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HARPER MUST ANSWER

JURY FINDS THAT HE KILLED JOHN R. RIGHT.

Coroner McBrayer Holds The Inquest This Morning and The Jury Makes Up Its Verdict In 15 Minutes—The Testimony.

Coroner L. B. McBrayer and a jury in the inquest concerning the killing of John Right near Mine Hole Gap on Tuesday last, heard the testimony in the case today in the Recorder's room at the city hall. Sam Harper, the man held for the killing, was present at the investigation, and his wife and three of his daughters were also in attendance.

Rachel Harper, the 12 years old daughter of the prisoner, testified that she came to Asheville on Tuesday last with her father in a wagon. When they went back home witness rode in the wagon with Mrs. Pinkerton, and Mr. Right and Harper rode in the buggy. The child said that her father had been drinking, but was not drunk. The men were driving behind the wagon and their mule had its head in the wagon almost all the time. When they got to the forks of the Crooked creek or Marion road the wagon and buggy were stopped close by each other. It began to get dark when they got to the top of the mountain, but the moon was shining when they stopped and they could see plainly. Mr. Right was very drunk and staggered. He sat up in the buggy with his head dropped on his breast. When the buggy stopped Harper got out and Right drove on to the top of the hill where he jerked his horse and turned the buggy across the road. Right fell or jumped out and came back and struck Harper twice with a whip. Harper said: "What do you mean John?" but Right made no reply and kept on hitting him until the whip was broken, when he began striking at Harper with what the witness thought was a knife held in his right hand. Harper did not strike Right, only warded off the blows, and after a little while Right staggered off again and fell in the road on his side. The witness said she saw the blade of the knife used by Right. When the the fight was over Harper said "Well, don't that beat you out!" and went and stooped over Right, looked in his face and called Mrs. Pinkerton to come and look.

Mrs. Nancy Pinkerton, an elderly woman, said that she was walking toward home and just beyond Biltmore she was overtaken by a wagon and buggy and Mr. Harper, who was in the buggy, told his little girl to stop the wagon and let witness ride. Witness' story of the fight was similar to that told by Rachel Harper. She said also that Right came back to Harper and asked the latter for his (Right's) whip, which was handed over and the blows began. They went round and round and both fell but they were not clinched. The witness did not see anything but a whip in Right's hand. When Harper got up he called out: "John, get up and go home." Witness went up to Right; he was breathing heavily and Harper said: "I don't like to leave him here." Both men had been drinking. Witness said that she was so badly scared that she didn't know anything hardly, but she went and told the neighbors that they were fighting down in the road and that she reckoned Mr. Right was badly hurt.

John A. Earwood testified that he went, with others, at the call of Mrs. Pinkerton, to the spot where the fight had taken place and they found Right lying in the road and to all appearances was dead. Witness saw a knife lying near Right's feet. Harper went with witness to the latter's house where Harper ate his supper after putting up his horse. Witness saw no blood on Harper's hands; Harper did not wash his hands and couldn't have washed without witness seeing him. Harper's only reference to the fight was that he "didn't know what made Mr. Right do so." Witness gave Harper a bed and at the request of Right's friends watched him all night.

Thomas Earwood, jr., T. A. Earwood, Duff Sales, Clarence Whitaker, R. A. Cogburn, John Trantham, and J. Sorrels, gave unimportant testimony.

G. W. Sales said he picked up a bloody open knife near the feet of Right, who was dead. Witness closed the knife and gave it to a brother of the dead man. Witness identified a knife shown him by the Coroner as the one he picked up. The knife has a blade about two inches long that is stained with blood. Mr. Harper said in witness' presence that Right had cut at him with a knife; Harper was examined for cuts, but the only mark found was a scratch on one of his hands.

Joe Mitchell said that he was driving home when he was stopped in the road at the place where the fight had taken place and was told that John Right was dead. Harper spoke up and said: "John Right has killed himself; he came cutting at me with a big knife and I knocked his licks off until he cut me on the arm. I kept going back and thought I would run."

William Right, a brother of the victim of the fight, testified that John had an iron barlow knife. (Coroner McBrayer handed the witness a knife and the witness said it looked like the one owned by his brother.)

The jury, Thomas Redmon, A. H. Pinkerton, Riley Earwood, Bartus Barwood, Samuel Williams and William Early, were then given the case by Coroner McBrayer, who said that they should return a verdict that John Right came to his death from a stab wound in the heart by whomsoever they should find inflicted the cut, and that they should remember that it would be impossible for a man to mutilate himself in the manner that Right was found to be.

The jury rendered this verdict after being out 15 minutes:

"We the jury of inquest find that John Right came to his death on Tuesday evening, October 24, 1893, by a knife stab in the heart at the hand of Samuel H. Harper."

The post mortem examination by the Coroner yesterday showed that Right had received 24 knife wounds and bruises besides a fracture of his arm. There was a wound an inch and a half long that cut the pericardium and penetrated the heart. This latter wound was sufficient to cause instantaneous death.

