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EL PASO PRESENTED WITH CANNON

Madero With 800 Revolutionists Invade Texas Town

EXPRESSION OF FUTURE PEACE

Cannon Given to the City As a Re-compense for McGinty's Blue Whistler Which Was Stolen From City Park During the War

El Paso, Texas, June 2.—Eight hundred armed insurrectos, headed by Francisco I. Madero, and an insurrecto band, playing Mexican and American airs, invaded El Paso today. It was the first time a large body of insurrectos crossed the United States border.

The occasion was the presentation to El Paso of "Long Tom" a cannon captured by the insurrectos and used in the battle at Juarez.

Mounted on horses and garbed in brilliant Mexican colors and sombreros, the insurrectos marched through the business streets.

Great crowds on the house tops greeted them with shouts of "Viva Madero!" The cannon was given to the city as a recompense for "McGinty's Blue Whistler" which was stolen from the city park during the war and used in the siege of Ojinaga. Speeches in Spanish and English alternated in the expression of future peace between the two countries when the cannon was presented.

APPALLED, HE AWAITS DEATH.

Baltimore Man, Seeing Another Killed, Stands Inert on Track.

Baltimore, June 2.—John W. Stewart, a Baltimore and Ohio conductor, and Peter B. Keeley, an employe in the city water department, were killed in quick succession by a Baltimore and Ohio train yesterday afternoon.

Stewart, the first victim, was trapped between two trains and hurled to death. The second man watched the accident and remain horror-stricken until the engine reached him, when he, too, was crushed to death.

The conductor had just left his train, which was stationary, to get orders, when he saw an electric train of the Annapolis short line bearing down upon him. Unmindful of the fact that a Baltimore and Ohio passenger train was running parallel with the electric train, he had crossed the first track when the engine hurled him 50 feet down the track.

Meanwhile, Keeley stood in the path of the on-coming train, staring vacantly, and heedless of the warning shouts of the engineers. His body was dragged more than 100 feet before the engine could be brought to a standstill.

Both victims were married and lived in Baltimore.

TOO MANY MONSIEURS REMOVED.

Se Declares Dr. Richardson, Censuring Young Surgeons for Use of Kedis.

Philadelphia, June 2.—After numerous conflicts of opinion on the advisability of the removal of tonsils, physicians at the closing session of the American Laryngological Association convention decided to submit the question to the board for an exhaustive report to be made next year. A resolution on that subject was proposed by Dr. O. L. Richardson, of Fall River, Mass., after Dr. W. A. Richardson, of Washington, had sternly censured young surgeons for removing tonsils.

BUTTER AND EGGS NEXT ON PROGRAM

Enjoin Chicago Board of Trade From Controlling Prices

VIGOROUS PROSECUTION IS EXPECTED

Such Move Expected to Result From Decisions of Supreme Court in Oil and Tobacco Cases—First Step Taken Yesterday.

Chicago, June 2.—Vigorous prosecution of the government's suit to enjoin the Chicago board and eggs board from controlling prices of butter and eggs is expected to follow the recent decisions of the United States Supreme Court in the oil and tobacco cases. The first step in this direction was taken yesterday when Judge Kohlsaat in the United States Circuit Court on motion of Federal District Attorney Sims referred the case to Chas. B. Morrison who will take evidence.

MISS EULA COLE'S ESSAY

Excellent Article on Alcoholic Drinks Prepared in Contest for Prize Offered by W. C. T. U.

We publish below an essay by Miss Eula Cole, a student of the New Bern High School, which is a credit to her, and which will be read with interest by all. The article goes into detail concerning the danger of alcoholic drinks, pointing out the effects from the standpoint of physiology.

Some time ago the W. C. T. U. of this city offered a prize of \$5.00 in gold to the pupil of the Ninth Grade for the best essay on "Alcohol and Its Effects." Miss Cole was the successful contestant, and we herewith publish her article in full:

Alcohol and Its Effects From the Standpoint of Physiology.

Improper eating and improper drinking produce more sickness than all other causes combined. It seems strange that man of all animals should be the one to indulge in excesses of appetite when he possesses the most knowledge concerning the ill effects of such indulgence. The use of drink that contains alcohol is the worst kind of intemperance and is one of the most terrible curses in the world. Alcohol has probably caused in the past and is certainly causing at present in civilized nations, more disease and death than either bad drainage, bad ventilation, over crowding, deficient food, over-work, or any other of the conditions prejudicial to health concerning which physiology and hygiene warn us. The moral degradation of the drunkard speaks for itself. Every one abhors the condition of a confirmed drunkard but nearly every one who drinks immoderately was at one time only a moderate drinker. Immoderate drinking is a natural result of moderate drinking. The antidote for alcoholic poison is more alcohol. There is only one safe course in regard to the use of alcoholic poison, is more alcohol. There is only one safe course in regard to the use of alcoholic liquor, and that is to abstain from their use. We will now discuss the more insidious consequences of alcohol drinking. When alcohol is diluted or not to

Attend the 8th Township Mass Meeting tomorrow at Court House 1 o'clock to formulate plans to secure Farm Life School. . . .

GRADUATING EXERCISES LAST NIGHT

Reception Given Immediately After Exercises—Those Who Stood Highest in Each Grade—Honor Roll for Year—Medals and Scholarships Awarded—Presentation of Diplomas

The closing graduating exercises of the New Bern High School took place last night. A large crowd assembled in the Griffin Auditorium to hear the essays read, music by the orchestra and hear the announcements of scholarships and the presentation of prizes. The graduating class upon receiving their diplomas were showered with flowers from their parents and friends. After the exercises, the class held a reception which was one of the most pleasant features of the evening. The following program was carried out.

