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FISHERMEN NOW CONSIDERED AS FARMERS OF SEA

Association Disturbed By Stream Pollution and Beach **Erosion Dangers**

New Bern. - A new classification of commercial fishermen came out of the annual meeting of the North Carolina Fisheries Association here on Monday night. There was complete agreement that commercial fishermen are "Farmers of the Sea" so far as the proposal of the State Tax Study Commission to impose a sales tax on their purchases of fuel oil, engines, machinery, rigging and equipment is concerned.

That interpretation, advanced by Association Attorney John Rodman, had the support of the several members of the 1957 General Assembly present at the dinner meeting. Legislators present were Senator Edward L. Owens of Plymouth. and Representatives Sam L. Whitehurst of New Bern. Thomas J. White of Kinston, D. G. Bell of Morehead City, Ned Delamar of Oriental, and L. H. Ross of Washington.

Rodman told the Fisheries Association that Governor Luther Hodges was very sympathetic to the classification of commercial fishermen as "farmers" of the coastal waters when he presented that interpretation to him recently. A farmer is exempt from sales tax, except the 1/20 of 1 per cent manufacturers tax, on all working equipment that generally has moving parts. Rodman said, "Commercial fishermen are entitled to the same consideration as farmers. Otherwise there is discrimination. I believe that this interpretation will appeal to the Legislature, as well as to Governor Hodges."

A possible threat to North Carolina's \$10,500,000 fishing industry also received close scrutiny from the fishermen in a speech by E. C Hubbard, executive secretary of

the N. C. Stream Sanitation Committee, and in a lengthy question and answer period following the of the church for Juniors and In- Place," speech.

Hubbard explained the recommendations and waste handling engaging in various interesting four of the 32 books on the New promptly a 1 p.m. All persons inprocedures set up by the Commit- activities, they work towards recogtee to prevent the pollution of the nized goals of achievement. The Neuse River in the vicinity of girls climb up their Forward Steps New Bern, following the beginning of operation of the kraft paper ed Queens. The boys pass from mill proposed near there. rank of Page to Squire to Knight circulated. See FISHERMEN, Page Four

tion must be learned of missionary DARE TOURIST BUREAU knowledge, Bible knowledge, de-DIRECTORS DISCUSSED nominational information, etc.

ON LIBRARY SHELVES New Books Arriving, Opera News Comes As Gift; Monday The library in Manteo is now displaying the current magazines that feature North Carolina. Tops for local publicity is Aycock Brown's article in this week's "The State," titled "The Mighty Midgetts." It relates in words and pictures, this family's heroic deeds on the Outer Banks. In the same issue, W. B. Wright describes the new Croatan bridge with photo by Aycock Brown. The February "Holiday" and the January "Out-

THE LOST COLONY

NEW DIRECTOR OF

Burnet M. Hobgood, head of the drama and speech department of brary reading room. Catawba College, Salisbury, is the which opens for its 17th season in opera of the week, and an article near Manteo on Saturday, June 29. of "Opera News," a gift subscrip-His predecessors as directors of the tion to the library from Mrs. Paul Green play since 1937 have Thomas Chears, Jr. Another magincluded the late Professor Fred- azine of general interest is "The erick H. Koch and Dr. Sam Selden Consumer's Report" for February

lina drama department, and in re- car and a description of 1957 telecent years Clifton Britton of the vision sets and record changers. er missionaries and he was born and Information Please are useful to midnight. in the Belgian Congo, Africa. His reference books. "Life in Britain" previous outdoor theatre exper- by J. D. Scott is one of the most ience has included work with Wil- readable and clear explanations of derness Road, another Paul Green British institutions and customs to appear lately. "Twilight for the play presented in Berea, Ky. Gods" by Gann is a Literary Guild

