

SEA LEVEL NEWS ITEMS.

The P. T. Association met Friday for its second general meeting. Interesting reports were given and the road to victory was discussed. Eight new members were enrolled.

Our school ground is being much improved by Lewis Elliott and the school. Front of the building when school began was so full of stumps that you could not turn a car. The children could not play. Now as early as this there are only three stumps in front of the building. We hope to move these this week.

The equipment for the inside of the new building is almost complete. We feel sure now that we will leave the MODEL SCHOOL hoped for in the beginning.

Come everybody please to some of our school amusements Christmas week.

Program:

Three plays, by the sixth and seventh grades Friday night, December 18, High School students presents "Dust of the Earth," Saturday night at Stacy, Monday night we take the play "Dust of the Earth" to Atlantic.

The school gives the Christmas program Tuesday night, Wednesday night at our home auditorium we present "The Dust of the Earth, We hope to give the best entertainment during these nights that has ever been given in this part of the county. Please come and help us. We need you and appreciate your help.

Miss Grace Davis, of Davis has been the guest of her brother L. J. Davis for the week end.

Rev Bell filled his regular appointment here Sunday evening. A large crowd attended.

The Samoan race is the only race of Polynesians who are not dying out.

The idea of a chain of stores under one management was originated by George H. Hartford in 1859.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of Beaufort, N. C. until 12:00 o'clock noon January 4th, 1926 then publicly open for extensions to Water and Sewer Systems.

Bids are to cover material, equipment and labor for construction and completion of proposed work consists of the following approximate quantities:

- 5000 lin feet of 8 inch T. C. Sewer pipe.
- 2500 lin feet of 6 inch T. C. Sewer pipe.
- 200 lin feet of 8 inch C. I. Sewer pipe.
- 5 Flush tanks.
- 10 Manholes.
- 4 Fire Hydrants.
- 1000 lin feet 6 inch Class B. C. I. pipe.
- 1500 lin feet 4 inch Class B. C. I. pipe.
- 3 valves and boxes.
- 500 special castings.

All bids must be on the blank form included with the specifications and obtainable from the Engineer.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for 5 per cent of the amount bid, checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned to them.

A bond for an amount equal to 50 per cent of the amount bid of a Surety company satisfactory to the Commissioners will be required of the successful bidder.

Plans and specifications on file with city clerk, copies of specifications may be secured from Geo. J. Brooks, Engineer Beaufort.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

T. M. THOMAS, Jr.
Mayor
M. A. HILL,
Clerk.

GEO. J. BROOKS, Engineer.
Beaufort, N. C. 12-31-25.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS OF THE TOWN OF BEAUFORT, NORTH CAROLINA, TO THE AMOUNT OF TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS, (\$25,000) FOR THE PURPOSE OF COMPLETING THE WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM OF SAID TOWN.

WHEREAS, The Board of Commissioners of the Town of Beaufort, North Carolina deem it advisable to complete the water and sewer system in said Town; and

WHEREAS, Said improvement is a necessary expense of said Town;

WHEREAS, The current revenues of said Town are not sufficient to meet the obligations imposed upon the Town and at the same time provide moneys with which to undertake and construct said improv-

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF

COMMISSIONERS OF THE TOWN OF BEAUFORT, NORTH CAROLINA:

SECTION 1. That for the purpose of completing a water and sewer system in said Town, bonds of the Town of Beaufort, North Carolina shall be issued to the maximum sum of Twenty-five Thousand dollars, (\$25,000.)

SECTION 2. That a tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest on the bonds shall be annually levied and collected by the Town of Beaufort, North Carolina, at the same time and in the same as other town taxes are levied and collected.

SECTION 3. That simultaneously with the introduction of this ordinance, a statement of the debt of the town was filed with the Town Clerk pursuant to the Municipal Finance Act, as re-enacted at the special session of the Legislature of North Carolina, 1921, and is open to public inspection.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect 30 days after its first publication unless in the meantime, a petition for its submission to the voters is filed under the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act, 1921 and in such event it shall take effect when approved by the voters of the municipality at an election as provided in such act.

The foregoing ordinance was passed on the 7th day of December, 1925, and was first published on the 10th day of December, 1925.

Any action or proceeding questioning the validity of said ordinance must be commenced within 30 days after its first publication.

M. A. HILL,
Town Clerk
Dec. 31.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS OF THE TOWN OF BEAUFORT, NORTH CAROLINA, TO THE AMOUNT OF TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS, (\$10,000) FOR THE PURPOSE OF COMPLETING THE ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT IN SAID TOWN.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Beaufort, North Carolina, deem it advisable to complete the new electric light plant in said Town; and

WHEREAS, said improvement is a necessary expense of said Town; and

WHEREAS, the current revenues of said Town are not sufficient to meet the obligations imposed upon the Town and at the same time provide moneys with which to undertake and construct such electric light plant.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE TOWN OF BEAUFORT, NORTH CAROLINA.

SECTION 1. That for the purpose of completing the electric light plant in said Town, bonds of the Town of Beaufort, North Carolina shall be issued to the maximum amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

SECTION 2. That a tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest on the bonds shall be annually levied and collected by the Town of Beaufort, North Carolina, at the same time and in the same manner as other town taxes are levied and collected.

