

CAPTURES A CONVICT.

"Trusty" Catches an Escaping Convict and is Rewarded.

Richmond Dispatch.

The daring escape of three convicts, their thrilling capture after an exciting chase, the capture of one by a "trusty" at the risk of his life, and the immediate pardon of the "trusty" by the Governor, are events which are inseparably connected with the visit of his Excellency to the State Farm yesterday.

The incidents were dramatic in the extreme. The life of one man was changed from that of a convict to a free man, and not only so, but a hero who merited and received the thanks of the Governor of his State.

Governor Tyler went up to the farm yesterday morning on a tour of inspection. The exciting affair of the day occurred just upon the arrival of the distinguished party.

The men on the farm were at work at various parts of the place. The guards were each with his group of prisoners. The appearance of the visitors naturally attracted the attention of the guards. One guard, who had under him three negro men, was overpowered. His Winchester rifle was taken from him by one of the most daring of the three, and before the guards could recover from the surprise, all had taken to their heels. Then the hero of the occasion appeared on the scene. He was H. Quinsey Bailey, a white man of good family, sent to the penitentiary from Greensville county, convicted of manslaughter. He was a "trusty."

Bailey was at work at the tile kiln. He was the engineer. He easily took in all that had happened. He laid down his work and ran with a number of others to the capture of the fleeing men. He passed one of the guards in his pursuit. He asked the guard for his pistol, and the weapon was readily given him. The three men were making for the woods at a great pace. One of the three still had the rifle. Bailey picked out the one, and followed him with all his racing power. The others separated from him, and the race became one convict chased by another. Bailey shot at the man in front of him several times but did not shoot to strike. The negro, either from fear, or from ignorance as to how to use a rifle, made no attempt to stop his pursuer with it. It was not long before the fleet-footed Bailey had caught up with the negro. Then he said to him: "Sit down here and let us blow awhile. I am about of breath, and you seem to be, also."

They rested for some minutes, and then the two went back to the house. The Governor met them, and so did the others of the party. The Governor was equal to the occasion. He thanked Bailey for his faithfulness, and praised his bravery and prompt action. He did more; he ordered his immediate release. He phoned to his office here in Richmond and instructed that the papers which conveyed the pardon of the man should be made out and brought down to the train for him to sign as soon as he got there. This was done. Bailey was brought down on the train with the party, and at the depot here the Governor affixed his signature to the paper, which made Bailey as free as any man in the Commonwealth. He was dressed then in a new suit of clothes. He will remain in the city until today, when he goes to his home in Greensville.

Bailey was sent to the penitentiary in April. His term was one year. He and another were fighting. In trying to wrest a pistol from the other man, Bailey discharged it, and a by-stander was killed.

Mr. Tatum, who has charge of the farm, and several guards caught the other two negroes, with the aid of blood-hounds, after an exciting chase.

North Carolinian in Philadelphia.

Raleigh Post.

North Carolina is well represented at the Southern Industrial Convention which is in session in Philadelphia, and the delegates from this state are taking a prominent part in the deliberations of the body.

Yesterday's North American contains likenesses of Mr. John W. Thompson by Walt McDougall, the well known cartoonist. Mr. Thompson is referred to as Judge, and here is what the American says of him:

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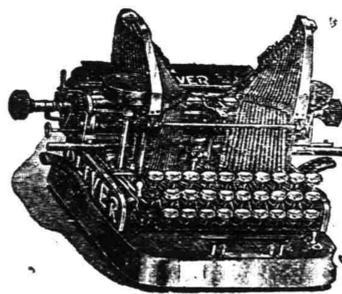
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