

## Hospital Board Takes No Action On Nurses' Request for Higher Pay

## County Ministers Continue Plans on Migrant Ministry

The County Ministers Association, meeting yesterday morning at the civic center, Morehead City, heard the Rev. Martin Kurtz and made plans to work with migrant laborers in the county this year.

Mr. Kurtz, Durham, executive director of the North Carolina Council of Churches, spoke on Ministry to Migrants.

The ministers have appointed a committee to work on the program and this committee will be expanded to include representatives of churches and civic groups throughout the county.

Members of the committee at present are the Rev. H. H. Cash, chairman, the Rev. Samuel Moore, the Rev. Paul Parker, the Rev. L. A. Lewis and the Rev. J. D. Young.

Guests at the meeting were Frank Nance, farm labor supervisor, Bob Lowe, farm labor representative, both of the Employment Security Commission; Mrs. Gertrude Williamson of the County Welfare Department, and Mrs. John Lashley of the First Baptist Church, Morehead City.

Miss Kathryn Leaf and Mrs. Monica B. Owen of the division of home missions, visited the county last summer in connection with the start of a migrant ministry here this year.

Mr. Kurtz estimates that it cost approximately \$500 to bring recreation, teaching, counseling and preaching to the workers who come here to harvest cabbage, beans, tomatoes, plant sweet potatoes and work in tobacco. Local churches will be invited to help finance the program.

At present, through the North Carolina Council of Churches, seven workers cover 45 camps in six counties.

As soon as the larger migrant committee is organized, Mr. Kurtz will meet with them.

The Rev. M. P. Garner, Davis, submitted his resignation as president of the ministers association yesterday because he is accepting a charge at Union, S. C.

Ministers were reminded that Dr. Frank Crossley Morgan will give Bible lectures in Morehead City next week and Morehead City ministers planned to meet to work out plans for participation in the centennial celebration.

It was reported that a number of signatures had been obtained on the petition calling for a liquor referendum. The petition is not being sponsored by the association but persons are invited to sign it if they wish.

The Rev. Ralph Fleming Jr., pastor of St. James Methodist Church, Newport, was welcomed as a new member. Twenty-four persons attended.

Cherry Point — A pilot stationed at the Marine base at Edenton was killed at 2:37 p.m. Friday when his plane crashed on Brown's Island in Pamlico Sound. He was First Lt. William E. Crowther Jr., age 25.

Lieutenant Crowther was piloting a propeller-driven AB4 Douglas Sky Raider. He was participating in a close air support training mission when his plane dropped and landed almost directly on a bombing target on the island.

## Governor Says Facts Must Show Bridge is Needed

Gov. Luther Hodges told residents of Carteret and Onslow Counties Thursday that he was not interested in construction of a bridge that could be interpreted as promoting special real estate interests.

Meeting with the governor at Raleigh relative to construction of a bridge across Bogue Sound to Emerald Isle were Mayor M. N. Lisk, Swansboro; Chief of Police Don Bell, Swansboro; Mayor George Dill, W. C. Carlton, both of Morehead City; Dan Walker, James D. Potter, and John Johnson, all of Beaufort, and Mos. Howard, Newport.

Also present at the conference were A. H. Graham, head of the State Highway and Public Works Commission, Col. Harry Brown, head of the state hurricane project, and Maynard Hicks, commissioner for this highway district.

The governor said that if a traffic survey indicated that a bridge to Emerald Isle would be justified from a public standpoint, he would be in favor of it and the state might be willing to underwrite bonds for construction.

Mr. Graham spoke in favor of the bridge, pointing to the Sunday traffic congestion on the Atlantic Beach bridge. He said the present bridge and approaches are inadequate.

## Parkview Church Selects Pastor

The Rev. W. T. Cockman will succeed the Rev. W. T. Cockman as pastor of Parkview Baptist Church Friday, Jan. 25. Mr. Huff will complete his course of study at Southeastern Seminary, Wake Forest, before coming here with his wife and two children.

