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Execution of John Davis for the Murder of Henry McDuffle-The Law Takes its Course-Immense Concourse of People at the Hanging - Davis' Last Moments-The Murder the Trial and the Confession

[SPECIAL TO DAILY REVIEW.]]

SMITHVILLE, N. C., July 11th, 1879

John Davis, the convicted colored man who was sentenced to be hanged to-day for the murder of Henry McDuffie, left the jail this afternoon at 12:30 attended by Sheriff Taylor and his spiritual advisers At 12:45 the condemned arrived at the place of execution one mile from the town enar the Wilmington road and ascended the gallows at 1 o'clock.

The gallows was erected about twelve feet high and six feet square. Rev. Messrs Windley and Wiley, also, Davis and McKoy, the two last colored, and Captain Potter were with the condemned.

made exhortations and Rev. Mr. Windley offered a prayer just before the fatal noose was adjusted.

The condemmed man made a short speech from the scaffold. confessing his crime ane urging all present to take timely warning at his sad end. He pressed his hope for forgiveness and his anticipations of happiness in a future world. At fifteen minutes 2 o'clock the rope was, adjusted around the condemned man's neck the black cap drawn and at 2:17; the drop fell which launched dohn Davis, the murderer, into eternity. He seemed to die hard, although Doctors Curtis and Potter declared life extinct at 2;34. The body was allowed to hang 161 minutes when it was cut down.

there was no disturbance of any kind Sheriff Taylor managed his first job well The prisoner was dressed in black and displayed wonderful nerve to the very last His wife and child were present and he told his wife good-bye on the scaffold She wept bitterly. The body has been turned over to the dead man's father-inlaw, who will bury it on Town Creek.

The man who has just paid the penalty of the law, the modern emanation of the Old Mosaic law that "whose sheddeth man's blood by man shall his blood be shed" was a lithe young fellow; one shade removed from the full blooded Africans of a fine phiysique and intelli gent features only 23 years old, about 5 feet 7 inches high and weighing somewhere about 150 pounds. He was born in the Angola section of old New Hanover (now Pender) county. not far from where Duplin, Onslow and Pender now unite, and when a child and until freed by the result of the war was the property of the late John James. He was married, and leaves a wife and one child. He could both read and write. His victim, Henry McDuffie, was about 25 years old, was married, but without children, was a slightly smaller man than was Davis and not near so intelligent. He was from Onslow county, formerly belonged to Dr. Duffy and he and Davis came here together in 1876 and had been fast friends up to a short time before

THE FATAL QUARREL,

December. On that day, according to testimony adduced at Davis, accompanied by his one half-brother, both men having been at work short time for Mr. Peter Thorp, in Town Creek, went to Mr. Geo. H. Bellamy's store, not far from where he lived, for the purpose of buying some soap. From the store the two went to McDuffl-'s house, about a half-mile distant, Davis carrying his gun, a common double-barrel shot-gun slung across his shoulder. They met Me Duffie in a small potato patch near his house, and there the two men began to quarrel, first, it would appear about cutting some wood, and afterwards about a woman. The lie was passed, but it does not appear that any blows were struck at the time. The two men, Hill James with them, then went on to the house. Ar rived at the house, McDuffie entered and Davis had his foot on the doorstep for the

purpose of following him, when the former tession in regard to the horrible deed. returned to the door from within the He house, armed with a bar of iron which, it seems, had been used as a fire poker. With this bar of iron McDuffie struck Davis over the head, making a considerable wound, one so severe, in fact, that the blood flowed from it freely. A scufflthen ensued, in the course of which Davis' gun was discharged, and the contents en tered the roof of the cabin, just above the door. At this point

HILL JAMES INTERFERED

and took the gan away from Davis, partly by coaxing and partly by force, and carried it away from the combatants and around the house and leaned it up against the house on the side opposite to that where the parties were engaged with each other.

The fight continued to rage after James had succeeded in getting the gun away from Davis. A cDuffie still held the bar of iron and advanced on Davis who was compelled to retreat before it. He continued thus, backing around the house while McDuffle advanced until he came to the spet where the gun had been placed by Hill James when Davis sprang for it, raised it to his shoulder, cocked the barrel which had not been discharged and sent the contents into his antagonist's breast.

MCDUFFIE FELL DEAD

upon the ground, with a gaping wound Captain Potter and Rev. Mr. Wiley in his left breast, very near the heart. when it was fired by Davis, hat the wad entered with the load into the fatal

As soon as be could realize what he had done Davis threw down the gun and fled from the spot. He made his way up the river, intending to try and get back to his eld home, but was captured on the night of the murder at Meares' Bluff, and was premptly placed in jail,

The case came on for trial at the last term of Bruns wick Superior Court. Davis had no counsel and so the Court assign. ed Ex-Judge Watts and M Bellamy, Esq. to the defense. Mr Solicitor McLver appeared for the prosecution. The case wa ably conducted on both sides. The counsel for the defense fought hard for a ver-About 2,000 persons were present, but dict of manslaughter, centending that it should not be murder, inasmuch as there was no evidence of a malice prepense in the affair. But the Jury did not think so, and hence a verdect of murder was the res sult, a verdict which all who had followed the course of the testimony had goed reason for believing would be the result John Davis was then

SENTENCED TO BE HUNG

on Friday, July 11th, 1879, a sentence which has just been carried into effect in accordance with the law of the State.

