THE DURHAM RECORDER.

## RALEIGH'S UNION STATION AGAIN ANOTHER CASE SCENE OF SENSATIONAL SHOOTING OF DOUBLE LIFE DIE MAY FIFTH HER OWN LIFE MAKES DENIALS DIE IN THE C

H. H. Powell, Sanford Hotel Man, Shoots at Two Fellow L. wusmen C. G. Kornegay, of Goldsboro, He is Now in "Death Chamber" Abandoned Young Wife Attempts Millionaire's Wife Replies Speci- Slayer of Deputy Mumford at and Then Kills Himself-Women Faint and Men Run

## TRAGEDY OCCURRED 4 O'CLOCK THURSDAY AFTERNOON SLAYER A MARRIED WOMAN

leaned in the air and then went down

Immediately after the first shot, and

third, there was a rush in all direc-

Mr. Powell was sixty-eight years old

this county.

being almost instantaneous.

waiting room of the Union depot at himself. He had put the Colt's Thursday afternoon Henry H. Powell, pistol, the one he was using, the other proprietor of Sanford Inn, Sanford, right side of his head, just above the called Charles H. Smith and Duncan ear, and pulled the trigger, the bullet E. Mclver to him, and as they ap- crashing into his brain and out at the proached like a flash he drew a pistol top. As the shot was heard Powell and began firing upon them, a bullet like a log, falling on his buck. In inflicting a flesh wound in Smith's either hand was a pistol. The blood right arm. The bullet aimed at Mc- came in a stream from his head Iver narrowly missed him and sev- through the opening the brains ooging. eral bystanders. Evidently thinking and soon the dead man's head and he had killed both men Powell placed shoulders were in a pool of his own the weapon under his right ear and blood. His pulse beat fain ly for a blew out his brains, failing in a heap on the tile floor, while ladies fainted and men harried to places of safery. Powell's mind had become unbalanced during the firing of the second and from brooding over a rumor that nith and McIver were planning to tions; women screamed, and in a erect a rival hotel at Sanford. Powell short time the waiting room was alwas a Confederate veteran and is sur- mos empty, save for a few curious by his widow and several chil- spectators who crowded about the Southern Pines and was well known went out: "One man killed two by many northern sportsmen and others, then shot himself."

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Trip to Raleigh.

Mr. Powell came to Raleigh Thursday morning on the Seaboard Air Line No. 38 as one of the delegation of ten or fifteen which came to urge upon the North Carolina corporation commission that the Raleigh-Norlina "shoofly" be extended to Sanford. In the party were also Mr. Duncap E. Mclver, one of 'be state's leading at been running torneys, and Mr. C. H. Smith, a or five years. prominent business man of Sanford, engaged in the lumber quanufacturing untry. While these two gentlemen. with Mr. O. P. Makepeace, also in the delegation, were planning to erect a sons. Mr. H. H. Powell, Jr., of Johnnew hotel in Hanford, there had been no unpleasantness between them and Mr. Powell, who was conducting the sisters residing in Virginia. Powell house, and all were on friendly

and others of the Sanford delegation ere at the Union depot, which was waiting for the afternoon trains. Mr. gap a hearing on the thirteen appli-Powell, who was on the north side cations filed by transcontinental railof the room near the front door, mo- roads for relief from the operation him to come there. Mr. McIver was amended by the new commerce law, touched him on the shoulder and intermediate western points than to looking up he saw Mr. Smith and Mr. Pacific coast cerminals, where water The three walked to the competition is encountered, except corner of the room where there was when the specific approval of the in a short talk about the prospects of terstate commerce commission has getting the "shoofly" extended to San-been obtained. The railroads are Suddenly Mr. Powell backed seeking to have the old rules relative away from the two and flashed into to rates continued. The subject is ter in Greenville, Miss., stating her view two pistols, one in either hand, one of vital importance, both to the out a word he shot first at Mr. railroads and the shippers, and it is who threw up his hand, the expected the arguments before the sing through the lower part of commission will consume several right arm and lodging to his days.

