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GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

Jury in Goodman Case Out Three Hours.—Sentenced to Serve Three Years and Six Months on County Road.

After being out three hours the jury in the case of the State vs Robert Goodman, charged with the murder of Sidney Barrie, which occurred in Bud Goodman's near-beer stand last January, returned a verdict of guilty of manslaughter. The case went to the jury about 3 o'clock. At 6 o'clock the jury notified the Sheriff that they were ready to report. Judge Adams re-convened court and the verdict of guilty of manslaughter was announced. The prisoner, who was in court with his brother and father, received the verdict with no visible show of emotion.

Ex-Judge F. I. Osborne moved that the defendant be held until next day under his present bond but Judge Adams ordered that he be placed in the custody of the Sheriff and he was removed to jail.

The jury was out three hours. The main question on which they failed to reach an agreement during that time was as to whether the defendant was guilty of murder in the second degree or manslaughter. The first ballot stood ten for murder in the second degree and two for acquittal. After that the ballots showed six for murder in the second degree and six for manslaughter. After calling for three hours this way and just as the evening shades were drawn and the day was coming to a close, the twelve men agreed upon the young boy's fate and returned their verdict of guilty of manslaughter.

The trial which lasted three days was marked for the speed which the work of the court progressed and was altogether free from lengthy tilts between counsel. A remarkable feature of it was the fact that not a single objection was filed by counsel on either side. Judge Adams said in a case in Halifax county where the defendant was on trial for his life for wife murder and there were no objections filed.

The trial of Henry Moore, colored, charged with burning the house of Jim Ellis, colored, last month, is now in progress. Senator Hartwell and Solicitor Wilson represent the State and Ex-Judge Montgomery and H. S. Williams the defense.

Goodman Sentenced. Immediately after court convened after dinner Judge Adams heard counsel in the Goodman case. Judge Osborne made a strong plea for mercy for the defendant. He was followed by Judge Montgomery for the State. In sentencing the young man Judge Adams said:

"In my experience the question of punishment gives me more trouble than all other legal matters. In each there is always mitigating or aggravating circumstances and in this case there seems to be certain mitigating circumstances in favor of the defendant. I am inclined to think that had another man there had any cartridges there would have been another murder. As long as a young man puts a pistol in his pocket and drinks liquor we may look for fatalities. There is one thing that appeals to me in the defendant and that is his youth. I realize that his surroundings were not conducive to good behavior. I am not going to give him an excessive sentence but an example should be made in such cases. Mr. Clerk, make the entry that the defendant be confined in the State penitentiary for three years and six months at hard labor."

Counsel for the State told the court that there was an act that required prisoners sentenced for less than ten years in this county be worked on the public road. Judge Osborne said that if there was such an act it was unconstitutional and that he preferred that this client go to the penitentiary. The act was produced and it showed that it was mandatory and Judge Adams changed the sentence to the county roads for the same length of time.

Counsel for defense made a motion for appeal to Supreme Court. The motion was overruled and the defendant's bond was fixed at \$10,000.

After Quickest Trial on Record, Indian is Sentenced to Death Nov. 24.

Asheville, Oct. 27.—Perhaps the quickest time in which a capital case was ever disposed of in North Carolina was at Bryson City, Swain county, yesterday, when Ross French, a Cherokee Indian, charged with the brutal murder and criminal assault of little Miss Ethel Shuler, a 14-year-old lassie of the mountains, was tried, convicted and sentenced to electrocution in less than one-half day's session of court.

Ross French, who since the perpetration of his crime, has been in the Buncombe county jail for safekeeping, was taken back to Swain county this week for trial. He was formally arraigned yesterday morning; the jury quickly selected; the evidence introduced; the jury charged by the court; a verdict returned, and the death sentence pronounced during the noon session. Judge Webb, who is presiding over the present term of Swain county Superior court, sentenced the Indian to be electrocuted November 24.

As far back as 1550 it was customary to make pencils that carried black lead.

Ambition never grows old; in fact, it is mighty seldom that it reaches maturity.

GRAND JURY'S REPORT.

Register's Office Needs a New Safe.—Jail Building in Bad Condition.—Improvements at County Home.

To the Honorable W. J. Adams, Judge Presiding: We, the Grand Jurors of the October term of court, 1911, beg leave to submit the following report:

We have acted upon all bills of indictment sent us from the Solicitor and made presentations of all violations of the law that have been brought to our notice.

