\$50,000Fire-FightingSystem When Thrown from Skiff

Beach Town Board, in session Saturday morning at the beach, set 10 o'clock Saturday morning, July 17, as the time for a meeting of all beach residents. The meeting, to take place at the Heart of the Beach, will deal with a proposal to raise taxes so that a \$50,000 fire protection program can be under-

George Franklin, general counsel for the North Carolina League of Municipalities, said Atlantic Beach must have its own fire-fighting equipment if the residents are to get lower insurance premiums on

their property.

He estimated it would cost \$13,000 to put in a line for the water supply, plus \$25,000 for a storage tank and around \$2,000 for a second-hand fire truck. This ould bring the total to approximately \$40,000 but the board decided to set the figure at \$50,000 to cover unforeseen expenses.

Mr. Franklin went on to say that this would mean about a 15-cent rise in each individual's taxes but the people would save more than that on their insurance premiums Commissioner Carl Lanier moved

that a letter be written to each property owner of Atlantic Beach stating that the town meeting will be July 17. Included in this letter will be statistics on insurance evaluation, costs and savings. Commissioner L. T. White seconded the motion and it was passed unanimously.

other business before the board Saturday, S. A. (Red) Horton asked for an extra 10 years on his franchise to handle the water system at Atlantic Beach. His present franchise has seven years to run but he wants to put in larger pumps, tanks, and lining in order to expand. He wants assurance of the extra 10 years on his franchise, he told the board.

Mayor A. B. Cooper stated that Mr. Horton had said he would give Atlantic Beach free water for their fire hydrants, if the fire system is installed.

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County Crops Need Rain Badly

R. M. Williams, county farm agent, said yesterday that crops in the county are suffering badly from lack of rain.

The tobacco is stunted. Although it is being harvested and cured it has no body. Corn growth is slow and the dry weather is holding back the planting of sweet po-

Most of the potatoes in the county have been harvested. Yesterday the Ball Brothers had about 40 more acres to dig. Many of the potatoes being harvested now at the tail end of the season are being shipped on consignment, said Mr. Williams.

This means, he added, that they are sent to market with the farmer willing to take anything he can get for them.

Some of the potatoes have been sold to potato chip manufacturers. Early diggers of potatoes got as high as \$3 a bag, but later prices

were as low as \$1.80. Ellis Fodrie of Beaufort RFD reported cotton blossoms last Wednesday. This says, Mr. Williams, is the first report of cotton blos-

Fishing Students Hear Publisher

Henry Lyman, Boston, publisher of the Saltwater Sportsman magadress to 35 students of the Salt Water Fishing Institute. The ex-ercises were held Friday night in the dining hall on State property at

the dining hall on State property at Camp Glenn.

Mr. Lyman was given an honorary "deanship" by the institute.

In his address, the publisher pointed out the relaxation value of salt water fishing and said that this type of fishing is a great help in letting people "slow down" their fast pace of living.

To strengthen his point Lyman referred to one survey which was taken among numerous people who

referred to one survey which was taken among numerous people who were fishing at the time they were questioned. People were asked, "What are you thinking of?" Ninety-eight per cent replied "Nothing." He used the example to show that fishing is a wonderful way to "get away from it all."

Ted Davis, manager of the More-

Ted Davis, manager of the More-ead City Chamber of Commerce, as master of ceremonies.

Morehead Board Approves Transferral of Water System

New Machine Operates Here



Photo by Jerry Schumache

A new kind of road equipment is being used to build the highway from Salter Path through the Emerald Isle Beach development on Bogue Banks. The machine, pictured above, is a Seaman Pulvi-Mixer. It is being used here for the

The unique part about the road monster is that it picks up sand in front, mixes it with asphalt and disgorges this mixture at the rear as a ribbon of road.

chise was requested by the present operators of the water system, Carolina Power and Light Co.

Construction men in the picture are watching its operation. right foreground is Miss Carol Barnes of Morehead City

Bike Owners

Must Get Tags

bell or horn, and good brakes

by persons living within the

Four Groups

To Meet Here

announced Friday.

tags, are \$1 each. Bikes owned

limits, must have the tags by Thurs

Four conventions for Morehead

City and Atlantic Beach are booked for the remainder of the season,

John R. Tillery Receives Gifts as Father-of-Year

Mayor George W. Dill presented John R. Tillery, 74, with the many gifts due him as Father-of-the-Year at a ceremony Saturday morning in front of the Morehead City Municipal Building.

