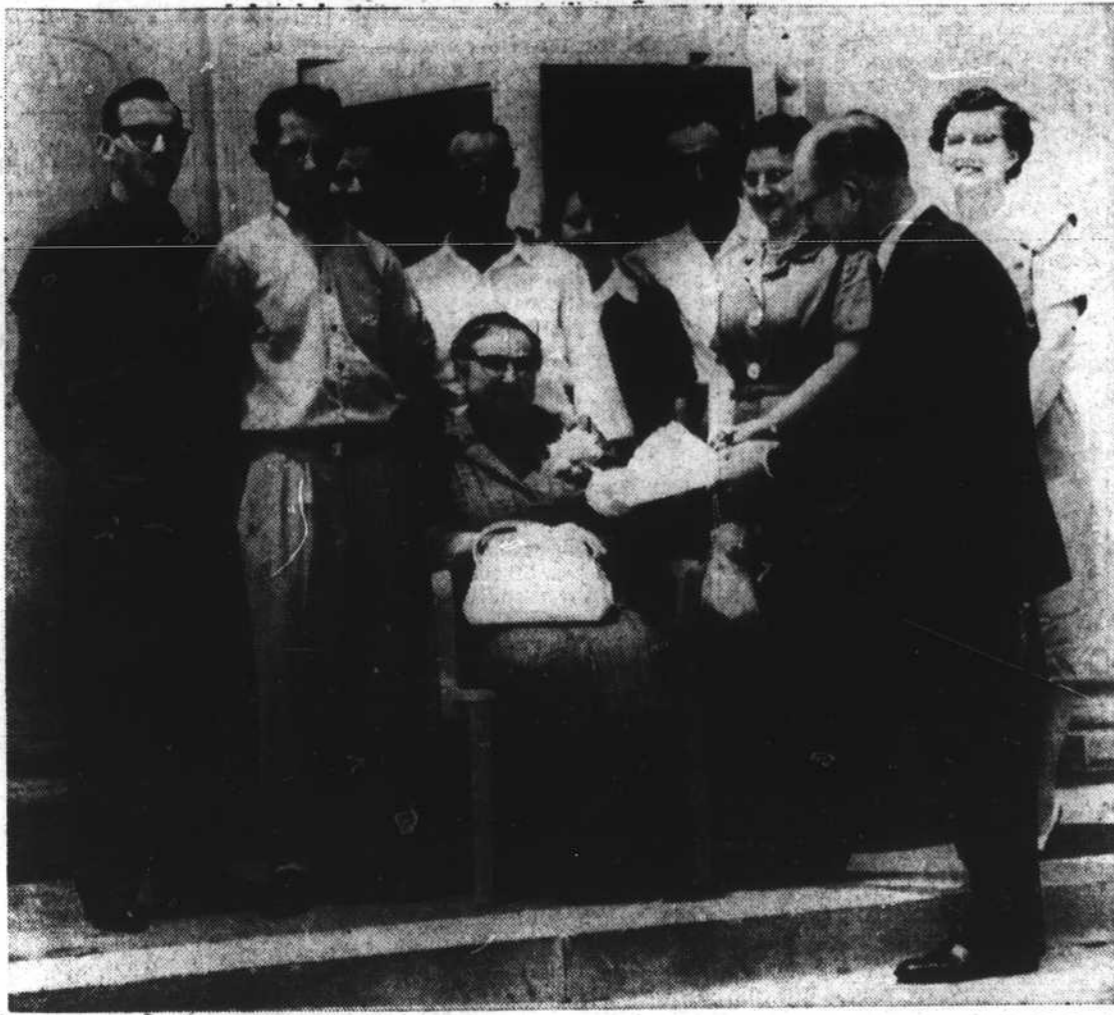


Mother-of-Year Honored



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Mrs. A. N. Bell, Harlowe, had eight of her 10 children present Saturday morning when she was officially recognized as Carteret county's Mother of the Year. Her children, left to right, are David, Roger, Carl, Clyde, Mrs. Blanche Williams, Edsel, Mrs. Lina Bell Bowlin and Mrs. Eloise Turner. Mayor George Dill is presenting Mrs. Bell certificates for prizes that were awarded in the Mother-of-the-Year contest.

