

The Beachcomber



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June 27	A.M.	11:43	5:36
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28	A.M.		6:22
	P.M.	12:30	6:28
29	A.M.	12:41	7:10
	P.M.	1:19	7:19
30	A.M.	1:31	7:58
	P.M.	2:08	8:12
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2	A.M.	3:18	9:40
	P.M.	3:55	10:04
3	A.M.	4:16	10:36
	P.M.	4:53	11:06

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PRECINCT RECALLS

50 YRS

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PROMINENT GUESTS at the annual Hampton Beach Precinct and Chamber of Commerce banquet, observing the 50th anniversary of the Precinct, at the Ashworth hotel were, left to right — Mrs. Ralph Harris, Governor Lane Dwinell, Precinct Commissioner Ralph Harris, Mrs. Lane Dwinell, Precinct Commissioner Fred V. Gagne, Precinct Commissioner John Foley and Mrs. Fred Gagne. —Staff Photo



Inside Reading

BRIDGE REPAIRS — A wonderful example of cooperation by state highway officials and construction crews working around the clock.

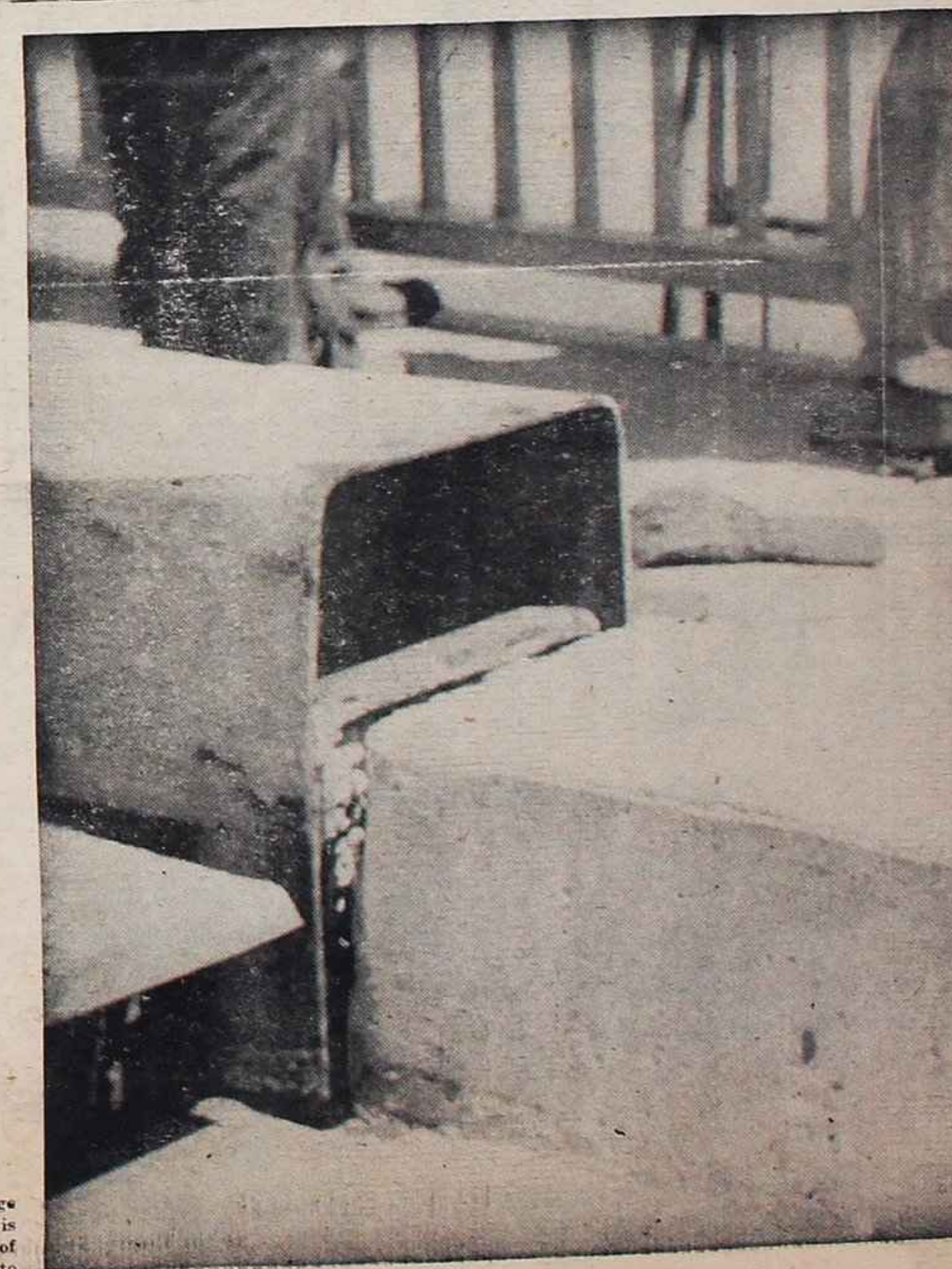
50 YEARS OF PROGRESS — The Hampton Beach Precinct celebrates its Golden Anniversary this year.

FAVORABLE ACTION on state legislation authorizing \$30,000 for beach projects is forecast by Sen. Merrill.

REBUILDING OF STATE PIER at Hampton Harbor hinges on legislative approval.

LADY IN WAITING — A poignant figure of a sorrowful mother is dedicated on the shores of Hampton Beach.

FOCAL POINT of the damage to the Underwood Memorial bridge connecting Hampton and Seabrook beaches over Hampton Harbor is graphically shown in the photo to the right of the five inch drop of one of the bridge's 12 piers. —Staff Photo



THE BEACHCOMBER

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Welcome, Vacationists!

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The 1957 vacation season at Hampton Beach already has promise of being one of the best in recent years and with the kindly offices of the weatherman, it should prove delightful for all vacationists.

A lot has happened at Hampton Beach since last Labor Day which the Beachcomber will review for your information during the forthcoming weeks.

