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gro and Mules--Happened Near City

THIRD OCCUPANT OF TOP BUGGY ESCAPED DEATH

Fearful eDath and Shocking Injuries Buggy Demolished and Overturned-Mule attempted to clap Over Past-Moving Flat Cars.

Strange fatality followed the runover the Seaboard Air Line Ratiroad this morning. It was about 9:45 o'clock when the train, which was, coming into the city, encountered a man, from Lassiter's saw mill, Jim Brooks, and David Clay, two colored men, who live at Barton's Creek.

Jim Brooks was instantly killed together with the mule, and Mr. Nippel was so badly injured that life was despaired of before he could be brought to Raleigh for treatment. David Clay, the owner of the mule and buggy escaped harm other than a slight bruise about the head and

The train was in charge of Engineer Watkins and Communior Smith, trusted men in the employ of the

Story Told by Witnesses. The man who seemed to know most about the dreadful accident was dition. brough Jones, at his ment is in substance, as follows: "I saw it all. They were driving along towards Raleigh, the three men in a top buggy. When they had got to a place near the railroad track. where that curve in the dirt road, tho mule got frightened at the blowing of the train whistle and started to run. The train was running along fast towards Raleigh, and when the mule got even with the track, the engine and three box cars had passed and it was a flat car that struck the mule, or that he tried to jump Jim Brooks, the man who was killed, was sitting in the foot of the buggy, Mr. John Nippel was on the left hand side of the seat and David Clay, who owned the mule and who was driving, was on the right side The mule was struck and was turned round. Mr. Nippel was on the side next to the train and was hurt, and when the buggy was turned upside down it landed in that gully, and Dave Clay was under it and had to

fearful accident. Among them were Mr. J. D. Allen, and Bill Smith, who works with him at his farm; Allen Thompson, of Rogers' Store, and Victoria A. Emanuel, a colored woman Five People Are Still Missing and it who lives a few hundred yards from the crossing. The statements of all the witnesses seem to have agreed.

Incidents of the Death. Whatever the real circumstances were all exposed to the view of the eporter. The road, at the intersec-

the fatal impact. Just a few feet from the track is a vooden bridge, curved as runs the dirt road, and spanning a gully or wash, possibly seven or eight feet in

was literally shredded. The wound that equeed death was that in the brow above the right eye and slightly to the middle. The skull had been tern away and a gash something more than an inch in width and four lackes long told the tory. His clothes were toru in many places to expose ficelt that was Scaboard Train Kills Ne- systemated out into the uplands corered with waving golden red, made heavy by the fall of rain. The fellow was a young man, only past 21, and was said to have been honorable. and highly respected in the neighborhand of his bome. A thing, seeming near freakishness, was in the surroundings of the dead man. His body was possibly 20 feet from the crossing. The coltar of the mule had een tossed on the ground or about his neck, for as he lay the collar formed a plicow for the gashed and bleeding negro's head. A few feet up the track there was the rim of a buggy wheel containing only one tree rested on him and about him.

It was stated that the mule in his unruly flight and fright made a leap as if to cross the moving flat cars. The animal was badly cut about the head and his neck was broken. When he fell, the head lay as a limp mass ning of extra freight train, No. 687, under the body. With almost unimaginable quickness he was caught and turned completely around, and the tail and rear portion of his body was cut away and mangled. The blood of buggy, drawn by a mule and occupied man and beast flowed and comby three men, John Nippel, a white mingled in a common pool, and bits of fiesh from the torn frames of the two clung to crossties and weeds and cinders of the road bed. While the shafts were smashed parts of them remained about the animal.

Mr. Nippel's Injuries. Mr. Nippel suffered such injuries as will allow only the problematic coupled with superhuman as to his life. He was removed to Rex Hospital shortly after the accident, where tense, by reason of his injuries,

to the tragedy.

