SAM HOSE MEETS A DREADFUL DOOM

A Georgian Mob Chain Him to a Tree.

HE IS HORRIBLY MUTILATED BEFORE HIS DEATH.

His Capture, Identification and Confession. Pal metto the Scene of His Death. Grasily Souvenirs Cut from His Body. Arrest of His Accomplice.

Newnan, Ga., April 24.-In the presence of nearly 2,000 people, who sent aloft yells of defiance and shouts of joy, Sam Hose, a negro, who committed A line of buggies and vehicles of all two of the basest acts known to crime, kinds, their drivers fighting for position two of the basest acts known to crime, was burned at the stake in a public road one and one-half miles from here this afternoon. Before the torch was favorable for the purpose of the mob applied to the pyre, the negro was de- was reached. prived of his ears, fingers, and other portions of his anatomy. The negro pieces, the bones were crushed into bits, said:
"I am Sam Hose. I killed Alfred Cranand even the tree upon which the wretch met his fate was torn up and disposed and, the negro preacher at Palmetto. of as souvenirs. The negro's heart gave me \$12 to kill him. was cut in several pieces, as was also

One of the men who lifted the can of that. kerosene to the negro's head is said to have been an officer of the Common-clothes were torn from the wretch in

Griffin, Palmetto, and other little towns ing at the proceding. But at the sight in the country round about Newman, and of three or four knives flashing in the of all the farmers who had received word hands of several members of the crowd hat the burning was to take place. Sam Hose killed Alfred Cranford, a

send troops here to preserve order for taken from his hand, one by one, and a day or two, as it is feared the negroes passed among the members of the yellmay wreak vengeance, many threats to ing that effect having been made.

APPREHENSION OF HOSE.

Hose had been on the farm of the Jones brothers, between Macon and Co- prived of other portions of his anaromy, lumbia, since the day after he committed the crime. His mother is employed on the farm, and to her little cabin he fled as a refuge. She fed him and cared for him, but it is not thought she knew he was being hunted by the authorities. The Joneses were not aware of the crime until a few days ago, and were not sure poured over him. he was the much-wanted man. Sat-urday morning one of the Jones boys met Hose and noticed that his "ginger" face was ebony black, but just below the collar of his shirt the copper color was discernible. Convinced that the negro had blackened his face to escape detection, Jones surmised that he was the negro for whom the authorities, assisted by bloodhounds, had been scouring the country for ten days. It was then determined to arrest him.

Sunday morning the Jones boys brought the negro into Macon and put him aboard the Central of Georgia train, with the intention of bringing him to Atlanta. At Griffin some one recognized Hose and sent word on to Newnan, the next station, that the negro was on the train, bound for Atlanta. When Newnan was reached a great crowd surrounded the train and pushed into the cars. The Jones jail. Here they turned him over to in the rear by shouts from the eye-wit-Sheriff Brown, taking a receipt for the nesses. Sheriff Brown, taking a receipt to the Sheriff Brown, taking a receipt to the sheriff Campbell county.

The torch was applied about had present to the \$250 reward for "the arrest and two, and at three o'clock the body of Sam Hose was limp and lifeless, his beginn to one side. The body

Word was sent to Mrs. Crauforl, at was not cut down. It was cut to pieces. Palmetto, that it was believed Hose The crowd fought for places about the Palmetto, that it was beneved flose the crowd fought for places about the was under arrest and that her presence was necessary at Newnan to make sure such portions of his carcass as did not the identity. Meantime, the news of the arrest leaked out and as the town has by hammers, the tree was chopped down, by hammers, the tree was chopped down. been on the alert for nearly two weeks, and, together with such pieces of the the intelligence spread rapidly. From every house in the little city came out its ried away as souvenirs. supants and soon a crowd was gather-

ed about the jail. DEMANDED THE PRISONER.

· Sheriff Brown was importuned to give up the prisoner, and finally, in order avoid an assault on the jail and possible bloodshed, he turned the wretch over to the crowd. A procession was quickly formed, and the doomed negro was marched at its head through the streets. Former Governor Atkinson, of Georgia, who lives here, came upon the scene and, standing up in a buggy, importuned the crowd to let the law take its course.

