



News from
SOUTH RIVER

Nov. 8 — Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Morris of Atlantic spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Tosto and sister, Mrs. Nannie J. Pittman. Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Rone Wallace and Mrs. Ivy Pittman spent last Thursday in Bridgeton with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Stilly.

Miss Pearl Mason of Beaufort spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pittman,

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tosto and daughter, Wilma Lee, spent Sunday afternoon at Harkers Island with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lee Guthrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hardy and daughter, Georgina, spent the weekend at Mrs. Hardy's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blake and children, Francis, Ella Carroll, and George Allen of North River spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Eubanks and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Smith and son of Atlantic spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Hardy.

Mrs. Emma Beachem spent last Thursday with Mrs. Luke Lewis. She also visited Mrs. Mary Tosto.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Ball are spending a few days here at their camp. They had as their guests

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ball of New Bern and their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Allen Jackson of Havelock.

Mr. Tom Tosto carried Mr. and Mrs. Luke Lewis to Beaufort Saturday afternoon with their baby to Dr. Moore for treatment. Hope he will soon be better.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ringgold, Jr. and children, Penny, Mary Mae, and Frank, of Bridgeton, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Mary Tosto.

Mrs. Mary Tosto has been on the sick list but has got better.

In some of the early experiments of transmission of photographs over electrical circuits as many as 25 lines were used simultaneously.



News from
OCRACOKE

Nov. 6—Several Hyde county officials visited Ocracoke last week, among them N. W. Shelton, superintendent; Mrs. Sibyl Bouchard, county nurse; Mrs. Esther Williams, welfare superintendent; Miss Ella Carawan, Home Demonstration agent; W. H. Pruden, farm agent, and C. H. Hintz of the extension department, Raleigh; Fred A. Mason, chairman board of elections; Charles J. Cahoon, sheriff; and Russell A. Swindell, member of the state legislature from Hyde county.

Mr. Ansley O'Neal has been appointed deputy sheriff for Ocracoke and will act also as tax collector here.

Students in the high school enjoyed a talk by Fred A. Mason, who told about voting and election procedures. The junior and senior girls were interested in the work which Miss Carawan does in the county, and particularly in her 4-H work. She made suggestions of what the local Home Economics club might do and gave demonstrations of menu making. On Tuesday evening Miss Carawan, Mr. Pruden, and Mr. Mintz met briefly at the school with the executive board of the PTA to discuss in what ways their services might benefit the island.

Miss Kathleen Bragg, public health nurse, has announced through the Ocracoke School News that she will hold a baby clinic at the school each second Monday of the month.

A recent carnival at the school brought in a net profit of approximately \$95 for the PTA treasury.

The 9th and 10th grade civics classes have been making an extensive study of election and voting procedure; also a study of the proposed constitution amendments. Letters were written to Governor Scott and to Chief Justice Stacy for opinions regarding two of the proposed amendments, and other authorities were consulted about them. On Tuesday morning at the school, the students themselves conducted a mock voting program.

Several of the Coast Guard men here have been transferred recently. Edward S. Midgette and family are now at Groton, Connecticut; Graham Buskirk is at Rodanthe Lifeboat station; replacements are Bobby G. Beach of Charleston, S. C., John G. Littlejohn of Kings Mountain, N. C., and William E. Fretwell of New Orleans, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Forbes announce the marriage of their daughter, Bernice, to John Gaskins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gaskins, at Elkin, Maryland, Thursday, Nov. 2. The couple will live in Philadelphia where Mr. Gaskins is working.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Settle of New York City, summer visitors, are spending the winter here. They are living in Mr. Wahab's trailer. Both have been given volunteer help with the art classes at the local school.

Rev. and Mrs. W. Y. Stewart attended the State Methodist conference at Kinston.

Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Etheridge spent several days with their relatives at Wanchese recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Anderson of Frankford, Indiana, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Styron.

Miss Mildred Garrish is visiting her sister, Mrs. Norman Garrish, in Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. Maurice Ballance has returned from a visit with relatives in Raleigh.

Carl Goerch, editor of State Magazine, and Bill Sharpe, publicity man for Carolina Power co., flew in on Wednesday for a brief visit with friends here.

Mrs. Ruth Gaskins and Mrs. Jamie Styron are visiting relatives in Richmond, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peele have as guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Stowe of Manteo.

Members of the junior and senior high school classes entertained at a square dance and party on Friday night at the school. About 30 enjoyed the occasion.

Two County Optometrists Attend Vision Congress

Dr. Russell E. Outlaw, of Morehead City and Dr. James O. Baxter, Jr., of Beaufort, attended the recent second annual N.C. State college Occupational Vision congress at State college, Raleigh. This congress is sponsored jointly by the college and the North Carolina Optometric society.

