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## AUTOMOBILE DEMOLISHED.

### Fast Vestibule Knocks Into Splinters Machine Which Stuck Just After Crossing.

Train No. 38, the New York and New Orleans Limited, was late Tuesday evening, and the cause, it was soon learned, was that the train had struck a big automobile which had become "stuck" just after crossing the railroad track at Harrisburg. The car was a Rambler, and belonged to Prof. Chas. Herty, of the faculty of the State University at Chapel Hill. The car was occupied by Mrs. Herty, Mrs. Sanosky, Mrs. Herty's aunt, and Mrs. Herty's two sons. At the wheel was Mr. Bruce Stroud. The party was bound for Charlotte.

It was about 8 o'clock, just after dusk. There were two cars running together, the other being occupied by Mr. L. C. Payseur and family, of Lincolnton. This car had passed the crossing, which is on a high ridge and very difficult for automobiles. The second car occupied by the Herty's choked down just as the car crossed the track. At that moment the whistle of the fast train was heard, and the occupants of the car unloaded themselves in a jiffy. Every effort was quickly made to push the car out of the train's way, but it could not be nudged. A pistol shot was fired to warn the engineer of the train, who heard and understood it but too late to stop the train before hitting the machine. The car was struck and pretty badly damaged.

The occupants were not touched in the least as they stood to one side impotent onlookers at the destruction of their property. The engineer as soon as he was able brought his train to a stop and the crew went back to render any possible assistance. Nothing could be done and so Mrs. Herty and her party were invited to board the train for home. They spent Tuesday night in Greensboro en route to Chapel Hill. The car remains beside the track awaiting orders for its disposition.

Since the above was in type, the machine has been brought here, and it is not damaged as much as first reported. Messrs. R. M. Odell and Eugene Barnhardt went to Harrisburg this morning in Mr. Odell's "Hup" to view the wreck. Upon the request of the depot agent at Harrisburg Mr. Odell drove the wrecked car to Concord and it is now in Boger's garage. It is the opinion of those who saw the car at Harrisburg that it was struck by the step of the engine. The back seat of the car was knocked free from the body and the wind shield broken. There are other minor parts of the machine broken but with the addition of a new rear seat and wind shield the car will assume its former appearance. Mr. Odell had no trouble in making the trip to Concord as there was no damage of consequence to the running works of the machine. Mr. Barnhardt drove the "Hup" on the return trip and came through with a perfect score.

## Mob Threatens Johnson.

Jack Johnson was greeted by thousands of persons Tuesday night when the train to which his private car is attached, pulled into Ogden.

After shaking hands with a few friends Johnson returned to the car and seated himself next to an open window beside his wife.

Three young roughs walked to the open car window and applying a vile epithet to Johnson in the presence of his wife, dared him to come to the platform. Johnson started to his feet but one of his companions drew him down again. One of the rowdies was met at the rear platform by a kick from one of Johnson's trainers. Officers rushed up and forced the crowd back.

The doors of the car were locked and the conductor waved the engineer to pull out. Several threats of shooting were made by the rough crowd that had gathered about the car but no weapon was displayed.

## One Hundred Arraigned in Philadelphia.

More than one hundred whites and blacks, some with their heads bandaged or showing other evidence of their participation in Monday night's race riot following Johnson's victory, were stood up before Police Magistrates in Philadelphia, Tuesday to receive punishment. As a rule the disturbers of the peace were released with a fine but those most seriously involved in the riots were held in bail for court or sent to the county prison for short terms.

The disturbances were not confined to any particular part of the city or public parks, fights breaking out nearly every place where the two races intermingled. The police were looking for trouble in the event of Johnson's victory and ruled with an iron hand when the trouble came. Clubs were freely used in quelling the disturbances.

The Cabarrus Savings Bank has a new ad on the first page.

## GRADED SCHOOL MATTERS.

### Prof. Black Declines—Resolutions of Respect to Memory of the Late Superintendent Prof. J. D. Lentz.

At a meeting of the school board Tuesday night Mr. W. E. Black, who was recently elected principal of the schools here, notified the board that he declined to accept the position. The matter of electing a principal was deferred until the next meeting of the board.

Miss Julia Foster, of South Carolina, was elected teacher of the eighth grade. She has been teacher of this grade in the graded school at Abbeville, S. C., for seven years. She is a graduate of Converse College.

The following resolution was passed by the board:

Whereas an omniscient Providence has seen fit to call from his earthly tasks our friend and collaborer, Superintendent Jay D. Lentz, therefore by the Board of School Commissioners of the City of Concord, in regular meeting assembled, be it resolved

1st.—That we are deeply sensible of the great loss the cause of education, in general and our community in particular, has sustained in the removal of one of the strong educators of the state.