Perhaps the most newsworthy event was the collapse on May 4 of one of the spans of Underwood Memorial bridge connecting Hamp-



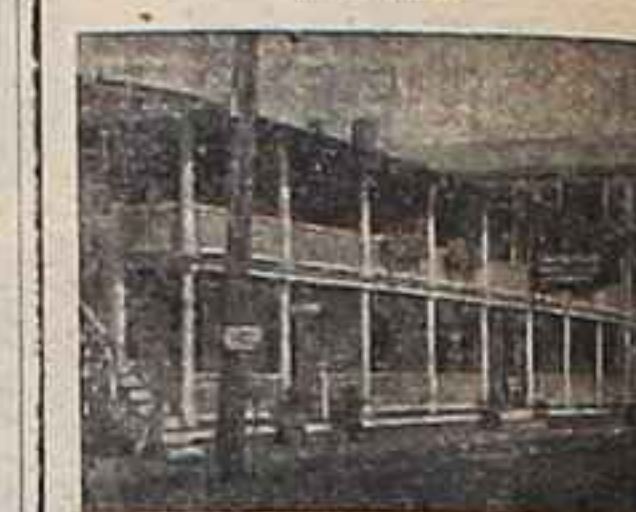
COOL CAT just seemed to fit the title of this picture as Richard Cook, age 9, of Seabrook helped his kitten, Twinkle, cool off during the recent hot spell by sharing his popsicle. Richard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cook of 81 Main street, Seabrook. -Staff Photo

An old superstition called for bathing the eyes with the first snow to fall in March in order to insure clear sight.

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Pre-Season Crowds Break All Records For Beach



COOL SAND and an all-day sucker suited Lee Moltedo of Brentwood as a fine way to get the needed relief at Hampton Beach from the sweltering heat over the weekend. -Staff Photo

All records for June were broken this past weekend when thousands of visitors thronged Hampton Beach in search of relief from the scorching heat wave which affected all New England.

Police Chief John J. Malek estimated that upwards of 50,000 persons swarmed onto the beach Sunday and were treated to cooling breezes.

Despite the record pre-season crowd there were no drownings, in contrast to the rest of New England, and only a few minor auto accidents.

Mid-summer business and entertainment was in full swing as the Hampton Beach Concert Band began its regular summer schedule of four band concerts daily.

The band this season is under the direction of Eddie Madden of Rochester, N.H., who was chosen by a Chamber of Commerce committee from among 15 candidates to succeed Chuch Hill who was unable to return this year.

Madden, who is well known in the musical circles, was a special arranger and trombonist with Ted Herbert for seven years. He is an accomplished trombonist, and also plays the saxophone, trumpet and piano.



SURF RIDING is one of the many water sports that young and old participate in at Hampton Beach. This young rider above is Kency Clark of Fitchburg, Mass. -Staff Photo

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ton and Seabrook beaches over Hampton Harbor inlet.

Traffic over this important artery was interrupted until June 8 when temporary repairs were completed. The efforts of the engineering division of the New Hampshire Highway department and the bridge construction crews working around the clock, are deeply appreciated by all beach businessmen.

Another truly memorable event took place on Memorial Day with the dedication of the Marine Memorial on the beach front - the only one of its kind in the nation.

This is a truly remarkable community effort - the gift of many citizens of the Granite State in memory of the heroic men who gave their lives at sea in the defense of our country.

It was dedicated in reverence and is a hallowed spot - not one to be climbed over and desecrated by thoughtless juveniles. Let's hope that this is enough to be said about such actions and that no further word of warning will be necessary.

With many beach front stores and hotels renovated with modern fronts and interiors and the new boulevard and parking areas now completed, Hampton Beach can not only lay claim to the title of the cleanest beach on the Atlantic coast but also the most beautiful.

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August Festival Plans Outlined

August is festival month at Hampton Beach and the following events have been planned by the Chamber of Commerce and the Hampton Beach Village Precinct officers in celebration of the Precinct's 50th anniversary.

Week of August 1, Friday, Song Festival and Band Concerts.

Week of August 5, Monday, Talent Show - Get Acquainted Night; Tuesday, Miss Hampton Beach Beauty contest; Wednesday, Fireworks; Friday, Song Festival.

Week of August 12 - Monday, Talent Show and Get Acquainted Night; Tuesday, Wednesday, Fireworks; Friday, Song Festival.

August 17-31, Precinct 50th anniversary celebration. Special afternoon and evening programs to be announced.

Week of August 19, Monday, Talent Show and Get Acquainted Night; Tuesday, Wednesday, Fireworks; Friday, Song Festival.

Week of August 26, Talent Show Finals; Wednesday, Fireworks; Crowning of Miss Hampton Beach and Coronation Ball at the Casino.

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State Funds For Beach Lighting, Erosion Project Approved

Favorable action by the New Hampshire Senate on two important beach projects was forecast this week by State Senator Dean B. Merrill of Hampton.

Boar's Head at Hampton Beach was approved last week by the House of Representatives in Concord. Expenditures of \$18,000 to provide lighting facilities and \$12,000 for the protection of the shoreline at Great Boar's Head won the approval of senators under a resolution introduced by Rep. Carl M. Lougee of Hampton.

The measure — HJR 32 — now awaits Senate action which Sen. Merrill predicts will be favorable. Rep. Lougee's resolution provides for the expenditure of \$30,000 for the two projects as a charge on the general funds of the state with the governor authorized to draw warrants for that amount out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

The reason behind such action is that under the appropriations of the 1953 and 1955 sessions of General Court for the construction of the new seawall at Hampton Beach and protection of the shore line at Great Boar's Head, funds of over \$30,000 were unexpended and lapsed as of June, 1956.

Lougee's resolution would re-

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THE WEAKER SEX received recognition for prowess in athletics at the Hampton Beach Chamber of Commerce and Village Precinct banquet last week as (left to right) Connie Jones and Brenda Donald received trophies and Dale Woodard received a plaque for athletic ability at Hampton High school. —Staff Photo

store these funds for the use of the two projects as follows: The sum of eighteen thousand dollars is made available for expenditure by the recreation division of the department of forestry and recreation pursuant to the provisions of HSA 228 for the sole purpose of providing electrical facilities for lighting the state-owned parking areas at Hampton Beach; and the sum of twelve thousand dollars is made available for expenditure by the department of public works and highways for protection of shore line from erosion at Boar's Head at Hampton. Any balance of the appropriation made hereunder shall not be used for any other project than those specified hereunder.

Both projects have been the source of considerable agitation for the past year when it was discovered that construction plans for the new boulevard along the beach front contained no provisions for lighting the parking area dividing the two lanes of traffic or the sidewalk and beach on the ocean side of the highway.

Protection of Great Boar's Head, the famous landmark of Hampton Beach, has been a continuing project of the Great Boar's Head Civic association in an effort to halt the erosion which threatens to destroy the landmark and damage valuable summer property.

In other Concord action this week of interest to the Seacoast area, the Senate passed HB 345 an act establishing an advisory committee on shore fisheries to work with the Fish and Game department on problems of clam digging and lobsters.

