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**Illinois-Minded**

In his spectacular campaign for Governor by showing that the State government of North Carolina is both incompetent and corrupt, Dr. McDonald insults the intelligence of a great majority of North Carolinians who have been believing that the opposite was true.

At the same time this young professor betrays a stupendous conceit in his attitude that nobody knew anything about it till he came here from his native State of Illinois to tell us about it.

But his conceit is about equalled by his presumption in expecting the North Carolina school teachers, to whom now he is making a special appeal, to follow him and support him in his slanderous animadversions on the good and honest name of the North Carolina that is giving them employment, and whose pay checks would doubtless be smaller but for the saving grace of the tax which he so assiduously abuses.

We can only explain the doctor's wild obsession that North Carolina has gone crooked on the theory that he is Illinois-minded. Out in that western country where he is a native, rascality and graft in public places is said to be often the rule rather than the exception.

It may be a great pity if by the smashing of the slot machines, our Sunday gamblers are driven back to their poker, which is so much more expensive.

In a New York supreme court the very interesting question has arisen as to how a plaintiff can recover property which he did not own. There are various ways of producing evidence in court to convince a jury that you did possess a thing when you didn't, but your own sworn admission in a tax return sheet is not one of them.

President Roosevelt's plan to pay the farmer \$45 per acre for all the land the farmer puts in soil-improving crops from his "base acreage," is not so bad. Then if the tobacco States can get together on a "control" agreement, you have another trick turned. It is a beautiful trick for the farmers—this thing of getting paid for their labor and their crops at a profit.

It is noted in the papers that the populations of England and France show a decline. But the birth rate in the United States is well above the death rate. Those who read in the Danbury Reporter's King correspondence every week the report of births in Yadkin township, Stokes county, can easily understand why America will soon have 130 million population. The average non-resident physician must view the obstetric field of Stone and Helsabeck with consuming envy.

The merchant who cusses the sales tax while wrapping up your 10-cent purchase for which you paid 11 cents, is not conveying a subtle hint to you to vote for Dr. McDonald for governor. He is only throwing out a smoke screen to keep you from seeing the 7 cents clear profit he is gouging the State for every time he sells a dollars worth. You don't hear Kress, Woolworth and other big chain stores saying anything. They sell many 10-cent articles every day. They are not interested in politics. Only in making money.

**Watch Out, Fishermen**

Charles Martin, game protector for Stokes county, issues this pronouncement: The law says no fishing of any kind whatsoever from April 1 to May 10. This is to give the fish time and opportunity to propagate, increase and multiply, and replenish, you see.

Also it is a violation of law to hunt foxes any time without license. This law is some dis-

couragement to the chickens, which if they could reason, would probably vote to have the fox law repealed so everybody could kill all the foxes they wanted to any time.

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**APRIL TERM, 1936  
 STOKES COUNTY CIVIL  
 COURT CALENDAR**

**HIS HONOR, JULIUS A. ROSSEAU,  
 JUDGE, Presiding.**

**Monday, April 6, 1936.**

- 76. William J. Bullin vs. Martha Ann Bullin—R. J. Scott for Plff.
- 78. Mahala Bullin vs. Odell Bullin—S. Gilmer Sparger for Plff.
- 74. Mrs. Sadie Mabe vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al, P. & D., J. R. J., J. W. H., F. & F., et al.
- 15. Rena Smith vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 16. D. S. Priddy and wife, Lizzie Priddy, vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 17. W. A. Nelson vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 18. A. M. Flinchum vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 19. Edgar Priddy vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 20. Mrs. R. H. Moorefield vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 21. Alex Rogers vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 22. J. H. Nelson vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 23. C. L. Fagg vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 24. Thomas Flinchum et al vs. J. W. Neal, C. Davis et al.
- 25. Robert Flinchum et al vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 26. C. M. Bowman vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 27. Mrs. J. W. Kiger vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 28. Edgar Rogers vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 29. J. W. Kiger vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 30. H. H. Riddle vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 31. Mrs. Jettie Alley vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 32. Mrs. Mildred Chaffin vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 33. P. M. Morefield vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 34. J. W. Priddy vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 35. Ada Bowman vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 36. Weldon W. Smith vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 37. Watt Priddy and C. W. Priddy, Exrs. of Paul Priddy, vs J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 38. W. H. Southern vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 40. E. D. Smith and wife, Agnes Smith, vs. J. W. Neal, C. E. Davis et al.
- 13. W. Jack Wall vs. Nannie Bostick Wyrick Creason— Chas. R. Helsabeck for Plff. and Jno. C. Wallace for Def.
- 61. Charles Fowler vs. F. W. Woolworth Co., Inc., M. & M. for Plff. and Fred S. Hutchins for Def.

