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Justice may be Meted out to Some of the Tennessee Night-Riders.

"Ted" Burton, the self confessed night rider, told a remarkable story today of night riding depredations near Reel Foot Lake, confessing to the part he played in the outrages which reached a culmination in the putting to death of Capt. Quintin Rankin, an attorney of Trenton, Tenn., on the banks of Reel Foot Lake a week ago, and implicating men prominent in this part of the State.

Of the persons who he declares had a part in the killing of Capt. Rankin, there are forty now in custody at the military camp at Samburg. The confession was made at the Tiptonville jail to Sheriff Haines, Judge Harris, owner of a large tract of land in the Reel Foot Lake region, who has suffered much at the hands of the riders, and Mayor Cleveland Donaldson, of Tiptonville.

The confession was made freely and voluntarily, and apparently without a qualm of conscience he gibbly unfolded his story.

While Burton denies that he was present when Capt. Rankin was put to death, he admits that it was through information given him that the band congregated and took the attorney while he was staying at the hotel at Walnut Log.

According to Burton's confession, Tom and Garrett Johnson under arrest, and William Watson, under bond in connection with another raid, were leaders of the band.

Burton declares that the first part played as a member of the night rider band, was when he aided in the burning of a fish wharf at Samburg. Several weeks later he was one of several that crossed the county line from the Reel Foot Lake region into the adjoining county of Lake, and whipped Justice of the Peace Winn, an aged man.

Coming to the killing of Capt. Rankin, Burton declared that on the night before the lynching he went to Walnut Log and there met James F. Carpenter, an attorney of Union City, at whose solicitation Rankin and Judge R. Z. Taylor associated in the West Tennessee Company, owners of the land on which the lake is situated, came to the lake. It was stated that the visit of the two attorneys was to discuss a timber deal with Carpenter. After this conversation, Burton says he communicated with the night rider leaders and told of the intended murder of the representatives of the land company. On the following night he saw the two attorneys at supper at the Walnut Log hotel, but he declares he left Walnut Log early in the night and went out on the lake to fish. He says that he was fishing when he heard the shots which ended the life of Captain Rankin, but he did not return to the shore for some time.

In his confession Burton gave the names of no fewer than forty of the alleged members of the night riders.—Tiptonville, Tenn., dispatch.

W. C. T. U.

Notes From the Recent Convention Which Was Held in Reidsville October 7th to 11th.

The 26th annual convention of the North Carolina Woman's Christian Temperance Union convened in the Main Street M. E. Church in Reidsville, Wednesday night, October 7th. The convention held three sessions each day until Sunday night, October 11. The church was beautifully decorated with ferns and palms while the walls were encircled with white ribbon and, suspended on the walls were banners representing the different departments of work done by this organization. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Cartland, of Greensboro, State vice-president. After singing a hymn and a few appropriate remarks were made by Mrs. Cartland, the president, Miss E. March, of Winston, read a scripture lesson followed by prayer. "Keep Me Close to Thee, Father," was beautifully rendered by Miss Emma Jones.

Mayor Montgomery very graciously welcomed the convention to Reidsville in well chosen phrases and said that he would turn the keys of the city over to them and if it were January 1st, instead of October 7, he would turn over to them for all time, for to the W. C. T. U. does North Carolina owe her release from the ruling power of whiskey.

Rev. L. T. Mann followed Mayor Montgomery's welcome with a welcome from the churches of the town. He spoke of the principles upon which the W. C. T. U. was founded, "Truth, Virtue and Sobriety," and of the loyalty with which the members labor to impress these principles upon all with whom they come in contact. He spoke of the war waged against the liquor traffic in this State twenty years ago. He said that at that time only two men of prominence champion their cause, which was defeated by over 100,000 votes. He contrasted the May election with the election of twenty years ago and gave the credit of the victory to the W. C. T. U.

Next Prof. Hayes, of the Reidsville Seminary, welcomed for the school. He quoted a German philosopher who said "I love God and little children." He spoke of Reidsville as being under the shadow, but she is coming out now and all honor to the W. C. T. U.

Hon. H. P. Lane, representing the Anti-Saloon League, referred to the situation before the election. Said he was in a position to know the good accomplished by the W. C. T. U. With pride and great earnestness he referred to his county, Rockingham, and said that to one of her sons, Gov. Glenn, did prohibition owe her victory. He said that the temperance people must now work to hold what they had so gloriously won.

