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Detailed information concerning this attractive trip can be had upon application to Dr. Joseph Broughton, Fourth National Bank bldg., Atlanta, Ga., or Mr. C. D. Wayne, assistant General Passenger Agent, Seaboard Air Line Railway, Atlanta, Ga.

CALLING ON GIRL WAS SHOT.

Aiken Boy Shot by Another as he Enters Front Gate.

Aiken, Feb. 9.—Will Carter, a young white boy about 17 years of age, lies dangerously wounded at his home in Langley, and another young white boy, about 16 years of age, is in jail, charged with the shooting.

From information that could be gathered this morning it seems that Walter Cowens and Will Carter were in love with the same young lady, who was about their age, or younger, and that Cowens, taking exception to the attention being paid her by Will Carter, shot Carter in the back and side. Cowens boards at a home in Burnett town, and it was at this house that Carter was calling. He started there last night, and about 8 o'clock opened the gate and started in. Cowens seeing him coming, picked up a shotgun and fired at Carter. This load took effect in the side and back. Carter was only about ten yards from Cowens when the shot was fired, and the wound is a very serious one. Last night the wounded boy was resting well as could be expected.

Cowens fled, but was located in Bath by Rural Policeman Busbee and brought to Aiken and lodged in jail. Cowens in jail here today was interviewed by The News and Courier correspondent. He says that Carter had been threatening him for the past few days, and that on Tuesday night had made threats at him as if to draw his pistol; that he saw him coming into the house last night, and that he picked up his gun and fired at him. He says he shot Carter in the back, just he was latching the gate. He also said that Carter was mad with him about a young lady.

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HE HAD A THOUGHT

"If there's anything a man dislikes," said young Bailey Yarger, "it is artificiality in a woman! What he likes is a wide-souled honesty in looks as well as in manners! You can always tell the real thing!"

"Of course," agreed Winnie Hill admiringly. Winnie always made a hit by her promptness in agreeing with masculine opinions as laded out by the men themselves. She was very pretty—after a rich and brilliant fashion—and she and young Bailey Yarger were engaged to be married.

"That's what first attracted me to you," Yarger went on, admiringly. "A fellow can't help but admire genuineness when he meets it."

"Three of my puffs are just plinned on," Winnie reminded him, virtuously. She looked pathetic as she said it and he patted her shoulder encouragingly.

"Oh, well," he reassured her, "if that's the style in hairdressing you're not to blame! You just do as others do and it's no fault of yours! What I can't understand is why women think they fool any one! A blind man can detect a drug-store complexion a block away, and as for the ruby hair or the glittering golden locks they turn out while you wait—if you've got the price—well, all I've got to say is if a wife of mine made such a goose of herself I don't believe I ever could think the same of her again!"

"Of course not," agreed Winnie Hill. "You've got too much sense!"

"They can't fool me!" said Yarger, grimly. "I've got my eyes open as much as the next one, haven't I, little girl?"

"You're terribly smart," Winnie murmured, still admiringly. "I always wonder, when I stop to think about it, what you ever saw in me to make you fall in love with me!"

"I couldn't help doing it," explained Yarger, fondly. "I guess you're as smart as I am any day of the week when it comes to that! And did you ever look in the glass?"

"I don't like to be flattered," Winnie reminded him, pouting in the manner which means that a woman likes it very much, indeed. "I don't like to think it's just my looks—"

"It isn't," protested Yarger. "I'm not saying that they don't help! It's kind of nice to have the girl you fall in love with a mighty good looker, besides being everything else that's nice. And your face is real!"

"You'll make me vain in a minute," Winnie said, sweetly. She regarded him seriously with pensive brown eyes. "I guess women like men," she added, irrelevantly, "because they're so child-like! The nicer they are the more juvenile they seem to be!"

"How old am I then?" Yarger inquired.

"Oh," Winnie told him, meditatively, with her head on one side, "you're about 2½, I think!"

For some days afterward Miss Hill appeared thoughtful. Something seemed to have dampened her spirits. Yarger wondered about it helplessly. One night when he called to take her to the theater he observed as she descended the stairs that she seemed actually solemn.

