

TWO ARRESTS MADE OFFICER MAKES GOOD AT TRINITY COLLEGE

Charged With Shooting Ed. Calahan.

Elisha Smith and Levi Johnson Trailled by Bloodhounds From Scene of Shooting to Their Homes in Perry County—Placed Under Arrest.

Lexington, Ky., June 9.—Sheriff Breck Crawford, of Breathitt county, accompanied by Captain V. G. Milliken and his famous bloodhounds from Lexington and a posse of twelve deputies late yesterday afternoon arrested Elisha Smith and Levi Johnson in Perry county, just across the Breathitt county border, and charged them with the attempted assassination of former Sheriff Ed Callahan.

The men were trailed to the house in which they were arrested by the bloodhounds. The dogs hit the trail in the rear of the coal bank, whence the shots were fired and started in the direction of Perry county. A short distance from the Callahan home it was found that the men had mounted their horses and ridden away, and at this point the dogs took up the trail of the horses and continued on into Perry county.

The officers learned from people living along the road that Smith and Johnson had passed and as they knew nothing of the shooting at the time they readily furnished the information.

Since the shooting of Callahan word has been received by the family that it was the purpose of the anti-Callahan faction to exterminate the entire family. The Callahan home is heavily guarded day and night. Circuit Judge Adams will press his request to Governor Wilson to send a company of state militia to Jackson to preserve order during the present term of court.

The men arrested are known to be staunch henchmen of the Deaton faction, while Smith is a close relative of John Smith, who confessed to participating in the assassination of Jim Cockrell and Dr. Cox at the instance of Judge Hargis and Ed Callahan.

PRESIDENT OF DARTMOUTH.

Prof. Ernest Fox Nichols Elected to Succeed Dr. William J. Tucker.

Concord, N. H., June 9.—Professor Ernest Fox Nichols, D. S. C., occupying the chair of experimental physics at Columbia University, New York, was last night unanimously elected president of Dartmouth College to succeed Dr. William J. Tucker, who resigned May 12, 1907, on account of ill health, but who has not relinquished nominal control.

Dr. Nichols was formerly the head of the department of physics at Dartmouth. He is one of the leading scientists of the day and gained worldwide recognition through his remarkably successful and delicate experiment of years ago of measuring the pressure of a beam of light. In this experiment, in which he was assisted by Prof. H. G. Hall, of Dartmouth, he invented an instrument so sensitive that it registered the pressure of a beam of light from a candle ten miles distant.

DUKE HAS NARROW ESCAPE.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) London, June 9.—The Duke of Connaught, brother of King Edward, had a narrow escape from injury this afternoon while riding in his electric brougham in Pall Mall. The machine was passing rapidly along the street when the pedestrians were horrified to see the brougham swerve and stop, pitching his royal highness forward.

A crowd immediately surrounded the wrecked motor car and cheered when it was seen that the Duke had escaped injury.

WET AND DRY ELECTION.

Bitter Fight Over Prohibition in Youngstown, Ohio.

Youngstown, Ohio, June 9.—The battle of wets and dries was on today. After the bitterest fight that has been waged in Ohio since the Rose option law went into effect voters of Mahoning county are voting whether they will permit or prohibit the sale of liquor in that territory. Mahoning is the largest and wealthiest county in which a local option election has yet been held in Ohio. If the "drys" win the day, more than 300 saloons will be closed and thousands of dollars' worth of brewery property will be idle.

MEETING AT PILOT MILLS.

Interesting Services Being Held by Rev. Mr. Downey.

Rev. J. W. Downey, the handsome and popular pastor of the East Durham Baptist church, is spending the week in the city helping Rev. W. L. Kyle in a meeting at Pilot Mills. Their joint efforts are meeting with success and an interesting meeting is in progress.

He is Close After the Blind Tiger.

Pious John Watson Lugs a Bible Into Court, But Gets It in the Neck Just the Same—Gets Six Months—Nick Brannon, Blind Tiger, Gets the Same Dose—Officer Denning Stirring Up the Tigers.

At four o'clock yesterday afternoon, after two sessions had already been held, Judge Stronach's court again reconvened for the purpose of dealing out justice to one John Watson, colored, a blind tiger. John was a very pious, godly nigger and when arraigned in court yesterday morning held tightly clasped in his hands a Bible. He fingered the book nervously, opening it and turning the leaves and pretending to read it. The case was set for four o'clock and when the hour came John and his Bible were doing business at the same old stand, and in the same old way.

