

GOOD SAMARITAN MADE TO SUFFER

Sick Negro, Picked Up on Road, Robs Motorist of Money and Car.

Raleigh, Sept. 29.—Playing the role of Good Samaritan cost Fab Lewis, a prominent farmer and business man, of \$100 in money and a Ford touring car when he picked up two negroes, one of them apparently desperately ill, on his way home Tuesday afternoon. Two miles from where he had picked up the sick negro, he felt the cold steel of a pistol muzzle resting against the back of his neck. There was nothing to do but give them his money and watch them drive off in his automobile.

Not a mile from the city limits on the New Bern avenue road Mr. Lewis saw two negroes walking along the road ahead, the one half carrying the other. Before he reached them, the negro lay down beside the road, and the other was fanning him with his hat. Mr. Lewis disarmed completely by the distress of the negro, stopped at a signal from the one doing the fanning. He wanted to be carried as far as the Neuse river, and thrust a dollar upon Mr. Lewis in payment.

The sick negro was helped in to the back seat of the car, and the journey resumed. Mr. Lewis was alone in the front seat, and took no further notice of the pair behind him. He had put the dollar in his watch pocket. Two miles further one of the negroes told him to stop a minute. He pulled up beside the road and turned around in the seat. He found himself staring into a pistol barrel. The sick negro had recovered completely, and it was he who walked the pistol.

"Get out, and get out easy," the negro directed, and the other slid over into the driver's seat when Mr. Lewis vacated it.

"Give me your money," the sick one next directed. Mr. Lewis told him that he had no money. The negro ordered him to turn his pockets wrong side out. The turning netted \$81 in bills and some small change, which Mr. Lewis threw on the ground. The negro, still covering the owner of the money, picked it up, and then ordered Mr. Lewis to walk up the road. He had nothing left but the dollar they paid for the ride.

Reaching for a pair of pavers, the negro cut the license tag off the rear of the car and tossed it into the back seat. The pair drove off, leaving Mr. Lewis to walk back to Raleigh. He got here just in time to take the Mid-dlesex train, and returned yesterday to report his loss to the county and city authorities.

MURDER CHARGE

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Zeh Prevost's testimony. No sounds were heard by the rest of the party. "Then the complaining witness and Miss Prevost made clamor at the door, which was opened by the defendant, and these two ladies entered the room. They found Miss Rappe lying on a bed, fully clothed, and apparently in agony. She was clutching at her clothing and, with her hands on her women companions, she was completely disrobed. I thought some of the torn garments might bear on the point at issue, but from the prosecution's own witnesses it appears that they must have been torn in being removed."

Assistant District Attorney Isadore Golden interrupted with the assertion that the evidence showed one of the garments must have been torn off. The court said he could not see any significance in certain other testimony introduced by the prosecution.

SEMNACHER VALUELESS. "Photographs of bruises on Miss Rappe's body were introduced but Dr. Arthur Beardslee, who attended her, saw only one on the arm. Undoubtedly, if he had been others on the body, he would have noticed them."

"Sennacher's testimony was entirely valueless and two days of court time was taken up fruitlessly hearing him. The only one whose evidence might have connected the defendant with the commission of a crime was that of the nervous chambermaid who heard from the interior the cry of a woman, 'no, oh, my God,' and a man's reply 'oh shut up.'"

"Although there were indications that the district attorney at a trial would try to show a more complete case, there was the merest skeleton of evidence here to connect the defendant with the crime of murder, then, and serious offense known in the law. The question for me to decide is whether the facts adduced, which the district attorney admits is barely enough to justify a murder charge, and I do not believe so."

"There is enough in the defendant's actions in the affair, however, to warrant a manslaughter charge, and I will hold him to this. I feel that no rape, or attempted rape, was committed by the defendant."

Assistant District Attorney Milton T. Eren inquired what these other actions might be, and the judge replied that these might have been battery, for instance.

While the formalities of bail were being arranged, Arbuckle went back to the city prison where he has been for the last 18 days.

Coming out of his cell with an overflowing armful of clothing, his face took on a more cheerful look. After he had piled the clothes into a suitcase, newspaper photographers started to take pictures of him and a smile began to creep over his countenance. As a balloon-like cloud of flashlight smoke rose toward the ceiling, he gazed at it with almost a grin.

