

Murders and Auto Accidents Feature Durham Sunday Life

Two Are Dead, Others in Critical Condition and Still Others Are Suffering Less Painful Injuries As Results of Duels, Razor Parties and Automobile Wrecks.

(Special to Daily News.)

Durham, Dec. 4.—Sunday was a record day in Durham for accidents, fights and murder. As a result two people are dead, others are in a critical condition in local hospitals, and still others are suffering from injuries of less serious nature.

The first accident occurred at an early hour Sunday morning when an automobile driven by Jimmy Gregory, of this city, and containing a number of men, crashed into a sycamore tree on Cleveland street. After striking the tree the car plunged into a telephone post, breaking it off even with the top. Gregory was killed instantly. The injured members of the party were taken to Watta hospital for treatment. A warrant for manslaughter was sworn out yesterday by the police department against Gregory charging him with manslaughter. His bond was set at \$1,000 which was paid up by him. He will probably be permitted to leave the hospital today and will be given a hearing Wednesday morning in recorder's court. Gregory emphatically denied that he was driving his car in a reckless manner or that he was speeding, but attributed the accident to the condition of the pavement.

When the car skidded he lost control of the car, he stated. The car was a total wreck.

In a pistol duel staged Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Charles Arrant, negro and editor of the Durham Standard, negro publication of Durham, was killed and the other principal, Dave McNeill, negro, was seriously wounded. Both men proved to be good marksmen. Arrant used a .44 caliber, long style pistol, and tried to fire five times. Three of the bullets failed to fire, while the other two did, one of them striking McNeill in the abdomen. McNeill emptied his pistol and three of the shots took effect.

The trouble between the two negroes started over a woman, according to the police, Rosa Lee Warren by name. She was raised by Arrant, and was in his employ. McNeill, so the story goes, has endeavored to pay attention to the girl despite the protests of the negro editor. Saturday night McNeill is alleged to have met the editor and threatened him, pulling a revolver out of his pocket and pointing it at Arrant. He was arrested on the charge of carrying a concealed weapon and assault with a deadly weapon and was required to give a bond of \$75. At that time he is alleged to have said that he would get his man.

Yesterday afternoon the two negroes are said to have met in Halli near Arrant's house. Words passed and McNeill is said to have hit the other negro with his fist. Both negroes drew their pistols and began firing. Both of them fell to the ground almost simultaneously but did not cease firing.

When the police arrived on the scene Arrant was dead and McNeill was lying a few feet away. He was rushed to the Lincoln hospital, where his condition was declared to be critical, although it was stated he has a good chance of recovery.

As a sequel to the duel, Rosa Lee Walters, the girl over whom the trouble started, was that night a victim of a cutting affair which occurred in Johnson's Bottom, a notorious negro section of the city. She told the police that she had been double-crossed and enticed to the scene of the assault where two negro women, Nodie

and those of France, and declared he was going to take home the message: "Don't fear, America is in the same place. The feeling we thought she had toward us, and which we have here, is put on such solid foundation that it cannot be moved forever."

He said he realized there might be differences between the two governments about interests and actions and activities.

"But what is that," he exclaimed, "differing on a matter of today, which is not a matter of tomorrow? No nations of it is that we must not differ on things that are lasting."

Great Many Defects.

"We have a great many defects. We are full of faults, and I wish you would see them in order to love us better, if possible. I think it is so in happy households. A man and a woman, as long as they do not know their weak points, can not love each other as they ought."

"The great point, I want to say, is that we are men, that we want to work for men, that France does not consider only the interests of France, but she takes into account the best work she can do is to work for mankind in the future."

"We have in Paris a statue of George Washington, and the statue he is pointing his sword toward the highest. Do not let an American come to the statue of our common hero and tell you to put his arms down. Always to the highest! Never down!"

