The Scrap Book

A Discouraged Litigant.

During Cleveland's first term an important federal officeholder in Mississippi died, and there was a prolonged controversy over the succession. Each of the senators from that state had a favorite, while "Private" John Allen, who was then in congress, claimed that the appointment belonged to his district. After months of delay, Allen went to the White House one day to urge anew the claims of his candidate. The president looked bored when Allen announced his mission. "I'd a good deal rather that you'd tell me a story, John," he said. "I'll tell you a story, Mr. President," said Allen, "and one that fits this case. I had a client once who was left out of his father's will, the father having left a considerable fortune. My client engaged me to contest the will. The other side, being in possession, adopted the policy of delay, and so the case was a long time in coming to trial, and when it was finally tried the jury disagreed. After another long delay there was another trial, and my client won a sort of half victory, and the other side took an appeal. Then I tried to make a settlement; in fact, I considered the case as good as settled and told my client the good news, and he and I were duly and properly elated over the situation. But it turned out that a remote heir, with a small interest under the will, refused to settle, and we faced further and apparently almost endless litigation. Then my client sort of lost his nerve. 'John,' he said to me, 'there has been so much delay and trouble about this case, so much to bother me and so much uncertainty, that I sometimes almost wish that the old man hadn't died!'

"Now, Mr. President"—

"That'll do, John. I'll send the name of your man to the senate tomorrow."

A prize of $2 was paid for the foregoing anecdote to George T. Fleming, 1567 Forbes street, Pittsburg.

ABOU BEN ADHEM

Abou Ben Adhem (may his tribe increase!)
Awoke one night from a deep dream of peace
And saw within the moonlight in his room,
Making it rich and like a lily in bloom,
An angel writing in a book of gold.
Exceeding peace had made Ben Adhem bold,
And to the presence in the room he said,
"What writest thou?" The vision raised its head
And with a look made of all sweet accord
Answered, "The names of those who love the Lord."
"And is mine one?" said Abou. "Nay; not so,"
Replied the angel. Abou spoke more low,
But cheerily still, and said, "I pray thee, then,
Write me as one that loves his fellow men."

The angel wrote and vanished. The next night
It came again, with a great wakening light,
And showed the names whom love of God had blessed—
And, lo, Ben Adhem's name led all the rest!

—Leigh Hunt.

Bound to Tell.

At a dinner party the little son of the host and hostess was allowed to come down to dessert. Having had what his mother considered a sufficiency of fruit, he was told he must not have any more, when, to the surprise of every one of the guests, he exclaimed:

"If you don't give me some more, I'll tell!'

A fresh supply was at once given him, and as soon as it was finished he repeated his threat, whereupon he was suddenly and swiftly removed from the room, but he had just time to fire this parting shot:

"My new trousers are made out of ma's old bedroom curtains!"—Boston Herald.

Joy In Ourselves.

If we were not all of us exaggeratedly interested in ourselves, life would be so uninteresting that no one could endure it.—Schopenhauer.

Waiting For Advice.

We wrote to a subscriber who is five years in arrears that if he would send us a dollar we would square the account and begin anew. He answered: "I send you $1 to pay my subscription, and you may stop my paper. I don't like your politics." We have wired Sheldon, and as soon as we learn what Jesus would say to a fellow of that kind we will answer his letter.—Galena (Kan.) Republican.

Proposition In Education.

A teacher in a Tucker county public school received the following letter the other day:

Sir—Will you in the future give my son easier soms to do at nites? This is what he's brought hoam two or three nites back: If fore gallons of bere will fill thirty-to pint bottles, how many pints and half bottles will nine gallons of bere fill? Wel, we tried and could make nothing of it at all, and my boy cried and laughed and sed he didn't dare to go back in the mornin without doin it. So I had to go an buy a nine gallon keg of bere, which I could ill afford to do, and then we went and borrowed a lot of wine and brandy bottles. We filled them, and my boy put down the number for an answer. I don't know whether it is right or not, as we split some while doin it.

P. S.—Please let the soms be in water, as I am not able to buy more bere.

—Moundsville (W. Va.) Echo.

Grace Darling.

On the morning of Sept. 6, 1838, a young woman in the Longstone lighthouse, between England and Scotland, was awakened by shrieks of agony rising above the roar of wind and wave. A storm of unwonted fury was raging, and her parents could not hear the cries, but a telescope showed nine human beings clinging to the windlass of a wrecked vessel whose bow was hanging on the rocks half a mile away. "We can do nothing," said William Darling, the light keeper. "Ah, yes, we must go to the rescue," exclaimed his daughter, pleading tearfully with both father and mother until the former replied: "Very well, Grace. I will let you persuade me, though it is against my better judgment." Like a feather in a whirlwind the little boat was tossed on the tumultuous sea, and it seemed to Grace that she could feel her brain reel amid the maddening swirl. But, borne on the blast that swept the cruel surge, the shrieks of those shipwrecked sailors seemed to change her weak sinews into cords of steel. Strength hitherto unsuspected came from somewhere, and the heroic girl pulled one oar in even time with her father. At length the nine were safely on board. "God bless you, but ye're a bonny English lass," said one poor fellow as he looked wonderingly upon this marvelous girl, who that day had done a deed which added more to England's glory than the exploits of many of her monarchs.

