

## Swansboro Plans Seventh Annual Mullet Festival

● Miss Swansboro Wins Over 19 Contestants  
● Plans Call for Boat Show, Seafood Dinner

By REBECCA GENTRY  
Reigning over Swansboro's 7th annual Mullet Festival Oct. 3 will be Miss Betty Ann Cannon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Namon Cannon of Swansboro. She was chosen from a field of 19 contestants at the community building Saturday night.

First runner-up was Delores Carraway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Meadows. Other winners were Della Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Taylor, second runner-up; Nora Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. "Bud" Miller, third runner-up, and Anne Condon, daughter of Mrs. Marjorie Condon, fourth runner-up.

Other contestants were Faye Winstead, Jean Sunderland, Brenda Cannon, Isabell Perry, Doris Sanders, Carol Ebert, Sarah Ann Weeks, Nancy Jones, Sandra Werder, Alice Rhodes, Marguerite Jarman, Linda Sferes, Meredith Stepeny and Adelia Smith.

Ben Quinn was master of ceremonies and judges were Mrs. Mary Chadwick, Mrs. Mary Keitzman, Russ Brainard, Harry Hamilton, Jerry Wellspeak and Mrs. Betty Ann Quinn.

Miss Swansboro, an 18-year-old senior and a member of the school glee club, had practiced a parody on the Miss America Song, titled, There She Is — Miss Mullet Queen, to sing to the winner. Instead the coveted crown was placed on her own head by Mayor W. M. Lisk.

The community building was decorated in green and white, featuring a paper-leaf covered platform and throne, and a large fish — perhaps a mullet — outlined in green and white.

In charge of the contest were Mrs. J. Edward Hurst and Mrs. J. Paul Tyndall.

Approximately 350 persons crowded the small building for the program, which was followed by a round and square dance for the town's younger set.

Miss Cannon plans to attend East Carolina College after graduation from high school. She plans a teaching career, and goes steady with Coast Guardsman Vernon Harwell.

The Mullet Festival will begin Oct. 3 with a gala parade through the streets of Swansboro at 1 p. m. Co-chairmen are Mayor Lisk, who started the tradition seven years ago, and Maj. William H. Kay, Swansboro civic leader.

Last year more than 5,000 persons were served during the dinner hour. The menu this year will be mullet, shrimp, hush puppies, potatoes, cole slaw and a variety of desserts.

## 12-Year-Old David Merrill Saves Mother, Son Tuesday



David Merrill ... saves two lives

## Summer Camp Changes Hands After 22 Years

## Marines Search For Sweetheart

Cherry Point — An intensive womanhunt is being conducted to discover a young lady willing to act as the sweetheart of approximately 200 marines.

Officers and men of Marine Attack Squadron-324, a unit of the Second Marine Aircraft Wing, are searching for a young lady to act as Miss Vagabond, their squadron sweetheart.

The attack squadron is a well traveled unit. It was the first Marine Corps squadron to circumnavigate the globe as a unit and naturally acquired the Vagabond nickname.

To be eligible for the title of Miss Vagabond, contestants must be over 18 years of age, not married and living within 100 miles (including Raleigh) of the Cherry Point Air Station.

Young ladies who are interested should submit a photo of themselves along with a short letter telling why she would like to be Miss Vagabond. Letters should be addressed to Miss Vagabond Contest, VMA-324, MAG-14, 2d MAW, MCAS, Cherry Point.

Preliminary selections will be made by the officers and men of the squadron from the pictures and letters. Fifteen semifinalists will be chosen and invited to the Air Station for a tour of the base and a buffet dinner dance.

Later, three finalists will be chosen and invited to return to the base for a chaperoned weekend, staying at the hostess house. Finalists may choose their own chaperones or call upon the services of wives of officers in the squadron.

Crowning of the winner will take place on Sunday, November 8, at the Aviation Training Aids Unit, Building 39.

Deadline for the initial letter entries will be at midnight Oct. 3. Semifinalists will be notified by Oct. 12 and they will attend the buffet dinner dance Oct. 24.

## Heavy Docket Greets Judge Of Beach Court

● Cases Pile Up During Three-Week Layoff  
● Five Forfeit Bond, Six Fail to Appear

A heavy docket greeted Mayor A. B. Cooper Monday night when he opened Atlantic Beach mayor's court after a three-week layoff. Five defendants forfeited bond on various charges. They were Edmund Adams of Kinston, failing to stop for a stop sign; Audrey D. Jarman of Swansboro, public drunkenness; Jack Johnson of Raleigh, public drunkenness; Edward T. Ray of Rocky Mount, indecent exposure and Phillip F. Hampton of Durham, indecent exposure.

