

Charles Wells Appeals Decision In Court Case

Charles Alton Wells noted an appeal to Superior Court when he was found guilty of drunken driving by Judge Herbert O. Phillips in Morehead City Recorder's Court Monday. Bond was set at \$150.

Wells was fined \$100 and costs by Judge Phillips and given a suspended 90-day road sentence on condition that he remain on good behavior for six months and not drive a motor vehicle until regularly licensed by the state.

Martin Sylvester Collins noted an appeal to Superior Court and bond was set at \$100 when he was found guilty of careless and reckless driving and not guilty of having no operator's license. He was fined \$50 and costs.

Check Bounces

Henry E. Hancock was fined \$50 and costs. He was found guilty of issuing a worthless check to Hi-Way Garage in Pine Level. He was given a suspended 90-day road sentence on condition that he be on good behavior for two years and reimburse J. A. Staring in the amount of \$330 for the worthless check.

He was found not guilty on a second charge of issuing a worthless check to the same concern.

Josephine Floyd Smith was fined \$10 and costs for having no operator's license and for a second offense of running a red light. Half of the fine will be remitted if she presents a valid license to the court within two weeks.

Dalton E. Whaley was fined \$15 and costs for running a stop sign when it was noted that it was his third motor vehicle violation.

James Edward Stanley was fined \$10 and costs for speeding. The court stated this was his second motor vehicle violation.

Costs Paid
The following cases: Robert Jones, William McKnight, Luther J. Shaner and Maurice Chadwick, all for public drunkenness. Shaner and Chadwick were each given 10-day suspended jail sentences.

Carl William Rhodes, speeding; David Arnold Harrell, no chauffeur's license; Matthew Garland Perry, failed to stop for stop sign; Mrs. Dorothy Bruce, frivolous and malicious prosecution; Doland Goodwin, assault on his wife with his fists, and Henry Bell Pickett, hit and run.

Goodwin was given a 30-day suspended road sentence on condition that he remain on good behavior for one year. Pickett was found not guilty of having no operator's license and he must reimburse Ward Ballou in an amount to satisfy damages done to Ballou's vehicle.

Charlie Smith was sentenced to 30 days on the roads for public drunkenness and a suspended sentence was invoked with both sentences to run concurrently.

Forfeits Bond

Isaac Nathaniel Parker Jr. charged with speeding, forfeited his bond.

The charge of being drunk, disorderly and disturbing the peace, against Reginald Conway was left open for future prosecution.

Cases against the following were dropped: Roland W. Lakeman, no operator's license; Bess Reynolds, temporary larceny of an automobile owned by Doland Goodwin, and Guy Dudley, creating a public health menace and maintaining a public nuisance.

Cases against the following were continued: H. F. Haymond, Johnnie Logue, Dave Strickland, Carlton Pittman, Curnal Taylor Marshburn, Liston Carroll Cowan, Thomas Mitchell, Charles Wilton, Bruce A. Gernon, Henry E. O'Brian, and Ernest Clyde Lowe.

J. O. Barbour Jr. Speaks to Rotary

J. O. Barbour Jr. was the speaker at the weekly meeting of the Beaufort Rotary Club Tuesday night at the Inlet Inn.

Mr. Barbour spoke on the growth and development of astronomy particularly insofar as the telescope is concerned.

He said that the study of the sky has increased in scope during the past 50 years as telescopes have improved.

Mr. Barbour himself is an amateur astronomer, and he spoke on his own personal experiences in use of the telescope.

Guests at the meeting included Rotarian Bernard Leary, Morehead City, and Dr. Walter Chipman, Pivers Island.

Two Apprehended

Earl Taylor, employee at a Beaufort blueberry farm, was picked up by Beaufort police Tuesday on a charge of running through a stop sign and driving without a license. Allen Surgel, USMC, was charged with speeding and having an improper muffler.

