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WASHINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA, NOV. 12, 1915.

Monday we noticed a headline in the New Bern Sun to the effect that "One-Half of Serbia Captured." Tuesday, in the same space, we glimpsed the heading "Two-Thirds of Serbia Captured." It'll be all over by tomorrow.

With the fine of \$150 in Norfolk Tuesday, the case against William Swanner has at last been ended. Judging the nature of the offense, the general sentiment appears to be that Swanner was mighty lucky in securing so light a verdict.

Judging from the taste of the water during the last few days, the water company must have made a mistake and connected us up with the ocean.

A large number of our local residents went to Aurora yesterday and Wednesday to see the agricultural fair, which was held in that city this week. Practically everyone expressed themselves as being both delighted and surprised with the excellent quality of the exhibits. The people of Aurora cannot be commended too highly for their progressiveness. They have made Washington and Behaven feel rather cheap.

It isn't too early for the Chamber of Commerce to get behind a movement for a Greater Beaufort County fair next year. If Aurora can get up a good fair there is no reason why Washington shouldn't do likewise.

### THE LIBRARY QUESTION.

At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night, the local public library question was given considerable discussion. In the minds of most of those who expressed themselves in the matter, the best plan would be for the city to endeavor to operate the organization under Mr. Carnegie's plan. If we can guarantee that the institution will be given regular support, a building may be secured from the Carnegie Library fund that will not cost the city a cent.

It is necessary, however, that a site be furnished. There are two or three desirable locations in the heart of the city. While it is understood that there is some opposition to giving this lot for a library site, the project is too worthy a one to be held back because of personal reasons.

The library association will hold a meeting in the near future. We would suggest that they invite a number of the representative business men of the city to their meeting and let the matter be thoroughly discussed at that time.

Wanted: Information as to the whereabouts and movements of one T. R. Beem lost from the front page for several weeks.

We can turn our attention from the bloody battlefields for a while and discuss the probable answer that Great Britain will make to our last note.

### THE GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION.

The men who are behind the good roads movement in Washington township are showing by their every action that they are working on a sound business basis, that every detail is being cared for and that they are leaving no stone unturned to see that the election for bonds is carried.

The latest movement in this direction was the organization of the Washington Township Good Roads Association, which was perfected Tuesday night. The association is composed of prominent men of both city and rural districts. W. H. Stancill, the president, is known throughout the county as a good-roads advocate and good judgment was displayed in selecting him for president of the Association. The other officers are equally worthy men.

The association has considerable work ahead of it. One of the first things they will take up will be to send a committee before the county commissioners in order to settle upon the exact method of expending the money on the roads of the township. Another matter which they will probably undertake is an excursion into some of the adjoining counties in order that some of our residents may see what good roads really are. Still another work that they will direct will be the holding of a general mass meeting and barbecue some time during December, to which a number of prominent men—including Governor Craig—will be invited.

The association has some big work ahead of it. It is composed of wide-awake men, however, and we believe that they will be successful in carrying their work to a successful finish.

Behaven will have a chance to show what it can do in the way of entertaining, when the North Carolina Drainage Association meets in that city on the last day of this month. Unless we are very much mistaken, Behaven will do herself proud.

One of the residents of another township in Beaufort county yesterday made the remark that they were only waiting to see how the bond election would turn out in Washington township, before holding an election themselves. There is little doubt but that the townships in the county will follow in rapid order, since they see the improvements that are made in this section.

### GUARD AGAINST ROBBERIES.

During the last few months a number of robberies have occurred in Washington, especially in the business sections. After making sure that a policeman is not in sight it is a very simple matter for



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We would suggest, before it is too late, that the merchants protect themselves against future robberies by either putting iron bars before the rear windows of their stores or else installing strong wooden shutters. At any rate, protect the stores so that they will not offer an easy opportunity for theft to every wandering hobo who comes to our city.

All parts of Beaufort county are beginning to show progress. An Old Ford meeting is being held today at which community problems will be discussed. The idea is an excellent one and other districts in Beaufort county could do the same with profit to themselves.

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NOTICE OF SALE.  
By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage deed to me executed by L. H. Jackson and wife, dated June 30, 1914, recorded in the Registrar's office of Beaufort County, in Book 181, Page 242, which is hereby referred to, I will sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder at the courthouse door of Beaufort County on December 1, 1915, at noon, that tract or parcel of land in Long Acre Township, Beaufort County, adjoining the lands of Thomas E. Snow, C. M. Little, Jacob Allgood, and others, described as

Beginning on the North side of the Public Landing Road at a dog wood, which is also the beginning corner of the land of C. M. Little, and running with said Little's line North 68 West 32 poles; thence North 10 East 34 poles to Allgood's line; thence South 52 East 50 poles; thence South 2 1-2 East 29 poles; thence South 77 East 95 poles to the said Public Landing Road, and with the said road to the beginning, containing 65 acres, more or less, and being the same land conveyed by the said James H. Harris and wife to said L. H. Jackson.  
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JAS. H. HARRIS, Mortgages.

