

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

Items of More or Less Interest Condensed Throughout the World.

President Roosevelt has ordered a very handsome sewing machine as a present to the empress of Japan.

Former Governor Charles T. O'Ferrall, of Virginia, died last Friday.

Fletcher Byrd and Palmer Cresswell will be hanged in Greenville on the 10th of November for the murder of Magistrate Cox near Simpsonville about a year ago.

The man, Joseph Girard, arrested on Central Bridge, in New York Tuesday for the murder of Gussie Pfeiffer was not the right man.

A race horse trainer, John F. Harris, was shot at Louisville, Kentucky, in a difficulty with R. E. Lee Sims.

A proclamation has been issued at Peoria, Illinois, forbidding children the use of the streets day or night until the epidemic of diphtheria now raging at that place is concluded.

The police and physician decided that Christine Grossman, the 15-year-old girl who was found unconscious in her home in New York from alleged robber's attack, was suffering only from mental hallucination.

The Mississippi report on Wednesday showed only one death from yellow fever in the state, at Natchez.

A woman by the name of Mary Money was murdered in the Mersthan tunnel in London where Frederick I. Gold was brutally murdered in 1881.

The Tri-State Medical association is in session at Chattanooga, this week. The association is composed of physicians of Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia.

William Kirkpatrick, of Philadelphia killed himself in the bathroom of his apartments by putting a bullet through his head.

Agricultural Commissioner Hudson after a trip through south Georgia reported that the cotton crop was practically harvested. That by the first of the month the fields will be perfectly clean.

SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS.

Items of More or Less Interest Condensed Throughout the State.

A company has been organized in Lancaster with a capital stock of \$10,000 and will purchase the plants of the three newspapers now published there. The three will be consolidated and a first-class semi-weekly will be published instead of the three weeklies as heretofore.

Arthur McFadden shot and killed George Burgess at Cades Tuesday night. Both parties are negroes. A woman is said to be the cause of the trouble.

Dr. Gil Willie, president of the Catawba Power company, was in Spartanburg Tuesday looking after the prospect of supplying electricity to some of the cotton mills.

John Piper was sentenced to the penitentiary five years for killing a man named Hartley which occurred near Montmorenci some time last June.

Van Buren Robertson, aged sixty-eight, a farmer of Waterloo, fell from a wagon loaded with cotton and was instantly killed by breaking his neck.

Charlie Jones, a white man about 17 years old shot and killed his uncle, J. J. Wall. The parties were drinking which no doubt caused the trouble.

Daisy Moss and Sam Patterson, of Orangeburg, were arrested for killing Marshal McCreery Saturday night. The disturbance started at a cider stand and ended with the killing which occurred at Mr. C. C. Zeigler's place.

A small child was badly cut in a row which took place between the child's mother, Lilly Foster, and father, Wm. Plumeau. The child was carried to the hospital for treatment.

Steven Elmore, aged 85, said to be the oldest man in Greenwood, died at that place Monday.

The mayor of Columbia has offered \$250 for the arrest of the guilty parties of the recent hold-ups in that city.

Fisher and O'Day the alleged Heath Springs robbers were given a preliminary hearing at Lancaster and bound over to court.

Some men believe they are doing a lot for God because they go to prayer meeting every time they have a grouch to unload.

A "BLACK HAND" CASE.

Young Woman Beaten into Insensibility By A Negro.

The State.

New York, September 25.—Irene Grossman, a girl of sixteen years, was found clubbed into insensibility in the hallway of her home at 542 west 142nd street early today. The attack was the culmination of a series of nightly entries in the Grossman private residence which were intended to enforce, by "black hand" methods, payments of money for immunity from attack. Beginning Friday night a negro visited the house nightly, appearing only to Miss Grossman and escaping when frightened by her screams. Despite the the lookout set for him by the family he succeeded today in reaching Miss Grossman before she had a chance to give a warning.

The girl's brother told the police that his sister had started for an early walk when she was attacked. He heard her scream and ran into the hallway, where he found her unconscious, but saw nothing of the man.

Immediately after the clubbing the police found two pictures in the Grossman home with their faces turned to the wall and notes demanding money written on the back. On the back of a photograph of Mrs. Grossman was written:

"We expect \$900 from you. B. F. C."

On the back of her daughter's picture was written in the same hand and:

"We expect \$200 for you. B. F. C."

In the two previous visits to the house the burglar had stolen several valuable pictures and more than \$400 worth of silverware.

Miss Grossman's injuries are not believed to be dangerous.

Credited To Mr. Johnson.

"There was an attorney down in my state," says Representative Johnson of South Carolina, "who was rough on witnesses, never hesitating to give them severe raps whenever they failed to testify just about as he wanted them to. One day he met his match in a testy young lady whom he was examining. She had answered his questions in a way anything but satisfactory to him, and finally, his wrath being up he said:

"Young woman, there's enough of brass in your face to make a five-gallon kettle.

