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City Board Advocates A Bridge Celebration

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Committee Appointed To Start Ball Rolling.—New Bern And Morehead City Asked To Co-operate. Auditor Makes Re-

CITY BOARD-30 Pt. Caps & lower A short meeting of the board of A short meeting of the board of town commissioners was held at the city hall Saturday morning. The object of this was to hear from the firm that has been engaged in auditing the town's books.

Mr. Russ of the firm of Russ, Dixon and Carter came before the board and made a statement in regard to the audit. Former treasurer W. L. Stancil was present and stated that he was ready to turn over his accounts and settle up with the town. Mr. Russ stated that his report was pearance of the business district on ready but not type-written and that Front street has taken place in reit embraced only receipts and expen- cent months. New store rooms and ditures. That he had checked up the other places of business have been cash account but had not done any opened up all to the betterment of thing with the general fund or other the street's looks. matters.

work to finish it. The audit will cost pleted. around \$2000. A motion offered by furnished the public at the earliest possible moment.

The matter of having a big celebration when the bridge is completed was discussed and a resolution was lic. passed appointing a committee for ar ranging affairs. The committee was instructed to take the matter up with the city boards of New Bern and committee. The fixing of salaries of city officials was deferred to the regular meeting in June. In the mean-

RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, in a short time the bridge conecting the Town of Beaufort and Morehead City will soon be completed, and

Whereas, the completion of the bridge will mean a new era for our was a light affair. Only two defentown and section, and

Whereas, it is fitting that our town and comunity should recognize this held under bond for Superior Court. event as of great importance to us, BE IT THEREFORE.

RESOLVED, by the Board of fort, in meeting assembled this the 21st. day of May, 1927,

That a committee of twenty-five be appointed to take in hand the matter of a proper celebration on the fort-Morehead City Bridge, and that held Harris under two bonds of \$250 completion and opening of the Beauthe city officials of the Towns, of each.

be necessary to defray the neces- sentences. sary expenses incident to said celebration. Be It Further,

Resolved that the Mayor of Beaufort be a member of the Committee of Twenty-five and that the other

members are as follows: D. M. Jones, Chairman, Hugh Hill, C. T. Chadwick, Holoway Mason, E. H. Potter, J. J. Whitehurst, W. G. Mebane, C. R. Wheatly, W. H. Taylor, W. A. Mace, George J. Brooks, R. B. Wheatly, E. W. Hill,, M. Leslie Davis, John A Hornaday, U. E. Swann Mrs. C. P. Dey, Mrs. Bayard Taylor, Mrs. C. H. Bushall, Mrs. Willie Willis Mrs. W. V. B. Potter, Mrs. A. T. Gardner, Mrs. H. M. Hendrix, Mrs. L. J. Noe and Mrs. Martin Blood-

That the foregoing committee have authority to name sub-committees from their own number or elsewhere to do specific things in the premises.

BIRTH OF !NFANT.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Jernigan (Wednesday) at their home on Ann street a daughter.

tilizers to cotton just after the cot- day and are visiting the former's ton has been chopped.

IMPROVES LOOKS

New Business' Places Add Much To Town's Good Looks. Others To Come

A great improvement in the ap-

Two new thoroughly modern bar-Mr. Russ said that if the hoard ber shops have opened up in the same desired him to do so that he would block. Styron's opened week before complete the audit and that it would last and Miller's the past week. These take him four or five days to do it. shops are equipped like those in the The board discussed the matter and larger towns and cities. Styron's decided that it wanted a complete shop is located in the C. L. Duncan audit and that it would be best to building and Miller's in the Denoyhave the auditors who started the er building which has just been com-

Commissioner Whitehurst was passed opened up this week. It is that of pier on its premises, at the cost of authorizing the audit to be finished. E. D. Martin and Company and is in Town of Beaufort for a term of years It seemed to be the sense of the one of the Duncan store rooms which board's opinion that a complete state- has been remodeled and made into a as required and directed by the Dock ment of the town's affairs would be very attractive shop. This firm is Commission herein provided for, subcomposed of Mr. Ed. Martin and his ject only to the mutual reservations wfe, formerly Miss Julia Rumley. and restrictions herein set out. Both have had wide business experience and are well known to the pub-

