Farmers to Attend Meeting at 8

Negro Held in Connection With Bodiford House Break

He was apprehended by Sheriff Hugh Salter late Sunday morning after members of the Bodiford family told police that he entered the house and accosted Joan Bodi-ford, 14, in her bedroom on the

The sheriff said that no formal charges have been placed against Henderson, a Negro fisherman, but he is being held without bond and is docketed for a preliminary hearing in county court Thursday

Father Away

Mr. Bodiford was away at the time, visiting in South Carolina. Mrs. Bodiford and her three daughters, Jerri, 18, Barbara, 15, Joan, 14, were in the house, located at Ann and Turner streets.
According to Joan, Henderson

evidently entered the house some sister, Barbara, was sewing in the living room downstairs until 2 a.m. She said that Barbara was sleeping with her in their bedroom when Joan heard somebody walk-ing around. "The floor was squeaking," she related.

She said she got out of bed and went around to the foot of the bed and saw a man coming into the bedroom. She said she thought perhaps her father had come home and had brought one of their cous

She said she was talking and asking questions when the man told her to keep quiet. Then he

said, "Come here!"

She told him she wouldn't come and asked him who he was. Again Joan said he told her to be quiet and said he had her mother and sister tied up downstairs and if she weren't quiet, he'd kill her.

Runs Out Screaming

With that, Joan said that she told him he'd have to catch her first and ran out the bedroom door (there are two doors to the room) screaming. She said that the man

when the truck struck it from the rear. The truck was not loaded.

Branton was taken to the Morehead City Hospital in the living room windows while her sister Barbara was sewing, because her 6-year-old brother, Wayne, found Henderson's wallet under a window on the front porch.

There was no money in the wallet, but Henderson's name was in

Henderson, about 30 years

evidently entered the Bodiford house through a window on the

back porch.
Mr. Bodiford was notified of the incident and returned home Sun-

Agassiz Aids **Shrimp Trawler**

The Davis Brothers IV, out of Englehard, was aided by the Coast Guard cutter Agassiz Friday morning when the Davis Brothers, a shrimp trawler, started shipping water five miles east of the steel pier at Emerald Isle.

The Davis Brothers, with its owner, Maynard Meekins, and a crew member aboard, was shrimping when an engine pipe burst and water flooded the bilges. The trawler radioed for help and the message was received by the Agastic which was engaged in operational training in the vicinity of buoy 13.

connection with breaking and entering the S. M. Bodiford house. Beaufort, early Sunday morning is Mayroy Henderson, Whitestone. To Ward Off Death, No Cost is Too Great ...

Save a Life!

\$500!



The life-saving fund started by THE NEWS-TIMES last week after the drowning of a 21-yearold girl, is still in its infancy. Twenty-six dollars has been received. URGENCY is the keynote in this drive to get a re-suscitator on Bogue Banks as

soon as possible.

Don't put off mailing your contribution. Death may not wait "until tomorrow." A safe beach is important to everyone in this area. Just \$1 from 500 persons would make a resuscitator a

followed her down the steps and she went out on the front porch screaming. He went out the back way and in his rush to get away broke down a washline strung on the back porch and several electric cords strung there. Driver Seriously Hurt in Wreck

the surf, near death, what would you give to have a resuscitator just a few seconds away?

Anything, you say? Yes, most people would. At the height of an emergency no sacrifice is too great if it means saving a life. Right now, if you yourself, or someone you loved very dearly were near death as the result of "getting in a deep hole" or being "caught in a current" along the beach, a resuscitator is three drawbridges away in Beaufort.

Long Distance

Even by police escort, at least 10 minutes must lapse between the time of calling for a resuscitator and getting it over to Bogue Banks If any one of the three bridges is up, no police escort can get the resuscitator across an open draw

And the precious moments are the ones when the near-drowned person has just been pulled from the water.

Right now there is not one re suscitator on Bogue Banks. The Coast Guard has an inhalator but those who have had experience in treating the nearly-drowned say the resuscitator is absolutely the most valuable equipment. An in-halator helps bring a person around quickly once he is breath-ing, but it does not "make" in person breathe as does a resuscita

THE NEWS-TIMES believes tha nothing is more direly needed in the county at this moment than a resuscitator on Bogue Banks. And the sooner it is there, the better Three weeks of the busy summer eason have already passed.

Beaches Crowded

Persons are flocking to the beach by the thousands. All along the strand, from Fort Macon to Emer-ald Isle they are swimming. In that entire area there are just two protected beach areas, at Fort Ma-con State Park and at Atlantic Beach.

There will be persons drowned

Leroy Branton, Beaufort RFD, is in critical condition at the More head Joan screaming and called the Beaufort police. Officer Steve Beachem got the call at 3:20 a.m. and searched for the intruder but couldn't find him.

