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WHIPS THE DEVIL AROUND THE STUMP

the Trusts.

THIS CANNOT BE DONE

A Little May be Accomplished by Nation and State.

AND NOW BE SURE THAT IT IS A LITTLE

Roosevelt's Boston Speech Seems Chiefly Remarkable for Hedging. "I am Not Advocating Anything Very Revolutionary," He Says.

(By the Associated Press.) of Massachusetts, Hon. Henry Cabot perfectly well the States will not act Lodge, at Nahant, and, amid the enthusiasm of the greatest number of peo- of intelligent dealing by the States as ple he has faced since the Pittsburg visit a collective body with these great coron July 4th, rode into Lynn under porations. cavalry escart and spoke from a platform at city hall. Then he was taken to corporation laws. I think that most of Boston by special train and on arrival our difficulties-here again remember I went to Symphony Hall, there addressing am not promising the millenium-it is a great gathering of Boston business rot in my power to promise it—would be men. His speech here was devoted altrust question. He said:

"It is worse than useless for any of us to rail at or regret the great growth in industrial civilization of the last half setts. and see if we cannot get the best there is in them out of them. We are not going to get any complete or perfect solution for all of the evils which come to our minds when we think of the trusts by any single action on our part. A good many actions in a good many different ways will be required before we get many of those evils even partially remedied. We have got to, first of all, think clearly we have got to, probably, experiment having looked carefully ahead. somewhat. We must, above all, show by out actions that our interest is perma-

"It is a little difficult to set clearly done now. before us all of the evils, but I think "As far as the anti-trust laws go they H. Bobbitt, a Democrat, favoring the was steered southerly. After deny that the evils exist, are acting with stand it. Every suit that is undertaken placed Mr. Eaves in nomination before great folly. I am far from being against will be begun because the great lawyer the convention. It was seasoned by some property when I ask that the question and upright man whom we are so forof trusts be taken up. I am acting in the tunate as to have as Attorney General, through without dissent. Then the chairmost conservative sense in property's Mr. Knox, believes taht there is a viointerest. When a great corporation is lation of the law which we can get at, sued for violating the anti-trust law, it and when the suit is undertaken it won't is not a move against property; it is a be compromised excepting on the basis move in favor of property, because when that the government wins. you can make it evident that all men, "Then I believe I am not going so say true, they are speaking of a member of conferred upon the national administrainternational trusts now.

"It would be very difficult for any set of laws, on our part, to deal completely with a problem which it becomes international in its bearings, but a great deal can be done in various ways now. A great deal is being done anw a great deal more can be done if we can see that Publican county convention to select delethe power is put somewhere to do it. On gates to the Judicial, Congressional and Christian, whose death is sincerely the whole our system of government has State conventions, met here Saturday, mourned by many. worked marvellously well, the system of and the list of delegates, which had dividing the functions of government, of arranging a scheme under which Maine, levisions of government, of ted by somebody before the meeting as-Louisiana, Oregon, Idaho, New York and sembled, went through all right, there South Carolina can all come in together being considerable kicking at it, but it for certain purposes, and yet each be as usual amounted to nothing. One name allowed to work its salvation as it desires, along certain lines. But while I most believe in fixity of policy, I do not believe that that policy should be fossilized, and if it is to be changed we and he hadn't got any higher yet than must change our governmental method alternate to a Judicial convention that

"I believe with all my heart in the New England town meeting, but you cannot work the New England town meeting in Boston. You have got to try something else. Now, when this government was founded, there were no great individual or corporate fortunes. There was no particular thing at that time to bother as to whether the nation or the State had control of the corporaions. They were easy to control. Now, however, the exact reverse is the case, and remember I say lican county convention met Saturday and merely combinations of corporations or present. They broke up in confusion, and corporations under certain peculiar con- are fighting and wrangling among themditions. For instance, some time ago the selves.

Attorney General took action against al certain trus. There has been considercertain trus. There has been considerable talk as to whether the trust aimed at would not seek to get out from under single corporation.

