



"TO THINE OWN SELF BE TRUE, AND IT MUST FOLLOW AS THE NIGHT THE DAY: THOU CANST NOT THEN BE FALSE TO ANY MAN."

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Triplets Named for Candidates.

Washington, Nov. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kyler, of Denison, Texas, sent a telegram to President Taft, received to-day at the White House, announcing the birth of three sons.

William Howard Taft Kyler, Theodore Roosevelt Kyler and Woodrow Wilson Kyler. In the President's name Assistant Secretary Brahany to-day sent a telegram to the parents expressing the wish that the triplets would live long and prosper.

TURKEY CALLS TO THE POWERS.

Porte Has Formally Applied for Mediation—Fear Great Massacre.

Constantinople, Nov. 3.—The Porte has applied to the powers for mediation with a view to the cessation of hostilities and for the negotiation of peace. Application has been made to the embassies here and by circular to the Ottoman representatives in the European capitals.

The Turkish army is retreating to the last line of fortifications outside the capital. This was announced in the first bulletin admitting defeat in the great battle, which the government issued to-night.

Constantinople is in a fever of excitement over the alarming reports from the field of battle. Foreigners and natives alike are suffering from the tension caused by the series of military disasters, and, although the city is in a state of siege, crime in some quarters is unchecked. Many families are leaving the city.

The people fear, first, an outbreak of moslem fanaticism by the turbulent elements, the lower classes, and, second, a rising of hordes of maddened soldiers, who are being driven by the Bulgarians to make their last stand a few miles outside of Constantinople, and then perhaps to fall back on the capital.

Massacre and Pillage Feared.

There is a large and unruly element of the population which would be glad of any pretext for massacre and pillage. The presence of more than 10,000 refugees from the war zone, who have lost all their possessions, adds to the danger of the situation. Rumors are current that the Young Turks Committee may start rioting with the object of overthrowing the government, but there have been no tangible proofs of such a plan. It is doubtful whether a rising would be directed against foreigners as much as native Christians, but the danger to foreigners is very real. If the Turkish army sustains complete defeat the lives and property of thousands of foreigners, as well as native Christians, will be in imminent peril.

Turkey Awaits Powers' Reply.

London, Nov. 4.—The prospect that a considerable portion of the defeated Turkish army will be able to form behind the lines of Tehtatalja, the last fortifications before Constantinople, is not altogether excluded, but it is doubted whether the Turks will be able to maintain there any serious resistance to the Bulgarian advance.

In the struggle with the allies the Turks lost more than half their artillery. In fact, the Servians alone claim to have captured no less than 300 guns. This will certainly militate against any prolonged stand at Tehtatalja.

Nothing from Powers.

Up to the present hour there is no sign that anything has come of the Porte's appeal to the Powers for mediation. No replies have been received at Constantinople and there is little doubt that when they are received they will embody a declination to consider the idea of proposing an armistice. Apparently Bulgaria is in no mood to negotiate peace now.

MEXICAN TOWN WIPE OUT.

Severe Hurricane Sweeps Acapulco, on the Pacific Coast.

San Juan Del Sur, Nicaragua, Nov. 1.—The seaport of Acapulco, on the Pacific coast of Mexico, was virtually destroyed by a severe hurricane on Wednesday night, according to wireless dispatches received here. Four-fifths of the town was shattered and the American consulate was unroofed. No lives were lost, but a number of natives were injured.

Several small crafts in the harbor were wrecked, but the United States cruiser Maryland, which was lying there, was not injured. The United States cruiser Cleveland, which was cruising in the vicinity, did not suffer. Telegraph communication with Acapulco is interrupted.

THINKS IT IS UP TO ROOSEVELT.

Schrank Believes His Victim Bears No Malice—Light Sentence.

Milwaukee, Nov. 1.—Believing that Theodore Roosevelt does not bear malice towards him, John Schrank, would-be slayer of the Colonel, expects to escape with a light sentence.

Schrank confided these expectations to Bernard H. Gottschalk, who occupies a cell near that of the notorious prisoner. Gottschalk is a former resident of New York.

"Theodore Roosevelt is only human, after all," Schrank said, according to Gottschalk. "He was shot and has recovered. Now that it is all over and he has had time for reflection, his better self surely has concluded that I should be pitied and not condemned. When McKinley was shot he showed forgiveness."

"The entire case rests with Roosevelt. I know if he will come here and speak for me and adopt a broad view of the matter I will get a light sentence. His word will settle the whole matter. I should think he would come here when the case is tried."

BIG VICTORY FOR WILSON!

