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## SHOT TO DEATH.

### W. HENRY PERRY KILLED BY WESLEY PULLEY.

#### Without a Word of Warning Pulley Shoots to Kill—Death Resulted in ten Minutes—Pulley Gives Himself up.

A murder, in apparent cold blood occurred at Raley, near the line between Franklin and Wake, on Tuesday evening last, when Wesley Pulley, of Wake County shot and killed W. Henry Perry, both white, with a single-barrelled shot gun. Our information is that Pulley came up with gun in his hand and without a word of warning to Perry, who was sitting on the porch in front of his store, raised the gun and fired. Perry saw the gun pointed toward him and remarked, "Wes, don't you shoot me," at the same time making an effort to go into the store door to get out of the way, but he failed to get inside before the entire load struck him in his right breast and shoulder. Perry walked behind the counter and fell. His friends and relatives immediately raised him up and placed him on a bed in rear of the store, but he soon expired. Dr. R. P. Floyd, who was in the neighborhood attending his patients, arrived a few moments after breath left the unfortunate man.

There were several eye-witnesses to the killing and none of them saw any immediate cause for the killing. It is said that Pulley and Perry fell out some months ago in regard to some saw mill machinery and that Perry had secured a judgment against Pulley for the difference claimed by him, and that when Pulley discovered that the judgment had been docketed in Wake County, he became furious and swore vengeance against Perry and that is supposed to be the cause of his act.

After committing the deed Pulley went to the house of J. B. King, a Justice of the Peace, who lives about two miles from Raley and surrendered himself and gun, telling King what he had done. Messengers brought the news of the murder to Sheriff Kearney and Deputy H. A. Kearney left immediately for the scene of the tragedy. He found the defendant at Squire Kings, and brought him to town, keeping him in custody until Saturday when he was placed in jail. The prisoner doesn't talk much, and seems unconcerned. He did not even desire to employ a lawyer, but his people have employed Mr. T. W. Bickett to defend him. We learn that Mr. E. S. Spruill has been retained by the family of Perry to aid in the prosecution.

It is a very sad affair. Both men have families, that of Mr. Perry being quite large. It is said that Pulley's father died in the insane asylum.

### The Girls in Business.

The truth is that the girls are getting the better of the boys in many lines of genteel employment. The boys may complain of this, as they will, but the fact stands. The young women in this, and many towns, after a certain hour, are quite as much in evidence on their way to work as the young men, and the man at the window can see that they look trim and neat, that they hold up their heads as if they were ready to meet the world and their employers. They have none of the appearance of having deprived themselves of the necessary amount of sleep, or of carrying a headache along with them. Indeed on a frosty morning it is pleasant to see how their cheeks glow. They are getting the better of the boys because they can be trusted to come to their work in good form. They may not be strong as the boys, but they

take care of their strength. They don't smoke, they don't chew, they don't drink, they don't gamble, they don't loaf. Society puts up arbitrary rules for the girls, and they must abide by them or lose caste. The boys are suffered to make their own rules and take the consequences. Many a boy thinks he can be gay and deceive everybody, and he runs along until he loses his job. By that time he is apt to think that somebody has undermined him, and to look quite past himself in an attempt to locate the guilty party. Business is all the time putting up bars against the gay young man. Positions of responsibility, positions of trust, positions requiring reliability and regularity are being closed against him. He may not see that he is benched because he isn't honest, for he may be able to swear with clear conscience that he never took so much as a nickle in his life that did not belong to him. But he has taken time that did not belong to him. He has had to be sent for. He hasn't been faithful. He has lied as to why he was late, and as to where he was last night. He has gone upon the theory that it was nobody's business how he occupied his time outside business hours. Yet the growth of a bad character, if you are at all close to it, is about as obvious as the growth of a corn field. The prudent business man does not always wait until he has a case in court. He prefers to settle the little things with his employes before they have gone that far. Business is becoming more and more exacting on the point of individual character. It is looking out for integrity, and it is saying that whatever the head of the house is the salary list must be clean. This demand opens a wide door to the girls, and there is only one way in which it can be closed against them, and that is to meet the competition, and by the removal of it through consolidation.

