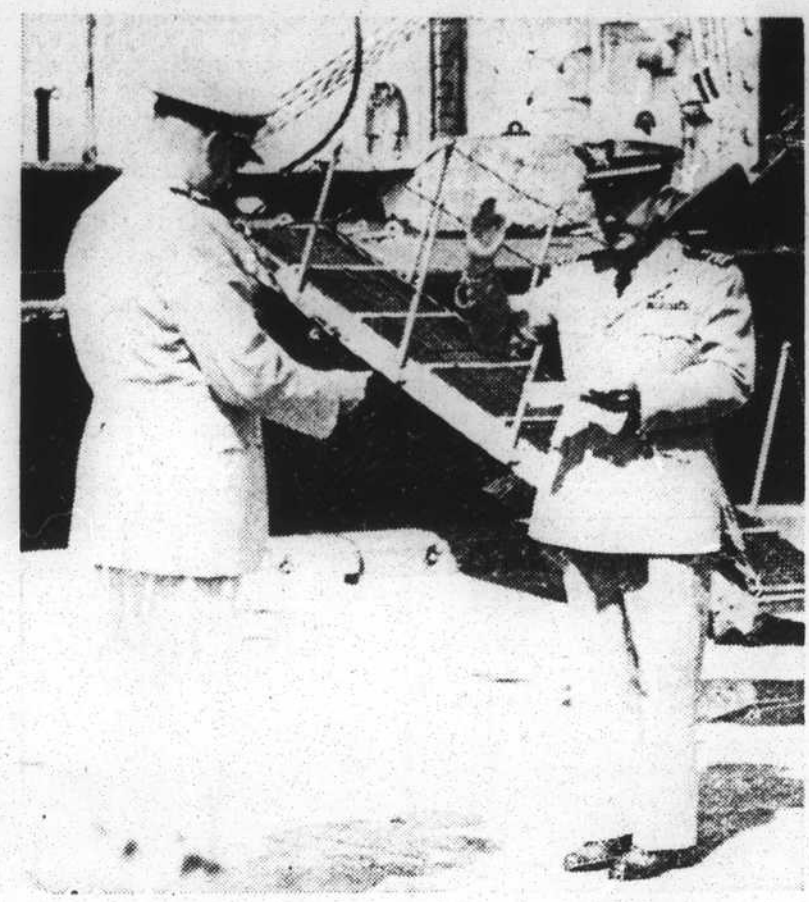


## New Skipper Takes Over



Ldr. I. O. Hamilton, right, takes over as commanding officer of the Jonquil, Coast Guard buoy tender stationed at Fort Macon. Lt. Gabriel E. Pehaim, former skipper, is now commanding officer of Fort Macon group. The change of command ceremony took place Wednesday afternoon at Fort Macon.

## Chilula Rescues 80-Foot Yacht Off Hatteras

The Chilula, Coast Guard cutter stationed at Morehead City, was called to the assistance of a yacht off Cape Hatteras Sunday, after the yacht reported a fire and a flooded engine compartment.

The yacht, the 80-foot Prudence B., had a series of fires, cutting off electrical power and affecting steering in rough seas.

The yacht was located by a Coast Guard aircraft, with the Chilula and the East Wind, another cutter, called to the rescue.

The crew aboard the yacht did not know its location, according to Ldr. John F. Mundy Jr. of the Chilula. The Prudence B. is owned by Dexter Lewis, Brunswick, Ga.

The yacht was enroute from Newport, R. I., to Brunswick when the fires began. The yacht's engine compartment was flooding when the Chilula arrived. The cutter pumped out the compartment and escorted the vessel and its seven passengers to Morehead City.

Saturday, the 20-foot outboard-inboard Ruthie Sea, owned by H. S. Crain, Durham, was towed into Morehead City by a boat from the Fort Macon station. The stricken boat had engine failure near No. 9 buoy, Beaufort Inlet.

Manning the Coast Guard boat for the assist was Darrell Sadler, BM3, and Rethel Brannon, EN2.

The Fort Macon station took time off Saturday night for a station party at the Beaufort American Legion but the party included a buffet dinner and a band for dancing.

