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W. H. Wooten Shot And Killed By Munroe Jetton

navidson Excited Over Homide Which Occurred Last Evening About 7 O'clock-Westen Shot in Jetton's Ball Passes Near Heart.

"My Home Was Being Invadof Only Statement Made by two other witnesses, Dr. J. W. McCon- the measure had been submitted to Both Men Promin- ed. They made practically the same ent-Jetton Brought to Char- statement as the two first witnesses.

there is an intense tension of excitefrom Mr. Jelton's streets talking. The Jetton home and and Miss Sarah Wooten, a student at Queen's College, are grief stricken. connected by marriage and Dr. Wooten After firing Mr. and Jetton were formerly great friends. Wooten moved to ter, Miss Essie Jetton, who live in Dav-He died about 7:45. Mr. idson. and submitted to arrest. He taken to the house of a friend cian will conduct the autopsy. a medal officer, and guarded there

roner's inquest was begun octool this morning and of the first edition of The w session.

He Wrecked My Home. phone message from The News' reporter at Davidson at 12:30 here facts, as stated by C. M. first person to reach the Jet-

de not hear the shot, but heard and Mrs. Jetton calling for help. By Associated Press. Tel got there I said 'What in the Imported. "Charne, he has ed in the ice in the Bay of Islands off and wrecked my home and I the coast of Newfoundland is safe, at

If Class, who lives second door to information received at the navy deletton was the second person partment today. is stated that when he reached the the United States naval tug Potomac

What does this mean?" are reported "all well." "He ruined my home

or and wife were on the front station. tch when I came up. Mrs. Jetton Munroe don't say that.' He re-

ald Munroe, don't say that.' He re-Dr. Wooten's Statement.

Wooten said, 'he did not give me a chance, and I could so easily the explained. Mrs. Jetton was showing me her new dress she had just ed. Oh! If I had only another Turning to those around him them to live a good life and By Associated Press. and the said I can not live long. am bleeding internally." He died

thed the Jetton house Jetton still wisted a 38 calibre. He took murder, first degree, at his second en into the room where Dr. trial after the jury which first tried in was lying on the bed. Point-him had failed to agree. Schmidt's walk defion repeated, "He ruined lawyers pleaded insanity for their

his body piercing the heart. Jetton to die. mealled the neighbors, giving them reasons for shooting Dr. Wooten,

Acotes and Mr. Jetton are both gree for the killing of Anna Aumul-

the traged) fast night caused no little day to receive sentence of death.

the medical department. cars of age. He married not say at this time what it was. daughter of the Potts, of Mecklenlamily living here tale ago. He had a daughter Wooten in Queens College, lioine by automobile

etton before marriage E Shipp, of Gulf Port, marriage occurring last SENATE marriage occurring last as Shipp visited in Dav-A sister of Mr. Jetnumas McCoy, of Or. McCoy is a brother-in-Floyd Gresham, proprietor onewall hotel. Dr. McCoy thed Charlotte at 12:30 last night way to Davidson, Mrs. Wooten dister of Mrs. W. N. Thompson.

Counsel for Jetton. ". Cansler and Judge F. L. have been retained as Jet. By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 11.-The Shackelford good roads bill authorizing the letton was brought to Charlotte secretary of agriculture to spend \$25,- | * hing and is with a special offitime of the hotels. He is utter-000,000 annually for the maintenance strated and is under the care of of rural post roads in states which Signal Dr. J. P. Munroe, Hewas appropriate funds equal to the sums . Forecast for North Carolina: appropriate funds equal to the federal . Fair tonight and Thursday; Davidson. It is thought government was before the senate toapply for a writ of habeas day. It is not expected that the measure will meet any serious opposition, winds. Wooten's wife is a first cousin as there apparently is a decided sen-

London, Feb. 11.-Whether home

INTENSE INTEREST SCARLET FEVER

By Associated Press.

keep out scarlet fever germs.

mission by the board of health

be well on the road to recovery.

and a negro woman passenger.

ly forced to the water. The exact num-

for several days.

per lost probably can not be learned

The packet was valued at \$10,000

and was owned by the Comneaux-Lan-

dry Packet Company. She plied be-

The building is in the heart of "Cor-

ments, all of which were emptied. The

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 11 .-

Mrs. John Doe gave birth to a

twenty ounce child Friday.

