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Have you registered?

After the election comes the Pony Contest.

The Y. M. C. A. campaign begins next week. Raleigh will be put to the test in this matter and she must not fail.

Read the Commission Charter. It is, in itself, an answer to most of the charges that have been brought against it.

The workingman, the taxpayer, and the business man are the ones to reap the greatest benefit from the Commission Form of Government.

Our text for tomorrow will be "Three Men", and may be found in Section 3 of the Commission Form of Government charter for the city of Raleigh.

If you are a taxpayer you should vote for the Commission Form of Government. It has benefitted the taxpayers of other cities and it will benefit you.

If the thing keeps up as it is going there will not be much need of counting the votes. They will just move to make it unanimous for the Commission Form of Government.

The man who is going around talking against the Commission Form of Government has to go into his hole and pull the hole in after him when he is faced with the facts.

We all want the best city government possible. Experience has proven the old way inadequate and subject to great abuses. Experience shows that the commission form of government meets all requirements and reduces the possibility of abuse and misgovernment to a minimum.

No, it is true, as some opponent of the new charter pointed out in The Times the other day, that no administration of the city of Raleigh has ever been guilty of grafting. But while that is true the most of them have died of dry rot.

Another Political Fizzle. One of the most pitiful and sad experiences yet encountered by the folks who are walking all over the city to defeat the Commission Form of Government was that of a prominent man who mixes in politics on certain occasions, in one of our leading business houses yesterday.

It. No, no graft can be charged to Raleigh officials. They have all been honest and thought they were doing the best they could for the city, and that is another argument in favor of the new charter.

When the campaign in Charleston for \$150,000 for a Y. M. C. A. building was completed and the canvassers were going over their last reports some one brought out the fact that the sisters of St. Xavier Infirmary had voluntarily called off a campaign they were conducting for funds for their institution so as not to in any way hinder the Y. M. C. A. campaign.

THE TAX RATE.

So many misstatements are being made about the tax rate as fixed by the proposed charter that it would be well for the citizens to inform themselves and not take the word of some who are fighting this charter for a purpose.

Our present charter, which was ratified in 1905, says in section 74: Sec. 74. That in order to raise a fund for the expenses incident to the proper government of the city, the Aldermen may annually levy and collect the following taxes, namely:

- (1) On all real and personal property within the corporation limits, including money on hand, solvent credits, investments in bonds, stocks and all other subjects taxed by the General Assembly, ad valorem, except incomes, a tax not exceeding one dollar on every hundred dollars value. (2) On all taxable polls resident in the city on the first day of June of each year, or so resident within sixty days preceding that day, a tax not exceeding three dollars a poll.

The proposed Commission charter says, in section 69:

Sec. 69. That in order to raise a fund for the expenses incident to the proper government of the city, the Board of Commissioners may annually levy and collect the following taxes, namely:

- (1) On all real and personal property within the corporation limits, including money on hand, solvent credits, investments in bonds, stocks, and all other subjects taxed by the General Assembly ad valorem, except incomes, a tax not exceeding one dollar on every hundred dollars value. (2) Said Board may also levy, and collect for general purposes, a poll tax not exceeding one dollar and eighty cents, and for the purpose of paying interest on the municipal bonds of said City a poll tax not exceeding one dollar and twenty cents, said poll tax to be levied on the taxable polls of all male persons who may be residents of the City on the first day of June of each year. The tax rate is not increased. Any man who can read can compare the new charter with the old one and see that in the revenues of the city there is practically no difference.

MERCHANTS—NOTICE. The Times is printing in today's issue, Section 95 of the new Commission Government charter. This is the revenue section about which so much fuss has been raised by the politicians, some of them even going into a spasm over the section about a tax of \$1,200 to sell whiskey, this being carried over from the old charter as a precaution.

IS YOUR SKIN ON FIRE? Does it seem to you that you can't stand another minute of that awful burning itch? That it MUST be cooled? That you MUST have relief? Get a mixture of Oil of Wintergreen, Thymol, and other soothing ingredients as compounded only in D. D. D. Prescription.

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the revenue section he came to the following article:

(14) Upon every other occupation, profession or business, not herein specially named, a license tax not exceeding one thousand dollars a year.

That is on page 16, section 83, article 14. He became all excitement, and after marking the section and article carefully, so he would not lose it, he started up Fayetteville street, pushing into an office of every business man and banker, exclaiming "Errand".

He had found the thing that would beat the charter. He had not gone very far up the street (because the business people are thinking for themselves) before a business man reached into his desk and took out the charter of 1905, and, turning to page 14, section 95, article 14, he read for the information of his new guest:

(14) Upon every other occupation, profession or business, not herein specially named, a license tax not exceeding one thousand dollars a year. Ye Gods of War! Could it be that he had made such an Ass of himself before the business people, whom he had been trying to influence. He suddenly remembered that the city did have a charter adopted in 1905, although he had never read it in all his life.

Every thing are happening here each day, and every time a man opposes the new charter and shows such gross ignorance it makes not only one vote, but many, for the Commission Form of Government. What the people want is the truth and the facts, and not a lot of political bosh. They have been fed on that long enough.

The section referred to above was in the old charter as a precautionary measure against something which might develop not covered by law in the city, and the board would need some powers in the matter. It was a wise provision and was simply carried forward into the new charter as a precaution. We may run the city government an hundred years and not need it, and yet a condition might arise inside of a year when we would have to have it to protect the city against some infringement of its rights. Has any of Raleigh's citizens been harmed under this clause during the past five years it has been on our books? They did not even know it was there, yet it was for their protection that it was placed there. It will never harm them in the future, either.

