

Weather.

Washington, June 14.—Forecast for North Carolina for tonight and Tuesday: Local showers tonight or Tuesday.

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WORK ON TARIFF MEASURE MOVING SLOWLY ALONG

Champ Clark However Does Not Think Bill Will Be In Conference Long

INCOME TAX FRIDAY

Clark Says the Democrats Cannot Change the Bill and That It Will be a Waste of Time to Try to Hold It Up in Conference—Republicans in the House, However, Take a Different View from the Minority Leader and Will Fight for Original House Rates as Against the Changes Made in the Senate—Senator Aldrich Still Believes Bill Will Reach Conference by July 1.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Washington, June 14.—Representative Champ Clark, of Missouri, minority leader of the house, who will be one of the conferees on the tariff bill, said today that in his opinion the bill would not be in conference more than a week. The democrats, he said, cannot change the bill and it will be a waste of time to attempt to hold the bill up.

Republicans in the house, however, do not subscribe to the opinion expressed by the minority leader. They say that the house will not readily yield to the senate but will fight for the house rates that were increased by the senate. The insurgent republicans in the house predict that the bill will be in conference for at least two weeks.

Senator Aldrich said today that he has no reason to change his opinion that the tariff bill will be in the hands of the conferees by July 1. In view of the known set speeches for this week and the several amendments to be offered by the finance committee the leaders say it will be out of the question to expect a final vote on the passage of the tariff bill next Saturday. The income tax amendment is set for a vote on Friday, that is, the Bailey-Cummins amendment will come up on that day for discussion and it will, no doubt, be debated for several days. If, however, the finance committee amendments have not been disposed of by that time the income tax amendment will again go over.

Washington, June 14.—The senate met at 10:30 o'clock and at the request of Senator Warren, of Wyoming, immediately went into executive session.

The following nominations were confirmed: Luther Bonant, Jr., New York, deputy commissioner of corporations; Louis P. Bryan, Louisiana, surveyor of customs at New Orleans; Edward Dana Durand, California, director of the census; N. C. Scalenmer, postmaster at Austin, Texas.

When the open session was resumed Senator Smoot's amendment to the tariff bill was taken up. It provides for free admission of Philippine products, except rice, sugar and tobacco in excess of certain limitations. The free importation of sugar is limited to 300,000 tons; of wrapper tobacco, 300,000 pounds; of flue tobacco, 1,500,000 pounds, and of cigars 150,000,000 annually.

CLAY ON SUGAR TRUST.

Says It Has Openly Violated the Criminal Law and Been Constantly Stealing From the Government. (By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Washington, June 14.—Speaking of the prosecution of the sugar trust, Senator Clay, of Georgia, said in an interview:

"I have given more time and attention to the sugar schedule of the tariff bill than any other feature of it. The sugar trust has been in operation in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law for more than a dozen years continuously, wilfully, and knowingly violating our criminal laws.

"Those in high authority are responsible for these violations of law. The trust has not only violated our criminal laws, but has been constantly stealing from the government of the United States. This trust ought to have been prosecuted long ago, and most assuredly, with all these facts staring up in the face, such a prosecution ought to result in a speedy conviction."

Mr. John D. Berry



Elected President of the Raleigh Baraca Association.

MR. J. D. BERRY ELECTED

Will Head the City Baraca Work This Year

Interesting Session of the City Baraca Association At the Tabernacle Yesterday Afternoon—Club Room for Young Men—Outing Committee—Headed by D. F. Fort, Jr.—Asheville Convention.

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock the Baptist Tabernacle was the scene of an enthusiastic Baraca meeting. Every Baraca class in the city was represented at the third annual meeting of the city association of Baracas.

Mr. C. V. Albright, president of the association, was absent and in his absence Mr. C. R. Boone, vice president, presided over the meeting. After the minutes of the last meeting were read, the association went into the election of officers for the coming year.

Several men were placed in nomination for president and enthusiastic nominating speeches were made for each of the nominees. Each class is allowed but one vote, and after considerable discussion was done, each class getting together and talking over the situation, Mr. John D. Berry was declared the unanimous choice of the association for the high office of president.

