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WIOLATIONS of ABC LAWS NET COUNTY \$100 IN FINES HON. LINDSAY C. WARREN,

Eight Violations Result of Officers from Raleigh Tried Tuesday; Were Selling ABC Liquor

The tax for bootlegging ABC liquor in Dare County runs now at \$10 if you get brought up in Recorders Court, provided it is the first time you are caught, and \$25 on the second count. With a profit has saved America many millions of 200 to 400 per cent, as testion of dollars, and might have saved mony showed Tuesday, before Judge Baum, there is pretty good pickings for somebody in it, during the summer time at Nags Head, especially if you do not get caught.

The Dare County school fund profited to the amount of \$100 from this weekend, when on Monday, he the Dare County ABC stores, who- in the Beaufort County courthouse to get the evidence. Three under- mitted Mr. Warren's father and evidence, for which warrants were ren will appear for admission bedrawn by County ABC officer M. fore Judge Susie Sharpe of Reids-C. Mitchell.

An attractive woman, Mrs. ter Cafe at Nags Head was one of \$10 and costs for selling the agents | and Allen in Goldsboro. a pint of \$1.85 whiskey for \$5. Other defendants were Negroes, some of them working around the night spots on the beach, and some who live at Manteo. They got in addition to a \$10 fine a six months suspended road sentence.

Roscoe Turner, John Langston Daniels, William Edward Spencer, Jesse Mackey, David Latham, William Bill Bowser, all were fined \$10 and Bowser was up on a second count, and he paid an extra

A number of traffic violations the prosecuting attorney:

Peter Honsburger, reckless, drivbile, a deadly weapon, upon B. B. jured. Dawson of Elizabeth City. Fine \$30; costs \$8.20.

Jas. Fred Fagan, drunken driving, \$100 and costs.

K. G. Ward, parking on wrong side of highway, fine \$8; costs

Nicholas Longworth Meekins, reckless driving and defective brakes, \$30 fine and costs.

David O. Latham, reckless driving, 50 miles per hour on bridge, fined \$30 and costs.

per hour in 30-mile zone, five dollars and costs.

Stokes Leonard, charged with Walter Diner at Nags Head a were killed. An increase of 18 per gain from the public attention diworthless check, made the check cent was noted in fatalities as com- rected to it, to the historic site and good and was taxed with the costs of court.

James M. Hart for driving 50 miles in a 45 mile zone was fined \$7.50 and costs of court.

Case of Marvin Daniels, charged with procuring liquor for ABC agents on two counts, August 9th and 24th was continued to next week.

MANTEO ROTARY PLANS VISIT TO ENGELHARD

Ruritan-Sponsored Barbecue, Talnet Show Earns Lunchroom Equipment Fund

The Rotary Club of Manteo wants to go to Engelhard to hold a joint meeting with that club, having heard of the fine food the club serves, and the good fellowship dispensed. A discussion in the club Monday night favored going the first occasion it is convenient for the club to make arrangements for the meeting.

HOTPOINT RANGE WON BY VIRGINIA WOMAN

Jones-Leary Bingo Reopening Tonight at 7

Grand prize winner last Sunday at the original Nags Head bingo was Mrs. Elton Heath of Fentress, Va. She won the Hotpoint range on the last game of "Sadie Hawkins Day." Other major prize winners were: Preston Sears of Manteo and Lois Mann of Nags Head, each winning a bicycle; J. C. Hobbs of Edenton won a combination radio-

phonograph.

The Jones-Leavy bingo will reppen tonight at 7 and plans are
to run through the months of September and October. The management states that many late-vacationers have requested that more amusement be available. Whether

PRESID'NT PAYS WARREN OPPOSE MOVING HIGH TRIBUTE TUESDAY

Comptroller General of the United States, was paid high tribute Tuesday when the new 25 million dollar General Accounting Office was dedicated in Washington, with President Truman taking a principal part and paying high tribute to the patroitic and efficient service rendered the nation by this Beaufort County man. Lindsay Warren's ability and foresight, and his management of the GAO of dollars, and might have saved millions more had his advice been more closely followed. His name stands high among the notables on the conerstone of the new building.