FEDERAL AGENTS ARE STUDYING A CAMPAIGN. EPISTLE FROM FOURTH

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thinking that you may hurt yourself by voting the Democratic ticket, regardless of how county does, the solicitor will be a Democrat, and he is the man who will have the final say in the matter. It is not in these cases if it should come to that point. So this is the situation, if you all vote the straight Democratic ticket, all will be well; but if you vote for the party who is wrong and the devil will be to pay.

"With kindest regards and best wishes, I am,

Very truly yours,"

Mr. Bramham writing to the friend who sent him the letter said in part: "Headlines to Believe It."

"There is something about this letter which makes me suspicious to accept it as genuine. Assuming that has the intelligence of an ordinary individual, I cannot understand his writing such a fool letter. Then, too, there are many material facts, if it were written by someone other than a lawyer and for the purpose of either getting our organization into trouble or for the purpose of making best, therefore, to write you and ask if you are sufficiently acquainted with the handwriting of Blank to say that this is a bona fide letter from him. If it is, he should be put in the asylum instead of the penitentiary." Mr. Bramham suggests also the necessity for finding the forger, if it is a forgery.

In answer to that comes the following: "I don't blame you one particle for doubting the genuineness of the letter. However, I will state that I have the original letter written upon the stationery of Blank and Blank, inclosed in an envelope of his handwriting and have some of it and above all Mr. Blank admits writing the letter. It has been to see us asking us to give him back the letter, and he has sent C. J. and C. E. to us for the same purpose, and there is no denial of the authority of the letter. The letter from his hands through Mr. C. E. You will observe in the letter a request to let C. and Mr. E. read it and C. J. just gave Mr. E. the letter, and he is as pleased with it and Mr. E. delivered it into our hands. Frigid as the federal officials regard the letter, it is by no means certain that the lawyer who prosecuted it is equally probable that he could not be convicted because he has the refuge of attorney and client relationship by pleading that he could say that he offered this advice as a lawyer counseling a client in distress and not as a bribe or an intimidation of a voter.

The Republicans came into possession of the letter about the time that J. W. Bailey sent his famous message to Governor Morrison's legislature. In Johnston Democratic election officials are being prosecuted. In this instance the Republicans feel much moved to storm the legislature again for some vital amendments to the election law. Since Mr. Bailey has drawn the fire of the organization which always has voted down any proposals to amend the primary or election laws and has made the absence voters' act more objectionable than it is, the Republicans, the party management is more disposed to take this case to the political court and to the forum of popular conscience than to try it out in a federal jurisdiction.

Hitherto open elections have been defeated because the party management has insisted on "preserving contact with the voters." That is the case in the case of Charles W. Raleigh, of Rocky Mount, who was found dead in bed at the state hospital yesterday. Death came from unknown causes. The coroner made the inquiry, with Dr. T. M. Jordan assisting. Many women were present this morning at the county courthouse when Miss Lottie Lewis, new treasurer, was sworn in and began her duties as money steward of the county.

Miss Lewis won the primary election in July after a terrific contest. The combination of Evans for solicitor and Lewis for treasurer, being too strong for Hinsdale, solicitor, and Stephenson, for treasurer. Miss Lewis is a native of Sampson and holds her law license.

Several Charters Granted.

The secretary of state today chartered Teague's Drug store, incorporated of Asheboro, \$50,000 authorized and \$25,000 paid in by P. P. Teague, R. L. Ellis, M. N. Boddie and S. A. Barber.

MacAulay, Crosland and Tyson, Incorporated of Rockingham, is a realty business of \$50,000 authorized and \$20,000 paid in capital. The subscribers are J. A., W. A. and J. A.

CLUB WOMEN GO TO PINEHURST MEETING

Today's Session Will Mark The Opening of The Third Annual Convention.

(By Associated Press.)

Pinehurst, Dec. 4.—With leading club women of the south in attendance, the third annual convention of the Southeastern Council of Incorporated Club women will open here tomorrow evening. Mrs. J. E. Hays, of Georgia, president, and Mrs. Sydney P. Cooper, president of the North Carolina Federation, will preside at the opening session, which will be featured by an address on "Training for Citizenship" by Mrs. Alonzo Richardson, Atlanta, chairman of the Citizenship Training of the General Federation.

