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REAL EFFORT ON THE MOSQUITO PROBLEM.

There are many favorable signs that promise us an early and effective warfare against the great enemy of our recreational paradise, the mosquito.

But topping all the efforts and all the talk is the magnificent accomplishment of a group of business men in the Nags Head-to-Kitty Hawk area who, by a whirlwind campaign of work and action in less than a week formed a stock company and raised the funds to buy a \$7,500 airplane which will be used to spray the areas in which the company's stockholders operate.

There may be differences of opinion about this or that on our beach area, but there is one opinion about the mosquito. He is a great enemy of business, a trouble-maker and a stumbling block to progress.

Consequently, with everyone agreed on this score, a great job has been done, and the business people have proved that they can unite solidly in combatting a common enemy.

Out of this movement at Nags Head may grow results that will lead to mosquito control throughout the coastland. The success expected in the Nags Head area will put its places of business several jumps ahead of those places where mosquitos are not controlled.

And on the other hand, the success of the work in the Nags Head area will be less easily gained, should other sections make no effort to continue the fight.

The fight has just begun with Nags Head's valiant effort. All comfort loving people of the Coastland should rally to their support, and contribute every possible effort to this cause.

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displaced steel lighthouse tower in Buxton. This location will bring the station to a point immediately overlooking the critical weather area and the tower, with 35 feet additional height, will increase the range of the radar to about 400 miles.

Several additional technicians will be assigned to the station when the installation of equipment is completed. The station will continue its routine weather reporting from this territory but with augmented equipment for observation and communication.

Both Mr. Wardman and C. T. Clark, head of the erecting company, are confident that the machinery will be in place. The worst problem at the moment is hoisting the 3,000-pound screen and its adjuncts to the top of the tower.

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Down and Live" campaign. They arrived at Beacon Motor Lodge in Nags Head and, in a blaze of flash bulbs, were photographed for press and movies.

At 7 p.m. they were feted as guests of honor at a dinner hour at the lodge and by 8:30 they were backstage, being fitted for costumes.

The two slept at the lodge from midnight until 4:30 Wednesday morning. Accompanied by Dave Dear of the Elizabeth City Daily Advance, the pageant winners were taken back to Elizabeth City to be put on the 6:30 plane for Raleigh.

Eight o'clock Wednesday morning saw them breakfasting in Raleigh, completing 15 of the busiest hours of their lives.

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ne site on high ground in Buxton woods. The work was done under the direction of the CCC organization under the direction of E. J. Byram of Wake County. The light was restored to the old tower on Jan. 23, 1950.

Similar measures at Hatteras Inlet, Mr. Bonner insisted, would produce similar results and after looking at the situation and hearing Mr. Bonner, Admiral Richmond ordered an experimental operation to be carried out under the supervision of Mr. Peele.

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this change since the establishment of the Buggs Island dam. Heretofore their best fishing grounds have been in lower Albemarle Sound.

Now the headwaters of the sounds, and the mouths of the rivers seem to have become the best fishing grounds for the varieties here named. A mighty catch of white perch was made one day recently near Edenton.

The other day Ernest Haywood of Colington, one of the most successful and hardworking fishermen in the area, and who has recently moved his operations to the head of the sound, made a tremendous haul of fish. He caught 100 boxes—10,000 pounds at the site of the old Capehart Fishery, which is on the west shore between the Roanoke and Cashie Rivers.

It may be this new change in the habits of fish brought on by the changes in tide and salt content of the water will cause a revolution in the fishing industry. It appears now that rock fish or striped bass must be found farther upstream, along with many other varieties. The situation may call for new studies in the habits of fish, and new regulations in taking them.

It hasn't been so many years since crabs have been looked upon in North Carolina as one of the greatest evils to beset fishermen. They had no commercial value, and they destroyed many fish and many nets whenever they became ensnared in them.

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a nephew, Capt. Aubrey Rogers, U.S.A., who flew from Denver, Col., in time for the funeral.

Funeral services for Mr. Rogers were conducted Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the residence, Rev. D. J. Reid, pastor of the City Road Methodist Church officiating, assisted by Dr. Robert W. Kicklighter, pastor of the Blackwell Memorial Baptist Church.

Active pallbearers were, Lindberg Holmes, Parker Midgette, Tom Boswell, Baxter Gray, Matthew White, and U. D. Johnson. Burial followed in Old Hollywood cemetery.

Gregory, champion fishermen of this community, are on a fishing trip to the beach.

Miss Tizzieg Tillet and Miss Soliva Sawyer are visiting Miss Junie Etta Jones in Vinegar Hill. Miss Larkileen Lewis of Bay Level has returned home after visiting Miss Ospreylyta Owens.

Miss Bozie Berry recently visited Miss Wandaleena Williams in Vinegar Hill.