Mr. W. H. Bailey who has been in the jewelry business in Beaufort for some time is also in new quarters. He has moved into the Denoyer building in a store room specially de-Morehead City and ask their cooperation. Mr. Floyd Loftin asked the board to open up Hammock street. conveniently arranged and is quite shall use said dock, nor other com-The matter was referred to the street pleasing in appearance. In a very short time now the firms of W. P. Smith and Richard Felton will move into their new places of business which are now almost completed. It The bridge resolution reads as folbuildings will be started on Front Inlet Inn Inc., property. street in the near future.

Only Two Cases Tried In Police Court Friday

Police court last Friday afternoon dants faced Mayor Jones. James O. Harris, one of the defendants was

Harris was tried on two charges, possessing and selling liquor. At- Newport Citizen Dies torney E. Walter Hill appeared for Commissioners of the Town of Beau- him. G. H. Lupton testified in one case that he bought two coco cola bottles of whiskey from Harris and paid him \$1 for the same. Several witnesses said that Harris treated one of the leading citizens of this them to drinks. Mayor Jones decid-

Herbert Smith charged with havthe Commissioners of Carteret County, be advised of these resolutions sault upon J. C. Pratt was convictwith the request that they join with ed in both instances. He was fined us in the celebration and appoint sim- \$2 and costs in one case and \$5 and ilar committees, with power to act to costs in the other. Mayor Jones has an make this celebration a success, Be nounced that he will be as lenient Of this union were born the follow-Resolved; that \$500.00, be and that those who come before him a the same is hereby appropriated to second or third time may as well pre- Ira Garner, Thomas Roy Garner, be used or as much thereof as may pare themselves to receive pretty stiff

READ THIS SURE

There are two books which every intelligent person should have access to at all times and should own if possible. The first is the Bible and the other is a good dictionary. For any one who may have a deficiency in this respect the News is able to supply at present-the dictionary. On another page of this issue is a large display advertisement which tells of the low price at which an excellent dicionary may be had, either for cash or in connection with a subscription to the News. The book may be seen by any one at the News office. The offer the News is making is a remarkably good one and any person who needs a first-class dictionary of the English language should not let this chance slip.

Mr. George Hatsell and George Jr. Make the second application of fer of Tampa, Fla. motored here yesterbrother Mr. Chas. Hatsell.

Agreement Between Town And Inlet Inn Inc.

At the meeting of the board of city commissioners held last Saturday the board decided to have published the agreement made a year ago between the town and the Inlet Inn, Incorporated. This relates to the dock built on the hotel property by the city. The agreement reads: North Carolina,

Carteret County, Memorandum of agreement, made this the 3rd day of May 1926, between Town of Beaufort and Inlet Inn, incorporated, a Corporation under North Carolina laws.

Whereas Inlet Inn, Inc., owns the property at intersection of Front and Pollock streets in Beaufort, and water front thereto adjacent to South side of Front street, as well as 66 feet on west, therefore; and where as the Town of Beaufort desires to construct a pier or wharf for uses other than commercial—that is for tourists and yachts, and vessels not engaged in commercial traffic or fish-

Whereas the Town of Beaufort desires to locate the pier or wharf on Inlet Inn property, and Inlet Inn Inc. is willing that said pier or wharf be so located subject only to restrictions herein contained.

Now, therefore the parties hereto

mutually agree as follows: 1. Inlet Inn, Inc, grants to Town of Ecaufort privilege to construct said dock or wharf and to maintain A new dry goods and notions store same, as non-commercial dock or so long as same may be maintained

> Town of Beaufort agrees to build dock or pier in accordance with plans and specifications attached: to adopt and provide ordinances as hereinafter prescribed for dock commission's control and guidance.

3. It is mutually agreed; that no commercial boat or craft shall tie to or moor at said dock; no fishing craft mercial craft tie to dock or moor at it, no loafing shall be allowed on said dock or pier.

