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Two men were wounded, one probably fatally, when Miss Maxine Allen entered a Chicago restaurant Tuesday and began firing at George Ringinberger, her former sweetheart, who had jailed her. Ringinberger escaped by diving under a table.

BETHUNE NEWS NOTES

Happenings of Interest as Told By Our Regular Correspondent

Bethune, Oct. 12.—Mr. H. D. McQuage, a well-to-do citizen of this place, died rather suddenly at his residence on last Thursday morning, October 6. For six years he had been in failing health, but was sitting in his chair, having eaten his breakfast as usual, when he was stricken and died within a few minutes.

Mr. McQuage moved to Bethune from McBee about ten years ago and had lived most of his life in Chesterfield county. He was twice married; his first wife was Miss Alice Gardner of the Union section who died a number of years ago; his second wife, who survives him, was Mrs. Ruth Elliott of Kentucky. He is also survived by two sons, Bruce a son of his first marriage and August a son of the present wife; two step children, Mrs. Myers of North Carolina and Earl Elliott of Virginia, and a sister, Mrs. Fannie Antry of Red Springs, N. C. and one brother, Ferris McQuage of McBee.

Mr. McQuage was a member of the Methodist church and his funeral services were conducted by Revs. F. P. Hucks, W. V. Jerman and J. A. Graham, the later being pastor of Union church at which cemetery Mr. McQuage was buried beside his first wife. The pall bearers were, Messrs. John Copeland, Arthur Cassidy, Lem Horton, C. C. Pate, J. M. Clyburn and Loring Davis.

Miss Mary Arthur's Sunday school class gave her a pleasant surprise one evening last week by gathering at her home for a little party. These young misses served refreshments and also presented Miss Arthur with gifts as a token of their esteem for her who had been their teacher for several years. Later in the evening



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¶ One of the big items of expense, which consumes several million dollars of the money paid us, is taxes.

¶ Out of every \$100 of gross revenue received last year \$9.50 was paid to the tax collectors of the cities, counties, states and federal government. This was equal to \$7.50 for each telephone in service during the year.

¶ Taxes are necessary for the proper administration of our local and federal governments and every patriotic citizen expects to pay his share. But the tax bill of your telephone company has mounted to such proportions as to present a serious problem that concerns the subscriber as well as ourselves, for taxes are operating expenses and must be paid with money we collect for service.

¶ Our taxes have increased 355 per cent since 1916, while the average investment in service has increased but 153 per cent. And, as you know, the rates you are asked to pay for service have moved up but slightly as compared with the enormous increase in taxes, wages and other factors necessary for rendering high grade telephone service.

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PROJECTS TO BE LET

Kershaw County To Be Included in Latest Highway Bids

Columbia, Oct. 9.—Sealed bids for the construction of over 90 miles of highways in Spartanburg, Saluda, Kershaw, Dorchester, Greenwood, Colleton and Union counties, on nine projects, will be opened publicly here on the morning of October 25, by the state-highway department.

In addition, bids on the construction of five bridge projects including the bridging of the Savannah river between McCormick and Augusta, Ga., will be opened. Bids will be on the following projects:

The construction in Saluda county of 10.018 miles of route 24 between Saluda and the Greenwood county line.

The construction in Kershaw county of 10.605 miles of route 26 from the Wateree river to the city limits of Camden and from the city limits of Camden to the Sumter line near Rembert.

The construction in Dorchester county of 9.444 miles of route 2 between the end of the paving near Summerville and extending toward Harleyville.

The construction in Dorchester county of 12.888 miles of route 2, ending at Harleyville and extending southward.

The construction in Greenwood county of 7.98 miles of route 21, beginning at the city limits of Greenwood, via Blakedale and Hodges to the end of Federal aid project 195-B, near Hodges.

The construction in Colleton county of 18 miles of route 30 between a Hodges to the end of Federal aid project 195-B, near Colleton county of 18 miles of route 30 between a point near Hendersonville and the Combehee river bridge near Yemassee.

The construction in Saluda county of 12.88 miles of route 2, and 24 in the town of Saluda.

The construction in Kershaw county of 11.558 miles of United States route 1 between the Richland county line and the Wateree river bridge.

The construction in Union county of 9.613 miles of routes 9 and 11, beginning approximately 3.6 miles south of Jonesville and extending through Jonesville to the Spartanburg county line on route 9.

The construction in Spartanburg county of 6.632 miles of route 10 between Woodruff and Moore.

The construction in Charleston and Georgetown counties of the steel superstructures and floor on a swing span of the Santee river bridge on route 70.

The construction in York county of an overhead bridge over the Seaboard Air Line tracks near Spence on route 5.

The construction in Greenville county of a reinforced concrete bridge and a reinforced concrete culvert on route 21.

The construction in Columbia county, Georgia, and McCormick county of a reinforced concrete and structural steel bridge over the Savannah river between Augusta, Ga., and McCormick.

