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CONDEMNED COWS ARE TO BE KILLED IN NEAR FUTURE

Thirty-eight Cows Owned by Mr. Earnest Moore Said to Show Traces of the Tuberculosis Germ. Dr. Fisher Made Examination.

It is Dr. Fisher's Opinion that those who have drunk the milk will not suffer any bad effects therefrom. A Much Talked of Subject.

Charlotte people had hardly quit taking water when another sensation was today sprung in the shape of infected milk.

Yesterday Dr. Adam Fisher, the city health officer, condemned 38 of a herd of 66 milk cows owned by Mr. Ernest Moore.

It is claimed by Dr. Fisher that the cows were diseased and that their milk was infected.

Dr. Fisher, accompanied by Mr. Ernest Moore's farm and dairy today for the purpose of getting at the heart of the real situation, which is the talk of the town.

It is well to say in the beginning that Charlotte citizens who have been using milk from Mr. Moore's need not have the least fear, for it can be stated officially and with authority that no one who has been drinking milk from this dairy is in the least danger, for the simple reason that the infection among Mr. Moore's cows was so premature and slight that it had not reached the milk.

The state of affairs is simply this. Out of 66 cows in this dairy 28 were found to be slightly infected with tuberculous germs, and two others are suspected of also being infected. In the course of time the infection would have reached the milk, but so far it has not, and while it would be safe to butcher these cows and use the meat, still this will not be done. On the contrary every cow will be killed.

A thorough test was made by Dr. Fisher and the above number of cows were condemned.

The estimated value of the cows by an expert is \$950.00. The city will bear half of this loss according to a prevailing ordinance, the balance falling on Mr. Moore.

The people of the city sympathize with Mr. Moore. The result of the investigation was as great a surprise to him as to any one. I might be well to state here that no person has been more active in securing a thorough test than Mr. Moore. He has aided Dr. Fisher in every way possible and he will be a pleasure for him to have anybody come out and see the condition of his stock. The milk from these cows is being poured out and in a few days the cows will be killed.

Better arrangements for a dairy or better conditions could not be found anywhere in the county than at Mr. Moore's place. He has a beautiful barn and a finer herd of milk cows one could see anywhere. In fact the cows marked as being infected looked in better and healthier condition than the ones exempt. It seems a pity to kill them but Mr. Moore stated that if every member of the board of aldermen told him he might continue to use the milk from these cows he would not do so. He is honest and sincere and the position he has taken in the matter will only increase the confidence of the public in him.

And when he buys a sufficient number of cows to supply all his old customers it is safe to say that they will be glad to give him their business.

In the meantime he will continue his business as he can with the number of cows left free of infection and it is certainly true that there is no danger from these for they have stood the most rigid examination.



To monopolize public interest for the next six weeks.

KILLS FORMER WIFE.

Her Husband and Then Shoots Himself. By Associated Press. Fairmont, W. Va., June 29.—Aselus Kodl, a former resident of Mannington, an oil town 18 miles west of here, returned home today after a long absence and finding his wife living with another man, killed them both. He then turned the revolver on himself, inflicting probably a fatal wound. During the time Kodl was out of the State his wife had obtained a divorce and re-married.

PRISONERS TRY TO ESCAPE.

Plot Discovered in Time to Prevent Delivery.—Dr. Alderman's Last Lecture. Raleigh June 29.—Soon after the Raleigh Savings Bank opened for business this morning a farmer presented himself at the cashiers window to borrow some money. Being asked what collateral he could offer—stocks bonds or other securities—he announced that he had a steer hitched to his cart in the street and would give that as security. The bank officials never made him clearly understand that the steer was not of the class of "stocks" that the bank could accept as collateral.

PRESIDENT MOORE RESIGNS OFFICE

In Order to Take up his Canvass of County for Clerkship He Sends in Resignation as State President of Cotton Growers. Resigned June 13.

Mr. Charles C. Moore, president of the North Carolina Division of the Southern Cotton Growers Association, has tendered his resignation to Chairman H. C. Dockery of the executive committee.

Mr. Moore forwarded his resignation to Mr. Dockery on June 13, but has kept the matter from all but a few close friends, so that the public has had no inkling of what was about to take place.