Rotary Hears Miss Carraway

Miss Gertrude Carraway, director of Tryon palace, New Bern, spoke to members of the Morehead City Rotary club and their wives at the club's meeting Thursday night at the Rex restaurant.

Miss Carraway, who was national president of the DAR from 1953-56, told Rotarians that eastern North Carolina badly needs industry but reminded them that "factories and smokestacks are not the only kind of industry."

She cited the Marine Corps installations at Camp Lejeune and Cherry Point and the tourist trade to our area as our best industries. She said that the tourist industry today ranks third in North Carolina, trailing only tobacco and textiles. In 1959 tourists spent \$723 million in North Carolina.

Miss Carraway also said that North Carolina was unique in the fact that it offers the tourists a variety of attractions ranging from colorful history on the coast to the mountains.

She urged those present not to regard historical restorations as "old fashioned," because they have proven to be the most popular form of tourist attraction.

Other guests at the meeting included Mr. and Mrs. James Hutchins of Uxbridge, England who are here visiting friends at Gloucester. Mr. Hutchins, a Rotarian, presented president Edgar Swann with a Rotary banner from his club in Uxbridge.

Mrs. A. N. Bell of Harlowe was given Saturday the highest honor a Carteret mother can win, when she was named Mother of the Year. Mrs. Bell, who has ten children, was presented gift certificates from ten Morehead City merchants by mayor George W. Dill in ceremonies at the town hall.

Three judges chose the mother of the year from a field of 48 nominations. Persons submitting entries were asked to tell briefly why their nominee should win.

The winner was nominated by two of her children and didn't know a thing about it until the newspaper photographer went to take her picture. He told her she was one of three finalists, so she still didn't suspect anything!

"My children pulled something over on me. I'll have to take them down a notch or two," Mrs. Bell said. She said she was surprised at being nominated and even more surprised at being the winner.

All but two of Mrs. Bell's children were with her for the ceremonies. Two of her sons, Royall and Carl, live in Washington, D. C., and were unable to attend. Her children and 12 grandchildren celebrated Mother's Day Sunday with a family dinner at the Bell home.

Merchants honoring Mrs. Bell with gifts were Belk's, Sanitary market and restaurant, Morehead City Drug Co., Bogue Furniture Co., Cooperative Savings and Loan, Hamilton Furniture center, Garner's Gulf, Beasley's, Blanchard's and Rose's.

The contest was sponsored by these businesses and THE NEWS-TIMES.

On two previous occasions when the mother-of-the-year contest was sponsored, the winners were Mrs. L. C. Davis, Beaufort, and the late Mrs. C. D. Jones Sr., Beaufort.

Sunny Sunday Follows Rain

Showers which moved in Wednesday and Thursday, dissipated Saturday night, bringing clear skies and warm temperatures Sunday and one of the prettiest days of the year.

Following .05 inches of rain in a brief shower Saturday, the temperature climbed to a comfortable 81 degrees Sunday afternoon, according to local weather observer Stamey Davis.

Temperature ranges and wind directions Thursday through Sunday were recorded as follows by Mr. Davis:

	High	Low	Wind
Thursday	79	65	SE
Friday	80	68	SSE
Saturday	82	66	SE
Sunday	81	62	NE

Wilmington Tug Goes Aground at Beaufort

A Wilmington, N. C., tug, *Damn Yankee*, ran aground in the west end of Taylor's Creek, Beaufort, Sunday evening and required Coast Guard assistance to be refloated.

The tug was sighted in distress from the Fort Macon lookout tower. Fort Macon dispatched the 40-footer which pulled the tug off the bottom. Captain of the tug was Jack Potter and the owners are the Lynch brothers, Wilmington.