"And sap enough in your head to fill it," quickly snapped the witness.

"This experience almost cured Mr. Attorney of hard knocks at witnesses, but he was always known after that as sap-head."

Georgia All Right.

Washington Post.

J. P. Williams, of Savannah, Ga., who is at the New Willard has for years been recognized as one of the leading business men of Georgia's beautiful and historic seaport. He is president and chief owner of the Georgia, Florida and Alabama railroad and is at the head of one of the most important firms in the south dealing in naval stores a business in which Savannah leads all other towns. "Our heated gubernatorial campaign," said Mr. Williams, "seems to have been prematurely sprung, and as it now consists chiefly of a wordy conflict between Messrs. Smith and Howell, there is a probability that the voters may tire of both these candidates and choose a South Georgia man that section of the state being, in fact, entitled to the office. We have plenty of good men in our section and two of the highest calibre—Col. Estill the veteran Savannah journalist, and Representative Brantley, of Brunswick. Either of these would make a first-rate governor, and as between them there will be none of the asperities and recriminations which have sadly marred the rival candidacies of the Atlanta aspirants.

"Georgia has no complaint to make these days, seeing that the old state is enjoying a greater share of prosperity than at any time since the landing of General Oglethorpe. Of course, we have our quota of agitators, who think that the railroads and other corporations are robbing them and that congress should pass drastic laws against the hated capitalists. These arguments always appeal to certain classes, but nowadays the great majority of citizens are too intelligent to be influenced

by such demagogical sophistry. The south stands in need of men who will bring in their capital and invest it resources. The radical and confiscatory program that some of these alleged patriots are using would, if adopted, be the worst blow that ever struck the south for it would arrest the most remarkable movement in the way of growth and productive enterprise that has been witnessed in our generation."

The Way To Make Tea.

While drinking a cup of the Tetley's tea at the Little-Long company's store, the other day, the reporter realized what the demonstrator, Miss Morris, meant when she said, "It all depended upon the brand of tea used and the way in which it is brewed.

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"Always use one teaspoonful, the most, tea to every pint of boiling water.

"Always stir the leaf before straining the tea from it.

"Always strain the tea three minutes after pouring on the freshly boiled water.

"If the housekeepers of Charlotte would call and sample the tea that I make they would soon become tea drinkers."

Where The Sea Disappears.

Philadelphia Bulletin.

A Philadelphia girl was recently overtaken and drowned by the incoming tide on the west coast of France. A transplanted Breton said of this fatality:

"Can you, who see your own tides crawl in at the rate of ten feet or so an hour, imagine tides racing like wild white horses up the flat sands at the rate of half a mile a minute?"

"The extraordinary flatness of our Breton coast gives us these phenomenal tides. The sea does not rise and fall. It appears and disappears. You have a vast and flat plain of sand. At a set hour the sea rushes in, white, wild, submerging this vast plain. At a set hour an unseen hand sucks back the waters—back thirty, forty, fifty miles—and nothing is visible but the plain of pale sand again.

"Woe unto such as walk on this desolate plain when the tide begins to rise, for they must drown! Nothing can save them."

LAND SALES.

On Saleday, in October, 1905, at 11 o'clock a. m., we will sell at public auction in front of the court house, about 350 acres of land, of the estate of Mrs. Sibbie D. Cromer, deceased, by authority given us in her will, the same to be sold in four tracts, plats of which will be exhibited at the sale and may be seen before that time upon application.

Terms of Sale: One half of the purchase money to be paid in cash and balance in one year, with interest from day of sale, with leave to anticipate payment of the credit portion in whole or in part, the credit portion to be secured by note and mortgage of the premises, with stipulation for 10 per cent attorney's fees if placed in the hands of a lawyer for collection. Purchaser to pay for papers.

John A. Cromer,
I. M. Smith,
Executors of Sibbie D. Cromer.

CITIZENS MEETING.

A meeting of the citizens of Newberry county is hereby called for the first Monday in October with a view to taking some steps toward seeing that the law against the sale of liquor is properly enforced. Every citizen is cordially invited to attend and take part in the deliberations, whether he was for or against the dispensary in the late election. The meeting will be held in the courthouse immediately after the adjournment of the Cotton Growers' association.

W. I. Herbert,
Chairman.

A Joke on The Doctor.

Harper's Weekly.

A Baltimore physician says that recently he boarded a Charles street car that was sadly overcrowded. He soon observed a big German sprawled over an area sufficient to seat two persons at least, while just in front of him stood a poor wan woman hanging to a strap. Indignant at this exhibition of selfishness on the part of the German, the physician tapped him on the shoulder, saying:

"See here! Why don't you move a little, so that this tired woman may

have a seat?"

For a moment the German looked dazed. Then a broad smile spread over his countenance as he answered:

"Say, dot's a joke on you, all right! Dot's my wife!"

Dr. R. M. Kennedy,
DENTIST.

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