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HANKS DEPARTS FOR WASHINGTON POST; GIBBS IS SUCCESSOR

Park Service Supt. in Dare County Goes to Washington This Week

Allyn F. Hanks, for the past three and a half years superintendent of the Cape Hatteras National Seashore Recreation area in Dare and Hyde counties, relinquished the post this week to Robert F. Gibbs, and went to Washington, D. C., to Park Service headquarters and to a new position. Mr. Hanks was one of the most popular employees to come to Dare County with the Park Service, and he made many friends.

Before leaving, Mr. Hanks presented his successor, Robert F. Gibbs, to the Manteo Rotary Club, where Mr. Hanks had been an active and valued member. Mr. Gibbs is now on the job at Bodie Island, the project headquarters.

Allyn F. Hanks has been named to the newly-established position of Chief, Branch of Visitor Protection, in the Division of Ranger Activities, Washington (D. C.) office. He was superintendent of Cape Hatteras National Seashore Recreational Area and Fort Raleigh National Historic Site. His successor, Robert F. Gibbs, was assistant superintendent of Great Smoky Mountains National Park, North Carolina-Tennessee.

In his new post, Hanks will serve as one of two principal assistants to John M. Davis, Chief of the Ranger Activities Division. He will be concerned with the protection of park visitors, their safe and enjoyable use of park facilities, and the protection of the scenic, scientific, and historic values throughout the National Park System. Lawrence F. Cook, for some years the Service's chief forester, is the other principal assistant. He has headed the Branch of Park Forest and Wildlife Protection since the Division was established this year as successor to the former Conservation and Protection Branch.

Mr. Hanks joined the Service in 1928 as a park ranger in Yellowstone National Park. He served as chief park ranger at Grand Teton National Park, Wyoming, as superintendent of Theodore Roosevelt National Memorial Park, North Dakota, and assistant superintendent of Everglades National Park, Florida. He has been superintendent of Cape Hatteras and Fort Raleigh since March, 1954. A native of Logan, Utah, Hanks studied forestry and administrative management at Colorado State Agricultural College, the University of Montana and the University of Michigan. During 1942-45, he served with the U. S. Coast Guard on leave from the Park Service.

Mr. Gibbs takes over the superintendency of Cape Hatteras National Seashore Recreation Area on North Carolina's "outer banks" and of Fort Raleigh National Historic Site on nearby Roanoke Island at a strategic time when the Service's 10-year MISSION 66 program is getting underway there. Though some construction has been accomplished—including a modern day-use beach facility on Bodie Island, part of the Cape Hatteras area, and certain roads and parking areas—the planned development program is in a pioneering stage. Up to now, Superintendent Hanks has been largely concerned with necessary planning and research preparatory to the projected development of the unique seashore area to meet the contemplated visitation influx by 1966.

A native of Madison, Virginia, Gibbs is a graduate of Virginia Polytechnic Institute. He joined the National Park Service in 1934 in a supervisory capacity in Shenandoah National Park, Virginia, in connection with Civilian Conservation Corps work. Later he served at Shenandoah as a park ranger. After Army service, 1940-45—he was awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service by the United States Army and the Croix de Guerre by the French Army—he became chief park ranger at Shenandoah; then, assistant superintendent at Big Bend National Park, Texas, and superintendent of Isle Royal National Park, Michigan. He has been assistant superintendent of Great Smoky Mountains National Park since August, 1956.

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HOME ECONOMISTS WHO WILL CONDUCT COOKING CLASS



Miss Hilda Apple, left, and Mrs. Sylvia Matthews, right, Veeco home economists from Williamston and Elizabeth City, respectively, will be in charge of Dare County's cooking school next week. Both of these ladies are skilled in their field and will offer many timely hints to participants in the two-day function.