Mr. Moore's reason for resigning at this time is that he has been urged to make the race for clerk of the court, a position now held by Mr. J. A. Russell, and feeling that he is under more obligations to his friends in this case than to any others, he placed his resignation in the hands of the chairman of the executive committee.

Mr. Moore will by no means give up the work which he has so well conducted since the first of the year, but will continue to do everything that he can to forward the interests of the association.

In reply to the note of resignation Chairman H. C. Dockery has written Mr. Moore that he will call a meeting of the executive committee July 11, when the matter will be laid before them for consideration.

Mr. Dockery continuing his letter to Mr. Moore says:

"Personally, I shall feel that I have lost a friend in this great cause and that your place cannot be filled. Your ability, zeal and earnestness, have been of great benefit to the state and your canvass of the state has been an educational one to farmers. The reports to the committee are that you have organized in a short time 48 cotton growing counties and this in the face of the fact that you took hold of the work when there was not one cent in the treasury of the association."

"The committee is satisfied that you are so interested in this cause that they will not hesitate to command you at any time in the interests of the association."

STILL DIVIDED.

House and Senate Unable to Unite on Meat Inspection. By Associated Press.

Washington, June 29.—When the conferees on the agricultural bill met the House representatives insisted upon the House provision in regard to meat inspection while the Senate conferees stood out for their compromise proposition. When the conference broke up Senator Proctor announced that he would ask the Senate for instructions.

When President Leaves.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 29.—If Congress should complete its work of the present session tonight, or even if it should not be completed until early tomorrow, the probability is that President Roosevelt will leave Washington for Oyster Bay at midnight tomorrow night. It is possible, however, if the adjournment should not be reached until tomorrow, the President and his party may not get away from Washington until Sunday night or Monday.

Col. J. T. Anthony is at home with his family for a few days.

CZAR IS A PRISONER. COURT GAITY HAS ALMOST VANISHED

The Czar and his Court are Practically Prisoners, Afraid to Venture Beyond Palace Walls. Hundreds of Secret Police Guard Emperor.

Rumor that Emperor was Running Away from Servants at Peterhof Denied but all is Unrest and Uncertainty and all Gaiety has Vanished from Court Life.

By Associated Press. St. Petersburg, June 29.—Official denial is given of the report that the Emperor and his court are leaving Peterhof and returning to Tsarskoe-Selo, owing to the discovery of a revolutionary plot among the palace servants.

The servants of the Palace are the Emperor's mamlukes and tartars, some of whom do not speak the Russian language. The Russian servants are confined for the time-being to tried lackeys and valets, but among these the terrorists have frequently boasted they had spies.

Newsboys carrying sacks are forbidden to enter the grounds of the old palace, to which the public is admitted, and no one is allowed within the grounds of the small palace, where the imperial family resides, without permit.

Secret police by the hundreds in civilian's clothes, through the parks and streets.

The Emperor never drives out beyond the grounds of the small palace and the members of the court are practically prisoners within its walls. The principal amusement is tennis, but all gaiety of court life has vanished.

SENATOR TILLMAN AGAIN AT THE BAT

Makes Attack on President, Says he Runs Big Bluff but Grows Dumb when the Time for Action Approaches. Tillman and Bailey Lock Horns.

By Associated Press. Washington June 29.—Senator Tillman called to the conference report on railroad rate bill and renewed his attack upon the pipe line amendment as being in the interest of the Standard Oil Company.

Attack on President. Tillman said: "The President assures us from time to time that the crimes of the Standard Oil Co. are to be punished but when it comes to a real fight and when there is opportunity to do something, he sits dumb and allows the House conferees to compel the Senate conferees to yield to the demands of the Standard Oil Company."

Senator Elkins declared the President needs no defense and he charged that the South Carolina Senator was aggrieved because the President did not agree with him. He declared that the effect of the Tillman policy would be to break down the independent companies.

