Grain Elevator at Port

To be Ready for Use Soon

Phone 6-4175

Case Sent

Court Tuesday

To Higher Court

Held Without Bond in

Alvin Hodge was found guilty of

Hodge was given suspended 30-

Harold Grossnickle was found

Four men were found guilty of

with failing to stop at a stop sign, was taxed costs of court. The state did not prosecute

David Henry Parker for removing property without the consent of

William Smith was given

suspended 30-day sentence provid-ing he leave Beaufort by 7 p.m.

Tuesday. He was charged with public drunkenness and disturbing

charged with public drunkenness.
Continued cases are William
Flowers, failing to stop at a stop
sign; Jasper Easter, Sam Taylor,
George Beans, public drunkenness;

bench warrant was issued for

n each charge.

Prisoners Who Escaped, Get **Additional Term**

Ten Persons Convicted Tuesday on Speeding Charges

the crew with which they were working about noon Nov. 17 at Bucks Corner in the Stella section. They were inmates at the New

ing on Highway 24 when Bill Kinsey, game warden, who was driving toward Swansboro, saw

back to the crew at Bucks Corner There Sheriff Hugh Salter and Deputy Sheriff Marshall Ayscue took them back to the prison camp. Jenkins had only 28 days yet

ed several times previously.

Ten persons were charged with speeding. They are Donald Miller, Frank Lee Thomas, Charles Evander Sparkman, H. B. Willborn, Roderick Moore, Charlie Rayomnd

Himmelherber, Miller and Will-

Bench warrants were issued for Isaac Blango, Robert Lee Hender

Alton Hayes and Morly Jenkins were sentenced in County Record-er's Court Tuesday to two and one years, respectively in addition to their present sentences for escap-

ing from prison.

The sentences will be served at the end of their present terms.

Hayes and Jenkins escaped from

port Prison Camp.

The two men started hitch-hik

them and picked them up. He turned around and took them

to serve on a drunkenness and disturbing the peace charge. Hayes according to his record, had escap-

Courtney, Cecil W. Watford, Sidney N. LaForge, Ancel V. Alger and Joseph J. Himmelherber.

born were assessed costs of court and LaForge, Sparkman, and Thomas forfeited their bonds. Alger was fined \$10 and taxed

cests and Courtney and Watford had to pay \$100 and costs. Moore was given a suspended sentence of 60 days on the roads. His sentence was suspended on the stipulation that he pay a fine of \$15 and costs.

J. R. Ball pled guilty to a charge of passing a stopped school bus. He was taxed court costs.

Isaac Blango, Robert Lee Henderson, Robert Leo Esminger, and Robert R. Mitchell. Blango is charged with following too closely; Henderson, speeding; Esminger, no driver's license, speeding; and Mitchell, improper passing.

Forfetts Bond

Charles L. West forfeited bond on a charge of issuing a bad check and the state did not prosecute James P. Strickland for not having a driver's license.

having a driver's license. Robert Nathan Jarvis, charged

with speeding, also forfeited a bond for speeding. Charged with speeding, careless

and reckless driving, and drunken driving, Kenneth R. Hightower was found guilty of careless and reck-less driving and was fined \$150 and taxed court costs.

Roland H. Sutton had to pay

Roland H. Sutton had to pay costs for not having license plates. Larry Walker Moore, charged with not having a driver's license and improper use of a dealer's plate, was given a suspended sentence of 30 days. His sentence was suspended providing that he pay costs of court.



Contrast in structural design is shown in this aerial view of a trans-atlantic liner sailing past Fort Macon. The liner, M.S. Stockholm, represents the last word in modern design and engineering; while Fort Macon, patterned after the fortresses of medieval Europe, is a tribute to engineering ingenuity of

Scallop Season to Open Monday; State to Open Planted Oyster Beds

Firemen Answer Calls Tuesday

Morehead City's Fire Depart-

morning at the home of Jack Long on N. 25th Street. Mrs. Long was outside the house when she noticed the fire in a room. She called her

lothes were burned and one room

Evans St., Morehead City.

