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THE NEW COURT HOUSE

THE architects not having finished the drawings no action was taken by the County Commissioners Monday in regard to the proposed new Court House. However, we hear it being talked that the building should not cost to exceed \$30,000.00. We do not know what effect this talk may have upon the members of the board, but if it has any, we implore you, gentlemen, to stop and think. Unless we can have something creditable let us not build at all. Tyrrell County tried a cheap house and one of their leading attorneys has said that we now have a better house than theirs, if theirs is brick.

Then we must have two houses either built together or separat-

ely and our county pride should demand what we can be proud of and not humiliated by. Our county is growing, and we should build more for the future than for the present, and in our opinion based upon the Court houses in other counties that we have visited, and their cost, we are frank to say that we do not believe \$50,000.00 will build what our people will be satisfied with.

Even eight years ago when this question was before the Legislature, Mr. C. W. Snell, then our Representative, made speech before the committee and told them that \$30,000.00 was insufficient and would only be an opening wedge if they attempted it, and labor and material has advanced at least 50 per cent since then. Of course we know our officers

being continually harassed by people of different opinions concerning such an outlay of capital, many of whom have no real conception of the cost of such buildings, but taking biased heresay for facts and continually preaching it to others, and they, our Commissioners, wishing only to served the best interest of their people, hardly know what to do. And we would suggest this, that they take a few days off and go in a body to several different counties that have recently erected new court houses, learn all about the conveniences, permanency, cost, etc., and then come home, pay themselves off for their time, expenses, & etc., and let the contract in accord with the experience they have gained by the investigation. They will then at least have the consolation of knowing that they have done all in their power to serve their county, and have not spent its money on guess work, whether it sounds big or little.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

North Carolina, Washington County. Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Mary Jane Riddick, deceased, late of Washington County North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Plymouth, North Carolina, on or before the 25 day of January 1918 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 25 day of January 1917.

W. R. Hampton, Administrator of Estate of Mary Jane Riddick. 41-2-2 Zeb. Vance Norman, Attorney.

North Carolina, Washington County. Superior Court, Before the Clerk. P. H. Darden vs.

J. F. Sheppard, L. T. Weed, R. W. Ayres, E. H. Davenport, Goodman, Tetterton, Susan J. Tetterton, Jane Davenport, W. W. Tetterton, Marrett Lewis, Ordean Davenport, Cottie L. Bowen, Allie Tetterton, J. B. Tetterton, S. J. Tetterton, Courtney Tetterton, N. H. Harrison Jr., E. L. Davenport and John L. Roper Lumber Company, B. G. Moss

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

The petitioners above named and all others interested will take notice that on the 22nd day of January 1917 the petitioner, P. H. Darden filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County a petition seeking to have registered under the provisions of Chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1913 and amendments thereto the title to a certain tract or parcel of land situated in Plymouth Township, Washington County, North Carolina, which is particularly described as follows:

Beginning at an iron marker on the South side of the Great Swamp, and on the East side of the public road 0.15 ch. north of the center of canal running thence, N 4 deg. 13 min. E 9.85 ch. to iron marker on the east side said public road, thence East 7.85 ch. to iron marker, thence N 27 deg. E 34 poles to iron marker, thence N 12 deg. E 16 poles to iron marker, thence N 15 deg. E 6.91 ch. to iron marker in center of Davenport canal, thence along canal S 32 deg. 16 min. E 4.55 ch. to iron marker south-east side of crook in said canal, thence S 54 deg. 05 min. E 8.42 ch. to iron marker, thence N 8 deg. 17 min. E 6.01 ch. to iron marker, thence East 212 poles to iron marker, thence South 100 poles to iron marker, the beginning, containing 218 acres and being the same land conveyed to the petitioner by D. O. Brinkley and wife, by deed dated September 5, 1913, the same being duly of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Washington County.

Said parties and all others interested are notified that said proceeding is returnable before the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County on 2nd day of April, 1917, and that they are required to file answers or demur to the petition on said date. This the 22nd day of January 1917. St 1-26 C. V. W. Ausbon, Clerk Superior Court.

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