The crew aboard the 40-footer was Grady Fulcher, EMC; R. E. Brannon, FN and M. Cash, SN.

Tragedy Strikes Godette Family, Adams Creek, Twice in Four Days

One Son Fights Lockjaw, Other Son Killed by Car

Tragedy struck twice at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Godette, Adams Creek, within four days last week. Thursday 9-year-old Therman was admitted to Morehead City hospital with an illness later diagnosed as lockjaw and on Sunday 5-year-old Daniel was killed instantly when struck by a car.

Therman fell off a fence last week and complained of his back and head hurting. He was taken to the hospital emergency room, where an infected cut was found on his hand. It is believed tetanus germs entered his body through the cut.

The youngster remains on the critical list, despite constant treatment and care by the hospital staff and Dr. L. W. Moore and Dr. John Way. His jaws locked Friday and he was still being fed through his veins yesterday. His mother had been with him day and night until Sunday, when she learned of the accident which claimed her younger son's life.

Daniel ran from behind an ice cream truck into the path of a car driven by George Werthington, 37, of Adams Creek. He was killed instantly, according to Craven county coroner R. Clyde Smith. An inquest has been scheduled. The accident occurred two miles east of Harlowe on the Adams Creek road.

Highway patrolman P. M. Herring, who investigated, said the boy's body was hurled 127 feet by the impact. Skid marks on the highway measured 185 feet, he said.

The boys are part of a family of ten children.

Mr. Godette and two sons are employed on a construction job in Washington and until Therman entered the hospital, Mrs. Godette and several other children had been cutting cabbage.

Dr. Moore said yesterday that Therman should have private duty nurses around the clock. The nurses earn \$14 for an eight-hour shift. But all those available were on other cases when Therman became ill.

Anyone who would like to contribute to a fund to pay nurses, when they become available, and to meet other expenses incurred by Therman's hospitalization and Daniel's death are invited to mail their contribution to THE NEWS-TIMES. The newspaper will see that the money reaches the Godettes, who said they will be grateful for any help received.

Girls in the office at the hospital contributed to a fund to buy meals for the mother while she sat with Therman.

Persons who wish to make out checks for the family may make them payable to THE NEWS-TIMES and indicate on the check that the money is for The Godette Family.

Funeral services for Daniel were tentatively set for tomorrow at Craven Corner Baptist church.

Other children in the family are Levi Ennis, William Thomas, Dennis, Walter, John, Hazel, Christina and Esther. Levi, 18, is the oldest and John 4, is the youngest.

State Starts Microfilming County Records

Work Will End Latter Part of June

Microfilms Will Be Stored in Raleigh

A representative of the State Department of Archives and History is engaged in microfilming permanently valuable records in the county courthouse.

Records being microfilmed include deeds and other real estate records, marriage records, court minutes and judgment dockets, estate records, minutes of the county commissioners, and other county bodies.

The microfilm will then be stored in air-conditioned vaults of the department of archives and history, Raleigh, and if an original record is destroyed or lost, a copy, either page print or microfilm, may be obtained from the department.

Simultaneously, two operators are working in New Hanover county. Thirteen other counties have been completed since the program was initiated late in 1959. Counties are being scheduled approximately by age and as a result Carteret is one of the early counties to be scheduled, according to W. R. Moss, who is doing the work.

"The department of archives and history and county officials throughout the state have for years been greatly concerned with the security of our invaluable public records," Mr. Moss said. "One-third of our counties have had serious fires in which many, if not all of their records were destroyed. Carteret has been most fortunate in never having suffered losses," he commented.

Enthusiastically supported by the statewide organizations of county officials, the department supported bills in the 1959 general assembly to provide funds for a program of inventorying, repairing, and microfilming, at state expense, county records throughout the state. The bills were passed without opposition and the program in its present form was made possible.

