

GREAT MARBLE TRIBUTE TO BENITO JUAREZ IS UNVEILED

GOVERNOR OF CHIHUAHUA PRESENT

Parades, Dance, Banquet and Breakfast in Honor of the Visiting Officials.

MUNICIPAL PALACE CORNERSTONE LAID

New Library and Hospital Also Dedicated - Many Americans Are Present.

When Jose Maria Sanchez, governor of Chihuahua, pulled the rope to unveil the statue of Benito Juarez, which tops one of the most beautiful monuments of North America, only a portion of the great patriot's bronze figure was exposed and the governor's tugging at the rope was of no avail.

Thousands of upturned faces saw the huge arm of brass and tin shoot into the air heavenward as the red, white and green veil slipped from the figure, but only half of the figure was exposed, and it seemed that the metal man held fast the colors of his country by some strange animation of mineral, not man.

And as the crowds saw, one thought flashed through hundreds of minds, Mexican minds, fraught with the stimulus of patriotism, "Benito Juarez, patriot and reformer, so loved the tricolor flag of green, red and white, that even his bronze reproduction refuses to give it up." And then when at last the veil fell after many minutes of pulling at the rope, the statue seemed to say to those present day Mexicans: "Well, take it, if you must, but guard it well."

Feting Week's Finale.
Ceremonies held Sunday morning in Ciudad Juarez at the unveiling of the handsome statue, and the inauguration of many centenary improvements of the border city, were fitting finale of the week of festival. With Jose Maria Sanchez, governor of Chihuahua, as chief officiant and with him many prominent officials of the state capital, the day was noteworthy for the city, only rivaled by the Taft-Diaz meeting.

A long procession of societies, school children, and officials, handsome floats, bands and boy soldiers developed shortly after the governor's arrival on the morning National railway train. He was met at the Juarez station by local officials and the Third Cavalry band, but immediately was whisked across the river in an automobile to El Paso. At the Harvey house, the governor, his staff and guests and Juarez officials, breakfasted, immediately returning to Juarez.

Impressive Formation.
Formation at the monument was impressive. As the procession arrived, the various divisions formed at either side of the speakers stand, where sat officials. Seats arranged between the stand and the monument on the newly laid concrete walk afforded seats for many spectators and the school children who arrived in military formation.

After music by the El Paso Municipal band, led by conductor Medina of the Juarez city band, Manuel Rocho Chabre, a city of Chihuahua man, read a speech by attorney Setero I. Acutire, representative of the state patriotic committee, on account of an indisposition was unable to accompany the governor. Engineer Romulo Escobar, of the Juarez Agricultural college, touched many a heart string in his address which followed.

"Children passing will learn of that man, workmen will try to imitate him, and governments will learn how to address which followed.

GIRL KILLS FATHER AND HER UNCLE; LAYS IT TO NEGRO
Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 19.—The story of a criminal assault on a young white girl and the atrocious murder of her father and uncle by a negro, who was said to have escaped, was found to be vagaries of the mind of a girl mentally deranged, when Ebby Sheppard, aged 16, confessed to the Kay county authorities that she manufactured the tale, after having killed her relatives herself.

HEAVY FLOODS IN TEXAS
Kingsville, Texas, Sept. 19.—Although the Rio Grande is still reported rising at Brownsville and Mercedes, no material damage is expected from the additional flood.

MINES CLOSE; MEN HUNT A NEGRO

Girl Is Assaulted in Colorado and Assailant May Be Headed for El Paso.

DALHART OFFICERS SEARCHING FOR HIM

Walsenburg, Colo., Sept. 19.—Practically all work in the mines at Pictou and Midland, coal camps, 16 miles west of here, is at a standstill, while the miners are scouring the country for Henry Wortham, a half breed negro and Cherokee Indian, who is charged with assault upon Anne Hawkins, the eighteen-year-old daughter of the Maitland hotel keeper, last night.

OLD SOLDIERS IN REUNION GATHER

G. A. R. Encampment May Ask for Reunion of North and South.

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 19.—Activities of the encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic began today when the national headquarters were formally opened on Ocean Pier at the foot of Tennessee avenue.

LEGISLATURE STOPS RAILWAY BUILDING

Citizens of Waco to Hold Mass Meeting to Protest at New Law.

Waco, Texas, Sept. 19.—A meeting of officials and others interested, will take place here Thursday to discuss the issuing of \$20,000,000 in bonds of the Texas Central railroad for the purpose of building several hundred miles extension.

GIRL DIES; MAN ARRESTED.
Paris, Texas, Sept. 19.—Sidney Wright, arrested in connection with the death of an Ellis county girl, from premature child birth, was placed in jail here pending the arrival of the officers from Waxahatchie.

