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## MURDEROUS GANG LYNCH LEO FRANK

### Georgia Disgraced by Lynching Unparalleled in Our National Criminology.

## INNOCENT MAN ENDS CAREER ON A TREE

### Will Georgia See the Twenty-five Men Are Hanged As They Should Be.

(By United Press)

Marietta, Ga., Aug. 17.—The body of Leo Frank was found hanging to a tree two miles east of Marietta. He was lynched by an automobile party of kidnapers who appeared at the state prison at Milledgeville last night, overpowered Warden Smith, Superintendent Burke and the guards and then dragged Frank from the dormitory by the heels. The body was a ghastly sight. The scene of the hanging is a short distance from the birthplace of Mary Phagan, whom Frank was convicted of murdering. Frank's wrists were handcuffed in front of his body. The rope noosed about his neck, opened the wound inflicted by convict Green who attempted to cut his throat recently. Blood streamed from the wound down upon his prison suit. His hair was disheveled, clothing torn, and he was herefooted. No clues to the identity of the lynchers has been obtained thus far. Of all the armed guards on the prison farm, none raised a hand to protect Frank from the kidnapers when they appeared in automobiles. They overpowered the officials and dragged out the prisoner. Of Frank's last hours none except the lynchers know, no shots were fired at the body. The corpse was unmarked by bullet wounds. The furies fired by the lynchers were evidently intended to frighten off the pursuing posse.

Marietta, Aug. 17.—As soon as it became known that Leo Frank had been lynched, hundreds of automobiles containing the morbidly curious, hurried to the scene. By 11 o'clock it was estimated 5000 people had gathered about the tree. The body was not cut down until after a number of speeches were made under the tree. One man urged the mutilation of the body, but Judge Morris urged that order be observed. The crowd then voted against mutilation. The body was placed in a wagon to be taken to Marietta for inquest, but Judge Morris, fearing the threats of mutilation, transferred it to his automobile and sped to Atlanta with 200 automobiles pursuing.

Atlanta, Aug. 17.—Frank's body was brought here, but its whereabouts is kept secret.

Mrs. C. F. Bigbee accompanied Mrs. Kate Morris to her home in Tygh valley this morning.

Mrs. H. A. Wruck left on the morning train for Thomas.

Mrs. G. Gates left on the morning train for her home in Gates, after a business trip to this city.

Mrs. J. H. Mariels, and C. W. Mariels returned to Gooch this morning, after visiting in this city.

## MILLIONAIRE WILL SIT UP ON COAST VOYAGE

When the steamship C. eat Northern pulled away from the pier at Flavel this noon she was loaded to capacity. Every available sleeping place was taken. Even the noted Mr. Spaulding, who with his \$30,000,000 bride, who recently attracted wide attention at their wedding, could not get a stateroom. But Spaulding is a good sport, in spite of his millions, and when told that Mrs. Spaulding could be accommodated he said that he would be willing to sit up. Many people are taking advantage of the delights of ocean travel during the summer.

## BRITISH TRANSPORT TORPEDOED WITH BIG LOSS

### One Thousand Believed to Have Gone Down With Only a Few Saved.

(By United Press)  
London, Aug. 17.—The British transport Royal Edward, formerly the Canadian Northern, was sunk by a German submarine in the Aegean Sea Saturday, the admiralty announced. A thousand are believed to have been lost. Official statement said: "Six hundred are known to be saved," but the vessel was carrying thirteen hundred and fifty soldiers, thirty-two officers, and two hundred and twenty crew. The Edward was a vessel of more than one thousand tons.

Hooper at Large.

(By United Press)  
Grants Pass, Aug. 17.—No trace of Hooper, who escaped from jail. The posses are searching diligently.

## TAXPAYERS BEING NOTIFIED OF DELINQUENCY TO SEPT. 1ST

### Heavy Penalty Attaches to Those Who Have Not Paid Before That Date.

Mrs. D. H. Bodine is assisting in the sheriff's office on the tax rolls in sending out notices to approximately 1300 delinquents on the 1914 roll. This includes those who have paid nothing on their taxes this year. According to the new law, Sheriff Bodine's statement, which appeared in the local press last week, those who have paid nothing on their new taxes are subject to a 5 per cent penalty if they pay before September 1. After October 1 another 5 per cent will be added, making 10 per cent penalty to those who have paid nothing this year. The penalty will increase 1 per cent a month for 4 months, after which the property subject to the tax will be advertised. Six months after Oct. 1 the property is subject to a certificate of delinquency, after which it can be foreclosed by a decree of the circuit court.

