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## The American Code

It Did Not Please French Duelists

### By George C. Conant

More than half a century ago, when railroads were first beginning to be built in America, there were no railroad kings to finance them. Those in the west especially were paid for by the farmers living along the proposed line, who subscribed each for a small lot of the stock. Zeke Tuttle, a Kentucky farmer's

boy, returned from the war between the United States and Mexico, where the American fashion. Good mornin'." be had served as a volunteer in a rifle corps composed chiefly of hunters, to find a railroad projected that was to close to his father's farm, Zeke became much interested in the proposed road, which would enable his father to get his products to market and thus utilize them. The young man was a good talker and made a tour along the route that had been laid down by the engineers, for the purpose of persuading the farmers to subscribe for the stock of the company.

He'met with remarkable success. This was owing to a natural gift he possessed for demonstrating the advantages that the railroad would bring to the farmer rather than to any especial money out of the woolen stocking in which be kept it and put it into the NOTICE OF SALE OF IMPOUNDED | shares of the road. When sufficient track had been laid to warrant a mortgage those interested began to look Notice is hereby given that the about for funds to be obtained in this following stock found running in the way. At that time 7 per cent was the city of Ashland, county of Jackson, prevailing rate of interest in America. which was much higher than that paid abroad. It was therefore decided to by the undersigned for cash to the, attempt to place the stock of the road in Europe. When the directors came to look about them for a man to demonstrate the enterprise to foreigners they naturally pitched upon Zeke Tuttle for the purpose

Zeke accepted the work offered-he was to receive his expenses and a commission-and, making the journey to New York by stagecoach, canal and | Manager of the Courier des pounds; branded with inverted V on other primitive methods of conveyance. crossed the ocean in a sailing vessel and one day appeared in Paris with his charts and printed information setting I'll give your fighting editor a choice be-forth the advantages of his railroad. forth the advantages of his railroad.

He found certain bankers who were so favorably impressed with his arguments that they consented to offer his bonds to the public. One day while they were making their preparations to open the subscription books a man called on Mr. Tuttle and solicited an advertisement of the sale for his paper. the Courier des -. Tuttle declined to advertise.

The next morning an article appeared in the Courier des - warning persons not to subscribe for the bonds of the American railway since the road had not yet been built.

Unless this article were retracted by the newspaper that published it Tuttle's scheme for placing his bonds would be a failure. He called at once at the office of the Courier des - and asked to see the manager. Tuttle was a long, gaunt, rawboned American of the backwoods type, dressed in store clothes he had bought for the occasion. The manager was a carefully dressed Frenchman of aristocratic mien. An interpreter was called, and Zeke entered a protest against what he called blackmail. The manager said something in French to the interpreter, who asked Tuttle to follow him and led him to the office of an elegantly dressed man who sat in a luxurious chair reading one of Alexandre Dumas' novels. The interpreter said something in French to this gentleman, then said to

"This is M. Cavillac, ze fighting editor of our journal. You having insulted us by accusing us of levying blackmail upon you, I have been instructed to bring you here zat you may repeat your charge if you so choose to

"I don't talk any French," replied the westerner, "but that's what we call such rascally proceedings in pure American."

The reply was transmitted to M. Cavillac, who gave the following rejoinder to Mr. Tuttle:

"This journal, like others, is liable to print something that will displease ome one. For the purpose of satisfying such or defending its honor a gen-POMMELSLICKER ing such or defending its honor a gentieman is appointed to receive and give challenges to and from those who are offended or offend. Since you have applied an offensive epithet to what has been said in the columns of this paper M. Cavillac begs that you will do him the honor of giving him satisfaction in

mortal combat." "Well, I'll be jinged!" was Tuttle's exclamation. "I'm goldurned if I haven't a mind to satisfy him by slapping his jaw."

"Zat would be out of order," said the interpreter. "He is armed and would shoot you."

For a moment Tuttle was thrown, so to speak, on his beam ends, but he soon rallied. "What kind of a mortal combat is it?

Bowie knives?" "What you call zat? It is not known in Paris. But I have to inform you, monsieur, zat since you are ze challenged party you have ze choice of weapons. M. Cavillac does not care whether you choose ze sword or ze pis-

tol. He is equally familiar with both 

> "Reckon he is," replied Tuttle. "It isn't likely that the paper would give such a job to a man who didn't know

"Monsleur is quite right. Upon inquiry he will tearn that M. Cavillac is one of the best swordsmen and shots not only in Paris, but in Europe. "You've got everything fixed to bleed

any one you choose, haven't you?"