Mr. Tillery was also congratulat-ed by the Rev. Dr. John Bunn, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Morehead City, who said he was proud of Mr. Tillery who was always faithful as the church janitor. Dr. Bunn stated that in all the Dr. Bunn stated that in all the time he has known John Tillery he has been truthful, honest, an outstanding citizen, and a Chris-

Mr. Tillery thanked those who made it possible for him to re-ceive the Father-of-the-Year honor and asked that they should not ov erlook his children, for it was really the children that made it possible for him to be there, Mr. Tillery said. He said he has always tried to bring his children up in the best possible way and pro-vide them with the best church and

school training he could.

Mrs. John R. Tillery, expressed her thanks to everybody for being

so nice to her husband.

Mr. Tillery received a chair, camera, a wrist watch, shoes, cloth ing and other gifts from the 10 sponsors of the contest.

With him for the ceremony were 12 members of his family. They were Mrs. John R. Tillery, Mr. and Mrs. David Butler and David Jr., daughter and grandson; Mrs. Jes-sie Stamps and Jefferson Stamps, daughter and grandson; Eleanore Simpson, grandaughter; Mrs. An-thony Boyd, daughter; and John Anthony Boyd, grandson; Althea Tillery, Fred Tillery, and John W. Tillery. Absent were Parker Leigh Tillery, Mrs. Richella T. Walker, and Winifred Tillery. The Father-of-the-Year was se-

lected Wednesday by three judges, George Dill, mayor of Morehead City, Ted Davis, manager of the Morehead City Chamber of Com-merce, and I. E. Pittman, vice-pres-ident of the First-Citizens Bank and Trust Co., Morehead City.

Areas in the vicinity of Browns Inlet, Bogue Inlet, and Browns Is-land will be dangerous to navigation from 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. to morrow and from 6 a.m. to 5 p.m Thursday and Friday because of firing, strafing, and bombing exercises, announce Army Engineers.

Tide Table

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1:17	p.m.	7:44	p.m	
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3.25		10:00	D.M	

Morehead City's town board granted the Carolina Water Co. the franchise for operating the town water system at a meeting Thursday night in the Municipal Build

The franchise gives the Carolin Water Co. permission to operate the water properties of Morehead City for the next 40 years and stip-ulates no increase in rates for the first year. The franchise will go into effect at midnight June 30

When the franchise goes into ef-fect, Morehead City will be allowed to levy, if necessary, a fee for

George McNeill, town attorney read the franchise which includes a clause permitting the town to levy "any amount" for sewage dis-posal, the amount to be billed on the monthly water bill. Mayor George Dill commented that most towns have sewage disposal fees but Morehead City has not levied them in the past because there was no way in which they could be collected. He added that the town has always absorbed the cost of maintaining the sewage lines.

The transfer of the water fran-CP&L has arranged the sale of the water systems here, in Beaufort and Snow Hill. Representing the power company

at the meeting were W. T. Joyner Jr. and Charles Rouse, attorneys with CP&L, and George Stovall, lo cal CP&L manager. In other business brought before the board, Herbert Phillips, attor

ney for Carl Goodwin, was given one week to draw up a franchise for the Community Bus Line. Clerk John Lashley presented request for street lights from resi-

dents of the Homes Drive area. Mayor George Dill appointed nmittee of three to investigate matter. Committee members are D. G. Bell, police commis sioner, Mr. Lashley, city clerk, and Chief of Police M. E. Guy, Beaufort, announced yesterday that li-censes for bicycles are now on sale Mr. Stovall, manager of the power company. Mr. Lashley also report-ed that lights have been put up in at the police station, Front Street. Before licenses are issued, each the Huntley development, Crab

bike must be equipped with a head light, red reflector on the rear, a Mayor Dill said "We want the lighting in Homes Drive to be com-parable with that of other areas of The police station is open daily 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. License tags, similar in color to the state auto the town."

It was also decided at the meet ing that a study should be made concerning the placement of street trash cans. It was agreed that much of business traffic has shifted westward to the neighborhood of food

The need for a clean-up campaign was brought up by Commis-sioner Beli, who mentioned it as be thought about."

