

## Four Zoning Commission Members Return to Office

Mayor W. H. Potter, at the Beaufort town board meeting Monday night, announced that four members of the zoning commission have agreed to continue serving.

They are Gilbert Potter, Earl Mades, J. P. Harris Jr. and James H. Davis. The zoning commission, consisting of five members, resigned after the board failed recently to accept all its recommendations on a waterfront zoning problem.

Mrs. Lockwood Phillips, former commissioner, has not returned to the commission.

Mr. Potter, chairman of the commission, was asked for a recommendation for a replacement. He said he had none at the moment.

## Opinions Vary as to Who Is Fifth Commissioner

### Merchants Join To Pay Tribute To Armed Forces

Beaufort and Morehead City merchants will join in observance of Armed Forces Appreciation Day Saturday, May 28.

Garland Scruggs, president of the Morehead City Merchants association spoke to the Beaufort association Tuesday night at the town hall. Plans call for the display of armed forces equipment in Beaufort this year with the parade in Morehead City.

Next year the parade will be in Beaufort and the equipment display in Morehead City. The association agreed to meet in the near future with Morehead City merchants.

The merchants authorized the head of each committee to meet Monday night with the Beaufort town board to discuss the proposed business-privilege license fees.

J. O. Barbour Jr. presented the proposal to establish a bathing beach across from Beaufort on Peanut shoal. The businessmen also discussed the need for improvement in the comfort and appearance of the town's only theatre.

The association heard a report that free docking facilities are available to partyboats in Beaufort. Any partyboat captain wishing to operate out of Beaufort should contact James Potter, head of the merchants association.

Improving a boat launching site on Front street extended was discussed and committee reports on dollar days given.

M. F. Beasley of Railway Express spoke to the group on service proposed for Beaufort and down east.

Store-owners suggested that on the following holidays business places be closed: Jan. 1, July 4, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas Day and the day following.

### Auto Collides With Parked Car

Richard J. Babcock, 215 Marsh St., Beaufort, was charged with speeding and driving on the wrong side of the street Friday night in Beaufort.

According to sheriff Hugh Salter, Babcock was proceeding west on Front street and struck a 1950 Oldsmobile that was angled parked on the south side of the street. The Oldsmobile was owned by Mrs. Charles W. Davis, 127 Front St. Mrs. Davis was in the inlet inn.

Babcock, the sheriff said, told him that he picked up a paper to read it and the car he was driving, a 1958 Ford owned by WMBL, went to the left and struck the parked car.

The left fender and rear of the Davis car was smashed, as well as the left front of the WMBL car. Babcock suffered a bloody nose.

**Entry Attempted**  
Thieves attempted to enter Highway 101 and 70 Monday night, the same night burglar attempts were reported elsewhere throughout the county.

## Beaufort Invites Shoppers To Two Big Dollar Days

Today and tomorrow the Merchants association of Beaufort and cooperating stores are featuring Dollar Days.

By order of the town board, parking meters will not be in operation today or tomorrow. The request for brown paper sacks over the meters on these two days was made at the town board meeting Monday night by Holden Ballou, representing the Merchants association.

The businessmen offering big values for the shopper's dollar have special messages for you in another section of today's paper. Read them and rejoice, then visit the stores and take advantage of Beaufort's first big carnival for shoppers this year.

The merchants claim that persons who shop at least once in Beaufort will be convinced that Beaufort is a better place to buy.

## Beaufort to Host State Rebekah, IOOF Meeting

Sessions Will be Held In Two Towns  
Registration Opens Sunday at Biltmore

Concordia Lodge No. 11 and Miriam Rebekah Lodge No. 141 of Beaufort are hosts next week to the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Grand Lodge of North Carolina, and the Rebekah Assembly of North Carolina.

The four-day session opens Sunday at the Morehead Biltmore hotel.

Registration is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. Sunday, followed by the Theta Rho degree at 2:30 p.m. in the Sea Level room. There will be a memorial service in the First Baptist church, Beaufort, at 7:30 p.m.

Mayor W. H. Potter will give the address of welcome to the grand lodge at 9:30 a.m. Monday. The Rebekahs begin their session in another part of the hotel at 9 a.m. Monday.