Newspaper reporters refused to

take the announcement seriously #

Physicians today substantiated %

the report. The baby is claimed \$

within the knowledge of local #

to be the smallest healthy child

medical men. It will be named

ebcause of the family name.

TWENTY OUNCES.

loss was about \$100,000.

THIS BABY WEIGHS

By Associated Press.

Woodrow Doe

tween New Orleans and Hahnville land

PROPSITION

By Associated Press.

(By 'Phone From Davidson by News' Special Representative.) Coroner Hovis and his jury will not the house of commons today. Sir John Sunday according to an announcerender a verdict until after an autop. Simon, the attorney general, attacked ment made here today. The wrap-Home-Died in Few Minutes sy is performed at 3 o'clock. The jury the Unionist amendment to the reply consists of: F. A. Goodrum, C. D. Brad to the King's speech. The amendment during the ceremony which was perford, S. T. Caldwell, F. O. Johnson, J. declared "that it would be disastrous formed by a rabbi bundled up to Lee Sloan, C. D. Walley. for the house to proceed further with Besides Messrs. Christy and Styles the government for Ireland bill until

the ball. Business is suspended and

The Jetton and Wooten families are

have not been decided upon.

Washington, Feb. 11.-The navy tug

Curling, N. F., Feb. 11 .- The crew of

New York, Feb. 11.-Hans Schmidt

client but the prisoner would not aid

worry. Your son will never die in

the electric chiar." Mr. Koelble said

Bad Fire in Birmingham.

early today destroyed the cotton seed

house of the Farmers and Ginners'

cotton Seed Oil Company here, caus-

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 11 .-- Fire

nell and T. S. Lotherey were examin- the judgment of the country. The attorney general said "The real purpose of this amend and was quarantined. Newman inboth quoting Dr. Wooten as saying: ment is to tear up the parliament act. sisted that the wedding be carried "I'm done for, I'm innocent, I could Even in the event of a general elec- out as planned and was given perhave explained—she was showing me tion returning the liberals to power ten, a prominent phy- her new dress." Mrs. Jetton is pros- it would be a new parliament and the trate. She is in bed and friends are house of lords would be free to block the only witnesses. Immediately alwith her. The autopsy will be held at the home rule bill for another three ter the ceremony the bride was taken

o'clock to decide on the course of sessions.' Sir Edward Carson, head of the "provisional government" of Ulster, ment. People stand in groups about the said:

"Never before in a speech from the the Wooten home are about 300 yards throne has a statement of such unapart on South street. Mrs. Wooten paralleled gravity been made in reference to the domestic relations of the fellow citizens of Ireland as was made by King George yesterday.

"The words put into the King's mouth by the cabinet ministers are a condemnation of the home rule bill county commissioner of Mecklenburg and a confession that it has utterly By Associated Press. to. To these neight and representative of the county in the failed to furnish a solution of the Irish New Oreans, Feb. 11.—Five persons question. There is small wonder in were drowned when the river packet home being in the country, near Dav- view of this confession that the gov- Gem was destroyed by fire last night

Dr. C. S. McLaughlin, county physi-The day and hour of the funeral

Special to The News. construction and operation of a railroad 14 miles from Beaufort to Cape tion. Lookout. The name is the Seabeach Railroad Company, principal office, Ral eigh. Capital \$275,000 authorized and Potomac with a crew of 36 aboard, lock \$15,000 subscribed by C. J. Becker, of their lives when the packet Gem burn-Wilmington; George Westervelt, of ed late yesterday near Hahnville land-New Jersey, and other Northern capiplace near Rocky Point, according talists. The company is understood to tails were not available here today. be one of the forces for great develop-

Part of the crew is said to have arrived today at the Lobster Head light DISCUSSED ANOTHER NEW YORK

point and seaside resort.

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 11.-The interstate trade commission bill and many

was sentenced today to die in the amendments to it proposed by repubelectric chair during the week begin-Means Christy and Styles ning March 23 for the murder of Anna licans and democrats alike were dis-Aumuller. Schmidt was found guilty of cussed today between President Wilson and members of the senate commerce committee. The president spent an how with

the senators after which Chairman Newlands said an amendment prebullet look effect in Dr. Woot- them and said repeatedly he wanted scribing the powers of the commission to proceed in its investigations only coran's Roost" and surrounded by teneby due process of law and according New York, Feb. 11.-Hans Schmidt, to the established legal rule of gathand that the latter be attended the former priest who was convicted ering evidence was the main topic belast week of murder in the first de. fore the conference.