The parking problem was discussed and it was pointed out by Mr. McNeill that there was a city ordinance against parking on the grass plots. The group decided to study the situation and discuss Ted Davis, manager of the More-head City Chamber of Commerce, possible solutions at a later meet-

North Carolina architects will A special meeting of the town meet at the Atlantic Beach Hotel
Thursday through Friday for their
semi-annual meeting. Ninety are
expected. The County Clerks As-

sociation and auxiliary will meet here June 30 through July 3, the Harkers Island Bridge North Carolina Sheriff's Association is coming to the Carteret coast Aug. 18-19 and the summer meet-Catches Fire Sunday

Several planks of the Harkers Island bridge caught fire at 10:15 ing of the State Board of Conservation and Development will take place July 19-21 at the state build-Sunday night: ings west of Morehead City.

Meeting here this past weekend

The Beaufort Fire Departmen Meeting here this past weekend answered the call but returned te was the North Carolina Association the station in a short time. Damage was slight. It is not known how the fire started.

of Wine Control and the North Carolina Gas Association. Laborer Leaves Hospital, Ends Up in Jail Friday

Early Williams, 42-year-old Ne-gro laborer who was hospitalized Wednesday due to knife wounds, was discharged from the Morehead City Hospital Friday and is now in the county iail

the county jail. Sheriff Hugh Salter said Williams left the hospital and turned up at the county jail "to see his girl friend," Minnie Ruth Ashley, who is charged with knifing him.

When he called at the jail, Jail-er Em Chaplain locked him up on a charge of engaging in a fight. Williams was wounded Wednes-day morning when he allegedly got in a fracas with the Ashley wo-man while she was haveing cited.

107-Foot Carmac Docks At Morehead Yacht Basin

The Carmac, a 107-foot inspection yacht of Cargill Carriers Incorpor-ated of New York, docked at the Morehead City Yacht Basin Thurs-

According to the yacht's skipper in a fracas with the Ashley wo-man while she was hanging out clothes at a labor camp on highway 101. Officers say both she and ville Beach Friday morning.

Atlantic Beach to Consider Havelock Resident Drowns

Beauties Burlington-Bound



Miss Fay Merrill, left, and Miss Norma Swinson, right, will appear in the North Carolina Beauty Pageant July 15-17 at Burlington. Miss Merrill will represent Beaufort and Miss Swinson will represent

Wilber Harris Jenkins Wins State Scholarship

Babson Gives Outlook For Next Six Months

Appearing on page 2, section 1 of today's NEWS-TIMES is Roger Babson's financial outlook for the next six months.

Mr. Babson's forecast for the

first six months of this year appeared in THE NEWS-TIMES in December.

121 Students Take Fine Arts **Summer Courses**

Gregory Ivey, director of the School of Fine Arts summer ses sion, Woman's College, reported over the weekend that the enrollment has now reached 121. school is being conducted in Beau

ceeded his expectations, in view of the late announcement of the school's opening date. This an nouncement is normally released in February, but was not made this year until April due to the details involved in moving the school to Beaufort from Burnsville.

Director Ivey is particularly pleased with the co-operation he has received from the Beaufort Chamber of Commerce, county school officials, and the citizens of 'something that certainly needs to Beaufort. Their help contributed a great deal to our getting off to a smooth start on so short a notice he said.

Mr. Ivey had boned for an enroll ment of approximately 100 students for the six weeks session, including 50 adults. A break-down of regis-tration figures here today revealed an enrollment of 67 adults, and 54 children, the latter ranging in ages from five to 18.

A total of 44 undergraduate and graduate college students are attending the session. The remaining 23 consists of college and pub-lic school teachers, school super-

visors, housewives, and others pur-suing special interests. Adult classes are held in fiction-Adult classes are neld in liction-miting, theater, music, dancing, art and an inter-departmental cre-ative process course. The latter is a class touching on all phases of

Children are receiving instruc

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Port Calendar

Escambia, USNS - Scheduled to dock Thursday at Aviation Fuel Terminal, coming from Port Arthur, Tex., loaded with jet

Gulf Atlantic Transport Co. Barge—Arrived from Charleston, S. C., with asphalt. Discharged cargo at the Esso Port Terminal,

left yesterday.

