

MOB HEEDS COUNSEL

Congressman Saves Iowa the Disgrace of Lynching.

CROWD DEMANDS NEGROES

Two White Women Identify Them as Their Assaultants—Efforts to Enter Jail Succeed, When Lawmaker Arrives, and Justice Prevails.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Dec. 28.—An attempt was made tonight to lynch George Williams and Wesley Zimmerman, two colored men charged with having committed an assault upon Meadames Sanders and Stark last Friday night. The men were in court today, where they were identified by the women, after which they were held to the grand jury that convenes next week.

Tonight a mob of 500 men and boys gathered about the jail where they were confined, and demanded that they be turned over by the officers. The demand was refused. Until midnight the mob increased in numbers until there were at least 1000 men yelling and battering at the jail doors with clubs. Several times the police charged the mob, but they were unable to break it up.

Just after midnight, armed with a bar of railroad iron, a dozen men commenced battering at the jail door. A dozen blows shattered it, and a yell went up from the crowd. Congressman Smith, who arrived just at this time, managed to secure the attention of George Sanders, husband of one of the women assaulted, and urged him to go home and let the law take its course. Sanders listened and then started for home. Congressman Smith mounted the courthouse steps and urged the members of the mob to disperse, telling them Sanders had already gone. This had the desired effect, and inside of half an hour the courthouse grounds were deserted.

The militia has been called out, but the crowd dispersed before it appeared on the scene.

Manager of Railway Found Dead. CAIRO, Ill., Dec. 28.—C. F. Drew, general manager of the coal belt electric railway, with headquarters at Chicago, was found dead today in bed at the Hotel Windsor Hotel at Harrisburg, with a bullet in his left temple. A revolver was lying near the body. It was first supposed Drew had committed suicide, but the police think he may have been killed.

Body of Merrill to Be Identified. BOSTON, Dec. 28.—It has been decided by District Attorney Stevens that when the body of Moody Merrill reaches Boston from Silver City, N. M., some one shall view it for the purpose of making a legal return of the default warrant issued by the Superior Court after Merrill's failure to report for trial in October. Every precaution will be taken to make identification positive.

Men Tried for Lynching Discharged. CAIRO, Ill., Dec. 28.—James Raina, C. C. Bailey, James Kuster, Brant Davis and Lieutenant J. F. Parker, of Thebes, who are charged with the lynching of William Johnson, colored, last Spring, had a hearing today before J. E. Jackson, a colored justice of the peace, and all were discharged, as the evidence seemed insufficient to hold them.

LAWYER WARNED TO LEAVE Counsel for Miners at Telluride Will Stand His Ground.

TELLURIDE, Colo., Dec. 28.—It is reported that ex-Attorney-General Eugene Engley, of Cripple Creek, attorney for the striking union miners of this district, has been notified that unless he leaves the district at once he will be arrested. He is said to have stated that he will not go, and that if arrested he will make no effort to secure bail.

C. C. Williams, vice-president of the Western Federation of Miners, was told by Deputy Sheriff William Rummel last night that unless he left town this morning he would be put in jail. He did not leave, so far as known, but his whereabouts are not known at present. There are rumors of wholesale arrests of strikers impending, but nothing is given out officially.

LAWYER DEFIES MILITIA. Barricaded in Office, He Only Surrenders When Wounded.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo., Dec. 28.—Considerable excitement was occasioned here today by the action of Attorney John M. Glover, formerly a Congressman from Missouri, in defying the military, barricading himself in his office and only surrendering after receiving a bullet wound in the arm. Colonel Verdeckburg, commanding the militia forces in the district, today received a letter from Mr. Glover denying the legality of the recent order for the surrender of arms by the citizens of the district. In his letter Glover referred to Governor Peabody as "a cheap anarchist." He declared he had two guns in his office and defied the military to take them from him.

Colonel Verdeckburg at once dispatched Major Naylor, with a squad, to capture the attorney and his weapons. The lawyer's office was found barricaded, and Glover appeared with a revolver, declaring he would shoot the first man who attempted to break down the door. The place was surrounded by troops and orders were given to shoot the man if he appeared with his gun again.

Later Glover appeared and shots were exchanged, the soldiers being wounded in the arm, after which he was captured.

STRIKERS FIGHT EVICTION. Utah Soldiers Have to Come to Aid of Coal Company Guards.