Joan's sister, Barbara, did not waken when the man entered the room. Joan's screaming got the whole family up though and Ed Hudson, a neighbor who lives nearby, and Jerri Bodiford got in a cab and started scarching the neighborhood.

Were Shorts

Leroy Branton, Beaufort RFD, is in critical condition at the More could be saved, IF there is a resould be

The sheriff said that Joan's de- 13-Year-Old Uses Head, scription fitted Henderson and after he was picked up she identified him as the man who was in her bedroom. Saves Father, Son at Beach

To Go to Formesa



W. A. Ellison Jr., Belhaven, former director of the Institute of Fisheries Research, Morehead City, has accepted a position with the federal International Cooperation Administration as fluberies advisor for Formosa.

Mr. Ellison will live at the capital, Taipei, and has accepted the overseas position for one year. Mrs. Ellison will accompany him. At present Mr. Ellison is in Washington, D. C. He and his wife will fly to Formosa, leaving within the next serval weeks.

Quick thinking by 13-year-old Al that his reports, through THE North Carolina State.

Lassiter, 2503 Everett Ave., Ral-

and then ran for help. After the Incident was over, Mr. Porter said that without the inner tube they probably could not have stayed above water until help came.

Outstanding 4-H Club Members

Appear in Revue at Hut Friday

The healthlest 4H Club members aware chosen Friday night at the porter saw that his son was having the aid of difficulty offshore and went to his aid, but when he god to left, he said the current was heaven to his aid, but when he god drekes and other 4H girls modeled of drek

Tomorrow Night at Courthouse E. Stamey Davis, Morehead City, Keeps Sharp Eye on the Weather



By HAL SHAPIRO

was answered by E. Stamey Davis, Morehead City, and from that day to this he has acted as weather observer for this area.

Stamey's dad had a reputation as a fair-to-middlin' weather prog-nosticator, and he decided that he'd try and emulate his dad. The job pays no salary, but Mr.

Davis makes three reports daily on the high temperature, the low temperature and the rainfall. Two of the reports are sent into Raleigh and the other is his own record.

Taking the job as a hobby, Sta Taking the job as a booby, Sta-mey got his biggest kick in 1952 when the thermometer rose to 107 degrees and he had the AP, UP and the News and Observer ringing him on the phone to explain the sudden heat wave.

Mr. Davis has two rain gauges back of his home in Morehead City, as well as two thermometers. One of the thermometers, the one with mercury, judges the high for the day, and the other, using alcohol, records the present temperature and the low for the day. Gillikin Gillikin attended Wake Forest and the other two attendances.

Bell was one of his teachers. | as a clerk-ice puller, His father Where the George Stovall home was in charge of the plant at that

A meteorologist's plea in the is at present, is where he attended time. News and Observer 10 years ago the Teacher's Assembly. This was a private school. When he attended public school, located at the site of the present school he recollects that he had

to jump ditches over a frog pond previous salary had been \$10.50 in order to get to class in the per week. morning. He also attended the Methodist School in the old Harry North



building, then Mayor George Dill now re-

In his one year in the Morehead City School, under S. W. Car-wile as principal, he had three classmates, who with himself, were in an advanced preparatory class for college.

He enjoys the work and hopes Forest and the other two attendant his reports, through THE ed A&M College, which is now

Ice and Coal Co. installed an 18ton ice plant for cold storage and Mr. Davis went to the new com-pany at a salary of \$15 a week. His

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located at 10th and Bridges Hospital Gets Streets, and the Atlantic Institute which was

tor of the Sea Level Hospital, an-nounced Saturday that the hospital has received \$5,000, half of its grant from the Ford Foundation. will be paid March 15, 1957.

Ford Foundation. This will consist, he said, of improving and extending the hospital's services in the area it serves.

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Lassiter, 2503 Everett Ave., Raleigh, is credited with saving a factor and young son near Atlantic Beach. They were swimming soveral blocks from the protected beach area, toward Ocean Ridge.

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He attended school in Morehead year-old son, Jeff, were in trouble, he took them an inner tube and then ran for help. After the

ing at 8 p.m. tomorrow at the courthouse, Beaufort, where the new federal Soil Bank program will be explained. The only farmers affected by the program, at present,

in this county are tobacco, cotton and wheat farmers, but farm leaders believe all farmers should become acquainted

with the program. For that reason, they have scheduled tomorrow night's meeting. To benefit from the program this season, tobacco farmers must sign

up not later than 5 p.m. Friday in the office of B. J. May, ASC manager, postoffice building, Beaufort. That means that tobacco farmer have only four days to decide whether they want to participate

in the Soil Bank program.

