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Battle Of Affidavits Is Started All Over Again In Trial Of Garretts

Cumberland Courthouse, Va., Aug 20 (AP)—A battle of affidavits started in the circuit court here when the prosecution presented a motion for a change of venue in a trial of Robert Garrett, jointly charged with his brother Larkin, with the murdering of Re. Edward Pierce, pastor of the county's five Baptist churches. Geo. White of the commonwealth counsel began reading 83 affidavits from residents of the county that a fair and impartial trial could not be obtained by the prosecution in Cumberland. All the affidavits alleged that a distinct division bordering or disorder was extant throughout the county. The commonwealth planned to lay much stress on the action in Larkin's case which was declared a mistrial after all the evidence had been heard.

The defense presented 70 affidavits in which affiants were sure a fair trial could be had in Cumberland. Several defense affidavits stated they saw no need for guards about the courthouse and declared that only a few interested persons were responsible for stirring up trouble.

MAN TAKEN FROM JAIL RETURNED UNINJURED

Eaughallie, Fla., August 20 (AP)—G. A. Davis who was removed from the county jail last night by five masked men and who had obtained the keys by overpowering a deputy sheriff on the street, returned to jail. Officials did not issue any statement beyond saying Davis was uninjured. He was arrested on a charge of non-support.

HARVEY RESIGNS FROM PUBLIC WORKS

Columbia, S. C., August 20 —Former Governor Wilson G. Harvey now making his home in Greenville has resigned as a member of the board of public welfare on account of pressure of other business. His

Ten Drowned In Mississippi River As Launch Sinks

St. Paul, Minn., August 20 (AP)—All available police at South St. Paul assisted by scores of civilians are dragging the Mississippi River for bodies of nine of the ten persons drowned when their launch sank last night. An attempt is also being made to locate the ill fated 30-foot craft in an effort to learn what caused it to go under and end so tragically a day of merry-making and picnicking. The body of Mrs. Pauline Martinelli is the only one recovered.

TWO BANDITS TAKE \$10,000 IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, B. C., August 20 (AP)—Two masked bandits entered the Seventh Battalion Club lined up a score of card players and after taking forty five minutes to collect \$10,000 from their victims fled.

SEVEN PERISH IN CANADIAN FIRE

Huntsville, Ontario, August 20 (AP)—The bodies of seven women who perished in a fire which destroyed Wawa Hotel, Lake of Bays, yesterday had been recovered today. Three other women are missing.

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WHAT THE U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE IS DOING FOR YOU

About 12 years ago the Public Health Service finding that blindness among the new born was becoming unduly prevalent, issued a pamphlet bringing this condition to the attention of all physicians and especially of all health officers and urging them to make sure that the eyes of all new born babies were checked with a certain simple chemical solution which had already been

GOVERNOR IS AGAIN HELD FOR SPEEDING

Hillsboro, August 20—Gov. Cameron Morrison was arrested here yesterday by Chief of Police Floyd on a charge of speeding, this being the governor's second arrest for such an offense this summer.

Governor Morrison was peeved by the arrest and declared that he would fight the case when it comes up for trial. After venting his wrath at being caught by the law he gave bond and left town.

A red Buick driven by J. M. Simmons was implicated in the governor's latest arrest. Mr. Simmons was leading the governor and his Cadillac as they approached this place and as they crossed the bridge into town the governor tried to pass the Buick.

As they swung into Churton street both stepped on the gas and it is charged were traveling at a rapid rate when hailed by the officer. Mr. Simmons was first arrested and upon his protest that the man behind him was equally as guilty that car was stopped and found to be that of the governor.

SEVEN MEN HURT WHEN TRUCK GOES OVER BANK

Winston Salem, August 20 (AP)—While going down a steep grade on Summit street in the western part of the city yesterday morning, the driver of a truck on which there were 14 negro workmen threw the car out of gear the result being that the truck plunged over an embankment falling a distance of 15 feet. Seven of the men were hurt. The most injuries were sustained by the driver. All of the injured were sent to the hospital for treatment.

A Great Love Story. Action, pathos —A fine story all the way through

successor has not been named on account of Governor McLeod's absence from the capitol.

MISS RUTH FARRELL SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. James Hairston of the Carolina Home leaves today for Asheville to spend several days with relatives.

Miss Mary Ann Abel is spending the day in Greensboro shopping.

Mr. Dewey Morris of Greensboro was visiting friends in Leaksville yesterday.

Mr. W. G. McCollum of Spray is spending sometime in Texas on a business trip.

Mr. Marion Scales leaves tomorrow for Chicago to spend several days on business.

