

DEAD BY THE WOMAN'S HUSBAND

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Lynchburg, Va., April 22.—A merchant named Early, yesterday afternoon at Lexington, Campbell county, shot and almost instantly killed John Grossman, a Southern Railway telegraph operator. It is alleged that the trouble was over the wife of the surviving man.

The men met shortly after Early's wife left for Danville and engaged in a pistol duel. Seven or eight shots were fired. Early received a flesh wound in his leg.

MR. HOWARD THOMAS DIED THIS MORNING

Mr. Howard C. Thomas, eldest son of Captain J. J. Thomas, passed away this morning at 4 o'clock after an illness of about two weeks, his death being due to heart disease. He had a number of friends in this city and they will learn of his death with much regret.

Mr. Thomas was thirty-eight years of age and was born and reared in Raleigh. He was connected with the Raleigh Cotton Mill and was able to look after his duties up to a few weeks ago. Three years ago he married Miss Anna Hall Stronach, daughter of the late W. C. Stronach, and she and a little daughter survive him. Mr. Thomas is also survived by his father, one brother, Mr. James J. Thomas, Jr., one little daughter survive him. Mr. Thomas' sister, Mrs. Lottie T. McAden, of this city, and one half sister, Mrs. E. F. Aydt, of Elizabeth City.

The bereaved family have the heartfelt sympathy of many friends in this hour of great bereavement. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 11:30 o'clock from Christ Church and the interment will be in Oakwood cemetery.

NOT THE MARVIN LAD, BUT THINGS LOOK SUSPICIOUS.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Gloverville, N. Y., April 22.—"Child held is not Horace; suspicious circumstances suggest his identity, convince me these are parties Murphy trailed. Murphy should be sent here to watch them closely. They know much more than has been disclosed and are evidently members of an organized band. Wire me here your conclusions."

This was the message sent to Dr. Horace Marvin by Myles Standish who was sent here to look at the boy held on suspicion of being Horace Marvin, Jr.

The authorities believe that the boy is like another kidnapped child or is being used to further some scheme of the real kidnapers of the Marvin lad.

THE PROSPECTS OF THE PRESBYTERIAN STANDARD.

(Special to The Evening Times.) Charlotte, N. C., April 22.—Messrs. J. R. Pharr, J. C. McNeely and J. H. Wear, the committee appointed to dispose of The Presbyterian Standard, have contracted to sell the paper to Rev. P. R. Law, who has taken it over. Mr. Law will organize a stock company with a capital of \$11,000, which will be used in paying for the plant, subscription list, good will, etc., and putting the paper on its feet. This money must be had or the deal cannot be consummated.

Associated with Mr. Law, as editorial writer, is Dr. R. C. Reid, a professor in the Columbia Theological Seminary. Dr. Reid will not come here to live, but will do his share of the work at Columbia. He is a man of fine ability and great force. He is sound in doctrine and stands well in his church.

WOULDN'T GO BACK

To Old Days of Coffee Misery for Millions.

A N. Y. lady is emphatic about coffee and in comparing her former condition when using it with her later improvement under Postum Food Coffee, says: "We have used Postum instead of coffee for the past four years and have been greatly benefited by the change. I have always had a weak stomach from childhood and about five years ago one doctor told me I must leave off coffee entirely. I thought I could not, but tried it for a few mornings, using cocoa in its place, but tired of it. Then I went back to coffee and kept getting worse, until my stomach was unable to hold or digest much of anything. One day I got hold of a little booklet, 'The Road to Wellville.' I read it and decided to try Postum. I got better as time went on and we all learned to like it so well that now we use it to the exclusion of everything else in the line of drink at table. This summer I went away for two weeks and my husband took his meals at the restaurant. As he did not drink coffee he asked for Postum. They brought it to him, 'pale, weak stuff,' made in a hurry. But the first morning after I returned home he said, 'Oh, it seems good to have a cup of Postum that's made right! At the restaurant, he said, they did not boil it long enough. (Postum must be well boiled to get the delicious flavor—see directions). I would not use coffee again and go back to the old days of suffering for millions. I have a friend who drank Postum for two weeks, the only nourishment she took in all that time, and she came out all right. I would be willing to give \$1.00 a box for Postum rather than use coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich., and "The Road to Wellville," in page "There's a Reason."

