

A LYNCHING IN PROSPECT

Two Women Brutally Assaulted Near East St. Louis

A POSSE IS IN PURSUIT

Of the Negro Assailant Described by One of the Victims

THE AVENGERS OF HELEN BISHOP, WHO BURNED NEGRO WHITE AT THE STAKE, MAY BE PROSECUTED BY THE STATE OF DELAWARE.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 23.—Two women, one white and the other colored, were assaulted and left for dead a few miles east of St. Louis this afternoon and a posse is out looking for a negro described by one of his victims. If he should be captured, it is believed there will be a lynching.

Will Prosecute the Avengers.

Wilmington, Del., June 23.—The excitement attending last night's tragedy, when White, the negro, was burned at the stake, has subsided. The consensus of opinion is that summary vengeance alone could do justice for the outrage upon the life and honor of the young girl. The judge who postponed action upon the case of the confessed assailant explained that popular prejudice would have precluded the possibility of a fair trial.

One arrest was made tonight. The prisoner's name was not divulged by the police, but it is said that he comes from Baltimore. Attorney General War said tonight there were twelve leaders and they would be arrested as soon as the police could locate them.

Governor Hunn Displeased.

Dover, Del., June 23.—Governor Hunn appeared greatly distressed today over the lynching of negro White. He said: "There is nothing to say now. Let the people become calm and reflect upon what has been done. I shall confer with the attorney general to see what course we can take."

Determined to Die.

New York, June 23.—Archibald Morrison, a silk salesman, committed suicide today in a novel way from the Brooklyn bridge. He climbed the platform railing of the tower, jumped on top of a train, fell off the last car, struck the third rail, was flung across the track, fell through the ties and landed on the street 100 feet below.

IN SERIOUS TROUBLE

FOUR YOUTHFUL CRIMINALS ARE LODGED IN THE MARION COUNTY JAIL.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Oliver Scott, Charles Sundt, George Frazer and Claude C. Dillenback, four Portland youths, all under 16 years of age, were brought to this city from Woodburn Monday night and confined in the Marion county jail to await the action of the circuit court. The boys are accused of breaking into George H. Beebe's merchandise store at Woodburn during last Saturday night, securing merchandise to the amount of \$75. The boys were arrested in a box car at Oregon City on Sunday afternoon, having made their way to that city on a northbound freight early in the morning. When captured the stolen goods were found in their possession.

It seems that the youthful criminals left their homes in Portland on Saturday evening's overland train, went to Woodburn, arriving in that city at 10:30 p. m., after which they committed the crime and returned north on the early morning freight.

They were seen to board the freight at Woodburn, and their actions having excited suspicion, Chief of Police Burns of Oregon City was notified to look out for the gang, with the above result.

Attorney S. S. Gillespie, of Portland, came to Salem yesterday morning to look after the interests of the boys. He returned to the metropolis on the afternoon overland train and will try to furnish bonds for the youthful quartet, and secure their release from custody pending the meeting of the circuit court. An effort will probably be made to have the boys committed to the Reform School.

WILL FIGHT IT OUT

GOLD AND SILVER DEMOCRATS WILL COME TOGETHER HARD TODAY.

Des Moines, Iowa, June 23.—The opponents of the reaffirmation of the Kansas City platform say they will control the democratic state convention here tomorrow and the silver men, while not making any concessions, are not making any claims. Number of old-time leaders are expected to be present.

EXECUTORS REMOVED

JUDGE SCOTT RENDERED TWO DECISIONS IN THE PROBATE COURT YESTERDAY.

County Judge John H. Scott yesterday rendered his decision in the matter of the estate of William Fowler West, deceased. The decision was upon the application of several of the

heirs of the estate for the removal of Fort Boise West, the executor, and for the closing up of the estate. In reviewing the testimony, the court said: "It was shown that the executor disregarded the duties imposed upon him for his personal gain, that he has shown a lack of business energy, and did not keep an accurate account of the profits and income of the estate. He also failed to make reports as by law required." The court's decision carried with it an order for the removal of the executor.