Mr. Edward Walker of Greensboro spent the past week end in Leaksville visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Carter are spending this week at the Millner Home near Axton as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Millner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Taylor and son of Charlotte are spending several days in Leaksville as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Wilson.

Children, Marion, Albert and Gladys Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Moore and Moore of Ware Shoals are spending the week in Leaksville visiting

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Moore on Bridge St. Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Gilley and family left yesterday for Norfolk to spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson Scott of Winston Salem were visiting in Leaksville yesterday. Mrs. D. Frank King Jr., and children returned with them to Winston to visit for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Barker and children were among the number who visited the Playgrounds yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Junior Norman of Greensboro spent the past week end in Leaksville visiting friends.

Mr. Roland Martindale of Danville was visiting friends in Leaksville yesterday.

Mrs. F. M. Flinn returned to Leaksville yesterday afternoon after spending several days with her mother in Price.

Mrs. P. H. Gwynn and son William Gwynn who have been spending sometime in Asheville visiting Miss Mary Gwynn of that place returned to their home in Leaksville last week.

Mrs. S. M. Harris is spending sometime in Washington visiting friends.

Miss Lois White of the Carolina Office left Saturday morning to spend her two weeks vacation with her parents in Preston, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hodges left Saturday morning for Dr. Edmunds Hospital in Danville. Mrs. Hodges will have her tonsils removed and Mr. Hodges will have a slight operation performed on his nose.

Miss Minnie Walker of Greensboro was the week end guest of Misses Louise and Della Wall.

Misses Lucile and Henriette Reid left Sunday for Clayton to visit Mrs. B. A. Hocutt for several days, from Clayton they will go to White Lake on a house party for several weeks.

Mr. E. D. Pitcher returned from New York yesterday where he has been on a business trip for the past week.

Mr. W. B. Weaver is spending sometime in the eastern part of the State.

Mrs. J. B. Ray, Mrs. Miller of Chicago, Mrs. Pat Mansfield and Mr. Gilbert Ivie spent yesterday in Danville.

Miss Harnesia Dunn of Spray left Saturday for Charlotte where she was the week end guest of Miss Kate Moore. Miss Dunn will leave Charlotte Monday afternoon for Wingate Junior College where she will take up her studies for the coming year.

Misses Lavania and Pearl Durr left Saturday for Winston Salem and Kernersville to visit friends and relatives for several weeks.

MISS HOBBS ENTERTAINS

Miss Florence Hobbs most delightfully entertained a number of her young friends Friday evening at her beautiful home on the Boulevard honoring Miss Caroline Price of Winston Salem and Miss Minnie Walker of Greensboro.

Progressive conversation was played during the evening. Miss Hobbs served delicious fruit punch and cake.

Those present at this delightful affair were: Misses Henriette Reid

TWO NEGROES LYNCHED IN GEORGIA

Atlanta, August 20 (AP)—Two negroes were lynched in Georgia Friday. Early Saturday morning a crowd of men broke in the Bleckley county jail at Cochran, Georgia, took a negro named Aleck Harris, charged with attacking a white woman carried him 12 miles from the town on the Dublin road, strung him to a tree and shot him to death. This mob was said to have been disguised and traveled in about 12 automobiles from which the license numbers had been removed.

The second lynching occurred in Houston county where Lee Green negro, was taken from officers, carried to the house of the woman he is alleged to have attacked. There he was strung to a tree and shot to death. This mob is said to have been composed of about 75 men. The two counties in which the lynchings took place are in the center of the state close to each other.

The Bleckley negro was serving a term on the chain gang for burglary at the time he was alleged to have committed the crime for which he was lynched. It took place last Wednesday. This mob tore a hole in the county jail and sawed its way thru a steel cage to get the negro. The sheriff was absent and no other jail officials were on duty.

In both cases when the sheriff reached the scene the mobs were said already to have dispersed.

"I expect to use all the power of my office to prevent disorder and lawlessness in Georgia," Governor Walker said today on hearing of the lynching of Green. The governor said he would make an investigation. He announced no official report had been received at his office. The governor said any good citizen regrets lynchings as the courts should be permitted to proceed in an orderly manner, no matter how trying the circumstances may be in some instances.

MELLON TO STICK

Washington, August 20 (AP)—Secretary of the treasury Mellon let it be known definitely after a conference with the President that he would remain in the cabinet.

346 KILLED; 1,000 LOST IN TIDAL WAVE

Tokio, August 20 (AP)—Advices received here today from Seoul said that 346 persons are dead and more than a thousand are missing as a result of the recent tidal wave and storm in four western provinces of Korea. The damage to houses and other property was great.