But all the honors in Washington did not thrill him more than will his trip to Beaufort County the fines in the cases, but it cost will be present when his son, Lindthe State of North Carolina, or say, Jr., will be admitted to the bar cover men operated at Nags Head grandfather, both noted lawyers ville, just 107 years after his greatgrandfather was admitted to the Pauline Daughtry of the Sir Wal- bar in Beaufort County in 1844.

Lindsay Warren, Jr., has joined the defendants, paying a fine of the law firm of Langston, Taylor

SO. ALBEMARLE ACCIDENT RATE LOW IN JULY

No Fatalities in Tyrrell, Dare and Hyde; One Killed in Beaufort; State Total Mishaps 3,395

No persons were killed as a result of traffic accidents in Tyrrell, Dare and Hyde during the month had been submitted out of court, of July according to the report of and the following were read off by the Bureau of Motor Vehicles, but one person was injured in Hyde, and Tyrrell, and two in Dare. One ing, and assault with an automo- was killed in Beaufort and 13 in-

Reported motor vehicle accidents reached an all-time high of 3,395 during July. Next highest in number of accidents reported occurred in December, 1950 when 3,161 accidents were recorded. An increase tinct possibility that it might de-This brings to 19,212 the number of accidents for the first seven similar geyser. months of 1951, while last year during the same period 14,690 ac- Cronk of the Westminster Choir ate. cidents were reported.

death toll for any month since convenient mediums of publicity as dent of the Association. giving W. H. Daughtry of Sir December, 1950, when 110 persons advantages. The original would this year, while during the same ica." period last year 502 fatalities were reported.

> time high of 1,362 during July. of American history. But it belongs This shows an increase of 23 per first to North Carolina. Its primary ry J. and Eliza Holmes Creef and cent over the same month of last function is to awaken North Caro- the husband of the late Sallie

33 per cent during July. A total of To attempt to duplicate it in the Road Methodist Church, Elizabeth 12 pedestrians were killed and 111 synthetic surroundings of the New City. injured on the streets and high- | Jersey-New York metropolitan arsame month of 1950, there were plays and the other attractions of son, A. B. Creef, of South Norjured.

LOST COLONY FROM CAROLINA

State's Editors See Nothing But Disadvantages to State and Pageant

The effort that is being made to set up a counterfeit edition of The Lost Colony at Princeton, N. J., and which is finally to be ruled upon by the Board of Directors of the Roanoke Island Historical Association, the last of this month has received almost no encouragement from the newspapers of this

Among the most recent editorials disapproving the plan is one in the Kannapolis, N. C. Independent, which heads off with Princeton Proposal Ignores True Value, Purpose of 'The Lost Colony'.' The editorial goes on to say: The proposal that a second com-

pany present "The Lost Colony" ever paid the bill, more than \$100 in Washington. For here were ad- in Princeton, New Jersey, next summer offers nothing of lasting benefit to the famous Roanoke Is for some time and brought in the of their day also. Young Mr. War- land drama or to the state of North Carolina.

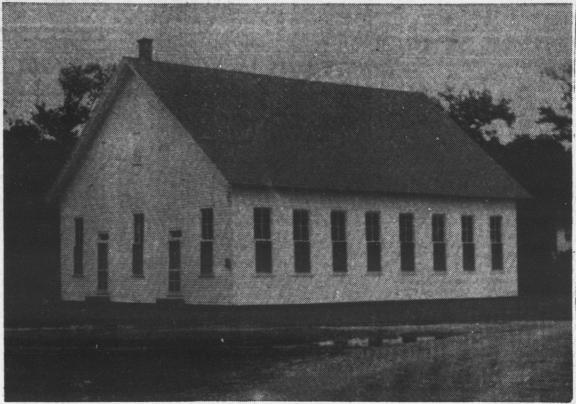
The charm of the drama stems largely from the fact that it is performed on the very ground trod by Sir Walter Raleigh's early colonists who are portrayed on the Manteo stage. That would be lost entirely in any "extension" pro-

duction elsewhere. In addition, the whole area a Manteo is being turned into a shrine of North Carolina history. Nearby Fort Raleigh has been restored and is viewed by the thousands who attend performances of "The Lost Colony." An Elizabethan garden is being built just outside the enclosure where the drama is presented, giving another authentic glimpse into the past that will be valuable not only to this generation but to the generations that follow. These attractions combine to give North Carolinians something to take pride in because "The Lost Colony" is outstanding in the nation; they help to develop cognizance of their own state's history in those same North Carolinians. An additional production of "The Lost Colony" in some distant state would lack those extra attractions. It would add nothing to the drama's effectiveness in those respects and there is a dis-