Mr. Berry accepted the honor in a short, hopeful address, in which he expressed his appreciation of the honor and declared that he is going to do his best for the cause of Baraca in the city. Mr. Berry is a young man who does things and will make good at his new work. The only man who can be trusted to make a success of this kind of work is the busy man and John D. Berry is a busy man. He is clerk to Mr. B. H. Woodell, secretary of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows; clerk of the Tabernacle church; a member of the board of deacons of said church; editor of the Baraca Herald; associate editor of the North Carolina Odd Fellow. He is a "live wire" and with the help and co-operation of his fellow-Baracas he will work wonders in the city association this year. Under the constitution and by-laws of the association each class in the city is allowed a vice president. The following were elected: Mr. H. A. Bland, for the Simms Baraca class; Mr. J. L. Holt, of Hillsboro Street Christian church Baracas; Mr. H. N. Moore, of the Pullen Baracas class, Third Baptist church.

Other classes held up the election of their vice president until the next meeting of their classes.

Mr. Winston Davis was elected secretary. Mr. L. R. Norris corresponding secretary, Mr. Willis Weaver treasurer and Mr. E. R. Carroll, press reporter.

An "outing committee" was provided for with that aggressive, hustling young business man, David F. Fort, Jr., as chairman. It is the duty of this committee to provide frequent entertainments for the Baracas and Philatheas of the city during the summer, such as trolley rides, moonlight excursions, hay-rides, basket picnics, etc.

The question of securing a place of amusement for young men was taken up and earnestly discussed. Raleigh needs a place of amusement for boys and young men that is free from the bad influence that hangs around the average pool-room, and there is reason to believe that such a place will soon be provided.

The committee appointed to arrange for a special through Pullman to Asheville for the Baraca and Philatheas World-Wide Convention, June 18th to 23rd reported much progress. Every class in the city will be represented. The delegates will leave here next Friday night and arrive in Asheville Saturday at 3:00 p. m. Those wishing to join the party will please see or write Mr. C. F. Boone or Mr. L. W. Alderman.

MRS. RUIZ NOT DEAD

Startling Development in Mysterious Case

Former Husband of Woman Does not Believe That she Killed Herself in Story—Story That She Has Been Seen in Paris.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

New York, June 14.—A startling development in the mysterious case of Mary Agnes Ruiz, friend of Alfred G. Vanderbilt, came today when in dispatches from Paris, her former husband, Antonio Ruiz, the Cuban diplomat, was quoted as saying he was inclined to doubt the whole story of her having killed herself in London.

"I do not know whether the woman who shot herself is my former wife," Senator Ruiz declared. "This is the second time since I divorced her that her death has been reported to me."

A woman now in Paris who says she knows "the" Mrs. Ruiz well, says she saw her with Mr. Vanderbilt in a restaurant more than a fortnight after a Mrs. Ruiz killed herself in London. A former employe of Mrs. Ruiz who is in New York today is quoted as saying that the woman had attempted to commit suicide on two occasions in this city by taking morphine. One of the attempts, the informant said was in the presence of a young millionaire, who is known to have been an admirer of Mrs. Ruiz.

Mrs. Ruiz had been told her friend had been seen in an automobile with another woman. She flew into a rage followed by a fit of jealous weeping and then swallowed morphine tablets and fell unconscious. She was ill for a long time afterward.

Dispatches from London today said that efforts to get a statement from Alfred G. Vanderbilt failed. In response to a brief message Mr. Vanderbilt's secretary said:

"Mr. Vanderbilt has nothing to say."

BANDITS BIG HAUL.

Hold Up Miners and Get Away With \$40,000 Worth of Gold.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Telesuride, Col., June 14.—A posse today in pursuit of three men who, wearing masks, held up five men and two women and obtained \$40,000 in gold from the bunk house of the Nellie mine on Bear Creek and made their escape.

The hold-up was the most daring that has occurred in the San Juan country for years. The men were evidently familiar with conditions at the mine, and knew that a clean-up had been made recently as they were specific in their demands, and departed immediately after getting the amalgam and high grade ore.

Ford Sannetti, a former employe of the mine, was arrested and is held pending investigation. The police allege that a mask similar to those worn by the bandits was found in Sannetti's room.

PHILIPPINE TARIFF BILL.

Sub-Committee Has Finished Its Work and Bill Will be Reported to the Senate Next Week.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Washington, June 14.—The sub-committee of the senate committee on the Philippines has completed its work on the Philippine tariff bill and will submit the bill to the full committee the latter part of this week. Quite a number of changes have been made in the house bill, but only a few of importance. Senator Lodge, chairman of the committee, expects to report the bill to the senate the first of next week.

