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### WORK IS UNDERWAY COMPLETES COURSES AT OREGON INLET BY McLEAN FIRM

Advance Party Arrived Monday
To Begin Storage Area
At Inlet

Work began Monday at 3 p.m. on the 13,000 foot, \$4 million, arc-shaped bridge project over Oregon Inlet by McLean Contracting Co. of Baltimore, Md. Barge supported dranes have already begun scooping much from the brine at the inlet in preparation for a bulkhead which will be used as an assembly and storage yard for the maze of concrete piles, steel girders and reinforced steel parts which go into the construction of the concrete span.

construction of the concrete span.
W. T. Sutton, job superintendent for the bridge project who arrived Monday with an advance party of construction workers, has stated that the main difficulty connected with his firm's operation is expected to be shallow water and the fast moving ebb tides which gush through the inlet. To offset the hazards connected with shallow-water operation, the connected with shallow-water operation. hazards connected with shallow-wa-ter operation, the company will em-ploy their own dredges to maintain a sufficient depth in the channels to accommodate barges which will support machines for driving piles and pouring concrete.

The fast ebb tides will be com-

The fast ebb tides will be compensated for by the use of "spuds," according to the supervisor. The "spuds," which are actually 20 foot long, triple-strength lengths of pipe, will be anchored at the four corners of each barge in the three barge fleet. Two surplus LCM's will also be in operation at the site to transport equipment and supply fuel and water to the dredges. "We expect one of these to be in operaexpect one of these to be in opera-tion around the clock," Sutton

After the completion of the storage area, which is now under con-struction, the first work understruction, the first work undertaken by the company will be the establishment of an embankment on both sides of the inlet. Equipment for the hydraulic deposit will be furnished by J. D. Cottrell Co., which has sub-contracted for the job. The next step will be the driving of five test-piles to determine the necessary pile length for approval by the N. C. State Highway Commision. Once the pile length is determined, S. & G. Prestress Co. of Wilmington, N. C., will furnish the supports for the piles and concrete girders to be used on the project.

The additional concrete for the first work undertaken by the company will be the fore their departure for Europe in connection with the "Visit U. S. A." program of the U. S. Department of Commerce, Mrs. Lucille Winslow and State Senator J. Emmett Winslow joined with 39 fellow Tar Heels in the flight to publicize North Carolina as "The Variety Vacationland" to European travelers with the possibility of 100 million cubic yards of shell are present with the possibility of 100 million cubic yards of shell. Local oyster interests are vitally concerned over the disturbation.

site and is expected to consume approximately 5,000 to 8,000 gal-See INLET, Page Seven

### TWO FILE FOR JOBS IN DARE'S MAY VOTE FOR ALL DEMOCRATS

L. Cannady announced for the first time that they will seek offices in the Democratic Primary in May. Daniels will seek the seat in the General Assembly now held by Rap. Keith Fearing, Jr. The Manteo oil N. C. Oil Jobbers Association and director of East Carolina Oil eat Council. He is a native of

of the bill giving state sup-PRIMARY, Page Seven

AT EAST CAROLINA



Sen. and Mrs. Winslow Departed Sunday with "Travel Am-bassador" Group

In an effort to induce European passport holders to this country, discounts of 50% are being offered on designated accomodations and attractions throughout the state. Information about North Carolina travel and all-expense tours is available through the U. S. Travel Service and travel are a zents in Service and travel agents in OF SPEED AND PEEP Europe. A new folder in English, Moneie L. Daniels, Jr. and Dan distributed to European prospects which emphasizes tourist attractions that they will seek offices to the control of the cont

Travel Service in the Department of Commerce is opening up new opportunities for expanding trade and travel throughout the world, and North Carolina is proud of the leadership of this mission to Europe in capitalizing on them. North Carolina's travel-serving industry is its third largest business. We have an outstanding product, and it is good business to introduce it in market overseas and facilitate exchange of visits by people of the friendly nations of Europe and of the U. S. A."

Super stock 1962 Chevrolet Impals skidded into a swamp at midover the ramp to end the ferry service from Sandy Point to East Lake. For Eddie is a ferry pilot on the Outer Banks. He is one of a dying breed. The water is his life, mistress, and teacher. Her instructions have been written in his face, in the wrinkles there; and she are change of visits by people of the friendly nations of Europe and of the defendant on charges.

what the name implies.