"I want laws to enable us to deal with it, no matter what shape it takes I want o see the government able to get at it definitely so that the action of the government cannot be evaded by any turn | Want Laws that Will Control ing, within or without Federal or State statutes. At present we have really no which does business in more than one State. Frequently the corporation has nothing whatever to do with the State in which it is incorporated except to get incorporated and its actions may be ta-ken in entirely different communities communities which may object very much to the methods of incorporation in the State named. I do not think you can get action by any State, action by all the States, that will give us satisfactory control of the trusts or big corporations, and the result is at present that we have a great, powerful, artificial creation which has no creator to which it is re-

> "Of course, it is a mere truism that the corporation is the creature of the State; that the State is sovereign. Now, I want to make a real and not a nominal sovereign; to have some one sovereign to which the corporation shall be really, and not nominally responsible.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 25 .- The week's the national legislature which shall make work for President Roosevelt in his trip the control real. It would be an excelthrough New England began in earnest act on somewhat similar lines, so that lent thing if we could have all the States this afternoon when he departed from it would be unnecessary for the national the summer home of the junior Senator government to act, but all of you know

on somewhat similar lines. "Nothing has been done in the direction Here in Massachusetts you have what I regard as a whole, excellent rot in my power to promise it-would be most entirely to consideration of the power to put on the national statute books and did put on them, laws for the nation much like those you have here, on the subject of corporations in Massachu-

century. The most practical thing to do advocating anything very revolutionary. is to face the conditions as they are I am advocating anything tell in the prevent any thing revolutionary. Now, if we can get adequate control by the nation of these corporations then we can pass legislation which will give us the power of regulation and supervision over them. If the ration had that power, mind you, I should advocate as strenuously as I know how that power should be exercised with extreme caution and self-restraint. No good will come from plunging in without

"The first thing we want is publicity and I do not mean publicity as a favor nent and not spasmodic and we have got to see that all the steps are taken toward to the solution. Everyone who law, I want publicity as to the essenthinks knows that the only way in which tial facts in which the public has an inany problem of great importance was ever test. I want the knowledge given to the successfully solved was by consistent and accredited representatives of the people persistent effort toward a given end, ef- of facts on which these representatives fort that did not end with any one elec- if they see fit, base their actions later. tion or with any one year, but was con- The publicity itself would cure many tinued steadily, temporately and reso- evils. Some of these things I have said can be done now. A good deal is being

big and small alike, have to obey the I am sure, but I believe it is possible law, you are putting the safeguard of to frame national legislation which shall called to the speaker to come to him and law around all men. When you make it give us more power than we have now, evident that no man shall be excused at any rate, over corporations doing an little time, then sat down without say for violating the law you make it evident inter-tate business. I cannot guarantee that every man will be protected from that, because in the past it has more violation of the law. I am inclined to than once happened that we have got think that much the greatest trouble in laws on the statute books which those any immediate handling of the question who made them intended to mean one of trust comes from our system of gov- thing and when they came up to decision ernment. Let me go back one moment. it was found that the intention had not I want to guard what I am saying. I been successfully put into effect. But I yant you to understand that my words believe that additional legislation can be are being taken at their exact face value. had. I think we have got to make up garet A. Holland, widow of the late Remember I am not saying that even if our mirds to the fact that no matter Philemon Holland, of this city, died at Massachusetts many lengths in the rear. we had all the power we could com- what our reverence to the past may be, pletely solve the trust question. Gentle- our duty to the present and to the future men if what we read in the papers is will force us to see that more power is cancer and only recently had stood the tion.

Guilford Republican Convention.

(Special to News and Observer.) Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 25.-The Reon the inspired list was omitted, the par-'wasn't worth a durn," he preferred staying at home and was going to do it Resolutions praising Pritchard and derouncing Democrats were unanimously adopted by a rising vote, and thinking no doubt they had done enough for one day

Fighting Among Themselves.

the convention adjourned.

(Special to News and Observer.) Hillsboro, N. C., Aug. 25 .- The Repubcorporations.' I do not say merely trusts, decided not to put out a ticket for the

WRECKER'S WORK THE ENEMY IS SUNK BULLET FOR HIS LOVE

Open Switch.

Jumping, Several of the Passengers Injured.

