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BURGLARS' WAGON FIGHT DUEL WITH TWO POLICEMEN

Two Policemen on Foot Fight Hot Duel with Burglars in Wagon. One Policeman Shot Three Times. May Die. Burglars Escaped.

Policemen Found Burglar in Cellar. He Fled to Wagon and While Dashing Away Many Shots were Fired. Policeman Shot Twice Before he Fell.

By Associated Press.
New York, Oct. 23.—A duel with revolvers between two policemen on foot and a burglar wagon ended in Brooklyn today with the escape of the burglar and the fatal wounding of Roundsman James McGarry.
In company with Roundsman Carney, McGarry found a grating removed from the window of the cellar of a drug store at Kingston avenue and Degraw street, and went into the cellar to investigate.
While they were searching a man climbed out of the cellar and jumped on the seat of a wagon where an associate awaited him.
As they whipped up their horse the roundsmen reached the sidewalk and opened fire on them.
With the roundsmen in hot pursuit down the street a running battle took place. The police shots went wild, but at first the reply of the burglars McGarry was wounded in the face. A second bullet pierced his arm and a third brought him down with a wound in the head from which he is not expected to recover.
His companion pursued the burglars further but they disappeared in prospect park.

INTER-UNION STRIFE.
Leading Chicago Manufacturers Ask President Gompers to Stop Strife Among Unions.
By Associated Press.
Chicago, Oct. 23.—President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, was asked yesterday by leading Chicago manufacturers to compel the local unions to cease fighting among themselves.
If this fighting was not stopped, he was told, "open shops" would be established in large wood-working factories of the city.
He was informed that other unions must abide by their written contracts or else a great lock-out will follow.
After receiving the complaints of the employers, Gompers admitted they were right and declared that the inter-union strife must stop at once.

MIDSHIPMAN RESIGNS.
At Request of Japanese Embassy Midshipman Asahi Kitigaki Resigns.
By Associated Press.
Annapolis, Md., Oct. 23.—At the request of the Japanese Embassy at Washington, Midshipman Asahi Kitigaki, of the third class of the naval academy submitted his resignation, which will be accepted.
Pending the department's action on the case, an extended leave of absence was granted.
Kitigaki is a son of Baron Kitigaki, of the Imperial Privy Council. He entered the American Naval Academy Sept. 1904. No reason is assigned for his resignation.
Washington, Oct. 22.—The inquiry at the Navy Department brought out the statement that the sole reason for the resignation of Midshipman Kitigaki from the Naval Academy was deficiency in studies. The fact was first reported by the superintendent of the academy, who communicated it to the Japanese Embassy with the result that the young man was requested to tender his resignation.

CONDEMNED TO DEATH.
Members of Socialists Fighting Organization Condemned—May End in Strike Tomorrow.
By Associated Press.
Warsaw, Oct. 23.—Fourteen members of the Socialists fighting organization, arrested October 24, have been condemned to death by drumhead court-martial.
It is expected that this action will result in a general strike tomorrow.
The military authorities continue their domiciliary visit in the residential districts.
They recently searched the house of Count Krasiński, the most prominent of the Polish nationalists.

STREET CAR ACCIDENT.
Many Persons Injured and Probably One Killed in Street Car Accident.
By Associated Press.
Schenectady, N. Y., Oct. 23.—A trolley car on the Schenectady railway from Troy, filled with passengers got beyond control of the motorman this morning at the junction of the Troy and city lines, slid some distance, hit a big pole and overturned.
Another car following ran into the wreck. One passenger is reported killed and a score or more injured.

THE MATTHEWS' CASE.

Up To-Day for Hearing Before Supreme Court—Mr. Dixon in Eastern Part of the State.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 23.—Major B. F. Dixon, state auditor, left this morning for the eastern part of the state for campaign work in Sampson, Pender, Duplin, Columbus, Robeson, Scotland and Union counties. He will close his work with a speech on Monday before the election.

