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MEXICAN REVOLUTIONISTS NAME NEW PRESIDENT

GRAND JURY FOR 1912 HAS BEEN DRAWN

Last evening Judge M. R. Averill and County Commissioner Pete Booth drew the grand jury for 1912. The following named persons were drawn from the box: J. E. Hayes, W. R. Bozarth, T. A. Lyden, H. E. Epstine, W. J. Moran, Ed. Brown, E. D. Mills, Gavin Johnson, W. S. Bryden, George Ludwig, J. L. Gant, A. T. Canavan, John H. Schueble, H. H. Lawry, Thomas Wilson, Gil Bennett, E. C. Simpson, Thos. J. Lynch, Ross Condon, Clarence Kind, H. S. G. Hurlbert, David S. Llewellyn, William A. Parker, Robert E. Morrow.

TRAINS NOS. 23 AND 24 NOT TO BE DISCONTINUED

Yesterday morning Assistant Superintendent Bell stated to a representative of the Tribune that there was nothing in the report that has appeared in several papers of the state to the effect that trains No. 23 and 24 would be discontinued by the company. A rumor of this kind should be verified before publication. The discontinuance of these two trains would work a hardship on the traveling public of this state and it is the custom of the company to cater to the wants of the people rather than to do anything that would discommode the people that they serve.—Sparks Tribune.

Juarez Hero Casts Lot In Rebel Camp --- Washington Receives Official Advice---Revolution Now Said to Be In Full Swing.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Official advices from the Mexican border yesterday indicated that General Orozco will join the revolutionary forces of General Trevino in Chihuahua and accept the provisional presidency of Mexico.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—War department officials were concerned yesterday by reports from Colonel Steever, in charge of the American forces patrolling the Mexican border, confirming press dispatches that a large force of rebels were moving on Juarez, opposite El Paso.

The advices stated that General Orozco was leading one of these forces with 1490 men.

Officials of both the state and war department consider recent developments in northern Mexico as ominous and are watching closely every move of the government and rebel forces. From Casca Grande a rumor has come of a serious state of affairs, with a large rebel force massing there.

The rumored movements of Gen. Orozco are without confirmation, but Chihuahua continues a hotbed of revolution.

Disturbances are reported in Orizaba and Jalapa and Soledad in the state of Vera Cruz.

and the "easy money" attempted to loot the town, but were suppressed by the rebel bandits, who are very strict where persons outside their own gangs are concerned.

Dr. Luis Paparelli, the Italian consul at Gomez Palacio, an import railroad center with a considerable foreign population, and six other foreigners recently were assaulted by bandits who held up a street car. The consul said that so soon as communication with Mexico City was possible he would enter an official protest with the portiers that the government is not affording protection to foreigners or their property.

Last night 50 Vasquistas attempted to hold up what they mistook for a work train. Federal soldiers were concealed in box cars, however. The latter opened fire and eight of the rebels were killed outright.

The American view of the International train recently held up at Piedra Blanca were in great danger of their lives. Conductor J. W. Ferris was fired at, but the bullet missed him.

Found Bridges Burned.

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 24.—The Mexican National passenger train which left here last night returned shortly after, having encountered burned bridges south of Juarez. There were several bands of rebels along the line, the train crew reported. The bridges were burned yesterday after troop trains bearing the Juarez garrison had passed on their way to Chihuahua, thus making it impossible for the troops to return to Juarez by rail.

As rebels hold two freight trains on the Mexican Northwestern road, Juarez may be taken by the insurgents at their pleasure.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Disobedience of orders in crossing the international line with men under arms will be the charge upon which Lieutenant Ben W. Fields, Eighteenth infantry, is to be tried at San Antonio. The war department was at first disposed to condone the offense, as it arose from a mistake, but finally decided that for the effect upon Mexico and as an indication of the United States' intention to observe the neutrality laws, it was necessary to make an example. The trial will be by legal officers attached to the headquarters of the department of Texas.

