

Weather.

Washington, April 23—Forecast for North Carolina for tonight and Saturday: Showers and cooler tonight.

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THE MARKET MEN MAKE SPLENDID BEGINNING TODAY

Base Boards Knocked From Under Stalls and Long Hidden Filth Removed

A CRUSADE FOR HEALTH

Following the Opening Gun of the Campaign for a Cleaner City Market House the Market Men Begin to Clean Up Things—A Step in the Right Direction—Friends of Health "Will Fight It Out on This Line if it Takes All Summer"—A Word to the Market Men.

This morning at an early hour unusual activity was manifest at the city market. Men were seen at work sweeping out dirt and dusty corners. Old shoes, overshoes, bones, scraps, dirt, filth of all kinds, was being rudely ousted from retreats long occupied in peace and quiet. At the stalls which were built close down to the floor (and there were several of them) the base-boards were being torn away, so that the floor could be washed decently. The Times yesterday called attention to the fact that the stalls were so constructed that flushing was an impossibility and the removal of these base-boards is a great improvement.

The Evening Times is heartily in favor of selling the old market house because it believes that it would be an utter impossibility to so renovate it as to make it sanitary or even half-way decent. The structure is an unsafe, disreputable old eye-sore and has no place in these progressive times. A Word to Market Men. The fact remains, however, that the building is the city market house and will so remain for several months. Even if the people of Raleigh vote to sell it, it will be several months before the sale can be effected and a new one erected. What are the people of Raleigh to do in the meantime? If they sit down and with folded hands tamely allow the stall keepers in the market house to deal out steak, fish, etc., laden with bacteria and dirt, they will do it with their eyes wide open. The Times dislikes to advertise to the world the filthiness of Raleigh's market house, but in the interests of the public health the white light of publicity is going to be turned on that sore on the body politic—not once, nor twice, but every day—until conditions improve. Like the immortal Grant, The Evening Times is "going to fight it out along this line if it takes all summer." It realizes the fact that perfect cleanliness and the best sanitary management cannot be had in the present market house; but there is one thing dead certain—conditions can be improved and a much higher degree of cleanliness attained despite the fact that the structure is unfit for market purposes. The floors could be kept clean; the blocks could be kept free from the thick coating of congealed blood and decaying meat scraps; the counters could be washed occasionally; the woodwork around the stalls could be kept painted and free from its present coat of grease, blood and dirt; the men who handle the meat might be required to wear clean aprons and wash their hands occasionally. Is it too much to ask of you, Mr. Market Man? The Times is no trouble-maker. It has no desire to hurt the business of any man. There is only a sincere desire on the part of The Times to serve the people. Their welfare is its highest consideration and it is for them that this crusade for cleanliness is started. The start made by the market house people this morning is a good one. If they will keep it up The Times will have nothing but good to say of them. If they don't the people will hear of it. Bear in mind, Mr. Market Man et al. that The Evening Times has been commissioned by the people to safeguard in every way their health and look after their welfare and that this paper is going to be faithful to the duties imposed upon it. If the market house is not cleaned up and kept in better condition the people are going to know about it. It is necessary to "call names" in order to secure cleanliness it will be done without the slightest hesitancy.

Argument in Cooper Case Concluded. (By Leased Wire to The Times) Nashville, Tenn., April 22—Arguments were concluded today in the hearing of the motion for a new trial

In the case of Colonel Duncan B. Cooper, convicted of the killing of former Senator Carmack. Judge Hart took the motion under advisement and stated that he would announce his decision Monday, April 26th.

AFTER THE SMUGGLERS.

Former Silk Importer Tells the Government How it is Done. (By Leased Wire to The Times) New York, April 23—The discovery that Uncle Sam has been mysteriously robbed by smugglers and the recent seizure of \$52,000 worth of smuggled finery by customs inspectors is all due, according to a high government official to information furnished to the government by Austin F. Montayne, a former silk importer of this city, who a few months ago was released from the penitentiary after serving a sentence for smuggling. It is said, furnished the government detectives with the names of importers and examiners whom he had reason to believe were regularly engaged in smuggling the method by which they might be trapped.

Ten-Year-Old a Suicide. (By Leased Wire to The Times) Middlebury, Vt., April 23—Alken Dickett, the 10-year-old son of William Dickett, shot himself and no hope for his recovery is entertained. Over-study is believed to be the cause of the suicide.