A lighted match in a trash can started the fire and it spread to curtains near the can. The damage

Building Starts On Nurses' Home Work started Tuesday on the

hospital. Floor space with total about normal. They live in sand 1,600 square feet and it will be anyway and weren't damaged by finished in brick veneer and have the storm.

C. G. Holland, assistant commercial fisheries commissioner, Morehead City, announced yesterday the opening of the scallop season Monday, Dec. 6, and the opening of state-planted oyster bottoms in

the fire in a room. She called her neighbors and they started putting water on it.

By the time firemen arrived, the neighbors had the blaz under control.

E. L. Nelson, Morehad City fire chief, believes that the fire started in a clothes closet. He said that the clothes were burned and one room was demanded to the fire started in a clothes were burned and one room was demanded.

The state-planted oyster beds to point, received minor injuries. Thurman C. McDowell, Cherry Point, who was riding with him, was unhurt.

Mounger was treated for a scratch on the face and a bruised in the spring three years ago, and according to a check by the Institute at Fisheries Research, oysters there in Bell's ambulance and discharged after treatment. vas damaged.

At 2:30, another alarm was an of the oysters of marketable size

not as badly damaged as fisheries officials feared right after Hazel. The beds were smothered by sand in inland rivers and bays but beds in the sounds survived the storm.

"When the weather is favorable,

Work started Tuesday on the no wasters to the oyster shell is lit is expected to be completed in 60 days.

The home is located east of the not filled with meat. Clams are about normal. They live in sand weren't damaged by

costs for following too closely and a flat roof.
Clayton John Bramhall, charged with reckless driving, was fined \$25 and assessed costs.

Ralph Gillikin received six months on the roads or a fine of

Members of the board are E. W. Tenney, Mrs. Jack Cardy, Donald Taylor and Linwood Williams with Mrs. Etta Lamm, town clerk, to serve as liaison member. Present to assist in appointing the board were Harry Hamilton, Cedar Point, president of the Swansboro Men's Club, and Mrs. Robert Passingham, president of the Swansboro Woman's Club.

Reporting on the town finances, Mayor Lisk said that revenue from the water system will probably be between \$12,400 and \$12,800 annually.

state-planted oyster bottoms in Hyde County Dec. 13. The scallop season will continue until May 1, 1955. Scallops may be taken every day of the week except Saturday and Sunday. Commissioner Holland said "a few scallops" are available. The just west of the Blue Ribbon Club.

not guilty of careless and reckless driving but was given 30 days on the roads or a \$50 fine and court

Mounger told State Highway Pa-rolman W. J. Smith Jr. that he trolman

swered by the firemen at the home have been taken out, the beds will off the road. The car turned of Elizabeth Hill Holland, 2201 be closed again.

Evans St., Morehead City.

"When the weather is favorable, the oysterman can make expenses," Commissioner Holland said, but in bad weather oystering isn't profitable because there are no oysters close in to shore. The size of the oyster shell is large, he added, but due to a warm fall and dry weather, the shell is not filled with meat. Clams are

take place in the county early Sunday morning are required to

Nineteen divorce cases are on tap for Monday, the opening day of the December term of Civil Court, with Judge Joseph W. Parker presiding Court will start at 10 a.m.

Also on Monday eight motions and three trials are docketed.

Five cases are scheduled for Tuesday, seven Wednesday, five

Smyrna PTA to Sponsor

The PTA of Smyrna Consolidated School will sponsor a clam bake and dance at the school tomorrow, Dec. 4, beginning at 7 p.m. Serving will continue until 10 p.m.

Music will be furnished by the Hayloft Jambéres.

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Pro Dence at Smyrna 2:10 a.m.
The Woman's Auxiliary of the Sea Level Hospital is completing plans for the semi-formal Christmas dance at the Smyrna School 3:13 a.m.

Saturday, Dec. 18.
There will be round and square dancing and amateur entertainers will perform during the intermission. Proceeds will go to the hospital auxiliary.

