

HE SHOOTS HIS VICTIM'S BROTHER.

Samuel Motz Killed by Robt. Michael Who had Brought Deep Trouble Into the Motz Family.

A TRAGIC ENDING OF A SAD AFFAIR.

Miss Motz's Confession, and His Own Bloody Deed, Give Michael Little Chance of Escape.

[Special to STATE CHRONICLE.]

SHELBY, N. C., July 11.—The quiet town of Lincolnton is greatly excited over the tragic affair in which Samuel Motz, a prominent young citizen, was killed, and Chas. Motz his cousin and Robt. Michael were wounded.

Some four weeks ago Miss Maggie Motz, a beautiful young girl, became mother of an illegitimate child. It was claimed by many that Michael was the father of the child, while by others it was said that Rev. W. P. Fife, known as the drummer evangelist, was the author of the young lady's downfall. Committee investigated charges against Fife and exonerated him.

Miss Motz made confession after child's birth, charging Michael with being its father. Trouble between the Motz's and Michael has been expected for sometime, as the latter made no effort to marry his victim. Directly after dinner to-day Michael and Samuel Motz, cousin to young lady, hired a buggy and started to Lithia Springs, three miles from Lincolnton. When about a mile from town they were fired upon from ambush by John, Charlie and Caldwell Motz, brothers to Miss Maggie. There were three shots fired and Samuel Motz was instantly killed, falling out of the buggy. Michael was shot through the thigh, arm and hand. As Samuel Motz fell from the buggy, the brothers started to run, when Michael drew his revolver and fired, injuring Charlie Motz. News of the tragedy quickly spread, and the Motz brothers were arrested and confined in jail.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

MT. AIRY, N. C., July 11.—A telegram received here to-day by a citizen of Lincolnton, says that Bob Michael, the young man who sadly seduced the young lady of that place, with whom the name of Evangelist Fife was connected, was killed to-day by her brothers, John, Charles and Caldwell Motz. Michael shot and wounded Charles Motz when he was being fired at. The young lady swore that Bob Michael was her real seducer.

LINCOLNTON, N. C., July 11.—In a difficulty between Sam Motz, R. Michael and Caldwell, Charles and John Motz, which occurred near here to-day, Sam Motz was killed and Charlie Motz and Michael were injured. Motz not expected to live. Difficulty grew out of reports implicating Michael as being guilty of seducing Charlie Motz's sister.

All parties are well connected, and the affair is much regretted. The coroner's inquest resulted in a verdict: "Sam Motz came to his death by a gun-shot by John Motz, assisted by his brothers, Caldwell and Charlie."

CHARGED WITH SEDUCTION.

A Colored Congressman's Son is Arrested for Seducing a White Girl in New York.

By The United Press.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Ralph E. Langston, a son of ex-Congressman Langston, of Virginia, is charged with seducing a New York girl and was arrested here this morning on a requisition from Gov. Hill, based on an indictment found against Langston in New York city, charging him with inveigling and enticing an unmarried female of previous chaste character, into a house of assignation for the purpose of sexual intercourse, on the 15th of January, 1889.

The charges are brought by Miss Aelen Graff, a white girl, eighteen years of age. Langston was produced before Chief Justice Bingham and admitting that he was the party named and was willing to meet the charge, he was turned over to the New York officer and left this afternoon.

Carolina Iron Company Sells Out.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., July 11.—The sale of the buildings, ground, stock and fixtures of the Cambria Iron Company's stores here and in Blair county was practically effected yesterday. A number of Philadelphia capitalists figured in the transaction. The property included in the sale is valued at about \$1,200,000.

Weekly Bank Statement.

(By the United Press.)

NEW YORK, July 11.—The important charges and the principal items of the New York bank statement for the week were as follows:

Surplus reserve decrease \$923,050. Loans decrease \$1,857,300. Specie decrease \$902,000. Legal tenders decrease \$485,900. Deposits decrease \$1,863,400. Circulation increase \$72,300.

Campbell Will Have Opposition.

(By The United Press.)

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 11.—A fight in the Democratic State Convention which is to be held here next week, is assured. In the Cuyahoga county convention to-day, 49 Kline delegates were chosen, Governor Campbell not getting a single vote. Ex-Sheriff Sawyer, the Governor's major, was not only defeated in his own ward, but failed to get a place in the delegation. It now looks as if Campbell will fail to secure a nomination on the first ballot, in which event he is not likely to pull through.

Breaking up Opium Smuggling.

(By the United Press.)

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., July 11.—During the last fifteen days five opium smugglers have been captured by boat crews from the United States revenue cutter Woolcott. The men were all caught in the vicinity of Rochaboro, San Juan Island. The activity of the Woolcott is practically breaking up all smuggling on the straits.

Benny will go to Vermont.

(By the United Press.)

BENNINGTON, Vt., July 11.—President Harrison has formally accepted the invitation to attend the Vermont State Centennial celebration to be held here on August 19, and, as now planned, will spend the greater part of the week in Vermont. He will be tendered receptions at Rutland and Burlington.

Pills often leave a person constipated. Simmons Liver Regulator never does.