The congress dealt with improvement of vision and better understanding of visual handicaps in industry, education and various occupation, with emphasis on research projects in these fields now underway at State college. Some 150 delegates including industrial personnel officials, members of the ophthalmic professions, educators and psychologists attended.

They heard nationally known authorities including Dr. Matthew Luckiesh, of Chicago, world's fore-

most expert on lighting; Dr. Emmett Betts, director of the reading clinic at Temple university; Dr. Howard Hartley, professor of psychology at Michigan State college; Col. O. F. Goriup, chief of the U. S. Army Medical Services Corps; and Dr. Lester Myers, chief of the division of visually handicapped children for the State of Pennsylvania.

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**Carteret County Board of Education
Condensed Financial Statements
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1950**

ASSETS

Cash on Deposit:		
Teachergage Fund	\$ 3,403.76	
Fixed Properties — Land, Buildings, and Equipment	1,018,650.00	
Total Assets	\$1,022,053.76	

LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS:

Bonded Debt:		
Principal	\$289,784.00	
Interest in Default	14,279.12	\$ 304,063.12
State Loans Payable:		
State Literary Loans	\$ 40,495.50	
Special Building Fund	81,969.04	122,464.54
Surplus:		
Teachergage Fund	\$ 3,403.76	
Fixed Properties in Excess of Bonded Debt and State Loans	592,122.34	595,526.10
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$1,022,053.76	

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

RECEIPTS:

Current Expense:		
State Nine Months School	\$424,749.88	
Vocational Education	10,194.66	
Veterans' Training Program	10,459.97	
Lunch Room Program	12,906.78	
Text Book Commission	440.15	
Fines and Forfeitures	1,592.10	
Ad Valorem Taxes	30,259.44	
Poll Taxes	3,415.50	
Dog Taxes	679.00	
State Intangible Tax	688.68	
Tuition — Morehead City Commercial School	1,190.00	
Insurance Refund	83.46	
Diplomas	203.00	
Sale of Equipment	123.50	
Rental — School Property	185.00	
Alcoholic Beverages Control Board	5,351.57	
Miscellaneous	75.30	
Total Current Expense	\$ 502,597.99	
Capital Outlay:		
Alcoholic Beverages Control Board	\$ 37,013.71	
Interest on Certificates of Deposit — Atlantic School Fund	1,469.92	
Total Capital Outlay	38,483.63	
Teachergage Fund	3,422.90	
Text Books Fund	5,066.29	
Total Receipts	\$ 549,510.81	
CASH BALANCE JULY 1, 1949 (All Funds)	76,934.40	
Total Receipts and Balance	\$ 626,445.21	

DISBURSEMENTS:		
State School Funds	\$424,749.88	
Current Expense Fund	54,756.08	
Capital Outlay Fund	37,013.71	
Veterans' Training Program	10,147.02	
Lunch Room Program	12,986.28	
Atlantic School Building Fund	55,380.92	
White Oak School Building Fund	21,178.80	
Teachergage Fund	1,822.47	
Text Books Fund	5,066.29	
Total Disbursements	\$ 623,041.45	
CASH BALANCE JUNE 30, 1950 — TEACHERGAGE FUND	3,403.76	
Total Disbursements and Balance	\$ 626,445.21	

Note—The above expenditures do not include expenditures for Debt Service, as all Debt Service expenditures for the schools are made by Carteret County Debt Service Fund.

CERTIFICATE

We hereby certify that we have made an audit of the financial records of the Carteret County Board of Education, Beaufort, North Carolina, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1950; and that we have filed our report with the School Board.

We further certify that we have prepared the above Condensed Statement from our audit report; and that the above statements are in agreement with our report and the books of account.

Therefore, we certify that, in our opinion, the above presents a true statement of the financial condition of the Carteret County Board of Education, Beaufort, North Carolina, as of June 30, 1950, and a summary of Receipts and Disbursements for the year then ended.

WILLIAMS & WALL

Raleigh, North Carolina,
October 27, 1950.

By: Frank P. Wall,
Certified Public Accountant.

Fish and Wildlife Staff On Island Grows to Nine

Scientists at the United States Fisheries Biological laboratory, Piver's Island, will number nine by Dec. 1, including C. E. Atkinson, chief of middle and south Atlantic fishery investigations, Fish and Wildlife Service.

The men are Gerald B. Talbot, Reynold A. Fredin, James P. Catling, and Charles H. Walburg, all of Morehead City; James E. Sykes of the Beaufort-Morehead City causeway, and Burton A. Lehman, Beaufort.

James E. Mason will report to the lab from the west coast on Dec. 1, and another scientist, John Finucane is expected this week. Atkinson makes his residence on the island.

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