BAPTIST YOUTH GROUPS SHARE IN IMPRESSIVE PROGRAM IN MANTEO part of the world. "Son of Dust"

by H. F. M. Prescott has received Manteo Baptist Church was the high praise from reviewers and scene of a G. A., R. A. Recognition will probably make the Best Seller Service Sunday night, Jan. 27 dur- list. Other best sellers - in fact, ing the evening service.

may be found sooner or later on of Conservation and Development's Girls Auxiliary and Royal Amthe library shelves-are "Peyton commerce and industry division. bassadors are youth organizations termediates. Besides studying missionary and other programs and

"Fountain Overflows," "The Tribe that Lost Its Head," way at 9'a.m. with registration of and "The Philadelphian." All but those attending and will end York Times list have either been received or are on order. The new schedule for Mondays

selection. "The Lighthearted

fascinating excursion to an exotic

from maidens to ladies-in-waiting, from 9 to 9 is meeting with public ium. to princesses and finally are crown- approval. This week's visitors R. numbered 12, and 22 books were

and finally to Ambassador. To achieve these goals much informa- HYDE GIRL SPONSOR

OF PRE-INAUGURAL BALL

MANTEO, N. C., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1957

GOVERNOR LUTHER HODGES' INAUGURATION NEXT WEEK GRASS ROOTS OPERA FAMILY PARTY HONORS SPONSORED BY MANY LOCAL CIVIC CLUBS

> Civic clubs are taking an unprecedented interest in the presentation this year of the Grass Roots Opera Company, which will perform in Manteo on February 14 Cimarosa's 'The Secret Marriage." Spearheaded by the Roanoke Island Music Club with Mrs. Thomas Chears, Jr., as chairman of the opera committee, the sponsorship of the opera has been taken over by local clubs, and the evening's entertainment. promises to be a sellout. Each club has purchased tickets for high school students, in order that as many students as possible may see the opera. The following list shows

the grades in school and the sponsors: Manteo school, 12th grade, Manteo Lions Club; 11th grade,

Wanchese Masons; 10th grade, Wanchese Ruritans; ninth grade, Manteo Rotary Club; 8th grade, Manteo PTA; Wanchese school, eighth grade, Wanchese PTA; Kitty Hawk PTA.

Contributions have been received also from the Roanoke Island Gar- cake was the highlight of the dinemonies, and following this a series den Club, the Manteo Woman's ner.

> Other clubs have been contacted but not yet heard from. Tickets, sold door-to-door this year, by eith- B. B. Mann, and Mr. Mann. She er school children or adults. Any- also visits with her other children, one wishing to secure tickets in who take turns in entertaining on advance of the performance may her birthday. do so at the COASTLAND TIMES Those press office.

> > Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Borum,

all of Portsmouth; Calvin Sawyer HEART FUND DRIVE of Norfolk; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sawyer, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Etheridge, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ward, Diana Lee Ward and Byron Sawyer, all of Manteo.

TRAFFIC CASES PREVAIL IN DARE RECORDER'S COURT

Traffic cases prevailed in Dare Recorders Court Tuesday of this

PLANS AFOOT FOR FESTIVITIES

APRIL 26, 27, 28

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and the second

MRS. SAWYER SATURDAY

Mrs. Alethia Sawyer, who reach

Pirates Jamboree Committeemen Meet at Nags Head Sunday

The several committee members who have to do with plans for the Dare Coast Pirates Jamboree, scheduled to launch the vacation season during three days of celebrating beginning on April 26, will meet in the Pine Room of the Carolinian Hotel Sunday, February 3, at 1:30 o'clock. Committee members from all parts of the county have been advised of this meeting and all sectors from Kitty Hawk and Roanoke Island to Buxton and Hatteras are expected to be present.

