

Hurricane Ella Heads for Hatteras

Medical Center Receives Property; Fund-Raising Begins at Newport

Rites for Hunting Accident Victim Held Wednesday

Couple Signs Up



Registrar E. Stamey Davis registers Mr. and Mrs. Alvin V. Willis, at the Morehead City town hall Wednesday. Re-registration hasn't been what it should be to date, according to Mr. Davis. Voters must register again to be able to vote in the November election.

The funeral service for Roy Thomas Garner, 46-year-old Newport businessman who was killed in a hunting accident Monday afternoon, was conducted at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon in the Holly Springs Free Will Baptist church by the Rev. Carroll Hansley, Vanceboro, former pastor, and the Rev. Jerry Rowe, pastor.

Mr. Garner and two other Newport men, Fred Simmons and Carroll Jones, went to Granville county Saturday and were to be guests of Victor Miller while hunting there. Monday was the opening day of hunting season.

The accident occurred near Durham about 12:15 p.m. Coroner W. D. Munden reported that the Granville county coroner said Mr. Garner Roy T. Garner was sitting in a tree when his gun fell and discharged. A load of buckshot went up through his thigh into his abdomen. He was on a deer stand at the time.

Another member of the party, on a stand about 200 yards away, heard the gun fire and Mr. Garner yell. Thinking Mr. Garner had killed a deer, he ran to the scene and found Mr. Garner dead on the ground.

The dead man's companions said he was about 7 or 8 feet off the ground on a stand from which a deer had been killed earlier.

The gun was a 12-gauge automatic which belonged to Mr. Miller. Although it was reported that Mr. Garner's neck was broken in the fall, coroner David Munden of this county, who conducted the funeral, said that the death certificate lists the gunshot wound as the cause of death. He said Mr. Garner lost a tremendous amount of blood.

The accident victim was a merchant in Newport, having operated Garner's Feed store and Newport Tractor and Equipment Co. for a number of years. He was also a representative for Nationwide Insurance Co.

He was a member of Newport Masonic lodge No. 706, the Sudan Temple in New Bern, the Newport Rotary club, was a Carteret County Farm Bureau official for many years, served as chairman of the Carteret County Republican executive committee for several years and was a past patron of Order of Eastern Star chapter 311, Newport.

He was one of the group who succeeded in selection of this county as site of a 4-H camp and served as Newport area chairman in a drive to raise funds for the camp.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Nellie Cannon Garner; one daughter, Sheila of the home; three sisters, Mrs. Charlie Millis, Newport, Mrs. Jabez Rhue, Swansboro, and Mrs. Louis L. Edwards, Falls Church, Va., and one brother, Clinton S. Garner, Newport.

Burial, with full Masonic rites, was in the Gethsemane Memorial cemetery, highway 24. Members of the Masonic lodge acted as pallbearers.

Equipment Stolen
Rods and reels were stolen from an auto at Sportsman's pier Monday at 9:45 p.m., according to deputy sheriff Billy Smith. The equipment belonged to T. T. Moore, route 1 Salem.

Tide Table

Tides at the Beaufort Bar

HIGH	Friday, Oct. 19	LOW
12:43 a.m.	6:36 a.m.	
1:04 p.m.	7:35 p.m.	
	Saturday, Oct. 20	
1:41 a.m.	7:49 a.m.	
2:01 p.m.	8:42 p.m.	
	Sunday, Oct. 21	
2:40 a.m.	8:59 a.m.	
3:00 p.m.	9:40 p.m.	
	Monday, Oct. 22	
3:40 a.m.	9:59 a.m.	
3:59 p.m.	10:31 p.m.	
	Tuesday, Oct. 23	
4:39 a.m.	10:51 a.m.	
4:55 p.m.	11:17 p.m.	

Two County 4-H Leaders Win District, State Honor

District and state 4-H winners announced by the State college extension service include two from Carteret county, according to the county home agent, Mrs. Floy Garner. The winners are Lida Mae Pigott of Gloucester and Emma Jean Lawrence of Otway.

Lida Mae's records won first place in the district junior canning division. For this she will receive as a prize a pressure canner.

Miss Pigott, who was county cornmeal enrichment winner, also won in district competition. As county winner she received a transistor radio. For her district achievement she will receive a medal and a certificate. She will take part in a state bake-off Nov. 15 in Raleigh, which will determine the state cornmeal champion.

