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SHOOTING AT WYATT

James Horton, White, Shot by a Colored Man.

BATTLED WITH ROCKS.

Then Haywood Harris Used His Gun Putting Shot in James Horton's Side and Shoulder—Quarrelled Over Cotton.

James Horton, a white man living at the farm of Mr. Lee R. Wyatt, near Wyatt's station, eight miles from Raleigh, was shot early this morning by a colored man named Haywood Harris.

Horton was shot in the arm, shoulders and side with grape shot from a double barrel shot gun in the hands of Harris. The wounded man was taken to Wake Forest several miles distant and given medical attention. It is not thought that the wounds will prove serious. Horton, who is an overseer for Mr. Wyatt, wanted Harris to pick cotton for him. In discussing the amount of pay the two men got to quarrelling. Harris became enraged at something Horton said and threw a rock at him. Horton seized a rock and hurled it at Harris in return.

Harris yelled to his son to bring his gun, which the boy did. The father took the gun from his son's hands and shot Horton, with the results as above stated. So far Harris has not been arrested.

HEARING CONTINUED.

Mr. E. C. Smith has Occupied Four Days in the Langdon Hensley Case.

Mr. Ed Chambers Smith, who was appointed to hear evidence in the Langdon-Hensley case devoted three days last week and one day this week to the hearing of evidence in the plaintiff's demand for the removal of Hensley from the receivership. Further hearing of evidence has been continued until the 23rd when the special matter of claims will be taken up.

There has also been a partial hearing of the petition to select some one else other than Hensley to bring suit against the Raleigh and Western railroad. Langdon was not present at the hearing, but was represented by counsel.

COTTON COMING IN

Receipts here increasing—1101 Bales Marketed so far.

The cotton market has been very active for the past few days. The receipts from the county have materially increased of late. Since the cotton season has opened up merchants generally have noticed increased activity in trading. Yesterday there were nearly 250 bales on the local market. The farmers are not pleased with the prices which cotton is bringing now and they are still less pleased with the condition of crops.

Since the opening of the new season Sept. 13th, there have been 1,101 bales received on the local market. The highest receipts for any one day were those of last Saturday when 250 bales were marketed.

Revival.

Contributed. The revival services at Central Methodist church continue with increasing interest every evening. The pastor, Rev. E. C. Glenn, is preaching with great acceptability. His subject last evening was from the 5th chapter of Ephesians and a part of the 14th verse: "Awake, thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light." His sermon was a beautiful exposition of the above text. At the close of the sermon, invitation was extended to penitents, and some 8 or 10 availed themselves of the opportunity. Several professed conversion. It was evident that the Holy Spirit was present in convicting and converting power. May the good work continue, with still greater results! We praise the Blessed Lord for a free and full salvation! Come to the feast! For the door is indeed open wide.

Lynching Expected in Maryland.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. **QALAND, Md., Sept. 16.**—Sherman Deval and John Ashley and William Martin are locked up for assaulting Letitia Williams. A lynching is expected. The jail is guarded.

CADETS ORGANIZED

A M. College Boys Composed of 3 Companies—Officers Selected.

The military organization of students of the A. and M. College for the present session has been perfected. This year the cadets have been organized in three companies. The A. and M. boys make a splendid appearance and their drilling has been such as to reflect credit upon the institution wherever they have appeared.

The staff officers elected are: Major, N. R. Stansel. First Lieutenant and Adjutant—H. M. Curran.

First Lieutenant and Quartermaster—Teisaku Sugishita. Sergeant Major—E. B. Owen. Principal Musician—A. T. Smith. Color Corporals—K. Jones, J. H. Birlsong.

There are three companies, A, B and C.

The commissioned officers of company A are: Captain, D. O. Uzzle; 1st lieutenant, G. F. Syme; 2nd lieutenant, D. F. Asbury.

