LEAPS INTO FIRE AND ENDS HIS LIFE

Horrible Suicide of a Burke County Man—Troubles of Mayor Franklin—A Strong Speech by Glenn at Marion—Kitchin'sFine Effort at Wilmington.

MORGANTON, Sept. 30.—From details which have not reached Morganton from the country the most horrible suicide that ever occurred in the state occurred Monday night about six miles from here.

Will Mull who had been despondent and drinking heavily for some time past went to his home after dark in company with Ed Mull, a companion, and while in a drunken fit he drove his family from home with a razor and when things got quiet he and his companion went off to sleep. Ed Mull, the companion, was aroused by Will, who was piling the bed clothes and furniture on the fire, and was told to get out or he (Ed) would be burned up. Ed tried in vain to get the man to leave the burning house, but he would not. Ed went to the window and saw Will crouched in one corner of the room silently waiting his doom. Will soon raised himself up and with a cry ran into the midst of the flames and was consumed.

Nothing was left of his body but a few charred bones.

Governor Glenn Delivers Address in Marion.

One of the most forceful, most telling and eloquent speeches delivered in Marion during this campaign and in any campaign within the knowledge of your correspondent Governor Glenn delivered today in the court house here, says the Marion correspondent of Charlotte Observer. He is a favorite with the people of Marion and McDowell county and has the love and confidence of our people generally. His address was masterly. The subject or text of his speech was "By their fruits ye shall know them." His handling of his subject could not be surpassed. His comparison of the records of the two parties in this state was convincing. The tariff was dwelt upon at length and his arguments were unanswerable beyond question and no one who heard his terrible straigtnment of the rubber tariff could find an answer.

At the conclusion of his address the governor made the announcement that after his term expired it was his intention to enter into religious work in connection with the missionary work of the church. In bidding his audience farewell he held up his hands and declared that throughout his career no corruption could be found in him. The court house was full and the attention given was fine.

Kitchin Speaks at Wilmington.

WILMINGTON, Sept. 30.—Hon. W. W. Kitchin, Democratic nominee for governor, was greeted by a great audience of New Hanover Democracy tonight in the court house, plans for an outdoor meeting having been abandoned at the last minute on account of threatening weather. Every inch of floor space in the large court room was occupied with a wildly cheering, enthusiastic mass of humanity, while for two hours and a little more Mr. Kitchin poured hot shot into the ranks of the Republicans in a merciless comparison of their records and policies with those of the Democracy. The speaker was introduced by Herbert McClammy, Esq., and at the conclusion of his address Mr. Kitchin was presented through F. W. Bonitz, Esq., with a magnificent bouquet of flowers from lady admirers in Wilmington. Mr. Kitchin arrived this noon from Lumberton and was entertained there, going for an automobile drive as the guest of the reception committee this afternoon. Tomorrow Mr. Kitchin goes to Southport.

Mayor Franklin's Troubles.

Today's Charlotte Observer contains the following:

Since Mayor T. S. Franklin took such an uncompromising stand on the question of allowing drug stores the right to sell whiskey on prescription, raising rearing the doctrine bullo against the proposition when the vote was a tie among the aldermen, he has become a much harassed man.

He is beginning to believe that concentrated effort is being made by some who opposed his stand on this issue to "put him in the hole," to use the vernacular of the streets. Telephone calls beseeching him to fill whiskey prescriptions with as little compunction as a saloon keeper dishes out the fiery stuff, are becoming entirely too numerous for him to remain in perfect equipoise. If the rapidity with which the requests have been presenting themselves continues, he will probably issue an official proclamation disclaiming any intention to permit a violation of the law, feeling himself not culpable for what has been done with this matter.

A Serious Alternative.

It is just now being recited how he combated the arguments of a physician in his office a few days ago when the doctor's patient first presented herself. The woman came to the mayor with the request that he allow the filling of a prescription for her husband who was then in a hospital in a dying condition. Asking her why she came to him, the woman replied that her physician had told her that the mayor was the only person through whom she could get whiskey, as he was responsible for taking it away from the drug stores. Mayor Franklin at once became irritated, not merely at the woman's request, but at the physician's statement that he could give her whiskey if he wanted to and that he was responsible for the closeness of the situation here now. He told her to go back to the doctor and tell him to come to his office in the city hall, and also asked the woman to come back with him.

Wrote Him a Note.

While the woman went on her mission, Mayor Franklin scanned the pages of a recommendatory note which the physician had given the woman. It said among other things that the husband of the applicant was in the Merry General Hospital, suffering with a disease that would in all probability claim him as a victim; that he had been accustomed to the use of alcoholic drinks through his life and that it was his "professional opinion that the man will die unless he is allowed some whiskey." Mayor Franklin got more out of humor when he read the note because it insinuated so patently that unless the mayor allowed the woman to have a prescription filled, he would have to answer for the taking away of the patient in the hospital. This innuendo added fuel to the flames which had already originated from the oral request.