## New Mail Service Will Start West of Morehead

## Clerk Probates, Files Two Wills

Two wills were filed in the office of A. H. James, clerk of court, during September. They were the wills of Miss Amie H. Klein, Morehead City, and C. A. Roach, Dunn.

Miss Klein's will directed that all money left after payment of debts be used to purchase stones for the graves of her and her brother, John. Should this already be done at her death, she asked that the money be used to care for the cemetery lot.

Miss Klein left her share in the home at 1510 Evans St. to Frances Maie Henderson and Alfred F. Henderson. To Freddie Henderson she left the silver cup which belonged to her father and its matching napkin ring.

Garth Cooper Jr. was bequeathed a silver goblet, Connie Willis a silver cup and Klein Cooper a piece of silver. Items of personal property, including jewelry, china, glassware, furniture, linens and clothing, were divided among Miss Klein's nieces, Frances Maie Henderson, Howerton Klein Cooper and Elizabeth Klein Willis.

Miss Klein asked that pieces of jewelry which had belonged to her mother never go outside the family. Mrs. Henderson was named administratrix of the estate, with Mrs. Cooper as her assistant. The will, drawn May 30, 1956, was witnessed by George W. Dill Jr. and Mary Leigh S. Dill. It was filed Sept. 5, 1962.

The will of C. A. Roach, Dunn, was filed in this county Sept. 10 because Mr. Roach owned property here. His wife, Vira B. Roach, was the sole beneficiary and was named executrix.

## County Tobacco Farmers Express Mixed Feelings on Untied Sales

By TOM SLOAN

Reaction of county tobacco farmers, to selling loose tobacco, is mixed. Sales of loose leaf closed after a five-day experiment on North Carolina flue-cured markets last month.

Much of the tobacco sold on an untied basis was low quality, largely due to poor weather during the growing season and also due to farmers' preferring to tie up the better grades.

Lags, primings and nondescript grades were allowed to be untied for the first five days after the markets opened. Georgia markets have been selling untied leaf for years.

B. J. May, Beaufort, office manager for the Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service, stated that farmers he had been in contact with were divided about 50-50 on the subject of whether or not the sales were worth the trouble.

Tobacco sold loose is supported at 6 cents per pound under the normal support price for tied tobacco. R. M. Williams, county agricultural agent, says many of the county's tobacco farmers chose not to sell leaf untied, but a few went along with the experiment.

Joe Barnes, Wildwood, says he

Beginning Saturday, there will be house-to-house mail delivery in Mansfield Park and Mitchell Village, Harold Webb, Morehead City postmaster announces.

Mail will be placed in boxes at the curb and will be delivered by a carrier in truck.

Postmaster Webb asks that homeowners in the areas have their mail boxes at the curb by Saturday morning. The boxes to be used are the regular rural box and should bear the name of the homeowner and street address.

House-to-house delivery, the postmaster said, has become necessary because the area has become so built up it can no longer be considered rural.

Patrons in those sections will receive one mail delivery a day, Monday through Saturday. This applies only to the Mansfield Park and Mitchell Village sections, Mr. Webb emphasizes.

In connection with the change-over, Mr. Webb said that the post-office at Spooner's Creek harbor, instead of being a rural station, will be a contract station. The difference is mainly in terminology, Mr. Webb explained. All postal services are available at Spooner's Creek, he added.

## Tide Table

Tides at the Beaufort Bar		
HIGH	Tuesday, Sept. 25	LOW
6:00 a.m.		12:03 a.m.
6:16 p.m.		
Wednesday, Sept. 26		
6:44 a.m.		12:32 a.m.
6:58 p.m.		12:48 p.m.
Thursday, Sept. 27		
7:24 a.m.		1:13 a.m.
7:37 p.m.		1:31 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 28		
8:00 a.m.		1:53 a.m.
8:12 p.m.		2:12 p.m.

## T. A. Guiton Speaks to Club

Morehead City Rotarians accepted a new member Thursday night at the Jefferson restaurant and heard a talk on Scouting by Thomas A. (Tag) Guiton, county Scout executive.

Joining the Rotary was the Rev. Charles Kirby, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Morehead City.

Mr. Guiton noted the progress of Scouting in the county, saying that the program had increased 25 per cent in numbers in the past year. Reason for this increase and the increase over the past five years was the added interest of the Scout sponsoring organizations and the presence of a full time Scout executive, he said.