SOME VERY WARM ITEMS OF NEWS

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, April 22.—An explosion that rocked buildings all over the city of Chihuahua, Mexico, occurred at La Sultana, an extensive fireworks factory, causing a loss of \$200,000 and fatally injuring two employes. It was caused by a lighted cigarette thrown carelessly aside.

Held on board the Oceanic Company's steamship Ventura, at San Francisco, afflicted with trachoma, is a woman who claims she is a daughter of the late Duke of Buckingham and is related to the Russian royal family. She is dressed in man's attire, with her hair cropped short, and is registered as George F. Paper. She says she was banished from Russia by Alexander III, father of the present czar, because she told him his nephew had killed Professor Ashenshlof years ago.

A St. Petersburg millionaire who recently died bequeathed \$250,000 to the Moscow University and to the Institute of Technology.

JEFFREYS WILL DEFEND THE TITLE

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Los Angeles, Cal., April 22.—James J. Jeffreys says he will return to the ring if the title of heavyweight championship becomes the property of a foreigner. If it remains in American hands he will not leave his retirement. Here is his own statement: "Will I fight Big Squires, the Austrian champion pugilist? 'Yes, if he wins the championship from an American. I have retired and do not wish to go back into the ring. I have no love for the glove battles, but I saw a chance to win a competency in a few short years, and I took it. I have this now. It is safely invested where I cannot lose it and where it will bring me a comfortable income for the rest of my life, so I don't need to fight again."

JAILED ON CHARGE OF GRAND LARCENY

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, April 22.—Alfred C. Goodman, who describes himself as a broker, and Edgar M. Martain, also known as C. D. Martain, both living at the Hotel Regent, were locked up at police headquarters yesterday afternoon on charges of grand larceny. Commissioner Bingham received a letter last month from H. J. Boswell, a lawyer, of Greensboro, Ga., who wrote that a number of persons in Greensboro and Madison had been doing business with Clark, Goodman & Co., of No. 20 Broad street, New York, and that it appeared to be a sort of business where you put in your money and get back a lot of encouraging letters. Drafts which had been drawn on Clark, Goodman & Co., according to instruction, had not been honored, said the letter, and would the police please investigate.

AN INJURED KNEE LAYS UP MABELLE

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Paris, April 22.—Mabelle Gilman, who it is understood William E. Corey, head of the United States Steel Corporation, is to marry on May 7, was confined to her chateau at Misse-Verriers today with an injured knee as the result of a fall from her horse. It is declared today that Miss Gilman has purchased the chateau outright and that she paid 600,000 francs (\$120,000) for it. The chateau is now being "restored" and renovated.

MAY RUN SPECIAL PULLMAN TO PORTSMOUTH FRIDAY.

The Seaboard Air Line is to operate a special Pullman from Raleigh to Portsmouth on the night of April 25th, provided there is a sufficient demand for Pullman accommodation to justify it. Up to the present time no application has been made for reservations on this car. It will leave here on No. 32 at 2 o'clock in the morning, but the car will be open at 9 p. m. on the night of the 25th.

PENALTY FOR FAILURE TO POST SCHEDULE OF TRAINS.

The corporation commission this morning turned over to the state treasurer the sum of \$950, that being the amount paid by the Seaboard Air Line and the Southern Railway as penalties for failure to post the schedules of trains. The amount of the penalty in each case was \$500, but the costs amounted to \$50.

IDENTIFICATION IN THE MORGUE SOLVES MYSTERY.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, April 22.—The mystery in the disappearance of T. J. Kennedy, the theatrical manager, last January, who was believed to have fled because of losses in "Miss" and other plays, was cleared when his body was identified at the morgue by his wife. The dead man had been found floating in Erie basin. Kennedy was well known in the theatrical world. He was John L. Sullivan's first manager when the ex-pugilist took to the stage, and since then had been connected either as backer of manager with several prominent productions in New York.

A TELLING ADDRESS BY GOVERNOR GLENN

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Richmond, Va., April 22.—Governor R. B. Glenn, of North Carolina, delivered a telling address before a large audience in this city yesterday evening on economic questions. The address was of a semi-religious nature. Governor Glenn said, among other things, that if certain evils now in vogue in this country are not checked, the country will eventually suffer as did Rome and other republics.

