

Guard Trains at Fort Bragg



Members of the Morehead City National Guard, firing their 106 recoilless rifle at Fort Bragg this week included Sp-4 Vernon Cannon, Newport; Pvt. Edmund Willis, Morehead City, Sp-4 Jerry Garner, Broad Creek and Sp-4 Arthur Johnson, Morehead City. All are members of the weapons platoon of the National Guard. They will end two weeks' active duty training Sunday.

Court Awards \$5,000 in Suit For Damages

● Aaron George, Driver, Held Responsible

● Two Died in Crash Jan. 1, 1961

A Morehead City man was successfully sued for a total of \$5,000 in superior court, Beaufort, Tuesday in a civil suit that dates back to Jan. 1, 1961.

Aaron George was held legally responsible for a New Year's day car wreck that took the lives of Willie Hill and Susie Green, both of Morehead City. The administrators of the estates for the two accident victims were awarded \$2,500 each.

The accident, which took place on Highway 24 about 15 miles west of Morehead City, involved only the car driven by George. Patrolman J. W. Sykes reported that the car was traveling toward Morehead City when it ran off the road, turned over two and a half times and traveled some 550 feet before coming to rest on its side.

Both Willie Hill and Susie Green were riding in the back seat of the car when the wreck occurred. They died shortly after the accident.

Other cases tried in this week's civil term of superior court, presided over by Judge Walter J. Bone:

An absolute divorce was granted to Edith Wilson Brown, Carteret county, from Henry Clay Brown, now of New York. The wife, the plaintiff in this case, was required to pay court costs.

Lana Hancock Yeomans was granted an absolute divorce from Donnie Gene Yeomans, both of this county. The wife was represented by Louise Hancock, her mother, since she is under 21 years of age. The plaintiff was required to pay court costs.

An absolute divorce was granted to Bertha F. Willis, Beaufort, from Barry W. Willis, Morehead City, now serving with the US Army in Germany. The court further ordered that the mother be given custody of Barry W. Willis Jr., three-and-a-half-year-old, who has been living with the mother since the parents separated. The father was ordered to pay \$50 a month for support of the child, to begin July 1.

Nancy Lee Boyette, Morehead City, no driver's license and driving the wrong way on a one-way street, sentenced to 30 days in the county jail. Judge Phillips suspended the sentence, however, on condition that the woman pay a \$50 fine and court costs, and that she stop driving.

Isaac Parmley, Newport, issuing a \$10 worthless check to Colonial Store, Morehead City, required to honor the check and pay court costs.

Ronald V. Hollingshead, Cherry Point, having no car registration and no driver's license. Hollingshead was ordered to pay a \$25 fine on the first charge, a \$10 fine on the second and court costs.

James Howard Pearson, Goldsboro, passing in a no-passing zone, costs.

Lawrence James Badorek, Cherry Point, making an improper turn, two-thirds of the court costs.

Leonard Benjamin Rhue, Morehead City, speeding 80 mph in a 45-mph zone, \$10 fine and costs.

William Horace Barksdale, Newport, driving a vehicle on the wrong side of the road. Barksdale was ordered to pay court costs, and to attend a driver improvement clinic in New Bern.

Elver Clair Modlin, Williamston, driving the wrong way on a one-way street, two-thirds of the court costs.

Mrs. John B. Gleason, New Bern, issuing a \$15 worthless check to Colonial Store, Morehead City. Mrs. Gleason was ordered to honor the check and pay court costs.

Richard Henry Riddick, Alliance, disobeying a stop sign, costs.

Tommy Russell French Jr., Bridgeton, disobeying a stop sign, costs.

Gerald Duncan Harrelson, New Bern, driving faster than was reasonable and prudent under existing conditions, costs.

Kate Elizabeth Merckerson, Broad Creek, public drunkenness and disturbing the peace, \$10 fine and costs.

Curtis Hoover Taylor, Newport, public drunkenness and disturbing the peace, \$10 fine and costs.