The non-commissioned officers are: 1st lieutenant, E. G. Smith; 2nd lieutenant, F. C. Lamb; 3rd lieutenant, C. S. Sowers; 4th lieutenant, J. no Fenell; 5th lieutenant, C. B. Williams; 1st corporal, D. S. Waitt; 2nd corporal, E. A. Anderson; 3rd corporal, J. E. Porter; 4th corporal, J. E. Niemyer.

The commissioned officers of company B are:

Captain, A. R. Kennedy; 1st lieutenant, Moore Parker; 2nd lieutenant, B. C. Fenell.

Non commissioned officers: 1st sergeant, Mark Squires; 2nd sergeant, F. H. Lemly; 3rd sergeant, R. B. Sykes; 4th sergeant, J. R. Parks; 5th sergeant, W. A. Syme; 1st corporal, O. W. Myers; 2nd corporal, E. Wood; 3rd corporal, W. L. Peace; 4th corporal, J. B. Hall.

The commissioned officers of company C are: Captain, A. E. Cahoon; 1st lieutenant, V. B. Ramsuer; 2nd lieutenant, F. C. Doyle.

Those non-commissioned: 1st sergeant, F. M. Foy; 2nd sergeant, E. H. Maddy; 3rd sergeant, C. L. Mann; 4th sergeant, A. S. Lyon; 5th sergeant, Floy Lamb; 1st corporal, H. A. Huggins; 2nd corporal, B. H. Fine; 3d corporal, H. J. Smith; 4th corporal, G. H. Whiting.

Watauga Club.

The Watauga club met last evening in the Yarbrough house. Papers were read on the subjects of street improvement by Mr. J. C. Drewry and road building by Mr. W. S. Primrose and W. E. Ashley. The reunion of the club, which will be held during fair week, was discussed according to the program for the banquet, the following gentlemen have been invited to respond to toasts:

Address of welcome—"The City of Raleigh," Hon. W. M. Russ. The A. & M. college—G. E. Leach, secretary of the Watauga club; W. S. Primrose, D. H. Hill.

The Normal and Industrial college at Greensboro—President C. D. McIver, Josephus Daniels. Street Improvements—John C. Drewry.

Road building—D. A. Tompkins, J. A. Holmes, W. C. McMackin.

Industrial Education in the South for the past decade—J. L. M. Curry, A. Q. Holladay, J. S. Carr.

Cotton Spinning in North Carolina—A. W. Haywood.

Industrial Education in Tennessee—C. W. Dabney.

Industrial Education in Massachusetts—W. H. Page.

Woolen manufacture in North Carolina—H. E. Fries.

The South's Industrial Development for the past decade—R. H. Edmunds, Henry A. Page, Arthur Winslow, W. E. Ashley.

The Watauga Club.—Thomas Dixon, W. J. Steele.

Tobacco Manufacture, J. E. Pogue. Encouraging letters were read from a former president of the club, Dr. Charles W. Dabney, Rev. Thos Dixon, Jr., Dr. J. L. M. Curry, who is an honorary member of the club, Mr. Richard H. Edmunds, editor of the Manufacturers' Record, and others. The next meeting of the club will be Tuesday, October 6th.

Lawn Party.

A lawn party will be given next Tuesday night, September 21st, by the Literary Society of the Sacred Heart church on Hillsboro street. The lawn will be beautifully decorated, and delightful music will be rendered throughout the evening. Tickets entitling you to ice cream and cake are on sale at Bretch's Bakery at fifteen cents each. The public is most cordially invited.

WOMEN STOP MINERS

General Resumption of work in Mines Today.

COAL AT FIFTY CENTS

A Decline Resulted When the Miners Returned to Work—Women Threw Rolling Pins and Other Implements.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. **HAZLETON, Pa., Sept. 16.**—Two hundred and fifty women made more trouble this morning than ten thousand men by attacking with rolling pins, pokers and other weapons available and forced the men to quit. There was little resistance. In other regions quiet prevailed. The strike is general and no a colliery of importance is working.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 16.—The miners in this district resumed work this morning. Coal has declined fifty cents.

NO TICKETS SOLD SOUTH.

Railroads Here Observing Quarantine Regulations.