(Special to the News and Observer.) Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 25,-At 3:20 o'clock this morning passenger train No. 35, the Washington and Atlanta fast an open switch at Harbins, a station six was wrecked.

The engine, tender, postal car, two baggage cars and the second class passenger coach jumped the track and overturned. The first-class coaches did not leave the rails. Engineer Busha and his colored fireman, Williams, jumper in time to save their lives. Chief Postal Clerk Lowenthan and Clerks W. A. Dagnal, J. W. Gray, J. R. Anglin and E. E. were painfully injured. Lowen-Smith thal's injuries are serious. Twelve or fifteen passengers were badly shaken up and many received painful cuts and

bruises, but none were seriously injured. The cause of the wreck was an open switch, the work of some unknown misfound at a point some distance from from any habitation, was broken and the switch changed. That there, was not frightful loss of life is due to the presence of mind of the engineer, who reversed his engine and applied the brakes before jumping.

So far there has been no train from the South to reach this city. The track is badly blocked.

RADICAL JUDICIAL CONVENTION.

It Nominated Blythe for Judge and G.E. Eaves For Solicitor.

(Special to News and Observer.) Marion, N. C., Aug. 25 .- The Republicans held their judicial convention here fice of Judge and Solicitor for the Fourthe convention was harmonious, no matter what the feelings of the delegates son's delegates were also instructe man suggested that they could nominate a Judge if they desired, and Rutherford county said her delegates wanted Mr. O. V. F. Bylthe, of Henderson. This was seconded by a McDowell delegate, and when it appeared that a Burke delegate was going to oppose it, the chairman whispered. The speaker hesitated for a ing anything except that he was always with the majority. Mr. Blythe was nom

Death of Mrs. M. A. Holland.

(Special to the News and Observer.) New Bern, N. C., Aug. 25 .- Mrs. Mar-5:30 a. m. today at the advanced age of Some distance back was the Barney 32 years. She had suffered much from a rapidly overhauling the ships ahead. shock of taking out her left eye, which operation was performed in Baltimore. She leaves four children, Mrs. A. B. Howell, Mrs. Dan. Jones, Mrs. S. H. Lane Barney, which had overtaken the fleet, and Hughes B. Holland, all of this city, and numerous grand children.

The funeral will be conducted from the M. E. Church tomorrow at 11 o'clock a. m. o'clock. Mrs. Holland was a devout

Burke Democratic Ticket.

(Special to the News and Observer.) Morganton, N. C., Aug. 25 .- Burke ty named putting some one else in his ticket in one of the best conventions ever and the convention was largely attended. The ticket named is as follows:

> For Representative, J. Ernest Erwin; Sheriff, C. M. McDowell; Clerk Superior Court, H. O. Houck; Register of Deeds J. B. Holloway; Treasurer, John M. Mc Galliard; Surveyor, D. F. Denton; Coroner, Carlton Giles; County Commission ers. B. A. Berry, J. D. Glass and J. T. McGrinsey.

In Madison Radical Primaries.

(Madison Record.) The fellow who did not use money and 1\$15,000, fully covered by insurance. liquor in the primary a few weeks ago failed to shine, no matter what his intions were to fill the office.

Fast Mail Dashes Into an Game of War Ends in Pills- Young Girl Accidentally Shot bury's Surrender.

efficient control over a big corporation Engineer and Fireman Save Their Lives By Unable to Make a Harbof His Squadron is Sur- D. Lingerfelt Killed By a Blow on the Head in ill, having suffered a stroke of paralysis rounded and Put Out of

(By the Associated Press.) Rockport, Mass, Aug. 24.-The naval mail, on the Southern Railway, ran into the signal "Surrender; demand uncondi- Kemp, an employe of the C. and N. W Squadron, and the White, or attacking, quadron, was thus quietly ended eight from all blame for the shooting miles south of Thatcher's Island. The enemy had most signally failed to make a harbor, having for its objectve Salem. A preponderance of fighting strength, elatively 64 points, represented by the battleships Kearsarge, Alabama and Masachusetts, Scorpion and a torpedo boat, had overwhelmed the 45 points represented by the auxiliary cruisers Prairie, Panther and Supply. Theoretically, the White Squadron was entirely destroyed by the guns of the defending battleships. creant. The lock of the switch was Thus on the fourth night the game of naval strategy was brought to an end, it Harbins in the woods and far removed having covered a period of unceasing toil, sleepless nights, of anxious and wearing vigil and of grave uncertainty to its participants.

