

Countians Go to Polls Tomorrow

National Guard Officer Expresses Appreciation

FSGT. Dennis Goodwin, administrative officer of the Morehead City National Guard unit, said Monday that he is so pleased that the armory referendum passed by a 3 to 1 vote that he is at loss for words to express his appreciation.

"This is a definite indication that the majority of our citizens are interested in projects that are for the betterment of our community and are willing to sacrifice a little in order to move forward instead of stepping backward," he said.

The sergeant added, "The entire community should be commended for having the interest of the town at heart."

He commended the committee working to promote the bond referendum, and all others who spoke in favor of it and voted for it. "This is the people's choice and they expressed themselves so well that it makes one feel closer to the community and the people in it," sergeant Goodwin remarked.

He continued, "The things which I told the people this building will do for them it will do, and more. I don't believe any of our citizens will be disappointed with this facility."

Bids for building the armory have been requested (see legal section NEWS-TIMES May 18, 1962) and will be opened at 2 p.m. Monday, June 11, at the National Guard armory, Morehead City.

Sergeant Goodwin said bids will be let before midnight June 30, 1962. He expressed the hope that all contracts can be awarded locally.

If the building's to be finished this winter — depending on the contractor, he believes it will be completed by Christmas. If however, there is delay, it will be ready for use by next spring.

Three Cars Get Clobbered

An accident Monday night put one driver in the Morehead City hospital and damaged three cars. One is a total loss.

Albert E. Campbell, Route 1 Okemos, Mich., was admitted to the hospital for treatment of cuts and bruises after his car struck a parked 1960 Pontiac station wagon belonging to Gene Willis Jr., and then hit a 1952 Dodge belonging to the Rev. John G. Viser, Wildwood.

Campbell was going east on Evans street in the 1800 block when his car collided with Willis' car. Mr. Viser, who was going west on Evans, saw Campbell coming and had stopped his car when it was hit.

Campbell's car, a 1956 Ford, was a total loss. The Willis car was damaged in the right front and left rear to the extent of \$700, and about \$150 damage was done to the left front of the Viser car.

JC Ed Hudson Gets Award

Jaycee Ed Hudson was presented with the Spoke Award at the Morehead City Jaycee meeting Monday night. The Spoke Award is given annually to an outstanding Jaycee. The presentation was made by L. E. Kelley.

Bill Munden reported that the club's efforts to get voters to the polls in the armory bond election Saturday was a success. Ed Hudson, treasurer, reported to the members on a fund-raising project to rent American flags to merchants. Rental on the flags would be \$25 a year, and would be displayed on 11 occasions during each year.

Dick Fodrie was elected sheriff of the club by acclamation, and member Dick Spears won a season pass to the Oceanana fishing pier for naming every member present.

Same 'Welfare' Rumors Make Rounds Again

Political candidates on the "out" are disturbed by rumors they claim are being circulated by the "ins" relative to welfare payments being "cut off" if they don't vote "the right way."

This is a rumor that makes the rounds every election time. Most political parties realize that "hand out" programs, though legal, are vote-getting tools, and impartial political observers note that regardless which faction or party is in power, it doesn't cut its own throat by denying to unfortunate the help they may be entitled to.

Chase Ends Up In County Court

● Motorist Appeals; Bond Set at \$100

● Court Dismisses Two Assault Cases

A chase by a state trooper led straight to court for a defendant in Tuesday's session of county court in Beaufort.

Willie Johnson, Negro, was charged with speeding and carrying a concealed weapon after testimony by state trooper W. J. Smith revealed that Johnson had abandoned his car after the chase and pulled a knife when trooper Smith was in the process of having the car removed.

A charge of using profane language, against Johnson, was not prosecuted when it was found that the act had not taken place in a public place.

Johnson appealed his sentence, six months on the roads suspended upon two years probation and payment of \$25 and costs. Bond was set at \$100 for trial in superior court.

Other defendants getting fines were Daniel Mendoza, speeding, \$10 and cost; and Theodore Johnson Jr., \$10 and costs for no driver's license and driving on the wrong side of the road.

Two defendants paid fines and costs within time limits set by the court. They were Jimmy Matthews, breaking and entering without felonious intent, and receiving stolen goods, one year on the roads suspended for five years upon payment of the costs; and Leroy Montford, improper muffler, costs.

Two cases of assault were dismissed. They were against Reggie Lewis and Nelson Ray Bryant.

Paying the cost of court were John Albert Copes, no driver's license; James Lewis Glenn, no emergency brake and improper muffler; Kathleen Garner Mann, leaving the scene of an accident; Royce Glenn Strickland, following too closely.

Thomas Frank Hudson Jr., improper driver's license; James Edward Moore, failing to see if movement in traffic could be made safely; Edwin Durwood Paylor, speeding; Harry Dale Lewis, improper turn; Otis Darwin Nelson, backing into highway illegally.

