

Mrs. Dyon Simpson Wins Club Award; Miss Margaret Clark Delivers Address

There was standing room only Friday night at the Home Demonstration Achievement program. One hundred fifty club women and their guests heard Miss Margaret Clark, former home agent here, speak on leadership.

Miss Clark, who is now state assistant 4-H leader, was introduced by Mrs. Billie Smith of the North River Club.

Miss Clark referred to her five years in this county "as the happiest time of my life. . . I am a little better for having lived here," she remarked.

She recalled days between 1936 and 1941 when she travelled dirt roads to Cedar Island and Salter Path where the residents were hoping soon to get electricity.

"I don't see one scene here that looked like it did when I left in 1941," Miss Clark commented.

She said there was only one thing that hadn't changed and that was that the home agent was still without an assistant!

Turning to her theme, Miss Clark said that leadership is to a program like the heart is to the body. Leadership, she continued, is influence with people.

Qualities of Leader
A leader, the speaker continued, is a doer, always seeks to improve, makes decisions, "starts where followers are," develops leaders while leading, and always has time because he organizes well.

She commented that local 4-H adult leaders are "the biggest influence" in the 4-H program. Miss Clark said she would like to see more emphasis placed on the youth.

In conclusion, 10 Home Demonstration Club members, each holding one of the letters used to spell leadership, stood and named the qualities of a leader.

They were Mrs. Dyon Simpson, Mrs. Lois Stallings, Mrs. Flay McCabe, Mrs. Selma Carraway, Mrs.

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Two Men Jump From Bridge

An unidentified fisherman made the catch of the year Sunday afternoon at the Atlantic Beach bridge. According to police reports, a carload of merry-makers were going across the bridge when one of them was dared to jump off.

The car was stopped, the daredevil stood on the railing of the bridge and jumped. A would-be hero, remembering that his buddy couldn't swim, went after him.

Someone called the Morehead City police and fire departments, but before they could get to the bridge, a fishing skiff had picked up the two adventurers.

Chief Herbert Griffin, who was at the scene, said that he wrapped the two in coats to keep them warm and sent them on their way. Police did not get the names of any of the characters in the escapade.

Negro Stabbed; Four Locked Up

Four men are in jail and one is in the hospital as a result of Saturday night fights in Beaufort. Police Chief Guy Springle says that Edward Barrett was found about 10:30 p.m. near the corner of Cedar and Pollock Streets with serious knife wounds just below his left shoulder.

William Godeette and his wife who were going to visit friends heard Barrett groaning and called police. Barrett was drunk, Mr. Springle said, and unable to give an information concerning his attacker. He was taken to Morehead City Hospital by the Adair ambulance.

Herziah Green, Beaufort, and James Brown, Avalon, Va., were put in jail for being drunk and fighting in the Chicken Shack, a night spot on Queen Street.

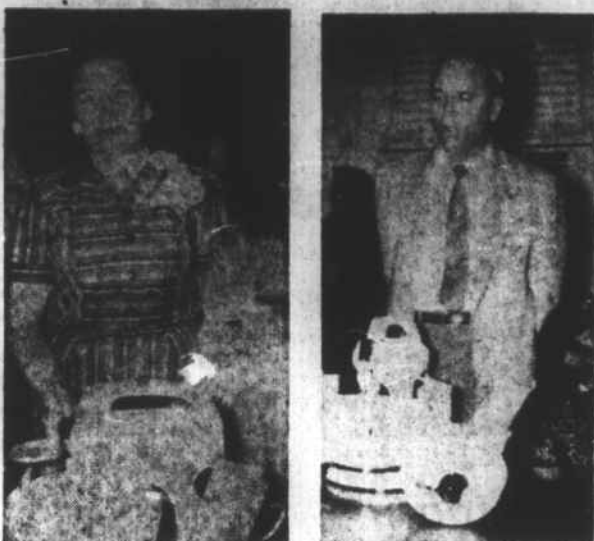
William Gordon Ward and Gordon Sydney, both of Avalon, were put in jail for being drunk and fighting in the street outside the Chicken Shack.

Temperatures Stay Above Freezing

E. Stamey Davis, weather observer, says that there have been several reports of frost in the county this week, but the chances are, he adds, that it was a heavy dew. The low temperatures have been around 50 degrees so far, he said, and that isn't cold enough for frost.

