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They are talking about putting up a building in Chicago that will be forty one stories high and is to cost forty million dollars. It is to be the largest building in the world and as an evidence of it there will be a convention hall in the structure that will seat 25,000 people. Besides there will be a big hotel, stores and offices. This building will be a little city in itself and no doubt will be considered a great triumph of architectural ability. Wouldn't it be better though if instead of so many folks trying to live in a few big cities they would go elsewhere and build up some of the smaller ones?

Florida is drawing pretty heavily from some of the Southern states and it seems that they do not like it very well. In Virginia it is reported that Governor Trinkle has been asked to call a special session of the Legislature to take some action about the matter. The idea seems to be that the Legislature should vote a large sum of money to be used in advertising Virginia not only to outsiders but to Virginians themselves. If they can be convinced that they are already living in a fine commonwealth maybe the Virginians will stay away from Florida. For our part we doubt the efficacy of this plan. If they have got the Florida fever might as well let them go down and try to get rich quick. Most of them will come back any way.

**STRENGTH IN UNION.**

Beaufort and Morehead City now have a combined population of more than six thousand. When the State highway bridge is finished this population of six thousand or more will give the towns some advantages which they do not now possess. As this aggregate population continues to grow, as it undoubtedly will do, these advantages will increase proportionately. For instance should a fire occur in either town the fire equipment of both towns will be available to put it out which amounts to doubling the fire fighting equipment of each town. It may be possible some time to consolidate the electric light plants of the twin cities thereby materially reducing the cost of producing current. It is likely that there will be a consolidation of the telephone centrals some time which would save money for the company and give the people better service. The larger population will be a great advantage also to enterprising merchants in both places as any one can readily see. Then there are many other advantages which will manifest themselves after the union has occurred.

**MORE WEALTH MEANS REDUCED TAXES**

It is a great thing for a county to have a lot of taxable wealth. It enables such a county to have good schools, good roads and other advantages and at the same time to enjoy a low tax rate. When a county that has but little wealth undertakes to secure the good things it finds itself compelled to pay a high tax rate.

The Charlotte Observer says that the estimated value of taxables in Mecklenburg county this year is \$160,000,000 and that this is a gain over last

year of some thirteen millions. The present tax rate in the county is one dollar on the hundred and this may be cut one or two cents. The receipts from tax levies will be around \$1,700,000 and besides this there will be fines and forfeitures and dog taxes. Mecklenburg expects to spend \$738,000 on her schools and about a half million on roads. The county is spending \$100,000 for a tuberculosis sanatorium and of course maintains a jail, workhouses, county home and the courts. Mecklenburg has many fine roads and from time to time is building more of them. Now the point of chief interest to Carteret county folks is that all these big things are being done in Mecklenburg county with a tax rate of half what we have to pay. The conclusion is perfectly plain. What we need in Carteret is more wealth so we can get the good things we want and at the same time cut our tax rate down instead of constantly raising it.

**CARTERET IS GETTING SOME NEEDED PUBLICITY**

As this newspaper has often tried to point out, publicity of the right sort is something that Beaufort, Morehead City and in fact all of Carteret county badly needs. The object of publicity is to attract new population and capital so that our section may be brought to a high state of development. We want people with energy and capital to come here and take advantage of the natural advantages which this section has to offer.

During the past two or three years Beaufort and this vicinity has had more publicity probably than ever in its history. This has been due to several reasons. The opening of the Inland Waterway, the building of passable roads and other causes have brought many people here and have advertised this section rather widely. The development at West Beaufort has been a big advertisement for that place and Beaufort too. Hundreds of people have been here to look around and many of them have invested in property. Many newspaper articles have appeared in the daily press, and other periodicals, written by local writers as well as outsiders, that have helped considerably. An instance of this was the publication of an article on Carteret in a recent issue of the Manufacturer's Record of Baltimore. This was prepared by Mr. U. E. Swann and gave a lot of information about the resources of this section and the development that has taken place already. The Chambers of Commerce of Beaufort and Morehead City have done as much as their limited means would allow and various individuals have helped the cause of publicity along. So in one way and another our county and towns are getting some badly needed advertising. A beginning has been made but it ought to go on for a long time and on a much larger scale.