Mr. Cockman, his wife and daughter, left last week to assume the pastorate of the First Baptist Church, Elon College. He had served the Parkview Church, west of Morehead City, two and a half years and prior to that was pastor of the Jupiter Baptist Church near Asheville.

The appointment of Mr. Huff was announced yesterday by L. O. Crowe, a member of the committee to choose a new pastor.

## '57 Temperatures Higher Than 1956

The mild weather the county is experiencing most of the time this winter was evident again yesterday in the weather report by E. Stamey Davis, weather observer. As an example, he said that the maximum of 65 Thursday compared with a maximum of 39 the corresponding day in 1956.

Other temperatures were much lower too in 1956. The high for the period of Jan. 10-13 was 47 last year. The lowest temperature reached during the same period this year was 36.

Maximum and minimum temperatures and wind direction for the weekend follow:

	Max.	Min.	Wind
Thursday	65	57	SW
Friday	60	36	ENE
Saturday	51	39	NE
Sunday	58	39	Caln

Canadian paper mills upped their price to \$138 a ton several weeks ago.

# Fire Severely Damages Rear Part Of Blue Ribbon Club Early Sunday

## Big Tank at Port Stores Fish Oil

A new milestone has been passed in the menhaden industry and exporting business here.

A 500,000-gallon storage tank at the Morehead City port has been leased by Acme Mercantile Co., exporters of fish oil. The tank has been leased from the Standard Oil Co.

The Acme firm, New York, buys fish oil from local factories and stores it in the tank until ships call for it for export to Europe.

## M. B. Taylors Buried Saturday

Funeral services for Marion Butler Taylor and his wife, Letha G. Taylor, were held in the Sound View Church near Gales Creek at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. R. G. Garner, route 1 Newport, Mrs. Roy Mann Jr., route 2 Newport, Miss Lois Taylor of the home; three sons, Ernest C. Taylor, Vernon B. Taylor and William P. Taylor, all of route 1 Newport, and six grandchildren.

Mrs. Taylor is survived by her mother, Mrs. Lina Garner; three sisters, Mrs. Lera Ward, Mrs. Alie Russell, Mrs. Minnie Elliott, all of Newport. Mr. Taylor is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Nellie Potter of Croatan, Mrs. Betty Sharpe of route 1 Newport and one brother, Alvin Taylor, route 1 Newport.

Both Taylors met death Thursday afternoon when Mr. Taylor, with a double-barrel shotgun, killed his wife and then shot himself.

Taylor apparently walked up behind Mrs. Taylor as she was getting supper in the kitchen and pulled the trigger of the gun. Then he went into an adjoining room and literally blew the top of his head off.

It was reported that he had been making threats for quite some time to kill his wife and members of his family. The gun he used reportedly belonged to his son, Vernon.

Homer W. Miller, president of Motte Business College, Wilmington, has been appointed a member of the Advisory Board for Commercial Education by Charles F. Carroll, state superintendent of public instruction.

## Marine Corps Still Holds 17 Men in Brig

### Officers Investigate Visit of Young Girl To Barracks

Investigation of a case involving 17 military policemen and a 17-year-old female guest in their barracks was continuing yesterday at Cherry Point.

The MP's are behind bars, being held until authorities decide whether any or all will be tried by a military court.

Authorities began an investigation of the questionable visits of the girl Wednesday, according to the Cherry Point Public Information office. But the story did not break until Friday after a newspaper received a telephone tip from a Marine who did not reveal his identity.

### Frequent Visitor

Capt. E. C. McCarthy of the Cherry Point Public Information Office said the girl, identified as the Rev. C. D. Hansley, apparently had been in and out of the barracks on the base over a four-day period.

A resident of this county, the girl was returned to the Samaritan Detention Home for Girls by county authorities last week. She had been conditionally released and placed in custody of her parents. Conditional release also requires that the delinquent check periodically with the county welfare department.

Because the girl had come under jurisdiction of the courts prior to her 16th birthday, state welfare department policy does not allow identity of the person if the court chooses to continue custody until the 18th birthday.

The girl involved is still under jurisdiction of Carteret County juvenile court.

