

Barbour Machine Shop Owner Breaks Up Attempted Safe Robbery

Members May Attend Any 'Community Concert' in Nation, Chairman Says

Mrs. Charles Hassell, Beaufort, chairman of the Carteret-Cherry Point community concerts association, reminded prospective community concert members today that their concert tickets are usable anywhere in the United States where community concerts are given.

She remarked that many people, especially Marines and their families, whose future place of residence is indefinite, may refuse to purchase memberships on the basis that they will not be in this area to hear the concerts.

One-Week Campaign

The Community Concerts Membership campaign will begin next Monday, Nov. 6, and continue only one week.

Tickets will be sold at Eastern Rulane Sales on Front st., Beaufort and at the municipal building, Morehead City. The Eastern Rulane office space is being contributed through the courtesy of Jack Crawford, manager of the office, and the municipal building space through the cooperation of town officials of Morehead City.

There will also be an office for sale of tickets at Havelock.

Dinner at Beaufort

The membership campaign will begin with a dinner at 7:30 next Monday night at Beaufort school. One hundred persons, membership solicitors and Community Concerts officers, will attend. The dinner is free of charge to all concert workers and will be served by the Beaufort Parent-Teacher association.

Mrs. W. L. Woodard, Beaufort, membership chairman, said all solicitors will receive a special notice of the dinner by phone or by mail this week.

Further information on the Community Concerts membership drive can be obtained by Morehead City residents from Mrs. George Dill and Mrs. A. B. (Jack) Roberts.

A membership entitles each holder to three concerts to be given in Beaufort and Morehead City by outstanding artists in the music world.

Hallowe'en Carnivals to Hold Spotlight at Schools Tonight

Beaufort and Morehead City schools will sponsor their annual Hallowe'en carnivals tonight.

The Beaufort carnival will begin at the school gymnasium at 7 p.m. and the Morehead City carnival at 5:30 p.m. on the school grounds.

Following events in the gymnasium, there will be the crowning of the Beaufort king and queen of carnival time in the auditorium.

Events in Morehead City school auditorium will begin at 8 o'clock. There will be no admission to enter the grounds at 5:30, Chairman Fred Lewis said, but admission will be charged to the auditorium where the king and queen will be crowned and elementary pupils will present a program under the direction of Mrs. John Nelson.

Lewis announced that more than \$200 has already been collected in balloting for the king and queen, princess and prince.

Cake, pie, candy, and soft drinks will be on sale and there will be numerous games to play.

The Morehead City carnival is sponsored by the Parent-Teacher association and the Beaufort carnival by the faculty. A baby contest is also being staged in connection with Beaufort festivities.

On the planning committee for the Morehead carnival, in addition to Lewis, are Mrs. George McNeill, Mrs. George Wallace, Alfred Cooper, Skinner Chalk, and Mrs. Lonnie Dill.

All teachers on the Beaufort faculty have participated in planning their event.

Annual Fishing Edition Will Appear Nov. 10

THE NEWS-TIMES' annual fishing edition, devoted to the commercial fishing industry of Carteret county, will appear in tabloid section of the newspaper Friday, Nov. 10.

THE NEWS-TIMES is the only semi-weekly along the south Atlantic seaboard which recognizes the value and importance of the fishing industry in an annual edition, and for the first time this year it will appear in tabloid form.

Advertisers wishing to be represented in this issue, which last year received special commendation in the North Carolina Press association contest, are requested to contact **THE NEWS-TIMES** advertising department no later than noon, Friday Nov. 3.

This issue is widely read, especially by those in the marine products industry, source of a major portion of county income.

Choral Club Will Present Concert Sunday Night

The newly organized Beaufort Choral club will present its first program next Sunday night, Nov. 5, in Ann Street Methodist church, Beaufort, at 7:30. The concert will be sponsored by the Alma Mater circle of the Woman's Society Christian Service.

Director of the club is Mrs. Charles Hassell and business manager is James Wheatley.