College for production of "The pared with 79 fatalities reported to North Carolina, he daclares. He

linians - who are also Americans Riggs Creef. Pedestrian fatalities decreased - to their own historical heritage.

PROVIDENCE BAPTIST CHURCH AT KITTY HAWK PLANNING BIG EVENT



The big annual session of the Kehukee Primitive Baptist Association to be held at Kitty Hawk is just three weeks off. For the first time in the 186 years of the Association it will come east of Alligator River to hold a three day session in Dare County with the Kitty Hawk church which was organized 97 vears ago. Several thousand people are expected on October 6, 7 and 8. About 30 preachers are expected ber first, formulated a plan for colto be heard.

There are more than 30 churches in the Kehukee Primitive Baptist Association which was formed even more. A system of assessin the year 1765 and now embraces the territory east of Rocky Mount, and north of the Pamlico River. ment, whereby each hotel, tourist Providence Church at Kitty Hawk was constituted in 1854 and the present structure, with the largest court or rooming house owner auditorium on the Outer Banks, was built 50 years ago. It has 28 members.

Great interest in the forthcoming meeting is expected because it will be the first time the Associahas met on the Outer Banks.

In preparation for the day, the members of the church have cleared the picnic grounds, and three hundred and thirty feet of tables will be provided to hold the food. Church members and citizens of Kitty Hawk will supply much of the food, as well as lodging in many homes. Every one, of course, will bring

There is a church at East Lake, known as Lebanon, established in 1879, but rather inactive. The Kitty Hawk church has operated continuously for 97 years, it being formed by eight members of the the Tourist Bureau program and Powells Point church who lived on the North Banks; four men and four women, namely: Hodges Gallop, aims, and collect the assessed a-Morris Beals, Thos. McKinney, Sally Toler, Peggy Owens and Betsy Brickhouse. The first church stood not far from the present structure, at the fork of the back road at a point known as "Sign Post."

The present Elder of the church is 80-year-old J. P. Tingle of Grantsboro. Services are held the first Saturday and Sunday in each month, with dinner on the grounds. The church uses no musical instrument in its worship, and in many ways its form of worship differs from other prevailing faiths. It is a strong organization.

BILL UMSTEAD SHAKING HANDS IN MANTEO SAT.

stead of Durham was in Manteo of 913 or 37 per cent was recorded tract therefrom. Wyoming would last Saturday with folks in the inin traffic accidents during July. not be as proud of "Old Faithful" terest of his candidacy for Governor. Mr. Umstead was in the race as it is now if every state had a at the time the late J. M. Brough-The proposal advanced by Ted ton was elected to the U. S. Sen-

Fatalities chalked up for July Lost Colony" in Princeton as an ex- Southern Albemarle Association in Virginia, has been hale and spry front porch Tuesday morning, 000.00 goal, and it was stressed P. Lindsley driving 45 miles were the highest for the year. A tension of the Manteo production Hyde County on September 24. He and looking forward to her 100th Sept. 18 by 10 a.m. and a collection which were the highest for the year. A tension of the Manteo production Hyde County on September 24. He total of 93 persons were killed points to Princeton's location in a is an old classmate and friend of birthday celebration Friday of last tion will be made. Those who live the full goal would have to be readuring July, this was the highest heavily-populated area and near P. D. Midgett of Engelhard, presi-

JOHN EDGAR CREEF DEAD

John E. Creef, 87, of 1101 Jackduring July, 1950. This brings to further says that "The Lost Col- son Street, South Norfolk, died 557 the number of fatalities for ony" in a sense "belongs to Amer- in a Norfolk hospital Sunday at 9:25 a. m. after a long illness. He "The Lost Colony" does belong was a native of East Lake, N. C., to America in the sense that it and had lived in Norfolk for 19 Personal injuries reached an all- commemorates an important part years. He was a retired carpenter.

