

MYSTERIOUS DOG SLAYER.

WOMAN STIR AT GREENSBORO.

Several People and White Boys Kept at Home at Night by Stories of a Mysterious Dog Slayer...

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Wednesday night the varmint appeared in another part of the city and killed two more dogs. While the strange and elusive wild beast shows that he cares only for dog blood, or attacks and kills only that nature of animal which attacks him, the colored population here, at least a large portion of it, getting as excited as the whites...

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Miss Duffie Becomes the Bride of Mr. Tomlinson—New Notes.

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The happy couple left on the evening train for Jacksonville and other points in Florida to spend their honeymoon. The marriage was a surprise to all but a few intimate friends. Only a few people beside the immediate families witnessed the ceremony.

The bride is pretty, accomplished and is well and favorably known. She is the only one of High Point's promising young manufacturers and is held in esteem by all.

Among the out-of-town people present were Miss Mary Kennell, of Raleigh, and Messrs. Jule Reitzel and Sherman Duffie, brother-in-law and brother, respectively, of the bride.

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DIDN'T TURN OTHER CHECK.

This Frencher, When Attacked on the Golf Links, Held His Own With His Putter.

New York Times. Andrew Carnegie, who is a member of the Apawamis Golf Club, sometimes tells the old golf story that has been current on St. Andrew's links ever since golf became a craze. It relates to a ministerial golfer who was playing at St. Andrew's and made a bad "fizzle" when he intended to make a long drive. He stamped his foot angrily, spat on the turf with peculiar emphasis, and then, turning to his caddy, a grinning and long-time servant, said, as the suppressed profanity oozed from every word: "Ah, well, Sandie, I'll lie to gie it oon!"

"Not the golf, domine?" "No! No! Sandie, the ministry." It is improbable that the Rev. Dr. Charles H. Gillett, of Pelham Manser, the librarian of the Union Theological Seminary of this city, has reached the same conclusion as the Scotch domine of the story. He is still in the ministry.

He also plays golf regularly. But he played at Lakewood, N. J., and not over the links of the Apawamis Club, of Rye, N. Y. Nor was there golf for Robert M. Rogers, late of Chicago, but now of a New York brokerage firm. It all came about this way: Mr. Rogers with the club twice a week. Mr. Rogers and his friend, another Chicagoan, started to play over the Apawamis course under the club rule that a pair has precedence over all other matches.

Dr. Gillett and his two friends started on their "threesome" at about the same time. They were good golfers, so they kept pretty well together over the first 17 holes of the 18-hole course. It was 4 o'clock when the quintet reached the last green, and all were anxious to get the 441 train into New York. Then Mr. Rogers, with the club rules in mind, had the right of way in mind, started to flag the heavier train with his three cars, so to speak. But the latter did not care to be flogged, even though Mr. Rogers was very polite about it and explained that he and his friend were very much in a hurry.

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Then Mr. Rogers insisted on his right under the club rules to "go through" the hole. Whether the latter understood this to be a sort of wild Western throat does not appear, but at all events he refused to be "gone through." Then both players prepared to "put" the ball. Mr. Gillett put his golf bag down in front of Mr. Rogers' ball.

"Remove that bag, caddy!" ordered Mr. Rogers. "Don't you dare to touch it!" sharply responded the minister. Mr. Rogers threw the bag aside and when he went to make his shot found the minister standing over the hole, and making play impossible.

"Please to get out of my way," said Mr. Rogers. The minister did not move. Mr. Rogers' shot was spoiled. Mr. Rogers' shot was spoiled. Mr. Rogers' shot was spoiled.

But there were other developments. The board of governors of the club held a hearing and as a result of its decision Robert M. Rogers was to be a member of the club, and the Rev. Mr. Gillett was deprived of the club privileges for a year from the date of the issuance of the decree, which was made on Monday night last.

Down at Lakewood yesterday, where the renowned golfer was participating in the Thanksgiving tournament Mr. Gillett refused to have anything to say about the affair. Up at the Waldorf-Astoria Mr. Rogers was equally uncommunicative. Club ethics kept the lips of the officers of the Apawamis and the members of the club silent when charges were brought against the two members who were current, through some leakage that even club ethics could not stop.

Beautiful Church Wedding at Rocky Mount. Correspondence of The Observer. Rocky Mount, Dec. 7.—A most beautiful marriage was solemnized in the Episcopal church to-day at half-past 12 o'clock, when Miss Mary Hicks, one of Rocky Mount's most beautiful and loveliest daughters was wedded to Mr. John P. Lech, a popular young man of Littleton, Rev. R. B. Owens performing the ceremony.

The ushers entered the church as follows: Messrs. J. P. Pippin and Geo. William; Spots Burwell and R. E. Morris and next the maid of honor, Miss Fannie Brodie, of Wilson; then came the bridesmaids, Misses M. E. P. Spruill and just before the bride entered on her father's arm, Miss Pearl Taylor, most beautifully and touchingly sang "Oh, True Love."

After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents where a delicious repast was served, after which they drove to the depot and amid a shower of rice bade farewell to the bride and groom, who departed on train 48 for Norfolk and thence to Washington city via steamer.

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Second: 4 1/2 furlongs—Yorkshire Lad, 9 to 2, won; Prestige, 15 to 1, second; Lauros, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:36 1/5.

Third: One mile—London, 10 to 1, won; Arachne, even, second; Irene Mae, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:52 3/5.

Fourth: 7 furlongs, handicap—Gus Helford, 7 to 1, won; Garnish, 5 to 2, second; Ahola, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:36 1/5.

Fifth: Mile and a half—Gus Helford, 7 to 1, won; Lady Pomsa, 20 to 1, second; Alcom, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:58 1/2.

Sixth: Mile and 70 yards—Bountiful, 30 to 1, won; Extol, 8 to 5, second; Glendon, 16 to 1, third. Time, 1:55 2/5.

Sampson County Man Bankrupt—Small Cotton Receipts. Special to The Observer. Wilmington, Dec. 8.—J. H. Williams, of Hobeoken, Sampson county, formerly of the firm of Watson & Williams, of Fayetteville, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy here to-day through Attorneys Cameron F. MacRae and Thomas D. Carver, Jr. The liabilities are scheduled at \$4,721.80, assets, \$415. (Cotton receipts yesterday and to-day took a big slump, and reports from the county indicate that holders of the staple are determined in their purpose not to sell until prices again become remunerative. Only 162 bales were received to-day, against 2,635 same day last season.)

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