Idle Curious at Scene. pattered into the face of the dead, the secret of their success on land nouse. The contempt case was to this additional evidence would have and spattered over wider areas the and sea, and in their diplomatic have been heard at 9 o'clock but it acquitted him of any crime. blood that had been spilt, there as struggle at Portsmouth the sembled numbers of people those qualities have been displayed. of the kind who are ever moved by a sense of curiosity to view all that comes to pass of life, death, or expectancy. Men, women and children of all ages and conditions-and colors- went and came from the place of blood and death. The rains seemed not to deter them, as they stood wide eyed and with mouths agape, and Day was observed by a parade of o'clock. Yesterday a writ of habeas gazed and offered varying comment.

mains of the negro to the city to his spoke. undertaking parlors where the body will be prepared for burial. The services of the coroner were not deemed necessary. It was one of those hap-There were others who saw the the days, and it was all in the presence of witnesses

EXPLOSION ON LAUNCH,

is Supposed They Are Drowned. (By the Associated Press.)

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 4 .- The white gasoline launch Ben Hur was carrying 40 passengers home from a may have been, the awful evidences dance last night when the gas began leaking from the engine and it exploded at St. Clair Flats.

tion of the railroad tracks while on a The curtains on the launch caught level with the steel rails, is alightly fire and the flames following on the obscured by intervening ridges of heels of the explosion, caused a panic red clay, that are overgrown in patches by weeds and grasses, which them jumped overboard. The fire render impossible a clear view, and the screams of the frightened spoke at Pine Beach this afternoon though the railroad track is clearly people attracted other launches from in sight just at the crossing. The nearby points and those who could Doherty at Ocean View. position of the dead negro, the dead be found were rescued. All but five mule and the buggy show plausly the have been accounted for uninjured, direction, force and suddenness of and the missing are supposed to be drowned.

An Attempt to Wreck a Train. Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 4.—Passengers who came in on the local Into this gully the buggy train from Greensboro yesterday afwas thrown, entirely up-side down, ternoon told an interesting story of and it was under this wreckage that what must have been an attempt to ner of the mule and buggy was wreck their train. Somewhere b found almost unhurt. It is needless tween Holtsburg and Linwood the to state that the buggy was smashed pilot on the engine picked up a cross nearly to splinters. Lying within a tie that had been thrown across the foot of the steel ratiroad tracks there track, immediately beyond a sharp lay the body of the dead negro and curve, where it could not be seen by in uncounty nearness the mule that the engineer until he was right on it.

JUDGE WALKER THE FINAL AGT ISSUES PAPERS

Arc Anxious for the End

Ward Causes a Sensation

"PORTSMOUTH TREATY" WORST AFFAIR EVER TO BE SIGNED THESDAY

to Which the Japs Owe Their Success on Land and Sea. Are Being Displayed at Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 4 .- Indications are that the "Treaty of Portsmouth" will not be signed until to-morrow. The protocol, or minranged.

have been received dated to-day.

and Mr. Dennison, differences being wound on the right side of his head

LABOR DAY CELEBRATIONS.

Country by Parades and Excursions to Pleasure Resorts.

(By the Associated Press.) 15,000 men and an outing at Luna corpus was issued by Judge Plat D Undertaker Strickland was called Park, at which President Gompers, Walker, of the Supreme Court bench, to the place and removed the re- of the American Federation of Labor,

At Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 4 .- The Walker that he would ask the entire labor unions celebrated Labor Day Supreme Court bench to sit with him. by a combined parade and outing at penings, accidents, fatalities that a Delaware river resort. The Middle affair that has ever taken place in seems apportioned to the passing of States' regatta took place on the Durham, at least during recent years. Schuylkill in the afternoon.

Labor Unions Parade. labor unions was a feature of the rior Court and he today stand; conobservance of Labor Day. Among demned by the best people of the the outdoor attractions was a na- town. They sympathize with him tional automobile race at Readville, McCowan was a popular man-but under the auspices of the Bay State they condemn without reserve the Automobile Association.

At Baltimore. workmen paraded, Mayor Timanus a thing should have taken place here. riding in a carriage with President but it is a matter that cannot nov Hirsch, of the Federation of Labor.

