

Home Life Counselor to Speak At Series of Baptist Meetings

Beaufort Police Arrest Woman On Morals Count

Nine Will be Tried This Afternoon on Drunkenness Charges

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Bond on each was set at \$100. They were released upon posting bond. Making the arrests were Chief of Police M. E. Guy and Assistant Chief Carlton Garner.

The chief said they had received information that the Becton woman, allegedly engaged in immoral practices, could be found at the Henry house.

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The series of five meetings has been scheduled in connection with the "North Carolina Meets the Challenge" program published last week was a booklet dealing with Carteret County and the progress of the program thus far.

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C. L. Beam, veterans' service officer, said this week that family survivors of men killed in the Korean War should contact him if they have not already done so. They may be entitled to veterans' benefits, he added. His office is in the American Legion Hut, Turner street, Beaufort.

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G. T. Windell, chairman of the crippled children's committee of the Rotary Club, clinic sponsors, said that Miss Lillie Pentris of the State Health Department told him Saturday that in her many years' experience with clinics of that type throughout the state, the Morehead City one is most outstanding in its organization and efficiency in handling routine matters.

Mr. Windell commented, "Such a statement by a member of the State Board of Health is quite a compliment to our volunteer workers and the nurses of the county health department."

The nurses of the health department yesterday expressed their appreciation to Mrs. Lettie Sanders and Hoyle Green of the Morehead City Hospital staff for their cooperation in lending equipment and offering the facilities of the hospital.

Dr. Lennox Baker of the Duke Orthopedic Hospital was assisted by Dr. Lee Cordrey, Miss Pentris, Miss Ann Parrish, physical therapist, H. A. Hendrix, of the vocational rehabilitation division and the following volunteers: Miss Elizabeth Lambeth, Mrs. Walter Morris, Mrs. J. D. Holt and Mrs. W. M. Brady.

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The lieutenant was rescued moments after his F9F Panther Jet hit the water. A helicopter from Marine Helicopter Squadron-262 of the Second Marine Aircraft Wing here, flown by Captain C. A. Warrender and Captain P. M. Maginnir, lifted the shaken but otherwise unhurt aviator from the water and flew him directly to the Air Station Infirmary.

Lieutenant Hubner, a member of Marine Fighter Squadron-122, experienced engine failure while climbing at 40,000 feet. He immediately shut off all his electrical equipment in an effort to save the battery.

The plane began losing altitude fast. Lieutenant Hubner attempted three unsuccessful air starts below 25,000 feet. When he was below 18,000 feet, he tried two more unsuccessful starts.

Other members of the flight radioed Cherry Point requesting a rescue helicopter.

Carteret Gets Taste of Winter

With snowstorms hitting the east coast, Carteret county came in for its share of winter yesterday with gray skies, heavy fog and penetrating cold.

The mercury hit a low of 30 last Thursday. The highest weekend temperature was 63 on Sunday, according to Stamey Davis, weather observer in Morehead City.

The sun had been shining steadily until Sunday when cloudy skies brought a hint of rain in the late morning.

Temperature readings through Sunday follow:

	Max.	Min
Thursday	49	30
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Sunday	63	47

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Deputy Sheriff Ayscue said both cottages were entered in the same way. Glass on the doors on the ocean side was broken and then the lock turned.

The entries were reported to the sheriff's department by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Exum, Snow Hill, who have a cottage next to Holden's. They discovered someone had been in their neighbors' places and made the report about 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

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