A banquet at 6:30 Monday night in the dining room will be followed by a dance in the Sea Level room and on the patio.

The Grand Lodge will elect officers Tuesday afternoon and install them Wednesday. The Rebekah degree is scheduled for 8 p.m. Tuesday in the Odd Fellows lodge hall, Beaufort.

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The day will end with a dance in the Sea Level room at the Biltmore.

Grand master of the lodge is Kenneth Marshall, Wilmington. Mrs. Bertha W. Skipper, Wilmington, is president of the Rebekahs. State officers from Beaufort are Earl M. Noe, grand conductor, and Mrs. George Willis, outside guardian.

Sessions of the Grand Encampment and Department Association of the Ladies Auxiliary Patriarch Militant are scheduled for Monday and Tuesday. The Council Patriarch Militant meetings are scheduled for Tuesday.

The general planning committee for the convention, locally, are Richard Smith, G. T. Spivey, John Miller and Robert Russell of the Concordia Lodge, and Mrs. O. W. Wining, Mrs. Julia Basden, Mrs. Robert Russell and Mrs. Wiley Lewis of the Miriam Rebekahs.

## Travel Host School Planned

A Travel Host school for waitresses will be conducted Monday through Friday at the Morehead City recreation center.

Waitresses are being enrolled by A. D. Fulford, county sanitarian. Instructors will be Mrs. Mary Ellen Booker of the department of distributive education, State college, and M. M. Melvin, who is known state-wide in the restaurant business.

Food-handling, courtesy and information on local points of interest is on the curriculum.

There will be two classes daily, one from 9 to 11 a.m. and the other from 2 to 4 p.m. Each will be limited to 20 persons. Movies will be shown. Among the guest speakers will be Grayden Paul, Beaufort, and J. A. DuBois, Morehead City.

Classes will be in the west club-room at the recreation center. Mr. DuBois, manager of the Greater Morehead City chamber of commerce, says practically every restaurant in the area is sending a representative to the school. There are no fees.

The school is sponsored by the North Carolina Travel council in cooperation with the department of distributive education.

**Convention Tomorrow**  
County Democrats will convene for their county convention at 11 a.m. tomorrow at the courthouse, Beaufort.

## Newport Firemen Start Building

Laying the first block of Newport's new town hall and fire station is fire commissioner Wilbur Garner. Looking on are the Rev. Ralph Fleming, pastor of St. James Methodist church; Leslie Bercegey and B. R. Garner, town commissioners; police chief Dan Bell, and Allen Elliott, chief Charles Gould Jr., Leslie Mann and George Green, firemen. (Photo by Leon Mann Jr.)

# Philadelphia Industrialist Will Speak in Morehead

## County Population Increases by 4,360

The preliminary census count puts Carteret county's total population at 27,419, Julian B. Herring, census district supervisor announced yesterday.

This is an increase of 4,360 over the 1950 figure of 23,059.

Mr. Herring said that the 1960 figure is subject to revision, but such revision is expected to be minor, if at all.

Official figures will be released later.

## Woman Charged With Forgery Put Under Bond

A Morehead City woman was bound over to superior court Monday when probable cause was found in recorder's court in the case against her. She was charged with breaking and entering the office of the First Methodist church, Morehead City, and larceny and forgery of checks.

The defendant, Leura F. Guthrie, entered a plea of not guilty at Monday's hearing. Bond for her appearance in superior court was set at \$500.

Daniel Hugh McLellan, Morehead City, appeared to answer charges of drunk driving, hit and run, leaving the scene of an accident and failing to leave identification on an unattended vehicle after it was involved in an accident.

On the first three counts the court did not prosecute, but on the fourth, to which the defendant pleaded guilty, the court ordered a 30-day jail sentence, suspended on payment of \$100 and court costs.

The defendant was further ordered to reimburse W. C. Wilkins \$250 for damages to his car and to surrender his driver's license for a period of 30 days.

For driving on the wrong side of the road, Raymond Harold Guthrie, Salter Path, was given a 90-day jail sentence suspended on payment of \$50 and court costs. Guthrie was charged with careless and

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## Creek Bridge Nearly Finished

Jack Burruss, state highway resident engineer, said traffic will probably be permitted across the new bridge at Calico creek, Morehead City, today.