In Carteret, as in other counties, the first step taken was to conduct an inventory of the public records in all county offices. The purpose of the inventory was threefold: to catalog the records of each office; to determine which records should be repaired and which should be microfilmed; and to provide custodians with schedules of retention and disposal which, if carried out, will result in the preservation, either in the state archives or in the county, of all permanently valuable records, and in the timely disposal of those records of no further administrative or historic value.

Copies of the inventory will be furnished to all interested county officials.

The work in Carteret is under the general supervision of rear admiral A. M. Patterson, USN (Ret.), assistant state archivist. Mr. Moss anticipates that the work will be completed by the end of June.

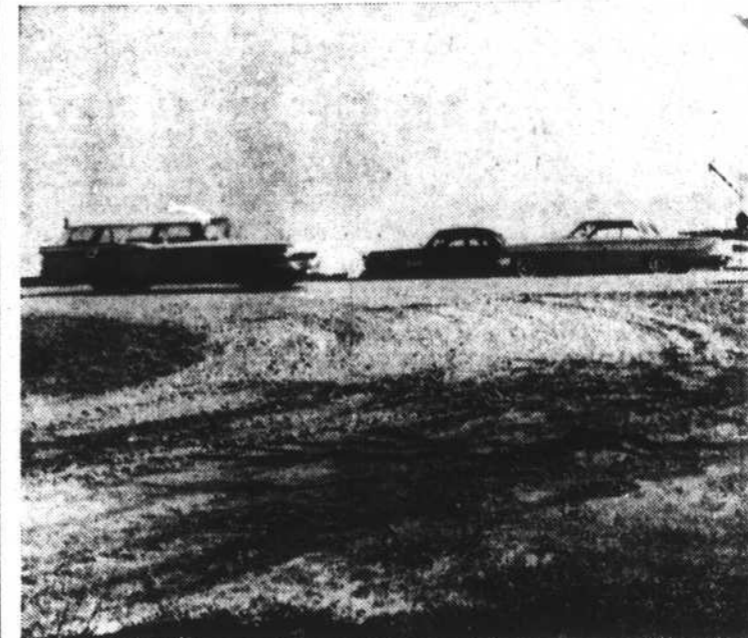
The department is also interested in preserving historically valuable records of municipalities.

Tide Table

Tides at the Beaufort Bar		
HIGH	Tuesday, May 16	LOW
9:31 a.m.	3:28 a.m.	
9:44 p.m.	3:33 p.m.	
Wednesday, May 17		
10:19 a.m.	4:09 a.m.	
10:28 p.m.	4:11 p.m.	
Thursday, May 18		
11:08 a.m.	4:50 a.m.	
11:13 p.m.	4:49 p.m.	
Friday, May 19		
11:57 a.m.	5:31 a.m.	
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Street Re-Opened



This is a view north on Moore street at Cedar, Beaufort. The street has recently been re-opened, and permits traffic to turn south on the street, after crossing the bridge into Beaufort.

Navy Vessels Return Marines

Eight Navy vessels involved in returning 1,900 Camp Lejeune Marines will dock at Morehead City through Thursday, according to Walter Friederichs, operations manager at the port. The first ship docked yesterday.

Among the returning Leathernecks are 300 Marines of the second battalion, 6th Marine division, who have been on a goodwill tour. The other 1,600 are coming back after five months' regular duty with the 6th fleet in the Mediterranean.

The Marines on the "People to People" good will tour left Nov. 30, made stops in South America and along the coasts of Africa and the Mediterranean. The group was commanded by Maj. H. Richard Kurth Jr.

The Marines returning from the Mediterranean, first battalion 2nd Marine division, were commanded by Lt. Col. S. N. McLeod. They are expected to dock today.

County NCEA Will Meet At Biltmore Saturday

The county unit of the North Carolina Education association will have its annual banquet Saturday, May 20.

The dinner will begin at 6 p.m. at the Biltmore hotel, Morehead City. Lenwood Lee, principal of Morehead City school, will preside.

