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## \$596.61 COLLECTED IN CAMPAIGN MON. FOR DARE LIBRARY

Additional Pledge from Rep.  
Herbert Bonner In Amount  
of \$100

The Dare County Friends of the library collected \$596.61 in their launching "pin it on the line" project Monday to begin a campaign to build a new library in Manteo.

This project is the first of a series being sponsored by the group in order to raise enough money to buy property and construct a modern new library facility for the county.

In addition to the money raised Monday, U. S. Representative Herbert Bonner has contacted the group and pledged a \$100, contribution which will boost the beginning amount to almost \$700.

The highest contributor Monday was former state representative R. Bruce Ethridge who donated \$100 to the cause.

Mrs. Hal Ward, County Librarian, commented yesterday, "I am very pleased with the project. The friends of the library is a hard working group who are doing a lot of good."

"I think George Quidley, who was Master of Ceremonies Monday, did an excellent job. I feel like he was responsible for getting a lot of money. He really worked hard."

Rev. Joseph Burroughs, who is president of the Friends of the Library, also did a lot of work on the project. He organized it and worked like a beaver all the way through."

Mrs. Ward added, "I am proud of the fine spirit of cooperation and interest shown by the group and I am proud of the fine response of the citizens and visitors who contributed."

Mrs. Ward noted that the bill placed in downtown Manteo to be kept up to date by filling the squares as additional money collected in order to let the public know how the campaign is progressing.

The next project sponsored by the Friends of the Library for the campaign will be a garden party with entertainment by members of the Lost Colony cast. The event is scheduled for Sunday, August 13, at Roanoke Island Gardens.

Following this the library will hold a book sale in late August. Books for the sale have been donated by local citizens interested in the library and library officials are expecting more to be donated before the sale.

## THE WARRENS VACATION AT KILL DEVIL HILLS

State Senator and Mrs. Lindsay Warren after spending a week at the Croatan Motor Lodge at Kill Devil Hills left Sunday morning for their home in Washington. The Warrens have been spending a week here each summer for many years. Mr. Warren went fishing at Oregon Inlet one day last week with his old friend Jepp Harris, when they caught upwards of 100 blue fish. Many of his friends of many years standing came to visit, and he went to the Kill Devil Hills postoffice nearly every day. When Congress, Mr. Warren caused the postoffice to be set up at Kill Devil Hills and he recommended Mrs. Irene Lewark Twiford as the postmaster.

## STUMPY POINT WOMAN GETS WELFARE POST

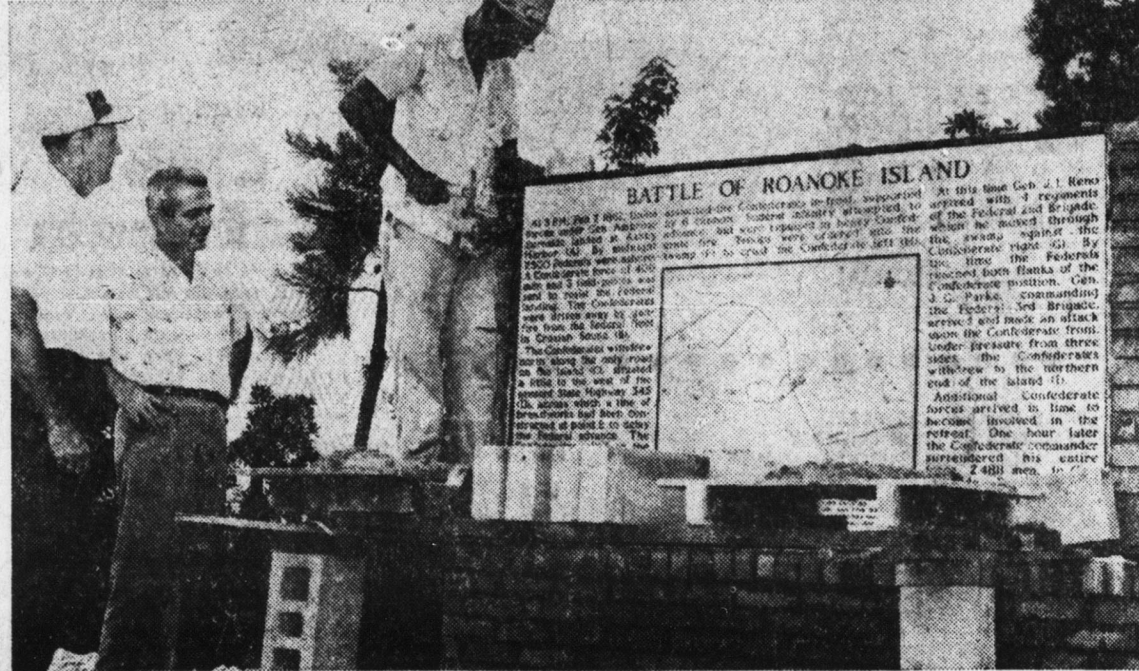
Mrs. Grace Hooper of Stumpy Point was sworn in Thursday morning as a member of the Dare County Public Welfare Board to replace George Daniels of Wanchese. She will serve for 3 years.

