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MEN SHOT TO DEATH IN DOUBLE TRAGEDY

BENJAMIN HAILE SHOOTS M. GOODE HOMES AND TAKES **OWN LIFE—TROUBLE OCCURS** IN ADMINISTRATION BUILD-ING AT UNIVERSITY.

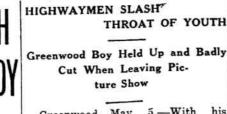
Columbia, May 7 .- M. Goode Homes, head of the school of engineering of the University of South Carolina, was shot and killed Saturday morning about 10:10 o'clock in an office adjoining the treasurer's office in DeSaussure college on the university campus by Benjamin Haile superintendent of grounds and of buildings at the university. Mr Haile, a few minutes later, went into the treasurer's office and turned the weapon upon himself. There were no eyewitnesses to the murder nor to the suicide.

Last night the inquest was held at the court house by Coroner Scott and after hearing considerable testimony the jury brought in a verdict to the effect that Professor Homes came to his death from gunshot wounds inflicted at the hands of Benjamin Haile while the latter was temporarily insane. It also brought in a verdict to the effect that Mr. Haile came to his death from a self-inflicted wound, inflicted while temporarily insane.

Both Professor Homes and Mr. Haile were popular with the student body; knew hundreds of the alumni of the institution in Columbia and over the State, and both have wide family connections. Hardly in the history of the university had the institution been so stunned by an event.

There were no eyewitnesses to the tragedy, this fact being clearly brought out at the inquest and what immediately preceded the shooting of Henry P. Davison Dies on Operating Professor Homes in the small office adjoining the treasurer's office will never be known; whether words or blows passed between the men, who were known to have bitter feeling of long standing against each other, can not be ascertained, though Dr. Oscar LaBorde, who examined the bodies testified at the inquest that Mr Homes "had a scratch on the right ear and the right cheek." Mr. Haile, he testified had fired "straight into his right ear" and no other injuries were noted by the examining physician on the body of Mr. Haile.

Soon after the bodies of the two men had been taken from the building, Dr. W. S. Currell, president of



Greenwood, May 5.—With his throat cut so deep that his jugular vein was grazed, Troy Carter, an 18 year old white boy, is dangerously wounded at his home here after being held up by armed highwaymen on his way home from a picture

show last night. Bill Sweezer, his companion, had his clothes slashed in several places, but did not suffer any injuries. Police officers and the sheriff's forces with a posse of citizens have been searching for the highwaymen since a short time after the deed, but have found no trace of them. Bloodhounds trailed them to the edge of a mill vilage but lost their trail there.

According to Sweezer, he and Carter were taking a short cut through a newly developed street about 9:30 o'clock when two men masked with handkerchiefs over their faces stepped from behind some vines and demanded their money, Carter reached in his pocket to take out his money and, as he did so, one of the nighwaymen attacked him, slashing his throat with a pocket knife. The other highwayman slashed Sweezer's clothing. As soon as Carter's throat was cut, both assailants fled without taking the money they had demanded.

Sweezer said they could not tell whether the men were white or negroes, but he believed they were white. Neither he nor Carter had any money except a small amount of change.

Carter's condition is serious, but physicians say he is not fatally injured.

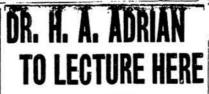
DEATH CLAIMS BANKER

Table Saturday.

New York, May 7 .--- Henry P. Davison, member of the banking firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., and directing head of the American Red Cross during the World war, died about 1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon on the operating table while surgeons were attempting to remove a tumor from his brain at his country estate in Locust Valley, L. I.

The internationally known financier faced death imperturbedly as he tion from this office in regard to had met life. Known on the street as timely agricultural topics. one who never showed undue alarm he took no formal farewell of his family and joked with his loved ones while he was preparing to leave with the university, issued a statement in his close associates two requests, in this mailing list is complete





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Chautauqua Week Due West, S. C. May 10th to 15th.

COUNTY AGENT SENDING OUT QUESTIONNAIRES

I am sending out to each voter in the County a questionraire in order to have a complete list of the farmers of Abbeville County, so that from time to time I can send out informa-

At the present time, I have 1,000 bulletins which give the latest expe-

FOR HEJAZ TEMPLE Rock Hill Prepares for a Large Gathering of Shriners Next Week.

SPRING CEREMONIAL

Rock Hill, May 8 .- Shriners of Rock Hill have practically completed details for the spring ceremonial of Hejaz temple, which will be held here May 18, when it is expected that from 1,500 to 2,000 Shriners, together with a large number of women, will be in attendance. Nothing will be left undone to make the stay of the Shriners in Rock Hill a pleasant memory for the future of Hejaz tem-

The ceremonial will be held in the gymnasium of Winthrop college and the local committees are counting on making the sands of the Sahara cool in comparison to the floor of the Winthrop gymnasium when the large class of candidates are required to seek the goal that must be attained before they are qualified to don the fez. A large class will be on hand.

