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Bloody Duel Between Rival Police Details in Chicago Red Light District.—Detectives Raided Disorderly House And Were Being Followed by Angry Gangsters, When With Drawn Guns They Charged the Mob.—Police Are Bitter Against the Detectives.

Chicago, July 17.—A dozen conflicting stories confront the police heads in their efforts to solve the mystery of the bloody duel between rival police details in the Twenty-Second Street vice district at midnight, in which District Sergeant Stanley was shot dead and twelve other men wounded.

SOUTHERN CITY PLANS TO MOVE FARM PRODUCE.

To Strengthen the Farmer and Truck Grower in Weakest Point.

Lake Charles, La., July 17.—To strengthen the farmer and truck grower in the weakest point in his organization, the selling end, the Lake Charles Businessmen's Association has been organized on original lines.

The trouble with our farmers, declared John Marshall, publisher of the Lake Charles Times and a leader in the movement, was that they had no selling end to their business.

Fin Crops Around Mooresville. Mooreville Enterprise.

Never in so brief a time have "crops" come out as they have within the past ten days. Of course in some sections where cotton refused to burst from the earth during the drought, the weed is small.

Webb Becomes Chairman.

Washington, July 16.—Representative Webb of North Carolina, was chosen by the House Democratic Caucus today to succeed Representative Clayton of Alabama, recently named Federal Judge, as chairman of the Judiciary Committee.

Eldred's after stock taking sale is now on, and will not close until Saturday, July 25th. This is a sale to close out odds and ends and all summer merchandise in order to get in new fall goods.

Mr. L. W. Brander has returned from a visit to Kanaga.

Turkey and the Dove of Peace are not affillies.

CONFERENCE CLOSES.

Salisbury District Meets With Kannapolis Church Next Year. Salisbury, July 16.—The Salisbury district conference has closed its annual session, which was held with Main Street Methodist Church, this city, and will meet next year with the church at Kannapolis.

Mr. Bryan Strong For Woman's Suffrage.

Washington, July 16.—Secretary Bryan, in a formal statement issued tonight, came out for woman suffrage. He declared that he would ask no political rights for himself that he was not willing to grant his wife, and announced his intention of supporting the proposed state constitutional amendment extending the franchise to women to be voted upon in Nebraska next November.

Death of Mrs. N. S. Johnson.

Mrs. Johnson, wife of Mr. N. S. Johnson, died at their home in Kannapolis Thursday morning at 6 o'clock, after an illness of two months.

Carbajal Ready to Retire in Favor of General Carranza.

Washington, July 16.—Francisco Carbajal, successor to General Huerta, as provisional president of Mexico, today advised the United States government that he intended to retire in favor of General Carranza, the constitutionalist chief.

Insanity Menace to Hungary.

Budapest, July 17.—That no less than 12,000 insane persons are at large in Hungary and are a danger to society and public safety because the insane asylums are overflowing, was the startling statement made today by the Minister of the Interior in the Hungarian parliament in pleading for greater appropriations.

LET THE CHILDREN SEE THE FAMOUS STUPPING KIDS AT THE PASTIME TODAY.

The contractors will begin work tomorrow putting down the concrete base for the permanent street pavement on Union street.

SIX INSTEAD OF FOUR WERE KILLED

TWENTY-ONE INJURED IN ACCIDENT NEAR NORFOLK.

Some of Injured Are Expected to Die.—Two Wooden Cars Completely Wrecked.—Many Excursionists on the Train.—Bodies So Cut Up That Identity is Difficult.—Motorman Accused of Criminal Negligence.

Norfolk, July 17.—Developments show that six instead of four were killed and twenty-one injured early this morning in a collision at Fairmount between an electric train of three coaches and a Virginia railroad coal train.

Norfolk, Va., July 17.—Six are dead and more are expected to die as a result of the accident at one a. m. today. The two wooden cars of the electric line were completely wrecked.

WARNING TO BE CAREFUL.

Secretary Garrison Wires Officers to Avid Meetings. Washington, D. C., July 16.—Secretary Garrison today telegraphed Brig. Gen. Bliss, commander of the American troops on the border ordering American officers to refrain from participating in any meetings or conferences with Mexican officers of any faction.

ASA CHANDLER GIVES ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

Goes to New Methodist University to be Established in Atlanta.

Atlanta, Ga., July 16.—Atlanta was selected as the seat of the university to be established east of the Mississippi river by the Methodist Episcopal church, south, at a meeting here today of the education commission appointed by the general conference of the church to choose a location for the proposed institution.

LONDON PAPERS CONGRATULATORY ON SUCCESS OF DIPLOMACY.

London, July 16.—The resignation of General Huerta as president of Mexico is regarded as a victory for President Wilson's policy and is welcomed by the British public and officials as a possible solution of the Mexican problem.

Wire Tappers Arrested.

Montreal, July 17.—Ten men alleged to be members of "wire tapping" gangs, working in connection with the races here, were arrested in a raid on apartments which contained "cold" telegraph and telephone instruments, also several thousand dollars in bills and several "honor rolls."

Terrible Hurricane in Kentucky.

Henderson, Ky., July 17.—Two are dead, several injured and there is a damage as a result of a hurricane here last night.

Suffragette Destroys Famous Painting.

London, July 17.—The famous painting "Thomas Carlisle" by Sir John Millais was completely destroyed today by a suffragette with a hatchet.

Huerta to be Protected by Large Guard.

Vera Cruz, July 17.—General Huerta and suite expect to reach Puerto this afternoon. Huerta will be protected by a large guard stationed in the railway yards.

PROGRAM AT THE PASTIME TODAY IS ESPECIALLY INTERESTING TO CHILDREN. LET THEM COME.

Denver, July 17.—The Golden Jubilee Reunion of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks was brought to a close today and the delegates by tomorrow will begin to disperse to their homes.

Two Christian Science Healers Arrested.

Richmond, Ind., July 17.—Two Christian Science Healers have been arrested here for practicing medicine without license.

MILITARY "BOYS" OFF

To Morehead City to Attend the Annual Encampment at Camp Glenn.

The members of Company L will leave Sunday evening on train No. 12 for Morehead to attend the annual encampment. The company will be in charge of Captain L. A. Brown. The "boys" have been drilling regularly for the past few weeks and Captain Brown states that they are ready for the camp.

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WON'T PAY HUERTA'S DEBTS.

Monterey, July 16.—General Carranza will not recognize the validity of the debts of Huerta after he enters Mexico City and establishes a constitutional government there, was the statement made here today by high constitutionalist officials.

COLE MURDER TRIAL BEGUN.

Albemarle, July 16.—The case of State vs. Allen Cole, charged with the murder of Deputy Sheriff Dan Tolbert at Badin two months ago, was called for trial yesterday morning, and is now well under way.

REPORT SECRETARY OF STATE WILL LIVE IN CAROLINAS.

Raleigh, N. C., July 16.—William J. Bryan has sold his Lincoln, Neb., home and bought a residence in Asheville, Raleigh visitors from the mountain city said. Asheville people offered President Wilson a summer residence last year, but the President declined.

Mrs. Pankhurst Taken to Jail Some More.

London, July 17.—Mrs. Pankhurst was carried to an ambulance to go to make a speech. Detectives boarded the machine and took her to Holloway jail today.

TOP OF THE WORLD TODAY.

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