



Pastor Of One Church 22 Years

REV. JOSIAH ELLIOTT, PASTOR OF HERTFORD BAPTIST CHURCH, WILL DELIVER FIRST SERMON OF 23RD SUCCESSIVE YEAR NEXT SUNDAY—HE HAS CONVERTED AND BAPTIZED MANY.

Rev. Josiah Elliott, one of the best known and most able ministers in this part of the State, is just entering his twenty-third year as pastor of the Hertford Baptist church. His twenty-second year in that capacity ended during the present week and next Sunday he will preach the first sermon in the twenty-third year.

Twenty-two years ago he was ordained at the Chapel Hill church and at once accepted a call to the Hertford church. During his long ministry he has missed delivering his regular weekly sermons only a few times; with one or two probable exceptions he has converted and baptized more people than any minister in the district and married more couples, some of them being present members of the church who were not born when he accepted the call thereto.

His great goodness is a proverb among all who know him, and it has been many times said by numerous people that in their belief he is a Christian if there is one on earth.

He has preached on numerous occasions in this city, where he is well known.

Boy Bigamist Wearing Stripes

New Orleans, Oct. 19.—The youngest bigamist on record reached the Mississippi penitentiary today in the person of William Gray. Gray is only seventeen years of age and has been married more than a year, and leaves two wives and a baby in his home county of Tiptah. He will not rejoin them until 1907.

In the same gang was Gus Stack, also of Tiptah county, eighteen years old, and sentenced to twelve years in the penitentiary for arson and robbery, and Will Jones, of Marshall county, who, although only twenty-one years of age, is serving his second term in the penitentiary, this time for burglary. The three are said to constitute the youngest penitentiary gang ever known.

INTERMEDIATE BASKET-BALL TEAMS.

The gymnasium classes for boys at the Y. M. C. A. have been divided into intermediates, boys from 14 to 16, and juniors on Wednesday and Saturdays have also been changed so that the intermediates will meet Tuesdays and Thursdays, at 4:30 p. m., and the junior on Wednesdays and Saturdays as usual.

The intermediates have organized their basket-ball teams.
No. 1. Rollinson, captain, Cook, Pappendick, Sheep, Wood.
No. 2.—Parker, captain; Cropsy, Lamb, Greenleaf, Spence.
No. 3.—Martin, captain; Aydlett, Jewell, Grice, Cox.

BRIDE ARRESTED ON HER WEDDING DAY.

New York, Oct. 19.—An alleged plot to thwart a marriage by having the bride placed under arrest as she and her prospective husband stood before the minister who was to perform the ceremony is being discussed by friends of Miss Nora de Remer, of Washington, N. J., who was wedded to Philip Russel Wolfe at the home of her parents yesterday.

Miss de Remer was arrested, but through the courtesy of Recorder J. R. Lindaberry the warrant was served in time to enable her to go to court and return without delaying the ceremony.

The arrest followed a public "shaking" imposed by her upon the youthful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rush. Miss de Remer chastised the girl, it is charged, because she made uncomplimentary references to Mr. Wolfe. Miss de Remer was accompanied to the court room by her father and released under \$100 bail.

Husband Shoots Wife and Self

Washington, Oct. 19.—Harry J. Everett, a carpenter, thirty-four years old, in a jealous rage last night, shot his wife Margaret twice in the breast over the heart and once in the mouth and then committed suicide by shooting himself twice in the mouth. The tragedy occurred in the dark hallway of a house at 3042 H street northwest, where the woman had been rooming. Mrs. Everett died in the arms of Policeman McDermott, in a patrol wagon, while being hurried to Georgetown Hospital, and her husband died an hour after being admitted there.

The couple had been married about a year, and had not lived happily together. About four weeks ago the young wife deserted her husband, and, it is said, made known her love for a soldier stationed at Fort Myer. She said she engaged a room at the H street house in order to be near the fort. Everett traced her yesterday to the house, and after four attempts succeeded in gaining admittance, lying in wait for her in a dark corner.