Already much preliminary work has been done in connection with the Jamboree plans, including noticeable feature on the faces of ed her 83rd birthday Saturday, those who will grow beards. Other Dare men have indicated they plan January 26, was guest of honor that evening at a dinner party at to begin sprouting beards during

the home of her son-in-law and early February. Tom Briggs of The Croatan Hodaughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. tel will be in charge of bringing out Mann, in Portsmouth, Va. The a souvenir program for the 3rd antable was centered with an ar- nual Jamboree and he stated this week that at least one pre-Jamborangement of yellow chrysantheree event, the official dedication of mums and a decorated birthday the new Croatan Sound bridge, set for Thursday, April 25, would be featured. The Souvenir Program

this year will carry favorable com-Mrs. Sawyer, who is the widow of the late M. D. Sawyer of East Lake, was before marriage Miss Lake, was before marriage Miss

A tentative day-by-day program both adult and student, will be on Alethia Sanderlin of East Lake. of the coming Jamboree will be sale at the door on the night of She presently makes her home in announced following the Sunday the performance. No tickets will be Portsmouth with a daughter, Mrs. meeting. W. H. McCown and Scotty Gibson of Hatteras, will have leading roles in the Sunday meeting. They are president and vicepresident of Dare County Tourist Those present for the occasion Bureau, which is cooperating in a

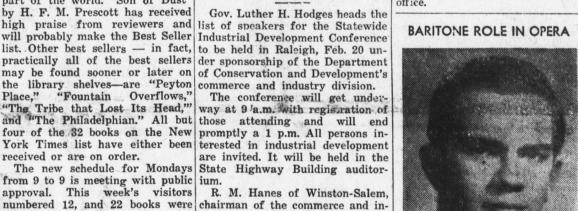
were Mrs. Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. public relations and publicity way H. D. Mann, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. with the Jamboree. Mann, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. B. B.

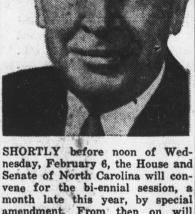
DURING FEBRUARY

Mrs. J. Gordon Kellogg of Manteo will be chairman of the county-wide Heart Fund drive, it has been announced. Serving with Mrs. Kel-logg will be Ralph Swain, co-chair-

man for Manteo, and John H. Long as treasurer. Community chairmen throughout the county will be nam-

ed next week. The Dare County Heart Associaweek. One of the most costly was tion, which is a chapter of the that in which Ester Daniels Govan American Heart Association, will was charged with reckless driving conduct its annual fund-raising when her late model Pontiac col- drive from February 1 through 28. lided with Clyde Hassell, Chevro- The campaign will reach a peak let pick-up truck, resulting in con- on Heart Sunday, February 24,





board" also contain pictures and text of this area. Those who do not have these magazines in the nesday, February 6, the House and home may enjoy them in the li-Senate of North Carolina will con-Music lovers will find the story

new director of The Lost Colony of Wagner's "Die Walkure," the amendment. From then on will transpire for two days a series of Waterside Theatre at Fort Raleigh on Brunnhilde in the latest issue events honoring Governor and Mrs. Luther Hodges, and the inaugura-tion of the Governor, and office taking of other officials. On Thursday at 11 a.m. military honors will ty Hawk school, eighth grade, Kitbe rendered the Governor and Mrs. of the University of North Caro- with articles on how to buy a used Hodges, who will be escorted to the Raleigh auditorium for the cer-

Goldsboro High School Goldmas-quers. Hobgood is the son of form-rived. The 1957 World Almanac shows and balls which will last up of Commerce.

HOW TO GET MORE INDUSTRIES THEME OF MEET FEB. 20

Quest" by Ann Bridge provides a Statewide Conference in Raleigh to Seek Expansion in State

dustry committee of the State

Board of Conservation and Devel-

The general theme of the con-

Hanes said the purpose of the

ference is: "How to Get More In-

conference is "to consider effective

practices, and share experiences, in

the effort to attract desirable new

pansion of home industries."

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Study Commission.

College, Raleigh.

ment Assn., Inc.

State Vocational Education.

