

# A Chapter on Perils from Which We Escape

## Two Incidents in Greensboro with an Amusing Side. Savage Young Fiend Sent to Jail

Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 6.—Special.—In this moving, stirring, modern life, the innumerable serious and fatal accidents one escapes is more a cause of wonder than those which really occur. Only last week, within fifty feet of this office, one of them in view of the writer, were two, the indirect consequence being more serious than the effect on the chief victim.

In the E. M. Andrews' furniture store the colored porter was opening up a shipment of bed springs, which, for space saving, had been tightly corded. The bundle was standing up against the wall in rear of the store front; the basement stairs on the opposite side of the room. Negro like, the porter, with his pocket knife, gave a slash at the cord, and the springs, suddenly expanding, sent him clear across the room, hurling him down stairs like a missile from a catapult. The narrowness of the stairs alone kept the whole outfit of springs from following, and being checked by the stair facing they rebounded to all parts of the store, knocking over furniture and breaking a valuable mirror.

In the meantime there was commotion in the cellar. Mr. Faulkner, manager of the store, and Mr. Huntley, chief clerk, had gone down to enjoy a cool melon, and had just sat on the bottom step to cut it when the bowling negro landed on them like a cannon ball. The melon was broken all to pieces and all the men were considerably bruised. Mr. Huntley said what with the sudden avalanche of the negro below and the racket of tumbling furniture above, he thought that another earthquake had struck Greensboro. The porter went home limping that night, and was so shocked with his unexpected flying trip that he has not been in the store since.

The day after this one of the hoaxes to the McAdoo bus became frightened at a street car, and breaking out, rushed pell mell across the street, branking into a large glass front of J. B. Mathis & Co.'s shoe store. The whole panel was shattered into thousands of frag-

ments. The horse was not cut, wheeling and colliding with a watermelon wagon four blocks down the street; but a lady who was trying on a shoe in the rear of the long store, with a shoe buttoner in her mouth, screamed with panic when she saw the plunging horse crash into the glass, and swallowed the buttoner. Most fortunately an ornamental chain was attached to it and the dangerous weapon was easily removed, the lady's life being providentially saved.

It all goes to show that at best, we never know what is going to happen, when or how.

The negro boy who tried yesterday to set fire to another boy whom he had soaked in oil, was fifteen years old, and his becoming enraged with Mr. C. M. Vanstorty for preventing it, to attempt to kill him with a hatchet was an astonishing exhibition of savagery. The negro was tried before Mayor Osborn and put in jail in default of bond in two cases of assault.

Deputy Sheriff Jones today received this letter from the Chicago lawyer who secured Daily's pardon:

"Dear Sir:—Knowing the sheriff is not in town I write to let you know that his Honor Gov. Aycock, has pardoned Italy this morning and also to let you know that I am exceedingly grateful for my treatment from all parties concerned in the case in your city. I leave for Washington tonight. Please let Sheriff Jordan know my feelings in the matter. I forwarded the papers and money to Daly to go to Chicago. "Respectfully yours,"

"CONROY." Daly is in one of the western counties, Mitchell, it is thought here, with a force of convicts doing public improvement work of some sort. He has clothing and baggage here and it is believed that he will come to Greensboro to get it on his way to Chicago.

The Centenary Methodist Sunday school is picnicking today at Lundy park. There are thirty-three prisoners in jail awaiting Superior Court which begins August 18th. By that time there will probably be fifty. Only one west of next term is for trial of criminal cases.

Machinery for the clear factory of the American Tobacco Company is beginning to arrive and will soon be in position.

## HIGH POINT MAKES PROGRESS

### Work to Begin on Sewer System—Municipal Ownership in Practice

High Point, N. C., Aug. 6.—Special.—The committee appointed has given orders to commence work on a sewerage system in connection with the water works system in operation here, to be first-class in every particular. It will take about nine miles of pipe for immediate use which will be put down in the thickly settled part of the town and on Main street.

High Point believes strictly in municipal ownership, which means a saving in dollars and cents to her. The school property here is worth \$40,000; the electric light plant is one of the best in the state and the water works system can't be beaten anywhere, and all are maintained at a minimum cost to the taxpayer.

Every month there is about enough money taken in at the ticket office here alone, to say nothing of the enormous amounts collected at the freight depot, to build a respectable passenger depot here. The sale of railroad tickets for July was over \$40,000. The little, dirty waiting room here is a disgrace to the town and the railroad company. I understand that citizens will wait upon the proper authorities and demand better service and facilities as to buildings in both passenger and freight depots.