Local ticket agents have received telegraphic instructions relative to the quarantine laws existing in the south. No tickets will be sold from Raleigh to quarantine points unless a health certificate signed by physician is produced. The quarantine laws are very strict.

Practically all points of importance south of Atlanta have quarantined, and reports say that frightened refugees are pouring into that city from every direction.

Yellow fever seems to be spreading instead of being checked. Many drummers have fled into Raleigh in the past few days fleeing from the South.

As Savannah, Ga., Montgomery, Ala., Birmingham, Ala., Selma, Ala., Meridian, Miss. and points south thereof are enforcing rigid quarantine regulations, including travelers for that section will have to be governed by the same, and provide themselves with health certificates as required by local regulations. Atlanta has not closed doors against New Orleans and the fever-stricken districts.

RAIN IS PROMISED.

Bureau says the Drought Will be Broken Tomorrow.

The drought which has sorely afflicted Wake county and inhabitants for the past 20 days is nearing its end.

Father von Herrmann of the weather bureau says rain is probable by Friday evening. There is every indication of a change for the better in the weather.

The weather forecast today predicts fair and warmer weather tonight with probable rain by Friday evening following by considerably cooler weather.

This drought has cut off one of the finest crops. Four weeks ago there was every indication of the greatest crops in years.

Yesterday the maximum temperature was 90.

The first definite prospect for relief from the prevailing hot wave appears this morning in the northwest, where an extensive high barometric area has developed, accompanied by rain and a rapid fall in temperature.

Killing frost is reported at Bismarck, with a temperature of 32 degrees.

The low barometer is central over the Lake region and is followed by the cooler, rainy weather on the west side.

In the central valley and south clear, hot weather continues. A little cloudy, slightly cooler weather prevails on middle and north Atlantic coast.

Struck His Wife, Then Cut his Throat.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. **WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.**—Half crazed with drink, Charles Gummel struck his wife twice with a clever this morning, inflicting fatal injuries. He then walked to another room and cut his throat with a razor. He will die. Mrs. Gummel took to George Corbin as a boarder of whom Gummel became jealous.

One Appointment Today.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. **WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.**—D. N. Cooper is appointed United States marshal of the Northern district of Alabama.

A CONVICT PARDONED

Not Given Out at the Executive Office—He is a Consumptive.

Sherman Grier of Wilkes was pardoned from the penitentiary here Saturday. No mention of the act of clemency was made at the governor's office, though when inquiry was made at the executive office today it was given out that the matter of making public the pardon of Grier had been overlooked on account of the pressure of other matters.

Grier shot and killed Tom Welsh in Wilkes county six years ago. He was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to the pen for ten years.

Grier is said to be in declining health and that he can be of no service in the prison and that his death is only a matter of a short while. Consumption is his trouble.

POSTMASTER KILLED

One of McKinley's Negro Appointees Meets a Foul Death.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. **HOGANSVILLE, Ga., Sept. 16.**—The first callers today at the house of Isaac Loftin, a prominent negro politician, found him lying on the floor shot in a dozen places. He was barely alive and unable to say who did the shooting. Loftin was appointed postmaster by McKinley, while the residents objected without avail. The feeling towards him was bitter. A secret meeting is said to have been held and resolutions passed to kill Loftin and his successor if the president names another negro.

Mother of Six Children to the Roads.

Mayor Russ had before him today Judson and Lizzie Powell. These two have been one for many years, but not without obstacles and impediments. Yesterday Lizzie "cornered" up and afterwards made life miserable for those around her. Judson, finally tired of his wife's ways and he gave her a drubbing.

In the mayor's court today both parties were arraigned on charges of disorderly conduct. Lizzie was sentenced to the roads for 30 days and Judson was fined \$5.25.

The woman has six children at home. Mayor Russ has let her off time and again, but she habitually gets drunk. Perhaps 30 days on the roads will have the effect of the Keely treatment.