HIS SERMON ON THE ONLY BASIS OF PEACE.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Chicago, April 22.—Theories advanced by Andrew Carnegie, Jane Addams and others at the national peace congress, held in New York were considered Sunday by the Rev. Robert H. Battle in his sermon at the First Presbyterian church in Abstin.

"The Christian basis of peace is the only possible basis," said the pastor. "Roosevelt is right and Carnegie was wrong. Roosevelt declared that righteousness, not justice, is the warrant for peace. This is upheld by the fact that justice is not a spring of conduct, but a result. 'When Miss Addams suggests that ignorance is the cause of war,' he said, 'we must credit her with all sincerity, but must recognize that she is wrong, or else has read into the world a moral content which it by no means possesses. Possession of information or the lack of it, never is a cause of action. 'But we are not yet at the final basis of peace. Until men do right, peace will not prevail. Until men love right they will not do right.'"

WHAT A CONDITION THE POOR BOYS ARE IN!

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Washington, April 22.—Officers of the United States military academy at West Point are still agitated over the recent seizure of overcoats loaned by cadets to young lady visitors at a recent review. While all of the names of cadets who loaned their overcoats have not been ascertained, others will have to undergo court martial for extending this courtesy to their young lady friends. Those who are slated to be tried are Cadets A. H. Archer, Pennsylvania; A. Boone, Texas; L. D. Booth, Mississippi; D. H. Crissy, Michigan; R. Donovan, Kentucky; J. C. Drain, Pennsylvania; E. B. Garey, Maryland; C. C. Gee, Idaho; H. Geiger, New Jersey; L. V. Greer, Texas; E. F. Harding, Ohio; F. S. Harrington, Virginia; P. J. Horton, Georgia; E. E. Lewis, South Dakota; G. M. Morrow, Jr., Alabama; H. Pfeil, Maryland and C. J. Taylor, Kansas.

REV. JOHN R. STRATTON GOES TO BALTIMORE.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Chicago, April 22.—The Rev. John Rouch Stratton, pastor of the Second Baptist church, has accepted a call to the Seventh Baptist of Baltimore, Md., of which he will assume charge on September 1. The second church of this city of which Dr. Stratton has been pastor since 1894 with the Centennial Baptist church last December, making it one of the largest Baptist congregations in the west. When the union was effected, the pastors of both churches agreed to resign.

ACTOR SENTENCED FOR SHOOTING TRAINED NURSE.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, April 22.—W. T. J. Davidge an actor, on March 16 shot and slightly wounded Rosa Wilbert, a trained nurse who repulsed his attentions, was sentenced today by Judge Faycott in Brooklyn to one year in the penitentiary. The man will begin serving his sentence at once.

FASCINATED BY THE "LAND OF THE SKY"

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Washington, April 22.—"I am going to Europe to spend the summer, but the day I get back I shall make a bee line for my farm in Transylvania county, North Carolina, which I'd rather have than any Old World estate," remarked Colonel Silvester T. Fleet, one of the leading capitalists of Cleveland, Ohio, at the New Willard.

"There is not, to my mind any finer scenery in Europe than the Taxoway country in the Old North State; nowhere is the verdure of the trees so resplendent, nowhere is the air so gloriously invigorating, nowhere is the mere sense of physical existence so fascinating in this 'Land of the Sky' which we fall to appreciate because it is so near at hand. Years ago I bought a tract partly in the mountains and partly in the bottom lands bordering the beautiful French Broad river, and of all my possessions I prize this the most. Don't imagine that I merely care for it as a loafing ground. No, indeed; I am one of the most serious farmers in the state, and raise big crops of corn equal to anything they can make out in Kansas or Nebraska. The soil of North Carolina, if taken care of properly, will produce astonishingly, and when agriculture is put on a scientific basis, the farmers of that region will be the most independent people on earth."

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A SUPPOSED ATTEMPT TO WRECK THE TRAIN. (By Leased Wire to The Times.) Cleveland, O., April 22.—What is believed to have been an attempt at train wrecking was disclosed near Bedford when a track-walker discovered a broken rail on the Pennsylvania road. He ran to a tower and notified headquarters in Cleveland and assistance was sent from Bedford so that a new rail was placed in the track before the Cleveland and Pittsburg flyer, due an hour later, arrived. The flyer passed over the new rail safely.

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