"Don't you feel well?" he inquired solicitously as she walked over toward the mantel mirror.

She made no answer, but opened her silver mesh bag and with deliberation extracted several articles which she carefully laid on the mantel shelf. Leaning forward, she proceeded to do something at which Yarger, watching her, gasped.

Winnie looked around with the eyebrow pencil in her fingers. "You see," she said casually, "my eyebrows grow so very dark and thick at the start and then dwindle out to nothing from the middle to the other end that I have to help them out. Otherwise I'd look like a freak. There—how's that?"

Apparently she did not observe his stupefied silence. She went on with her work. "I've such a lot of color as a usual thing," she murmured, "that if I happen to be a little pale I look dreadful and then I dab it on gently! It's a new kind and really it doesn't show! When I have a cold in the head, as I have tonight, I always look washed out. And"—Miss Hill turned and faced Yarger defiantly—"and I loath gray hair! When mine begins to turn I'm going to dye it if it takes the last cent in the family treasury! If you can't detect it any more readily than you've detected my occasional rouge and my poor little eyebrow pencil I don't see that it'll do any hurt, so there, now!"

"It—it was your childlike trust that made me tell you, Bailey! I couldn't bear to go on deceiving you! And now—if you can't love me any more wh'why, just say so!"

Yarger recovered himself. "You may paint yourself purple, green and blue if you want to Winnie!" he said, heroically. "Somehow my affection doesn't seem blighted a particle! I guess it makes a difference who the girl happens to be! But to think I never noticed!"

"That," said Winnie, putting away her handkerchief, "is because you are a man, you darling!"

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"Quite true," replied the gilded youth. "But you shouldn't reproach me for that. Speak to grandfather."

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FINAL SETTLEMENT. Take notice that on the 28th day of February, I will render a final account of my acts and doings as Administratrix of the estate of E. L. Metz, deceased, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Laurens county, at 11 o'clock, a. m., and on the same day will apply for a final discharge from my trusts as Administratrix. Any person indebted to said estate are notified and required to make payment on that date; and all persons having claims against said estate will present them on or before said date, duly proven or be forever barred. Alice M. Metz, Administratrix. January 25, 1911.—1 mo.

FINAL SETTLEMENT. Take notice that on the 27th day of February, we will render a final account of our acts and doings as Executors of the estate of J. R. Switzer, deceased, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Laurens county, at 11 o'clock, a. m., and on the same day will apply for a final discharge from our trusts as Executors. Any person indebted to said estate are notified and required to make payment on that date; and all persons having claims against said estate will present them on or before said date, duly proven or be forever barred. J. M. Shell, Louise Cannon, Executors. January 25, 1911.—1 mo.

FINAL SETTLEMENT. Take notice that on the 23rd day of February, I will render a final account of my acts and doings as Administrator of the estate of W. H. Garrett, deceased, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Laurens county, at 11 o'clock, a. m., and on the same day will apply for a final discharge from my trusts as Administrator. Any person indebted to said estate are notified and required to make payment on that date; and all persons having claims against said estate will deliver them on or before said date, duly proven, or be forever barred. C. W. Garrett, Administrator. January 18, 1911.—1 mo.

NOTICE OF THE County Treasurer

The Books of the County Treasurer will be opened for the collection of State, County and Commutation Road Taxes for fiscal year, 1910, at the Treasurer's Office from October 15th, to December 31st, 1910. After December 31st, one per cent. will be added. After January 31st, two per cent. will be added, and after February 28th, seven per cent. will be added till the 15th of March, 1911, when the books will be closed.

All persons owning property in more than one Township are requested to call for receipts in each of the several Townships in which the property is located. This is important, as additional cost and penalty may be attached.

All able bodied male citizens between the ages of 21 and 60 years of age are liable to pay a poll tax of \$1.00 except old soldiers, who are exempt at 50 years of age. Commutation Road Tax \$1.00, in lieu of road duty. Road Tax to be paid by the 1st day of March, 1911. Other taxes to be paid at the time as stated above.

