NEWS-TIMES OFFICE 504 Arendell St. Morehead City Phone 6-4175

42nd YEAR, NO. 85.

Conservation

**Board Completes** 

**Two-Day Session** 

**Group Approves Three** 

**Projects Directly Af-**

The State Board of Conservation

and Development, in a two-day ses-sion at Asheville this week agreed

to three projects that will directly affect Carteret countians: a \$47,000 survey of the state's small ports

and waterways, approved spending of \$33,000 to study seafood pack-aging in this state, and named a

fecting Carteret

10

Gehr

#### THREE SECTIONS TWENTY-FOUR PAGES

# **One Case Ends in Mistrial**

With one of the longest Superior Court dockets in many a month facing them, court officials saw little hope of the one-week term adjourning before Thursday.

noon Wednesday Judge J. Frizzelle had remanded 13 bett, charged with drunken driv superior Court cases to recorder's ing, the jury deliberated for three courts and the state decided not to press charges in eight cases. Nine divorces had been granted and the jury withdrawn and declared a press charges in eight cases. While divorces had been granted and the grand jury returned 10 true bills. The grand jury was of the opin-ion that there was insufficient evi-dence to take cases against Walter Whicker and Laurie Edward Guthmistrial. The juror withdrawn wa Thomas L. Nooe, Morehead City. Other members of the jury were Oscar Willis, A. C. Gaskill, Gerald Chadwick, Latham Willis, Earl W. rie to court. Whicker was charged with the murder of William Monroe South-

Norwood, Ray E. Highsmith, Gerald T. Merrill, Earl G. Schnieder, Ron-ald E. Mason, S. P. Robinson and C. B. Morning

**Pleads Guilty** 

Guthrie, freed in the peeping

case, was found guilty of slapping and kicking Lona May Gibble. He was given two months on the roads

suspended on payment of costs. The judge told him to remain on good behavior for 12 months.

Three Marines, Henry King, 17; Robert D. Smith, 18; and Timothy Noonan, 20, did not contest charges

of entering Fred Anthony's Service Station, Camp Glenn. They were charged with taking two cases of

beer, shaving cream, 25 cartons of cigarettes, and \$35 in cash.

tenced to three to five years on

Taylor, Prentiss M. Garner, Walter D. Arthur, Cecil S. Harrell,

port at dawn yesterday with 3,082 hogsheads of tobacco destined for West Germany.

the roads.

year sentence.

records

aid

They were found guilty and sen-

ern Jr. who was found drowned in Carteret County June 30. Guthrie was charged with manslaughter. Found Not Guilty Anthony F. Fugaro did not con was driver of the car that Anthony P. Pugno du not con-test a careless and reckless driv-ing charge against him. He was not found guilty. Neither was Ce-cil Guthrie found guilty on a charge of peeping. Not guilty was the verdict in the struck Richard Leffers, 82, on the Harkers Island bridge Aug. 18. Mr. Leffers died Sept. 12 in the Morehead City Hospital.

**Divorces** Granted

Divorces granted were the fol-lowing: Henry A. Mobley vs Beula Marie Mobley, McVernon Garner vs. Hazel Lucille Southerland Garcommittee to confer with the Ma-rine Corps at Cherry Point relative to target bombing in Pamlico In other actions the board voted ner, Gloria Lewis Jones vs. T. C. Jones, Julia Hughes Norwood vs. Earl W. Norwood, William Henry 1. Transfer the Tourist Bureau, now a part of the C&D advertising Foley Jr. vs. Marian F. Foley, Ar-minta L. Britt vs. Van Cecil Britt, Helen A. Marino vs. Pasquale Madivision, to the Commerce and Indriving without a license. He was also charged with speeding but was judged not guilty. On the li-cense charge he paid \$25 and court dustry division beginning Nov. 1. 2. Conduct a survey of waste See COURT, Page 7

wood in this state. Cost of the study will be \$8,500 with \$5,500 paid by the federal government. **150 Cubs, Scouts** The Commerce and Industry committee estimates that 200,000 carloads of wood waste is available in North Carolina annually. **To Attend Rally** 3. Approved appointment of C. ann Holland, Carteret County sheriff, to assistant state fish-

Paul

He

Event Begins at 7 P. M. eries commissioner in charge of law enforcement. Approved trans-fer of C. D. Kirkpatrick, Morehead Saturday at Athletic City, to Commerce and Industry Field, Camp Glenn division to make survey of indus One hundred fifty Cubs, Scouts

field executive for the East Caro-lina Council, will conduct the rally.