Fight for Seaboard Control. Judge Leigh R. Watts has returned from Baltimore where he had a long conference with President R. Curzon Hoffman, of the Seaboard Air Line. It has been rumored that there would be important changes in the directory of the Seaboard and Roanoke at the annual meeting and that the Ryan syndicate may be recognized. It has been stated by those in authority that no such plan is in contemplation and that the only change to be made in the board will be the selection of a citizen of North Carolina to succeed Mr. W. W. Fuller, formerly of Durham, N. C.

Mr. Fuller has removed to New York. He is said to be in full accord with the present management and has been of much service to the system.

The re-election of the present board assures the re-election of President Hoffman and the continuance of the present management.

"Conference Tonight." The following anonymous communication was addressed to citizens today by postal card:

"You are respectfully invited to attend a conference of the citizens of Raleigh in the reading room of the Park Hotel this, Thursday, evening at eight o'clock. Matters of interest and of importance to the welfare and prosperity of the city will be presented for consideration."

Scarboro Utley. Mr. E. F. Scarboro and Miss C. B. Utley were united in marriage last evening by Rev. J. L. Foster. The ceremony was quietly performed in the presence of a few friends.

Mr. Scarboro is a member of a progressive printing firm and is well and popularly known in Raleigh. The bride is the charming daughter of Capt. John Utley and is held in high esteem.

The Indiana Lynching.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. **VERSALES, Ind., Sept. 16.**—Governor Mount's personal representative has arrived to prosecute the leaders of the lynching party. The people of the town smile and say nothing will ever be done, and are throwing every obstacle in the way of the law.

MORE YELLOW FEVER

Two New Cases Reported in New Orleans.

SCARE INCREASING

Mail Connections are All Broken Up—The Outbreak of Fever is Not Large However in the City.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. **WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.**—State Health Officer Oliphant, of New Orleans, telegraphed Surgeon General Wyman that two cases of yellow fever and two suspicious cases have been reported in twenty four hours, making eighteen cases and one death to date. The surgeon-general has established a rigid inspection of all trains from New Orleans. A medical inspector accompanies each train leaving the borders of Louisiana Mississippi and Alabama. Passed assistant surgeon, Glenn has been ordered to Mobile to start a similar inspection. All trains are made up there.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 16.—The situation is changing hourly. The foreign mail train for New Orleans was broken at Montgomery, necessitating the sending of Mississippi mail via Cincinnati. The connections beyond New Orleans are much broken. The outbreak of yellow fever is not large, nor rapidly increasing, but the scare is considerable. It is expected soon to subside.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The Supt. of the Railway Mail Service said today that he was bothered very much by yellow fever. The mail from infected cities is very hard to deliver. In some instances the railways have taken off trains. All mails from districts infected are fumigated. Only four cities are shut off now, Ocean Springs, Scranton, Biloxi and New Orleans.

Accident to the King of Denmark. By Cable to the Press-Visitor. **COPENHAGEN, Sept. 16.**—King Christian suffered a serious accident while ascending the spiral stair case leading to the beacon at Middlegrud Fort at Orsund. He stumbled and fell, seriously injuring his chin and mouth. The pain was so intense that the king was to return to Bernstaff, Isle of Seeland, where a physician is attending him.

Will Uphold the Chicago Platform. By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. **NEW YORK, Sept. 16.**—Senator Stewart, of Nevada, and former Senator Pugh, of Alabama, both pronounced silver advocates, who are at the Hoffman house, where the democratic state committee are holding a meeting, say that they will uphold the Chicago platform.

Returning to Work. By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. **PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 16.**—The coal miners strike is off. Twenty-two thousand diggers resumed work today at the sixty-five cent rate.

The Monetary Commission. The first meeting of the monetary commission which was organized last January at Indianapolis has been called for Wednesday, Sept. 22nd at 2 o'clock in the Arlington Hotel in Washington, D. C., Mr. J. W. Fries, of Salem, is one of the members of the commission and will represent this section at the meeting. The commission is composed as follows: Geo. F. Edmundson, of Vermont; Chas. S. Fairchild, of New York; Geo. E. Leighton, of St. Louis; T. G. Bush, of Alabama; R. S. Taylor, of Indiana; W. B. Dean, of Minnesota and John W. Fries, of Salem, N. C.