The Senate also passed HB 389 providing for the establishment of insect and pest control districts. This bill was sponsored by towns in the Seacoast area to promote cooperative effort for mosquito control.

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WHAT BRAUN claimed the girls as these boys from Cambridge, Mass., formed a pyramid for the Beachcomber photographer. The boys, from the top, are Al Shield, John Jordan, John McMahon, Bob Richards, John Kilban, Richard Cawley and Paul Lyons. —Staff Photo

State Recreation Officials Discuss Beach Projects

Members of the New Hampshire Forestry and Recreation commission met recently at the Great Boar's Head home of Charles E. Greenman, secretary of the group. Following a lobster stew luncheon at the beach fire station, attended by Chamber of Commerce, Precinct and Town officials, the group discussed long range plans on the state installations at Hampton Beach. The discussion touched on the proposed lighting for Ocean boulevard, parking meters and improvements to Hampton Harbor. The rebuilding of the pier at Hampton river depends on legislative approval of the expenditures Russell Tobey, director of the recreation division, reported. Tobey asked that all local groups coordinate their actions and let the legislature know their wishes. Following the luncheon, the group toured the area and inspected



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ed the site of the proposed new pier, the bath house and other state owned areas at the beach. Charles E. Greenman, commission secretary, said that in all probability the bath house would be reroofed. The commission reappointed the following as Harbor Master: Hampton, Armand Gauron; Rye, W. B. Saunders and Little River, John C. Sweetser.

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Beach Marine Memorial Unique Among Nation's Shrines

Thousands of beach vacationists have already visited the unique Marine Memorial situated opposite the Ashworth hotel which was dedicated Memorial Day at largely attended exercises.

The nation's only Marine Memorial is dedicated to the men who lost their lives at sea in the defense of the country and many of the families of the 248 New Hampshire men whose names are

inscribed on the monument were present for the May 30th ceremonies.

Dr. Daniel A. Polling of Deering, N. H., principal speaker and father of one of the men who gave his life for country and comrades, told the large gathering, "Never has more dangerous, never so great a menace to our national security and to world peace than now. In words such as these I believe that our beloved dead would speak to us; God and country that unyielding and speaking, call us to give to and sacrificial loyalty of word and deed that alone can make this brave land great, and greater yet."

Sounds Warning

Sen. Styles Bridges — who had played his role in the memorial in unsuccessful efforts some 10 years ago to secure recognition for these sea-buried dead — also sounded a note of warning, as he spoke briefly. Hitler, he pointed out, started the war which led to the deaths of so many of these men with only 37 U-boats. But Russia today has more than 600.

"We should stop, look and listen," he warned. "We should rededicate ourselves to the principles for which these men gave their lives."



"BREATHE SOFT, YE WINDS; YE WAVES IN SILENCE REST" reads the inscription on the base of the Marine Memorial which was dedicated May 30th on the shores of Hampton Beach. The poignant of a kneeling mother, made from New Hampshire granite, is in memory of "New Hampshire's War Dead Lost At Sea in Defense of Our Country". Funds for the memorial were raised over a seven-year period mostly by individual donations.

It was a colorful, sun-drenched ceremony, cooled by a steady east wind. The crowd at the dedication was not large, though Hampton and State Police blocked off the near roadway to allow relatives of the honored dead to sit in chairs provided by the American Legion.

Rep. Shelby O. Walker of Concord presided, with invocation by Rev. Matthew J. Casey of the Church of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal, Hampton, the flag salute was led by Harlan L. Goodwin, of Portsmouth, commission treasurer and a Purple Heart veteran of War II; the statue was unveiled by Mrs. Maurice M. Mullen of Concord, founder and first president of Concord chapter, Gold Star Mothers of America, Inc.; a wreath was placed for the commission by Mrs. Paul S. Slawson of New Castle, a Gold Star wife and commission member, and benediction was by Rabbi Irwin Botwinick of Portsmouth's Temple Beth Jacob.

From the Portsmouth Naval base came a Marine Corps color guard and rifle detachment. Likewise, the Legion also furnished a color guard. Music was by the 45-piece Spaulding High school band of Rochester, directed by Edward Madden.

Gov. Lane Dwinell accepted the memorial for the state, pointing out that "we can take quiet comfort not in the fact that we are the first of all the states to make this gesture."

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Sewer Mains To North Beach May Hinge On State

A measure giving Hampton authority to enlarge its sewage system and charge a rental fee for use of the facility was filed last week in the State Senate by Sen. Dean B. Merrill of Hampton.

The Senate bill is an outgrowth of a vote at the March town meeting authorizing the Selectmen and Planning Board to seek special legislation authorizing the assessment of sewer rentals to finance extensions of the present sewage system.

Under consideration are plans to extend the sewer lines to the North Beach section of Hampton and several other smaller areas as set forth in the Master Plan report.

The vote at the March meeting specified that such legislation, if approved by the General Court, will not become effective until adopted by the voters of Hampton at a future town meeting.

Square Dances At State Park Open Friday Evening

Three well-known New England callers will stage the sixth annual weekly series of old-fashioned square dances every Friday night, beginning June 28, in the state bathhouse at Hampton Beach State Park.

Interest in the dances has increased annually, according to Manager John Peterson, whose park last year was host to from 150 to 250 persons each dance. The affairs are held every Friday at 8:30 P.M. in an open pavilion at the state bathhouse.

Callers and the dates of their appearance are as follows: Mat. Hayden of Rochester, June 28, July 12, 19, August 2, 16, 30; Hal Mattson of Northboro, Mass., July 5, August 9; Joe Perkins, July 26, August 23.