Quite recently strenuous efforts have been made by Judge Watts and others towards obtaining a commutation of the sentence to imprisonment for life, but these all failed, notwithstanding the fact that the petition was numerously signed. Gov. Jarvis positively refused to inter fere and declared that the law must be

allowed to take its course. Davis did not surrender to his fate without a struggle as our readers will all remember. Life and being are sweet to all, to the humblest as well as to the greatest, and hence it was that Davis made the bold break he did about three months age, for the woods and liberty. He succeeded in locking his jailor, Mr. Davis, in the cell, and in making his escape from the jail; but Mr. Davis was quickly released and darted after him. He is one of the fast st runners in the county and overhauled his man about a mile from the town, when with a fence rail he persuaded him to return with him, Since then the prisoner had been kept heavily

During his confinement Davis was treated with much kindness, a fact which he expressed to the visitors some two weeks ago. He seemed especially grate. ful to Mr. Davis, the jailor, for having done all that he could consistently do to mitigate the discomforts around him. He has also received careful and attentive priestly ministrations, having been visited frequently by Rev. Messrs. Windley, of the Episcopal Church, Wiley, of the Methodists Church and Stringfield, of the Baptist Church, all of whom devoted much time to his spiritaul comforts. On June 8th he was baptized and received into the Methodist Church and soon after partook of the Communion.

About two weeks ago the writer of this visited the condemed man in his cell, and

CONFESSED THE MURDER.

but his confession differs from the evidence in some essential parts. He was evidently trying to make out for himself a case in the popular mind. His assertions were very plausible. His confession differs in but two or three points from the testimony elicited in the trial; yet these points are the essential ones, for on them hung the

According to this confession he acted simply and entirely in self-defence, bu this view of the case he could not establish at the trial. The deceased has also left behind him a paper written by himin the solitude of his cell, whereby he simply acknowledges that he killed McDuffie, and expresses himself as heartily sorry for hav. ing done so. He speaks of those who had been kind to him, and gave some very good advice to his colored friends, telling them that he had sufficiently proved the fact that the white men in Brunswick county are their best friends, and that they will find this out quick enough when they get into trouble and want help. He gives his people some good advice, and tells them to look askance on the political adventurers who go through the country begg ing them for their votes, and when they get them have no further use for the people until the next election. He was particularly severe on Sheriff Taylor (Rep.), and charged that he had deserted and deceived him.

Sudden Death.

About 9 o'clock this morning, Capt. Thomas Blakely, of the British Barquentine Florence Marguret, was found dead in his bed at the Scarborough House on South Water street. He retired to bed in his usual health last night, although for several days he has been completely under the influence of liquor, and had kept up a continual round of disipation for some time past. He was about 30 years of age, and, we beleive, was unmarried. The vessel which he command ed was cleared some days ago by Paterson & Downing for Glasgow, Scotland. but after being a few days at sea, the captain put back to Smithville, where the vessel new remains, on account of an accident to the chronometer.

This, we learn from Mr. C. P. Mebane the agent of the vessel in this city, is the third Captian who has died since she left London-the first was washed overboard in the Euglish Channel, the second died at Rio Janeiro, and the third this morn- it is se changin'.'

Coroner Helwett having been notified, summoned a jury of inqust, assisted by Drs. J. C. Walker and Thomas F. Wood, who made a post mortem examination of the deceased.

The verdict of the jury was that the deceased came to his death from an over dose of laudanum administered by his own hands.

The remains were taken to Bellevue Cemetery for interment immediately after the verdict of the jury was rendered.

A Former Cttizen of Wilmington

Rev. Wm. Munford, formerly of Richmond, is now rector of Christ Protestant Episcopal church in Frederick county, Maryland. - Index Appeal.

The reverend gentleman alluded to above, is the same who came among us several years ago as Col. Munford, bringing with him the title of the Commission which he held in the Confederate Army. When he left us, he carried with him the title of Captain, and leader in the army of Christian Soldiers, given him by the Holy Catholic Church, a commission, which as Bishop Meade told Bishop Polk when the latter consulted the venerable prelate of Virginia during the war, relative to his acceptance of a Lieutenant-General's Commission in the Confederate Army, is a higher title than any that can be bestowed upon him by an earthly

We Can Beat It.

The largest amount given in as purchases by any merchant in Wake for the six months ending July 1st is \$30,500; next largest, \$29,250. Both merchants

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These are the evenings when a girl of common sense will ask her lover to whack that mosquito digging his bill into her while there he voluntarily made a con- back rather than sit still and be gouged.

Pender County Items.

In a communication received from a correspondent in Pender we glean the following items of interest to our read

There is an old gentleman living in Columbia township, Pender county, 78 years of age whose descendants number 180 He has 21 children, and, during the late war, he and eight of his sons were in the Confederate army and all made good soldiers. One son was killed during the straggle. The old gentleman has never missed an election since he became of age but has always voted the Democratic ticket, which glorious example is followed by all his sons. He is still strong and hearty-weighs about 200 pounds-has never worn a pair of gloves, and can suc cessfully compete with young men in a day's work.

The Fourth was celebrated at Costin's mill, near Point Caswell, by a pic nic in which the young and old of both sexes from the surrounding neighborhood participated. There was a large throng in attendance, with excellent music, which was utilized by the merry-hearted dancers. and enough and to spare of all that was delicate and wholesome and good to eat, There were no set speeches, but very appropriate impromptu addresses wer made by Messrs John T. Bland and W. T. Baunerman, in which a review of the history of the county from '76 to the present was given and showing the dangers which beset a Republican form of government, and pointing out the methods by which they might be obviated.

The speeches having been concluded, and the sumptuous dinner disposed of, those present betook themselves to dancing, fishing and rambling under the shade of the trees until the shades of approaching night warned them to return to their seva eral homes, which they did happy in the thought of a day pleasantly passed ...

Crops are reported as looking finely, though rain is needed in some sections of Mr. Julius C, Moore, a prominent and

sick with dropsy of the heart. Our friends can go on with their tinweddings. We don't dread them half as much since the five-cent counters were

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Indications.

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