

Anonymous Gift for Seashore Park Comes from 'Two Large Foundations'

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New Bern Trio Convicted Of Larceny from Stores; Speeders Pay Costs

Raleigh (AP)—The anonymous gift of \$618,000 to buy land for a national seashore park comes from two large foundations, Gov. Scott told his news conference Tuesday. The governor said Conrad Wirth, director of the National Park Service, assured him in a telephone conversation Tuesday morning that the gift is "strictly legitimate." Wirth said the two foundations have given away "many millions of dollars" in the past 10 years to charitable, education, health and religious projects, Scott said. The foundations have approximately 30 or 40 million dollars in resources, and "for various reasons" they wish to remain unidentified, he added. Scott told newsmen Wirth telephoned him at the suggestion of Lindsay Warren, U. S. comptroller general and an originator of the proposed park when he represented the state's First district in Congress. Scott said he would wait until a meeting of the Council of State Tuesday to make public a letter of resignation he received from J. L. Murphy of Kill Devil Hill. Murphy announced Monday he was resigning from the North Carolina Cape Hatteras National Seashore Park commission which was set up to help establish the park.

Three New Bern women, convicted Monday in Morehead City recorder's court on shoplifting charges, were fined \$150 each and ordered to pay the costs of court. They also were given jail sentences which were suspended on the condition that they remain on good behavior for a period of three years.

Mrs. Louise Kaiser and Miss Nellie Davis French received 90-day sentences. Mrs. Mary French Gaskins who turned state's witness was given a 30-day suspended sentence. The case of a fourth woman, Mrs. Clifton Edwards of Kinston, was continued until next Monday.

Four Arrested Thursday
The four women were arrested last Thursday on charges of stealing merchandise from Hill's, Irene's Gift Shop, Dee Gee's shop, Leary's and Leonard's. Mrs. Gaskins also was accused of stealing merchandise from the Dress Shop on July 24. The women also were charged with receiving stolen property, aiding and abetting in the theft of such property and criminal conspiracy to steal the property.

Arthur D. Hall, charged with driving without an operator's license, careless and reckless driving and causing a wreck, was fined \$50 and ordered to pay costs of court. Boisie McIntyre was found guilty of driving without an operator's license and not guilty on the charge of leaving the scene of the accident. He was fined \$25 and costs.

Man Pays \$46
For passing a car on a public highway and causing an accident, Adrian Dearest Willis was given a 30-day suspended sentence, fined \$25 and costs. He was ordered to compensate Curtis Hayes \$46 for damages to his automobile and remain on good behavior for six months.

James White, charged with assault on a minor child by striking her on the face with his hands and threatening her with a rifle, was put on a 30-day suspended sentence and ordered to remain on good behavior for 12 months. He was also ordered to pay costs.

The following were found guilty on charges of speeding: Henry E. Kerstgens paid \$25 fine and costs, John Adam Mills, \$10 and costs, David Jackson Smith, \$10 and costs and Paul Cleland, costs. Costs were paid by Bob Moore, Joseph A. Neri and Morris W. Fulford for public drunkenness. Robert Burns Peel paid half costs for failing to stop at a stop sign.

Had No Lights
James F. McDougal paid \$10 and costs for having no tail lights on his car. Costs were paid by William Proctor for running through a red light. A charge of driving with expired operator's license was dropped against Robert Kittrell. He paid costs for having no lights after daylight hours. The case was dropped against Douglas Joyce who was charged with running through a red light. Warrants were withdrawn in the following cases and the prosecuting witness taxed with costs of court: William L. Taylor, charged with assault on Mrs. Elijah Taylor by striking her with his hands, causing seriously bodily injury; Carl Hammond Pedigo, for public drunkenness and disturbing the peace; George H. Williams, assault on a minor child, a boy, with a hammer. Cases continued were against Elmer Joe Owens, Hosey Staten, Betty Williams, Margaret Reddington, Lee Vern Rhodes, and Elizabeth Gray.

With the Armed Forces

Marine Officer Graduates From Military Justice School

Marine Second Lieutenant John F. Nelson, Jr., son of Mrs. John F. Nelson of 209 N. 7th st., Morehead City, has been graduated from the First Marine division's military justice school in Korea.

A graduate of East Carolina Teacher's college, Nelson enlisted in the Marine corps last April and completed a special infantry course at Quantico, Va., prior to his overseas assignment. Nelson is presently assigned to the weapons company, second battalion, of the First Marine division.

Prior to entering service with the leathernecks, he taught school in Raleigh.

