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CHACKLES FOUND NOT GUILTY BY MAGISTRATE

Case Grew Out of Shooting of Baby by the Latter's mall Brother.

Peter Chackles, who was arrested last week on a charge of violating the state law, which prohibits a father or guardian from allowing a child under 12 years of age to have a firearm, was given a hearing Saturday afternoon before Magistrate J. A. McIntyre and declared not guilty.

The case grew out of the accidental fatal shooting, about ten days ago, of a little two years old son of Chackles by his five year old brother. The children were on the back porch of the home on Sunday morning and Eddie Chackles, the older brother, had a 22 calibre rifle playing with it, when it went off and struck the baby brother, causing his death almost instantly.

On last Thursday Constable Mack Jones invaded the house of sorrow and arrested the grief stricken father on a warrant charging him with negligently allowing his child to have a firearm in violation of the state law.

In passing upon the case the magistrate said that he had no desire to punish the parent, but thought that the law concerning children's having firearms should be brought to the public. He stated that any number of such accidents had taken place in and near Asheville recently and that nothing had been done about it.

It was brought out in the evidence produced at the trial that the father kept the rifle at his place of business to shoot rats with, taking it home only a few days before the fatal accident; that the rifle was supposed to be hid from the children and that there were no cartridges in the house. The father stated that he gave his son Eddie five cents with which to buy some candy and it is thought that the boy purchased cartridges instead.

Liquor Investigation COSTS TOTAL \$1564.48

Total Includes Superior and Police Court Costs, Auditors' Bills, Etc.

The costs of the recent liquor investigation conducted by Superior Court Judge Frank Carter, sitting as a committing magistrate, total \$1564.48. This cost must be borne by J. H. Lange, Gay Green and J. L. Alexander, the three defendants who pleaded guilty and were heavily fined. Messrs. Lange and Alexander have each been taxed with \$621.43 of this amount, while Mr. Green will pay the odd penny, the amount assessed against him being \$521.50.

The Superior court costs, including warrants, subpoenas, bonds, judgments, telegrams, seals, affidavits, stenographer's notes, inventory of drug stores, drayage, railroad fare, incidental expenses, etc., amounts to \$14.78. The bill for the work of the auditors amounts to \$819.95.

For compiling the prescription records Mrs. Williams is paid \$100, and for compiling the records from the books of the Southern Express company she is paid \$250. The bill for supplies amounts to \$43.74. The police court costs are \$36.90.

POOR PAY DIVING SCIENTISTS FROM U. S.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Poor pay in the government service is sending many scientific experts outside for employment, according to George Otis, director of the United States geological survey, in his annual report.

Pointing out that the government cannot hope to retain its well trained specialists so long as corporations offer far greater financial inducements, he said, that the past four and a half years 41 had left the government. The salaries they received from corporations averaged nearly two and one-half times the salaries paid them by the geological survey.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Ella and John E. Dill to J. H. Buckner, certain property located in French Broad township; consideration \$24.

P. A. Donnhahoe and wife to H. R. Riskman and wife, certain tracts of land located on Arlington street; consideration \$2000.

S. D. and L. A. Hall to C. E. Hawkins and wife, property situated in West Asheville; consideration \$1000.

Ben and Allen Parker to W. W. Parker, property situated in Reems Creek township; valuable considerations.

J. Frank Wills to E. G. Sluder, certain parcels of land located in Leicester township; consideration \$200.

G. C. Sawyer and wife to T. A. Lamb, property located in West Asheville; consideration \$600.

D. S. Watson, commissioner, to R. J. Sherrill, certain property located on Merrimon avenue and Chestnut street; consideration \$2850.

GIRLS! STOP WASHING THE HAIR WITH SOAP

Soap dries your scalp, causing dandruff, then hair falls out.

After washing your hair with soap always apply a little Danderine to the scalp to invigorate the hair and prevent dryness. Better still, use soap as sparingly as possible and instead have a "Danderine Hair Cleanse." Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair taking one strand at a time. This will remove dust, dirt and excessive oil. In a few moments you will be amazed your hair will not only be clean but it will be wavy, fluffy and abundant, and possess an incomparable softness and lustre.

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CARTER'S SUGGESTION ENDORSED BY BARACAS

First Baptist Church Class Adopted Resolutions Yesterday.

Following the statement by Judge Carter in Saturday's Gazette-News, in which he suggested that the board of aldermen employ some capable and faithful police officer like Sergeant Conner to keep an oversight over liquor shipments into Asheville and Blinnore in order that the prohibition law may be more rigidly enforced here, the Baraca class of the First Baptist church yesterday morning adopted resolutions endorsing such a plan. The resolutions follow:

Whereas, The present investigation of the illicit traffic in intoxicating liquors has demonstrated so plainly the need in our city of an officer whose duty it would be to keep daily oversight of the liquor shipments to Asheville and Blinnore to aid in the better enforcement of the prohibition law; and,

Whereas, This plan has been tried at other places with good effect; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the Baraca class of the First Baptist Sunday school respectfully petition and pray the board of aldermen of Asheville to designate or appoint a competent man, and instruct him to keep diligent watch of the railroad and express company's books to secure information that will lead to the breaking up of the illicit traffic in Asheville. And, be it further

Resolved, That our secretary be instructed to present a copy of these resolutions to the board of aldermen at their next regular meeting."

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