

One-Week Firemen's School To Begin Here Monday Night

For the first time in Carteret's history, a county-wide fire school will be conducted here next week.

The school has been planned and organized by the Newport Fire Department, B. T. Smith Jr., chief.

The instruction sessions will be in charge of Capt. Otis Dowdy of the Charlotte Fire Department.

The last night of the school will be highlighted by presentation of certificates to all firemen who complete the training course.

The certificates will be awarded by Lloyd Layman, director of fire fighting, National Civil Defense Administration.

Registration for the courses will begin at 5 p. m. Monday at the Morehead City Fire Department.

Men planning to attend the no-host dinner should notify the Morehead City Fire Department no later than Wednesday.

Airplane Starts Spraying Monday

By 6 p. m. Monday the United States Public Health Service plane from Savannah, Ga., was spraying for mosquitoes in this county.

The entire area, from Cedar Island to Swansboro was covered by Wednesday.

According to W. P. Warner, who is on temporary active duty here with the U. S. Public Health Service, the plane went into Pamlico County yesterday afternoon and will probably spray in Beaufort and Hyde Counties the end of this week.

The plane, piloted by John Taylor, is based at New Bern.

Mr. Warner reported that the mist machine, received through Civil Defense, is working east from Sea Level and another fog machine, to be obtained through Civil Defense, is expected here soon.

Mr. Warner, director of mosquito control, Polk County, Florida, came to this county last week and is expected to go into Onslow County next week.

The step-up in mosquito control operations was necessary because the August hurricanes brought large amounts of water which are now standing in stagnant pools and serving as mosquito breeding places.

Conservation Board To Meet at Waynesville

The State Board of Conservation and Development, policy making body for the Department of Conservation and Development, will hold its fall meeting in Waynesville, Oct. 24, 25 and 26.

The dates were announced by C&D Director Ben E. Douglas, who said the board's sessions will be held at the Waynesville Country Club Inn.

Gov. Luther H. Hodges is board chairman.

Parking Meter Violator Surprised by Courtesy

Because of a courtesy extended to her in Morehead City, Mrs. Odus Lee Moore, Laurinburg, recently sent the following letter to the Morehead City Chamber of Commerce:

713 S. Main St. Laurinburg, N. C. Aug. 29, 1955

Dear Sirs: May I express our deep appreciation for the great courtesy shown us in your city. We were staying at the Jefferson Hotel and had gone uptown and parked to do an errand.

There was time on the meter—but the stores were crowded being Saturday, and I, being a woman, stayed longer. We found a violation tag and immediately went to the police station to pay our fine and go through the necessary procedure.

Money in hand, I was more than surprised when told there was no charge, after explaining how come, and it being my first, and noticing on the slip "paid by Chamber of Commerce."

Your fair city is one of our favorites. I am a former New Englander and Morehead City reminds me of Gloucester, Mass., with its boats and delicious seafood.

I am now married to a North Carolinian, the editor of our paper here. With thanks again,

Sincerely, Winifred Moore

Technologist Will Speak On Fish Oils Tomorrow

Fish oils will be a subject of the address by Charles Butler, Washington, D. C., chief of the technological section, Branch of Commercial Fisheries, at the meeting of Eastern North Carolina Chemists tomorrow.

The meeting will take place at 4 o'clock at the Fish and Wildlife laboratory, Pivers Island.

Mr. Butler is in charge of all research being conducted by the Fish and Wildlife Service at laboratories at Boston, College Park, Md., Ketchikan and Seattle.

A graduate of Monmouth College, Monmouth, Ill., Mr. Butler was a laboratory technician at Seattle. He was in Honolulu from 1948 to 1950 and from 1951 to 1952 was working on a freezing-of-fish-at-sea project at the Boston Technology lab.

Mr. Butler also worked on a refrigeration of fish project at the College Park technology laboratory in 1953. He took up his post at Washington in 1954.

Following his talk, Mr. Butler will show the film, "The Story of the Menhaden."

While at Pivers Island, the chemists will go through the Fish and Wildlife lab and visit Duke Marine laboratory. After the meeting, they will have dinner at the Sanitary Restaurant, Morehead City.

Arrangements for the session were made by Theodore Miller, chief chemist for Wallace Menhaden Products, Morehead City. Presiding at the meeting will be William Bridges, chairman of the Eastern North Carolina section, American Chemical Society.

