

How Lightning Kills.

Having in mind the deaths by lightning that have been in Surry county recently, the editor of the Mt. Airy News asked Mr. T. J. Smithwick, an electrician of that town, to tell him something of the force and effects of a bolt of lightning as compared with the currents that are produced by machines. When a man is electrocuted by law a current of electricity is produced by a machine that is sufficiently strong measure to produce death if passed through the body. A current strong enough to have twelve hundred volts, as they measure electricity, would kill a man, but they make the current as strong as three thousand to be certain of results.

Now Mr. Smithwick says that to turn a current of electricity of this strength loose on a tree would not produce any effects in the least. The current that tears up a tree would measure up in the millions of volts and is so strong that no human being could estimate its strength. If one of these volts of lightning should strike a man direct it would possibly blow his body into atoms and not a particle of it could be found. Most people killed by lightning are killed by the shock when some object near them is struck. No machine ever invented is able to produce enough electricity to make a noise when released like one hears in a thunder storm. Man has no way of making a flash of lightning like one sees in the heavens by mechanical means, except in a very small way. A flash a foot or even two feet long can be produced and a small noise accompanies it just as one hears when a storm is passing.

Mr. J. J. Priddy, of Route 1, attended the meeting of the county commissioners here Monday.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, Lucas, County, ss.

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There was an ice cream supper given at the home of Mr. Robert Kiser's last Saturday night. A large crowd was present and they all report a nice time.

War On the Fly.

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and will last for a season. However, the kitchen and dining rooms should be screened at any rate. I hope every home will join this world-wide movement in fighting the fly. Here are a few Don'ts which should be kept in mind:

- Don't let any garbage accumulate.
- Don't fail to screen your house.
- Don't let flies get near any one who is sick.
- Don't let your food go un-screened.
- Don't let flies crawl over fruit.
- Don't forget to keep your kitchen well swept out.
- Don't let flies have any food without it they can't live.
- Don't relax your vigilance.
- Cleanliness is sure death to the fly.

Warehouse Sold At Madison for \$4,350.00

Planters' warehouse, in Madison, a part of the estate of the late Peter D. Price was sold at auction Wednesday afternoon and brought the sum of \$4,350, being bid in by Mr. D. R. Joyce of Madison.

There is a strong probability that Madison will have a new warehouse at an early date, says the Herald. It will be a stock company and we learn that already \$2,500 of the proposed capital stock of \$4,000 has been subscribed. The company, which is composed mostly of gentleman from Stoneville, has secured an option on the blacksmith lot of Mr. Walter Ledbetter.

North Carolina, Stokes County, T. M. Lawson vs. J. A. Stone. In The Superior Court. Notice of summons and warrant of attachment.

The defendant in the above entitled action will take notice that on the 20th day of May, 1913, a summons in said action was issued against the defendant by M. T. Chilton, Clerk Superior Court for Stokes county, North Carolina, plaintiff claiming \$600.00 due him on contract with the defendant, where plaintiff furnished fertilizer to defendant to sell and pay for after sold and which defendant has failed to pay according to said contract, which summons is returnable at next term of Superior Court for Stokes county held in Danbury, N. C., beginning on 27th day of Oct., 1913.

The defendant will also take notice that a warrant of attachment was issued by said clerk of the Superior Court on the 20th day of May, 1912, against the property of said defendant, which warrant is returnable at the next term of the Superior Court of Stokes county at the time and place named for the return of the summons, when and where the defendant is required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint, or the relief demanded will be granted. This 20th day of May, 1913. M. T. CHILTON, Clerk Superior Court Stokes Co.

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Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Stokes county, rendered in the case of Mrs. Mary F. Caudle and others, against Bernie Allen and others, being No. 491 of the special proceedings docket of Stokes Superior Court, I will expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Stokes county, N. C., on Monday, June the 23rd, 1913, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., a tract of land bounded as follows:

Adjoining the lands of Rufus A Newsom, Henry Lee Newsom, Ernest Newsom and others, beginning at a post oak stump, William Newsom's corner, thence East on his line 19 chains and 16 links to white oak, thence South 25 chains and 38 links to a hickory sprout on the south side of Schaub's mill road, thence West 18 chains and 20 links to a pine stump, thence North 25 chains to the beginning, containing 45 3-4 acres.

This being a part of the tract of land conveyed by deed from Jacob Newsom to Susan Newsom, recorded in the Registers office of Stokes county, in Book No. 53, page 254, and to which reference is hereunto made. This the 19th day of May, 1913. J. W. HALL, Commissioner.

NOTICE!

This is to notify all persons having claims against the partnership composed of W. D. Bennett and S. L. Murray under the firm name and style of Bennett & Murray, that the firm is dissolved by the death of W. D. Bennett, one of the partners of said firm, and that all persons having claims against said partnership which were in existence at the death of said deceased partner, W. D. Bennett, are notified to exhibit the same to the undersigned, S. L. Murray, who is the surviving partner of said partnership on or before the first day of May, 1914, for payment, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their payment. This partnership did a general mercantile business at Walnut Cove, N. C. Walnut Cove, N. C., April 21st, 1913. S. L. MURRAY, Surviving partner of the partnership of Bennett & Murray. J. D. HUMPHREYS, Atty. for surviving partner.

