

Last Chance!

Backsliding Taxpayers Have 'Til Noon Oct. 18 to Pay

Published in today's paper and to be published in the two Friday papers to follow are the names of property holders who owe county taxes.

This is the final notice to delinquent taxpayers. Either they pay now or their property will be sold. Names of delinquents are published in April. Then six months

lapse, as specified by law and those who are still delinquent are subject to having their property sold, unless the taxes are paid.

The names of those delinquents are required to be published (see section 2 today's paper) and to be posted at the courthouse, Beaufort.

Delinquents have until the day of the auction, Oct. 18, to pay up.

2,000 Tons Corn Will Leave Port Through New Loading Unit Oct. 17

Raleigh — The first shipment of grain through the newly leased grain facilities at ocean terminals in Morehead City will take place Oct. 17, it was announced today by D. Leon Williams, executive director for the State Ports Authority.

The announcement was made after Fred Webb, speaking for Fred Webb Inc., and the Tar Heel Grain Co., reported to the executive director that 2,000 long tons of white corn was scheduled for loading aboard the SS Erlangen.

Mr. Williams said, "We are happy to report that this is all local

grain, and comes from the general area of Wilson, Kinston, Greenville and Washington." Webb, who is president of Fred Webb Inc., pointed out that the grain was already being assembled for shipment.

The grain operation in Morehead City, recently leased to Fred Webb Inc., and the Tar Heel Grain Co. by the State Ports Authority, will be known as the Carolina Grain Co.

Leading officials of the State Ports Authority, Fred Webb Inc., and the Tar Heel Grain Co., are expected to be present to observe the first shipment Oct. 17.

Review of Civil Defense Activities During Helene

By JOHN VALENTINE
County Civil Defense Director

I think it would be appropriate that all the county and city Civil Defense personnel should be given recognition for their activities during this past hurricane. The County Civil Defense agency met with the Red Cross representatives in this city hall at Morehead and for this past hurricane set up the mayor's office as a headquarters for the Red Cross.

Previous to this meeting, the chairmen of Civil Defense in the various communities in the county were contacted as to their readiness in case the storm should approach this area. Storm shelters were arranged for at that time.

Red Cross Present
At the meeting, the Red Cross was represented by Mr. Len Davis and Mr. George Guthrie. A plan was put into immediate action, as it was obvious that the storm had shifted and come up the coast, and that this county would be on the fringe, if not in the center area.

The Rev. John Cline, president of the Ministers Association of Carteret County, previous to the storm was quoted on the air, advising all the ministers to keep their churches open as additional places of refuge for any evacuees in their particular areas.

All the Civil Defense personnel in general throughout the county, as previously mentioned, were in readiness to assist if and when called upon. Due to the lack of communication facilities in this county it was impossible after the storm hit to contact the other areas.

It is quite apparent that some plan of action should be taken as soon as possible by the County Board of Commissioners to purchase, in conjunction with the Civil Defense agency and federal government, necessary equipment to insure during any enemy attack or future hurricanes or other natural disaster complete communication from and to all areas in this county as well as with the main headquarters in Raleigh, the state capital.

Civil Defense will assist where it can before and after such a disaster, especially the public facilities which would include both city, town and county damage, if declared an emergency exists by the president of the US. It is recommended if such an emergency exists that each municipality or county auditor engage a qualified engineer to prepare an estimate of damage for perusal by the Civil Defense representative.

The Civil Defense and mobilization of this county, recently reactivated, has learned as a result of the recent storm what will be re-

quired in a future emergency and is at present endeavoring to create a Civil Defense system which will adequately and effectively take care of our needs, as well as cooperating with other governing agencies.

Food Supply
It is further recommended, as a result of Civil Defense directives, that a seven-day food supply be kept on hand at all times in case of an emergency, either under war or natural disaster such as the recent storm. Include in this seven-day supply any medication being taken by the individual, blankets, and, if possible, a battery radio with spare batteries to keep in contact with local Civil Defense headquarters of the county.

We will have a meeting in the near future of all the officials of the Civil Defense organization of Carteret County at which time definite plans will be laid and duties for responsibilities outlined as well as literature and information distributed explaining the activities of each office.

A new appointment since the last announcement is Mr. Walter Edwards, manager of the Fry Roofing Co., as deputy Civil Defense director, of which there are two, the other being Mr. Leonard Safrin of Beaufort.