4. Dock Commission hereby appointed is: Mayor of Beaufort, C. R. Wheatly, proprietor of Inlet Inn, the

Witness the hands and seals of arties hereto interchangeably fixed this May 3, 1926. INLET INN INC.,

By W. A. Mace, Town of Beaufort, N. C. TOWN OF BEAUFORT, N. C. Ly T. M. THOMAS, JR.,

Attest: George J. Brooks, Secretary. Attest: M. A. Hill, City Clerk.

From Heart Attack

Newport, May 25-Stricken with a sudden heart attack Mr. P. P. Garner, town and community, died Thursday ed that there was probable cause and ofternoon. He lived only about twenty minutes after he was taken ill. He was buried Sunday after-

noon. Mr. Garner was 63 years and six months old. He was the son of the late David W. and Nancy Mann Garner. In 1888 he was married to Miss Izora Herrington who survives him. as possible with first offenders but ing children all of whom survive; Miss Nina Garner of Burlington, D. Misses Elizabeth and Irene Garner of Newport and Mrs. C. R. Wheatly of Beaufort. Mr. Garner also leaves Way caused screams of laughter to the prolonged dry spell the crop this became the cry of triumph as a brother T. R. Garner of Salemburg and two sisters Mrs. F. J. Hardson of New Bern and Mrs. J. E. Perkins of Newport. Mr. Garner for about 25 years was a deacon in the Methodist church here and superintendent of the Sunday School. He was a charter member of the Woodmen of the World lodge and the Charitable Brotherhood. He was a merchant the senior room teacher. and was highly esteemed as a citizen and business man.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hibbs of St. Petersburg, Florida arrived recently and will spend the summer at their home on Bogue Sound.

Last Friday evening a daughter

A TEA WILL BE GIVEN TUESDAY

May 21st from 4 P. M. to 9 over chapter U. D. . for the benefit of placing markers at the graves of the is solicited. Everything good to eat. Come to see us.

MRS. H. D. NORCOM, Chairman.

COMMENCEMENT IS **NOW IN PROGRESS**

Senior Class Exercises Tonight. Large Crowds Are Attending And Enjoying Commencement

The finals of the Beaufort Graded School are in progress this week and will conclude with the graduating exercises tomorrow (Friday) evening. Dr. N. W. Walker, Dean of the School of Education of the University of N. C., who was to have delivered the address to the graduates will sible for him to come. However he is sending in his place Mr. Francis F. Bradshaw Dean of Students who will make the address.

As a matter of fact the school commencement really began last Friday evening with the piano recital of Miss Anna Skarren. A crowd that filled the auditorium was present to hear the recital and by their liberal applause showed their appreciation of

by a chorus composed of Misses Helen Hendrix, Birchie Felton, Anne Judge Neal was well known in O'Bryan, Sara Hill, Annie Laurie Beaufort having visited relatives here Rumley, Gertrude Hancock, Alvetta a number of times. He was a broth-Skarren, Virginia Howe , Hazel Noe, er of Mr. Jack Neal who died two Lillian Springle.

Reverend Richard Bagby of Washing- eral of their uncle. ton, N. C. at Ann Street Methodist church. A large congregation heard Mr. Bagby's sermon which contained much profound truth expressed in a very attractive way. Several persons expressed themselves as thinking it the best sermon of the kind they had ever heard.

Declamation-Recitation Contest The Declamation-Recitation Contest was held Monday nighgt at the school auditorium. Much enthusiasm cher, Williston, N. C. was shown by the large audience due to the well rendered selections.

Those who contested in the Declamation Contest were: Ray Willson Raymond Paul, Roy Eubanks, and Charles Howe. The first two of these were from the A section of the eighth grade. In order to represent their class and make a better showing \$500. for the school, they selected their declamations just one day before the contest, delivering them with amazing brilliancy. These two young students are to be congratulated on their good school spirit and their ability. The girls who read in the recita-

tion contest were: Helen Hendrix and Aliese Killingsworth. Both of these young ladies gave difficult readings with an easy manner and showed to W. L. Brogden,5 lots Morehead good training.