Hell and Texas.

The remark of General Sheridan, who commanded in Texas just after the civil war, "If I owned hell and Texas, I'd sell out Texas and live in hell," is often quoted. The answer of a Texas editor is not so well known: "Well, damn a man who doesn't stand up for his own country anyhow!"

Quick to Learn.

The Park avenue trolley line in the city of Rochester is crossed by three consecutive streets which bear masculine surnames. An Irishman with a carpetbag entered one of the cars the other day and sat down gingerly near the door. Four or five other men completed the list of passengers. The car swung around the corner of Chestnut street.

"James," shouted the conductor. A man signaled him, the car stopped and the man alighted. A half minute afterward the car neared another cross street.

"William," announced the conductor. Another man got out. The Irishman's eyes grew visibly larger.

"Alexander," shouted the conductor. The third man left the car.

When it had started on the Irishman arose and approached the conductor.

"Ol want to git out at Aymoo B," he said. "Me foorsht name is Michael."—Youth's Companion.

The Will of Ney.

Once when Marshal Ney was going into battle, looking down at his knees, which were smiting together, he said: "You may well shake. You would shake worse yet if you knew where I am going to take you."

The Same, Only a Little Different.

They were newly married, according to the New York Sun, and on a honeymoon trip. They put up at a skyscraper hotel. The bridegroom felt indisposed and the bride said she would slip out and do a little shopping. In due time she returned and tripped blithely up to her room, a little awed by the number of doors that looked all alike. But she was sure of her own and tapped gently on the panel.

"I'm back, honey. Let me in!" she whispered.

No answer.

"Honey, Honey. Let me in!" she called again, rapping louder. Still no answer.

"Honey, Honey. It's Mabel. Let me in."

There was silence for several seconds. Then a man's voice, cold and full of dignity, came from the other side of the door:

"Madam, this is not a beehive. It's a bathroom."

Saving the Colors.

An Indiana regiment was fiercely attacked by a whole brigade in one of the battles in Mississippi. The Indianians, unable to withstand such odds, were compelled to fall back a short distance, losing their flag, which remained in the hands of the enemy. Suddenly a tall Irishman, a private in the color company, rushed from the ranks across the vacant ground, attacked the squad of the enemy who had possession of the conquered flag, with his musket felled several to the ground, snatched the flag from them and returned safely back to his regiment. The bold fellow was immediately surrounded by his jubilant comrades and praised for his gallantry. His captain appointed him to a sergeancy on the spot, but the hero cut everything short by the reply: "Oh, never mind, captain! Say no more about it. I dropped my whisky flask among the rebels and fetched that back, and I thought I might just as well bring the flag along."

The Uncle and the Parrot.

A farmer visiting New York with his niece was induced by her to buy a parrot, which was represented to be a good talker. After the return home the young lady undertook to teach the parrot to say "uncle."

"Say uncle," she would say. "Uncle, uncle, uncle! Please say uncle." Then she would coo at the bird as if it were a baby learning to talk, and feed it and pet it, all the time begging it to say uncle. But the parrot looked bored and said nothing. This had gone on for two days, when the farmer said: "That parrot's no good. I'll put it out." Taking it to the chicken yard, the farmer grabbed the bird by the neck and slung it among the schickens, saying, "Say uncle, gol darn you; say uncle!"

The farmer went to dinner, from which he was called presently by a great noise and commotion in the chicken yard, where he found seven hens dead in a corner. In the parrot's right claw was another hen, grasped firmly by the neck, and the parrot was screeching, "Say uncle, gol darn you; say uncle!"

A prize of $10 was paid for the foregoing anecdote to Roy Brenton, San Luis Obispo, Cal.

ROOSEVELT FAVORS RAILROAD.

Officials Sanction Plan to Take Railroad Legislative Power From States.

The revolutionary program of President Roosevelt in his Indianapolis speech that under the Constitutional power granted to establish post-roads Congress can regulate commerce and common carriers within a state, is creating great discussion. Nearly every constitutional lawyer who has studied the question declares that the states would thus be stripped of authority over the railroads within the state and also over their own roads, their own streets and cars. This Presidential program suits the railroads, for all the two-cent passenger rate laws and other state legislation for the control of the common carriers within the state would be unconstitutional and congressional legislation would be the only meant of regulating the railroads. If this interpretation of the Constitution be correct, there would be but little left for the state government to do that could benefit the people. If a Republican Congress in obedience to President Roosevelt attempts this revolutionary legislation, as may be hoped with hope that the Supreme Court will declare the rights of the states impregnable.

Nutmeg Scheme.

