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## FOUND GUILTY!

### CHARLES REYNOLDS CONVICTED OF MURDER.

### THE DEFENDANTS ASKED FOR A SEVERANCE WHICH WAS GRANTED

### HEADEN, HIS ACCOMPLICE, NOW ON TRIAL.

The trial of Charles Reynolds and Judge Merrimon Headen for the murder of Solathiel Swain was begun on yesterday, the State being represented by Solicitor Parker, and the defendants by Mess. R. E. King and B. C. Sharpe, who were assigned by the Court.

The defence asked for a severance of the defendants, which the court granted, and Charles Reynolds's case was taken up first.

The first witness examined was Mr. P. R. Coble at whose home the tragedy occurred.

He described the plan and situation of his house. Said he was away from home at the time of the murder. Came home and found old man Swain dead.

Mrs. Coble was examined. She told of the shooting. That she was in the front part of the house and that the deceased was sitting in the back door leading out on the ell porch. She heard the pistol shot and went out and found the deceased lying on the floor in a dying condition.

Dr. M. C. ... was examined and described the wound in the head which caused the death.

Reynold's brother testified that he had sold cartridges to Charles Reynolds at the store at Climax.

This was about the testimony on yesterday.

This morning P. R. Coble was recalled and stated that he had taken papers found in the woods and the rubber shoe home and that they had been given to the sheriff. They were produced and he identified them in Court. He described how the deceased carried his money and papers.

A. S. Barker: Said he had borrowed \$50 dollars from the deceased that morning. He had money wrapped in a handkerchief.

John Teague: Went to Coble's soon after the shooting. Saw the deceased lying on the floor. Saw a white hat lying in the back yard. Would know the hat. (The hat was produced and identified.) Saw in the road leading to Coble's a track made by an old rubber shoe with a wire in the heel and saw the same kind of steps leading from the house. Also another track as if made by a No 8 shoe. Followed the track and found a rubber shoe with a wire in the heel.

Several witnesses were called and examined and the rubber shoe and hat were identified as Charles Reynolds's.

Witnesses swore to the finding of the money and pistol at Reynolds's home.

Julius Reynolds testified that Charles left home that morning with Merrimon Headen to cut cord wood. That he wore an old pair of rubber shoes and a white hat. He thought the shoes and hat found the one Charles wore off.

Here the State offered the confession of Charles Reynolds. It was objected to by the defense. The jury was sent out and there was a lengthy argument before the court as to the admissibility of the testimony. After examining the officers and hearing the evidence that there had been no inducements offered or threats made the confessions were admitted. Sheriff Cook said Reynolds sent for him by the jailer, J. H. Rankin. That he informed him of his rights under the law and that his confessions would be

used against him in Court. Said the prisoner had been crying. He said he shot old man Swain. That Headen was with him and immediately behind him when he fired the fatal shot. He then went on and told what he did with the money. That he and Headen divided the money on a log in the woods. They attempted to burn the coat, but it would not burn, so they trampled it into the mire in Miles' Branch.

Upon these these statements Sheriff Cook and others went and found all these things as stated by Reynolds. They found the coat and papers in the woods.

After the confession was in the State rested its case.

Upon the assembling of court this afternoon the defence stated that they had no evidence and the case was submitted under the charge of His Honor. The jury came in at 4:15 and rendered a verdict of guilty.

The court is now engaged in the trial of Headen.

## CHOLERA INCREASES.

Paris, Sept 1—Twenty one new cases of cholera or choleric were reported in Paris yesterday and ten deaths.

London, Sept 1—Another case of cholera has come to light at Islington. A child five years of age is the victim and is dying at St. Bartholomew's Hospital.

New York, Sept 1—The Inman Line management has decided to carry only first cabin and second cabin passengers from Liverpool during the month of Sept.

New York, Sept 1—The agents of the Hamburg American Packet Company, to which line the plague ship Moravia belongs, have now decided to abandon its immigrant service altogether.

Havre, Sept 1—There were 59 new cases of cholera yesterday in this city and 19 deaths. Fortunately the cholera has not spread to the quarters of the city in which the better classes live.

Boston, Sept 1—The State board of health has issued orders not to allow immigrants from the British Islands or Scandinavia to come into the port of Boston without the fumigation of themselves and of their baggage.

London, Sept 1—Efforts are being made to trace to their places of location in England over 100 of the fellow passengers of the victims of cholera who landed at Hardwich from Hamburg on Monday, and died at Islington.