Senators Lippit and Oliver were the Enough in Charlotte and news of her came into Justice Davis' court to only republicans who attended. It was understood that Senators Cummins and Alphone G. Koelble, his attorney, Clapp declined to accept the invitation expressed confidence that Schmidt of Chairman Newlands to go to the would not die in the electric chair, white house. Senators Lippit and He sent a cable dispatch to Oliver told the president they would Schmidt's mother in Germany to the continue to co-operate with the dem-Alexander, of effect yesterday. It read: "Do not ocrats in framing the legislation.

tcday that Schmidt had made an important statement but that he would FOLLOWERS

By Associated Press. London, Feb. 11-Mutiny broke out today in the socalled "people's army" formed from the lowest classes of the Fast End of London by Miss Sylvia Pankhurst after her secession from the Woman's Social and Political Union. Some of the men started smoking pungent shag tobacco in clay pipes at a meeting of the army. When told to desist the men retorted "if we are not allowed to smoke we will not come here again," and quit the meeting.

timent in favor of its early disposition. 点点这些最高性性性的

By Associated Press.

Cincinnati, C., Feb. 11,-Swathed Philadelphia, Feb. 11.-When rule for Ireland should include Ulster from head to foot in antiseptic wrap-trial of Osmyn Berry, capt. in of the pings, Milton Newman and Miss The-Merchants & Miners' steamship Nantucket, charged with negligence in the Monroe on January 30 began today pings conceased one from the other tors of steam vessels it was announced that the scope of the inquiry would not be limited to the responsibility The wedding date had been set for of the Nantucket's commander. last Sunday at the home of a friend

of the collision would be investigated. Peyser became ill with scarlet fever not 'only to establish responsibility but also with the view of securing the enactment of legislation to guard against similar accidents. The construction of the vessels, conjuct of crews and passengers, safety appliances and rules of the sea are terday was a protest against the ex- and one of the most popular citizens among the things that will be inquired

to a hospital. Today she was said to When Captain Berry was called he are that he did not reduce speed dur- the peace for six months. ing the fog and did not take timely action to avoid the collision; that he sent to prison for a week on their redid not ascertain whether the wire- fisal to pay small fines while others less operator of the Nantucket was on were remanded. duty and that he was careless in not | The women were arrested in connec- good shape and there were no troubles giving orders to the wireless operator tion with the attempt to arrest Mrs. of any other character, so far as to ascertain the proximity of other Pankhurst and in connection with demvessels. The charges stated that he onstrations near the premier's residid not shut down his engine until one dence and at Scotland Yard. minute before the collision.

ading his home. The lason Jetton has three brothers, Mesernment shirks the idea of leaving the opposite Hahnville, 40 miles up the Redford Sargent, inspector of hulls land Large appeals of providence.

E. J. Comeaux, 20 years old, son of aptain R. J. Comeaux, and clerk of John F. Lewis of Philadelphia, an ad- paring for a long siege. miralty lawyer. Albert Lee Thurman, W. E. Barr, one of the best known solicitor of the department of comriver pilots in the New Orleans dismerce, was in attendance.

Philadelphia, Feb. 11.—Details of the A negro steward, a negro roustabout collision between the steamships Nantucket and Monroe were recited by Those who succeeded in swimming ashore from the burning vessel were witnesses at the trial of Captain brought to this city by train at ten Oswyn Berry, commander of the Nan-Raleigh, Feb. 11.-A charter was is o'clock today. Captain Comeans of tucket, which began here today besued for a new corporation for the the Gem was badly burned. He was fore members of the United States board of steamship examiners. taken to his home in a serious condi-

Passengers and members of the Special to The News, rew rescued from the sinking Dominion liner and every one who was New Orleans, La., Feb 11 .- At least aboard the Nantucket have been sumfive persons are believed to have lost moned to appear at the trial.