Quarters Desirable
It is further recommended that a substantial quarters be allocated or erected in the county to house all the necessary Civil Defense and mobilization activities which would include an emergency electric generating set for broadcasting and receiving and a room large enough to contain all the necessary files, maps, and general office equipment for meetings of the Civil Defense officials of the county.

Mrs. Mary Jane Hildebrand can be contacted at Park 6-4646 on Wednesdays or at Park 6-5582 any other time to receive calls in regard to Civil Defense activities and either direct such calls to the proper authorities or have the Civil Defense director call them back.

Stout Defender
Bezanson, Alta. (AP) — William Grecko, about 70, grabbed a club when he saw two black bears molesting his cattle. He chased the bears off after a few minutes, suffering no injuries.

W. Jesse Moye, District Chief, Speaks to Rotary

Rotary Clubs in 110 countries and geographical regions throughout the world are united in an endeavor to promote international understanding, good will and peace.

That was the message of W. Jesse Moye of Farmville, governor of District 773 of Rotary International in addressing the Rotary Club of Beaufort Tuesday night.

Mr. Moye also spoke last night to Morehead City Rotarians. In addition to the activities of the more than 9,800 Rotary Clubs within their own communities to promote this objective, Mr. Moye explained, Rotary International has awarded grants of more than \$2,800,000 in the past 11 years through its program of student fellowships, which enable outstanding college graduates to study for one year in countries other than their own.

Since 1947, when this program was established, 1,076 Rotary Foundation Fellowships have been awarded to students in 65 countries for study in 43 countries. Robert Kennell of New Bern is the Rotary Fellow for District 773 and is studying at the University of Melbourne, Melbourne, Australia.

In his talk, Mr. Moye emphasized the theme, "Help Shape the Future". This is the theme stressed this year by Clifton Randall, president of Rotary International. Mr. Moye gave suggestions as to how each individual club could meet the high standards of Rotary.

Mr. Moye urged Beaufort Rotarians to attend the Rotary district conference to be held in Greenville, date to be announced, and to make plans for the club to be well represented at the 50th Annual Convention of Rotary International, which will be held in New York City next June.

Albuquerque, N. M. (AP)—Kirtland Air Force Base near Albuquerque is just one big filling station. The supply squadrons' base petroleum section pumps about 30 million gallons of fuel each year.

B. J. May, ASC Manager, Puts Farm Loss at \$375,000

Hula Hoopsters Try for Prize



Photo by Bob Seymour

Carolyn Decker, Morehead City, foreground, had been hula hooping for over an hour when this picture was taken. She was determined to win the \$10 first prize offered by Downum's to the person who could keep the hoop going the longest. Also in the picture, left to right, are Jarvis Kittrell, Judy Smith and Judy Jeffers. So many entered the contest it had to be extended to this Saturday. The contest is being conducted in the back storage room of Downum's Morehead City store.

County ASC office manager B. J. May estimates farm damage caused by Hurricane Helene at \$375,000. The only crops damaged extensively were corn and soybeans.

Mr. May says that a conservative estimate of the damage to these crops is 50 per cent loss. He said the loss to corn growers was about \$280,000. There were about 5,500 acres of corn in the county.

He estimated damage to the 2,500 acres of soybeans at \$75,000. The other \$80,000 damage was to farm buildings.

No livestock was reported lost. In contrast to other hurricanes, there was relatively little damage to the sweet potato crop. Mr. May explained that tides were not high enough to flood the fields with salt water.

County tobacco farmers were fortunate in that the tobacco crop was in and a good percentage of the crop had already been sold.

Englishmen

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mer months there are November through February).

The flue-cured crop in Nyasa-land was a failure this year, the Imperial men reported. There was a bad drought, followed by heavy rains.

Mr. Rhodes and Mr. Cockland left Morehead City Sunday noon for Greenville. They plan to visit in Virginia, Tennessee and Canada, traveling by bus and plane.

They will leave this country in December and then Mr. Rhodes will tour tobacco plants in England for two and a half months before returning to South Africa.

Of course, they were asked whether America has lived up to advance notices. They replied, "We're very impressed with everything we've seen."

Folly of Volunteering
St. Petersburg, Fla. (AP)—Mrs. Albert Sandy, 69, volunteered to be the subject at a Red Cross artificial respiration class. A few minutes later she was in a hospital receiving treatment for a cracked rib.