Of course those who have paid half their tax before Sept. 1 will not be subject to the same penalties, unless they run over after Oct.

## NO QUORUM PREVENTS COMMERCIAL CLUB MEETING

The regular weekly meeting of the board of directors of the Albany commercial club failed to take place last night owing to a lack of a quorum. Seven members of the board were on hand, but the necessary 11 was lacking. Both President Robnett and Vice President Reagan were out of the city, and other members of the club were out on vacations.

## AT THE COURT HOUSE

### Warranty Deeds.

Arthur Flux and wife to Charles F. Alloway, Mich. 22, 1915. Land in Sec. 21, Tp. 12, S. R. 1 W. 106.28 acres, \$10

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B. Akin to A. Blakesley and wife, June 12, 1915. Lands in A. F. Bahrkes Fruitdale Add. Lebanon, \$10.

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J. O. Munkers to Josephine Munkers, July 29, 1915. Lands in claim 39, Tp. 14, S. R. 3 west, \$3000.

C. H. Thompson and wife to August Lueck and wife, Aug. 14, 1915. Lands in Claim 63, Tp. 11, S. R. 2 west, \$10.

P. M. Scrogging et al to Lebanon Lumber Co., June 12, 1915. Lands in Tp. 12, S. R. 2 west, \$10.

Lebanon Lumber Co. to J. W. Cusick & Co., bankers, Aug. 14, 1915. Lands in claim 47, Tp. 12, S. R. 2 west, \$10. (and other lands.)

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## GALVESTON HAS ANOTHER STORM

### Five Perish and a Million Damage Said to Have Been Done.

## WIRES ARE ALL DOWN STOPPING COMMUNICATION

### But For the Big Government Wall the City Might Have Been Wiped Out.

(By United Press)

New Orleans, Aug. 17.—Galveston is safe and the water in the streets is receding. The city was saved from a terrific gulf storm by the new seawall, a wireless message said. It is estimated a million dollars worth of damage was done. Five perished in the waters according to early estimates. Two fires are raging in the city, the wireless declared. The transport McClellan is reported to have been damaged by being ripped from her moorings. The storm struck the city yesterday afternoon, with a velocity of 34 miles an hour, which increased to 65 to 73 miles an hour last night. A heavy rain fell during the time. At least five thousand people left the city for places of safety, frightened by the fierceness of the storm, fearing a repetition of the terrible storm several years ago.

## \$10,000 DAMAGE SUIT UP IN COURT AGAIN

### Plaintiff in Ohio Making Last Effort to Collect From Brownsville Man.

A notice has been filed with the county clerk informing Arthur McDaniel, of Brownsville, defendant in a \$10,000 breach of promise suit, that B. S. Martin, attorney for the plaintiff, will apply at 2 o'clock, August 25, for an order or commission to appoint some person in Dayton, Ohio, to take a deposition of the plaintiff on a list of questions attached.

This is as a result of the complaint filed here some time ago by the Ohio lady, alleging damage as a result of McDaniel's refusing to marry her after she had made all preparations. The interrogations list all the questions that could be thought of regarding the case, and it is hoped by the plaintiff that they will win a judgment.

McDaniel has not answered the plaintiff's complaint, for the reason, he says, that he has no money and couldn't pay if he wanted to. The match was made through a matrimonial agency, neither party having seen the other, and the engagement had not been in effect more than two months when the prospective groom changed his mind. It is his belief that the whole thing is a scheme to get some money, but he says he has none to give.

## MONTHLY SALESDAY WILL BE SATURDAY AUGUST 28

All articles to be sold that day should be listed as soon as possible, in order that they may be advertised properly.