Eastern Seaboard Transport
Co. Barge—Docked yesterday at
Esso Port Terminal, loaded with
fuel. Came from Jacksonville,
Fla., and will proceed to Acme, Navy ships participating in

Marine maneuvers have been loading at the state port and are departing for maneuvers in the Caribbean. Among them are 10 LST's and transports USS Navar-for Rankin, Achernar, Arneb, Vermillion and Botetourt.

Stella, has been selected to receive a "Talent for Service" scholarship of \$500 for four years, a total of \$2,000, at North Carolina State College. Announcement of the list of win

ners was made by Dr. E. T. York Jr., chairman of the college's committee on scholarships and said the recipients were chosen from hundreds of appli-cants from throughout the state.

This is the first year the "Talent for Service" scholarships have been awarded at State College. They have been established by industrial firms, organizations and other friends of the college, Dr. York Jenkins was an honor graduate

ing his high school career he was active in the Future Farmers of America Club, on the annual staff in the Beta Club and was saluta orian of the graduating class He will begin the study of agri

at White Oak High School and dur-

rolls at State in the fall. Agents from Six Counties

Will Meet Here Friday

The Six - County Farm Agent Group meeting will take place Fri-day at the Civic Center, Morehead City, starting at 10 a.m., announces R. M. Williams, county agent.

Farm agents from Pamlico, Craven, Jones, Onslow, Beaufort, and Carteret Counties will meet to discuss mutual problems, Mr. Williams said.

ley of Newport, who was rescued by Rupert Atkiss, Raleigh. Atkiss was in the vicinity fishing when **Ends Thursday** he saw the two men thrown into the water. Running Fast The coroner said they were running the motor fullspeed. They made a sharp turn to the left that

Glenn E. Beaver, 37, 2-C Cahoque Dr., Havelock, drown ed near the bulkhead separating Beaufort and Morehead

His body had not been recovered by 3:30 yesterday

afternoon. Coroner Leslie D. Springle said that Beaver

Coroner Springle said when the Coast Guard picked the skiff up later (it had drifted into a nearby marsh) the throttle was wide open. After Atkiss picked up Oakley, he turned his boat to look for Beaver but Beaver was nowhere to

hurled both men from the skiff

City channels at 1 p.m. Saturday.

skiff powered by a 12-horsepower

With Beaver was Robert O. Oak-

The Coast Guard began dragging for the body at 2 p.m. and discontinued operations at & p.m. They dragging again Sunday

Coroner Springle said no inquest

will be held unless evidence of foul play is noted when Beaver's body recovered.

Beaver is survived by his wife and four children, Claudine Mildred 17, Gerry Beaver 15, Lynda Kay 12 and Diane 10. Gerry, the son, was with Oakley and his father when they left Nelson's Fishing Pier, Beaufort, at 5 a.m. Sat urday, bound for Shackleford Banks

about 11:30 and later asked Edward Nelson, owner and operator of the fishing pier if they could borrow the 12-foot skiff to try out the 12 hp. motor.

Beaver's son decided not to ac-

company the two men on the trial run which resulted in Beaver's

Fred Hardy Will Go to New York

Fred Hardy, president of the Morehead City Lions Club, will represent the club at the International Lions Convention in New York City July 13 through 15. For ty-eight nations will have repre-sentatives there. Mr. Hardy was chosen to represent local Lions at their meeting Thursday night at the Recreation Center.

Owens Frederick, A. N. Willis, John B. Willis, Oscar Allred, El-mer Watson and Mr. Hardy said they would attend the charter and ladies night at 6:30 p.m. today at

Havelock. After the regular meeting the incoming board of directors and officers met to map plans for the coming year which begins July 1. Committees were selected and programs suggested.
Committees and their chairmen

and programs for the coming year will be announced later, Mr. Fred-

drowned when he and a companion fell out of a 12-foot **June Court Term**

Judge Clawson Williams Rules on Case Involving Land Near Golf Course

The June term of Superior Court nded at 4:15 p.m. Thursday when Judge Clawson Williams ruled that Odell and Fannie Tootle were not entitled to any damages or attorney fees from J. F. and Vera S. Marcady and E. S. Bush. The suit

involved a land controversy.

