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Legal Ethics.

Lawyers have been the butt from time immemorial for jibes about their morals. "Rich men rule the Law," said Goldsmith, a century and more ago, even as Americans are saying now; and a century before Goldsmith it was observed by the author of "Love a la Mode" that the law was "a sort of hocus pocus science, that smiles in yer face while it picks yer pocket; and the glorious uncertainty of it is of mair use to the professors than the justice of it." The uncertainty of it is certainly, in all our new commercial problems, greater to-day than it would be if money were not the power it is. The present criticism of legal ethics does not show that lawyers are morally below the rest of us. Probably they average higher than most occupations. The point is that a peculiarly high standard is required of them, if we are to be free to secure the laws we wish and their proper execution. We cannot do it while lawyers are led solely by the highest fee. In the last twenty years Sing Sing has known about four hundred lawyers, and at present the Empire State has 103 in jail, with 16 under indictment in the county of New York. "This is Choate," said Wendell Phillips in 1859, "who made it safe to murder, and of whose health thieves asked before they ventured to steal." Phillips always spoke in violent terms, but the last part of his statement was relevant to too many leading attorneys of our day. We ask a great deal of this profession, by necessity. We ask even as much as Daniel Webster, who, with his usual noble weight of style, said, "Tell me a man is dishonest; and I will tell you he is no lawyer."—Collier's Weekly.

Mr. and Mrs. Phelps W. Wilson returned home Monday, after a pleasant visit North.

Judge Geo. P. Raney, his two charming daughters and son, who have been spending two weeks pleasantly North, are expected to return home in a few days.

Chief of Police Langston captured another "blind tiger" Saturday in the person of Lucy V. Chase, a white woman, who gave bond and then skipped town.

The Colonel's Waterloo.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo from liver and kidney trouble. In a recent letter he says: "I was nearly dead of these complaints, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God, who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold, and guaranteed by all druggists.

Live Oak correspondent Times-Union: Miss Cherry, of Tallahassee, was also introduced to the audience, and announcements made that she would open a kindergarten in Live Oak the first week in October.

Two young men on trial in Detroit for murdering an inoffensive pawnbroker started out in life upon the theory that the world owed them a living. They will have a long time in which to study their theory.

Not many years since any criticism of Wall street or its business methods was regarded by a whole lot of people as almost sacrilegious, and its critics were denounced as "business disturbers" and "calamity howlers." Those who are now frank enough to acknowledge it are ready to admit that much of the criticism was just and deserved.

Abscess.

Abscesses, with few exceptions, are indicative of constipation or debility. W. H. Harrison, Cleveland, Miss., writes Aug. 15, 1902: "I want to say a word of praise for Ballard's Snow Liniment. I stepped on a nail, which caused the cords in my leg to contract and an abscess to rise in my knee, and the doctor told me that I would have a stiff leg, so one day I went to J. F. Lord's drug store (who is now in Denver, Colo.) He recommended a bottle of Snow Liniment; I got a 50c size, and it cured my leg. It is the best liniment in the world." All druggists.

R. J. Evans, Jr., A. Clyde Evans, Hunter Woodberry and Philip Carter left Monday for Lake City, and Ralph Chapin and Luther Holloway left yesterday to attend the ensuing term at the University of Florida at that place.

Hon. John M. Patterson, candidate for Governor of Ohio, in a speech last week said the campaign was a battle for clean politics, honest and economical administration of public affairs, and against bossism and graft. He attributed graft to the "baleful reign of bossism all over the country." He discussed municipal ownership, and said that if people in cities cannot have rights under the present system all will "vote to try the experiment of ownership by the cities themselves, even of street railroads, rather than continue to be robbed by corporations and corrupt officials."

Beautiful Women.

Plump cheeks, flushed with the soft glow of health and a pure complexion, make all women beautiful. Take a small dose of Herbine after each meal; it will prevent constipation and help digest what you have eaten. Mrs. Wm. M. Stroud, Midlothian, Tex., writes, May 31, 1901:

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR LETTERS PATENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to Hon. N. B. Broward, Governor of Florida, at Tallahassee, on October 16th, 1905, for Letters Patent incorporating the "Gilmore and Davis Company" under a charter of which the original is on file in the office of Secretary of State of Florida.