The last Statewide conference of

Keep America Green

PREVENT FOREST FIRES

periods to follow each talk.

opment, will preside.

lustry."

ORGANIZATION'S WORK aid growth of Christian character.

Dare County Tourist Bureau directors meeting in Manteo on Wednesday discussed the organization's activities during the past several months and plans for making 1957 one of the greatest vacation seasons in the history of this coastal area. Financial problems, of the bureau, at this time of the year, usually at a low ebb, were also discussed.

Members of the Board, cognizant of a steady increase of public relations and publicity activity as a new calendar year begins, heard more about it from the manager and news director in his report.

A larger work load was shown in an unprecedented number of inquiries from persons in many states who plan to spend vacations in this region. "There has been an increasing number of inquiries from persons asking about family vacations," said Manager Aycock Brown.

He gave as an example of this fact the current inquiry list which at present. Some 75 percent of more than 200 persons seeking information in the last 10 days of January, indicated they were inter- Frank White, Mrs. Jimmy Groce, ested in family accommodations. Most of them asked about cottage rentals or cottage courts, but many also were equally interested in hotels, motels and restaurants.

Two new Board members are A1vah Ward Jr. and Moncie Daniels, ing but Daniels was unable to attend due to other commitments. The Tourist Bureau was set up night.

primarily as a public relations and publicity organization so there are plans underway to change the system of mailing out inquiry lists which are valuable for operators the town. More information next who seek new business, yet cost considerably more to prepare and mail than some of the operators pay into the bureau each year to help keep it operating. The new plan will go in effect in Spring.

A legislative committee was ap-pointed namely Melvin R. Daniels, Martin Kellogg Jr., and Archie composed of Burrus, Chairman Mcthe treasurere was re-appointed.

The counselor for the G. A.'s is Mrs. Dorian Quidley, assisted by Mrs. Robert Shannon. The Youth Director is Mrs. W. E. Cholerton. The counselor for the R. A.'s is Roy King, assisted by the paster. The service was held by candlelight. Against a background of white, a large globe and Bible were centrally placed. From the globe on one side long streamers of green

white, and yellow, the G. A.'s See BAPTISTS, Page Four

WANT TO HAVE FUN? WANT TO LAUGH?

If you want to have a barrel of fun and a lot of laughs, then be sure to come to the basketball games on Saturday, February 9. There will be three games and they will be sponsored by the MYF of Mount Olivet Methodist Church. The games will begin at 7:30 and

dmission will be 25 and 50 cents. The first game will be between some of the renowned stars of forgoes to all vacation spot operators mer basketball teams against a group of Manteo girls, members of today's basketball team. Among the ladies playing will be Mrs. Mrs. Ellsworth Midgett Jr., Mrs. Edward Wescott, Mrs. Coy Tillett, Mrs. Raymond Wescott, Mrs. Wally

> Mrs. Dennis Evans, Mrs. John Jr. Coaches for the ladies' team will be Nita Parker and Mabel Bas-

two Little League teams. The third ice, and held membership in the game will be a "Shortie vs. Longies" game among the men of

FILM ON PLANT FEEDING FOR MANTEO GARDEN CLUB

week.

The Roanoke Island Garden Club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. one brother, Ray Pigott, of Al J. Crumpacker near Manteo on Ohio, and nine grandchildren. Thursday, February 7, at 2:30 p.m.,



Miss Doris Kathryn Tunnel quay Springs. of New Holland and Raleigh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Tunnell of New Holland, who will be a sponsor in the Pre-Inaugural Ball to be held in the Memorial merce Executives, Inc., Albemarle. Auditorium in Raleigh on February 6, 1957. Tax Changes Will Help Industrial

