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## GOVERNMENT'S WAR ON THE BEEF TRUST

Chicago, April 26.—Representatives of the engineer the trust and the packers' State Library separate conferences Judge Day, special representative of the attorney general's office, was closeted with United States Attorney Bethea for several hours, comparing evidence. Judge Day brought with him what is said openly by federal officers to be strong evidence secured in the east concerning the methods of the combine. Bethea laid beside it testi-

## 1000 CITIZENS HAVE NOT PAID

Buncombe Commissioners Exempted Some Citizens Yesterday—Why Some Property Holders are Released.

People who have not paid their state and county poll tax before sundown of next Thursday will be disfranchised from voting at next election. At present there are probably not far from a thousand citizens in this county otherwise qualified to vote who have not paid this tax. It is impossible to state the exact number as reports are yet to be made of the last few days' collections by traveling deputies. At the tax collector's office yesterday afternoon Mr. Chambers and his two deputies were busy receiving poll taxes. The payments in the morning were not heavy. The county commissioners met in special session and exempted some twenty-five persons from the payment of the tax. From the minutes of the board for December, January, February, March and April a reporter for the Gazette obtained the following list of exemptions already made by the board:

In December: C. E. Fairchild, W. M. Ballard, Henry Hill, A. W. Owenbey, B. F. Jenkins, D. Smith, W. M. Banks, J. M. Causey, M. Sander.

In January: J. F. Cane, W. P. Williams, A. L. Ingle, G. H. Jones.

In February: W. L. Ford, W. M. Edwards, J. P. Sawyer, J. T. Bostic, H. C. Fagg, O. M. Coston, W. M. Jackson, W. A. Allison, N. B. Wilson, Joe Stuman, Gus Brown, J. H. Worley, R. Quentin, Paul Johnson, L. W. Jeanerret, Jesse N. Patton, W. H. Bird, J. F. Ball, Charles F. Venable, Tom A. Sithemore, Lawrence Sluder, William Wyatt, R. B. Clevinger, T. N. Rector, George W. Reed, Charity Israel, N. A. Fowler, Miller Johnson.

In March: Will Phipps, W. M. Harrison, J. H. Luther, Adam Patton, Joseph H. Carter, F. M. Duckett, James Jamagin, N. G. Cowan, J. J. Wooten, Will N. Stevenson.

In April: W. H. Pearson, E. L. Jackson, H. Petrie, J. Z. Parker, John R. Davis, J. M. Smith, J. P. Johnson, Berry Payne, M. D. Musa, W. A. Williams, R. W. McMahon, D. F. Harris, J. M. Carson, S. S. Carter, W. C. Phipps, John Buckner, M. Bramlett, B. W. Breslow, J. W. Howel, C. B. Plemons, Pink Wallen, George Fox, Zeb Bruce, George Brown, J. C. Davidson, Howard Smith, Tom Powers, John Print, C. C. Luther, Fred Shartie, Robert Swink, G. P. Jones, J. R. Young, K. M. Moore, J. E. Bartlett, C. C. Hice, B. F. West, Albert Mahoffy, John Bass, J. G. Banks, James Campbell, S. G. Chambers, Samuel Washington, Thomas Powers, J. B. Sherrell, C. P. Bumgartner, A. P. Smith, Tilden Haynill, J. N. Hudson, L. C. Sawyer, Will Gatty, James F. Smith, James Harrowood, C. A. Smith, James Allen, T. D. Scarborough, J. R. Allison, Thomas Mahoffy.

In this list of 109 names, as will be seen, are many persons having property. It includes the members of the fire department of Asheville, who contribute their services to the city. It

## KING VS. SEABOARD JURY FAILED TO AGREE

Raleigh, N. C., April 26.—The Jury in the case of King against the Seaboard Airline failed to agree and was discharged this evening after forty-six hours. It stood eight to four in favor of the plaintiff. There was no change from the first to the last ballot.

The annual debate of the Pullen literary society of the A. & M. college will be held next Friday night. The question will be: "Resolved that in the interests of agriculture and manufacturing the ship subsidy bill should become a law." The oratorical contest will be at the same time.

Raleigh has relaxed into normal condition and is absorbed in baseball.

## CARMACK TALKS OF "HORRORS OF THE WAR"

DeArmond Objects to Vote of Thanks for Hay's Eulogy on McKinley.

Washington, April 26.—The house devoted the greater part of today to eulogies of the late Representative Stokes of South Carolina and Crump of Michigan. Nineteen congressmen delivered addresses.

At the brief morning session DeArmond objected to the passage of a resolution expressing thanks to Secretary Hay for his eulogy on McKinley and the resolution went over.

Washington, April 26.—Carmack in the senate today again opened his batteries in denouncing the way the Philippines are governed. He denounced the "horrors" of the war there under orders from Gen. Smith, who, he said, was "trying to make the country a howling wilderness." The United States, he said, had become an imitator of Spain's infamous rule. In conclusion he said he longed to see the American republic turn away from the "bloody gospel of the strenuous life and find inspiration in that higher wisdom of which is written: 'Her ways are ways of pleasantness and all her paths are peace.'" He received the compliments of democratic senators at the close. An executive session was followed by adjournment.

