

Politics of the South.

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Despite the local outbreaks for which this malignant and revengeful policy of the President is responsible, the clear result of the elections in North Carolina and Tennessee is clearly to confirm the faith of all men in the final steadiness and reliability of popular opinion.

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trine upon the manufacturing section of the North. It was for no such wild purpose that this Federal Union was established, and such an one no defender of that Union would have dared avow in the late struggle for its existence.

Seligmans, the Bankers—Their Remarkable Rise. About thirty years ago the Delaware bridge was just as it is now—much in need of a coat of good paint, well spread on, and the managers then ordered, as I hope they will now order, to be laid out for a new work at present with that worthy class of our citizens is not very pressing.

The New African Sen. We have often spoken in these "Minor Tropics," of the new African Sen. which will eventually be made by turning the Mediterranean into the upper part of the Great Desert, near the Bay of Tunis.

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From Chronist & Sentinel of Sunday.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

CAPTAIN A. F. BUTLER SHOT BY A MULATTO.

A Finnish Assassination—The Victim A Rested and Lodged in Jail.

We have to record this morning one of the most fiendish outrages that has ever disgraced the human race. It rivals in atrocity the acts of the savage, and fills every honest heart with indignation and horror.

The circumstances, as far as we have been able to learn, are as follows: Yesterday afternoon, about seven o'clock, Captain A. F. Butler, Agent of the South Carolina Railroad—who, with his wife and a child of Mr. John Traver, had been to the Cemetery and was returning with them in a street car to his residence—rang the bell at the intersection of Broad and Marbury streets, for the car—No. 15, driven by Mr. Hare—to stop. The car immediately halted, and Capt. Butler walked to the rear platform, followed by his wife and the child.

SITTING ON THE STREETS. On the side where he expected to get out, Capt. Butler requested the man to move, and pushed him slightly with his hand. The mulatto got up and stood on the platform while Capt. Butler descended the ground and put out his hand to his wife to help her down. As he did this Michael Murrel, a brother of Gabriel, violently pushed Mrs. Butler down, while Gabriel himself drew a pistol, pointed it at Capt. Butler, and drew the trigger.

MASSACRE OF CHRISTIANS IN CHINA. Ten Thousand Native Christians Slaughtered—Bloody Scenes and Horror. The French periodical, Mission Catholique, of the last of July, gives the first authentic and detailed narrative of the recent massacre of Roman Catholic native converts in China.

THE LITERATES. In several localities they take an entire family—father, mother, and children—bind them together with hemlock, and then fling the bundle of living humanity into the waves. First, however, they take pains to cut off the man's head. The multitude of dead bodies, floating together in groups of from eight to ten, lie upon the principal river, but to the great surprise of everybody does not send forth any bad smell.

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terwards a large body of men marched to the jail. The bell at the gate was rung, and upon the appearance of Mr. Crump, he was commanded to open the gate. In the presence of such a formidable force he had no alternative but to obey. The gate was accordingly opened and a portion of the crowd proceeded to the cell of the Murrels, took them out and carried them off in the direction of Bassford's brick yard. Just before we went to press last night it was reported that nothing had as yet been done with either of the men, a courier having been sent to the city for an important witness.

The impression seemed to be that the guilty party would most certainly be hung. The men composing the crowd were cool and determined. They went all armed with revolvers and other weapons.

Capt. Butler was a gentleman highly respected by all classes of our citizens. A devoted husband, a fond father, and a useful citizen, he has left a void which cannot be filled.

3 O'CLOCK, A. M.—Just as we are going to press, we are informed that a man, who had been seen by a witness who saw the deed committed, that Michael Murrel was the guilty party, and accordingly shot him to pieces. Gabriel was placed in the jail house. Our information obtained last evening was that Capt. Butler immediately over the left temple and

penetrated to the brain. Capt. Butler staggered back and fell heavily to the earth, the blood pouring in torrents from the wound. Agonized beyond expression at seeing her husband so brutally shot down, Mrs. Butler screamed in the most heart-rending manner and called for help. Several gentlemen and a number of colored people rushed to the spot to render all possible assistance. Messrs. Hyams, Sturtevant, and others, gathered together with three colored men, picked up Captain Butler, who was in convulsions, and conveyed him to his residence at the corner of Greene and Marbury streets, where he was soon waited upon by Drs. F. and A. S. Campbell, L. D. and DeSaussure Ford, Robert E. and others.

THE FINISH. The fiendish assassin, as soon as he committed the foul deed, jumped from the platform of the car on the side opposite to that where he was first sitting. Three shots were fired, and a Whittaker's shooter, and ran towards the northwest corner of Broad and Marbury streets, with the expectation, evidently, of making his escape. But in this he was disappointed. At the time the shooting occurred policeman W. D. Tinsley was walking down the pavement on the south side of Broad street, a short distance below Marbury, and on hearing the shot wheeled quickly and saw the mulatto running. He immediately

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