

Firemen Work at Burning Home



Alton Gaskill, of the Beaufort rescue squad, left, and fireman Neal Willis, center, were on hand during the Feagle fire Friday morning. An unidentified fireman drags a charred bedstead from the house.

Fire Destroys Feagle Home In Beaufort Friday Morning

The Belle Air Street residence of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Feagle, Beaufort, was heavily damaged by fire at 8:20 Friday morning. The fire, which destroyed most of the inside of the dwelling and its contents, started from hot grease on a kitchen stove.

Mrs. Feagle and her two children, Randy and Marty, were at home at the time of the fire. Mrs. Feagle had turned on what she believed to be a burner under a pan of water and gone into a bedroom. Instead, she had turned on a burner under a pan of grease.

The grease ignited and spread flames to the walls around the stove.

When Mrs. Feagle came from the bedroom, the flames were shooting to the ceiling. She tried to put them out with a blanket, then a rug, but was unsuccessful. So she grabbed the two children and got out of the house.

The Feagles had insurance on the house itself and plan to rebuild on the same site.

Beaufort firemen reported difficulty in getting water to flow from the fire hydrant near the

house. The hydrant had been run over several times and a gasket on the bottom had jammed into the valve.

The firemen used to test hydrants periodically, but several years ago stopped doing so at the request of Carolina Water Co., they said. The water company said it would assume the responsibility of checking the hydrants.

The water company made repairs to the hydrant Friday afternoon. Firemen were successful in protecting surrounding property from damage.

County to See if Southern Will Give Up Land for County Hospital Site

Southern Railway has a lease on the land at Camp Glenn, which is now being considered as a site for the proposed county hospital, according to Moses Howard, chairman of the board of county commissioners.

Mr. Howard, mayor W. H. Potter, Beaufort; James D. Potter, county auditor; Luther Hamilton Jr., county attorney, and Dr. John Morris, conferred with officials at Raleigh Thursday, relative to the hospital.

Mr. Howard said it will have to be determined whether Southern will relinquish its lease. The property is owned by the state.

The Carteret delegation called on William Henderson, executive secretary of the Medical Care Commission, who said that the commission would approve the Camp Glenn site if the land were made available.

He repeated the fact that the state's share of the money for the proposed hospital is no longer available, Mr. Howard reports, but told the county to go ahead with its hospital plans as fast as it can and the state would see what it could do when the time comes.

Southern has leased the land at Camp Glenn with a view to using it eventually as a site for warehouses where cargoes would be stored preparatory to shipment from the state port.

16 Witness Presentation Of Three Scouting Honors

Sixteen from this county attended the annual recognition meeting of the East Carolina council, Boy Scouts of America, at Wesleyan college, Rocky Mount, Thursday night, and witnessed awarding of three Scouting honors to Carteret.

Carteret was one of three counties to receive the President's award (this award also came to the county in the Negro Scout division) at the council meeting, and Dr. S. W. Hatcher, Morehead City, received the Silver Beaver award, the highest honor the council can bestow.

Dr. Hatcher was 1961 Carteret district chairman of the Boy Scouts, was instrumental in obtaining property for a Boy Scout camp in the county and in bringing professional Scouting service to Carteret, for 12 years was a troop committee man, is former district finance chairman, has held every job in a district committee, is a member of the official board of the First Methodist church, Morehead City, treasurer of the Salvation Army, past chairman of the Morehead City recreation commission, past president of the County Medical society and is president of the greater Morehead City chamber of commerce.

Dr. Hatcher was one of six to receive the Silver Beaver award. The presentation was made by Dr. A. L. Whitehurst, Plymouth.

In addition to Carteret, the President's award went to Caswell and Wilson districts. Each district had a growth of at least 10 per cent in membership during 1961, re-registered all units and organized

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The new pastor has had special voice training and training in the direction of choirs. His bride of two weeks is a sister of Bobby Ayecock, a Free Will Baptist missionary to Brazil. She also attended college in Nashville.

Mr. Sebastian will leave after Feb. 11 for Hookerton, where he will serve as pastor of Mt. Calvary church. He will be accompanied by his wife, the former Hilda Hales (distant kin to the new pastor), and three children, Deborah, 7; Bobby, 3; and Tony, 2.

