

Court Again Upholds Order Against Strike

- Third Ruling Made Tuesday at Raleigh
- NLRB to Continue Investigation

A ruling by federal judge Algeron Butler continued Tuesday the court order that is keeping longshoremen at Morehead City and Wilmington ports on the job.

The injunction was requested by the National Labor Relations board whose preliminary investigation showed that longshoremen were participating in a secondary boycott. The NLRB will presumably conduct a further inquiry into the situation while the injunction is in effect.

The court order will end when the NLRB reaches a "final determination" about the strike, the judge said.

Longshoremen at both ports walked off the job March 22, following a dispute over line-handling jobs. They have been at work since that date as the result of an injunction obtained by the stevedoring firms, Wilmington Shipping Co. and Heide & Co.

After judge Butler made permanent, on April 2, a temporary restraining order of March 23, the matter was referred to the NLRB.

The NLRB requested an injunction and it was following the hearing on that request this past Tuesday at Raleigh, that judge Butler reaffirmed his previous decisions and continued the injunction.

Donations of Blood Will Help These Six Youngsters



Richard Gillikin Jr., 4, with 2-year-old brother, Anthony, play at their home at Otway. They look like normal children, but suffer from Christmas disease, a variation of hemophilia. Bleeding in joints frequently causes crippling.



Richard Dudley . . . wears leg brace



David Conner . . . Lennoxville

By yesterday, five persons had volunteered to give blood for the six victims of hemophilia in this county. The patients are all cousins, boys ranging in age from 2 to 15.

The blood will be accepted by the Red Cross bloodmobile Thursday between 8:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. at Cherry-Point Marine Corps air station.

It is hoped that at least 20 donors will be obtained. More than 20 are being sought by parents of the boys, however.

The blood may be of any type, but because of physical condition of the prospective donor, it may be turned down in the best interest of the donor. Donors must be at least 18, residents of Carteret county, and may not be civilian or military personnel at the base.

The blood is being accepted at Cherry Point to make it unnecessary for donors to go to a Chapel Hill hospital. The six boys do not need blood constantly, but it— or plasma—is required when their physical condition declines to a certain point.

Blood for the youngsters, drawn from the Tidewater blood bank at Norfolk, must be replaced. To date, the boys' families have been able to obtain enough donors, but it has become necessary now to make a public appeal.

Persons who are willing to give blood are requested to phone Miss Alida Willis, the boys' aunt in Morehead City. During the day she may be reached at PA6-4437, at night at PA6-5141 or at her home, PA6-4159.

Transportation will be arranged for prospective donors. Persons cannot give blood without notifying Miss Willis and have it go toward the credit of the hemophilia victims. The family must know the name of the donors.

15-Year-Old Youths Charged with Theft

Two 15-year-old boys were apprehended Wednesday by the Beaufort police and charged with theft at the Western Auto store, Beaufort.

Chief of police Guy Springle said one of the boys had two hunting knives and the other a baseball glove.

The pair is scheduled for a hearing before A. H. James, juvenile judge.

Ben Webb Will Talk in Atlanta

Ben Webb, national president of Future Business Leaders of America, will be the guest speaker at the Georgia state convention of Future Business Leaders in Atlanta tonight.

A senior at Morehead City high school, Webb will leave by plane for Atlanta this morning and return to Morehead City tomorrow afternoon. Topic of his address will be Steps to Greatness through FBLA.

Six hundred FBLA members are expected at the convention where Webb will also lead a discussion group on chapter promotion. Dr. Hamden L. Forkner, founder of FBLA, will be the Saturday morning speaker.

Webb will preside at the national convention at Dallas, Tex., in June. Other trips he has made this year in connection with his national office were to Washington, D. C., for a citizenship conference; Columbia, for an FBLA state convention, and to Durham for the North Carolina FBLA convention.

Articles by Webb have appeared in the national FBLA bulletin, in Future Business Leader and in the North Carolina Business Leader.

Miss Lynn McHaffney, executive director of the National FBLA, has expressed appreciation and praise for Webb's outstanding job.

Famous Tourist Mecca, Atlantic Hotel, Burned to Ashes 30 Years Ago

By MARTIN HOLLOWAY

Thirty years ago this past Monday the famous Atlantic hotel in Morehead City burned. Stamey Davis, 73, Morehead City's weather man who was fire chief at the time of the blaze, April 15, 1933, remembers it well.