### Franklin Superior Court.

The April term of Franklin Superior Court will convene on next Monday, with Judge J. Crawford Biggs presiding. The Clerk's docket up to yesterday contained the following number of cases: State 33; civil 56. There are five capital cases for trial as follows: Willis Young, arson; Tom Ham, murder; Harvey Williams, burglary; Butler Alston, murder; Wesley Pulley, murder.

As will be seen from the calendar published in another column no cases on the civil docket will be tried until Monday of the second week.

### To Cotton Farmers.

Mr. E. D. Smith, general organizer of the Southern Cotton Association and Mr. C. G. Moore, President of the North Carolina Division, will address the farmers and business men of this county in the Court House at Louisburg on Friday, April 12, at eleven o'clock. Let everybody come and hear discussed the plan to organize Bonded Warehouse Holding Companies in every county in the South.

### List of Letters

Remaining in the postoffice at Louisburg, N. C., uncalled for:

Alex. Alston, Mrs. Bessie Alston, Mrs. Minnie Anderson, Miss Betsy Austin, Mrs. Ray Cooke, Mr. Dixon, R. J. Dunning, Jake Dumas, C. S. Eaker, George Foster, Miss Clara Fench, John Fuller, Jas. Hayden, Mrs. Theo. Hazel, Bill Higs, Stone-wall R. Jacobs, W. H. Jenkins, Miss Geniver Laton, Lewis Lehman, Mrs. Mary Linton, McGowan Lumber Co., James Mitchell, Mrs. Eva O'Neal, John W. Parham, Miss Luby Parry, Miss Lala Silla, S. L. Williams.

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say they saw them advertised.

R. R. HARRIS, P. M.

## APPROPRIATE MOTTO!

### "OUR LIVES TO LIBERTY—OUR SOULS TO GOD."

#### This Was the Motto on the Flag of the Franklin Rifles in the Civil War—Suggested by Wm. J. King.

The editor of the TIMES has recently learned the origin of the beautiful and most appropriate motto placed on the Confederate Flag, which was followed by the gallant men composing the FRANKLIN RIFLES. As is well known the beautiful Flag was made by the ladies, and during its preparation the Company was requested to suggest a motto. A meeting of the company was called, and a committee composed of G. S. Baker, Chas. R. Thomas and W. M. King, was appointed to suggest a motto to be placed on the flag. The committee met in a room over the old Barrow & Pleasant's store on the corner of Main and Nash streets in Louisburg and after consulting a few moments the following was tendered by Mr. W. J. King, who is now the only surviving member of the committee: "Our Lives to Liberty—Our Souls to God." Without a moment's hesitation the other two members of the committee accepted it, and this is how it came about that the most admired flag, and especially the very appropriate motto, in the late civil war, was that of the Franklin Rifles of Franklin county, North Carolina.

### The Times' Free Trips.

The two FREE TRIPS to the Jamestown Exposition that are to be given the two young ladies of Franklin county who secure the largest number of subscribers to the FRANKLIN TIMES before June 1st, are based upon bona fide subscribers and renewals, and we wish to emphasize the fact that the contest shall be ABSOLUTELY FAIR, that every young lady who enters the contest SHALL have a "SQUARE DEAL." No one except the editor and the person keeping the record shall know how many subscriptions and renewals are credited to each contestant until after the contest closes, therefore it can be readily seen that all of the contestants will have an equal showing. We will only publish each week how the contestants stand numerically, as we have been doing.

Up to yesterday at 12 o'clock the young ladies being voted for stood as follows:

1. Miss Ella Harris.
2. Miss Onnie Tucker.
3. Miss Margie Macon.
4. Miss Fannie Winston.
5. Miss Virginia Foster.
6. Miss Louisa Jarman.

### The Cemetery.

EDITOR TIMES: I wish to add something to that which has already been said in regard to the neglected condition of a large portion of our Cemetery, and this is written to urge yet again the plea, that our citizens will take steps at once to improve the appearance of a spot so sacred and dear to many of us. I am sure that there are few who know how many Confederate Soldiers are silently sleeping there. With the aid of a Veteran we have ascertained that there are nearly twenty-five, and there may be more. It is a belated duty, though none the less a duty, that we honor the graves of the dead heroes, and on our approaching Memorial day, the Daughters of the Confederacy here most earnestly ask all who will to unite with them in paying a tribute of loving reverence to those in the "Silent City of our Dead," who loved and fought for a cause they

know was right. Many of the graves are almost if not entirely obliterated, and we ask help in restoring these.

