, 8th; Mrs. Mamie Taylor, 7th and 8th.

Mrs. Treasure Malone and Charles A. Hester, 7th; Miss Katherine Pope and Miss Flora Davis, 6th; Mrs. Bessie Wade, 5th and 6th; Miss Edith Lewis and Miss Bettie Harker, 5th; Mrs. Evelyn Lewis and Miss Annie May Gibbs, 4th.

Mrs. Lallah Williams and Mrs. Ethel Holloway, 3rd; Mrs. G. T. Windell, Miss Alice Veach, and Mrs. Rosalie Davis, 2nd; Mrs. Grattis Mason, Mrs. Sara Willis and Mrs. Lucile Smith, 1st.

Tide Table

Tides at Beaufort Bar	
HIGH	LOW
Tuesday, Oct. 10	
6:47 a.m.	2:36 a.m.
7:09 p.m.	1:07 p.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 11	
7:34 a.m.	1:19 a.m.
7:56 p.m.	1:56 p.m.
Thursday, Oct. 12	
8:21 a.m.	2:03 a.m.
8:43 p.m.	2:45 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 13	
9:10 a.m.	2:47 a.m.
9:31 p.m.	3:35 p.m.

Reported wounded in the Korean theatre is Second Lt. Harvey A. Goss, husband of Mrs. Harvey A. Goss, 243 Bee and Lee drive, Midway Park.

114 New Homes To Go Up Soon At Swansboro

Total Cost of Proposed Housing Project Will Be \$976,000

Jacksonville—Plans for a housing project which will almost double the number of homes in Swansboro have been announced by Clyde L. Sabiston, president of the Sabiston Building corporation here. The cost of the project was set at approximately \$976,000 by Sabiston.

Plans call for the construction of 114 new homes in an area on highway 24, on the west edge of the present Swansboro city limits. Work on the first 20 houses is expected to begin sometime between Oct. 1 and 15, Sabiston said. As soon as processing on the first houses is completed by the Federal Housing administration, he continued, work will be started.

Project Praised
Mayor M. N. Lisk of Swansboro this week described the project as "a wonderful thing for Swansboro."

The housing, he said, will be a valuable asset to the town. "There is a demand here for housing," he continued, "dozens and dozens of people are hunting places to live here every week and would buy homes if they had the chance."

Swansboro now has 151 homes, Lisk said. When the project is completed there will be 266. The mayor estimated the town's present population is about 1,000.

Sabiston said the homes will be of frame and brick veneer construction, and will be five and six rooms. They will be priced at a range between \$7,000 and \$11,500. The homes will be built in lots of 20.

The Swansboro town board has agreed to extend the city limits to include the new development.

Severe Storm Hits Carteret County

A severe electrical storm struck the Carteret coast yesterday morning with its blinding and destructive charges of lightning and three inches of rain.

One of THE NEWS-TIMES' two 5 KVA transformers blew out in a flash of flame, halting operations in the mechanical department for an hour and a half.

In the excitement one of the linetype operators, Henry Gibat, fell over backward in his chair, all the lights went out and one of the telephones rang and rang. Upon lifting the receiver all that could be heard was the dial tone.

Lightning struck one of Tide Water Power company's poles near the race track and knocked out three insulators. A 2,300 volt switch was damaged at the plant in Morehead City but due to automatic equipment there was no outage on any of the lines, according to J. C. Maultsby, acting manager while George Stovall, regular manager, is on vacation.

The Carolina Telephone and Telegraph company said there were minor disturbances. Twenty-eight service difficulties were reported in Morehead City, most of them due to wet cables. L. A. Daniels, manager said.

The rain started at about 9:45 and during the following three hours, E. Stamey Davis, official weather observer for the county, said three inches of rain fell. Damage at THE NEWS-TIMES plant was estimated at several hundred dollars. According to Lockwood Phillips, publisher, the only thing which prevented a serious fire was fireproof material of which the plant is constructed. "Had this happened in the old Twin City plant," he remarked, "or the plant in Beaufort, there would be no newspaper today and thousands of dollars worth of machinery would have to be replaced."