The bridge won't be completely finished, but sheet piles can be driven on the east side only when the temporary bridge has been taken away.

The approaches will probably be graded with rock and given a tar sealer, then topped with sand asphalt after the bed has stabilized. The new bridge is about six inches higher than the old one.

Mr. Burruss estimates that June 15 will see the job completed.

Progress is satisfactory at Havelock where a 90-foot wide span is being placed across Slocum creek just east of Parker Motors, Mr. Burruss reported.

It is hoped that the detour now necessary will be cleared by the middle of August. Every effort will be made to do away with it before then, he added.

There has been a delay on getting steel for the project, but it is expected to be here by the first of June at the latest. Target date for completion of the entire job is Dec. 1.

The bridge is part of the four-laning project between Morehead City and Cherry Point. It is expected that bids will be asked on the four-laning between highway 70 and 24 intersection into Morehead City in late winter of this year or early spring of 1961.

## 2.53 Inches Rain Falls This Month

Rain has fallen on three occasions in May, making a total of 2.53 inches through Tuesday, according to weather observer Stamey Davis. There was a small amount early yesterday morning but it was not measured until late yesterday. It rained May 1, 3, and 8.

Temperatures have ranged from a low of 53 to a high of 78 this month and strong winds have blown nearly every day. A summary follows:

	High	Low	Wind
May 1	78	62	Calm
May 2	65	54	ENE
May 3	69	53	NE
May 4	73	58	ENE
May 5	74	58	SE
May 6	76	59	NE
May 7	78	60	NE
May 8	73	60	SE
May 9	70	50	WSW
May 10	73	63	SW
May 11	74	64	SW

## Bill Singleton Receives JC Key Man Award

Officers of Beaufort, Morehead Installed  
Paul Cordova, John Edwards Get Awards

Outgoing president of the Morehead City Jaycees, Bill Singleton, was the recipient of the Key Man award Monday night at the installation banquet of the Morehead City and Beaufort Jaycees at the Blue Ribbon restaurant.

The award, which annually goes to the Jaycee who has done the most for the club during the past year, was presented by Jasper Bell.

Other highlights of the program included the installation of officers for the two clubs by district vice-president W. E. Craft of Kenansville. In his talk, Craft urged the new officers to strive to maintain the fine records established by this year's officers and challenged them to strive toward greater Jaycee goals during the next 12 months.

Installed as officers of the Beaufort club were Robert Safrit, president; Clyde Owens, vice-president; Dick Dickinson, treasurer; and Billy Ipock, secretary.

The Morehead City Jaycee officers are Clifton Lynch, president; Horace Willis, internal vice-president; Richard Spears, external vice-president; Gordan Willis,

## Development Group To Meet Wednesday



Frank G. Binswanger location specialist

## Claude Farrell Talks to CTA Wednesday

Claude Farrell, member of the North Carolina Education association staff, spoke Wednesday night at the meeting of the Morehead City Classroom Teachers association.

He spoke on the United Forces for Education program. It seeks a brighter tomorrow for "Tommy and Tammy Tarheel."

The future for these two mythical Tarheel children was pictured as follows:

"Tommy and Tammy are just an average boy and girl—like yours and mine. Today Tommy is in the sixth grade and Tammy is in the third. Tommy started to school before man-made satellites were launched; Tammy started as the space age began.

"Tomorrow—ten years from now—if we fail to act wisely, they will be crowded out, victims of our lack of foresight. Tomorrow—ten years from now—if we act wisely, they will be in college, properly prepared and preparing properly."

In the ten years between 1950 and 1960 the amount spent on each pupil in North Carolina, as compared with the United States, widened from \$58 to \$139. Today the average expenditure in this state is \$139 less than the nationwide average.

In 1960, unless North Carolina improves its education program, Mr. Farrell said, North Carolina teachers will be earning \$1,079 less than the average paid teachers elsewhere.

The United Forces for Education point out that North Carolina teachers are compelled to leave the state to make a living wage. North Carolina ranked sixth from the top in 1959-60 as far as the percentage of teachers with four or more years of college education was concerned, but 39th in average salary.

