

AVENT FERRY BRIDGE

Survey Approved by Commissioner
 Chatham Pan-Handle Days
 Near One-fourth of County's
 Taxes—Unprecedented
 Low Water

Corinth, Dec. 8.—News from Corinth this time will have to include some items several weeks old. We have acquired the bad habit of our neighbor, Mr. J. D. McIver, and don't stay at home much. At any rate it will not be possible to write every week from now on.

Now that the Cole and Woody cases have both been settled we and the editor should be able to write our "stuff" without cutting at each other, but if we do draw fire again we will vigorously defend our premises and beat him at his own game if we can. (We don't recall a line we wrote in connection with either of those cases that wouldn't have been written if our Buckhorn correspondent had been dead—Editor.)

Miss Catherine Hackney, daughter of Mr. J. J. Hackney of Moncure, has taken Mrs. W. W. Horton's place in our Corinth school, Mrs. Horton having resigned on account of her health. Miss Ellen Penny, our capable primary teacher, continues her work.

The Corinth Land Co., a new Corinth enterprise, has taken over the old J. Bryan Grimes place, divided it into four small farms and a half dozen town lots and is advertising a big land sale for Friday, December 11. Mr. J. D. McIver seems to be the moving spirit in this new venture.

About two months ago the commissioners from Chatham and Lee counties met in Pittsboro and delegated a committee to call on Mr. John Sprunt Hill and ask the service of his department in making a preliminary survey and estimate on the proposed highway bridge at Avent's Ferry to be built on a fifty-fifty basis by Chatham and Lee Counties with possibly some help from the state. We are now very glad to report that a meeting has been held with Mr. Hill and that he is ready to have this preliminary work done and will do all he can to get the bridge built. In other words he is with us.

So it really begins to look as tho

after some 100 years of slow, tedious, and oft-times dangerous ferrying at the old Avent's Ferry crossing, we are going to get this long and narrow relief. The "handle" to Chatham County (look at the map) has become an important handle. About one-fourth of the taxes in Chatham county are paid from this little "handle" section of 25 sq. mi. (ask your tax collector). A year or so ago Lee county proposed that if we would "amputate" this handle from Chatham and graft it on to Lee that they would build our bridge, and in our extremity we came near doing just that. But that would have given old Chatham a hard fall, a permanent injury, and no insurance, so better judgment prevailed. The Chatham county officials proposed a bridge to Lee county on a fifty-fifty basis. This seemed like a fair proposition to most of us. Chatham would retain the great corporate wealth within the handle but an outlet would be made into Lee county that will make Sanford our nearest big trading center. It would place the state capitol some seven miles nearer Sanford and from 10 to 15 miles nearer half the people in Lee county.

With these facts before us the wonder is not that the bridge is really to be built, but that it was not built long ago. The county attorneys of Chatham and Lee by virtue of their office will have much to do with the preliminaries in getting this work started. Let them step on the gas and show some speed.

Never in the history of the electric power industry in the South has there ever been such a shortage of river water for operating water power plants. Here it is the middle of December and the Cape Fear and its tributaries still dry. Plenty of rain to keep the ground moist and roads slick but slow and all soaking in. None of the water reaches the rivers. Yet the C. P. and L. Co. has not curtailed one of its customers yet. It has been extremely fortunate in having the big Cape Fear steam plant come in just in time to handle the heavy demand for power due to the drought. This plant has also been able to help out neighboring power concerns that were caught without a steam reserve.

FREE CLINIC

There will be held a free clinic for cripples, infants and adults at Lee county court house, Sanford, on Friday, December 18. All in need of examination or treatment are urged to attend. Treatment in the clinic will be free, including such work as plaster casts and braces. The clinic will be held under the auspices of the Sanford Rotary Club. Mr. C. M. Andrews of the State Department of Education was here Wednesday advertising this beneficent work. This clinic is for Lee, Chatham, and Moore counties.