At 9:30 o'clock last night three battleships of the Blue Squadron got under way in a hurry and sailed to the eastward. The intention was to move on to Portland and if that had been carried out Admiral Higginson, as it later developed, would have unconsciously swung the balance of his fighting force to that end of the coast line, as Pillsbury had intended he should, but which was not done on account of heavy seas running outside Cape Elizabeth.

Higginson, however, deflected his cours back to Gloucester after a swing seaward, in response to a report that the enemy had not been sighted when it was betoday to nominate candidates for the of- lieved he had been, but in the last hours of the night Pillsbury sailed toward Cape teenth district. It cannot be denied that Ann from the outside, and as it proved, right under the very guns of the defendter what the feelings of the delegates ing squadron Commander Pilsbury were. Rutherford, Yancey and Polk sent when still out to sea, after manaeuvring, delegates here instructed not to vote for headed straight for Salem harbor. But straight Republicans for these offices. the desired vantage point was never Your corespondent is informed that Hen- reached. When his boats had arrived off Magnolia they were sighted by the but for some unknown reason they failed signal station on Baker's Island. A mesto arrive. Mr. Cam Pearson was called sage was sent to the station at Rockto the chair, and it was soon easy to see port here, and the torpedo boat Barney how the Republicans who are making was sent out to notify the Blue Squadron. such a howl for the freedom of the peo- The station here had before this been ple and against the "machine", manage informed that Higginson's battleships had to have such beautiful harmony. The been sighted off Gloucester and that Rutherford delegates, who were saying later they had returned to their berths openly that they would not be a party under the lee of Thatcher's Island. The to the endorsement of a sore-head Dem- Barney's commander was mystified thereocrat, were convinced that the chairman fore when, after rounding Straitsmouth had everything his own way and their he saw no evidence of the presence of kick would be in vain, so when Mr. W. the Kearsarge. On a hazard the Barney that those gentlemen, and especially will be enforced. No suit will be under- candidacy of Mr. G. G. Eaves was re- son's ships had cruised up and down the those gentlemen of large means, who taken for the sake of seeming to under- cognized by the honorable chairman, coast they went to their anchor off Thatcher's Island. At this time the officer on the deck of the Kearsarge was resolutions of endorsement and voted Lieutenant Ray Stone, with Midshipman Wm. Dilworth. The morning was clear and the stars bright. On the bridge a dozen jackies stood upon the watch. One of these was Daniel Staehle, an apprentice of the first-class. The flagship was just falling down into a trough when he notified the ensign at his side that he ould see the enemy. The officer of the deck called Flag Lieutenant Evans and Flag Secretary Bristol, and it was the work of a moment to inform Admiral Higginson of the probability that the time for decisive action was at hand.

General quarters were sounded. There was a quick rush of many feet, the manning of a hundred posts, the clank of the anchor chain, the ringing of bells, the giving of orders and a general clearing for action. Not many moments passed before the flagship was underway steaming at 14 knots, with the Alabama and At 5:40 o'clock the three battleships, aided by the converted yacht Scorpion, which had come in from the south in time to be in at the finish, and the formed a horseshoe about the White Squadron. The elation among the men on board the Blue Squadron ran high. There was something pathetic in the picture when Commander Pillsbury, after

up the starboard gangway of the Kearsarge and offered his sword to Admiral Higginson. "Keep your sword, sir," said the senfor officer, his voice quavering at bit Democracy has nominated a strong in spite of himself. "I would not accept the sword from so gallant a foe." "And I, sir," replied Pillsbury, with dignity, "could not surrender to a nobler

he had signalled his surrender, passed

in his barge from the Prairie, walked

or better officer, sir. This exchange of words ended the actual surrender.

A BIG FIRE AT SALISBURY.

Wallace and Son's Dry Goods House Suffers \$15,000 Loss. Insured.