Daniels is leaving the three member board following a two-year period of membership. Other members of the Welfare Board are L. L. Swain, a member of the Dare Board of Commissioners, and Rany Jennette of Buxton. Mrs. Hooper was appointed by the other two members of the board. One of the other members was appointed by the state and the other was appointed by the Dare County Board of Commissioners, according to procedure. A third member is always appointed by the other two.

## SWAIN SERVES AS CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

Temperature will average a few degrees above normal with afternoon highs between 86 and 88 degrees and morning lows 74 and 76 degrees. Skies will continue partly cloudy with a few afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Winds will be generally southerly from 5 to 15 knots. Good fishing weather indicated.

## NORTH CAROLINA'S FIRST CENTENNIAL MARKER ERECTED ON ROANOKE ISLAND



FIRST OF SEVERAL CIVIL WAR CENTENNIAL markers to be placed at battle sites in North Carolina was erected this week on Roanoke Island near the intersection of U. S. Highways 64-264 and N. C. 158 close by the traffic dividers at former George Hale Quidley's Corner. Inscribed on the marker is the history of the Civil War events taking place on Roanoke Island along with a map showing the location of various sites. The site of the first marker is at the location of Fort Russell. Supervising erection of the sign and shown at left in picture are Linwood Cuthrell of the Rotary Club's centennial committee and Ralph Swain, who as chairman of the Dare Civil War Centennial has been most responsible for acquisition of markers and planning of programs to tie in with the anniversary of the battles here and on Hatteras. He is chairman of the State and County local commission. (Aycock Brown Photo)

## BONNER STATES PLANS FOR COMING YEAR

Congressman Herbert Bonner, Representative from the First District, announced Monday that he plans to run for reelection in this district next year.

Bonner made the announcement in reply to rumors that he has been chosen to chair the new Federal Maritime Commission which Congress is expected to establish.

The rumors, according to a recent News and Observer report, were prompted by the fact that Representative Bonner has been the long-time head of the House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee and has held hearings on the new commission proposal.

Bonner, a 70-year-old Washington, N. C. native who is serving his twelfth term in Congress, commented, "I will serve out the remainder of this term of Congress and will be a candidate for renomination in the May primary of next year."

## NEWCOMERS MUST MAKE APPLICATION FOR SCHOOL

Newcomers to Dare County are reminded by the Dare County School Board and the Superintendent of Dare County Schools that one of the parents of school age children must, under North Carolina's Pupil Assignment Plan, make application in the office of the Superintendent to Dare County Schools for assignment of their children to a school or schools before a child may be enrolled.

## MISS CRUMPACKER IS LOST COLONY'S ARTIST



MISS BESSIE CRUMPACKER, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Crumpacker of Manteo, has aided materially in making the current season of The Lost Colony very successful to date. She is employed at the drama's business office and divides her time between stenographic and art work. Here she is shown putting the finishing touches to an advertising placard for the show. A native of Durham and a graduate of Converse College, Spartanburg, S. C., Miss Crumpacker studied art at the Philadelphia Museum College of Art. Last winter she taught English at the Ocoee (Fla.) High School and after the Lost Colony season she will enter Duke University to do graduate work in English. (Aycock Brown Photo)

## HATTERAS INLET FERRY CHANGES ANNOUNCED

The North Carolina State Highway Commission announced changes in the late afternoon and early morning ferry trips across Hatteras Inlet this week.