F. C. GILMORE,
G. I. DAVIS,
A. C. SPILLER.

PROPOSED CHARTER OF THE "GILMORE AND DAVIS COMPANY."

The undersigned hereby associate themselves together for the purpose of becoming incorporated under the laws of Florida, under the following proposed charter.

ARTICLE 1.

The name of the corporation shall be "Gilmore and Davis Company," with its principal office at Tallahassee, Florida; its business shall be conducted in the State of Florida and any State of the United States or foreign country wherever necessary or convenient.

ART. 2.

The general nature of its business shall be: To buy, sell, manufacture, furniture, mantels, house and store furnishings, and merchandise of every kind. To build and construct houses and buildings of every kind and do a general building, contracting and plumbing business. To sell, own, mortgage, lease and convey lands. To act as agent, broker or commission merchant in dealing in any of the commodities aforesaid. To sell, mortgage, sublet, pledge hire, lease or convey any of its property at will and reinvest or dispose of the proceeds thereof in such manner as provided by By-laws. To conduct any of its business, and employ agents or officers in any place in this State or other State or Foreign country whenever to the interest of this company. To borrow money and secure the same, or money otherwise owing, by mortgage, deed, note or other of its obligations. To subscribe for, purchase, own, hold for investment or otherwise, sell, dispose of and make advances upon stock, shares, bonds, obligations or securities of other corporations wherever located or organized, engaged in any of the businesses or operations herein mentioned, and while the owner of any such stock or obligation, to exercise all rights and powers thereof as allowed by law. To receive payment for capital stock subscribed for in money or other property, at a just valuation, to be fixed by the Board of Directors. And generally to do all things, to have, exercise and enjoy all rights, powers and privileges incident to the business of the corporation as allowed by the laws of Florida, and necessary to advance its interests.

ART. 3.

The amount of the capital stock of the corporation shall be \$50,000.00, to be divided into five hundred shares of one hundred dollars each. Ten per cent of the said capital stock shall be subscribed and paid for before said corporation shall transact any business. All or any part of said capital stock may be payable in, or issued or used for, the purchase of any property at a just valuation to be fixed by the Board of Directors at a meeting to be called for that purpose.

ART. 4.

The term for which said corporation shall exist shall be ninety-nine years.

ART. 5.

The business of the corporation shall be conducted by the following officers: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and board of three directors. The offices of Secretary and Treasurer may be held by the same person. The number of Directors may be changed by by-laws, but at no time to be less than three nor more than nine. The Board of Directors may appoint other officers or agents, with such powers, duties and terms as provided by by-law. The directors shall be elected by stockholders at each annual meeting. All other officers shall be elected annually by the directors or vacancies supplied by them at any time. Annual meetings of the stockholders shall be held on the first Monday of November of each year, but such date may be changed by by-laws. The directors shall hold annual meetings on the same day immediately thereafter. The undersigned hereby certify that the business of the corporation shall be conducted by the following officers: F. C. Gilmore, President; G. I. Davis, Vice-President, and A. C. Spiller, Secretary and Treasurer. F. C. Gilmore, G. I. Davis, A. C. Spiller, Board of Directors.

ART. 6.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall at any time subject itself shall be \$50,000.

ART. 7.

The names and residences of subscribing incorporators together with the amount of capital stock subscribed by each, are as follows: F. C. Gilmore, residing in Tallahassee, 150 shares; G. I. Davis, residing in Tallahassee, 150 shares; A. C. Spiller, residing in Tallahassee, 100 shares; and 100 shares to be held as Treasury Stock, to be sold as directed by the by-laws.

F. C. GILMORE,
G. I. DAVIS,
A. C. SPILLER.

State of Florida,
County of Leon.

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared F. C. Gilmore, G. I. Davis and A. C. Spiller, to me known to be the persons described in and who signed the foregoing instrument and severally acknowledged that they signed and executed it for the purposes mentioned.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this 15th day of September, 1905.