(Special to Nes and Observer.) Salisbury, N. C., August 25 .- Fire broke out this morning on the third floor Leaksville, this county. Heretofore it of V. Wallace & Sons holesale dry has been almost exclusively confined to goods house. The loss is estimated at the colored people. The disease is said

Mrs. R. G. Barrett, ife of pastor of | The money order department at this George B. Hiss.

By Her Sweetheart.

a Drunken Brawl at

Bessemer. (Special to News and Observer.)

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 25 .- While toysearch problem on New England coast ing with a loaded pistol in the home of was terminated at 3:40 this morning but his pretty sweetheart last night, William tional," from Rear Admiral Higginson's Railway, accidentally shot and seriously miles south of Westminster, S. C., and flagship, and the reply, "Accept surren- wounded the girl. The bullet entered the der from the fore truck of the Prairie, young woman's breast and lodged in her Commander Pillsbury's flag ship. The back She is Miss Alice Martin, and is battle between the Blue, or defending, the belle of Lenoir. It is thought she will recover. She exonerates Kemp

At the store of Mike Akers, two miles from Bessemer City, D. Lingerfelt was killed by a blow on the head from a stick in the hands of Akers. The tragedy was the result of a drunken brawl. Linger felt went to Akers' store on Sunday and asked to be admitted. The two men began drinking and an hour or so later a dispute arose over the price of a box of sardines. Lingerfelt claimed that he had paid for the sardines, while Akers declared that he had not. Lingerfeld knocked Akers down and was beating him ferociously with his fists when in some manner Akers wrenched loose, se cured a heavy stick and dealt Lingerfel a blow over the head that felled him and produced almost instant death. Akers was arrested and taken to the county jail at Dallas. Both men are well known and hitherto have borne excellent repu tations in the community.

On the Diamond.

American League.

(By the Associated Press.) At Washington-- (First game.) R H E Washington 5 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 *-8 7 41 1 0 3 0 0 0 1 0-6 13

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National League.

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Eastern League.

Newark, 4; Providence, 1. Montreal, 5; Toronto, 4. Jersey City, 13; Woscester, 6. Rochester, 9; Buffalo, 8.

Southern League.

Atlanta, 19; Shreveport, 7. Chattanooga, 8; Little Rock, 7. Nashville, 4: Memphis, 5. Birmingham-New Orleans gane post

ned on account of rain. THE ALASAMA PRIMARIES.

Senator Pettus Has No Opposition Two in the beyond University Station. Johnson, who Field for Governor.

(By the Associated Press.) Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 25 .- Democrati primaries to name the nominees of the party for the election in November were held throughout Alabama today. In Alabama as in every strictly Democratic State in the South, the selection made at the primaries is equivalent to an election. State officers will be chosen, legis lators elected, and in many parts of the commonwealth county officers also will be selected.

There is more than ordinary interest attached to this primary for the reason United States Senator. The term of Senator E. W. Pettus is about to expire. He is a candidate for re-nomination and re-election. As far as is known there no opposition.

There are two candidates for the gupernatorial nomination-W. D. Jelks, at present Governor of Alabama, and Capt. Jos. F. Johnston, former Governor.

SMALL POX EPIDEMIC AT LEAKSVILLE. Pifteen Hundred Dollars to Be Spent Improving Beidsville Postoffice.

(Special to News and Observer.) Reidsville, N. C., Aug. 25 .- Smallpox is epidemic among the white people of to be of a very malignant type.

East Salisbury Methodist church, died postoffice has been enclosed with a nice fluence was as a citizen or his qualifica- here yesterday morning. The remains iron fence and a brass railing has been were taken to Statesville for interment. I placed in front of the delivery window, up the furrow of success.

Postmaster Wray says \$1,500 additional improvements on the building will be spent by the government.