Alarm Fisher, a well known friend, arrived Monday night. Mr. Jeremiah Cox of Greensboro is in attendance upon Yearly meeting. Miss Alice White of Greensboro is visiting Mrs. Genevieve White.

Mr. B. K. White, wife and daughter are visiting the family of his son, Mr. E. B. White. Mrs. J. E. Cartland, Greensboro; Mr. and Mrs. George W. White, Guilford College; and Mr. W. H. White of Belvidere, are attending the meeting, stopping at Mr. H. A. White's.

David Sampson of East Bend is among the yearly meeting visitors. Miss Grace Cary is visiting her sister Mrs. A. V. Sapp.

Mrs. W. B. Newell of Richmond will arrive Saturday for a visit to Mrs. E. D. Steele.

Miss Dixie Leach of Raleigh is visiting relatives here.

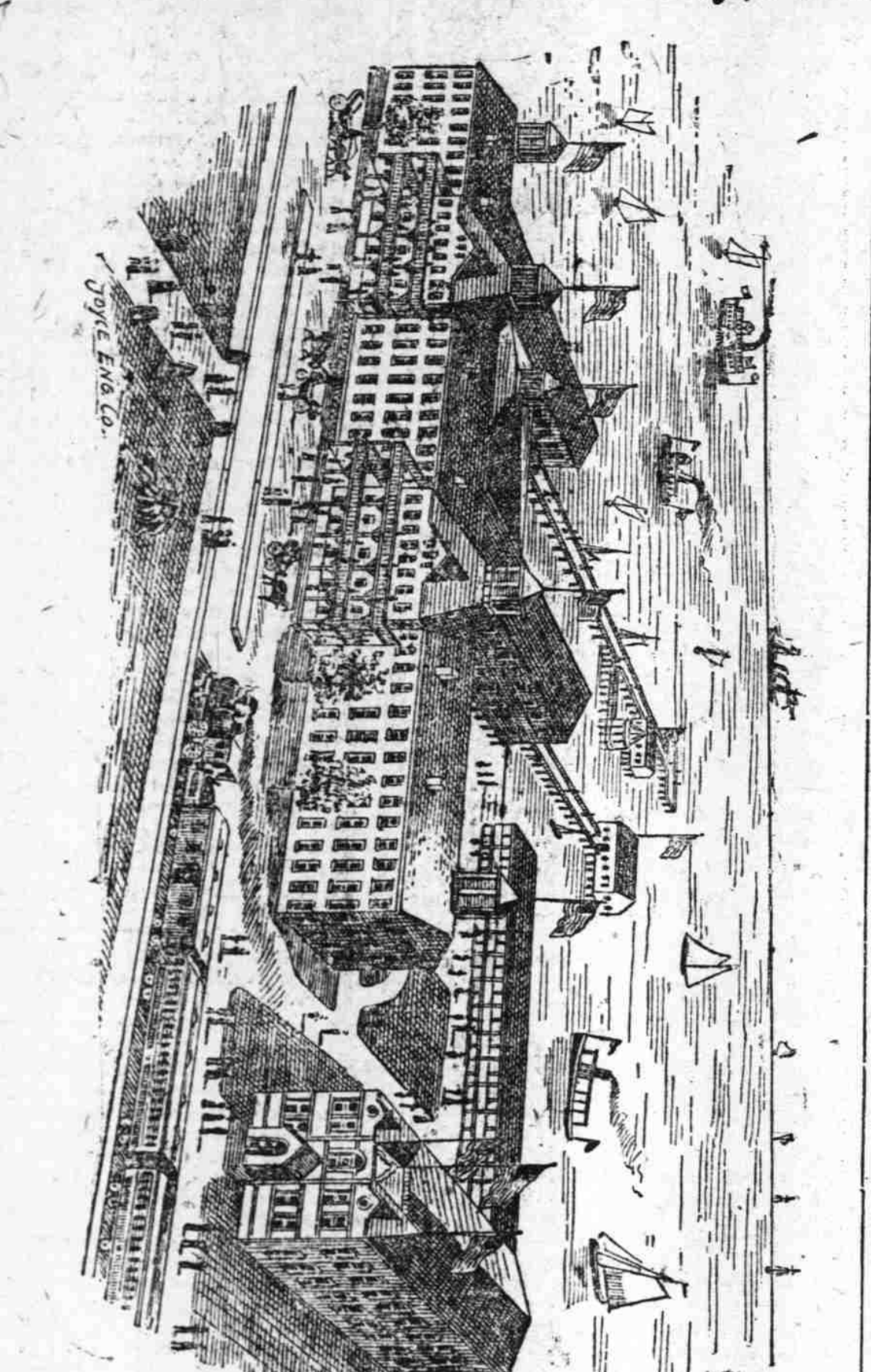
Mrs. J. H. Petty and Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lindsay have returned from a stay at White Sulphur Springs.