(SEAL) JOHN E. PERKINS,
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.
My commission expires Dec. 7, 1905.

Discharge Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIX months after the date of the first publication hereof, I will present my final accounts to the County Judge of Leon county, Florida, and apply for my discharge as Administrator of the estate of Henry J. Richardson, deceased.

CHAS. W. RICHARDSON,
Administrator.
Tallahassee, Fla., September 1st, 1905. —1em-6m

Notice to Creditors.

THE INSOLVENCY OF THE ESTATE OF Henry J. Richardson, deceased, having been suggested by the administrator, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to appear and file the same with the County Judge of Leon county, Florida, on or before March 7th, 1906.

R. A. WHITFIELD,
County Judge.

Tallahassee, Fla., September 1st, 1905. —1em-6m

Executrix Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL CREDITORS, legatees and distributees of the estate of Harris D. Hart, deceased, late of Leon county, Florida, and to all persons having claims or demands against said estate, to present same, according to law, within two years from this date, the 25th day of August, 1905, otherwise all such claims or demands will be forever barred.

GRIZZELLE B. HART,
Executrix of Estate of Harris D. Hart.

Notice of Application for Discharge.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I WILL six months after the first publication hereof, make final returns, and apply for my discharge as Administrator of the estate of William A. Nowlin, late of Leon county, deceased.

JOHN W. HENDERSON,
Administrator of said estate.
July 28, 1905. —1em-6m

Legal Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIX months after date, the undersigned will file their accounts as Executor and Executrix of the estate of Martha E. Fleming, late of Leon county, Florida, deceased, and apply to the Honorable County Judge of said county for their discharge as such executor and executrix.

E. CRAWFORD, Executor,
L. F. CANTLEY, Executrix,
of the Estate of Martha E. Fleming, Dec'd.
Dated this 21st day of July, 1905. lam6m

NOTICE OF THE INSOLVENCY OF THE ESTATE OF Robert L. Collins, deceased.

Insolvency of the said estate having been suggested to the Court, under oath, by the Administrator of the said estate.

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the above-named estate to appear and file the same with the Court, before me, on or before the 1st day of March, A. D. 1906, or the same will be barred.

R. A. WHITFIELD,
County Judge, Leon County, Florida.
August 24, 1905.

Commissioner's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT UNDER and by virtue of a decree rendered on the 25th day of Aug. A. D. 1905, by the Circuit Court of the Second Judicial Circuit of Florida in and for the county of Leon, in the matter of the petition of William E. Girardeau, as Administrator of the estate of Emily Collins, deceased, late of said county of Leon, I will sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder, in front of the Court house, at Tallahassee, Florida, on the 2d day of October, A. D. 1905, between the hours of eleven o'clock, A. M., and two o'clock, P. M., the following described lands, to-wit: Northwest quarter of northwest quarter, of section 16, township 28, south of range 22, east, in Hillsborough county, Florida. Lots numbered one and two, block six, in the sub-division known as "Villa Mitchell," in sections one and two, township one south, of range one, west, situated in Leon county, Florida; and the south half of the east half of Tallahassee City lot numbered 291, old plan, together with the dwelling and improvements thereon, in Leon county, Florida. Purchaser to pay for deeds.

JOSEPH A. EDMONDSON,
September, 11 1905—3t Commissioner.

Amendment of Charter--Letters Patent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Southern Telephone and Construction Company, a corporation under the Laws of the State of Florida, will apply to the Governor of said State, at Tallahassee, Florida, on the 30th day of September, 1905, for an amendment of its charter, and letters patent thereon; such amendments being as follows: and having been duly adopted by said Company, and a copy thereof, duly certified under the common seal of the company, being now on file in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida, as required by law, to-wit:

That Article II of said charter shall be amended so as to read as follows:

ARTICLE II.