**Ribbons to be Given** 

Every Cub Pack and Scout Troop which participates in all events

will receive a red ribbon. If the group meets standard requirements

in the eight events, it will receive

Events are the following: uni-

form and attendance, patrol sig-nalling, den sack race, patrol knot

tying (Scouts), three-legged race (Den Cubs), patrol first aid

(Den Cubs), patrol first aid (Scouts), den dressing race (Cubs),

Supervisors Named Supervising these events will be

Ethan Davis, Eagle Scout Jimmie Willis, Gordon Freeman, Dr. S. W. Hatcher, all of Morehead City; and

Carl Willis, Harkers Island, Mr.

Willis has been named Scoutmaster at Harkers Island to replace Lin-

of the dens and patrols will be the

responsibility of the board commit-

tee or parents of the boys.

od Hancock who is moving to

fire by flint and steel (Scouts).

a blue ribbon.

trial sites. 4. Designate the new minerals and Explorers from this county are expected at the Carteret District museum to be built near Spruce Pine on the Blue Ridgo Parkway nd-Up Rally Saturday night st the Camp Glenn Athletic field west of Morehead City. "The Museum of North Carolina Minerals." ask the Governor and Eight events have been sched-

5. To Council of State to vote \$4,000 for a Council of state to vote \$4,000 for fence around the Elizabethan Gar-dens being maintained by the Gar-den Clubs of North Carolina on historic Roanoke Island. 6. To make a study of salinity of

waters in Eastern North Carolina with a view of supplying information sought by inquiring industrial ists contemplating new plant sites. 7. To study the possibility of ask ing the 1955 general assembly for

See CONSERVATION, Page 7

# **Port Council To Meet Monday**

Rear Admiral R. E. Wood, com mandant of the Fifth Coast Guard District, will meet with the More head City Port Security Advis-ory Council at 10 o'clock Monday

morning. R. L. Hicks, chairman of the council, said they will discuss port fire prevention and protection. The Kinston this week. An adult should register with each den or patrol and be responsi-ble for the boys in that group, Mr. Wagner explained. Transportation will take place at the municipal building.

Members of the council are May or George W. Dill, Walter Edwards, D. G. Bell, J. D. Holt, Dr. John

all of Morehead City, and W. H. Potter and C. Gehrmann Holland, Beaufort. Mr. Holland replaces C. D. Kirk-patrick, former fisheries commis-sioner and member of the council who will be transferred to Bal-nounced.

**Resigns**, Levels **Harsh Criticism Politics Will Not Guide** Choice of Successor,

**New Chairman Says** Wilmington (AP) Col George W. Gillette quit Tuesday as exec-utive director of the North Caro lina Ports Authority after angrily charging that "politics and petty jealousies" influence that body's ections.

Attending the meeting from Morehead City was J. D. Holt, man-ager of the Morehead City port. Gillette's resignation, effective Dec. 31, was immediately accepted

y the authority. Members denied Gillett's charge of politics As the authority met to settle

the long-simmering issue of Gil-lette's status, he handed the members two prepared statements

The first one told the authority he had planned to resign for some-time but had remained on under a case of Eleanor Johnson charged with assault with a deadly weapon and drunken driving. But the de-"gentleman's agreement" with A. G. Myers of Gastonia, the authori-ty's chairman who himself resigned fendant was remanded to the coun-ty recorder's court to comply with Saturday. Myers, Gillette said, had asked him to remain until he stepped down as chairman. suspended sentence issued there. Paul Piencak pleaded guilty to

The second statement, much

rests Three of the defendants were

Their offense was a violation haw which went into effect this

way.

This law applies in Carteret and Lenoir Cour raven, Duplin ties, according to the game warden The men arrested were Joe Cox, Deep Run; Vance Taylor, Kinston John J. Aranulo, Jim Saturno, both of Elizabeth, N. J. "Let no man tell you that we don't have politics in our organi-tried before Justice of the Peace the North Carolina State Ports Aucharge of hunting from the high-way. Each paid a \$5 fine and costs.

> Saturno was charged with hunt ng in this state without a license.

A \$10 fine was suspended on pay ent of \$6.50 costs. Mr. McIntosh said the deer in

not be so good. He estimated that less than 15

owned by Marvin Powers of the deer have been killed in Carteret Yellow Cab Co., Morehead City. No

# Court Handles Heavy Docket; Colonel Gillette 14-Year-Old Newport Boy Hurt In Automobile-Bike Accident

#### **New Fire Alarm Boxes** Go Up in Beaufort

HALVE NEW KS

Boxes for Beaufort's new fire alarm system have been placed on poles but are not in operating order as yet, J. P. Harris, fire commissioner, said Wednseday. ner, said Wednseday.