### Registered by Marine

According to reports from the base, she had been registered by a Marine at the hostess house on the base. When she checked out one day last week a couple hours after midnight, the officer in charge began to investigate.

The Marine who registered her was questioned and soon he and 16 military policemen were behind bars. A station regulation prohibits "unauthorized women" from being on the base.

Although the girl involved has been returned to the detention home, she may be called for questioning by Marine authorities. If so, the questioning will be done in the presence of a representative of the Carteret County Welfare Department.



Fireman Jewel Smith, Morehead City, rescues a nearly-gone cat from the second floor of the Blue Ribbon Club. Eagerly reaching for her pet is Mrs. Al Dewey. At the left is Newport Fireman Moses Howard.



Morehead City Fireman Sammy Hughes shoots a stream of water into the club's kitchen.

The Blue Ribbon Club suffered heavy damage early Sunday morning when a fire broke out in the furnace room and spread to the storage room, ladies rest room, and kitchen.

Bill Taylor, route 1 Beaufort, was driving a Seashore bus by the club about 6:40 a.m. and saw heavy smoke and flames coming from the rear of the building. He stopped and got Cal Whaley, who lives nearby, out of bed to call the fire department.

Mr. Whaley called the police, who notified the fire department and called Mr. and Mrs. Al Dewey, operators of the club, at the Atlantic Beach Hotel. By the time the Deweys arrived, Morehead City firemen had the fire nearly under control. A pump truck and tank truck from Morehead City and a tank truck from Newport went to the fire.

From the furnace room, the fire spread to the roof at the rear of the building. A cinder block wall separated the boiler room from the storage room, but by the time firemen arrived, both rooms were burning badly.

Mr. Dewey said that the probable cause of the fire was the furnace. It was an "old boiler with an oil burner in it." A repairman had been working on the boiler last week.

Fire Chief Vernon Guthrie said that he did not make an official estimate of the damage, but he thought that about \$5,000 would put the building back in condition. An entire roof will have to be built over the back.

The building was only one story in the back, but is a double-story structure on the front. A flat, thick tar roof on the single story section was a complete loss.

The building was leased by the Deweys from Howard Case of Huntington, W. Va., on a monthly basis. Mr. Dewey said that the club, with makeshift measures, could operate but that Mrs. Dewey, who supervised its operation, had no definite plans.

The building was insured. The only loss to the Deweys was the food in the kitchen. The piano, sax, and accordion on the band stand were unharmed, Mr. Dewey reported.

The only casualties were a dog and a cat, which suffocated. A dog and two cats were in the hall and were trapped. One of the cats was revived by firemen, but the dog and other cat were too far gone to save. Three other cats and a dog were in the building, but they managed to escape the fumes, firemen reported.

## Wrecks Occur At Same Place

Two accidents occurred near the corner of 34th and Arendell Streets over the weekend. Saturday night Roland Adair Small, route 1 Beaufort, ran his 1948 Studebaker into Dr. Theodore Salter's 1957 Ford, which was parked by the curb.

Lt. C. E. Bunch, who investigated the wreck, charged Smith with driving drunk. Police estimate damage to the Studebaker at \$250 and to the Ford at \$100.

Just after midnight Monday morning, Roy David Smith, Morehead City, and Norman Earl Smith, Salter Path, were involved in another accident near the same place. R. D. Smith was driving his 1956 Buick east when Norman Smith passed him in a 1955 Pontiac owned by Headen Willis of Salter Path.

R. D. Smith said that he did not know that he was being passed and the first thing he knew, his front bumper caught Norman Smith's rear fender. Damage to the Buick was estimated by the police to be \$150 and damage to the Pontiac was estimated at \$100.

Patrolman Homer Lewis charged R. D. Smith with failing to yield the right of way and Norman Smith with improper passing.

## Lions Continue Light Bulb Sales in Morehead

The Morehead City Lions Club continued their light bulb sales Thursday night as eight members of the club went from door to door in Morehead City. Unsold bulbs are being shipped to the Down East Lions for sale in their area.

After the sale, the Lions met at the Rex Restaurant for supper. They had a social meeting from 9:30 until 11.

