BLOODY RIOT IN WILMINGTON

CITIZENS OF NORTH CAROLINA TOWN TAKE FULL CHARGE.

NEGROES AND WHITES IN BATTLE.

Eight Deaths the Result—Negro Newspaper Office Destroyed By a Committee of White Men.

Following up their success at the polls, the white citizens of Wilmington, North Carolina, held a mass meeting last Wednesday and appointed a committee of twenty-five of the leading business men to wait upon Aleck Manly, editor of The Record, the colored newspaper which published editorials derogatory to white women, and ordered him to leave the town within twenty-four hours and take his newspaper outfit with him.

The time limit expired Thursday morning without an answer from Manly, whereupon the committee of white men repaired to the office of the Record, broke down the door and completely demolished everything in the office. While the destruction of the outfit was going on some one set fire to the building and it was destroyed, although it was not the intention to use the torch.

The publishing house was destroyed but the neighboring property saved. The colored editor, Manly, his brother and their associates fled and could not be found by the citizens.

After destroying the printing house the marchers returned to the armory, where they had left a rapid-fire machine gun, mounted in a wagon, ready to be dispatched to the scene if a battle should occur.

Riot in Another Section.

At 10:30 o'clock the scene shifted to another section of the city. Scarcely had the marchers disbanded at the armory before word was passed along that 300 or 400 negro laborers of the great cotton compress had knocked off work and were assembling. The armed men hurried to the river front and took positions at the head of the streets leading to the docks. The negroes gathered in groups of 15 or 20, huddled together and apparently very much excited. They were soon in a state of panic. Their wives had hurried to them with reports that the whites were burning the negro quarters and were shooting the people, and begged their husbands to come home. So the whole force quit work.

The white leaders endeavored to calm the excited men, told them no harm was intended and advised that they return to work. There was no violent talk nor threats by the negroes. In all the disturbances the local authorities made no show of asserting themselves and not a policeman appeared. The preservation of order was practically vested in the committee of 25. The rapid fire machine gun on a wagon, manned by a crew armed with Winchesters, was brought down in front of the postoffice, but on the advice of the leaders, was halted there.

At 11:30 a. m. serious trouble occurred in the First ward. Two white men and three negroes were killed. Large companies of armed citizens rushed to the scene. Near by cities were telegraphed to for help.

About 1:30 o'clock two white men passing a house were fired on. A detachment immediately surrounned the house and took away five negroes. It was at first proposed to kill them on the spot, but it was finally decided to put them in jail. Another negro in the house broke and ran. After proceeding half a square he was shot dead.

City Under New Government.

A later special received from Raleigh states that Thursday night the city of Wilmington was in the hands of a new municipal government, and law and order is being established. Thursday afternoon the board of aldermen resigned one by one. As each alderman vacated, the remainder elected a successor named by the citizens' committee, until the entire board was changed legally. They resigned in response to public sentiment. The new board is composed of conservative democratic citizens. The mayor and chief of police then resigned, and the new board elected their successors, according to law.

Ex-Representative Waddell was elected mayor and E. G. Parmlee chief of police. The first act of the new government was to swear in 250 special policemen, chosen from the most reputable white citizens. They are vested with all the authority, and will take possession of the city. The white citizens will remain on guard, however, throughout the town, to prevent possible attempts at incendiarism. The new government will devote its attention to restraining the feeling among the whites, as well as to keeping down lawlessness among the negroes. Further trouble of a serious nature is not expected.

Adventures of a Coin.

"If an old coin could only talk what strange adventures it might tell," remarked a Canal street druggist, twirling a silver piece he had just received from a customer. "Now, this half dollar was coined in 1848, the year the great gold craze began in California, and I should say by its looks that it has been in pretty constant circulation ever since. Think what a volume of trade that represents. If it purchased its face value only once a day, which is certainly a modest estimate, it has done well on to $10,000 worth of business in the half century it has been going the rounds. That's quite a record, isn't it? And I dare say that curious things have happened to it in its journeyings. It has been borrowed and stolen and lost and lent; it has been hoarded by misers and squandered by prodigals, and who knows how often it has been the last coin in the pocket of a suicide? It must have lain on gaming tables and rattled in church boxes and held down the eyelids of the dead. There is no telling in what far away countries it has traveled, and what fantastic foreign things it may have bought. I never finger one of these old coins without a certain sense of awe and an inclination to stop, no matter how busy I may be, and do a little day dreaming over its history."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Hardships of Army Life.

