

MINISTER HELD ON STORY TOLD BY YOUNG GIRL

Rev. Crawford Jackson Accused by Stenographer and Bound Over in Justice of Peace Court.

ADMITS KISSING GIRL AND OFFERING DRINK

Declares He Wanted Her to Take Drink in Order to Cure Headache—Girl Goes on Stand.

Accused of making improper advances by Miss Louvenia Durden his 15 year old stenographer Rev. Crawford Jackson secretary of the Juvenile Protective association and well known in every section of Georgia was bound over by Justice of the Peace C. H. Girardeau late yesterday afternoon. His bond was assessed at \$1,000 and this sum was furnished shortly after 10 o'clock last night.

His accuser the daughter of Dawson Durden a detention officer who lives at 432 Central avenue told in court a story of alleged advances she charged the minister with making while she was in his employ in his offices in the Third National bank building during the absence of her sister his regular stenographer who is now on a vacation.

Said Minister Embraced Her
One of her charges was that Rev. Mr. Jackson had kissed and embraced her and had offered her intoxicants which he himself had been drinking. The minister admitted having kissed the girl and having offered her drink explaining that his attitude towards her was that of a father and that he proposed that she drink in order to cure a headache from which she suffered.

This was on Thursday afternoon of last week after which she is said not to have returned to Rev. Jackson's office.

The accused minister was taken into custody Saturday afternoon upon the issuance of a warrant from Judge Girardeau's court. He accompanied an attaché of the justice court to the courtroom, where the trial proceeded at once. The only relatives of the girl present in court were her father, Dawson Durden, a detention officer, and her brother in law, Clyde Scarborough.

Warrant Is Issued.
The warrant was issued by the girl's father at the instigation of Scarborough who was among the first to learn the girl's story. Friday afternoon Scarborough visited Rev. Mr. Jackson's office after having heard of the alleged insult and upon talking with the minister gained the same admission which the divine made during the trial.

Scarborough stated on the stand that on Thursday afternoon the day the advances are said to have been made, he came into a room of the Durden home, at which he and his wife are living, and overheard the girl telling her story to Mrs. Scarborough, her sister. She feared telling her father or Scarborough, she said.

Scarborough informed her father with Saturday's trial as a result. The girl admitted the story explaining to her father that she was afraid he would do the minister physical harm if she told him. The Durdens and Rev. Mr. Jackson were friends of long standing. The latter having boarded with the Durden family frequently.

While her sister Sophronia who is Rev. Mr. Jackson's official stenographer was out of the city on her vacation, Louvenia had been employed in her place. She had been in the office only a few days, she stated, before the alleged advances were made.

Fatherly Feeling.
During the course of his statement the minister declared that he had often kissed his accuser while boarding at the home of her parents and had called her such endearing names as "sweetheart" and "dear." It was the fatherly feeling he held toward all children, he said which inspired his attitude toward the child.

I have clasped her to my bosom in the presence of her family he said.

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You Can't Get Something for Nothing

Two men met on Peachtree. "What are you doing these days?" asked number one. "Looking for a job." "Guess I'll have to advertise," replied number two. "Good chance to advertise right now. I see one of the papers is printing want ads free, and another is giving away automobiles."

"Yes, but I don't put much stock in this something for nothing business. If a paper is worth anything to its advertisers it has a right to charge for its space." "I think I'll put my ad in the Constitution. It is charging regular rates for its ads, and I know all the business men I've ever met in Atlanta read the Constitution every morning." "They know that the want ads in the Constitution mean something or people wouldn't pay to have them printed. I want a good job, and I'm going to advertise where men like that will see my ad." "Sounds reasonable, doesn't it?"

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TIME TO END HIS MISERLY DEBAUCH!



FATHER—DEAR FATHER—COME HOME TO US NOW—THE CLOCK IN THE TOWER STRIKES—32 DAYS

ALL IN READINESS FOR FRANK'S TRIAL MONDAY MORNING

Greatest Legal Battle in the History of Dixie Is the Prediction of Atlanta Attorneys

ATTORNEYS FOR STATE HOLD FINAL CONFERENCE

Representatives of Leo Frank Still Non-Committal About Report That Postponement May Be Asked

Practically every detail for the trial of Leo Frank has now been completed and with the state declaring its readiness and determination to go to trial and the defense maintaining its same silence in regard to the much mooted matter of postponement every thing awaits the calling of the case at 9 o'clock Monday morning in the criminal branch of superior court before Judge L. S. Roan.