The Governor said:
'My friends and fellow-citizens, I be-seech you to let this affair go no farther. You are hurrying this negro on to death without identification. Mrs. Cranford, whom he is said to have assaulted, and whose husband he is said to have killed, is sick in bed and unable to be here to say if this is her assaliant. Let this negro be returned to the jail. The law will take its course, and I promise you it will do so quickly and effectually. Do not stain the honor of the State with a !

crime such as you are about to perform." Judge Freeman, also of Newnan, spoke in a similar strain, and implored the mob to return the negro to the custody of the sheriff and go home. asemblage heard the words of the two speakers in silence, but the instant their voices had died away, shouts of "On to Palmetto!" "Burn him!" 'Think of his crime!" arose, and the march was re

THE NEGRO IDENTIFIED.

Mrs. Cranford's mother and sister are residents of Newnan. The mob was headed in the direction of their house, and in a short time reached the McElroy AND ROAST HIM ALIVE home. The negro was marched in the front door. She identified the African, and her verdict was agreed to by her daughter, who had often seen him

around the Cranford place.
"To the stake," again arose the cry.
and several men wanted to burn him in
Mrs. McElroy's yard. To this she objected strenuously, and the mob, comply-HOSE PLEADED ABJECTLY FOR MIRCY ing with her wish, started for Palmet-

> As they were leaving Newnan word was brought that the 1 o'clock train from Atlanta was bringing 1,000 people to Palmetto. This was thought to be a regiment of militia, and the mob at once decided to burn the prisoner at the first favorable place, rather than be compelled to shoot him when the militia arrived. Leaving the little town whose Sunday quiet had been so rudely disturbed, the mob, which now numbered nearly 1,500 people, started on the road to Palmetto

CONFESSES HIS GUILT.

in line, followed the procession at the

head, closely followed by the negro. One

and half miles out of Newnan a place

A little to one side of the road stood pleaded pitifully for his life while the mutilation was going on, but stood the ordeal of fire with surprising fortitude. Before the body was cold it was cut to

A roar went up from the crowd as the Those unable to obtain these intelligence imparted by the wretch was ghastly relies direct, paid their more spread among them. "Let him go on fortunate possessors extravagant prices Tell all you know about it," came from for them.

Pieces of bone sold for 25 cents and a piece of the liver crisply cooked sold for 10 cents.

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The mob would hear no more. The wealth of Pennsylvania. His name is an instant. A heavy chain was prosaid to be known by those who helped duced and wound around the body of the him, but they refuse to divulge it. terrified man, clasped by a new lock.

The mob was composed of citizens of which dangled at his neck. He said nothabout, he sent up a yell which could be heard for nearly a mile. A member of white farmer, near Palmetto, and out the mob severed an ear of the negro with raged his wife ten days ago. Since that a knife. Hose pleaded pitifully for time the business in that part of the mercy, and begged his tormentors to let State has been suspended, the entire him die. His cries were unheeded. The population turning out in an effort to second ear went the way of the other. capture Hose. Hardly had he been deprived of his or-Governor Candler has been asked to gans of hearing before his fingers were

POURED OIL OVER HIM.

and now thoroughly maddened

The shrieking wretch was quickly deand the words 'Come on with the oil' brought a huge can of kerosene to the foot of the tree, where the negro, his body covered with blood from nead to foot, was striving and tugging at his chains. The can was lifted over his head

By this time a pile of brush and fence ted and a match applied. A flame shot mouth. Hose put his hands to the stump of the tree back of him, and with a terrinc plunge forward of his body, broke the upper section of the chain which bound him to the tree.

His body, held to the tree only as far as the thighs, lunged forward, thus escaping the flames, which roared and crackled about his feet. One of the men nearest the burning negro quickly ran up, and pushing him back, said: "Get back near the fire there," and quickly coupled the disjointed links of the chain.