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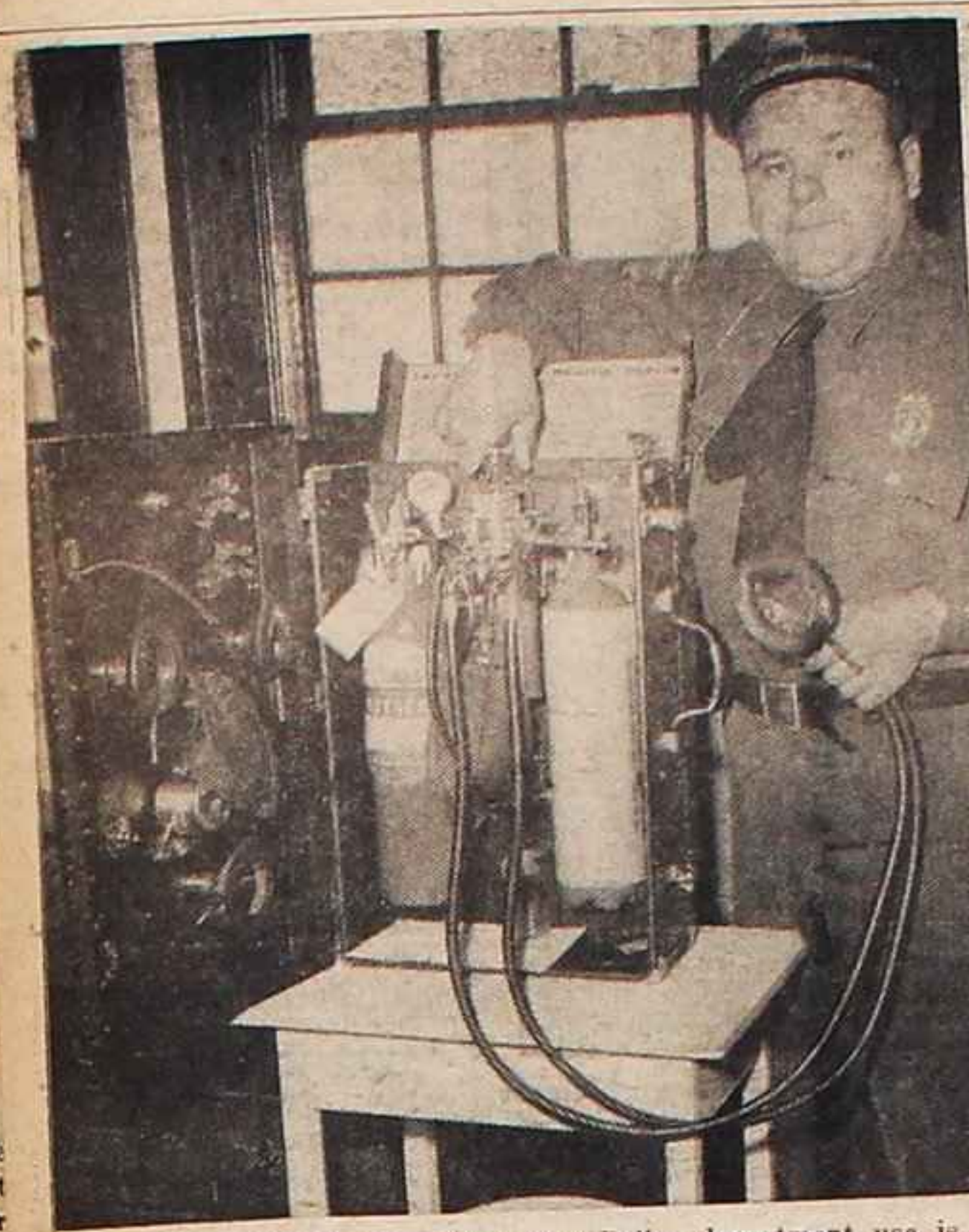
Beach Visitors Warned On Thefts

Police Chief John Malek issued a warning this week to beach visitors that if they carry large sums of money to the beach it is advisable to find some other place besides the glove compartment of their cars in which to conceal it.

Chief Malek said that glove compartments in three cars were jimmied over the weekend and better than \$60 was reported missing.

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TWO ON A BUNCH of grapes — Kathy Ryan and Warren Marston of Manchester share the delicate morsel during a recent family picnic at the beach. — Staff Photo

Beach News Wanted!

Being dedicated towards making your vacation at Hampton Beach a little more pleasant besides providing visitors with information of what's taking place and previews of future events, the Beachcomber welcomes news of parties, socials or any interesting event in our beach life during the summer.

Items of interest, contributions to The Boardwalk column may be left at the Chamber of Commerce office or be mailed to the Beachcomber office, Hampton Center, Tel. WA 6-3322.

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QUICK DASH from the cooling waters at Hampton Beach over the weekend found Bay Staters, Loraine Keller of Hamilton, Natilie Fuller of Topsfield, and Joanne Nollet of Salem, claiming there's no place to beat the heat like Hampton Beach. — Staff Photo

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Playhouse Opens 9th Season July 1

John Vari and Alfred Christie will again operate The Hampton Playhouse on Winnacunnet road, this forthcoming season marking the Playhouse's ninth year of operation.

The opening, July 1st, will be Noel Coward's funniest sex comedy, "Private Lives". Other attractions scheduled for the season are: "The Desk Set", "See How They Run", "Witness For The Prosecution", "Will Success Spoil Rock Hunter", "The Solid Gold Cadillac", "Abie's Irish Rose", "Janus", and one other show to be announced.

Again, with the exception of Witness for the Prosecution, it will be another summer of comedies. The Playhouse boasts the New England rights to "Abie's Irish Rose" - a difficult show to obtain. The latter is one of the theatre's all time great long-run shows being outdone only by Life With Father and Tobacco Road.

Resident members of the company will include, Dennis Drew, Alisa Dawson, Maggie Owens, Joel Thomas, Albert Ackel, Edward Cullen, Madge West, David Doyle, and Joe O'Brien. The company all toll will number thirty - the largest ever for the Playhouse.

