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CONWAY WINS TECHNICALLY OVER WIDENHOUSE

Local Boy Suffers Injury in Second Round of Bout and Forced to Leave Ring—Two Injured, One Seriously, in Construction of New Excursion to New Mill—Other Brief Items.

Kannapolis, Oct. 14.—Lady Fortune smiled broadly last night on Kid Conway, featherweight cauliflower performer of the Bernard Show Company, exhibiting this week at the Concord exposition. For after receiving a sound thrashing from Jake Widenhouse, local boy, and challenger of Pee Wee Russell, Conway was awarded a technical victory when Widenhouse suffered a sprain to his left thumb and was forced to leave the ring in the second round.

The audience was clamoring for a Widenhouse victory and the cocky little Kannapoliian seemed determined to answer the calling for he was heaping punch out wallops to his foe's face, head and body. Conway was sniping on his feet when Widenhouse sustained the injury through a left jab to the body.

The bout was preceded by a wrestling match between Rough House Ross, versatile strong man of Charlotte, who created quite a furore a year or so ago by shadow boxing with Gene Tunney and Jack Dempsey, and Queen City cobby, Kid Ellis, claimant of the middleweight wrestling belt of the world. The exhibition was a nice bit of mat work as has been seen in this county for some time, resulting in a draw. The match was staged under agreed rules of the "rakers" to go a limit of six minutes.

Kid Elliott's local boy, will take part today in the athletic program being presented in connection with Kannapolis Day at the exposition.

TWO INJURED, ONE SERIOUSLY A middle-aged negro was reported yesterday to have suffered severe injuries as the result of an avalanche of

cement falling upon him. His name and the manner in which he was victim of the casualty could not be learned at a late hour last night. The negro was an employee of the Brown-Harry Construction Company, building the new million dollar extension to the Cannon towel plant.

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SECOND DEATH FROM THE CHARLOTTE ACCIDENT

Mrs. McVickers Also Dead—Two Others Were Injured. Charlotte, Oct. 13.—Mrs. Joseph McVickers, injured early today when an automobile in which she, another woman and two men were riding, crashed into a freight train, died early tonight at a hospital. She suffered a fractured skull. Her death was the second to result from the accident.

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a relative in Concord in the Ward car. When they did not return home at about 3 o'clock this morning the two men thought they might have had an automobile accident and started out the Salisbury road looking for them. They had proceeded only a short distance when they arrived at the scene of the wreck. Mrs. McVickers is 22 and Mrs. Ward 21, and both are said to be exceptionally pretty.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

Thursday, October 14, 1926. Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, widow of the late President, is 64 years old today.

Today will be celebrated as "Navy Day" by the American Legion convention at Philadelphia.

The Association of Military Surgeons of the United States opens its annual convention today at Philadelphia.

The Carnegie Institute, Pittsburgh, today will open its twenty-fifth international exhibition of contemporary paintings.

Federal and State officials interested in coast protection today will open a conference at Asbury Park, N. J., to consider plans for the protection of beaches from erosion and pollution of shore waters by ocean liners.

ATTEMPT IS MADE TO DESTROY GRANDSTAND Complex Room and Box Office at High Point Burned—See Evidence of Incurability. High Point, Oct. 12.—An unsuccessful attempt was made early this morning to destroy by fire the grandstand at the local baseball park. About 6 o'clock this morning Chester Owen, on duty at the city water pumping station, which is located only a few rods from the grandstand and turned in a fire alarm. Firemen arrived in time to save all except the umpires' room and box office.

SYNOD HEARS REPORTS ON WORK BEING DONE

Peace and Flora's Macdonald Plan Endowment Drives.—Lacy and Lingle Speak. Statesville, Oct. 13.—The synod of North Carolina had a busy day today with reports and addresses from representatives of various institutions under its care. Two girls' colleges, Peace Institute and Flora Macdonald college, reported the inauguration of endowment campaigns. The presidents of Union seminary and the Assembly's Training school, Drs. B. R. Lacy and W. L. Lingle, both of Richmond, Va., made moving speeches.