Reidsville market during the past two weeks fully as much as, and in many instances, more than fairly good qualities of the regular crop brought two years

Mr. George Anderson, a highly esteemed citizen of this county, is critically Last Sunday the members of the Odd Fellows lodge here attended the services at Main Street Methodist church, and Rev. Dr. Vance Price, the pastor, preached a strong sermon. There were about seventy-five of the Odd Fellows

Mr. Dorsey Jones, who has been secretary Pipkin's assistant in the Edna Cotton Mills here for several years, has resigned to accept a more lucrative offer in New York. The force of overseers presented him with a costly suit of clothes and expressed genuine regret upon hearing that they would have to give him up. Mr. Jones will be suceeded by Mr. James Mayo, of this city.

Mr. R. L. Wyatt, who has recently undergone a number of operations, has returned from the Protestant Hospital at Baltimore much improved. His medical advisers think that he will be able to enter upon his duties as cashier of the Cit-

THE PRESIDENT ACCEPTS.

Will Attend the Convention of the Locemotive Firemen at Chattanooga.

(By the Associated Press.) Peoria, Ill., Aug. 25 .- "President Rooseelt has honored labor," said Grand Secretary-Treasurer Frank W. Arnold, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, to-

acting Grand Master Hannahan by the dense swamp, eight miles from the seen President in which he accepts the invita- of his brutal crime. He emerged soon tion we extended a few days ago in per- after midnight and went towards Keansson and he will surely be at the bi-ennial ville, but was met on a bridge by a party session of our brotherhood at Chatta. from Duplin county, Messrs. J. M. Rich,

sight of.

"We felt that the President's acceptance of our invitation and the assurance that he will be present, will be received throughout the entire country with feelings of satisfaction and delight."

as follows:

"Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 22, 1902. "My Dear Sir:-Referring to the interiew had by Mr. Arnold and you with the Chicago0 0 0 0 4 1 0 1 0- 6 14 2 pleasure to be present.

"Very truly yours, "WILLIAM LOEB, JR., Assistant Secretary to the President. "To MR. JOHN HANNAHAN, Acting Grand Master, B. L. F., Peoria, Ill"

FOOT CUT OFF BY CAR WHEEL.

R H E | An Old Negro Killed By Train Near University Station.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Durham, N. C., Aug. 25 .- Atwell Ramey, a son of Mrs. M. M. Ramsey, of this city, sustained a very painful accident Sunday afternoon by having one of his feet cut off by the wheels of an electric car, near the Chapel Hill street crossing of the S. A. L. and Southern roads. & Their Duty Had They Acted Otherwise " The young man was on the front end of the car and fell forward. As he did so one of his feet rested on the railroad iron, and before the motorman could

than a maimed foot. an old negro by the name of Ben Johnson | hood of Seven Springs. was struck by this train and killed just gine, and died within about three min-

utes. The body was not mangled. Durham Superior court, for the trial of criminal cases, began this morning. Judge Thomas A. McNeill, of Lumberton, is presiding. There are but three or four

ases of special importance. HISS IS THEIR CANDIDATE.

for Congress. (Special to News and Observer.)

Charlotte, N. C., August 25 .- In con-Mecklenburg county endersed George B. captors brought him to the home of Mr. Hiss for Congress in this Ninth district Rich, a mile distant from the home of the threw a large bouquet at Senator Pritch- negro's victim, and he was locked in a ard and denounced in upmeasured terms barn. the State administration. D. Kirby Pretty soon some two hundred people Pope, of campaign contribution collect- gathered and demanded of Mr. Rich the ing fame, presided as chairman, and the prisoner. He declined to surrender him. cut and dried details were put through saving he must deliver him to Sheriff in a hurry. In the matter of putting out Scott. Mr. F. Walker, a deputy sheriff, a ticket in this county the convention arrived, and Mr. Rich turned the negro decided to leave that question for the over to him. Mr. Walker proceeded to county executive committee to decide. make arrangement to take his prisoner to A poll of the delegates disclosed the fact that a majority were in favor of naming barn and taking possession of him cara ticket this fall.

The delegates to the Congressional a half distant, and there riddled Jones convention were instructed to vote for with bullets.

It takes the plowshare of effort to open

Primings have been bringing on the AND SHOT TO DEATH

He Creeps From His Lair in the Swamp.

HIS CAPTURE FOLLOWS

Ten Men Disguised as Negroes Demand Him.