NOTICE.

Having duly qualified as administrator of the estate of G. W. Merritt, deceased, all persons indebted to same will please make settlement of same, and all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are hereby notified to present same to the undersigned duly authenticated for payment on or before the 10th day of May, 1914, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. This May 3, 1913. D. H. BOYLES, Administrator.

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NOTICE

Having duly qualified as administratrix of the estate of W. D. Bennett, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the said estate, to present them to me for payment, duly authenticated, on or by the first day of May, 1914, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said deceased, are respectfully requested to make immediate payment to me. This 25th day of April, 1913. MRS. LOLA BENNETT, Administratrix. P. O.: Walnut Cove, N. C. N. O. PETREE, Atty. for Adm.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Stokes County, rendered in the case of S. W. Eaton and others against Etta Dorsett and others, being No. 510 of the Special proceedings docket of Stokes Superior Court, appointing the undersigned a commissioner to make sale of the lands of Noah W. Eaton, deceased, I will expose to public sale to the highest bidder upon the terms set forth below, upon the premises in Stokes county, on Saturday, June the 7th, 1913, at the hour of one o'clock p. m., two tracts of land in Stokes county, adjoining M. D. Hamm, T. J. King, John W. Fleming, S. J. Wall, and others, belonging to the estate of Noah W. Eaton, deceased, and bounded as follows:

First tract: Beginning at a rock and pointers on the North bank of a branch, M. D. Hamm's and F. M. Eaton's corner, and runs North 86 1-2 degrees West with M. D. Hamm's line, 26.58 chains to pointers in T. J. King's line, thence South, 31.2 degrees West with T. J. King's line, 30 chains to pointers, formerly a spanish oak, Mrs. Louisa Eaton's and T. J. King's corner, thence South 86 1-2 degrees East, 11 1-2 chains to pointers, thence North 31.2 degrees East, 3.66 chains to a chestnut, thence South, 84 1-2 degrees East, 15.13 chains to a water oak and pointers on the West bank of a branch, thence North, 31.2 degrees East, with Hamm's line, 26.91 chains to the beginning, containing 77.73 acres more or less.

Second tract: Beginning at a post oak stump, Mrs. Louisa Eaton's corner, called two white oaks in a deed from J. Q. A. King to N. W. Eaton recorded in the Register's office of Stokes county, in book No. 27, page 392, and runs South 3 degrees West with Mrs. Louisa Eaton's line, 23 1-4 chains to a dogwood in S. J. Wall's line, on the top of the stony ridge, formerly a stake, thence North, 89 degrees West with S. J. Wall's line, 2.40 chains to a rock pile and pointers in John W. Fleming's line, thence North, 3 degrees East, with John W. Fleming's line, 21.12 chains to a stake, Fleming's corner, in King's line, thence South 86 degrees East, with King's line, 2.40 chains to the beginning, containing 5 6-10 acres, more or less.

Terms of sale: One fourth cash on day of sale, one fourth to be due and payable on the first day of December, 1913, and the remainder to be due and payable on the 7th day of June, 1914, with interest on the deferred payments, at six per centum per annum. Bond with approved security will be required for the deferred payments. This the 30th day of April, 1913. THOS. B. SMITH, Commissioner. N. O. Petree, Atty. for Comr.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of decree of the Superior Court of Stokes County, N. C., rendered in the case of S. W. Eaton and others against Etta Dorsett and others, being No. 511 of the Special Proceedings Docket of Stokes County, N. C., appointing the undersigned a commissioner to make sale of the land of Mrs. Louise Eaton, deceased, I will expose to public sale to the highest bidder upon the terms set forth below, upon the premises in Stokes county, N. C., on Saturday, June the 7th, 1913, at the hour of two o'clock, P. M., the following tract of land in Stokes County, adjoining the land of M. D. Hamm, and others, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at pointers, formerly a spanish oak, T. J. King's corner, and runs North, 86 degrees West, with T. J. King's line, 17 3-4 chains to a post oak stump, called two white oaks in a deed from J. Q. A. King to N. W. Eaton, recorded in the Register's office of Stokes County, in Book No. 27, page 392, thence South, 3 degrees West, on N. W. Eaton's line, 23 1-4 chains to a dogwood in S. J. Wall's line on the top of stony ridge, formerly a stake, thence North, 74 degrees East, with S. J. Wall's line, 6 60-100 chas., thence North 73 degrees East, with said Wall's line, 10 chains, thence North, 71 degrees East, with said Wall's line, 5 chains, thence North, 76 degrees East, with said Wall's line, 4 chains, thence North, 66 degrees East, with Wall's line, 5 chains, to a stake and pointers in Hamm's line, thence North 3 1-2 degrees East, with Hamm's line, 10 3-4 chains to pointers, thence North, 86 1-2 degrees West, 11 1-2 chains to the beginning, containing 48.76 acres, more or less.

Terms of sale: One fourth cash on day of sale, one fourth due and payable, December the 1st, 1913, and the remainder due and payable on the 7th day of June, 1914, with bond and approved security for the deferred payments bearing six per cent interest from day of sale. This the 30th day of April, 1913. THOS. B. SMITH, Commissioner. N. O. Petree, Atty. for Comr.

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