SALT LAKE, Dec. 28.—A special to the Tribune from Winter Quarters, Utah, says the timely arrival of soldiers prevented serious trouble between striking miners and a number of company guards, who were evicting families from company houses. The unmarried strikers submitted quietly to eviction, but when the company guards attempted to force the married men to leave their homes they were attacked and routed by 150 angry Finns, who had been watching the evictions. The arrival of the soldiers quieted the disturbance. Twenty of the company guards were badly beaten.

The evictions will continue until the end of the year.

Union Miners Are Released.

TELLURIDE, Colo., Dec. 28.—The cases against the 17 union men arrested last Tuesday on a charge of intimidating the employees at the Tomboy mine were nolle in the justice's court this afternoon and the bondsmen of those released on bond released from further responsibility. Eleven of the men ordered released, including Secretary Carpenter, were taken to the jail at Montrose for safekeeping. They were released this afternoon.

Refuses to Accept Jury.

GEORGETOWN, Colo., Dec. 28.—Just be-

fore court adjourned this evening, the defense offered to accept the jury men then in the box to try the men charged with the Idaho Springs dynamiting. The prosecution, however, would not agree to it. So far only one man has been accepted by both sides.

AMENABLE TO LAWS OF UNION

Stereotypers Who Oppose Its Order Can Get No Relief in Court.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Justice Leventritt, in the Supreme Court, today denied the application of Louis Quanchi and Charles Balle, respectively foreman and assistant foreman of the stereotyping department of the New York Herald for a permanent injunction restraining the New York Stereotypers' Union, No. 1, from interfering in any way with their employment on the Herald or from securing their discharge, or from preventing the members of the defendant organization from working for the Herald.

The plaintiffs, who have been employees of the Herald for nearly 20 years, also asked the court to issue an order restoring them to membership in the defendant union.

A stereotyper named Freel was discharged from the Herald, and he made charges to the union against Quanchi and Balle as responsible for this, the result being that both were dismissed from the union. The stereotypers' organization then notified the Herald, according to the plaintiffs, that unless Quanchi and Balle were discharged, the union would withdraw its men from the Herald. The Herald refused to discharge its foreman and assistant, but consented to suspend them until after the courts had passed upon the merits of the case.

The court holds that the men's relations with the union make them amenable to the rules of that organization, and the court cannot interfere, and suggests that the plaintiffs can appeal to the general body with which their local union is affiliated, which had been held to be a condition precedent to the right of maintaining an action to invoke the aid of the court of equity.

Strikers' Appeal for Mercy Denied. NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Vice-Chancellor Pitney denied an appeal for mercy in Jersey City today for the strikers of the Frank & Dugan silk mills in Paterson, including two men and six girls, who were found guilty of contempt of court by him in the summer of 1932. The contempt lay in the disregard of the court's injunction forbidding the strikers from interfering with the employees of Frank & Dugan, or to "make it uncomfortable" for those who tried to work. The case was carried to the Court of Appeals and the United States Supreme Court, which held that it had no jurisdiction. An appeal was then made unsuccessfully to the Court of Appeals. The defendants were also ordered by the Chancery Court to pay costs amounting to \$500.

The court reiterated with emphasis that it is illegal to make it "uncomfortable" for anybody who wishes to work. "That is the law of the land," said the court. "It has always been the law of the land, and it always will be."

Steel Mills to Resume Work. SHARON, Pa., Dec. 28.—The blooming mill of the Carnegie Steel Company and the wire and nail mills of the American Steel & Wire Company will resume operations during the month of January. The blooming mill has been idle since August 1. About 1500 men will be affected by the resumption.

Blast Furnaces May Cut Wages. IRONTON, O., Dec. 28.—Three thousand blast furnace workers in this district were today given a notice of a proposed reduction of 10 per cent in wages, to take effect January 1.

RETURNS TO TARIFF LAW. Cuban Senate Drops Plan for a Straight 25 Per Cent Increase.

HAVANA, Dec. 28.—The proposition for a straight 25 per cent increase in the tariff has been withdrawn in the Senate, the majority appearing to be in favor of evolving a tariff law out of the bill originally introduced.