Mr. Farrell said, "The United Forces for Education, through its member organizations, believes we must increase our yearly pupil investment for each Tommy and Tammy by a minimum of \$45."

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Frank G. Binswanger, whose firm of plant location specialists has negotiated transactions for millions of square feet of industrial space all over the country, including nearly one million square feet in North Carolina in 1959, will be the principal speaker at the annual meeting of the Neuse Development Association in Morehead City Wednesday. The dinner meeting will begin at 6:45 p.m. at the Blue Ribbon restaurant.

Mr. Binswanger is president of Frank G. Binswanger, Inc., whose main offices are in Philadelphia, Pa.

The firm's Southern division, with offices in Charlotte, Yemassee, S. C. and Birmingham, Ala., as well as New York, is the only national industrial real estate firm active on a full time basis in the South.

The Neuse Development association, formed a year ago to promote industrial and economic development on an area-wide basis, is composed of business, civic leaders and city officials from Morehead City, Goldsboro, New Bern and Kinston, North Carolina.

According to Charles L. McCullers, of Kinston, secretary-treasurer of the association, Mr. Binswanger was unanimously chosen by the board of directors because his firm is the leader in the field of industrial development.

The Binswanger record in North Carolina alone in recent years is one which has brought praise from officials and area development leaders.

Through its extensive knowledge of the needs of all lines of industry for plants and plant locations, the firm in 1959 worked out the following:

Sale of the former J. Bishop property in Southern Pines to Fletcher Works.

Sale of the former Aetna Industrial Corporation property in Concord to Chadbourne-Gotham.

Sale of the former Burlington Industries property in Carrboro to BVD.

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## Businessmen To Meet Monday

Beaufort town commissioners will discuss with Beaufort businessmen the proposed business-privilege tax at 7:30 Monday night at the town hall.

The schedule of fees to be charged persons for doing business in the town was discussed at the board meeting Monday night, but no action taken.

Maximum fees levied on businessmen and who can be taxed is established by state law.

Jarvis Herring, representing the Merchants association, requested space near the Museum of the Sea for a boat launching ramp. He was told that the space has been allocated to the Coast Guard.

C. R. Wheatly, town attorney, said the association could use his property on the south side of Front Street extended, if they wished.

The commissioners authorized repair of the street in front of the school in preparation for the street dance during the celebration in July. Mayor W. H. Potter announced that the Cherry Point drum and bugle corps will be in the street parade.

## Cast of Bonnie Blue Will Sport Long Hair for White

"Don't cut your hair!" Men in the cast of Bonnie Blue Sweetheart, the Confederate spy drama to be staged in Morehead City, groan when they hear those words from the director.

In this day of the crew cut, men with long, flowing hair are seldom found. But back in the 1860's, their locks curled to their neck and waves on the top of their heads were complemented by moustaches and beards.

Women in the cast have received the same orders: let your hair grow. But they accept the order with better grace than the men. The fellows are afraid they're going to look like a hood.

One character who's in the Coast Guard wept, "But my commanding officer will never understand!"

A promise from the director to write a letter in his behalf to the district commander, Norfolk, brought little consolation.

Bonnie Blue Sweetheart is one of two historical dramas to be presented in Carteret this summer. It will be June 10 and 11 in Morehead City school. A month later, the drama, Unknown Seas, will be presented in Beaufort.

Bonnie Blue Sweetheart, based on the life of Emeline Pigott, Confederate spy, was first produced last year with outstanding success.

Miss Ruth Peeling, who wrote the drama, says that a few changes have been made in the 1960 version. Many of those who portrayed roles last year will appear again this year.

Members of the cast are Lillian Frances Giddens, Joyce Lewis, Johnny Fussell, Donna Wilkins, Connie Willis, Abron (Tootie) Ballou.

George W. Dill Jr., Walter Lewis, H. L. Joslyn, Ralph Wade, Glenn Adair, Borden Wade, Edgar Swann, Bobby Bell.

Mary Ruth Howland, Patricia Ann Howland, H. S. Gibbs Jr., Frank Cassiano, Thomas Respass,