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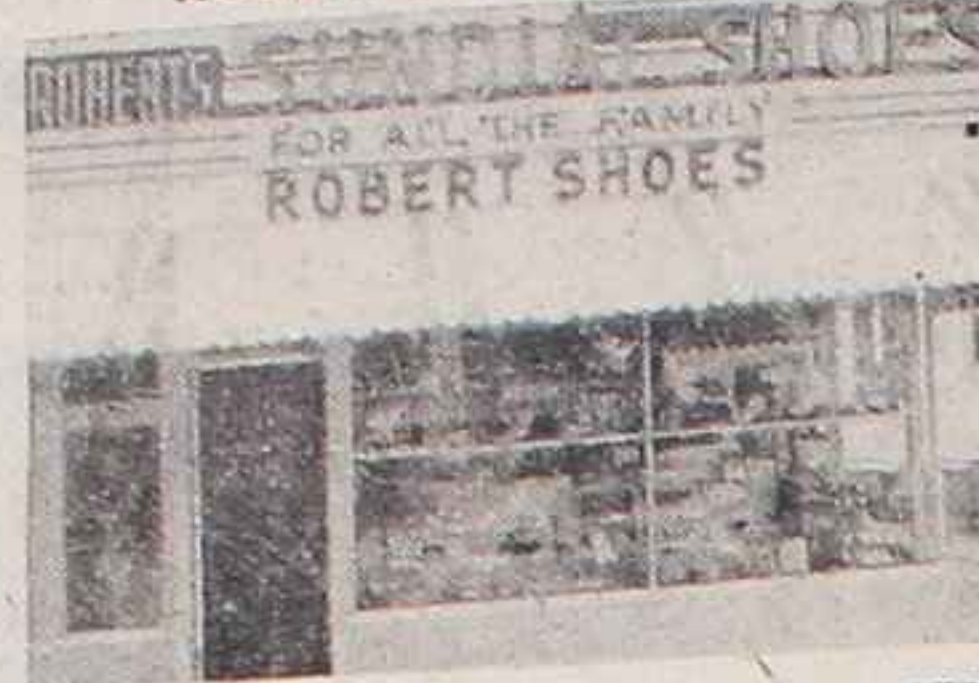
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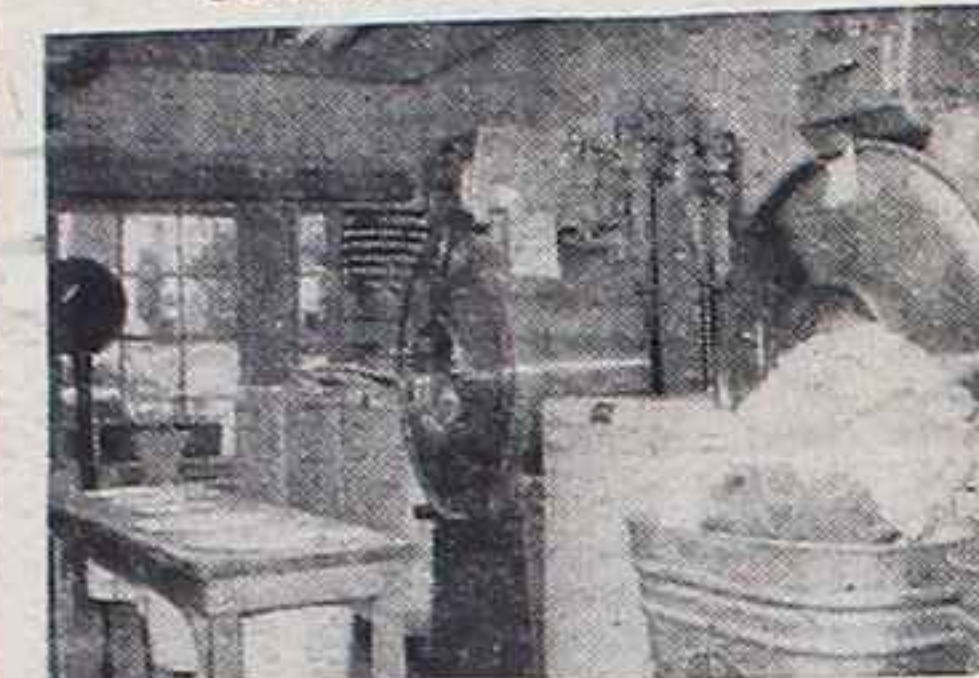
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Beach Precinct Plans 50th Anniversary Celebration

Fifty years of progress at Hampton Beach was the theme of the annual joint banquet of the Hampton Beach Precinct and Chamber of Commerce held this week at the Hotel Ashworth celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the Hampton Beach Village District.

Governor Lane Dwinell was the featured speaker of the occasion which formally opens the summer season at Hampton Beach and paid tribute to the "aggressive attitude of Hampton citizens which is a symbol of the spirit which makes Hampton Beach the recreational center which it is today."

New Hampshire's governor accepted no bouquets for the emergency repairs to the toll bridge over Hampton Harbor, but gave the credit to the engineering department of the N. H. Public Works and Highway Division for making the temporary repairs so that the bridge could be opened June 8 approximately one month earlier than first predicted.

Gov. Dwinell told his audience of nearly 250 area businessmen and guests, that his only instructions to the Highway department were "to make d-n sure the bridge was opened by the 20th" — the date he had to speak at the beach banquet.

In his opening remarks of welcome to all the guests Chairman Ralph T. Harris of the Hampton Beach Precinct Commissioners, paid a high tribute to the state officials for the cooperation shown in getting the bridge reopened to traffic.

Mr. Harris also outlined plans for the observance of the Precinct's 50th Anniversary which include a revival of the old Carnival days at Hampton Beach with an outstanding program planned for the celebration weeks which will run August 17-31.

The Chamber of Commerce welcome was given by Ralph Moulton, vice president, in the absence of President John Dineen.

Trophies to beach students of Hampton High school for outstanding ability in athletics were presented by former President Ray Goding to Constance Jones, top award in field hockey, basketball and softball; Brenda Donahue, cup for field hockey and softball; Dale Woodward, plaque for field hockey and cheerleading.

Bill Elliot served as master of ceremonies with the invocation by Rev. William McInnes, pastor of the Hampton Congregational church.

General chairman of the affair was Pat Fuller assisted by the following committees:

Menu — Ralph Moulton, chairman, Kenneth Ross, John Hines, Walter A. Beal, Frank Moody, Norman Grandmaison.

Tickets — Pat Fuller, chairman, Walter Jennings, Frank Moody, Douglass Hunter, Joseph Flynn, Elmer Henneka, Herbert Casassa, Jack Dunfee, Walter Vanderpool, Stanley Hamel.

Seating and Place Cards — Douglass Hunter, chairman, Roland Bragg, George Downer, Pat Fuller, Charles F. Butler, Elmer Henneka.

Entertainment — John J. Foley, chairman, Ralph Harris, James Batterbury, John Dignon, Henry Dupuis, Fred Gagne, George Downer.

Decorating — Mrs. Joe Ferguson, chairman, Mrs. Warren Cann, Mrs. Charles F. Butler, Mrs. Kenneth Ross, Mrs. Pat Fuller, Mrs. Ralph Moulton.

Reception — Ralph T. Harris, chairman, John J. Dineen, Ray L. Goding, Charles F. Butler, Jack Walsh, Seth Junkins, Joseph Flynn, John Long.