It was no go with Judge Stronach. The evidence was dead against John and his hypocrisy availed him naught. He was given six months in jail. This morning his attorney, Mr. J. W. Bunn gave notice of appeal and his bond was fixed at \$100.

Nick Brannon, also colored, charged with selling liquor to two railroad men, was the next blind tiger placed on the rack. Both negroes testified to buying whiskey from Brannon last Saturday evening. Brannon was put on the stand and two other negroes testified that Brannon was at John Watson's home when the whiskey was sold to have been bought. Their evidence was not exactly clear.

Officer Denning testified that he had been trying for some time to catch Brannon. He got onto the case by finding the two negroes drinking on a corner near Brannon's house and managed to get his information from them. It developed that old man Evans and his son, who attempted to prove an alibi for Brannon, were professional "alibi men" and were in court for the same purpose in the Watson case. Brannon was given six months on the roads. Through his attorney, Col. J. C. L. Harris, he gave notice of appeal and his bond was fixed at \$100.

Officer Denning, a comparatively new man on the force, is responsible for this conviction. It was his good work that brought pious John Watson to grief. Mr. Denning is the youngest man on the force and gives high promise of being the best. His good work deserves the commendation of every good citizen.

SUMMARY OF CROP PROSPECTS

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Washington, June 9.—The following summary of crop conditions on June 1, as estimated by the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture, was issued today. Representing last year's acreage by 100, the preliminary estimates of average planted this year are: winter wheat 91.8 per cent.; spring wheat, 104.9; oats, 100.2; barley, 103.5; clover, for hay, 89.6; sugar cane 106.9; cotton 95.6 per cent. The general average condition of crop growth on June 1, 1909, based upon crops reported, was approximately 4 per cent. below conditions on June 1, 1908, but about 8 per cent. better than on June 1, 1907.

Italian Cruiser at New Orleans. (By Leased Wire to The Times.) New Orleans, June 9.—The Italian cruiser Etruria crossed the bar early this morning and is coming up the river for a visit of courtesy to the Italian colony here. She will anchor in the harbor late this afternoon.

One Charter Today. One charter was granted today by the secretary of state. This was to the Gold Hill Telephone Co., of Gold Hill, N. C. Authorized capital stock, \$50,000. Paid in \$200. R. D. Coleman, A. B. Clements and B. A. Fesperman, incorporators.

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Great Sermon by Rev. Hugh Black.

Preached a Great Sermon on Hope—Enrollment For the Year 1909—Dr. Kilgo Was Re-elected President of the College—City Health Commissioner Elected.

(Special to The Times.) Durham, N. C., June 9.—The board of aldermen elects as the city health commissioner: Dr. J. M. Manning for three years; T. B. Fuller and H. E. Seaman for two years; J. F. Wily and Dr. C. A. Woodard to serve one year.

Dr. J. C. Kilgo, introducing Rev. Hugh Black yesterday to the great audience in Craven Memorial hall, spoke of him as the young man reared in the highlands of Scotland and now a minister in New York.

It is said that he is one of the five greatest preachers in the world and the Trinity College audience might easily have believed him to be the greatest of the five. His text was from Zechariah, 9:12. "Turn ye to the stronghold, ye prisoners of hope." His entire theme was hope. His style of preaching easy, conversational and intensely absorbing. In concluding he said: "To make our life great we need to believe that there is meaning and purpose in the world and that our lives are not a spot of chance or blind fate. We need to have a foothold to stand on and from which to work. Our religion supplies this, and sends us out to the service of our day and generation. Sure that it is the will of God that we should serve the highest."

The report of President Kilgo to the board of trustees show the enrollment of the college to be 490, and of this number 128 are in the Park preparatory school. Dr. Kilgo was re-elected president and the present faculty retained, with the exception of Dr. Mims, who goes to the University.

The alumni association had a delightful banquet following the sermon and a felicitous address by Rev. W. A. Lambeth. The senior speaking, participated in by Messrs. E. W. Knight, L. Herbin, R. C. Goldstein and Gilmer Siler, took place last night.

The exercises conclude today with address by Senator Dooliver, and the social function, the big banquet, in honor of the graduating class, will be on tonight.

Mr. A. T. Whit, 57 years old, died yesterday morning at 2:45 sitting in his chair. He had been unwell for sometime. He leaves a wife and several children. He had been married four times.

THROWS NO LIGHT.

MacVeigh's Speech Does Not Help the Tariff Situation Says Champ Clark.

(Special to The Times.) Washington, D. C., June 9.—"Does the Chicago speech of Secretary of the Treasury MacVeigh, in which was promised revision such as the people will accept, in your opinion improve the chances for downward revision?" This question was asked of Minority Leader Champ Clark.

