

ANOTHER SALUDA KILLING

A Negro Cursed And Beat And Shot By Three Young White Men.

Saluda, June 13.—Coroner Gibson returned late yesterday afternoon from holding an inquest over the dead body of Richard Truesdale, colored, who was killed at Long bridge, Cloud's creek, five miles from Batesburg, about nightfall Saturday.

It was very clear from the testimony taken that three young white men, two Miller boys and a McCormick, were the guilty parties, but the witnesses not knowing the given names of either of the white boys implicated, the jury returned a verdict that the negro came to his death at the hands of unknown parties.

The jury under the circumstances could not have done otherwise, but it is said the coroner should have adjourned the inquest until the Miller boys and McCormick were put up for identification.

According to the story told at the inquest, the homicide was unprovoked and uncalled-for. Nathan Truesdale and two of his nephews had left Batesburg, and were on their way to their home in this county. The Miller boys and McCormick overtook them first at Bates' branch, and there cursed and abused the negroes, and then drove on.

At Holston's Cross Roads the white men held up another negro and abused him. Here the Truesdales passed them, but were overtaken near Providence church, where they were again interfered with. Then the white men drove ahead, and after crossing Long bridge stopped, cut sticks and waited for the negroes.

As soon as the negroes' wagons came up one of the party caught hold of the horses and stopped them and began to curse and threaten the negroes for the third time. There was a barrel of flour in the negroes' rear wagon, which rolled out as they came up the hill from the bridge, and when it was being put back the white party commenced to beat the negroes. Richard Truesdale, the dead negro, got hold of the stick which was being used on him, and one of the Miller boys immediately shot him, first just above the collar bone near the throat and the second time in the arm.

As soon as the negro was shot the Miller boys jumped into their wagon and drove on. The wounded negro died on the road home.

It is believed that Solicitor Thurmond, as soon as he hears of the matter, will cause a further investigation to be made, and the guilty parties apprehended and held for trial.

RUSSIANS AMBUSHED.

They Suffered a Severe Defeat, Losing Eight Hundred Killed And Wounded.

New Chwang, June 13.—It is reported that the Russians suffered a severe defeat as the result of an ambush at Pulanben (probably Pulientien), to the rear of Port Arthur.

The Japanese attacked the Russians and then drew the latter on by a feigned retreat.

The Russians were entrapped and are said to have lost eight hundred killed and wounded.

The Czar's troops fell back to Kai Chow.

In Retreat.

New Chwang, June 13.—Two thousand Russian infantry passed through New Chwang yesterday morning from the direction of Kai Chow, accompanied by a large supply of teams and a number of ambulances full of wounded.

The troops appeared to be exhausted after their long forced march.

The officer said they had retreated from Tsai Chow.

The Russians have abandoned their position eight miles south of New Chwang.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

Items of More or Less Interest Condensed Outside the State.

The Virginia democratic state convention has chosen an uninstructed delegation to the St. Louis convention.

Governor Pennypacker has appointed United States Attorney General P. C. Knox to succeed the late M. C. Quay as United States senator from Pennsylvania.

Floods have ruined the cotton and other crops in the Arkansas river bottoms, and the people have appealed to the department of agriculture for advice and assistance.

George Billups, of Norfolk, Va., a cabin passenger on a steamer from Newport News to Norfolk, committed suicide on Friday by jumping overboard. He had been in a melancholy mood for several months.

A Memphis paper published an interview with one of the proprietors of a pool room there, which has been closed, in which he said that the place would be re-opened yesterday and that wireless telegraphy would be used to transmit the results.

The recent floods in the Indian Territory have caused the death of nine persons. All the tributaries of the Washita river have been out of their banks, and cotton and other crops have been destroyed. Railroad traffic has been seriously delayed by washouts.

Conventions held throughout the counties of Texas to send delegates to the state convention show that the Parker people have been successful, and although many of the counties did not positively instruct it is certain that a Parker delegation will be sent to St. Louis.

By an explosion in a huge sewer in Chicago on Saturday four persons, including city Engineer Miltmore, were killed. The four men were going down into the sewer carrying a gasoline torch when they encountered sewer gas and the explosion occurred. The bodies of all four men were entombed.

