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OHIO MOB HANGS DETECTIVE

LYNCHING RESULT OF RAID ON
ALLEGED BLIND PIG IN
NEWARK, OHIO

JAIL TORN TO PIECES

Following Anti-Saloon League Raid on Restaurant, Trouble Starts that Ends in Death of Proprietor—Detective for League Fired Shot—Hurried to Jail Where Mob Assemblies—Beggars Piteously for Life.

Newark, Ohio, July 9.—Sheriff Link-eim, with his deputies, is today searching for ringleaders of a mob which last night lynched Carl Etherington aged 22. He was a detective employed by the anti-saloon league. The lynchings were unmasked and arrests are momentarily expected. A special jury will be called to consider the case.

Revolution feeling is great, following the disgraceful occurrence. As a result, orders for troops are countermanded.

Sheriff Is Censured.

Adjutant General Weybrecht openly censured the sheriff. "Lynching in densely populated states like Ohio, with troops scattered over it, is absolutely inexcusable" he said today. The lynching was the outgrowth of an attempt by the league to show the presence of a blind pig in Licking county, which is dry.

They raided the Last Chance restaurant, and during the melee, William Howard, former chief of police, who owned the restaurant, tried to detain Etherington who shot and killed him. Etherington was hurried to the jail, and the howling mob soon surrounded the place. Two hours later they got the prisoner.

Begged for His Life.

Prisoners in the jail say that Etherington begged the sheriff to call troops, but the sheriff laughed and said the mob was only "bluffing," and would not dare storm the jail. When rams began breaking through the door, the prisoners declare the man tried to strangle himself with his coat, but not succeeding, set the garment afire, but it only singed his face. He begged for life piteously as the mob dragged him to a trolley pole.

KERN FACES HARD STRUGGLES

ROOSEVELT CAN SWING TEN
THOUSAND IN ONE SPEECH

Teddy's Following in Indiana so Great
That Beveridge Smiles.

Indianapolis, July 9.—One speech by Theodore Roosevelt is equivalent to 10,000 votes, according to political managers of Beveridge, in his campaign for re-election to the senate. They predict Kern, the democratic candidate, will be swamped. Ten thousand doubtful voters are always considered enough to swing Indiana. It is believed Roosevelt's personal following is great enough in the light of the fact that he polled a majority of 90,000 in 1904, and Taft, four years later, had just margin enough to secure the Indiana electors.

Ninety-six Heat Deaths.
Chicago, Ill. July 9.—With the mercury two degrees lower than yesterday when it registered 96, one more died today from the heat, making a total of 96 for the season. Heat in the streets is stifling. Scores of prostrations are reported.

NO HOPE FOR CHARLTON Confessed Murderer will Have to Stand Trial.

Jersey City, July 9.—Despite stories sent broadcast that Porter Charlton would be released on account of technical hitches between this country and Italy, Prosecutor Garvin said today that the slayer would be tried by a court or insanity commission. "The statement that this self-confessed perpetrator of a fiendish crime, so fiendish as to arouse doubts as to his sanity, may be turned loose on a community because of a technicality, is an insult to the American courts," said Garvin.

Snyder's Murderers in Prison.
Portland, Oregon, July 9.—Former Deputy Sheriff Joseph Casady, sentenced to hang September 2, Ben Hinton, Emmett Shields, Earl Shields and Bert Green, sentenced for life, all for the murder of Ollie Snyder who was lynched and shot near Canyon City last year, were taken to the penitentiary today.

NATIONAL REFORMERS ACTIVE

National Bureau of Reform Takes a
Hand in Motion Fight Pictures.

San Francisco, July 9.—The international Reform Bureau will take a hand in the movement against the exhibition of fight motion pictures. Dr. Wilbur Crafts, the bureau's founder, arrived from Washington in this city. He will organize a California branch and formulate plans for fighting the picture display.

SHOULD CUT THE WEEDS

STATE LAW MAKES IT MANDATORY,
SAYS LOGSDEN.

City Becomes Responsible to State
and Property Owner to City.

While the noxious weed ordinance does not go into effect until August this does not take away the responsibility of every citizen for all property owners are subject to the state statute demanding that weeds be cut.

In speaking of the matter this morning, Councilman Logsden said: "Under the state statute each city is practically a road district and the street superintendent is vested with the same power of a road overseer. This being true, the city is liable to a fine for neglecting to cut noxious weeds. This seems to be the legal phase of the matter. But the individual feature wherein civic pride should count for something, is of importance. To my mind it is a bad idea for anyone to have to be forced to do what is right in the matter of beautifying and improving the community in which they live. Whether a citizen is a property owner or not it seems to me that he should think enough of the city in which he resides to give all the aid possible to officers who are trying to enforce the laws and thus rid the valley of noxious weeds. It would indeed be an uphill undertaking for the county court and citizens of the valley to wage a war against weeds if the city of La Grande did not do her duty. I believe the people will respond nobly when the matter is fully explained to them."