Twenty-nine stations will be set up under the new system. Thirteen will be "telephone stations," areas where boxes are not located. The call will come in by phone and the siren will then blow the number for that area. Cards with the new fire alarm code will be distributed as soon

as the system goes in operation, Mr. Harris said.

**Game Warden Arrests Four Three Violate New Law** 

**Prohibiting Hunting** Deer from Highway

Since the deer, bear, squirrel and coon season opened Thursday, Oct. 15, Leroy McIntosh, Carteret County game warden, has made four an

charged with hunting deer from the highway on opening day at Merri non and found guilty.

season, Mr. McIntosh said. The only ways deer may be hunted from he highway are as follows: if the nunter owns land on both sides of the highway: if the hunter has written permission from the owner of the land to hunt from the high

Four Counties Affected

fin who investigated.

**Pays** Costs

did not see the other car coming. Captain Griffin said the left side of the taxi was smashed in

and damage was estimated at \$150. the county are plentful but until a car damage was estimated at \$150. The county are plentful but until a The right front bumper of the Vang cold snap comes and takes off some of the foliage, hunting will not be so good. The cab driven by Player is more than 15



Two members of the Morehead City Hospital Board of Trustees Robert L. Hicks and Gordon C. Willis, with Hoyle L. Green, right, fondly look at the checks totaling \$2,000 which were presented to the hospital Friday. The checks came from Theodore Roosevelt III, Mrs. William McMillan, Mrs. Quentin Roosevelt, and Cornelius Roosevelt.

Senator John Larkins To Speak Here Oct. 29

Sen. John Larkins Jr., state sei ator from the seventh district, will **Two Cars Collide** be the speaker and guest of honor at the Morehead City Chamber of Commerce meeting Thursday night,

Oct. 29. J. A. DuBois, manager of the Chamber, said Brunswick stew will Two cars collided at 12:05 p.m. Wednesday on 16th street north of the 16th and Bridges street inter-have been invited, as well as members of the Chamber. Preparations have been made to

feed 300. The chef is Vergil Jenkins, Morehead City. Other members of the supper committee

According to Mrs. Mang, she was pulling from a parking place on the left side of the street. She said she saw one car go by but did not see the other car comina Captain Griffin



Thousands who flocked to the State Fair in Raleigh this week saw the exhibit placed by the agri-cultural agencies and organizations of Carteret County.

R. M. Williams, county agent and Alvin C. Newsome, assistant county farm agent, who both at-tended the fair, said that the cxhibit attracted much attention and many favorable comments were made on it.

The county farm agents were de lighted with the help they received in preparing the exhibit. They stated that thanks were particular-Car, Truck The Texaco Service Station, At-lantic Beach, operated by Sonny **Collide** Tuesday

Smith was picked up by MP's in Col. G. W. Gillette Morehead City a couple weeks ago ... quits ports job uled for the night's program which begins at 7 o'clock, announced Kenneth Wagner, Morehead City, chairman, Bill Wall, New Bern, found guilty of damaging the counlonger and stronger worded, was given the authority after its memfound guilty of damaging the coun-ty jail where the three are now serving a three-month sentence for bers had voted unanimously "o\_ept Gillette's resignation. "Let no man tell you that we cept stealing tires from Potter's storage lot, Morehead City. Judge Frizzelle gave them six months for damag-

ing the jail, that sentence to run concurrently with the three to fivethority is placed on a business basis as free from politics as possible you might as well lock Judge Frizzelle said that even doors and throw the key in the though he would like to show river iency because of the youth of the defendants, he could not because the three have previous criminal

He added that it "may be better to let the (port) facilities out to private operators" if the ports are records as well as poor service not rem oved from politics but then he said

Serving on petit juries this week "No individual of character and were Ben Arrington, Henry W. Hatsell, Earl M. Noe, Waddell Pridgen, Ernest L. Parker, Horatio ability and no business wants any-thing to do with a political port." Nelson, Jack Gardner, Vernon B

See GILLETTE, Page 7

E. Warren Willis, C. B. Morning, John F. Longest, H. L. Rhue, Leon Salter and L. E. Rhue. Fight, Dies in Bed Early Yesterday **Freighter Sails** Willie Searcy, 57-year-old Negro, wounds and a possibility that part Beaufort, was found dead in bed at his home, 507 Pollock St., yesterday chest, the body was taken to More With Leaf Cargo

morning The M/S Gloria, 4.454-ton Ger-man freighter left Morehead City

Vest Germany. J. D. Holt, manager of the More-face laid open. in the fight, Lincoln Blue, had his face laid open. the dirt near the house. Searcy 'Felt Ba

morning. Searcy, an employee of the In-ternational Pulpwood Co., was in-volved in a cutting scrape in Beau-fort Sept. 11. He was cut in the face and chest and the other man face and chest and the other man Searcy 'Felt Bad'

and the second second and the second s

### **Fog Affects** Visibility

PUBLISHED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

Willie Brown, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Brown, RFD 1, Newport, was injured at 9:30 Wednes day night when a car hit the bike he was riding on highway 70.