The program will consist of sacred music. The club is working on a large repertoire of popular and classical numbers, and plans to give several varied types of programs through the year.

A silver offering will be taken at the Sunday concert.

Members of the club are Ruth Whitehurst, Marie Webb, Mary Lily Haynes, Mary Ruth Nelson, Mrs. Charles Jarman, Iris Davis, Shirley Lipman, Sara Mason, Mrs. William Willis, Mrs. T. R. Jenkins, Shirley Johnson, Elizabeth Willis, Margaret Ann Windley, Dorothy Taylor, Mrs. Jarvis Herring, all of Beaufort, Mrs. Paul Branch and Mrs. Josiah Bailey, jr., both of Morehead City, Miss Bertha Davis and Mrs. Ralph Hancock, of Harkers Island, sopranos.

Contraltos are Mrs. Nell McLaren, Mrs. J. P. Harris, Mary Fond Mason, Peggy Guthrie, Elizabeth Bell, Carol Ann Willis, Nancy Russell, Merry Johnson, Mrs. John Butler, Marie Smith, Mrs. Cecil Harrell, Mary Sue Lynch and Edith Ann Willis, all of Beaufort.

Tenors are James Webb of Morehead City, A. C. Blankenship, Earl Lewis, George Cottingham, James Davis, Charles Hassell, all of Beaufort, and Elder Porter of Harkers Island.

Basses are Billy Downum, Charles Jarman, James Wheatley, James H. Potter, III, Howard Jones, jr., and John Nelson, of Beaufort.

Funeral Service Conducted at Sea

The body of Robert J. Crowell, 24, of Morehead City, was cremated and his ashes strewn on the waters near Beaufort bar at 8:30 yesterday morning. Mr. Crowell died Tuesday at the Veterans hospital, Fayetteville and the body was cremated Wednesday at Durham. He had been ill 18 months. Death was due to a malignant tumor.

The Rev. W. L. Martin, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, officiated at the service which was conducted aboard the Sophie, Mr. Crowell and his family had lived at Morehead City aboard a boat since the fall of 1948.

Also aboard the Sophie were the parents of the deceased, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Crowell, jr., of Marblehead, Mass., the parents of Mrs. Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Stason of Minnesota, Samuel Crowell III, brother of the deceased, and his wife of Richmond, Va., Mrs. Crowell, Bill Styron and Ted Miller, both of Morehead, Dr. F. E. Hyde, and Mrs. W. L. Martin, both of Beaufort.

Mr. Crowell attended the United States Naval academy at Annapolis prior to enrolling at Morehead City Technical institute. He and his wife continued to live aboard their first boat, the Black Crow, after their son, Robert, jr., who is now 22 months old, was born.

Mrs. Crowell and the baby, and her parents expect to leave this week for Bradenton Beach, Fla. The Sophie is now tied up in Morehead City.

Baptist Association Re-Elects M. Leslie Davis, Moderator

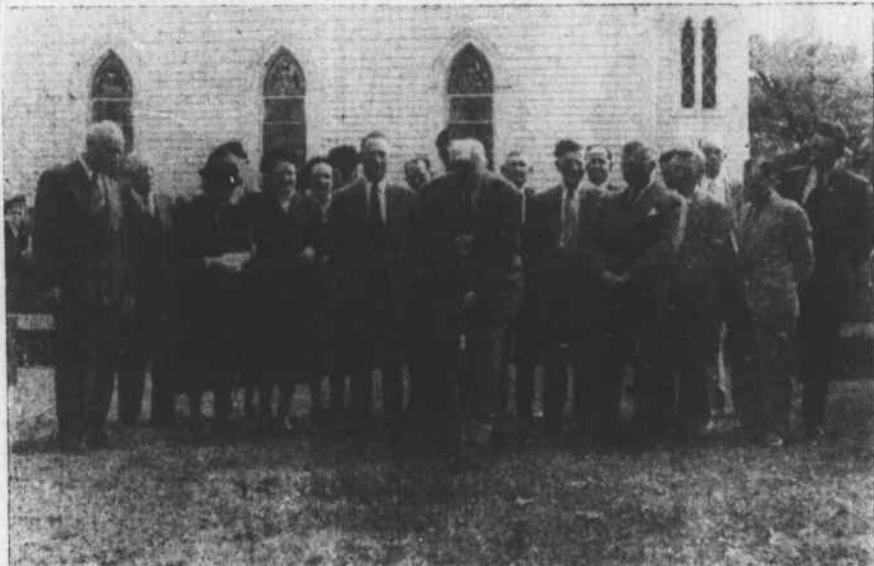
M. Leslie Davis, Beaufort, was re-elected moderator of the Atlantic Baptist association for the 37th time Thursday afternoon at the annual meeting in the Atlantic Baptist church. The Rev. Dr. John H. Bunn, pastor of the First Baptist church, Morehead City, was re-elected clerk-treasurer.