BLACK HAND ACTIVE.

Italian Shot Today, Making Fifteenth
Chicago Victim in Two Years.

Chicago, July 9.—Shot five times and killed, Leonardo Dellechia today became the fifteenth victim of the Black Hand, in the course of two years' history of murders attributed to that society. Dellechia was leaving his home for work when shot by an agent of the society, who escaped. He had received numerous threatening letters.

SADLER COMPANY GIANT TREE ARE

A FEATURE THREATENED

FIRST APPEARANCE CARRIED
CHAUTAUQUA AUDIENCE
WITH A WHIRL

LAST APPEARANCE SUNDAY

Doctor Sadler, Doctor Lena Sadler and Miss Wilmer Comprise a Team That Have Won Popularity in This City First Appearance an Immense Success and Great Crowds are Expected Tomorrow.

Remaining Sadler Company numbers—Tonight at 8 o'clock, address by Doctor Sadler, "Child Life in the Slums."

Tomorrow at 1:30 p. m.—Address by Doctor Sadler, "Health and Righteousness."

Sunday afternoon at 1:30—Sermon by Doctor Redfern, Ph. D., on "Bible Study." Sunday at 2:30, lecture to men only by Dr. Sadler. At the same hour a lecture to women only by Doctor Lena K. Sadler.

Sunday evening, "Sign of the Cross" a dramatic reading by Miss Wilmer. She will preface every number between this evening and her own masterly recital tomorrow night.

The Doctor Sadler Company has made friends with La Grande. True, only about two or three hundred have heard the talented speakers but these few have formed sub-committees of one each, to boost for the stellar attraction which is holding the center of the boards right now at Chautauqua. The company is an unqualified success. Yesterday afternoon a small audience sat in rapt attention while the troupe went through the lecture entitled, "What to Do Until the Doctor Comes." Practical demonstrations are attending every phase of it, among them being the attention bestowed upon a lady who fainted in the audience, carrying 250 pounds in the shape of Attorney Turner Oliver, from the platform, on the back of Dr. Sadler, a man of small stature, and other instructive points. Doctor Lena Sadler is no less a genius and Miss Welmer, the reciter is unanimously declared to be as good as anything ever heard in La Grande. The three form a great attraction, and the Observer is not dabbling with mere praise-words in making the statement; it is corroborated by every person who heard the company during the lectures yesterday.

Last evening the lecture entitled "Americanitis," made a tremendous impression on the audience. Doctor Sadler delivered it with the use of charts, and the danger of high blood pressure was the keynote of the lecture. Americanitis is brought on by twenty-five different causes, and either all or portions of these causes are to be found in nearly all mortals. An instrument which gauges blood pressure was kept in constant use in the hands of Doctor Lena Sadler, the audience rushing to the rostrum to be "measured."



GIANT TREE ARE THREATENED

FOREST FIRES CREEP CLOSE TO GROVES OF WOLD'S LARG- EST TREES

SEQUOIAL PARK SCENE OF ALL-NIGHT
FIGHT AGAINST FLAMES THAT THREATEN
TO DESTROY WORLD'S LARGEST TREES—
SANTA CRUZ GROVE ALSO IN DANGER—
SECOND CROP RED WOODS ARE
BURNING—WISCONSIN TOWN SAVED.

EASTERN FIRE ARE COSTLY

Visalia, Calif., July 9.—Reinforcements were rushed this afternoon to Sequoial park to aid the worn-out fighters in saving the forest giants, the largest grove of big trees in the world, if the wind does not shift, the trees can be saved. The fire jumped the north fork of the Kaweah and is burning over a great area in an adjacent forest.

Santa Cruz Grove in Danger.
Santa Cruz, July 9.—The Santa Cruz grove of big trees is threatened with destruction today, according to messages from headquarters of the San Lorenzo river. The grove is seven miles from here and the fire is in close proximity to it. Thousands of acres of second growth Redwoods are in flames. A large number of back firing of fires is also raging in the vicinity of King creek.

Chippeway Falls, Wis., July 9.—After a desperate all-night fight with forest fires, the village of Holcomb, 20 miles distant, was saved from destruction. Fires are raging in the timber lands of Chippeway, Rusk and Sawyer counties. The loss to standing timber and mill products has been enormous.

REPAIR MAN IS RUN OVER

NATIVE OF NORWAY MEETS HIS
DEATH WHILE AT WORK.