**Tuesday, April 7, 1936.**

- 62. Andy Nunn vs. Everett Stanley—J. W. Hall for Plff., Folger & Folger and R. J. Scott for Def.
- 48. Lula A. Martin vs. R. J. Scott, Admr. of J. P. Smith, dec'd, and J. Morris Smith—Folger & Folger for Plff., and Edward F. Butler for Def., J. Morris Smith.
- 67. Henderson Flinchum and wife, Linda R. Flinchum et al vs. Robert Flinchum—J. W. Hall and R. J. Scott for Plffs., and Petree & Petree and S. Gilmer Sparger for Def.
- 53. D. E. Nelson vs. Jones E. Nelson—Folger & Folger for Plff., and Petree & Petree, Carter and Carter and R. J. Scott for Defendants.
- 57. Early Sands vs. C. R. Walker and Atlantic Greyhound Line—R. J. Scott for Plff., and Jno. C. Wallace and Fred S. Hutchins for Plffs.
- 59. In the Matter of the Estate of Joe Wall—Petree & Petree and B. W. Walker for Petitioners and R. J. Scott for Respondent.
- 60. Winfred Wall vs. Carl O. Wall—Joseph W. Neal for Plff. and P. W. Glidwell.

**Wednesday, April 8, 1936.**

- 63. Effie M. Rierson, Texie Culler, J. C. Lane et al vs. M. E. Lane—Folger & Folger for Plffs., and W. Reade Johnson and W. R. Badgett for Def.
- 64. Effie M. Rierson, Texie E. Culler, J. C. Lane et al vs. Ira E. Lane—Folger & Folger for Plffs., and W. Reade Johnson and W. R. Badgett for Def.
- 65. W. H. Eaton vs. J. M. Carroll—Benbow & Hall for Plff., and R. J. Scott for Def.
- 66. Guerny P. Hood, Commr. of Banks vs. Frank McGee and C. C. McGee—S. Gilmer Sparger for Plff.
- 68. W. D. Rothrock vs. State Planters Bank and S. Gilmer Sparger, Trustee—S. Gilmer Sparger, Fred S. Hutchins and R. J. Scott for Defs.

**Thursday, April 9, 1936.**

- 70. Quality Oil Company vs. E. D. Smith—Hastings & Booe for Plffs. and R. J. Scott for Def.
- 71. William M. Burrow vs. Southeastern Public Service Co., and Jacob Leech—Parrish & Deal, and R. J. Scott for Plff., and Petree & Petree and M., H. and W. for Defs.
- 72. W. V. Moran vs. John Southern—R. J. Scott for Plff., and Petree & Petree for Defs.
- 73. H. G. Harding and wife, Martha I. Harding, vs. Mrs. Martha Jane Shore and husband, Fred E. Shore—Holton & Harding for Plffs., and Petree & Petree for Defs.
- 74. L. S. Grabs and wife vs. Fulk—R. J. Scott for Plff., and Petree & Petree for Defs.

- 75. Jonah Carroll et al vs. J. M. Carroll, Exr., and J. M. Carroll, Individually—P. W. Glidwell for Plffs., and R. J. Scott and S. Gilmer Sparger for Def.

**MOTION DOCKET.**

- 5. Joe Phipps vs. T. J. East—S. Gilmer Sparger for Plff., and J. W. Hall for Def.
- 8. R. F. Westmoreland vs. Moir S. Martin and Martin Memorial Hospital—Jno. C. Wallace for Plff., and Folger & Folger for Defendant.
- 52. Chas. Smith vs. State Highway & Public Works Comm.—J. W. Hall for Plff., and S. Gilmer Sparger and Chas. Ross for Defs.
- 58. Commissioner of Banks, ex rel Bank of Stokes County vs J. W. Neal et al—Brown & Trotter for Plff.
- 69. Susie Crews Woodruff et al vs. Joseph Howard Woodruff et al—W. R. D. for Plff.
- 73. H. G. Harding and wife, Martha I. Harding, vs. Martha Jane Shore and husband, Fred E. Shore,—Holton & Harding for Plff. and Petree & Petree for Defs.

Cases not reached on the day set for trial will be heard as the court may direct. Motions will be heard at the convenience of the court

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