Close to 400 delegates, representing the 32 churches in the association, gathered in the new Baptist church at Atlantic for their two-day sixty-seventh annual session. This was the first time the association has ever met at Atlantic. The moderator, Mr. Davis, has not missed a meeting in 43 years.

Mr. Davis termed the session "very successful" and Dr. Bunn estimated that membership in the association has increased about 100 since last year. Members in 1949 totaled 5,010.

Taking part in the program, in addition to Mr. Davis and Dr. Bunn, were the following Carteret clergymen, the Rev. Lee A. Phillips, Marshallberg; Mrs. John Lashley, Morehead City; the Rev.

Baptists Witness Ground-Breaking



Ground is broken for the new sanctuary of the First Baptist church, Beaufort. The first spade of earth was turned over by M. Leslie Davis, outstanding Baptist layman. In the immediate foreground are the pastor, the Rev. Winfrey Davis, heads of various departments of the church, and leaders in the building program. Behind them are the deacons and deaconesses.

Voters Will Be Handed Fistful of Ballots Nov. 7

Each voter in Carteret county will receive at least four ballots as he steps into the voting booth next Tuesday, but in Beaufort, Morehead, and Newport townships voters will receive five ballots because in these townships constables are running for election.

F. R. Seeley, chairman of the county board of elections, predicts a light vote because, as he points out, there are no contests. A light vote is expected throughout the state.

Six Opposed.

Only six local Democratic nominees are opposed by Republicans. James H. Davis, Republican, is running against Sheriff C. G. Holland while the following Republicans are running against the incumbent commissioners: John E. Lewis, C. G. Gaskill, F. J. Mason, Elmer Dewey Willis, and Delmas Lewis.

All other county Democratic candidates are without opposition.

Only four state offices are being contested by Republicans. Halsey B. Leavitt opposes Sen. Clyde R. Hoey, E. L. Gavin is running against Willis Smith, Republican Robert H. McNeill opposes Sam Ervin, jr., running for associate justice of the supreme court, and Republican Guy Weaver will contest with Jeff D. Johnson, jr., as associate justice of the supreme court.

Township Candidates

For township offices Republicans are unopposed in Beaufort and Newport, while the Democratic candidate in Morehead is unopposed.

Gerald Woolard seeks the office of constable in Beaufort. Roy F. Garner is running for that office in Newport and A. L. Wilson is running for magistrate. All three are Republicans. Charlie M. Krouse seeks re-election as constable of Morehead township on the Democratic ticket.

Outranking in importance all other ballots, probably, is the ballot on proposed amendments to the state constitution. These will be voted on as follows:

- FOR** or **AGAINST**, permitting any person, when represented by counsel, to waive indictment in all except capital cases.
- FOR** or **AGAINST**, amendment securing and safeguarding the funds of the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System.
- FOR** or **AGAINST**, amendment allowing limited necessary compensation of members of the General Assembly.
- FOR** or **AGAINST**, permitting the General Assembly to prescribe the number of regular Superior Court judges in each judicial district, provided each district has at least one.
- FOR** or **AGAINST** transferring to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court the authority now exercised by the Governor in the assignment of judges and the calling of special terms of court, and empowering the Legislature to define the jurisdiction of the special judges.

