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R. B. SMITH.
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COMMISSIONERS SALE.
By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Beaufort county made in the case of S. S. Leggett and wife Linda A. O. Leggett and wife Clara, John C. Goram, Kemp Goram and Roscoe Goram, an infant, by his guardian A. B. Goram, I will on Monday, February 6th, 1899, at the court house door in the town of Washington, at 12 M. offer for sale the pine and poplar timber of the size of 12 inches in diameter at the stump when cut, which may now be standing, during the term of six years, from this date may be standing upon that certain tract of land lying and being in the county of Beaufort and State of North Carolina and in Washington township, and bounded on the East by the Main road leading from Washington and Williston, on the North by Gum Swamp, on the West by Pole Swamp, and on South by cart road, which divides this timber from the timber sold by the parties to this proceeding to the Baltimore and North Carolina Lumber and Lumber Company, together with the right to remove the said timber during the period of six years from the date of sale, and all necessary rights of way and easements necessary for removing the said timber.
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W. B. RODMAN, Com.

SALE.
By virtue of an execution in my hands issued from the Superior Court of Craven county, N. C., in the case of W. E. Brown and The Bell Telephone Company, a corporation, and a levy made under said execution, I will sell on Monday, February 6th, 1899, at 12 o'clock M. at the Court House door in the town of Washington, North Carolina, the entire Telephone line of the Bell Telephone Company, situated in the county of Beaufort, N. C., running from the Craven county line to the town of Washington, N. C., also upon the poles and wires of the said Telephone Company situated in the said county of Beaufort, also upon one telephone belonging to the said company now in the Fowle building in the town of Washington, N. C., also upon the franchise of The Bell Telephone Company.
P. T. HODGES,
Sheriff of Beaufort Co.
January 5th, 1899

SALE.
By virtue of three executions in my hands issued from the Superior Court of Craven county, N. C., in the case of A. C. Hughes, The Bell Telephone Co. A corporation and the Craven Lumber Co. I will sell on Monday, February 6th, 1899, at 12 o'clock M. at the Court House door in the town of Washington, N. C., the entire Telephone line of the Bell Telephone Co. situated in the county of Beaufort, N. C., running from the Craven county line to the town of Washington, N. C., also upon the poles and wires of said company situated in the said county of Beaufort, also upon one telephone belonging to the said company now in the Fowle building in the town of Washington, N. C., also upon the franchise of The Bell Telephone Co. This January 5th, 1899.
P. T. HODGES, Sheriff.

Wants the School Law Changed.
Mr. Editor—If our solons at Raleigh do not make some sweeping changes in the School Law they will miss an excellent opportunity of doing good. No party is satisfied with the present law. Besides other changes which have been more or less discussed, the present miserable arrangement of township committees should be relegated to the stupid things that were, and ought never to have been. Any feature of the law that will foster and encourage mean rivalries, prejudice and favoritism ought to be expunged for all time.
The interests of the School System imperatively demand a change in the examinations of applicants for certificates to each. To promote the efficiency of the system, and to elevate the standard of teaching, examinations should be uniform in all respects throughout the State—the State board of education or the State Superintendent should be required to furnish to County Superintendents each and every list of questions to be used on examinations of teachers; and in no case should the same list of questions be used twice. This would render impossible those frauds which have so often been committed. Due prominence would probably then be given the more important branches and the most important parts of all branches. The per centum of 90 and 80 for first grade and second grade, respectively, should probably be reduced some, and the questions on grammar and Arithmetic be made much harder.
W.

Monticello, N. C.
THE LEGISLATURE.

Friday's session of the Legislature was the most interesting held yet, and the following bills were introduced that are of general interest. A bill to amend the constitution so as to eliminate the colored vote.
The law prohibiting all emigration agents coming in the State and inducing colored labor to go South was repealed.

A bill was introduced in the Senate by Senator Miller of Pamlico to erase the name of Jim Young from the corner stone of the new building of the blind institution. Young is the colored director of that institution.
The committee on election reported in favor of seating Sugg, of Green, Democrat, and that Mitchell was not entitled

to his seat. Sugg was seated.

Two bills in regard to the public schools were introduced, one provides for the election of school committeemen by the people and the other separate committees for both races.

Senator Brown, of Columbus, introduced a bill to appoint a joint committee of two senators and three representatives to investigate the affairs of the penitentiary. The bill, after a slight amendment, was passed under a suspension of the rules and sent to the house without being engrossed. The bill provides for investigating the penitentiary for the past four years, with full power to employ competent accountants, stenographers, and counsel to aid in said investigation; to subpoena witnesses and compel their attendance; to enforce the production and examination of books, records and papers; the committee to proceed without delay and report to the Legislature now in session.

This dismissal of the Wilsons from the Railroad Commission by Governor Russell will be investigated. Such was the decision reached by the Democratic State caucus. The matter came up on a formal resolution offered by Senator Frank I. Osborne, of Charlotte. The resolution which maps out the course that will be followed in the Senate calls on Governor Russell to lay before the Senate the evidence upon which he acted when he dismissed Major J. W. Wilson and S. Otho Wilson from the Railroad Commission and appointed in their places Messrs. L. C. Caldwell and John H. Pearson.

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