About one tenth of an inch of rain fell Friday afternoon. The maximum and minimum temperatures and wind direction for the period follow:

	Max.	Min.	Wind
Thursday	75	49	SE
Friday	75	49	SSE
Saturday	66	58	NE
Sunday	58	47	N



Mrs. Dyon Simpson, Bettie, left, her daughter, Mary Ann, and W. C. Carlton, Morehead City, right, stand behind the gifts Mrs. Simpson received as Home Demonstration Club Woman of the Year. Announcement of the award was made by Mr. Carlton.

Morehead City's New Fire Truck Arrives Saturday

Morehead City's new fire truck arrived Saturday night. Engineer John Parker drove it here from Miami where it was on display at the National Fire Chiefs Convention.

Fire Chief Vernon Guthrie attended the meeting. The truck, which costs \$14,500, is now at the West End Substation, and will go into use as soon as all tests on it are made and it is formally accepted by the town. This is expected to be in about a week.

New Color

The new truck is red and white, to indicate that it is from the substation and not the down-town station. "Because the manufacturer wanted to display it at Miami," Mayor George Dill said, "they've chromed everything on it that they could possible chrome. It's a pretty thing."

The manufacturer paid the expense of sending Mr. Parker to Miami to pick up the truck. It was shipped there by box car.

New Building

The new substation still is in the process of being completed. Inside finishing and painting is being done and the side walls will be brick-venered. The station is being built by the firemen.

It was used Nov. 6 as the polling place for Precinct No. 2 and is expected to be the regular polling place for that precinct.

Club to Sponsor Dance at Smyrna

The Marshallberg Community Club will sponsor a Thanksgiving dance at 8 o'clock Thursday night at the Smyrna School. Music will be furnished by the Carolina Parners.

Proceeds will go to the fire department which covers the communities of Marshallberg, Smyrna, Straits, Williston and Gloucester. There will be both square and round dancing — as the dancers wish.

Bids Are Opened For Smyrna Shop

H. L. Joslyn, county school superintendent, says that construction on the new shop building at Smyrna will begin soon.

The bids were opened Thursday afternoon with Wilton and Morton, Newport, getting the general contract. Beaufort Plumbing got the plumbing contract, and Hattell Electric won the electric contract. All heating bids were rejected. A decision on that will be made later.

The new agricultural shop, 33 x 110 feet, will house the equipment which the school obtained three years ago, Mr. Joslyn said. Even though it has been in a make-shift location, it has been well cared for.

In addition to the shop itself, the building will contain a classroom and the vocational agriculture teacher's office.

It will be built right behind the main school building.

Fabulous Trophies



Morehead City mayor, George Dill, left, and T. T. "Tom" Potter, president of the Fabulous Fishermen, look over four of the seven trophies presented by the organization to winners of the Morehead City fishing tournament. Trophies are, left to right, Sailfish, record fish caught aboard Blue Water (Capt. Hubert Fulcher); Spanish Mackerel, winning fish caught aboard Sylvia (Capt. Theodore Lewis); Amberjack, winning fish caught aboard Dolphin III (Capt. Wallace Guthrie); and King Mackerel, winning fish caught aboard Dolphin (Capt. George Redworth).

Longshoremen Strike Freezes Hawaii-Citizen at Dockside

Curtain Will Rise Saturday At 8 P.M. on Peg O' My Heart



Bedlam breaks loose in the Chichester household as everyone tries to "bring up Peg." Peg, played by Christy James, is seated left in the picture left above. Next to her is Ruth Peeling who plays the part of Mrs. Chichester. Holding, Pet, the dog, is Ethel Chichester, portrayed by Mildred Wheaton. Standing left to right are Barry Willis, who plays the part of Jerry; Frank Jones, as Alaric Chichester and Virginia Morris, as Bennett, the maid. Right are Jerry and Peg.

Saturday night at 8 o'clock the curtain will rise on the long-awaited Peg O' My Heart, the play being produced by popular demand by the Carteret Community Theatre.

The play will be given only one night at the Morehead City recreation building. The recreation building is located on Shepard Street between 15th and 16th Streets.

It will climax this special week, set aside by Mayor George W. Dill as a week to call attention to the town's recreation program. Proceeds from the play will be divided between the theatre and the Morehead City Recreation Commission. The recreation commission will use its share to help finance the town's recreation program.