St. Petersburg, Sept 1—The official cholera returns from all Russia show a total of 4,859 new cases and 2,529 deaths, a decrease of 1,283 in the new cases and 212 in others, and a mortality of slightly over 52 per cent. In St. Petersburg yesterday there were 123 new cases and 40 deaths. The figures for Tuesday were 155 new cases and 51 deaths.

## The University Beginning.

CHAPEL HILL, Sept 1—The University of North Carolina opened today with 250 students. There is a conspicuous absence of hazing and rowdyism. The Young Men's Christian Association gives a reception tonight. President Winston will address the students Saturday night. Every train brings in large numbers and the roll promises to reach 400 during the year.

Judge J. M. Guyer is urged by the Kernersville News as a suitable candidate for register of deeds on the Democratic ticket in Forsyth county. A good man for the place.

## SPEAKING OF YOU

Mr. John C. Roberts, of Kernersville, came down this morning on a hurried trip and returned home on the first train.

Mr. Frank White, of Mebane, was here this morning on his way home.

Mr. Elwood Cox and Mr. R. F. Dalton, of High Point, were here today.

Mr. Watkins, of Ramseur, went to Salisbury this morning.

Mr. S. M. Holton made a visit to his old home near Jamestown today.

Prof. O. W. Carr started to New York today, and it seemed as if the cool, crisp air this morning had braced him up considerably.

Rev. Mr. Stickney, of this city went to Reidsville this morning, where he will preach on Sunday next.

Dr. W. A. Coble, of Kimesville was here this morning on his way to Concord and Mount Pleasant, Cabarrus county, having in charge one of his daughters who will enter Mount Pleasant Female Seminary. Dr. Coble was accompanied by Rev. H. M. Brown, Henry Cobb, Jr., and W. M. Kime and his son, Messrs. Brown, Cobb and Kime also have each a daughter to leave at Mount Pleasant Female Seminary.

## Teague Loses a Crazy Man.

Sheriff Teague of Kernersville, N. C., left last night for a young man named ... of Kernersville, to the ... Asylum for treatment.

At Hickory the ... stopped for dinner, and, as well as can be ascertained, the insane young man was left in charge of Dr. Morris, a one legged man, while Teague went to dine. In his absence the crazy man walked off and walked so fast that the wooden legged Doctor couldn't catch him.

A walk of ten miles further back failed to discover the fugitive and the sheriff and the doctor came back disconsolate.

Several citizens remarked today that they thought it was bad enough to let murderers escape but when it came to allowing a crazy man to get away the time had arrived for the voters of Forsyth to discover that the county was sadly in need of a sheriff. —Winston Sentinel.

## 300 Men Arrested.

Rhineland, Wis, Sept 1—Owing to the riotous conduct of the striking mill hands here, warrants were sworn out for the arrest of three hundred men on the charge of rioting. A delegation of mill owners have left for Madison to lay the matter before the governor and ask that the militia be sent here to protect their property. Today not a mill is running. The sheriff is unable to secure sufficient deputies to protect the mills. Fifteen hundred men are out.

## Great Combine

Louisville, Ky, Sept 1—A powerful combine, to be known as the Leaf Tobacco Company, was formed here yesterday, whose object is to compete with the newly organized tobacco combine at Cincinnati, Ohio. Eleven of the wealthiest war-houses of the city are in the deal. The capital stock is placed at \$2,500,000. The articles of incorporation were filed last night and the new combine will begin business immediately.

## Three Notable Speeches

Fayetteville has been favored far in this campaign, with three speeches altogether out of the common. First we had Judge MacRae's speech on taking the chair at the convention, which gave the campaign in its splendid for union on the traditional of the Democratic party. Then had Mr. Aycock's speech on the Chicago platform in his way and pointing out how it saved from the pitfalls of mis-stated. And finally we have had General Ransom's driving home of the nail in the coffin of Weaverism and Clintonism, by his powerful appeal to all who had heretofore been Democrats to return to the doctrines of the party as laid down by those entrusted with authority to do so.

Under these successive influences, the tide has turned homeward, and we no longer drift out to the uncertain sea of heterodoxy.—Fayetteville Observer.

This is the year when Scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites, the "holier than thou" set, the self-righteous demagogues and Whited Sepulchres, hope to have a soft snap in politics and to scoop in all the offices within the gift of the people.—Ex.

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New lot of Ho-no Tea, Oolong Tea, English breakfast tea, and young Hysön tea just opened up. Also a fresh lot of fine roasted coffee all grades from the Ajax brand at 22 cents to our finest blend or Java at 35 cents. If you want a good strong cup of coffee try our Breakfast Rio at 25 cents pound (not in packages but loose).

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