On the 10th of May, Memorial services will be held, a program of which will be given later. The orator for the occasion is Mr. Tasker Polk of Warrenton. A dinner will be given to the Veterans, and it is then proposed that we go to the Cemetery and after appropriate ceremonies there, we will decorate with flowers the graves of every Confederate Soldier, and place on each a small Confederate flag, which is to remain until replaced by a new one next year. This beautiful custom has been observed in many places, and it is with regret that we acknowledge our own tardiness. Let it no longer be held against us but let every man, woman and child in our community unite with us in honoring the heroes of our lost but still immortal cause.

### ONE OF THE DAUGHTERS.

Below we append the list we have—if any one can tell us of others we will be glad if he will give the names to Mr. W. H. Hill, or send them to Mr. R. H. Davis, our Secretary.

Mr. W. G. Baker, Mr. Walter Young, Dr. Meadows, Mr. Wiley Harding, Mr. John C. Aycock, Mr. Newton J. Batchelor, Mr. D. D. Cottrell, Mr. J. H. Dillard, Mr. Nathaniel Macon, Mr. S. H. Kearney.

### The Cost of Bad Roads.

The Department of Agriculture issued a bulletin showing the cost of hauling the principal crops to the nearest shipping point. Nearly \$23,000,000 was spent in a single year to get the corn crop shipped, this item representing nearly 10 per cent of the value of the average load carried. In the case of wheat the aggregate cost was nearly \$22,000,000, or a little over 7 per cent of the principle products, the aggregate cost of hauling to place of shipment was \$73,000,000. No better argument could be made in favor of good roads than this table of figures. The statistics indicate also the possible saving through the development of freight-carrying trolley lines, bringing the farmer nearer to the point of shipment. With an annual output of \$73,000,000 for hauling \$1,500,000,000 worth of ordinary products, it is plain that the savings secured by improvement of transportation facilities would be enormous.

### Resolutions of Respect.

The following resolutions were unanimously passed by the Methodist Sunday School:

Whereas, the great Teacher in his infinite love and wisdom has seen fit to take from our midst our esteemed Superintendent and co-laborer whose presence and counsel will be sadly missed in our Sunday School, be it

Resolved, That while we bow in humble submission to the will of God, believing our loss to be his gain, we mourn his death knowing that his exemplary life and wise counsel will be sadly missed.

2. That we extend our sincere sympathy to the sorrowing family and commend them to the love of Him who will not leave them comfortless.

3. That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Louisburg M. E. Sunday School and a copy sent to the family, to the county papers and to the Raleigh Christian Advocate.

(Signed) MISS MABEL L. DAVIS,  
P. A. REAVIS,  
W. W. BOBBIE.

Argo Red Salmon is sold in one-pound TALL cans, because only the TALL cans are filled by machinery. Flat and one-half pound cans are filled by hand. Hand work in factories is crude and antiquated.

## THE MOVING PEOPLE.

### THEIR MOVEMENTS IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

#### And Those Who Come and Go, Some for Pleasure, Some for Business and a Large Number Because They Like It.

J. K. White returned Friday from Chase City, Va.

J. A. Cash returned Tuesday from a visit to Durham.

Mr. R. O. Bissett spent a few days in Raleigh this week.

Mr. Aaron Dantz returned this week from Baltimore.

J. W. Beasley returned Tuesday from a short trip to Raleigh.

Miss Mary Judd, of Henderson, was a visitor at Mr. W. E. Tucker's this week.

Mr. ——— Arrington, of Durham, is visiting his uncle, Mr. W. H. Arrington, on Noble street.

W. R. Lester, of Henderson, returned home Friday after a visit to his uncle, Mr. J. I. Dorsey.

Mrs. Mary Green Furman and Mrs. W. P. Montgomery, of Franklin, have been guests this week of Mrs. W. M. Peters.

Mr. E. S. Ford returned from Greensboro a few days ago, and on his return he bought an educated pony for his little boy, George.

Mrs. J. W. Hicks and little daughter, Mamma, who have been visiting Mrs. James H. Holloway, have returned to their home in Warren county.