"Roll a cigarette with one hand when we take the next snap," suggested one of the photographers.

"I can't," he replied, "it's the other Arbuckle that does that."

Arbuckle was released from the prison on \$5,000 cash bail.

NO INTEREST SHOWN IN TREATIES DEBATE

Washington, Sept. 29.—The Senate is to continue its debate on the new peace treaties with Germany, Austria and Hungary at a session tonight, but, unless more interest is displayed than was the case last night, when a session was held under a gentleman's agreement for debate only, Republican leaders are expected to press for an early vote. Only 42 Senators answered the roll call last night at 8 o'clock, a half hour then elapsed before any took the floor and, after Senator Kellogg, Republican, Minnesota, had spoken in support of the treaties for an hour, adjournment was taken without any one else entering the debate.

1,000 Ladies' New Ready-to-Wear Garments offered in our Opening Sale Saturday morning 10:30, Post Piano Store Rooms, 209-211 West Trade street.

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DRIVER OF AUTO IS HELD IN JAIL

Lawson Wilson Being Held on Manslaughter Charge Without Bond.

Lawson C. Wilson, driver of the speeding automobile which crashed into a horse near Sugar Creek church on Salisbury road Tuesday afternoon, resulting in the death of Frank J. Hannan, one of the occupants, is in the county jail awaiting trial in Superior court on a manslaughter charge. His three surviving companions on the ill-fated joy ride are also being held as witnesses.

Warrants will be issued against Wilson and possibly against the other three men, charging the theft of the automobile which he was driving at the time of the accident. O. F. Carver, of Durham, owner of the machine, is the complainant in this case.

The manslaughter charge was lodged against Wilson following a coroner's inquest over the body of Hannan Wednesday afternoon, the jury finding that Hannan "came to his death as the result of an automobile turning over, driven by Lawson Wilson at a dangerously high, reckless and unlawful rate of speed."

Wilson was committed to jail without bond, having been removed Wednesday afternoon from the Charlotte Sanatorium where he was taken immediately following the accident, suffering with a fractured collar bone. His three companions, H. J. Green, a sailor, F. G. Moller and John O. Boyle, were unable to give bond of \$200 each and, consequently, were retained in jail.

TO SEND BODY AWAY. The Hovis Undertaking company will send the body of Hannan to the home of relatives in Cincinnati. The police received a telegram Thursday morning from Stanley Hannan, of Cincinnati requesting information as to the cause of death.

A negro man who witnessed the accident from a distance called at police headquarters Wednesday afternoon and told the police that the horse was knocked higher than the automobile and that the negro youth who was riding the horse was thrown as high as the telegraph wires. He landed on top of the car which jammed into an embankment. The witness said the automobile was running at a terrific rate of speed.

"If the car could make 90 miles an hour, they were going that fast" he told the policemen.

A thorough investigation of the accident was made within a few minutes after it occurred by Detectives J. C. Manus and C. E. Earnhardt. They also arrested Green, Moller and Boyle who accompanied Hannan and Wilson to the hospital.

MOORE COUNTY WOMAN TAKES HER OWN LIFE

Carthage, Sept. 29.—Mrs. M. A. Hastings Seymour, a member of a well known Moore county family, who returned from an asylum in Raleigh a few days ago, saturated her clothing with kerosene Wednesday morning at her home in Bensalem township, 12 miles from here, applied a match and was burned to death before assistance could reach her.

Mrs. Seymour attempted to take her own life once before by shooting herself 15 or 18 years ago. It is said that she has not been in good health.

When Mrs. Seymour, who was formerly Miss Mattie McIntosh and was married July 17 last to Major M. A. Hastings Seymour, a retired English army officer, returned from Raleigh recently she went to her home in Bensalem township. This morning she went to a smokehouse near her home removed from the main house. Her underwear, poured kerosene over her clothing and set it on fire. She then walked out of the smokehouse toward her home with the flames blazing all around her. She proceeded 100 yards before she fell to the ground and died before assistance could reach her.

Mrs. Seymour who was 43 years old was a graduate trained nurse and has had many years of experience in nursing. She had been married once before but had obtained a divorce. During the war she went to France as a nurse and there she met Major Seymour, of the English army. Major Seymour came to the United States early in the summer and the marriage took place in Carthage in July.