Robert Bryant, no emergency brake, insufficient turn signals; Robert Frank Ewell, no emergency brake, insufficient turn signals, no rear stop lights; Lawrence Watson Coose, failure to dim lights; Donald Ray Nichols, no emergency brake; John D. Stevens, speeding; and Darrell Andrew Miller, following too closely.

Paying one-half of the costs were Leslie Rogers Rose, Donald Ray Albertson, James Harold White, Abner Lee Moore, Norman Ray Herring, Vernell Sams, John Clifton Redd, Floyd Kenneth Hill Jr., Jerry Koss, John Julius Westmann, John William Steen Jr., Richard Stiller Garner Jr., Charles Frederick Taylor and Alonza Dallis Roberts Jr., all for improper muffler.

William Lloyd Lewis, no emergency brake, Bessie Spell Green, no driver's license; John Thomas McNicholas, improper muffler and expired driver's license; James Herbert Gibson, passing in a no passing zone; Thomas Neal Nance, no emergency brake; Percy William Smith, following too closely; and Clendell Jones, improper muffler and insufficient lights.

Forfeiting bonds on various charges were Osie Roosevelt Ellis, Robert Van Nelson, Joseph See CHASE Page 3

Register Today!



Mrs. Charles Hassell, director of the Carteret Choral club summer workshop, views sign at registration center on Front street, Beaufort. People may register today from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., the last day of registration.

Parties Will Choose November Candidates

With issues, as well as candidates at stake, a better-than-average vote is expected in the county tomorrow. In the 1958 primary slightly more than 3,200 ballots were cast.

Total registration in the county is 15,784, but the board of elections office estimates that at least 1,500 of those names are those of people who have died or moved from the county. Seven thousand people voting is considered excellent; elections officials say if 6,000 go to the polls, "we'll be doing well."

People will ballot in their home precincts from 6:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. As soon as ballots are counted Saturday night, registrars are asked to phone IMMEDIATELY PA8-3772 and give their returns. If the call is long distance, they are to call collect, says Charles C. Willis, chairman of the board of elections.

This information is not only needed locally but for news media update.

The vote abstracts must be in the hands of election officials NO LATER THAN 5 p.m. Monday, Mr. Willis says, because the official vote must be in the hands of the state board of elections by noon Tuesday.

Sample Republican and Democratic ballots appear in today's paper.

Constable candidates will be listed on separate ballots in Beaufort and Morehead townships. Running for constable in Beaufort township are James Laughter, Warren Tommy Willis and Ronald Edward Smith; in Morehead township Buck Newsome, William E. Cottingham and Linwood R. Hall.

The three who filed for justice of the peace in Morehead City, C. Elmer Smith, C. M. Krouse and Douglas J. Odom, are automatically nominated because population allows the town at least five jaypees, according to Mr. Willis.

Joseph S. Morton is the only candidate for constable in Harlowe township; P. L. Burt is the only candidate for jaypee in White Oak township.

Mayor Leon Mann, Newport, announces that voting in Newport tomorrow will be in the front room of the new town hall.

Elks Will Sponsor Dance Saturday Night

By popular request, the Morehead City-Beaufort Elks lodge is sponsoring again this Saturday night a dance open to the public, at the lodge on Arendell street, west of 28th, Morehead City.

The dance will begin at 9 p.m. and continue until 1 a.m. Music will be by the Carolinians, announces El Nelson, entertainment chairman.

Driver Hurt In Car Accident

Sheriff Robert L. Bell and deputy Carl Bunch investigated an automobile accident on the Atlantic beach bridge Wednesday morning in which two cars were damaged and the driver of one was injured.

Deputy Bunch said Mrs. Norma Lewis Campbell was going towards the beach in a 1962 Chevrolet. Men were working on the causeway and traffic was moving slowly, stopping often. He said Mrs. Campbell's car was moving when it was hit from behind by a 1951 Ford driven by Francis J. Crandall, Cherry Point.

The accident happened south of the draw span. Damage to the Chevrolet was estimated at \$100 and to the Ford at \$250. Crandall was charged with following too closely, resulting in an accident.

Mrs. Campbell suffered a neck injury and was taken to Morehead City hospital in a Morehead City police car. She was admitted for treatment.

Candidate Visits



Claude L. Greene Jr., seeking nomination as US senator in tomorrow's primary, spoke last night to Carteret Republicans at Capt. Bill's restaurant, More-City.

The Coast Guard cutter Chilula was called yesterday to the aid of the dredge, Peru, which ran into trouble offshore.

Lions Make Grand Haul



James E. Crowe, secretary of the Lions Club, displays trophies won by the Lions at the state convention at Carolina Beach Tuesday. Left to right, the trophies are Secretary's Award, Zone Chairman's Award for Outstanding Service to Cliff E. Edwards; second row, District Governor's trophy for general excellence, state trophy for outstanding service to the visually handicapped, White Cane Drive for highest contribution per member in the state, district Best Blind Activities trophy, and the district White Cane Award.