False Alarm  
The Morehead City Fire Department answered a call shortly before noon Saturday to Calico Drive. The alarm rung was No. 47. There was no fire.

# Group Hears Talks on Special Education for Slow Learners

## Farm Workers Discuss Club

The County Agricultural Workers Council discussed the activities and progress of the Gloucester Community Club at their meeting at the county agent's office Thursday afternoon. They were interested in determining the advantages of having such an organization in a community.

Mrs. David Beveridge presided at the meeting. Present were R. M. Williams, Mrs. D. Cordova, David Jones, Fred Knott, Harry Venters, C. S. Long, and Joe Owens. Mr. Williams announced that W. L. Turner, farm management specialist at Raleigh, will be at the Newport School at 7 o'clock tonight. Mr. Turner will discuss the agricultural outlook for the year and will demonstrate methods of efficient farm record keeping.

Thursday morning Mr. Williams and E. S. Coates, agricultural engineer of Raleigh, will install an electrically heated hotbed at the farm of Joe and Luther Salter, Bettie.

Mr. Williams says that anyone interested in the project will be welcome to drop by and watch.

Meters Yield \$1,030.50  
Parking meter receipts in Morehead City for the month of December were \$1,030.50, according to Mrs. Blanda McLohon, city treasurer.

## Dr. Frances Henry, associate professor in special education, East Carolina College, told an audience of 50 persons Friday night at the civic center, Morehead City, that a community could start on a special education program by deciding in which area of special education it wanted to work, and advance from there.

She suggested that the program might be financed by civic groups if public funds are not available. Special education deals with training the child who in some way is handicapped and unable to keep up with the normal children in the public school system.

The topic of Dr. Henry's address was appropriately titled, Wait for Me.

Psychologist Speaks  
Her talk was preceded by a brief address by Dr. Helton McAndrew, psychologist with the State Department of Public Welfare. Dr. McAndrew was introduced by Miss Georgie Hughes, county welfare superintendent, who planned the program.

Dr. McAndrew's talk dealt with factors that make special education necessary. She described a mentally healthy person as an individual who is happy, productive and fits well into community life. Education, she continued, is an institution designed to develop more productive and happy individuals.

Compulsory education, Dr. McAndrew said, tries to force people through the same mold, and the training is designed to suit the majority. However, she added, educators are the first to recognize that there must be a varied curricula to suit different types of people.

The non-normal child who cannot fit into the pattern designed for him experiences continual feelings of failure and soon develops unaccepted methods of behavior. A child who can't face failure day after day at school for example, soon starts to stay away from school.

He is reported to the truant officer; he may develop into a juvenile delinquent, and those persons, Dr. McAndrew continued, may turn out to be irresponsible adults. They get into the habit of not doing anything because they seldom succeed and soon become content to let other people do things for them.

Testis Children  
Dr. McAndrew said that in Carteret County in the past year and a half she examined 30 children between 6 and 16 years of age.

## Tide Table

Tides at the Beaufort Bar

HIGH	LOW
Tuesday, Jan. 15	
7:15 a.m.	1:04 a.m.
7:43 p.m.	1:50 p.m.
Wednesday, Jan. 16	
8:05 a.m.	1:58 a.m.
8:35 p.m.	2:38 p.m.
Thursday, Jan. 17	
8:57 a.m.	2:49 a.m.
9:29 p.m.	3:26 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 18	
9:50 a.m.	3:39 a.m.
10:25 p.m.	4:11 p.m.

## Pilot Killed In Friday Crash



The Rev. W. T. Cockman accepts new charge

## Price of Paper Goes to \$138 Ton

THE NEWS-TIMES newsprint supplier, Bowater Paper Co., yesterday informed the publisher, Lockwood Phillips, that the price of newsprint will go up \$4 to \$138 a ton March 1, 1957.

August B. Meyer, president of Bowater, says the newsprint mills face "a very large increase in manufacturing costs" this year.

"Everything that the mills require for the manufacture of newsprint has gone up in price, and increased freight rates, in and out of the mills, add further to these costs."

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