He suffered a brain concussion nd face abrasions. His physician, Dr. W. M. Brady, said yesterday that his condition is very satisfac-tory. The child is confined to the Morehead City Hospital where he was taken by ambulance Wednesnight.

State Highway Patrolman R. H. Brown said the accident occurred three-quarters of a mile west of Newport. Driving the 1953 Chevroet that struck Willie was James Earl Lott of SMS 2, Cherry Point. Foggy Night

Lott was driving toward the base The night was foggy and he pulled out to pass a car ahead of him. As he got abreast of the car he saw wo boys on bikes in the road thead and slammed on his brakes, Patrolman Brown reported.

He hit one of the bikes, Willie's, and the boy was thrown on the hood of Lott's car and then fell to the highway. The bicycle was dam-iged beyond repair. Damage to the car was estimated at \$10.

#### No Lights

Patrolman Brown said the boys had no lights on their bikes. They were returning home from a church ervice

No charges were placed against ott

## JC's Hear About Christmas Event

Buzz Mitchell and Bill August. Kirston Jaycees, attended the Morehead City Jaycee meeting Monday night at the Receration Center and reported on the state 'ayeee "Operations Christmas."

North Carolina Jaycees will give gift to each child in an orphange this Christmas. The gifts will be delivered by Santa Claus in a elicopter.

Money for buying the gifts will be raised at a dance to be given at a warehouse in Kinston in Deember. The orchestra will be the ormer famous Glenn Miller outfit. The dance at Kinston will be the noney-raising event for Jaycees in astern Carolina. The warehouse viil accommodate a crowd of 0.000.

Marion Mills has been appointed n member of the board of directors o succeed James Meeks who has noved to Washington, D. C.

Jaycees were reminded of the Halloween masquerade party at the American Legion Hut Thursday night, Oct. 29.

Herbert Phillips III has been named as the Morchead City chair-nan of the shrimp party Beaufort and Morehead City Jaycees are givng at the quarterly hoard meeting it Lumberton Nov. 21 and 22. Presiding at the meeting was Ralph Gardner, vice-president



**Service Station** head City Hospital and X-rayed. It At Beach Burns

Total property damage was esti-mated at \$200 by Chief of Police E. J. Willis and Capt. Herbert Grifin who investigated. They said that Calvin Turner placer, 2304 Fisher St., driving a on 16th when he collided with a 1951 Chevrolet driven by Vir-posed Outer Banks "coastal high-members of the supper committee are Oscar Allred, Marvin Willis and Mr. D.Fr.ds. are investigated. are on the supper committee are Oscar Allred, Marvin Willis and Mr. D.Fr.ds. are investigated. are on the supper committee are oscar Allred, Marvin Willis and Mr. D.Fr.ds. are investigated. are oscar Allred, Marvin Willis are osca

**On 16th Street** 

ection, Morehead City.

