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WINDS UP WITH

A LOVE FEAST.

Evangelist Fife and Judge Schenck and Sons Shake Hands,

AND SING THE DOXOLOGY.

After Statements by Judges Dillard, Dick and Gilmer the Court is Closed with the Doxology.

(Special to STATE CHRONICLE.)

GREENSBORO, N. C., June 30.—To-day has been a grand day for Greensboro, and one that will ever be remembered.

When the vast throng of compressing people of both sexes assembled in the court house at ten o'clock to witness the trial of State vs. Schencks they little expected to see the scene which was soon to be enacted.

PEOPLE AGAINST THE SCHENCKS.

Of all the crowd, consisting mainly of the best people of Greensboro, it may be safely said that exceedingly few entertained any sympathy for the Schencks.

COUNSEL FOR THE TWO SIDES.

The counsel for the Schencks were Col. Boyd, and Messrs. Levi, Scott, Barringer and Settle. Mr. Fife refused to prosecute, but the citizens of Greensboro employed Messrs. Dillard and King. Judge Gilmer and Capt. Ball represent the State.

MAYOR FORBIS' ANNOUNCEMENT.

When Mayor Forbis opened court he stated that by request he would permit Mr. Fife and Judge Dillard to make a statement.

MR. FIFE SPEAKS.

Mr. Fife then rose, and quoted thus from the Holy Scripture: "Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass or a tinkling cymbal." He said if, in his course here he had said anything reflecting on the character of any one of Judge Schenck's family, it was unintentional, and he most humbly begged their pardon.

Turning to Judge Schenck, he asked: "Is that satisfactory, sir?"

ALL-SHAKING HANDS.

On the latter's motion, it was, the two shook hands. Mr. Fife then shook Judge Schenck's three sons each by the hand.

JUDGE DILLARD SPEAKS.

Judge Dillard then arose and said that although he was employed by the citizens in the prosecution, he wished to declare that he had no ill feeling to any one.

He testified for the good character of Judge Schenck and avowed his own respect and affection for him. He besought the audience to ally their excitement and consider the matter calmly on both sides.

JUDGE DICK ON JUDGE SCHENCK.

Judge Dick then said that he too wished to testify to the high Christian character of Judge Schenck, and to avow his own love for him. "We all knew his impulsive nature." Said he: "Now, let each one of you here consider this matter calmly, and put yourself in his place."

This speech had marked effect in bringing the unreasoning audience to its sober senses.

JUDGE GILMER INTERRUPTED.

Judge Gilmer next took the floor, and said he, as all others, were rejoiced to see the grand reconciliation which had just taken place and saw it in the hand of God. His impulse was to sing the doxology. Then several amens were heard, but on a sign from the Mayor they ceased and Judge Gilmer withdrew the suggestion.

He too testified his love for Judge Schenck, and ended by moving that the case be dropped.

JUDGE SCHENCK TAKES THE FLOOR.

It was now Judge Schenck's turn to take the floor. Generally a fluent speaker and a commanding man he arose, and his broken words were scarcely audible; his whole venerable frame shook with emotion and his eyes were filled with tears. He said that what he had done he had done under great provocation, understanding the good name of his wife to be injured. Here came in his conjugal duty. He was impulsive. What he had done and said in his weak and impulsive nature he was truly sorry for, and deeply repented his course. Here his emotions overcame him, and he broke down completely, and took his seat. This was all that was necessary to move the entire crowd. The change of sentiment was complete. Judge Schenck had restored himself in the eyes of the people, and popular indignation was satisfied.

THE WRIT OF NOL PROS.

Judge Gilmer's motion to enter a writ of nol pros was then discussed by the Mayor.

He said he felt that he occupied a most embarrassing position. He was rejoiced at the scene which had just been enacted, but he was a sworn officer of the law and if mere repentance would excuse a man how could he ever again try a case?

He asked the opinion of those members of the bar who were present in the case. The unanimous opinion arrived at after much discussion was that when the prosecuting attorneys asked for a dismissal, it was always customary to comply with this request. A trial is for the good of the community. The community acts through its Solicitor.

SINGING THE DOXOLOGY.

Therefore Mayor Forbes dismissed the case, and, after singing the doxology, at the instance of Mr. Fife, the crowd dispersed.

GENERAL GOOD FEELING.

There seems to be a complete restoration of good feeling, and what was, and threatened still more to be a dangerous breach in the peace of Greensboro, has been happily healed.

Poisoned at a Church Festival.

(By the United Press.)

Boston, June 30.—A special from Rutland, Vermont, says the ladies of the Christian Church of Brush-ton, N. Y., gave the first ice cream sociable of the season on Saturday night last. Forty-three persons who ate the ice cream were poisoned. The pastor of the church and two ladies have died, and all the others are in a critical condition.

The Arkansas Tobacco Crop.