"I was working at the Carteret Ice Co. and had gone home for dinner. Right at 12 noon the fire whistle blew."

He said in those days the fire alarm was sounded every day to test the siren.

"I thought it was just the whistle blowing for the 12 noon test," he added. "Then I looked over toward Fourth street and I saw the worst column of smoke I had ever seen."

Mr. Davis ran to the hotel, which was where the Jefferson hotel is located on Arendell street and saw the entire east wing of the Atlantic hotel smoking. He said he immediately called the Beaufort Fire department. (The Morehead City firemen were already at the fire.)

The Atlantic hotel, as some may remember, was constructed entirely of wood and had a chimney for every room in the hotel. The fire was supposed to have started in the kitchen and the dining area, which was located in the east wing.

(There is still long debate as to where the fire started, Mrs. D. G. Bell, who was living in a cottage near the hotel at the time says that her husband, Dan, who managed the hotel, believed that the fire started in the ballroom in the central part. She said there had been

a party there the night before the fire. Mr. Bell thought that someone threw a cigarette in a trash receptacle. The flames then caught along the blue and gold drapes festooned between columns in the ball room. "But," she adds, "no one really knows. When we saw it, the whole thing was ablaze and we saw it as soon as anyone.")

"One thing was in our favor," the 1933 fire chief said. "There was no wind blowing and the black smoke from the fire was going up about 100 yards in the air and then bending over to the east."

At the time of the burning Mr. Davis said the owners were getting ready to open the hotel for the coming summer season, which was from about May 1 through July 4.

He said in those days, although August was one of the hot months, it was not considered a seasonal month.

"About ten minutes later, I saw the whole shooting match was going to go," he continued. "So I called the New Bern fire department to come and help us, because we were afraid the cinders from the hotel were going to start landing on some of the houses in town."

He said he also called Washington and Kinston and told them to stand by at New Bern and if they were needed they would be called.

The New Bern fire department truck had a blow-out enroute to Morehead City and when they arrived the big Atlantic hotel was

gone. (See HOTEL FIRE, Pg. 8)

The Atlantic hotel was 52 years old when it burned. It was built by the North Carolina railroad on state-owned property and was leased to Norfolk Southern Railroad. When it burned the hotel was under sub-lease to Dan G. Bell, Morehead City, father of the late D. G. Bell, Carteret legislator. The hotel burned on the Saturday before Easter. Insurance on it was reportedly \$25,000. The hotel was 400 feet long in front and contained 300 rooms besides ball room, kitchen and similar areas. The blaze started in the southeast wing and swept from the east end of the hotel through the entire structure.

Morehead City Will Observe Wednesday as City Park Day

Seashore Park Official Writes Ira Morris Jr.

Ira S. Morris Jr., Atlantic, who is extremely interested in preservation of the outer banks, received this week a letter from Woodrow Price, chairman of the Outer Banks Seashore Park commission.

Dated April 12, 1963, the letter follows:

Many thanks for your very good letter in the News-Times of today. I am glad to see that residents of Eastern Carteret are indeed interested in what we are trying to do on Core Banks-Portsmouth Island.

It is my opinion that if this project goes through, the entire eastern half of the county will be given the biggest economic boost in its history, and that all Carteret will benefit greatly.

I hope strongly that when the public hearing is held, the proponents will be represented in force at the meeting. Sentiments expressed at that time will go a long way toward determining how much can be done.

Thanks again.

Sincerely,
Woodrow Price

The hearing to which Mr. Price refers will be called after Carteret officials and representatives of the park service make a survey of the outer banks next Thursday and Friday.

W. R. Hamilton, chairman of the county board of commissioners, says the hearing will probably be next month.

Commenting on Mr. Price's letter, Mr. Morris says, "I agree with Mr. Price. All citizens of Eastern Carteret county should attend this hearing on the outer banks and give the county officials your full support. The cost of stabilizing the banks will run into millions of dollars and will mean years of employment."

Emeritus Club Installs Officers

C. N. Stroud was installed as president of the Emeritus club at its meeting Monday night in the Bogue Sound room of the Biltmore Motor hotel, Morehead City.

Mr. Stroud succeeds H. F. Lindsey. Installed as first vice-president was I. E. Pittman and as secretary-treasurer, J. A. DuBois.

