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SEABOARD TRAIN RUNS INTO EXCURSION TRAIN KILLING 2, SERIOUSLY INJURING MANY OTHERS

SOME TRACK WITHOUT

NIGHT SWITCHMAN. By Leased Wire to the Enterprise.) Raleigh, N. C. Aug. 13.—This morning at 1.10 o'clock the Seaboard Air Line northbound train No. 84 bound for Richmond and Washington crashed into a colored excursion on the Southern track under the shed at the Union Station causing the instant death of one and more or less seriously injury of a score or more of the excursionists, one of whom died later. Several of these injured end, crushing in both ends of the was using the Southern track.

THE TWO ROADS USING [rear coach. The excursionists became panic stricken, many jumping through the car windows and injuring themselves, who were otherwise unhurt, Will Jordan was on the rear platform and was killed outright. Hugh Perry was terribly mangled and died later. The cause of the wreck is not yet fixed. The Seaboard trains were using the Southern tracks and it is probable that the crew of the Seaboard train knew nothing of the excursion train. The switch was open and it came in as usual, there beare in a serius condition but with ing no other train scheduled for possibly one exception all will re- the depot at this hour. There is cover. An excursion last night no switchman at night and carried about 250 Raleigh negroes switches are set late in the afterto Durham, the train had just re- noon for the night trains. There turned and run into the Union is a block signal man but it is not Station, passengers were begin-[known at this hour why he let ning to get off when the Seaboard both trains pass him. He did not passenger train ran into the rear know however that the Scaboard

CORPORATION COMMISSION IMMEDIATELY INVESTIGATES CAUSE OF WRECK AT RALEIGH

(By Leased Wire to the Enterprise) and required the Scaboard to slow Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 13.—The down in coming into the station Corporation Commission is hold so that they could stop instantly. ing an investigation this after. Notwithstanding this agreement noon to try and determine the the Seaboard train was running cause of the wreck. From what not less than 20 miles an hour the Southern railway men say the when the crash came. The excur-Seaboard is to blame. The Sea- ion train had passed the Seaboard men will not talk. The Loard just out of town also, and they agreed for the Seaboard to have known there was a Southern use their tracks, while repairs to train just ahead, an additional reathe depot are being made, that son why they should have been they reserved the right-of-way, on guard.

Southern people say that when to the crew of the Scaboard must

GUILFORD BOY BADLY WOUNDED.

Ted Stanley, a young white man who lives near Guilford College, was seriously wounded in a Southern's excursion train, secfrom Norfolk Thursday night. Robert Jones, a Greenshoro boy, was cut about the head with a bottle and was rendered unconscious for some time. Stanley is now in the hospital in Danville, and while his wound is of a serious nature there are hopes for his recovery

The fight happened about this way: T. L. Proctor, of this place, had gone into the coach for colored passengers. The two boys were either passing through, or went in just behind Proctor. The latter and one of the negroes got in a difficulty over a bottle of liquor and as a number of the negroes were tanked up the trouble spread. One of the negroes attempted to shoot Proctor, but the bullet struck Stanley in the right breast and passing through his body. In the melee Jones was struck on the head with a beer bottle and rendered unconscious.

The injured boys were laid off at Franklin Junction where they were picked up by section three of the excursion. They had received medical attention and were accompanied to Danville by a physician. Here they were carried to the General Hospital. Jones soon got all right and returned home yesterday at noon but little worse for the encounter.

DESPERADO CAPTURED

Wilmington, Aug. 13.-J. P. Walker, the white desperado who murdered Sheriff Jackson Stanland, of Brunswick county, on December, 1908, and who broke jail after being captured, was recaptured yesterday at Cold Springs, Fla., was identified by a photograph. There was a reward few more days of the reduction

J. A. CREWS TAKES LIFE BECAUSE OF FAILING HEALTH.

Winston, Aug. 12.-Mr. J. A. Crews, while in a despondent fight, or small race riot, on the mood, produced by ill health and reverses in business, committed Fairview by shooting himself through the heart

Mr. Crews was a splendid citicen and for several years conduct. ed a successful mercantile business at the corner of Liberty and Mickey streets. When his health failed he disposed of his interest and retired. At times, for several weeks, his mental faculties were observed to be affected and arrangements had been made to send him to the State hospital for

IOHN GOSSETT DEAD.

