

**MURDER AT BAMBERG.**

**Two Railroad Guards Brutally Slain While at Watch.**

Aiken, Aug. 30.—When the dead body of Ready Booth was brought here today, the brutal murder of Ready Booth, of Aiken, and Eugene Feaster, of Graniteville, the two guards at watch over the C. and W. C., slain at 5 o'clock this morning by a party of men supposed by some here to be strikers, it caused a rousing sense of indignation in Aiken. Young Ready Booth was only twenty-one years old, and graduated two years ago from the Aiken Institute. He was known in his native town of Aiken as a quiet, happy-hearted youth, who would harm no one. Eugene Feaster was thirty-five years old and married, and a father. The men were shot from ambush near Brook's branch as they walked

down the railroad track towards the car shops. Young Booth was shot in the back, and after falling was kicked about the head in a frightful manner. He died at 8:15 o'clock this morning after being taken to the Morning Hospital in Augusta. Feaster was horribly mangled, his body bearing a number of shots from different calibre weapons. Knife wounds and a fearful thrust from a bayonet were also found on his body. The head was a mass of clogged blood, where his mouth and face had been beaten in by his brutal slayers. Upon hearing the shots, two other guards hurried to the scene of the shooting, and saw a half-dozen men dash off toward Augusta from Hamburg. Before dying Booth told his father that he could identify two of his assailants if they were brought before him. Solicitor Gunter, Deputy Sheriff Robinson and other officials visited the scene of the killing this morning. Deputy Robinson is now on the trail of the men, it is said, who returned over the Savannah river to Carolina.

**From Hilton's Friends.**

We the friends of R. H. Hilton desire to express to the voters of Kershaw County our sincere thanks for the handsome vote accorded him in Tuesday's primary, and to bespeak for him your very careful consideration in the run over primary on the 12th. He is a young man with liberal education, excellent habits and is eminently qualified to represent the people. He believes in economy, tax reduction and revision and is not tied to any man's coat tail. He believes that our commissioners should be elected by a vote of the people, and he will not be bossed or dictated to by any man or any clique.

Let us assure his election.

Some of his Friends.

**A Card of Thanks.**

I take this method of returning thanks to the voters of the southern portion of Wateree Township for the handsome majority given me in last Tuesday's election, reflecting me to the office of magistrate.

Respectfully,  
G. E. HINSON.

Blaney, S. C., August 31st.

**A Card From Judge McDowell.**

To the Voters of Kershaw County: The handsome support accorded me in the first primary is very gratifying indeed and I wish to take this method of expressing my sincere appreciation to all for their endorsement of my services as Judge of Probate.

Faithfully,  
W. L. McDOWELL,

Judge of Probate.

**Card of Thanks.**

I thank you for the support you gave me on August 29th. I am proud of the support you gave me and I shall always strive to do my duty in private and public life and work for the best interests of Kershaw County according to my belief.

Yours respectfully,  
S. WYLIE HOGUE.

**Thanks the Voters.**

To the Voters of Kershaw County: I am taking this method to express to you my appreciation of the very handsome vote that you gave me Tuesday in my race for Auditor. I am in the second race and will thank you in advance for your continued support in the second primary to be held September 12th.

Yours to win,  
B. E. SPARROW.

**A Card From Judge Russell.**

I wish to take this opportunity to express my sincere thanks to the voters of our county, as well as to my friends in Camden, who gave me such a flattering vote here in Camden. I have conducted my campaign on a high plane. As I lacked a few votes of being elected, I will have to make the second race for reelection to the office of County Auditor. I trust my friends throughout the county will again support me. I will greatly appreciate what they do in my behalf.

Yours sincerely,  
W. F. RUSSELL.

**From Mr. Funderburk.**

To the Democratic Voters of Kershaw County: I heartily appreciate the flattering vote given me for the office of Senator in the first primary and hope my friends will give me their loyal support in the second primary in order that I may be of real service to Kershaw county in an impartial way. If elected I will not cripple our roads and will work for the betterment of our schools.

I am opposed to the old supervisor system and am opposed to the appointment of any of the commissioners. No eleventh hour falsehoods will change me. If elected I will be the same man that stumped the county in behalf of the rights of the people and a just and clean government.

Respectfully,  
L. O. FUNDERBURK.

**From Mr. Munn.**

To the Voters of Kershaw County: I wish to thank you through the columns of The Chronicle for the handsome vote given me for Representative in Tuesday's primary. I shall ever remember you, kind friends, for that handsome vote and will ask that you please help me again in the second primary. I favor one commissioner from each Township and one at large, all to be elected by the people of Kershaw county. I also favor biennial sessions of the Legislature. Again thanking you, my friends, one and all, for that handsome vote you gave me, I am,

Yours very respectfully,  
J. B. MUNN.

**FORD TO CLOSE PLANT.**

**Motor Plant to Shut Down in September With Large No. Men Affected.**

Detroit, Aug. 28.—Industry the country over "must throw up its hands in surrender," within a few weeks if the rail and coal strikes continue, Henry Ford declared today in announcing the decision of the Ford Motor Company to close its plants here and in many other cities on September 16 because of the fuel situation.