At Ocracoke, Col. Brown led a discussion on the need for maintenance dredging of the channel leading into Silver Lake Harbor from Pamlico Sound. The channel is said to be shoaling rapidly and to take care of visiting yachts, commercial fishing boats and the "Sea Level," state-owned ferry which is scheduled to resume its daily service between the island and Atlantic on the mainland next week, it is said to be very important that the channel be deepened through maintenance dredging.

NEW HEARING IS SET LARRY D. McCARTER ON SHELL DREDGING AROUND DARE CO.

Interested Parties Urged to Attend Feb. 9 Meeting in Elizabeth City

Attempts are again being made to allow pilot dredging operations for dead oyster shells in lower Albemarle Sound. The proposal of an Elizabeth City group, reported to be fronting for Gulf Coast in-terests, are asking for permission to dredge for oyster shells from North Carolina sounds for conversion into chicken feed and have received a public hearing which will be held on March 9 to determine ceived a public hearing which will be held on March 9 to determine whether such an operation would be in the best interests of the area. The hearing will be conducted by the Commercial Fisheries Committee of the State Board of Conservation and Development. Eric W. Rodgers, of Scotland Neck, committee chairman, has stated that the hearings will begin at 10 a.m. and will be held in the auditorium of the agricultural armex to the Pasquotank County Courthouse. At that time, Rodgers, Greenville. Mr. Tillett majored in geography and social studies and is a member of Gamma Theta Epsilon, geography fraternity. He is the husband of the former Donna Forbes of Wanchese, and they have one daughter, Ester Gay Tillett.

DARE REPRESENTED IN N. C. TRAYEL GROUP IN EUROPE

Sen. and Mrs. Winslow Departed

Coloration and Development. Eric W. Rodgers, of Scotland Neck, committee chairman, has stated that the hearings will begin at 10 a.m. and will be held in the auditorium of the agricultural armex to the Pasquotank County Courthouse. At that time, Rodgers stated, proponents and opponents of the dredging will be heard.

The attempt to stir up waters in the area by dredging operations has been attempted on numerous occasions in the past. Proposals for dredging in the coastal sounds have been advanced during the administration of Governors Scott and Umstead and were defeated each time through efforts of the North Carolina Wildlife Federation.

Turner Battle of Rocky Mount.

Turner Battle of Rocky Mount, executive secretary of the Federa-tion, said that "dredging for these shells or minerals in the coastal To Nags Head residents heard waters would be detrimental to fish Governor Terry Sanford bid them good-bye at Raleigh on Sunday before their departure for Europe in connection with H. S. A." passed a resolution two weeks ago

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# IN RECORDER COURT that might lie somewhere just ahead beyond vision on the Alliga-

Larry Donald Goldfine, a servicewhich emphasizes tourist attractions from the Great Smoky Mountains to beaches on the Atlantic Coast.

Governor Sanford, in bidding the group farewell dawn on Sunday, stated that: The new United States stated that: The new United States stated that: The new United States "super-stock" 1962 Chevrolet Im-Travel Service in the Department pala skidded into a swamp at mid-

ment few years will be the most important in Dare-County's long history, and that the decision makes it is marked to the most important in Dare-County's long history, and that the decision of visits by people of the district of visits by people of the most important in Dare-County's long history, and that the decision of visits by people of the most divining this period will shape our visit of the period will shape our visit of the

Goldfine was flown by helicopter to an Elizabeth City hospital after the accident occurred and was later taken to Norfolk for treatment of

ASSIGNED IN INFANTRY



PVT. LARRY D. McCARTER, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. McCarter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. McCarter of Manteo, has been assigned to Company D, 6th Battalion, 2d Training Regiment of the U.S. Army Training Center, Infantry, at Fort Jackson, S. C. where he is undergoing eight weeks of Basic Combat Training.

## TRAVEL PROMOTERS DEPART DARE FOR CINCINNATI SHOW

reau has participated in this year. The first was at Charlotte during late January and early February. In charge of the Tourist Bureau ceremonies participated in by repbooth and a similar booth to be exhibited by the Carolinian hotel See SHOW, Page Seven ceremonies participated in by representatives of the State of North Carolina and of the Congress of the United States".

