

GEO. C. SPOOLMAN  
CLERK SUPERIOR COURT BERTIE COUNTY  
WINDSOR, N. C.

Confidential.

February 9, 1934 .

Richard D. Dixon,  
Clerk Superior Court,  
Edenton, N. C.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of recent date, there was a man whose name neither I nor the Register of Deeds can recall, from South Norfolk and who married Dr. Hathaway's daughter, Merry Hill, N. C., in this office and in the office of the Register of Deeds several months ago, who attempted to remove stamps from some old documents and place thereon some other stamps that he had in his possession.

The Register of Deeds caught the man in the act of removing stamps and had some words with him. I do not think he got any stamps from his records.

He was in my vault several hours but I did not know his mission, thinking that he was merely looking up some old records. If any stamps were removed from my office I have not detected it.

We have not seen this man since.

I understand that he advertises in the Norfolk papers for old stamps.

Very truly yours,

*Geo. C. Spoolman*  
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