BOULIGNY GETS CHARTER

R. H. Bouligny, Inc., is the title of a new Charlotte corporation which has received its charter of incorporation from the Secretary of State. Its authorized capital is \$25,000. The purpose of the organization is "to carry on the business of general electrical and steam engineers and contractors."

SEE BABE RUTH In a romance of youth and happiness "HEADIN' HOME" BROADWAY Thursday, Friday, Saturday.

Children's School Shoes

We have a very desirable number for girls in brown calf, plain cap toe, with a low rubber heel and substantial oak sole at—

\$4.00

De Lane Shoe Company

36 East Trade St.

Expert Shoe Repairing Promptly Done by Skilled Workmen.

Remnants of piece goods for Outer and Underwear at a saving of about half.

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Charge purchases made Friday, will not appear on your bills until November.

Here's News That Should Make A Busy Friday Remnant Sale

Friday You Can Buy Any One Of These Four Fur Coats

That Sold From \$300 to \$400 For \$150 to \$200



- NO ONE \$200.00
A Bay Seal — a deep seal Brown, 42 inches long, shawl collar and turn back cuffs, exquisitely silk lined, was \$400.00.
- NO TWO \$150.00
A bay seal, deep brown, 40 inches long, shawl collar, Bell Sleeve, novelty Satin lining, was \$300.00.
- NO THREE \$200.00
A Bay Seal Cape Dolman, 45 inches long, a deep rich fur with 30-inch cape, fancy Pussywillow lining, was \$400.00.
- NO FOUR \$200.00
Dolman style, a deep rich seal, 40 inches long, shawl collar, fancy silk lining, was \$400.00.

A Sensational Sale Of Dress Woolens

FRIDAY AT TWO PRICES \$2.50 and \$3.95

For Coatings Suitings and Shirtings that sold from \$5.00 to \$12.50 a yard.

FOR \$2.50 A YARD

Solid Color Wool Coating, 54 inches wide, colors Navy, Black, Red, Brown, Copen and Green, 54 inches wide. Canuck Checks and Invisible Plaids. 56 inches wide neat color combinations in shades of Browns, Blues, Greens and Grays. Cheviot and Diagonal Suitings, 56 inches wide, in browns, blues and grays.

FOR \$3.95 A YARD

CASHMIRTYNE SUITINGS 56 inches wide, were \$12.50 a yard. Plaids and stripes, in the prettiest fall colorings.

VELDYNE SUITINGS 56 inches wide, soft velvety woolens in hair line stripes and open plaids, shades of blue, green, tan and brown.

PLAID COATINGS 56 inches wide, sold for \$7.50, three and four color combinations.

50 Pieces Of Outing

IN A SALE AT 12 1/2 c Yd.

These are standard makes that sold for most double this price, checks and stripes—light and medium colors.

SOLID COLOR POPLINS 29c Yd.

It's only 27 inches wide, otherwise the price would be 69c—Navy, Green, Lavender and Light Blue.

JUMPER SUITINGS 29c

A linen finished suiting, 36 inches wide—that sold for 50c yard. Light colors only.

PLAID GINGHAMS 45c

Domestic and imported, all 32 inches wide. Many in the lot sold for 69c, light medium and dark colorings.

A Dollar Sale of Hosiery Friday

Full fashioned, all silk Hose, black, brown and Russian calf—complete range of sizes.

Silk Clocked Wool Stockings in shades Brown and Blue Heather Mixtures.

3 PAIR FOR \$1.00

Boys' or girls' Ribbed Stockings, standard qualities, Black only, sizes 7 to 11 1/2.

You May Be Satisfied That You Buy the Right Shoes Here at the Right Price.

Every pair of shoes shown has been bought for this fall's sale.

Black Satin one-strap, high \$10.00

Louis Heel pumps at \$10.00

Pat one-strap high Louis heel Pumps at \$10.00 and \$11.00

Black Suede one strap, Baby Louis heel at \$12.50

Light brown one-strap rubber heel Oxford at \$12.50

School Shoes for children in black and brown.

A Friday and Saturday Sale Of Model Hats

\$7.95

The price is far below regular value. Many of Lyon or Panne Velvet. Stunningly trimmed with Ostrich, Jet Laces, Feathers, Beadings, etc. Black and the popular colors.