The first case called on the 9th district calendar in the Supreme Court to-day was State vs. J. E. Matthews, from Greensboro, under sentence for poisoning his wife who was Miss Zola Briggs of Durham. The counsel for Dr. Matthews are Guthrie and Cooke of Greensboro. The principal ground for the appeal is that there are no exhibits in the case and that the jury was misled by the evidence. The defense set up a denial of the whole charge and claimed that if Dr. Matthews did commit the crime it was when he was under the influence of dope and insane from its effects. Since his conviction and sentence he has been under a \$5,000 bond and has spent practically all of his time in a sanitarium near Baltimore where he is being treated for his dope habit.
Dr. T. P. Jerman died at the home of his son, Dr. T. P. Jerman, Jr., in this city yesterday evening and his remains were carried today to the old home in Hildesway for interment. Dr. Jerman was 80 years old and was a typical old time gentleman who was a very useful citizen. He married a Miss Lucy Snyder of Mecklenburg county. He leaves two sons, T. P. and B. S. Jerman of this city and Mrs. Carrie Dargan, his only daughter.

TROUBLE IN MOROCCO.

Bandas Tribesmen Terrorizing Town, Pillaging Shops and Beating Jews.

By Associated Press.
Tangiers, Morocco, Oct. 23.—Mohammed El Torres, representative of the Sultan, has not sent any troops to Arzila, which is still in possession of Bandas Tribesmen, who are terrorizing the town, pillaging shops and beating the Jews.
The Spanish legation here is protesting energetically against the outrages, as many Spanish subjects have been maltreated.

Thanksgiving Day Named.
By Associated Press.
Washington, Oct. 23.—The President issued a proclamation naming Thursday November 29 as the day of Thanksgiving.

10,000 MACHINISTS MAY GO ON STRIKE

As Result of Discharge of Ten Machinists at Algiers Shops of Southern Pacific Railroad 10,000 Machinists May Strike in Day or So.

By Associated Press.
New Orleans, La., Oct. 23.—It is said that as the result of the discharge of ten machinists at the Algiers shops of the Southern Pacific Railroad, and because of the alleged discrimination of long standing against their organization, 10,000 members of the International Association of Machinists may be called out on strike on that system within a day or two.
Thomas L. Wilson, a vice-president of the International Union, says the national officers will first endeavor to secure the co-operation of Mr. Harrison himself to have the discharged men reinstated and also will try to negotiate an agreement whereby the arbitrary powers of the master mechanics in discharging the employees without a cause will be abrogated.

FIERCER SNOW STORM.

Storm in for West Grows Worse—Much Snow Falling.

Denver, Colo., Oct. 23.—Cheyenne, Wyo., this morning reported that the storm which has continued there for three days without interruption is raging with increasing fury accompanied by a heavy fall of snow.
The Union Pacific is trying to keep its line open with snow plows and the passenger trains arriving several hours late.
Freight traffic has been abandoned. Telegraph wires are down east of North Platte Neb., and west to Rawlins, Wyo.

OHIO LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

Portsmouth, Ohio, Oct. 23.—Libraries and library trustees of Ohio, West Virginia and Kentucky are in attendance on the 12th annual meeting of the Ohio Library Association, which began here to-day. The value of the free library, and what it should afford to the people of the state, is the main topic of the gathering, which will remain in session until Saturday.

MR. HARRISON INJURED.

By Associated Press.
Montreal, Oct. 23.—Mr. Carter Harrison, former mayor of Chicago, was injured recently while moose hunting.



The Progressive Farmer is Enjoying His Prosperity by the Use of all Modern Conveniences.

SOUTH CAROLINA FAIR.

Now in Progress—First Features To-day—Football Thursday—Excellent Exhibits.