Mr. Guiton remarked that the importance of Scouting to youth has also increased, being one of the more important activities for boys across the nation. Scouting affords great satisfaction for adult supervisors, he added.

## Lieutenant Governor Meets with Civitans

Lt. Gov. George Douglas of Civitan Zone 14 met with the Morehead City Civitans Thursday night to discuss plans for the district meeting Oct. 15.

The meeting will be held in Morehead City.

Also discussed were plans for the Civitans' annual fruit cake sale, to take place this fall. The club meets weekly at the Blue Ribbon restaurant.

# Morehead City Hopes to Launch Major Town Improvement Program

## Heavy Hangs the Bough



T. D. Lewis, who lives on Bogue sound, west of Morehead City, shows a heavily laden bough of Kiefer pears. The bough was cut from his tree, which is bearing so much fruit that one of the limbs on the tree broke under the weight.

## Mullet Queen Will Be Chosen Saturday Night

### Clarence Millis Heads Committee

Clarence Millis, Newport, was elected chairman of the Carteret County ASC committee at the ASC office Thursday night. Vice-chairman is J. C. Barker, Stella, and member of the committee is William J. Hardesty, Newport.

Alternates on the committee are Guy C. Gillikin, Bettie, and L. A. Murdoch, Wildwood.

The committee members will serve during the 1963 year, representing the farmers of the county and ASC community committees.

## Northeaster Brings Rain

A northeaster brought a wet, cool and cloudy weekend to the Morehead City area, with a total of 1.73 inches of rain falling from Thursday through Sunday.

Rain totals for individual days were .16 for Thursday, 1.50 for Saturday and .07 for Sunday.

Temperatures ranged from a cool 66 on Saturday to 71 Thursday for the daytime. Low for the period was recorded Friday night at 56. Sunday night was somewhat warmer with a 65, according to the Atlantic Beach weather station.

	Max.	Min.	Wind
Thursday	71	57	NNE
Friday	67	56	NNE-NNE
Saturday	66	58	N-NE
Sunday	70	65	N-NE

## Newport GOP Meets Friday

Four Republican candidates spoke at a Republican precinct meeting at Newport Friday night at Republican headquarters on Chatham street.

They were Elmer Dewey Willis, candidate for sheriff; Shelby Freeman, candidate for clerk of court; Gordon Hardesty, county commissioner candidate, and Mrs. Ruth Richardson, candidate for register of deeds.

A. B. (Tom) Garner, precinct chairman, said that from now until election there will be a candidate at the headquarters each Friday to meet voters.

Walter Roberts explained campaign plans which will be in full swing by Oct. 3, he said.

Precinct officers, in addition to the chairman, are Roy T. Garner, vice-chairman; W. H. Pridden, treasurer, and Connie Garner, secretary.

## Public Works Bill Spurs Plan for Sewage, Paving

Morehead City commissioners endorsed Thursday night a proposal by mayor George Dill to borrow sufficient funds to build a sewage disposal plant, buy the town water system and gave the town's unpaved streets. The town board met at the municipal building.

Mayor Dill explained that a recent public works bill passed by Congress provides 50 per cent out-right grant for general public works and the remaining 50 per cent under long-term loan.

The mayor said that upon advice of the William F. Freeman Inc. engineering firm which has drawn the town's sewage disposal plan, the town had written Washington, D. C., Wednesday to apply for an application form for the funds.

It is proposed that the present town debt of about \$500,000 be refinanced and the people vote on the whole project—sewage, water and streets—a general improvement bond issue.

The mayor was enthused with the idea, stating that it has been his hope for years to get all the town's streets paved.

As soon as the application for funds is received, it will be filled out and returned to Washington. The mayor said it is his understanding that applications will be considered in the order they're received.

It is estimated that cost of buying the water system and building a sewage disposal plant will be at least \$2 million. Refinancing of the present debt would mean a bond issue of at least \$2½ million, exclusive of the cost of paving streets.

Finance commissioner S. C. Holloway observed that the town has paid off half a million dollars' debt in the past 30 years.

"The government's going to spend this money on 'make work' somewhere," the mayor said, "it may as well be here as Oklahoma."