FINISHED HIM WITH KNIVES.

and pushed into the cars. The able on either side of the negro was bloom be delivered to the sheriff of Campbell with conveyances, and was simply inspaced that it was not necessary and pushed into the cars. The able of the negro was bloom that the negro could be delivered to the sheriff of Campbell with conveyances, and was simply inspaced to the negro was bloom acceded to and the negro was taken than 100 feet from the fire were unable off the train and marched at the head to see what was going on. The progress than 100 feet from the fire were unable of a shouting crowd of 50 people to the of the flames was communicated to those

SAVANNAH HORROR-STRICKEN. Savannah, Ga., April 24.—The press Sam Hose at Newnan yesterday. The Morning News says: "The lynching will senda thrill of horror through the entire

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country. The method of it was in keeping with the spirit of a savage rather than a civilized and Christian community. It provikes a spirit that is likely

to lead to other crimes. The Press says that the affair will dis sipate and scatter to the winds the efforts that have been patiently making to show that Georgia offers to the homeseekers the model abode in a State where nature, art and humanity are all united in a cordial welcome.

City Attorney Adam says: "It is un-speakably horrible and shameful. The speakably horrible and shameful. The men who mutilated their victim and after burning him, cut up the solid pieces of his flesh and bones as souvenirs, have worth, Raleigh; Superintendent Junior given a lesson in savagery and barbarity to the most savage and barbarous. If they had only eaten some of the cooked flesh, they would have completed the picture, and made the lesson perfect.'

Judge T. Moorwood, of the city, said: The whole thing is too horrible to think of. I do not want to talk about it. It is terrible in all its hideousness, Col, George Mercer said: "Such an offense as this cannot be condoned or too severely condemned. I believe that the killing of this negro at Newnan was the most horrible barbarity ever perpetrated

SURE ENOUGH MUDDLE

in the world."

JUDGE TIMBERLAKE DECIDES IN FAVOR OF GREENE COUNTY FUSION OFFICERS.

The Postmaster General Also Decides Against the Democrats. Appeal Will Be Taken and the Democrats Will Hold

on to the Offices

Snow Hill, N. C., April 24.—(Special.) -Judge Timberlake has at last rendered a decision in the contested election cases of Greene county. In a very lengthy opinion he holds that the Fusionists having the certificates of election and therefore the prima facie title to the offices, are entitled to hold and exercise the duties of their respective offices until a decision against them in an action of quo warranto. As a fact, he finds that the Democratic officers received a ma-jority of the votes cast, as shown by the recount ordered by Judge Robinson. But he holds that the recount was void and He has therefore issued a peremptory mandamus restraining the present Democratic officers from exercising the duties of their offices, in direct opposition to the act of the Legislature, forbidding any judge from issuing an injunction in any civil action which involves the title to an office during the pending of the ac

The case has been appealed to the Supreme court, and will come up at the fall term. Meanwhile the Democrats continue to hold their offices.

The postmaster here has received a let ter from the Postmaster General in structing him to deliver all mail that is directed to county offices to the Fu-sion officials until the courts decide who is entitled to the offices.

THE GREATEST PUBLIC CRIMES.

(Andrew Carnegie in the North American Review.

There is implanted in the breast of every human community the sacred germ of self-government, as the most potent means of providence for raising them in the scale of being. Any ruler, be he president or czar, who attempts to suppress the growth of this sacred spark is guilty of the greatest of public crimes. There is no people or tribe, however low by three or four men and its contents in the scale, that does not have self-poured over him. By this time a pile of brush and fence rails had been placed about the negro's feet. This pyre was thoroughly saturated and a partial and the sam Domingans is it not seen to be the duty to force upward and spread quickly over the pile of wood. It licked the negro's legs.

On the contrary, we have Admiral Dewey and General Merritt both stational the Filipinos are more capable. ing that the Filipinos are more capable of self-government than the Cubans. It may be taken as a truism that a people Eczema, Dyspepsia, Nervous Debility. which is willing to fight and to die for Rheumatism, Female Troubles, Catarrh the independence of their country, is at least worthy of a trial of the self-government it seeks. The Filipinos have done by its use, and if you are suffering from for the development of a people that they should attempt to govern themselves, this tigate our claims. Our booklet contains being the only school in which they testimonials that will soon dispel your can ever learn to do so. No matter skepticism. Through a multitude of through what years of failure they have witnesses shall the truth be established. to struggle, the end is certain, the successful development of the faculty of of our physicians, and if not benefitted, government. Through this stern but sal-no charge for water. Or we will prepay utary school our own race traveled for 10 gallons on receipt of \$5. centuries in Britain with varying for-tunes, but the end was that constitutional government was evolved. The cost is great, but the result is beyond price. No superior race ever gave it to an inferior without settling and merging in that race—the two becoming one. In the Philippines, and in the tropics generally, this is impossible. The intruding race cannot be grown there, and where we cannot grow our own race we cannot evolve civilization for the other. We can only retard, not hasten, their development.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D.: "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, and people of this city condemn in unmeasured terms the horrible lynching of Sam Hose at Newnan yesterday. The Morning News says: "The lynching will wised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God, I am saved and now a well and healthy wo Trial bottles free at all drug

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People who have once taken Dewitt's

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS.