Special to The News.
Columbia, Oct. 23.—The South Carolina State fair opened yesterday. Monday is always a "slack day" at the fair as the exhibits are hardly ever ready and the people not yet come, but the attendance and preparedness of things yesterday were far in advance of the usual. It was a "big Monday."
The first features of the fair took place today. The automobile racing from noon to 2 p. m. were something new to most of the visitors and drew large crowds, the contests being open to all comers, with no restrictions on power or price of the machines. At 2 o'clock the horse racing began, with plenty of entries. There are to be four days of horse racing this year instead of three, as usual, the horses being entered from many sections as well as South Carolina raised.
Butler's brigade holds its reunion this afternoon, and Gen. M. C. Butler is here for the purpose of greeting and meeting with his old soldiers. There will be a number of meetings in the city tomorrow, the annual meeting of the Law and Order League, the meeting of the Farmers' Union, the South Carolina Postmaster Association, and others of a minor character. The annual meeting of the State Fair Society is to be held Thursday night.
The number of sideshows on the streets and in the fair grounds is unusually large and the shows are of a high class, the Barkot Carnival Company having the exclusive street privileges.
Down at the fair grounds there are excellent exhibits of cattle, swine, stock, field crops and farm machinery, while the display of horses and mules in the arena every day will show the visitors something of the progress that South Carolina is making in these directions.

WOMEN MAY ASK TO VOTE.

New York League Investigating Conditions in Colorado.

Denver, Colo., Oct. 23.—Miss Helen Sumner has been sent here by the Collegiate League of Equal Suffrage of New York to investigate woman suffrage as it is practiced in Colorado.
"It is very amusing to me to see the women as they act at conventions," she said, in speaking of her observations. "They jabber away among themselves just as they do at a club meeting until a subject comes up that is voted on in which they are directly interested. Then they stop talking, prick up their ears and begin electioneering. They do not act a bit worse than the men do, though, except that the men are not quite so noisy."
"I really can't say yet whether I am a believer in woman suffrage. One thing I have learned, that women do take advantage of their voting privilege. The registration books of the last election show that 44 per cent. of the votes cast were cast by women."
If Miss Sumner's report is favorable the league may start a campaign for woman suffrage in New York.

NATIONAL BANK CIRCULATION.

Applications for Increase in Bank Circulation To Be Acted Upon.

By Associated Press.
Washington, Oct. 23.—Acting Secretary Keop of the Treasury Department announced that the applications for increases in the National Bank circulation under Secretary Shaw's offer of yesterday will be favorably acted upon in the order in which they are received at the treasury.
If, however, the national bank should apply for an increase of two or three millions or even less, it probably would be necessary, in the interest of smaller banks, to grant the application as to only a part of the sum asked for, and so extend the privileges conferred by the secretary offer to as large a number of banks as possible.

PRES. SYNOD OPENS AT STATESVILLE

The Ninety Third Annual Session of Presbyterian Synod of North Carolina Opens at Statesville To-day. Officers were Elected. To-day's Program.

Special to The News.
Statesville, N. C., Oct. 23.—The 93rd Annual Session of the Presbyterian Synod of North Carolina met at the First Presbyterian church of this city this morning at 11 o'clock.
President E. R. Reyburn of Durham preached the opening sermon. He chose as his text, "For we are His workmanship," Eph. 2:10. The sermon was strong and a large crowd heard it.
Mr. George W. Watt of Durham, retiring moderator called the Synod to order. One hundred and five delegates answered to the roll call. Rev. R. Y. Duncan of Lincoln and Rev. Z. G. Bardell of Red Springs nominated Rev. W. R. Copperedge of Rockingham for Moderator. Rev. Dr. Howerton of Charlotte placed in nomination Rev. Dr. E. C. Murry of Graham. Rev. Mr. Copperedge was elected by a vote of 70 to 20.
Rev. E. B. Bland of Mecklenburg and Rev. C. G. Smith of Taylorsville were appointed temporary clerks.
Prof. J. H. Hill of Statesville delivered the address of welcome, after which an adjournment was taken until three o'clock this afternoon. From all prospects the Synod bids fair to be well attended and successful in every respect.

WOULD RETAIN SUPT. JOYNER.

West Central District Association of County Superintendents of Public Instruction to Make Effort to Retain Mr. Joyner.