Indications this morning are that Wilson has lead the United Democracy to the most sweeping victory in the history of the party and nation. The following information is conveyed in late dispatches from New York headquarters:

New York, Nov. 5.—The sweeping victory of Woodrow Wilson has exceeded the most sanguine Democratic expectations. He not only polled the solid normal Democratic strength and carried practically all doubtful States by heavy pluralities, but invaded many of the old-time Republican strongholds as well.

New York State, which gave him the biggest Democratic vote in her history, was followed by Maine, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Jersey and Delaware. Maryland was conceded early in the night.

The solid Southern Democratic States, including Virginia, the Carolinas, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas and Texas, all piled up heavy Wilson majorities. Incomplete returns gave the Democrats Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri, Kentucky and Tennessee also.

Among the Western States which Wilson leaders claim are Minnesota, North Dakota, Indiana, Nebraska, Arizona, New Mexico and Wisconsin.

The only States in the whole Union which President Taft seemed sure of carrying at a late hour were Vermont and probably Pennsylvania.

The only States of which the Roosevelt party seemed sure were Illinois, Iowa, Michigan and South Dakota.

It is believed that the complete returns will give Wilson the greatest popular majority any Democrat has received in the history of the nation.

The New York Sun estimates that the Electoral College vote will stand:

WILSON	309
TAFT	110
ROOSEVELT	82

With the returns of the Southern and Eastern States practically all in, and with Woodrow Wilson's election certain beyond a doubt, it appears that the Democrats have made a clean sweep, with the possible exception of Vermont and Pennsylvania. There is a trifle doubt about New Hampshire, but it makes no difference. The Middle Western and far Western States have not begun to report, but private advices indicate that they have fallen in line for Wilson.

However, the result in them will have no bearing on the result, as Wilson is already assured of more than enough electoral votes to elect him.

Taft and Teddy Admit Defeat.

New York, Nov. 6.—Both Mr. Taft and Mr. Roosevelt concede the election of Mr. Wilson, and at midnight last night sent him congratulatory messages.

IN BATTLE WITH ELEMENTS

Lone Survivor Clings to Rigging of Wrecked Craft.

New Inlet Saving Station, N. C., Nov. 2.—A lone survivor of the crew of the New York schooner John Maxwell, driven on the treacherous Hatteras Shoals during the night, while bound from Norfolk to Savannah, and broken in two by a raging sea, clung tenaciously in the rigging of the wreck when darkness fell to-night while life-savers from this and nearby stations watched helplessly for an opportunity to rescue him. A United States battleship from the Southern drill grounds and a revenue cutter to-night are steaming full speed to reach the spot in an attempt to save him.

Six lives had already been lost in the wreck, five of the men having disappeared in the huge waves before dawn to-day. The sixth sailor hung onto the rigging until late this afternoon, when, benumbed by cold and exhausted by the lashing of the waves, he was forced to release his hold and was swept to death in the sea. The lone survivor, through glasses, appeared to be an aged man. An all-day battle was waged by the life-savers, but the tremendous sea and forty-mile gale made it impossible for them to launch their boats.

Repeatedly during the day the life-savers shot a line over the Maxwell, but the man in the rigging apparently was too numbed by cold, or too exhausted, to attach it to the rigging. Failure to get the line fastened so the breeches buoy might be sent out prevented a rescue in this way. The coast guardians again and again tried to put their life-boats to sea, but each time were repulsed by the relentless waves.

It was not until afternoon that the identity of the vessel became known. A piece of wreckage bearing the name was washed ashore. Under the force of the terrific waves the craft broke in two and is fast going to pieces. She will be a total wreck with her cargo of coal.

Capt. Fred Godfrey Saved.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 3.—The sole survivor of the three-masted schooner, John Maxwell, wrecked on the shoals off New Inlet, N. C., is Capt. Frederick Godfrey. The other men on the ill-fated vessel, seven in number, are known to have perished.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Never fails. Buy it now. It may save life.

STATE SENATOR J. B. GREEN.

Noted Confederate Soldier Called to Reward—Loss to State.

Bennettsville, Nov. 3.—Senator John B. Green died at his home here this morning at 11 o'clock. For several days his death had been expected and life had been sustained largely by stimulants. The cause of death was myocarditis. For many years Senator Green had been one of the county's most useful citizens and he held a place in the hearts of every one who knew him that is seldom won by any man. His death is a great loss to the county and State.

As a Confederate soldier, in the summer of '61, John B. Green responded to the call of the State and became a member of Company B, 24th South Carolina Infantry, and with his company was mustered into service in December of that year and assigned to duty at Charleston. In June, 1862, this company became a part of the Confederate forces and was assigned to service with the army of Tennessee. Private John B. Green became captain of his company and at the time of his death had in his keeping the captain's sword carried by the first captain of his company and by the several officers succeeding him, until it was received by him. He was in service at Franklin, Chickamauga, Kennesaw Mountain, Peachtree Creek and on many other hard fought fields, proving himself every inch a soldier.

