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LEGS BROKEN BY AN AUTO

MRS BUTLER RUN OVER BY JAMES HAMER

Two Negro Woman Fight Over a Man and Both are Severely Wounded

Clio, Oct. 27.—A terrible cutting scrape occurred Wednesday night on the plantation of Mr Will Myers, when Mary Isabella Ivy found Pearl Yarboro in the act with her husband. Mary Isabella made an effort to kill her husband and the dusky damsel Pearl with a razor, cutting her husband severely and almost severed the jungular vein of Pearl, late of Bennettsville, who drew her razor in the meantime and took part in the cutting, splitting the arm of Mary Isabella and cutting a severe gash in her chest. Chamers Ivy, the man in the case, has returned to North Carolina. The two women were brought to town and their severe wounds were neatly dressed by Dr J A Hamer and then turned over to the county authorities at Bennettsville for further care and legal treatment. The parties are all negroes.

It is reported that James Hamer of Dillon ran over a Mrs Butler with his automobile near the state line yesterday afternoon and broke her legs. She is still living, but in a critical condition. Mr Hamer is a son-in-law of Thos J Breeden of Bennettsville.

Mr W J Covington of Evergreen, N C, has been spending a few days with the family of Mr Charlie Covington here. Both the Mesdames Covington went to Bennettsville Thursday morning.

Mr J T Peterkin of Dillon, a son of James A Peterkin Esq, late of this county, is here for a few days contest manager for the Marlboro Times.

I have just received the college magazine from my young friend, J P Evans of the University of South Carolina, who is business manager with Mr Broadus Mitchel, editor. The tone of the journal is earnest and incisive and clear in its literature. Thank you gentlemen for the pleasure of its perusal.

On Monday night Mrs R L Bennett invited the Eastern Star, of which she is worthy matron, to a reception in her handsome, commodious home on Church street. Her program consisted of several enjoyable events and surprises, adding much to the pleasure of the occasion. Mrs Bennett is proving to be a real matron of the Eastern Star and continues to add to her popularity more as a star among her sex than on the street. The reception closed pleasantly with a much and salad course.

Inadvertently we let the name of Rev E O Watson, a former presiding elder of this district, go in lieu of Rev R E Stackhouse the present official.

Mr McKerthan Rogers has returned to his place as a part of the Clio Mule company, after spending a short while in N C. Carolina and at the home of his parents near Lilla, where Mrs Rogers has been for several days refreshing last Thursday.

Rev Welcome Quick went to Hughsmith's hospital in Fayetteville on Thursday to have his throat examined and was very favorably impressed with the work of that fine hospital.

I [illegible] to hear young [illegible] who [illegible] to [illegible] mothers care [illegible] Mr H W McL[illegible] station where wife is buried [illegible] The care of the little ones will [illegible] for a while to their aunts the Misses Mary and Katie McLaurin, who have had their care for several weeks.

Our accommodating young friend, Badger Biggs of Lumberton, N C, who is now at the board, is developing into an efficient night operator for the Bell telephone company.

Harmony Happenings.

Harmony, Oct. 24.—Several of the Harmony people have been to McColl and Bennettsville shopping this week.

Some of the Harmony folks attended the play at Clio last Tuesday night.

Mr and Mrs H B Spears and Mrs Eli Gibson attended services at the Catholic church at Cheraw Sunday morning.

Fifty dollars, which was made up by the rural school improvement association of Harmony school in April, has been used for buying chairs for the school.

Mr William Spears and family and Miss Cora McIntosh spent Saturday in Red Hill.

Marriage Licenses.

No. 83. Charles Brown, age 60, and Creecy Etherie 44, colored, dechem. Married Oct. 21 by M McLaurin.

No. 84. Robert Carpenter Lowe 21 and Henrietta Turner 19, White, Bennettsville. Married Oct. 22 by J P Gibson.

No. 85. Luther Campbell 21 and George Ella Johnson 26 Colored, Latum. Married Oct. 15 by Rev W M Poe.

No. 86. Frank Gibson 18 and Feldy Ingram 18, Colored, Gibson, N C. Married Oct. 21 by M McLaurin.

CALLOWAY PARISH

David D. Parish and Miss Louise Galloway were married at the home of the bride near Mallor yesterday at 3 p. m., Rev. Mr. Herbert performing the ceremony.

The bridal party came at once to the handsome country home of Mr. Parish, three miles south of town, where a reception and dinner were given to a large number of his neighbors and friends. Among those who went from Bennettsville were Judge Milton McLaurin, Rev. S. J. Bethea, Col Tom C. Hamer, T. F. McRae and A. G Sinclair.

The dinner is said to have been one of the best ever given on a similar occasion in Marlboro county, and was greatly enjoyed by the guests.

The bride is a daughter of William Galloway, formerly of Marlboro, and is a very charming young lady. Mr. Parish is a member of the county board of registration, and a prominent and successful farmer. They have the congratulations and best wishes of many friends.

The Hunting of the Tahr.

Of all the ways of hunting surely that of the hillmen of Garhwal is the strangest. This, according to Major the Hon. C. G. Bruce, in "Twenty Years in the Himalayas," is their method of killing the tahr, a local species of goats: "Having driven the tahr into deep hillsides with most preposterous sides, out of which there are certain well known tahr runs, they proceed to cover these runs where the ground is most difficult with nets made of stiff bamboo which have been previously well drenched in water. The result is the nets [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]