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FOUR CARS MADE PERFECT SCORE IN RELIABILITY RUN

Chamber of Commerce Party Reached Greensboro at 6 O'clock Yesterday, Having Traveled 150 Miles---Judges will Decide on Cup Winner Today.

With four of the cars making a perfect score the Chamber of Commerce Reability run reached Greensboro yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock, having covered a distance of more than 150 miles since 7:30 yesterday morning. With the exception of an accidental collision in Durham that put two cars out of commission there was not a single accident during the trip, nor was there a breakdown other than punctured tires.

The tourists were completely worn out, but everyone was in high spirits over the success of the venture and the enthusiasm shown at every stopping place along the entire route. The reception they met was far beyond the expectations of the most sanguine and every member of the party felt more than repaid for making the trip.

Cup Award Not Made.

The judges were in conference last night until a late hour figuring on the winners, but at last an adjournment was taken until this morning at 10 o'clock when the matter will be passed upon. The judges are C. D. Benbow, Julian Price, Andrew Joyner, W. I. Underwood and C. G. Wright. The referee is Garland Daniel. The cars making a perfect score are the Cadillac, driven by G. C. Thomas; Case, driven by Charles Sides; Overland, driven by N. Y. McAden, of Louisburg; Overland, driven by Mr. Burkheimer, Greensboro. Garland Ricks in the Abbott-Detroit was making a perfect score until his collision with the car driven by Z. V. Conyers in Durham yesterday.

The judges will have to do some close figuring to decide on the cup winners.

Best Road on Trip.

The party left Henderson yesterday morning and detoured by way of Louisburg, going from there to Raleigh by way of Franklinville. The best stretch of road over which they passed during the 250 mile trip was the sand-clay road between Louisburg and Franklinville. They were able to go over this at a lively clip. They reached Raleigh about noon and some stopped over for dinner, while others came direct to Durham for dinner. They left there about three o'clock, coming by way of Graham, Haw River and Burlington.

Big Meeting in Henderson.

Wednesday night there was a large and enthusiastic meeting in Henderson, a large number of speeches being made in the interest of the Greensboro-Roxboro railroad. Jno. D. Cooper, a prominent manufacturer, presided and made an address. Other Henderson speakers were Secretary Kithrell, of the Henderson Commercial Club, Mayor Powell and Col. Hicks. Mayor Brummett, Col. Ballou and Judge Graham, of Oxford, who accompanied the tourists from Oxford, also made speeches. Members of the Greensboro party who spoke were A. L. Brooks, G. S. Bradshaw, A. B. Kimball, C. D. Benbow, C. G. Wright and V. C. McAdoo.

The Durham Accident.

The accident at Durham was declared by the witnesses to have been unavoidable. Mr. Conyers' car was standing by the curb and Mr. Ricks was driving down the street at a moderate pace. A vehicle suddenly turned in front of his car and in an effort to avoid a collision with the vehicle he went headlong into Mr. Conyers' car. Both machines were so badly damaged that they had to be placed in the repair shop, the occupants coming to Greensboro by rail. Mr. Ricks was arrested for overspeeding, but the mayor dismissed the warrant after hearing the particulars. A report reached Greensboro that the entire party had been arrested for overspeeding and caused considerable comment.

PLANNING MASONIC EXCURSION TO WILKESBORO.

Grand Master R. N. Hackett, of the Grand Lodge of Masons, was in the city last night arousing interest in an excursion to be run from Greensboro to Wilkesboro on June 28, the date of the annual Masonic picnic at that place. The idea is to have a large attendance of Masonic lodges from nearby counties and grant a special dispensation whereby the subordinate lodges present will have a public installation of officers during the day. The Greensboro Masons are enthusiastic over the prospects for an enjoyable day on that occasion.

COTTON

Manufacturers of United State in Annual Convention in Richmond.

Special to Telegram.

Richmond, VaV., May 18.—The sixteenth annual convention of the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association began here today, with more than 800 delegates in attendance. Prominent manufacturers in the cotton world are here from all parts of the United States.