David Ward Day, Morehead City, speeding 65 mph in a 35-mph zone, \$10 fine and costs.

James Willard Hensen, Tallapoosa, Ga., failing to yield the right of way at an intersection, costs.

Charles William Farthing, Cherry Point, was not prosecuted on a charge of failing to have a license on his trailer.

Billie Jean Cottingham, Morehead City, was not prosecuted on a charge of simple assault by throwing a whiskey bottle at Bill

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New Postal ZIP Code Will Be Used Beginning July 1

Five Postmasters Give Codes for Use Here

Beginning July 1, the postal ZIP code will go into effect throughout the United States. Postmasters of the county announced the ZIP code numbers for their postal areas this week.

The new system is designed to improve mail delivery by speeding mail on its way. It makes it unnecessary for postoffice workers to read the complete address, the postmasters said.

The five-digit numbers announced below are for people living here to use on their RETURN address on envelopes. If you write to someone in Winston-Salem, you have to put THEIR code number following their address. It will be up to your friends away from here to supply you with their ZIP code number, just as you are to supply them with yours.

The code numbers:

Atlantic—28511
Atlantic Beach—28512
Beaufort—28516
Morehead City—28557
Newport—28570

A person living in Atlantic will put his RETURN address on an envelope as follows:
Mr. Cecil Morris
Atlantic, N. C. 28511

A person living in Newport will follow the same procedure:
Mrs. Ira Mann
Newport, N. C. 28570

These ZIP code numbers are NOT to follow the address of the person TO WHOM you are sending mail. As stated before, you will have to obtain from them their code number, or make note of it when you receive mail from them which bears their return address.

Postmasters announcing their ZIP codes this week were J. W. Mason Jr., Atlantic; Mrs. Etta L. Willis, Atlantic Beach; J. P. Betts, Beaufort; Harold Webb, Morehead City, and Robert Montague, Newport.

The postmasters said, "The address on mail must often be read as many as eight or ten times by postal employees to get it to the proper destination. Each handling slows the process of mail dispatch and adds to the opportunity for human error.

"With ZIP code, a clerk needs only to glance at the code to know immediately to what national area, state and post office the letter is destined, and to speed it on its way, cutting up to 24 hours off the time between deposit and delivery."

When ZIP code is in full swing, the United States will have "the most modern system of mail distribution and delivery in existence," postal officials predict.

Town Officials Make Trip to Atlanta, Ga.

Mayor George W. Dill Jr., town administrator George McNeill and town administrator Ray Hall, Morehead City, spent Wednesday in Atlanta, Ga. with the Housing and Homes Finance agency.

They requested funds and permission to issue revenue bonds for acquisition of the town water works and to construct a sewage disposal plant.

The trip was another step in the long channels municipalities must follow to obtain funds under the federal area redevelopment program.

Andy Griffith and Family Pay Brief Visit to County

County Board Will Serve Until 1964

Ratified by the state legislature Tuesday was a bill which reduces county commissioners' terms to two years and provides for election of county commissioners by districts.

Rep. Thomas Bennett amended the bill and the amendment would have made the two-year terms become effective in 1966 rather than 1964, but the amendment was stricken prior to the second reading in the House.

Mr. Bennett said he voiced objection to the bill on the third reading, but it passed. The bill was introduced by Sen. Luther Hamilton, Morehead City, who objected to the amendment.

Officials Get Letters Asking Help on Traffic

In compliance with a request by the town board of Atlantic Beach, M. G. Coyle, clerk to the board, this week sent a letter to Rep. David Henderson, congressman of this district, requesting his help in alleviating beach traffic jams Sunday afternoons.

The letter asks that the congressmen determine whether the beach drawbridge might be closed to water traffic from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. each Sunday.

The letter pointed out that opening of the draw, mainly for pleasure boats on Sunday afternoons, causes traffic to back up for long distances on each side of the bridge. Request for closing the draw on Sunday afternoons is for June, July, August and Labor Day weekend.