Peg O' My Heart is a highly entertaining story about a young Irish girl who is placed in her aunt's English household to be reared as a "lady."

Unlike most plays, Peg O' My Heart has two canine characters, Pet, a little pampered dog of the English home, and Michael, a Heinz variety pup owned by Peg.

Michael likes his new home no better than Peg and in one scene the fur literally flies.

Four high school students make their debut with the Carteret Community Theatre in this production. They are Christy James as Peg; Barry Willis as Jerry, who falls in

love with Peg; Mildred Wheaton as Ethel, who is the daughter in the English family; and Virginia Morris as the maid, Bennett.

Christy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John James; Barry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Willis; Mildred is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wheaton, and Virginia is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Morris.

Director of the play is Tressa Royal Vickers.

Mrs. Mamie Taylor, who was in charge of the recreation program for primary children this past summer, will be in charge of the baby-sitting service. Parents who would like to see the play and have young children may bring them to the play where they will be cared for.

During intermission, soft drinks, candy and cigarettes will be sold in the lobby.

Tickets are now on sale. Admission is a dollar for adults and 50 cents for students. Tickets may be obtained from members of organizations which use the recreation building for a meeting place or from Miss Lillian Frances Giddens, president of the Carteret Community Theatre.

Isle Property Owners Would Accept Toll Bridge or Ferry

Four Hurt When Two Cars Crash

Four persons were injured at 12:15 a.m. Saturday in a two-car collision at Otway.

Injured were Julian Lee Davis, USN, Davis; his mother, Mrs. Nevelle Davis; Furlow Hill, Otway, and a woman passenger with Hill who was not identified.

Davis in a 1954 Chevrolet was headed east when a 1947 Pontiac, driven by Hill and headed north, crashed into him at the crossroads at Otway.

The Chevrolet was demolished and the Pontiac badly smashed.

According to State Highway Patrolman W. J. Smith Jr., Mrs. Davis's face was severely cut and her left knee injured. Her son had similar injuries. Hill's face was cut and his ankle sprained.

All were taken to the Sea Level Hospital. Mrs. Davis and Hill were still confined to the hospital yesterday. Patrolman Smith said that Mrs. Davis had just been to New Bern to meet her son who is stationed at Charleston.

Hill has been charged with driving drunk, driving without a license and failing to stop for a stop sign. He has no license, the patrolman said, because it had been revoked for drunken driving.

Emerald Isle property owners are in favor of either a toll bridge or ferry spanning Bogue Sound, Commissioner Ted Garner reported at a meeting Thursday night.

The board met at the town hall with Commissioner Garner, mayor pro-tem, presiding. Mayor George Dill, who appeared in a performance at the high school, arrived for the latter part of the meeting.

At the October meeting Mayor Dill said that Governor Hodges had inquired whether a toll bridge or ferry from the Cedar Point section to Emerald Isle would be acceptable to the people of this section.

The board said it was in favor of such arrangement but would defer a formal answer until contacting major property owners at Emerald Isle.

Improvement Reported

Commissioner Gible Sanderson and Clerk John Lashley reported that the street superintendent, J. V. Waters, who suffered a heart attack Wednesday, seemed to be getting along all right.

The board authorized application to Civil Defense for two low-frequency radio sets for the town police cars. Also ordered paid was a bill to CP&L for \$91.71 to cover cost of Christmas lights last year.

Placement of a street light in the east alley of square 69, requested by Llewellyn Phillips and other

residents of the area, was approved.

A letter from Dr. S. W. Hatcher, requesting a light at the east end of Calico Drive was read. Dr. Hatcher said that the area is used by couples in cars "for immoral purposes." The board felt that a light put there would probably be shot out and Police Commissioner Garner said he would ask the police cars to make nightly checks by the place.

Mr. Lashley called to the board's attention the fact that a light at 17th and Avery Streets is continually shot out. It was decided that if the damage continues, the light will be abandoned.

Attending the meeting, in addition to those mentioned, were commissioners S. C. Holloway, D. J. Hall and Jasper Bell.

D. E. Taylor Scheduled To Attend Bid Opening

D. E. Taylor, West Palm Beach, Fla., and other members of the Taylor Foundation will be present at 3 o'clock tomorrow when bids are opened for the new 20-room wing of the Sea Level Hospital.

Contractors will be present at the bid opening which will take place at the hospital. The bids are being opened on the anniversary of the formal dedication of the present hospital, which was Nov. 21, 1953.