Six defendants paid court costs on charges of public drunkenness. They were William E. Burns of Swansboro, David P. Karashinski of Camp Lejeune, Calvin Osborne Jr. of Camp Lejeune, Johnny O. Smith of New Bern, Joseph S. Kiser of Summerfield, Winfred A. Campbell of Cherry Point.

Other defendants paying court costs were Phillip W. Daniels of Kinston, failing to stop for a stop sign; Shuford Guthrie of Durham, disturbing the peace; Mrs. Shuford Guthrie, walking around drinking a beer contrary to town ordinance; Mrs. Nancy Lawrence of Wilson, running a red light; Larry E. King, CGC Chulula, engaging in an affair.

Penalties of \$5 and court costs were levied against John S. Murphy of Greenville, charged with public drunkenness, and Joe Smith of Morehead City, charged with public drunkenness and threatening a man with a knife.

Fined court costs and ordered to stay away from the town of Atlantic Beach for two years was A. J. Green of Swansboro, charged with failure to comply with a former court order.

The following defendants failed to appear to answer charges and warrants were issued to have them brought in: Lester W. Gillikin of Newport, walking around drinking beer contrary to town ordinance; Buster Willis of Broad Creek, public drunkenness and disturbing the peace; Evie M. Taylor of Broad Creek, failure to comply with a former court order; William Gas-kill of Sea Level, public drunkenness; Lawrie Guthrie of Beaufort, public drunkenness, using profane language, resisting arrest; Hubert W. Springle Jr. of Beaufort, failure to comply with a former court order.

## Commissioners to Examine Audit Before Adopting Budget for 1960

## School Plans Fall Festival

The annual fall festival will be held at Camp Glenn school next Friday night, sponsored by the parent-teacher association. The festival will begin at 5 p. m. and last until 9 p. m.

Mrs. Austin Williams, publicity chairman, announces that there will be pony rides, food for sale, booths, games, rides for the children, and all the things that go to make up a good time.

Highlights of the evening will be the awarding of a watercolor picture by Charles McNeal to the holder of a lucky ticket.

Mrs. Jim Bob Sanders is general chairman of the event. In case of rain the festival will be held the following night, Oct. 3.

## Less Than 300 Register For Annexation Balloting

Less than 300 persons had registered for Beaufort's annexation balloting at noon yesterday. The vote will be taken Oct. 10.

Registration books, open to all persons residing in areas proposed for annexation, will be closed on Saturday at 6 p. m.

## Seven Countians Attend Meeting

Seven persons from Carteret attended a meeting of principals, supervisors, and directors of guidance at Rocky Mount Senior High School Tuesday. Educators from all over eastern North Carolina attended the all-day sessions.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss parts I, III, and V of the National Defense Education Act.

Part one refers to science mathematics and foreign languages in the high schools as defined in the National Defense Act. Part three discusses the acquisition of materials and equipment for the above studies, and part five refers to guidance, counseling and testing programs for secondary schools.

Attending from Carteret were principals E. B. Comer of Newport, Lenwood Lee of Morehead City, Ramie Davis of Camp Glenn, Stewart Daniels of Smyrna and Jack Johnson of Atlantic, Fred Lewis, supervisor of instruction, and Miss Gertrude Styron, guidance counselor.

## Cherry Point Hosts Commandant

Twenty-two members and four visitors enjoyed a fried chicken dinner prior to the meeting. Plans were made for ten members to attend the district meeting in Washington, Sunday.

Plans were also discussed for the observation of National Business Women's Week, Oct. 4-11.

The First Baptist Church of Beaufort voted, at the close of the service Sunday morning, to accept the largest budget in the history of the church. The budget totals \$49,853, with more than \$10,000 going for missions and \$12,000 scheduled for the building fund.

The church is engaged in a forward program of church finance, an intensive stewardship program prepared by many pastors and leaders of the Southern Baptist Convention. It is designed to develop stewardship not only from the standing point of tithes but in the stewardship of life and abilities.

## Beaufort Church Adopts Budget

The preparation period for the program was from Aug. 16 to Sept. 19. The campaign began Sept. 20 and will continue until Oct. 15.