As the pistols came into view, and one shot rang out, Mr. McIver darted Regina, Sask., March 20. - Saskatat Mr. Powell, almost under his up- chewan's winter fair was formally lifted arm. At this Powell wheeled opened today under conditions that and shot at Mr. McIver, the bulle promise a successful and profitable lodging low in the chairboarding of exhibition. The display of horses, prefer the stare of the crowd. She He is survived by his wife, two sons, the west wall of the room, and nar-cattle, sheep and swine is the best appears calm after her bysterical conrowly missing Miss Kate Blacknall, ever shown here. The evenings of daughter of Mr. O. W. Blacknall, of the exhibition will be devoted to lee Kittrell, who was waiting to take the tures and addresses by a number of well known agricultural and live "shoofly" train for her home.

Kills Himself. Immediately there came a third four days.

# LEWIS WEST TO TRIES TO TAKE MRS. EMERSON LOUIS WEST TO

Killed in Louisiana

of the State's Prison

Sulcide in Greensboro

fically to Husband's Charges Wilson Found Guilty of Murder

Raleigh, March 20.—In the crowded shot. It was the which Powell fired A Mrs. Haynie, Who Deserted Hus. Plan to Raise \$12,000 - Special Terms band and Children, Learning That Kornegay Had a Wife and Children

Shreveport, La., March 20 .- C. G. she formerly lived at Greefville, Ed Purcell, alias "Stetson," has also a bullet crashing througa Miss., who surrendered to the authorities. The woman called at the rallroad office and asked to see Kornegay. He went from the desk to a window at the counter, when the woman openen. Prior to locating in Sanford he body of Mr. Powell. For a time ed fire. After the man fell Mrs. maged a famous resort hotel near pandemonium reigned, and the cry Haynie turned the revolver upon herhusband and two children and coming with him to this place, she learned that Kornegay has a wife and six chil-

dren at Goldsboro, N. C. Leaves Lovely Wife and Children. in a cavalry company, and in 1871 he Goldsboro, March 29.-A telegran married Miss Fannie Myatt, daughter was received in this city Saturday of Mr. Nathan Myatt, deceased, and night by Col. Joseph E. Robinson, editor of the Daily Argus, stating that stepdaughter of Mr. R. G. Dunn, of C. G. Kornegay had been killed at In the early part of his married Shreveport, La., by a married woman, life Mr. Powell farmed in this county. Mrs. Locia Haynic. It was signed He afterwards moved to Aberdeen, Shreveport Times, and asking for inand then to Sanford, where he had formation about Kornegay, whose been running a hotel for the past four me was in this city.

C. G. Kornegay comes from one of Mr. Powell was a member of the the best and oldest families of this Sanford Haptist church, and is sur-vived by a widow, one daughter, Miss region, but "lost out" from dissipation. He leaves a lovely wife and five small children here, who hold the love and esteem that they themselves are worthy, and that his family prestige entirled them to. His brother is this city, and held in the highest es-Hearing of Pacific teem and confidence of the com-

Rate Cases Taken up of age and of late had been sending remittances every month to his wife held March 10.

Buried at Shreveport. Shreveport, La., March 20 .- C.

Kornegay was buried here d to Mr. Melver that he wanted of the long and short hand clause as Sunday afternoon at the expense of the company for which he worked talking to a friend and did not go at Under the new law the ratiroads are No instructions were received as to once. In a few minutes Mr. Powell forbidden to charge a higher rate to the disposition of the body from his former North Carolina home. On close examination of the body it dethe woman took effect.

was the statement of Mrs. Haynie when shown a telegram from her sis Shreveport Monday or Tuesday.

The woman occupies a cell facing the street, and has attracted a crowd of morbid beople all day. She stands when reading over and over again ground. He was 86 years old and the account of the killing published recently celebrated his golden wedtalk about the killing, saying that her field, Mass.

lawyer told her not to talk. Ex-United States District Attorney Raleigh's Whirlwind Elatner has been retained by the woman's sympathizers.