"I don't see that Mr. MacVeigh's speech throws any light on the tariff question or changes the situation in any manner whatsoever," said Clark. "That President Taft would like to see a bill passed which would reduce republican promises, especially his own promises, of revision downward cannot be doubted, but he is in the hands of the republican Philistines and has been since March 15, when the house machine triumphed through the aid of cabinet members.

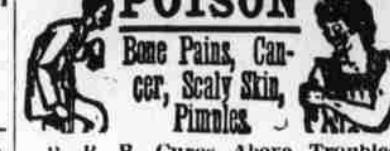
"That the bill will be substantially what Senator Aldrich and Senator Smoot want it to be is as certain as anything that has not happened, and that the president will sign it promptly is taken for granted by all except those who hope against patent and patent facts. If he signs any bill like the Aldrich bill we will have a good working majority in the next house, and if he votes it, we will have at least one hundred majority. So the republicans by not keeping their promises are betwixt the devil and the deep blue sea."

The same question was put up by other leading democrats and republicans friendly to bona fide downward revision. The replies were similar to that of Mr. Clark.

All who have watched the business methods of the Aldrich crowd at close range realize that what they desire is law, and of a great deal more importance than what the president wants.

This is one feature of the making of national legislation that is apparently not well understood out through the country. Yet there were samples a plenty in the Roosevelt administration. President Roosevelt was unable to get one single important concession from the Aldrich-Cannon clique, in the way of legislation. That is, he could not get the specific legislation he desired. The few bills of importance that were passed during his administration, and to which he was particularly friendly, did not become laws until the bosses in charge of the two houses of congress had slipped in amendments which had the effect of limiting the scope of the

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A president of the United States can promise certain legislation, but as long as Aldrich and Cannon occupy their present position, he cannot deliver the goods.

That is why observers here on the ground state with positiveness that President Taft will never be able to make good his promises of downward revision. Senator Aldrich is the one man who could make such a promise and fulfill it, as conditions now exist.

"Then why doesn't Mr. Taft ask Aldrich to please give the country downward revision?" is the question which naturally arises in the mind of the average man.

The answer is that Senator Aldrich does not take his orders from the president of the United States. Senator Aldrich and his co-workers take their orders from the interests which profit by high tariff duties. He is representing their interests as conscientiously as if he was their attorney.

And as long as the tariff barons keep Aldrich in his seat in the senate, he will represent them to the best of his ability.

SALE OF VALUABLE RESIDENCE.

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain deed of trust, which is recorded in Book 219, page 193, of the register of deed's office, I will, at 12 o'clock on Monday, June 14th, expose for sale and sell for cash to the highest bidder, that valuable residence lot situated on the south side of Hillsboro street, between the Saunders and Harris residence, being one of the West lots, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an iron stake on the south side of Hillsboro street; 112 feet east of Boylan avenue; runs thence in a southerly direction 150 feet to an iron stake; thence in an easterly direction 52 feet 3 inches to an iron stake; thence in a northerly direction 150 feet to Hillsboro street; thence in a westerly direction with the south side of Hillsboro street 52 feet 3 inches to the beginning, being lot No. 3 as shown by plot of the West property.

S. B. SHEPHERD, Trustee. 5-12-09. o. a. v. -30d.

Auction Sale of City Property.

By virtue of power conferred upon us, by the School Committee of Raleigh Township, Wake County, as well as by permission and direction of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Raleigh, N. C., as required by law we will offer for sale to highest bidder for cash at the court house door in the city of Raleigh, N. C., on Tuesday, July 6th, 1909, at 12 o'clock M the following described real estate to wit: First:—That lot of land known as the Chavis School property or Sylvester Smith old place, on South West street, beginning at Anderson Betts' North East corner on South West street in the city of Raleigh, runs thence north along the western side of said street 247 feet to V. B. Moore's South East corner, thence west along V. B. Moore's line 297 feet, thence south with said Moore's line 247 feet to Anderson Betts' line, thence east along said Betts' line 297 feet to said West street, to point of beginning, containing one acre more or less.

Second:—That lot of land known as the Gardfield School property upon the West side of South Swain street beginning at a point 137 feet north of the intersection of South Swain street with East Davis street; thence in a westerly direction about 135 feet, thence in a northerly direction about 129 feet, thence in an easterly direction about 138 feet to said Swain street, thence South along said Swain street to the beginning.

There is upon the said Chavis School property a neat seven room dwelling with one tenant house of two rooms. And upon the Gardfield School property is a large house now used as school rooms.

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