A copy of the letter was sent to the Corps of Army Engineers district office, Wilmington; W. F. Babcock, director of the State Highway commissioner for this district; W. R. Hamilton, chairman of the county board of commissioners.

P. W. Bullock, manager of the county chamber of commerce; A. B. Cooper, mayor of Atlantic Beach; and George Dill, mayor of Morehead City.

Mr. Bullock also sent a letter from the chamber in support of the beach town's request.

His letter went to Merrill Evans, chairman of the highway commission; Gov. Terry Sanford, Col. J. S. Grygiel, district engineer, Wilmington; highway commissioner Phillips and congressman Henderson.

Summer Comes Today

This is the day that summer officially arrives—but actually it will come when this part of the earth is in darkness, at 10:04 tonight. At that time the sun shines farthest from the equator in the northern hemisphere. This is the summer solstice.

One of North Carolina's "Favorite People" Was in the County Tuesday and Wednesday: Andy Griffith.

The star of stage plays, movies and tv, the likable comedian was here to visit with his wife's sister, identified as a "Mrs. King" at Salter Path.

Mr. Griffith, his wife, Barbara, and her mother had supper at Mrs. Russell Willis's restaurant Tuesday night. After supper, at Mrs. Willis's invitation Andy went into the kitchen to say hello to the folks there.

Mrs. Willis said that she told Andy she can't get a bit of work out of them Tuesday nights, anyhow, when the Andy Griffith show is on!

Andy and his three sons paid a visit to the Atlantic Beach police and fire station Tuesday afternoon. Asked to make an entry in the log, the tv star wrote under June 18: "5:15 p.m. — Andy Griffith and three sons visited Atlantic Beach police station."

The officers who happened to be there said Andy "just wanted the boys to see the station." Everyone who saw Mr. Griffith were smitten with his friendly manner. Mrs. Willis said Mrs. Griffith told her that her lemon pie dessert was "the best" she had even eaten.

The Griffiths spent Tuesday night at Atlantis Lodge and left Wednesday morning for Manteo, where both Andy and Barbara played years ago in The Lost Colony.

Red Cross Films Shown Tuesday

Two films were shown at a meeting of the county Red Cross chapter Tuesday night at the Webb civic center, Morehead City.

They were provided by Arthur Paradeses, field executive, and were titled Many Voices and Prescription for Life. The first told of the many calls the Red Cross gets for help. The second dealt with the blood bank.

It is anticipated that swimming instruction will be offered this summer, with other Red Cross instruction courses to begin in the fall, such as first aid and Gray Ladies. The next meeting of the chapter will be in September.

Present Tuesday night were Garland Scroggs, chairman; Mrs. Al Dewey, Mrs. Gus Davis, the Rev. Mayo Little, J. R. Sanders, Dr. John Ganey, Mrs. F. C. Salisbury, and Mr. Paradeses.

Rain, Clouds Pervade Carteret This Week

The sun hasn't had much opportunity to cast its golden rays this week. Rain and cloudy weather was the menu for Monday through Wednesday. A total of 1.43 inches of rain have fallen during the three-day period. With the temperatures as they are, it doesn't seem like summer.

	High	Low	Wind
Monday	70	68	NNE
Tuesday	75	68	NNE
Wednesday	78	68	Var.

The above records were kept by the Atlantic Beach weather station.

Publicity Pushed into High Gear for Beaufort Homes Tour

Special effort has been made this year to publicize Beaufort's coming antique show and Old Homes Tour throughout the state and particularly on nearby military bases.

Dr. John Costlow, president of the Beaufort Historical association, reports that 500 postal cards imprinted with an engraving of the Hammock House and dates of the Beaufort event have been sent to antique dealers, to Woman's clubs in eastern and central Carolina and to former Old Homes visitors.

Window display cards have been sent to stores as far west as Charlotte and as far south as Southport.