Special Pullman trains will operate from Greenville, Spartanburg, Greenwood and Columbia, while Pullmans from many other places will be attached to regular trains. The Chester Shriners will come over in a body and will be in the parade 100 per cent. strong, every man in full dress. Arrangements have been made for a systematic parking of cars of all Shriners coming by automobile.

All arrangements have been made for the dinner and contract has been let for a minimum of 1.800 dinners. More will be on hand if needed. If the weather is fair dinner will be served in a grove. A building is ready Doctor Adrian uses the development | if the weather is inclement.

> Plenty of entertainment will be provided for the women accompanying their nobles. Special committees have been assigned the task of seeing that the feminine contingent is well looked after. There will be special rest and reception rooms for their comfort and convenience, and there will be a dance and entertainment. A special entertainment will probably be arranged at Winthrop as a feature of the evening

KNOX WOMAN IS GIVEN TWENTY-YEAR SENTENCE

Montross, Va, May 6-Miss Sara E Knox, Baltimore nurse, faced 20 years imprisonment today after being found guilty by a jury here last In the District Court of the United night of first degree murder in connection with the death of Mrs. Margaret L. Eastlake at Colonial Beach In the Matter of W. B. Hill, Lownriments on Boll Weevil Control, several months ago. The jury reached which will be sent out as soon as its verdict, recommending the 29 oan tarm ofter 25 minutes' deliber-

South Carolina.



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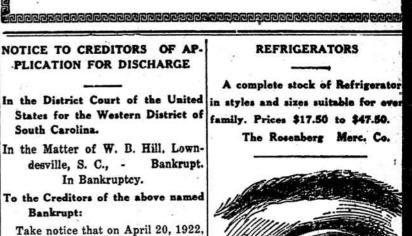
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MONDAY, MAY 8, 1922.