Mr. Ford held financial interests responsible for the industrial tie-up declaring the "money barons" were manipulating the labor unions and that public officials, state and national were impotent in the crisis.

The strikes would end, he continued, "when the majority of the people are cold and hungry enough to resort to drastic action."

"Continuous of these disturbances to the economic life of the nation is due simply to the greed and avarice of Wall street," Mr. Ford asserting that these interests, "dominated the railroads, coal mines, and public utilities of the country. The deadlock in strike negotiations indicated, he declared, the existence of "a plot to unload the demoralized and run down railroads on the government at their own price and to mulct the people through excessive coal prices."

One hundred and five thousand employes of the Ford Motor company throughout the country will be without jobs after September 16.

In addition several hundred thousand other workers employed in industries furnishing materials for the Ford plant will be affected. Henry Ford gave these figures today in announcing that his three big motor plants located in Detroit suburbs and his assembling plants throughout the country would be closed on that date, because of the coal shortage.

The announcement was the most severe blow that industrial Detroit has sustained since the industrial depression of two years ago.

It means, according to Mr. Ford, that 75,000 men employed in the Highland, River Rouge and Dearborn plants of the company here will be without work.

Thirty thousand others now working in the various assembling plants scattered throughout the country also will be thrown out of employment.

How long the machinery in the Ford plants is to be stilled will depend entirely upon the coal supply of the future, the Detroit manufacturer said. The statement issued by Mr. Ford announcing the proposed shutdown was the story of his losing fight during the last few months to insure a fuel supply sufficient to keep his workers at their machines.

Mr. Ford declared he "had not the remotest idea" when the plants could be reopened. It was announced that the normal daily consumption of coal in the Ford industries was 3,500 tons and although declining to state the amount on hand at this time, officials said it would be impossible to do more "than keep the furnaces and ovens warm." Only a comparatively small number of the employees of the Ford plants will be retained in service during the shutdown it was announced. Crews sufficient to keep the furnaces warm will be held, however. Mr. Ford's statement in part follows:

"The coal situation has become impossible. For the last several weeks we have seen a situation approaching that we feared would force us to close. We greatly regret having to take this step.

"We wish to keep enough coal on hand to keep our furnaces and ovens warm; to let them get cold would cause us a loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars. At the rate we are getting coal now, September 16 will mark the time when we will have only enough coal left to keep our furnaces and ovens warm.

"Our reserve stock by that time will have been completely exhausted. We, therefore, will close down the entire plant on September 16.

"Last night we wired 900 houses that supply us with material to stop shipment and this morning letters and telegrams were sent out to about 1,000 more.

"We appreciate the great loss it will mean to these hundreds of supply houses, but it also will mean a tremendous loss to us. At present we are producing 5,200 cars a day, and we are doing a greater business than ever before in our history."

"Effect of the Ford shut-down will be felt on industry in every part of the country, according to officials of the company. The number of workers employed by firms supplying the Ford company with various parts estimated at from several hundred thousand to three million."

Announcement was made recently that Mr. Ford had installed oil burning furnaces at one of his plants as an experiment and the hope was held by many workmen that the Ford company could weather the coal shortage.

It developed today, however, that only two furnaces in the machine shops had been converted into oil burners.

The Ford plants, in the aggregate, constitute Michigan's greatest industry, from the standpoint of employment and as such are among the largest in the country.

Business men and manufacturers here were unanimous that the closing of these plants might have far-reaching effects on the national economic situation.

**From Mr. W. R. Hough.**

To the Democratic Voters of Kershaw County:

My deep gratitude moves me to express to you my deep appreciation for the very fine vote you gave me on Tuesday and which places me in the second race for the State Senate. I shall not forget this expression of confidence, and I trust that my friends will redouble their efforts for the coming election on the 12th. I am in the hands of my friends for I realize that without them I could do but little. I am making this race independent of any faction or clique and I propose to fight clean all the way through. I am sure that my friends will not indulge in personalities. I have served you before as you know and my record is before you. I stand for progress, but also for rigid economy in our government, both County and State, and for everything that looks to the betterment of conditions and the advancement of our people.

I thank you again, and I trust that you will make me your Senator for the next four years.

Respectfully,  
W. R. HOUGH.

**From Mr. Richards.**

To the Democratic Voters of Kershaw County:

I thank you for the splendid vote you gave me on the 29th, and ask for your support in the next primary. I am opposed to our present form of county government and am in favor of one commissioner from each Township, to be voted for by the Township and one at large, to be voted for by the county at large.

Very respectfully,  
N. S. RICHARDS.

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**Liquor Causes Death.**

Florence, Aug. 30.—Zack Wines, a negro, died in a hospital here last night, as a result of injuries received when an automobile in which he and another negro and a white man were riding, was struck by an Atlantic Coast Line passenger train at Wild's Crossing, near Cheraw, yesterday. Henry

Hancock, the white man, was instantly killed. Lloyd Spencer who is in the hospital here for treatment will recover. He stated today that all three were drinking, and that Hancock was beating him over the head at the time he attempted to cross the railroad tracks with fatal results. Hancock left a widow. He was from Society Hill.

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