According to the new schedule the first ferry will leave Hatteras at 5 a.m. and the last ferry will leave Hatteras for Ocracoke in the afternoon at 5 p.m. Formerly the first ferry from Hatteras to Ocracoke ran at 4 a.m. and the last ferry left at 6 p.m.

Leaving Ocracoke, the first morning trip will be at 6 a.m. and the last afternoon trip will leave at 6 p.m. Under the old schedule the first trip from Ocracoke began at 5 a.m. and the last trip in the afternoon left at 7 p.m.

These hours, according to the Commission, will be in effect until the regular winter ferry schedule comes into effect. There have been no changes in the State's other ferries.

## CALLED AWAY BY TRAGEDY

Marvin H. Huston of South Nags Head was called last week end to of a nephew, 11-year-old Tommy Beulaville by the accidental death Dean Houston, who was killed while driving a tractor on his father's farm. The accident took place Friday and funeral services were conducted Saturday. The little boy was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Houston of Beulaville.

## ENTERTAINMENT AUGUST 13 FOR LIBRARY BENEFIT

Lost Colony Cast Members Providing Fund-Raising Event at R. I. Gardens

Members of the Lost Colony cast will present a garden party and provide entertainment at a benefit project for the Dare County Library Building Fund Sunday August 13. The event, scheduled for 3:30 p.m., will take place at the Roanoke Island Garden on the Mother Vineyard near Manteo.

The program, narrated by J. Sib Doroton, will include readings, recitations, and songs about this area, about the sea and about the people of this area.

Included in the program are the following presentations:

- Part I. The Area
1. The Creation, James Weldon Johnson, read by Wilbur Dorsett
2. Duet reading of short related passages from Richard Hackett's Voyages and Shakespeare's The Tempest—Debbie Ives and Bob Bloodworth.
3. Reading from William Shakespeare—Lydia Dorsett.
4. Jacobean song, "Tobacco Is an Indian Weed", sung by George Vasos, accompanied by George Trautwein on the Autoharp.
5. "The Wreck of the Hettie Dorman", from The Graveyard of the Atlantic by David Stick, read by Tommy Hull
6. Introduction to The Hatterasman by Ben Dixon MacNeill, read by Paul Gold
7. Solo—Marjalee Thomas
- Part II. The Sea
1. Reading from John Masfield—Gordon Clark
2. Selection from Gift from the Sea, by Ann Morrow Lindbergh, read by Susie Gordon
3. "Bali Hai", from South Pacific, sung by Marilyn Singleton
4. Selection from Under the Sea Wind, by Rachel Carson, read by Frank Beavers
5. "The Sea", from The Hatterasman, McNeill, read by Larry McMullin
6. "For Those at Sea", from The Book of Common Prayer, read by Kenton Kyle
7. Songs brought from across the sea: "Scarlet Ribbons", sung by See LIBRARY, Page Six

## GOLF TOURNAMENT PLANNED ON R. I. FOR WEEK END

A two-day golf tournament is scheduled for this week end at Roanoke Island Golf Course, the new entertainment facility near Croatan Sound Bridge. The 36-hole event will begin at 10 a. m. Saturday with 18 holes played each day; it will be under the direction of Maynard Mangum.

It is open to visitors and residents alike, experienced as well as beginners, with separate divisions for men and women. Registration may be made by contacting the Golf Course.

A total of 22 prizes will be awarded. The Calloway system of handicapping will be used to determine low net winners, in order that beginners will have equal opportunity for awards.

Wallace McCown, Manteo attorney, scored the first hole-in-one for the course during the past week, and it is reported that an appropriate trophy is forthcoming.

## BUSINESSMEN ALONG ROUTE 264 PLEASED WITH TRADE TRENDS

Tourist Traffic In Summer Season Is Big Support for Hyde, Belhaven Merchants

Hyde County businessmen report a slightly heavier than average turnover in most parts of the county this season as many of them hopefully wait for coastal seiners to start bringing home shrimp.