Oldest P. M. Dead.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Oct. 26.—J. H. Miller, the oldest postmaster in the United States, died at Gauley Monday night. He was 88 years old, was appointed in 1832 by President Jackson, and has been postmaster at Gauley continuously since. He was an unchanging Democratic.

IN HAPPY HOLLOW.

A Shooting And Foot Race In That Locality.

That interesting precinct known as Happy Hollow, which, by the way is not always happy, had something to divert its inhabitants' attention from accustomed channels yesterday afternoon. About 6 o'clock Alex King, colored, tired of his labors, sought his home in the Hollow. The shades of night were falling as fast as they ordinarily do in that burg and Alex. felt a soothing dreaminess come over his frame. He sat down on a chair near the window of his room, leaned his head against a window pane and in little or less time was wrapt in slumber.

As King slept Gus McDowell, also colored, entered the house, with blood in his eye and a pistol in his hand. He was gunning for King. King's wife threw herself between the men as McDowell took aim at the sleeper. McDowell took aim over the wife's shoulder and the next instant the pistol spoke.

King awoke at the first fire. The bullet had passed within a hair's breadth of King's head and crashed through the pane. Before the astonished King could collect his senses McDowell had fired four more shots, but the shootist's hand was unsteady and the bullets went wide of King.

By the time the shooting was over King girded himself about and made for McDowell, who scooted through the door. Then up the Hollow and across town ran pursuer and pursued, attracting the attention of everybody in the neighborhood, until King's legs gave out and he left the field in possession of the fleeing McDowell.

Soon after this excitement had died out McDowell, so the police are informed, returned to the Hollow and tried to shoot Bud Payne, but no damage was done. Today the sun shines on a peaceful Happy Hollow and the police are looking for McDowell.

MODEL COAL YARD.

The Latest Work of the Asheville Ice and Coal Company.

Every person susceptible to the blasts of drear winter will be in greater or less degree interested in the new coal yards of the Asheville Ice and Coal company on the east bank of the French Broad river at the trestle approach to the Western North Carolina railroad bridge. Accompanied by Geo. R. Collins, of the company, THE CITIZEN yesterday visited the new yard. A sidetrack has been put in at the same height as the main trestle, and extending above the coal yard some 300 hundred feet. Under this sidetrack are the bins in which the "black diamonds" will be stored for sale as required. The space between the rails of the track is left open and the unloading of one of the huge coal cars is thus a matter of only a few minutes. Several large screens are also put up under the track and as the coal is emptied from the gondolas it is separated into two or three grades, the dust and very fine coal going where it does not become a part of the purchase of the consumer. The entire arrangement is a great improvement over the old way of unloading cars by hand. Six cars can be emptied at once on this track. Mr. Davis, a representative of the Jellico mines, who was here last week, declared that no city in the South had a more complete coal yard than the one in question. The bins have a capacity of 1,500 tons, and Mr. Collins promised THE CITIZEN that there should be no coal famine here this winter, if the railroads can do their duty. Incidentally, also, he said there was not likely to be any rise in prices of coal this winter.

In order to make the coal yard more easy of access, the company is macadamizing the street leading thereto from West Haywood.

DEATH'S LATEST VICTIM.

W. A. Kepler Dies At 2:30 O'clock This Morning.

W. A. Kepler, secretary and treasurer of the Asheville Tobacco Works and Cigarette company, died about 2:30 o'clock this morning at the residence of his brother, S. R. Kepler, on Penland street.

Mr. Kepler had been unwell for a week or more, but not until Saturday did he become so ill as to go to bed and place himself in the care of a physician. His trouble was volvulus. Yesterday afternoon his condition became such that his physician, Dr. S. Westray Battle, with Drs. John Hey Williams and J. A. Watson as consulting physicians, decided on the operation of laparotomy. This was performed, but the sufferer's life could not be saved and death ensued, the immediate cause of death being peritonitis.

Mr. Kepler had been a resident of Asheville for a number of years. He was a man of quiet, unassuming manner and by his uniform kindness and courteous bearing made a large number of friends here. By each of these the news of his death will be heard with deep regret. Mr. Kepler was about 40 years of age, and unmarried.

The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock from the Trinity Episcopal church.

IN NOVA SCOTIA.

A Letter From John H. Howell of Asheville.

THE CITIZEN has received a letter from John H. Howell of this city, who, with Mrs. Howell, has been spending the past four months at Braddeck, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia. Mr. Howell says both he and Mrs. Howell have greatly enjoyed their stay and have caught many magnificent trout and salmon, and shot numberless ducks and pheasants. In closing his letter Mr. Howell says: "But the season now calls me back to Asheville, which I shall reach via Chicago, where I go to view the demolition of a thirty million dollar Fair."

In the Event of War.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The Rome correspondent of the Chronicle says that Commander Barluzzi and Signor Petacci have gone to Paris to arrange for the eventual investment of the Papal funds and the transfer of the Vatican treasures in the event of war, to a place of safety. The property of the Propaganda will be specially protected by mortgage if necessary.