He was the son of the late Hen-

great-grandchildren.

MANTEO WOMAN'S MANTEO WOMAN'S CLUB MOTHER 100 YRS. SPONSORING BOOK DRIVE Former Congressman W. B. Um- OLD LAST WEEK Public Asked for Magazines and

Mrs. Emma Jernigan, Mother of Mrs. Effie Crawford; Often Visitor in Manteo

Mrs. Emma Jernigan, oldest liv-Mr. Umstead will address the ing resident of Nansemond County, are asked to leave them on your Mrs. Effie Crawford of Manteo. her daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Russell of Manteo have been visiting her.

Mrs. Jernigan, who had been ill very few times in her life, was feeling rather poorly and it was a drab birthday. Her injury occurred in an ironic manner Tuesday. She had been sitting in a chair in the living room looking at birthday cards. She arose from the chair, He was a member of the City then turned to pick up some cards and fell to the floor.

The family physician said her He is survived by one daughter, hip was cracked, although it pertime.

> granddaughter, Mrs. Beverly Hol- than Waterside Theatre on the land and Mr. Holland four and a north end of Roanoke Island. half miles east of Suffolk on the Holland Highway. Only three of 12 great-grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Jernigan was born 100 years ago, Sept. 7, at South Quey, Nansemond County, daughter of John and Patsy Jones. Her husband, Miles Jernigan, died in 1932.

MANTEO PTA WILL MEET TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Parents Urged to be Present; Fathers Especially Invited

The Manteo Parents Teachers Association will hold a business Buxton Cemetery. Mr. Gray was a meeting on Tuesday afternoon, September 18, at 3:30 in the school auditorium. All parents are urged to be uresent, and it is especially Mrs. Nellie Gray, he was a retired requested that all fathers of school children try to attend. The PTA American Legion and a member of feels that the fathers should take the Buxton Methodist Church. Sura more active interest in the af- viving him are his wife; one son, fairs of the school, and not leave Zane Gray; two brothers, William it all to the mothers.

dent, will be in charge of the meet- Huntington, West Virginia and ing, at which a president will be Mrs. Sarah Williams of Portselected, this office having been left mouth, Virginia; and one grand open at the end of last school year. child.

Books of All Sorts to Send to Korea

have books or Magazines to give week. But she had to observe it un- out of town, call Mrs. M. K. Fearder unpleasant circumstances. She ing, Jr., and your books will be fell on Tuesday and broke her hip. collected. The following types of So she spent her birthday in bed. books and magazines are needed: 1. For small children or those

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KITTY HAWK CLUB TAKES

Members of the Kitty Hawk Civic Club, meeting in the Kitty Hawk School Monday night, voiced unanimous disapproval of the plan recently advanced for presenting the Lost Colony in New Jersey.

The action took the form of a resolution, instructing the president of the club to write to Bill Sharpe, president of the Roanoke ways of the State while during the ea, in competition with Broadway Mrs. J.P. Holmes, of Manteo; one haps was not a complete fracture. Island Historical Association, with Nevertheless, the mishap will put the information that members of 18 pedestrians killed and 77 in- big-city life, would pervert its pur- folk; nine grandchildren and seven her out of commission for some the club are one hundred percent against the plan to present the The aged woman lives with her Lost Colony at any place other

The Club members also discuss ed the plan for organization of a her children are still living, al- Dare County Tourist Bureau, exthough there are 12 grandchildren, pressing approval of the move; ive visitors to Dare. and made preliminary arrangements for the establishment of a Citizenship Award, to be made annually to a youth of school age in the community.