DRUNK AND DISORDERLY LEADS COURT DOCKET

Gethsemene Gallop of Manteo was found guilty Tuesday in Dare County Recorder's Court of trespassing with force upon the property of Thomas Golden and being drunk and disorderly; he was sentenced by Judge W. F. Baum to 60 days in jail, suspended upon payment of two fines totaling \$50 and the costs of court.

Paul Davenport of Manteo, on a charge of being drunk and disorderly amended to include interfering with an officer while in the performance of his duty in making an arrest, pleaded guilty to the drunkenness charge and was found guilty by the court on both counts and was given a 60-day sentence suspended upon payment of fines of \$35 and costs.

Buren Twiford of Stumpy Point, who had been charged with assaulting C. V. Gray, with the charge amended to assault with a deadly weapon, was found guilty of assault, but the charge of assault with a deadly weapon was dismissed; Twiford was given a 30-day sentence suspended upon payment of a \$25 fine and costs. He gave notice of appeal to Superior Court, and bond was set at \$100.

Found guilty of public drunkenness, Joseph Eugene Merriks of Kitty Hawk was sentenced to 30 days in jail, suspended upon payment of \$25 fine and costs.

The remaining cases on the docket submitted and paid fines as indicated: Willie Howard, Engelhard, hunting in Dare County with improper license—a county-resident license valid only in Hyde County, \$10 fine and costs.

James Webster Lee, careless and reckless driving, \$25 fine and costs.

Joseph Guy Hayes, Manteo, allowing an unlicensed operator to drive on public highway, \$25 fine and costs.

Luther Mayo Mann, Manteo, improper equipment—horn, wiper, See COURT, Page Eight

FIRST DARE CO. COOKING SCHOOL NOVEMBER 7 & 8

Sessions to Be Sponsored by Veeco in Cooperation With Local Electrical Dealers

Dare County's first annual cooking school will get underway next week, with two 1½-hr. sessions on Thursday and Friday. The school is being conducted by home economists of the Virginia Electric & Power Co., and co-sponsored by the local firms of Quinn's, Fearing's, Inc. and Manteo Furniture Co.

This school is to be held in the Manteo High School auditorium Thursday, Nov. 7, 7:30 til 9 p.m. Friday session will begin at 1:30 and last until 3 p.m.

Mrs. Sylvia Matthews of Elizabeth City and Miss Hilda Apple of Williamston, Veeco home economists, will be in charge of both sessions. Mrs. Matthews, who has been an employee of the power company for several years, has successfully conducted many such functions. Miss Apple, a recent graduate of East Carolina College in home economics, has been in the Veeco training program in Richmond until her recent assignment to Williamston.

A good attendance is anticipated. There is no admission charge, and a welcome is extended to all parts of the county. There will be several prizes of appliances, with a grand prize on Friday of a garbage disposal. These awards, plus the appliances for use during the school, are being furnished by the three sponsoring dealers.

EDENTON GLEE CLUB WILL SING IN MANTEO

How good music can be produced in the schools will be demonstrated Tuesday evening, November 5, when the Roanoke Island Music Club will present 14 members of the Edenton high school glee club under the direction of Mrs. Mary Leggett Browning, choral director for the Edenton high school. The glee club has a membership of 80, but only 14 will put on the program, which will include a variety of numbers.

This will take place in the educational building of Mount Olivet Methodist Church and will begin at 8:30. The public is invited to attend.

PAST MASTERS NIGHT AT MANTEO LODGE MONDAY

The past masters of Manteo Masonic lodge were honored Monday night at a special program. Roscoe Wynne of Elizabeth City was the guest speaker. The lodge's past masters honored were: Raymond White, Frank White, Hugh Basnight, Edwin Midgett, G. G. Bonner, Raymond Wescott, Robert Ballance, Belton Burrus, and Charlie O'Neal.



CHANNEL BASS A GOOD BET UNTIL DECEMBER FOR ANGLERS ON OUTER BANKS

By AYCOCK BROWN

Manteo.—From now until December, big prize winning channel bass will be the best bet for anglers fishing the surf of the Outer Banks. They will be caught from ocean piers at Nags Head to the flats of Portsmouth Island and Core Banks.