It had developed that Kornegay did not take the woman away from Vicksburg, and on this money she re-

onel Theodore Roosevelt, accom- majority of the voters of Adams sale of Paul A. Sorg's great stable of Horticulturalist W. N. Hutt, and is scheme. J. P. Kerr, of Asheville, who away, in which the lost ring was panied by his family, is due to arrive carefully wrapped.

Miss Ruth is roung, but had of will spend two days in this vicinity. The work is being done by experts in this tree is one of the commissioners for the academy this week is exciting keen interest among exhibitors and horse. ten heard her mother speak of the Among the features of his visit for mother's ring. The thought arose to ciuded will be a luncheon with Gov-her at one, that the ring she had ernor Johnson and some of the profound was the long lost treasure.

The ring will be given to Mrs.

The ring will sale of the board of ducation democrats of wide prominence are in three times the small champion of mated to afford for the work. The to consider pending sales of the line of the state in Holly Shelter and of treatment of the fine old treatmen

of Court for Alamance and Rowan-New Officers for Hoke County-The Tonnage Question to be Heard Before Commerce Commission Tuesday Raleigh, March 20.-Lewis West is

state's prison, the other accomplices in their thieving operations having to serve their terms on the Wilson

Methdist to Raise Money. A mass meeting of the men of the Edenton Street Methodist church deelded Sunday night to raise at once \$12,000 necessary for the completion of the \$25,000 Sunday School building roof on. It is one of the most complete buildings for Sunday School purposes in this part of the country. The contract is already awarded for the supletion of the building, conditoned of course on the money being in hand for the purpose.

Special Courts for Two Counties. Special terms of criminal court one week each are ordered by Governor Kitchin to convene April 24 in Alamance county, with Judge Long pre siding, and in Rowan county on April

10. with Judge Lyon presiding.

New Officer or Hoke County.

There have just been commissioned by Governor Kitchin the primary ninees as officers for the new aty of Hoke, formed from part of ford as the county seat. The officers are: Commissioners, W. J. Johnson. cashier of the First National bank of S. J. Cameron and J. A. McPhaul; sheriff, Edgar Hall; register of deeds. J. H. Smith; clerk of the cour., W. B. McQueen; treasurer, W. J. McCraney; coroner Dr. R. P. Dickson, These nominations were made in primaries

The petition of the Drummond Transportation company and others against a tonnage fee of 20 cents imposed by the Norfolk and Southern Railway company on freight delivered to the railroad company at its wharves she informed the fast thickening Elizabe h City, Washington and New Bern by steamboats is to be heard by the corporation commission Tuesday, the Atlantic Coast Line being involved for similar practice in New Bern and Washington. The charge is that this tonnage is imposed to keep down effective water route competition for freigh; out of Norfolk mother or husband would come to for these points against the railroad service.

Remains Carried to New York. The remains of J. M. Chamberlain were carried today to Kanona, N. Y., by the window constantly, except for interment in the family burying in the papers. A shade was put over ding at the home of his son, J. R. the window to keep curious eyes out, Chamberlain, in West Raleigh, where but she raised this and seemed to be has made his home for some time. dition of yesterday, and refused to daughter, Mrs. A. C. Baker, of Spring-

## Campaign this Week

Raleigh, March 20 .- The whirlwind Greenville, but she followed him to campaign for he establishment of a Birmingham and then to Shreveport. Young Men's Christian association was given money to go back to with a home of its own, to cost not day attempted to kill herself with a but a week ago. She was less than \$100,000, is to have its ingiven \$25 by her husband to go to auguration this week in a dinner conference to be held in Metropolitan turned to Shreveport and to Korne- t. ll, when the special guests will be gay. Kornegay had secured for her Judge J. C. Pritchard, of the western Oxford. March 20.—Many years fransportation to go to St. Louis, district United States court: A. S. ago during the civil war the wedding where her sister resides, and this was Ackley, of Richmond, and R. C. Hood. prison commission, Edgar Stripling, sing of the wife of the late Capt, A. in her possession when she shot him. of Greensboro. The dinner is to be Kornegay met the woman while he served at one dollar the plate wnich and lodged somewhere in her back. worked in Greenville several months the local participants are to put up.

