

JUDGE W. S. BULLOCK ON THE BENCH

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and shall select no person who shall have been convicted of bribery, forgery, perjury or other high or infamous crimes unless restored to civil rights, have presented you gentlemen, possessing the requirements to serve as grand and petty jurors for this term.

The law makes it the duty of the presiding judge to give the grand jury certain matters in charge that it deems worthy of special mention. Among others is,

COUNTY FINANCES.

The county commissioners of your county are charged with the duty and responsibility of disbursing the finances of your county. In disbursing your funds the law requires that it should be done in a certain manner. The county commissioners; are to draw what are called warrants, and that no amount shall be drawn from the treasury except with these warrants and from a special fund provided. In relation to the question of warrants I read you as a part of this charge the law. The Revised Statutes of the state of Florida, Sec. 555, reads as follows: "The county commissioners shall, whenever they issue a warrant on the county treasurer, state specially in said warrant the fund upon which the same is drawn, and no warrant is drawn upon any fund except that for which said fund was raised, and no county treasurer shall pay any warrant that is not drawn in conformity with the terms of this section."

Having the authority to disburse the funds of the county, the law further requires that an account should be kept with each fund. I read as a part of this charge the law in relation to this matter.

Section 586, of the Revised Statutes of Florida, reads as follows:

"The board of county commissioners of each county shall furnish the county treasurer with a receipt book, with forms of receipts and with blank spaces for the amounts to be filled therein, and with stubs to correspond, which receipts shall designate separately each fund for which county taxes are collected, and it shall be the duty of the collector on making any payment of moneys or funds collected for taxes to the county treasurer to inform him of the sum of each collected for or on account of such county fund, and the county treasurer shall fill out and deliver to the collector a proper receipt for such receipt book, designating what is received from the collector for each county fund separately, and the treasurer shall keep a copy of such receipt on the corresponding stub in such receipt book."

Another matter that the law deems of sufficient importance as to require special instruction to you on, is the question of

HEALTH.

The health of the county is a matter of paramount importance to all of her citizens, and the law requires that the court shall give you in charge the law specially relating to this matter, and imposes upon you the duty to see that those who are charged with the preservation of the health of the people of this state perform their duties.

I read you as a part of this charge the law in relation to health.

Section 2677 and 2678, of the Revised Statutes of the state of Florida reads as follows:

"Whoever being a licensed and practicing physician fails to report immediately to the state board of health by telegram (to be paid for out of funds provided for the expenses of the said board of health) or in the most expeditious manner, every case of yellow fever, small pox or cholera that comes within his practice, shall be punished by imprisonment not exceeding six months, or by fine not exceeding one thousand dollars."

"Whoever falsely or maliciously disseminates or spreads rumors or reports concerning the existence of any infectious or contagious disease shall be punished by imprisonment not exceeding six months, or by fine not exceeding one thousand dollars."

You are summoned from the body of the county at large and the oath that you have taken is a very solemn and important one. You have just sworn that you will diligently require and a true presentment make of all such matters and things as shall be given you in charge. And that you shall present no man for envy, hatred, or malice, and that you shall leave no man unprotected for love, fear, affection or reward or the hope thereof; but you shall present things truly as they come to your knowledge according to the best of your understanding.

Gentlemen of the grand jury, you are the grand inquest for the body of

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the county. It is to you that the people look and have assurance for the prosecution of crime, and to the court for the enforcement of the law.

I desire to especially direct your attention to a growing evil, that to my mind is one of the greatest menaces to society, dangerous to the preservation of our rights, and the security of our property, and the protection of our liberties. It is that influence operating upon the grand jury from the outside, that I see fit to designate "out side influence." Men of prominence exercising influence, social and political, are sought by their friends to use their influence upon members of the grand jury who are under their respective influences, frequently making it possible for the preparators of crime to escape investigation by the court, because some influential man has secured the grand jury to report no true bill against the offender. It is not confined, gentlemen, to the grand jury, alone, but it has invaded the halls of our legislature and with boldness parades and dominates our state legislatures. It is called in the legislature the "lobbyist." The special acts in the legislature testify to this fact. A visit to the legislature during its sessions will convince you of the proof of the matter, the lying around courts when they have no business either as litigants, jurors or witnesses is almost positive assurance that the parties are undertaking to exercise their pull with the jury in the interest of some offender. Let no man, however obscure or however influential, however rich or poor escape a full, free, impartial and fair investigation at your hands. Let no one, no matter what his circumstances may be, be made the victim to gratify the spite and hatred of his enemy by prosecution through the medium of this grand jury.

Gentlemen we are all members of a common society and as such members we have prescribed for ourselves certain rules and regulations for our guidance and have prescribed certain penalties for the violation to observe these rules. In the formation of society it is essential and absolutely necessary that such rules should be prescribed. Our legislature is the body that prescribes these rules. The courts enforce them. Then as members of this common society we owe each other a duty, that duty is observance of these rules and regulations and whenever they are not observed it is for the courts to see that the penalty for their violation is enforced. How are

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these penalties enforced? Through the courts? In order to do this effectually the court must have the assistance and aid and co-operation of all of its branches; the jurors, grand and petty, must recognize the duties imposed upon them. The court and its officers must fulfill their duties. If we work in harmony for the sole purpose of advancing the interests of a common society, to wit, preservation of the rules and regulations we have prescribed for ourselves, which we call law, then we will have a sound and stable government, otherwise not.

Having the full assurance that the people of this county will not be disappointed in selecting you for the performance of the duty of grand jurors for this term of the court I commit to you the interest of Marion county now for investigation.

Having selected your foreman, taken the oath of office and received the charge that the law requires the court should give you, you may now retire to such place as the sheriff has provided for your deliberations, fix your own hours of adjournment and convening and enter upon the discharge of your duties.

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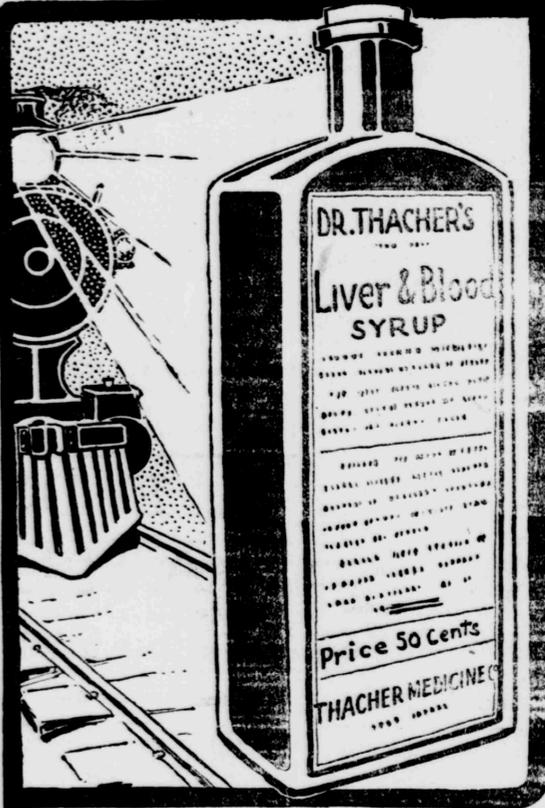
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