"CAPT." M. M. PIGOTT DIES IN NORFOLK HOSPITAL

Melville Marvin Pigott, 78, died Thursday morning of last week at Mrs. Raymond wescott, Mrs. Wany McCown, Mrs. Buddy Cannady, Mrs. Dan Cannady, Mrs. Elmer R. Midgett, Mrs. Clarence Beals, a lifelong resident of Straits, Carteret County, N. C. He was the Jr. Ward was present at the meet- Long and Mrs. R. D. Sawyer, husband of Mrs. Catherine Nelson Pigott and the son of John Augustus and Mrs. Martha Pake Pigott. He retired from the U.S. Coast The second game will be between Guard in 1936 after 30 years' serv-

Masonic Order and the Tabor Methodist Church, Strait. In addition to his wife, he is

this type was held here in Decemsurvived by four sons, Glen and ber, 1955, and drew several hun-Roma Pigott, both of Strait, and dreds persons from all parts of Horace and Dallas Pigott, both of North Carolina. Southport, N. C.; two sisters, Mrs.

Eugene Davis of Marshalburg, and Mrs. Pauline Wade of Williamston; one brother, Ray Pigott, of Akron,

"Capt." Pigott, as he was known Burrus. The executive committee, is the announcement of Mrs. Lena along this coast, had served as of-W. Pearsall, program chairman. ficer in charge of Coast Guard Cown and Mrs. Elizabeth Baum, The showing of a color-sound film Stations in Dare and in Currituck, on feeding and pest control for as well as in other counties. He report of Tourist Bureau finances. Various members were designated See TOURISTS, Page Four



industries and encourage the ex-KEITH ALAN COTA, BASS BARITONE, will appear in the Gov. Hodges will deliver the wel-National Grass Roots Opera Comcoming address at 9:30 following pany's production of THE SECRET he invocation by the Rev. James MARRIAGE, singing the role of M. Beckwith, president, Raleigh Geronimo. The attraction, which will be sponsored by the Roanoke Conference speakers have been Island Music Club, will be presentasked to limit their remarks to 15 ed at the Manteo School Auditorminutes, with 10 minute discussion ium on Feb. 14.

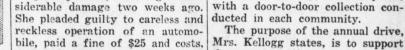
A native of Milwaukee, Wiscon-Speakers and their subjects are: sin. Mr. Cota attended Marquette What Industry Looks for in Se-University, where he studied nulecting a New Location"—Alex C. Boisseau, manager, distribution transformer plant, General Elecclear physics for two terms. Deciding to become a singer, he enrolled at the Wisconsin College of Music from where he received his Bache-"How My Community Has Benelor of Music degree. He has a wide fited by Industrial Development" experience in church and oratorio -Tom Proctor, businessman, Fusinging, and has sung leading roles with the Florentine Opera "How Communities Should Pre-Company, the Milwaukee Chamber pare for New Industries"-Glenn Opera and the Waukesha Opera E. Taylor, president, North Caro-Guild. This is his first season with lina Assn. of Chamber of Com-Grass Roots Opera.

"How Proposed North Carolina **BENEFIT CARD PARTY** IN MANTEO MONDAY NIGHT Development"-Brandon P. Hodges,

Asheville, chairman, State Tax The Woman's Club will have a benefit card party Monday night, February 4, at 8 o'clock in the "The Part Colleges and Universities Play in Industrial Develop-Community Building in Manteo. Prizes, both door and table, will ment"- Malcolm E. Campbell. Dean, Textile School, N. C. State be given; refreshments served. Proceeds of the card party, will be "Plans for the Expansion of Vodonated to the Scholarship Fund cational-Technical Training" - J which the Woman's Club maintains Warren Smith, Raleigh, director, for a student at the local high school. Tickets may be purchased "The Importance of Area Develfrom a club member or at Fearopment and Cooperation"-Archie ing's, or Tarkington's store at the K. Davis, Winston-Salem, director, door. Everyone is invited to attend Northwest North Carolina Developand play games of their choice.

