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FRESH VEGETABLES

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Washington and Boys Give Dramatic Rendition.

TOO REALISTIC FOR ONE.

Son Who Sees an Enemy Advance on Father, He Asserts, and Does Not Kill That Person, is Not Fit to Be Fed for Worms.

Nashville, March 12.—After speaking for eleven hours and fifteen minutes in behalf of the Coopers and Sharp, General Washington concluded at 11:15 o'clock Friday.

For the third time General Washington described the tragedy. He had the assistance of a messenger.

"You are Carmack," he exclaimed. Washington seized an automatic revolver, crouched down with flaming eyes and hissing mustache. The boy now frightened began to back away as he stealthily advanced. Those present laughed and the judge did also. "The son who sees his father's enemy, revolver in hand, and does not kill that enemy, as he would a mad dog is not fit to be fed for worms," the attorney declared.

Something distracted Washington's attention and he wandered off into the testimony of a witness who found the empty shell. The boy took advantage of the digression to escape and when the attorney turned around to shoot "Carmack" the latter was missing. "Now let's see where Robin Cooper was." Another boy came in and Washington grabbed him. "You are Robin now," he said. "Carmack sees you. Bang! Bang! Two shots. Why does he not shoot Robin again? Because Robin shot him and he is dead. There is no dispute as to where Robin stood. There is no dispute that Carmack fired directly into Robin's face. The deadly blood thirsty weapon of Carmack was thrust into the boy's face, and helped him. He fired twice. "Thanks to the thickness of Robin's tie and the stiffness of his collar and thanks to fate, Robin was not to die.

"I want to direct your attention to James C. Bradford. He enters the case the morning of the tragedy at the Maxwell House, when the governor telephoned to him and at once his good offices were apparent in an effort to avert the tragedy. Yet these hungry, starving lawyers for the moment hungry and starving for facts, would have you believe that this splendid lawyer, this Christian gentleman, this savior of an aristocratic old family, suddenly became a raging he devil, thirsting for blood and plotting murder."

General Washington read a part of the testimony of John J. Vertrees, concerning his conversation with Judge Bradford, about the note Cooper had written to Carmack. He urged that every line of Vertrees' testimony proved Bradford's one object was to prevent any kind of trouble. "Then he passed on to Adjutant General Tully Brown. "If you but look back years ago, you can hear the roar of artillery, and see serried lines. Ammunition is exhausted, the fate of the day is at stake; the hard-fisted boy, mounted on a foam-flecked horse, rides madly down the line, his hands each loaded with ammunition, and saves the day for the men in gray. I tell you Brown is as much a hero as Hobson was. Yet they say he lied."

Again and again, he declared, Robin Cooper had a right to shoot Carmack like a dog. Again and again, he declared Carmack was a coward; that he hid behind Mrs. Eastman, trying to get his revolver into position for action.

A deputy then brought in some law books and the attorney read decisions on self-defense, overt acts, the mental condition of defendants and other material facts that enter into the case were quoted.

Eddie President's Physician.
Washington, March 12.—Major Guy Eddie of the United States army medical department, who accompanied President Taft around the world on his now famous tour, is to be the president's family physician, according to a well founded rumor. He will replace Rear Admiral Rixey, who served as physician to Presidents McKinley and Roosevelt.

Railroad Expert Dies.
Washington, March 12.—Jesse N. Smith, auditor of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and railroad expert, died here, aged sixty-two.

STUDY OF TARIFF.

Speedy Passage of Measure to Be Attempted.

Washington, March 12.—Republican senators on the committee on finance will begin a systematic study of the new tariff bill as soon as copies are obtained. They feel the importance of pressing the measure to a speedy determination.

Senator Aldrich, as chairman of the committee, said he would make an effort to have the bill reported as soon as possible after its passage by the house.

"The bill cannot, of course, be officially considered by the committee as a whole, until after it has been passed by the house and transferred to the senate in the usual formal manner. It is believed, however, the house will want a few changes in the bill after it is reported from the ways and means committee.

Republican members of the senate committee on finance feel that they will have in the house bill as good a basis for operations as they will have after that measure has received the consideration of the house itself.

It is expected many changes will be made in the senate and most of them will be suggested by the finance committee.

STANDS BY OFFER.

Promoter McIntosh Will Put Up Fifty Thousand Dollars.

New York, March 12.—Hugh McIntosh, who promoted the world's championship prize fight between Johnson and Burns, in Sydney, arrived on the steamer Mauretania from Liverpool. McIntosh announced he was leaving Australia, he had a purse of \$50,000 to offer for a fight between Johnson and Jeffries if the two men consent to fight for the world's championship in Australia. McIntosh now says he will be satisfied for the contest to take place in either England, France or Australia, but preferred England.