SALE OF MARKET HOUSE

The Subject for Discussion at Court House Tonight

The Chamber of Commerce Asks All Citizens to Meet Tonight for the Purpose of Discussing the Question—Prominent Speakers Will be On Hand—Every One is Urged to Attend—8 O'clock Tonight.

The Raleigh Chamber of Commerce, always progressive, is taking up the fight for health in this city and has called a mass-meeting of citizens for tonight at 8 o'clock at the court house. President Johnson's letter calling the meeting is as follows:

"A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, to which all citizens of Raleigh are invited, to discuss the matter of the sale of the market house, will be held at the court house at 8 p. m. Prominent speakers will be present and take part in the discussion."

The act was ratified March 8th. It provides for an election on the question of selling the market house, those in favor of selling it to vote ballots with the words "For sale of Market House" and those opposed "Against Sale of Market House." The mayor and board of aldermen of the city are authorized, empowered and directed to sell the building and execute a deed for it, if the voters shall so direct. The bill also provides that the market house shall not be sold for less than \$60,000, which sum shall go to pay for a new location—any surplus to be turned over to the building committee. Arrangements are provided for due advertisement of the sale and for the protection of the funds.

The bill goes on to create "The Board of Market House Improvement of the city of Raleigh," composed of ex-Judge T. B. Womack, John Cross, M. Rosenthal, the mayor and city attorney, which board shall hold office until a new market house shall be completed. The board is to serve without pay. Among the duties of the board are the following:

To purchase a suitable location for the building of a city market; to build thereon a convenient market with modern improvements, properly equipped; to have exclusive management of the building and equipping of the market house; to advertise for plans for house; to advertise for bids for construction and let contracts to the lowest responsible bidder. Other provisions setting out the duties of the board and prescribing the methods of organization and providing for the filling of vacancies on the board, are incorporated in the bill.

Section 10 of the act is of special importance. It reads as follows: "This act shall not become operative unless a bond issue be authorized for the purpose of erecting a municipal building; provided that the municipal building now used as a market house and herein provided to be sold shall not be advertised or sold until work has actually been begun on a new municipal building."

The framers of the bill have placed every safeguard in it to protect the city of Raleigh, insuring them against all possible loss. The meeting tonight will be one of interest. Every citizen who has the interests of the city at heart should attend. The enemies of progress have combined. Raleigh friends must also get together.

DEFENSE MAY PUT CHAINS ON STAND IN OWN BEHALF

Say He is Crazy and Will Put Him On Stand to Prove It

ANGRY AT MANSON

Goaded by the Declarations of His Own Alienist, Dr. Manson, That Hains is Not Crazy, McIntyre Says He Will Put the Defendant on the Stand As His Own Star Witness—Says That a Man Who Races Toothpicks in His Soup is Not a Sane Man—No Addition to Jury This Morning.

(By Leased Wire to The Times) New York, April 23—Goaded by what he terms "the reflexion" cast upon him by the tentative declarations of his own alienist, Dr. L. S. Manson, that Captain Hains, now on trial in Flushing for his life is not now insane, John F. McIntyre, senior counsel for the defense is today seriously contemplating putting the army officer on the stand as his own star witness.

"I feel now," said McIntyre, "that I may have to do this, much as I regret it. And mind you, I won't be responsible for what happens if this poor fellow is placed on the stand."

"I say that he is as crazy as a loon; I said it at the last trial; I said it while preparing for this one and I say it now."

"I don't want to stand in the position of taking part in the turning free upon the community of a lunatic. 'I tell you, I don't know what may happen at any moment. Captain Hains, I really believe, is just as likely as not to jump at the foreman of the jury under the hallucination that he is 'Billy' Annis."

"Is a man who races toothpicks for boats in his soup at the luncheon table a sane man?"

The only explanation that can be given of the remarkable statements of Dr. Manson is that the alienist became overenthusiastic about what, to him, seemed a marked improvement in Captain Hains. He stated today that he did not intend to convey the impression in his interview that Hains was fully cured or anything like it.

"I was misunderstood," he declared. "I said the defendant was not now suffering from the mania that induced him to murder and that he had lucid intervals."

The trial was resumed today with seven jurors in the box.

The morning session ended without securing a single addition to the seven men already in the box.

NO EASY TASK FOR THE REPUBLICANS

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Washington, April 23—Developments thus far in the senate during the consideration of the tariff bill indicate that the republican will have no easy task in passing the measure. The protest of western republicans against the re-enactment of the Dingley rates which is practically what the Aldrich-Payne bill does, is strong, and there is trouble ahead for the leaders. This is made evident by the attitude of such senators as Cummins, Nelson, and Dolliver, whose criticism of the rates in the senate bill are quite as severe as those made by the democratic minority. They take especial exception to the effort of New England senators to make the bill sectional by providing free raw material for New England factories and maintaining a higher protection upon their manufactured products. A similar criticism comes from the south.