A Sympathetic Strike.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—[Special.]—A thousand men at work on the largest building under construction struck this morning out of sympathy with the plasterers' demands.

NO VOTING THIS WEEK

TELLER RESUMES THE REPEAL DEBATE.

Silver Men Want Opportunity To Tell Where They Were When The Light Went Out, And They Will Have a Chance.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—[Special.]—Teller resumed debate this morning on the repeal bill. Allen will also speak today and others of the silver men assert that they want time to make explanations. It is now doubtful if a vote can be reached this week.

VICTORIA BURGLARIES.

Visits To The Residences of Dr. Erdman and Mr. Garrett.

Last night burglars made a raid on the residences of Rev. Dr. W. J. Erdman and Robt. U. Garrett in Victoria. The nocturnal visitors forced their way into Dr. Erdman's pantry and stole therefrom a quantity of silverware of considerable value. At Mr. Garrett's house the thieves stole two Bibles that were in a bookcase near the window. The upper sash of the window had not been fastened, and the thieves had only to lower the upper sash, reach in and get the Bibles. One of the books was specially prized, as it contained annotations made in the past twenty years. Besides, the thieves visited the coal house and carried off a sack of coal.

It is believed that the robberies of Mr. Garrett's residence was committed by the same gang that visited Dr. Erdman's residence.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Venire Drawn In The Whitt Case, For Monday Morning.

In the Criminal court yesterday afternoon a venire of 150 men was drawn for the case against George Whitt, charged with the killing of Deputy Marshal Chas. B. Brockus. The veniremen are to be in court Monday morning at 10 o'clock, Whitt will be defended by Messrs. J. D. Murphy, D. M. Luther and Chas. A. Webb.

E. C. Cole and Ralph Cole, charged with assault, submitted and judgment was suspended on payment of costs.

The case of State vs. C. L. Jenkins, charged with false pretence, took up the time of the court yesterday afternoon and today. It was expected that the case would be concluded this afternoon.

WHEAT SEED SWINDLE.

Agreements, Turn Up In Banks As Notes For $200 Each.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Oct. 26.—Swindlers promising to furnish free seed for a new kind of wheat which will yield fifty bushels to the acre are traveling over this State. In addition to the seed they furnish 100 pounds of phosphate for each acre planted, and ask in return that the farmers sign an agreement giving them one-half the crop. The agreement turns up in the bank, as a note for $200, payable on demand. They have caught a great many farmers in the interior.

LION IN A BARN.

The New York Police Will Be Called Out Therefor.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—[Special.]—A fierce lion belonginging to a circus escaped from its cage into a barn on Eighteenth street this morning as it was being removed to Central Park. It killed a fine trotter and up to 1 o'clock all efforts to recapture him failed. Fears are now felt that he will get out of the barn. The police have been called.

The Separate-Coach Law.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 26.—The first suit attacking the constitutionality of the separate coach law was filed in the federal court Tuesday. It is brought by the Industrial Home and Land association against the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroad company.

Sworn in Public.

WEST PLAINS, Mo., Oct. 26.—Sixty prominent citizens of Baxter county, Arkansas, just over the State line from here, have been indicted under an old law for swearing in public. The law will be bitterly fought to the court of last resort.

Why Did He Die?

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—[Special.]—Frederick Lavecraft, secretary of the Coney Island Jockey club and cashier of Palmer's theater, suicided today. No cause is known therefor.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The puddling department of the Oliver Iron and Steel company, Pittsburg, Pa., and the rolling mill of the Oxford (N. J.) Iron and Nail company were started Tuesday. Fires were lighted in the United States Glass company's factory, Pittsburg.

A controlling interest in the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad has been purchased by the Vanderbilt and New Jersey Central interests, and the road will in the future be operated in harmony with that system.

Judge Bradley, of the Supreme court of the District of Columbia, decided that the commissioner of patents must register the word "Palmetto" as the trade mark of the State of South Carolina in its liquor traffic.

The depopulation of counties in Southwest Kansas, owing to crop failure and the exodus to the Cherokee strip, will cause a loss of six members of the Legislature, four of whom will be Republicans.

Thomas L. Crittendon, a famous ex-Kentuckian who has been on the retired army list for 10 or 12 years, died Saturday at his home on Staten Island.

The grand jury of Roanoke made a number of presentments for misdemeanor and felony, growing out of the recent riot in that city.

A heavy snow-storm was reported Monday in the States of North and South Dakota and Minnesota.

A dispath from Calcutta to the London Times says money is daily becoming scarcer in India.

Samuel Haddaway, House chaplain died this morning.

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Lubin's, Piaud's and Atkinson's extract in bottle or bulk, will be reduced in any proportion. Our American makes, such as Rickseker, Palmer's and Wadsworth's will be reduced also.

The same reduction applies to our choice line of Ladies, and Gents' Pocket Books and Card Cases. This line is unusually full with nice goods.

Sponges, Chamois Skins and Bath Brushes will also be reduced; in fact, nearly all our sundries will come in on reduced prices.

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