County Agent Describes Timber Control Experiment



Appearing in this picture is A. D. Ennett of near Swansboro, who is standing by the sign of a Hardwood Control Demonstration. "The purpose of this demonstration is to point out to county timber owners the practical value of chemically controlling hardwood trees," says R. M. Williams, county farm agent. By controlling hardwoods, thicker stands of pine trees can be established that will return to the timber owners greater profits per acre, he remarked. He describes the demonstration as follows:

Five one-tenth acre plots were set up. On the first plot all trees above 2 inches in diameter were girdled. (All the bark removed from around the tree with an axe and with no chemical treatment applied.)

In the second plot, the trees were frilled (deep chop made

around tree with an axe). Then the chemical, Amate, was applied around the frill.

In the third plot, Amate was applied in notches chopped around the base of the trees. On the fourth plot 2-4D solution was applied in frills cut around the tree. The fifth plot was left as a check plot to compare observations of results.

On the eastern half of the one-tenth acre plots, pine seedlings have been set to a regular stand. The other half of the plots will be left to reseed by a natural stand of pines.

The demonstration on Mr. Ennett's farm is located 2 1/2 miles northeast of Swansboro, on Highway 24.

The sign was financed through the efforts of W. C. Carlton, manager of the Carteret-Craven Electric Membership Corp.

October Brings Bright Weather

The weather for the first five days of October was bright and fair. The temperature hit a high of 87 on Saturday and a low of 63 degrees on Wednesday, according to E. Stamey Davis, weather observer.

For the first week, in a great many, there was no rainfall recorded in the county.

The high and low temperatures, plus the wind directions for the week, are as follows:

	Max.	Min.	Winds
Saturday	87	70	SE
Sunday	80	71	NE
Monday	80	68	NNE
Tuesday	79	65	E
Wednesday	85	63	E

60 Names Drawn For Jury Service

Sixty persons have been selected for jury duty in the November term of Superior Court. Names were drawn by the county board Monday.

They are as follows:

Morehead City: Mrs. Eloise F. Menden, L. M. Lewis, Edward C. Weeks, Thaddeus F. Lewandowski, D. E. Williams, Mrs. Valeria Laughton Stanley, Joseph Guthrie, Mrs. Effie B. Adler, A. C. Gaskill, Waldron Bailey.

James Ervin Wade, Mary Louise Rich, Reginald L. Willis, James W. Kellogg, Mrs. Mabel M. Ball, Loren H. Ballance, Dr. A. F. Chestnut, D. W. Freshwater, and Troy Morris Sr.

Newport, route 1: Leon E. Garner, Sophia Salter, Bert White, Bernard Ketner, P. M. Russell Sr., G. C. Garner, Chester A. Pittman, and Charles Hope Adams.

Beaufort: Henry Kramer, George D. Lewis, Mrs. Marie Taylor, Mrs. Alva L. Nance and Fred N. Davis. Beaufort route 1: George H. Autrey, Guy M. Styron, C. A. Merrill.

Newport route 2: Leland F. Garner, George W. Ball, Arlie Fodrie, Locky B. Garner, and L. N. Comer.

Harkers Island: Herman Gillikin, J. H. Lewis, and James A. Guthrie.

Stacy: Connie Daniel and John W. Fulcher.

Marshallberg: Vernon W. Hill, Donald Fulcher and William R. Moore.

Newport: Norman B. Mills, Oscar H. Kirsh, and Vernon Mann. Davis: James W. Salter and Charles L. Babbitt; Atlantic: Roby Fulcher and William R. Willis; Morehead City route 1: Glenn Guthrie and Willie Gray; Sea Level: Jasper G. Daniel; Gloucester: W. W. Chadwick; and Newport route 2: Royal Davis Garner.

Judge Luther Hamilton spoke to Ann Street Methodist Men last Friday night.

ASC Nominates Committeemen

Election to Be Tuesday, Oct. 18; County ASC Convention Oct. 27

Ten men have been selected in each of the following communities to be voted on for Community ASC committeemen. The election will be held Tuesday, Oct. 18.

Newport: H. D. Lockey, Jack Garner, Mather Slaughter, Billy Roberts, Terry Garner, Floyd Garner, Oscar Hill, Clayton Cannon, J. A. Kelly and Robert Smith.