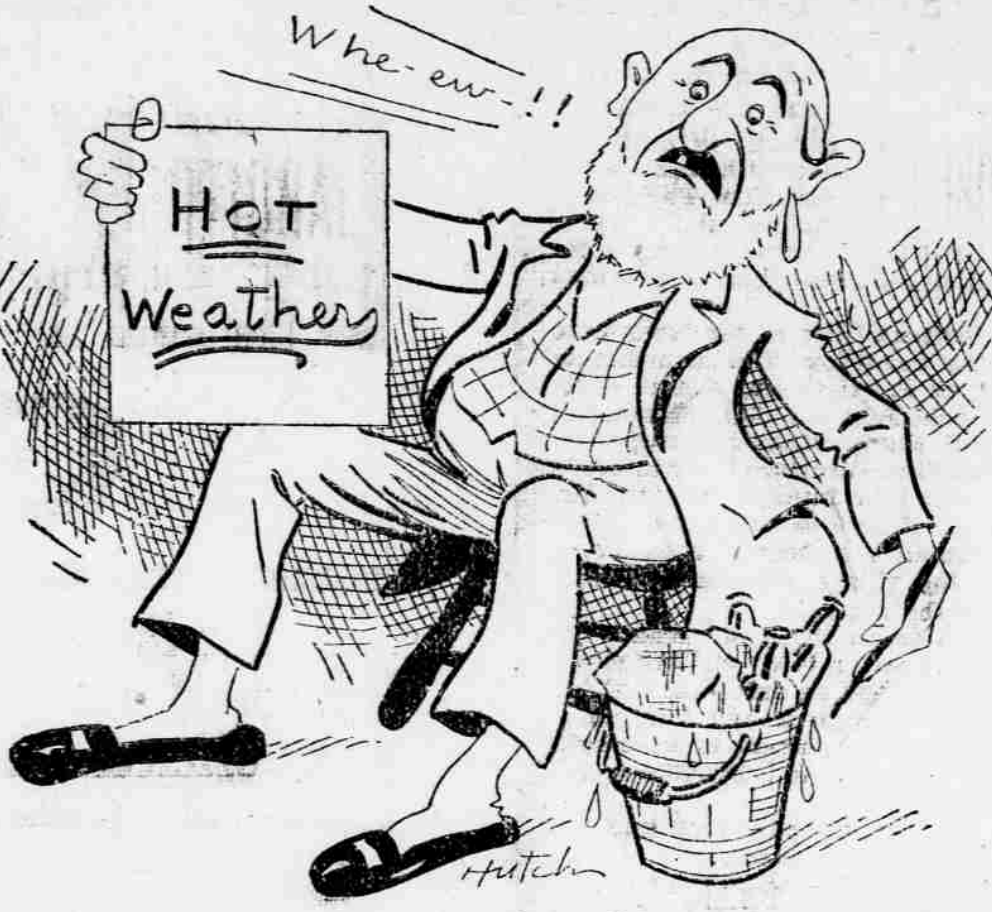
In the course of the debate Senators Bailey and Tillman engaged in a very sharp controversy over the latter's denunciation of the lawyers. The Texas senator indicated the opinion that this was demagoguery and Tillman, while contending that he respected the attorneys of standing, said he had utter contempt for shysters and for the men who pack political conventions. There was intense feeling for a few moments, but it passed away.

Rate Bill Passed. At 3 P. M. the Senate agreed to the conference report on the railroad rate bill, which passes the bill.

DATES OF ENCAMPMENT

The Change in Dates of Regimental Encampments at Morehead. Raleigh, June 29.—Adjutant General T. R. Robinson, of the North Carolina National Guard made an official announcement this afternoon that the dates for the regimental encampments at Morehead this summer have been changed so that the first encampment composed of the second regiment and first battery, Charlotte artillery, will be July 25 to August 3 inclusive and the second encampment consisting of the first regiment August 11 to 20th, inclusive. The dates in both cases include the movement of the troops in and from the camp. No change as to the movement of the third regiment to Chocomauga, the date remaining August 19 to 26 inclusive.

Petersburg Battlefield. Washington June 29.—The Senate passed a bill authorizing the examination of the battlefields around Petersburg, Va., with the view to the creation of a battlefield park there.



Everybody says hot weather but father.. He's dumb. He writes it with apologies.

PROCTOR FOUND GUILTY.

Former Secretary of Senator Lodge Found Guilty of Larceny of \$225. By Associated Press.

Boston, Mass., June 29.—Robert G. Proctor, former secretary to Senator Lodge, was found guilty of larceny of \$225 from John G. Bestgen of Quincy, who alleged he paid the amount as a contribution to the Republican campaign fund in 1904, giving it to Proctor in connection with an alleged promise to secure for Bestgen, an appointment as consul. The sentence was deferred.