5:15 a.m.
6:35 p.m.

cember or early January, J. D. Holt, port manager, said vesterday. Carlton Franklin Ordered Mr. Holt also announced that the Swedish-American liner, the M.S. Stockholm, has been chartered for one month next fall to make four cruises from the port of Morehead City. There will be three Bermuda cruises and one 12-day South Amer-After a preliminary hearing in ican cruise over the Thanksgivin

Stockholm Will Sail

From Here Next Fall

the Beaufort Recorder's Court Tuesday afternoon, Carlton Franklin, 21-year-old Negro, was bound over to Superior Court without noliday. The Stockholm sailed from More head City this fall, making one cruise to Havana and Nassau and He faces one charge of break

ing and entering the house of three cruises to Bermuda. All four, Charles Owens with intent to com-mit rape, one charge of attempting were termed highly successful. to break in and enter Harry Mur-The sailings marked the first time that a trans-Atlantic liner used a North Carolina port as its phy's house, a charge of peeping in the house of Mrs. Cecil Brooks, and a charge of attempting to en-ter the house of Oliver Yost. departure and return point.

To Issue Bonds The State Ports Authority, meet-

The state did not prosecute him on a charge of attempting to break in Sam Darling's house in ing Wednesday at Raleigh, decided to issue \$60,000 in revenue bonds to help meet the cost of the grain elevator which will be leased to the wo charges of public drunkenness Cargill Co., world's largest grain \$4,450; repairs and additions, and a charge of resisting arrest. A charge of disturbing the peace

The remaining cost of the ele vator, \$20,000 would come from port carnings, and rentals paid by Cargill would be used to retire the day sentences on each charge on condition that he pay court costs There is a question as to whether

such a thing can be done legally. For that reason, a test case will Court. The court will decide whether the ports authority can is-sue bonds and pledge its carnings to build a facility for use by a

ngle private firm. Atty. Gen. Harry McMullan said They were William Mason, Jethro Harris, Robert Norris, and Eddie Daniels. Norris, Harris, and Mason he hopes to get the case before the Supreme Court about the time the court begins its spring term in Feb-

The decision of the court will have far-reaching effect in the ports picture. If the court says such financing is okay, the SPA would then be legally in the clear to build a two and a half million dollar truck terminal at Wilming-

This terminal would be leased to the McLean Trucking Co. of Winston-Salem for use in its land-

winston-Salem to sea ferry service.

The grain elevator being built at the Morehead City port will enable the unloading of grain, by use of a conveyor, from barge to ship or from box car to ship. It is going up south of the original transit shed built at the port in transit shed built at the port in the many things with which you have been blessed and mail your contribution today to help the less fortunate." the 1930's.
With this type of installation,

the port will serve as an outlet for See PORT, Page 6

Thief Steals 16-Foot **Extension Ladder**

being erected at the More- sion ladder while he was in the head City port will enable hospital.

Mr. Erickson a painter, was in grain shipments to move the hospital from Oct. 23 until Nov. 15 and missed the extension through the port by late Dewhen he arrived home.

He said that the thief stole the bottom half of the two-piece lad-

He valued the ladder at \$1.50 per foot, or \$24.

He declared, "The meanest man in Beaufort is the one who stole my extension ladder while I was in the hospital."

Building Stays

At Low Level Construction in Morehead City continued at a low ebb in Novem ber. A. B. Roberts, town building inspector, issued permits totaling \$7,380, the lowest thus far this

Permits covered the building of only one small house costing \$450; two commercial buildings totaling

Permits issued: Robert E. Jones. Bay Street, house \$450; W. L. Derrickson, warehouse on 6th Street, \$3,500; Dick Parker, storage building, Arendell Street, \$950.

Repairing and additions: Rose Hestor, \$1,200; H. O. Phillips, 250; H. E. Manning, \$80; Edward R. Merrill, \$950.

Permits issued in November 1953 covering all construction costs totaled \$42,810, for the elever onths of the current year, \$420,

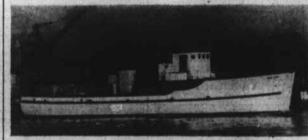
Chapter Chairman **Issues Salvation Army Fund Plea**

"The Carteret County Chapter of the Salvation Army needs your help," Sam Adler, chairman of the county Salvation Army chapter, said yesterday.