**IT PAYS TO BEAUTIFY.**

Beaufort people must have been highly gratified a great many times this summer at comments made by visitors on the town's appearance. Beaufort has always been an attractive place in a way, but there is no disputing the fact that it has improved wonderfully in the last three or four years. The most conspicuous improvement has been that of the paved streets. There is hardly any one thing that sets off a town like pretty streets and Beaufort is certainly well supplied with good streets. There are towns in the State as large as this perhaps that hav'n't as much paving as we have here. It cost considerable money but there are very few people in town who would like to go back to the unpaved street era.

Washington, D. C., is the most beautiful city in the United States. This is due mainly to its wonderful streets, its parks, trees, shrubbery and flowers. Washington has no more natural advantages than many other cities and has less than some; but a tremendous outlay of money and work has overcome natural obstacles and produced a city that ranks with the most beautiful of the

whole world. Beaufort cannot be a Washington but it can become an exceedingly attractive place. In fact it has already made a good start in that direction. There are no finer trees any where than the elms on Ann and Turner streets. The flowers and shrubs in the courthouse grounds, the grass and flowers along many of our streets and in the front yards of many residents of the town are as beautiful as can be seen in any city. They ought to be an inspiration to all who have neglected their premises to get to work and help make Beaufort a place of beauty and charm. Nature has given us a water front that cannot be surpassed along the Atlantic coast and this fact supplemented with the improvements that we have and that we are going to have will make Beaufort one of the most popular seashore resorts any where in America.

**PRESS GLEANINGS**  
PLENTY OF COAL.

There is said to be coal enough in China to heat the world for a century, but little of it is being mined or marketed. It is well to realize, however, that there will never be any genuine coal famine. We may have strikes in this country and mines may close down, but coal is spread fairly thick all over the world, and it can always be had when needed. The hardship may be acute for the moment, but it cannot long endure.—(Los Angeles Times.)

**THIS IS "US."**

Most of us who are not bootleggers are simply tickled to death when a dry officer sneaks on a blockader or bootlegger. We are then convinced that it's just the thing an officer ought to do. But when we ourselves are violating the laws of the same great state by driving our automobiles recklessly, and, in order to catch us, a speed cop lies in a clump of bushes in wait for us, we want him put out. We think that an officer of the law ought to be uniformed and forced to "come out in the open." Do you know why this is the case? It's simply a question of whose ox is gored. But we forget that the man or woman who habitually violates THE LAW is a criminal, and that it is not a question of whether it is the "speed law" or the "prohibition law." How nearly civilized are we, anyhow?—(Albemarle News-Herald.)

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**FISHING INDUSTRY**

**BIG AT SARASOTA**  
The commercial fishing industry of Sarasota, Fla., runs well into a half million dollars yearly, and will be a million when the deep water project is completed and the snapper boats can unload at this city.

Fish shipments are made both by express and freight—by express in barrels and by freight like wheat—only there is a layer of cracked ice and a layer of fish.

Fishing for sport is another matter—and here the Isaak Waltona foregather at all seasons of the year and especially when tarpon and king fish are running.

Sportsmen come from afar to enjoy the exceptional and delightful opportunities offered in Sarasota County for sport fishing. Tarpon, the silver king of the Southern seas, is to be found in abundance during May, June and July.—(Fish & Oyster Reporter.)

**IN THE RUNNING.**

Pine Bluff, in the sandhills, will this season open a new hotel which will prove a fine addition to the accommodations for Winter tourists. It is of brick veneer and The Vass Pilot says its massive proportions make a fine appearance. And as the hotel is being finished, plans are under way for a new million-dollar hotel at Pinehurst. The activities on the Sandhills play-grounds this coming season will prove another indication that Florida is not the whole thing, by a long shot. North Carolina is getting into the running in fine shape. Mountain development will match that in the sandhills, and as a starter the contract has been let to an Asheville firm for construction of Commodore Stolz's \$2,000,000 hotel on the mountain overlooking Hendersonville.—(Charlotte Observer.)