> Ohio Election Probe Resumed. West Union, O., March 20 .- Judge Fine Horses to A. Z. Blair today reopened his court Land of Sunshine for the further hearing of the election fraud cases, which already have Los Angeles, Cal., March 20 .- Col- resulted in the disfranchisement of a

Act in Parlor of Guilford Hotel at Into Her Breast-Taken to Hospital in a Precarious Condition.

Greensboro, March 26-Mrs. Sadie Kornegay, a railroad rate clerk, em- now securely lodged in the "death Royster, who a few weeks ago specific denial to every one of the hours' deliberation the jury in the case ployed by the Vicksburg, Shreveport chamber" of the state's prison await- became the bride of Farror Roy- allegations contained in the suit for of Louis West and John Stetson, on and Pacific railway, was shot five ing electrocution May 5 for the kill- ster, of Greensboro, in the paring of Deputy Sheriff Mumford at lor of the Guilford hotel at 2 few minutes after he fell, his death Saturday by a Mrs. Haynie, who says Wilson February 2. One of his pals, o'clock Saturday afternoon sent- Isaac Emerson, filed her answer Sat- murder in the second degree as to the entered on his term of 30 years in the right breast from a .32-caliber ham- The answer is brief. It makes no and centence of Stetson will be named merless Smith and Wesson pistol, cross-allegations and admits only the by Judge Adams later. The maximum and is now in a precarious condition marriage and the names of their chil- penalty for second degree murder in at St. Leo's hospital, with chances fair dren. Mitchell, of Burlington, the daughter that her relations with C. Haseltine of A. C. Mitchell, a highly respected contractor there, she was well known which now has the walls up and the to Farror Royster, son of G. H. Roy- third paragraph of said bill of com-

ster, of this city, who had been a recognized lover for over two years. The day after the marriage the young husband left his bride, and she has been unable to find him or to get any response to her numerous and pitiful appeals for his return. She has a always conducted herself since her ing 16 members of the alleged gang sister, Mrs. Ed Fowler, living here, and spent several days here in a vain effort to get in communication with her recreant husband, who, it is reported, has decamped to Texas. Mrs. Royster arrived here on the 12.30 train from Raleigh, but what she did shows unto the court that the said C. between then and the time of the shooting is not known. She was seen to walk into the Guilford hotel, at the ladies' entrance on Sycamore street, and in a moment a shot rang out from the ladies' parlor, near the entrance on this street. Hurriedly going thither, in the darkened recess of a corner near the piano a writhing, struggling, moaning object was smoke wreathed its cloak about her room. Dr. M. F. Fox, of Jamestown, in truth or fact. was one of the first to reach the pros-trate body. Raising the unknown bill of complaint the defendant prays in a private statement yesterd up, she immediately regained consciousness and calmly said that she hoped she was dying, as her husband had deserted her and life was intoler-

able. "I am Mrs. Farror Royster," crowd. "I have written a note that everything, and sent it to young Sam Bradshaw, his friend and my friend. It tells all I know and why I did it." She gasped, and then falling over into the physician's arms, she faintly cried for water, just as the ambulance arrived, and she was tenderly taken across the aisle and placed in the vehicle and hurried to the hos-

It has been learned that when Mrs. Royster arrived from Burlington she went to a drug store immediately across the street from the Guilford hotel, and, meeting young Bradshaw, apparently by appointment, handed impossible to locate Bradshaw, as he Emerson file a cross bill. is not yet to be found, though it is known that he had only been acting as a mutual friend of the young woman and her truant husband. Only a week ago he received a long and appealing letter from her, asking him = to find out his address, so she could

pistol while in the parlor of the Hotel Guilford, was resting well at St. Leo's hospital today. Her condition is quite serious, however, and last night she suffered considerable pain. The ball entered the right

