

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

There is a monotony, a oneness or a sameness about the daily routine of a day's work in a legislative body that tires and almost disgusts one with its procedure.

The daily sessions open with an invariable program, and then the same officers proceeds in the same drawl with the same routine as characterize every other session.

You get so tired of "House Bill No.—A Bill Entitled an Act to Amend—The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact.

Sec. 1." You hear this until you wish you had never heard of a legislature. Still you have an interest. That law may effect the whole State. It may bring a hardship to your people. You determine it shall not pass. That will raise taxes and not bring accompanying benefit. You want to resist it. Or, the bill may be helpful, you think, and you want its advantages for your constituency. So you are soon alive to everything that is done and said.

There are schemers in every legislature. They have selfish motives. They prevent wise legislation, if possible, and enact unwise laws, when it serves their purposes. But there are few schemers, fortunately, and most of the unwise legislation comes from the most common of sources—a want of good judgement.

A fellowship, a feeling of comradeship, springs up among members of a House or Senate akin to that known to school-mates—a hale-fellows-well met feeling that gives you the "Best be the tie that binds"—feeling, and when the House develops in to two hostile camps, you want to stick closer than a brother to

those that see and vote as you do. Still, after we have done our worst for each other, we are all one undivided brotherhood directly after we are beaten, or have won

It is remarkable how fond a man grows of the turmoil, the contention, the argument, incident to legislative enactment. It is still more remarkable that so little is effected by speech making, particularly long speeches. Short, pointed speeches are far more effective.

We would like to see more done in the way of practical education among the inhabitants of this county—just more general information on those things people should know in the way of every day practical knowledge.

The Chaminade Music Club will give a recital in the school auditorium Friday p. m. at 7:30.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

North Carolina, Hoke County. Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a deed of trust executed by John O. Evans and wife

on November 24th, 1923, which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hoke County, North Carolina, in Book 43 at Page 598, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, and the holder of the note therein described having requested a sale of the land described in the said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee will at twelve o'clock noon on Wednesday, the 15th day of April, 1925, at the court house door of Hoke County, expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash that tract of land in Blue Springs Township, Hoke County, North Carolina, described as follows:

Beginning at a ditch, the third corner of Daniel Evans' 9 1/2 acres, and runs South 27 E. 5.24 chains to Priest's corner; thence South 22 East 1 chain to a stake; thence South 85 W-st 11.05 chains to a stake in McGirt's line; thence as his line North 32 1/2 West 8.10 chains to Daniel Evans' corner; thence as his line reversed North 74 East to and with a ditch 12.75 chains to the beginning, containing 8 1/2 acres, more or less, and being the same tract conveyed by quitclaim deed from Daniel Evans and others to the said John O. Evans, dated December 5th, 1921, and duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hoke County, in Book 38 of Deeds at page 28, etc., reference to which is hereby made for a full and more complete description. This 14th day of March, 1925.

T. J. DUNN, Trustee.

W. H. Weatherspoon, Attorney.

Also at the same time, place and upon the same terms I will sell the same property to satisfy a second unpaid note secured by a mortgage deed given by J. O. Evans and wife on the 29th of Feb., 1924, to the undersigned, default having been made in payment of the indebtedness therein secured, said mortgage deed being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Hoke county in Book No 47 at page 57 This March 14th, 1925

D. S. Poole.

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