John Gossett a well known ne gro far and wide in this section as a driver of an old fashioned ox cart and who was quite a freak. having a natural body with legs only two feet long, died at his home near Glenola this week.

John was reliable and honest and had many friends among the white people.

INKEYS AND SIZZERS.

Those who attended the ball game Thursday were pleased with t. There were some good plays

Inkey Dinks 6 8 7 Sizzer Belles 4 5 4

The game started slow but improved towards the middle and during the last five innings was a first class exhibition, and should have drawn a better crowd

Home run by Hilliard and oitching of Jones for Inkey Dinks were features, while Kirk on third and Manager Carrick acquited themselves well for the Sizzer Belles

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AT THE CHURCHES.

Methodist Protestant Church A. G. Dixon, pastor, A. M. ldol, superintendent. Sunday school at 9.30 a. m. Preaching at II a. m. and at 8 p. m. Morning subject, "The Law and Influence of Giving." Exening subject. The Shepherd Care of Cod. You are cordially invited to all hese services.

Washington Street M. E. Church Sunday School at 930 a.m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. W. R Ware, presiding elder of the Greenshoro distret. At 8 p. m. by the pastor.

St. Edward's Church. High mass and sermon at to a m. Sumlay school at 3 p. m.

F. Gregory, O. S. B. Green Street Baptist Church. Sunday school at 9.45 a. m Preaching at 11 a m. subject The Blessidness of Obedience Preaching at 8 p. m., subject

The Blessedness of Affliction First Reformed Church Similar school at 945 a in Morning service at 11 o'clock Evening service at 8 o'clock, You are invited to all these services

They will interest you. Friends Church, Sabbath school at 9.45 a m Church services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject, "Recoming." Rev. Ruth Ellis, of Indiana will preach at the evening service. The public is cor

dially invited to attend. Emis Harvey, Pastor South Main Street M. E. Church

Rev. O. P. Ader, B. D. pastor. I W. Chrard superintendent Sunday school at 930 Preach ing at it a mir subject. "The Marks of a Saved Man" Junior League at 430 p m. Preaching at 8 p. m by Rev W R Ware: presiding elder of the Dicenshoro district.

Doors of the church opened in the morning for the reception of

Rev. W. R. Ware, presiding elder of the Greenshor, district comes on his fourth and last round to hold the quarterly meet ing for the Washington Street and South Main Street Metho dist churches on Sunday This reminds us that the end of the conference year is drawing nigh and the Methodist preachers will soon be called to Winston to receive their appointments for an other year.

Lutheran Church.

Sunday school and Bible class at 9.45 a. in. Divine service with sermon at it a m and 8 p m Subject of morning sermon: "The Disabled Man Found by the Roadside and the Three Men Who Found Him" Evening. The Hath Done All Things Well." Drop in and worship with us.

M. Luther Camp, pastor. First Presbyterian Church. Sunday school at 030 a m Preaching at 11 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. A. S. Caldwell, No.

to all St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Sunday School at 9.45 a.m. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. W L. Mellichampe

night service. A cordial welcome

DESPERATE FLOOD

Tokio, Aug. 13.-Forty thousand persons are homeless and facing starvation and pestilence, and the capital of Japan is threatened with submersion of over half its area as result of floods of river Sumida. Situation is desperate.

DESTRUCTIVE FOREST FIRES ARE RAGING IN THE NORTHWEST

By Leased Wire to the Enterprise.) service and the Indian Bureau to Washington, D. C., Aug. 13.-The federal authorities present a busy scene of action today, and are bending every effort to fight the forest fires in the northwest are now engaged in lighting the especially in Montana and North fires, said General Wood, Dakota, Major General Wood representatives of the forestry dangerous,

garding the situation. Alarming reports of extent of the fires were received today, Several thousand

There has been protracted held a conference today with the drought and tites are extremely

REAL ESTATE DEAL.