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Tide Table

Tides at Beaufort Bar

HIGH	Tuesday, Jan. 30	LOW
2:39 a.m.	9:44 a.m.	
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Wednesday, Jan. 31		
3:44 a.m.	10:42 a.m.	
4:10 p.m.	10:43 p.m.	
Thursday, Feb. 1		
4:51 a.m.	11:35 a.m.	
5:22 p.m.	11:38 p.m.	
Friday, Feb. 2		
5:50 a.m.	12:27 a.m.	
6:21 p.m.		

Havelock Man Held on Burglary Count; Wrecks Car at Newport

Eric Nelson to be Third Officer Aboard Savannah

The committee met last night at the Carteret-Craven building, Morehead City, and expects to meet later with the county planning commission to see if the program might be working in with planning commission operations.

Chairman of the committee is J. R. Sanders, Morehead City. Other members are George Ball, Harlowe; Gaston Smith, Atlantic; Clarence Millis, Newport; Jim Young, Stella. Mrs. Lottie Dunn, Atlantic Beach, and Mrs. Charles Stanley, Crab Point.

Virginia Person Will be Soloist

Talented Virginia Person will be guest soloist for this evening's concert by the North Carolina Little Symphony at 8 p.m. in the Morehead City school auditorium.

Born in Chicago, Miss Person was a child prodigy, a scholarship pupil at the age of 8 at the famed Sherwood Music school.

Miss Person's father studied for the ministry, but gave up in favor of a musical career. Her mother, a well-known St. Louis and Chicago voice teacher, gave Virginia her first lessons in singing.

Program Will Begin Tonight at 8

Dr. Benjamin Swalin To Conduct

Winner of the Belle Isle auditions, the regional Metropolitan Opera auditions and a Grinnell music scholarship, Miss Person went on to outstanding successes in appearances with the Detroit symphony, and with oratorio and opera groups in Chicago, Detroit and other mid-western cities.

On the occasion of her debut recital, the Detroit Free-Press critic wrote, "It is a pleasure to listen

Marshallberg Crab Plant Hit by Fire

The Percy T. Davis crab plant, Marshallberg, was destroyed by fire shortly after midnight Monday night. The loss was extensive.

Mr. Davis could not be contacted yesterday and it is not known whether the property was insured. Lost was refrigeration machinery and other equipment necessary in a crab-picking operation.

It could not be determined how the fire started. The Marshallberg fire department answered the call.

F. H. Taylor Apprehended After Hair-Raising Chase

The case of Frederick Henry Taylor, route 1 Havelock, was bound over for action by the grand jury yesterday in Morehead City recorder's court. Judge Herbert Phillips found sufficient cause to hold Taylor for second degree burglary and theft at Cal's TV Service, 1015 Arendell St. Saturday night.

Police chief Herbert Griffin said J. C. (Cal) Dezer, owner and operator of the tv service, estimated value of the merchandise stolen at \$2,119.35. Police believe they have recovered most of it.

County Works Toward Getting Federal Funds

A temporary committee to make a study of the county's needs and how they may be met under the federal area development program was appointed Thursday afternoon at the courthouse, Beaufort.

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Republicans To Meet Feb. 10

The County Republican club has set Saturday, Feb. 10, as the date for the county Republican convention. The club met recently at the former Army Reserve building, highway 70, Morehead City. Fifty-four members attended.

Duties of some of the officials to be elected this year were explained by Ken Wagner, Josiah Bailey, and Claud Wheatly. Mr. Wagner told of duties of the county board of commissioners and Mr. Bailey discussed the duties and responsibilities of a state legislator.

Letters Will Seek Support Of 4-H Camp

Letters to organizations and businesses in the county, to be mailed the first of February, will request financial support for the 4-H camp proposed for Carteret.

The letter was approved Tuesday night at a meeting of the county 4-H Development Fund committee. The letter was presented by Walter Teich, special funds committee chairman.

Patrolman Found Both Front and Back Doors of the Place Open and a Window Broken

Morehead City patrolmen Buck Newsome and Jack Miller noticed Taylor's car in front of Cal's TV Saturday about 8 p.m. The trunk lid was off and the back bent in.

They got a call to return to the police station, did so, and then patrolman Miller returned to Cal's to start checking business places on routine foot patrol, the chief said.