eigh Nov. 1. Mr. Holland will assume Mr. Kirkpatrick's position Nov. 1. Schools Will Sponsor	e expected back again this year to take on another cargo. The 1,700 tons of tobacco that went out on the Gloria yesterday	month suspended sentence and or dered to pay \$100 fines in Beaufor Recorder's Court. Blue could no pay his fine and was sent to the roads. Searcy's fine was paid by his employer.	living at 507 Pollock St., said Sear- cy told them he felt bad yesterday and he went to bed early. Bern in Dothan Ala Searcy	a.m. yesterday morning. It was not completely destroyed but dam age was extensive, according to Morehead Citý firemen. The alarm was phoned to the	head City; Louis Guthrie Net	A car and a truck collided at 5:30 Tuesday on highway 70 near the Ward Creek bridge. The truck turned completely over but no one was injured. Driving the truck was William B.
Exhibit of 150 fine at prints in color will be shown in Carteret County Oct. 20 and Nov. 3-5. The exhibit will be on display at Beaufort School from 7 to p.m. Thursday, Oct. 29, and at the Webb Memorial Civic Center, Morehead City, 10:30 until noon and 3 to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday, Nov. 3-5. Children of school age will be charged 15 cents admission and	Committee Talks With Applicant	ficer Mack Wade were called to the place where Searcy was living at 6:30 yesterday morning. Glenn Adair of the Adair Funeral Home said that Searcy had been dead sii to eight hours and he probably died about midnight. The man who slept with Searcy did not realize his nartner was dead until he got up this morning. Believing that Searcy's death may have been due to the knife	Dan Walker Speaks To Emeritus Club Dan Walker, Beaufort, entertain- ed the Emeritus Civic Club, More- head City, with a humorous address Monday night at the Recreation Center. It was the club's monthly meeting. T. Bartlett Sage, secretary-treas- urer, said " the laughter caused	John Parker, Morehead City fire man, said the stockroom was dam aged and the front badly smoked He said the fire may have started in the storage room. Firemen stayed at the station for about two hours and poured about 300 gallons of water from the tanker truck on the blaze. Agents to Work Here On Wireworm Control	Cooper, Morehead City; Jeff's Bar- ber Shop, Beaufort; Morehead Mo- tor Parts, Morehead City; Aaron Craig, Newport; Earl Campen, Beaufort. AAA Storage Co., Noah Avery, Ray West, Tommy Gooding, and Ramsey Grocery Co., all of Beau- fort. These companies and persons made contributions of their time, materials, use of equipment. or services, They were all responsi- ble for the great success of the ex-	a 1950 Burck, was Inomas Joseph Sparks, Harkers Island, an em- ployee of the International Paper Co. The truck was a 1949 Chevrolet three-quarter ton. It was proceed- ing east and Goiden said he was making a turn into a dirt road when Sparks hit him. Sparks said he was attempting to pass the truck and could not do so because of a car coming toward him and then he tried to pass on the right and struck the truck. Sparks said Golden did not give
adults 35 cents. Proceeds will be Colored Men Arrested On Liquor Hauling Count Two colored men, Ben Adams Jr. and William T. Collins, were arrested by Capt. Buck Newsome of the Morebead City police force Nick Smith, RFD 1 Beaufort, is	withdraw his application. Members of the committee are contacting Ed Cherry, manager of the southeastern district United States Chamber of Commerce for suggestions as to available chamber managers. Chairman of the new manager committee is Braxton Adair. Other members are Holden Ballou, Odell Merill, and Dan Walker, acting	Tides at Beaufort Bar   HIGH LOW   Friday, Oct. 23 8:24 a.m. 2:03 a.m.   8:24 a.m. 2:03 a.m. 8:44 p.m. 2:03 a.m.   8:44 p.m. 2:51 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 24 9:12 a.m. 2:51 a.m.   9:12 a.m. 2:51 p.m. 3:42 p.m. 3:42 p.m. 5:26 p.m.   9:32 p.m. 3:42 p.m. 3:42 p.m. 10:02 a.m. 13:20 p.m. 13:20 p.m.   10:02 a.m. 4:32 p.m. 4:32 p.m. 10:52 a.m. 4:26 a.m. 11:15 p.m. 5:25 p.m.   Tuessay, Oct. 27	stories and wittleisms." Dinner was served by the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Episco- pal Church, Morehead City. Licenses Revoked The North Carolina Highway Safety Division has announced that three Carteret County drivers had their driver's licenses revoked dur- ing the week of Oct. 3-10. They are John Henry Daugherty, New- port; Jimmie Lee Dixon, Sen Level; and Sanford Earl Long, Morehead	being set up in Carteret County, George D. Jones, who is in charge of the entamology extension service for North Carolina will discuss the demonstration with R. M. Williams county agent, Tuesday in Bealtfort They will make plans as to size of plots, location of treated and untreated areas, and other details A few rows of sweet potatoes may be included in the treated and check areas in order to ascertain the probable damage caused by wireworms on sweet potatoes, as well as on Irish potatoes, Mr. Wil-	Judge Finds Paris Willis Guilty on Drunk Charge Judge George McNeill, Morehead City Recorder's Court, found Paris Willis guilty of public drunkenness and fined him \$50 and costs Mon- day. Willis was also given a 90-day suspended sentence. No regular court session was held because Superior Court was in session. Willis had skipped bond and was brought in by the company which posted his bond so he was	\$300. Patrolman J. W. Sykes in- vestigated. Tags to Go en Sale Morehead City town tags for 1954 will go on sale Dec. 1, John Lashley, city clerk, announced yes- terday. The tags are yellow with black letters and numbers. This