We have visited the county jail in a body, and find the 10 prisoners in number well cared for. The jail is well kept, but the building is in bad condition and does not think it wise to spend any more money on repairs and heartily recommend the building of a new jail. We also find that the jailer is badly in need of a phone and suggest that the county put one in at once.

The chaingang was visited and find the 10 white and 27 colored convicts, 15 mules, 4 hogs, 225 pounds each, nine two horse wagons and one one-horse wagon, all in excellent condition. The sanitary condition of the camp is very good.

We visited the county home by committee and find the 10 white and 7 colored inmates well cared for. Plenty of bedding and sanitary conditions as well as could be expected without water works. Would suggest that the county install water works as soon as possible. The 4-milk cows, 4 yearlings, 28 hogs, and 2 mules are fine stock and in excellent condition. They are buying meat now. Have plenty of corn and feed for the year and a sufficient quantity of wheat to last until next harvest. The buildings have been recovered and repaired generally, and considering the conditions, are in as good shape as could be expected. A new range has been installed and we find that it is inadequate for the desired purposes. In looking over the farm we find that there is not enough stock to cultivate the land as it should be, and furthermore believe that it would pay the county to buy two additional mules.

We visited the office of County Treasurer and find that the proper entries by School Commissioner and Justice of the Peace have been made and the books well kept.

The various offices in the court house were visited and found in good condition, except the Register of Deeds office and there we find the safe entirely too small, books and records being crowded in the same to such an extent that they are being very much damaged. We heartily recommend that the safe be enlarged and the office be made fire proof, similar to that of the Clerk of the Court's office.

Having completed our duty we respectfully ask that we be discharged.

W. L. BELL, Foreman.

Stanly County News.

Albemarle Enterprise. Thursday, November 23, has been set for holding a Farmers' Exhibition and Trades Day. It is something new for Stanly county, but it is only the beginning of bigger things. Next year it will be a regular county fair.

Rev. E. S. Ivory, of Salisbury, has been called to serve the Baptist churches of New London, Kendall, Plyler and Locust. He comes to this county highly recommended as a strong and able minister, and will take charge of the field the first of next month.

Monday afternoon there was recorded in the office of the register of deeds a deed of assignment made by the well-known firm of Walker & Ritchie of Richfield, this county, Jno. D. Earnhardt being named as trustee. The assignment was made by the firm for benefit of its creditors. The assets will probably amount to \$3,000. The amount of the liabilities has not been given out.

"The Rosary." Seldom does an author portray such an important character as that of a Catholic priest, and have it meet with the approval from the clergy. But this is just what has happened to Edward E. Rose, author of "The Rosary," which will be seen at the opera house next Tuesday night. In "The Rosary" Mr. Rose has drawn a character of Rev. Brian Kelly, a Catholic priest, who interferes in domestic troubles between man and wife and eventually shows the unlimited amount of good that can be done by priest, not of conventional character, but a real man, a big man of faith, strength and conviction. The character has been endorsed by the clergy all over the county, and it is said to be the strongest character of the kind ever presented on the American stage. The character will be by an exceptional artist, who goes through his work convincing the audience that he has mastered the author's conception of the role.

Storm Warning. Mobile, Ala., Oct. 27.—The following storm warning was received at 9:30 a. m.:

"Down hurricane warning, 9:30 a. m., West Palm Beach to Tampa. Disturbance passed near Havana about midnight, moving west, attended by moderately high winds and is now probably in the Southwest Gulf. Fort Morgan, Ala., reports heavy swells from southeast."

Irrigation projects are receiving the serious attention of the government of Brazil.

THE FLORAL FAIR.

To Be Given by the Ladies of St. James Lutheran Church, November 2nd.

The annual Floral Fair given by ladies of St. James Lutheran church will be held next Thursday, November 2nd, in the room recently renovated and remodeled on the first floor of the Allison building.

The doors will be open at 3:30 o'clock p. m., and the admission fee of five cents will be charged. The beautiful line of fancy work will be on exhibition as soon as the doors are open and beginning at five o'clock dinner will be served for 25 cents.

The following are the prizes and names of the donors:

No. 1. Handsomest half dozen chrysanthemums, different colors. Electric Toaster, Mr. George Rutledge.

No. 2. The best collection of chrysanthemums, first prize, table, mission style, Rev. C. P. MacLaughlin; second prize, portable work basket, Mr. Clay Blackwelder.

