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BOY WAS KILLED BY AN ACCIDENT

Henry Barte Comes to Sad
End While Hunting
TO ELECT NEW COMMANDER

Stonewall Jackson Camp Will Choose
Successor to T. J. Cornwell—Mayor
Huey Refuses to Swear
Night Captain.

Bessemer, October 7.—(Special).—While
out hunting yesterday afternoon near his
home at Virginia mines, Henry Barte, a
17-year-old white boy, accidentally shot
and killed himself.

Young Barte, in company with Frank
Freeman, a negro, was duck hunting.
Both were provided with double-barrelled
shotguns. They had discovered several
ducks by an old pond, when Barte be-
came excited, lost his footing and slipped
down the embankment. As he was
falling he grasped the barrel of the gun
held by the negro which was discharged,
the load entering the boy's right cheek,
killing him instantly. The faithful negro
carried the boy's body to the mines, a
distance of two miles.

Coroner Parls was notified and came out
to the mines yesterday afternoon and af-
ter careful investigation, rendered a ver-
dict of accidental killing.

Barte was an employee of the mines and
lived with his father, who is also employ-
ed in the mines. Freeman is employed
with the mining company and is said to be
a negro of good reputation.

Mayor T. T. Huey today refused to
swear G. W. Jones, who was elected
night police captain by the city council
at the regular meeting last night. Mayor
Huey takes the stand that the city code
makes no provision for such office. The
mayor has five days in which to approve
or reject the action of the council in this
matter and it is thought that he will veto it.

In the police court today Will Parker,
colored, was brought before the mayor
on a charge of petit larceny and fined
\$30. William Cobb, another negro, was
fined \$30 on a charge of carrying a con-
cealed weapon.

Tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock Stone-
wall Jackson camp of Sons of Confedera-
tion veterans will meet at the armory of
the Bessemer Rifles for the purpose of
electing a commander to succeed T. J.
Cornwell, and also to elect delegates to
attend the grand camp which meets in
Birmingham some time next month.

C. A. Hopper is opening a thorough up-
to-date gent's furnishing establishment on
Second avenue.

Social and Personal.

C. T. Wagner of Coal City is stopping
at the Grand.

Mr. Robert Minge has returned after
a week's visit to Talladega and Gads-
den.

A. P. Suddeth of Spartanburg was in
the city today on business.

Attorney T. B. Murray of the firm of
Murray, Murphy & Peacher of Chatta-
nooga was in the city today on legal
business.

James T. Edmundson has gone to Co-
lumbia, Tenn., where he will spend a few
days.

L. R. Cunningham of Baltimore is reg-
istered at the Grand.

HUNTSVILLE

Sewerage System of Dallas Will Be
Extended in the Near Future.

Huntsville, October 7.—(Special).—The
city council has decided to extend the
sewer system of the city to Dallas and a
contract for the work has been awarded
to Hutcheson & Murdoch, whose bid was
\$7390. Heretofore the sewerage of Dallas
has been flowing through the city in an
open creek and much of the sickness in
the northern part of the town is attributed
to that condition.

Albert Perry and Miss Maggie Holt, of
the eastern part of the county, eloped to
the city yesterday and were married by
Justice Ferguson. The bride attempted to
keep the marriage a secret.

H. B. Sykes of Elkhart, Ind., and Miss
Ola B. Seary, daughter of Mrs. Sarah
Seary, will be married in the First Meth-
odist church tomorrow morning at sunrise.
The wedding will be a social affair of note.

SOUTHERN INTERSTATE FAIR.

Very Low Rates to Atlanta and Return
Via Southern Railway.

Account above named occasion, South-
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Atlanta from points in Georgia; also Sel-
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sion to fair grounds. Tickets to be sold
daily to October 12 to 22, inclusive, final limit
October 23. Rate from Birmingham \$5.75.
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OCTOBER 20.

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PLANTERS MEET AT MONTGOMERY

Agricultural Commissioners in
Annual Session
KILGORE'S REPORT READ
Representative Men From Cotton
States Will Discuss Matters of
Interest to Them for
Three Days.

Montgomery, October 7.—(Special).—
Representatives from all the cotton grow-
ing states are gathered in Montgomery to-
day to attend the three days' session
of the Cotton States' association of agri-
cultural commissioners. This is the fifth
annual convention of the association, and
the work today was confined to introduc-
tory work and organization.