Fittingly Observe the Day. Norfolk, Va., Sept. 4 .- The feature of Labor Day was a parade with many attractive floats. Senator Martin and Congressman Swanson Commissioner and State Labor

New Factory Established. High Point, N. C., Sept. 4,-Another factory for the manufacture of perhaps—an act that cannot be ex veneer and excelsior is to be established. Stock is now being subscribed for same. A large amount of veneer

and excelsior is used by the manu-

facturers, here and elsewhere in the State, and few factories are engaged in manufacturing same. Breaks the World's Record. (By the Associated Press.) Chicago, Sept. 4.—By raising two 10-pound dumb bells, from arm's

spoke. Splinters of shafts and of the Careful Preparations and Methods, Nothing Else Was Talked Visit Sunday-Judge Ward Supported by All of Burham-His Judy cial Bearing on the Bench Was Com-

mendable

(Special to The Exening Times) aumber of others, in addition to t Durham, N. C., Sept. 4 Durham's officers who had the prisoner in lowlatest sensation is that a Superior tharge Court Judge has been a saulted on Mr. McCown, the respondent in deaths 3, total deaths, 287, new fool gust 29th, when peace was arranged, account of sentence he pursed while this case, has served the city of Dur 11 case, still under treatment 305; on the beach and an extuator of the ham for six years as its chief executaries discharged 1,422 against its completion and approval city is in jall for contempt of cours tive. He is a man who has a large. For the first time in over a month

communication is slow, but cables der this verdict Judge George W only reason that can be assigned for that of Capt. B. F. Clayton, U. S. A., have been received dated to-day. Ward sentenced the prisoner to two his rash act is that he was almost the quartermaster in charge of this grears on the county roads, allowing crazed on account of the condition department. City Councilman E. T. The plenipotentiaries and the at a reduction of nine months for the of his sister, Mrs. James R. Day, Dann is also on the list. Of the taches of the two missions seem to time the prisoner had been in joil mother of the dead boy. She is al- deaths, one occurred at the Emerers. Dr. Rogers told a reporter of the Times that the man could not recover. The shock was most intense, by reason of his injuries, paper correspondents and summer mayor of Durham and uncle of the Judge Ward made a very favorable of new foci causes some little seaboard. Next to the engine there seaboard. Next to the engine there shoulder broken ribs, right collar bone fractured, and the fast care, that were loaded with rall-left shoulder broken, and in addition the treaty has already Begun, Mr. guests who are waiting to be "in at Day boy who was killed, went to the and high impression upon our peo- anxiety. to all this lesser injuries. At the Rojestvensky doing the caligraphic the door and after a few words about tion upon all cases. Our people had were used in the work of salting the press hour there was no perceptible work of the French, and Mr. Adashi increasing the senetnce or giving the learned to like him. His judicial guiters, it has been found that since change in the unfortunate man's con- of the English, text. Controversies negro his freedom McCown struck bearing while on the bench was such the mosquitoes have been deprived over the phraseology still continue Judge Ward. The judge was struck as to commend him to all who fre- of their favorite breeding places, the a negro by the name of Ben Riggins.

Mr. Nippel was coming to the city and there were several conferences on the left ear and knocked against quented the court room. AS A MAT- stagnant gutters on cross streets are who is in the employ of Mr. Kimto appear before the Board of County
yesterday between Mr. de Martens
the side of the house, inflicting a TER OF FACT MANY, A GREAT filled with wiggle tails, so special efyond Crabtree Creek. Riggins' statepoverty, which adds another shade cipals. The Japanese are proving ous in any way. A beact warrant CASE was as severe as could be ex- salt have been used so far and the great sticklers for work. They cling was at once issued for the arrest of pected. Had Haskins been a white work will be continued. tenaciously to their ideas. Careful McCown for contempt of court and he man he would have been able to get While the rains fell and the drops preparation and methods have been was taken and carried to the court more evidence and it is believed that same was after 10 when the hearing finally took place. Judge Ward then sentenced the ex-mayor to serve a term of thirty days in jail and to Two Villages in New York State of September 1st, shows that there pay a fine of \$200. From this an Is Observed in Different Parts of the attempt was made to appeal the ma ler to the Supreme Court of the State The appeal was denied and the prisoner went to jail, being locked to Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 4.-Labor Sunday morning just before 1

> The above tells in brief the worst There is one fortunate feature of the affair. It was the act of one man Boston, Sept. 4 .- The parade of in assaulting the judge of the Surepiece of foolhardy business in fighting a judge on account of a sentence Baltimore, Sept. 4.—Six thousand passed. Durham groans that such be prevented.