Protest Against Tariff.

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Chicago, April 23—A meeting has been called of the leather tanners, harness and wholesale boot and shoe manufacturers, jobbers and retailers for tomorrow at the Grand Pacific Hotel, for the purpose of protesting against any tariff being placed on hides.

THE SULTAN OF TURKEY WILL BE RULER NO LONGER

The National Assembly Votes to Depose the Representative of Allah

CONDITION IS CHAOTIC

By a Vote of 136 to 50 the Assembly Under the Protection of the Young Turk Troops Votes to Depose Abdul Hamid—News Received With Great Rejoicing by the Young Turks. Turkey Presents Chaotic Appearance—Reported That Sultan Has Collapsed and is Now Insane. Deposition Must Have Religious Sanction Before it is Effective.

(By Cable to The Times) Constantinople, April 23—By a big majority it was voted today in the national assembly to depose the sultan. Before this becomes effective, however, its legality must be decided and in that time many things might take place.

When the news was made public in Constantinople it was received with great acclaim by the Young Turks and their adherents, but from indications many of the troops stationed about the Yildiz kiosk, where the sultan is now, will retain their allegiance to their old ruler.

Turkey presents a chaotic appearance. Torn by internal strife, racked by the rioting of fanatics, almost governmentless, it needed only the developments of today to add to the completeness of the confusion.

It was late today before the news became general that the assembly had secretly voted to depose the sultan. The session was held at San Stefano under the protection of the Young Turk army. The time when the deposition shall take place is undecided. The Sheikh-ul-Islam is preparing a fetwa on the subject.

Events here during the last 24 hours pointed to the end of the reign of the sultan. Simultaneously with the report that the chamber of deputies, in session under the protection of the Macedonian troops at San Stefano, has voted to depose Abdul Hamid came the other one that the sultan had broken down under the collapse and had gone insane. If the report of the sultan's mental condition is true it will open the way for his deposition. In this way his successor would come to the throne in the same way as he himself did, for Abdul Hamid succeeded Sultan Murad V after he had been declared temporarily insane. The vote of the chamber at San Stefano is said to have been 136 to 50 in favor of deposition. This cannot be brought about, however, without the formality of the Sheikh-ul-Islam's decision. This will come in the way of a fetwa, or religious declaration.

The next step of the parliament, it is said, will be to protect the life of Reichard Effendi, the sultan's heir. He is at present a prisoner of the sultan in the Yildiz kiosk.

The sultan appeared upon the streets of Constantinople today and was greeted by the people with cries of adoration. With a mask-like countenance and his head sunk between his stooped shoulders he acknowledged the salutations of the throng by curt nods.

CIPRIANO CASTRO STILL VERY ANGRY

(By Cable to The Times)

Paris, April 23—Cipriano Castro, former president of Venezuela, arrived at St. Nazaire today aboard the Versailles. To the correspondents he expressed great indignation over his expulsion from Martinique and again reiterated that he is penniless. Then he went for an interview with the Venezuelan vice-consul. His health seems improved.

Castro later stated that he would spend a short time at St. Nazaire and then go to a Spanish port, from which he would proceed to Cuba.

Requisition Made.

Governor Kitchin today made requisition on the governor of South Carolina for one Forney Ward, wanted in Columbus county for blockading, retailing and numerous other offenses.

MRS. MATTHEW T. SCOTT ELECTED HEAD OF DAUGHTERS.



Here are shown the rival aspirants for the President Generalship of the D. A. R. A desperate fight was made for this high honor at the meeting now being held in Washington. At the top is Mrs. William C. Story, State Regent of the D. A. R. in New York and below is Mrs. Mathew T. Scott, of Illinois.

MR. TAFT ON THE CANAL Replies to Criticism in a Magazine

Says the Canal Will be Completed by January, 1915—Critic Will Then be Glad to Have Their Article Forgotten.

(By Leased Wire to The Times) New York, April 23—William Howard Taft has written "an answer to the Panama Canal critics," which is published in McClure's Magazine for May. The article was written before Mr. Taft became president.