(By The United Press)

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 30.—The Census Office has given out the tobacco statistics of Arkansas. The total number of planters in the State during the census year was 5,448, the total area devoted to tobacco 1,875 acres, the total product 954,640, and the value of the crop to the producer, estimated on basis of actual sales, \$89,862.

THE REPUBLICANS

TAKE A NON-SUIT

In the Montgomery Case in Which They Had Charged Fraud.

DEMOCRATS ARE ON TOP.

The Republicans are to be Blamed For the Costs Upon the County.

Other News.

(Special to State Chronicle)

TROY, N. C., June 29.—After a whole week of voluminous evidence the Republican contestant of the Democratic Register of Deeds takes a non-suit; upon the intimation of his honor Judge Graves that he should hold that the requirements of the new election law as to registration were not unconstitutional. The case goes to the Supreme Court on appeal.

This ruling sustains the action of the canvassing board in rejecting such votes as were not registered in conformity with the law.

It is not doubted here that the Democrats would have won the case, even if that instruction had been reversed, as they had attacked 53 other votes on grounds of non-residence.

The Republicans are to be blamed for the costs, &c., of this suit. The court was called to try these cases and others, and it was held at great expense and sacrifice to the good citizens of the county, it being in the midst of harvest and at a time when farmers and turpentine operators were needing to work.

A HOT BED OF NIHILISM.

Russian, German and English Nihilists Plotting in London.

By Cable

LONDON, June 30.—The German anarchists are said to have a secret club in East London in which the most dangerous doctrines are discussed and action against other governments urged if not determined upon. No overt act has, however, yet been proved against these people.

Russian nihilists also have a headquarters in London, where conspiracies are hatched, and the means proved to carry them out.

There is a strong under current of sympathy with the nihilists which does not exist for the German anarchists, and the latter would do well, if they value their ease, not to provoke public attention during the imperial visit. The Kaiser leaves Prince Henry in charge of the Empire during his absence. Prince Henry has been well trained to occupy the post of Regent, either in war or peace. He is credited with having all the Kaiser's energy, without his eccentricities.

THE FOOL-KILLER'S WORK.

Patrick Mulrone Knocking Him Out of a Fine Job.

By the United Press.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, June 30.—Patrick Mulrone, a juggler and sword swallower, injured himself fatally Sunday by trying to swallow a violin bow instead of using the slender sword he was accustomed to. Twice he essayed to swallow the bow, but he failed each time on account of intense pain, caused by inserting it in his throat. Presently he began vomiting blood. He continued to suffer paroxysms, losing at each spasm much blood, until yesterday morning, when he died.

PEOPLE STARVING

IN RUSSIA.

The Crops Have Failed and Everything Priced Too High.

CHILDREN ADVERTISED FOR SALE.

Nobles and Priests Eating Meals Provided by the Government, and Jews Dying of Starvation.

(By Cable.)

LONDON, June 30.—The Telegraph's St. Petersburg correspondent declares the harvest in Russia this year is likely to be the worst on record.

He draws a harrowing picture of the results of the drought. Prices of cereals, he says, are rising hourly. Rice has never before been so dear.

Throughout Central and Western, and the greatest portion of Southern Russia, the outlook is dismal. Ministerial reports say that the winter crop in South and East Russia perished by frost. Famine is already visible in the faces of the peasantry in Kostroma.

Disease has broken out. The only food is oat meal mixed with tree bark or similar ingredients. In Kazef, among the indigents receiving meals gratis, are 146 noblemen and 76 priests. In other districts similar conditions are reported.

In the Jewish colony at Rovnopol many people are dying of hunger, and hundreds have to huddle together, several families in one room, for the sake of warmth.

Some papers have advertisements of children for sale. The government is taking precautions against expected revolts. Taxes are collected with the usual regularity, and failure to pay is visited with severe flogging.

The Widow of Premier MacDonald Honored.

(By Cable.)

LONDON, June 30.—The Queen has conferred the dignity of the Peerage upon Lady MacDonald, widow of Sir John MacDonald, late Premier of Canada.

AN ENGINE BOILER EXPLODES

And Kills Four Men Instantly, Wounding Several Others.

(By the United Press)

WHITE HAVEN, Pa., June 30.—The boiler of shifting engine No. 235 on the Central Railroad of New Jersey exploded last night near Nequehoning Junction. Engineer Thomas Tripp, Mauchchunk; Fireman J. Pope, Linsford; Brake-men Gallagher and Smith, of Mauchchunk, were instantly killed. The body of Engineer Tripp was crushed and bruised in a terrible manner and was found one hundred yards from where explosion occurred. The brakemen were blown in an opposite direction, and it is evident from the wounds they received that they were killed instantly. No trace of fireman Pope's body has yet been found and it is thought he was blown to atoms. The locomotive was totally wrecked, the boiler being blown 300 feet up the mountain side.

WALES, HE IS POPULAR.

At Least That's What he is Credited as Being in England.

(By Cable.)