Details of Battle.

TORREON, Mexico, Feb. 24.—(Via El Paso, Feb. 23.)—Details of the fighting between federal soldiers and Vasquistas at San Pedro on Sunday have reached here. It is stated that 257 rebels were killed, while the federals lost 11 killed and 14 wounded. Two children and seven women were killed by stray bullets.

The heavy loss sustained by the insurgents was due to a ruse on the part of the government troops. They had posted a small skirmish line outside the city. This detachment retreated as it fired, in order to lure their attackers, kept crying "evacuate, evacuate!" to their comrades in the city.

Deceived by this, the rebels rushed into a long, narrow street of the city. Federal troops concealed on roofs and in houses poured a murderous fire on them from their rifles and from two well posted rapid-fire guns which swept the street.

Bodies Litter Streets.

In a few minutes, it is said, two hundred of them were down, their bodies littering the street. An unconfirmed report states that later rebel reinforcements arrived and captured the town, burning the market place. The town of Miquim is headquarters for several small bands, which move in and out, committing acts of brigandage. The Penoles Mining company's smelter was compelled to pay 2000 pesos for immunity from attack, it is said. Peons who wished to share

LOCAL ELKS WILL HAVE BIG INITIATION NEXT TUESDAY

The Elks' lodge of this city will on next Tuesday evening initiate into its order a large class of residents from Millers and Hawthorne. Besides the candidates, who desire the privilege of wearing the antlers, a goodly number of Elks from Manhattan and Millers will be present to witness their friends "get theirs." At this regular meeting the nomination for officers for the ensuing year will be made. A "big eat" will follow the initiation. All members and visiting brothers are earnestly requested to be present next Tuesday evening.

FREE DANCE TOMORROW NIGHT.

The proprietors of the Terezo hotel will give one of their Sunday evening dances in the hotel dining room. Good music has been secured for the occasion. A musical program will also be rendered. A free lunch will be served to the guests.

NEXT MONDAY IS "NEVADA INVITATION DAY"

Monday, February 26, is "Nevada Invitation Day." The Southern Pacific company has had printed many thousands of post cards showing typical Nevada scenes. On each card is an invitation to "Come to Nevada and Be Happy." If you have friends or relations in the east who would like to come to Nevada, invite them by sending one of these cards. The Southern Pacific is furnishing the cards free. The chamber of commerce, board of trade, or the Southern Pacific agent in your city will give them to you on Monday. The pictures on these cards will be representative of your section and when you send these cards east you will be boosting for your own particular territory. There is a detachable return card with each postal, so place your name and address on it so that your eastern friends can answer and tell you what Nevada has that they are interested in.

SCHMIDT CHILD IS IMPROVING RAPIDLY

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Schmidt, who is ill with pneumonia, is reported this afternoon as improving a little. His fever is three degrees lower than yesterday. The attending physicians give much hope for a speedy recovery.

OPPOSING INFLUENCES.

"That was an annoying coincidence," said Mr. Bliggins. "It took great tact to manage it." "What's the trouble?" "The pension examiner and the life insurance doctor both called on me at the same time."—Exchange.

GOVERNOR TO BE ASKED TO SEND A MESSAGE TO THE LEGISLATURE ON LINES OF RETRENCHMENT

Both Political Parties Are a Unit On the Determination to Stop the Great Leakage In the State Funds---Investigation Into State Affairs Will Be Investigated.

CARSON CITY, Feb. 24.—The bill introduced yesterday by Senator Coryell of Elko, authorizing a \$200,000 bond issue to be taken up by the state school fund, passed the senate this morning. A similar bill was introduced in the house this morning and has been referred to the ways and means committee to consult with the senate and report Monday.

It is thought that there is little opportunity for further action on the bill today.

The house ways and means committee will at once request the governor to submit a message asking for retrenchment in state offices. This the governor must do, as both parties are determined that the enormous expense of maintaining all the offices is exorbitant and unnecessary, and the squandering of taxpayers' money must cease.