McIntosh said his sole purpose in coming here was to see Jeffries and try to induce him to take on Johnson. His offer of the \$50,000 purse stood, he declared. "I am satisfied Jeffries can be trained and brought into a fit condition for a fight," said McIntosh. "For him to enter the ring with Johnson, without being in the best of condition, however, would be extremely foolish, for Johnson is a wonderful fighter."

Over Three Thousand Feet.

Fredericksbach, March 12.—The Zeppelin airship, which went up from Lake Constance, Friday morning attained an altitude of over 3,000 feet, the record height for steerable balloons. Varied and difficult maneuvers carried it to this height with great success.

Bowling Record Broken.

Pittsburg, March 12.—The world's record for two men bowling teams was broken Friday by Al Schwegler, and Tony Schwegler of Madison, Wis., when they rolled 1,204. The previous record, 1,254, was held by Chalmers and Kiene, of Chicago.

Beveridge Undergoes Operation.

Baltimore, March 12.—United States Senator Beveridge of Indiana underwent an operation at Johns Hopkins hospital. While it was a delicate one, the operation was said to be not of a serious character.

Oldest Woman in Iowa Dead.

Des Moines, March 12.—Mrs. Ruth C. Pheasant, a noted character of this city, is dead, aged 102 years. She was the oldest person in the state. She was born in Tyson county, Virginia, Aug. 12, 1807.

Cowardly Crime.

Pineville, Ky., March 12.—Robbers, after beating David Smith and wife into insensibility at their home near here, robbed them of \$52. They are eighty years old. Mrs. Smith is in a critical condition. Bloodhounds were set on the miscreant's trail.

Burns to Water's Edge.

Queenstown, Md., March 12.—Chesapeake bay steamer Love Point, Captain Clark, belonging to the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway company, burned to the water's edge, while lying at her wharf at Love Point. No lives were lost.

SEVERAL FINALLY PASS.

Both Senate and House Dispose of Many Bills.

Austin, March 12.—The house passed finally the three juvenile court bills. They provide that persons under sixteen years of age charged with a misdemeanor or felony shall be sent to a school for the training of juveniles and transforming the state reformatory at Gatesville into the state juvenile training school.

The house passed finally the bill merging the Wichita Falls lines; also the Texarkana and Corpus Christi charter bills.

On motion of Mohrly the house recommended a vote by which a bill creating the office of assistant district attorney was killed and passed it finally.

Strickland and Adams moved to reconsider a vote by which the university was permitted to participate in the Carnegie educational fund for old teachers, recalling riots where laborers were killed by detectives in the employ of the steel magnate, and indicating that Texas was neither indigent nor in need of talented money. No action was taken.

The house finally passed the anti-traffic bill.

At Friday morning's session the senate passed the following bills: House bill exempting firemen from jury service; house bill allowing corporations to have twenty-one directors; house bill carrying into effect the constitutional amendment granting aid to Confederate veterans; house bill allowing cities of 10,000 to adopt a commission form of government by vote of the people without submitting the matter to the legislature; house bill prohibiting shooting squirrels in Montgomery county for a period of three years; house bill levying \$500 occupation tax on dealers in cotton crackers, toy pistols, etc.; house bill requiring trained nurses to obtain a certificate from the State Medical association.

The senate concurred in the house amendments to the bill creating the office of assistant district attorney in counties of 50,000 people; it also concurred in the house amendments to the state training school and juvenile schools bills.

WILL ADVERTISE CITY.

San Antonio Business Men Have So Decided.

San Antonio, March 12.—San Antonio will close a contract with Nelson, Chesman & Co., of St. Louis, to expend \$25,000 in advertising San Antonio and the surrounding country. Already \$5,000 has been raised and business men of the city are actively soliciting funds to make up the remainder, which will soon be secured.

An enthusiastic session of the Business Men's club was held last night. William Clemenin, of the advertising agency made a convincing talk to citizens and business men, pointing out the fact that while San Antonio is well known in the south and southwest, a large percentage of the people north and east never heard of it. To advertise San Antonio to the whole world is the purpose of the present movement.

Rate War Probable.

Fort Worth, March 12.—An ultimatum demanding that steamship lines entering Texas at Galveston increase their rates will be issued by the Texas railroads, according to an announcement. The result will be a rate war on most shipments coming by water. Railroad men say rate would be ruinous.

Attempts Suicide.

Galveston, March 12.—Joseph McMaster, posing as a minister, held on two charges of statutory crimes, attempted suicide in jail by slashing his throat and wrists. The arteries and jugular veins were avoided. He says his young wife deserted him. His alleged victims were in his rescue home.

Will Demand Referendum Vote.

Tulsa, Okla., March 12.—Oklahoma oil operators will demand a referendum vote on the Yeager strain bill passed by both houses, and ready for the governor's signature, restricting pipe lines. They declare in its present form the bill will cripple the industry, and is also ruinous to business interests.

War Rumored Broken Out.

City of Mexico, March 12.—It is persistently rumored here that war has broken out between Nicaragua and Salvador and there has been an engagement between the Salvadoran gunboat Presidente and Nicaraguan gunboat Momotombo. The result is unknown.

