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If you, who read this, have all your machinery and tools, etc., in first class condition, perhaps your neighbor likes to borrow and save getting his put in condition to use. Send him to me.  
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**NOTICE.**  
In the Superior Court of McDowell County, July term 1910.  
I, Collins, Charles Sailer, Fred Jacobs, N. Prierson, August Schmidt, John Tietjen, John Freeman, W. H. Eskador, Wm. Black, D. J. Morrison and Benjamin Galls, plaintiffs,  
vs.  
Savannah Marion Investment and Improvement Company, Mrs. J. Von Eberhardt, and all other stockholders of the Savannah Marion Investment and Improvement Company, defendants.  
To the Stockholders and Creditors of the Savannah Marion Investment and Improvement Company:  
You and each of you are hereby notified that a summons in the above entitled action was commenced in the Superior Court of McDowell

county, State of North Carolina, on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1910;  
That a Temporary Receiver was appointed for the said corporation by his Honor, Ward, Judge, on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1910;  
That the plaintiffs will make a motion before His Honor, M. H. Justice, Judge, at Rutledge, North Carolina, on the 2nd day of July A. D. 1910, for the appointment of a permanent Receiver for the said corporation to the end that its property be sold and the corporation dissolved;  
It is, therefore, ordered that this notice be published at the court house door in Marion, North Carolina, and in The Marion Progress, a newspaper published in Marion, North Carolina, for three successive weeks from the date hereof.  
Witness my hand and seal of office at Marion, N. C. this 11th day of June, A. D. 1910.  
THOS. MORRIS,  
Clerk of the Superior Court.

## MR. HEWITT'S CANDIDACY

General Theo. F. Davidson in Favor of the Nomination of Frank R. Hewitt for Congress.

My Dear Sir:-  
I am gratified that our friend, Frank R. Hewitt, Esq., has authorized the submission of his name to the Democrats of this Congressional District for nomination to represent it in the next Federal Congress. It will give me great pleasure to aid, by every proper means, to bring about his nomination. I have had the honor and pleasure of his acquaintance for a number of years, and I have had good opportunities to observe his conduct as a citizen and as a member of the Democratic party. I believe him, in these respects, to be absolutely trustworthy.

A good citizen will, as a general rule, always make a good public Representative; and, measured by this standard, I am entirely willing to have Mr. Hewitt my representative in the National Legislature, or in any other representative capacity. His Democracy is unquestionable, and his character and integrity of the highest kind. I am,  
Very truly yours,  
THEODORE F. DAVIDSON.

Asheville, N. C., June 4, 1910.

Mr. Louis M. Bourne, Chairman of Mr. Hewitt's Campaign Committee, concerning this pronouncement, says:

The foregoing letter of General Davidson indicates how the announcement of the candidacy of Frank R. Hewitt, Esq., for the Democratic nomination for Congress in this District is appealing to the people in every section of the District. They seem to be realizing, as never before, the advantages of departing from immemorial custom and nominating a business man, instead of a lawyer, to represent this District in Congress; and the lawyers themselves seem to agree that this is the wisest party policy.

Mr. Hewitt's candidacy is not only appealing to so-called business interests of the District, but to the farming interests and to the laboring classes as well. Our people are becoming tired of perennial candidates and self-seeking politicians and the great silent vote of the District will record itself in the primaries for Mr. Hewitt. This does not mean, however, that Hewitt's friends can go to sleep; they must work, and work every minute between now and the primary, and every minute between the primary and the convention; and, if this is done, the victory will be ours.

The tide of sentiment is running strongly and steadily toward Hewitt, and, unless something unforeseen happens, he will be nominated by the Democrats of this Congressional District as their next standard bearer. Our slogan is having its effect with the thoughtful Democrats of the District, to-wit: THE NEXT CONGRESSMAN FROM THE TENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT MUST BE A DEMOCRAT AND SHOULD BE A PRACTICAL BUSINESS MAN.

## Saint John's Day at The Oxford Orphanage.

On Friday, June 24th, in the ample oak grove of the Oxford Orphanage the annual celebration of Saint John's Day will take place. The occasion seems to grow in interest from year to year. If conditions are favorable, it is likely that between seven and ten thousand of our people will gather in Oxford for the celebration.

A special session of the Grand Lodge of Masons of North Carolina will be held about noon and, very soon thereafter, the exercises out in the grove will begin. Unless something prevents, Grand Master Richard N. Hackett will preside.

Mr. W. B. Ballou, of Oxford, will deliver the address of welcome.

Grand Master Hackett has announced the appointment of Rev. Plato Durham, of Concord, as Orator of the day.

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## COONROD LISTS HIS WEALTH.

Finds That His Property Has Gone Down Quite a Good Deal and Deplores High Taxes.

This from the Lexington Dispatch.