Crawls Under Train Without Having
Flags or Lights Suspended.

A light repair man working as assistant to train inspectors, was run over and instantly killed about 3:30 last evening in front of the depot when a piece of a freight train was struck by the switch engine. His name was Mons Moreland, aged 27, and has been in La Grande but three months, coming direct from Norway, his native country, to accept employment here. He leaves a father and mother, and a brother and sister, in Norway, but has no relations here. He was a boyhood companion of Mat Moreland, a young man who boards at the N. Nelson home, 501 Washington. They are not relatives, merely coming from the same hamlet, thus carrying the same name.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Henry & Carr undertaking parlors. He was 27 years of age.

How It Happened.
According to fellow workmen about the yards Moreland was over ambitious to accomplish his work, and within the past two weeks, once barely escaped death when Switchman Happerset pulled him out from under a train. Last night an expedite train was being made up of manifest and in the hurry-up train out of the

JEFFRIES WANTS MORE FIGHT

ADMITS HE IS CONSIDERING A
PLAN TO AGAIN TACKLE
BLACK MAN.

BERGER CORROBORATES IT

Admits to United Press that He May
Re-enter the Ring to Again Meet
Johnson—Says he Trained Too Long
and Would Have Been Better Fitted
for the Battle Three Months Before
the Fourth.

Los Angeles, July 9.—Jeffries said today that he wanted to fight John Arthur Johnson again. After a long conference with Sam Berger, the former champion admitted to a representative of the United Press: "Until today, I had no heart to take regarding my future plans. I may fight Johnson again. I have discussed such a possibility with my close friends. I may have something definite to say before long. Every man makes his mistake, and I made mine when I worked too long. I never knew what worry was before."

Jeff is recovering rapidly. Manager Berger, who is with Jeff, said: "Jeffries and I agree that had he entered the ring three months before July Fourth, he would have had a better chance to win. The long strain, mental and physical grind, proved too much. Personally I can't admit Johnson's superiority, and there is only one way to justify my personal opinion—another fight."

Will Sue Gillette.
San Francisco, July 9.—Tex Rickard said he wasn't surprised that Jeffries wanted another meeting with Johnson.

Rickard also said he expected to file a damage suit against Gov. Gillette for the loss which he is alleged to have caused by moving the battle to Reno. "I am just waiting for affidavits from two Easterners who heard Gillette promise me there would be no interference with my plans in California," said Rickard.

BRICK WALL IS TAKING SHAPE

MILL WORK IS ENROUTE TO THIS
CITY FOR BUILDING.

On Arrival of Mill Staffs Crew Will
Be Doubled and Work Rushed.

Millwork in the shape of windows, doors and basement window sashes being rushed to La Grande from Washington state sawmills, and immediately upon its arrival here the high school building crew is to be doubled.

Today the public can get a glimpse at what the new high school is to be like. A small crew of bricklayers have commenced the erection of the walls, and the corners are well started. The brick is laid in black mortar and presents a fine appearance. Just as soon as the joists and window sashes arrive the crew will be doubled and the wall will rise with remarkable rapidity.

ENGAGEMENT RUMORS PREVAIL

Kermit Roosevelt to Summer in Paris
Where Miss Rutherford Is.

New York, July 9.—Despite Roosevelt's vehement denials of the report that Kermit is engaged to Miss Margaret Rutherford, daughter of Mrs. William Vanderbilt, Sr., gossip continues to link the two names together. It is announced that Kermit is going to Paris to brush up his studies for the opening of the fall term of Harvard. Miss Rutherford is also summering in Paris, and it is believed it means he will neither study nor return to college.

GERMANY WANTS COOK.

German Process Server Wants Explorer to Testify in Peary Trial.

Berlin, July 9.—A German process server is on the trail of Dr. Cook. A subpoena was issued today by a German judge in the provincial court, in the case of Rudolph Francks, Cook's companion, who is suing Peary for \$10,000 damages. The court believes Cook's presence would assist in the trial materially.

Passenger Hits Street Car.

Winnipeg, July 9.—Three persons were killed and many injured today when a local train collided with a street car in the outskirts of this city. The dead are: Mrs. John Lawrence, Toronto; John Udqupart and John Lawrence, three years old. Flagman McCloy, station at the crossing, was arrested.

LODGE SURE OF RE-ELECTION

OLD SENATOR OPENS HEADQUARTERS
IN BOSTON TODAY.

Senator Has Had no Campaign Headquarters in Many Years.

Boston, July 9.—Senator Lodge is confident of re-election, and is overlooking no bets in the campaign. The venerable senator from Massachusetts yesterday opened up political headquarters for the first time in many years.

Representative Butler Ames, opposing Lodge, is working hard to snatch the toga.