Watch Found Near Scene.

McKinney, Tex., March 12.—The watch of Miss Winnie Turner, who was knocked unconscious near Rowlett while on route to school, was found near the scene. This tends to disprove the theory that her assailant was a negro.

Engineer Killed.

Palestine, Tex., March 12.—The engine of an International and Great Northern railway train turned turtle near Palestine, on the Mineola branch. Engineer Louis Pettit was killed. He leaves a widow and child.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of Brazos. In the County Court, Brazos County, Texas.

E. J. Fountain Plaintiff vs. W. H. Bell and Wm. Koppe, Defendants.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Brazos County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 22nd day of October, A. D. 1907, in favor of the said E. J. Fountain and against the said W. H. Bell and Wm. Koppe, No. 1222 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 10th of March, A. D. 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Brazos, State of Texas, and belonging to the said Wm. Koppe, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land in Brazos County, Texas, a part of the James Hope league and two labors titled to him by the Mexican Government on the 10th day of July, 1824, by title No. 96 Vol. I and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the upper corner on the big Brazos River, of a 150 acre tract of land conveyed to Wm. Koppe by deed recorded in Vol. 19 page 448 of the deed records of Brazos County, Texas, at the mouth of gully; thence up said gully with its meanders N 18 E 27 vrs. N 29 1/2 E 17 vrs. N 71 E 35 vrs. N 65 1/2 E 49 vrs. N 72 1/2 E 46 vrs. N 83 E 76 vrs. and corner on a small P. O. Thence S 25 E 46 vrs and corner: Thence N 75 E 190 vrs and corner: a rock post set in ground; Thence W 45 E along N. W. line of said 150 acre tract 424 vrs and corner in center of Koppe's Ferry road; Thence along said road with its meanders S 10 E 222 vrs S 5 1/2 E 106 vrs; S 29 W 200 vrs; S 7 1/2 E 134 vrs; S 10 E 221 vrs; S 1 1/2 W 228 vrs; S 131 1/2 E 315 vrs; S 9 W 226 vrs; S 30 E 287 vrs; S 15 E 674 vrs to the N. W. line of the widow Cook's tract of land and corner in center of Koppe's ferry road on said Cook line; Thence S 45 W along said Cook line 314 vrs and corner with said Cook land; Thence S 45 E along said Cook line 762 vrs and corner with Cook's land; thence N 45 E along said Cook line 373 vrs and corner in center of Koppe's ferry road on said Cook's line; Thence along said road with its meanders S 18 1/2 E 149 vrs; S 2 1/2 W 117 vrs; to foot of Hopes creek bridge; Thence S 18 1/2 E across said bridge 70 vrs to E foot of bridge; Thence S 131 1/2 E 190 vrs and corner; Thence S 43 W 1846 vrs and corner on bank of big Brazos River; Thence up said river with its meanders to the place of beginning

containing five hundred and ninety-nine 47-100 acres of land more or less, and on the 6th day of April A. D. 1905, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Wm. Koppe in and to said property.

Dated at Bryan, this 10th day of March, A. D. 1909.

J. D. CONLEE
Sheriff of Brazos County, Texas.

New Billiard Record.

Kansas City, March 12.—In an exhibition billiard match here Willie Hoppe established a new world's record for the 18.2 billiard game for high runs and average. Winning the bank, he clipped off 329. His average was 290 points running. The former record for a run was 307, made by Hoppe in a match with Scheule in Chicago three years ago.

Both Doing Nicely.

Baltimore, Md., March 12.—Senator Beveridge and Colonel Daniel Ransdell, sergeant-at-arms of the United States senate, both of whom are patients at the Johns Hopkins hospital, are reported to be getting along nicely.

Large Defalcation Charged.

Salt Lake City, March 12.—James Christensen, former state treasurer, who retired from office on Jan. 1; is under arrest on charge of being a defaulter to the amount of \$70,000.

Planning to Reduce Force.

St. Louis, March 12.—It is stated here that the Frisco-Rock Island rail way system is planning to reduce its Texas force 20 per cent.

May Result Fatally.

Beaumont, March 12.—While a train of boxcars were being switched in the Kansas City Southern railway yards the rear car was derailed. It overturned. A. N. Kline, riding on a side ladder, was probably fatally injured.

Considerable Snowfall.

Dallas, March 12.—A telegram from Amarillo stated that at noon Friday snow was over ten inches deep. Several inches are also reported at El Paso.

Typhoid Fever Epidemic.

Madrid, March 12.—A typhoid fever epidemic is raging here. Over 300 patients are in one hospital and there have been many deaths.

Departs For Chicago.

Vancouver, B. C., March 12.—Jack Johnson, the pugilist, left via the Canadian Pacific railway for Chicago.

Twice Voted Down.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 12.—The house of representatives twice voted down woman suffrage members.

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