The morning session was devoted to routine work and at the afternoon session Arthur Marsh, president, spoke on "The New York Cotton Exchange." Lewis W. Parker, of Greenville, S. C., reported for the joint committee on the cotton exchange.

A serious problem now confronts the association, he said, the conditions in the milling industry having been unsettled since 1907, the prices of raw cotton are steadily advancing. The smaller production of the fleecy product and diversified farming have enabled the growers to secure better prices and the burden has been placed on the manufacturer to lower the price of the raw material or to educate the consuming public to pay a higher price for finished goods.

ADOPTED DAUGHTER OF MEXICAN GOVERNOR DETAINED

Douglas, Ariz., May 18.—Immigration officials yesterday permitted the adopted daughter of General Luis Terres, military governor of Sonora to enter the United States, and the family continued their journey to Los Angeles last night.

The wife of General Torres, her parents and her 15 year old daughter, who were seeking refuge in the United States, were detained at Nogales yesterday by immigration officers, who demanded to be shown proof of the legal adoption of the girl before she could enter this country. Later the matter was adjusted.

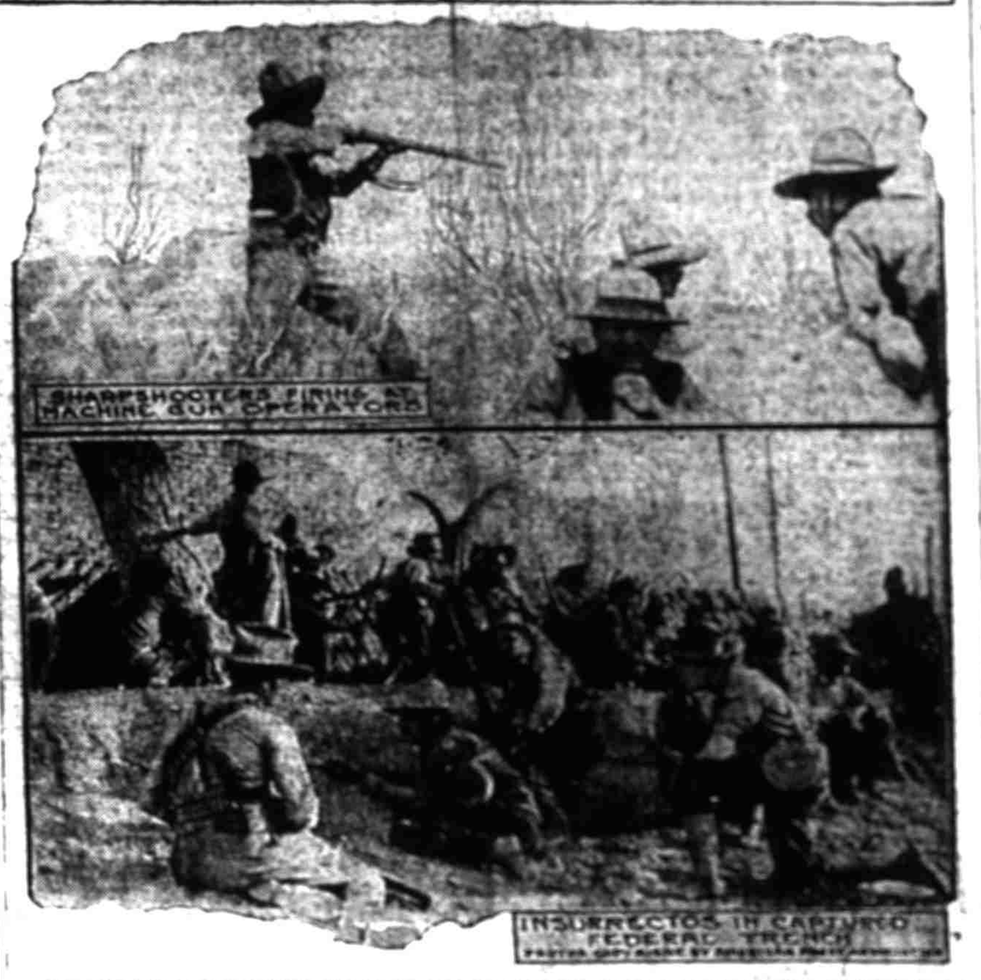
NEWBERN TAKES FIRST MONEY IN HOSE WAGON CONTEST

Charlotte, May 18.—For two solid hours, from 10 till 12 o'clock, today the firemen attending the annual tournament in progress here vied with each other in the most spirited and exciting event of the occasion, the horse hose wagon contest for North Carolina, there being over a dozen cities and towns of the State represented and each one giving good account of itself.