Adjourn to Meet in Raleigh Next Year -The Officers.

Salisbury, N. C., April 24.-(Special.)-The Christian Endeavor convention adourned last night to meet next year Raleigh. One of the special features of this meeting was the presence and talks made by Mr. John Willis Baer, of Boston, general secretary of the United States Christian Endeavors.

Department, Miss Josephine Coit, Salis bury; Sperintendent Press Department. Miss Mamie Boys, Charlotte; Superintendent Christian Citizenship Department, R. A. Spaugh, Winston; Vice-Pres Rev. Howard Rondthaler, Winsten; Prof. S. M. Smith, Auburn; Rev. W. A. Wynne, Charlotte.

DEATH OF MR. BURWELL.

Henderson, N. C., April 24.—(Special.) Mr. Robert Randolph Burwell died at the home of his brother, Mr. Waiter
D. Burwell, in Henderson, yesterday
morning (Sunday) at seven o'clock, The
remains were taken to St. John's church.
Williamsker V. G. St. John's church. Williamsboro, N. C., for interment this

Mr. Burwell was the third son of the late Mr. Robert Burwell and was just thirty-three years of age. He was en-gaged in the cotton business in Waco, Texas, but contracted a cold which sulted in consumption, and he returned o North Carolina, on account of his

health, some months ago.

He was the brother of Mrs. John Williams, of Kittrell; Mrs. W. H. Mc-Neil, of Carthage; Mr. Dawson Burwell. of Stovall, and Mrs. W. W. Parker and Messrs, Walter and Spotswood Burweil,

Dr. J. D. Hufham will deliver the adiress before the Memorial Association t Kittrell, May 10th. A mad dog was shot here on Sunday

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ON THE DIAMOND.

Games Played in This and Adjoining States.

Mebane, N. C., April 24.—(Special.)— Today the University of Maryland play-ed a close and intensely interesting game base ball against Bingham School on Bingham's grounds, near Mebane. The contest was exciting throughout and was won by Maryland by only three runs, the score being: Maryland eight runs six errors and nine hits. Battery, Good-ridge and Alexander. Bingham five runs, ix errors and eight hits. Battery, Mangum, Keith and Legrand. Tomor-row Maryland plays the University of Virginia at Charlottesville.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

St. Louis, Mo., April 24.—St. Louis tured the first game of the series score of 3 to 2. It was a pitchers' battle in which Young had the best of it Clean fielding was a feature. Attendance 1,500. Score:

New York, April 24.—The Giants were shut out by Baltimore today, mainly beause of the fine pitching of McGinnity. Meekin pitched his first game of the sea son and did splendidly for five innings. Attendance 1,200. Score:

Batteries: Meekin and Wilson; McGinnity and Robinson. Umpires Gaffney and Andrews. Time 1:58.

Washington, April 24.—The Bean Eaters walked away with their fourth victory over the Senators today. The local men doing league work. Dunkle was hit bard, and poor fielding also aided the Bostons' run getting. Washington's only run was made in the seventh when Freeman rapped out a homer. game was called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness. Atten-

Batteries: Dunkle and Farrell; Klobe-

danz and Clark. Umpires, Hunt and Connolly. Time 2 hours

Philadelphia, April 24.—Brooklyn won from Philadelphia today through the wildness of Piatt, who pitched three in-nings and the ineffectiveness of Bern-

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
St. Louis	6	0	1,000
Boston		2	.750
Philadelphia	6	3	.666
Baltimore		3	.625
Chicago		4	.600
Louisville	4	4	.500
Cincinnati	4	4	.500
Brooklyn		4	.500
New York	3	5	.375
Pittsburg		5	.167
Cleveland		5	.167
Washington		8	.111

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