By LAWRENCE MADDRY

Eddie Crain has wrinkles of character that reach towards his eyeball

when he squints like the pronged setting for a diamond. Their pre-sence is no accident. Their indelible

impression has been grooved by years of searching and scanning through bursts of rain and engulf-

tor River run.

**ED CRAIN --- FERRY PILOT** 

Veteran River Pilot Eddie Crain Speaks of Boredom and Dangers

During Old Alligator River Run

DELEGATION FROM HOUSE AND SENATE TO VISIT PAGEANT

Bonner Introduces Resolution Calling for Congressional Committee to Visit Lost Colony

Congressman Herbert C. Bonner announced this week that on Monday, February 26, he introduced in the House of Representatives a resolution creating a idiat. olution creating a joint Congressional committee to represent Congress at the ceremonies commemo rating the 375th anniversary of the landing of Sir Walter Raleigh's colony on Roanoke Island, North Caro-lina, and the birth of the first English child in America, Virginia Dare. The ceremonies will be conducted on Roanoke Island, North Carolina, during the week of August 12-18, 1962. The Congressional group will be

composed of six members of the House of Representatives, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, and six members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate. The resolution provides that the members of the joint committee will select a chairman from among their number.

The ceremonies will be conducted jointly by Congressional Committee and the Governor's Commission for the Celebration of the 375th Anniices designed to "create a new
versary of the Birth of Virginia
awakening of enthusiasm in the life
Dare. William C. Friday, President of the church itself." An attempt of the University of North Carolina will be made "to secure commit-at Chapel Hill, is Chairman of the ments from those who have not

This year's celebration will also be significant as the silver annistated. The group that will be in charge of the Dare Coast-Outer Banks exhibits at the Ohio Valley's Vacation and Travel Show opening in Cincinnati on March 3 and continuing through March 11, departed Thursday morning.

It will be the second travel show in which Dare County Tourist Bureau has participated in this year.

The group that will be in charge be significant as the silver annistated. Rev. pastor for churches in, past of the first English settlement in America on Roanoke Island in 1587.

Mr. Bonner said, "I think it is particularly appropriate that this ducted at the churches in the churc

significant milestone in the history and cultural heritage of the United States should be marked by joint ceremonies participated in by rep-

EVANGELICAL SERVICES AT DUCK AND COLINGTON



REV. HAROLD F. LEATHERMAN

The Methodist churches at Colington and Duke will be the scene for sperial evangelistic services un-der the direction of Rev. Harold Leatherman from March 1 through

The services, which have "Jesus Christ As Lord" for their theme, will feature sermons, gospel hymns and Christian fellowship in serv-Governor's Commission. dedicated their lives to Christ and the church," Rev. Leatherman has

Rev. C. W. Guthrie, assistant pastor for the Duck and Colington churches, and Rev. Horace McLaurin, pastor of the Kitty Hawk Methodist Church, will be on hand to assist with the services which will begin on Thursday, March 1 at Duck where services will be conat Duck where services will be con-

On Monday, March 5, the services will be held at Colington and last through Friday, March 9. The communities and represent the first attempt at evangelical preaching at those sites within the past year.

## OFFICERS CHOSEN FOR DARE Y. D. C.;

had varied political aspirations for some time Wednesday night was elevated to the presidency of the Dare County Y.D.C., in an unannounced "election" begun at 8 p.m. particular emphasis upon the anninounced "election" begun at 8 p.m. sharp. Observers noted that the meeting was unusually prompt for Dare County, where custom has it that assemblies of any type are slow in gathering. This promptness

to accept the two motions of the new president that the meeting be held "behind locked doors," and proceeded to elect a slate of offiproceeded to elect a slate of offi-cials for the group.

Only notification of the meeting

afterwards. "I was too excited to be scared," he relates.

The 60-year-old Pilet says he has had some embarrasing moments too. "I suppose the time we got grounded out there for about an hour is the worst," according to Crain. "Then, there is the time we came close to hitting the "Tiger Shark"; she was a 200 foot long boat with a steel hull." "We passed her in a blanket of fog and missed her by about 20 feet! that wasn't

LOST COLONY'S 1962 BUDGET SET AT NEAR \$90,000

MAIL SHOUL BE ADDRESSED TO BOX 428 MANTEO, N. C.