Mr. Adler pointed out that every dollar given here is spent to help the needy in this county. The entire month of December has been designated as Salvation Army Month.

Contributions should be given or sent to Mr. Adler in Morehead City.

Lynn Ann to be Converted Wednesday morning and J. P. Ehrman was table topic evaluator. Theodore Phillips was toastmaster. As Menhaden Fishing Boat



Shown above on trial runs at Seattle, Wash., is the Lynn Ann, now enroute to Beaufort under command of Capt. W. G. Sampson. The Lynn Ann will be converted for menhaden fishing and put in operation by the Beaufort By-Producta Co., Inc., W. H. Potter, president. Twelve feet was authorized in the Rivers and Harbors Bill, 83rd Congress, but appropriations for doing the work have never been made.

Because of the shallowness of Taylor's Creek, the waterway trav-eled by craft to get to the fish fac-tory, the Lynn Ann will be able

Tides at the Beaufort Bar HIGH

2:10 a.m. 2:30 p.m. 4:36 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 7

Potato Growers Alex Erickson, 210 Queen St. Beaufort, reported yesterday that a thief stole 16 feet of his exten-

Farm Bureau Official **Emphasizes** Importance

Of Okaying Proposal Irish potato producers will go the polls today to cast votes for or against a one-cent assessment on every hundred pounds of potatoes

Officials of the North Carolina Potato Association said if the referendum carries, aprpoximately \$15, 000 a year would be raised.

Polling places in this county are Crab Point Grocery Store; Gaskill's Feed and Seed Store, Beaufort Lionel Conner's Store, Harlowe Pake's Grocery Store, Bettie; and Headen Willis's Store, Smyrna.

Funds collected will be used to encourage research in the develop-ment of suitable potato varieties for North Carolina. "This is a for-ward step for the potato growers of our state, and I feel certain that they will profit from the work of the new organization just as the tobacco and peanut growers have done from their self-help pro-grams," said R. Flake Shaw, executive vice-president of the North

The North Carolina Farm Bu eau has been working closely with the potato growers in helping them set up the new association and plan for the referendum.

Voting eligibility includes all farmers engaged in the production of early potatoes on a commercial basis in Eastern Carolina, including owners of farms on which po-tatoes were produced during the year 1954, and tenants and share-

The 13-county area in which growers would be affected are Currituck, Camden, Tyrrell, Hyde, Washington, Beaufort, Pasquotank, Carteret, Pamilico, Buplin, Pitt, Wayne and Craven.

Ronald Mason Wins Loving Cup

Ronald Earl Mason was awarded the Speaker-of-the-week loving cup at the Wednesday meeting of the Tosatmasters Club in the Inlet Inn, Beaufort.

The cup will be awarded to the winning speaker each week until Feb. 23 when a runoff will be held to determine the best speaker to represent the club at the Area 1 speech contest at Cherry Point March.

Only the weekly winners will

P. H. Geer Jr., was topicmaster

C. T. Lewis spoke on "Nature's Balance," Gerald Hill's topic was "Why I Became a Town Commissioner," and Elmer D. Willis addressed the group on "A little Ham Will Help," Dr. W. L. Woodard spoke on "Teeth." Critics were Holden Ballou, Gene Smith, J. P. Harris and Ted Davis. E. G. Phillips was grammarian and Walton Hamilton was parli-

ntarian, Dr. David Farrior master critic. Impromptu speakers were Norwood Young, Dr. Russell Outlaw, Gerald Hill, and Géne Smith.

English Sailing Enthusiast Survives Gale off Virginia

Mrs. Ann Davison, English sailing enthusiast who docked at Morehead City in October 1953, was reported safe by the Coast Guard Monday. Mrs. Davison, in her 23-foot sloop, Felicity Ann, was enroute from New York to Norfolk.

Tide Table

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Employed at the Beaufort Fisheries factory are about 300 persons.
Mr. Putter said this week that unless something is done soon to allow loaded boats to get into the factory, the entire operation may have to be shut down.

Saturday, Dec. 3

M. 7:27 s.m.

Saturday, Dec. 4

M. 8:35 a.m.

M. 8:52 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 5

M. 9:41 a.m.

Monday, Dec. 6

M. 9:53 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 6

M. 10:46 a.m.

10:48 p.m.