Mrs. White, president of the Reidsville Union, in a few well selected words welcomed the body most cordially, and in closing, said she could think of nothing more encouraging to say than in the language of Francis Willard: "Do and Dare."

REMARKABLE STORY.

Physicians Make Discovery of Great Value to the Scientific World.

One of the most remarkable discoveries in the medical history in connection with source of the spread of typhoid fever has just been brought to light as the result of an investigation made by officers of the public health and submarine hospital service into a recent outbreak of that disease in Georgetown, or West Washington, D. C. The investigation disclosed the fact that a woman milker at a neighboring dairy who had typhoid fever eighteen years ago, still throws off in her dejecta virile, typhoid fever bacilli, and was the responsible agent in spreading the disease. With one exception this is the first considerable outbreak of typhoid fever in the United States, traced through milk, to such a carrier. A peculiar feature in connection with the case is that the examination developed large numbers of typhoid bacilli in the dejecta of the woman, although she apparently was enjoying good health. Surgeon General Wyman says an important source of the disease has been developed and one which heretofore has not been duly recognized.

The case just discovered is deemed of special interest to health officers in tracing obscure sources of typhoid fever outbreaks. General Wyman states that this case estimates the fact that at least two per cent. of all recovered cases of typhoid fever become bacilli carriers for a longer or shorter period, even while otherwise enjoying good health.—Washington dispatch.

REVERENCE FOR LAW.

Some Needed Suggestions on This Subject Which Deserve Consideration.

The Concord Times of the 26th, publishes an account of a sermon delivered in that town recently, by Rev. Plato Durham. The following is an extract from the sermon and is well worthy of most serious thought and consideration:

"The mob that lynched the man in Tennessee last week is a mob of our own making. Every man who has ever broken a law is a man who helps build up the mob. Are there any law-breakers here? You have a prohibition law here. How many have broken it? No matter whether you agree with the law or not, when North Carolina says it is a law and you break it, you are sowing the seeds of hell. When men laugh at law, seeds are sown out of which the mob springs as a legitimate harvest. Do nothing to degrade the majesty of the law or to degrade your commonwealth. How many men give a correct return of their property for taxes? How many laugh at that and wink the other eye? If we give ourselves to that kind of thing, the tendency is to ride down any law.

"Another thing: The President of our country may be red-handed, but he is the sovereign of his nation, and when you vilify him you have degraded the office of President of the United States. You have a right to criticize him, but you must have reverence for the office he holds. We may disagree with the Governor of our State, but we should not ridicule and vilify him. It is the same with all officers of State and Nation. No wonder people lose respect for government when both parties do this sort of thing. As a result we finally wake up to the fact that we have no reverence for law. Stand for any party you please, but be an American citizen first."

The sovereign life of this nation is above any party. Every violation of law is a dagger struck into the bosom of our nation. America sits on the highest throne of our nations. Shall we trample her sacred life in the dust or cause her feet to walk the way of death? Shall the owl and bittern inhabit her palaces? I ask you to open your eyes and look into the majestic face of your mother land."

The response to the addresses, by Miss Elizabeth Moore, was pithy and pointed. In closing she said there was one thought she would like for all to keep: "Behold how good it is to dwell in unity." After the singing of a hymn Mrs. Cartland pronounced the benediction.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday the convention proceeded with the regular routine of business peculiar to the organization, with the exception of an intermission of two or three hours Thursday afternoon, the convention was royally entertained at a reception given by Mrs. J. B. Pipkin.

Thursday night the Hon. S. W. Dameron, of Burlington, introduced by Mrs. Cartland, who quoted St. John, "We write to you because you are strong," and spoke of the urgent need of young men in the cause of temperance. Mr. Dameron very ably handled his subject: "Christian Citizenship and Present-day Problems." After his address Mrs. Wilston, so long a teacher in the deaf and dumb school at Morganton, beautifully pantomimed "Nearer My God to Thee."

Friday evening Mrs. Kephart sang "It Twines Around the World," as a solo, while the audience joined in the chorus. Friday night a demorest contest was participated in by two young men and three young ladies. The gold medal was won by Miss Helen Shore.

The annual sermon was preached Sunday by Rev. Piesels, of Guilford College.

The convention had several invitations to meet with them next year, but the place of meeting was left with the executive committee which meets in February next. Mrs. E. F. Eaton, October 26th, 1908.

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