

# 1953 News in Review

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Theatre group was organized with the name Carteret Community Theatre.

Marriages: Miss Lou Ann Mason, Beaufort, to Joseph Lee Lyster Jr. of New Bern. Miss Greta Lois Lawrence, Otway, to Robert C. Hunnings of Alliance. Mrs. Ellen Conleton Gleesner of Beaufort to Robert Plume of Millersburg, Mich. Mrs. Edith Francisco Callahan of Glenwood, Va., to Chauncey Ezekiel Colenda of Morehead City.

Deaths: Joshua Foy, 83, Mansfield. Mrs. Eugene W. Meadows, 66, Bogue. Guy Dixon, 57, Morehead City. Guy Dill Potter, 76, Charleston, W. Va., formerly of Beaufort.

**Week of Nov. 15:**

One man died of a heart attack and four men were rescued when a party boat sprang a leak off Cape Lookout. — Announcement was made that the Employment Security Office in Morehead City would close Dec. 31. — A Negro baby, Wallace Smith, 3 months old, died at his home at North River of malnutrition.

The Sea Level Community Hospital was dedicated on Saturday. D. E. Taylor presented the deed to the hospital to its trustees on behalf of the Taylor Foundation.

Marriages: Carroll Ann Willis to Edgar Wilfred Downum Jr. of Beaufort. Janet Davis, Warwick, Va., formerly of Marshallberg, to Lt. Travers Owen Mayhew, USN. — Deaths: Gary Pittman, 11, Salter Path. Mrs. John W. Rose, 80, Sea Level. Mrs. Lina Meldau, 66, formerly of Bettie, in Winston-Salem. Mrs. A. W. Foreman, 68, Core Creek. Marjorie L. Fodrie, 37, Beaufort.

**Week of Nov. 22:**

E. A. Hease of Morehead City was rescued by the yacht Maribell when his boat's gas line broke and he was marooned for two days and two nights on the Inland Waterway seven miles north of Morehead City. — A baby was born in the Sea Level Community Hospital the day after the hospital was opened. — Mr. and Mrs. John D. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon C. Willis, all of Atlantic, were celebrating their golden wedding anniversaries with Open House. — Rose's 5 and 10 cent store had moved to its new location at 8th and Arendell streets, Morehead City, and opened for business.

Beaufort churches held Thanksgiving union services in Ann Street Methodist Church. — The Beaufort Choral Club gave its first concert of the year at the Beaufort School and Men of Song, the first community concert, was held in the Beaufort School auditorium.

Marriages: Iva Belle Lawrence, Beaufort, to Floyd Lewis Dufore of Flint, Mich. Ann Lewis, Morehead City to Jack R. Whittington, USMC. — Deaths: Horace Loftin, 54, Beaufort. Frank Klein, 65, Charleston, W. Va., formerly of Morehead City. Mrs. J. P. Hipps, 68, Concord. Willie G. Murphy, 71, Davis. Robert Benjamin O'Neal, 66, Ocracoke. Benjamin D. Gaskill, 82, Ocracoke. David Gold Lewis, Morehead City.

**Week of Nov. 29:**

Ronald Smith, 19, of Beaufort, was critically injured when shot while trying to pull a prank on two boys. — Beaufort and Morehead City basketball teams opened their season with Newport and Atlantic. — The Benson H. Riggin, menhaden boat owned by Quinn Menhaden Fisheries, hit a shoal when being towed into Ocracoke and sank.

The freighter, S. S. Mae, with a cargo of 12,000 tons of fertilizer, arrived at the port terminal. — Three schools in the county, Morehead City, Camp Glenn and Newport, were burglarized in one night. — Cold weather arrived with the mercury dropping to 33.

Marriages: Mae Ann Ferguson to William B. Willis, Morehead City. Ann Oglesby to Harvey Gaskins Jr., Morehead City. Marjorie Guthrie to Henry Frost, Salter Path. Mildred Carol Gillikin, Newport, to Richard Lee Bratcher, Cherry Point. Edna Jenkins, Dayton, Ohio, to Gerald D. Mann, Newport. — Deaths: David Fair Willis, 76, Morehead City. James Simpson, 87, Bettie. Mrs. Susan Guthrie Smith, 74, Morehead City.