What Happened at Wildwood...

Official county election returns show that in Wildwood precinct candidates on the county ticket, Nov. 6 received only 30, 27 and 27 votes. The votes were for Senators Luther Hamilton, John Dawson and D. G. Bell.

But as many as 243 votes were cast for other candidates. One of the candidates on the ticket wondered at the discrepancy.

C. Z. Chappell, chairman of the elections board, when queried about

it yesterday, said that the elections board members questioned it when they canvassed the votes.

The board inquired of the registrar and pollholders at Wildwood and was told that Judge Hamilton, who was running for senator, went by the voting place on election day and saw that voters were taking the county ballot and throwing it on the floor.

He suggested, the pollholders said, that if people were going to throw the ballots away, there was no need to give them out.

So they stopped handing out the ballots. The three men on the county ticket, Judge Hamilton, Mr. Dawson and Mr. Bell, had no Republican opposition.

Mr. Chappell said that legally everyone is supposed to get a ballot whether they vote it or not and in Wildwood precinct county and constable ballots were given to all those who requested them.

The constable candidate had no opposition either. Registrar in the Wildwood precinct is C. A. McCabe.

The longshoremen strike, which spread yesterday to the west coast, froze at dockside the Hawaii-Citizen, a freighter scheduled to load tobacco at Morehead City Friday.

The Hawaii-Citizen, bound for Gulf ports and the west coast, is expected to stay at Morehead City until the strike ends and it can take on its cargo.

Longshoremen walked off the job in New York City late Thursday. Another negotiating meeting between the International Longshoremen's Association and the New York Shipping Association, an employer group, was scheduled to be held at 2 p.m. yesterday.

Head of the local longshoremen's union is Leroy Guthrie, Morehead City.

Issues at Stake
Issues in the dispute are wage increases, length of contract, size of work gangs, weight of sling loads and a demand for a guaranteed eight-hour work day.

Shippers have offered a 38-cent package pay increase over a three-year period. That would have pushed the basic wage to \$2.80 an hour, with 32 cents of the increase in a direct pay boost. The present pay is \$2.48 an hour.

The union agreed on the amount but wanted the raise over a two-year period instead of three.

The Hawaii-Citizen, due to take tobacco to South Pacific ports and Japan, docked at Morehead City Friday morning, arriving here from Baltimore. The ship is owned by the Matson Line, under contract to States Marine. She is manned by an American crew.

Fortunately, no other ships will be held up at Morehead City if the strike is settled soon. J. D. Holt, port manager, said that the next ship to require stevedoring service

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Auxiliary Makes \$80 Saturday On Variety Show

The Woman's Auxiliary of Sea Level Hospital cleared \$80 on the variety show sponsored at the Atlantic school Saturday night.

The money will be used to help furnish the nurses' home at Sea Level Hospital.

Charles Caudell Jr., administrator of the hospital, was master of ceremonies.

Appearing on the program were Mary Ellen Chastain of Straits, who sang two solos, More and Allegheny Moon; Wanda Brown of Stacy and Malcolm Fulcher of Atlantic, who played piano numbers; and a group of Atlantic boys who sang western cowboy selections.

The Girl Scouts of Atlantic presented a stunt; 7-year-old Martha Abbott of Sea Level sang the song, What Will Be Will Be. Little Ellen Webb sang a solo, The Old-Fashioned Girl, and Diane Fulcher, Atlantic, sang Allegheny Moon.

Allen Taylor, Sea Level, presented an accordion solo, Evelyn Clyde Harris of Atlantic did a toe dance; an Atlantic quartet, Leon Salter, Clarence Ross, Wiley Mason and Edwin Salter sang Knocking at the Door.

Atlantic Brownies sang a group of songs including one in French, Taps, and the Lord's Prayer; Rickie Willis and Marjorie Pegora of Atlantic, with a chorus, sang a group of cowboy songs.

The Rev. Roger Reeds, pastor of the Free Will Baptist Church, Davis, sang a solo and gave a talk, basing his points on words beginning with the letters that make up the word Hospital.

The Harkers Island Chorus, comprised of five girls, sang a religious number, He Breathed on Me. The men's quartet of Marshallberg sang and the program ended with two selections by the Harkers Island Chorus.

Mrs. Winston Hill, president of the auxiliary, said the program was most successful and extended her thanks to all who took part.