Tide Table

Tides at Beaufort Bar

HIGH		LOW	
Tuesday, Oct. 31			
11:25 a.m.	4:55 a.m.	11:44 p.m.	5:59 p.m.
Wednesday, Nov. 1			
12:12 a.m.	5:42 a.m.	12:12 a.m.	6:47 p.m.
Thursday, Nov. 2			
12:36 a.m.	6:38 a.m.	1:04 p.m.	7:41 p.m.
Friday, Nov. 3			
1:37 a.m.	7:43 a.m.	2:03 p.m.	8:37 p.m.

Negro Flees as Lights in Shop Flash on Sunday Night

An attempted safe robbery in Beaufort Sunday night was thwarted only a few minutes before the would-be safecracker could get down to business. The thief had almost completed work preliminary to opening the safe in Barbour Marine Supply co. when he was discovered by J. O. Barbour, jr., and fled. Barbour owns and operates the company.

Barbour said he stopped at the shop on Front st. at about 8:30 Sunday night. He turned on the lights in the office and started into the machine shop to get a piece of equipment. There he switched on the lights in the shop and as he did so, saw a colored man dart from behind machinery, race through the shop and dive through an open window.

The would-be safecracker then ran out on the docks behind Barbour's shop, sped down the dock behind the freight line building next door, and ran out on Front st. by the Texaco filling station.

Asphalt Mixing Begins on Road To Salter Path

Superintendent Says Job May Be Finished in December if Weather Good

Work with the cold-mix asphalt on the Salter Path road paving project began yesterday.

J. L. Humphrey, county road superintendent, remarked that with favorable weather the paving should be completed sometime in December.

Work on the nine-mile stretch from Atlantic Beach to Salter Path began last week. The road has been graded, shrubbery along the shoulders cut, and the bed prepared for laying and rolling the asphalt.

This culminates a struggle of many years to get the road paved to Salter Path, one of Carteret county's most remote fishing communities.

Paving operations are beginning at the ball diamond and will proceed eastward toward Atlantic Beach. Approximately 25 men are in the road crew supervised by Willie Clements.

Mr. Humphrey also announced that excellent progress is being made on the Mill Creek road, but paving won't begin there until spring. It will take several months to stabilize the road, he explained.

The road superintendent also reported that work on the Ball road, near the Craven line, will begin this week.

State Assistant 4-H Leader Will Address Clubs

Home Demonstration Members Will Meet Thursday Night at Beaufort School

Miss Margaret Clark, assistant state 4-H leader and former home agent of Carteret county, will be the speaker Thursday night at the Beaufort annual Home Demonstration Achievement program at 8 o'clock in the Beaufort school auditorium.

Accomplishments of home demonstration clubs during the past year will be presented by Mrs. W. G. Simpson of the Russell's Creek club.

Will Give Awards

To those women who have met the home demonstration club reading requirements, certificates will be awarded and advanced recognition will be given five women who have read four non-fiction books and also have received a reading certificate in the past.

These women are Mrs. R. P. Gooding, Mrs. Billie Smith, and Mrs. Will Dail, all of North River club; Mrs. Lee Garner, Russell's Creek, and Mrs. Kenneth McCabe Camp Glenn.

Delegate to Report

Mrs. B. F. Copeland, former county council president, will give a report on her recent trip to a home demonstration conference at Biloxi, Miss., and Mrs. Smith, president of the county council, will preside during the program.

Musical numbers will be presented by the Friendly Trio.

Clubs in charge of the program are the following: welcoming committee, North River club; decorating committee, Core Creek-Harlowe club; refreshments, Bottle and Crab Point; registration Wiregrass, and program, Russell's Creek.

Officers Grab Bootleg Liquor

A prize loot of bootleg whiskey, 96 gallons, was grabbed by county officers at 1:30 a.m. Friday on highway 101 when a truck, driven by a colored man, wrecked at the steel bridge.