The tariff committee of the Senate therefore has adopted as a basis of discussion the original bill which provides for radical increases in the tariff, most of which are much more than 25 per cent of the present rates. The bill, however, is likely to be greatly amended and the original schedules reduced.

The bill must be rushed through Congress if it is to be passed at the present session. The reciprocity treaty between the United States and Cuba went into operation today.

FOR THREE-CENT CAR FARES. Cleveland Passes an Ordinance, and Transfers Franchise.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 28.—Two ordinances were introduced in the City Council tonight pertaining to the 3-cent fare on street-cars in this city. One was to the effect that the Woodland-avenue franchise, expiring September 20, 1934, be given to the new 3-cent fare company, and a like transfer to them subject to an agreement authorizing the sale thereof on or before September 1 next on such terms, or such price, as may be approved by the preferred stockholders' meeting, consisting of John A. Stewart, Edward H. Harriman and John J. Mitchell.

Holders of preferred stock who desire to participate in any sale, which may be made under this agreement, are requested to deposit their certificates at once with the bankers who reserve the right to terminate the privilege at any time. Depositors will receive transferrable receipts on the sale of their stock, and in case no sale is made before September 20 to the return of their stock without expense."

Poor Health Prompts Her Suicide. CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Mrs. Olive Thorpe, 22 years old, wife of Clem Q. Thorpe, Western agent of a New York Insurance Company, shot and killed herself today in a Michigan-avenue boarding-house. She was in poor health.

Mrs. Thorpe was married less than a year ago at Pease, Tex. Her family is said to be one of the wealthiest in that part of the state.

Navy Will Be Increased.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Senator Hale, chairman of the committee on Naval Affairs, said today it is the intention to make provision for another liberal addition to the Navy during the present session. He said that when the additions already authorized are completed the United States will have a more powerful navy than any other nation except Great Britain.

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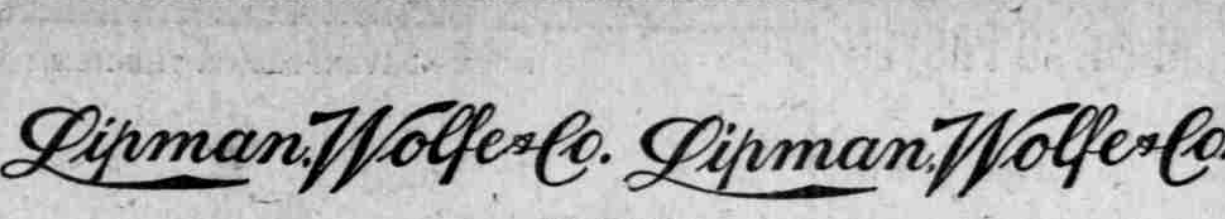
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Cook Where Lincoln Was Guest. DANVILLE, Ill., Dec. 28.—Catherine McVey, who was pastry cook at a Danville hotel when Abraham Lincoln was a guest there, died suddenly today, aged 104 years.

NIXON NEED NOT TESTIFY. Judge Vacates Order Entered in the Ship Trust Litigation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Lewis Nixon today obtained from Justice Leventritt in the Supreme Court an order vacating a prior order for his examination before trial in a suit brought by John C. Calhoun against the Trust Company of the Republic, George C. Beldt, Lewis Nixon, James F. Livingston and other defendants, to recover about \$200,000, claimed by Calhoun for selling in England a quantity of bonds of the United States Shipbuilding Company.

Calhoun alleged he was engaged by the defendants to negotiate the sale of the bonds in England, and he succeeded in disposing of about \$200,000 worth of the bonds. His compensation, at the rate of 5 per cent, would have amounted, if he had been allowed to sell all, to about \$100,000, the sum claimed by him. He asserts he was defrauded from securing his commission. He asked for Mr. Nixon's examination before trial in order to frame his complaint. Justice Leventritt said he considered Calhoun had facts enough in his possession to frame his complaint. Notice was served today from counsel for Charles M. Schwab and the New York Security & Trust Company on the Solicitors for the United States Shipbuilding Company.

Holiday Fireworks Fatal. NAPLES, Dec. 28.—The people of this city and its environs have been in the habit of exploding fireworks and bombs during the Christmas season. This year, however, the police authorities forbade the use of dynamite. The people of the village of Resina eluded the vigilance of the authorities and while the people were preparing bombs the dynamite exploded.

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