Official Commends County For Meeting Bonded Debt

John Merrill Jr. Held for Stabbing

John Merrill Jr., North River, was in the county jail yesterday, charged with stabbing Cecil Matthews Collins, North River, with a knife Monday night at North River. Sheriff Robert Bell said that Merrill did not resist arrest when he and deputy Carl Bunch picked him up. Collins suffered a wound in the back below his right shoulder blade. He was treated at the Morehead City hospital and discharged. Merrill said that the cutting followed comments Collins had made relative to Merrill's wife. The sheriff said that the knife could not be found, but Collins claimed that Merrill used a "duck knife."

Guest Speaker



Dr. Robert L. Holt, dean of instruction at East Carolina college, Greenville, will be the speaker at the annual graduation exercises of Beaufort high school at 8 p.m. Monday.

W. E. Easterling, secretary of the Local Government commission, Raleigh, announced Wednesday that Carteret county has called \$295,000 in bonds, as of July 1, to liquidate all of the county's remaining bonded indebtedness.

Mr. Easterling said that a redemption notice on the bonds was mailed by his office Wednesday morning to the Bond Buyer, publication which circulates to investment bankers, bond dealers and financial institutions.

He said the notice will announce that the county has exercised its option to call for redemption of bonds at par and the accrued interest, as of July 1, 1962.

The money to pay off the bonds, Mr. Easterling said, is in the Manufacturers-Hanover Bank, New York.

Mr. Easterling remarked, "I think Carteret has done a very excellent job in liquidating this debt, which at one time was 3/4 million. Your auditor, Mr. J. D. Potter, has been diligent. He's been right on top of this thing all the time."

Mr. Easterling estimated that most of the bonds would be turned in for redemption within 30 days after July 1.

Because of the meeting of the debt obligation, the Local Government official noted that this puts the county in an excellent position to borrow funds, if the people approve, for projects such as schools.

The Local Government commission is the state agency which is charged with the responsibility of seeing that counties and municipalities meet bonded debts and operate fiscal affairs in such a manner as to maintain acceptable credit ratings.

Tide Table

Tides at the Beaufort Bar	
Friday, May 25	
12:05 a.m.	6:36 a.m.
12:58 p.m.	6:45 p.m.
Saturday, May 26	
1:05 a.m.	7:47 a.m.
1:55 p.m.	8:16 p.m.
Sunday, May 27	
2:06 a.m.	8:54 a.m.
2:56 p.m.	9:28 p.m.
Monday, May 28	
3:11 a.m.	9:52 a.m.
3:59 p.m.	10:28 p.m.

Democrats' Candidates Talk at Forum

Democratic candidates spoke before a crowd of about 200 people Tuesday night at Morehead City school, giving their views in a forum sponsored by the Morehead City Jaycees and the Young Democrats Club.

Speaking were candidates who seek election in November, subject to the Democratic primary Saturday. Beginning the series of talks was S. A. Chalk Jr., who is seeking the US House of Representatives now held by David N. Henderson in the third Congressional district.

Mr. Chalk stated that he was dissatisfied with being taxed to provide large sums of money to wealthy persons such as Billie Sol Estes, communist nations and public power companies.

"The problem today is that of individual freedom versus the all-powerful state," he said, condemning the trend of government to group responsibility and "other sorts of collectivism."

"The government wants us to believe that everybody is the responsibility of everybody, with no individual being responsible," Mr.

Chalk said. Individual responsibility is needed to solve the problems of the nation, he remarked.

"We need a new bill of rights," he said, "for economic freedom and justice. I am for a limit on budgeting and expenditure, to prevent an irresponsible Congress spending us into the poorhouse, a return to the gold standard and the complete elimination of government from business, he stated.

"The time has come for a new declaration of liberty," Mr. Chalk said in closing. "What has been done before and is being done now

leads to certain destruction." Mr. Henderson promised his continued support of "progressive legislation of all sorts" in his speech, saying that he, if elected again, would "cast his vote for the majority, not the personal whim or the position of a favored few."

Mr. Henderson pledged his efforts to support beach stabilization, government agencies such as the Area Redevelopment commission, the Small Business administration and other agencies, and the "prompt and efficient service of himself and his staff" to the people.

Other speakers were D. G. Bell, candidate for the North Carolina House of Representatives, and a number of candidates for county commissioner.

Moses C. Howard, gave a statement prepared and endorsed by the present county commissioners, who also gave brief talks. Mr. Howard said that added services to the county mean more taxes, and that the present county commissioners stood for wise spending and good fiscal management.

Biggest applause for a talk by See FORUM Page 3