Antique dealers, bringing their merchandise in station wagons, will display from the wagons in a "tail-gate" antique show on the lot between the Odd Fellows and Masonic lodges, Turner street, Friday and Saturday, June 28 and 29. Admission to the show is \$1.

Tours of the old homes of Beaufort will begin at a booth there at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. each of the two days. The homes will be open until noon and in the afternoon until 4:30. Tickets will be on sale at the booth at \$2 per person.

Two other attractions during the weekend will be the arts and crafts exhibit at the Eure building, Ann Street Methodist church, on Ann street, and a bus tour of historic landmarks conducted by Grayden Paul.

The bus tours are a dollar per person and will leave the Ann Street cemetery at Craven street at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. each day. The tour is all hour long. Forty historic landmarks will be visited. The art and crafts exhibit will be free.

Homes to be open, according to the Beaufort Woman's club, sponsor of the homes' tour, are the following: Morse House, built 1771, 215 Front

St., occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cheek.

Duncan House, 1790, 105 Front St., occupied by Mrs. Julius Duncan.

Davis House, 1812, 127 Front St., Mrs. Charles Davis, resident.

Nelson House, 1790, 201 Front St., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph House, residents.

Mace House, 1830, 619 Ann St., Mrs. W. A. Mace, resident.

Buckman House, 1845, 114 Ann St., Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor, residents.

Henry Davis House, 1820, 200 Craven St., Mrs. Horace Loftin, resident.

Blair House, 1778, 111 Marsh St., Mrs. N. H. Russell, resident.

Woman's club members in colonial costumes will be hostesses in the homes.

In case of rain, the events will be postponed until the following weekend, Friday and Saturday, July 5 and 6.

Dignitaries to Attend Derby

Sea Scouts Get Charter

Presentation of a ship's charter for the newly-organized Sea Scout post was the program for Monday night's meeting of the Newport Rotary club.

Program chairman Clayton Cannon, who also served as institutional representative for the Sea Scouts, was in charge of the ceremony. The presentation of the charter was made by Cecil Sewell and Harry Salter, both of Morehead City.

Milton Swain and Gerald T. Merrill represented the Sea Scout post. Serving on the Sea Scout committee are W. H. Livingston, E. T. Vinson, Bill Boyd and Lester M. Garner Jr.

Following the ceremony, Mr. Cannon gave a brief talk on the interesting sidelights of the trip made by the "Incredible Flotilla." The Newport Explorer Scout post's raft, the Sea Witch, led the flotilla on its 186-mile journey from Mackeys Ferry to Atlantic Beach.

Guests at the Rotary meeting were Ramie Davis and Bob Howard, both of the Morehead City Rotary club, and Robert Van Hook, a Duke University divinity student.

9th and Evans Gets Stop Light

Chief Hubert L. Fulcher, Morehead City police, announces that a stoplight has been installed at 9th and Evans streets.

The light was not operating yesterday but is expected to be operating in the near future. The corner is at Webb civic center. Poor visibility creates a hazard at the corner.

The chief also announced that Sgt. Jack Miller has left the force. He has been replaced temporarily by Paul Fogo. Mr. Miller is entering training as a Sears store manager.

Board Meets
Morehead City town commissioners met for the June session last night at the municipal building.

Gov. Terry Sanford of North Carolina, Gov. J. Millard Tawes of Maryland, US Senators Sam J. Ervin Jr. and B. Everett Jordan of North Carolina, US Secretary of Commerce Luther Hodges, and a host of other dignitaries will be invited to the North Carolina Crab Derby at Morehead City Aug. 24.

The names of the list of persons invited to the crab derby also includes the state's 11 members of the national House of Representatives, heads of all state departments and agencies, Mayor John Catlin and Commissioner John Holland of Crisfield, Md., and US Sen. J. Glenn Beall of Maryland.