The general nature of the businesses to be conducted by said company shall be to construct, acquire, maintain and operate telephone exchanges and telephone exchange lines and plants, and telephone toll lines and plants in the counties of Leon, Wakulla, Franklin, Jefferson, Gadsden, Jackson, Madison and Taylor, in the State of Florida, and to construct, acquire, maintain and operate electric plants for light, power and other useful purposes; and to deal in electric supplies and manufacture the same; and to purchase, use, lease, sell, mortgage, pledge or otherwise dispose of real and personal property, and borrow money for any and all of the above purposes, giving its bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness therefor; and to have and enjoy all the rights, privileges, and powers necessary or proper for carrying on any of said business.

The telephone exchange lines and plants to be in any of the places hereinafter mentioned through or by which the telephone toll lines may pass, enter or be, or any intermediate place, and telephone toll stations to be at any of said places hereinafter named or any intermediate place. The telephone toll lines to be constructed, acquired, maintained and operated by this corporation shall extend from the city of Tallahassee, in Leon county, Florida, to the town of Monticello, in Jefferson county, Florida, through the villages of Chaires, Lloyd, and through or near Drifton, a distance of thirty-one miles; and from Monticello or Drifton, in Jefferson county, to Madison, in Madison county, a distance of twenty-seven miles; and from Lloyd or Drifton in Jefferson county, or some intermediate point, to Wacissa, through Waukeeah, in said county, a distance of twelve miles; and from Tallahassee, in Leon county, to Iamonia, a distance of sixteen miles; and from Tallahassee, in Leon county, to Quincy, in Gadsden county, through the village of Havana, a distance of twenty-eight miles; and from Tallahassee, aforesaid, through Arran and Sopchoppy, in Wakulla county, and Carabelle, in Franklin county, to Apalachicola, in Franklin county, a distance of eighty miles; and from Arran to Crawfordville, a distance of three miles; and from Tallahassee to St. Marks, a distance of twenty-one miles; and from Quincy to Marianna, a distance of forty miles; and from Tallahassee, aforesaid, to Perry, in Taylor county, a distance of fifty miles, the total mileage being three hundred and fifteen miles.

That Article III of said Charter, which now reads as follows: "The capital stock of this company shall be ten thousand dollars, divided into one hundred shares of one hundred dollars each, and shall be fully paid for in cash, or property for use in the business of the company, at its cash value when the stock is issued," shall be amended by adding thereto at the end thereof the following:

The amount of the capital stock of this company shall be increased thirty thousand dollars, so as to make the entire capital stock of the company forty thousand dollars; such increased or additional stock to be divided into three hundred shares of one hundred dollars each. All of such increased or additional capital stock shall be paid for as follows: One-half thereof, or fifteen thousand dollars, in lawful money of the United States, and the other half, or fifteen thousand dollars, may be paid for in lawful money of the United States or in property, labor or services, at a just valuation to be fixed by the corporation or by the directors at a meeting called for such purpose.

Property, labor or services may be also purchased or paid for with any such capital stock at a just valuation of such property, labor or services to be fixed by the directors of the company at a meeting called for such purpose.

By order of the Company.
W. L. MOOR, President.

STATE OF FLORIDA,
COUNTY OF LEON.

Before me, B. F. Willis, a Notary Public in and for the State of Florida at large, personally appeared W. L. Moor, F. C. Moor and K. L. Moor, stockholders in the above mentioned Southern Telephone and Construction Company, a body corporate under the Laws of the State of Florida, and constituting the holders of a majority of the stock of said Company, and they being duly sworn depose and say, each for himself and herself, that it is intended in good faith to construct, maintain and operate the telephone lines mentioned in the above written proposed amendment of Article II of the Charter of the above mentioned Company.

W. L. MOOR,
F. CLIFTON MOOR,
KATE LOUISE MOOR.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of August, 1905, as witness my hand and official seal. My commission expires June 13, 1906.

(SEAL) B. F. WILLIS,
Notary Public in and for the State of Florida,
at large. September 1st, 1905-5t.

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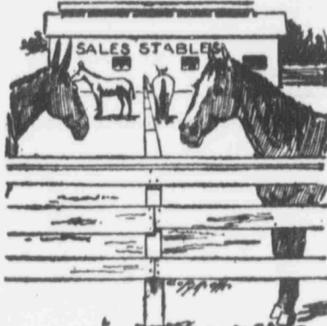
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