## Diversions at Vade Mecum

Correspondence of The Morning Post. Vade Mecum, N. C., Aug. 5. Vade Mecum is just now at its zenith. The two hotels are crowded with health and pleasure seekers. One of the most delightful entertainments seen here during the season was a splendid travesty as Al. G. Fields' minstrels given in the hall room Monday evening. Dr. Britton of Danville, Va., Capt. E. H. Ell-

# GRAND MIDSUMMER MINGLING OF CAROLINIANS

## And Visitors From Other States at the Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City, N. C.



## BEGINNING JULY 1, 1902.

Our bookings already assure a record-breaking July gathering, but there is always a good room left. Write or wire, or come along at your pleasure.

### A. N. PERKINS, Prop. Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City, N. C.

## Quality, Not Price

Is the chief consideration with us in buying our drugs. The best money can buy is used in compounding prescriptions at this store. You may be sure of always getting what the doctor prescribes if you buy of us. Think a minute, and you'll see how important this is. BOBBITT-WYNNE DRUG CO., 133 Fayetteville Street, RALEIGH, N. C.

### COUPON PAYMENT.

The June coupons from the Full Paid Certificates of the Mechanics and Investors Union will be paid on presentation at the COMMERCIAL AND FARMERS BANK IN RALEIGH, ON AND AFTER FRIDAY, JUNE 27th. Nearly all of the Coupon Certificates placed on sale a few months since have been sold. The company now offers another issue of FIFTY FULL PAID CERTIFICATES OF \$100, each certificate having twenty semi-annual coupons of \$2.25. They will be sold for \$96 each. These certificates give a six per cent year investment, with taxes paid by the company. At the end of ten years, after all the coupons have been paid, the certificates will be redeemed by the payment of \$100, or they will be redeemed at any time on demand by the return of \$90, with interest to date of payment. They are fully secured by mortgages on real estate worth double the amount loaned. GEORGE ALLEN, Secretary. Pullen Building.

## CALL FOR INTERESTING INFORMATION ON MAY 1, 1902, THE OLD CONSERVATIVE

# G. B. S. Brew. Co's Darley Park Beers.

At All Leading Saloons.

## W.C. Hudgins Agent,

Cor. Halifax and Lane Streets, RALEIGH, N. C.

# SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY

CONDENSED SCHEDULE IN EFFECT JUNE 15th, 1902. This schedule is published as information, and is subject to change without notice to the public. TRAINS LEAVE RALEIGH.

NO. 11—1:00 a. m. daily—Carries Pullman sleeper Goldsboro to Greensboro, open for occupancy at Goldsboro at 9 p. m., connecting at Greensboro with train 33, New York and Florida Express for Salisbury, Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and all points in Florida, with main line train No. 37, "Washington and Southwestern Limited," for Salisbury, Charlotte, Spartanburg, Greenville, Atlanta, Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans, Memphis and all points South and Southwest. Also Train No. 30 for Charlotte, Spartanburg, Greenville and Atlanta. Also with main line train No. 11 for High Point, Asheville, Salisbury, Concord and all local points between Charlotte and Atlanta. Connecting at Salisbury with train for all points in Western North Carolina, including Asheville, and for Knoxville, Chattanooga, Nashville, Louisville, Cincinnati, Chicago and all points West and Northwest. Connection is also made at Greensboro with train for Winston-Salem, Wilkesboro, Reidsville, Danville and local stations.

### CONDENSED SCHEDULE BETWEEN NORFOLK AND GREENSBORO.

No. 7. Daily.	No. 25. Daily.	No. 11. Eastern Time.	No. 12. Daily.	No. 38. Daily.	No. 39. Daily.
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