The construction in Kershaw county of two reinforced concrete bridges and two reinforced concrete culverts.

Chinese Barred From White Schools

Jackson, Miss., Oct. 10.—Native born Chinese were barred from white schools in Mississippi by a ruling handed down by the Mississippi supreme court today.

The court, ruling in the case of W. F. Bond, state superintendent of education, against Joe Tin-tung, an adult, and Joe Tin-lun, a minor, said that friction, disorder and general unhappiness would be occasioned if efforts were made to associate the Caucasian race with the colored race in Mississippi schools.

Miss Arthur served home made candy.

The school improvement Association held its regular monthly meeting at the high school auditorium on last Wednesday afternoon. Apart from the business of the association, the program consisted of two readings, one by Miss Eddie Branham and another given by Miss Sarah McGee and a speech by Supt. J. C. Foster. Sandwiches and iced tea were served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Severance and Mrs. Elva Morgan visited their sons, Lavin Severance and Lee Morgan, who are freshmen at Davidson college, on last Saturday.

Misses Stella Bethune and Helen Snellgrove spent the week end in Lancaster, the guests of Miss Mildred Billings.

Mr. D. T. Yarboro, accompanied by his family has recently been to Columbia to visit his daughter Mrs. Margaret Marion who is in the Columbia hospital convalescing from a surgical operation.

Mrs. A. K. McLaurin and Mrs. Love Hearon have been visiting Misses Mary Louise McLaurin and Malloy Hearon at Chicoro college.

Miss Sarah McGee, a teacher in the high school, spent the week end in Columbia.

VETERANS DAY AT FAIR

In Spartanburg For Those Who Served in War with Spain

Spartanburg, S. C. Oct. 11.—Veterans of the war with Spain have been invited by Epton-Roper Camp No. 3, United Spanish war veterans to attend a barbecue at Spartanburg Wednesday, October 26. That day has been designated as Spanish Veterans' Day at the Spartanburg county fair.

Commander S. Frank Parrott, of the department of South Carolina, has called his staff and the camp commanders and their staffs to meet him in Spartanburg on that date, and at 3 o'clock in the afternoon a meeting will be held at a place to be announced where matters of legislation will be taken up.

The state of South Carolina has \$6,964.01 which was appropriated by the federal government for Spanish Veterans, which has never been delivered to them, and Hon. J. R. McCarl, comptroller general of the United States, has made a demand for the amount to be refunded to the federal treasury. Congress will be asked to reappropriate the amount for a Spanish Veterans' memorial of some kind.

South Carolina has never passed any legislation for Spanish Veterans, while the laws Massachusetts has passed for her Veterans will fill a book. The state legislature may be asked to pass some beneficial legislation.

Commander Parrott invites any Spanish Veteran who is interested to attend the meeting. He announces that he has blanks for establishing the right of Spanish Veterans to hospitalization for any veteran who will apply for them, addressing him at Spartanburg.

DeKalb News

Mrs. N. B. Workman, Mrs. Nye Workman and Mr. Boyd Workman spent last Wednesday in Sumter.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Truesdale and little son Sam Jr. spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Jones. The occasion being the joint birthday dinner of Mesdames, Truesdale and Jones.

Mr. J. J. Owens and son Ralph spent Monday night in the Truesdale community with relatives. They enjoyed a "possum" hunt, and report a jolly good time and the capture of a nice one.

G. C. Jr. and William Rush of Lugoff spent Saturday with their aunt Mrs. Sam Truesdale.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Owens and daughter Mildred motored to Lugoff Saturday afternoon to call on the latter's sister Mrs. Grover C. Rush. Mrs. Lewis of Camden, spent last week with her daughter Mr. S. L. Clyburn.

Mrs. G. R. Truesdale of the Truesdale community was a Wednesday afternoon visitor of Mrs. Sam Truesdale.

The friends of Mrs. C. P. Bradley will be sorry to learn that she is sick.

The DeKalb Home Demonstration Club met at the school house Tuesday, all the members were present after the program Miss Burgess demonstrated basket making.

Mrs. N. B. Workman had as her house guest last week, her niece Miss Spencer, of Spencer N. C.

Spender Steibalt, boatswain's mate of the U. S. coast guard station at Cape May, N. J., is in a critical condition from attempting to shoot himself through the heart on Wednesday. He brooded over the possibility of being court-martialed because a boat in his charge was damaged during a storm.

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Just then an old lady in the rear of the church, who was visibly annoyed by the length of the sermon, arose, saying: "You can give him my seat. I'm going home."

By the first of September transatlantic fliers had won \$40,000 in prize money and were competing for an additional \$75,000.

To Have Hot Supper

There will be a hot supper at the home of Mrs. R. B. Elliott on Wednesday evening, October 14, at eight o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. The proceeds will go to the benefit of the new church erected at Mount Pisgah.

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