## Another Child Struck by Car

Franklin Jones, 6 became the second child in less than a week to be struck by an auto in Carteret County when he was struck at 12th and Evans Wednesday by a car driven by William B. Rease of Atlantic Beach.

The Jones boy escaped with only minor scratches and bruises, although he was knocked unconscious, according to Dr. S. W. Hatcher who examined him at the Morehead City Hospital.

Police investigator Buck Newsome said that Rease was going west on Evans Street at a slow rate of speed when the Jones boy ran into the street in front of his car. Rease slammed on his brakes but could not stop his car before he hit the child.

There were no charges filed against Rease.

## Play Rehearsals Progress Nicely

Rehearsals for Angel Street, current Carteret Community Theatre production, are coming along "splendidly", according to Jimmy Wheatley, director.

Mr. Wheatley said he was well pleased with the rehearsals and the excellent cast and, if all goes as planned, the play will be given Oct. 24.

Mr. Jim Mitchell and the industrial arts class at Morehead City School are building some new sets. Frank Carlson is chairman of the delicate lighting, and Mrs. Percy Deyo is in charge of the costumes for the 1880 drama.

## Patrolman Brown Investigates Wreck

Highway patrolman Robert H. Brown investigated an accident Wednesday at 6:45 p. m. in which a 1958 Fiat and a 1953 Oldsmobile were involved.

The Fiat was owned and operated by William Snyder Dickerson of Cherry Point. The Oldsmobile was driven by Harvey Joseph Darnell of Stella.

The Oldsmobile came to the intersection of the Stella Road and highway 24, stopped, and then pulled onto the highway in the path of the Fiat, which was headed west.

Damage to the Fiat was estimated at \$400 by patrolman Brown and the Oldsmobile at \$125. Darnell was charged with failure to yield the right of way.

## Cherry Point Hosts Commandant

Major Gen. Henricus Lieftinck, left, Commandant of the Royal Netherlands Marine Corps, accepts honors rendered him Tuesday morning upon his arrival at the Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point. The Second Wing band struck Ruffles and Flourishes, traditional musical honors given a dignitary, before General Lieftinck acknowledged a 19-gun salute. He is accompanied by Maj. Gen. A. F. Binney, center, Second Marine Aircraft Wing Commanding General, and Brig. Gen. R. K. Rotter, Commanding General of the Air Station. (Official USMC Photograph)

## Survey Reveals Folks' Opinion of Krushchev

Charges Against Three Men Dismissed in County Court

Three defendants, Dale Dukes, Joey Rose and John Reel Morris had charges of failing to comply with a former court order dismissed against them Tuesday in Carteret County recorder's court.

The state decided not to prosecute three others who faced the same charge. They were Ham Brown, Oliver J. Riggs and Cleveland Riggs.

Other defendants, their charges and the findings of the court were as follows: Sherman D. Loyd—Having no operator's license and failing to stop for a stop sign. Not prosecuted.

Randolph Tootle Sr.—Altering an operator's license. Not prosecuted. Preston Salter—Careless and reckless driving. Not prosecuted.

Robert Lee Jones—Not prosecuted. Elvin Cutley—Assault. Not prosecuted. Bettie May Marshall—No operator's license. Not prosecuted.

John Harris Jr.—Assault on a female. Not prosecuted. Annette Barrett—Public drunkenness. Court costs.

Early B. Locklear—Failure to comply with a former court order. Six months in jail and roadwork suspended on payment of costs.

Seth Dawson—Failing to yield the right of way. Not prosecuted. Walter McCain—Violation sanitary laws. Thirty days suspended on payment of court costs.

Alex Moore—Violation of fishing laws. Not prosecuted. Dan Hill—Violation of fishing laws. Not prosecuted.

Clarence Glancy—Threatening bodily harm to wife and children. Not prosecuted. Bobby Spencer Joyner—Parking on shoulder of road; swimming in a restricted area and possession of whiskey. Not prosecuted.

Albert Leroy Simpson—Speeding. Not prosecuted. Keith E. Bond—Destroying personal property. Not prosecuted.

Valverta Garner—Obstructing public highway. Not prosecuted. Jack Harris—Assault and failing and refusing to pay Onaida Brinkley her salary. Not prosecuted.

Ardie Nolan Jr.—Assault. Not prosecuted. Arthur Stewart—Speeding. Not prosecuted.