Beaufort-Harlowe: Noah Avery, Herman Merrill, John Felton Jr., Archie Hardesty, Pernel Hardesty, Fred Worthington, Nick Culpepper, J. R. Ward, Ralph Wilkins and R. P. Gooding.

East-Merrimon: Stanley Gillikin, S. W. Lawrence, Brondell Gillikin, Bill Pigott, Heber Golden, Ben Wiggins, Ben Watson, Augustus Lawrence, H. D. Carraway Jr., and Thomas I. Carraway.

White Oak: Clyde Morris, Walter B. Wetherington, Lee Sawrey, Harris Watson, Marion Weeks, L. W. Parker, W. E. Guthrie, Colon Brown, Bernard Morse, and Julian I. Weeks.

Morehead: A. Earl Murdoch, G. C. Allen, Bobby Oglesby, John T. Oglesby, K. S. Swinson, Marion Taylor, John I. Smith, George Creech, Clarence Oglesby and Joe Barnes.

In each of the 10 polling places, five men will be selected on each ballot. The first three will be members of the committee and the other two will serve as alternates. The man with the highest number of votes in each community will be delegate to the county convention on Oct. 27.

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Farmers to Get Free Soil Sampling Service

A soil sampling service which will be free to all farmers in the county will get underway today when a representative of the soil testing laboratory, Raleigh, will come here to assist in training men who will handle the taking of the soil samples, according to B. J. May, county ASC manager.

Mr. May said that Brondell Gillikin, Bettie, and John Felton Jr., Merrimon, have been employed to do this work. Any farmer interested in having his soil tested should contact the ASC office in Beaufort, and not the men who have been hired for the soil testing, Mr. May said.

The soil test must be made before federal funds may be given any applicant for the use of gypsum or gypsum and limestone on soils damaged by saltwater.

The soil-testing service is part of the emergency conservation work being done for those who suffered from damages resulting from the recent hurricanes, Mr. May said.

Mr. May, R. M. Williams, county farm agent; Roy Keller, chairman of the County ASC Committee, and Howard Garner, soil conservation aide, attended a meeting Tuesday at Washington, N. C., where all phases of the emergency conservation problems were discussed and plans made for assisting farmers.

Representatives of all state agricultural agencies took part in the discussion.

Jaycees to Underwrite Holiday Lighting Cost

The Morehead City Jaycees announced at the weekly meeting Monday night at the Hotel Fort Macon that they will underwrite the Christmas lighting program in Morehead City this year.

Luther Lewis, chairman of the Christmas lighting committee, urged passage of the motion which was approved by all the Jaycees.

The lighting will consist of 13 decorated strings of lights across Arendell Street from 7th to 10th Streets in the heart of the Morehead City business section.

\$2,000 Budgeted
The club set up a \$2,000 budget for the work which will include permanent installations of the 13 wires. Members of the club will buy the lights and decorations from a Hickory firm.

President Russell Outlaw asked that all persons who are interested in donating to the Christmas lighting program do so by contacting any Jaycee.

Buddy Bailey gave a report on the work being done by the Jaycees for Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 9-15. He announced that posters have been distributed around town and to the schools, and he also stated that Morehead City firemen will put on a display on how to extinguish fires between halves of the next home football game, Oct. 21.

Football Report
L. G. Dunn reported that the football program is progressing very well and that most of the club's bills for the project have already been paid.

Wives of Jaycees are being sent postcards to see whether they are interested in forming a Jaycees-ettes Club in Morehead City.

Russ Willan reported that the Little League fence, blown down by Hurricane Ione, will be stored in the concession stand at the Camp Glenn Field for the winter.

A letter was sent by the club to the executive board, meeting at High Point, requesting that the dates set for the Miss North Carolina Pageant of 1956 be either July 19-21 or July 26-28.

The Morehead City Town Board will meet Thursday night, Oct. 20.

Towns Retain Dr. I. B. Lake To Fight Water Rate Raise

Newport Board Accepts Petition on Paving Road

Newport town commissioners accepted a petition Tuesday night from residents on New Bern Avenue who want the street paved.