Raleigh, Oct. 23.—State Superintendent of Public Instruction Joyner received from the West Central District Association of County Superintendents of public schools, the resolutions just adopted, urging that Mr. Joyner not consider any proposition to give the presidency of the State Normal and Industrial Colleges, of Greensboro to succeed the late Dr. Chas. D. McIver.

Runaway Horse Makes Things Lively on S. Tryon

Horse Being Driven by Mr. Lindsay Whitaker Makes Sensational Run This Afternoon.

A horse being driven by Mr. Lindsay Whitaker made things lively this afternoon on South Tryon street about 1:30 o'clock. The young man was coming toward the square driving the horse to a wagon when the animal began to kick. The harness broke and one of the shafts broke loose from the traces and fell to the ground.
This incited the horse to greater exertions. He wheeled around in a jiffy and started back down South Tryon street. Mr. Whitaker leaped from the wagon but lost his hold on the lines and the horse was given full freedom.
With the wagon swaying from one side of the street to the other, the animal darted along with increasing speed. Several persons were on the streets in vehicles, and at times spectators held their breath seeing the extreme peril of pedestrians and the people sitting in the biggies.
At the juncture of Third and Tryon three ladies coming up town in a carriage jumped and pulled their horse to the side of the street just in time to prevent a serious collision. The horse maintained its high rate of speed across the railroad and was lost sight of by many persons who had rushed to the street to witness the outcome of the runaway.

ROCK HILL NEWS.

The Problem of Late Trains—Business Houses Closed During Funeral of Mrs. Davis.

Special to The News.
Rock Hill, Oct. 23.—The problem of late trains is getting to be quite a serious one and it seems to be getting worse. The machinists are still on a strike and no one knows when that will be settled. A lady from this city left last week for Memphis, and got into that city twenty-four hours late. It seems that the business of the South has outgrown the facilities for handling it. A conductor on the Asheville and Knoxville division, on being asked if he would be discharged if he would bring a train in on time, replied he expected he would.
A series of special meetings will be held at the Baptist church beginning Sunday Nov. 4th. Rev. L. R. Pruitt, one of the leading ministers of Charlotte, will conduct the meetings. Mr. Pruitt is recognized as a very successful pastor and evangelist and the Baptist congregation of Rock Hill are confident that they will have a great meeting under his leadership.
Commissioner Watson cables that he will bring on the Wittekind, which left Thursday 482 immigrants of whom 168 are Belgians and the remainder Germans, Austrians and others.
Rev. and Mrs. Cost arrived in Rock Hill on Saturday night and are now at home in the Manse on East White street. Upon their arrival they were met and welcomed by Rev. and Mrs. Lingle.
E. D. Smith, of Magnolia, president of the South Carolina Cotton Growers' Association and a member of the executive committee of the South Carolina Association, and Miss Annie Brunson Farley, formerly of Charlotte, who is now in Florence, will be married October 31 at the Presbyterian church in Florence.
Miss Mamie Reid left last Saturday morning for Beach Island, near Augusta, to be present at the marriage of Miss Milledge Wilson, which takes place Wednesday. Miss Wilson is well known here, being a graduate of Winthrop College.
Mr. W. L. Law who is surveying the new trolley road from Charlotte to the Catawba river spent Sunday in town with his family.
The state convention of the Daughters of the Confederacy will be held at Greenville on December 6th next. The general convention of the Daughters will be held at Gulfport, Miss., during the same month.
Miss Myrtle Blankenship is visiting her sister Ursula in Dilworth, Charlotte.
The local editor of the Rock Hill Record while in Atlanta last Friday visited the capitol where the remains of the Rev. Sam P. Jones lay in state that day. An old lady, Mrs. Osborne, of Atlanta, while viewing the corpse fainted and died before she could be moved into one of the offices.
St. John's church bell was tolled and all the business places in Rock Hill were closed during the period of the funeral services of Mrs. Jefferson Davis at Richmond on Friday.
Our new broom factory is about ready for operation. The president says he will soon have a man on the road soliciting orders.

CARRIAGE MAKERS' CONVENTION.