The board passed a resolution on armory bonds. The bonds will be sold Nov. 1. Forty thousand dollars worth of bonds will be put on the market. Beginning Nov. 1, 1962, interest on them will be paid semi-annually, in November and May.

Five thousand dollars in bonds will be retired annually for eight years. George McNeill, town attorney said that the town had received the deed for land on which the armory is being built and the land has been conveyed to the state with the stipulation that should the land not be used for an armory at any time in the future, the land will revert to the town.

The town paid \$19,500 for the land and as its share of armory construction \$18,262.17. These amounts were paid with proceeds from a \$40,000 bond anticipation note sold in August. The note matures Nov. 15 and will be paid with funds from the sale of bonds.

The board authorized advertisement of bids for a fire truck. Bids will be accepted until 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 17.

Commissioners took action against persons using the town dump without permission. All dumping permits were voided and any person wishing to use the dump must re-apply for a permit, the board ordered.

John B. Willis, 2312 Fisher St., was spokesman for a group of people in that neighborhood who want their streets paved. Mr. Willis also stated that fish being carried away

Supper will be served beginning at 5 p.m. consisting of fried fish, slaw, candied yams and hush puppies. Entertainment throughout mealtime will include a concert by the Camp Lejeune Second Marine Division Drum and Bugle corps, a performance by the Jacksonville Tarheel Cloggers, and a display of fireworks.

A sock dance with live music in the high school gym will end the day's events. Tickets are now on sale throughout the county or may be obtained from Jaycee members or by writing to the Swansboro Recreation commission. The price is \$1.25 for adults and 75 cents for children. Ticket holders are entitled to all events of the day including supper and the sock dance.

C. B. Wade Jr. Speaks At Williamsburg, Va.

Charles B. Wade Jr., Winston-Salem, a native of Morehead City appeared as a speaker at the recent 14th annual Virginia Public Relations conference at Williamsburg, Va.

Mr. Wade, vice-president of R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. and a member of the board of directors, was "industry's representative" and spoke on the general program theme, Positive Public Relations for the South.

Certain residents in Morehead township, in the Wildwood area, will vote Nov. 6 on whether they want to be in a fire protection district and pay taxes for fire service provided by the town of Newport.

The district would be known as the West Wildwood Fire Protection District.

Separate ballots for this vote will be provided qualified residents of the area at the Wildwood precinct Nov. 6. Registration will take place at the same time as registration for the general election.

The district extends about four miles east of Newport on highway 70, into the Wildwood community, along most of the McCabe road and most of the Hibbs road. Newport has been furnishing free fire protection to the area since last December.

The town of Newport hoped that an election on the fire district would take place in the spring, but

## Dinner Speaker



Thomas S. Bennett, Morehead City, above, Republican candidate for the general assembly, was the speaker at a fund-raising dinner Thursday night at Captain Bill's restaurant, Morehead City.

Close to one hundred persons attended. Mrs. Ruth Richardson, candidate for register of deeds, reported on activities of the Republican Women's club. Grayden Paul, Beaufort, master of ceremonies, introduced the speaker.

The invocation was given by Clifford Tighman, Beaufort.

## Bullet Injures Russell Wasson

Transferred by Marine Corps helicopter Sunday afternoon from Morehead City hospital to Portsmouth Naval hospital was Russell Wasson, Lennoxville, who was suffering from a bullet wound in the head.

Sheriff Robert Bell said that Wasson was alone in the bedroom of his home when the wound was inflicted at 11 p.m. Saturday. A bullet from a .32 calibre automatic pistol entered Wasson's left temple and went through the top of his head, the sheriff said.

Mrs. Wasson told the sheriff that she was in the living room and Wasson, a short time before the pistol went off, had gone into the bedroom and said he was going to bed. Wasson was owner of the pistol.

He was taken to the Morehead City hospital in the Brooks and Mason ambulance, which also took him to the Beaufort-Morehead airport Sunday for the trip by air to Portsmouth.

## Scoutmaster Speaks To Beaufort Rotary Club

Charles Smith, Scoutmaster of the Rotary-sponsored Boy Scout troop in Beaufort, spoke to the Rotary Tuesday night on the activities of the troop.

In addition to the talk, Mr. Smith showed a film made on the troop's trip to the camporee at Wilson last year. He also showed the blue ribbon that the troop won for camping excellence.

