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## STOP THIS LYNCH CRAZE.

It is truly sad and humiliating to the lovers of law and order that there is an element in our county that have lost their heads and have become crazed on the subject of lynching.

When little more than a year ago, the most revolting and horrible crime that can mark the history of a civilized people was promptly avenged, the best of citizens approved, or at least did not denounce the retributive act, though a violation of statute law. But it was not that our people were willing to discard the wise and cautious processes of the courts by which to protect the innocent, and punish the guilty, and thus to turn the fates of men over to the passionate ravings of mobs that have never studied the consequences of their indiscretion.

The effort of Sunday night to get out the two negroes arrested for the murder of Policeman Kerns and hang them without a court trial was very far beyond justification. We pity the women, the children and the decrepit, whose safety rests in the hands of men so swayed by passion, an utter want of cool reason. Whatever of safety our community enjoys is to the credit of citizens alive to the terrible danger and folly of such mobs, and to men who will bare their breasts to any danger to arrest this craze in our community.

All honor to Sheriff Peck and Mayor Means and the courageous citizens that cheerfully obeyed their summonses and gallantly drove back from the jail the men that would have put three stains of murder on our county in place of one.

We hope, we pray that the axiom, "murder will out," will be demonstrated and that the guilty ones will, by regular process of law, be hanged to death on the same gallows, but the crime of striking Sheriff Peck and Esq. Coble is crime only in less degree and calls for ferreting out and for punishment just as certainly as does this deplorable murder.

This is the second effort at lynching that has been foiled in our town within a few months, either of which would have been a great crime and an outrage against the sturdy class of men and women who stand for all that is noble and good.

It is easy to see that if this mania is allowed to spread no man's life will be safe. There are always accusers enough and incorrect impressions enough that fanned by the heated breath of a

mob, will make any man's life unsafe. The very men themselves may fall victims to the storm they are creating.

It is none too soon for men who tank up their stomachs, and fire their brains, so as to stifle reason, to be taught some practical lessons that law and order is going to be guarded at terrible hazards and that they will find themselves within the clutches of the law. This lynch craze must subside, for the decree goes forth from a great majority of the good men and women in our land. It must not be unheeded by those impulsive characters that foster and irritate the very weaknesses in human nature that begets the crime over which we now mourn.

## SYMPATHETIC SORROW'S TRIBUTE.

Every heart in our community with the touch of human sympathy goes out in pity and condolence toward the unfortunate wife, the widowed mother and the orphan child of Policeman Kerns. It is a display of that inscrutable exercise of infinite goodness and omnipotent power that permits the execution of wicked designs and makes a test of our faith that He does and will overrule all for good.

It is sad, it is distressing that one in the faithful discharge of his duty in keeping order that others may sleep in peace and safety, should be cut down without even loving ministrations and parting words. But such are the results of wickedness and cruelty in the world.

No wonder that the thoughtful shudder when they see men starting on the road to crime of all degrees and kinds with drink to rob the brain of reason and profanity to cultivate in the heart the passions of cruelty, hate and violence.

It seems so hard that the faithful, on whom, to all human appearance, so much depends, should fall before those that, like the thistle and the nettle, seem here only for evil and discomfort.

Words are inadequate, it is but the silent emotions of the cultured being that speaks, as by magic, from soul to soul the sympathetic sorrow poured upon this bereaved family.

There's something convenient about our system of finances that certain money's circulate at certain seasons. Silver dollars at this time of year are shipped by tons to the South for distribution in the cotton markets. Fifty thousand of these dollars were deposited in the subtreasury at New York on the 28th, ult., to be drawn out at New Orleans for use in the State of Texas.

The Evening News, of Charlotte, is an expansionist, pure and simple. Some eighteen months ago it enlarged to eight pages and now it has expanded from a five-column to a six-column eight-pager. The News is little short of an imperialist, too, and prides itself on the widest domains of all the evening dailies in the State. It's needless to say that the News has our congratulations and a measure of our envy for the support to make it an expansionist

THE STANDARD today installed its gasoline engine, of the latest improved pattern, with which to run its Campbell press. The motion is steady and uniform beyond our expectations. We hope after becoming acquainted, the attachment will become more and more fixed between the force and the new power. The Standard will gladly greet its friends and patrons in its now cosy and commodious home, and will give them all the attention that the arduous duties and cares will permit. We are always cheered and strengthened by the friendly greetings of a generous public.

The soothing and healing properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures have made it a great favorite with the people everywhere. For sale by M. L. Marsh & Co., Druggists.

## A MOTHER TELLS HOW SHE SAVED DAUGHTERS LIFE.

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Printed Marsailles at 12c.  
Duck, Plain White, solid colored and Printed.  
Calico 3c up.  
Yard wide Percale at 20 and 25 cents per pound.  
Light colored Outing 5½ & 7½c. Bargains in Towels.

## Hosiery.

Two job lots of Samples of Gent's fine sox, lot No. 1, plain and fancy colors, at 15c—worth 20 to 25c.  
Fancy colored and black Lisle at 18c—worth 25 to 50c.  
The best line of Men's and Ladies' Hosiery on the market for 10 cents.

## Notions.

Crochet Cotton, 4c per spool, Silk (short measure) at 5c. Turkey Red Cotton, 20c per dozen spools. Embroidery Silks, filo, outlining, rope and twisted at 3c per skein, worth 5 cents. Also gold embroidery thread at 3c per skein. Embroidery Hoops 5c.

Bone Dress Stays 3c, Safety Hooks and I's 10c box. Machine Thread 3c per spool, Safety Pins 2c per dozen, Brass Pins 4c per paper and 25c per pound, Iron Pins 1c, Rubber lined Dress Shields 10c, Mourning Pins 1 and 5c per box, Aluminium Hair Pins 5c dozen, Side Combs 5 and 10c, Pompadour 10c, coarse and fine tooth Dressing Combs 4 to 25c.

## Stationary.

Jobs in Box Paper at less than cost to produce. 25c boxes for 15c and 10c ones for 5c. Nice Paper at 10c per pound. Pencil Erasers 1c, Typewriter do 5c. Carbon Paper for typewriter use 3 sheets for 5c, Typewriter paper at 3 ounces for 5c. Fancy Crepe Paper for Lamp Shades 6c up, Toilet Paper 2 rolls for 10c. Ink and Mucilage 3c, Shoe Blacking 1c up, Tan do. 5c, Black Dressing 5 to 15c, Wood Tooth Picks 4c per 1,000.

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