Alabama, Georgia, Florida, North Carolina, South Carolina, Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia will be represented on the program for the three days session. The program follows:

Tuesday Evening:

At 7 o'clock, 8 o'clock: formal opening of the council; Mrs. J. E. Hays, president of the Southeastern Council, and Mrs. Sydney P. Cooper, president of the North Carolina Federation, presiding.

Invocation, Rev. Thaddeus A. Cheatham.

America, the beautiful, assembly singing.

Addresses of welcome: Mrs. Sydney P. Cooper; Miss Margaret Lovell Gibson, director of the General Federation, and Mrs. W. P. Horton, president of the fifth district.

Response to addresses of welcome, Mrs. J. E. Hays.

Presentation of Program, Mrs. Eugene Reilly.

Address: "Training for Citizenship," Mrs. Alonzo Richardson.

Vocal selections, Mrs. Thomas Martin, Winston-Salem.

Musica, Robert N. Page.

Reception, given by Mrs. Sydney P. Cooper to Mrs. J. E. Hays and delegates and visiting club women.

Substituted Ginger Ale For Whisky—Go to Jail

New York, Dec. 4.—Seven men, including two former prohibition enforcement agents, convicted last week of substituting 140 barrels of ginger ale for Canadian whisky while the shipment was being moved from a New York railroad station to a steamship last April, today were sentenced by Federal Judge Mack to two years each in Atlanta penitentiary. The enforcement men, Harry Meade and William Walsh, also were fined \$2,000 each.

All those sentenced, who were charged with conspiracy to swindle the government out of duties, violation of the Volstead act and bribery of government officials, were released in bail pending appeal.

Lusitania Carried No Guns On Her Last Fatal Voyage

New York, Dec. 4.—The Cunard liner Lusitania, sunk by a German submarine in 1915 off the Irish coast, carried neither guns, troops nor explosives, but did carry 6,400 cases of ammunition, the official report of the vessel's cargo made public by Dudley Field Malone, collector of the port at that time, shows, according to a copyrighted story in the New York World.

The cases of ammunition, the report stated, were carried by specific permission under rulings of the department of commerce in force since 1911.

The Malone report, the newspaper says, was made to Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo. It was dated June 4, 1915, and was called for after the German reply of May 28 to President Wilson's first Lusitania note of May 13, had set up the contention that the Lusitania had been armed, and that her rapid sinking was due, not to the torpedo, but to the explosion of ammunition. It was this

GASTON COUNTY TO HAVE ANOTHER MILL

Ragan Spinning Company Organized Making 103rd Plant in the County.

(Special to Daily News.)

Gastonia, Dec. 4.—Announcement of Gaston county's 103rd cotton mill was made today. G. W. Ragan, and associates of Gaston, who own the mill, to be known as the Ragan Spinning Company. It will manufacture fine combed yarns. The authorized capital stock will be \$500,000. The organization will be perfected and a charter secured this week. It was announced today by Mr. Ragan from his main street office.

Those signing the application for a charter are G. W. Ragan, R. L. and

Rheumatism!
Sloan's Liniment

Millions are now using this simple treatment to stop pain. Sloan's, applied without rubbing, penetrates and produces a warming sensation. It stimulates new, fresh blood to aid through the aching part. This breaks up the congestion, and since congestion has caused the pain—quick, grateful relief follows.

The world over, Sloan's stops rheumatic twinges and muscular aches. It cures sciatic back and sharp, neuritic pain. Good, too, for colic in chest.

Sloan's Liniment—kills pain!