To New Bern again today fell the honor of securing the first prize in this contest, the team of New Bern No. 1 making the 200 yards run down South Church street over the official course, laying the required 300 feet of hose, making the hydrant and nozzle connections and getting a stream of water in the official time of 29 2-5 seconds. The New Bern winners ran in the eighth race of the day, and were the second to cover the distance and finish the race in less than 30 seconds. Raleigh having made the best record up to the time.

The second prize in cash goes to the Capitol City Hose Company, of Raleigh, which made the close time of 29 3-5, being only 1-5 seconds behind the record made by New Bern. Third prize was won by three different contestants, each of which made a 32-second run, the companies being those of Salisbury, Statesville and Sanford. Fourth came the Atlantic team, of New Bern, with a time of 32 1-5, or just one-fifth seconds behind the companies making third place. The fifth prize went to High Point, whose wagon made the run in 32 2-5, also one-fifth seconds behind the wagon making fourth place in the day's events.

First Pictures of the Scene of the Fighting Which Ended In the Fall of the City of Juarez



The story of the capture of Juarez by the revolutionists, now the federal troops fought valiantly for six entire nights and a part of the following day to hold the city, is well-nigh defeated, has been told and is in the hands of the Telegram. Above we show the first pictures of the fighting which led up to the fall of the city. Sharpshooters are seen firing upon the operators of the deadly machine guns and also a band of insurrectos in a captured federal trench.

TAX

Assessors are Making Good Headway Says State Tax Commission.

Special to Telegram.

Raleigh, May 18. Advices from all parts of the state to the Corporation Commission are that very good progress is being made by the local tax assessors and listers. There are being sent out to all the county seats now from the offices of the commission here flaming bill posters with dates and places left blank for advertising under the new state machinery act the dates and places where the property owners can have their last opportunity to list taxes and save the penalties prescribed for such failure. The law requires that these notices must be posted ten days before the listing actually closes and may be any time from June 10 to 20. There after the tax assessments and lists will be made up for the review by the county boards of equalization.

RESULTS OF STATE TEST FARMS SET OUT IN BULLETIN

Raleigh, May 17.—A very valuable bulletin is just issued by the state department of agriculture setting out the more general work and results on the Buncombe and Transylvania county state test farms, covering the clearing and improvement of the lands, rotations of crops and yields, buildings and equipment of the farms. It is by Dr. B. W. Kilgore, director, and R. W. Cuthrell, superintendent of the farms. These farms were established in 1908. Cattle and sheep, corn, oats, rye, wheat, also hogs are the principal products with which experimentation is carried on along with demonstration work for the surrounding country.

IMPORTANT CASE BEING ARGUED IN SUPREME COURT

Raleigh, May 18. It was said that in of vital interest in every part of North Carolina under the present tendency toward issuance of bonds for road improvement was thrashed out before the Supreme Court on appeal today and the ruling of the court will be awaited with keenest interest. It is Road Trustees of Youngsville Township, Franklin County, vs. C. A. Webb & Co., Asheville, who have contracted for $50,000 of the Youngsville bonds and refused to fulfill the contract on the plea that the bonds are invalid through not having been issued on the strength of a vote by the people of the township, but under legislative authority only. In the trial before Judge Webb sustained the contentions of Webb & Co. that the bonds are invalid. It is estimated that there are more than a half million dollars of bonds of this class issued in various sections of the state under practically the same conditions. The movement for the bonds in Youngsville township was started early in 1909, a bill for the issuance of the bonds was drawn and adopted in mass meeting of the voters, a majority of the qualified voters favoring it and the 1911 legislature enacted the road bill into law, authorizing the bond issue that the voters had approved. Webb & Co. purchased $50,000 of the bonds and then refused to receive them, as invalid. Attorney General T. W. Bickett and his law partner R. B. White are counsel for the Youngsville township, which under the act is declared a municipality as to the right to issue bonds. Counsel claim the bonds are valid under the municipal laws as issued by a municipal corporation for necessary expense, insisting that courts have established this doctrine in North Carolina through numerous similar precedents.