No. 3. Best single chrysanthemum of any color, first prize, check, \$2, Mr. E. E. Hendrix; second, hand-painted vase, Miss Wilma Correll.

No. 4. Best three pink chrysanthemums. Chimes, Correll's jewelry store.

No. 5. Best three cream chrysanthemums. Two dollar laundry book, Mr. R. E. Ridenhour.

No. 6. Best three yellow chrysanthemums. I dozen Japanese cups and saucers, Mr. H. B. Wilkinson.

No. 7. Best three white chrysanthemums. One pair silk hose, Mr. Julius Fisher.

No. 8. Best three red chrysanthemums. Three-pound box Nunnally's, Mr. Joe Goodman.

No. 9. Best three bronze chrysanthemums. One-half sack flour, Concord Milling Co.

No. 10. Best three lavender or purple chrysanthemums. One set (shovel tongs and poker), Mr. A. B. Pounds.

No. 11. Best three variegated chrysanthemums. Brass jardiniere, Mr. L. A. Weddington.

No. 12. Handsomest bouquet of cut flowers of any variety. First prize, bottle of toilet water, Mr. Wm. Sappendorf.

No. 13.—Handsomest potted plant. First prize, one quarter sack flour, Concord Milling Co.; second prize, Japanese tea set, Mr. Ritz.

Taft to Keep Busy in Chicago. Chicago, Ill., Oct. 27.—From the moment when President Taft arrives in Chicago tonight until his departure from the city next Monday afternoon every minute is to be turned to account. His public appearances and his public addresses will be more numerous than in any other cities visited on his transcontinental trip.

Among the important ceremonies, conventions and social functions in which he will participate will be meetings of the American Mining Congress and the Chicago Bar Association, the dedication of the new naval training station at North Chicago, the annual dinner of the Chicago Association of Commerce, and the laying of the corner stone of the new Hamilton Club Building. In addition to delivering speeches more or less brief at each of these functions the President is scheduled for addresses at the Chicago Sunday Evening Club and at the luncheon to be given in his honor by the Hamilton Club.

Plan for Carolina Soldiers at Gettysburg Discussed. Winston-Salem, N. C., Oct. 27.—A movement looking to the erection of a monument in memory of North Carolina soldiers who fought at the battle of Gettysburg, was inaugurated at its annual meeting the State Daughters of the Confederacy here. The plan is to have the name of every Carolinian who participated in that battle carved on a marble dome, on which shall rest a marble shaft. It was announced that \$20,000 of the necessary \$50,000 already has been pledged. A handsome painting of the great seal of North Carolina was also presented to the organization. An address was delivered by Mrs. Corneilia B. Stone, of Texas, president general of the U. D. C., followed by the election of officers, all of the old officers being re-elected.

Football Game This Afternoon. The Bingham football team, fifteen strong, in charge of Commandant Nalle, arrived last night from Mebane and are stopping at the St. Cloud. The Mount Pleasant team arrived in the forenoon and if the elements will permit the two teams will clash at Locke mill park this afternoon. While the field is wet and soggy and a light rain fell during the forenoon the game will be played as scheduled.

Mount Pleasant has had the advantage of two weeks' coaching since their last game here and are determined to go after the cadets from Orange for all they are worth and a good game is expected.

One of the most interesting features of the big convention of the American Association for Highway Improvement and the congress of its allied organizations including the Touring Club of America, at Richmond, Va., beginning November 30, will be the moving pictures that will illustrate the advantages of good roads over bad. The United States government has just entered into a contract with a Chicago firm for the preparation of hundreds of films showing the various activities of the government.

NEWS FORECAST FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 28.—Leaving Chicago Monday afternoon President Taft will end his original trip the following day in Pittsburgh, and from that point will begin his "supplementary tour."

In Pittsburgh President Taft will witness the great national mine safety demonstration to be given under the auspices of the bureau of mines, the American Red Cross, the United Mine Workers of America and the Pittsburgh Coal Operators Association. The President will spend Wednesday at Morgantown, W. Va., and from there will go to Hot Springs, Va., for five days.

Hearings on the American Tobacco Company's proposed plan of reorganization will begin in the United States Circuit Court in New York Monday, when the so-called independents will be given an opportunity to resent their objections.

The mobilization of the Atlantic and Pacific fleets at New York and Los Angeles the early part of the week will mark the gathering of the greatest naval forces that ever floated in the waters of the western hemisphere. The Atlantic fleet to be reviewed by Secretary of the Navy Meyer will comprise 102 vessels of all classes, with a total displacement of 577,599 tons, and the Pacific fleet consisting of fifty-four vessels of 110-245 tons.