- Program.**
1. Orchestra.
 2. Invocation—Dr. E. T. Carter.
 3. Essay—The Call to the Farm, Lavina Folsom.
 4. Essay—Count Leo Tolstol—Marjorie Rea.
 5. Orchestra.
 6. Essay—The Hudson Fulton Celebration—Lila Eloise Taylor.
 7. Essay—Some Arguments Against

DISGRACEFUL SCENES IN LEGISLATURE

Ohio Legislators Drinks Publicly in Hall

BOY KILLS ANOTHER FOR \$15.00

Spent Money for Candy and Moving Pictures

BOY STUFFED IN BAG, PUT IN CELLAR

Carmine Plombino Broke Down and Said He Fired Fatal Shot in Death of John Mile, a Playmate — Claims an Accident

New York, June 2.—Not until Carmine Plombino broke down today and said he fired the fatal shot were the police able to decide which of four boys was responsible for the death of John Mile. The Mile boy's body stuffed into a bag, was found in the cellar of a tenement of the Italian quarter.

EXCITEMENT IN COURT IN WILMINGTON

Witness on Stand and Lawyer Have Hot Words

JUDGE PEBBLES THREATENS TO JAIL

Suit of Hugh Wallace Against C. E. Covington for Alleged Slander Came to an Abrupt Ending Yesterday Morning — Details

Wilmington, N. C., June 2.—The \$20,000 damage suit brought by Hugh Wallace against C. C. Covington for alleged slander came to an abrupt ending this morning at the close of the plaintiffs case. After hearing argument on a motion to nonsuit, Judge Peebles held that the language used was not actionable per se and this ended the case, as no actual damages had been proven. Notice of appeal was given.

The alleged slanderous remarks were made by Mr. Covington in a speech he made at a mass-meeting last summer. Mr. Covington is one of the leaders in the Good Government League.

Wilmington, N. C., June 2.—The pending trial in New Hanover County Superior Court, of the case of Hugh Wallace against C. C. Covington, an action for \$20,000 damages for an alleged libelous utterance of the latter in a public speech during the campaign of last year, was featured by a sensational verbal encounter between ex-Mayor, A. G. Ricaud, of counsel for the plaintiff and Mr. C. C. Covington the defendant.

Mr. Covington was called to the stand for the purpose of ascertaining his worth. The question was asked by ex-Mayor A. G. Ricaud, and Mr. Covington answered the question stating that he was worth \$50,000 and all debts paid.

Mr. Ricaud remarked that "I want to congratulate you." Mr. Covington replied: "That is more than you can say." And some say that Mr. Covington pointed his finger at Mr. Ricaud in making this assertion.

Mr. Ricaud replied to the effect that the witness was correct in his statement, but that the witness was not more honest than he (Mr. Ricaud); that he would protect himself against any such personal references of witness; that should he make such answer again he would thrash him, if the court sent him to jail for doing it.

Judge Peebles ere took a hand in the verbal combat, declaring most emphatically that he would most surely send counsel to jail if he thrashed a man in his court or persisted in attempting such a thing.

"It's your honor's prerogative" said Judge Peebles who added that the attorney had better sit down.

SCHIEB IS AGAIN ARRESTED

Charge With Murder of His Wife in New York

BODY FOUND IN BATH TUB 4 DAYS AGO

Arrested for the Third Time Last Night, Charging Him With Murder on an Affidavit Sworn To by a Police Inspector.

New York, June 2.—The cautious steps which the police have taken in holding Henry A. Schieb, pending investigation of the mysterious death of his wife, Lillian Schieb, whose decomposed body was found in the bath tub of a vacant flat three days ago, led last night to his arrest for a third time, finally charging him with murder, on an affidavit sworn to by a police inspector.

Schieb is held pending completion of a hearing, which was adjourned to allow the district attorney's office to call other witnesses. Connor O'Grady, of Springfield, Mass., arrived last night to try to learn if the dead woman is his daughter Lillian, who he understood married a man named Hugh Sherman here. Up to last November he had been writing letters addressed to her under that name and the fact that these letters were found in Schieb's rooms convinces the police that "Mrs. Sherman" is "Mrs. Schieb." O'Grady will try to identify the body as that of his daughter.

TORCH FOR OLD FLAME.

Rejected Suitor Accused of Setting Fire to Former Sweetheart's Home.

Boston, Mass., June 2.—Charged with setting fire to the house in which his one-time sweetheart was sleeping early yesterday, and with carrying a loaded revolver, with which, it was said, he had intended killing himself, Allen Boston, 20 years old, of Lynn, is in the Salem jail. He is held in \$1,000 bail on the arson charge and was fined \$25 for carrying the revolver.

Frank E. Hatch says he saw Boston running from Miss Grace Le Brenek's parents' home and that he chased and caught him.

CUTCHIN FOUND GUILTY.

Roanoke's Mayor Found Guilty of the Charges Against Him.

Roanoke, Va., June 2.—After being out one hour and fifteen minutes the jury in the case of Mayor Joel H. Cutchin returned a verdict yesterday afternoon finding the defendant guilty on all charges of malfeasance and misfeasance in office. Cutchin heard the verdict with composure. Formal motions were made by the defendant who asked for ninety days in which to arrange bills of exceptions. No demonstration was made when verdict was returned. The trial lasted sixteen days. The record embraces twelve hundred typewritten pages.

Porth Card Party.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Harry B. Marks entertained a few friends at cards at her beautiful home on Johnson street.

Bridge Whist was the game played. Those present were the following: Misses Gabbitt and guest, Miss Parmele, Miss Jane Stewart, Mrs. John Dunn, Mrs. M. M. Marks and Mrs. Cecil Gabbitt.

No matter what you say to a chemist, he always has a ready retort.