Found Lying in Each Others' Arms. "I have found you, and we are going to go together," he exclaimed.

He drew a 32-calibre revolver and shot her down, and then turned the weapon upon himself. A few minutes later two policemen found the couple gasping in agony, the woman lying on the floor on her back, and the man with his head on her breast and his arms partly around her shoulders. They were covered with blood. An empty revolver lay beside them.

LOCAL MATTERS BRIEFLY TOLD.

The mechanics, under the direction of Contractor Hayman, have now nearly finished the work of repairing the big three master on which they have been working for several weeks, and she will soon see service again.

Messrs. Quinn & Co. have now installed a full stock of furniture in their store room on Water street, and have energetically commenced the fight for a share of the trade. The owners are Kinston men and long experience has made them familiar with the furniture business.

In Mayor Leigh's court it is now unusually dull, a trial of any nature being a rare occurrence. During the past month the violators of the ordinances have let up almost entirely, or else the police fail to get wise, and Mayor Leigh walks to the municipal building mornings at 9 o'clock mostly for exercise.

Hundreds of bales of cotton are now being hauled to this city each week from all parts of the section where cotton grows. It arrives by the boat load from the lower sounds counties and by the cart and wagon load from the other directions. Some of it is sold to the factory here, but the greater part is shipped.

Squirrels Furnish-ing Royal Sport

Local huntsmen are now finding royal sport in hunting squirrels in the woods of the section where they are found in large numbers. Some of the parties bring back as many as fifty as the result of a two day's hunt.

On the twentieth of next month the game law for the county will be lifted and partridge hunting will commence. The trap shooters who have broke many clay pigeons in the competitive shoot, will then see if they can hit "feathers" as well. Partridge shooting is permitted in several of the adjacent counties earlier than in Pasquotank and the local shooters will open the season in Camden.

Every year there are just a few who are over anxious to eat partridges and the game wardens are on the watch for them.

Mrs. Geo. E. Stevenson, of Shawboro, is among the shoppers today.

Mr. Geo. Bright, of Parksville, is in the city today.

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Capt. Massey Uses Pistol On Desperate Convict

WELDON SUTTON WAS RUSHING ON HIM WITH HEAVY BOTTLE UPRaised, BUT MASSEY COOLY SHOT BOTTLE TO FRAGMENTS —PRISONER WAS BEAT INTO SUBMISSION.

The discipline of the chain-gang and Capt. Massey's nerve were given a severe test Wednesday and Thursday when a negro named Weldon Sutton, known as the most desperate character in the section, rebelled and swore that there was not a white man on earth who could make him work, which statement he followed by an attempt to overpower the guard. By a quick shot from the weapon of Capt. Massey the negro was foiled and he was later whipped into perfect submission.

Capt. Massey said he believed that four or five of the negroes had planned to make a rush for freedom and that Sutton was to lead them, but he was handled in such a quick and decisive manner that not another man moved out of position.

Wednesday morning at the camp of the gang, just after they had finished breakfast, the men had been ordered to get into the wagon which was to carry them down the road. Sutton said he would not go, and seizing a quart bottle of carbolic acid used at the camp for medicinal purpose, was rushing on Capt. Massey to beat him down. In a flash his pistol was in his hand and the bottle was shattered by a lightning shot even as it was raised to strike, and Sutton was wounded in

the hand. A chain was then placed around his neck and another around his ankles and he was jerked to the ground. He was carried to the camp, his back bared and one of the men vigorously applied a leather strap. At each blow the negro would curse them and tell them to kill him. It was evident he was not being hurt much and Capt. Massey examined his back and found the surface of the rough black skin perfectly unruined. He then secured a buggy trace which he doubled and applied to the raving negro with great energy. When five blows had been struck, each of which made a blister, Sutton yelled he would submit, but he was given a few more. He worked doggedly all day, and yesterday morning he was given another severe beating with the doubled trace. Now it is said he is working as willingly as the other men.

Capt. Massey knows well the desperate nature of Sutton and has determined to tame him for at least eight months, which is his sentence, and that he will succeed is not doubted.