This session of the legislature is to accomplish much good; no

politics is to be played. The session is to be one of business, and the leakage of public funds plugged up.

The governor will also be asked to send a message to the legislature asking that the state books be exported and the various bills of the board of control passed upon be investigated.

Letters are coming in from all over the state by members of both political parties asking that a thorough investigation of public business be gone into and the people advised where the appropriations made by the last legislature have gone and how expended.

The republicans and democrats of both houses are united on one plan—that of investigation and the saving of the state from further useless waste of funds. Both parties are a unit on all questions regarding the deficiency, its cause and the cutting down of state expenses.

YOUNG ELKO BOY LOSES EYE WHEN TOY GUN EXPLODES

ELKO, Feb. 24.—By the bursting of a toy cannon which he had made with which to celebrate the birthday of George Washington, George Steninger, aged 13, yesterday lost the sight of his left eye, and received an injury to the right eye which will impair its sight. In addition to these injuries his face is badly powder burned. The cannon burst at the breech. George is the second member of the Steninger household to be injured in the past ten days. Recently his six-year-old brother, in stooping to drive a cat from the room, came in contact with a red hot stove. In addition to being unable to sit down for several days, he is permanently branded with the words "St. Louis."

BUSINESS MEN TO HELP PROSECUTE GAMBLING CASE

ELKO, Feb. 24.—At a meeting of the representative business men of Elko, held yesterday, it was decided to favor and lend all the aid possible to a vigorous prosecution of the charge of gambling against Jack Maher.

Maher's trial is to start next Monday before Judge Taber. Sixty trial jurors have been summoned and it is thought that several extra venirees will have to be drawn before a jury is secured.

Maher was arrested last summer in company with 11 other men. They were caught playing roulette and faro in the rear of a local saloon, the raid being made by Constable Harris, several deputies and the district attorney.

Two of the men were later placed on trial, and after the case had occupied several weeks, the jury returned a verdict of "not guilty."

BASKET BALL LAST EVENING WAS A TIE

The University Preparatory department basketball team and the Tonopah High school team played a fast and exciting game of basketball last evening, in the Miners' Exchange hall. Both teams were greatly handicapped by the canvas on which the game was played. The roughness of play which was apparent throughout the game being in a large measure due to the canvas slipping on the polished floor. The game was very fast, and gave the impression of being much rougher than it really was. Captain Bernard, of the visitors, was their star forward. His clean, open shooting and his good open play surely deserve mention. Steinbit, the other forward, proved a good second to his captain and played well throughout. The work of the guards and center on the Preparatory team was very good. It was due to the efforts of Hovey and Jepson at guard and Richardson at center that Tonopah did not score offener.

The Tonopah guards showed a great improvement over their game at Goldfield and kept their men covered in good shape. Richardson and Nelson proved a fairly even match at center and the two big fellows were in every play. The game was called a tie after the second half had gone two minutes over time. The score being twenty to twenty at the end of the half.

A torn canvas and the fastness of play led both teams to become over anxious and some rough play, which could have been overlooked, was the result. While neither side started the rough work intentionally the coaches of both teams felt the game should end and called time. The Preps proved themselves thoroughly clean players, and after a double foul had been committed the Preps made a basket while Tonopah failed to tally, they still remaining a tie. The game was then called off at the request of Mr. Ross, coach of the visitors, and Mr. Scott of the High school.

Summary—Preps: Bernard and Steinbit, forwards; Richardson, center; Hovey and Jepson, guards.

High school—Harrington and Flood, forwards; Nelson, center; Butler, "Spot" Harrington and Pengelly, guards.

Score—Goals from floor: Bernard, 4; Harrington, 2; Flood, 2; Steinbit, 3; Pengelly, 2; Hovey, 2; Jepson, 1; Nelson, 1. Fouls—Harrington, 2; Bernard, 1.