The tax levy is as follows: For State purposes . . . . .5% mills For Constitutional School Tax 3 mills For Ordinary County purposes 3 mills For Interest on Railroad Bonds 1 mill For Roads and Bridge Bonds 3 mills For Court House Bonds . . . . .1 mill Total . . . . .16% mills

Special Schools—Laurens Township. Laurens No. 11 . . . . .6 mills Trinity Ridge No. 1 . . . . .4 mills Maddens No. 2 . . . . .2 mills Narnie No. 3 . . . . .2 mills Balleys No. 4 . . . . .2 mills Mills No. 5 . . . . .2 mills Oak Grove No. 6 . . . . .2 mills

Special Schools—Youngs Township. Youngs No. 2 . . . . .3 mills No. 4 . . . . .3 mills No. 5 . . . . .3 mills Fountain Inn No. 3B . . . . .10 mills Lanford No. 10 . . . . .2½ mills Ora No. 12 . . . . .2 mills

Special Schools—Dials Township. Green Pond No. 1 . . . . .3 mills Dials No. 2 . . . . .3 mills Shiloh No. 3 . . . . .2 mills Gray Court-Owings No. 5 . . . . .2 mills Barksdale No. 6 . . . . .2 mills Dials Church No. 7 . . . . .2 mills

Special Schools—Sullivan Township. Princeton No. 1 . . . . .3 mills Poplar Springs No. 5 . . . . .2 mills No. 4 . . . . .4 mills No. 5 . . . . .4 mills Tumbling Shoals No. 6 . . . . .2½ mills Brewerton No. 7 . . . . .3 mills Sullivan Township R R Bonds 4 mills

Special Schools—Waterloo Township. Waterloo No. 14 . . . . .3 mills Mt. Gallagher No. 1 . . . . .3 mills Bethlehem No. 2 . . . . .2 mills Ekum No. 3 . . . . .2 mills No. 4 . . . . .2 mills No. 5 . . . . .2 mills Mt. Pleasant No. 6 . . . . .2 mills Mt. Olive No. 7 . . . . .4 mills

Special Schools—Cross Hill Township. Cross Hill No. 13 . . . . .6 mills Cross Hill No. 1 . . . . .2 mills Cross Hill No. 2 . . . . .2 mills Cross Hill No. 4 . . . . .2 mills Cross Hill No. 5 . . . . .2 mills Cross Hill No. 6 . . . . .2 mills

Special Schools—Hunter Township. Mountville No. 16 . . . . .4½ mills Hunter No. 2 . . . . .2 mills Hunter No. 3 . . . . .2 mills Clinton No. 5 . . . . .3 mills Hunter No. 8 . . . . .3 mills

Special Schools—Jacks Township. Jacks No. 15 . . . . .3 mills Special Schools, Scuffletown Township. Scuffletown No. 1 . . . . .2 mills Lanford No. 19 . . . . .2½ mills Ora No. 12 . . . . .2 mills

Prompt attention will be given those who wish to pay their Taxes through the mail by check, money order, etc. Persons sending in lists of names to be taken off are requested to send them early; and give the Township of each, as the Treasurer is very busy during the month of December. J. D. MOCK, County Treasurer. Oct. 7th., 1910—1f.

Election Notice. A primary election for the nomination of candidates for Mayor and Aldermen for the city of Laurens is hereby ordered to be held on Tuesday, the 21st day of February, next, under the rules of the City Democratic Club. The boxes for wards 1, 2, 4, 5 and 6 will be at the city hall and box for ward 3 at or near Laurens Cotton Mill Store. The following named persons will act as managers for boxes at City Hall: Eugene V. Ferguson, Glover Peterson, B. M. Wolff. And the following named persons as managers for box at Laurens Cotton Mill Store: Nathan F. Curry, W. W. Blakely, J. E. Ledford.

The polls will open at 8 o'clock in the forenoon and close at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Only those persons whose names have been enrolled on the respective club lists, five days before the election, will be permitted to vote. R. E. Babb, Pres. W. L. Taylor, Sec.

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