Mrs. Morrison, Dorton and Thom-Among Attendants At Saturday Meeting

The Lost Colony Board of Directors approved an operational budget of \$89,000 last Saturday afternoon. The exact figure of \$89,-600 was passed upon by Mrs. Fred Morrison of Washington, D. C. chairman of the group, who joined with Sib Dorton, Jr., former manager of The Lost Colony, and F. Edgar Thomas, newly-appointed manager of the drama in approving

Others present included Rep. Keith Fearing, member of the exe-cutive committee of the Roanoke Island Historical Society and Mrs. Ina Evans, secretary-treasurer of that organization and former chairman of the Dare County Tourist Bureau.

Actors and dancers salaries were the biggest expenditure listed in the 1962 budget with an expense of \$19,000; the figure was closely followed by a sum of \$18,000 which lowed by a sum of \$18,000 which will represent expenses for production staff wages. Publicity expenses, another large item, will cost approximately \$12,000. The sum of \$9,500 for the choir rounds off the list of "high cost" expenditures for the drama.

The group was relieved to note that maintenance expenditures this year will be considerably smaller this year than the \$22,000 figure

at Duck where services will be conducted at 7:30 p.m. until the following Monday.

On Monday Month 5 the server ance of approximately \$5,000 will be collected from concessions, cushion rentals and souvenir programs last through Friday, March 9. The evangelical services are being conducted in an effort to revive church activity in the Colington and Duck communities and represent the first and are expecting a marked in-crease in sales as a result of the

The directors, who were joined by Aycock Brown, Lawrence Swain, Mrs. Bob Preston, Archie Burrus and Wallace McCown of the Dare NO NOTICE GIVEN County Tourist Bereau, also decide to invite members of the N. C. Gen-A young Manteo man who has eral Assembly to Manteo, as guests

that assemblies of any type are slow in gathering. This promptness apparently bore fruit, for Robert V. (Bobby) Owens walked away with the top post in that organization at the meeting held in the courthouse.

Those members present, who remotification but the country will be celebrated here on Aug. 12-18 and Rep. Herbart Bonner has already announced but the seminary will be celebrated here on Aug. 12-18 and Rep. Herbart Bonner has already announced but the seminary will be celebrated here on Aug. 12-18 and Rep. Herbart Bonner has already announced but the seminary will be celebrated here on Aug. 12-18 and Rep. Herbart Bonner has already announced but the seminary will be celebrated here. bert Bonner has already announced his intention to introduce a bill which would bring a congressional delegation to join with Governor Sanford and University of North Carolina President, William Friday, in observing the occasion.

## SECONDARY ROADS OKAYED BY DARE COUNTY BOARD IN SPECIAL MEETING FRIDAY.

The Dare County Board of Commissioners appropriated \$24,926 toward the construction of roads in the county in a meeting last Friday which followed a conference with will be used for secondary road conlocal highway officials. The funds struction at Kitty Hawk, Wanchese and Scarborotown Extension and will result in a total addition of 1.2 miles for the secondary system.

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The board conferred with John Gilliam Wood, Highway Commis-sioner from Edenton, W. P. Spruill,

sioner from Edenton, W. P. Spruill, Division Engineer, George Mack, District Engineer and Ernest Walker, Highway Superintendent for Currituck and Dare Counties before arriving at a decision in regard to the paving areas.

The sites selected were chosen because of the homes, traffic and use by school buses which were used as criteria for determining the secondary road areas. A car count was made of possible road sites and a minimum of 50 cars per day was necessary for the construction of a TALENT SHOW MARCH 2
FOR DARE HEART FUND
A talent show for the benefit of the Dare County Heart Council will be held Friday evening, March 2, in the Manteo Elementary School auditorium at eight o'clock. Admission will be 25c and 50c. Mrs. William C. Swindell is in charge of the affair.

a minimum of 50 cars per day was necessary for the construction of a road in any given area. In allocating the state funds which were available for secondary road construction, the board appropriated a sum of \$2,556.79 in surplus highway money from the 1961-1962 period. Funds amounting to \$22,370, which represents the 1962-1963 allotment; were added to arrive at the total expenditure of \$24,926.79.