He treats the men with kindness and great justice as long as they behave and work, but when they revolt in any way, he simply administers a bit of force and they keep on working. His fairness has won nearly all of them, a good example of which is the fact that one man's sentence expired several days ago, but he has refused to stop work. He has picked out several "trusted" men, who could escape at any time, but they have never yet made the attempt.

If Sutton is conquered it will be more than the Edgecomb county gang could do for him, for he simply walked away from that.

WIFE GOT CALLER TO BEAT HIM, REPLY TO HER SUIT.

New York, Oct. 19.—"My wife had several failings, chiefly a tendency to fall in love with every gentleman I took to my home, an uncontrollable desire to throw at me household articles, the heavier the better, and a preference for the strongest intoxicating liquors. She once got one of her callers to beat me."

Thomas Jenks, a member of the Ansonia Clock Company, said this yesterday in the Supreme Court, said this yesterday in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, in answer to the motion of his wife, Mary J. Jenks, for \$20 a week alimony and \$500 counsel fee, pending the trial of her action for separation.

Mrs. Jenks charged her husband with having continually beaten her and used violent language from the day of their marriage in Stratfordshire, England, August 7, 1885, to August 10, last when she said, she was in such fear for her life that she was forced to

leave him and go to her summer home in Sullivan county.

Mr. Jenks made a general denial, and said that Mrs. Jenks had done all in her power to "drive him to an early grave."

Jenks is fifty-three and his wife is twenty-eight years old. Six years ago, Jenks said, he purchased a house in Flatbush and decided to his wife, a "fatal error," he declared. He said he introduced her to a few friends, and that she at once began receiving presents, letters and money from all of them.

Once, he said, he found her entertaining one of these friends in the kitchen, and urged the visitor to beat her husband, which was done. Jenks says he bore the marks of the attack for several weeks.

The husband also said that in August she sold his house and told him to go to a hospital or some other institution for life. Justice Maddox reserved decision.

Pres. Addresses Durham People

Durham, N. C., Oct. 19.—President Roosevelt arrived here from Raleigh at 1:55 o'clock this afternoon. Although his train was scheduled to remain but five minutes, there was a large crowd at the station to receive him. He made a brief address from the rear platform of his car, and amid cheers the train pulled out for Greensboro, where it is scheduled to arrive at 4 p. m. The president has as his guests during his tour through North Carolina, Lieutenant Governor Winston, Senators Simmons and Overman and Col. A. B. Andrews, vice-president of the Southern railway.

CAR DRIVES BONES INTO MAN'S HEART.

So Quickly is Tragedy Enacted That Woman in Elevator Fails to See It.

New York, Oct. 19.—Daniel Sweeney, thirty-five, employed at the St. Hubert, a fashionable apartment house at No. 122 West Fifty-seventh street, was crushed to death by the passenger elevator of the house yesterday while attempting to fix the weights of the freight elevator, which occupies a twin shaft alongside of the passenger elevator shaft.

So quickly was the tragedy enacted that a woman who was being shown apartments by Chief Clerk Marcotte, of the house, and who was in the passenger elevator, did not know the accident had occurred.

Sweeney, a new employe, was sent to relieve the regular freight elevator man, and was taking the baggage on the car to the top floor, when the car stuck at the seventh floor. He reached from the freight car across the passenger car shaft and unlocked the seventh floor passenger shaft gate, and then went through the freight shaft gate and around to the passenger shaft gate to adjust a wheel operating the weights of the freight car. As he reached across the passenger car shaft the passenger car started to descend from the eleventh floor. Sweeney heard the car coming and sprang back; but the elevator struck him across the back, bore him to the edge of the floor in the gateway and, breaking his ribs, drove the bones into his heart.

TRIUMPH ARCH FOR TOGO.

Admiral and 3,000 of His Men Worship at Temple of Ise.

Tokyo, Oct. 19.—Admiral Togo is expected to arrive in Tokyo October 22. Extensive preparations are being made for his reception. A huge triumphal arch is in the course of construction before the Shimbashi railroad station.