RECITAL TUESDAY NIGHT

The Roanoke Island Music Club will present Mrs. Victor Meekins of Manteo in a recital of piano music on Tuesday evening, Februvember. ary 5, at 8:30 at the home of Mrs. Rennie Williamson in Manteo. Anyone who wishes to attend, as



bile, paid a fine of \$25 and costs, and \$50 damage to the Hassell the association's research, lay and truck.

professional education, and com-Ike Twiddy, Manns Harbor, reckmunity service programs. Research less and careless operation of mo- is the primary weapon in the attor vehicle; fine of \$25 and costs. tack on the heart problem, she Calbert Lockwood Gray of pointed out. An average of 40 percent of all funds raised by the Stumpy Point, operating motor vehicle with improper license plates, Heart Association throughout the and with improper equipment, (no country last year was allocated to tail lights) guilty; (Possession and scientists and scientific research.

AT ST. ANDREWS SUNDAY

The Rev. A. C. D. Noe of Bath

will conduct Holy Communion serv-

ices at St. Andrews-by-the-Sea

Episcopal Church on Sunday

morning, February 3, at 11 o'clock,

it was announced today by Gordon

It was under the leadership of

the Rev. Mr. Noe that St. Andrews

became a year-around place of

worship for Dare Episcopalians.

He remains as priest-in-charge of

the church this winter although he

is in retirement status. The Bishop

of the Diocese, Rt. Rev. Thomas

H. Wright and the Church Vestr 7-

exploding fire crackers, dismissed) guilty, Judgment: pay fines of \$5 and \$5 and cost. Also for failing to stop at stop-sign fine of \$5 and

REV. A. C. D. NOE OF BATH costs.

Norman Stanley Ward. Operating without operator's license (license had expired). Plea-Gulity: fine of \$25 and court costs. Charlie Hugh Bost, Richmond, Va. Failing to stop at stop-sign; fine of \$5 and costs.

Kellogg, in charge of the Church's Ruford Denny Daniels, operating vestry. On his Dare visit, the Rev. motor vehicle without operator's Mr. Noe will be accompanied by license and speeding 70 miles per Mrs. Noe and they will visit comhour; fines of \$25 and \$15 and municants of the church, especially court costs. those who are ill, while on this Luther Bruce Outlaw, appearing monthly visit.

on State highway in a drunken condition. Plea-Guilty, fine of \$25 and court costs. Ralph Garland O'Neal, speeding 70 miles per hour, \$15 and costs. William Gilbert Burbham, 70 miles per hour and passing on hill, fines of \$15 and \$5 and costs.

men are now in negotiations with SMALL BOY DROWNS IN a minister who may soon become CANAL AT HATTERAS rector and priest in charge of St.

Andrews. Funeral and burial took place On Sunday, Dick Jordan will re-Thursday at Powells Point for turn as organist at St. Andrews David Lee Waterfield, 4-year-old after being away last week end son of Mr. and Mrs. Eris Water- when Mrs. Millie Ward Brown field of Hatteras, who was acci-dentally drowned Tuesday after-the organ. noon about 3 o'clock in a canal near

his home in Hatteras. He was born in Powells Point,

Currituck County and had been **ON WEST COAST AIRBASE** living at Hatteras since last No-

Fairchild Air Force Base, Wash.

Besides his parents, he is sur-(AHTNC) .- Sergeant First Class vived by his paternal grandpar-ents, Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Water- Mrs. Wallace Mustian, of Kill well as club members, is invited. field of Powells Point; his maternal Devli Hills, is a member of the This is one of a series of recitals grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry 10th Antiaircraft Artillery Missile being presented for the public this Daniels of Powells Point; two sis-year by the music club. Last month ters, Cora Louise and Rose Marie Base, Wash.

program of sacred music under the club's sponsorship. Waterfield of Hatteras; two broth-waterfield of Hatteras; two broth-ers, Eris, Jr. and Kenneth Nile Waterfield of Hatteras. has served in Japan.