The board said it could make no commitment on paving because other projects have to be paid for first, but an attempt would be made to get estimates on the cost of paving the street.

Residents of the veterans' subdivision attended the meeting to learn whether the master plan for carrying out surface drainage had been laid out.

Plan Delayed
They were told that the surveyor who was supposed to do the work had been sick but it would be ready by the next meeting. Tile for correcting part of the drainage problem is on the site and the board is now looking for a contractor to lay it.

Mayor Leon Mann Jr. reported that the railroad has promised to send a dragline to dig out the ditch along the tracks but as yet the dragline has not arrived. The board approved grading and surfacing W. Railroad Boulevard with rock.

Attorney George Ball said that he did not receive the information for drawing up easement rights on the street that leads from the railroad to the water tank. The street is too narrow to allow a grading machine to enter and residents at the September meeting said they were willing to provide easement on their property so the grader could go through.

Pond Problem
Commissioner Wilbur Garner reported on draining of the frog pond. He said that the farmer who owns land through which the line would have to be run doesn't want his peanut and corn crop disturbed, but he'd be willing to let the line go through after the crops were in (the land is high and evidently the crops weren't damaged by storms).

Commissioner Garner said that since the line would be doing the property owner no good (in the property owner's opinion), the owner wasn't willing to contribute to the cost.

Until the tile can be put through that land, the board discussed filling in with dirt so people could get to their houses.

The board adopted an ordinance making it a misdemeanor if adults locked a child alone in a house, making it impossible for the youngster to escape if fire occurred.

It was reported that signs specifying a 20-mile-an-hour speed limit by the school were put up Tuesday morning. The board authorized purchase of a second hand typewriter for use by town officials.

Five Motorists Face Charges

Five motorists were apprehended by Morehead City police and a member of the State Highway Patrol for alleged motor vehicle violations during the past week.

Last Friday Frederick M. Ravis, Cherry Point, was apprehended and charged with no operator's license and driving after his license had been revoked, and Benjamin A. Chitko, Cherry Point, was apprehended for having no operator's license.

On Tuesday John W. Blucher, Cherry Point, was apprehended for having no operator's license; Earl Taylor, employee at the Beebe Blueberry farm, Beaufort, was apprehended for careless and reckless driving and driving after his license had been revoked, and Eva Mae Guthrie, Morehead City, was apprehended for careless and reckless driving, and no lights.

Construction Costs Show Increase Over Two Months

Permits issued for new construction work in Morehead City for the months of August and September broke all records of any two months of the current year. They totaled \$185,250.

For the month of August three permits for new structures were issued, totaling \$90,500. The Morehead Motel Corp. heads the list, having under construction a motel unit at West Arendell and Bonner Streets at a cost of \$75,000.

A warehouse estimated to cost \$7,500 is being erected by the Morehead Shipbuilding Co. at their yards on 4th Street. The third permit issued for August covers the construction of a house by Paul R. Taylor on Guthrie Street near the Camp Glenn school, costing \$8,000.

Although construction costs for the month of September do not total those of August, yet a greater number of permits were issued by A. B. Roberts, building inspector. They cover twelve types of work and total \$74,750.

A structure for commercial use is being erected by E. G. Phillips at Arendell and 14th Streets at a cost of \$19,000. This building will house a Piggy-Wiggly food store. The Goodwin Development Corp. added five more houses in their "Crab Point" development. Four of the houses are listed to cost \$6,750 each and one \$7,000. A new residence is under construction for Ray S. Stub on Evans

Dr. Walter Chipman Names Captains

Appointment of the following team captains for the Boy Scout Fund Drive has been announced by Dr. Walter Chipman, Beaufort, town chairman:

J. P. Harris, Jr., Gerald Hill, Leslie Moore, Clifford Lewis, Dr. David Farrior, James Davis, Lonnie Dill, Gene Smith, Halsey Paul, Odell Merrill, Glenn Adair, Bob Williams, E. W. Downum, Fred L. Bertram, Sammy Merrill, David Taylor, Leland Swain, Roy Clemmons.