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12-31

SALE OF LAND

Pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage deed executed by M. R. Springle and his wife Sallie E. Springle to the undersigned mortgagee, dated the 1st, day of July 1922 and recorded in Book 37 at page 206 in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Carteret County, North Carolina, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and for the purpose of foreclosing the said mortgage deed, the undersigned mortgagee will offer for sale, and will sell for cash, at the court-house door of Carteret County, in the town of Beaufort, N. C., on MONDAY the 4th day of January 1926 at the hour of 12 o'clock, M., the following lot or parcel of land, lying and being in the County of Carteret State of North Carolina and the town of

Beaufort, more fully defined as follows:

Beginning at a point 11 1/2 feet from the corner of Craven and Ann Streets and running South 55 degrees East 14 feet, more or less to W. S. Chadwick's line; thence South 34 degrees West 55 feet, more or less to M. R. Springle's line; thence North 55 degrees West 14 feet, more or less to N. W. Taylor's line; thence North 34 degrees East 55 feet, more or less to the beginning. Being part of Lot Number 60 Old Town. Being the same land conveyed to M. R. Springle by H. H. Hamlin and wife Laura C. Hamlin

This 2nd, day of December 1925.
LAURA C. HAMLIN,
Mortgagee.

12-31-25

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator for the estate of C. H. Stewart, deceased late of Carteret County, N. C. This is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Gloucester, N. C., before the 10th day of December, 1925 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 10th day of December 1925.
W. R. STEWART
CHAS. D. STEWART
Administrators of the Estate of C. H. Stewart, deceased. 1 14 26

NOTICE.

North Carolina, Carteret County. In Superior Court, Before the Clerk.
Re: H. C. JONES, et al.,

J. HARRY DAVIS, et al.

Directed and authorized by order of the Superior Court of Carteret County in above entitled proceedings, undersigned Commissioner will, on Wednesday, the 30th day of December, 1925, at 12 o'clock, noon at the court-house door of Carteret

County in Beaufort, offer for sale, and sell, to the highest bidder for cash—or on terms bid at sale, to be approved by the Court—the following described lands:

In Beaufort Township, and known as the "Hall land"; beginning at the mouth of James Creek, running North 30 degrees east to the "Old Russell Division line," thence along said line westwardly to the old Cooper line, (now Beaufort Heights line) thence along the same southwardly to Taylor's Creek, thence along Taylor's Creek to the beginning, containing 100 acres, more or less, excepting the "Salt Works," containing 10 acres.

Sale subject to the Court's confirmation.

This November 24th, 1925.
J. F. DUNCAN,
Commissioner.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND

Under and by virtue of power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by B. T. Smith and Wife Jewell Smith and Lonnie Smith and Wife Effie May Smith to H. K. Land, Trustee, of date December 2nd, 1921 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Carteret County, North Carolina, in Book 38, page 194 and in pursuance hereof default having been made in the payment of the bonds secured by said Deed of Trust, and for the purpose of foreclosing the said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale and will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for CASH, at the Courthouse door in Beaufort Carteret County, North Carolina, on Monday, the 28th day of December, 1925, at 12 o'clock M. the lands described in said Deed of Trust, as follows:

TRACT ONE: Beginning on the South side of Newport River at the mouth of Meadows Branch running with center of said Branch to L. A. Garber's North East corner, then

South 89 1-2 degrees with said line 38 poles 8 links to a stake; thence South 6 degrees West 11 poles 8 links to a stake; thence North 88 1-2 West 16 poles 9 links to a stake; thence South 7 1-2 degrees West 14 1-2 poles to a stake by the North side of the New Road; thence South 32 degrees East 36 poles along the North side of the New Road to the centre of Meadows Branch; thence Southwestwardly with the centre of said Branch to the old Public Road; thence Westwardly with said Road to a point opposite C. W. Garner's west line to a stake; thence Northwardly to C. W. Garner's Southwest corner; thence with the C. W. Garner Eastwardly line to a stake; thence Northwardly with C. W. Garner line to a stake; thence Westwardly with the C. W. Garner line to a stake at the mouth of a ditch, thence Northwardly to Newport River run; thence with the various courses of said River run Eastwardly to the beginning, containing fifty acres, more or less.

SECOND TRACT: Joining the lands of E. H. Hill and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake the centre of Meadows Branch; thence running South 89 1-2 degrees West along the South side of the lane 38 poles 81 links to a stake at the corner of a stake; thence South 6 degrees West 11 poles — links to a stake; thence North 88 1-2 degrees West 16 poles 9 links to a stake; thence South 7 1-2 degrees West 14 1-2 poles to a stake by the North side of the New Road; thence South 52 degrees East 36 poles along the North side of said road to the centre of Meadows Branch; thence down and with the centre of said Branch to the beginning. This tract of land lies on the South of Newport River and contains eight acres more or less.

This the 24th day of Nov., 1925.
M. Leslie Davis, H. K. LAND,
Attorney Trustee
Dec. 17th

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