These auction sales were instituted with the idea of bringing the country and city more closely together and thus afford an opportunity for buyer and seller to meet for mutual benefit. Anyone having an article to be disposed of may list it with the secretary of the Albany Commercial club and it will be sold to the highest bidder. Everyone is welcome to list goods for sale. J. E. Larson, of Corvallis, has leased his ranch and offers his stock of tools, wagons, buggies, harness, etc., without reserve.

This August sale will be the best yet. Everybody is boosting for a big success.

COMMITTEE.

## TEAM RAN AWAY AND DEMOLISHED CREAM WAGON

### Horses Found in Alley in a Heap, But Not Hurt From Fall.

The quietness of the noon hour was broken today when a team and wagon belonging to the Albany Creamery Association got frightened in front of the Snyder blacksmith shop at Second and Railroad streets, dashed up second street to Washington, turned the corner and overturned the wagon, breaking the coupling pole and then ran into the alley at the rear of M. Senders & Co. and the Fortmiller Furniture Co. where the horses stumbled and piled up in a heap.

W. L. Chambers, driver of the cream wagon had driven up to the blacksmith shop for some slight repairs and had left the wagon for a few minutes when the team got frightened. They ran up Second street at full speed. A man standing in front of Ludwig's plumbing shop waved his arms and prevented the horses from running into that establishment, but their speed was too great for the turn. The wagon turned and broke clear of the front wheels and tug, spilling empty cream cans all over the street.

Being accustomed to standing in the Palace feed barns the team started down the alley back of First St. and on reaching a cross walk leading from the Fortmiller store to their warehouse they evidently stumbled, for they piled up at that place in a heap. One horse was lying on its neck with its body over its mate. Men who quickly gathered, cut a tug and untangled the harness and soon let the team up, apparently none the worse for their run, save a few slight scratches.

The wagon is a complete wreck and will require considerable repair work if it is ever made good. Chambers was getting ready to start out on a cream collecting trip in the country when the runaway started.

## Miss Rolfe Resigned

Miss Hazel Rolfe, teacher in the second grade of the Central school, yesterday resigned her position. Superintendent Rutherford has a person in mind with whom to fill the position.—Eugene Register. Miss Rolfe was formerly of this city.

## FOREST SERVICE DOING BIG THINGS IN THE NORTHWEST

### In One Year 90 Miles of Road, 426 of Trail and 625 of Telephone Lines.

Portland, Aug. 17.—Figures just compiled by the Forest Service covering its work in Washington and Oregon for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1915, show, among other things, that the service has built 90 miles of road, 426 miles of trail, and 625 miles of telephone line, besides erecting 12 bridges and 13 lookout stations.

The detailed figures give the Oregon forests 85 miles of road, 266 miles of trail, 455 miles of telephone wire, 5 bridges and 27 lookouts; while to the Washington forests have been added 5 miles of road, 159 miles of trail, 170 miles of telephone, 7 bridges and 3 lookouts. The bridges represent only structures costing over \$100. Small bridges over culverts and the like are ranked as part of the road. For administrative purposes the service has also built in Oregon 24 cabins, 8 barns, 20 miles of pasture fence, and developed 10 springs; and in Washington it has erected 12 cabins and 1 barn, built 10 miles of pasture fence, and developed 9 springs. The rangers have done a large part of the labor necessary in making these improvements.

It is the policy of the service to develop communication as rapidly as funds will permit, not only because roads and trails and telephones mean better protection for the forest wealth which the government is guarding, but because these means of communication also make the National Forests more accessible to the general public. To date in Washington and Oregon, over 4000 miles each of trail and telephone have been built, and 101 bridges and 5 lookouts have been erected. Of the bridges, 7 are of suspension type.

## SCHOOL INSTITUTES BRING GOOD MEN

### Prominent Educators to Take Part in Program Here Next Month.

## JOINT SESSION WILL BE HELD WITH BENTON CO.

### School Being Encouraged by Supt. Jackson to Exhibit in Other Town's Fairs.

According to the announcement of County Superintendent W. L. Jackson, the joint institute of the Linn and Benton school teachers next month will bring several big men to Albany in the educational field. Each day there will be a general assembly with three main addresses, and in addition there will be 15 addresses a day on the various special lines. With Supt. R. E. Cannon, of the Benton county schools, Prof. Jackson has selected the main speakers for the general addresses. On Monday, Sept. 13, will be heard State Supt. J. A. Churchill, Dr. DeBusk, a new man at the University of Oregon recently from Indiana, and Prof. E. D. Ressler, of O. A. C. Tuesday there will be talks by Prof. T. H. Gentile, of the state Normal school, Pres. Kerr of O. A. C., and E. T. Reed, of O. A. C. On Wednesday.