If this season does not set a different pattern most of the fish of this species will be hooked and landed from the surf of Hatteras and Ocracoke Islands with Cape Hatteras being the geographical center of this operation. In this area a long-time world record, a channel bass that scaled at 75½ pounds was caught by Capt. R. B. Ballance of Buxton, and each year, for many seasons about seven out of 10 national winners have been caught on a section of the ocean that mariners called "graveyard of the Atlantic."

It's hard to foretell weather conditions ideal for channel bass in the surf along the Outer Banks. Some of the largest are taken during the stormiest of weather, even in northeasters.

THREE SALVO CHANNEL BASS TOTAL 177½ POUNDS

Dick Austin of Salvo, reported Thursday that he had caught three channel bass, the largest a 61 pounder and the trio weighing 177½ pounds in the surf near his Outer Banks community on Wednesday night and Thursday morning. His 61 pounder is the largest of this species reported hooked by an angler and successfully landed this fall. He stated that the surf from the old wrecked ship boiler abreast Salvo, southward towards the Cape was literally alive with big channel bass.

WILDFOWL SEASON OPENING THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7th

The annual wildfowl shooting season will open Thursday of next week, Nov. 7th, and it will close on January 15th.

It carries the same bag limits on ducks and geese as last season. Principal hunting places along the coast, beside most all of Currituck County, are Rodanthe, Buxton, Hatteras in Dare County and Ocracoke in Hyde County.

Mattamuskeet Lake region continues to hold high place because of its easy accessibility by road. Many wildfowl have already appeared on the scene.

SOUTH ALBEMARLE GROUP GUESTS OF WASHINGTON CO.

Leon Ballance of Engelhard Named President; Lt. Gov. Barnhardt Speaker

Leon Ballance of Engelhard was elected President of the Southern Albemarle Association in its annual meeting at Plymouth Wednesday when the 200 delegates and visitors were guests of Washington County. The retiring president is T. Reynolds Spruill of Roper.

Mrs. Sally Fisher of Engelhard was named the new secretary.

Lt. Governor Luther Barnhardt was the speaker at the morning session, and he was introduced by State Senator Robert Cowen of Williamston. The invocation was by Rev. Paul B. Nickens, pastor of the Plymouth Baptist Church.

Former State Senator Carl Bailey of Plymouth was toastmaster at a luncheon served the visitors in the Methodist Church dining room.

Election of officers took place at the afternoon session in the Courthouse. New Vice-Presidents elected were: Dare County, M. L. Daniels, Jr. of Manteo; and Martin County, Ben Courtney of Williamston. Vice-presidents of the other four counties were re-elected.

Vice-presidents who served during the past year are as follows: W. S. White of Manns Harbor for Dare; W. J. White of Columbia for Tyrrell; Mrs. Scott Topping, Pantego, for Beaufort Co.; Robert Cowen of Williamston for Martin Co.; W. W. Watson of Lake Landing for Hyde; and H. W. Pritchett of Creswell for Washington. H. O. Chesson of Creswell served as Secretary the past year, and M. A. Matthews has been treasurer of the Association for 22 years.

Dare County, with 36 present, had the largest delegation of any of the counties Tuesday.

PLANS DISCUSSED FOR FIRST FLIGHT EVENT

During this age of intercontinental ballistic missiles and outer space satellites, a group met in Manteo Thursday morning to lay plans for celebrating the beginning of mechanical flight in a heavier-than-air machine. The group, headed by Miles Clark of Elizabeth City, represented members of Kill Devil Hills Memorial Society and included: Martin Kellogg, Dick Jordan, Alvah Ward, A. W. Drinkwater, Melvin Daniels and Aycock Brown of Manteo, Wade Marr of Elizabeth City, and David Stick of Colington.