A report comes from the New York office of the Linwood Gold & Copper Co., of Lincoln, Davidson county, that a fabulous wealth is to be found in the hills of that section, and offers $2,000,000 of stock in the company for sale at par. The Dispatch, of Lexington, says some gold has been found, but the company having great holdings in Cotton Grove township.

Let Him Move On.

Occasionally one will hear the remark, "I wish I was out of this town," and then he feels like saying, "I wish you were," for a man who stands on the street corners chewing and spitting, cursing the town, finding fault with his grandmother because she was a woman, claiming that the merchants are a lot of thieves, that the lawyers and newspaper men would skin a man to a finish, and a whole lot more is a nuisance and an abomination. Any town pestered with one or more such worthies would be justified in exercising cowhide authority on the bosom of their pants. No one is obliged to live where he is not suited. If one hasn't an encouraging word for the business enterprise and institutions of his town, he should shut up and "go 'way back and sit down." If things don't suit you, move to where they will. A growler and sorehead in a town is an enterprise killer every time. It would pay a town to donate him $5 and tell him to move.—Chapel Hill News.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator on the estate of Henry Saunders, deceased, before W. C. Hammond, Clerk of Superior Court of Randolph County, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for Cash, on the premises on the 22 day of June, 1907 the following personal property, to-wit: One mule, one cow, 10,000 feet of lumber and other articles too tedious to mention.

All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to the undersigned, duly verified on or before the 6th day of June 1908 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery, and all persons owing said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement.

This 30th day of May, 1907.

N. M. LOWE, Admr.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of Randolph county on the petition of Pearl Leonard et al Ex Parte, I shall sell on the premises at Worthville at 12 o'clock m. on the 2nd day of July, 1907, the following real estate, to-wit: A tract of land in Randleman township, in said county.

1st tract. Adjoining the lands of E. S. Coble and others. Beginning at a small hickory on E. S. Coble's line running North on division line 18 chains and 50 links to a stone in Worth Manufacturing Company's line, thence West on said line one chain and 67 links to a stone, thence south 17 chains and [illegible] links to dead black oak in E. S. Coble's line, thence South 68 degrees East on said Coble's line to the beginning containing 3 acres more or less.

2nd tract. Beginning at a stone, Leonard's line, running thence south 9 chains and 65 links to a hickory, thence south 68 degrees East on Coble's line 4 chains and 66 links to a stone, thence North 5 chains and 75 links to a stone, thence North 39 degrees West 7 chains and 67 links to the beginning, containing 2 7-10 acres more or less.

Terms: One-third cash, the remaining two-thirds on a credit of six months, the purchaser giving bond and approved security therefor, and the title reserved till the further order of the court.

This 8th day of May, 1907.

J. A. SPENCE, commissioner.

NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administratrix on the estate of W. H. Surratt, deceased, before W. C. Hammond, Clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph county, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before the 9 day of May 1908 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery, and all persons owing said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement.

This 9 day of May, 1907.

FLORA SURRATT, Admx.

North Carolina, Randolph County. In the Superior Court

E. B. Brookville, et al. vs. Geo. Robbins, et al.

NOTICE.

The defendants Jasper Briles, Elwood Briles, Susan Arnold, Mollie Briles, Mattie Briles, John Briles, Thomas Briles, George Briles, Commodore Briles, John Briles, Alex Briles, David Briles, Robert Briles, Sarah Briles———, Jacob Briles, Noah Briles, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court Randolph county to sell a certain parcel of land situated in Tabernacle township for division among the tenants in common and to exclude all persons who claim an interest in said land not having any title to same, and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the next term of superior court of said county to be held on the 7th Monday before the 1st Monday of September, 1907, at the court house of said county in Asheboro, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 4th day of June, 1907.

W. C. Hammond, Clerk of the superior court.

NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administrator of De Ronus Noe of Rose York deceased, late of Randolph County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the first day of June 1908, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 6th. day of May 1907.

S. E. Lowdermilk, Administrator

NOTICE.

Having reduced the assets of the Randolph Creamery Company to cash and an order having been made by the judge of the Superior Court requiring all creditors who have claims against the Randolph Creamery Company to present them to me on or before the 1st day of July 1907, and any creditor failing to present his claim within said time to be barred from participating in the distribution of the assets.

Now, therefore, this is to notify all creditors of the Randolph Creamery Company to present their claims to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of July, 1907, and any creditor failing to present his claim within said time to the undersigned shall be barred from participating in the distribution of the assets of the Randolph Creamery Company. N. N. NEWLIN,

This May 17th, 1907. Receiver.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons holding Stock Law orders or Judgments against Randleman, Ramseur, Mt. Pleasant Cedar Grove and New Market Stock Law Territories to present them to the Board on the 1st Monday in July, so that the Board may ascertain the outstanding indebtedness of said Territories

A. N. Bulla, Chm.

This June 3, 1907. Cd. Co Com.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Randolph county at their meeting on the first Monday in July 1907, will consider the selection of a new site for the county court house and jail.

J. P. Boroughs,

This May 29th. 1907. Clk. to B'd.

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