Taesday, Dec. 7

M. 11:45 p.m.

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M. 11:45 p.m.

Taesday bec. 8

Monday bers 23-foot sloop, Felicity Ann, was enroute from New York to Norfolk.

A Coast Guard search plane spotted the Felicity Ann Monday. It was being towed by a trawler spotted the Felicity Ann Monday. It was being towed by a trawler town officials in the past have contacted Congressman Graham Barden in an effort to have action taken to deepen the channel, but nothing has come of it.

Store owners along the creek, on Front Street, Beaufort, say the inability of large craft to travel the mability of large craft to travel the creek has meant loss of business to them.

Last week the menhaden boat, Cozart, loaded with fish, went aground in the middle of the creek.

Bahamas.

The Swansbor Town Board, in thorized to hire a couple men to deadline to connect with the water and sewer systems. The board appointed four person sewer systems. The board appointed four person was leasted just west of the Community Center. The board authorized Chief A. D. Allen to sell the 1855 town authorized Chief A. D. Allen to sell the 1855 town authorized to municipal sewer and water lines. He said if they do mayor's end, notices to the violators of connect, as required by town ordinance, the county health officer mayor's end, notices to the violators of connect, as required by town ordinance, the county health officer and Linwood Williams with a dead to many the content of the content of the content. The board authorized the mayor's end, notices to the violators of connect, as required by town ordinance, the county health officer and Linwood Williams with Nime. The board authorized the mayor send, notices to the violators of connect, as required by town ordinance, the county health officer and Linwood Williams with Nime. The board authorized the mayor send, notices to the violators of connect, as required by town ordinance, the county health officer and Linwood Williams with Nime. The board authorized the manyor send, notices to the violators of connect, as required by town ordinance, the county health officer and Linwood Williams with Nime. The board authorized the manyor send, notices to the violators of connects as required by town ordinance. The board authorized the manyor send, notices to the violators of connects as required by town ordinance. The board authorized the manyor send, notices to the violators of connects as required by town ordinance. The board authorized the manyor send, notices to the violators of connects as required by town ordinance. The board authorized the manyor send, notices to the violators of the center. The board authorized the manyor send, notices to the violators of the center. Swansboro Sets Jan. 15 as Deadline For Connecting to Water, Sewer Lines

Student Speaks At JC Meeting

Mary Smith, 10th grade student at Morehead City High School who won the Jaycee Voice of Democra-cy contest, gave her "I Speak for Democracy" speech at the Monday night meeting of the Morehead City

Other content entrants were also guests of the Jayones. They are Anna Lockey, Norman Lewis, Arthur Davis, and Patsy Holt.

In the business meeting the Jaycees discussed the "Bob Mathias Story" movie which they are sponaoring at the Morehead Theatre today and tomorrow.

The football banquet which will be at the Moose Lodge Wednesday night was also discussed. Jayces met in the Hotel Fort Macon din-

\$790 Owed

The mayor told the board that \$790 is still owed on the cost of \$790 is still owed on the cost of planning the water and sewer systems. He said the town has been under the impression that the federal government was going to pay that expense. Investigation of the matter is underway. Mayor Lisk said there is a possibility that the town may have to scrape together water and sewer systems, about \$360,000, the town of Swansboro the \$790.

The board authorized the sale of the town's old garbage truck and decided that the fire house, washed into the water by Hazel, shall be salvaged. Chief Allen was au-

few scallops" are available. The hurricane took its toll of the shellfish delicacy. The state-planted oyster beds to

were taxed costs. Daniels received 30 days or costs. Daniel Webster, also charged with public drunken-ness, forfeited his bond. Paul William Jones, charged

The automobile was not owned by Maunger but was borrowed from Frank N. Murray, Cherry Point. Mounger was going toward Morehead City at the time of the

Mounger has been charged with

Total power outtages which will public drunkenness, disturbing the place in the county early peace; and Otis Homer Guthrie

Auxiliary Completes Plan 1:31 p.m.

For Dance at Smyrna