Capt. Green was elected sheriff in 1892 and assumed the duties of his office on December 13 of that year. On more than one occasion presiding judges declared Sheriff Green to be one of the most efficient sheriffs in the State.

Two years ago, by an almost unanimous call, Sheriff Green tendered his resignation as sheriff and announced his candidacy as State Senator. No one thought of opposing him, and for two years he served the county as its Senator. His record there was that of a broad and fair-minded patriot, desiring and striving to do that which looked for the betterment of his county and State.

No Retreat Service Next Sunday.

Westminster, Nov. 5.—Editor Keowee Courier: Kindly give space to the following notice:

On account of absence from home, I will not fill my regular appointment at Retreat next Sunday, the 10th instant. Congregation please take notice. R. L. Grier.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

November Term Convened in Walhalla Last Monday Morning.

The November term of the Court of General Sessions for Oconee convened here Monday morning, Judge J. W. Devore presiding. Solicitor P. A. Bonham was on hand, ready for the discharge of his duties, as was also Circuit Stenographer Clyde Smith.

There was a large crowd in attendance at the opening of the session, the Court room itself being well filled, and on the grounds around the building little groups of people engaged in conversation were to be seen as usual in spite of the rather cold, raw day.

The Proceedings.

Court was called promptly at 10 o'clock, the jurors polled and everything was ready for business. The first case disposed of was—

The State vs. Sam Blassengame—bastardy. Not prosessed.

The State vs. R. W. Powell—violating dispensary law. Pleaded guilty. Sentenced to pay fine of \$300 or serve six months on public works. Permitted to pay \$75 and balance of sentence suspended during good behavior.

The State vs. Will Evtatt (colored)—larceny of live stock. Pleaded guilty. Sentenced to serve three years on public works of county at hard labor, or like period in State penitentiary.

The State vs. Bennie Watson (colored)—larceny. Found guilty. Sentenced to serve three years on county works at hard labor, or like period in State penitentiary.

The State vs. Harrison Woods—violating dispensary law. Tried in absence. Found guilty on first and seventh counts. Sealed sentence left.

The State vs. J. Robt. Mahoney—malicious mischief. Verdict of not guilty instructed by court.

The State vs. J. H. Patton—assault and battery with intent to kill. Not guilty.

The State vs. Den Whitner—assault and battery with intent to kill. Not guilty.

The State vs. James Greer—murder. Continued.

The State vs. Arthur Williams—forgery. Prosecution withdrawn and case closed.

The State vs. Sam Blassengame and Sam Parks—attempt to produce abortion. Not prosessed.

The State vs. Lee Sigel—violation dispensary law. Not prosessed.

The State vs. Jos. Childs and J. B. Nixon—disposing of property under lien. Not prosessed.

The State vs. Will Tiner—assault and battery with intent to kill. Found guilty of assault and battery. Defendant's attorneys gave notice of motion for new trial. Sentence withheld pending termination of motion.

The case of the State vs. Riley Moore, indicted for rape, is being prepared for trial this morning.

True Bills Returned.

During the session so far, besides the cases acted upon and reported above, the grand jury has handed in true bills in the following cases: Robert Norris and Catherine Hancock—adultery. Jacob Rothell, Earle Long and Ab Long—forgery. J. H. Johnson—disposing of property under lien. Frank Blakeley—bastardy. W. M. Turner, Mrs. W. M. Turner and Jolly Turner—violation of dispensary law.

No Bill

was returned in the case of T. F. Ramey on the charge of disposing of property under lien.

FIRST DEPORTED FROM SOUTH.

Frenchman Sent from Atlanta Never to Return.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 1.—Armand Larjaries, a French white slave trader, who was arrested and put in the Fulton county jail the same day he was released from the Federal prison here, will enjoy the ignominious distinction of being the only white man ever deported out of the United States from the South.

He was rearrested for the special purpose of having him deported, and has been sent to New York under a guard to be put on ship board, and will never be permitted to return to this country.

His crime was the importation of young French girls under the false pretense that he would provide them positions as waitresses. He operated with offices both in New York and Chicago.

The only signs of his former prosperity was a gold-headed cane and a jeweled cigarette case, which he has kept through all his jail experiences.

Mule's Foot Torn Off.

Sumter, Nov. 3.—Friday evening L. D. Jennings, mayor of this city, and a large farmer, lost a mule under most peculiar circumstances. The mule was one of a four-mule team which was bringing a wagon load of cotton pickers in from the field. His foot caught in a railroad switch frog, and before the team could be stopped the other mules had pulled the mule on and the foot was pulled off from the ankle and left in the switch. As the mule was in such a painful and fearful condition Mr. Jennings at once had a veterinary surgeon to chloroform it.