The author concludes his article with these words: "For these reasons the administration is proceeding to construct the canal on the type authorized and directed by congress and the criticisms of gentlemen who predicate all their arguments on theory and not upon practical tests, who institute comparisons between the present type of canal and the sea-level type of 300 to 600 feet in width that never has been or will be on sea or land cannot disturb the even tenor of those charged with the responsibility of constructing the canal and will only continue to afford to persons who don't understand the situation and are not familiar with the history of the canal and of the various plans proposed for the canal an unfounded sensation of regret and alarm that the government is pursuing a foolish and senseless course."

"Meanwhile the canal will be built and completed on or before the first of January, 1915, and those who are now its severest critics will be glad to have their authorship of recent articles forgotten."

Speaking of the proposal to build a sea-level canal, Mr. Taft says a canal of that type would cost \$177,501,000, without cost of sanitation or government, and exclusive of the original \$50,000,000 payment. Everything considered, he says, a sea-level canal would cost finally \$200,000,000 more than the lock canal.

TO APPOINT DELEGATES.

Governor Kitchin is Asked to Name Representatives.

Governor Kitchin has been requested to name delegates for North Carolina to two conventions which are to meet in the great northwest next summer. These are the American Prison Association, which meets at Seattle, Wash., August 14-19, and the National Irrigation Congress, which meets at Spokane, Wash., August 9-14.

MRS. SCOTT IS ELECTED HEAD OF DAUGHTERS

The Administration Candidate Wins Over Mrs. Story, Conservative Candidate

THE DAUGHTERS WEEP

Great Fight of the Daughters Over the Election of a President-General Ends in the Election of Mrs. Scott, the Administration Candidate, by a Close Vote—The Counting of the Votes Was Not Finished Until This Morning, the Tellers Working All Night—Many Women, Disappointed at the Result, Were in Tears.

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Washington, April 23—Mrs. Matthew T. Scott is elected president-general of National Society of Daughters of American Revolution. It was not until three minutes before 11:00 o'clock that the result of the vote for president-general was known, and even then it had not been officially announced.

A scene of great excitement followed the news that Mrs. Scott had been elected. Hundreds of women, delegates and visitors, sought to speak at the same time, creating much confusion. Many women, disappointed at the defeat of Mrs. Story, were in tears, while the adherents of Mrs. Scott were correspondingly elated and made no effort to conceal their satisfaction.

It was not until 11:15 that the convention convened, owing to the absence of Mrs. Donald McLean, the chairman and outgoing president-general, who had been detained.

Intense interest followed the announcement of the election, although it had been known for 15 minutes previously that Mrs. Scott had won.

Mrs. Story mounted the platform and moved that the election be declared unanimous, but many cries of "no" followed and the question was put by the chair.

On motion of Mrs. John B. Murphy, of Ohio, Mrs. McLean was elected honorary president-general. She accepted and made a speech in which she said both forces in the convention were evenly divided.

She then appointed a committee, consisting of Mrs. Patten, of Pennsylvania, Mrs. Hardy, of Kentucky, and Mrs. Ames, of Illinois, to notify Mrs. Scott of her election and to escort her from her hotel to the hall.

A loving cup was presented to Mrs. F. B. C. Morgan, of Augusta, Ga., by the Georgia Daughters.

At 12 o'clock Mrs. Scott was escorted to the platform and received a tremendous ovation. She spoke briefly, accepting the office, after which the audience sang "Illinois, Illinois", in honor of her state.

The state regent for North Carolina is Mrs. John Van Landingham, of Charlotte; for South Carolina, Mrs. R. M. Brattan; for Virginia, Mrs. S. W. Janison.

Owing to the fact that the tellers have been unable to finish the count of the vote for the vice-president and other officers in the order in which they were voted for it is probable that the full results of the vote will not be announced until late this afternoon.

At 2 o'clock it was announced by the chair that owing to the fact that the tellers had worked all night counting votes the count had not been finally completed, the announcement of the full result of the vote will not be made until 8 o'clock in the morning. This afternoon a number of the children of delegates and visitors will be entertained in the convention hall.

CHARTERS TODAY.

Three New Enterprises Are Launched Charters were granted today as From the Office of the Secretary of State.

J. F. Ward Company, Lexington, general merchandise. Authorized capital, \$50,000; paid-in, \$16,000. J. T. Hedrick, D. L. Brinkley et al, incorporators.

Walker-Staley Company, High Point, jewelers and opticians. Authorized capital, \$15,000; paid-in, \$6,600. R. N. Walker, J. R. Walker et al, incorporators.

Watauga Supply Company, Valle Crucis, general merchandise. Authorized capital, \$10,000; paid-in, \$5,000. Incorporators, R. L. Lowe and others.