11-2-4wc.



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NOTICE OF REGISTRATION AND ORDER OF ELECTION FOR FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS ROAD BONDS WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of 1913 passed an act TO PROVIDE FOR THE WORKING OF PUBLIC ROADS OF VARIOUS TOWNSHIPS AND ISSUING BONDS FOR THE SAME.

And whereas a petition in writing signed by not less than one-fourth of the qualified voters of Washington Township has this day been presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County, requesting said commissioners to submit to the qualified voters of Washington Township where said petitioners reside, a proposition to issue bonds in the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars for the purpose of laying out, establishing, altering, repairing, grading, constructing and improving the public roads of Washington Township, and for purchasing such improvements, said bonds to machinery, tools, etc., necessary for a period not to exceed twenty-five years, and to bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR THE COUNTY OF BEAUFORT:—  
1st: That on the 4th day of January, 1916, an election is hereby ordered to be held in the various polling places of Washington Township, Beaufort County, North Carolina, and at the said election there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of said Township a proposition to issue coupon bonds for the purpose above recited in the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars, said bonds to run for a period not to exceed twenty-five years, and to bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually and in denomination not less than One Hundred Dollars and not exceeding One Thousand Dollars each.

2d: That at said election all those qualified to vote who are in favor of said proposition shall vote a ballot on which shall be written or printed the words "FOR ROAD BONDS," and those opposed to the proposition shall vote a ballot or which shall be written or printed the words "AGAINST ROAD BONDS," and said election shall be governed and conducted in the same manner and subject to the same rules and regulations as are, or may be provided for the election of township officers by the election laws of North Carolina, unless in any manner otherwise provided for by Chapter 132 Public Laws of 1913.

3rd: That a new registration of voters is hereby ordered for said election in said township.  
4th: That the registration books shall be opened on the 3rd day of December, 1915, and shall remain open for twenty days preceding the day of election, said registration books being closed on the 25th day of December, 1915.  
5th: That the following persons be and they are hereby appointed a Registrars and Judges of election in their respective precincts:

Registrars.  
First Ward, W. K. Jacobson.  
Second Ward, T. W. Phillips.  
Third Ward, W. W. Leggett.  
Fourth Ward, H. St. Davis.  
Tranter's Creek, I. P. Hodges.  
Old Ford, Ben Bishop.  
Pineville, Jas. H. Corey.  
Judges of Election.  
To be appointed by the County Board of Elections.

6th: That this notice shall be posted at the Courthouse door and at every polling place in Washington Township, and also be published once a week for four weeks in the Washington Daily News.  
This November 1st, 1915.  
By order Board of Commissioner of the County of Beaufort.  
W. E. SWINDELL, Chairman.

Attest: G. RUMLEY, Clerk to the Board.  
11-2-4wc.

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS, BEAUFORT COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA.  
Washington, N. C., Nov. 1, 1915.  
Pursuant to the foregoing order of election the County Board of Commissioners for Beaufort County, met in the office of Frank H. Bryar, Chairman, and ratified and confirmed the action of the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County, and re-appointed the registrars which were appointed by the said Board of County Commissioners and appointed the following Judges of Elections or Poll Holders:

First Ward, Washington, N. C. T. M. Davis and C. B. Bell.  
Second Ward, Washington, N. C. A. J. Cox and W. R. Bright.  
Third Ward, Washington, N. C. T. F. Robbins and H. A. Watson.  
Fourth Ward, Washington, N. C. J. F. Flynn and J. F. Buckman, Jr.  
Tranter's Creek Precinct, John T. Bell and Zeb Ricks.  
Old Ford Precinct, T. R. Hodges and S. L. Willard.  
Pineville Precinct, O. E. Wynn and J. Sam Hodges.  
Each and all of whom are hereby notified of their appointment.  
This the 1st day of November 1915.  
FRANK H. BRYAN, Chairman.  
L. H. REDDITT, Secretary.  
11-2-4wc.

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NOTICE.  
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This 22nd day of October, 1915.  
B. H. WHITFORD.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.  
I have this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Allen Watson before the clerk of the Superior court. All persons holding claims against said estate are requested to present them to me, duly verified. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make an immediate settlement.  
This 18th day of October, 1915.  
J. E. COOPER.