OFFIC R WALKER RESISTS AND IS SHOT

The Wound Not serious. The Negro's Body Puried By the Authorities, Mrs Smith, His Victim Will Live Though

Horribly Disfigured. (Special to News and Observer.)

Kinston, N. C., Aug. 25 .- Tom Jones, the rape fiend, paid the penalty of his crime at ten o'clock this morning. He was tied to a log, riddled with bullets and buck shot and left half dead by lynchers, afterward being finished by citizens to put him out of his misery. Parties from Seven Springs, LaGrange and other places had been scouring the country from the moment of his crime until apprised of his capture. He hid all "I have just received a letter sent Sunday on a pocosin in the midst of a Frank Simmons and John Marshall. They "I think it is quite significant, for it is ordered him to hold his hands up and ecognition of labor by the President of he submitted without any resistance. the United States that we must not lose They locked him n an outhouse on James Maxwell's farm, and he was then taken to the Smith farm and identified by his

He confessed and gave up a razor stolen from Smith. He was bound and locked in a tobacco bern on the farm The acceptance of President Roosevelt of Monroe Rich to await the arrival of

the sheriff. Later, ten men, disguised as negroes came out of the woods with guns and axes and demanded his person. Officer President yesterday, I am directed by the Walker, who was in charge, resisted and President to say that he has concluded was shot in the neck but not seriously. accept the kind invitation of the The men battered down the door, took Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen to Jones, placed him on a tram car and run e present at their bi-ennial convention down into the woods. There he was at Chattanooga, Tenn., on September 8 bound to a log and then men stood off next, and that it will give him great some distance and fired a volley, mostly of shot, into his body, wounding, but not killing him. The men then withdrew and afterwards some other citizens fired a

> volley that ended his life. The body was viewed by many. Buttons and pieces of clothing were cut off es souvenirs and the body was buried by the authorities.

Mrs. Smith will live but is horribly disfigured. Her right hand is cut into strips by the razor Jones stole from her hustand, her eye is gouged out, her jawbone smashed and splintered, her face terribly lacerated, her throat and breast discolored from choking and beating.

THE VERDICT OF THE JURY.

Lynchers "Would Have Been Recreant to

(Special to News and Observer.) Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 25.-Thomas

Jones, alias Frank Smith, has met a stop the car, the wheels had gone over swift fate at the hands of an incensed that portion of his body. The young man people. On Friday evening last he enwas picked up at once and carried to the tered the sanctity of a respectable home Watts Hospital. Physicians attended to and dragged the wife and mother to a bis injuries and made him as comfortable woodland a hundred yards distant and as possible. It is not thought that the there, after felling her with blows, comaccident will prove any more serious mitted the nameless crime. His victim was Mrs. Smith, the wife of Mr. James Passengers who came down on Southern | Major Smith, a farmer of most excellent train No. 8, this morning, reported that standing in the community, the neighbor-

Since the hour his crime became known the whole neighborhood have kept vigiwas eighty odd years of age, was walk- lant watch, day and night, guarding ing across a trestle. The engineer blew every highway and surrounding swamp his whistle repeatedly, but the man could less the villian might escape. At the not or did not get off. He was thrown hour of 1.15 this morning the vigilance some distance by the pilot of the en- of the watchers was rewarded. Jones, as it were, walked into the jaws of death. Diligent among the searching party was Messrs. Morris, Rich, Frank Bennett and Dr. Walter Jones. These, though fatigued from long watchfulness, were alert and when Jones would have passed them. by Mr. Rich arose from his hiding and with upraised gun demanded "Halt! Arms up;" and Jones was soon a prisoner. When securely tied in obedience to an agreement, Mr. Rich fired several shots that the coming Legislature is to select The Republicans of Mecklenburg Endorse Bim and the crowd began to gather. Simuleancously the farm bells in the vicinity

began to ring. Jones was captured in Duplin county near Outlaw's Bridge, some twelve miles vention today the Republican hosts of distant from the scene of his crime. The

Goldsboro, when the crowd broke into the ried him to Juniper swamp, a mile and

In the interim Jones had made a full confession of his crime to Mr. Rich, Mr. Walker and one or two others, and had

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