Seventeen New Pharmacies. The Board of Pharmacy made public today the names of the candidates who passed successful examinations before the Board on Tuesday and Wednesday last 15th. They are as follows: Miss Sarah F. Johnson, Southern Pines; Chas. M. Kirkman, Smithfield; Alex. W. Fetter and Oscar B. Whitsett, Reidsville; O. E. Franklin, Berne; C. Moore and Thomas M. Green of Wilmington; George R. Pilkenton, Pittsboro, N. C.; Robt. E. Carpenter, Stanley Creek; Russel H. Tucker, Reidsville; Albert J. Kluttz, Salisbury; Thomas H. Stroud, Burlington; Thos. B. Hunter, Enfield; Edward M. Galye, Warrenton; Leonard E. Reeves, Benson; Edward T. Hasty, Marshville; Walter L. McNair, Laurinburg.

SPLendid RACING.

Newborn Off 85,000 in Purse—Elizabeth City and Raleigh Conflict.

Newborn is going to hold one of the greatest racing events that has ever been held in the State. The dates of the races, as originally arranged, conflicted with our fair dates, but the time of the meeting has been changed to the week following—October 26 to 29 inclusive. The races are given by the Oaks Driving Club and purses to the amount of \$5,000 have been announced. A purse of \$500 is offered for each event on the program.

Elizabeth City's racing program, which occurs the week of the state fair, is attracting much attention. It is likely that many horses will be attracted to Elizabeth City from Norfolk on account of the proximity of the two places. The great horses from all over the country will be at Norfolk.

The following is the racing circuit for the fall: Norfolk Driving Park, Norfolk, Va., October 5th to 14th; Raleigh or Elizabeth City, N. C., Oct. 19th, 20th, 21st and 22d; The Oaks Driving Club, Newbern, N. C., Oct. 26, 27, 28 and 29; Greenville Driving Association, Nov. 2d, 3d and 4th; Washington Trotting Association, Nov. 9th, 10th and 11th.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

The Movements in New York and Liverpool Markets.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16. By private wire to John A. Duncan, broker, 307 Wilmington street. The following are the opening, highest, lowest and closing quotations of the New York cotton market:

MONTHS.	OPENING.	HIGH EST.	LOW EST.	CLOSING.
January	6.80	6.81	6.78	6.74
February	6.81	6.82	6.80	6.78
March	6.88	6.88	6.80	6.81
April	6.90	6.90	6.90	6.85
May	6.93	6.93	6.90	6.88
June	.....	.....	.....	.....
July	.....	.....	.....	.....
August	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sept. mb'r.	6.81	6.82	6.70	6.71
October	6.78	6.79	6.69	6.70
Novemb'r.	6.74	6.74	6.67	6.68
December	6.76	6.77	6.69	6.70

Port Receipts of Cotton.

	TODAY.	LAST YR.
Boston	61	483
Baltimore	.....	.....
Brunswick	.....	.....
Charleston	1497	2550
Galveston	8792	12548
Mobile	142	441
New York	.....	.....
New Orleans	8953	9547
New Port News	.....	.....
Norfolk	1149	2272
Port Royal	.....	.....
Savannah	7700	6177
Houston	1782	9653

Chicago Grain and Provision Market.

The following were the closing quotations on the Chicago Grain and Provision market today:

Lard—Dec. 4.50; Oct. 4.57.
Pork—Oct. 8.17; Dec. 8.25.
Clear Rib Sides—Dec. 5.13; Oct. 4.80.
Wheat—Sept. 93; Dec. 93.
Corn—Sept. 24; Dec. 34.
Oats—Sept. 24; Dec. 23.
Liverpool Cotton Market.