An important real estate deal was made a few days ago when Mr. D. A. Hammer sold his store and stock of goods at Mechanicsville to C. B. Welch. It is understood that Mr. Hammer made a pete for the attractive premgood profit on this deal, but the exact consideration is not made

Mr. Hammer is now in Wash ington, D. C., but expects to return soon and will engage in business here, opening up the first of

SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Seashere Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, N. t., Aug. 12. The special committee appointed to straighten out the tangle in the Sixth Congressional District, got down to work this morning at 11 o'clock with all members present. except Hon. R. A. Doughton, who wired that he could not attend Ex-travernor larvis, who is chairman of the committee, stated that the committee would hardly complete its work of examining witnesses before tomorrow night. All sessions are strictly private and only one witness is examined at the time. Nothing will be given out, of course, until the finding of The special committee is laid before the State Democratic Executive Committee

brom the attitude of Congress man bookwin it appears that the committee will not be able to adjust the tangle unless tangress man to down as either declared to this record at college be the regular nomines or lit- planfor a primary adopted, in fact he ractically said this tentar

ITS A WIRELESS.

inclined to ask questions, we will and the many expressions of apstate that the apparatus our the preciation from those taking ad-Edward hatel is part or Mr. M. Cantage of our big electance sale. derman's wireless telegraph "fine" told the story Camion Fetzer

THE STATE FAIR.

We are in receipt of the Prem-

um List of the Fritieth State Fair. The premiums are very attractive indeed, a number of counties already entered to comnums, from all parts of the State are coming special requests for premium lists for all departments, requests in addition to the distribution through the regular large marling list. The new concrete floaticultural and Agricultural Landing will be ready: The building is tooxigo feet and all the exhibit space has been let,

CONTRACTOR ARRIVES.

J. D. Porter, superintendent of the concrete work on the new government landding, arrived here today and will take charge of this work and push it rapidly to a finish Mr. Porter comes direct from Salisbury, where he has been building the new postoffice, which is one of the prettiest in the state.

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The Enterprise had a call yes tenday from George W. Matton. a student at Timity, who has been engaged in some special work at the college this summer He will be at home for accrediant two weeks before entering upon las similies theorge is making a

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COL. RUFF HENDERSON TALKS POLITICS---SAYS COWLES IS SURE TO WIN

COL. RUFF HENDERSON extend

(...l. Ruff Haderson, a leading spirit in Wilkes county, a prom ment Republican who keeps abreast of the times and is always willing to express his opinion whether you agree with him or not, was here this morning with his family, returning home from a visit to the family of Mr. Guyer. near town.

The Enterprise raised the ite of of Henderson at the first pop-Well, I suppose Bob Doughton will be elected in the Eighth, Col. Henderson?

"Not by a long shot," snapped the Colonel. "We have had the Eighth for sometime by a good majority and since the State Convention adopted the local self government plank in the platform there is no question about Cowles election.

"How does that help matters?" "Well, the people in the moun tains have thousands of bushels of apples rotting on the ground and are deprived of the right to make them into brandy, while the eastern farmers who make grapes are given the privilege of making wine. The people of the mountains will not stand for this."

"What do you mean by Iocal self government how far does it

"It means," said tol. Hondes on, that each county in the state should have the right of doing as it pleases in this and oth er matters that concern them be cally this government was isomed on the basic principle. It was what our forefathers rought for and what the Republican party stamls for

"Do you think the probibition que-fron will be an issue

"To this extent that local solt government will be a live is in and this embraces the rights of the people."

Col. Henderson was feeling good over the situation in North Carolina, believing firmly that the white Republican party would eventually be in control in the state and he thinks it will be due largely on account of the mistakes the Democrats are making in interferring with the rights of the tarm and the business in the

In parting the Enterprise ask ed Col. Henderson what he thought of Butler

"I was against Butler before the convention, but now I am with him, or should have said he is with me. He is a very brainy

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