DISCORD IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Strained Relations Between Britain and the Republic.

RHODES' DOMINEERING TEMPER.

Affairs in the Transvaal and the South African Republic.

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LONDON, July 11.—There can be no question that during the last few weeks the relations between the South African Republic and the British government have been exceedingly strained, nor can there be any doubt that the popular feeling among the burghers of the Transvaal has been one of strong and, from their point of view, justifiable indignation at the unfriendly and captious spirit displayed by the British High Commissioner.

This unfriendliness is not a thing of yesterday. In August last the negotiations about the Swagiland convention were handled with unnecessary severity, when the same even better result could have been attained by the display of a more generous and appreciative spirit on the part of Sir Henry Lock. The common conviction then was that it was not really the desire of Her Majesty's government that any unfriendliness should be shown in the negotiations, and that the exhibition of a harsh and threatening demeanor was owing partly to the influence exercised by the domineering temper of the Premier of Cape Colony, Mr. Cecil Rhodes. The same cause is now assigned for the strained relations existing at the present moment.

The scheme of a great boortrek recently formulated for the purpose of founding a Northern republic alarmed the British South African chartered company and strenuous efforts were at once made by Mr. Rhodes, not to stop the trek at all, but to make it conditional on the acceptance of the authority of the company, almost completely ignoring the fact that British imperial authority was concerned in such a movement, and that the British government, which had declared the territory to be a sphere of British influence, might have something to say in the matter.

Mr. Rhodes said: You shall all come into the country from the Cape Colony, from the Free States from the Transvaal, so long as you acknowledge the authority of the company. You shall all have farms and we will divide up Mashonaland in your behalf."

By this policy Mr. Rhodes succeeded in dividing the Dutch population in South Africa against itself, and instead of 5,000 well armed men taking part in the "Trek" a little over one hundred crossed the Limpopo, and of course, were driven back by the Chartered company's armed police and soldiers. Their mission, however, was in a measure attained, for many of those who had been bought over by land-deeds and promises of office have become alarmed at the reaction of popular feeling in favor of the "Trek" and have returned their gifts to the chartered company. The burghers in the Transvaal, and in fact a good many British residents in South Africa, have been unable to comprehend the process by which a company of private

speculators could lay claim to the control of a country over which British authority has never been established, and which has been frequented by burghers of the South African republic for forty years. Now the imperial question has cropped up behind the question of the chartered company's rights. The High Commissioner seeing that the claims of the chartered company fail to inspire respect has taken up the ground that the country beyond the Limpopo is British territory, in order to prevent another and more formidable "Trek." It is such declarations as these that have aroused the strongest indignation of members of the Volksraad, and have tended to revive the recollection of old grudges which were beginning to be forgotten. The fact is, they have left a state of things which contains all the possibilities of a destructive and disastrous war and which is tending to paralyze industry throughout the whole of South Africa.

GRAND SIRE BUSBEE'S CONDITION.

His Condition Last Night was Much Better.

JULY 11, 1891.—10 p. m.—Grand Sire Busbee is improving rapidly. His condition to-night is much better.

E. BURKE HAYWOOD, M. D. JAMES MCKEE, M. D. HUBERT HAYWOOD, M. D.

PIOUS JOHN.

Was He Connected With the Philadelphia Bank Failure?

By the United Press.

NEW YORK, July 11.—A special to the Herald from Washington says that its correspondent called on Comptroller Lacy last night in regard to Bardsley's statement that Marsh had made a clean breast of the whole matter of over-issued stock held by Wanamaker. The Comptroller said that Marsh had made a long statement. Marsh told him on the evening of March 19th, that he had been for some time negotiating for the return of the over-issued stock; that an agreement had at one time been entered into with Wanamaker, which involved the delivery of money and property to the latter on or before a certain date, but the delivery was not made at the time agreed, and thereupon Mr. Wanamaker declined to carry it out. The value of the consideration named, the comptroller did not definitely remember, but he thought it did not exceed \$50,000. Nothing was said about any threatened prosecution of Mr. Wanamaker.

Miss Sallie Randolph Dead.

By the Chronicle's United Press Leased Wire.

RICHMOND, Va., July 11.—Miss Sallie Randolph, daughter of Bishop Randolph, died of typhoid fever last night at Charlottesville, after an illness of several weeks. But very few knew of her critical condition. She was eighteen years of age and a most accomplished and popular lady. The remains will be brought to Richmond this afternoon, and the funeral take place on Sunday afternoon from St. Paul's Church.

The Jacksonville Bank Failure is Serious.

(By The United Press.)

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., July 11.—The Lake City Bank failure is more serious than was supposed, and the general impression is that it is a complete wreck. There are many more depositors than was supposed. The best business men are badly hurt. There is still no definite statement of liabilities.

SOUTHERN EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION

There Were Over 800 Teachers in Attendance.

A BIG EXHIBIT AT RALEIGH

Arrangements are to be Made Next Year for Four Thousand Delegates.

Special to STATE CHRONICLE.