The following were the closing quotations of the Liverpool cotton market today:

August
September 3.62 b
September-October 3.54 s
October-November 3.47-48 b
November-December 3.41- s
December-January 3.43 s
January-February 3.43- s
February-March 3.41-11 s

New York Stock Market.

The following were the closing quotations on the New York Stock Exchange:

Sugar 1524
American Tobacco 92
Chicago Gas 1064
Manhattan 112
Louisville and Nashville 694
Western Union 957
Jersey central 98
Burlington and Quincy 1004
Omaha 88
Rock Island 947
St. Paul 1014
B. & O. 182
Chesapeake & Ohio 268
Missouri Pacific 374
New York central 1142
Southern Preferred 351
Union Pacific 223
Wabash Preferred 222
Chicago & North Western 1314
U. S. Leather Preferred 692

Train Wrecked.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. **ESSEX JUNCTION, Vt., Sept. 16.**—The New York train over the Rutland railway due at 5 o'clock collided with the local train on the Burlington division this morning. Engineer Chase suffered several broken ribs and internal injuries. George Howe severely injured on head. The baggage car telescoped.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 16.—The White Mountain express, west bound, on the New York Central, collided with a freight train near Newark during a fog this morning. Both trains were derailed. The sleepers were burned, as the wreckage took fire from coals of the engine. Nobody was seriously injured.

SHORT STATEMENTS

Minor Matters Manipulated for the Many.

AROUND IN THE CITY.

Port Parri of the News Pictured on Paper—Points and People Pertinently Picked and Pithily Put in Print.

The cotton compress began work today.

W. J. Bryan, spoke in Raleigh a year ago today.

The Statesville band has been selected to dispense music at the state fair.

"Bragg," an 18 year old Thomas cat belonging to Mr. N. W. West, died today.

The secretary of state today granted a charter to the Concord Telephone Company. The capital stock is \$1,500.

Master Thomas Harris, son of Mrs. Ella Harris fell from a wagon this morning and broke his arm. The broken member was set at once and the little fellow is doing well.

Mr. J. Rowan Rogers has taken the position of steward at the deaf and dumb institution, to which he was elected some months ago. Mr. W. H. Rand retires.

A colored man was arrested in Greensboro last night, so parties arriving here report, who is thought to be the party wanted for shooting at Conductor Weaver of the Southern, while in the performance of his duties.

Mr. W. A. White, a professor in the system of the deaf, dumb and blind at Raleigh, was here yesterday collecting patients to take back with him. Among them was Nellie Morris, a twelve year old girl from Nineland—Wilmington Star.

Arguments were concluded this morning before referee Zollicoffer in the hearing of the affairs of the Raleigh paper company. The hearing was adjourned, but the referee will not make known his decision until he makes his report to the judge.

Mr. George Norwood, of Millbrook, was in the city today and reported the destruction by fire of a large barn, about 8 miles from the city near Rogers' Store. It was owned by the Pullen estate, but rented out. The barn was a valuable and handsome structure and contained a lot of feed stuff. The origin and amount of loss is not known.

Mr. W. H. Ramsour, of Charlotte, was here today on his way to Wilmington, Del., where he goes to complete all arrangements for receiving the car which is to be known as the "North Carolina Exposition on Wheels." The car is being built in Wilmington. It will be an elegant and beautiful car and will bear the name of "Charlotte." The car will soon be brought here.

The story brought from the southern part of the county to the effect that Berry Cook, who at the last term of Wake court was found guilty and sentenced to twenty years imprisonment in the penitentiary for the murder of Rosa Morgan, was innocent of the crime and that others had confessed it, is said to be a put-up job to get Berry out of the pen. That Berry Cook was rightfully convicted there is little doubt in the minds of those people who attended the trial.

The Berwanger Bros. are receiving handsome consignments of fall goods which Mr. Sam Berwanger has purchased on his Northern trip. Mr. Berwanger hasn't quit buying yet and enough goods have been received to stock several ordinary stores. We were favored a glimpse at the new line of goods today. The designs are beautiful and the styles are abreast with the times. Both young and old have been provided for.

Trains Collide.

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