Should she win the state competition she would receive a \$200 scholarship, which would remain on deposit until she reaches the age of 17 or is ready to enter college.

Lida Mae is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pigott and is an eighth grade student at Smyrna school.

Miss Emma Jean Lawrence won first place in the state for her achievement record and as her prize will be given an expense-paid trip to the National 4-H congress in Chicago, Ill., next month. She has completed 88 projects, given 44 demonstrations, is a member of the state 4-H honor club, district vice-president and was valedictorian of her graduating class at Smyrna high school last year.

Emma Jean was also named district winner in leadership competition and will receive a certificate for this honor. She has also been named North Carolina's candidate for the Clovia scholarship, which is given to deserving 4-H club girls who are furthering their education in the field of home economics. She is now a WC College 4-H club member.

Miss Lawrence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blondell Lawrence, is a freshman at Woman's college in Greensboro. She is majoring in home economics and plans to specialize in nutrition.



Emma Jean Lawrence ... off to Chicago



Lida Mae Pigott ... wins canner

Longshoremen at Work
Since invocation of the Taft-Hartley law, longshoremen have been loading and unloading ships as usual at east coast ports. The longshoremen's strike was called Oct. 1. The Taft-Hartley law was invoked and they went back to work Oct. 6. It is hoped that an agreement between longshoremen and shippers will be reached in the 90-day "cooling off" period.

Dunes Club Case Consumes Most Of Court Term

Superior court continued this week, with a suit involving hurricane damage to the old Dunes Club taking up the majority of the time.

The suit is to determine whether nine insurance companies should pay claims involved in the destruction of the club in hurricane Donna in 1960.

Objections were flying thick and fast as testimony was given by a number of witnesses from the Atlantic Beach and Morehead City area. As one observer noted, "By Wednesday, about all they had established was that there had been a hurricane."

Divorces granted were Betty Mae M. Ritchie vs. Howard E. Ritchie, William G. Lewis vs. Harris W. Lewis; Jacqueline D. Gillikin vs. Lester W. Gillikin Jr., Gerald W. Snipes vs. Judy Elizabeth Ireland Snipes and Linda Styron Goodwin vs. Perry Jones Goodwin.

A non-suit was the ruling in John L. Gaskill and First-Citizens Bank and Trust Co. vs. Illinois Fire Insurance Co. and Ronald Earl Mason. Gaskill is at present a resident of Montana and not available for testimony.

Awards of damages were entered as final judgments in two cases arising out of the same accident after the state supreme court heard appeals by the plaintiffs, and affirmed the original awards. The awards were \$1,000 in Lillian E. Robinson vs. Frederick Taylor, and \$1,100 in Justin Robinson vs. Frederick Taylor.

Two compromise settlements were also made, \$3,625 in Elvin Thomas Gillikin by his next friend, Vida Hill Gillikin vs. Andy Ipock, and \$5,000 in North Carolina Pulp Co. and Weyerhaeuser Co. vs. B. B. Baugus and Walter Teich.

The first of the two compromise settlements was an accident case and the second involved the cutting of timber on the plaintiff's land.

County Drafted
William L. Collins, route 2 Beaufort, was sent by the county selective service board to Raleigh yesterday for induction into the Army.

Conveyed from the town of Newport to the Newport Medical Center this week was property for the proposed \$40,000 medical center at Newport. The property, next to the Woodmen of the World hall on the Nine-Foot road, has been donated to the Newport Medical Center, a non-profit corporation organized to put up a building that would house an office for a doctor and a clinic.

Wallace B. Hill, president of the corporation, says of the gift of land, "Certainly the town fathers deserve the appreciation of the entire community for this act of generosity. It will enable the executive committee to devote its entire resources to the erection of a medical building which the community so long has needed."

"The land will provide an area for parking as well as the medical building itself," he added.

The corporation plans to raise \$40,000, construction on the building to start as soon as \$25,000 is obtained.

In addition to Mr. Hill, other officers are Leon Mann, vice-president, and R. K. Montague, secretary-treasurer. They will serve until the fund-raising goal has been reached.

Money collected will be in the form of a loan, the minimum amount of a "loan certificate" being \$25. Lenders will later elect permanent officers.