The fifth international sanitary conference of American republics will assemble in Santiago, Chile, Wednesday for a session of ten days. Subjects of interest to every nation, including sanitary legislation, social hygiene and the hygiene of sea, railroad and tramway traffic, will be discussed.

Important action is expected from the conference of cotton states governors which is to meet in New Orleans Monday to discuss plans to check the downward price of the staple.

Canada will observe Monday as Thanksgiving Day. The observance will take the form of a general holiday, with military parades and athletic events in all the large cities, in addition to the customary church services.

Many important football contests among the colleges throughout the country are scheduled for Saturday. The chief interest of all followers of the sport, however, will center in the Harvard-Princeton game at Princeton. It will be the first time the two colleges have met on the gridiron in a number of years.

Weekly Report of the Concord Public Library.

Books taken out by adults..... 102
Books taken out by children..... 59

Total..... 161
No. books presented..... 12
No. borrowers added..... 10

The Photographic History of the Civil War has been added to our reference department, being very kindly presented by the Knights of Pythias.

MRS. J. D. LENTZ, Librarian.

Governor Wilson in Texas.

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 28.—Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey came to this city today as the guest of the Dallas County Woodrow Wilson Club and the Texas State Fair Association. He spent the morning at the State Fair and this afternoon spoke before Democrats from all over the State assembled in the Coliseum.

Summer Capital Closed.

Beverly, Mass., Oct. 28.—The Taft summer home, Paramatta, was closed today and will remain shuttered and locked until the family returns next June. Mrs. Taft, and Miss Helen Taft, wife and daughter of the President, have gone to Hot Springs, Va., where they will spend several weeks before returning to Washington.

It's a Much Harder Job.

Charlotte News. Concord is waging war on blind tigers. If the Tribune goes after them like it did after the Southern Railway it will certainly get results.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Some of the People Here and Elsewhere Who Come and Go.

Mrs. W. G. Caswell, of Spencer, is visiting Mrs. J. C. Wadsworth, of Concord.

Little Miss Fannie Pearson Rudge, of Monroe, is visiting Mrs. W. C. Houston.

Mr. Edmund Bruton, Miss Mattie Bruton and Mr. C. N. Bruton have returned to their home in Mount Gilad, after attending the funeral of Mr. R. G. Bruton.

Mrs. W. J. Adams and son, William, of Carthage, are visiting Mrs. W. C. Houston. Judge Adams will also visit at Dr. Houston's during the remaining session of court.

Little Miss Ada Heath and Master Jack Montgomery, who have been visiting at the home of their grandfather, Judge W. J. Montgomery, have returned to their home in Charlotte. They were accompanied by Miss Shirley Montgomery and little Miss Nancy Lentz.

WITH THE CHURCHES.

St. Andrews Lutheran. There will be services at St. Andrews Lutheran church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock and at night at 7 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. A. Brown.

Associate Reformed.

Preaching at 7:30 p. m. and Sunday school at 3 p. m. There will be no morning service as the pastor will preach at Kannapolis Y. M. C. A. at that hour.

First Presbyterian Church.

Regular morning service at 11 o'clock; Sunday school at 3 p. m. The last Sabbath of October being set apart by the general assembly of our church as "Reformation Day," the evening services at 7:30 will be given over to discussion of subject suggested for this year, "John Knox and the Scottish Reformation." This being a subject of vital interest, a cordial invitation is given to all to attend this service.

Bayless Memorial Church.

Communion service at 3 p. m., conducted by the pastor of First Presbyterian church.

St. James Lutheran.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock, Rev. E. C. Cronk, of Columbia, S. C., General Secretary of the Laymen's Movement of the Lutheran Church in the South, will occupy the pulpit.

Men's Bible Class at 12 m. in lecture room. Sunday school at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

At 7:00 o'clock, with sermon by the pastor on "The Relation of the Church to the Liquor Traffic." This presentation was postponed last Sunday night on account of the inclement weather.

Farm-Life School Election in Stanly County Will Carry.

New London, Oct. 27.—Prof. P. E. Shaw, manager of the Farm-Life School at Teachers, Duplin county, addressed the citizens of New London last night in Culp's Hall on the proposed farm-life school for Stanly. Professor Shaw made a great hit with the farmers of this section and no doubt the election November 7 will carry by a large majority. Professor Shaw is manager of the first and only farm-life school in this State and the people of this community enjoyed hearing him tell of how he conducted his institution.