2nd.—That we place on record our appreciation of his matchless ability and untiring industry in building up the schools of our city.

3rd.—That we pledge our every effort to advance the cause that lay so near his heart.

4th.—That our hearts go out in love and sympathy to the bereaved loved ones.

5th.—That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Board, that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased and that a copy be furnished the press of our city.

H. I. WOODHOUSE,  
M. B. STICKLEY,  
A. S. WEBB,  
Committee.

## Educational and Missionary Campaign

An educational and missionary campaign is being conducted by the Classis of North Carolina of the Reformed church. There are three districts, known as the eastern, central and western districts. This section is in the central district. The dates are from July 10 to 17, and the following are the places and dates in this district:

Concord, July 10, 8 p. m.—Rev. J. H. Keller and Dr. Trexler.

New Gilead, July 11, 2:30 p. m.—Revs. Causey and Barringer.

Keller, July 11, 8 p. m.—Revs. Causey and Barringer.

Salisbury, July 10, 8 p. m.—Revs. Noacher and Williams.

St. Pauls, July 11, 2:30 p. m.—Revs. Keller and Duttera.

Mt. Zion, July 11, 8 p. m.—Revs. Keller and Duttera.

Bear Creek, July 11, 10 a. m.—Revs. Heller and Yearick.

Boger, July 11, 2:30 p. m.—Revs. Heller and Yearick.

Mt. Pleasant, July 11, 8 p. m.—Revs. Heller and Yearick.

Lower Stone, July 12, 2:30 p. m.—Revs. Keller and Wehler.

Rockwell, July 12, 8 p. m.—Revs. Keller and Wehler.

St. Lukes, July 13, 2:30 p. m.—Revs. Keller and Heller.

Faith, July 14, 8 p. m.—Prof. Bueheit and Dr. Trexler.

Mt. Hope, July 14, 2:30 p. m.—Prof. Bueheit and Rev. Shulenberg.

Bethany, July 15, 8 p. m.—Prof. Bueheit and Rev. Yearick.

East India's Cotton Crop 4,502,000 Bales.

The East India cotton crop, for the agricultural year 1910, will be 4,502,000 bales, an increase of 911,000 bales over last year's yield, according to the East Indian government figures, submitted to the State department through Vice Consul Jackson of Madras.

The total area under cotton in all territories of East India this year is \$20,227,000 acres. This area is about 60 per cent. of the area planted in the United States, which, according to the last government report was estimated at 33,196,000 acres.

Tuesday morning at the union depot lunch room in Raleigh, a negro, whose name was not learned, entered, seated himself at the counter and called for a "Jack Johnson pie." James H. Wedden was in charge and informed him that no such pie was being served and that negroes were not served there at all. "Why don't you?" queried the negro. "Wait and I will show you," was the reply by the serving clerk. At the same time he reached under the counter and came up with an empty near-beer bottle which he let fly at the negro's head, smashing the bottle and inflicting a bloody wound on the negro's head. The negro lost no time in getting out of the place and making himself scarce in the neighborhood.

The condition of Capt. J. M. Odell remains unchanged this afternoon.

## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETY AT HEAD OF MOVEMENT

### To Prevent Exhibition in Moving Pictures of Johnson-Jeffries Fight.

Telegrams received today state that there is a wide-spread movement all over the country to prevent the exhibition of the Johnson-Jeffries fight in moving pictures. The fight is led by the Christian Endeavors Society and International Association of Police Chiefs, who have appealed to President Taft and the Governor of every State in the Union. The company owning the rights to show the pictures is believed to have spent a quarter of a million dollars.

Mayor Fitzgerald, of Boston, announced that the pictures will not be exhibited there. The chief of police of Washington said the same. A telegram from New York today is as follows:

New York, July 6.—There is a world-wide movement against exhibiting moving pictures of Jeffries-Johnson fight. Secretary Shaw, of the Christian Endeavor Society is leading the movement against the pictures. He is getting in communication with cities all over the country. Seven have already prohibited the pictures, and many others, including Raleigh, Atlanta and Washington in the South have taken preliminary action. In the meantime films of the fight are being brought east from Reno in a special car, being developed en route. Till they reach New York Friday no decision will be made by owners as to the method of fighting opposition to pictures. It was declared today, however, on good authority that there is a likelihood of a legal battle in the endeavor to get pictures into the cities which have barred them as a result of the race riots which followed the prize fight. The president of the moving picture company is on the train with the pictures but his attorneys here are investigating.

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Passed by North Carolina Teachers' Assembly Regarding Death of Prof. J. D. Lentz.

Mr. Jay D. Lentz departed this life on the 12th of June, 1910. He was a graduate of the University of North Carolina. After his graduation he became a teacher, taught his first year in Raleigh in Morson and Denison's High School and then identified himself with the school work in Concord, N. C., four years with the High School and nine years with the Central Graded School, the last two as Superintendent.