Final PTA Meeting

The Newport PTA will have its final meeting of the year tonight at 7:30 in the school auditorium. T. A. Gupton, district Scout executive, will speak and officers for next year will be installed.

Chamber Chooses Winning Slogan

Carefree Coastal Carteret is the slogan which won Mrs. F. H. McCutcheon, Beaufort, a prize of \$25 and which will be used to advertise this area. Mrs. McCutcheon was the winner of a slogan contest sponsored by the Greater Morehead City chamber of Commerce.

Joe DuBois, chamber manager, announced the winner Saturday. He said there were about 50 entries and all of them were good. "I'm just sorry we couldn't use them all," he commented.

Judges for the contest were Mrs. Clayton Fulcher Jr., of Atlantic, Bobby Matthews and Ken Newsom of Morehead City, members of the chamber's advertising committee.

Motorist Cited Saturday Night

Rupert Earl Willis, 3003 Evans St., Morehead City, was charged with drunk driving, going the wrong way on a one-way street and leaving the scene of an accident Saturday, according to Morehead City police.

According to Capt. Carl Bunch, who investigated, Willis, driving a 1961 Volkswagen, was headed west on the east-bound side of Arendell street between 4th and 5th streets.

He collided with a 1953 Ford driven by Troy Willis, Harkers Island, knocking the Willis car into a parked vehicle. The parked car was a 1959 Plymouth owned by Bobby Wren of Raleigh. The accident happened at 11:45 p.m.

Police estimated damages to the two Willis cars at \$200 each and that to Wren's car at \$150. No one was injured.

Atlantic Beach Town Board Analyzes Traffic Difficulties

Parking and traffic difficulties were discussed by the Atlantic Beach commissioners Friday morning at the town hall. The board met after A. H. James, clerk of court, administered the oath of office to mayor A. B. Cooper and commissioners Mack G. Smith of Greenville, Charles Walters and R. A. Barefoot. Commissioner W. L. Derrickson was not present. He will be sworn in later by the mayor.

Traffic congestion at the intersection of the highway and the Fort Macon-Salter Path road was discussed. The board recommended that traffic approaching the beach in the right hand lane be allowed to turn onto the Salter Path road on a red light, yielding the right-of-way.

Mayor Cooper suggested a piece of property that the town might buy to use as a parking lot. Commissioner Smith and the mayor will investigate and present their findings at the next meeting.

The question of installing parking meters in part of the amusement area was brought up, but action was deferred for another season. The clerk was directed to write the district highway patrol office asking their help in controlling summer traffic again this year.

The Rev. David Nelson, pastor of St. Timothy Lutheran church in Havelock, appeared before the board and asked permission to use

the town hall for summer worship services. Mr. Nelson said his church would like to hold services each Sunday at 9 a.m., beginning June 4.

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GOP Discusses Its Candidates Saturday Night

Candidates for coming elections were discussed at the meeting of the County Republican club Saturday night at the Biltmore hotel, Morehead City. The meeting was conducted by Elmer Dewey Willis, president, and held in the new Vanity room of the hotel.

New members were appointed to the publicity committee to advertise the issues of the upcoming county campaign. This committee will also function during registration of voters as authorized by the county board of elections.

All precincts are being organized to register voters properly in order to win the next county elections. Mr. Willis commented. Each precinct will have individual meetings to instruct workers on election law and procedures.

The next meeting of the Republican club will be held in the Newport area. The exact location will be announced a week prior to the meeting date which will be June 10 at 8 p.m.

The July meeting will be a "Red, White and Blue Banquet" to be held at the Biltmore hotel.

Officers Report Four Break-Ins

Four break-ins were reported throughout the county over the weekend, according to officers.

Four youngsters ranging in age from 9 to 12 were apprehended Monday morning after they had broken into the basement of the First-Citizens bank and the Sound Chevrolet company used car lot.

According to Sgt. Bill Condie, the boys entered the bank by way of a former coal chute and each took a can of insecticide from the janitors' supplies in the basement.