Rotarian Tells Of Abe Lincoln

Abraham Lincoln was the subject of a talk by E. W. Downum at the Beaufort Rotary Club meeting Tuesday night at the Inlet Inn.

Mr. Downum commented on Lincoln's story-telling ability. The President used stories to relieve tension and to avoid answering questions, the speaker said.

He told some of the President's favorite stories. Among them was the following: A newspaper reporter was speaking to the President during the War Between the States when a messenger came in and announced that the Union forces had captured 12,000 Confederates.

President Lincoln turned to the reporter and said, "You know, he's the biggest liar in Washington. He's quite a fisherman, and he told such whopping stories that finally his friends bought a scale so that he could weigh the fish and be able to report accurately their size."

"Well, one day, one of his neighbors had a newborn baby in the house and they had no scales on which to weigh it. So they borrowed the fisherman's scales and the baby weighed 47 pounds!"

Guests at the meeting were W. J. Blair, W. C. Matthews, H. Earle Mobley and Robert Howard, Morehead City Rotarians.

The new county savings bond chairman is a Rotarian, secretary of the Morehead City-Beaufort Elks Lodge, member of the American Legion, past president of the Morehead City PTA and a past president of the Morehead City Junior Chamber of Commerce. He is an active member of the First Methodist Church.

Mr. Sanders has been connected with the First-Citizens Bank & Trust Co., both in Beaufort and Morehead City since 1941. He is now cashier in Morehead City. He served in the U. S. Army three and a half years.

A native of Johnston County and a graduate of Duke University, he is married to the former Miss Rebecca Willis of Morehead City and they now have two children.

August Court Receipts Amounted to \$6,703.41

Court receipts in the county during August totaled \$6,703.41, according to a report submitted to the county board Monday morning by A. H. James, clerk of court.

Received from Morehead City Recorder's Court was \$1,968, from superior court \$1,431.87, from E. Cottingham, justice of the peace, \$25, and probate and clerk's fees totaled \$93.15.

Paid to the county was \$3,134.75.

Dealers Meet

County dealers in farm materials and services, who have been approved by the Agriculture Stabilization Corporation, met recently with B. J. May, ASC supervisor, in the ASC office, Beaufort.

Attending the meeting were C. T. Cannon, L. W. Howard and Roy T. Garner, Newport; Orville Gasbill, Beaufort; and Fred McDaniel, Beaufort RFD.

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J. R. Sanders Heads Savings Bond Committee

J. R. Sanders, Morehead City bank executive, today took over chairmanship of the Carteret County U. S. Savings Bonds Committee.

Wade Hawkins, Eastern North Carolina Area Sales Manager for the U. S. Savings Bonds Division of the Treasury Department with headquarters in Raleigh, told Morehead City Rotarians at their meeting last night that Carteret County bank executive, today took over chairmanship of the Carteret County U. S. Savings Bonds Committee.

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Whereas, it has not been the policy of the schools to interfere with the churches nor ask them to change their programs to accommodate those of the schools, yet have on many occasions excused pupils to attend youth rallies and youth programs that took them out of the school, which loss of class time had to be made up by the teachers, and

Whereas, many parents have to come from considerable distance and feel that a morning service is much more conducive to safety to themselves and families, and to the ability to obtain transportation to attend, and

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Board Chooses 30 To Serve on Jury

Thirty persons, including three women, have been selected by the County Board of Commissioners to serve as jurors for the October term of Superior Court.

Morehead City—Robert L. Hicks, Cecil W. Piner, Joseph P. Bloodgood, W. L. Baldree, Lennie O. Brinson, Dr. E. P. Spence, Rosa Bell Piner Longest, Rosa Bell Langdale, William L. Yeager, Gerald Mitchell, Sigismund E. Saratowski, John Morrison.

Beaufort—Mrs. R. H. Hill and William W. Arrington.

Newport—L. R. Garner and Leighann L. Garner.

Newport route 1—George Guthrie, Hubert H. Riggs and Borden Adams.

Newport route 2—Theodore Jones and D. B. Sanderson; Beaufort route 2—R. W. Saffir; Morehead City RFD—Clyde V. Burr; Crab Point—Thomas C. Oglesby.

Cedar Point—W. D. Redfern;arkers Island—Guyon Lewis; Smyrna—Guy O'Neal Wilson; Cedar Island—Julian Lupton; Williston—T. C. Willis, and Salter Path—Willie L. Cannon.