FALLS TO DEATH WHILE AT WORK ON NEW MILL

Chester, S. C., August 20 —J. O. Bell aged 25, while endeavoring to place a column on the new textile manufacturing plant No. 3, of the Republic Cotton Mills at Great Falls today slipped and fell 18 feet crushing his skull and breaking both arms at the wrists. W. M. Kelley was assisting him and he came very near going down with Mr. Bell. After striking the ground Mr. Bell breathed only three times.

He lived just across the Chester county line in Fairfield county. His wife and two children survive him. Coroner Gladden was immediately summoned and impaneled an inquest jury with R. P. Steele as foreman who, after a careful examination of the case rendered a verdict that Mr. Bell came to his death accidentally from falling from a beam while acting in carrying a column.

RANGER ARRESTS SHERIFF

Armarillo, Texas, August 20 (AP)—Sheriff Less Whitaker of Potter county was arrested tonight on complaints of conspiracy and accomplice, led by Texas Ranger Capt. F. A. Hamer in connection with the kidnapping, tarring and feathering of E. E. McDonald, bridge worker, Wednesday night.

Bessie Clark, Caroline Price, Mary Marshall, Messrs. Ohel Clark, James Marshall, William and Philip Ray, Nathan Richardson, George Clark, Austin Murray, Otto Kircheis, Philip Wall, James Fagge, Laurence Wilson and William Norman.

Many Lives Lost When British Steamer Off The Coast of China Sinks

Manila, August 20 (AP)—The British steamer Ming Sang which was reported sunk in Hongkong harbor during the typhoon Saturday arrived here safely after a tumultuous voyage. Her officers reported that the vessel seen to sink in Hongkong probably was the British steamer Loon Sang, which is of much the same type and might have been mistaken for her. Many lives were lost with the steamer whose identity in error. Of those aboard only two were saved.

DOG LEADS PARTY TO BODY OF HIS MASTER

Marksville, La., August 20 (AP)—A half starved dog which had kept vigil over his master for three days today led a searching party to the woods where the body of Steven Harris, 19, years old was found.

He had carried and apparently discharged when he tripped and fell. Sidney Harris father of the boy left home Thursday morning to gather moss. About noon the boy was sent with his father's lunch. His dog followed. When he failed to reach the working, the parent went home and place where the elder Harris was learned his son had been gone for several hours. Neighbors joined with the father in a search.

The hunt continued three days. The dog weak from lack of food, came to the house this morning. It refused to eat. It kept up a continual bark, running back a few steps and then returning. It repeated these tactics until the searching party followed it into the woods where the body was found.

Thirst quenchers for hot weather should comprise such drinks as lemonade, lime water, carbonated water and the like rather than sweet drinks says an eminent eastern doctor.

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THREE MACON WHITES JAILED FOR FLOGGING; CAPTURED IN THE ACT

Macon, Ga., August 20 (AP)—The first gang of alleged kidnapers and floggers which have been terrorizing Macon for the last six months was captured here tonight by sheriff officers. Three white men, brothers S. R. Hudson, C. F. Hudson and J. C. Hudson, were taken to jail tonight after they had been captured, officers said, while in the act of flogging two negroes.

DETROIT HOTEL SCENE OF SPECTACULAR RAID BY BOLD BANDIT GANG

Detroit, August 20—Seven gunmen early yesterday held up the Alendale Inn at Warren and Snyder streets, lined up about 175 persons at the inn, and obtained jewelry valued at several thousand dollars.

GREENSBORO TO ENTERTAIN DAUGHTERS CONFEDERACY

Greensboro, August 20—Committees to arrange details for entertainment of delegates to the annual convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy have been appointed by the local chapter. The convention will start here on October 3 and will continue through October 6. Sessions will be held at the O. Henry Hotel.

SALES MAN—for Leaksville and vicinity immediately. Can earn \$100 weekly. Write The Parker Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

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BETHANIA POSTOFFICE ROBBED OF ABOUT \$90

Winston Salem, August 20 —While Assistant Postmaster Charles H. Griffith of Bethania was at lunch Thursday noon the Bethania store and postoffice building was entered and the safe in which both the money and valuable papers of the mercantile establishment and the postoffice are kept was robbed. Only coin and currency, amounting to about \$90 was taken, however. All stamps and other valuable papers were left.

Ira Cromer, a young white man of Rural Hall, was arrested during the afternoon at Rural Hall by Deputy Sheriff Payne, charged with the offense. He was given a hearing on a state warrant charging housebreaking this afternoon and a federal prosecution charging postoffice robbery will be lodged against him.

When taken young Cromer denied the robbery of the Bethania store but the warrant against him charges that the funds of the store and postoffice was a part of the \$105 found on his person when he was arrested.

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