JOHNNY KILBANE IS THE FEATHERWEIGHT CHAMPION

New Champion Is Born to the Featherweight Class --- 10,000 People See Attell Go Down to Defeat---5000 Are Turned Away.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.—A new champion was born to pugilism in the Vernon arena yesterday when Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland, O., decisively outfought, outgamed and outpunched Abe Attell in their 20-round contest, and at the close was awarded the featherweight title by Referee Charles Eytton. Kilbane led from start to finish and at no time was the result in doubt. Nearly ten thousand persons were jammed into the arena, which ordinarily seats 8400. Fully 5000 others were turned away at the gates. It was the greatest crowd that ever viewed a prize fight in Los Angeles. The receipts amounted to approximately \$25,000. The men fought for a purse of \$10,000, of which Attell was to receive \$6500, win, lose or draw, and Kilbane \$3500. Besides they agreed to divide evenly 50 per cent of the moving picture privilege.

Attell was clearly outfought. His boasted speed and wonderful cleverness were not in evidence. Kilbane made him look like a novice in nearly every round. In but one round, did Attell have a lead, and this was not by any means as decisive as that of Kilbane in the remaining rounds.

Attell brought the wrath of the big crowd upon his head by foul tactics. Time and again he would hold Kilbane's arms in a clinch, and once, in the eighth, he grabbed Kilbane's left arm with both hands and tried to bend it back. In the third he "beeled" the Cleveland boy while in a clinch, and in nearly succeeding round, his work called forth loud boos and hisses from the spectators. In the seventh, when after rushing into a clinch, to avoid Kilbane's merciless tattoo on his face and body, Attell butted the Cleveland boy with his head, opening a great gash over Kilbane's left eye, from which the blood spurted profusely.

At the beginning of the sixteenth round, Referee Eytton stopped the fight and grabbed a towel, thoroughly wiped off Attell's body. It was seen to be covered with some greasy substance. Attell protested, but the referee paid no attention to him.

Kilbane's work was a revelation to his friends. Entering the ring with the odds 2 to 1 against him, he never faltered for an instant. He was lightning fast with both his

hands and feet. A straight left jab to Attell's nose or sore eye was his favorite blow. He would send this in and then like a flash, cross with his right to the other side of Attell's head and then jump back out of harm's way. Attell seemed wild all through the fight, but this was due as much to Kilbane's footwork as to any other cause.

As early as the third or fourth round it was seen that Kilbane was winning, and, coolness personified, he continued his line of battle, never varying, and refusing all traps set by the wary Attell.

Time and again the bewildered champion tried to corner the Cleveland boy, but Kilbane's speed was bewildering, and Attell's actions plainly showed it.

The decision of Referee Eytton was received with a wild whoop. Kilbane was carried from the building on the shoulders of his friends.

"I want to telephone to Mary," he said, meaning Mrs. Kilbane. Attell, tired, his face drawn and bleeding, left the ring alone. As he reached the edge of the platform, he said to a friend, "Well, I had to stand for it; I couldn't do any better."

Kilbane's Ring History.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 23.—Two years ago Johnny Kilbane the new featherweight champion scarcely was known outside of Cleveland. He had been a contestant in minor bouts since 1905, but it was not until the fighting game opened in several northern Ohio towns in the winter of 1909-10 that he really began to attract attention.

First Kilbane met and conquered the best boys in this vicinity. Then importations were made from the east and west. When Tom McCarey, in 1910 promulgated his elimination contest at Los Angeles, by which was to be decided who of the native featherweights should have the right to meet Abe Attell for the championship, he was the logical entrant.

Kilbane decisively defeated Joe Rivers, Patsey Kline and Frankie Conley, his closest rivals, thus earning the right to meet Attell in the battle for the championship.

Johnny Kilbane was born and reared in Cleveland. He will be 22 years old on April 18. He is married and has a baby daughter. His habits are of the best. He is the support of his blind father.

County Clerk Robert Pohl today issued a marriage license to Patrick Abern and Minnie O'Kerman, both of Manhattan.