The driver escaped as the officers, who were chasing him closed in, but Marshall Ayscue, county Alcoholic Beverage Control officer, has sworn out a warrant charging Johnny Teel, Beaufort, with transporting non-tax-paid whiskey.

Ayscue sighted the truck near Harlowe and took after it. When the driver saw he couldn't outdistance the law, he ditched the load. The truck was towed to Beaufort by wrecker and Teel will be tried this morning in recorder's court.

Accompanying Ayscue was Deputy Sheriff Murray Thomas.

Migration Workers Help To Harvest Sweet Potatoes

Two crews of colored migratory laborers from Florida are available in the county to help dig sweet potatoes, R. M. Williams, county farm agent, announced today.

The crews are now working on the farms of Cleveland Gillikin, Bettie, and O. W. Lewis, Otway. Leader of one of the groups is Charles Sharpe, and leader of the other is Berry Hodges.

Harvesting of sweet potatoes began in the county the beginning of this month and continued on a large scale during the past few days. The farm agent said the yield is good.

The colored laborers are working their way south. They went north harvesting spring and summer crops and are now returning to Florida. They are expected to work next in the Crab Point area.

Grand Exalted Ruler Will Visit Elk Lodge Nov. 9

D. Staton Inisco, Raleigh, district deputy grand exalted ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, will visit Morehead City-Beaufort Lodge No. 1710 Thursday night, Nov. 2.

On that night new members will also be initiated. Chair officers met at the lodge Thursday night. The party planned for Thursday, Oct. 19, has been postponed until Thursday, Nov. 9.

Motorists Stalled While Mechanic Repairs Bridge

Motorists were stalled at three different periods of 20 minutes each at the Morehead City drawbridge yesterday morning.

A. T. Smith, bridge tender, said a mechanic was tightening bearings on bridge machinery. He reported that the bearings were so loose that had they not been repaired, the bridge would have become inoperable.

Lions See Two Movies At Thursday Meeting

Two motion pictures, one on the Marine landing at Tarawa and the other on the 1946 Army - Navy football game, were shown Morehead City Lions at their Thursday night meeting in the Fort Macco hotel dining room.

Lion Albert McElmon reported that the \$25 appropriated by Lions recently to aid a sick destitute case had been turned over to the sick person's family.

State Fisheries Committee Revises Laws at Charlotte

Members of the Board of Conservation and Development who met last week at Charlotte have raised the maximum weight of an oyster dredge from 100 pounds to 200 pounds.

They also repealed law No. 89. It is now permissible to haul nets with power boats inside the line "beginning at the northeast end of Howard Reef and running to Oliver Reef Lighthouse; thence to North Point Beacon; thence to King Point."

The board also passed a resolution stating that North Carolina patrol boats or other boats belonging to the state are the only ones permitted to use the state docks at Morehead City, except in case of emergency.

This resolution was the outgrowth of requests by fishermen to tie up at the state docks.

Newport FFA Initiates Nine

The Newport chapter, Future Farmers of America, held a special meeting Wednesday to initiate nine new members into the Green Hand degree.

They were Robert Cannon, Benjamin Culpepper, Ronnie Garner, Gerry Garner, Billy Hill, Rayford Howard, Carlton Lewis, Ralph Simmons and Windell Smith. There were some secret features, and there was a special ceremony in connection with the initiation.

At the close of the ceremony, a bronze degree pin was presented each of the candidates. The pin is the official emblem, a cross-section of an ear of corn surrounded by the American eagle. Following the closing ceremony a weiner roast was held.

The new members said they were pleased that the initiation was over. They had been held in suspense since the opening of the school.

For those who can qualify, there are three other degrees to which the members may advance, the "Future Farmer" degree, the "Carolina Farmer" degree and the "American Farmer" degree.

Only the first two can be given locally. The third is given at the state convention which is always held in Raleigh. The fourth is given at the national convention of Future Farmers of America, which is held annually at Kansas City, Mo.