Murphy's Letter
In his letter, Major Murphy said he was resigning from the commission because he had learned that Frank Stick of Kitty Hawk and his son, David, of Kill Devil Hills were "through their friend, Mr. Huntington Cairns of the National Gallery of Art, Washington, D. C., involved in interesting the 'anonymous donor' to contribute \$618,000 toward the park."

"In view of my conviction, repeatedly expressed to members of the commission and to numerous others, that no person engaged in the real estate business in Dare county should be associated with this important undertaking and of my repeated assertion of the opinion that it did not appear in the public interest, and as both Sticks, father and son, are extensively engaged in real estate transactions in Dare county," Murphy wrote, "I wish to herewith tender my resignation as chairman of the land acquisition committee and as a member of the North Carolina Cape Hatteras National Seashore Park commission effective immediately."

Murphy came in for severe criticism from Secretary of State Eure at Tuesday's Council of State meeting. "It is awfully strange that the release announcing his resignation came just as we were holding that hearing Monday," he commented. "I hear that his announcement was timed just for this hearing. He's

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UNC Appoints Local Lawyer

Claud R. Wheatly, Jr., has been appointed chairman of a committee to select high school graduates from Carteret county who may be eligible to receive Morehead scholarships to the University of North Carolina. The graduates chosen in each county will be screened by district committees which will make the awards.

The appointment was made as officials of the university announced increases in the scholarships given by the John Motley Morehead foundation. The scholarships, formerly available only to graduate students, now will be granted to undergraduates. Undergraduate scholarships will be valued at \$1,250 a year for one year and will be subject to renewal. They will be available for the 1953 fall term. Applications must be in the hands of the county chairman by Nov. 15. The awards will be made in February. The scholarship fund of the Morehead Foundation now is valued at approximately \$3,000,000. Mr. Morehead has recently added \$1,000,000 to the fund to bring it to its present level.

Bearded Men To Invade Town

Thomasville Group Will Be Here Tomorrow; Grew Beards for Centennial

The Brothers of the Brush (enemies of the brush would be a better title) will hit Morehead City this weekend and plan to put Mayor George Dill on the carpet for being "a clean-shaven man."

The Brothers of the Brush are among 2,500 male residents of the town of Thomasville who have grown beards and long hair in observance of Thomasville's centennial celebration Sept. 14-20. One hundred Brothers are embarking by bus this afternoon from Thomasville on a tour through eastern North Carolina. The mayor of Morehead City will present the boys with a disgustingly clean-shaven key to the town at noon Saturday, the wiry brothers are then going to try to snatch some whiskers off frisky game fish Saturday afternoon, and will be honored at the Morehead City dog track tomorrow night with a Brothers of the Brush handicap.

They are scheduled to guzzle dinner at 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at Captain Bill's restaurant. The Thomasville characters recently won first prize in the parade at the state firemen's convention at Greensboro and they also appeared in the Miss North Carolina parade at Winston-Salem.

The men are attired in slightly more than whiskers — they also wear old-time hats, cutaways, shoe string ties or wide bows with stick pins. Their weekend trip is being financed by Thomasville furniture manufacturers.

Principal Names 11 New Teachers

Bruce E. Tarkington, principal of the Beaufort graded school, has announced that with the exception of the commercial teacher all vacancies have been filled for the school term which begins Sept. 2. The one vacancy will be filled in the near future. Tarkington has announced the appointment of 11 new faculty members. The new teachers are Miss Georgianna McTeer and Mrs. Vera Robinson, grade 2; Mrs. Jeanne Carter Garris and Mrs. Inez Rodgers, grade 3; Mrs. Pearl Day, grade 6; Alton Louis DeBlanc, grade 7; Charles F. Jones, public school music; Mrs. Mary Sue Noe, high school English and social studies; and Mrs. Barbara Willis, high school English and French.

Principal Tarkington said, "It is assumed that Beaufort graded school will continue a progressive upward climb with the excellent replacements we were able to acquire for the outstanding teachers of last year who will not be back for this school term."

Cutter Brings In Injured Seaman

Florient A. Leonard, an injured seaman, was brought to Morehead City by the Coast Guard cutter Agassiz early Sunday morning. He was a crew member of the Grace Lines ship Santa Rosa. His eyes were injured when he broke his glasses during a lifeboat drill Saturday morning. The injured seaman was examined at Morehead City hospital and sent to St. Luke's hospital, New Bern, for further treatment. Leonard was transferred by small boat to the Agassiz 130 miles east of Morehead City. The Santa Rosa was bound from New York to Curacao. It carried 204 passengers and a crew of 226.