Atlanta, Georgia, October 23.—More than two thousand members of the Carriage Builders' National association were present this morning when the association's 34th annual convention was called to order by President A. G. Brunson of Cincinnati. Governor Terrell welcomed the visitors to Georgia and Mayor Woodward extended the greetings of the City of Atlanta. Reported to be the association was made by Perrin P. Hunter of Cincinnati. Other speakers heard at the opening session were Lucius Gregory of Chase City, Va., president of the Southern Vehicle Dealers Association, and Max Robinson of Martinsburg, W. Va., president of the S. E. D. National Wagon Makers' association.

AMERICA NOT REPRESENTED.

Paris, France, Oct. 23.—The 3rd international congress of suppression of traffic in women began its business sessions to-day, with former Premier Bourgeois presiding. Considerable regret is expressed that the United States is not officially represented at the congress, as it is recognized that the co-operation of all the civilized world is necessary if the measures for the suppression of the "white slave" traffic are to be made effective.

SMALL STRIKE AT MILL.

About Ten Speeders at Highland Park Go Out—Seven Return—Work of Agents.

Yesterday afternoon about ten employees in the speeder room of Highland Park Mill No. 3, two miles east of the city, went out, throwing up their jobs and claiming that they could get more pay elsewhere.
This morning all but three of those who went out returned to their work and the matter is regarded as settled as far as the mill is concerned.
The most serious feature about the matter appears to be that the employees who walked out were persuaded to do so by agents or representatives of mills outside the city, who told the employees that they could get more money at the other mills. There were ten of fifteen of the employees in the speeder room who were disposed to listen to the promises of higher wages, and endeavored to get up a walk-out but only a few of the mill people were willing to risk their jobs for others away from home, and the affair, according to the mill men was a signal failure, the hands, or the majority of them returning this morning at the old scale of wages.
The few who are still out are supposed to have left town as they have not been seen today about the mill.

TO DEDICATE GREAT CATHEDRAL.

Pittsburg, Pa., October 23.—High prelates of the Roman Catholic church are gathering in Pittsburg to take part in the ceremonies to-morrow accompanying the dedication of the new St. Paul's Cathedral. The cathedral is one of the most magnificent church edifices in America. The dedication will be accompanied by all the pomp and ceremony customary to the occasion. His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons, five archbishops and many bishops of the church will take part.

FAIRBANKS IN INDIAN TERRITORY.

Vinita, Indian Territory, Oct. 23.—Following his whirlwind tour in Oklahoma yesterday Vice-President Fairbanks is booked for a strenuous day in Indian Territory today. The day begins with a speech at Coalgate this morning and ends in Vinita to-night, with South McAlester, Muscogee, Tulsa and other cities and towns sandwiched in between.

ONLY SURVIVOR OF BARGE ARRIVED.

Solitary Survivor of 33 Men who Perished on Houseboat Brought into Port and Tells Story of Terrific Gale. Saw Eight Drown.

By Associated Press.
New York, Oct. 23.—The solitary survivor of 33 men who went adrift on the barge, or the houseboat, Halfy, from lower Matacoba Key, on the coast of Florida, during the terrific gale of October 13, was brought into this port today by steamer El Pare.
He is John Russell, of Salem, Taylor county, Florida, and declared he saw eight of the 32 others drowned and declared that all of them went down when the barge foundered.
"BROKE" ON HIS HONEYMOON.
Bridegroom Has to Sell Auto to Raise Carfare Home.
Denver, Colo., Oct. 23.—William R. Armstrong and his bride, who are on their honeymoon tour from Coshocton, Ohio, came overland in their automobile as far as Denver. Here the bridegroom's finances became so low he had to sell his machine to get money for carfare home. There is said to be a provision that it can be redeemed.
When he became of age a few months ago the parents of Armstrong gave him the car. "It was the only one of the kind in Coshocton," he said today. Because of this the young women of the town vied with one another for the distinction of riding in it.
Miss Sarah Marshall got more rides than any one else. One day Armstrong counted his cash and told her it was enough for a wedding trip, and they were married.
For Champaign Tercentenary.
Montpelier, Vermont, Oct. 23.—The patriotic and historical societies of Vermont are foremost in a movement which may result in provision by the legislature, now in session here, of the election of the three hundredth anniversary of the discovery by Samuel de Champlain of the lake which bears his name. This anniversary falls on July 4th, 1606. It is suggested that the anniversary be commemorated neither by a monument nor an exposition, but by a programme of exercises in which Canada and France, as well as the United States, might officially take part.
—Mr. Grose Northey was brought to the Mercy General Hospital yesterday, where he will undergo an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Northey was a former resident of this city, but now lives in High Point.