Aviator Witmer Thrills Thousands at Charlotte.

Charlotte, Oct. 27.—Viewed by admiring thousands, Aviator J. C. Witmer made a remarkable flight this afternoon. In a driving rain Witmer ascended to an altitude of 2,100 feet and attained a speed of 70 miles an hour, encircling the city repeatedly, giving the spectators the thrills of a spiral glide and finally alighting safely at his starting point. Ten thousand people witnessed his start at the fairgrounds.

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"Hotel Marshall" will be a new greeting to the traveler and stranger that arrives in Concord on and after Wednesday, November 1st, as he alights at the passenger station. If he should take advantage of the invitation he will be taken to the new Archey building, opposite postoffice, which has been converted into a hotel and will be operated by Miss Esther G. Marshall. The building is of brick and contains twelve bed rooms, lobby and sample room on the first floor. The kitchen is just in the rear.

The large room on the side next to the court house will be the dining room. Just in the rear of this is a serving room which leads out to the kitchen. On the other side of the building will be the lobby writing room, and sample rooms.

The bed rooms up stairs are neatly furnished, the walls attractive and clean and each floor is covered with a druggist. The corner room upstairs toward the court house will be used as a parlor. The building is furnished with electric bells, baths and other conveniences.

Proclaims Himself Provisional President of China.

Shanghai, Oct. 27.—Gen. Li Yuan Hung today proclaimed himself provisional president of the new republic of China, at Hankow. Notifications have been sent to foreign consuls and they are assured that the provisional government will protest foreign interests as much as possible. Gen. Li Yuan Hung has commanded the rebel forces since the outbreak began.

The Manchus, from Manchuria, invaded China early in the Seventeenth century, overran the empire and in 1644 placed a ruler on the throne and have governed the empire since. They are of a lighter complexion and more powerfully built than the Chinese, who always have hated them as conquerors. The Manchu is the court and official language.

Literary Society at Graded School.

A literary society was organized in the tenth and eleventh grades of the Concord High School Friday evening. It was decided to have a meeting every two weeks, on Friday. The next programme will consist of two essays and a recitation from each grade. A debate, Resolved, North Carolina should enact the law giving women the right of suffrage, will take place.

China grows a vast quantity of tobacco, but the grade is low and coarse.

A Chinese newspaper costs only one-fifth of a cent.

SPECIAL PRAYER SERVICE.

Prayer Meetings to Be Held Every Afternoon Next Week.

The United Prayer Circle for the Missionary Jubilee, which is to be held in Central Methodist church November 7th, will meet each afternoon of next week at 3 o'clock in the following churches:

Monday—Central Methodist.
Tuesday—St. James Lutheran.
Wednesday—First Baptist.
Thursday—All Saints Episcopal.
Friday—First Presbyterian.

It is earnestly hoped that all the women of our city will make a special effort to attend these union services.

"In union there is strength."

The spirit of unity the Jubilee campaign arouses and develops everywhere, alone, makes it well worthwhile.

This looking upon the work of others makes us see our own work—our own failures and shortcomings, perhaps in a clearer light.

"We can always tell when we enter a place," says the Jubilee leader, "whether prayer has been a big part of the preparation for our coming." Truly everything vital in missions depends on prayer.

Our missionaries want our prayers. Every phase of our work demands earnest prayer.

A deepened prayer-life is the aim of the Jubilee meetings.

The missionary societies of the different denominations of the town will hold an all day Jubilee meeting in Central Methodist church on Tuesday, November 7th, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. and closing with a mass meeting at 7:30 p. m.

The programme committee has planned an exceedingly interesting series of exercises. Ladies of every congregation, whether members of a missionary society or not, are cordially invited to attend this Jubilee service and will be heartily welcomed.

The day promises to be one of spiritual blessing in that it will bring into closer fellowship the members of the various churches and all may come to know, "Blest be the tie that binds."

MRS. J. B. SHEPHERD,
MRS. R. S. HARRIS,
MRS. J. E. SMOOT,
Committee.

Orville Wright won a prize of \$10,000 at his aviation test grounds at Kill Devil Hill on Tuesday by remaining motionless in the air for nearly ten minutes with his new gliding plane. This prize was given by a Frenchman who offered \$10,000 to any aviator who could stay motionless in the air one minute.

The English postoffice has adopted the automatic stamp selling machine.

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