In far more than one way the trial of the young factory superintendent for the murder on April 26 of Mary Phagan an employee, is expected to exceed any criminal trial in the south. Extensive preparations have been made by both the state and the defense since Frank was bound over by the coroner's jury on May 8 and since then the lines of the two armies which will fight the legal battle to determine his fate have been gradually thrown out and maneuvering has been going on for advantageous points.

Greatest Legal Battle.
When the clash actually comes in the court room Atlanta attorneys freely predict that the greatest legal battle of southern history will be seen. Solicitor Hugh M. Dorsey held a final conference Saturday afternoon with those who have been aiding him. Assistant Solicitor E. A. Stephens and Attorney Frank A. Hooper who will aid in the legal fight, were present, and also Detective Pat Campbell and John N. Starnes who have been practically attached to the solicitor's office during the preparation. At the close of the conference the solicitor announced that he had made every preparation, and would take a good rest today in order to be in physical readiness for the severe strain of next week. "Go home and sleep well tonight and go to church tomorrow" and pray that

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SEABOARD OFFICIALS HURT NEAR LILBURN

Their Gasoline Car Runs Into Hand Car Filled With Section Hands.

While making a curve on the Seaboard Air Line railroad near Lilburn Ga. in a gasoline car Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock T. H. Furman general trainmaster of the road located at Abbeville S. C. and W. H. Hardin chief inspector of transportation of Portsmouth Va. were thrown out of the car when the latter ran into a handcar filled with a section crew returning from work. Mr. Hardin was seriously injured internally and also suffered a fracture of the left hand and a dislocation of the right ankle. Mr. Furman was slightly injured about the face. Both were brought to Atlanta and carried to the Atlanta hospital Saturday night. No one else was injured. The party in the gasoline car were making a tour of inspection of the road from Athens to Atlanta when the affair happened. The car was demolished.

DEFENDING MOTHER, BOY SHOTS COUSIN

Athens Lad Says He Shot to Save Mother From Attack

Athens, Ga. July 26—(Special)—Roy Gunnels aged 16, shot and mortally wounded his cousin Lan Culverson aged 25 tonight at the Culverson home. Gunnels gave himself up to the police at once and declared that Culverson had come to his home in a state of intoxication and had attacked his mother, Mrs. L. L. Gunnels. Culverson was taken to the hospital with a bullet wound in his abdomen and physicians who examined him declared that he would probably live but a few hours. Gunnels was placed under arrest to await the outcome of the wound he made upon the lad.

WHITE MAN BEHEADED BY OKLAHOMA NEGROES

Pauls Valley Okla. July 26—Officers and citizens are combing the country in the vicinity of Tennepek, Okla. where four negroes killed a white man in an atrocious manner Friday night. The victim was A. G. Livingston who was selling watermelons at a negro picnic. He became involved in a dispute with four of his customers regarding payment for a melon. They threatened him and he ran after pursuing him for quarter of a mile. Livingston was caught, three of the negroes held him while a fourth drew a razor and severed his head from his body. They threw the body to one side of the road and fled.

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NAME OF THE NEGRO MAY BE WITHDRAWN

Reported President Didn't Know He Was Nominating Negro for Treasury Register.

By John Corrigan, Jr.
Washington July 26—(Special)—So emphatic have been the protests from southern congressmen against the president's nomination of Adam P. Patterson of Muskogee Okla. for register of the treasury that the nomination will probably be withdrawn.

There are a number of white employees—men and women—in the office of the register of the treasury and democrats have been eager that after sixteen years of waiting a white man should be appointed to this place.

Senator Vardaman of Mississippi, who immediately took up the fight against Patterson's nomination stated this afternoon that he understood the nomination was sent in by inadvertence, the president not knowing that the man was a negro. He predicted that the nomination would be withdrawn.

Patterson is a negro lawyer of Muskogee, Okla. He was endorsed by Senator Gore of Oklahoma, and was reported to have had the support of Senator Shafroth, of Colorado. He made a number of speeches for the democratic ticket in the last campaign. Senator Owen who lives in Muskogee, did not endorse Patterson and declines to comment upon the nomination.