The list was released yesterday following a Morehead City meeting attended by Elmer Willis, Williston, vice-president of the county chamber of commerce and general chairman of the crab derby, P. W. Bullock, chamber secretary, and Wade Lucas, information officer for the State Department of Conservation and Development.

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Tide Table

Tides at Beaufort Bar			
HIGH		LOW	
	Friday, June 21		
8:00 a.m.		2:01 a.m.	
8:20 p.m.		2:07 p.m.	
	Saturday, June 22		
8:54 a.m.		2:53 a.m.	
9:09 p.m.		2:59 p.m.	
	Sunday, June 23		
9:48 a.m.		3:41 a.m.	
10:03 p.m.		3:48 p.m.	
	Monday, June 24		
10:45 a.m.		4:28 a.m.	
10:57 p.m.		4:37 p.m.	

"Three absolutely incorruptible judges," said Mr. Willis.

The derby will be the highlight of a three-day late summer festival arranged by the chamber of commerce. It will include a parade of shrimp boats on Bogue Sound, a "Down East" clambake prepared by Willis, the selection of "Miss Crustacean" from among waitresses in seafood restaurants, and numerous other events.

Entries will be restricted to the state's 12 crab-producing counties.

Capt. Otis Purifoy of Morehead City was named chairman of the platform-building committee to build the plywood racetrack down which the crabs will wiggle their way for the right to represent North Carolina at the National Crab Derby in Crisfield, Md., the Saturday before Labor Day.

JC's to Report At 6:30 Tonight

The Beaufort Jaycees have asked that all members report to the civic center, Beaufort, at 6:30 tonight to work on the grounds and property at the center. Work clothes are recommended.

At Monday night's meeting of the Jaycees, the rules governing the use of the center were drawn up, and the club plans to ready the center for use.

The Jaycees decided last fall to renovate the civic center by raising money for the project and doing most of the work themselves. With that phase of the program just about completed, the rules for the center's use have been established. Anyone wishing to use the center should contact Charles McKay for full information.

In other business at Monday's meeting, the organization's budget was completed. The Jaycees anticipate spending in excess of \$500 on various civic projects during the next year. One such project under way is for the creation of a town park. No site has been settled on as yet.

Donnie Dudley, president, appointed committee chairmen for the next year. They are Leslie Seagle, community development; Bryan Loftin, ways and means; and Charles McKay, building manager.

Income from Beaufort parking meters last month was \$497.07, according to John Jones Jr., town clerk.

Beach Court Handles 13 Cases

Thirteen cases were disposed of Tuesday night in Atlantic Beach mayor's court and one case was continued. Mayor A. B. Cooper presided.

Costs were paid by the following: John Thomas Mobley, Washington, N. C., Cecil E. Harrison, Tarboro; Carlton E. Shores, Cherry Point; each charged with public drunkenness.

E. M. Hudovic, Cherry Point, paid costs on a charge of having non-taxpaid beer. James D. Wells, Newport, was given a 30-day sentence, suspended on payment of costs. He failed to comply with a former court order and has been banned from the beach for seven months.

Chris L. Silvey, Cherry Point, paid costs for operating a car carelessly. The same penalty was put on Richard T. Ingram, Cherry Point, charged with having an improper exhaust system on his car. He was also ordered to fix the car.

Five dollars and costs were paid by Donald M. Carter, Savannah, Ga., charged with reckless driving and having an improper muffler. The same penalty was given Michael A. Lyon, Cherry Point, charged with trespassing and resisting arrest.

Bonds were forfeited by the following: Reginald B. Adams, Newport, and William B. Greer, Beaufort, indecent exposure and having opened beer on the streets; John Ray Corbett, Wilson, no operator's license; John Leslie Brewer, Rocky Mount, public drunkenness and opened beer on the streets.