In the matter of the estate of Edward Coffey, deceased, the legatees also applied to the court for an order requiring the executor to close up the estate, a great deal of testimony being introduced on June 12 and 13, after which the matter was taken under advisement until yesterday when Judge Scott rendered his decision in favor of the legatees, ordering the removal of J. S. Kerr as executor of the estate.

MORE FIGHTING IN MACEDONIA

Turkish Government Is Preparing for a Campaign

PROVISIONS ARE ORDERED

For Troops at Salonica and Adrianople—An Engagement Reported

RESULT NOT KNOWN—PATHFINDER HAD NARROW ESCAPE FROM BEING SUNK IN SAN FRANCISCO BAY—JAPAN IS BUILDING UP HER NAVY.

SALONICA, June 23.—The Turkish War Ministry has telegraphed the military authorities here to prepare provisions for 50,000 troops and a similar dispatch has been sent to Adrianople. An engagement with the Macedonian insurgents is reported at Peoria. The result is not known.

Had Narrow Escape.

San Francisco, Cal., June 23.—The Pathfinder had a narrow escape this morning from being sunk by a stray shell from the mortar at the Presidio which came bounding over the waves directly toward the Pathfinder. When only within twenty-five yards of the Pathfinder the shell sank out of sight.

Building Up the Navy.

Tokio, Japan, June 23.—The Japanese naval architects are now drawing the plans of eight warships the estimates for the construction of which were recently passed by the Diet. The cruisers will be built in Japan and the battleships will be ordered from abroad.

Feasted by Royalty.

Kiel, June 23.—Rear Admiral Cotton and captains of the American squadron which arrived here today and will remain during the regatta, will take lunch with the Prince and Princess Henry tomorrow. Emperor William will arrive tomorrow on the Hohenzollern.

Richmond, Va., June 23.—Governor Montague this afternoon ordered out the state troops to aid in maintaining order against the riotous street car strikers.

Washington, June 23.—Orders were issued today that the Mononacy, now at Taku, China, be sold. The ship was built in 1863 and was condemned some time ago.

GOES TO SCRANTON

MAJOR C. F. CRAMER WILL LEAVE SALEM JULY 1 FOR PENNSYLVANIA.

Major C. F. Cramer, who has had charge for the Supervising Architect of the Treasury Department of the construction of the Salem postoffice, and who has been a resident of Salem for many months in connection with his duties, has received his transfer to date from July first. He goes to Scranton, Pa., where he will have charge of the construction of a post-office and court house for the government, to cost \$400,000, and the contract for which has just been awarded. All the work on the Salem building is not yet completed, though it has been occupied since the first of April. Some work on the outside lamps is to be completed, locks are to be changed, plumbing to be altered, electric lighting to be gone over, etc. But all this will be left in such condition that the custodian of the building can look out for it. Major Cramer has made many friends in Salem, who hope his lines will be cast in pleasant places.

WILL STAND GROUND

THE SERBIAN CONSPIRATORS WILL COMMIT SUICIDE TO PREVENT PROSECUTION.

VIENNA, June 23.—While it was stated positively that a meeting held last Sunday the Serbian conspirators decided that in the event of an effort being made to prosecute them they would commit suicide, another report says the conspirators decided to make a vigorous stand against any attempt to exact a penalty for their crime.

A FLOOD IN NEW-MEXICO.

EL PASO, Tex., June 23.—The Rio Grande River, at Berino, N. M., is six miles wide. All the Mexican settlements near Sierra Blanca, Texas, have been swept away.

FOR KILLING A DETECTIVE

Billy McRay a Negro Threatened With Lynching

ATTENTION OF THE MOB

Was Attracted by Clever Ruse of the Fire Department Making a Run

WHILE PART OF CROWD FOLLOWED DEPARTMENT OFFICERS SPIRITED PRISONER TO COUNTY JAIL—LYNCHING MAY BE AVOIDED—MOB CHEATED.