The Beaufort News has something in it to interest the children, the ladies, and the men. The whole family can get something out of it therefore every family should subscribe for it.

**COUNTY AGENT GIVES INSTRUCTIONS FOR PASTURES**

For the benefit of those farmers who wish to plant permanent pastures this fall, I wish to offer the following suggestions:

- 1—Select a well drained plot of land, preferably, with crop of cow-peas, soybeans or velvet beans on which are to be turned under for green manure.
- 2—Have land handy to lot and barn.
- 3—Break land thoroughly.
- 4—The soil must be sweet-spread 2 tons of ground limestone per acre, cut in with harrow and let stand until after a rain.
- 5—Fertilize the soil-unleached barnyard manure is best. Mix in upper 2 inches of seed bed. Let stand until another rain if possible.
- 6—The broken soil just beneath the surface should be firm at time of sowing.
- 7—Inoculate the clover seed to make sure of success the first year.
- 8—Seed used per acre: Italian rye grass 8 pounds, Orchard grass 8 pounds, Herds grass 8 pounds, Carpet grass 5 pounds, Red clover 4 pounds, white clover 4 pounds, Alsike clover 4 pounds, Lespedeza 4 pounds. Total of 45 pounds per acre.
- 9—Use same inoculation for all the clovers as they all belong to the same family.
- 10—Be careful with the inoculation—this is the cause of many failures.
- 11—Mix seed in cotton seed meal in sufficient quantities to sow over the plot twice to insure even seeding. Make two sowings, the second one at right angles to the first sowing.
- 12—Fall sown pastures are the best. Sow from Sept. 15 to Oct. 15.
- 13—Don't begin to graze until the pasture is 4 to 6 inches high, and don't graze too close the first year. Too close grazing of the pasture the first year while it is young permanently injures it.
- 14—Keep stock off of pasture while it is wet, until sod is thick enough to support the weight of the stock.
- 15—Call on your county agent for assistance in planning and planting your pasture.

HUGH OVERSTREET,  
County Agent.

**BEAUFORT SCHOOL SECURES HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL**

Mr. M. S. Rose of Filbert, West Virginia has been secured as principal of the Beaufort High School for the ensuing year. He has taught one year and comes experienced, as well as thoroughly prepared for his work. He will teach General Science and Biology and coach the boys' athletic teams.

A good school year is contemplated in spite of the fact that practically all the grades are full and overflowing. The large number of pupils in the first grade together with the lack of room makes it necessary to divide it into sections, as last year, one of which will report in the morning, the other in the afternoon-alternating monthly.

**HATSELL—REVELEY.**

Announcements of the marriage of Miss Charity Ann Hattell formerly of Beaufort were received here this week. Miss Hattell has been living in Roanoke for many years. The announcement reads as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Elwood Hattell announce the marriage of their sister

Charity Anne

to

Mr. Marvin Tyler Reveley on Saturday, the fifteenth of August, Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-five. Roanoke, Virginia.

Now is the time to plan your farm business for next year. Keeping books may sound hard but the farmer who neglects this will soon find himself without a business.