Named to committees are the following:

Building, G. D. Hill, chairman; Richard S. Garner, L. M. Garner Jr.; doctor procurement, Mr. Montague, chairman; Mrs. Harold Chartley, Mrs. Montague.

Publicity, Mrs. Seymour P. Rubin, chairman; Mrs. Gordon Cutler, Mr. Rubin; fund-raising, J. S. Bell, chairman; John Holcombe, and Nathan Garner.

Members of the executive committee, which functioned prior to the first meeting of the Newport Medical center last month, were Mr. Hill, Mr. Mann, Mr. Montague, Mr. Rubin and Clayton Cannon. The committee decided to undertake the building of a medical facility following a survey of the community's medical needs by The Sears-Roebuck Foundation.

The survey showed that Newport, with a population of 2,644, could adequately support a doctor. Newport citizens now travel 13 miles to Morehead City, the nearest city where medical care is available.

Elections Board Rescinds Ruling Made Monday

The elections board has had to back up on the changes it announced for Atlantic and Sea Level.

Charles Willis, chairman of the board of elections, said that law requires that a 20-day notice be given prior to the opening of registration books, on any change in precinct lines or polling place.

That's why it would be illegal at this time to re-draw the boundary line between Sea Level and Atlantic precincts or change the polling place at Atlantic, he explains.

The chairman announced Monday that the elections board had changed the precinct line and the polling place at Atlantic. The board members decided to make the change over the weekend.

The board met again early this week and realizing that the change could not be made in "mid-stream," decided that people in both precincts will vote in the same place as they did in the spring primaries, and "a complete change will be made after this election," Mr. Willis announced Wednesday.

The voting place will be next to the Fulcher Seafood house, as usual. The registrar will be there tomorrow.

Mr. Willis also announces that Walter Chadwick has replaced Leon Chadwick as registrar at Straits, due to the illness of Leon.

Beach Plans Storm Set-Up

Establishment of roadblocks in the event of a hurricane was the main topic of discussion at a meeting of the Atlantic Beach civil defense auxiliary police Tuesday night.

Operation of the ferry at Cape Carteret may necessitate a roadblock at the western edge of Atlantic Beach. Roadblocks are standard procedure for the town to protect property after a hurricane, with only residents and property owners allowed through the roadblock.

Windshield stickers have been and are available at the Atlantic Beach police station for cars of property owners and residents on Bogue Banks. The stickers are required on any car that passes through the roadblocks.

Also planned were personnel and hours for manning roadblocks and communications in the event of a hurricane.

The police auxiliary has inducted three new members, Henry L. Smith, Tom Sloan and David Bryan.

Fury of Storm Expected To be Felt in County

Carteret residents were battering down for Ella yesterday, a hurricane that at noon was heading for Cape Hatteras.

Loaded with winds up to 90 miles an hour, the tropical storm was moving north slowly, at about seven miles an hour. Her course was erratic.

From a north northwest direction early this week, Ella swung north, and it appeared as though she might pass out to sea, but the 11 o'clock advisory yesterday morning indicated that she had swung to the north northwest again, which would put the storm in a direct line for Hatteras.

The US Coast Guard called in lightships that were in the path of the storm. Both of them, from Diamond shoals and Frying Pan shoals, were in port at Morehead City yesterday. Navy vessels scheduled to load at Morehead City were cancelled.

Port officials said they either went into port farther north or the movement was called off temporarily. Several small Navy vessels took refuge at Morehead City. The Patella, due to unload asphalt today, remained in Savannah due to the storm.

Partyboats and other craft were taking refuge in creeks and snug harbors.

Homeowners were advised to have on hand fresh flashlight batteries, food that could be eaten without cooking, and to draw water for use in case the power went off for any length of time.

Owners of buildings with large plate glass windows were advised to tape them with masking tape to provide extra support against buffeting wind.

Winds at Atlantic Beach late yesterday morning were gusting at 30 miles an hour. Blue patches of sky in the morning were later obscured by heavy gray clouds. Ella is reported as a dangerous hurricane and all precautions should be taken.

Temperature reports from the beach weather station for the first part of this week follow:

	Max.	Min.	Wind
Monday	80	70	NE
Tuesday	79	68	NE
Wednesday	78	68	NE-E

Fresh Produce Group To Meet at Biltmore

The North Carolina Branch of United Fresh Fruit and Vegetable association will have its annual meeting at the Morehead Biltmore hotel, Morehead City, today through Sunday.