PEORIA, Ill., June 23.—Detective William Murphy was killed by Billy McRay, a negro desperado, whom the officer was attempting to arrest tonight. McRay attempted to escape, but was caught and hurried to the city jail and in less than an hour a mob numbering at least 1000 assembled. In hope of attracting the attention of the mob, the fire department made a run past the jail. The ruse partially succeeded, a large number of the crowd following the fire department. In the meantime McRay was hurriedly taken to the county jail. The authorities are confident of their ability to prevent a lynching.

Hanged in a Swamp.

Cleveland, Miss., June 23.—The body of George Kincaid, negro, who wounded two men five years ago, has been found hanging in the swamp. A mob gathered Saturday to lynch the negro who was spirited away to the place by the deputy sheriff, who later gave the prisoner into the keeping of another man.

MARKET IS BARE

B. O. SCHUCKING HAS RETURNED FROM AN EXTENDED TRIP EAST.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

B. O. Schucking, the hop dealer, reached Salem last night from an extended visit in the Eastern states and California, in the interest of his hop business. Mr. Schucking traveled several thousand miles, visited a dozen states, and as many different climates, besides passing through the scenes of withering droughts, and devastating storms and floods, but he seemed as well pleased on arriving home again to the cool, green Willamette valley as would a boy have been on receiving money from home.

Mr. Schucking was greeted at the depot on his arrival by a Statesman reporter, who asked him to say something, and his face was wreathed in smiles as he replied: "You tell them I am awfully glad to reach home again." Mr. Schucking is fat and as healthy looking as though he had enjoyed the trip and had been very successful in his mission, but then he always looks that way. He seemed in a hurry to get down town and eat a dish of delicious Salem strawberries, but, nevertheless, he stopped for a few minutes' chat with the reporter, who kept him busy answering questions on the hop situation. He said:

"I stopped first in Chicago, where I visited the principal brewers, and then went on to New York state, where I visited all of the principal hop producing sections, and the cities of Albany, Utica, Buffalo and New York. I found the growing hop in fine condition, notwithstanding the fact that there had not been rain for seven weeks. The expectation was for a good yield, and brewers were estimating the crop at from 60,000 to 70,000 bales. "The Eastern market is in good healthy condition, but I don't look for any further advance on the 1926 crop. Brewers stocks are light, and there are very few bales in dealers hands in the East, but the greater portion of the beer which will be consumed this summer, was made last winter, and then again, brewers do not like to be forced, and rather than to pay more than the market value for hops, they will not buy at all.

"After leaving New York I traveled through a large number of the Eastern states, visiting the principal cities, and found the conditions about the same. In California I visited San Francisco and Sacramento, and went out into the hop growing sections. In my judgment the growing crop is in good condition, and California will produce as many hops this year as last. In Wheatland the crop will be very light, but in Sonoma it is as much heavier to make up the deficiency. The vines are well advanced there and look as though harvest was not far off.

"Yes, the prospects are good for the 1926 crop so far as prices are concerned and I don't think growers will find any cause for complaint. The confidence of the brewers on the stability of the market for the future, is shown by a willingness, on their part, to accept contracts for a term of years on a basis of 15 cents per pound to the grower."

FOUR GIRL GRADUATES

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES AT MT. ANGEL ACADEMY A GREAT SUCCESS.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

The commencement exercises of Mt. Angel Academy were held in Mt. Angel College Hall at 2:30 p. m., June 22, 1926. One of the special features of the occasion was the three act drama enti-

led "Remember," given by the senior students of the Academy. It was a decided success and speaks well for the young ladies of that institution. Diplomas were conferred upon the following students: Miss Kathleen Ketchum, Miss Nora Barrett, Miss Minnie Blackwood and Miss Lola Stark.

CONTAINS FABULOUS WEALTH. SPOKANE, Wash., June 23.—A special to the Spokesman-Review from Kaslo, B. C., says a wonderful gold find has been made in the Lardeau, Duncan county, which shows quartz, the half of which is gold. Some of it running \$100,000 to the ton.

NO TRUTH IN RUMOR.

NEW YORK, June 23.—In response to a rumor which became current here today that Charles M. Schwab was to resign from the presidency of the United States Steel corporation, Schwab tonight denied he had any intention of resigning and stated that his health is excellent.