## TWO DAYS MORE

Trunks at cost, Monday and Tuesday only. We will discontinue handling them. The Boston Shoe Store, It Leading Shoe Firm.

Splendid mountain pasture in the Vanderbilt preserve for cows, 50c per head per month. Apply Forest Department, Biltmore Estate.

Best of Tomato Plants at J. W. Haymond's, North Asheville 63-67

Biltmore Firewood. Phone 706.

For sale cheap by the owner. Cozy cottage home. Best neighborhood in Asheville. Address Box 387, Biltmore.

**The Sign of Distress**

Your eyes will give you warning if you overtax them in any way, or if anything goes wrong with them, come to us, we will make them right with properly ground glasses. Examination Free.

**McKee, The Optician**  
64 Patton avenue, opposite Postoffice.

**If you buy your Bread and Cakes from HESTON they will always be the best. Ring 183 and ask to have wagon to call.**

## PRITCHARD ON THE PARK BILL

STRONG ARGUMENTS PRESENTED TO THE SENATE IN FAVOR OF FOREST RESERVE.

Senator Graphically Portrays the Benefits that will Accrue from the Great Project.

## NEEDED PROTECTION FOR MANY WATER POWERS

Special to the Gazette.

Washington, April 26, 1902.—Senator Pritchard today introduced an amendment appropriating \$5000 to each colored agricultural school in the United States. Mr. Pritchard has a long conference with the president this morning on political matters and again urged the expediency of appointing a southern man to the cabinet.

The senator delivered a speech before the senate today on the Appalachian reserve bill. His enunciation was clear and distinct and his delivery excellent. He had the most flattering attention from his fellow senators and an impression was made that will guarantee the passage of the measure. Great interest is manifested in the senate in the establishment of the park. Senator Depew will address the senate next week advocating the reserve.

Senator Pritchard was highly complimented by the senators on the arguments he presented.

He said:

"Mr. President, it is the well-settled policy of the government to appropriate money whenever it becomes necessary to do so in order to facilitate commerce and transportation in those States along the coast, as well as those through which our large rivers flow. This policy has had the sanction of a majority of the people throughout the country, upon the ground that any expenditure which facilitates transportation and encourages the development of commerce is legitimate and proper.

"The people of the section embraced within the Appalachian region have not in the past been the recipients of the benefits arising from legislation of this kind, and this is the first proposition which has been offered that has had the slightest bearing upon their welfare as a people.

"The region embraced within the territory referred to in the pending measure comprises the highest mountain peaks east of the Rocky Mountains. The mountains and hillsides in this territory were originally covered with dense forests. The ruthless and indiscriminate cutting of timber by the lumberman, as well as the forest fires, have tended to denude many of these mountains of a great per cent of the original growth of timber. The cutting of timber by the lumbermen at first was confined to the more rare and valuable trees, such as walnut and cherry, but after the railroads rendered this region more accessible the cutting of birch, locust, poplar, oak, chestnut, and other valuable species began, and the operations of the lumbermen have today extended beyond the main lines of transportation by the construction of tramways, short railways, etc.

"As a general rule, the lumberman who has operated in Tennessee and western Carolina has been a resident of other states. Such being the case, his interest in the region in question begins and ends with the hope of profit. The necessity for protecting these mountain forests from destruction has been recognized for a number of years, but until recently there has been no well-defined effort to secure the protection of this region against the wanton destruction of timber, which is having such a disastrous effect upon the welfare of the people of these sections, as well as those who live in the neighboring states.

"In January, 1900, memorials from the Appalachian Mountain Club of New England and the Appalachian National Park association of the South Atlantic states, were presented before congress, asking that the government establish a national forest reserve embracing the steep mountain lands in the Southern Appalachian Mountains. During the years 1900 and 1901, resolutions favoring such action by the government were passed by the leading scientific societies.

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## TORNADO WRECKS JOPLIN BUILDINGS

St. Louis, April 26.—Three persons are dead and fifteen are injured, some of them fatally, at Joplin, Mo., victims of the tornado that struck that city late yesterday. Twenty residences in Joplin were wrecked and several others in the suburbs of Moonshine Hill and Villa Heights were demolished. A conservative estimate today places the aggregate loss in buildings wrecked and mines flooded, at \$100,000.

Louisville, April 26.—The wind blew almost a gale through the night, and after midnight torrents of rain fell. This was accompanied by a material lowering of temperature making today a sharp contrast with the summer temperature of yesterday. There is no telegraphic communication with Chicago except by roundabout routes.

Chicago, April 26.—The gale of wind which passed over the city last night did considerable damage. Windows were blown in, roofs ripped up and signs ripped from their fastenings.

## CLARK STILL SILENT REGARDING CHARGES

But the Most Surprise is Occasioned by the Silence of the Newspaper that Has Been His Ally.

