

VERDICT NOT GUILTY
RETURNED YESTERDAY
THREE NEGROES CLEARED
OF KILLING ANOTHER
IN COURT

THE GENTRY CASE
 Will Be Called Monday Morning
 When Court Convenes for
 the Second Week.

The jury sitting in the case of
 Charlie Donaldson, Traceman Davis
 and Lawrence Cowan, indicted for
 murder, rendered a verdict of not
 guilty as to all three of the defend-
 ents. From the testimony as
 brought out it appeared that the kill-
 ing of the negro George Whitman
 was an accidental homicide.

Most of yesterday afternoon was
 occupied with arguments for new
 trials. Court took a recess yesterday
 afternoon about 5 o'clock.

The Gentry and Shaw case will
 be called on Monday morning when
 the second week of court convenes.
 It will be remembered that these
 two young white men are accused of
 killing a young man by the name of
 Cain in the Carswell Institute sec-
 tion. This case will attract much
 attention as all parties concerned are
 well known in the lower part of the
 county.

MAKING ARRANGEMENTS
FOR BIG FIELD DAY

MATTER WAS DEC'D AT
TEACHERS' MEETING
LAST SATURDAY

COMMITTEE MEETS

And Decides to Divide Schools of
County Into Five Groups—
Will Be About April 1.

At the meeting of the Anderson
 County Teachers' association held last
 Saturday it was decided to have a
 Field Day in Anderson this coming
 spring and yesterday the committee
 appointed met in the office of the
 county superintendent of education to
 discuss plans and arrangements.
 These exercises will be held about
 April 1 and the committee wants to
 make them even larger and better
 than those of the last spring.

At the meeting of the committee
 yesterday morning the county was
 divided into five groups as follows:
 Group 1 is composed of the schools of
 the city of Anderson; Group 2 is
 composed of Belton, Honea Path, Broad-
 way and Martin townships; Group 3
 is composed of Williamston, Brushy
 Creek, Garvin and Hopewell; Group
 4 is composed of Varennes, Hall,
 Lock Mills and Corner and Group 5
 is composed of Pendleton, Centerville,
 Savannah and Fork townships.

A team will be chosen from each
 of these groups who will represent
 these particular sections in the exer-
 cises and contests. They will hold
 preliminaries to select teams a few
 days before the big day. This ar-
 rangement will eliminate all of those
 who are not qualified to take part
 in the exercises in Anderson, and
 will probably prove much better than
 having each school represented sepa-
 rately.

The events have been decided un-
 on as follows: Declamation contest,
 arithmetic, spelling and reading,
 and athletics. Miss Lillian Shuler is
 a committee of one to make rules
 and plans for the declamation con-
 test and to report the same at the
 next meeting of the Anderson county
 teachers' association. This meeting
 is held December 11, at the West
 Market street school building. Miss
 Edith Bigby is a corresponding com-
 mittee on arithmetic. Miss Gertrude
 Clinkerale on spelling. Miss Alma
 Cole on reading and Mr. G. W. Cham-
 bers on athletics.

These committees will report at the
 next meeting of the association and
 will outline plans for each event. The
 date of the exercises, the location of
 the exercises and other matters will
 be decided December 11.

Plans are being made to have the
 winners of the events in the exer-
 cises here sent to Columbia for the
 state meet. The team so selected will
 necessarily represent the best talent
 along each line in the county.

Mr. G. W. Chambers has announced
 that he has some of the events for
 the athletic contests already ar-
 ranged. The athletics will be com-
 posed of the following events: 100 yard
 dash, 200 yard dash, 400 yard
 dash, 800 yard dash, 1600 yard
 dash, one mile relay run, rowing the
 baseball, boys and girls and a flag
 race for girls.

German Fashion West
 Frankfurt, Germany, Nov. 20.—The
 week from February 2 to February
 8 has been selected as a proposed
 "Fashion Week" during which will
 be exhibited and explained the "Ger-
 man Modes" that have become in-
 creasingly popular since the begin-
 ning of the war. After considering
 all the various German cities, Frank-
 fort was chosen by the "Fashion
 Association" of Germany.

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