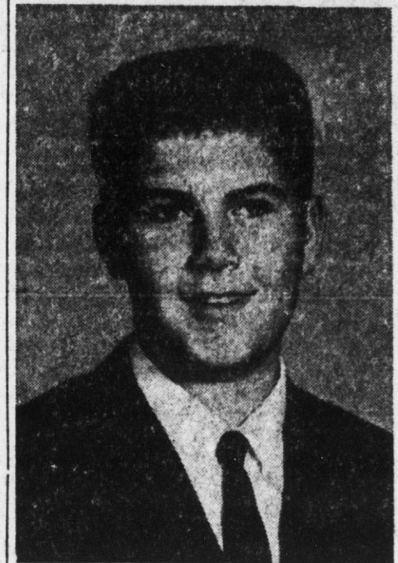
Engelhard merchants report a great deal of traffic on U. S. 264 in both directions. Many of them have noted an increase in their business from this "beach" traffic. Service stations operators have been especially pleased with the amount of trade coming from highway 264 travelers.

Crab fishermen report fairly heavy catches and seafood dealers say crabs have been available in heavy supplies all season. Seafood dealers and processors in the area, however, have all expressed hopes of a good shrimp season.

Swan Quarter businesses seem to be slightly below par for the county but many people in the area, as in other areas, seem to think the shrimp season will pick up trade and increase turnover.

In Belhaven merchants report business as "normal" for this time of year, and seem to have a good turnover in the area. At least two new businesses have been established in this season and others are increasing the size and capacity of their facilities. This seems to indicate optimistic trends.

## MANTEO BOY WINS STATE PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST



CHARLES EVANS JR.

A leader in School and 4-H Work in Dare County, whose inspiring speech is a challenge to today's youth.

CHARLES EVANS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Evans of Manteo, won the boy's State Public Speaking Contest which was held on Tuesday during 4-H Club Week. Charles is a rising Junior at Manteo High School. His 4-H honors have been county Health King for two years, and County Champion in Electricity. He has served as President of his local Club, and as an officer of the County Council. See EVANS, Page Six

## OUR GREATEST NATURAL RESOURCE

A Speech by a Manteo Boy Delivered Before an Audience of 1,600 in A State Speaking Contest Which Won Him First Place

By CHARLES EVANS JR.

Will you be ready for the life of 1985?

Will it be ready for you?

These are two questions of great importance that we all must think about. It is said that a nation, in order to prosper, must fully utilize its natural resources. This certainly stands true with our own country, the United States.

If someone were to ask you what is our country's greatest natural resource, would you give as an answer coal, iron ore, or oil and natural gas? — In one sense of the meaning this answer would be correct. But today let's not think in terms of minerals, but in terms of our nation's youth. Yes, youth is today our greatest natural resource. For, in youth lie our leaders and our followers of tomorrow. These include our future business men, teachers, scientists, farmers, and homemakers. How well we youth shall be prepared today will determine the standing and well being of our country tomorrow.

Since the beginning of our country, young people have played a vital role in the growth and development of the nation and must continue to do so. In 1909 a group of twelve Hertford County boys

was organized into a Corn Club for the purpose of working together to improve their farming methods. The girls' club had its beginning in 1911 in Guilford County when three Tomato Clubs were formed to promote improvement in the girls' work by competition. As these clubs grew, there arose a need for better organization; and, as a result, in 1926 the boys' agricultural clubs and the girls' home economics clubs were combined under one head. This was the early stage of the 4-H clubs of today.

The four H's—head, heart, hands, and health—chosen back in 1926 show the wisdom used by the founders of 4-H. Basically, the conditions under which they were selected then are the same as today, but there are some changes that need to be made. This is where our hearts, our hands, and our health to meet the situations that trouble us today, retaining, however, the basic ideas of our founders. Using our own imagination and initiative we 4-Hers must work with our original ideas to combat and overcome the problems in our communities.

During the years after 1926, See SPEECH, Page Six

## INTERESTING WATER EVENTS AT POINT HARBOR SATURDAY



A water ski show billed as "the largest to ever be held in this area" is scheduled for the Ski Lagoon August fifth.

The Ski Lagoon at Point Harbor will present the water ski spectacular Saturday at 1:00 p.m. and the general public is invited to attend.

A featured guest at the show will be LaVerne Watson, the "Cousin Tibble" of WTAR TV in Norfolk. "Cousin Tibble" will present comedy and stunt water ski acts.