Rev. Carson Elected Moderator.

Special to Telegram.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 18.—Rev. John P. Carson, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, Brooklyn, was today elected moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly, convened here in the 123d annual session.

MADERO

Expects to be Elected President of Mexican Republic at Coming Election.

Special to Telegram.

Juarez, Mexico, May 18. Madero is entirely satisfied with the peace compact and will accept the office to go to Mexico City as advisor to Minister De La Barra, who will assume the duties of provisional president on June 1.

"There could not have been selected from the government's side a more satisfactory than Senor De La Barra," he said. "We shall continue to be warm friends of the United States and will encourage all American investments, but we will oppose all treaties and unjust concessions. The prompt effort of peace will be the liberation of all political prisoners and prisoners of war."

Madero has no doubt but that he will be elected as president of the Mexican republic at the coming election, with De Vasquez Gomez as vice president.

WILL SAND-CLAY NORTH ELM STREET BEYOND CITY LIMITY

Capt. J. W. Tyson yesterday moved his camp from north of the city for the purpose of macadamizing the North Elm street extension from the city limits to a point beyond the site of the Greensboro Country Club. The work will be completed as early as possible. Capt. Tyson will today macadamize the road leading to the new bridge across North Buffalo below White Oak. The new bridge is locked a few feet above the old one in order to prevent a sharp curve in the road and this necessitates macadamizing a short stretch on each side of the stream.

CONGRESSMAN STEDMAN ON ADMISSION OF ARIZONA

Representative of Imperial Fifth District Made Maiden Speech in House Yesterday ---Speaker Frequently Interrupted by Applause.

Special to Telegram.

Washington, D. C., May 18. In the House today Congressman Charles M. Stedman, of the Fifth District of North Carolina, made his maiden speech. Mr. Stedman spoke in favor of the resolution admitting Arizona and New Mexico into the union.

As Major Stedman arose he was greeted by vociferous applause from his colleagues, the occupants of the galleries joining enthusiastically. Major Stedman spoke for little more than half an hour and he was given the closest attention. Time and again he was interrupted by the applause which spontaneously burst from the Democratic side of the House members as the words of the speaker thrilled and swayed their support.

Mr. Stedman said in part:

I am made to understand of facts in which situation has not already been divulged in the discussion of the resolution now pending. The law with reference thereto is plain, direct and unalloyed. My strong impression that it is just and proper that both the territories of New Mexico and Arizona, certainly Arizona, should be admitted to the Union and not the necessity for such advisory action prompts me to address this House. It has never been questioned that the territory embraced within the limits of New Mexico and Arizona, and, in fact, that all territory acquired by the United States should be admitted into the Union only by compliance with the provisions of the Constitution of the United States and the requirements of the ordinance of 1787, and it is equally true that the people of any State can change the fundamental laws as they may with their conveniences and wishes to what they believe to be their happiness, prosperity and best interest, provided that a Republican form of government is maintained.

The majority of the committee reported favorably as to the admission as States of both territories with a proviso in relation to amendments of Article 8, which embodies the feature of the Recall as a vote of the people, and with a proviso as to New Mexico of amendments to a vote of the people of Article 20, which makes an amendment to the present constitution practically impossible. The effect of the elimination of articles will be effected by the votes which are submitted. A discussion and what the result may be I speak by authority of no one but I entertain the opinion that the amendments to a vote in Arizona to Congress, because the people of that territory are anxious to avoid further delay and because of the known views of President Taft as to the Recall of Judges and Recall as to what his action may be. No other reason need be sought for as to the amendments to a vote in New Mexico, except our knowledge upon the distinct of humanity, to give the people an opportunity to be moved from themselves by changing to Republican government a Constitution, which, though Republican in form, has the brand of the trusts stamped upon the instrument as distinctly as has the Tyrian purple chart of the ancient upon the lady.