Reports on Schools. An important report was made on schools and colleges by Rev. W. M. Hunter, of Davidson, chairman of the committee, showing that synod's collection to this fund was \$48,674, not reaching the amount apportioned. Dr. J. B. Wright, of Raleigh, chairman of Peace institute campaign, made a glowing appeal for synod's support to this school in its effort to raise \$315,000 because of the long and useful career of Peace, and the sound investment it offered for preparing for the home of our state in educating our girls. He said 75 per cent of the people of the eastern section of this state are out of the church.

Address By Dr. Lacy. An outstanding address was that of Dr. B. R. Lacy, president of Union seminary. He paid a high tribute to the late president, Dr. W. W. Moore, who belonged to that galaxy of educators, Charles B. Aycock, Charles Melver and E. A. Elderman, declaring the pre-eminence of Dr. Moore in preparing men to preach the gospel. Dr. Lacy referred to the contest in defense of the old faith, and said Union seminary seemed bound to become the main center of Trinitarian doctrine. It is now a flaming evangel of orthodoxy, and its faculty possesses some of the keenest minds in American religious circles, he said. The seminary is in a great need of a library and a more adequate endowment.

Tonight, after witnessing a football game at Revere Springs in the afternoon and having supper with the orphans there, synod returned to its work and heard a report of synodical home missions by the superintendent, Dr. E. E. Gillespie, of Greensboro. Dr. Gillespie reported that such was supporting 94 men in the various fields. Under his preaching of three evangelists, Dr. William Black, Rev. A. T. Lassiter, and Rev. J. H. Carter, there had been 1,160 professions of religion, and 540 additions to the churches. The contributions to this cause have amounted to \$62,000 which showed a doubling of these gifts in six years. The synod will receive one-sixth of the McCallum foundation of \$50,000 assigned by the late A. T. McCallum, of Red Springs, to religious work. The report calls for an evangelistic series in every church in the synod this year.

Dr. Maize Is Heard. The closing address tonight was delivered by Dr. J. Layton Maize, of Huntington, W. Va., on the subject of evangelism. Dr. Maize made a powerful address, showing that the home mission enterprise was a vital factor in the life of the church, both at home and abroad.

AN ATHLETE BEATS THE GROOM TO ALTAR Lure of Wedding Bells and Bridal Accoutrements Too Much For Attendant. Charlotte Observer. The scent of orange blossoms, the faint tinkle of a wedding bell and the ecstasy of a couple on the verge of matrimony proved too glamorously suggestive for Ernest William Andrews, groomsmen and athlete of note in this vicinity, to resist.

Especially when Miss Ruth Dwyer, cousin of the bride, was standing aglow in orchid georgette and flaunting a challenging bouquet of American Beauties. And with himself bedecked in the conventional wing collar and stiff bosom of the best regulated of grooms.

Moreover, there was Dr. W. W. Orr standing in official posture with the proper ritual and all Mr. Andrews wasn't at all content as a mere attendant in the affair.

The result is that friends and relatives of both are recuperating as well as might be expected from shock produced by a sudden vision of the young groomsmen and his bridesmaid stepping confidently down the church aisle arm in arm to where Dr. Orr awaited, repeating the vows which were supposedly reserved for the restive cousin and her fiancé and thereby diverting a generous share of the limelight from that couple fully 45 minutes before the nuptials proper were due.

The bridal party arose to the emergency admirably, however, and a new angle to the carefully prepared reception was created. Besides, there was plenty of wedding cake to go around and everyone was just fixin' as excited.

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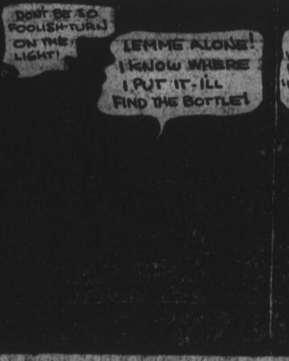


Don Juan and Adriana, leading characters in the novel of that name by Ines Sebastian which will appear serially in this newspaper. Photograph posed by John Barrymore, star of Warner Bros. picture, "Don Juan," and Mary Astor.

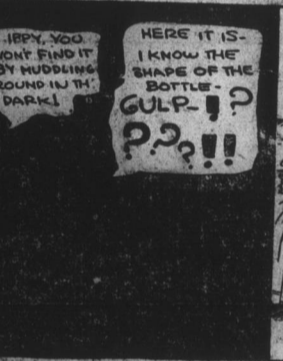
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