Also featured in the program will be the Outer Banks Ski Club of Virginia and North Carolina performing pyramid skiing with six men on skis. In addition, spectators will see water ballet, trick skiing and

mixed doubles in the afternoon show

Barefoot skiing and a kite flying skier will be two of the more outstanding events presented at the show. In past performances at Ski Lagoon, a kite flyer has gone as high as 100 feet.

The Ski Lagoon is located at Point Harbor on Pine Grove Lane one fourth mile west of the highway 158 bridge over Currituck sound.

H. A. Sargent, operator of the Ski Lagoon, offers ski instruction, to his customers and has available concrete boat ramps to Currituck sound. The Lagoon is open seven days per week from 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m.

## DARE CO. SCHOOLS WILL START CLASSES FRIDAY, SEPT. 1ST

Countywide Teachers Meeting Scheduled for Wednesday, August 30

Dare County schools will begin classes on Friday, September first according to an announcement by the Dare County Superintendent's Office this week.

Preceding the first day of classes, all three classified principals in Dare County, including Cape Hatteras School, Manteo Elementary School, and Manteo High School, will begin work on Monday, August 21. These principals — having seven or more teachers — will have two weeks to clear up the necessary administrative duties concerning school opening.

Followin this a county wide teachers' meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, August 30. This teacher orientation day will begin with the county wide meeting at 9:00 a.m. Following a two-hour session, the teachers will adjourn to their respective schools for further organization and orientation.

The following day, Thursday, August 31 is also set aside for teacher-school orientation to give the teachers an opportunity to clear up last minute organization details and prepare for the following day.

At 9:00 a.m. on Friday, September first, students are to report to classes. Dare County school buses will make their regular route stops on this day and students will receive their textbooks and pay their fees.

There will be no school on Monday, September fourth because of Labor Day schedules, but the following day, Tuesday, September the fifth school will be open for the first full day. Classes will begin at 8:45 and last until 3:15. School lunch rooms will be open to serve lunches.

## BELHAVEN POLICE CHIEF'S WIFE BEATEN AND HOME DAMAGED SATURDAY NIGHT

On Saturday night two men entered the home of Police Chief Sam Boger, attacked his wife and fled. Mrs. Boger, in her late 20's, and expecting her second child, was released from Pungo District Hospital Monday afternoon in good condition in spite of the ordeal of Saturday night.

Mrs. Boger had been visiting at the home of in-laws and returned home shortly before nine o'clock. She had put her 14 month old daughter to bed, and was preparing to take a bath when the lights in the house went out. The intruders had pulled the main switch on the back porch. She slipped on a robe and went to see why the lights went off, as she stepped from the bathroom she was grabbed by two men; before losing consciousness she heard one of the men say "This is the damned police chief's house".

About a half hour later she recovered consciousness; the men were gone. She made her way to the telephone and tried to call her husband and unable to do so she dialed the operator and asked for help Axson Smith, a town council member and volunteer fireman, answered the call and was the first to the house. He said the house had been torn apart.

Bloodhounds were rushed to the scene Saturday night and the man-hunt began, but as of this date no arrest has been made. The State Bureau of Investigation was called into the case and an agent is on the scene. See MRS. BOGER, Page Six

## USS KITTY HAWK SENDS PLAQUE TO K.D.H. MEM. SOCIETY

On behalf of Kill Devil Hills Memorial Society former Mayor R. H. Cook of Kill Devil Hills on Saturday accepted a beautiful bronze plaque and colored picture of the great aircraft carrier, first to be armed with Terrier missiles instead of conventional anti-aircraft guns.

Commander Robert M. Frye, navigator aboard the ship made the presentation of the plaque and picture. Later the former mayor will turn the mementoes over to S. Wade Marr, president of Kill Devil Hills Memorial Society.

The USS Kitty Hawk is scheduled to sail immediately, probably this week end, for the Pacific via Cape Horn, but first she will be assigned to temporary training duty at Guantanamo Naval Base, Cuba.

On Wednesday this week former Mayor Cook on behalf of the Kill Devil Hills Memorial Society presented aboard the great carrier a basket of flowers as a bon voyage gesture. The commanding officer accepted the gift for his ship.