All solicitors in the campaign met Tuesday morning for breakfast at the Hotel Fort Macon. In charge of the drive in Morehead City is Dr. S. W. Hatcher.

Dr. I. Beverly Lake of the Raleigh law firm, Fletcher and Lake, has been retained by the towns of Beaufort, Morehead City and Snow Hill to oppose the water rate raise proposed in those towns.

A hearing on the increase, before the State Utilities Commission, has been set for 10 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 18, in the utilities commission office, library building, Raleigh.

Attorneys to Assist
Appearing with Dr. Lake, who was formerly in the state attorney general's office, will be Gene Smith, attorney for the town of Beaufort, George McNeill, attorney for the town of Morehead City, and George Edwards, counsel for Snow Hill.

The Carolina Water Co., which serves the three towns, filed a petition with the utilities commission in August requesting rates that would just about double the present rate.

The Carolina Water Co. acquired the three municipal properties from Carolina Power and Light Co. July 1, 1954 at a cost of \$160,000, according to Mr. Smith.

Long Time No Raise
Water company officials say that there has been no change in water rate here since 1932 and that if their request is granted the rates in the three towns will not be as high as rates in towns of comparable size.

Townpeople and town officials are against a raise in rates. Morehead City officials say that a rate raise may be in order, but to double it is too much.

Beaufort officials are just plain against it. And Snow Hill is more than willing to join the ranks of protestors.

221 Seek Help From Red Cross
Lynn Warren, Red Cross worker in charge of applications for aid in this county, reported yesterday that 221 applications had been filed.

By yesterday morning all had been cleared with the exception of seven or eight, Mr. Warren said.

The Red Cross expects to close its disaster office here today. Workers here will go to New Bern and Pamlico County where they are needed to handle applications from victims of the hurricane.

At a meeting with county Red Cross officials Tuesday night Mr. Warren gave a report on the work that had been done in Carteret. Assisting him here are Mrs. Sarah Hoyle and Miss Sally Barrett.

Mrs. J. D. Rumley, Beaufort, home service chairman of the Red Cross, reported yesterday two additional disaster fund contributions. A check was received from the Clyde Jones Co., Morehead City, and a cash contribution from an unidentified newspaper reporter.

This brings disaster fund contributions from local people to \$190.46. No campaign was made to collect money. The donations were purely voluntary.

Players to Give Sunday Show
A special performance of "See How They Run" will be given Sunday afternoon, Oct. 23, by the Carteret Community Theatre. This performance of the next play, to be presented to the public Oct. 24 and 25, will be for the theatre's invited guests.

Among the guests will be members of the New Bern Little Theatre.

"See How They Run" is a comedy. The plot concerns an English vicar and his American actress wife. Their married life becomes considerably complicated when a former boyfriend of the vicar's wife puts in an appearance.

Add to that the suspicious old maid in the vicar's congregation and a few extra clergymen running around and it spells an evening of hilarious fun.

The play will be produced in the Morehead City School Auditorium. Sponsoring it is the Carteret Business and Professional Women's Club. The club has charge of ticket sales and properties.

Directing the play is Tressa Royal Vickers, Morehead City.

Underwriters To Get Charter
William F. Yates, Raleigh, will present the charter to the newly-organized Carteret County Life Underwriters Association at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 27, at a luncheon meeting at the Hotel Fort Macon.

Men who sell life insurance organized the group last Thursday. They plan to meet the last Thursday of every month at the Hotel Fort Macon at 12:30 p.m.

Edward Lewis is membership chairman, Robert Shaw, publicity chairman; Rod Eubanks, program chairman; Jimmy Pitchford, quality awards chairman; and Theodore Phillips public information and education chairman.

All qualified underwriters are cordially invited to the Oct. 27 charter meeting, Mr. Shaw announces.

Judgments Authorized
During the afternoon session of the county board meeting Monday, the commissioners authorized the turning over of delinquent taxes to the clerk of court's office for filing of judgments.