THE ALLIANCE OF THE REFORMED CHURCHES MEET

Delegates From All Over the World Attend the Pan-Presbyterian Council

BEGINS ON TOMORROW

Ninth Council of the Alliance of the Reformed Churches, Better Known as the Pan-Presbyterian Council, Begins Tomorrow in New York and Delegates From All Over the World Are Arriving to Attend the Sessions—Will Be in Session Until June 25—Rev. Dr. Moffatt, of Washington, Pa., Will Preach at Opening Session—Many Eminent Ministers to Make Addresses.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

New York, June 14.—Delegates from all over the world arrived in this city today to attend the ninth council of the alliance of the Reformed churches, better known as the Pan-Presbyterian council, which begins tomorrow. Sessions will be held daily until June 25th with the exception of June 18, when the delegates will go on an excursion up the Hudson river, and of Sunday, June 20 when the only gathering will take the form of a communion service at the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church.

The Rev. Dr. Moffatt, of Washington, Pa., will preach at the opening session and the Rev. Dr. D. J. Burrell of the Marble Collegiate church of this city will make the welcoming address. In the evening the president of the council, the Rev. Dr. J. O. Swaid Dyked of Cambridge, England, will deliver an address.

Among the eminent ministers and others who will address the council—most of them taking for their theme some phase of Calvinism—are: The Rev. E. Lyall Wilson, Dundee, J. H. Stevenson, Edinburgh; the Rev. Charles Merle D'Aubigne, Paris; the Rev. J. I. Good, Philadelphia; the Rev. William McPhail, London; Rev. Dr. S. M. Smith, Columbia, S. C.; the Rev. Dr. McKibben, Cincinnati; the Rev. S. L. Orr, Glasgow; Governor Hoke Smith, of Georgia; the Rev. Dr. Theron P. Rice, Richmond, Va.; the Rev. Dr. Radcliffe, Washington, and the Rev. Dr. Conrad Clever, Hagerstown, Md.

Robert Watchorn, former commissioner of immigration, will talk on recent immigration next Friday before the council, and Sir Alexander Simpson will discuss "City Evangelization" on the same day. Governor Smith, of Georgia, who has for his theme, "Calvinism and the American Republic," speaks on Thursday.

EXTRA GUARDS FOR JOHN EARLY

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Washington, June 14.—In order to guard against a possible attempt to take John S. Early, the alleged Washington leper, out of Washington, where he is held a prisoner in a cottage furnished by the District of Columbia government, the health authorities have placed an additional guard around the house. Provision has been made in New York for Early's treatment if he is released here, but the health authorities will not release him until they have positive assurances that if allowed to leave here there will be no complications arising out of state authorities between here and New York making trouble. Early wants to go in an automobile, and if an opportunity was offered the health authorities believe he and his wife would make a dash in an automobile, hence the additional guard.

PRESIDENT OF BRAZIL DEAD.

State Department Receives Cablegram Announcing the Death of President Penna.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Washington, June 14.—The state department this morning received a cablegram from the United States minister at Rio De Janeiro announcing the death last night of President Penna of Brazil.

GREAT ENGLISH CHURCH PAGEANT DRAWING CROWD

Crowd Becoming Dense and Interest Intense as Close Draws Near

BIGGEST EVER HELD

Great Drama, With its Twenty Scenes and 5,000 Persons Reached a Climax Today—Play Rivals Great German Passion Play—Opened on 10th and Will Close Thursday—Glimpse of Scenes of Play Gives One An Adequate Education in the Religious History of the Country—Calendar is Turned Back Ten Centuries—Pageant Biggest Ever Held in England.

(By Cable to The Times.)

London, June 14.—The great English Church, Pageant, with its twenty scenes and cast of 5,000 persons portraying the progress of Christianity in England, reached its climax today. As the closing of the grand religious drama, which has for its only rival the German Passion Play, draws near, the crowds are becoming denser and the interest keener. Many have journeyed from the continent to look upon the pageant.

The drama opened on the 10th in the gardens of the bishop's palace at Fulham and will close on Thursday. Past tirongs have paid admission to see the marvelous production. A glimpse of the scenes gives one an entirely adequate education in the progress of religion in England. The three large orders in which the general scenes might be considered are first, early Christianity; second, Roman Christianity, and third, Anglican Christianity.

The calendar was turned back ten centuries, metaphorically speaking and English eyes once again looked upon the Appointment of William the Conqueror; the signing of the Magna charta; the murder of Becket and other historical incidents in the history of England, in which religion played its part. The exploitation of the drama took up an entire day and ran into the night. After darkness fell an immense searchlight was turned upon the arena; playing upon the characters attired in their quaint costume and accoutered as an ancient England. The pageant is the biggest ever held in England, surpassing that at Oxford in 1907.