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Passenger Hurt In Car Upset

Miss Betty Tuttert, Washington, N. C., who was spending the weekend with friends at Atlantic, received several face scratches at 12:50 a.m. Sunday when the car in which she was riding turned over at Atlantic.

C. H. Davis, deputy sheriff, said Miss Tuttert, a college student, was riding with Ralph Smith Riggs, 24, Atlantic, in a 1957 Buick.

Cold Moves In Following Rain

Snow which hit most other parts of the state over the weekend missed the county, but the mercury took a chilly dip to 26 degrees yesterday morning, according to weather observer Stacey Davis. Rain Saturday and Sunday deposited .36 inches of moisture here.

Temperature ranges and wind directions Thursday through Sunday were as follows:

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The Rev. Charles Kirby Wins DSA

Honored with the distinguished service award by Morehead City Jaycees last night was the Rev. Charles L. Kirby, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Morehead City.

The award is presented annually to the man under 36 years of age who in the opinion of the committee selecting him, did the most for the betterment of his community in the year prior to presentation of the award.

Nominations were made by civic organizations of Morehead City. Identity of the committee making the selection is not revealed.

Mr. Kirby began his pastorate in Morehead City Jan. 4, 1959. Now 34 years of age, he is president of the county chapter of the North Carolina Symphony society, president of the County Ministers association, a member of the Morehead City recreation commission, the county Red Cross chapter, was active in the program for migrant laborers, was instrumental in promotion of the Easter sunrise service at Fort Macon last year, is the First Presbyterian church institutional representative for the Boy Scouts, Boy Scout publicity chairman for Carteret district, and is active in Civil Defense and youth programs.

A native of Fort Pierce, Fla., Mr. Kirby came to North Carolina in 1943 and attended Davidson college. Following graduation, he went to Union Theological seminary, Richmond. After receiving his degree he was pastor of four churches from October 1953 to July 1957, Black River church at Ivanhoe, Caswell at Atkinson, Harmony at Kerr and Stafford Memorial at Garland.

He resigned to go to Edinburgh, Scotland, where he attended the School of Theology, University of Edinburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby have a 4-year-old son, Charles Thomas.

Speaker at the DSA banquet last night at the Blue Ribbon restaurant was H. S. Gibbs Jr., Morehead City. Mr. Gibbs, winner of the DSA in 1953, spoke on How to Bake a Cake or "putting the frosting on the community." He was introduced by Jaycee president Tommy Ballou.

The award to Mr. Kirby was presented by Ray Cummins, Morehead City, who won the DSA in Beaufort in 1955. Mr. Cummins was recipient of an award in publication speaking as a member of the recent Dale Carnegie course, sponsored by Morehead City Jaycees.

Invocation at the dinner was given by the Rev. Corbin Cooper, pastor of the First Baptist church, Morehead City. Clifton Lynch gave the welcome and introduced guests. A steak dinner was served.

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The orchestra under the direction of Benjamin Swalin will be heard in the Beethoven Overture to "Prometheus," Prokofiev's Classical Symphony in D major, opus 25, Siegfried's "Idyll" by Richard Wagner, and a group of works by more modern composers. Included also in the program are favorites from the recent Broadway hit-musicals, Brigadoon, South Pacific, and Oklahoma.

Miss Person will be featured in several operatic arias and recitatives from the works of Handel, Bach, Mozart and Massenet.

Membership in the North Carolina Symphony assures admission to any regular concert presented anywhere in the state by either the North Carolina Little Symphony or the Full Symphony. A few memberships will be available at the door at tonight's concert.

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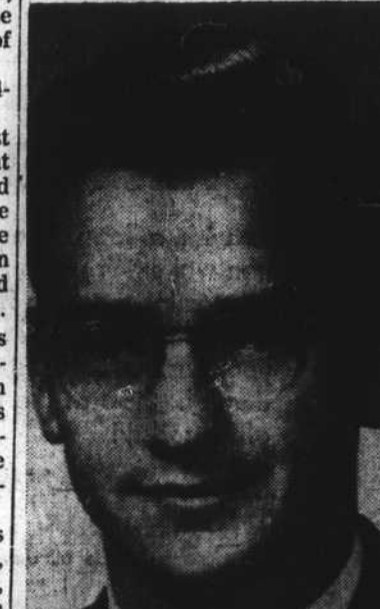
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