The Texas populists have held their state convention and have instructed their delegates to the national convention to be held at Springfield, Ills., to vote as a unit, and for no one except an old line populist. Nearly all the individual members of the delegates at large favor Thomas Watson, of Georgia, as head of the ticket.

As the result of friction over the selection of a teacher for a public school at Elk, Texas, a bloody street fight took place between R. B. Torrence, and J. McAden, a son-in-law being on one side, and Dr. Holton, his son and Prof G. W. Perkins on the other. The elder Torrence was killed instantly. Others in the party received dangerous wounds. Shotguns and revolvers were the weapons used.

Mart V. Vowell, an aged white man, was hanged at Paragould, Ark., on Thursday, for the murder of W. F. Lovejoy. The governor refused to grant the man a pardon, despite petitions signed by two thousand citizens. The execution was delayed several hours by the sheriff, who was a personal friend of the condemned man, in the hope that executive clemency might be extended.

E. H. Jones, a trolley car motor-man of Berkeley, Va., tried to lift a fallen wire out of the way of his car. He climbed on a shed and took hold of the wire. He fell to the ground dead, still holding to it. His wife, standing upon her piazza, saw the accident and rushed to extricate her husband. She too was instantly killed. The man and his wife leave six small children, three of whom saw their parents killed.

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50 pieces Black Dress Goods, not a yard in the pile worth less than 35 cents and 40 cents, your choice of anything in the pile for this week **23** cents.

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Table linen remnants short lengths, bleached and unbleached table linen, 2, 2 1-2 3 and 3 1-2 yards lengths. The whole counter full for quick selling for less than half price.

50 dozen Huck and Turkish towels, direct from the mills, at a saving of 33 per cent., here is a big saving for you: 15 and 20 cents Huck and Turkish towels, your choice as long as they last at **10** cents.

250 large counterpanes, some in the lot worth up to \$2.00 each, your choice as long as they last **98** cents.

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Another lot of \$2.25 fine Marseilles Quilts, all piled on a big table, your choice **\$1.49**.

WHITE LAWNS CUT TO THE QUICK.

We pull down the lever of low prices enabling you to provide for your summer needs at a great saving.

150 pieces plain white Lawn, worth 8 1-3 to go this week at **5** cents.

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150 pieces plain white Lawn, worth 15 cents to go this week at **9** cents.

100 pieces more just opened, that 40 inch Lawn, the 15 cents kind, special **10** cents.

100 pieces plain white Lawn, worth 20 cents and 25 cents to go this week at **14** cents.

UMBRELLAS AND PARASOLS.

A reign of style prices as if April showers never come in June.

300 fine Parasols, steel rod 60 cents quality for this big sale, your choice **35** cents.

200 fine Parasols, steel rod 98 cents quality for this big sale, your choice **69** cents.

100 fine Parasols, steel rod \$1.49 quality for this big sale, your choice **98** cents.

50 fine Parasols, steel rod \$2.00 quality for this big sale, your choice **\$1.39**.

Bear in mind that values like these you will never find except at Mimnaugh's.

50 dozen fine Napkies worth \$1.50 special for this week's selling **93** cents.

BIG CUT PRICE SHOE SALE!

Too many shoes for the 15th of June, is the whole secret of the cut price shoe sale, we have more shoes than we ought to have and so its Mimnaugh's plan to let them go, be on hand this week.

300 pairs fine slippers, and 4 strap sandals, worth \$2.00 and \$2.25 for this big sale **\$1.49**.

250 pairs ladies' fine slippers 3 and 4 strap sandals, worth \$2.50 and \$3.00, for this big sale **\$1.98**.

500 pairs ladies, fine slippers and Oxfords, worth \$1.50 and \$1.75 all shapes and kinds, your choice **98c**.

Men's Oxfords cut to the price that will move them. Every pair of men's low cut shoes will go in this cut price sale. I have sold thousands of dollars worth of fine shoes this season, and can well afford to let the balance of my stock go without a penny's profit. No matter what prices are quoted you, I will be lower.



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