Capt. J. A. White, Superintendent of the Augusta and Southern Railroad with headquarters at Augusta, Ga., was here the past week for a few days' rest, guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. W. H. Ruffin. He has a large number of friends in Louisburg, his old home, who are always glad to see him, and the editor is one of them, but we failed to see his smiling countenance during this last visit. He failed to "darken" the entrance to our sanctuary.

### McGhee-Joyner.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clingman Joyner invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter Margaret Camilla to Mr. John Wheeler McGhee Wednesday evening the twenty-fourth of April nineteen hundred and seven at half after nine o'clock Baptist Church Franklin, North Carolina.

### A Very Sad Death.

The sympathy of this entire community goes out to Mr. J. J. Hayes in the sad bereavement which has overtaken him. It was truly sad news to hear on Wednesday that Belle Hayes was dead. Her age was 14, the oldest daughter, and she was the idol of her father. She was a girl of a very sweet disposition, and since her mother's death about two years ago, she has been especially helpful to her affectionate father, and took great interest in looking after her brother and sisters. She was taken a few days since with typhoid pneumonia, which was the cause of her death. The funeral, which was largely attended, took place yesterday afternoon, at the Baptist church conducted by Rev. Mr. Stamps, and the remains were tenderly laid to rest in the Cemetery. The following were the pallbearers:

W. H. Allen, J. A. Turner, R. A. Bobbit, E. S. Ford, S. T. Weller, E. S. Meadows.

### Time to Quit.

A professional gambler, who was accustomed to take his morning glass, stepped into a saloon, and going up to the bar called for whiskey. A steady individual stepped up to him and said:

"I say, squire, can't you quit an un-

fortunate fellow to join you?"

He was annoyed by the man's familiarity, and told him:

"I am not in the habit of drinking with tramps."

The tramp replied,

"You need not be so cranky and high-minded, me friend. I care to say that I am of just as good family as you are, have as good education, and before I took to drink was just as respectable as you are. What is more, I always knew how to act the gentleman. Take my word for it, you stick to whiskey, and it will bring you to just the same place I am."

Struck with his words, the gentleman set down his glass and turned to look at him. His eyes were blood shot, his face bloated, his boots matted, his clothing filthy.

Then: "Was it drink that made you like this?"

"Yes, it was; and it will bring you to the same if you stick to it."

Picking up his untouched glass he poured its contents upon the floor and said, "Then it's time I quit," and left the saloon never to enter it again.

### INGSIDE ITEMS.

(OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENTS.)

We are requested to ask everybody to come and bear the Governor on the 30th, and to bring a basket for the big basket picnic.

Road overseer J. R. Pass was busy with the road force Tuesday and Wednesday and made a pretty good job. We hope others will follow.

These messages were received here last night of two deaths in this county, that of Mrs. Allen, who lived near Clifton Mill, member of Mrs. Hicks' class, and Mr. Newman, a good citizen who lived in the Rocky Ford section. Mr. Newman was the father of Mrs. H. C. Disharson.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Cooke sympathize with them sincerely on account of the distressing condition of the family. Their daughter, Miss Hallie is quite ill with typhoid fever, and Mrs. Cooke, after a siege of tender and patient nursing of other members of the family, was confined to her bed a few days ago with fever. As already intimated in these columns, their son John, 15 years old, and yesterday the youngest son, Mr. Linwood Cooke, was taken sick. He is not confined, however, and it is hoped that he will escape the fever. Some weeks ago Miss Mary Cooke, of New York, came home to devote her attention to these ones.

On Tuesday April the thirteenth there will be an old time basket picnic at Ingleside Academy. Governor Glenn will speak at eleven o'clock. Some other noted speakers are expected to be present. The music concert will be given at night of the same day, beginning at eight o'clock. Music will be furnished by an orchestra made up of home talent. All who have fathers or mothers, brothers or sisters, sons or daughters, wives or sweethearts are invited to come and bear the Governor's address and attend the concert also. Of course the Governor will be greeted by a large audience. Cannot and bear the Governor's address in the interest of education? It will do you good. Everybody is respectfully invited to come and bring a basket. Remember the date, April 30th, at 11 o'clock.

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The Alaska Packers Association have liberated from their Hatcheries in Alaska, up to 1906, over three hundred and fifty-one million (311,000,000) young salmon. Their Packman hatchery is the largest in the world.

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