Miss Hendrix and Mr. Eubanks won respectively the recitation and declamation contests. Mr. Eubank's name will be engraved on a loving cup that is to remain in the school. Miss Hendrix received a five dollar gold-piece.

"Mr. Bob" Makes Big Hit The senior play, "Mr. Bob" given at the school auditorium Tuesday night, met with general approval from the large audience. The entire cast Potato Harvest Now was selected from the senior class and showed good talent as well as excellent training.

The characters were: Phillip Rayon-Albert Gaskill. Jenkins-Butler-William Way. Rebecca Luke-A Maiden Lady-

Katherine Rogers-her niece-Luella Goodwin.

Marion Bryant-Clyde Duncan. Patty-A Maid-Helen Hendrix.

eighty dollars. This money will go be about half what it ought to be. cherished and joining in the paen of for the senior's farewell gift to the This is the case not only in Carteret praise. school, a dictionary and somep lay- county but in South Carolina and the ground equipment.

Senior Class Exercises Tonight will take place beginning at eight grades have been selling in some ino'clock. A large crowd is expected. stances as low as \$3 a barrel. tomorrow evening the school finals will be concluded with Mr. Brad- NEW LOOKOUT TOWER was born to Mr. and Mrs. D. Ira shaw's address to the graduating

> six inches tall and weighed more than day. one thousand pounds. Despite his

world.

Judge Walter Neal Passed Away Monday

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Laurinburg, May 23-Judge Walter H. Neal, died today at 12 o'clock at his residence on Church street. For some months he had been in a sanitarium, and was brought home Sunday morning.

Judge Neal was about 68 years old. and until last fall was actively engaged in the practice of law. He was admitted to the bar in 1880 and shortly thereafter located at Laurinburg, where he soon established a well-paying practice. In 1901 he was appointed by Governor Aycock the judge of what was then the Eighth Judicial district, and continued to not be here. Superintendent R. L. hold this position until he resigned Fritz received a telegram from him in 1908. He was vice-president of yesterday saying that it was impos- the First National Bank, and held many positions of trust and honor, and was highly esteemed throughout the State. He was chairman of the State Board of Elections when he

The funeral will be at 5 o'clock tomorrow, and interment will be at the Laurinburg cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, who was, before mariage, Miss Emma Gill, and by two children Miss Annie it. Miss Skarren was ably assisted Louise Neal and Mr. Thomas G. Neal.

years ago. Misses Maybelle, Geor-The sermon to the graduating class gia and Mr. Wade Neal of Beaufort was delivered Sunday morning by the went to Laurinburg to attend the fun-

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following have been issued permits to wed by Register of Deeds R. W. Wallace since last week: Fred Guthrje and Wilma E. Russell, Bogue, N. C.
Guy W. Willis and Lula M. Ful-

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Realty transfers for the week recorded at the office of the Register

of Deeds are as follows: Beaufort Realty Corp. to T. M. Eaman, 2 lots West Beaufort for

John Robinson, Trustee to Beaufort Grocery Co. part lot Beaufort for \$10.

Beaufort Realty Corp. to C. Walker Hodges, 2 lots West Beaufort for

Stanford Jackson and wife to Uriah Mason, 1 acre Sea Level for

Wm. Bailey Jones et als comrs. City for \$1000.

W. B. Blades and wife et al to J. F. Patterson, 1 lot Morehead City for \$250.

J. F. Patterson et al to Grace M. Blades 1 lot Morehead City for \$250. M. G. Lewis and wife to Chas. G. Willis, right-of-way, Marshallberg for

Going Ahead Rapidly

The annual Irish potato harvest started in bright and early Monday and while most of the growers have or of the air. not started digging yet a good many have done so. Including what was him and the official reception which shipped this morning 21 cars have had been planned went by the boards. left Beaufort.

The harvesting will increase now rapidly and next week if weather rarely heard in France. The three comedians—Helen Hen- conditions are good gathering the drix, James Wheatly, and William crop will be in full swing. Owing ca forever," shouted some one, and throughout the play. The other this year will be short. The yield hundreds of voices shrilled "America characters in their roles were very in a few instances, where the lands Forever " even the French in their have been moist, is fairly good. Upon enthusiasm forgetting any arti-The receipts amounted to around the whole though the yield seems to Americanism they may ever have round equipment.