LONDON, June 30.—As evidence of the popularity of the Prince of Wales, it may be stated that the levee held by the Prince on Saturday was one of the most brilliant ever held in Queen Victoria's reign, and was attended by more than the usual number of the better class of nobility. The Prince appeared in the best spirits, and had evidently made up his mind to be more Democratic in the future. He smiled in his winning way, and there was an utter absence of the stolid hater which the Prince used to wear to such effect.

A CATHOLIC PRIEST

Celebrates the 30th Anniversary of His Elevation to That Position.

(By The United Press.)

BALTIMORE, June 30th.—Rev. John T. Gaitley was the celebrant of a solemn high mass to-day in the church of St. Patrick, of which he has long been pastor, in commemoration of his elevation to the priesthood just 30 years ago. Every pastor in the city assisted. At the close Cardinal Gibbons gave the benediction. Archbishops, bishops, and priests throughout the country sent their congratulations to Rev. Mr. Gaitley and laymen without number are calling upon him to-day making his stay at the rectory a continuous reception.

THE DUTY ON TIN PLATE.

To-Day it is Raised From One to Two and One-Fifth Cents.

(By The United Press.)

NEW YORK, June 30.—The part of the McKinley tariff bill which affects the duty on tin plate imported from England will go into effect to-morrow. The present duty is one cent per pound; after to-morrow the duty will be two and two-tenths cents per pound.

As a consequence, there is much activity among importers, who are anxious to get incoming steamers past the custom house. Every steamer which has left British ports within the last month has brought over a cargo of the metal and the cases filled with tin which have been landed in New York city were enormous.

WRECK NEAR NEWTON.

A Western North Carolina Train Falls Through a Trestle and Two are Killed.

(Special to STATE CHRONICLE.)

CHARLOTTE, N. C., June 30.—A passenger train on the Western N. C. division of the Richmond & Danville Railroad went through Setzers' trestle, near Newton, this morning at 11 o'clock. Captain Linster, the conductor in charge of the train, was instantly killed, and a negro brakeman was fatally injured and it is since reported has died. The train is a total wreck, and it is miraculous how the passengers escaped with their lives. The road was blocked ten hours.

A Farmer Assassinated.

By The United Press.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 30.—E. T. Mann, manager of the Shelley plantation near Shelley station, Bolivia county, was murdered Saturday night. He was shot and killed by some unknown assassin while eating his supper. The fatal bullet was fired through the window.

Low Prices

Will be the order of the day of Shoes and Slippers at our establishment for Thursday and Friday. MCGEE & MOSELEY'S.

AND RICHMOND

WAS NOT IN IT,

For the Winston Blues Batted Their Association Pitcher,

AND CLUNG TO THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Baby Lanier and Great Old Keefer do up the Day for the "Cal-liny" Boys.

(Special to State Chronicle.)

RICHMOND, Va., June 30th.—Again the "Tar Heel" boys defeated the "Virginias" and dragged their beaten baseballists at their victorious chariot wheels.

The Old North State, after two games, still holds the championship of the South, for to-day the Winston Blues defeated the Virginias, of Richmond, by a score of 5 to 2.

Quarles, one of the Association pitchers on the Nationals, of Washington, twirled the ball for Richmond, but the "bohoys" in blue held their nerve and another victim is the consequence.

Lyston and Keefer held the points for Winston. The contest between both teams was mainly on the part of the batteries, and had Quarles, the Association ball twirler, had better support, there would have been still more excitement. As it was, however, the game was a pretty one and marked by pretty playing on both sides.

The two most beautiful plays of the evening were made by Keefer and Lanier. The latter made a splendid running-catch, capturing a foul fly which was knocked considerably beyond reach, as every one thought. With one hand he clung to the "horse hide" and astonished the spectators.

Keefer's laurels were also won on a foul fly, which he captured after a long run.

In the last four innings the Rich-monders pulled up considerably on their playing, and managed to keep the Tar Heels from adding more to their score, but it was too late. They were not "in it."

The colored mascot of the "Blues," who sailed around in a linen duster, is thought to have been at least in part the lucky star of the game for the little "Blues."

LEAGUE.

At Boston—Brooklyn 4; Boston 1

At Cincinnati—Cleveland 3; Cincinnati 4.

At Philadelphia—New York 3; Philadelphia 2.

At Chicago—Chicago 2, Pittsburg 3. Batteries: Stein and Bowman; King and Mack. Umpire: Lynch.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Philadelphia—Athletics 9; Baltimore 5.

Batteries Sanders and Mulligan; McMahon and Robinson. Umpire Ferguson.

At St. Louis—St. Louis 11; Louisville 6.

Batteries McGill and Munyon; Meakin and Cahill. Umpire, Jones.

At Boston—Boston 16, Washington 4. Batteries Daly and Farrell; Carsey and Lohman. Umpire Kerns.

At Columbus—Columbus 2, Cincinnati 6. Batteries Estar and Donohue; Marins and Vaughn. Umpire Davis.

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