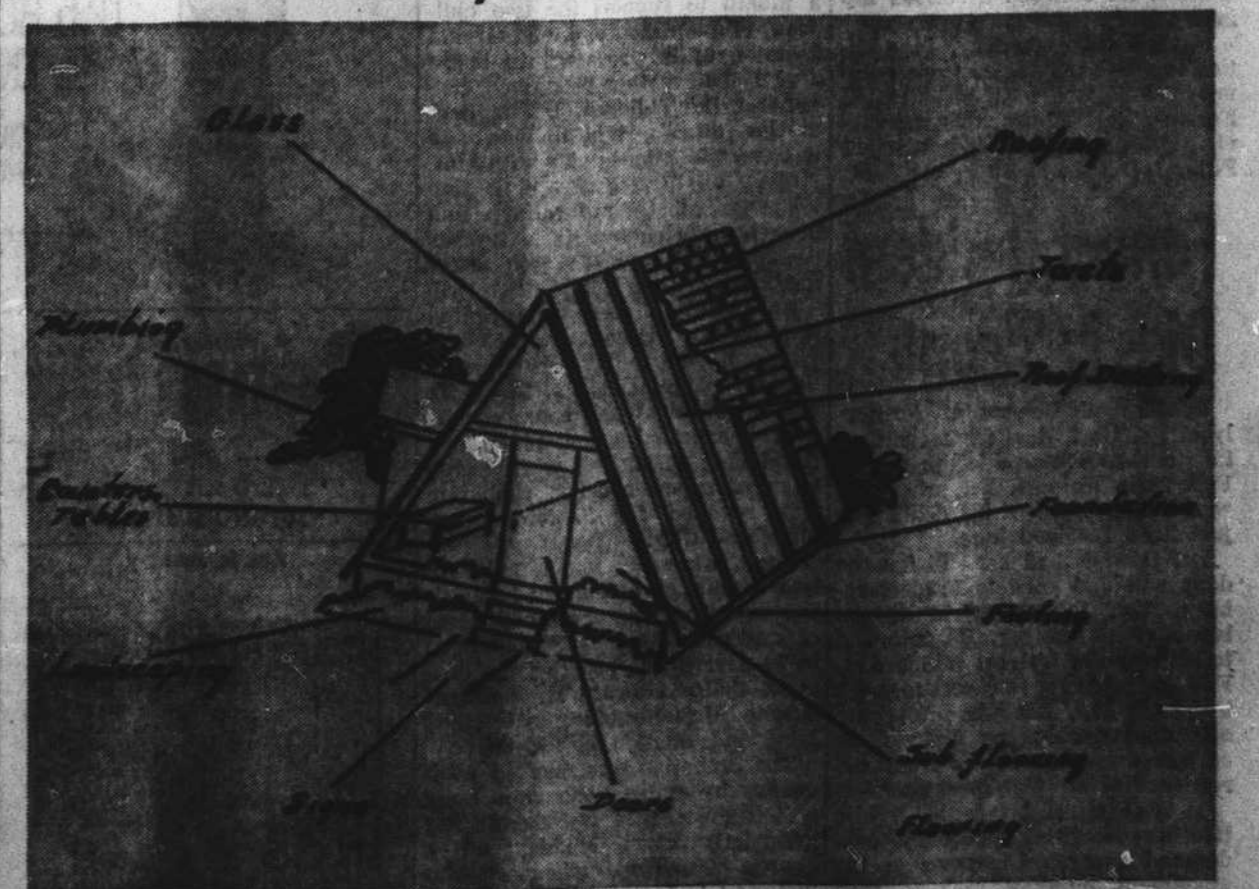
An Atlantic Beach town ordinance prohibits persons from walking the streets drinking beer. The beer must be drunk in the place where it was bought.

Continued was the case of Franklin W. Omer, Laurinburg, charged with driving a car on the beach after dark with no lights.

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Cut-Away Picture of Building



This is a cut-away drawing of the new chamber of commerce office and tourist information center, Morehead City. It is hoped that the building will be completed by July 15. The building is ready now for glass work, then tile and plumbing fixtures and finally, the floor and cabinet work, all of which has been started. (Drawing by Charles McNeill)