Guests at the meeting were Jack Roberts and George Lore, Morehead City Rotarians.

## Voters to Decide Nov. 6 on West Wildwood Fire Protection District

It was deferred until now.

If the referendum is approved, the area will become a taxing fire district in 1963. If it does not carry, the town of Newport will not send its fire trucks east of the Newport river bridge on highway 70 into Morehead township.

That will not have effect, according to mayor Leon Mann Jr., Newport, on the present town contract with Newport township residents or upon the mutual aid agreement with other fire departments.

A detailed description of the area included in the West Wildwood Fire Protection district appears in the legal notices in today's paper.

## HD Club to Meet

The Gloucester Home Demonstration club will meet at 2 p.m. Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Woodrow Chadwick.

## Four Crashes Occur Saturday During Rain

Four of five highway accidents, which were investigated over the weekend by trooper J. W. Sykes, occurred Saturday during the all-day rain. None involved in the accidents was injured.

James V. McIntosh, Atlantic, was charged with driving too fast for existing conditions after his car left highway 70 at Smyrna at 8:30 a.m. Saturday. Trooper Sykes said McIntosh was headed east and was rounding the long curve after making the right angle turn at Smyrna.

The officer said McIntosh's 1960 Ford skidded to the right, hit a highway sign, then to the left into a church yard and knocked down several more signs.

Damage to the car was estimated at \$200 and to the signs \$25.

At 10:30 a.m. a 1951 Plymouth station wagon driven by Fred W. Hill, Beaufort-Morehead causeway, raked the side of a 1959 Plymouth owned by M. H. Lupton, route 1 Beaufort, according to officer Sykes.

Lupton had parked in front of the Rainbow inn on the causeway. He was headed to Beaufort. Hill later parked nearby, headed west. The trooper said when Hill left, he backed up and scraped the length of the Lupton car with his rear bumper, then drove off.

Lupton's teen-age daughter, who was in the Lupton car got Hill's license number. When Hill was apprehended, he was charged with hit and run. Damage to the Lupton car was estimated at \$150. There was no damage to Hill's station wagon.

Lloyd N. Rose and Manley Bonzell Rose, cousins of Harkers Island, were involved in a wreck in front of the Harkers Island post-office at 11:50 a.m. Saturday.

According to the investigating officer, Lloyd in a 1957 Ford had pulled to the right (he was headed west) to let a passenger out, when Manley, driving a 1955 Chevrolet, struck him in the rear.

Manley was charged with driving too fast for conditions and insufficient brakes. Damage to the Ford was estimated at \$350 and to the Chevrolet \$300.

Charles R. Tomlinson, Newport, was charged with driving too fast for conditions after his 1960 Ford left the Nine-Foot road three miles south of Newport at 12:15 p.m. Saturday.

Trooper Sykes said Tomlinson was headed south, skidded on a curve, jumped the ditch, went into woods and hit a tree. Damage to the car was estimated at \$500.

The officer said the car had slick tires and it was raining at the time.

In fair weather Friday at 11:35 a.m., a pickup truck and car collided on highway 101 at the International Paper Co. office. Both cars were headed toward Beaufort.

Driving the car, a 1957 Ford, was Clarence Wallace, route 1 Havelock. Driving the 1956 International pickup was John C. Mease, route 2 Beaufort. According to trooper Sykes, as Mease was turning left into the paper company drive, Wallace attempted to pass. Damage to the truck was estimated at \$75 and to the car \$150.

Wallace was charged with passing before seeing that his move could be made safely and Mease was charged with not giving a proper signal before turning.

## Explorer Post 283 Meets Wednesday Night

Explorer Post 283 held its kick-off meeting Wednesday night at the home of Charles Dutch. Joe Noe, advisor, announced the intention of the group to become a rescue post.

A. N. Willis, chief of the Morehead City rescue squad, spoke to the boys on the subject of rescues. It was announced that future meetings will be held on Wednesday night at 7 p.m. at the Leary building, First Presbyterian church.

The Rev. Charles Kirby, pastor of the church, which is sponsoring the post, attended the meeting. Others attending were Chester Pittman, Gary Baptist, Ken Bradley, Lee Day, Mickey Brown and Charles Dutch.