are negligence and violation of the in his room in the Corl building on be replied that he would be in in a ing, 40 miles up the Missisippi. Derules of the sea and were made as a West Depot street, no one heard the minute. These were the last words result of a preliminary vestigation According to reports the flames start ment of Cape Lookout as a shipping ed in the miscellaneous cargo of the conducted by Captain R. c. l'apley, Gem and spread rapidly. The packet's head of the United States steamber crew and several passengers carried inspectors at Norfolk. by her are said to have been quick-

New Orleans, Feb. 11.—Banking a 4 southern cities today expressed to the daughter, Miss Elma Boyles. organization committee of the federal reserve system their view, as to New York, Feb. 11.-Six hundred where one of the regional banks should men, women and children were diven be located. Secretaries McAdoo and to the street in the snow by a fire! Houston, composing the organization which wrecked a fire story factory committee arrived here today. building in east 34th street early today.

Williams Joins Committee. Washington, Feb. 11.-Comptroller of the currency John Skelton Williams expects to leave Washington tonight for Atlanta to join Secretaries McAdoo and Houston and to accompany them on the final stage of their trip as the organization committee of the federal reserve bank system. Mr. Williams is an ex-officio member of Special to The News.

the organization committee. Three territorial propositions were advanced by Sol Wexler, president of nual session here yesterday selected N. C. He was 47 years of age. the Whitney Central National Bank, Charlotte as the place for the next who made the principal argument for New Orleans. He said a regional bank in New Orleans should take over the business of Texas, Louislana, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida and part of Tennessee.

Another proposition was to take from this territory that part of Texas lying west of Austin. Another plan was to take Georgia from the origin | ter-

By Associated Press. Havana, Cuba, Feb. 11 .- A strong earthquake shock felt at 2:30 this morning at Santiago de Cuba created great excitement. among the popula-

tion. No reports of damage were re-

i description description description in the Associated Press. * NEW WORLD'S ALTITUDE

ceived.

RECORD MADE. Johannisthal, Germany, Feb. 11. # concerned.

By Associated Press. -Robert Thelen, a German avia-* tor, today made a world's altitude record for a flight with four pas-* 9,350 feet.

J. J. Keller Shoots Self Through Head At Rock Hill Home

By Associated Press.

London, Feb. 11.-Seven militant uffragettes were sentenced today to four days imprisonment each for "obstruction and assault" in connection with the police attempt last night to arrest Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst.

The women informed the magistrate that their demonstration of yesclusion of the question of votes for women from the king's speech at the opening of parliament. The women pleaded not guilty. Among the charges declined to furnish sureties to keep o'clock, death following an hour after-

Another group of suffragettes were scious after firing the shot.

Forty one persons lost their lives in all night on the house in Kensington, in his usual jovia: spirits. the collision which occurred off Vir- where Mrs. Pankhurst took up her Redford Sargent, inspector of hulls, land. Large quantities of provisions spirits and discussed matters which and David H. Howard, inspector of had been laid in there during the past had carried him to the state captul boilers, for the Philadelphia district. two days and it was believed to indi-Captain Berry was represented by cate that the militant leader was pre-

The charges against Captain Berry pistol through his brain. He was alone Keller had called him to dinner and shot and the time the tragic deed be ever uttered. was committed is not known.

resting on a pillow near the foot of balmer. His firm has erected structhe bed and his feet were on the floor, tures in all parts of this and adjoin-A few inches from his head was a ing states. At present the firm is pistol and near this was an insurance ing here and has just completed a policy in the Woodmen of the World large addition to the Central school for \$1,000. Just above the right eye building. was a bullet hole and at the back of his head another, the bullet going en- since that time has been one of the tirely through his head and lodging most prominent men of Rock Hill.

his taking his life.

commercial representatives of several was a widower and is survived by his ant position by unanimous vote. iii

olina Underwriters' Association in an. and Mrs. Helen Webb. of Henrietta,

lowing: President, J. P. Quarles of Charlotte: vice president. J. E. McIlwaine of TO RESTORE AMERICAN Charlotte; secretary, T. S. Franklin of

The principal addresses were by By Associated Press. Commissioner of Insurance James R. Young and H. M. Willett of Atlanta, son told Senator Fletcher, president of who is chairman of the executive com-

mittee of the national association, and a delegation from that organizathat meets in June at Cincinnati. After the meeting there was a ban-

Washington, Feb. 11.-Representative Underwood of Alabama, democratic leader of the House, has practically closed his senatorial campaign so far as his own speaking tour is

The primary election at which Ala-day for New York. main in Washington at his post.