**DECEMBER**

**Week of Dec. 6:**

Santa Claus arrived in Beaufort

on board the Mistletoe. — C. G. Holland, fisheries law enforcement officer, reported this a good year for scallops. — Cherry Point planes were sweeping the county looking for a jet that disappeared during a flight on the weekend. — Morehead City Chamber of Commerce suggested to the County Board of Education that they buy property owned by Roland R. Barbour for a possible school site.

Beaufort firemen gave money to paint the town hall. — A Presbyterian Church was organized at Havelock. — A&P officials announced a new store would be erected at Arendell and 12th streets, Morehead City. — Horace Loftin of Beaufort was elected president of the Carteret Community Theatre. — Fort Macon received two civil war mortars.

Deaths: Mrs. I. F. O'Neal, 68, Ocracoke; Clay Chadwick of Sarasota, Fla., father of Mrs. Charles Canfield, Morehead City; James Warren Gilgo, 87, Davis; William Stephen Moore, Beaufort; William F. Wolfe, 47, New York, formerly of Beaufort.

**Week of Dec. 13:**

The County Ministerial Association voted to place copies of the New Testament in each room in the Sea Level Community Hospital. — H. Earle Mobley of Morehead City was named head of the Loyal Order of Moose, Morehead City Lodge 1069. — A new National Guard unit was organized in Beaufort. — Jesse C. Staton, Morehead City, received his license as Methodist minister.

Work was begun on the new \$80,000 laboratory, Pivers Island. — Dr. Manly Mason, Newport, was elected president of the Carteret County Medical Association.

Marriages: Miss Olive Garrish to Mace Garrish, Ocracoke; Miss Marlene Ballew, Briceville, Tenn., to William E. Abbott, Morehead City.

Deaths: Frank Thomas, 41, Atlantic Beach; Ellis Smith, 49, Swansboro; Charles Grant Dudley, 87, Stella; Lacy Willis, 52, Morehead City; Elmer (Shorty) DeCamp, 87, Philadelphia, father of Miss Georgina P. Yeatman of Beaufort; Mrs. William J. Miller, 52, Hyattsville, Md.; Asa A. Green, 81, Bear Creek; Noah T. Miller, 80, Morehead City; John Norris, Beaufort.

**Week of Dec. 20:**

Graham's Chapel near Newport was destroyed by fire. — An inmate at the Newport Prison Camp was killed when the guard trailer in which he was riding overturned. — George W. Ball, Hartlove, was elected president of the Carteret-Craven Electric Membership Cooperative.

Core Creek Methodist Church had made its famous outdoor Nativity scene for the third year. — The County Health Department was to help in a Cornell University survey to determine the cause of automobile accidents.

Marriages: Sylvia Sue Conner to Richard Spears, Morehead City.

**Week of Dec. 27:**

Four automobile accidents occurred in the county over the Christmas holiday. — H. Earle Mobley, governor of the Morehead City Lodge of the Loyal Order of Moose announced that their children's Christmas party had been most successful. — Vicki Dern of More-

head City received the posthumous award of the Air Medal for her father, 1st Lt. Robert D. Dern, USMC. — A Morehead City family received food and clothing from the Salvation Army when their home was destroyed by fire.

Marriages: Edna Midgett to Robert Yeager, Morehead City. — Deaths: Mrs. Nina Lupton, 85, Atlantic. J. Richard Jones, 83, Mount Olive, father of Dick Jones, Morehead City. Edgar Barrett, 50, Farmville, brother of Mrs. A. H. Joyner of Morehead City.

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

PAY DURING THIS MONTH TO AVOID

ALL INTEREST CHARGES

Starting On February 2  
1 Per Cent Interest Will  
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Carteret County Tax Collector

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TAX LISTING WILL BEGIN ON  
SATURDAY, JANUARY 2, 1954, AND  
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Mrs. Dora Day

ATLANTIC AND SEA LEVEL  
Walter Smith

DAVIS AND STACY  
Alvin Davis

SMYRNA AND WILLISTON  
L. F. Taylor

MOREHEAD TOWNSHIP  
James B. Willis

HARLOWE  
J. R. Ball

MARSHALLBERG  
James Gillikin

NEWPORT  
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