which he told of the shooting as he	case he should die under the ether.	this maning list is complete.	year term, after 25 minutes denber-	To the Creditors of the above named	11
knew of it and in giving a cause for	His first request was that he should	Wayne G. McGowan, Co. Agt.	ation, and the court, in passing sen-		
the tragedy he said, "There had long	be laid to rest in Locust Valley,	1	tence, commented that the decision	Take notice that on April 20, 1922,	
been bitter feeling between the two	with its rolling stretches of green and	CONSCIENCE FORCES	was "most lenient."	the above named bankrupt filed his	
men growing out of their conflicting	flowering apple blossoms, that he had	RETURN OF GOODS	No announcement had been made	petition in said Court praying that he	
Jutice at the university " Again at			by Miss Knox's counsel early today	may be decreed by the Court to have	
the inquest last night it was said	loved.	Woman Converted Recently Sends	whether an appeal would be taken.	a full discharge from all debts prov-	
by several persons examined that the	The second was that his funeral	Back Shoe Buckles and Pin	The authorities, meanwhile were pre-	able against his estate, except such	
feeling between the two men was one	should be as simple and unostenta-	Date Store	paring to take her to Richmond to	debts as are excepted by law from	EYES CAREFULLY EXAMINE
of bitterness.	tious as possible.	Greenwood, May 6 Declaring	begin serving the sentence.	such discharge, and a hearing was	and GLASSES Accurately Fitted
	It was only last night that an-	that she had stolen the articles but		thereupon ordered and will be had	DR. L. T. HILL, Abbeville
Killed in Automobile Accident	nouncement was made that Mr. Davi-	that she had been converted in a	Laundering Pongee.	upon said petition on May 22, 1922	
	son, who went under the knife last	revival meeting conducted at a lo-	Following laundering, pongee is	before said court, at Greenville in	cause, if any they have, why th
Fayetteville, N. C., May 6	August, would have to undergo an-	cal church recently by Dr. H. M.	often spotted and unsightly. This .is	said District, at 11 o'clock in the fore-	prayer of said petition should not h
John Underwood, several times	other operation to apr.	Wharton of Baltimore, an unknown	the result of ironing the fabric	noon, at which time and place all	granted.
mayor of Fayetteville, was instantly	He did not rally as well as had	woman yesterday returned a \$9 pair	while it is damp. Pongee, if it is to	known creditors and other persons	D. C. DURHAM, Clerk.
killed and three other men were in- jure in an automobile accident near	been expected, however, and the sur-	of shoe buckles to a shoe dealer, a	look its loveliest, should be dry be-	in interest may appear and show	Dated at Greenville, S. C., Apr. 20
West End, Moore county, early	geons decided that another operation	stick pin to a jeweler and 50 cents	fore being ironed.		
today, according to a message re-	was imperative. This bulletin issued	to a dry goods firm here.	NOTICE OF TAX SALE.		ele anti al le mana d'anti a conservato de la constructiva de la constructiva de la constructiva de la constru La constructiva de la constructiva d La constructiva de la constructiva
ceived here. Mr. Underwood was the	about 2 o'clock told of failure:	The conscience stricken woman	NOTICE OF TAX SALE.	SPF	CIAL
author of the law which changed	"Mr. Henry P. Davison died today		STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,		
capital punishment from hanging to	upon the conclusion of an operation	Companying cach with a report. Die	County of Abbeville.	EXCURSI	ON FARES
electrocution in North Carolina.	jupon an initiating cumor in the		Notice is hereby given that under	V	'IA
Electrocation in Horse Carolina.	brain which could only be partially	stolen a pair of shoes but she had	and by virtue of a warrant issued to	SOUTHERN RA	ILWAY SYSTEM
	removed."	worn them and could not return	me by the Treasurer of Abbeville	123	
		them. As soon as she could save	County, I have seized the following	191 <b>.</b>	0
WANTS	PEAS.	enough money to pay for them she	described property to satisfy the tax-		LE, FLORIDA.
		would pay, she said. To the dry	es due to the State of South Caro-		BAPTIST CONVENTION
	Sound, Mixed, Vine Peas at \$2.15	goods firm she wrote that the 50	lina and the County of Abbeville, by		22nd, 1922.
FOR RENT-Several rooms, furnish-	The second	cents was "conscience money."	H. P. Bowling, and the same will be		System will sell round trip
ed or unfurnished. Apply to C. S.	J. Allen Smith, Jr.		sold to the highest bidder for cash, on	THE Doublet Loan ag	s to Tacksonville on May 13
Jones. 5, 8-3tpd.	ACTRESSES ORGANIZE TO	FIREMAN KILLED IN	Salesday in June next, which is the	LICACLS ITOM VALIOUS POINT	s to Jacksonville on May 13 al limit to reach original
FOR SALE-Ford touring car, also	2018년 - 2028년 2028년 1월 2028년 1월 2028년 1월 2028년 2월 2028년 1월 2028년 1월 2028년 1월 2028년 1월 2028년 1월 2028년 1월 2028년 1	WRECK NEAR CHESTER	5th day of June 1922, within the le-	is to 15th monster, with him	t June 10th, 1922, on basis
parts for Chevrolet. See H. E.			gal hours of sale, in front of the	in blaiting point of anteno	way fare
Pennal at City Garage. 5-8-tf.	Los Angeles May 6 Mary Pick-	Chester, May 4 -Mail service on	Court House door at Abbeville, S. C.	is one and one-nam of the on	e the identification certifi-
i cunat at Oity Garage. 5-6-ti.	ford has been chosen president of a	the Southern railway is badly disar-	and the proceeds of sale will be ap-		rts, Sec'ty. South Carolina
FOR RENT-Nice cottage on Green-			plied to the payment of said taxes		S. C. Special sleeping cars
ville street with all modern con-	primary purpose of which is to pro-	ern railway freight wreck at Ogden,	and cost of said seizure and sale.		enville-Anderson and Spar-
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	brunary barbose or which is to bro-	orn roundy Irean micer as oguon	and sour of this source while sales	will be arranged from Gre	envine-Anderson and opar-

veniences; freshly painted inside. Nice lot and good location. Apply to Mrs. H. A. Benton at Eureka 5, 5-tfc. Hotel

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primary purpose of which is to pro- ern railway freight wreck at Ogden, and cost tect the good names of its members, about fourteen miles north of Ches- The property to be sold is desit was announced here today. Miss ter. An engine and tender and thir- cribed as follows: All that tract or Helen Ferguson, organizer, stated ty-three cars were derailed and the parcel of land situate, lying and beadmission would be made by inves- negro fireman killed. Reports from ing in Due West Township Abbeville tigation only, and none would be ad the scene of the wreck crews are County, State of South Carolina, mitted who were not "credits to the busily trying to get the track ready School District No. 37, containing industry." Other officers will be by morning, but it may be noon to- forty-three acres, more or less, and elected Monday when a name for morow before regular schedules are bounded North by J. J. Fretwell, resumed. Hundreds of Chester peo- East by W. W. Clinkscales, South ple have visited the wreck, going in by W. W. Clinkscales and West by All kinds of Field Peas at lowest automobiles. Passengers were trans- Peter Rickett and John Banister. ferred by the railway at Ogden to-

night.

F. B. McLANE, Sheriff 5, 8, '22.

Abbeville County, S. C

Railway Ticket Agent or address: R. C. COTNER, District Passenger Agent, SPARTANBURG, S. C. To 5-15.

May 17th.

tanburg, S. C., Tuesday May 16th. Leaving Greenville

5:30 P. M.; Spartanburg 7:45 P. M.; Anderson 5:20 P.

M. via Columbia, S. C. at which point all cars from

North and South Carolina will be consolidated and

operated through to Jacksonville arriving 8:50 A. M.

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