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## FRUIT INSPECTOR BEEN LOOKING AFTER FIRE BLIGHT

### It is Mostly Confined to Quinces and Pears, Hardly Any Apples.

D. W. Rumbaugh, county fruit inspector, is home after being out over the county looking after the proper care of fruit trees. He has been making a specialty of fire blight. Most of it now is confined to quinces, with some pear trees, in scattered parts of the county. Altogether he has discovered only three or four apple trees that are affected. So far the damage is not far-reaching. It is necessary to look out for the future, and the way to do it is to destroy everything that is fire blighted, so that it may not spread.

Mr. Rumbaugh has also had opportunity to observe the progress of the harvest. Fall wheat has been taken care of, and farmers are now cutting Spring wheat, though in some sections this is not yet ready, and it will be as late as the first of the month before some of it is down. A few threshers have begun, but most of them have not yet gone to work on spring grains, the bulk of the crop this year.

Miss I. C. Klapotz went to Salem on the morning electric.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Freitag returned to Thomas this morning after a trip to the fair at San Francisco.

## WHITNEY RUN OVER BY HIS UNGRATEFUL FORD

It is bad enough to be smashed into, knocked down, and run over by an automobile driven by a stranger, but it is infinitely worse to be run over by one's own machine. One rather takes it as an insult, showing a lack of gratitude on the part of the iron horse.

R. J. Whitney, proprietor of the Sweet Shop confectionery, can speak from experience. Mr. Whitney is a regular swimming fan, and late every afternoon after a hard day's work he takes a load of Neptunes over the river to the old swimming hole. Yesterday evening he was standing at the side of the car when it began to back up catching the candy man's trousers on the car and holding him so he could not get loose. Both wheels passed over him, but fortunately no damage was done, and the swim was enjoyed on schedule time.

## ONE HUNDRED PEOPLE IMPRISONED IN A TUNNEL

### Express Train Jumped Track Causing Tunnel to Cave In; Rescue Work Proceeding.

(By United Press)  
Huntington, W. Va., Aug. 17.—Four were killed, many injured and over a hundred imprisoned in a tunnel of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad when an express train was derailed. The train demolished the supporting arches when it left the track, causing a cave in. Workmen are digging in the tunnel to extricate the imprisoned passengers.

## Forts Stormed.

(By United Press)  
Vienna, Aug. 17.—General Eichorn's German forces stormed the forts defending the Russian stronghold of Kovno, it is officially announced. Three of the northwest forts are Novo Georgievsk were also stormed.

## S. P. PAYROLL AMOUNTS TO OVER \$17,500 PER MONTH

### Fair Sum of Money Paid Out Each Month and 75 Per Cent Is Spent in City.

According to a statement issued this morning by A. A. Mikels, agent for the Southern Pacific company at this place, the monthly pay roll on his lines in and about Albany is over \$17,500. Practically all of this is paid in Albany, for only \$1000 per month is spent in wages on the C. & E. between Albany and Mill City.

That the payroll of the S. P. Co. is a factor in the business life of the city is shown at times when the company cuts down the payroll or threatens to let out a number of employees. Business is affected in various parts of the city at times like this.

Fully 75 per cent of the payroll is spent right in the city. The amount sent out of town is negligible. The banks also profit to some extent on the savings deposits. With a few more payrolls of this size Albany would have something to tie to to boost the population of the city and business conditions to a considerable degree.

## AL G. BARNES CIRCUS TO BE IN ALBANY AUG. 26

Possessing the distinction of being the original and world's largest wild animal show, the Al. G. Barnes big 3-ring wild animal circus is presenting the most unusual and entirely new array of educational, entertaining, amusing, thrilling animal acts ever shown.