Mister Editore, deer sur:  
The fust day ov June I got up early and went strait to the list taker's house like a good citizen, and woke him up. Sez I, I want to give in mi taxes. Awl rite, sez he, and he got his books out and we sot down. I'm white, sez I, and too old to pay no poll tax, so git rite down to tax, sez I. How many akers ov land do yew own, he ast me. I told him, and he put down what the sessors had fixt hit at, which wuz ten dollars a akter. I wuz offered forty for hit last weak, and woodn't take hit, fer hit's wuth \$50 ov eny man's money, and gold at that. Ain't got no hosses, I told him, woodn't have nun on mi farm. I got a passle of mewls, which air the only critter to work with. Hit trains a man's mind to look ahead and behind to work with mewls, makes him ust to on-expected things and hopes to git togedder a good, working vocabulary. Them mewls, I sez, howsomever, is mity sorry mewls. I reckon I couldn't git more'n twenty dollars apiece for em ef I wuz to sell em, and they hain't wuth that, sez I. But make hit twenty anyhow. I want to do what is rite, sez I, by the govm't. He put that down and I wunked mi eye, fer them mewls, by gum, air the best mewls in the state of North Caliner, and kin outpull enything that ever walked on fore feet cept elephants. I woodn't take \$300 a piece for em. No jacks, sez I, ner jennies, ner gotes. I got, sez I, ten hed ov cattle, but they has the fever tick awl over em and hain't wuth much more'n they hides wood bring in Lexington. I wood sell the hull lot ov em fer \$5 a piece. So he put that down. Two ov them cows give fore gallons ov the richest milk ever yew see, Mister Editore, and makes more butter then ary other pair ov cows in the county. Ef a man wuz to offer me \$50 a piece for em, I wood hit him with a plank. I saved a nice little sum on that item. No sheep, sez I, but six dogs, which hain't wuth the powder and led which wood be required to kill em. I overlookt hogs, sez he. By gum, sez I, I did awlso. I hain't got but 15 pinerooters and they air wuth about a doller each, sez I, and he rote hit just that way. Them hogs is Berkshires ov the finest breeding, and will make me sum fine pork agin fall. I paid \$20 fer the sow herself.

Farmin utensils, sez he. Bout twenty-five dollers wuth, sez I, and that wood be extravagant, I sez. And he rote that. I got a binder that cost me \$150 last spring, and a mower and the Lord knows what else, but machinery runs down so, yew know. No tools wuth mentioning, I sez, not over the exemption ov household stuff, provisions dun give out, and no syntific instruments except the roller pin Mirindy uses to locate stars and comets fer me oncet and awhile. Money on hand! sez I, s'prised beyond expression. Man, I hain't seed no money in so long I have almost forgot what hit looks like. No sir, sez I, nun whatever. That's whar a feller who don't use no bank comes in. Ef I had that thousand dollers I got at home in the bank, I wood a bin most compelled to list hit, but being ez how nobody knows I got hit, I kin save about six dollers. The rest ov that sort ov thing I passed clean over, but I is got a couple ov notes which hit hain't no body's bizness. No cotton, sez I, I don't raise hit. I raise corn and hogs mostly. Too much wurk about cotton, and too much uncertainty. I kin sell hog and corn eny time at good prices. Brandy and whiskey! Is that in thar, sez I. The idee. Wall, I swan. Naw, sub, I hain't got nun. Strange they keep that in thar. Hit air rail strange. Yes, I got a doller watch, sez I, no musical instruments but one acker-juh and a jews harp. Seines and fishing apparatus! I got a lot ov fish hooks and lines. I druther fish then do enything in the world. Yes, sez

I, that's awl.  
I rote mi name to the bottom ov hit, sack off mi hat and belt up mi rite hand, and sez, I, Ezra Elihu Coonrod, do solemnly swear that the list furnished by me contains a true and accurate list ov awl mi property and income, and that the amount claimed to be deducted from said list is a true statement ov sich debts as, to the best ov mi knowledge and belief, I am intitled to have deducted from said list. So hope me, God.

Going back home I met Jim Harris, and Jim sez, I is yew heard about how Hen Singletree has bin tuck up fer selling licker? Sez I, I way me no. What in the world do the feller meen, violating the laws ov man and God fer in that style. I sez, I be dadjimed ef hit don't look like the whole country is gone to the dogs peepul is git-in so immoral and corrupt. Sez I, I were jist readin last nite about a bank feller that throwed up everythin jist fer munny, and stole thousands ov dollers. Peepul keers more fer munny then they do fer they soles, sez I. Hit air plum awful, I sez. I reckon Hen will go to the rodes, I sez, and that be whar he ort to go, fer eny man ez will sell licker is a bad citizen.

A liddle fudder I met another nabor and he sez, Has yew heard about Jack Smith bein caught stealin? I sez, why no, sez I, is he? Wall, Isawan. Stealin? Hit do beet awl how peepul is goin on in this world. Eoy man ez wood steel from a nabor—wall, sez I, the pen air too good fer him.

Torectly I seed another nabor, and he tells me about a feller ez is took up fer swearin a lie in a trial. Hit fairly made mi flesh shudder to think ov a man blackenin his immortal sole with a lie. I couldn't no more go in the cote house and swear a lie then I could fly. Hit air turble the way peepul swear lies in the cote house.

I am mity glad that I wuz raised proper and that I never did break the laws ov mi country ner steel ner sell licker ner swear perjury, ner enything ov the sort. I belongs to the church and allus pays the preacher, and tends to mi own bizness and tries to raise mi children rite.

Wall they hain't no news. Every-body air bizzzy at wurk and givin in their taxes, which shore air a onpleasant job. Taxes is so hi, hit do look like they ort to cut em down er make the sessment lower, fer it air a hardship on us to have to pay so much.

Yours,  
EZRA ELIHU COONROD.

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