IN VIRGINIA WATERS.

Bill Passed Relating to Movement of Vessels in Virginia Waters. By Associated Press.

Washington, June 29.—The House passed a bill relating to the movement and anchorage of vessels in Hampton Roads, harbors of Norfolk and Newport News and adjacent waters in the state of Virginia. This applies only to the operation of vessels during the Jamestown exposition.

WORK DONE AT THE BAR ASSOCIATION

Over 300 Persons in Attendance at Calling of Bar Association to Order Last Night. Election of Officers Takes Place To-day. Much Interest.

Special The News. Wilmington, N. C., June 29.—The State Bar Association met at 9 o'clock last night at the Seashore Hotel. The meeting was called to order by President Clement Manly. Probably 300 persons are in attendance, including many ladies. Col. Pickens requested the association to meet in Hendersonville next year. Telegrams were read from Asheville and Toxaway asking for the same pleasure. They were referred to the executive committee.

Thos. W. Davis, Esq., of this city, read a resolution inviting the members of the association to a boat ride on Cape Fear river this afternoon to Southport and Fort Caswell, which was accepted. President Manly, in a few chosen words, in which he referred to the one he had the honor of introducing, as being the greatest man North Carolina had ever produced and one of the country's great men, introduced Hon. Hannu Taylor, of Washington, D. C., the guest of honor of the association, who for about one hour read an exhaustive treatise on the constitutional acts for the regulation of railroad rates.

The committee on grievances offered a resolution relative to the disbarment of attorneys from practicing in the courts. A resolution read by Judge J. Crawford Biggs, of Durham, for Mr. Maxie L. John, to expedite the printing of public records and legislative bills was referred to the committee on law reforms.

The meeting adjourned at 10:45. At the session today the committee on memorial reported and the election of officers for the ensuing year took place.

OUR CITY AMONG THE VERY WARMEST

Maximum Temperature was 92 Degrees and the Humidity Great. Raleigh the Warmest Spot in State and Wilmington One of the Coolest.

Charlotte was one of the warmest places on the map yesterday. The maximum temperature was 92, which is not excessively warm, but the humidity made the heat the more unbearable. Along with Charlotte were Chicago and Jacksonville, Fla.; Cincinnati and Knoxville; Philadelphia and Nashville and Washington and Meridian Miss.

Raleigh was the warmest point in North Carolina and the good old city by the sea—Wilmington, was three degrees cooler than that typical summer resort—Asheville. The warmest map was Augusta, Ga., with Macon in line and Birmingham, Ala., a close third.

The indications are that tomorrow will be warm and fair. In his report today Observer Bennett says:

"High pressure, with generally fair weather has prevailed over the Southern States, although thundershowers have occurred in scattered localities. Warm weather prevails generally over the Mississippi Valley and eastward, temperatures over the Ohio Valley and lower Lake region being 10 to 15 degrees above normal this morning. Over the country between the Mississippi and the Rocky Mountains, pressure is low this morning with centers of barometric depressions over North Dakota and over Kansas. Rain has fallen over the upper Mississippi and the Missouri Valleys. Over the Rocky Mountain Region and upper Missouri Valley, temperatures have fallen under the influence of a high pressure area moving in over the Pacific coast. For this vicinity, fair weather is indicated tonight and Saturday."

Distressing News From Mrs. Tull. The news of the critical illness of Mrs. Joseph Tull, of Birmingham, will be learned with deep concern by her host of friends in this city—her birthplace and home up to the time of her marriage. The first news of her illness came yesterday, with that, also, of her sister, Mrs. Henry Fowler, who was visiting her. Telegrams today to Mrs. Richard Busbee, sister of Mrs. Tull, and Mrs. Fowler, said that Mrs. Fowler was better, but that Mrs. Tull was worse and for her to come at once. Mrs. Busbee leaves tonight for Birmingham.

The remains of the infant of Mr. and Mrs. Tull arrived here this morning. The little body was interred in the Clarkson plot in Elmwood by the side of Mrs. Tull's mother, Mrs. T. S. Clarkson.