Mrs. J. N. DISMUKE DEAD

Mrs. Carrie E. Dismuke, relict of the late J. M. Dismuke, died last Saturday at her home near Bynum. She was 79 years of age. She had been an invalid for five months, in bed, but declining for several years. She was Miss Carrie Harmon before marriage. She has lived with her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Baker for the past eight years. She was buried at Rock Springs cemetery, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. Z. B. Teal, pastor at Rock Springs. Mrs. Baker is her only living child.

Road Commissioners' Expenditures

A glance over the copy of the minutes of the road commissioner's last meeting indicates that the sum total of bills ordered paid at that meeting was about \$5,300, going in the school was about \$5,300, going in the several usual ways. A credit of \$312.48 is registered, the amount received from Mr. R. J. Johnson for work by the road force upon the Lanus grove property, preparing it for the recent auction sale.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND

By virtue of the powers contained in a certain Mortgage Deed executed on the 13th day of January, 1925, by John Bynum, an duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for Chatham County, in Book "FX" at page 189, and the same having been duly transferred to Piedmont Credit Company, as the assignee, of the said Mortgage, W. G. Fields, and default having been made in the payment of the bond secured therein, together with accrued interest thereon, the undersigned will, on

MONDAY, JANUARY 4, 1926, at the court-house door in Pittsboro, sell for cash to the highest bidder the following described tract of land, lying and being in Hadley Township, Chatham County, North Carolina, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake and pointers, Justice's line, North about 3 1/2 East 110 1-2 poles to oak and pointers; thence East 71 poles to branch, stone, and pointers; Durnham's line; thence as the Hugh Crutchfield line to pointers; thence West 89 poles to the first station, containing 74 3-4 acres more or less. For a more complete chain of title reference is made to the division of the Crutchfield farm, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Chatham County, this being lot No. 2, in said division.

Time of Sale, 12 o'clock Noon.
 Date, December 23rd, 1925.
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 Assignee of the Mortgage.
 A. C. RAY, AGT.

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COMMISSIONERS RE-SALE OF LAND

Under and by virtue of a judgment in a special proceedings entitled "Chas. M. Dowd, Jr. and others Ex Parte" before the Clerk of the Superior Court for Chatham County, N. C., party making bid for one tract 4 having not complied with the terms of said sale and a re-sale having been ordered, the undersigned Commissioner will again expose to public auction on Monday, December 14, 1925 at 12 o'clock noon at the Court house door in Pittsboro, N. C. to the highest bidder for cash the following tract of land:

Situated in Gulf Township, Chatham County, N. C. and bounded as follows: Beg. at a pine stump with pointers widow A. S. Dowd's corner, thence South with said line 108 poles to stake on Caribton road thence South 85 East with said road 118 poles to a stake and pointers, thence N. 80 poles to stone pile in field, thence West 112 poles to the beginning, containing 66 3-4 acres more or less.

This November 28, 1925.
 V. R. JOHNSON, Commissioner.
 Dec. 3, 2c.

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NOTICE OF LAND SALE
 Under and by virtue of an order of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Chatham County, in the Special Proceeding therein, pending, entitled:

John C. Bynum and Mary Bynum Vs. J. B. Atwater, the undersigned Commissioner will, in Pittsboro, North Carolina, on **SATURDAY THE 5TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1925,** offer for sale by public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tract of land, to-wit:

A certain tract of land on the South side of Haw River bridge, beginning at the mouth of the first Branch below the bridge and runs to J. B. Atwater's line; thence with said line West to a point running due North to the River; thence down said River to the beginning, containing 40 acres more or less.

TIME OF SALE: 12 O'CLOCK M. Nov. 12 6p.

This November 4th, 1925.
 W. P. HORTON,
 Commissioner.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. Mary Bynum, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before November 7, 1925, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. Those owing the estate will please make immediate payment.

This 7th day of November, 1925.
 E. L. STINSON,
 Administrator.

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