Raleigh to-day at 12:30 o'clock. It

To say that the assault made on Judge Ward created a sensation would be to put it mildly. The people were speechless. They did not know what to say at first. Then there was a popular outburst of indignation and Judge Ward stood with the support of all our people in this trouble and McCown stood marked as a man who had done-thoughtless

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cused in any way It was restorded morning before the people of the town have of he offgir, that is before the great many of people knew of the sensuli il was the talk of the town penterday. The people gathered in knots on by

tranger of McCown visated him is the sell that he accusied on the er of t tens of the jail. They task him how ming Judge Ward was swamed with turningen in respect and nair. They care by receptions in

structs and talked Many of the

precisions of normal un account of meaningery and in people rather in ~ Itim

Vesterday morning Mr. Jonor one of the four courses which peared for primmer, went to have the and asked of Judge Waller a wit of al vesta'W rative, energies ametant he would ask the other members of the Supreme Court beach trooks with him. He instructed that Sometter Brooks, of this district be notified Nearly All the Dirt Carts in New and said that the Attorney Generalt for the State should also be notified This morning in obedience to thus writ the prisoner was laten to Eat eigh. With him went his four law vers. Major W. A. Guthrie, Mr. W. B. Guthrie, Mr. Frank L. Fuller and Mr Jones Fuller There were a

against its completion and approval city is in Jali for contempt of court in time to sign the treaty at 5 o'clock, as had been provisionally argument.

The story told briefly Enterday number of friends. Twice he has afternoon the jury in the case of unde the run for sheriff of the counterman with only three deaths, afternoon the jury in the case of the run for sheriff of the counterman with the number of new cases was in the number of new cases was in the number of the counterman with the number of new cases was in the number of the number of new cases was in the number of new cases was in the number of the number of new cases was in the numbe The Japanese say they have no in- I. C. Day, returned a verdict of and again as the candidate of the 3, 1878, the feeling of confidence formation of the reported revolution of manufacturer and recomn Republican party. He was uncle of that the fever is being wiped out is tionary outbreak in Japan. Cable mended the mercy of the court. I'm. the Day boy who was killed, and the growing. Among the new cases is

RUINED BY CLOUDBURST.

Nearly Destroyed and One Life Reported Lost.

(By the Associated Press.) Utica, N. Y., Sept. 4.- The villages of New Berlin and Edmeston were nearly destroyed by a cloudburst last evening. The extent of which was returnable before him in is reported lost. was intimated at the time by Judge

OUTSIDE CASES GROWING LESS

Country Situation is Improving, Although New Foci is biscovered

YESTERDAY THE GITY **GUTTERS WERE SALTED**

Orleans Were Used for the Purpose Sunday and a Thousand Tons of Salt I wed.

(ity the Associated Press). New Orleans, Sept. 4 - Official repage to 6 p m Sunday was as fol-

Salting the Gutters.

Sunday nearly all of the dirt carts MANY, BELIEVE THAT THE SEN- forts are being made to render these TENCE PASSED IN THE HASKINS unsultable. Over a thousand tons of

There has been a recrudescence at Tallulah, in Madison parish, not far from Vicksburg, three cases having been diagnosed by Dr. Krauss, of the Marine Hospital Service.

A report from Leeville, under date have been 312 cases there so far and 29 deaths, with 145 cases under treatment.

Russias' First Victory.

After twenty months of war the Russians have won their first victory. the damage cannot be told, as com- It consists in escaping from the posmunication is cut off. Only one life sibility of further military defeat .-Hartford Times

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