SURPRISE PARTY FOR MISS MARGARET PEARCE

On Sunday, July 10, Misses Mabel Jean Basnight and Janice Scarborough gave Miss Margaret Pearce a surprise birthday party at Miss Basnight's home in Manteo, following the Lost Colony performance.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the honoree, hostesses and the following guests: Montague Pennystone, Billy and Bobby Tugwell, Roy Gray, Steve Outerbridge, Lawrence Swain, Jr., James Stillman, Raymond Wescott, Jr., Jackie Cox, Davis Ballance, Mearl Meekins, Jr. Dotty Crumpacker, Janet Wescott, Helen Baum, Thelma Jean Williams, Lois Petersen, Anne Dowdy, Sandra Beavers, McCoy Tillet, Jr., and Joseph Hayes.

MORE HOURS TO VISIT CAPE HATTERAS LIGHT

Superintendent Allyn F. Hanks of Cape Hatteras National Seashore announces a new schedule of hours for public visitation at Cape Hatteras Lighthouse. Effective July 18, 1955, the 85 year old structure will be open from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. each day of the week.

Superintendent Hanks stated that due to improved ferry service across Oregon Inlet and much wider public interest shown during the past year, it is felt the new schedule will offer greater opportunity to the visiting public to ascend this historic structure than was previously possible.

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of him were found in the tidal salt marshes along the shores of Pamlico sound where wind tides, with no fresh water falling, have provided perfect breeding conditions.

Hastily-made contacts with the State Board of Health, the Attorney General's office, and with the county governing authorities in Manteo disclosed no way around the law's provision that it is not lawful to kill mosquitos on any piece of land without the owner's written consent.

The problem here is complicated by the fact that not even the National Park Service, after more than three years intensive search, has been able to establish the lawful ownership of a lot of land on Hatteras Island and the Navy Department can not summons its mosquito-killers and put them to work without the express permission of every landowner on the Island.

Some of the worst breeding places are owned by the State Board of Education and it is lawful for anybody who has the equipment and purpose to kill mosquitos there. But if one smear of mosquito poison falls on a privately owned mosquito, who ever loosed the poison is liable for civil action for so doing.

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GLIMPSES OF THE PAST By CAROLYN LLOYD

Last week while in Goldsboro, I was talking with a couple who, upon learning that I live in Belhaven, began to reminisce about a period that they spent in Hyde County some years ago.

I don't remember the exact year that they were there, but it must have been about 1916. At any rate, things were very different then. Mrs. Porter laughingly told of her experience when leaving Swan Quarter to go to Virginia for the Christmas holidays.

Looking back, Mrs. Porter said, that trip seemed like a terrible hardship; but at the time, it didn't seem like anything so far out of the ordinary. From there the conversation went to how easily we become accustomed to the things that make life easier and how fortunate we are in this time.

Others present began to reminisce about how in their mothers' time house-keeping was a full-time job for any woman.

I heard for the first time of how every housewife worthy of the name made sure that her beds were free from the vermin once so dreaded. It seems that the standard procedure was to whip egg whites, stir in nitrate of silver, and then go into every crack and crevice with a feather dipped in the mixture.

I have an idea that one day someone will reflect that it must have been pretty tough in the days before every house was air conditioned. To someone flying in a

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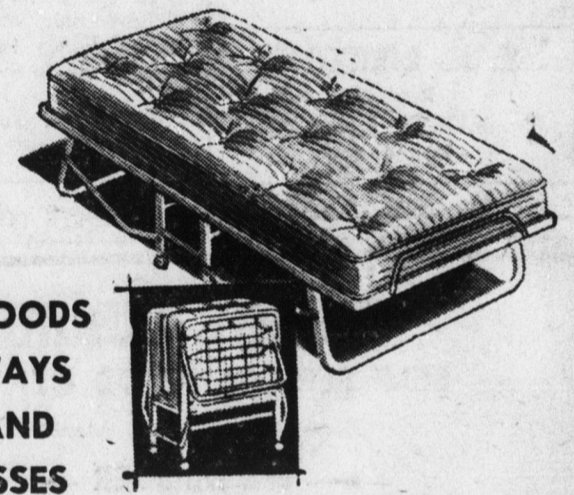


few minutes from Swan Quarter to Belhaven, Mrs. Porter's trip in the ancient Ford will seem even more primitive and laughable than it does now.

One thing, though, I hope will never seem old-fashioned — the friendliness and kindness of people such as that the Porters remembered from their stay in this section.

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CATFISH CORNER PERSONALS

Miss Arbutus Austin has returned to her home in Bay Level after visiting Miss Torso Toler. Miss Tempest Twiddy of Cat Cove has been visiting Miss Dinah Flo Dowdy. Miss Cassie Rola Carter of Low Bush has been visiting Miss Came-sola Cahoon.

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