

MR. BUTLER ANSWERS

Replies to Communication of "J. C. L. Bird" in Regard to His Raleigh Speech

Mr. "Bird" charged that speech was being circulated to hurt Simmons' candidacy in primaries...

The following communication appeared in a recent issue of the Charlotte Observer:

Recently you published a communication signed "J. C. L. Bird," of Marion, N. C., under the heading "Mr. Butler Butts In."

"There being no campaign between the political parties in the State in progress, the circulation of my speech can not be intended to influence any Democrats to change his politics."

Mr. Bird's communication shows that he did not hear the speech when it was delivered and that he has not read it. Therefore, he is talking entirely in the dark when he says that the speech was not made to "influence any Democrat to change his politics."

Nine-tenths of my Raleigh speech was devoted to discussing the issues between the Democratic and Republican parties, and also reviewing the records of both parties.

The next important object of the speech, and most comprehensive discussion, was to answer the false charges which have been continuously made against the Republican party for over a quarter of a century...

As to the circulation of the speech, the facts are that there was such a demand for copies of the speech that The Caucasian Publishing Company announced that if enough orders should be sent in to pay for the cost of publishing the speech in pamphlet form...

mation now is that the orders continue to increase and that it will probably be necessary to print a second edition. In this connection, I might add that on nearly every list of names in the orders for speeches which The Caucasian has been receiving...

Mr. Bird is entirely mistaken if he thinks that I oppose the selection of Mr. Simmons as the Democratic candidate in the primaries. Indeed, I think, if a Democratic Senator is to be elected, that Mr. Simmons is the logical choice of that party as it is now constituted.

THE PENSION INJUSTICE.

Why the Southern Soldier Should Receive the Same Pension as the Northern Soldier.

Mr. James C. Elliott, in a letter to the Shelby Highlander, says: "Fifty years ago this country was in the throes of a great political upheaval and the terror of Civil War."

"The Governors of the North called out their militia to invade and coerce the South. The Governors of the South called out their militia to repel the invasion."

"Now a bill is before Congress to pension every Northern soldier one dollar a day so long as he lives. And Southern Congressmen, as we understand, have agreed to help pass it, as they have all pension bills for personal and political favors, siding Northern demagogues."

"Some of the wisest Southern statesmen now think this can easily be done and that fifty years is long enough to oppress part of the people of a common country for any political mistakes they might have made."

Alabama Governor Removes Some Democratic Grifters. Stateville Landmark.] Following independent investigations made by his representative into rumors of graft in Jefferson County, Alabama, Governor O'Neal has removed from office Col. P. G. Bowman, the bank tax commissioner of Jefferson County, and State Convict Physicians, E. T. Fields and S. J. Vann.

GREATLY REDUCED RATES To North Carolina Drainage Convention, Elizabeth City, N. C., November 15-16, 1911. Via Norfolk Southern Railroad.

Western Methodist Conference Adjourns. The Western North Carolina Methodist Conference adjourned their meeting at Statesville Monday afternoon after reading the assignments of all the ministers for the next year.

GREATLY REDUCED RATES To Norfolk, a., Via Norfolk Southern Railroad, Football Game, A. & M. of North Carolina vs. V. P. I. of Virginia, Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 30, 1911.

Special sleeping cars will be placed at Raleigh, Wilson, Greenville, and Washington. Sleepers may be occupied at Wilson, Greenville, and Washington at 9:30 p. m., November 29th.

Returning train No. 6 will leave Norfolk at 9:00 p. m., and special train at 11:59 p. m., November 30th.

Passengers using Pullman service may occupy sleeping cars until 7:00 a. m., December 1st, at Washington, Greenville, and Wilson.

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PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS. NORTH CAROLINA—Wake County. In the Superior Court—Before Millard Mial, Clerk.

J. S. Halley, Administrator of Samuel Chavis, vs. John W. Chavis and others. This publication is to notify you that the above-named plaintiff has brought special proceeding in Wake Superior Court before Millard Mial, Clerk...

Adjoining the lands of Thomas P. Warren and the heirs of James Cooke and commencing at a forked old-field pine between Turkey Creek and Sycamore Creek, and running south forty (40) poles just crossing Turkey Creek to the line of Cook; thence east thirty-six and one-third (36 1/3) poles to a pine, the line of T. P. Warren; thence north fifty-three (53) poles to a stake; thence west forty-one and one-half (41 1/2) poles to the beginning...

The plaintiff has good reason to believe and does believe that the said John W. Chavis is now and has been for some time a resident of the city of Richmond, Virginia.

You are, John W. Chavis, therefore, notified to appear before the Clerk of Wake Superior Court on the 11th day of December, 1911, and answer, demur or plead to the petition which is now on file in the office of said Clerk...

MILLARD MIAL, Clerk Wake Superior Court, Nov. 4th, 1911. J. C. L. HARRIS, Attorney.

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