A dispatch from Yamada, Ise Province, reports that Admiral Togo and the admirals under his command, with their staffs and 2,000 armed and 1,000 unarmed sailors and marines, proceeded today to the Temple of Ise to worship, making a most impressive sight.

Stricken Blind But Was Ignorant Of It

Binghamton, Oct. 19.—The peculiar misfortune of Mrs. Sarah Hartwell, of Edwards street, has aroused the sympathy of her friends. Indirectly as a result of a shock at the accidental death of her grand niece, Mrs. Hartwell is now totally blind.

About a year ago she suffered from a slight stroke of paralysis which resulted in the loss of the sight of one of her eyes. Aside from that she had almost recovered from the effects of that illness until she heard Laura Hard had been killed by a Dayton & Hamilton train at Cobleskill. She was so overcome she suffered a second paralytic stroke, which affected her other eye.

She had partly recovered from the effects of this second attack when one morning she awoke and thought it must be late, but it was so dark she decided that it must be extremely cloudy and raining. She arose and struck a match to see what time it was. For some reason the match did not appear to burn, but she continued to hold it until it burned her finger. Then she discovered the match had been lighted, but that she was totally blind and could not see the burning match or the bright daylight.

Night Schools Well Attended

SCHOLARSHIP ROLLS OF Y. M. A. BUSINESS SCHOOL AND PR

R. B. CREECY'S PRIVATE SCHOOL STEADILY LENGTHENING—BOTH ACCOMPLISHING GREAT WORK.

Principal features in the splendid educational condition of the city are the two night schools, one at the Y. M. C. A. and the other conducted by Prof. R. B. Creecy at his school on Road street. The curriculum of the first mentioned embraces all commercial studies, with the exception of banking and commercial law, while that of the latter is composed of the regular common school studies. It is interesting to note that the scholarship roll of each is being constantly lengthened, which proves the opportunities thus offered the young men are duly appreciated. The scholarship of Prof. Creecy's school has nearly doubled itself within the past few weeks, and although it increased last year, it is larger now than ever before. The students are given the same careful attention and supervision the day scholars receive, and the school is accomplishing great work.

All the classes of the other schools are very encouraging, and short courses in typewriting, bookkeeping, telegraphy and all the others are being taught in a manner most competent.

Use Air Ships To Gather Corn

There are now on exhibition at the store of P. W. Melick, on Water street, a couple of plants, which if they should be mistaken for bamboo trees, but which really are corn stalks sent from the farm of Preston Swindell, in Hyde county. The stalks are of the dwarf variety, is, in Hyde, and are only fifteen feet tall. Some of the full size would have been sent if there had been room for them. Someone should stand the stalks up in the store, the walls were not high enough to hold them.

A question was asked as to how ears from the stalks were gathered, and Mr. Melick said the farmers there are provided with air ship balloons, which were used to gather the corn. Another who said only balloons were used, especially when the stalks were not ripe, but are just plain, Hyde county corn, in a field of which small ears could grow unobserved.

To the people of Pasquotank, the whole corn plant goes into the field, the stalks are worn and some of the normal size create more attention than "drawn" have.

WANTED TO KILL ATTORNEY JEROME

Intoxicated Man Said That Prosecutor Had Not Paid Him for Testimony.

New York, Oct. 19.—An attorney who had been called to the District Attorney W. T. Jerome's office today by Jacob Meyer, who wanted to kill Mr. Jerome, attacked the door before the attorney's arrival and was arrested by the police trying to get through the door and shouting that Mr. Jerome had failed to pay him sufficient for his services as a witness in the "red light" investigations a few days ago.

When Meyer was arrested he was found in a hypodermic case were found in his possession. The police recognized him as a man who had been identified for the prosecution against Inspector Gross, Captain Herlihy and Wardman Reagan in the "red light" disclosures by Mr. Jerome. He was arraigned in the police court on a charge of intoxication and disorderly conduct and was sentenced to three months' imprisonment on Blackwell's Island.

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