Club members termed the tercentenary program by Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Salisbury as "very timely and extremely interesting."

Leland Wiggins and his wife, Louise, appealed a decision requiring them to pay Julius N. Jones \$68. Jones sued for damage to his vehicle as the result of an automobile accident.

The court awarded Robert Shepard \$3,000 to meet hospital bills as the result of an accident that occurred in Beaufort Nov. 4, 1961.

The defendant, Noble Allen Woodson, was driving his car and the plaintiff, Robert Shepard, was struck by Woodson's car at the intersection of Live Oak and Pine street, according to evidence.

Donald E. Gilgo was awarded \$794.14 as the result of a motor vehicle accident that occurred Sept. 7, 1958.

The defendants were Van Taylor Harris, Helen Taylor Harris and McAuley Byrum Sr.

Divorces were granted Curtis F. and Nancy Lee Josey, Irma L. and Richard P. Joliff and Namoi H. and Carl D. Fulcher.

Crossing Fixed
State highway department crews made repairs to the Beaufort and Morehead railroad crossing on the Beaufort-Morehead causeway this week. Motorists had been complaining about the roughness of the crossing.

Office to Close
The office of the drivers license examiner in Morehead City will be closed Tuesday, April 23, so that the examiner, David Morris, may attend a district meeting in Greenville. Office hours will be resumed Wednesday as usual.

The pledge payments for the Newport Medical Center are coming in very slowly. Last week we requested through this paper that all payments be made by May 15 if possible.

We feel that all those who pledged payments by June 1 or before will strive to meet the May 15 date. As previously stated, we must have \$25,000 in cash and in the bank before construction can begin. We hope to be able to start work on the center sometime in June if pledges are paid when requested.

We still need a few more nice-size loans or contributions to reach the goal.

Some local individuals have told certain members of the fund-raising committee that they could not donate or loan money, but they would give some labor when the work started. Please remember this promise, because we will very

Woman's Club Will Accept Plantings That Day

Wednesday will be City Park Day in Morehead City. Mayor George Dill formally proclaimed the day yesterday. Mrs. Gus Davis, chairman of the Woman's club city park project, announces that Wednesday will be "open house" at the park. "We want everyone to come to see what we have done. If they have anything that we could plant, bring it, if it's only a bulb," she declared.

Hours of the open house are 1 to 5 p.m. Refreshments will be served, so parents are urged to come and bring their children. Two water fountains have been donated by the Garden and Civics department of the Morehead City Woman's club. They are expected to be installed by Wednesday.

The road through the park, now rutted and full of holes, will be paved this summer. Mrs. Davis announced, when the State highway department does work on highway 70 (Arendell street).

All leaders of Scouts who have flower beds at the park are earnestly requested to come to the park Wednesday and prepare their beds for summer plantings.

Mrs. Davis particularly directs attention to the east end of the park. It has been cleared of heavy growth by town labor and by the State Highway department, which opened a drainage ditch. "On the bank we are going to plant azaleas, the park chairman remarked. "We will accept cash to buy azaleas or will accept the plants themselves," she said.

She reports that the highway department has donated fill and topsoil. This was being spread this week by Morehead City town crews. The new earth will be graded, and the border of ligustrum along Arendell street will be extended east to the end of the park.

A rock garden is now under construction at the main entrance to the park. In charge of that project are Mrs. Robert Taylor, Mrs. John Lashley and Mrs. M. T. Mills.

Mrs. Davis hopes that the outdoor bathrooms can be tiled. She said her committee will graciously accept an offer from any tiler to donate the tile and install it without cost.

Items the park committee seeks from donors are trees, shrubs, annuals, perennials, fertilizer, topsoil—"Anything that grows or will make things grow, we have a use for," Mrs. Davis declared.

The committee would especially welcome petunia plants.

Donating refreshments will be Maola, Sealtest and Pepsi-Cola companies.

The park is located on highway 70 (Arendell street), just west of 34th street. Approaching Morehead City from the west, it is just east of the Hampton Marine museum. Under construction at the park now is the new chamber of commerce office and tourist information center.

Decisions in two civil cases were appealed from civil court, Beaufort, last week.

The court ruled that Beatrice Harris Sims, plaintiff, should receive from Walter Ray Coward and Bennett Oliver Adler and Adler's Inc. \$1,500. Defendants Coward and Adler appealed to the supreme court.

