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KIDNAPERS IN AUTO CUT EARS

Latest Oklahoma Murder Adds New Phase to Series of Mysteries.

SEIZED ON THE STREET

Tracks of the Machine Found Near the Mutilated Body in Creek.

Oklahoma City, O. T., Oct. 19.—The "car-clipping mysteries" have become so puzzling to the local police and county officials that the federal authorities have been enlisted to assist in ferreting out the murderers. John R. Abernathy, the "wolf-catching" marshal, is now aiding the Oklahoma City officials and the sheriffs of Kiowa, Grady and Oklahoma counties.

So far facts are confined to the finding of three bodies, clipped of ears and mutilated. Arrests followed, preliminary hearings were held, but convincing evidence was lacking. To add to the complications, two of the bodies have been given conflicting identifications.

At first it was believed that a gang of wandering robbers and thugs bearing their way about on freight trains were responsible for the killing, but the supposed kidnaping of the latest victim in an automobile from the main streets of Oklahoma City has added a more puzzling phase to the mystery.

Supposed Victim Writes.
The first body was found lying in Elk creek, near Hobart. Not only were the ears missing, but the nose and part of a cheek had been cut off. After several days the body was identified as that of J. W. Mason, also known as M. W. Taylor, by Arthur Kirby of Franklin, Tex., who said that Mason had picked cotton with him. The Tyler brothers came from San Antonio, Tex., and identified the body as that of their missing brother. But this identification was proved incorrect when the missing brother made his whereabouts known.

On the supposition that the dead man was Tyler, the Kiowa county authorities had arrested three Mask brothers, living near Hobart, in a dugout, with whom it was learned that Tyler had played poker. At the preliminary hearing the officers testified that they had found blood near the door of the Mask dugout, also a

bloody buggy robe near by. Other partially convincing evidence was brought out, but the Masks were acquitted and then came a letter from Tyler stating that he was alive and well. No further arrests were made in this case.

Box Car Mystery.
The second "ear-clipping" case came with the finding of a body in a box car near Chickasaw. Both ears had been removed close to the skull and five bullet holes were in the chest. The body was found on top of a pile of railroad ties, loaded for shipment to southwestern Oklahoma. Indications were that the murder had been committed only a short time before. Blood was splattered on the ceiling and sides of the car.

Again identifications were conflicting. The first naming of the body as that of J. H. Crawford, a laborer of Tuttle, I. T., led to the arrest of his wife, with whom he had quarreled and whom he had left to go to Des Moines.

Then followed the arrest of O. B. Hathaway, Len and L. C. Keith, with whom Crawford had last been seen in Tuttle. It developed that Hathaway's wife had accompanied Crawford's wife to Chickasaw to secure a warrant for Crawford on the charge of abuse. The warrant was refused.

Five More Arrested.
Still five more arrests followed. Five negroes were thrown into jail, but were released when they proved an alibi.

The body at this point was given new identification. This time, Mrs. S. W. Harrison of Stonewall, I. T., said that the dead man was her brother, Ollie Little of Isabel, Kan. She sent photographs to the Kansas home to strengthen the identification. But Mrs. Crawford is unshaken in her statements that the dead man is her husband.

The finding of the body of Wilbur Gunreth, near Oklahoma City, made the third "ear clipping" murder. Both ears had been hacked off, and four bullet holes were in the body. Several teeth had been knocked out and the body was otherwise mutilated. Identification was made by papers found in the dead man's clothing.

With the latest case the officials believed that an organized gang was at work, as the work of murderer or murderers in the three cases had been almost identical.

Victim Visiting His Mother.
Several arrests were made in the last case, but so far no tangible evidence has been produced.

It is believed that Gunreth was kidnaped from the business portion of Oklahoma City in an automobile. A woman has been found who heard a man scream and immediately after distinguished the sounds of an automobile starting away rapidly.

—A. H. Eddy has been busy since coming to town. New cottage demolished.

EAST MARSHFIELD.

The members of the East Marshfield school had a small but interesting entertainment Friday, Oct. 18, at East Marshfield school. Miss Bronte Jennings, who has been teacher, deserves a great deal of credit for the successful way in which the afternoon's entertainment was carried out. The opening address was made by Miss Jennings and was an encouraging welcome to the parents and others present.

