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An Act to Suspend the Code of Civil Procedure in Certain Cases.

SECTION 1. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact, That all civil actions shall be commenced by the issuing a summons.

SECTION 2. The summons shall run in the name of the State, be signed by the Clerk of the Superior Court having jurisdiction to try the action, and under the seal of the court, and shall be directed to the sheriff of the county in which the defendant resides or may be found.

SECTION 3. The plaintiff shall file his complaint in the clerk's office on or before the third day of the term to which the suit shall, on motion, be dismissed by the court at the cost of the plaintiff.

SECTION 4. The defendant shall appear and demur, plead or answer at the same term to which the summons shall be returnable, otherwise the plaintiff may have judgment by default, as is now allowed by law.

SECTION 5. The plaintiff shall join in the demurrer or reply to the answer at the same term to which such demurrer or answer may be filed, and that the issues whether of law or fact, shall stand for trial at which the pleadings are completed.

SECTION 6. That all writs of summons in civil actions now in the hands of the sheriff or clerk, shall be returned by said officers to the next term of the Superior Court, and such writs, together with all writs of summons in civil actions heretofore returned, in which no final judgment has been rendered, shall be placed by the clerk on the docket of the Superior Court at the next ensuing term, and the pleadings in such actions shall be conducted according to the rules prescribed in this act.

SECTION 7. All executions issued or judgments in civil actions shall be tested as of the term next before the day on which they issued, and shall be returnable to the term of the court next after that from which they bear date, and all executions now in the hands of any sheriff, issued from any Superior Court shall be returned to the next term of said court.

SECTION 8. The provisions of this act shall not apply to proceedings by attachment.

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held to bail in certain cases. SEC. 10. All laws and clauses of laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act are suspended until the first day of January, Anno Domini eighteen hundred and seventy-three, and this act shall be in force from and after its ratification, and shall continue in force until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-three.

Ratified the 25th day of January, A. D. 1871.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. OFFICE SECRETARY OF STATE, Raleigh, Feb. 8, 1871.

I, Henry J. Menninger, Secretary of State, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original act on file in this office.

The Repeal of the Test-Oath a Law—The Message of the President.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—The following is the President's message to Congress to-day announcing that the bill repealing the test-oath has become a law:

To the Senate and House of Representatives. I have this day transmitted to the Senate the bill repealing the test-oath required of persons appointed or elected to offices of profit or honor, it would meet my approval.

If this were a bill repealing the test-oath required of persons appointed or elected to offices of profit or honor, it would meet my approval. The effect of law, however, is to relieve from taking a prescribed oath all those persons whom it was intended to exclude from such offices, and to require it from all others.

By this law the soldier who fought and bled for his country is to swear his loyalty, while the general who led hosts to overthrow the Government is admitted without it. I cannot affix my name to a law which discriminates against the upholders of the Government.

The Legislature has passed a bill giving equal rights to all at licensed hotels, and a bill is now introduced to repeal the law by which hotels are required to pay a license.

Constitutionality of the Enforcement Act.

An important case as to the constitutionality of the new election law of Congress in reference to interfering with electors, promises to come before the United States Supreme court, and it may also involve the question as to the constitutional ratification of the fifteenth amendment.

At the Congressional election in Newton township, Camden county, New Jersey, in November, last, the colored voters were prevented from voting, and a riot was created, the ballot box was smashed, and the sheriff of the county was compelled to quell the disturbance.

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SECTION 8. The provisions of this act shall not apply to proceedings by attachment.

SECTION 9. Nothing in this act shall operate to repeal the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure, which allow defendants to be arrested and

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under the new act, the result will be looked forward to with much interest, as not only establishing the legality of the Fifteenth Amendment, but also as formally declaring the right of the colored man to all the legal privileges and protection given to the white.—New York Times 18th.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15. The bill to enforce the amendment act, which passed the House to-day, is the most desperate remedy the Radicals could have employed to sustain its waning fortunes.

The speeches of the Democratic members were in every instance powerful constitutional arguments against the bill, and cannot fail to show it in its true light to the country.

Representative Cox, of New York, declared the bill aimed at that State, which he said would control its own election by fixing another day than the congressional for its State elections, or they would meet Federal invasion with the power of the State.

Representative Kerr, of Indiana, delivered one of the most earnest and thoughtful speeches against the encroachments upon the country by the Radical party ever delivered in the House of Representatives, while Woodward, Eldridge, Voorhees, and others, were equally effective.

CHARLESTON, S. C., February 14.—Much excitement prevails in Columbia owing to the outrages of the Ku Klux in the upper counties. A body of 500 masked horsemen surrounded the jail of Union county on Sunday night, freed the jailer, and took out ten negro prisoners, confined on charges of murder and arson.

From Mississippi. JACKSON, Feb. 15. Gov. Alcorn, who was elected to the United States Senate a year ago to succeed Revels on the 4th March next, announces his intention to decline the Senatorship.

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Paris—The War Tax Raised.

LONDON, February 14.—The Versailles correspondent of the Times telegraphs that a portion of the Paris contribution has already been paid, viz: 2,000,000 francs in bills on London, 1,000,000 in notes of the Bank of France, and 150,000 in specie.

Discreditable relations are being made concerning the Provisional Government. It is said the members hold immense sums made out of contracts, that they secretly disposed of stores and provisions, and that in the Hotel de Ville 40,000 bottles of wine were drunk.

Minister Cremieux has ordered the liberation from prison of Bergowski, imprisoned for attempting the life of the Emperor of Russia.

The disarming of Paris is nearly completed. The departments not occupied by the Germans are ravaged by bands of franc-tireurs, who are pillaging travelers and houses. Terror reigns in those departments.

ITALY. FLORENCE, Feb. 11. The Chambers of Deputies, by a vote of 204 to 139, sustains the ministerial policy regarding the inviolability of the Papal residence.

When the recent armistice was concluded in France the German troops occupied and controlled thirty-two of the eighty-six French departments, comprising 15,000 communes.

The Ex-Emperor of France.

The proclamation of Napoleon is as follows: WILHELMINE, Feb. 8. Betrayed by fortune, I have kept since my captivity a profound silence, which is mistaken for mourning.

General R. B. Vance has been appointed Principal of the North Carolina Institution for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind at Raleigh.

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Office of Fayetteville National Bank, FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Jan'y 10, 1871.

Just Received. BY steamer to-day a lot of those new and popular beverages, CHAMPAGNE, Bénédictine and Honeymark Bitters.

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves! COOKING STOVES of twenty different sizes, Heating Stoves, Box and Round Stoves for coal wood, Church Stoves or portable Heaters, Stoves for Railroad Cars, Office Stoves, Parlor Stoves, fifty different patterns and sizes.

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Particular Notice. PARTIES owing me bills will please come in and settle same as further indulgence will not be given.

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PENNSYLVANIA holds 4,477 shares of the private stock in the Richmond, Fredericksburg, and Potomac railroad. Virginia holds 2,997, England holds 1,219, Maryland, 1,007, New York, 185, Kentucky, 787, Massachusetts, 143, Delaware, 100, &c., &c.

Will you accept a military shop and dry goods store on my account? It is now the fashionable way of asking the delicate and momentous question.

Memphis papers are discussing the practicability of building a bridge over the Mississippi at that point.

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