In the used car lot they beat up three cars. A lead to the bank break-in was turned up when Capt. Carl Bunch saw the kids carrying the cans of insecticide.

They broke into the bank Saturday night and caused damage in the car lot Sunday night. The youngsters are scheduled to appear before juvenile judge A. H. James Saturday morning.

Deputy sheriff Bobby Bell is investigating a break-in in the concession stand at Morehead pier. The place was entered through a window Saturday night. Cheese crackers, peanuts, gum and similar items were taken.

Deputy Bell also reported theft of \$25 from the Hooten home, Newport RFD, Sunday afternoon. The money was missing when the Hootens returned home.

The officer said it was in a box by a bedside table. The place was thoroughly ransacked. He said it appeared as though the person or persons who broke in were primarily intent on upsetting everything in the house.

Charlotte Motorist Hits Parked Car in Morehead

Morehead City police investigated a traffic accident at the intersection of 10th and Arendell streets Sunday afternoon.

The lone driver involved was Andrew Basinger of Charlotte. Basinger, driving a 1959 Chevrolet, hit a parked car belonging to Leslie Earl Davis, 1009 Arendell St., Morehead City. Basinger was travelling east on Arendell.

Patrolman E. D. O'Neal estimated damages to Basinger's car at \$50 and set that to Davis's auto, a 1952 Plymouth, at \$100. No charges were filed.

President Welcomes Residents to Meeting

Anyone interested in the industrial and economic growth of this area is invited to the Neuse Development meeting at 7:30 tomorrow night at the Biltmore hotel, announces W. B. Chalk, Morehead City, president.

The dinner is Dutch and is \$2. This is the annual spring meeting of the association, which includes Goldsboro, Kinston, New Bern and Morehead City. Mr. Chalk will be concluding two years of service as its first president.

The motorboat bill now before the legislature will do the following:

• Will require all motor boats, other than documented vessels, regardless of horsepower to register under the North Carolina Motorboat Act.

• It will require that all motorboats meet the minimum requirements of federal safety acts as now enforced by the United States Coast Guard.

Leathernecks of the Second Marine Aircraft Wing, Cherry Point air station, Second Marine Division and Force Troops, Atlantic, Camp Lejeune, and a marching unit of the Fort Bragg-based 82nd Airborne Division, will mark Armed Forces Day with parades and weapons displays in Beaufort, Morehead City and New Bern, an-

ounces the Marine Corps information office, Cherry Point.

Beaufort's parade will begin at 3:30 p.m., Friday. The New Bern parade will begin at 10 a.m., Saturday, May 20. No parade is scheduled for Morehead City. However, a display of weapons and equipment will be open in Morehead City municipal park from 10

a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday.

Frank Cassiano, chairman of the greater Morehead City chamber of commerce military affairs committee, said yesterday that this is the first time airborne troops have marched in a county armed forces day parade.

Marching units for the parades will include the Second Wing Band, a combined honor guard of Wing

and Station Leathernecks, a detachment of Women Marines, infantrymen of the Second Marine Division, the Force Troops Drum and Bugle Corps, paratroopers of the 82nd Airborne Division, US Coast Guard, Morehead City National Guard unit, Beaufort, Morehead City, Queen Street and W. S. King school bands.

Static displays will include aerial

photographic equipment of the Second Wing's VMJ-2, survival and parachute equipment of MWSG-27, a combined aerial ordnance exhibit by the Second Wing and Cherry Point Air Station, and infantry and ground weapons display by the Second Marine Division.

Beaufort and Morehead City share Armed Forces Day activities each year. This year Beaufort

hosts the parade. Morehead City the static display. Next year the schedule will be reversed.

In the interests of economy, no Armed Forces Day open house is planned at the Cherry Point Marine Corps Air station since a massive display and open house was held there May 10, commemorating the 50th Anniversary of Naval Aviation.

USMC Announces Armed Forces Day Plans