The Tootles initiated civil action against the Mareadys and Mr. Bush, claiming that the Marcadys perpe trated a fraud in a land transac-tion. The land lies in the vicinity of the Morehead City golf course

The court could find no attempt at fraud and stated that J. F. Maready and Vera S. Maready owned one-half interest in the land and E. S. Bush the other half of land lying north of the course.

It also stated that the Tootles owned the land to the east of the Maready and Bush property.

Gets \$700

Earl W. Temple was awarded \$700 from E. C. Willis and Sons contractors when the jury found that Temple's truck, involved in an accident on U. S. Highway 70 in the Morehead Bluffs area last year, was damaged through negligence of . E. C. Willis and Sons. Willis was also ordered to pay costs of the action.

Jurors awarding damages were Manley Smith, Donald Gilgo, P. F. Carraway Willis Jones, Lester Pigott, V. M. Rbue, James Congle-ton, Walter Williams, Stanley Lockhart, and Bert Pittman. Judge Williams ruled that the

State Supreme Court decision of Oct. 21, 1953 shall stand in the C. Richardson versus Nellie Richardson Cooke action. The suit involves controversy over owner-ship of a home on Ann Street, Beaufort.

Robert L. Smith was awarded \$125 from Dalton Davis and Davis was ordered to pay costs. Smith charged that Davis killed his dog. Jurors on this case were Charles Mason, Harry Hamilton, Alex Moore, H. D. Paul, Gilbert Clancey, Alex Truitt, Will Arrington, Prentis Garner, J. H. Wallace, W. A. Murdoch, and Conrada Merrill. Mary R. Lewis was awarded \$350

with interest from June 9, 1953 from J. T. Whitley. \$1,640 Awarded

Marshall Johnson, administrator for the estate of Edward Earl Johnson, was awarded \$1,640 from Mar-vin Britt, when the jury found that E. E. Johnson was injured and killed by Britt's negligence.

North Carolina Wine Control Association Meets at Beach

Fifty members of the North Carolina Association for Wine Control and their wives met Friday and Saturday at the Ocean King Hotel, Atlantic Beach. The two-day meeting was arranged by W. Capers White, director of the association, Raleigh.

The meeting opened Friday night with a social hour for wives of members and closed Saturday night with a gala dinner at the Blue Rib-bon Club, Morehead City.

A business meeting was conducted Saturday morning with Ted Linn, chairman of the executive committee, presiding. Other mem bers of the committee are Alan M Furman, Homer Baker, Joe Sim-mons and Doc Chesson, During the business meeting,

wives went on a boat ride.

Sam Bundy Speaks

At the luncheon Saturday noon

at the Rex Restaurant, association members heard Sam D. Bundy, Farmville, give a humorous address on problems, what to do about them, and how to acquire a rosy outlook for the future. He was in troduced by Mr. Linn. Mr. Bundy's guest was his brother, W. J. Bun-

guest was his brother, W. J. Bundy, Greenville.
Luncheon consisted of clam
chowder, shrimp cocktail, salad
and a fish platter.
The dinner at the Blue Ribbon
Club opened with the invocation
by the Rev. E. Guthrie Brown, rec-



W. Capers White

tor of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Morehead City.

Guests were introduced by Director White. Among them were Senator and Mrs. Cameron S.

Shrimp Prices Stay at Low Ebb

Prices of shrimp are low this year compared to the same period last year, fisheries officials report. Shrimpers are getting from 15 to 18 cents a pound. C. Gehrmann Holland, assistant commercial fisheries commissioner, said last week that the quality of shrimp was imand the catches were

Prices, however, are not near the 25 to 28 cents a pound shrimpers were getting at this time last year. In addition to a general overall decline in prices, it is believed that the depressed market may be due to a large amount of frozen shrimp being moved before the fresh shrimp are bought; and because of imports of shrimp from Mexico and the South Pacific.

W. A. Ellison, head of the Insti-tute of Fisheries Research, said that something new is happening in the shrimp world. The ocean shrimp are smaller than those be-ing caught in inland waters and he Senator and Mrs. Cameron S. Weeks, Tarboro; Mr. and Mrs. Libby Ward, New Bern; Frank K. Simms Jr., chairman of the Mecklenburg County ABC Board; this time of year are larger than those caught inland.