"Complete details of the celebration on December 17, marking the 54th anniversary of the Wright Brothers first flight in 1903, will be announced in a few days," said Clark. Principal spokesman at the meeting was David Stick who is a member of the Society's special committee on plans for construction of additional attractions at Kill Devil Hills where the Wrights flew on December 17, 1903.

M. M. HAYMAN, NATIVE OF KITTY HAWK DIES MONDAY

Mary Mathias Hayman, 76, died Monday afternoon at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Edna Marie Hewitt, Virginia Beach Va., after an illness of several weeks.

A native of Dare County, he had resided at Grandy most of his life. He was the son of Henry and Mary F. Tillet Hayman and the husband of the late Mary Alice Rogers Hayman.

He was a retired Civil Service employe and a member of the Kitty Hawk Methodist Church.

He is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Mary Frances Outlaw, of Grandy, and Mrs. Edna Marie Hewitt, Mrs. Ola Jeannie Vannosttrand and Mrs. Bertha Mae Thompson, of Virginia Beach; four sons, Mathias Chapman Hayman, of Boston, Mass.; Larry Glenn Hayman and Norman Pierce Hayman, of Philadelphia, Pa.; and Frank Thomas Hayman, of Norfolk; three sisters, Mrs. Love Woodhouse, Mrs. Carrie Dowdy and Mrs. Alice Brothers, of Grandy; two brothers, Billy Hayman and Joe Hayman, of Coinjock; 13 grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Mt. Zion Methodist Church, Grandy, by the Rev. Robert Frost, pastor. Burial was in the Harris Cemetery near Jarvisburg.

ROTARIANS SEE COLORED SLIDES OF COAST SCENES

The program at the Manteo Rotary Club meeting Monday night consisted of the showing of numerous scenes in color of the North Carolina coastland as photographed by Rotarian Dan Morrill, well-known Manteo photographer. In addition there were scenes of wildfowl on Mattamuskeet Lake, and some views of N. C. mountain country.

Vice-President Aycock Brown presided in the absence of president Ernest Meekins.

MUCH IMPROVEMENT BEING SHOWN BY MANTEO HIGH'S GRIDDERS



MANTEO HIGH SCHOOL'S FOOTBALL TEAM

Weeksville the Manteo griders rallied in the final minutes of the game to win 14-13, and then on Oct. 4 on the Manteo field the Redskins turned in an impressive performance by scoring twice in the opening minutes of the game, going on to win 32-7. The team won its third victory of the year October 11 in their second conference game. They edged out a 13-12 win in a nip-and-tuck battle with Windsor.

Weeksville the Manteo griders

In the past two weeks, they have been considerably weakened by the loss of 11 of the above pictured players, and lost to Central 51-27 and then to Hertford 40-7. Members of the team pictured here are, left to right: front row, Horace Hooper, Jr., Jimmy McLeod, Dixie Daniels, Robert Cholerton, Raymond Wescott, Jr., Lawrence Swain, Jr., and Wayne Gray; second row, Lionel Shannon, Arnold Tolson, Merrill Winslow,

Jeffrey Midgett, Gus Etheridge,

Jr., Jack Wood, Guy Daniels, and Coach Ayers; third row: Billy Monette, Jake Midgett, Ralph Jones, J. B. Basnight, John Earle Jr., Larry Holmes, Wayne Dowdy, Mike Keller; back row, Hughes Tillet, St. Clair Basnight, Jr., Robert Midgett, Billy Brown, Tommy Foster, and Gary Meekins. Other members of the team not pictured are Mike Jones and Charles Reber. (Photo by Pratt Williamson, Jr.)

HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL IN MANTEO IS POSTPONED

The Halloween carnival scheduled in Manteo for Thursday, October 31, has been postponed until Monday, November 4, because of inclement weather and a large amount of illness in the community. The carnival will begin at 5:30 Monday afternoon on the school grounds, and the indoor entertainment, including costume judging, etc., will begin in the auditorium at 7:15.