The interpreter pretended not to hear this. M. Cavillac assumed a bored look and returned to his novel. Tuttle's martial spirit, that had been cultivated during the war with Mexico, was slowly looming up in his bosom. He remembered how the corps of "squirrel hunters," as they were called, to which he had belonged were refled upon by Keneral Taylor to pick off the Mexican leaders and how they accomplished their task. The blood was slowly

fire was lighting up his eye. "Now, see here," he said, bringing his fist down on the table. "This yere thing has got to stop. If any more of it appears in your paper I'll take care of that waxed mustached gentleman in Turning on his heel, he departed from the office of the Courier, leaving the interpreter to deliver his message.

mounting to the American's cheeks, and

The next morning the Courier printed another article about Tuttle's road that was worse than the first. His bankers informed him that in view of these attacks it would be useless for them to offer the bonds. They would not be taken by the public.

'What can I do to stop the rascals?" asked Tuttle. "Give them a thousand franc adver-

"We don't do such things in Amer-

"You Americans have not yet learned the way affairs are arranged in older

"Hold on a few days. Don't do anything till I let you know." The manager of the Courier, not having received a reply to his fighting editor's challenge and thinking he had a good chance to clinch matters, sent a message to Tuttle stating that if he did not send a written apology to be printed in the journal he would publish an article showing how, for having protected the French public from an American swindle, they had been subject to insult and a demand for satisfaction had been unheeded.

"Jest you wait a minute." he said to the messenger, "and I'll give you an answer to take back with you." Then he sat down at a desk and in-

dited the following epistle: Monsieur-1 have decided to accept the challenge of your fighting editor. I understand that I have the choice of weap-ons, but I don't want to act the hog, so

tried often in the state of Kaintucky. The first plan is bowie knives in a dark room; the second is rifles at from 500 to 1,000 yards. Respectively yours, EZEKIEL TUTTLE. There is no record as to the recep-

tion of this note in the Courier office. No reply was made for some time When it came it expressed surprise that Mr. Tuttle should suppose that either of such barbarous plans as be had proposed would be acceptable in a civilized country like France. Wouldn't he name some other plan that could be accepted by a gentleman? To this Tuttle wrote that the only other plan in such matters in vogue in America that he (Tuttle) approved of was "over a bandkerchief," which meant that two seconds held a handkerchief between the disputants, who fought with pistols as near together as that would allow. His opponents were at liberty to choose that method if they liked in preference to the two others he had named, but for his part he thought the distance between the parties was mighty small.

Mr. Tuttle waited patiently for a further reply. It did not come, but the next day a gentleman called on the American, who introduced himself as M. Dumont, a member of a Paris club to which all disputed points of the code duello were referred. He had called to assure M. Tuttle that his plans of fighting had been referred to a committee of which he had the honor to be chairman and that the committee had decided that M. Cavillac was not bound to fight on those terms. This

was communicated in bad English. "Look here, monsieur," said Tuttle, 'I didn't ask M. Cavillac to fight; he asked me. But since I'm in for this vere muss I'm going through with it. You go tell him that if he don't accept one or t'other of the two plans fust offered before sundown I'll withdraw 'em and insist on a fight 'over a hand-

"Mon Dieu," exclaimed the Frenchman, "Americans are like ze wild men d'Afrique!'

So indignant was he that he forgot to bow himself out. Tuttle, who now gave up all expectation of the fighting editor meeting him on his own terms, notified his bankers to proceed with their preparations for placing his bonds.

The next move on the part of the Courier party was to send an invitation to Mr. Tuttle to a conference to take place in the editor's office. Upon the American's arrival he was informed that they had been mistaken as to the investment he was about to offer. and if he would withdraw the charge of blackmail he had made they would publish an article stating that financlers had pronounced his bonds a good investment and the probabilities were that the loan would be largely oversubscribed.

This ended the matter. The Courier approved of the loan. Tuttle of his own accord gave them an ad., and the bonds were all taken. Tuttle went back with a couple of hundred thousand dollars commission and became a famous railroad man.

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