The Doctor Arrives.

A necessary break in the narrative occurs right here because of the absence of a newspaper man from the office at the hour. It is not unfair to insert in lieu of the actual colloquy between the mayor and the physician that it was by no means a dovelike scene which followed. The argument into which the gentlemen precipitated themselves was of the sort that coaxes many men into physical collisions. This did not happen, however, the mayor prevailing on the physician to retract the insinuation as to his responsibility in case of the death of his patient. A part of the conversation then went like this:

"Don't you know, doctor, that there is a drug store in North Charlotte where you can get your prescriptions filled?"

"Yes, sir, I know that, but the whiskey sold out there is not good enough to give a sick man."

"Go over there to my telephone and ask the proprietor if he hasn't got some whiskey which you think is good enough for prescription purposes." The doctor went and made a favorable report.

"Well, you take this two dollars and go out there and get this woman some whiskey," said the mayor and the physician took it. The man died, however, a few days later.

Annapolis Naval Academy Opens Tomorrow.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Sept. 30.—Uncle Sam's Naval Academy is today a scene of bustle and activity, preparatory to the beginning of the academic term tomorrow. The new fourth class of midshipmen is almost a third smaller than customary, and the other classes are not quite up to the usual standard in numbers, so that the total enrolment is only about 800. The first class contains 177 midshipmen, while last year's graduating class numbered 201, the largest in the history of the institution. The second class will have 171 and the third class 255 members at the opening of the academy tomorrow.

This year's new class contains the usual number of sons or other relatives of naval officers. The first man in the class is Harold Dodd, son of Capt. A. W. Dodd, U. S. N., retired, who was appointed by the president, while second place was attained by H. G. Gates, Jr., of Michigan, son of Commander H. G. Gates, U. S. N. Gates is the youngest member of the class, barely qualifying for age.

Hester's Opening Is On.

The fall opening at the store of the J. W. Hester Co., on Trade street, is on today and will continue tomorrow and Saturday. The fall and winter stock at this store is larger and more varied than ever shown heretofore. The Hester Co. shows today the very latest styles in ladies' headwear and readytowear goods. Miss Lillie Grubbs, head milliner for the Hester Co., was the recipient of many flattering compliments on her display. The opening today was largely attended.

Red River Navigation.

DENISON, Tex., Oct. 1.—Delegates from several Texas and Louisiana cities are in attendance here today at the convention of the Red River Improvement Association. The meeting has for its object the promotion of interest in the navigation of the Red River.

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Indians Will Literally "Run" For Public Office

SANTA FE, N. M., Sept. 30.—A liberal illustration of "running" for office and one which might add interest if adopted by the politicians in their political campaigns, will be a feature of the celebration of the feast of San Geronimo at Taos today. In accordance with custom, a relay race will decide the governor of the pueblo for the ensuing year.

For days hordes of Utes, Navajos, Apaches and Mexicans have been gathering at the quaint pueblo of Taos for this great redskin rendezvous. The customary quiet that broods over Taos valley has been broken by the incoming bands of Indians from all over the Southwest, and today the festival of their patron saint reaches its enthusiastic culmination. The feast is celebrated on the last day of September of every year.

The San Geronimo, or St. Jerome, celebration today begins with weird incantation, or incantation, by a black-robed Indian priest, which is heard with superstitious awe by the assembled multitudes.

In the plaza is a pine tree pole, fifty feet in height, and from a crosspiece near the top dangles a live sheep. Beside the sheep a garland of such fruit and vegetables as the valley produces, together with a basket of bread and grain, hangs from the pole.

The bell in the little adobe chapel sounds and a few of the Indians go in to mass. After the devotional exercises are concluded a procession is formed and marches to the race track, which is a quarter of a mile in length. The runners, of whom there are fifty, are naked except for a breech cloth and are painted no two alike.

Fifty other runners to contest with those arrive from the Pueblo across the dividing stream. Two runners from each side dart down the track. No sooner do they reach the goal than two others start off, and thus for two hours the races continue in relays of twos. The victorious side is given the privilege of electing the governor for both Pueblos for the ensuing year.

In the afternoon dances by hideously painted clowns and mirthmakers are followed by attempts to climb the pole, which is at last accomplished, and amid the yells of the onlookers the sheep, fruit and grain are thrown to the ground and carried off, and St. Jerome is supposed to rejoice in the happy conclusion of the festival in his honor.

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Each hair is covered by the scalp drying up of hair the supply of moisture or nutriment which baldness results the scalp has simply lost all its warm moisture, leaving nothing for the hair to feed upon, a plant or even a tree would die under such conditions.

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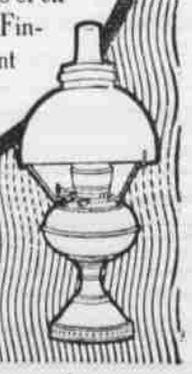
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