BIG BAND OF WOMAN SUFFRAGISTS MAKE GREAT SENSATION

Great Excitement Caused at Re-opening of Parliament by Presence of About 200 Women Suffragists who Sought to Plead their Cause.

Many Passed Police and Created Disturbance in Lobby of Houses by their Hysterical Shouting and Screaming, Police Finally Ejected Them.

By Associated Press.
London, Oct. 23.—The unusual excitement in connection with the re-opening of Parliament today caused by the presence of about 200 women suffragists, many of whom despite the protest of the police, managed to find their way into the lobby of the House of Commons, with the intention of buttonholing the members in the support of their movement.

A number of suffragists mounted the vacant chairs in the lobby and began to harangue the few members of Parliament present in that part of the house.
The police after being reinforced made a strategic advance against the invaders, taking the women singly, and gradually ejecting them, one by one from the house.
The most militant of the women struggled so desperately that two officers were required to remove them.
Their hysterical shouting and screaming brought crowds of members from the house and the unwonted scene created temporary excitement such as has seldom been witnessed in or about the house.
During the height of the tumult a small band of the strongest suffragists determined to attempt to break into the house itself, and as though by concerted action, this band suddenly charged towards the entrance of the inner lobby.
Some of the women tried to climb over the barrier and others attempted to crawl under it.
For several minutes the utmost disorder prevailed and the police had all their hands full in the storm, detained women, without utilizing the more vigorous means which would have been employed in the case of men.
The women resolutely refused to leave the house without being ejected by force.

SUFFRAGISTS ARRESTED.

The police were forced to carry out several women bodily and the struggling and shouting suffragists all were ultimately deposited in the palace yard where, for some time, they continued their vehement protests.

A procession of the house of commons attendants followed, bearing the hats, cloaks and fragments of millinery and finery dropped in the scuffle.
The police arrested several of the suffragists.
UNDERWRITER'S ASSOCIATION.
Seventeenth Annual Convention Met Today in St. Louis—Many Matters of Importance.
St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 23.—More than 400 delegates and alternates, representing nearly all the states, met in the Olympic theatre today at the opening of the 17th annual convention of the National Association of Life Underwriters. Very little business was transacted on this, the opening day, the time being consumed with addresses of welcome and routine business. Owing to the exceptional conditions existing in the life insurance business at the present time there are weighty questions to be discussed by the underwriters, and before the convention closes Thursday much that is now being thought will be expressed and determined.
Among life insurance men it has been a foregone conclusion for months that the present convention would be the most important in the association's history. This is due to the almost revolutionary changes which have overtaken life insurance during the present year as a result of the eastern investigations and the passage of the Armstead law in New York. The association is virtually facing a crisis in its history. It is believed that the membership is almost unanimously against some of the main features of the recent New York legislation, but just which form the opposition will take is problematical. Section 97 of the New York law will likely receive much consideration. This limits the commissions to be paid agents and its enforcement means a reduction on the first year's commission of 30 per cent. of all agents in the country. Another move forecasted is an effort to amend the constitution, making it impossible for any one connected with a company in an official capacity to hold office in the association. Supporters of this step argue that as the association is composed of active field men it is neither fair to them nor to the companies to have any but active agents in official capacities.

MR. JOHN MOORE KIRKPATRICK.

—Mr. John Moore Kirkpatrick, a brother of Col. T. L. Kirkpatrick, of the Charlotte bar, is ill with malarial fever at his home in Sharon township.