Hostesses — Mrs. Ralph Harris, chairman, Mrs. John Dineen, Mrs. Joe Ferguson, Mrs. Warren Cann, Mrs. Fred Gagne, Mrs. John Long, Mrs. James Batterbury, Mrs. Charles F. Butler, Mrs. George Downer, Mrs. John Dunfee, Mrs. Henry Dupuis, Mrs. James Fallon, Mrs. Joseph Flynn, Mrs. John J. Foley, Mrs. A. D. Fuller, Mrs. Ray L. Goding, Mrs. Elmer Henneka, Mrs. John Hines, Mrs. Douglass Hunter, Mrs. Walter Jennings, Mrs. Seth Junkins, Mrs. Roland Bragg, Mrs. J. Carl McKeon, Mrs. Frank L. Moody, Mrs. Ralph Moulton, Mrs. Robert C. Randall, Mrs. John Walsh, Mrs. Walter Vanderpool, Mrs. H. W. Young, Mrs. Kenneth Ross, Mrs. Walter A. Beal, Mrs. Norman Grandmaison, Mrs. Raymond Sturges, Mrs. Alton B. Tobey, Mrs. Herbert Casassa.

The history of the Hampton Beach Precinct according to the program notes follows:

"On the 26th day of June, 1907, a group of business men from the beach got together and met at the old Cutler Hotel to discuss improvements of the Beach. It was unanimously voted to form a Village District and the following officers were elected as Precinct Commissioners for the term of one year: John C. White, Oscar J. Jenkins, and Charles W. Ross. Thomas L. Sanborn was elected as clerk and James DeLancey as Treasurer. The total number of votes cast were 8.

"The main purpose of forming the Precinct was the extinguishment of fires, sprinkling of streets, supply of water for domestic and fire purposes and the maintenance of common sewers.

"It was voted at this meeting to appropriate \$850 to install 17 hydrants and \$1000 was appropriated for fire apparatus.

"Since that time, Precinct meetings have been held in March of each year and at the first meeting in 1907, they voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1850. In 1957, the present appropriation voted was \$44,555.

when it was voted to elect the Commissioners, alternately, for a period of three years, whereas before, the three Commissioners were elected every year for a term of one year.

"It might be interesting to know that the first Precinct Banquet was held in 1926, and all firemen were invited and had their own table and even brought the fire alarm along with them and set it in the middle of the table in the event an alarm came in. Some years later the Chamber of Commerce combined with the Precinct on a co-operative basis for the annual banquet.

"Since that first meeting at the old Cutler Hotel 50 years ago, the Precinct has grown to the point where there have been a great asset to the growth, prosperity, and development of Hampton Beach through their appropriation of moneys for advertising, fire apparatus, playground, carnival acts, band concerts, and the installation of a salt water system which has cut the insurance rates by over 15%."

The list of men who have served as Precinct Commissioners with their terms of office are as follows:

John White, 1907-1918; Oscar Jenkins, 1907-1910; Charles Ross, 1907-1914; Benjamin Smart, 1910-1913; Edmund Langley, 1913-1916; Kenneth Ross, 1914-1925; George Ashworth, 1916-1917; Alexander Brown, 1917-1923; Armas Guyon, 1918-1919; James W. Garland, 1919-1923; Atwood Rowe, 1923-1927; George Ashworth, 1925-1952.

Also, Kenneth Ross, 1927-1937; Fred Lovett, 1927-1934; Armas Guyon, 1934-1947; Fred Batchelder, 1937-1946; Ernest R. Underwood, 1946-1951; James W. Tucker, Jr., 1947-1953; Charles F. Butler, 1949-1955; Seth Junkins, 1953-1956; Alfred V. Gagne, 1951; Ralph T. Harris, 1955; and John J. Foley, 1956.



SPECIAL COMMITTEE for the observance of the 50th anniversary of the Hampton Beach Precinct is shown above, left to right, seated—Ray Goding, Mrs. Warren Cann, Mrs. Winnie Ferguson, "Pat" Fuller; standing—Kenneth Ross, Douglass Hunter and John Long. In cooperation with the Chamber of Commerce the Precinct committee is planning a gala Old Home Day celebration with the old time carnival atmosphere for the weeks of August 17-31.



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Rebuilding Of State Pier At Hampton Harbor Sought

Plans for the rebuilding of the state pier at Hampton Harbor were corroborated recently by Mr. Russell B. Tobey, state director of Recreation in an interview with a Beachcomber representative in Concord.

Mr. Tobey stated that an appropriation of \$11,000 for rebuilding the dock was being asked in Governor Dwinell's supplemental appropriation bill for capital improvements of state facilities.

State engineers have visited the harbor area recently and viewed the remains of the demolished pier and ramp which has been used

by lobstermen, fishing party boats and the Coast Guard for many years.

Several lobstermen expressed the hope that when the final plans are drafted the proposed pier will be large enough and far enough out in deep water to accommodate more than one boat at a time, as has been the case in the past.

Mr. Tobey has indicated that the state engineers have plans already drawn for completely rebuilding the pier and only await favorable action by the Legislature on the capital budget measure before starting actual construction.



TOWN, BEACH AND STATE OFFICIALS recently viewed the sight of the proposed new state pier at Hampton Harbor to replace the present structure badly damaged by the elements. Forestry and Recreation department heads indicated that construction of the new pier hinges on legislative approval of funds.

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Bay Staters Top Talent Parade

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In the senior division Ann A. McNeil, 16, of 20 Third street, Woburn, Mass., sang her way to first place with a selection of "City of Angels". A pantomimist, Therisa Dupuis, 15, of 22 Whitaker road, Amesbury, Mass., was awarded second place.

Trophies instead of cash awards go to the winners this year as numerous requests were received last year for a prize that the winners could keep at home.

Get-Acquainted Dances Slated To Start July 1st

To encourage a general atmosphere of friendliness and informality among the guests at Hampton Beach, beginning July 1st, Get-Acquainted night dances will be held every Monday evening in the Casino ballroom.

Regularly scheduled star attractions will appear and perform with games and dancing also to be enjoyed.

Tickets for Get-Acquainted nights may be secured by registered guests at beach hotels and rooming houses. For those who rent cottages, the tickets are available from real estate agents. Others may gain admittance by purchasing tickets at the door at regular prices.

Beach Church To Open Sunday

Church services at the Hampton Beach Community church will begin Sunday, June 30, at 10:30 a.m. with the Rev. Richard J. Oosting of Hampton as guest minister. Holy Communion will be observed at this first service of the summer season.

The spring meeting of the Hampton Beach Community church board of directors was held on Friday evening, June 21. Mr. Douglas Hunter, vice-president, presided in the absence of President Martha D. Greene. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and accepted.

It was voted to buy a new church sign and to do any necessary repairs that were needed to be done.

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Driving Tips For A Safe July 4th

As millions of fun-seeking motorists head for the lakes, mountains or beaches over the Fourth of July holiday, safety experts are hopeful that extra care and caution will keep the highway accident toll at an all-time low.