From the Press, Milroy, Ind.

One of the first to offer their services for the country in the Civil War was A. R. Sefton, of Milroy, Rush Co., Ind. He made a good record. The life of every soldier is a hard one, and Mr. Sefton's case was no exception. "We were in Tennessee, penned in on all sides. Our rations were very scarce," said he, "and we had begun to go on quarter allowance, and as the rain was not enough to replenish the wells or streams, our canteens went empty. We were hurried on, and the only way to quench our thirst was to go down on our hands and knees and drink from the hoof tracks made by the horses.

Our Canteens Were Empty.

"Some of us were taken sick from the effects of this. I was laid up several weeks in a field hospital from fever. From that time I was always afflicted more or less.

"About four years ago I became much worse. Our family doctor seemed puzzled over my case, and it began to look as if there was no hope for my recovery, and that the inevitable end was near.

"Last November I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The physicians said they were an excellent medicine, but would do no good in my case. But I tried them, and am glad I did, for I became better at once. Eight boxes taken according to directions cured me. I used the last of the pills about a year ago, and have not been troubled with my ailments since."

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Why the English Are Brave.

Sir Walter Besant comments upon the Frenchman's view of the English thus: "Just after reading the latest accounts of the battle of Omdurman, I was turning over the pages of a French traveler in England. He allows the great courage of the English nation; to this quality he pays the just tribute of admiration. But he accounts for it in a remarkable and unexpected manner. You will be surprised, dear reader, to learn that our fellows fought so well at Atbara and at Omdurman because—unless the national character is completely changed—they are possessed of the English melancholy. We are so sad that we care nothing about our lives. We are all like that soldier of Antigonous, who was the admiration of the army for his intrepidity. The King, observing that he was of a pale and sickly appearance, sent him to the physicians who removed a painful disorder. Alas! his valor ceased; as soon as he could enjoy life, he desired to prolong it. My traveler also informs me that the Chevalier Bayard, the bravest of his countrymen, was always ill; while Richard Coeur de Lion, the renowned, became the Hammer of Islam while he was suffering horribly and continually from a quartan fever. Had he recovered and escaped the arrow of Gourdon, that glorious Captain would perhaps have become a poltroon. After this, it will not surprise us to hear that the Sidar's army was composed entirely of troops suffering from melancholia or toothache."

An Arizona Hair Cut.

"Doesn't it disturb you when they have a shooting scrape next door?" asked the tenderfoot who was undergoing an Arizona hair cut. "Disturb nothing?" answered the barber. "It gener'ly makes it easier."

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Football Fatalities.

The football season seems to have opened up with harmless brilliancy.

Only three deaths have resulted from football, so far, for 1898.

But all the returns are not yet in.

Matthew F. Anderson, a student at Wyoming seminary, Kingston, Pa., has just died from injuries received while playing this exhilarating game on the Seminary team against Dickinson college, at Carlyle, last Saturday. This victim is No. 3 for the season.

The first was William Howell, of Omaha, Neb., who on October 2d, was hurt in the spine in a football game and died the next day. Two weeks later Robert Coveney, of Boston, only seventeen, received similar injuries on Franklin field, dying the following day.

All of these men were in good physical condition, until they went forth to battle, and gave up the ghost while engaged in this gentle and enjoyable pastime.

Three L's Valuable at Sea.

Marine underwriters have been hit hard by recent disasters, and they propose to urge upon the masters of ships the necessity of saying daily on shipboard what is known as the three "L's" in the "sailor's maxim," which reads in part: "I believe in the lead, as it warns me against dangers which the eye cannot see. I believe in the log, as it checks my distance run. I believe in the lookout, as it warns me against dangers to be seen."

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