There will be a business session to discuss interstate problems and other regulations of the fruit and vegetable industry.

The featured banquet speaker will be Edmund H. Harding.

Symphony Drive To be Conducted Next Week

The membership drive of the county chapter of the North Carolina Symphony society will be held next week. Memberships are \$5 for two adults, \$3 for one adult, and student, \$1. These memberships entitle owners to the right to attend both the full as well as the little symphony concerts.

"Because the Little Symphony is usually the only outside cultural interest which we in Carteret County can take advantage of, it is hoped that old members as well as new county residents will purchase memberships this year," according to Mrs. Robert Meadows, Morehead City membership chairman.

The Little Symphony, under the direction of Dr. Benjamin Swalin, will appear during February in the Beaufort high school auditorium. One of the main features of the symphony is in providing a free afternoon children's concert.

"This concert acts as a stimulation toward better listening and recreational music as well as providing a new understanding of the instruments of the orchestra. It is therefore urged that parents of this county make a special effort in purchasing memberships this year," Mrs. Meadows said.

Letters with enclosed return envelopes have been mailed to former members, requesting that their checks be returned now. Checks should be made payable to the North Carolina Symphony society and mailed to Miss Nancy Russell, Beaufort, president of the Carteret County chapter, Mrs. Meadows, and Mrs. Herbert Webb, Sea Level, downcast chairman.

Registrars Give Latest Report

By 5 p.m. Wednesday, 1,065 persons had registered to vote in Beaufort, reports U. E. Swann, registrar.

According to the 1960 census, there are 1,789 persons in town who are 20 years of age or older. That census figure does not take into account the enlargement of the town which occurred after the census was made. (The census breakdown for towns does not have a classification for 21 and over, 21 being the earliest age at which one may vote.)

By Wednesday afternoon, 548 persons had registered in precinct No. 1, Morehead City, and 862 in precinct No. 2, or a total of 1,410. According to the 1960 census of Morehead City, the number of residents 20 years or older is 3,388.

The census, by age, for county populations gives a breakdown for "21 and over." According to those figures, the number of persons 21 and over in this county in 1960 was 14,460. That figure does NOT include the 3,502 Navy men which happened to be in waters near Carteret county when the census was taken and were lumped in with the permanent population figure for Carteret.

Registrar for Morehead precinct No. 1 is E. Stamey Davis and for precinct 2 Mrs. Bruce Goodwin.

Armory Bonds Sold Tuesday

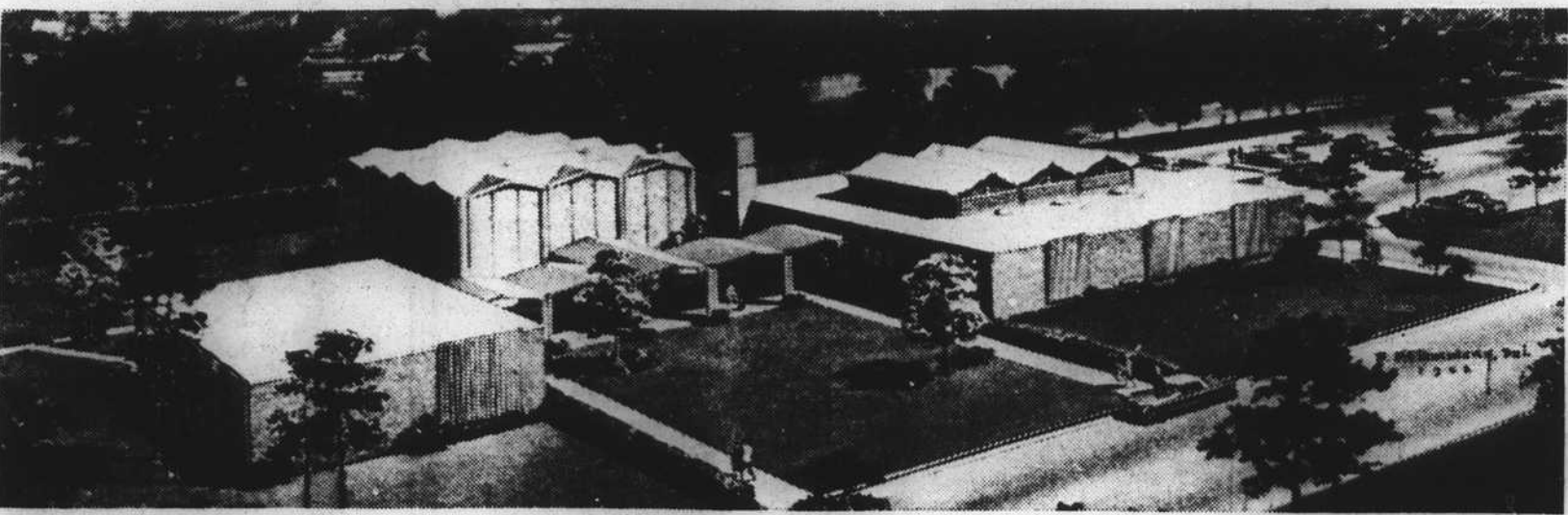
Forty thousand dollars worth of Morehead City armory bonds were sold Tuesday by the Local Government commission, Raleigh, for an average interest rate of 3.60 per cent. Successful bidder was Reynolds & Co., New York City.