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A FEW TABLETS
EASE STOMACH

Instant Relief from Indigestion, Gas, Sourness, Flatulence

Pape's DIAPEXIN FOR INDIGESTION

Stomach full! Digestion stopped! The moment you chew a few tablets of "Pape's Diapexin" your stomach feels fine. All the feeling of indigestion, heartburn, fullness, tightness, palpitation, stomach acidity, gases, or sourness vanishes. Ease your stomach and correct your digestion for a few cents. Pleasant! Harmless! Any drug store.

Order of the Eastern Star, Turkey Dinner, Masonic Temple, December 5 and 6

Meyer's
DEPARTMENT STORE GREENSBORO N.C.

Save Yellow Trading Stamps—They Are Valuable

Reduction Sale of Women's Fall Suits

Fur and Self-Trimmed Styles

Every Fall Suit for Women and Misses has been reduced in price for this sale. There are smart, dressy models of handsome materials, trimmed with beaver, caracul, fox and squirrel in blouse effects and straight line styles, in two and three-piece suits.

Twill Cord and Poirer Twill Suits in blouse and box designs, semi-tailored and strictly tailored styles, in navy and black, in sizes from 14 to 50-1-2.

Twill Cords and Poirer Twill Suits Reduced \$29.50, \$39.50 and \$49.50
Fur-Trimmed Suits Reduced \$69.50 and \$89.50

Also Reduced:
Fancy Skirts, Silk Blouses, Fur Coats and Small Furs, Sweaters and a Group of Silk and Wool Dresses
(Second Floor.)

Sale of Women's High Shoes In Small Sizes \$1.98

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week, we offer these fine shoes at this price because only small sizes, 3 to 6 remain in stock. There are styles with either medium or French heels. This price is no guide to the fine quality of these shoes—we have too many small sizes and must close them out.



MEN'S GIFTS

that are gifts—at prices that are a pleasure!

Ladies—You don't want your name connected with anything cheap—still you want value.

If you pay \$2.50 for a piece of neckwear—you don't want "him" to think that it only cost \$1.25.

For your information—this store's values are never disputed by men.

They know right well that our quality is revered and our prices respected.

The Christmas Gift show is now on—and it's the quality show in Greensboro.

- Fine Suits and Overcoats
- Tuxedo, Coat and Trousers
- Initial Handkerchiefs
- Handkerchiefs—Pure Linen
- Initial Belt Buckles
- Belt Buckles for Monograms
- Neckwear—Bath Robes Jewelry
- Silk Shirts—Gloves Wardrobe Trunks
- Linen Shirts—Belts Wool Sox—Wool Scarfs
- Silk Sox—Silk Scarfs Traveling Bags

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Always Reliable

To Cure a Cold in One Day

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Be sure you get **BROMO**

The box bears this signature
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Price 30c.

When You Catch Cold Rub On Musterole

Musterole is easy to apply and it gets in its good work right away. It prevents a cold from turning into "flu" or pneumonia. Just apply Musterole with the fingers. It does all the good work of grandmother's mustard plaster without the blister.

Musterole is a clean white ointment made of oil of mustard and other home simples. It is recommended by many doctors and nurses. Try Musterole for sore throat, cold on the chest, rheumatism, lumbago, pleurisy, stiff neck, bronchitis, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pains and aches of the back and joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bite—colds of all sorts. Seldom fails to deliver results. 35c and 65c jars and tubes; hospital size \$2.00.

Better than a mustard plaster.

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Are You Wandering In the Mist?

THE man or woman surrounded by better thoughts and things, but who continually ignores them, is like a lost soul wandering in the mist.

The newspaper is always full of ideas that other men and women have thought out for your happiness. Think of all that you miss when you overlook these things.

Read the advertisements. They are the voices of hundreds of thousands of looms, shops, studios, foundries, laboratories, where millions of minds are turning their thoughts to your comfort and conveniences.

The advertisements bring you cleaner food. They improve your personal appearance. They ease your daily task. They take the humdrum out of your life. They tell you where, when and how to find things pleasurable and profitable.

Advertisements are your dependable friends.
Cultivate them.