Beaufort Rotary Meeting Hears CP&L Men Speak

Jack Riley and E. P. Pope of the Carolina Power and Light company were the guest speakers at Tuesday night's meeting of the Beaufort Rotary club. They showed a kinescope of a recent television program on which Interior Secretary Oscar Chapman and CP&L President Louis Sutton discussed public-owned and privately-owned power enterprises. Guests at the meeting were Dr. Carl Pace of Greenville, and Carl Southland, Jim Westley, the Rev. Priestley Conyers and Mayor George Dill, all of Morehead City.

Shotgun Blast Hits Negro's Back

Tony Sells Specials



Tony Seamon, owner of the Sanitary Fish Market, sold copies of THE NEWS-TIMES Port-Progress edition at his restaurant. Although Tony (left) does not operate a regular news stand, he sold 100 copies of the special edition. Among his customers were R. W. Dickey (right) of Dunn, N. C. Copies of the paper are still available at THE NEWS-TIMES office at the regular price of 10 cents. After Sept. 1, the price will be increased to 25 cents. Photo by Jerry Schumacher

Maxton Godette, colored resident of Craven Corners, was admitted to Morehead City hospital early Wednesday night with close to 200 bird shot imbedded in his back.

Godette told Deputy Sheriff Marshall Ayscue of Carteret county, that he was shot by Fred Johnson, also of Craven Corners. Johnson was arrested in this county and is under \$200 bond but will be tried in Craven county under a warrant sworn out there.

Woman Appeals Six Month Term

Beaufort Woman Convicted Of Assaulting Man With Razor Blade and Bottle

A Beaufort woman was convicted Tuesday in Beaufort recorder's court of assault with a deadly weapon. The woman, Evelyn Pugh, was sentenced to serve six months in the women's prison. She served notice of appeal to the superior court. Bond was set at \$100, and she was remanded to the county jail. The Pugh woman was charged with assaulting Rufus Fair, jr., also of Beaufort. Similar charges against her male companion, Troy Anderson, were dropped by the state. The state declined to prosecute charges brought against Fair by the woman. Chester Corbett was convicted of escaping from the Carteret county prison camp. He was sentenced to one year on the roads after the expiration of his present sentence. Sam Green was sentenced to 30 days in jail for obtaining advance payment for work not done. Harvey Shearl Briggs was convicted of driving drunk. He was sentenced to six months on the roads on the condition that he pay \$259.23 and costs. \$159.23 will go to the prosecuting witness for damages.

Arthur Yates Baldwin was convicted of driving drunk and driving with an expired license. He was ordered to pay \$225 and costs. \$100 will go to the prosecuting witness. Thomas Noah West, and Lemuel A. Mason, also found guilty of driving drunk, were fined \$100 and ordered to pay costs. William L. Burton paid \$10 and costs for operating a motor vehicle without a license and fraudulently using another's license. Kenneth Earl Skinner was fined \$10 and costs for careless and reckless driving. Tullie Hubert Williamson paid \$10 and costs for operating a vehicle without a license. The following paid costs for speeding: Joseph Braxton Blake, jr., Adron Frances Wade, Douglas McDonald Monroe and Ervin Walter Whitehurst. William J. Caddy paid costs for driving at night without lights. Sammy Neal Weeks was ordered to pay costs for allowing an unlicensed person to operate a motor vehicle. Gladys P. Brown and Marie A. Filmer paid costs for operating without licenses. Cartie Fulcher paid costs for passing a stop sign and operating a car with faulty brakes. The state declined to prosecute cases against Isaac Burton, and Cranston Merrill Rose. The case was dismissed against Harry Moore.

Electrical Group Hears Policy Talk

Directors of Tarheel Electric Membership association on Wednesday heard William T. Crisp, executive manager, outline policies and objectives that will guide formation of the group's newly-formed state office. Crisp told representatives of 28 North Carolina rural electric cooperatives that headquarters already have been established in Raleigh. He said the primary objective of the office would be to unify North Carolina's rural electric cooperatives in informing the public of their nature and function. "This association represents 160,000 consumer-members and some half-million North Carolinians," Crisp said in his report. John W. Asher, area director for the Rural Electrification administration, addressed the group in the afternoon and conducted a panel discussing the recent streamlining of REA. He said the reorganization will benefit both the co-ops and REA by making wider use of the extensive experience of the co-ops. Asher also said the cooperatives face a real challenge in helping farmers increase their production of food and fiber. "The role of the farmer in our economy will become increasingly important in the coming years," Asher declared. "By 1975, we will have to fill five plates for every four we fill today. We will need to increase our annual milk production by some ten million quarts and our meat supply by five million pounds. You have the responsibility of helping our farmers use electricity as a production tool in providing these increases." W. C. Carlton, manager of the Carteret-Craven Electric Membership association, is secretary-treasurer of the association. The local cooperatives serves 2,743 consumer-members in Carteret, Craven and Jones counties.