ACCIDENT ON COUNTY ROAD KILLS BOY

Little Johnny Hill Crushed and Burned With Steam, Dying in a Few Hours.

FATHER OF LAD IS ALSO INJURED

Johnnie Hill, aged 4, dead. John C. Hill, cut and bruised. Mrs. Morrow, slightly injured. R. H. Morrow, slightly injured. Mrs. John C. Hill, suffering from nervous fright.

Will Make Tour of Country in Interest of Suppressing White Slave Traffic.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 19.—One of the most important movements looking to the suppression of the "white slave" traffic on the North American continent will be inaugurated on Sept. 23, when twenty of the leading reformers in this country will start from this city on a tour of western United States and Canada.

FEATHER FORGETS OWN INJURIES.
Unmindful of his own injuries, hurried to a nearby ranchhouse, where his son immediately bathed him in machine oil from the engine. The almost boiling water from the radiator of the engine had seeped out of the top and had immersed the boy from his hips down. An ambulance call was telephoned to the city and the sufferer brought to the Providence hospital, where he was given emergency relief.

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COLORADO NOW WANTS TO REDUCE ENGLE DAM CAPACITY 80 PERCENT

Purity Workers Coming To El Paso



Principal officers of the American Purity Federation and reformers who will conduct a nation wide campaign against the white slave traffic. At the top beginning at the left are: Prof. T. W. Shannon, of Fredericktown, Mo., one of the best known social workers in the south; Judge Ben Lindsay, of Denver, vice president of the American Purity Federation, and B. S. Steadwell, president of the organization, and head of the present movement. Below beginning at the left are: Emma F. A. Drake, M. D., of Denver, Colo., a well known social worker in the west; and Mrs. A. B. Sims, of Des Moines, Ia., known as the converted whist champion.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 19.—Although the weather was unfavorable for the bold undertaking, Mr. Weyman, American, and George Chauvez, a Peruvian, attempted their across-the-Alps aeroplane flight today. Both failed but until they had given pretty exhibitions of flying that promised success in fair weather.

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SITUATION IS SERIOUS FOR VALLEY

Meeting Tuesday Night at Chamber of Commerce to Arrange for More Delegates.

COLORADO PREPARING TO FORCE ATTACK

Asserts Reclamation Service Has No Right to Claim Any of the Waters Rising in or Flowing Through State.

Colorado is preparing to make a tremendous fight at Pueblo before the National Irrigation congress, the primary object being to get the storage capacity of the Engle dam cut down from 2,200,000 acre feet to only 450,000 acre feet, or only one-fifth the storage deemed imperatively necessary by the engineers of the reclamation service.

MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT
A mass meeting is called at the chamber of commerce Tuesday night at 8 o'clock, with a view to informing our people upon the very serious movement in Colorado intended to interfere with the Rio Grande reclamation project, and in order to arrange for 20 or 30 more active and public-spirited citizens to go to Pueblo for the National Irrigation congress where the fight will break loose. A large attendance is urged.

Colorado's Strong Delegation.
The Colorado delegation includes senators and ex-senators, leading lawyers and prominent representatives of the state of Colorado, the cities, the chambers of commerce, real estate exchanges, the societies of civil engineers and the irrigation corporations and railroads interested in defeating the project for reclaiming the lands in this lower valley.

Colorado's Feinze Contention.
The waters of the Rio Grande in Colorado belong primarily to Colorado, is the declaration in resolutions passed last Friday night by the Colorado delegation in caucus at Denver. This in the face of the fact that the United States government many years ago appropriated all the unappropriated waters of the river for the benefit of the Engle project, and in face of the fact that prior rights by appropriation and use exist in hundreds of cases along this part of the stream, paramount to any claims late applicants in Colorado may have.

Unveiled Hostility.
Other points brought out in the resolutions of the Colorado delegation, which will fight along the lines of this radical program at Pueblo next week, are as follows:
"The government has no authority to take away the waters of the Rio Grande river in Colorado and give them to New Mexico and Texas, depriving the residents of the San Luis valley of water that is absolutely necessary for the reclamation of this district."

Effort Made by American and Peruvian to Scale Mountain, But Quit.
Chauvez ascended in great spirals to a height of 7,544 feet, within 850 feet of his world's record, when he caught a violent wind at the summit of Simpson Pass.

Obscured by heavy clouds he decided to return rather than chance a landing among the rocks.
Weyman ascended about 1,700 feet, where he encountered baffling winds, and he, too, descended.
To clear Simpson Pass it will be necessary for the aviators to maintain an altitude of 7,000 feet during the first half hour of the flight.
The distances to be covered is 75 miles.

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