\$100 Reward, \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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ing carried over from the old charter as a precaution. If we ever have balloons again, we will need that section to protect the city. But all the political thunder drops out of their statements when you read in a parallel column the same thing, word for word, from the charter which we have had in operation since 1905. Read both sections carefully and then think whether it is not time that you, as a citizen, inform yourself about the conditions here in Raleigh, and not take the word of the politicians who are trying to deceive you and defeat this new charter that will give our people a business government.

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never before seen so many thrills crowded into the brief space of 360 seconds as that of the flight of the "dirigible" from the front around the grand stand.

(Garros) The 165-pound Padian, who claims to distinguish himself as an operator of the tiny Demoselle monoplane, went up at 3:35 o'clock in an exhibition flight. He swept out over the suburban country for a distance of nearly two miles before coming back to earth. Garros, as a case of his predecessors in the air, was marked the craft Garros and forty-

to the market, answered back "Yes, and he's going to land that 500 simoleons that the Chamber Commerce is paying up for his successful flight."

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first stages of his attempt of Sunday, when the crowd laughed itself hoarse. The yellow-planned Demoselle bounced and careened and rocked and jumped and then did it all over again. Audemars stuck heroically to his post; for it did take a hero to operate the dangerous invention of M. Santos Dumont, and all flying men know it. Around the course bounded the Swiss and back to the point of starting. Here an accident overtook

of free Canadian wheat, which would make a wheat corner impossible.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION. In pursuance to an act of the general assembly of North Carolina of 1911 and by order of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Raleigh, a special election will be held in said city on Monday, March 20, 1911, for the purpose of voting on a commission form of city government for Raleigh, N. C.

Notice is hereby further given that the registration books will be open by registrars hereinafter named from Thursday, March 9th, 1911, until sunset Saturday, March 18, 1911, inclusive, for the purpose of registering qualified voters who were not registered in the regular municipal election of 1909 or who having registered for that election have changed their voting precincts. That during the period of registration herein provided for, the registrars will attend with their registration books at each of the polling places herein named on each Saturday for the registration of voters. There may be registration on other days by seeing the registrars personally.

On the said 20th day of March, 1911, the polls shall be open from sunrise until sunset and no longer. The respective polling places for said election shall be as follows: First Ward, First Division—B. N. Walters' Store. First Ward, Second Division—C. W. White's Store. Second Ward, First Division—Barnes' Store. Second Ward, Second Division—Pace's Store. Third Ward, First Division—Victor Fire House. Third Ward, Second Division—Royal Knights Hall. Fourth Ward, First Division—Capital Fire House. Fourth Ward, Second Division—City Lot.

The following named persons have been appointed registrars and judges of elections for their respective precincts:

- First Ward, First Division—Registrar, Ben Walters; Judges, M. G. Jones, H. M. Farnsworth. First Ward, Second Division—Registrar, Melvin Andrews; Judges, L. S. Ellison, H. E. King. Second Ward, First Division—Registrar, N. A. Barnes; Judges, E. R. Carroll, L. D. Spears. Second Ward, Second Division—Registrar, Donaldson Stronach; Judges, Henry Little, J. A. Bashford. Third Ward, First Division—Registrar, Jno. E. Evans; Judges, W. L. Dowell, C. H. Beane. Third Ward, Second Division—Registrar, A. E. Olmstead; Judges, Homer Upchurch, J. C. King. Fourth Ward, First Division—Registrar, A. H. Green; Judges, C. D. Arthur, J. I. Champion. Fourth Ward, Second Division—Registrar, L. M. Waring; Judges, Robt. R. Yates, W. L. Collins. That at said election the question of a commission form of municipal government will be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of said city. All qualified electors who shall favor the commission form of municipal government for Raleigh shall vote a ballot on which shall be written or printed the words, "For Commission Charter," and all electors who are opposed to said commission form of municipal government for Raleigh, shall vote a ballot on which shall be written or printed the words, "Against Commission Charter," and the said election shall be conducted in the same manner and under the same rules and regulations as near as may be that are provided for regular municipal elections. WILLIAM W. WILSON, City Clerk. March 10, 13, 16.

MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of authority conferred in a certain mortgage executed by James H. Lynch and wife, recorded in Book No. 239, at Page 283 in Register of Deeds office of Wake County, N. C., I will on Monday, the 3rd day of April, 1911, at the court house door in the City of Raleigh, Wake County, at 12 o'clock, M., expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder, for cash, that tract of land lying and situated on the waters of Little Creek and on or near the road leading from Apex to Holly Springs, about four miles from Apex and two miles from Holly Springs, and better described and bounded by a line as follows: Beginning at a pine stump and pointers, Isaac Hunter's, deceased, corner and runs south 206 1/2 poles to a pine, said Isaac Hunter's corner; thence east 24 poles to a Spanish oak; thence north to an oak 138 poles to a stake and pointers; thence east 64 1/2 poles to a dogwood, L. B. Seagrave's corner; thence north 68 1/2 poles to a stake, Isaac Hunter's corner; thence west 88 1/2 poles to the first station, containing 53 acres, more or less, being the land conveyed to James H. Lynch, June 21, 1909, by his father and mother by deed recorded in Book No. 245, at Page 94 in Register of Deeds office of Wake County, N. C., and to W. W. Lynch by B. Passmore and Passmore 147, Page 220 and to said Passmore by J. C. Hunter, Book 29, Page 320 in said register's office. This 2nd day of March, A. D., 1911 ERNEST P. MAYNARD, Mortgagee, Raleigh, N. C. W. J. PEELE, Attorney for Mortgagee, 2-o. a. w.-41

U. S. Department of Agriculture WEATHER BUREAU WILLIS L. MOORE, Chief. A weather map showing pressure systems (High, Low) and temperature readings across the United States.