To help achieve this goal, look over this list of 10 driving tips. Remember — no one yet has ever had a license long enough not to become involved in an accident.

1. Control your temper when behind the wheel. Highways are crowded and travel is slow; don't "blow-up" and take unnecessary chances.
2. Start early, expect frequent delays and leave for home early, preferably during daylight.
3. Watch out for careless drivers who are over-anxious to reach their destinations.
4. Slow down, to allow passing cars extra room to get back into the right lane ahead of you.
5. Always give the other driver more than his share of the road.
6. Get into the proper lane well in advance of turning — and always signal your intention to turn or stop.
7. Pull your car entirely off the road when stopping for sightseeing or a roadside picnic.
8. Check traffic in all directions, especially to the rear, before pulling out of a parking spot onto the highway.
9. Reduce speed at sundown and drive within the range of your headlights.
10. Concentrate on your driving — it's a full time job.

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Still on Capitol, Nat King Cole does the title song from "China Gate" in which he also debuts as a straight dramatic actor. . . . The song is a haunting melody that lingers. . . . Reverse has "When Rock and Roll Come to Trinidad" . . . Sinatra's latest is "Crazy Love" and hits for Frankie are an old

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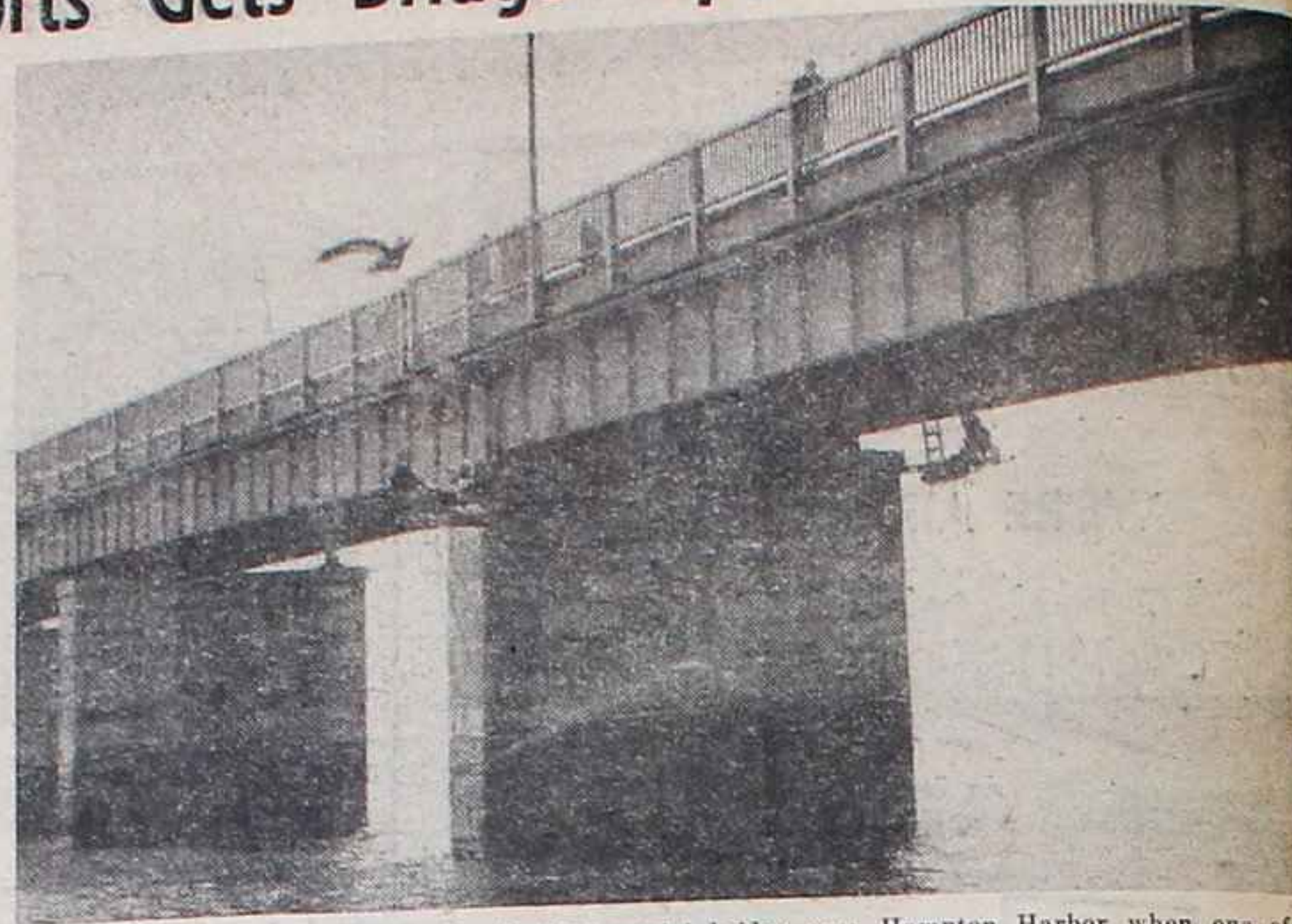
A rare pre-season disaster hit Hampton Beach in early May when one of the 12 supporting piers of the Hampton River toll bridge shifted as the fast running tides eroded the fill material from around the pier and caused a section of the bridge to drop about five inches.

Forecasts of a six to eight week repair period cast a gloom over beach businessmen. State Highway department crews working around the clock found the job going faster than previously predicted and completed the project of the reopening in a little over a month.

The closing of the bridge caused the rerouting of traffic from Route 1A to Route 1 to reach Hampton Beach. Both Seabrook and Hampton Beach businessmen felt the pinch of slack sales as many patrons stayed clear of the beach area. The early reopening of the bridge is said by many beach businessmen to have made the difference between a poor year and the excellent year that had been previously forecast.

The closing of the span came early Saturday morning, May 4, immediately following the discovery of the dropped pier by Peter Filacamo, a truck driver for Merrill Lumber company of Hampton who was enroute to Seabrook Beach over the bridge. Mr. Filacamo stated that his front wheels passed over the span joint but when the rear wheels came over it, the rear end of his truck suddenly dropped as the span gave way beneath his vehicle. Investigation by Toll Keeper Ralph Gove disclosed that a section of the span had dropped five inches.

