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DRUNKEN NEGROES SHED BLOOD

George Watts Is Hashed With a Knife In Two Places.

ROBERT M'RAE SHOT.

Tenants On Mr. A. M. Henry's Farm Fought En Route Home.

Hundreds of negroes from the country came to town Saturday to do their spring trading. The first Saturday in May is always set apart for this purpose and they came from all parts of the county and in many places the streets were crowded with them all day. When they got ready to go home many of the men had filled themselves full of liquor and were in an ugly humor. A wagon load of tenants from Mr. A. M. Henry's farm at Newstead wound up in a fight before reaching home. George Watts was attacked by Robt. McRae, while they were both in the wagon, and received a knife cut in the back fifteen inches long. It was not serious, but Watts leaped from the wagon and was followed by McRae for 100 yards and finally overtaken. He was cut on the head and McRae was making energetic efforts to cut Watts' throat when another negro came to his rescue and separated them. They proceeded home and in passing through Newstead Watts condition was brought to the attention of two of his friends, Will Watkins and Tip Davie, who followed McRae to Mr. Henry's and undertook to avenge the injuries done Watts. One of them clubbed McRae over the head with a pistol and then the other shot him through the arm, breaking the bone above the elbow.

Mr. Henry sent for two doctors and they spent the night picking out bullets and sewing up gashes for the two men. Their wounds are not fatal.

MINTY-ELLIOTT.

Canadian Captures a Charming Young Widow.

Mr. Harry I. Minty, of Toronto, Canada, and Mrs. Emily Wheeler Elliott, will be married at the Wheeler homestead on the Clarksville pike, now owned by Mrs. Elliott, this morning by Rev. Geo. C. Abbott, of the Grace Episcopal church.

Mr. Minty is a distant relative of the bride and has but recently returned from a trip to Europe. He is a prominent young business man of Toronto, in which city they will make their home after spending the month of May here. Mrs. Elliott is the only daughter of the late Dr. W. G. Wheeler, and is the widow of the late Jno. D. Elliott, of Owensboro, a wealthy tobaccoist. She is a beautiful blonde, young and accomplished.

PROTRACTED MEETING

At DeKoven Being Conducted by Dr. Whittenbraker.

Rev. Fred Whittenbraker, of Sinking Fork, went to DeKoven yesterday and began a series of meetings at the Baptist church, of which he is pastor, at that place last night. He will be assisted in the meeting by Rev. W. H. Bringle, of Elizabethtown. The meeting will last ten or twelve days. Rev. Whittenbraker has been pastor of the DeKoven church about five years.

Broke Her Wrist.

Mrs. Geo. V. Green slipped and fell while walking in her garden Sunday, on the walk made slippery from the rain, and broke one of her wrists. The injury is a very painful one.

SANITARY SEWERAGE FRANCHISE

Rejected By The Council and Will Be Sold Again May 27.

PLANTS EXEMPTED.

Total Assessment For 1905 Is Nearly \$3,000,000—Coupons Destroyed.

The city council held their regular monthly meeting Friday night. The session was a lengthy one and Mayor Henry presided. All of the councilmen were present at the meeting except Dr. J. B. Jackson, whose absence was occasioned by the death of his mother, which occurred the night before.

The first business to come up, after the reading of the minutes of the last meetings and the reports of the various city officials, was the sewerage question. The clerk reported the sale on April 22 of a sanitary sewerage franchise to R. C. Hardwick and others, which was, at the regular April meeting ordered sold. Another bidder for the franchise, through his representative, objected to the confirmation of the sale, upon the ground that it had not been properly advertised. On the statement by the city attorney that it was his opinion that the sale had not been duly advertised, the sale was rejected by the council and the purchase price, \$42, was ordered returned to the purchasers. The same franchise was then ordered readvertised and sold on May 27.

The Imperial Tobacco Company, the American Snuff Company and the Hopkinsville Canning Company were exempted from taxation on their respective plants and machinery for a period of five years from April 1.

At the request of Health Officer Woodard, an appropriation was granted for the purpose of securing the services of a sanitary inspector for the next thirty days, whose duty will be to look after the sanitary condition of all premises within the city limits and report at the next meeting of the board.

A committee composed of councilmen Davis and Whitlow was appointed to destroy one hundred and twenty-two bond coupons which had been paid. Their duty was performed at once.

City Assessor Boulware's report of the assessment was as follows:

White—real estate, \$1,781,030; personalty, 775,075; total, \$2,456,105; tithes, \$1,025. Colored—real estate, \$198,780; personalty, \$5,115; total, \$203,795; tithes, 822. Total assessment of white and colored, \$2,659,900; total tithes, 1,845.

The street committee reported the acceptance of the proposition of H. D. Wallace and others, in reference to widening West Seventeenth street from Main street to the Canton pike. This work has been in progress for ten days and will be pushed to completion. The street is being widened nine feet.

The water and light committee reported the proposition the Electric and Power Company offered, which was a reduction in the rate of \$75 per light on 75 or more lights, and the city attorney was directed to draw up a contract with the company to take effect June 1.

Some unfinished business will likely be looked after at a called meeting of the board.

Loss in Berries.

A railroad blockage which prevails at Chadburn, N. C., has caused the loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of berries. Many carloads of the rotting fruit are being dumped into the river. The farmers are filing large claims for damages for breach of contract to provide shipping facilities.

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HEAVY DOWNPOUR.

Over Two Inches of Rain in Thirty-Six Hours.

Another heavy rain fell throughout this section Friday night, the total fall for the thirty-six hours preceding Saturday morning being 2.07 inches. The rain was much needed and its good effect is already being experienced. A good season for setting tobacco prevails and farmers who had hills made ready for the plants have put out a good portion of their crop. As this is fully ten days earlier than usual for transplanting, not more than 25 per cent. of the land had been fully prepared. While plants will be plentiful, it is estimated that in south Christian the crop to be put out will be fully twenty per cent. short of last year, and last year's crop was far below the average acreage. Conditions are the reverse in North Christian, as an effort will be made to plant a larger crop than last year.

Tobacco in the barn is now in good order for handling and is being stripped and made ready for the market. Receipts on the local market this week are expected to be very heavy.

HUNG JURY

In the Case of James Hargis, at Lexington.

Lexington, Ky., May 7.—After a second declaration to the court that agreement was impossible, the jury in the Hargis case was dismissed. Ten of the jurors were for acquittal and two of them refused to be changed from the belief that he should be convicted. He was ordered back to jail and a motion for bail, argued by the attorneys, will be passed upon Monday morning. No surprise was caused by the outcome of the trial, as under the instructions of Judge Parker, no one looked for a conviction.

BOARD NAMED

To Supervise the City Tax Lists.

Messrs. Moses L. Elb, R. C. Hardwick and W. A. P'Pool have been appointed tax supervisors by Mayor Henry and the board will convene Thursday, May 11th, at the city clerk's office.

FELL UNDER WHEELS

And One Leg Was Crushed to a Pulp.

Crofton, Ky., May 8.—Alfred Johnson, col., aged about sixteen years, was the victim of a bad accident at Nortonville Saturday night. Johnson lives here, but had been at Nortonville for a day or two. In attempting to board an L. & N. freight train, which was in waiting, Johnson fell under the wheel and one leg was so badly crushed that the limb had to be taken off above the knee. Dr. G. W. Lovan, of Nortonville, performed the operation. The negro was brought here the same night and it is thought he will recover.

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