Special to the Gazette.

Raleigh, N. C., April 26.—The public has not recovered from the shock of astonishment occasioned by Major Wilson's attack on Judge Clark. There is not a man in Raleigh without an opinion in regard to the charges affecting the personal and official integrity of the judge, and most people express their views with a deal of freedom—but with a request not to be quoted.

In official circles the silence that is observed is truly profound. This reticence is not peculiar to the officeholder in Raleigh, for it has been observed in a marked degree in Washington. As the Washington correspondent of one of the Raleigh papers telegraphed in his daily budget Thursday night, every democratic member of the congressional delegation, from Senator Simmons down, is reluctant to think out aloud for obvious reasons.

The most surprising development in connection with the exposure of Judge Clark is the silence of the News and Observer, which is positively painful. To those who are aware of the silent partnership long existing between Judge Clark and Josephus Daniels, every day's reading of the News and Observer is a surprise. Imagine the feelings of an exposing public that stood on its head all day Thursday expecting to hear something as loud as an explosion of dynamite the next morning, upon turning to the editorial columns of the News and Observer to see that the erstwhile organ of his honor had "joined the silent majority," so to speak.

"Why?" explains the public in one breath. What subtle influence has restrained the ever garrulous champion of the judge? Can it be that the partnership has been dissolved? Are the judge and the editor to travel different roads henceforth? Has his honor been deserted by his organ in his hour of need? Has Josephus heard something drop? These and other questions are upon every lip; but the public is left to conjecture for an answer. Perhaps the organ has been brought to see that in taking up the cudgel against Major Wilson it will be taking too great a risk for its fast falling popularity.

Judge Clark himself maintains a demeanor that is outwardly serene in spite of the tempest that is raging within his bosom. To the question, "What are you going to do about it?" he in substance says only: "Proper notice will be taken at the proper time."

At this the public hardly knows whether to be surprised or not; for Judge Clark is as mysterious as a sphinx.

Democrats find themselves asking the question, what is the use of making a fight upon Judge Clark for the nomination for chief justice of the Supreme court unless the opposition has a candidate to offer? It is exposing no confidence to say that the hopes of many of the faithful are centered in ex-Judge Connor. So far as known there are no arrangements to prevent the party from taking him up. Still it would be premature to hail him as the coming man; for, let it be known that Judge Clark has not a cinch on the nomination, and the democrats may find numerous candidates to choose from.

Of the immigrants to this country during the last quarter of 1901, southern Italy supplied over 26 per cent and Hebrews and Poles enough to make up more than half of the whole number. That the Italians head the list, as they have for some years past, shows that the pressure of poverty is greater in Italy than in any other part of Europe.

## TRUST MAKES OFFER TO ITS WORKMEN

Indianapolis, Ind., April 26.—The American Window Glass company makes a tender of \$100 each to all blowers and \$75 each to gatherers, now in their employ, who will refuse to take employment with independent factories during the summer. The workmen have not decided what they will do.

## YESTERDAY'S LEAGUE GAMES

The following League games were played yesterday:

At New York	R	H	E
Brooklyn	1	5	3
New York	4	6	3
Batteries: Kistson and Ahearn; Sparks and Bowerman.			
At Boston	R	H	E
Boston	13	23	2
Philadelphia	9	15	2
Batteries: Pittinger and Moran; Iberg and Jacklach.			
At Chicago	R	H	E
Chicago	0	3	5
Pittsburg	7	11	2
Batteries: Rhodes and Kling; Leever and Zimmer.			
At Cincinnati	R	H	E
St. Louis	4	10	10
Cincinnati	14	17	1
Batteries: Yerkes and Nichols; Helmsman and Bergen.			
At Princeton	R	H	E
Princeton	16	13	2
University of Virginia	1	6	10

## THE WORKS OF A WATCH

should be entirely reliable and that will keep accurate time, otherwise how can the owner expect to be punctual. We sell

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We have a well selected stock of Wood's Seeds, Onion Sets and Lawn Grass. With few exceptions we sell at Wood's prices.

**Grant's Pharmacy**

## SPECIAL RENT LIST.

- UNFURNISHED.
- Seven room house on near-in residence street, modern conveniences, two large shade trees, house in excellent condition inside and out. \$20 per month by year.
  - Boarding house of sixteen rooms on Sunset Drive, modern conveniences, a delightful section of the city, house newly painted. Unfurnished, \$40 per month; partially furnished \$50 per month.
  - A choice eight room house on Reed street, modern conveniences, stable, desirable neighborhood. \$25 per month by the year.
  - Elegant nine room house on Montford avenue, all modern conveniences; stable; large yard. \$50 per month.
- FURNISHED.
- "Edgewood Cottage" on Sunset Drive, 18 rooms, modern conveniences, a nice place for boarders or private residence; cool and shady in summer. \$60 per month by year.
  - Ten room residence on Starnes avenue, elegantly furnished, 140 feet of porch, modern conveniences. \$60 per month.

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