

GENERAL NEWS.

Negro Runs Amuck and Kills Several Citizens. Bennett Wins Cup.

Angered, it is believed, because two of his friends had recently been shot by police officer in Monroe, La., William S. Wade, a negro, Tuesday ran amuck on the principal business street with a double-barreled shot-gun, shooting first at every white man he saw and then firing indiscriminately at every object before him. The fire was returned and the negro finally fell dead with a bullet through his heart, but not before 29 men, three of them members of his own race, had been more or less seriously wounded. Wade was captured and lynched and his body was afterwards burned.

Valued at \$3,000,000, a tract of 6,000 acres of coal and timber land, located near Morgantown, W. Va., has been seized by surveyors employed by the Ball Land and Lumber Company, of Arizona, chartered by 100 heirs of Joseph Ball, bought the land in 1815. Chess Bros., of Pittsburgh, present tenants of the land, have held the property since 1883, but lawyers retained by the Ball heirs claim that no record of a sale has ever been filed. The Chess estate was not apprised of the developments until the surveyors made their appearance, and will probably start ejection proceedings this week.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

A. A. Tarlton, shot and seriously wounded his brother-in-law, James Hendricks, who was advancing on him with an axe in South Carolina, near the North Carolina line, one day last week. The men had previously had trouble over some land. Tarlton had called to see another party when Hendricks came out with an axe. Tarlton claims to have done the shooting in self defence and was admitted to bail.

Stelmo Ross was tarred from an automobile near Christianburg, Va., Saturday, and sustained a fracture of the skull which may prove fatal.

Miss Myrtle Dorsey, aged 16, daughter of Alderman Frank Dorsey, of Chattanooga, committed suicide Friday night by jumping off a bridge into a creek.

Roland Stell, a colored convict, while attempting to make his escape from the stockade near Rock Hill, S. C., was shot by Mart Williams, a trusty. Steele may die.

S. P. Webb, of Louisville, Ky., was shot and fatally wounded, at Fort Worth, Texas, Saturday, by T. E. Baldwin, of Albino, Texas. Baldwin surrendered to the police but made no statement concerning the shooting.

A negro baby was born in the smoking apartment of a Jim Crow car, attached to south-bound passenger train No. 20, last Wednesday night, just as the train was pulling out from Charlottesville, Va.

The international cup of aviation, at Rheims, France, known as the Gordon Bennett trophy, was won Saturday by Glenn H. Curtiss, the American aviator, in the fastest aerial journey of 20 kilometers (12.42 miles) ever accomplished by man. His time, 15 minutes 50 3/5 seconds, was only 5 3/5 seconds faster than that made by Bleriot over the same course.

NEWSPAPER COMMENT.

Oh, you Democrat don't you cry for any Republican census pie; The G. O. P. will surely die, And we'll take the census by-and-by.—Wilmington Star.

"There is a case pending for settlement in this county in which two children are heirs to their part of \$505. But the share of each is only one-half of one-ninth of one-fourth of one-seventh of the total \$505. Figure that out and see how much more than one dollar each will get."—Monroe Journal.

It is a pleasure for The Dispatch to announce that the contractors who are to build the Southbound Railway are making preparations to move their equipment along the line and will soon begin to shovel dirt. This development not only means much to all the people along the line but it means great things to North Carolina and the south. This Piedmont section is the brightest spot of the state and North Carolina is the best state in the south and the south is the best part of the Union. This development is only a beginning; the next ten years will revolutionize this whole country. If you haven't woken up, wake up and get in line.—Lexington Dispatch.

The Greensboro Record concludes that while neither the State nor the Federal government is able to secure fair freight rates from the railroads, that the Lord has delivered the people through the instrumentality of the Southern Power Company; that while the railroads have been charging outrageous rates on coal the Southern Power Company is stringing its lines all through this country, supplanting steam power with electric power, and by and by there will be such small demand for coal manufacturing enterprises that the railroads will be out of the coal hauling business unless they make very low rates. Maybe so, maybe so; but it is just as well not to shout too soon. When the Southern Power Company gets well entrenched it can if it wills, having no competition, make such rates for electric current as will make the railroads ashamed. In such event there will be calls on the Lord for other and further deliverance.—Statesville Landmark.

It is a commendable sign in some cities that arrests for petty offenses are to a certain extent being abandoned. To bring this into effect the "cop" must become a humane entity, and lose a part of his harsh exterior and the grim dignity vested in him by his credentials. He becomes police and judge, and when an offender of the petty class comes under his notice he attempts to settle the matter by keeping it out of courts and in a way to gain respect of the offender. By reducing the number of arrests at least one-third, it is claimed, results are better, a more law-abiding spirit prevails, and the police force becomes in reality a protection to the public. It is too often true that our magistrate and mayoralty courts are filled with cases of petty violations and that graver offenses are committed and yet go unpunished. In order to create a respect for law there must be a right enforcement of the law, and the court, officials, and people should unite in upholding the majesty thereof.—Stanley Enterprise.

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President Taft Desecrating the Sabbath.

President Taft was busy on Sunday with the affairs of the State, the press dispatches tell us, and "church attendance was omitted in the the interest of humanity," a long list of pardon applications being considered in the afternoon. In emergency cases the President would be justified in giving attention to affairs of State on Sunday; and if it were impossible for him to consider the pardon application at any other time it would be perfectly proper for him to devote Sunday to that work. But it is a fact of course that the President's duties do not ordinarily require him to work on Sunday. If he wanted to keep the Lord's day he could do so easily without detriment to his health or the public business. The Sunday work is a matter of convenience. Public business is transacted on that day because the cabinet officers and others make it a custom to call on the President on Sunday. They could call some other day just as well if they wanted to. While The Landmark, as has heretofore been said, is not a stickler for Sunday blue laws and has liberal views as to Sabbath observance, it cannot but think that the utter disregard of Sunday shown by the head of the nation in recent years will have a demoralizing effect on public morals. President Roosevelt, a teacher of morality and a professed Christian, made it a habit to hold conferences at the White House on Sunday, and Mr. Taft is not only following the example but improving on it. And those Sunday conferences are by no means always devoted to public business. More than often party policies are considered, and this is less excusable than the other—Statesville Landmark.

Cartridge Explodes in Boy's Pocket.

In the police court at Durham a few days ago since Virgil Thompson was called upon to explain the discharge of a cartridge last night at the Arcade while attending a shop. The gentlemen in question was sitting quietly in his seat when an explosion followed by a flash of fire, sent people into a semi-panic. He stood the stares of the multitude a few minutes and went home. He was followed by the officers who did not except his explanation at the theatre. He said that he had some cartridges in his pocket and one of them fired. They did not believe it could be done that way, but when they found his old pistol, they discovered one that could not be broken for the insertion of cartridges. They were obliged to take his account of it which was unusual in the extreme. There was no fire attached to the episode.

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