There was a large "Welcome" printed on the blackboard, and Irene Humbert drew some very pretty flowers underneath the printing, and as she has a splendid talent for drawing, it made it very attractive. The school house was also nicely decorated with flowers.

Miss Irene Humbert in her solo, "The Orphan Girl," showed unusual talent, and a bright future is held for her by her many friends. Miss Edla Selvog in her solo, "I've Got the Nicest Papa," also did exceptionally well. Miss Edith Anderson and Miss Nellie Major sang "Come Back to Erin" with the aid of Miss Jennings singing alto and playing. Miss Gertrude Kittson and Miss Nellie Major gave a duet, "When We Get Home," Miss Kittson playing.

Following is the program:
Opening address—Miss Jennings.
Opening song—"Dip Boys, Dip the Oar."

Recitation and song by little folks.
Song—"Old Johnnie," by four girls.

Solo—"I've Got the Nicest Papa," Edla Selvog.

Recitation—"Pet's Punishment," Nellie Olsen.

Song—"Come Back to Erin."

Recitation—"My Old Love," Ethel Anderson.

Song—"Spider and the Fly," by school.

Recitation—Willie Kittson.

Recitation—Edith Anderson.

Solo—"The Orphan Girl," Irene Humbert.

Recitation—Nellie Major.

Recitation—Edla Selvog.

Duet—Gertrude Kittson and Nellie Major.

Recitation—"Lasca," Bronte Jennings.

In the evening the scholars and some of the young folks of East

Marshfield gave Miss Jennings a farewell party, as she is to go to Sumner Sunday, where she will teach for some time. She was taken entirely by surprise as she had not heard anything about it. She had already retired, but was obliged to prepare for the evening's fun after her guests had already arrived.

The boys made a large bonfire which lighted up the whole proceedings. A lot of merry games were played. When all were tired of the evening's sports, nuts and candy were served, after which the crowd departed for their homes. Thanking Miss Jennings for the patience and interest she has taken in her scholars and wishing her a pleasant future and a good school at Sumner.

Saturday.
Mrs. Cavanaugh and daughter, Mrs. Kittson, were in Marshfield doing some trading.

Miss Blanche Tellefson was in town today.

Mr. Joe Larsen from Allegany, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. J. W. Peterson and family, went home today.

Mr. Stonecypher, Sr., was in town today and while doing his shopping some one locked their boat fast to his and as he could not unlock it he had to wait until the owner came before he could go home.

Mrs. J. W. Peterson and two daughters were in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olson were in town shopping yesterday.

Mrs. Arthur Vineyard and mother-in-law were over doing a little trading.

Mr. J. W. Peterson of East Marshfield is busy building a row boat for himself.

Miss Ollie Richards of Sumner is down visiting friends and is to return with her new teacher, Miss Bronte Jennings, Sunday.

A Light High in Air
Pittsburg, Oct. 19—(Saturday) A message received by the Associated Press from Fairmont, W. Va., says: a light, far above the town, was distinguished shortly after one o'clock this morning, moving rapidly eastward. It is believed here to be the balloon which started from St. Louis, Wednesday evening.

—L. C. Durkee wishes to notify the public that he is now able to return to old business of shingling. Open for all jobs.

Important to the Shipping Public

The Coos Bay Transportation Company has been organized for the purpose of filling a "long felt want." Our readers are well aware of the fact that the loose methods heretofore existing in the transferring of goods between Marshfield and all shipping points in and around here have been very crude, with the result that many valuable packages have been lost. On complaint being made there was always room for contention as to who was responsible. Under our plans there will be no delay, no uncertainty about delivery and no loss. The great convenience of this transfer depot has already been recognized by some of the merchants of Marshfield and North Bend, who have made arrangements with the Coos Bay Transportation Co. for the temporary storage, care and transfer of their goods. From our headquarters boats will run to all points on the Bay, Coos River and the various inlets. Any goods entrusted to our care will reach their destination, no matter where it is. Waiting room for the convenience of patrons will soon be finished. Your patronage is respectfully solicited.

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