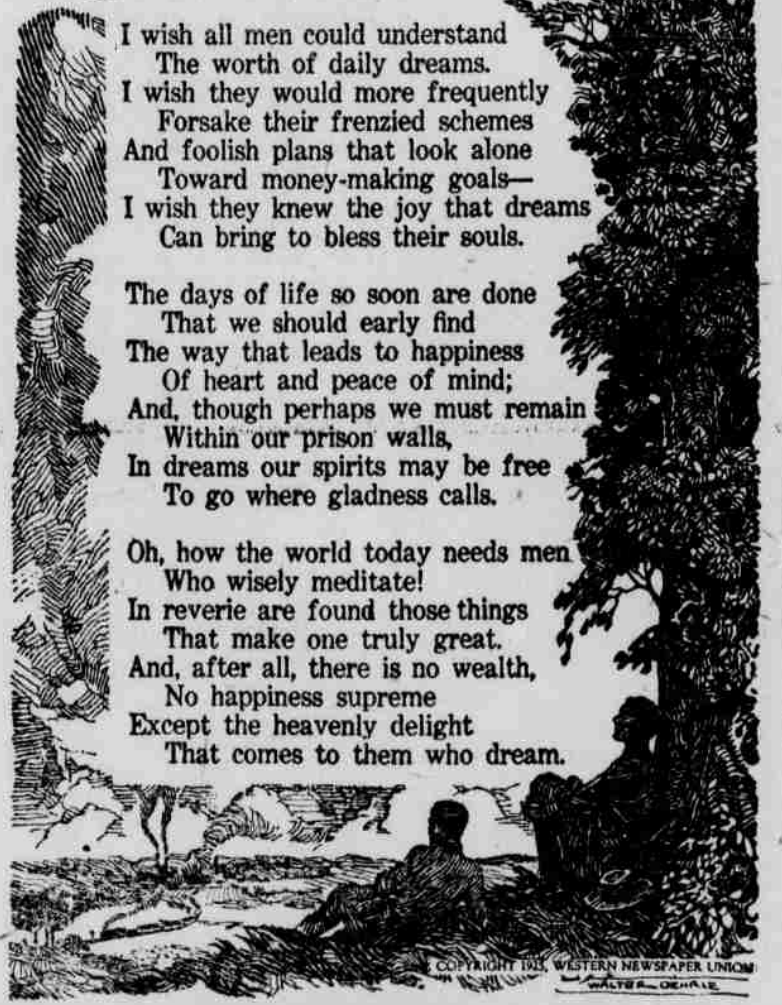
*To them who dream*

by O. Lawrence Hawthorne

I wish all men could understand  
The worth of daily dreams.  
I wish they would more frequently  
Forsake their frenzied schemes  
And foolish plans that look alone  
Toward money-making goals—  
I wish they knew the joy that dreams  
Can bring to bless their souls.

The days of life so soon are done  
That we should early find  
The way that leads to happiness  
Of heart and peace of mind;  
And, though perhaps we must remain  
Within our prison walls,  
In dreams our spirits may be free  
To go where gladness calls.

Oh, how the world today needs men  
Who wisely meditate!  
In reverie are found those things  
That make one truly great.  
And, after all, there is no wealth,  
No happiness supreme  
Except the heavenly delight  
That comes to them who dream.



**NEW FURNITURE For Fall**

AT THIS TIME OF THE YEAR IT IS NEW FURNITURE TIME, THERE IS NO DOUBT BUT THAT YOU HAVE BEEN PLANNING TO BUY SOMETHING NEW FOR THE HOUSE—BUT, BEFORE BUYING ELSEWHERE, DROP IN, LOOK OVER OUR LINE OF NEW ARRIVALS, AND COMPARE THE PRICES AND QUALITY—

**A NEW LINE OF—**  
RUGS, IN WHICH YOU CAN FIND MOST EVERY SIZE, EVERY KIND, AND AT PRICES THAT WILL CONVINCE YOU OF THE ECONOMY, WHEN YOU COMPARE THE QUALITY.

**A NEW LINE OF—**  
BED ROOM SUITS, IN THE VERY NEWEST STYLES AND MATERIALS. IN THESE YOU CAN GET A WIDE RANGE IN PATTERNS. IF WE DO NOT HAVE THE EXACT PATTERN IN STOCK THAT YOU WANT WE CAN GET IT FOR YOU IN SHORT ORDER.

**A NEW LINE OF—**  
LIVING ROOM SUITS, IN EVERY PATTERN DESIRED, FROM WICKER TO OVERTUFFED. AND THE PRICES OF THESE SUITS WILL PLEASE YOU IF YOU DO NOT FIND IN OUR STORE, JUST EXACTLY WHAT YOU WANT, WE CAN GET IT FOR YOU.

—HEADQUARTERS FOR FURNITURE—

**Gaskill-Mace Co.**

Hardware Two Stores Furniture