WILL CONFESS HIS MISDEEDS

Missouri Senator's Conscience Brings Him to Time

COULDN'T STAND STRAIN

Will Return to St. Louis and Surrender to State Officers

ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL MADDEN DENIES LETTING A CONTRACT FOR CARBON PAPER WITHOUT PERMITTING COMPETITION—CHARGES GROUNDFLESS

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 23.—Circuit Attorney Folk today received a letter from a former state Senator stating he would be here tomorrow and confess his misdeeds while a member of the upper branch of the General Assembly. He stated his conscience had been hurting him and he could not stand the strain. Folk refused to give the man's name.

Denies the Charges.

Detroit, Mich., June 23.—Third Assistant Postmaster General Edwin C. Madden, who is visiting in this city today, sent a letter to Postmaster General Payne, denying that he let the contract for the carbon paper for the Registry Division of the postoffice, without permitting competition, and asking the Postmaster General to investigate the story and its source.

Complaint Groundless.

Washington, June 23.—The State Department has received, from some Americans residing in Chihuahua, Mexico, a copy of a resolution addressed, asking the removal of Consul W. W. Mills. The resolutions were not specific enough to afford a ground for action, and the Department is petty well satisfied the complaints are groundless.

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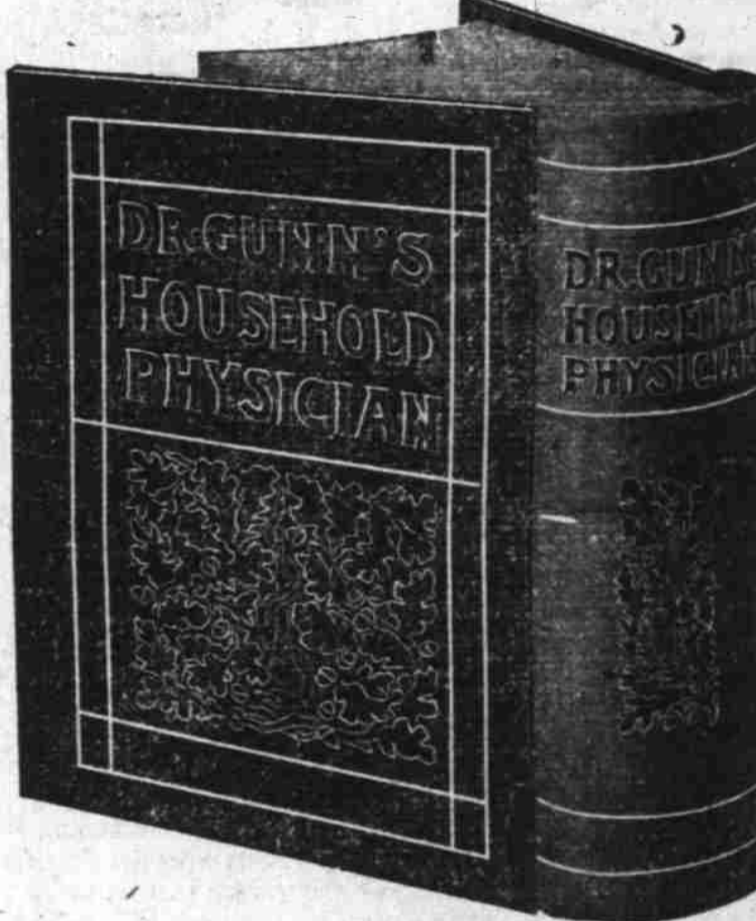
ILL WITH TYPHOID

Mrs. J. J. Chamberlain, wife of the local manager of the Western Union telegraph company, was yesterday taken to the Salem hospital, being ill with typhoid fever. Mrs. Chamberlain has a little girl only three weeks old. She had just begun to be up from her recent sickness when she was attacked with typhoid fever. Being quite weak, she is in poor condition to withstand the attack of the fever. The friends of Mrs. Chamberlain and of her husband hope, however, that she will soon be well again. The baby was taken to the hospital with the mother.

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