JOHN BROWN GRAY, 52, DIES SUNDAY AT CAPE HATTERAS

Brown Gray, 52, who died Sunday night at his home at Buxton after a short illness, were conducted at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home by the Rev. W. B. Gregory, pastor of the Buxton Methodist Church. Burial followed in the native and lifelong resident of Buxton, son of William H. and Melissa Farrow Gray. The husband of Coast Guardsman, member of the and Kendrick Gray, all of Buxton; Mrs. J. M. Williams, vice- presi- two sisters, Mrs. D. J. Parr of

COUNTY TOURIST **BUREAU BEGINS FUND CAMPAIGN**

Planning to Spend \$10,000 to Advertise Dare County **During Coming Year**

The fund raising phase of the plan for establishment of a Dare County Tourist Bureau to handle a full-time, impartial program of publicity and advertising for the county as a whole, gained impetus this week.

The first of nearly one hundred letters, signed by newly elected chairman Lawrence L. Swain, of the Tourist Bureau, and addressed to wholesalers in Norfolk, Elizabeth City and other nearby cities, were mailed early this week. The letters, outlining the proposal for operation of the Tourist Bureau, urged the wholesalers to invest in the program, calling to their attention the fact that they share in the financial benefits from the tourist business here, yet are not required to share in the costs through payment of county taxes, as are local business concerns.

In a meeting Tuesday night the Nags Head Chamber of Commerce, which has already pledged \$1,000 toward the costs of the program for the fiscal year beginning Octolecting this amount, and possibly would invest five dollars per room toward the program, restaurant owners would invest one dollar per seat, fishing guides would invest fifteen dollars each, and other businesses would invest on a similar basis, was adopted. And a committee was appointed to call on every member of the chamber, explain

The program was also under discussion Monday night, at the Kitty Hawk Civic Club meeting, and Wednesday night at the Dare Beaches Chamber of Commerce meeting, with similar discussions planned for Hatteras Island and the mainland in the near future.

A budget of \$10,000.00 for the first year of operation has been adopted by the directors of the Tourist Bureau, five of whom are appointed by the county commissioners from the various town-The Manteo Woman's Club is ships, and five from the three sponsoring a Books for Peace Chambers of Commerce, the Town Drive to send to Korea. Those who of Manteo and the Lost Colony.

Already a total of nearly \$7,000 has been pledged toward the \$10ched by the end of this month if the program is to be adopted for the coming year.

A special request was made to any individuals, business establishments or groups in the county, who are not otherwise participating in the program, to make whatever ACTION ON LOST COLONY investment they think worthwhile. Money thus received will be deposited in a special account by the County Commissioners and all checks will be signed by the Secretary-Treasurer of the Bureau, and countersigned by the Chairman of the County Commissioners.

> During the first year of operation the Tourist Bureau will concentrate on three projects: First, the hiring of a qualified, full-time publicity director to publicize all of Dare County on an impartial basis: second, the establishment of a central office for the dissimination of tourist information: and third. the printing of an attractive folder or brochure which will be made available to all Chambers of Commerce, hotels and other establishments for distribution to prospect-

NEW COLONIAL STORE OPEN IN ELIZABETH CITY

Colonial Stores in Elizabeth City is in the midst of a three-day opening of its new store, which is much larger than the old, and Buxton.—Funeral rites for John carried a much larger variety of stock. George Paulos, an Elizabeth City boy will continue as manager. The store is on the corner of Church and McMorrine Sts.

Many new departments have been added and eight check-out stands for the convenience of customers are provided in the new store.

The store is going to give away several valuable prizes this week end. These include a 17-inch Philco television set, a Thor Spinner Washer, and three table mode Philco radios.

Refrigerated counters have been added; there is a new department for seafood, and one for party dainties.

The opening began Thursday morning, but will continue through

See COLONY, Page Eight BEAUTIFUL WANCHESE HOME OF MR. AND MRS. JENNINGS BRYAN TILLETT



It has beautiful grounds, and is well furnished and laid out. It is one of the most attractive homes of Roanoke Island. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tillett and their two young daughters have something to be proud of the stand will be open every night has not definitely been decided upon, but it will be open week ends. Koanoke Island. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tillett and their two young daughters have something to be proud of and they keep it in fine shape. Most people know Mr. Tillett as "Toby." At an early date we will show other homes on Wanchese. Photo by Vic Meekins.