Death Followed an Hour Afterwards-No Cause for the Rash Act is Known-Was One of Rock Hill's Most Prominent Citizens.

Had Talked Pleasantly With Friends Only a Short While Before he Killed Himself-**Doctors Hurriedly Summon**ed, But it Was too Late.

Special to The News.

Rock Hill, Feb. 11.—Capt. John J. Keller, one of the most widely known of Rock Hill, shot himself through the head yesterday afternoon at 2:36 wards. Mr. Keller was never con-

No reason can be assigned for the action. His business affairs were in known to his family and closest friends. When seen uptown an hour A force of police kept close watch before the deed was committed he was .

Mr. Keller returned Tuesday mora streets until after 2 o'clock in the at ternoon and jollied with several while on his way home.

Arriving at his residence on Saluda street he walked in and passed on to the rear yard, going to the outhouswhere he kept his ambulance and hearses. Immediately afterwards his wife heard a pistol shot and going out found him lying in a pool of his blood beside one of the hearses. Horrified the summoned physicians, but the found nothing could be done. He had placed the revolver, a 3s-calibre Colti-Concord, Feb. 11.-Luther C. Boyles Army, against his temple and the bull took his own life Saturday night by had gone through and struck a scant firing a pistol ball from a big Colt's ling on the opposite side of the room.

Mr. Keller was of the firm of J. Keller and Company, contractors and Mr. Boyles was found ith his head builders; also undertaker and em-

The deceased moved to Rock Hill

from Yorkville about 8 years age, and Since its creation he was a member Ill health is said to be the cause of of the Public Works Commission and as such has rendered the citizens the most efficient service. He was only Mr. Boyles was 45 years of age. He last month re-elected to this import was ever active in any work that tend ed to upbuild the city and community He was a loyal member of St. John's Methodist church. He was also a Mason and a Shriner. Capt. Keller was captain of the commissary First Regiment, S. C. N. G., in which he served with distinction. The funeral arrangements have not been complet-

Rock Hill, probably Thursday. The deceased is survived by his wife, formerly of Durham, N. C.; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Keller, of Henrietta, N. C.; two brothers, W. M. Keller, of Rock Hill, and Worth Keller, of Henrietta; two sisters, Mrs. Raleigh, Feb. 11.-The North Car. Lee Biggerstaff, of Greenville, S. C.

ed, but the funeral will be held in

Mr. Keller was known to many in meeting and elected as officers th fol- Charlotte. Mr. H. A. Moffatt was & special friend of his

MERCHANT MARINE

Washington, Feb. 11.-President Wil the Southern Commercial Congress, tion, today, that the question of restoring the American merchant marinwould be taken up with other non-partisan questions as soon after other measures in Congress were disposed

Clarence J. Owen, Bernard M. Baker and Senator Fietcher outlined plans for developing trade with Latin America, and emphasized the importance of the merchant marine, with which they found the president in hearty ac-

CAMPAIGN MEXICAN MINISTER FINANCE RETURNS

Paris. Feb. 11.-Adolfo de La Lama Mexican minister of finance, sailed to-

bama voters will choose between Mr. I am returning to Mexico. he said. Underwood and Representative Hob- "to devote myself to Provisional Presisengers. He attained a height of son will take place on April 6. Mr. dent Huerta's administration. I have Underwood does not intend to go south a pian to meet all the Mexican national again before that time but will re-lobligations and I am convinced that the pian will accomplish its purpose.

Jetton Brought to Charlotte.

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The News' Want

Thirty to forty new ads appear daily in THE NEWS' Want Ad Page. Sometimes more than this number, sometimes less, are "killed" daily-having done their work and passed on. This is why THE NEWS' Want Page is an interesting page to everybody-it is new daily-and a profitable page to many-more than 800 individuals used the page in January and over 300 so far this month. 976 ads have appeared to-date (not including today) this month-2651 in January-3627 since New Year. Everybody is reading 'em-more people using 'em. Page Eight-NUF CED.