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New York, March 20 .- The auction been notified to appear in court at fauciers all over the United States at the rate of 75 cents per hour for preliminary work is making good once and either make confession or and Canada, and in Europe as well, the time that it takes to complete the headway and will move off in full stand trial. The high steppers that will go under job, with the privilege on the part of swing right after the conference next the hammer include the pole hackney the council of state to stop the work week. mobiles and military aeroplanes are prominent features among the exhibits not always best to destroy old papers and prominent features among the exhibits not always best to destroy old papers and prominent features among the exhibits not always best to destroy old papers and prominent features among the exhibits not always best to destroy old papers and possibles if the old papers had been auspices of the City club and the reward of trotters to win the Arrowhead cup birthday anniversary. The program last fall in the grounds of Shaw university, Onslow counties, to northern interpublican state central committee. The burned the beautiful ring of the dead publican state central committee. The burned the beautiful ring of the dead publican state central committee. The burned the beautiful ring of the fatter in the Arrowhead cup pleted treatment of the fine old trees applies of the fine old trees are to the lin the grounds of Shaw university. Onslow counties, to northern interpublican state central committee. The burned the beautiful ring of the dead publican state central committee. The burned the beautiful ring of the dead publican state central committee. The burned the beautiful ring of the dead publican state central committee. The burned the beautiful ring of the fine old treatment of the fine old

Although There Is a Possibility of Public Trial Not Considered as Likely at Present Time.

Baltimore, March 20.-Making a divorce filed by her husband, Mrs. Mumford, re urned a verdict of first Emilie A. Emerson, wife of Capt degree murder as to the former and

Bashore have been improper, and the eagerly awaited verdict was anstates that she has always been a nounced, the crowd that filled the faithful wife. The document recites:

plaint that the defendant has been hood and the defendant emphatically to the crowd. and indignantly denies the same, and she avers and charges that she has her except with the approval and consent of the plaintiff.

Not Her Fault. that the plaintiff has not recently bane, Wade Williams and Tom Lane. lived with her, as alleged in the fourth paragraph, but she emphati- against them, admitted having formed cally denies that his failure to do so a conspiracy here to rob a store at was due to the discovery of supposed Dunn, N. C., and of later executing it. seen, as the curling sulphur-fumed occurrences mentioned in the third smoke wreathed its cloak about her paragraph of said bill, and which as fatal attempt to arrest West and Stetand lazily unfurled itself over the hereinbefore shown have no existence ducting a bawdy house. All of the

that she may be hence dismissed with afternoon West said he was sorry he ber reasonable costs."

will be effected, and that Captain cause of it. He is 23 Emerson will make a financial settle. says, although he looks much older, ment on his wife that will be satis- and weighs 198 pounds. He says he factory to her. This report, how- was very hungry and had no money will tell everything and will explain ever, lacks official confirmation. The to buy food, was the reason he went amount mentioned as acceptable to in the negro restaurant at Maxton, Mrs. Emerson would be \$40,000 a where he was arrested while trying year income, or in lieu of this, a lump to sell a pistol and get food. sum of \$600,000. The gossipers have it that Captain Emerson was willing to make an annual allowance of \$20,to \$430,000 a year.

There have been reports of a crossbill naming a prominent New York this year at Champaign, Ill. there should be neither a compromise with a satisfactory settlement. Illinois baseball tears. or a cross bill filed, testimony will be taken before an examiner on the Central Basketball Championships

The legislature passed an act reducing the number of oil inspectors troit Authletic club. The play will in the state from ten to five. The continue over tomorrow and Wednesact is effective June 1st.

The Young Woman Committed the Answer Makes No Cross-Allegations, West, After Being Condemned, Alds State in Conviction of Members of His Gang-Six of the Sixteen Were Convicted and Told of Their

Wilson, March 20 .- After three

this state is 30 years.