Ronald P. McDonald—No operator's license; no brakes and failing to stop for a stop sign. Not prosecuted.

Charles White—Larceny of a fish net. Guilty of receiving stolen property. Six months in jail suspended on condition that net is returned in its original form and that defendant pay \$25 and costs.

A. M. S. J. Ireland—Violation shrinking laws. Not prosecuted. Walter D. Beam—Careless and reckless driving; drunk driving and improper driver's license. Bond forfeited.

Ralph J. Polk Sr.—Speeding. Pay \$100 and court costs. William Thomas Oden—Failure to comply with a former court order. Thirty days in jail suspended on payment of costs and all fines due.

Gary N. Johnson—Speeding and no operator's license. \$25 and court costs.

By LUANNE USSERY  
Krushchev has made the headlines in all the newspapers since his arrival last week to tour this capitalist nation.

Here in Carteret County, people would seem to be little affected by his visit, but The News-Times, through this survey, reveals what many of the county's leading citizens think concerning "Mr. K" and his current tour of the U.S.

Those queried were asked their impression of Mr. Krushchev after reading about him and seeing him on television. Although he has done some big talking in this country, no one's opinion had changed.

Mayor George Dill, Morehead City, said he agreed with the press which has already molded opinion in the U.S. "He is a dynamic personality, but he is only one person. Under the Marx theory, which is the basis of communism, the individual is of no importance," he said.

R. W. Saffrit, Saffrit Lumber Co., Beaufort, remarked, "He's a smart man, but he won't make anybody a communist over here."

Attorney George McNeill, Morehead City, before going into court warned, "We shouldn't be lulled into a false security by his profession of friendship. Krushchev is a shrewd political opportunist."

James Davis Potter, county auditor: "He's a smart man putting out a lot of propaganda. He is smarter, but he can't express himself."

County school superintendent, H. L. Joslyn said, "I'd like to believe he's sincere, but they don't think as we do."

O. J. Morrow, theatre manager, said, "Krushchev is a smart and intelligent man determined to get things his way. What he feels inside is not what he's saying."

"He's a smart fellow . . . down to earth, but I only believe 10 per cent of his words," said George Lewis, businessman and sportsman.

T. T. "Tom" Potter, oil distributor, said, "Krushchev is clever, has a good sense of humor, but his place is in Russia."

Mrs. Jarvis Herring who works with her husband in his jewelry store, thinks, "It's a good idea to exchange visits, and he's putting on a good show."

Mrs. Claud Wheatly, housewife, had no comment, but she said she was pleased with the American people's reception, and hoped he gets home safely.

Mrs. Darden Eure, housewife and Sunday school teacher, had much to say. "I think he's a mighty smart, cool, calculating politician. He's to be watched. He seems to be insecure . . . has an inferiority complex. If his feelings were hurt he would retaliate knowing that he could cause a war. He's an uncontrolled egotist."

Mrs. A. B. Roberts, housewife, said she thought he was an interesting personality, but she doesn't agree with what he has to say.

Mrs. G. W. Duncan, insurance agent, said, "He's smart in his way, but he's capable of anything."

Mayor A. B. Cooper, said, "Krushchev is a smart man. I admire him, but he's a communist. The US should go as far as possible to see if he is sincere."

Mrs. Joe DuBois, bookkeeper: "He's very shrewd, but we can't get below his polished surface. We can't know his true thoughts."

That sums it up. "We can't know his true thoughts."

The purpose of this exchange of visits was to reach an understanding; an understanding of the communist's way of life, how he thinks, and in turn to let him see how the free world or "capitalist" lives and thinks. The question now is, has anything been accomplished?

## Club Women Named Official UN Delegate

Mrs. Cicero Taylor of Harlowe has been named Carteret County's official delegate to the Home Demonstration United Nations tour. She is one of three women from the county who will make the tour.

Mrs. Floy Garner, county home agent, and Mrs. C. R. Wheatly Sr. of Beaufort will also make the trip. Mrs. Taylor will be sponsored by the county Home Demonstration council.

They will leave Raleigh Oct. 26 and return home Oct. 31.

Bond Sales Rise  
Carteret County bond sales during August totaled \$71,477.38, according to James R. Sanders, volunteer bond chairman. Accumulated sales this year total \$500,932.98, which is 88.3 per cent of the county's goal.