Lack of Funds Closes Stand At Fort Macon State Park

Because of inadequate state appropriation, the concession stand at Fort Macon State park closed last Sunday afternoon at 3:30 and will not be open again this summer. Douglas Starr, superintendent of the park, said that the situation is regrettable, but the state division of forestry and parks has had to close concessions at three parks, Mt. Mitchell, Hanging Rock, and Fort Macon, due to the lack of funds. "There has been a bigger season than anticipated," commented Starr. Thomas B. Morse, state superintendent of parks, informed Starr "...we're doing the best we can." The Fort Macon superintendent explained that \$1,400 was set up for this summer to operate the stand where soft drinks, candy, sandwiches, and ice cream are sold. Under the state park system of operation, all returns from a concession are sent to Raleigh. The money cannot be used to re-stock and continue business. After the original amount designated for operating the refreshment stand is gone, no more is available, explained Starr. Fort Macon's \$1,400 ran out last Sunday afternoon. Starr said he is sorry that such is the situation, and expressed the hope that things will be different next year. Swimming at the park and the other activities continue as usual.

New Polio Case Occurs in County

Sharon Lynn Gaskill, 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delmas Gaskill, Sea Level, has been stricken with infantile paralysis and was taken to the convalescent hospital at Greensboro Monday. This is the fourth polio case in the county this year. According to the Carteret county health department, the child was stricken Friday, Aug. 8. Hospital authorities at Greensboro say the child's condition is satisfactory. It cannot be determined as yet whether there will be permanent paralysis. The other victims are Melba Alice Lee, 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lee, Pelletier; Tony Johnson, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Price Johnson, Beaufort; and Thomas J. Herring, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Herring, Beaufort. All are confined to the hospital at Greensboro.

State Lifts Quarantine On Hogs at New Bern

Raleigh (AP) — Quarantine on a hog shipment at New Bern suspected of carrying the deadly disease vesicular exanthema has been lifted, Agriculture Commissioner L. Y. Ballentine announced Tuesday. At the same time, the council of state allocated \$1,600 to pay the R & S Packing company of Raleigh for the loss of 25 hogs found carrying the disease. The money, from the state's contingency and emergency fund, paid for the hogs and defrayed the costs of disinfecting the stock car in which they arrived and the nearby premises. The federal government and the state pay half the costs each when diseased hogs are seized.

'Grandpap' Whealton, Morehead City, Observes 89th Birthday Wednesday

By Imogene Long William Henry Whealton, better known as Grandpap, quietly observed his 89th birthday Wednesday. Grandpap is a native of Virginia, having come from Chincoteague Island, near Cape Charles, in 1897. He was an oysterman. His business of buying and selling the sea-food kept him away from home for a week or more at a time. Chincoteague was a swampy, unhealthy place, he remarked, and every time he came home he found some member of his family sick. The doctor advised him to move away from there so he started toward Florida in 1897. He stopped at Washington, N. C., but didn't like that place so well. When he reached Beaufort he stayed there for ten years. In 1907 he moved his family to Morehead City. Grandpap and his great great grandson, Gordon E. McCabe, jr. Max. Min. Thursday, Aug. 14..... 91 74 Friday, Aug. 15..... 90 77 Saturday, Aug. 16..... 90 80 Sunday, Aug. 17..... 89 70 Monday, Aug. 18..... 90 74 Tuesday, Aug. 19..... 93 77 Wednesday, Aug. 20..... 88 75

Li. L. E. Kelley Serves As Captain at Two Ports

Lt. (jg) Lawrence E. Kelley, USCG, who was appointed captain of the port at Morehead City last Thursday, remains also as captain of the port at Wilmington. As captain of the port of Morehead City Lieutenant Kelley is responsible for law enforcement within 100 square miles with Morehead City as the center. He assumed duties as captain of the port at Wilmington in April of this year. He and his family are living in Wilmington. Notary Appointed R. W. Adams of Merrimon has been appointed a notary public. The appointment was one of 28 announced Monday by Gov. W. Kerr Scott.

Tide Table

Tides at Beaufort Bar

HIGH	Friday, August 22	LOW
9:10 a.m.	3:07 a.m.	9:17 p.m.
9:17 p.m.	3:23 p.m.	
Saturday, August 23		
9:42 a.m.	3:36 a.m.	
9:49 p.m.	3:59 p.m.	
Sunday, August 24		
10:16 a.m.	4:06 a.m.	
10:23 p.m.	4:36 p.m.	
Monday, August 25		
10:53 a.m.	4:37 a.m.	
10:59 p.m.	5:16 p.m.	
Tuesday, August 26		
11:35 a.m.	5:12 a.m.	
11:41 p.m.	6:02 p.m.	