Three sessions were held, the first con-
vening at 10:30 o'clock, when Alderman
McIntyre welcomed the association to the
city. Dr. J. B. Huntcutt of the Southern
Agriculturist, Atlanta, responded and
made some very pertinent remarks on
the purposes of the convention. Several
papers were read at the afternoon and
evening sessions. Secretary Kilgore in
his annual report employed this language:

"The correspondence which the secre-
tary has been called on to conduct in con-
nection with the association shows that
it is growing in interest and importance,
and is attracting rather widespread at-
tention. From individuals, libraries and
departments of agriculture requests have
come for the proceedings, a number of
them asking for back copies that they
might make their file complete.

"The talk which I have had with agri-
cultural workers in other parts of the
country show that they are interested in
the progress of this association and are
watching its course in covering the field
of endeavor to which it is confined. This
is further impressed by the resolutions of
the American Veterinary Medical associ-
ation, which I submit herewith.

"I can but feel that the association is
progressing satisfactorily, and that it is
destined to have an important influence in
shaping the agricultural work of the cot-
ton states, largely in unifying methods
of and bringing about co-operation be-
tween the workers in the various states,
as to what has already been accomplished
in this line.

"I have but to refer to the concession
in postage rates which we now enjoy in
sending out our bulletins and other litera-
ture and the uniform fertilizer law. There
are other matters of like nature and
which the strength of united efforts will
greatly advance, if not entirely solve.
"At the expense of considerable time
the proceedings of the Nashville meeting
were edited, by omitting what seemed
unimportant and otherwise reducing and
concentrating the matter to lessen the
expense of publication. A number of papers
have been published and distributed to
the members of the association and others
interested in them, about 300 copies to
each commissioner for the use of the sev-
eral departments of agriculture.

"To show the growth in this line, I
only need to state that the proceedings
of the Hot Springs meeting occupied 66
pages and the Nashville meeting 115 pages.
"The secretary has been called on to
conduct a not inconsiderable amount of
correspondence in connection with getting
out the proceedings and arranging for
speakers on the programme for the pres-
ent meeting, as well as relating to the
meeting in general and other matters in-
volving the interest of the association. It
is trusted that you will find this satis-
factory. Respectfully submitted,

"B. W. KILGORE, Secretary."

The convention is largely attended, and
beside the delegates there are many lo-
cal planters who are attending the ses-
sions.

Among the delegates in attendance are
the following:

Prominent Delegates Present.
J. G. Lee, of Baton Rouge, president;
commissioner of agriculture of Louisiana;
R. R. Poole, Alabama commissioner; G.
W. Kolner, of Montgomery, Virginia, com-
missioner; Dr. B. W. Kilgore, of Raleigh,
state chemist and director of experiment
station; E. W. Magruder, of Richmond,
state chemist of Virginia; C. M. Connor,
of the City, Florida, agriculturist; G. E.
Nelson, Clemson college, S. C., veterina-
rian; J. F. Dugar, professor of agricul-
ture at Auburn, Ala.; Dr. Tate Butler, of
Raleigh, N. C., state veterinarian; E. R.
Lloyd, agriculturist of Mississippi; B. H.
Rosa, of Auburn, state chemist of Ala-
bama; McQueen Smith, of Prattville, Ala.;
Dr. J. B. Huntcutt, of Atlanta, editor of
the Southern Cultivator; B. C. White,
special agent of the bureau of statistics,
United States department of agriculture
at Washington; R. J. Redding, director of
the Georgia experiment station; R. E.
Rose, of Tallahassee, Fla.; C. P. McIn-
tyre, of Montgomery; J. C. Adams, as-
sistant Alabama commissioner of agricul-
ture; J. W. Huger, of Montgomery; F. B.
Dancy, of Atlanta; Prof. E. E. Ewell, of
Atlanta; Dr. W. H. Dalrymple, of Baton
Rouge; H. A. Morgan, entomologist, of
Baton Rouge; Mrs. H. A. Morgan of Baton
Rouge; C. E. Bell, of Montgomery; J. O.
Lambert, of Rosebud, Ala.; J. M. Jones,
Auburn, Ala.; H. C. Fisher, of Newnan,
Ga.; E. R. Fisher, of Montgomery; W. A.
Gayle, of Montgomery; W. B. Somerville,
Aliceville, Ala.; Dr. A. St. Clair Tennille,
of Montgomery; M. Dawson, of Bato-
n Rouge; J. D. McCarty, of Atlanta; H. B.
Bradford, commissioner of agriculture of
Arkansas.

George McAndrews Kills a Negro.

Vincennes, Ind., October 7.—George
McAndrews, white, shot Boyd Beard,
colored, tonight, killing him instantly.
Beard, who is a barber, went into Mar-
tin's saloon, where McAndrews is bar-
tender, began a quarrel and started to
draw a revolver with a razor. Mc-
Andrews then drew a revolver and shot
Beard. The negroes are greatly ex-
cited and trouble is feared.