CENTRAL, S. C., July 11.—The second annual session of the Southern Educational Association adjourned at Chattanooga, Tenn., to-night after a most successful meeting. The attendance was very large, reaching over eight hundred, representing strong delegations from all the fifteen Southern States and also from seventeen of the Northern and Western States.

Texas sent eighty-five teachers, Mississippi sixty-five, Arkansas sixty.

The greatest enthusiasm prevailed throughout the splendid session and the entire strength of the teachers of the South is united in the association. The meeting was held upon Lookout Mountain and the charming Lookout Inn was headquarters. The papers and discussions were numerous, important, spirited and patriotic, and it is conceded by all that a new and glorious era is begun in Southern education. The association unanimously elected,

Hon. Solomon Palmer, of Alabama, President.

Col. Eugene G. Harrell, of North Carolina, Secretary.

Prof. J. L. Walton, of Tennessee, Assistant Secretary.

The Executive Committee was instructed to select for the next annual session Atlanta, Birmingham or Montgomery, and to make arrangements for four thousand attendants upon the session. All railroads in the South were asked for one fare rate with two-dollar membership coupon attached. A large and able committee was appointed for making a grand educational exhibit at the Southern Exposition at Raleigh.

Capt. C. B. Denson, of North Carolina, is chairman.

THEY ARE PARTED.

She Had Kept a House of Ill Fame and Her Husband Was Ostracised.

By The United Press.

BALTIMORE, July 11.—The divorce proceedings which have been pending at Towson for nearly two years between Alexander D. Brown and his wife, Laura Hobson Brown, were finally concluded yesterday by the signing of a decree by agreement by Judge Fowler, divorcing the parties and awarding Mrs. Brown alimony to the amount of \$3,000. When Brown married Laura Hobson about fifteen years ago, he was a member of a prominent banking firm. Laura Hobson was a woman who had grown rich as the proprietress of a questionable resort. Brown was retired by the firm and tabooed by society. He took his wife to a magnificent estate in the country, but uncongeniality led to the filing of cross bills in which mutual recriminations were made.

See those fine bananas at Uzzle's, 219 South Wilmington street.

Call and see Carroll & Bailly's new N. C. mullet.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

By The United Press. ASSOCIATION GAMES.

At Boston—Boston 5; St. Louis 2. Batteries, Buffington and Murphy; Stivets and Cook. Umpire, Keins.

At Philadelphia—Athletic 3; Cincinnati 0. Batteries, Wehring and Miligan; Dyer and Hurley. Umpire, Jones.

At Baltimore—Louisville 5; Baltimore 14. Batteries, Meakin, Cahill and Ryan; Cunningham and Townsend. Umpire, Ferguson.

At Washington—Washington 1; Columbus 3. Batteries, Carsey and Lehman; Dolan and Donahue. Umpire, Davis.

LEAGUE GAMES.

Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 11; Philadelphia 0. Batteries, Baldwin and Mack; Thornton and Clements, Saylor and Gray. Umpire, Lynch.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 7; Boston 3. Batteries, Radbourn and Clark; Stanley, Ganzell and Bennett. Umpire, McQuade.

At Cleveland—Cleveland 5; Brooklyn 4. Batteries, Young and Zimmer; Caruthers and Kinslow. Umpire, Hearst.

At Chicago—Chicago 6; New York 15. Batteries, Gumbert, Stein and Kittredge; Rusie and Buckley. Umpires, Powers and Battin.

Refused the Writ.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 11.—

Judge Allison, in Common Pleas Court this morning, delivered the opinion of the court refusing the writ of sequestration asked for by the city against ex-City Treasurer Bardsley.

TENNESSEE'S COMPTROLLER.

The Sensation of the Hour in Nashville.

By the Chronicle's United Press Leased Wire.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., July 11.—The sensation of the hour in the Tennessee capital is the charges against State Comptroller Allen of retaining commissions to which he is not entitled and placing State money in bank to his individual account. The Legislature of 1887 made a law allowing the State Comptroller 11 per cent. of all railroad tax for collecting the same, but it is claimed that the law was repealed in 1889. Nevertheless, Allen has continued to deduct the commissions. He has placed the money collected in bank in his own name, which eminent legal authorities declare is in violation of the law which compels him to turn over all collections immediately to the Treasurer. Allen claims to have done nothing wrong. There is a considerable amount involved.

Died from Hydrophobia.

(By The United Press.)

FORT WAYNE, Ind., July 11.—James Goodwin, a leading farmer, was bitten by a pet dog about six weeks ago. Thursday he was attacked with hydrophobia which caused his death yesterday after horrible suffering.

Smiler's Body to be Exhumed.

(By the United Press.)

NEW YORK, N. Y., July 11.—Coroner Levy will order the body of Smiler, the Salvation Army murderer who was electrocuted at Sing Sing on Tuesday morning last, to be exhumed from the grave in Woodlawn cemetery. He will summon a jury and subpoena witnesses. He will probe the execution to the bottom and compel those who were present to testify to what went on in that secret chamber of death. According to section 773 of the code of civil procedure he is forced to examine into the cause of death in the case of a man who is buried in this county, but who was killed in another.