The entire thing is voluntary Farmers need not take part unless they want to. Farmer leaders say that tobacco farmers will probably be more interested than the others. 500 Eligible

Mr. May estimates that about 500 farmers in this county will be eligible to partcipate.

The program to be explained to

night is the "acreage re-phase. There is another phase, the "conservation reserve, but details on that are not expect-ed to be released until fall.

The Soil Bank program was authorized by the Congress and placed in operation this year in order to accomplish three pur-poses: (1) to reduce surpluses; (2) to conserve natural resources; and, truck after Hassell had warned the (3) to improve the farmer's eco-nomic condition. "None of these objectives will be realized unless farmers participate in the pro-gram," Mr. May said.

Mr. May, David Jones, soil con-servationist; R. M. Williams, coun-ty agent; C. S. Long, Newport, and Roy Keller, ASC committee chair-man, Bettie, attended a meeting at Williamston Thursday to learn about the program.

Government to Pay

State officials there said that growers of cotton, wheat and to-bacco who reduce their acreage below their farms' established allot-ments may earn payments for do-

The provisions of the acreage reserve program which will affect Carteret farmers follow:

The farmer must: 1. Put land in the reserve is representative of the land used

for the crop.

2. Harvest less than the farm allotment of the particular crop.
3. Not permit the land to be

grazed, cut for hay, or cropped for the entire 1956 calendar year. Any farmer who complies these provisions, may become eli-

gible for payments if:
1. He has underplanted his allotment for cotton, tobacco, or wheat, and he certifies that he underplanted in anticipation of complying with the 1956 acreage program, or because of adverse

weather conditions. 2. An acreage of the allotment crop will not be harvested because

date, whichever is later. The law establishes maximum and minimum acreages that may be placed in the reserve. To de-The other five thousand, he said termine both his maximum and minimum, the farmer must use the larger of the figures resulting from the following formulas:

Two Negroes were injured in a wreck at the east end of the Leannexville Road Saturday at 2 p.m.
They were Clyde Copes and Charles E. Gienn, both of Beau-

Civil Term Ends; **Heart of Beach** Suit Settled

Judge Malcolm Paul presiding closed at 2:30 p.m. Friday.

Two cases involving more than thousand dollars were Both were compromised. George W. Carter agreed to pay to Joseph Zajac \$1,350 in settlement of any interest Zajac had in the Heart of Atlantic Beach.

The case was non-suited and Carter was ordered to pay costs.

The court approved the offer of J. G. Hassell to pay \$1,096.85 to Grover Conway. The suit was in-stituted on behalf of Grover's son, Chester, who was injured when he hitched a ride on Hassell's child to stay off.

In the case of Helen A. Marino s. Pasquale Marino, the court ruled that Marino was delinquent in eight payments, \$52 each, to his former wife. He was ordered to pay the \$416 or go to jail.

The court ordered that Marvin H. Powers and Mary G. Powers re-cover \$574.90, plus interest from March 9, 1953, from E. F. Murray, trading as the Murray Contracting

and Enginering Co. and enginering Co.

Ernest Phillips Jr., by Ernest
Phillips Sr., was granted a divorce
from Nancy Kellum Phillips, repre-sented by her guardian, C. W.

Stevens. Lummie C. Cottle was granted a divorce from Sybil Cottle mother was granted custody of the mother was granted custody of the two children and Cottle was or-dered to pay \$60 a month for their support plus an additional \$10 a month during the winter to meet school lunch expense.

Court orders: The judge ordered that Bitum inous Casualty Co. be made a party plaintiff in the case G. W. Hunt-ley vs. New Bern Ice Co., Atlantic

Co. and Jasper D. Dudley.

A demurrer, alleging that the complaint fails to state cause for action, was sustained in the case of Clarence Willis, administrator of the estate of Ronney Darrell Willis vs. Henry Davis, Harkers Island, T. T. Potter, Morehead City, and Sinclair Refining Co., Atlanta, Ga.

The court ordered that the ac-

tion be dismissed in 30 days unless 3. He plows up the crop prior to June 30, or the final disposition the plaintiff properly amends the complaint.

In the case of Mrs. Stella Salter vs. T. A. Taylor and Mrs. Almeta
D. Taylor, trading as T. A. Taylor
Wholesale Seafood, the court stated that Mrs. Salter shall submit to a physical examination to de-termine injuries she allegedly sus-tained in a fall on the property

Courtney, engineers are to go with Courtney to the premises in question and make a report by the week of July 9.

In the case of Ruth C. Chadwick vs. Warren W. Chadwick, the defendant was permitted to withdraw his previous request to waive jury trial, and the case remains on the docket.