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FRANK ADAMS STRIKES DAVE
LEE WITH A PICK—CONDUCTOR
EDWARD ROBERTS MEETS WITH
SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Pratt City, October 7.—(Special).—Frank
Adams, a convict at New Orleans, struck
Dave Lee, a fellow convict, on the head
with a pick this morning at 3 o'clock and
inflicted a fatal wound, from which Lee
died this morning at 6 o'clock. The men
were working the night shift and were
in the same pit. The killing, so far as
known, was done without provocation.
Adams was sent up from Randolph coun-
ty and was serving a thirty-year sen-
tence on a charge of rape. Lee was sent
up from Autauga county and was serv-
ing a twenty-five-year sentence on a
charge of arson.

Edward Roberts, a night conductor on
the Birmingham Southern railroad, met
with a very serious accident this morn-
ing that resulted in the loss of his left
foot. This morning at 4 o'clock while
doing some switching, he attempted to
catch the front end of a coal car as the
train was passing. He made a misstep
and fell under the wheels of the moving
train. His ankle was badly mangled and
was amputated by Dr. Scott. Mr. Rob-
erts has been in the employment of the
Birmingham Southern for quite a while
and is popular with his employers and
the people of Pratt City.

J. H. Perkins, who is an employee at No.
3 mines, had his hand badly mangled in
the mines this morning, at about 7 o'clock
while handling some cars. The doctors
were called in and found it was necessary
to amputate some of Mr. Perkins's fingers.
J. P. Haigler, who was for a long time
a prominent resident of this place, died
last night at Cleveland, Tenn. The de-
ceased had many friends in Pratt City
who are very much grieved to hear of
his death.

Social and Personal.

A party of Pratt City's young people
enjoyed a delightful furnace party last
night. They were: Miss Lee and Miss
Julia Miller, Miss Sattmyer, Miss Popo,
Miss Hogan, Mr. Ben Auguin, Mr. Mark
Houston, Mr. Marvin Autery.

Mrs. J. T. Donaldson and her little son
James left today for a week's visit to
relatives in South Alabama.

A wedding occurred last night at Cull-
man which is of much interest to Pratt
City people, the contracting parties, Miss
Beessie McDonald and Mr. E. E. Evans,
being residents of this city.

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franchise Themselves

THE AUDITOR'S STATEMENT

Receipts of the State for the Past
Year Show a Gratifying In-
crease in All Other
Respects.

Montgomery, October 7.—(Special).—The
auditor's statement of the annual re-
ceipts by the state for the fiscal year
ending September, reveals some very in-
teresting facts. Foremost of these is the
very large decrease in the payment of
poll taxes. The constitution of 1901 makes
the payment of poll tax a purely volun-
tary act, the only incentive for the pay-
ment of the tax being the right to vote.

From the large decrease shown in the
payment last year it is readily seen that
there are thousands of persons in the
state who do not value their franchise as
highly as \$1.50.

For the fiscal year ending September 30,
1902, the poll tax receipts amounted to
\$155,573.23, but it fell off last year to \$101,
644.64.

Total Registered Vote.
The total registered vote of the state is
194,472, of which 181,492 are white and
2890 colored.

It is estimated that about 40 per cent
are exempt from the payment of poll tax,
being over 45 years of age, a member of

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"Seven years ago my wife commenced
having spasms of fits and called in my
home physician and he said she was para-
lyzed. He rubbed her with salt water and
gave her calomel and she eventually got
some better, but in a short time she had
another attack. She was confined to her
bed for three months and the doctor could
not help her. She had fits frequently, some
times very severe. Her hands would cramp
so we could not open them and she finally
got so her jaws would become locked.
Finally I saw the doctor was doing her no
good and ordered a bottle of Dr. Miles' Re-
frigerant. She received so much benefit
from the first bottle that I got more.
More. She has taken a number of bottles
but has never had a fit since taking the first
bottle. She also thinks very highly of Dr.
Miles' Nervine and Liver Pills and is never
without them. If there is any way of mak-
ing this testimonial stronger do so because
of the good the Dr. Miles' Nervine has
done my wife."—WM. Y. ALLEN, P. M.,
Elkhart, Miss.

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come as soon as
you find that you
are afflicted? It
will not only save
you distressing pain
and valuable time, but will cost you less
money. There is a satisfaction in
knowing that the very best possible treat-
ment is being given to you by a com-
petent physician who has experience in such
matters and is capable of curing you in the
quickest and most perfect manner
possible. I have treated private diseases
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in the city of Birmingham, and I am
therefore known to a great many. But
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