Nomination to Be Fought
In addition to Senator Vardaman Senators Hoke Smith of Georgia, Tillman of South Carolina and others today expressed frank disapproval of the president's action. Patterson is a white man and the nomination of a negro to the office of the register of the treasury is a matter of great importance to the white people of the south. I shall use every effort to defeat the confirmation. Every senator from the south I have spoken to on the subject has expressed his intention of opposing the confirmation.

I made a trip to the white house to oppose the nomination and I also spoke with Secretary McAdoo concerning it. It seems that the appointment was made in view of Patterson's campaign activities in the interest of democracy. I don't think much of the policy that puts party obligations at the expense of the party or the greatest race on the globe.

To Fight Every Negro Appointment.
I shall fight every negro appointment that is made. If a colored recorder of deeds for the District of

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Blazing Bull Puts Fear of Hereafter Into Campmeeting

As Parson Preaches on Torment, Fiery Prodigy Appears and the Worshipers Scatter.

Millwood Ga. July 26—(Special)—Soon after Elias Griffin a prominent farmer of this vicinity had built a fire in his pen to bring the cows home the other day a big bull strode in. The animal had been rubbing against the tar face of a turpentine box and his head was covered with tar. When the bull saw the fire in the pen he took to the boldest no of hooking out the flames as an east side rowdy shoots out the lights. However when the bull commenced to but the fire his coat of tar caught afire and he dashed out of the pen while the smoke and flame poured from his head.

Now a dark camp meeting was going on in the vicinity and the eloquent brother of the platform was preaching upon the subject of torment and the fire and brimstone that was sure to be the lot of his auditors if they did not mend their ways. It happened that just as he was telling, this he and behold, through the trees could be seen a roll of smoke and fire thundering toward them with incredible swiftness. The colored apostles didn't await further details, but scattered like a swarm of bees in a sudden hailstorm.

TWO WOMEN INJURED BY DELIVERY WAGON

After Knocking Mrs. Dickerson and Mrs. Scoville Down, Driver Speeds On

Mrs. I. W. Dickerson of 21 Waverly way was badly cut and bruised about the head, and Mrs. E. L. Scoville, of 9 Waverly way, sustained a bruised arm, when they were run down by the unknown driver of a delivery wagon at Elizabeth street and DeKalb avenue about 7 30 o'clock Saturday night.

The driver, believed to have been a negro, dashed on without stopping to ascertain whether the women were hurt. Mr. Marbut, of 2 Elizabeth street and others who saw the driver succeeded in making good his escape. The women were taken to a private residence at 2 Elizabeth street, where Dr. E. B. Highsmith gave them medical attention. They were later removed to their homes. Call Officers Cochran and Shumate, from police headquarters, made an investigation, but were unable to locate the driver.

BURNS VESTMENTS AND PRAYER BOOK AND QUILTS CHURCH

Rev. Chas. S. Davidson, Formerly of Atlanta, Renounces Priesthood in Sensational Manner at Charlottesville.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH BITTERLY ATTACKED

Minister Says He is Leaving Church to Assert a Spiritual Democracy Against a Religious Aristocracy.

Charlottesville, Va. July 26—(Special)—At the gates of historic Monticello yesterday evening the Rev. Charles Steele Davidson, former pastor of St. Mark's Cleveland, Ohio Holy Apostles Brooklyn, Epiphany Atlanta, and assistant rector of Christ church this city, severed his connection with the Episcopal church by burning his vestments and prayer book.

Later in a written statement he caustically criticized the workings of the church which he has served for many years.

He Attacks the Church.
The statement reads: "I charge that the Episcopal church is the gentlemen church in general, and in Virginia, in particular it is powerfully financially and socially, stupid intellectually and spiritually dead that it needs a change of heart, repentance or utter obliteration. She favors the rich and the cultured and has no vital interest in the poor and the common. She either segregates the poor in missions or the back streets or relegates them in churches to the back pews."

"In Virginia the Episcopal church is a mere relic of the old social feudalism and stands for a dry-rotted conservatism that bars the progress of the kingdom. Virginia, after her long depression, is aroused and is marching on, but the church is slowly retreating to the citadel of tradition and materialism. It is taking up the matter of physical uncleanness and is leaving vile the inner man. It is wasting time on eugenics and putting no time on eugenics. It is contending with the ritualists about purity of worship when it has lost the spirit of worship. "Shut Through With Materialism." "The Episcopal Church everywhere."