Temporary repairs to the Underwood Memorial bridge connecting



EXTENT OF DAMAGE to the Underwood Memorial bridge over Hampton Harbor when one of the bridge's 12 piers tilted and caused a drop of five inches on May 4 is shown above being inspected by state engineers the day following to in preparation for emergency repairs. —Staff Photo

Hampton and Seabrook beaches got underway May 10th and were expected to take at least two months to complete before light traffic could use the bridge.

Highway Commissioner John O. Morton stated May 13, that the firms of Landers and Griffin of Portsmouth and Ellis C. Snodgrass, Inc. of Portland, Maine, had undertaken the temporary repairs on a cost plus basis.

The Governor and Council approved a \$150,000 no-bid agreement to expedite repairs to the Hampton River toll bridge on May 15.

The work of building two piers out to the damaged pier slowed to some extent the early date forecast for reopening the bridge. At that time it was thought that a large barge could be used to drive the necessary steel pilings for the formation of supporting bents. Tides soon forced a change of plans when it was discovered that it was impossible to hold the barge in position with the large anchors and moorings available, due to excessive tide velocity.

The work of driving pilings and building a pier on each side of the bridge got underway May 14 as the big cranes built their way out to the damaged pier. The completion of the work piers gave the workmen and machinery a platform to work from while driving the steel supports that will form the bents which will hold up the pier.

On completion of the bents, the drooping span was jacked back into position and the bridge reopened to light traffic.

The work of straightening and resupporting the tilted pier started

following the reopening of the bridge. Engineers said that temporary support for the tilted pier in the form of cement will be pumped under the piers to hold it in place until a coffer dam can be built.

A sheet steel coffer dam will be driven into the river bed and the water pumped out and the final straightening and necessary fill material placed in position.

The bridge was reopened to light traffic on June 8th, one week ahead of the forecast opening.

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A VACANT SPOT for a picnic at Hampton Beach was hard to find over the past weekend but the Marston and Ryan families of Manchester found one and the children, Wayne Marston, Kathy Ryan, and Wacren Marston made short work of the food. —Staff Photo

Great Boar's Head Motel Approved

Final approval for the construction of a motel on Great Boar's Head was granted this past week by the Hampton Board of Adjustment in a split 4-1 decision.

In a rehearing of the petition of Reginald and Susan Hilborn to build a motel on land situated at the foot of Great Boar's Head in two different zoning areas — business and residential — the board upheld its first decision to grant the petition for the lesser of the restrictions under provisions of the zoning ordinance.

The rehearing was made necessary by a technicality when all abutting land owners were not notified of the first public hearing.

The 4-1 vote found chairman Carl Lougee, Mrs. Grace Burnham, Ray L. Goding and Kenneth W. Langley favoring the petition and E. Clifford Bean for denial.

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Water Ski Club To Hold Formation Meeting Monday

Formation of a new Water Ski club was virtually assured this week as 32 persons showed up to a meeting of interested participants held at the Beach fire station Monday night.

Included in the group of people interested in the formation of a new ski club, are a large group of adults and several teenagers. Plans were discussed on the formation of the club and the name to be adopted is expected to be the Hampton Water Ski club, according to Phil Toppan one of those interested in the formation of the club.

Mr. Toppan stated that Harbor Master Armond Gauron had been asked if the club could use the Seabrook side of the river and he had agreed that if the request is put in writing it may be granted.

Roland Dionne of Seabrook offered to furnish a correct craft boat for the club members to use and his son Roger will operate the boat.

Membership fee to join the club has been set at \$10 and books of tickets for the boat to tow the skiers has been set at one dollar. The club is going to purchase three pairs of skis.

Anybody not a member of the club will be able to ski at the rate of two dollars for 15 minutes.

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PERT, PRETTY Miss Ann Rahmato of Fitchburg, Mass., was only one of thousands who took advantage of the cooling waters at Hampton Beach over the weekend.



MANY NEW FACES will greet vacationists at Hampton Beach this summer from the bandstand where the enlarged concert band under the direction of Eddie Madden of Rochester will give four concert's daily as in past years. —Staff Photo

Weekly Events Listed By C of C

The Chamber of Commerce has planned a summer program designed to fill the summertime wants of most beach visitors which should make the phrase "Happy Hampton" come true.

There will be the usual daily band concerts from 2-3, 4-5, 7-8 and 8-9 featuring the 12-piece concert band of Eddie Madden.

Calisthenics on the Beach, daily, July 1, to August 28; except Saturdays and Sunday and holidays, under the direction of Miss Priscilla Gillespie, a physical education major at UNH.

Weather permitting every Wednesday evening fireworks will blast off at 9:15 pm. The aerial display is visible for miles.

Talent shows will be held on the band stand every Monday night at 7:00 pm through August 19. The finals of season, open only to top winners will be held August 26.

Don't forget the Old Salts club which offers membership to all the Isaac Waltons that bring ashore the big ones.

With all the preparation that the Chamber of Commerce has put into lining up a good program this should make it Hampton Beach's best and biggest season yet.

45 Events Slated For Jubilee Week

Portsmouth — Portsmouth's tremendous Jubilee Week celebration, the greatest celebration in New Hampshire, gets underway this coming Saturday and before the eight day mardi gras is completed on July 6th, a grand total of 45 events will have been staged for the general public.

The Portsmouth Air Base Open House will feature opening day festivities as the \$90,000,000 base allows the public to visit the buildings and view a static display of B-47 bombers. The base will be open from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Refreshments will be available on the base.

At 5:00 p.m. old Clarence DeMar leads a group of 65 runners down Market Square for the annual 10-Mile road race which ends in the square after a run through Newcastle and Bye. The Port City Amateur Radio club will have portable radio equipment set up along the way so that those on the square will hear a complete run-down on the race without moving out of the square. Dad Hardy, President of the club has made all arrangements for this complete coverage of the race. DeMar, oldest active runner in New England will be making his first appearance of the season in the Portsmouth run.

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5	A.M. 6:22	6:54	12:12
	P.M. 7:28	7:56	1:11
6	A.M. 8:04	8:34	1:37
	P.M. 8:56	9:34	2:24
7	A.M. 9:34	9:51	3:30
	P.M. 10:31	10:42	4:28
8	A.M. 11:21	11:28	5:16
	P.M.		5:17



EXPECT RECORD FOURTH CROWD

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BREAKWATER pilings at the south end of Hampton Beach form an interesting backdrop for pretty Carol Costa of Dracut, Mass., a sophomore at Dracut High and a frequent visitor at Happy Hampton.



IDEAL summer weather drew thousands of visitors to Hampton Beach last Sunday with the long stretches of sandy beach well occupied by sun worshippers in the process of developing a much desired tan.