Practically the entire performance offered by the Barnes show is given by trained wild and domestic animals—400 in number, the largest assemblage of trained animals. These animals have been recruited from the ranks of almost every known animal family. Man-eating African and Asiatic lions, tigers, leopards, pumas, jaguars; grizzly, brown, black and Russian polar bears; seals and sea lions; elephants, camels, zebras, hyenas; 550 of the world's premium horses and ponies, monkeys, dogs and even goats have been cast as actors of the Barnes troupe.

Sixty-five big wild animal features are presented, the principal one being a group of 24 man-eating African lions shown in one act by Herr Louie Roth, which is the most thrilling wild animal spectacle ever shown.

At Albany Thursday, Aug. 26.

## Distinguished People in Oregon.

Portland was certainly some city yesterday, having two parties that have become distinguished to the very limit of notoriety: Mr. and Mrs. Spaulding, before the public gaze because the bride is worth \$30,000,000, the wealthiest girl in the country, and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Longworth noted because the latter is a daughter of the great and only T. R. Roosevelt, once famous for her oddities of character, now almost forgotten. Another celebrity there was ex-Senator U. S. Ohio, who has been mentioned for the presidency by some of the big people.

## OREGON MEN TO TAKE THE LEAD

### Several Men From Valley on Program of American Pomologist Convention.

## E. C. ROBERTS OF ALBANY TO DELIVER WELCOME SPEECH

### Association Is Greatest of Kind in World, of International Scope.

Several Linn and Benton county men will take part in the program of the American Pomologist convention which will be held in Berkeley, Cal. Sep. 1-3, and San Francisco Sep. 4. The American Pomological association is the greatest body of fruit growing men in the world. It is authority on all subjects pertaining to pomaceous fruits, its decisions are final in disputes regarding varieties of fruits, etc., names new varieties when they are produced and is the final tribunal in all such matters. The object of the association as stated in their bulletin is "to disseminate pomological information and maintain a cordial spirit of intercourse among horticulturalists." The president of the organization is O. M. Goodman, of Kansas City, Mo.

Among Oregon men on the program of the California meeting are E. C. Roberts, of this city, who will deliver one of the addresses of welcome. In the section of the program devoted to "Oregon Pomology—A Symposium," Prof. C. I. Lewis, of the O. A. C., will lead with subject "Oregon Economics." In the collaboration are V. R. Gardner, assistant prof. in horticulture at O. A. C. whose subject is "Apple Pruning Problems," R. W. Allen, superintendent of the Hermiston experiment station, and F. C. Reimer, superintendent of the Southern Oregon Experiment Station at Talent, on the subject of "Pear Culture." F. W. Powers, of the Oregon Nursery Assn., will speak on "Standardization of Nursery Catalogues." C. C. Vincent, a graduate of the Oregon Agricultural College, will lead in the discussion of the Pomology of Idaho.

The meeting will be attended by many horticulturalists from this section.

## U. S. Cashier Fraud Case.

(By United Press)  
Portland, Aug. 17.—Federal Attorney Reames completed his first argument before the jury in the United States Cashier fraud trial this noon. This afternoon Attorney Calk opened for the first of the six defendants. Frank Menefer, president of the concern, Reames scathingly arraigned the defendant.

Miss Eva Murphy went to Salem this morning.

E. W. Cooper went to Portland this morning.

Mrs. G. W. Sloan, who with Mrs. J. B. Wadkins, both of Oklahoma, are visiting with Mrs. J. M. V. Bilyeu, left on the morning train with the latter to spend the day with Mrs. F. W. DeVaney at Thomas.

## BIG EDDY MAN WANTS WIFE SENT BACK HOME

Griff King is in receipt of a letter from G. L. Massey, of Big Eddy, Ore., asking the chief to be on the lookout for his wife, aged 22, and a 16 year old boy, with whom she ran off, hold them and notify the husband. Kodak prints of the girl show her to be a good looking young woman. When she left she was dressed in a blue suit. He describes her as being 5 feet 4 in. tall, weight 108 pounds and of fair complexion. The boy she eloped with is fair and wore a blue suit.

King is unable to do anything, even if he should find the pair, for he is without a warrant, and he will no doubt pass them up to their own affairs if they do come this way. Massey is evidently anxious to get his wife back.