John S. Klutz Dead.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Toledo, O., June 14.—General John S. Kountz, past commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, died at his home in this city today of Bright's disease.

GIRL SWALLOWS HIGH EXPLOSIVES

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Omaha, Neb., June 14.—Helen Wells, a 20-year-old girl is today in constant peril of being blown up, with her only hope of life resting on the action of chemicals given her to dissolve a quantity of gun cotton she swallowed.

Doctors fear to operate on the girl because of the danger of explosion and all day she has been resting on a heavy mattress with a double set of springs and tied in such a manner that she cannot move a muscle.

The girl had a quarrel with her sweetheart and was severely beaten. She was taken to the police station and in the surgeon's room grabbed a bottle and swallowed the contents, which proved to be gun cotton. She was slung in a canvas hammock and removed to the garage, but was later placed on the bed with springs.

Unless she explodes today the explosives will have become dissolved.

STRIKE IN ST. PETERSBURG.

Employees of Trolley Lines Go Out on Strike.

(By Cable to The Times.)

St. Petersburg, June 14.—A general strike of the employes of the trolley lines of St. Petersburg began today. The men demanded increased pay and decreased hours, both of which were refused. Both sides declare they will fight to a finish and a stubborn contest is expected.

MORSE IS AGAIN SEEKING BAIL THROUGH COURT

Argument Before Circuit Court of Appeals Today by Mr. Littleton

CAN GIVE ANY AMOUNT

Argument Today Before the Circuit Court of Appeals in an Appeal From the Lower Court Which Denied the Application For Bail—Former District Attorney Stimson is Representing the Government in the Case—Many Men, Prominent in the Financial District Back Morse's Petition and Offer Bond in Any Amount Up to \$250,000.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

New York, June 14.—Argument was begun today in the United States circuit court of appeals by Martin W. Littleton, counsel for Charles W. Morse, for the release of his client from the toms on bail. This is an appeal from the decision for the lower Federal court denying the application for bail.

Former United States District Attorney Stimson who has been retained specially by the government for this case, opposed the arguments as set forth by Mr. Littleton.

The case today was upon the petition of Morse's counsel, backed up by signatures of men prominent in the financial district and offering to furnish bonds for the convicted banker up to at least \$250,000. In refusing bail at the former application, the court handed down a memorandum, stating in effect that the case was a perplexing one, and that it could be decided only after arguments by both sides.

Morse was convicted on November 6 last of misapplication of the funds and of making false entries in the books of the National Bank of North America. He was sentenced to fifteen years in the federal prison at Atlanta.

COLORED BISHOP "MOVED ON."

Daughter Wanted to be Called "Miss" and Was So Insistent That She Caused Trouble.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Memphis, Tenn., June 14.—It was said today that the white residents of Greenville, Miss., would never let E. W. Lampton, bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal church, and his daughter return to that town. Indignation over the determined efforts of the girl to force white women to address her as "Miss" was the cause of the bishop and his daughter being ordered to leave town.

The girl is the nearly grown daughter of Bishop Lampton. For some time she has vainly insisted that the title be used by saleswomen in stores and by telephone operators. After sharp words addressed to one of the telephone operators she declared that her father would force white hirelings to speak to her in a becomingly respectful manner. Shortly after this threat Lampton called at the telephons exchange and in an interview with the manager demanded that all the young women employed there be forced to address his daughter as Miss Lampton. His request was refused.

BEAN SOUP REMEDY.

Making Converts to Temperance—Jail Inmates Don't Like the Fare.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Burlington, N. J., June 14.—The "bean soup" remedy introduced by Sheriff William L. Worrell, as one of his economy and farm plans is not only saving Burlington county several hundred dollars monthly, but is making more real converts to temperance than any cure yet discovered. As an instance of this fact, the following letter has been received by Police Captain Shumard, of Burlington, from an inmate of the county jail:

"Dear Captain: I am writing to you if you can't get some of my time taken off. I don't like the bean soup they serve out over here. They don't even use white beans anymore. They make it out of yellow beans. But its bean soup just the same, and nothing but bean soup every day. Damn the beans! I am a sobered man now and I can keep sober five months, for if you get me out I won't come back to beans very soon. "Cap, if you ever did anything for me in your life, do it now."