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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1911

Parties leaving town should not fail to let the News follow them daily with the news of Washington fresh and crisp.

All articles sent to The News for publication must be signed by the author otherwise they will not be attached.

A PARTIAL REPLY

Representative Thompson has attempted to reply to an article which appeared in a recent issue of the Daily News and has let down the bars for a statement of a few facts.

His temerity of rushing into public print is probably the cause of his now having to explain. Had he been absolutely fair and above board with his constituents and had published such bills as he proposed to introduce then he would have ascertained whether there was any opposition to his pet projects.

It was not necessary that he should drag Representative Latham in the controversy as his name was not mentioned in the article which appeared in the Daily News. We assume that Mr. Latham is capable of taking care of himself and it is not necessary that he should have a guardian.

Representative Thompson is so biased and prejudiced that he can not even quote a paragraph from the article published in the News correctly. He quotes us as having said "that he has forged upon Richland township a road law and a recorder's court without giving them any knowledge or information, and in spite of the fact that the recorder's court was voted down two years ago."

Mr. Thompson says this statement is false and in the next paragraph of his article he states that the recorder's court was voted down at an election held for the establishment of one.

We challenge the statement that a majority of the qualified voters for a recorder's court in the territory named by Mr. Thompson his bill.

Mr. Thompson, did you not sign a written statement, before the primaries were held last August that you would not establish a recorder's court for Richland township without letting them vote upon it?

During the campaign for a recorder's court about two years ago did you not make the statement that the recorder's court would be established if you had to become a member of the legislature to put it through?

How many of the citizens of Richland township were present at your mass meeting in November last to discuss the road law?

How many of the citizens who were present know what are the provisions of the bill you have passed?

Will you deny the statement that there is no general knowledge of your bill?

The county convention did not pass a resolution the effect of which would be to create a system of audit for said county and you can not convince the people of Beaufort county that they ever contemplated the creation of such a system and the attempt to saddle upon the county this extra expense is for no other purpose than to make an office for some one. You should have looked into the duties of register of deeds as prescribed by law, before making the work of making up the tax books one of the duties of the auditor.

to perform duties now done by Mr. Rumber, the present register of deeds?

The instruction of the people is indeed a solemn command when it meets your approval, but when contrary to your stated opinion it amounts to naught, does it not? Especially is this true when the people's elected petition which opposes some of your proposed legislation, is not met?

Representative Thompson frankly admits that a portion of the statements made in the News are true, it must have caused him much mental anguish to make an admission of this kind.

As to whether or not the remaining statements are true or false we publish the article with the full knowledge that if we could not prove the statements made then we would be liable in an action for libel, therefore if Mr. Thompson desires to establish his innocence before the people the courts are open for him to do so.

Why did not the gentleman answer our charges as to his statements about the provisions in the salary and auditors bill which he introduced.

He knew that the statements he had made were untrue therefore did not enter a denial.

There are some other statements we will make for the benefit of the representative from the south side of the river.

Why did you call the chairman of the board of county commissioners over the long distance telephone and request him to appoint or have appointed a recorder for Richland township under the public laws of 1905, page 851, which as you claim creates a recorder's court for the whole of said township.

Are you not very much interested in the establishment of this court for the reason as you have stated that you would get more practice before the court than all the other attorneys in the county?

When in Washington Monday, January 30th why did you state that the recorder's court bill for Washington and other townships had not passed the senate and when you were informed that a copy of it was on file in the registers office you stated that you knew nothing about it.

When as a matter of fact before you left Raleigh Friday January 27th you had requested Senator Barber to have the senate rules suspended and pass the bill on Saturday?

Why do you persist in this double dealing with the people?

Notice of Summons and Warrant of Attachment.

North Carolina, Beaufort County - Superior Court.

J. C. Meekins, Jr., vs. Wineke Arey Company and Cecl Distributing Company.

To Wineke Arey Company and Cecl Distributing Company, defendants in the above entitled action, notice is hereby given:

That a summons in the above entitled action was issued against the defendants on the 4th day of February, 1911, by George A. Paul, Clerk of the Superior Court of Beaufort County, which said summons is returnable to the Superior Court of Beaufort County on the 11th Monday after the 1st Monday in March, 1911, it being the 22nd day of May, 1911, when and where the defendants are required to appear and answer or demurr to the complaint, which will be filed on or before the 3rd day of said term, and the said summons are further notified, that at the time of the issuance of the said summons, a Warrant of Attachment was issued against the defendants returnable at the same time of the said summons; that the party plaintiff in the said action is J. C. Meekins, Jr., that the party defendants in the said action are Wineke Arey Company and Cecl Distributing Company; that the amount of plaintiff's claim is two thousand dollars, the demand growing out of a contract of plaintiff with said defendants for service rendered by plaintiff in said amount.

This the 4th day of February, 1911. GEO. A. PAUL, Clerk Superior Court.

Property Will be Sold.

All persons owing the city for sidewalks, are notified to settle the bills that are now due the city not later than February 15, 1911, and if same are not paid by the above date I will be compelled, under the law to advertise and sell all property abutting sidewalks, where paying has been done and on which the charges have not been paid.

W. B. WINDLEY, City Clerk.

5 or 6 doses of "446" will cure any case of chills and fever. Price 25c.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the General Assembly of North Carolina of 1911, to recharter the town of Bath.