Bike Stolen

Education Board Acts on Request From Ministers

Alvah L. Hamilton to Act As Counsel for Board; Property Sale Approved

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Sales of legal liquor in Carteret last month totaled \$59,618.70. Sales by stores follow: Morehead City \$34,783.20, Beaufort \$14,552.45, Newport \$10,283.05.

Half of the estimated net profit, \$2,939.24, went to the county and the other half was apportioned among the towns according to sales volume. Morehead City Hospital received \$1,714.83, Beaufort \$717.45, and Newport \$506.96.

Operating expenses were \$3,540.26 and the state sales tax amounted to \$5,947.85. Deducted for law enforcement was \$491.33.

Beaufort Proposes That Three Towns Fight Water Company's Rate Raise

Beaufort's town attorney, Gene Smith, was directed by the town commissioners Monday night to contact Morehead City and Snow Hill relative to joining forces to protest the proposed water rate raise.

Mr. Smith suggested that a rate expert be employed and the cost of presenting the towns' case before the State Utilities Commission be apportioned among the towns.

Beaufort, Morehead City and Snow Hill are served by the Carolina Water Co. which recently requested permission to double water rates.

Relative to sale of waterfront lots, the board decided on a minimum price of \$7.50 per front foot. Further action upon sale of such property was deferred until the attorney can check on whether law requires that the waterfront lots be sold only to holders of riparian rights.

Lights Ordered

Three stop lights, containing an amber signal, were ordered. Cost will be \$452.77. The lights will replace those now being used in town. Action by the last legislature made signals with only green and red lights illegal.

Seven applications for police-women were read but the board deferred action until October.

C. W. Williams, manager of the Carolina Water Co., appeared before the board at their request. He said that a 6-inch water main could be put on Cedar Street now, but he suggested waiting until nearer the time the street is to be paved. Cedar Street will connect with the proposed new highway bridge.

To place the hydrant desired by the fire department on Cedar and Pollock, would cost \$1,200 now, Mr. Williams said, and considerably less after the 6-inch main is down.

Pilot Lands Jet on Banks, Picked Up by Helicopter

A Marine Corps Reserve pilot walked away from his plane unscathed Wednesday afternoon after making an emergency landing three miles west of Emerald Isle on Bogue Banks.

The lucky flyer was First Lt. Vernon M. Hassler, USMCR, Headquarters and Maintenance Squadron 32, Marine Air Group 32, Second Marine Air Wing, Cherry Point.

The jet plane, a TV-2, went down at 4:30 in the afternoon. The landing was made necessary by a flame-out, or power failure. Lieutenant Hassler made a wheels up belly landing, described by Cherry Point Public Information office as "perfect."

Lieutenant Hassler radioed the base that he had to make a crash landing and Fort Macon Coast Guard Station was alerted to search for the plane. Coast Guardsmen from Fort Macon and a helicopter from Cherry Point arrived simultaneously at the scene of the crash.

The pilot was picked up by helicopter and taken back to the base. Men from Fort Macon Coast Guard station were assisting in salvage operations yesterday. The plane is below the high tide mark, awash with salt water. The salvage crew hoped to free it at low tide yesterday afternoon after early attempts to pull it free were abandoned.

The Marine Corps has at the site a 28-ton crane, a T-D9 tractor, 40-foot lowboys (trucks), jeeps, and a two-ton light plant.

Regular NEWS-TIMES subscribers will receive their copy at no extra cost through the mails or from their carrier boy. Newsstand price in Carteret County will be, as usual, 10 cents per copy. THE NEWS-TIMES will wrap and send "mail away" copies at 25 cents per copy. Orders for these will be accepted as long as copies are available.

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News-Times to Publish State Fishing Edition

A FIRST in North Carolina publishing history will be scored by THE NEWS-TIMES Oct. 11 when an illustrated issue covering the vibrant, bustling commercial fishing industry of the entire state will be published.

"It is probable that this issue will be not only a first in North Carolina publishing history but a first in newspaper publishing anywhere in the United States," Lockwood Phillips, publisher, said yesterday.

THE NEWS-TIMES, in prior years, has published special commercial fishing issues, but they were concerned only with commercial fishing in Carteret County.

One of those issues was awarded fourth prize by the National Editorial Association in the 1950 nationwide special issue competition.

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