

# WEEVIE VENDER BADLY BEATEN UP

Durham Hearses in a Runaway and Other Bull City Items

By JAMES A. ROBINSON.  
Durham, Jan. 6.—Steve Proctor, who runs a "weenie" stand on West Main street, is in the Wats hospital, with his head cut in several places, and badly beaten, to such an extent that it is not definitely known at this writing, whether his skull is fractured or not; and the police are looking for the party, or parties, who did the daring, bloody deed.  
The particulars are hard to get. Few know what it all occurred about, and if those interviewed know they will not tell. But from the best information obtainable, it seems that some young fellow went to Proctor's place of business last night, and invited him to take a walk. He was admonished not to accept the invitation, as the inviter was considered not a safe person to walk about at night with. But Steve went. The next heard of Steve was found this morning on the front porch of a Mr. Borrell, on Alston avenue, in an unconscious state, and unable to give a clear account of what happened, and how he came to be in such a condition.  
He was carried to the Wats hospital where his wounds were dressed. He is in a serious condition, with slight chance of recovery. His skull is fractured in three places, right and left side and back. His lower jaw bone broken in two places.  
Today the police are searching for the perpetrator of the assault on Proctor. Two or three young white men have been taken into custody, and a pretty thorough investigation is now being made.

Hearse Runs Away.  
Yesterday afternoon about 2:30 o'clock the horse of one of Durham's colored undertakers, drawn by two horses, was seen to make a sudden lurch on Mangum street near fire house No. 3, and go off at a rate like it was going to a fire instead of a funeral. The driver, an aged colored man, was the only occupant of the vehicle at the time. He lost his hold on the reins and the horses appeared to be bent on an exciting run-away. They split down Rigbee street, across the bottoms, up Morris street into Main at Five Points, and up Main until they reached a point in front of Woolworth's store, when Leo Mangum, running out in the street, at a great risk to his life, brought them to a stop. The driver was bald-headed and the wind almost made the hair stand on end on his cranium, and he was howling at the top of his voice, "Lawd God Almighty, stop dese horses!" He was one scared negro. He was ash-white in the fact he was so scared. Strange to say, it is learned that the whole outfit went through the run without even breaking a strap, or touching anything but the ground during the circuit around the city. When the driver got to his knees, he said, "Dat's de fastest I ever went to a fun-ral, and I no desire to go dat fast no'mo. No, siree, hoasey."

Superior Court Convences.  
Durham superior court, for the trial of civil cases, opened this morning at 10 o'clock with Judge C. C. Lynn of Elizabethtown, Bladen county, presiding. This is the judge's first term of court when he was in this district at that time. Durham formed a good opinion of the judge, and is glad to renew his acquaintance again.  
The first business of the court was to go over the docket, as arranged by the Durham bar, and note those cases set for today likely to be continued. Twenty-one cases were set for trial today. Eight of the cases were continued for various reasons. Then the court got down to legal work, and the first case to go to trial was *W. H. Hesse v. W. C. Crabtree*. This is a suit on a note given Hesse by Crabtree, endorsed by W. T. Redmond and guaranteed by W. T. Higbee. This case will consume some time.  
Judge Will Serve Temporarily.  
Judge R. H. Sykes of this city, more recently assistant attorney-general, residing in Raleigh during the time, has accepted temporarily the appointment tendered him of Legislative Reference Librarian. The judge will serve during the session of the Legislature, as he is familiar with the work of the office, and was assistant to the late librarian, Mr. Wilson, in making up many cases. Judge Sykes is loath to leave Durham and for this reason he says he cannot accept the position permanently.

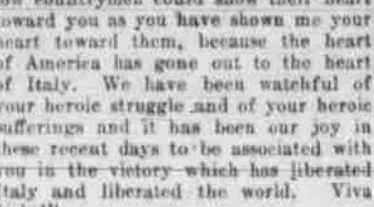
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There can always be conquered, but the spirit of liberty can never be, and the beautiful circumstance about the history of liberty is that its champions have always shown the power of self-sacrifice. They have always been willing to subordinate their personal interests to the common good and have not wished to dominate their fellow-men, but have wished to serve them. This is what gives imperishable victory, and with that victory has come about things that are exemplified in scenes like this—the coming together of the hearts of nations and the sympathy of great bodies of people who do not speak the same vocabulary but speak the same ideas. I am heartened by this delightful experience and hope that you will accept not only many thanks by myself and for those who are with me, but thanks on behalf of the American people."  
From the balcony of La Scala the President spoke briefly as follows: "I wish I could take you all to some MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE can secure meals with or without room at Mrs. T. P. Sales, 219 South McDowell. 7-38

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place where a similar body of my fellow countrymen could show their heart toward you as you have shown me your heart toward them, because the heart of America has gone out to the heart of Italy. We have been watchful of your heroic struggle and of your heroic sufferings and it has been our joy in these recent days to be associated with you in the victory which has liberated Italy and liberated the world. Viva Italy!"  
Genoa, Sunday, Jan. 5.—Speaking today at the monument of Mazzini, President Wilson said:  
"I am very much moved, sir, to be in the presence of this monument. On the other side of the water we have studied the life of Mazzini with almost as much pride as if we shared in the glory of his history and I am very glad to acknowledge his spirit has been handed down to us of a later generation on both sides of the water."  
"It is delightful to me to feel that I am taking some part in accomplishing the realization of the ideals to which his life and thought were devoted. It is with a spirit of veneration, sir, and with a spirit, I hope, of emulation that I stand in the presence of this monument and bring my greetings and the greetings of America with our homage to the great Mazzini."  
In accepting the gift of Mazzini's works from the municipality the President said:  
"Mr. Mayor, it is with many feelings of a very deep sort, perhaps too deep for adequate expression that I find myself in Genoa which is a natural shrine for Americans. The connections of America with Genoa are so many and so significant that in some sense it may be said that we drew our life and beginnings from this city."  
"You can realize, therefore, sir, with what emotion I receive the honor which you have so generously conferred upon me in the citizenship of this great city. In a way it seems natural for an American to be a citizen of Genoa and I shall always count it among the most delightful associations of my life that you should have conferred this honor upon me and, in taking away this beautiful edition of the works of Mazzini, I hope that I shall derive inspiration from this volume as I have already derived guidance from the principles which Mazzini so eloquently expressed."  
"It is delightful to feel how the voice of one people speaks to another through the mouths of men who, by some gift of God, have been lifted above the common level, and, therefore, these words of your prophet and leader will, I hope, be deeply planted in the hearts of my fellow-countrymen. There is a very deep and genuine affection for the great Italian people and the thoughts of my own nation turn constantly as we read our history, to this delightful and distinguished city."  
"May I not thank you, sir, for myself and for Mrs. Wilson and for my daughter for the very gracious welcome you have accorded us, and express my pride and pleasure."

Speaking at the monument of Columbus, the President said:  
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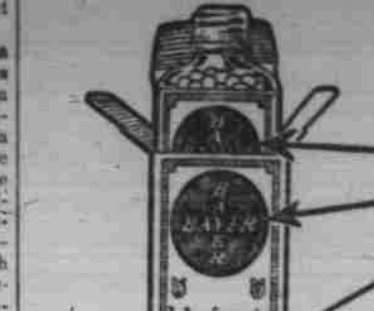
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