By order of the town commissioners. KIDDIE TARKINTON, Town Clerk.

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Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Thomas W. Latham, deceased, late of Beaufort county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before January 31, 1911, of this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

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

This 31st day of January, 1911. MARY A. LAUGHINGHOUSE, Administratrix of Thomas W. Latham deceased.

Having qualified as administrator of Jesse R. Calloway, deceased, late of Beaufort N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 16th day of January, 1911, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

JOHN H. CALLOWAY, Administrator. This 16th day of January, 1911.

Notice. Fair Warning to All. I am compelled to collect the taxes, and the time allowed by law is out. I am instructing my deputies to push collections at once. All land on which the taxes are not paid in full to date on February 15th, will be levied upon and \$2.00 cost added, and if I am compelled to levy I positively will not take off the cost. All persons owing taxes who do not own land are hereby notified to pay up at once or they will be harassed, or any property they may have will be seized and sold for their taxes and cost. Come and settle and save the cost and embarrassment.

GEO. E. RICKS, Sheriff.

Notice. To the person in actual possession of the property of J. B. Worrell.

Take notice, that on second day of May 1910 at the sale of land for taxes had by the sheriff of Beaufort county, I purchased the following property: 1 lot, Washington Heights, in Washington Township, dated by J. B. Worrell.

Said land was taxed in the name of J. B. Worrell and was taxed for the year of 1909 and sold for the state and county taxes for that year. Time of redemption will expire the second day of May 1911.

Unless all taxes and cost herein accrued, are paid on or before the above date, the undersigned will apply to the sheriff of Beaufort county, North Carolina for a deed, and full possession of the property.

E. H. MOORE.

Tax Notice. I shall advertise all personal and real property on which taxes have not been paid by the 4th day of March, and I shall also advertise such property on which I paid taxes on for that year and has not yet been paid.

I shall have no respect of persons, and shall treat all alike as I am not able to settle with the city unless I collect the taxes or pay them myself. I shall also use every effort in collecting poll tax.

W. B. WINDLEY, City Clerk. January 31, 1911. 3-21.

Meeting of Stockholders. The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Savings & Trust Co. will be held at their banking house on Tuesday, February 14th, 1911, at half after four o'clock p. m.

JNO. B. SPARROW, Cashier.

Notice of Sale. North Carolina, Beaufort County. In the Superior Court, under the will of E. N. Brown, administrator of the estate of John Brown, deceased, late of Beaufort County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of January, 1911, of this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

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

This 10th day of January, 1911. E. M. BROWN, Administrator and Com.

Notice of Sale. By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by Dean Sutton and wife, Lillie, to J. B. Honner, deceased, on December the 12th, 1894, I, Johnathan Havens, administrator, will offer for sale, for cash, at the courthouse door in Beaufort county at 12 o'clock noon on the 12th day of February, 1911, to satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage deed, the land described in said mortgage, which is as follows:

Beginning in Broadfield Swamp at Henry Stephens E. E. corner thence with Stephens line N. 2 1/2 E. 210 poles to the Pond Tower Head; thence S. 83 E. 7.50 poles to a ditch; thence S. 2 W. 213 poles to Broadfield Swamp; thence up the run of said swamp to various courses to the beginning, containing 18 acres, more or less. For more complete description see mortgage deed recorded in the register's office of Beaufort county in Book No. 88, page 152.

This 11th day of January, 1911. J. B. HONNER, Mortgagee, deceased.

By JOHNATHAN HAVENS, Administrator. W. A. Thompson, Attorney 3-12c.

Notice. By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage deed executed by E. T. Carrow to Howard Winslow dated November 5, 1899 and recorded in book 152 page 338, registers office of Beaufort county, which is referred to, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction to occur at the court house door in the town of Washington, N. C., on Tuesday, the 14th day of February 1911, at 12 o'clock, the following described property, to wit: a certain tract of land lying and being in Beaufort county, Chowchilla township, adjoining the land of Luther Guthrie and others; beginning in the run of Chapel Branch, on the main road leading from Washington to Greenville, running with the road north 55 west 40 poles to a post oak, on the side of said road; thence north 55 east 152 1-2 poles to Chapel Branch; thence with the run of Chapel Branch to the first station. Containing by survey, a 2 1/2 acres more or less. Being a part of the James Bright, dec'd land. Also one bay horse.

January 12, 1911. HOWARD WINDFIELD, Mortgagee.

Nicholson & Daniel, attorneys.

Notice. Notice is hereby given that Wm. Bragaw & Co. have purchased the insurance business heretofore conducted by C. D. Parker including all contracts for representation, and the good will of the business, with the exception only of the life insurance business.

All premiums for business written during the month of January, 1911, are due and payable to and collectible by Wm. Bragaw & Co., who hereby respectfully solicit the patronage of all of Mr. Parker's customers, exclusive of his life insurance line.

This 18th day of January, 1911. WM. BRAGAW & CO., C. D. PARKER.

I have sold to Wm. Bragaw & Co. as appears from the above notice, the insurance business heretofore conducted by me, with the exception of the life insurance business, which I shall continue to work as heretofore.

I earnestly ask all my customers to give their renewals and new business to the said Wm. Bragaw & Co. which firm is fully equipped to protect your property.

January 18, 1911. C. D. PARKER.

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