Elizabeth City and Aurora districts. came dangerous, and women were Naturally prices are high. The News pushed and fain d in the throngs. heard of one large sale where \$7 a barrel was paid for primes. As a STATE PAYS OL DEBT This evening the senior class exer- rule primes are bringing between cises, which are always interesting six and seven dollars and the low

BUILT ON MT. MITCHELL

RALEIGH, N. C., May 25-(INS) The world's largest man, North -Friday, June 17 has been set for Carolina claims, was Miles Darden, the formal opening of the new lookwho Hved in that state from 1789 to out tower atop of Mt. Mitchell, State clerk in the ex-treasurer's office dur-C. A. Clawson's store, by the Junior 1857. It is said he was seven feet Forester J. S. Holmes announced to-

Col. C. J. Harris, of Dillsboro, don-Confederate veterans in the cemeter-ies in Beaufort. A liberal patronage uneventful life. circus qualifications, he lived a quiet, or of the tower, will make a brief presentation. Mayor Wade H. Phillips, director of the State Depart-The United Sattes uses two-fifths ment of Conservation and Develop-

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Young Flyer Astonishes The World With His Wonderful Flight

GETS A BIG OVATION

PARIS, May 21-All France today welcomed the coming of Captain Lindberg "The Flying Fool."

The youthful aerial Lochinvar rode into Paris at 10:22 on western winds. The weather off the coast of France was slightly cloudy but there was a heavy west wind which speeded the flight of "The Spirit of St. Louis," and put Lindberg in Paris ahead of his schedule.

A crowd of some 20,000 French and Americans had gathered at Le Bourget awaiting Lindbergh's arriv-

On his arrival, Lindbergh was given a reception such as no American has received since the days when the first American doughboys set foot on French soil. This "Flying Fool" has stirred the imagination of the French people; who are somewhat confused over his nickname, but regard his venture as one of the most courageous and sporting attempts in the

whole history of aviation. Le Bourget was too far from the center of Paris for any great mass reception, but everyone who owns a car or a bicycle was at the flying field to be there when the "Flying Fool" arrived.

The great searchlight at Le Bourget was alight, sweeping the skies shortly after sundown.

The crowds before the Paris newspaper bulletins increased as the day wore on. Veneral comment was that Lindbergh was taking a tremendous chance. The French are some-what at a loss to understand this man who flies alone and is nicknamed "The Flying Fool." To the French mind this nickname does not convey the coloquial meaning of admiration which it has in the United States, but an impression more literal.

Perfect Landing After circling the field three times Lindbergh made a beautiful landing -his land gear touched the ground lightly and he finished the epochal flight as he had started it-like a n aster airman.

The first peep that Paris had of Lindbergh was characteristic-the crowds saw merely a grinning young-

Throwing open the tiny door of his plane—the cabin which had been a death chamber for a day and a half-the young airman pulled off his helmet, as though glad to be rid of it and then burst into his characteristic grinning smile.

The crowd seized Lindbergh before he had an opportunity to say anything and he seemed to be willing not to talk.

20,000 Present

Twenty thousand enthusiasts had broken the iron gates and battered down 200 yards of iron fencing, dashed past the French guards and swept across half a mile of field to bestow their welcome on the young conquer-Flag waving crowds surged about

From the huge throng there went up shouts of enthusiasm such as are

The milling crowds at times be-

TO FORME! TREASURER RALEIGH, N. C. May 21-(INS) -North Carolina has now paid a debt that was held against it for 31 years. State Auditor Baxter Durham has stamped his okey on a coucher for

\$12,060.04, payable to Ex-State

Treasurer, W. W. Worth of Guilford County. The voucher represented reimbursement for the defialcation of a ing the Russell administration, which Worth made good.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Eugene presentation. Mayor Wade H. Phil- Reedy formerly of Miami, Fla., arrived in Beaufort today for a short stay. Mr. Reedy is conected with of all the wood consumed in the ment, will accept the tower on the the John B. Gallagher Company of

New York, a realty firm.