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Stickers Passed Out in Support Of School Bonds

Car bumper stickers urging support of the school bond issue were distributed by Kenneth Wagner, Morehead City, Wednesday night at the school bond boosters' meeting at the courthouse, Beaufort.

The first batch of 500 went to the Newport, Harkers Island and Smyrna representatives. The next 500 will be distributed in other school districts.

Mimeographed information sheets on school growth and school expenditures were distributed. These will be passed out in the house-to-house canvass which will urge voters to vote for the \$2 million school bond issue May 10.

Reports were made by representatives of the different school districts as to the attitude toward the bond issue in their area.

The Rev. W. C. Horton, treasurer, reported that a \$50 check had been received from the Newport school PTA and \$50 from patrons at Camp Glenn. Total amount received to date by the bond boosters is \$275.

Dr. John Costlow stressed the importance of sending out letters from the schools informing parents of the bond referendum. It was suggested that the letter for this coming week be written by the bond boosters and sent to the principals for distribution.

Anyone wishing to have someone visit the school or PTA to discuss the bond issue should contact Dr. Costlow, PA8-4488, Duke marine laboratory.

Two More File For Town Jobs

Two more persons have filed for commissioner in Morehead City, Joe Collins and John Lashley.

Mr. Collins is with the investigative services (G-2), Cherry Point. Mr. Lashley is former city clerk and recorder's court clerk, Morehead City.

A. B. Roberts, Morehead City hospital trustee, has filed for reelection, as has Herbert Phillips, judge of recorder's court.

Also running for commissioner are the present commissioners, S. C. Holloway, D. J. Hall, Jerry Willis, Dr. Russell Outlaw and Dom Femia.

The present mayor, George W. Dill, is the only one to file thus far for the office of mayor.

Others running for commissioner are Vernon Garner, the Rev. W. C. Horton and Mrs. Ernest Coney.

Filing period for municipal office will close at noon tomorrow.

Morehead City Firemen Answer Two Alarms

Morehead City firemen answered two alarms this week. Both were calls to stove fires.

Monday evening, firemen answered a call to 1405 Arendell St., where a gas stove had caught fire. Wednesday at 7:40 p.m. they extinguished a fire at 1105 Avery, caused by a gas stove.

Firemen said there was no extensive damage at either fire.

Tide Table

Tides at Beaufort Bar

HIGH	Friday, April 19	LOW
3:56 a.m.		10:45 a.m.
4:44 p.m.		11:07 p.m.
Saturday, April 20		
5:04 a.m.		11:34 a.m.
5:41 p.m.		11:59 a.m.
Sunday, April 21		
6:02 a.m.		12:23 a.m.
6:31 p.m.		
Monday, April 22		
6:54 a.m.		12:53 a.m.
7:19 p.m.		1:12 p.m.

Chairman Reminds Pledgers Of Request for Cash May 15

By J. STANCLIFF BELL, Chairman Fund Raising Committee Newport Medical Center, Inc

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likely call on you for this free labor. Call on us, don't wait for us to contact you.

Without solicitation, we have had inquiries from several doctors about the Newport Medical Center—some through correspondence and some in person. As you know, when the building is ready to be occupied, the Foundation Medical Board and a qualified Newport committee in cooperation with the American medical association will attempt to find two good qualified doctors to take over the duties of the center and serve Newport and surrounding areas.

The Town of Newport (not counting the surrounding areas) has a population of 1,300. Incorporated Newport contains five churches, a good school, one civic club, two fraternal organizations, a garden club, city water, a good and efficient fire department and a variety of shopping and service establishments.

The town and adjoining communities are filled with a host of friendly and congenial people. They have a reputation of always coming to the aid of those in distress. In fact, the Town of Newport has a slogan, "The Friendly Town with Old Fashioned Courtesy." Doctors and their families would be most welcome and readily accepted.

Tomorrow night, Saturday, April 20, the Woodmen of the World are sponsoring a barbecue supper in the Newport Masonic hall for the benefit of the medical center. The ladies of the Newport Chapter of Woodmen of the World are very active in this benefit.

Patrons, you let us down with the last bingo party, so be sure you lend your cooperation to this barbecue by being present to help consume the good barbecue that will be available.

Everyone is invited and urged to attend. This is a good opportunity to socialize. We shall expect each and every one who wants to see the Newport Medical Center become a reality.