The bonds will mature in eight years and bear interest from 6 per cent for bonds maturing in 1963 to 3.5 per cent for bonds maturing in 1969-70.

George McNeill, town attorney for Morehead City, said the town is pleased with the interest rate obtained. A rate of 4 per cent had been expected.

Six bids were received for the bond issue. Five thousand dollars worth of the bonds will mature next year at 6 per cent interest, \$15,000 in 1964-66 at 4 per cent interest; \$5,000 in 1967 at 3 3/4 per cent; \$5,000 in 1968 at 3.4 per cent; and \$10,000 in 1969-70 at 3 1/2 per cent.

St. Peter's Methodist Church -- 1970



This is the architect's conception of St. Peter's Methodist church, Mitchell Village, as it will appear when completed, about 1970. The education building, now completed and to be consecrated Sunday, is the building at the right in this picture.

St. Peter's Church to Consecrate Education Building Sunday Morning

Consecration services for St. Peter's Methodist church, Morehead City, will be held at 11 a.m. Sunday by the pastor, the Rev. Jack P. Mansfield.

Located on Hodges street in the Mitchell Village section, west of the highway 70 and 24 intersection, the recently completed educational building is the first unit of a proposed \$225,000 church plant.

An open house and coffee hour will be held Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4 to which the public is cordially invited.

The name of the new church was chosen by Bishop Paul Neff Garber, bishop of the Richmond area. Being a relocation of the Camp

Glenn Methodist church, the new church has been built by a congregation of 147 members at a cost of \$76,000.

The groundbreaking service, which marked the beginning of construction, was held on Dec. 17, 1961.

Designed by Stephens and Cardelli, architects, the ultra modern building contains eight classrooms, a fellowship hall, three rest rooms, an equipment room, and kitchen. It is constructed of brick over concrete block, is air-conditioned, and fireproof.

The site for the new church was purchased from I. F. Rochelle, and consists of 2 1/2 acres a block long

and 210 feet deep. In the future, a sanctuary and an office and conference rooms will be added near the present structure.

Members of the building committee are William McCabe, chairman; Mrs. J. L. Baldwin, M. J. Lockhart, C. L. McCabe, William Yeager, Mrs. Edgar Simpson, and Mrs. M. L. Mansfield.

The Camp Glenn church building was consecrated in 1921. An old school house was moved to the church lot, and from its framework grew the church structure.

When plans for a new church building were formulated, the congregation decided to relocate the church (See CHURCH Page 2)

Cash, Cigarettes Stolen from Inn

One hundred fifteen dollars and ten cartons of cigarettes were stolen over the weekend from the Loverdee inn, highway 24, Bogue.

According to deputy sheriff Carl Bunch, the inn was entered through a second story window, which was broken.

The money was taken from the juke box. The cash was due to be picked up by an agent of the juke box company Monday. The theft occurred sometime between closing time Sunday and opening time, about 4 p.m. Monday.

The break-in was discovered by the owner and manager of the inn, Milton Chadwick.

The Morehead City town board met last night at the municipal building.