The majority of the committee reported favorably as to the admission of New Mexico, without qualification, and recommends the admission of Arizona with a proviso for a amendments to a vote of Article 8, of the Constitution—the admission to be dependent upon the fact that Judges shall not be included in the recall as shall be settled by the council of the vote, where that feature of the constitution is considered.

The amendments to a vote of Article 8, Section 1, is an amendment which should be hailed with delight by the people of New Mexico. It is eminently to be hoped that they will avail themselves of the opportunity to be rid of a feature in their constitution which must seriously in the future hinder their advancement and retard their prosperity and happiness. The adoption of the feature of recall will match to raise far as certain in the consideration of every one of them more calculated to excite suspicion and distrust. In fact, he will find nothing like it. It can serve no good purpose. It should be destroyed by the vote of the people of New Mexico, who might with propriety preserve a copy of it in a museum to be shown to their youth in the years to come as

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TAFT

Will be Candidate for Renomination in 1912 ---His Platform Plank.

Special to Telegram.

Washington, May 18. It is announced by the highest authority that President Taft will be a candidate for renomination on the battle of the Republican Republican Convention in 1912. If the party outlook is good he feels that he will be entitled to the nomination because of the administration's record. If the outlook is bad he is convinced that it will be his duty to defend the administration.

The President's friends say that his opposition is directed to three classes, being led by LaFollette and Bonaparte's progressive league. The President and Mr. Roosevelt are as intimate as heretofore and the members of both factions of the Republican party in New York are in the for Taft.

The main plank in the President's platform will be the promise of the continuance of the good work by the Department of Justice.

United Shoemaker Dead.

Special to Telegram.

Toledo, May 18. Charles Walker, one time president of the United Shoe Machinery Company, member of the executive committee of the Republican Opera House, New York, died here today at age of eighty years, of angina pectoris and complications.

Mrs. Taft in Washington.

Special to Telegram.

Washington, May 18. Mrs. Taft reached Washington this afternoon and was warmly greeted by her husband President Taft, and her at the station and escorted her home in an automobile. She looked the trip well.

ILLINOIS SENATE WANTS LORIMER CASE REOPENED

Special to Telegram.

Springfield, Ill., May 18. The Illinois Senate today passed a resolution asking the United States Senate to reopen the Lorimer bribery case. The resolution passed by a vote of 39 to 13.

Springfield, Ill., May 18. Holding that the election of Mr. Lorimer to the United States Senate should not have been recognized but it and bribery and corruption, and concerning Judge Kohlsaat of Chicago, for sending the resolution of the resolution, the Senate report of the state senate bribery investigating committee was sent to the senate late yesterday. The report was a resolution of the committee recommending to the resolution the United States Senate report of the United States Senate and the testimony of the bribery trials, all of which have no bearing in question of our guilt.

MURPHY'S ADVICE TO DEFENSE COURT BENCH

Special to Telegram.

Salisbury, N. C., May 18. Governor Locke today commissioned Murphy's chief adviser, Daniel F. Caldwell, to the Supreme Court bench.

Mistaken Daughter For Burglar.

Special to Telegram.

Louisville, Ky., May 18.—Mistaken by her father for a burglar Miss Beulah May was shot in the face tonight. She is not totally blind, but will be disfigured for life.

WEEKLY CROP REPORT

Special to Telegram.

Washington, May 18. The weekly crop report of the weather bureau for the week ending today, covering the cotton belt, shows that the temperature has been below normal in most sections, and that there has been a general rainfall, which has been very beneficial to all crops except in the extreme southern portion of the cotton belt, where it has been too heavy in some sections. Cotton has been planted in the entire cotton belt, and has come up in the southern portion, but in the northern portion it is still being planted. Cotton has been thinned in the southern portion of the belt, and is being thinned in the central portion. Cotton is generally in good condition, but is reported as being in poor condition in some sections of the western portion of the belt. Corn is generally in good condition, but is reported as being in poor condition in some sections of the western portion of the belt. Corn is being cultivated in the southern portion of the belt, and is being planted in the central portion