He was also intimately connected with the educational work in the State and was a faithful member and regular attendant of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly. It is fitting therefore, that we make this record:

1st.—That the State has lost a true and loyal citizen the cause of education a strong and earnest advocate, the children a wise and able teacher, and the teachers a faithful and sympathetic friend.

2nd.—That a copy of this paper be spread upon the minutes of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly a copy be sent to the bereaved family, and one to the Concord Times for publication.

## 380 Ballots in Third Without Nomination.

At 11:30 o'clock Tuesday night the Third district Democratic congressional convention at Goldsboro was in a deadlock, no nomination having been made after 380 ballots.

On the last ballot George E. Hood, of Goldsboro, had a slight lead over Charles R. Thomas, present incumbent, of Craven. There are five candidates and at that time there was no likelihood of a nomination. The candidates are: George E. Hood, of Goldsboro; Charles R. Thomas, of Craven; J. M. Faison, of Duplin; Joseph E. Robinson, of Wayne, and Rudolph Duffy, of Jones.

The Bell & Harris Furniture Co., alias "The Store that Satisfies," sell the Vudor porch shades and re-enforced hammocks. Read about these in their ad on fourth page.

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## FIFTH DISTRICT CONVENTION.

### In Session at Greensboro all Night Without Result.

The Democratic convention to nominate a candidate for Congress from the fifth district met in Greensboro yesterday. The convention was in session all night and the result of the first ballot was about the same as in the first. Before adjournment 58 ballots were taken.

There are 407 votes in the convention and 203 and a fraction are necessary to a nomination. The first ballot resulted as follows: Stedman 147.038; Jones 104.417; Royster 93.851; Mebane 61.794.

The vote each county is entitled to is as follows: Alamance 44; Caswell 18; Durham 39; Forsyth 53; Granville 35; Guilford 79; Orange 22; Person 18; Rockingham 41; Surry 36; Stokes 22; making a total of 407 with 203.5 necessary to a nomination.

The 54th ballot, taken at 2 o'clock this morning, resulted as follows: Stedman, 145.99; Jones 99.84; Royster 97.76; Mebane 63.41.

At 11:40 last night a motion to adjourn was overwhelmingly defeated.

## NO NOMINATION YET.

At 2:15 o'clock The Tribune received the following special:

Greensboro, July 6.—Fifth district democratic congressional convention is in what appears to be a hopeless deadlock with no indication of early nomination. At 1 o'clock motion to adjourn for dinner was voted down as was resolution for delegations from different counties to meet in caucus. Major Stedman is in the lead with 146 votes, 58 short of a nomination and appears to be unable to gain additional strength. Judge Jones is second with 104 votes; Royster has 93 and Mebane 65. No suggestion has been made of a break from any quarter.

## Three Cabarrus Personals from the Salisbury Post.

Mrs. Geo. Fink went to Concord this morning to spend several days.

Mr. Ray Lentz, of Granits Quarry, spent yesterday in the city taking in the celebration and returned home this morning.

Miss Ophia Barrier, of Rimer, Cabarrus county, is spending a few days in the city visiting relatives.

## BOY STILL MISSING.

### Young Pratt Hagler Has Been Missing About Ten Days.

The whereabouts of Pratt Hagler, the young son of Mr. W. H. Hagler, of No. 1 township, is still unknown and is causing his parents much anxiety. His father, with the assistance of the police authorities in several cities, is making an earnest effort to find trace of him but as yet all their efforts have proved futile. The worry over the disappearance of the boy is having its effect upon his mother and her whole nervous system has given away under the strain and the members of her family are apprehensive as to her condition. Up to the time of the young man's departure he had never intimated to any one that he had at any time ever contemplated leaving home and in his home life he was always an obedient and dutiful son and always manifested a kindly and lovable disposition toward the members of his family. He never possessed a wild roving nature and the only cause that can be attributed to his leaving home was his fear of a surgeon's knife.

## Our Car Line Cost \$500,000.

Charlotte News.

Mr. T. H. Vanderford, of Salisbury, is in the city today closing the contract with the Southern Power Company for the power for the street railway which his company is constructing in Concord at a cost of \$500,000. The cars will be hooked on to the Southern Power Company's wires at an early date and as soon as the Concord system is completed, Mr. Vanderbilt's company will begin work on the line from Salisbury to Concord which will be a part of the great interurban system which is soon to traverse the Piedmont section.

## While ploughing on his farm 20 miles from Durham late Monday evening former Congressman John M. Atwater dropped dead in the field. He was elected to the 54th Congress as a Populist when the State went Republican. He was 70 years old.

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