A Three Per Cent. Dividend. At a meeting of the board of directors of the Southern States Trust Co. held this afternoon at 3 o'clock, a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent. was declared.

The business of this institution was found to be in a most flourishing condition and the directors were much gratified at the showing made. The officers of this institution are Geo. Stephens, president; T. S. Franklin, vice-president; W. H. Wood, secretary and treasurer, and J. E. Davis, assistant secretary and treasurer.

—Mrs. R. N. Littlejohn, who underwent an operation at St. Peter's Hospital recently, is recovering rapidly, and may be able to return home in two or three days.

THAW'S COUNSEL URGE "EMOTIONAL INSINATY" AS PLEA

All Doubt Set at Rest To-day by Announcement of the Defense that "Emotional Insinaty" Would be Basis of Fight for Thaw's Release.

Whole Story of White's Life and his Relations with Mrs. Thaw to be Brought out. Thaw To-day Entered Formal Plea of "Not Guilty."

By Associated Press. New York, June 29.—Announcement that the defense will make "emotional insinaty" the basis for their fight for the release of Harry Thaw, in jail indicted for the murder of Stanford White, set at rest speculation on this point today. Justifiable homicide and the straight plea of insanity had been suggested as the line of defense, but Thaw himself made the insanity move impossible by his refusal to consider it and by declining to allow alienists to question him.

It will not be claimed that the young man is insane now. Such a plea would mean sentence to an asylum for criminal insane.

This new line means a trial and if the plea of "emotional insinaty" is justified Thaw will be a free man. The defense, it has also been announced, plans to bring out the whole story of White's life, of his relations with Evelyn Nesbit, before she married Thaw and of his subsequent actions, which the defense claims annoyed Mrs. Thaw and goaded her husband on to the shooting.

District Attorney Jerome may personally conduct the prosecution. The arraignment of Thaw today in the court of special sessions was simply for the purpose of receiving prisoners plea.—Not guilty.

Mrs. Thaw will be a witness for her husband at the trial. She has declared her willingness to tell all she knows. She fully realizes that in doing so she will subject herself to a searching cross-examination.

The strain of yesterday's proceedings seriously affected Mrs. Thaw. She had hardly reached her apartments when she fainted and it was necessary to call a physician to revive her.

Lived Beyond Income. According to the Globe today the investigation has brought to light the fact that Stanford White who was supposed to be wealthy had been living beyond his income and was heavily in debt.

Pled Not Guilty. Harry K. Thaw, entered a formal plea of not guilty when arraigned on charge of murder in the court of general sessions today. The plea was entered with the reservation that it may be withdrawn Tuesday next.

THE FOURTH AT GASTONIA
Lieutenant Wallace With Gunners will Leave Charlotte Thursday. Lieutenant N. W. Wallace and eight members of the Charlotte Artillery, First Field Battery, will leave Charlotte next Tuesday afternoon for Gastonia where they will participate in the Fourth of July celebration. They will take along with them the old Howitzer and four horses. Lieutenant Wallace has selected the following members to accompany him; Messrs James Anderson, Charles McManaway, Rumlford, J. C. Erwin, C. H. Nicholas, Nicholson, C. R. Williams, and R. M. Curlee.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert W. Stokes, who have been keeping house at Dilworth are now occupying the Johnston residence on North Tryon street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson have moved into their new residence at the corner of Ninth and Tryon streets.

Mrs. Earnest Miller, of Statesville, is visiting at the home of Rev. R. G. Miller, at Sardis.

Miss Etta Clark, of East Oak street, will leave Monday for Waynesville where she will make her home in the future.

Miss Oveida Keeter, of Grover, will arrive in the city this afternoon and will visit Miss Annie Boney on East Fourth street.

Little Miss Julia Baxter Scott, will entertain about 60 of her friends this afternoon at 5 o'clock, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Scott, on South Tryon street. After an hour's frolic on the lawn the little girls and boys will have a trolley ride over the city.

Mrs. A. L. Smith entertained informally this morning in honor of Mrs. Edward Roach and guest. Ten very charming women enjoyed the beauty and comfort of Mrs. Smith's wide verandah, and the graciousness of her hospitality.

Mrs. O. P. Heath and daughter, Miss Helen Heath, go to Cleveland Springs in the morning.