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WHILE FLEEING U. S. OFFICIAL IS SHOT DOWN BY MEXICANS

Immigration Inspector Chas. Dixon Probably Fatally Wounded by a Squad of Huerta's Soldiers While on Business Trip to Juarez.

AMERICAN WAS FORCED TO RUN THE GAUNTLET BY HUERTA'S SOLDIERS

Other American Officials Crossed to Juarez to Get Dixon, But the Wounded Man Is Held by Soldiers. Secretary Bryan Says "It Looks Like a Serious Case."

"CASE LOOKS SERIOUS," SAYS SECRETARY BRYAN
Washington, July 26—"It looks like a serious case. We will do whatever is necessary," said Secretary Bryan tonight, when told of the shooting of Immigration Inspector Chas. Dixon by Mexican soldiers. President Wilson was also advised of the shooting, but made no comment.

El Paso, Texas, July 26—After arguing all afternoon with Colonel J. N. Vasquez of the Mexican federal army in Juarez, F. W. Berkshire, supervising inspector of the United States immigration service, Clarence G. Gately, inspector, Dr. J. H. Tappan, surgeon, and American Consul Thomas D. Edwards were unable to secure permission from the federal for the removal to an El Paso hospital of Charles E. Dixon, Immigration Inspector, who was shot, perhaps fatally, this afternoon by a squad of federal soldiers in the southern part of Juarez.

Dixon had been arrested by the soldiers and says he feared execution at their hands and tried to escape by running down an alley.

The federal authorities refused to allow the wounded American to be removed from the military hospital where he was taken. Federal soldiers guard the ward where Dixon lies, refusing admission to every one except Dr. Tappan. A Japanese male nurse is waiting on him. Dr. Tappan stated that Dixon is resting easily and has no fever.

Struck By Two Bullets.
One bullet entered just above Dixon's right hip and emerged at the front of his abdomen. Another struck his right foot.

The judge who is hearing the case, has taken the evidence of the complaining witnesses he says, and tonight Supervisor Berkshire is endeavoring to arrange a bond to enable Dixon's removal to El Paso.

The arrest of Dixon, the immigration men say was the result of a "frame-up" between a negro, Arthur Walker and certain soldiers stationed in Juarez. It is alleged that Walker had secured a warrant in advance of the appearance of Dixon to investigate a white slavery case today.

Weather Prophecy LOCAL THUNDER SHOWERS.

GEORGIA: Local thunderstorms Sunday and Monday.

LOCAL REPORT
Lowest temperature 70
Highest temperature 84
Mean temperature 77
Normal temperature 71
Rainfall in past 24 hours, in 51
Excess since last month, in 56
Deficiency since January 1, in 53

Reports from Various Stations.			
STATIONS AND WEATHER	Temp.	Bar.	Wind
	7 p. m.	High	Dir. & Sp.
Atlanta, cloudy	74	84	51
Atlantic City, pt. c.	72	80	00
Baltimore, clear	75	83	00
Birmingham, pt. c.	84	88	00
Brownsville, pt. c.	82	88	00
Buffalo, clear	76	82	00
Charleston, pt. cldy	82	86	00
Chicago, clear	82	86	00
Denver, pt. cldy	74	88	01
Galveston, clear	82	86	00
Hatteras, clear	78	80	173
Helena, cloudy	58	60	00
Jacksonville, clear	78	90	05
Kansas City, cldy	76	86	00
Knoxville, cldy	76	82	16
Louisville, cloudy	82	86	00
Memphis, cloudy	78	88	00
Miami, clear	82	88	00
Mobile, cloudy	80	84	01
New Orleans, cldy	80	88	00
New York, clear	70	78	00
Oklahoma, cloudy	82	78	00
Portland, clear	82	86	00
Pittsburg, clear	80	84	00
Portland, pt. cldy	72	72	00
Raleigh, clear	76	77	05
San Diego, pt. cldy	68	72	01
San Francisco, cldy	62	84	00
St. Paul, clear	88	92	01
Salt Lake City, p. c.	74	78	00
Seattle, clear	70	70	00
Shreveport, clear	80	84	00
Spokane, clear	82	82	00
Tampa, pt. cldy	80	90	00
Toledo, clear	71	82	00

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