Heeded Court's Warning

No demonstration was made when courtroom and extended out into the "Third-The allegation in the streets heeding the warning of the court that arrests would follow any demons ration of feeling. The verguilty of misconduct with C. Hasel. dict of second degree murder in Stettine Bashore is a deliberate faise. son's case came as a great surprise

Turns a State Witness.

After the verdict six of the remainmarriage to the plaintiff as a dutiful of which West was the leader were and chaste wife, and that she has arraigned. The condemned murderer never in any way or at any time was the chief witness offered by the violated her marriage vows or failed state, he willingly taking the stand in any wise to faithfully perform all and giving evidence against his former her marital obligations, and she pals, as he said, in hope of making shows unto the court that the said C everything right with God. All were Haseltine Bashore has never visited convicted before adjournment of offenses for which the maximum penalty is five years.

These negroes were Dave Young. "Fourth-The defendant admits Will Lane, Will Smith, Matthew Me-The first four, after West had testified

in a private statement yesterday committed the crime and that drinking It is rumored that a compromise and keeping bad company was the

Brewers to Train in Illinois.

Milwankee, Wis., March 20 .- Man-600 to his wife. The captain's in- Milwaukee team of the American ascome is reported to be from \$400,000 sociation got away today on their spring training trip. will do most of their training again woman as co-respondent. In case they will have the advantage of practice games with the University of

him a note, telling him not to open it petition of Captain Emerson within Detroit, Mich., March 20,-The until he heard from her. It was not the next few weeks. It is very im- strongest basketball teams in the five minutes before she had fired the probable that a public trial will ever middle west are entered in the tournabullet of intended death. It has been be held of the case, even should Mrs. ment to decide the Central A. A. U. championships, which begins in the Light Guard armory in this city to-

## write to him and plead for his return. DOCTORING THE OAK TREES STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION Mrs. Parror Royster, who Satur-

ONES IN CAPITOL SQUARE.

TRYING TO SAVE THOSE FINE MEETING THIS WEEK IN REGARD TO THE SWAMP LANDS.

Raleigh, Mar. 29-The fine old oak Raleigh, Mar. 20-The state board trees in capitol square that have been of education will hold a number of imand lodged somewhere in her back.

If she intended shooting through her so fast as to give rise to the fear that the state. On Tuesday there will be they would ere long pass completely, a conference between the board and are being treated to a complete over- the corporation that has been formed hauling and experi treatment by "tree to take over the state's interest in Go Under Hammer surgeons," with a view to giving them Hyde county for the final adjustment a new lease on life if possible. This, of the details of this sale of the state's work is under the direction of State interest in this immense drainage

### MAIN IN JAIL. Atlanta, Ga., March 20,-Pending the

Va., and re-arrested after fourteen prison stripes. His hearing by the

Governor Brown takes the position that while Stripling had been sentenced to life imprisonment, he excaped before he began that sentence, and since an application for pardon is pending, which will come up to him for final action, he felt that he should take no action in the matter at this

Williary Features at Auto Show. ntreal, March 18,-Military autooblies and military aeroplanes are largest ever shown in the Dominion, never come to light.

NO STRIPES FOR STRIPLING WEDDING RING WAS FOUND GOV. BROWN ALLOWS HIM TO RE. LOST DURING CIVIL WAR AND

stock experts. The fair will continue

FOUND A FEW DAYS AGO.

final disposition of his case by the ago during the civil war the wedding erstwhile chief of police at Danville. H. Brage was misplaced in some years freedom, on a charge of mur- way, and after diligent search all fer, will remain in the county jail at hopes were lost as to the finding of Co. unbus, Georgia, and will not wear the valuable treasures. The other Two Days in the mulssion has been sent for April granddaughter of the mother who lost the ring was looking over some old papers that had been stored

mysterious disappearance of her step which arrangements have been con-