The Monarch Roars

Seniors Look Forward To Ball for Debutantes

By JANICE BECTON and ELOISE BELLE

The Senior Class is very excited about the Debutante Ball which is to be held in February.

We have five representatives from our class. They are Janice Becton, Eloise Belle, Betty Hester, Marian Reese, and Jeffrey Williams.

For "Miss Homecoming" we elected Barbara Jean Horton.

Miss Senior Superior
Miss Janice Becton, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shaw Becton, 1208 Bay St., Morehead City, born Aug. 11, 1942 in Morehead City. Height 5' 8", weight 125.

Favorite color, pink; favorite food, broiled steaks; favorite record, Down the Isles of Love; favo-

rite artist, Ed Townshend, favorite boy, Billy Tootle.

Miss Becton is a member of the Choral Club, Charm Club, Dramatic Club, and the Cheering Squad. Her ambition is to become a commercial education teacher.

Mr. Senior Superior
Roy Adams, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Adams, 1205 Fisher St., Morehead City, born May 2, 1941 in Washington, N. C. Height 5' 8", weight 140. Favorite colors, red and black; favorite food spaghetti; favorite record, Blueberry Hill; favorite artist, Fats Domino; favorite girl, Deloris Pickett.

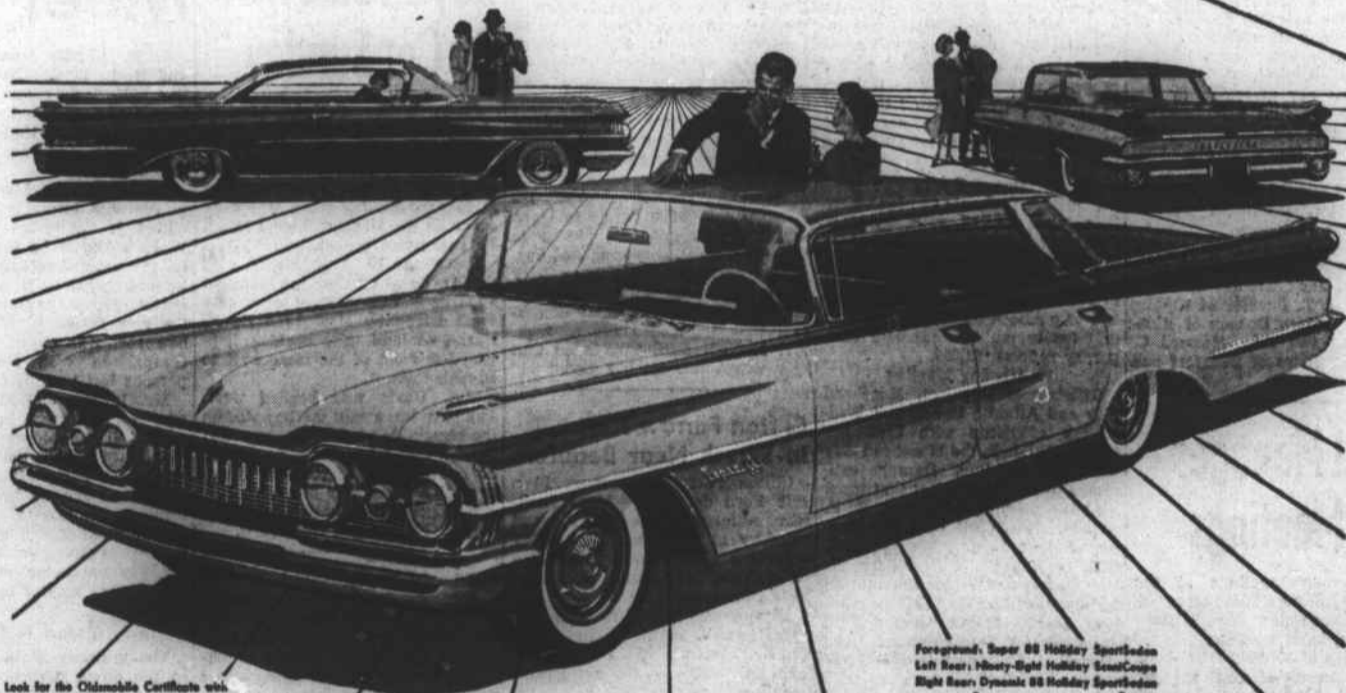
Roy is a member of the football team, Boys Club, and the Dramatic Club. His ambition is to become a lawyer.

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