

BOY JUNK DEALER TURNS BANK ROBBER AND KILLS CASHIER

Shoots Three Men Wounding Two Seriously And Takes to River

WHEN CAPTURED GIVES STORY OF HIS LIFE Confessed That he Planned Robbery And Did It Singlehanded

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 11.—In an attempt at bank robbery, a young man who has been partially identified as Arthur Hall of Louisville, a dealer in second hand furniture, entered the Merchants National bank at New Albany, Ind., shortly before noon today and killed J. H. Angary, cashier, cashier of the bank, seriously wounded John K. Woodward, president of the bank, and wounded James H. Tucker, a negro, chauffeur, probably fatally.

When Hall entered the bank he carried a pistol in each hand. After commanding every one to throw up his hands and "get into the vault," Hall began shooting. Cashier Fawcett was shot through the chest and neck and his intestines were perforated. Woodward was shot through the liver and his intestines were perforated. Tucker the chauffeur, was shot through the body.

Uses Stolen Auto. Following the shooting the murderer rushed from the bank and tried to escape in an automobile which he had taken from the curb in front of the residence of his owner, Mrs. Walter Escott, at Louisville. He had forced the negro chauffeur at the point of a pistol to drive him to New Albany.

After the shooting at the bank the chauffeur was paralyzed with terror and apparently incapable of action, sat still when the robber jumped into the machine and ordered him to speed up the car. The robber then jumped out of the automobile, shot the negro in the back and ran two blocks to the Ohio river. He seized a skiff and was on his way to the Louisville side of the river before the frightened citizens of New Albany knew what had transpired. An alarm was given through a megaphone on a dredge boat and in a short time

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INFURATED MOB IN LUST FOR BLOOD REVELS IN CRIME

Run Down And Lynch Negro Who Murdered White Girl And Then to Satisfy Appetite Wreak Vengeance on White Man.

CAIRO, Ill., Nov. 11.—Henry Salzman, white, a photographer who killed his wife last July with an axe, was taken from jail at 11:49 o'clock tonight by a mob and hanged to a telegraph pole and his body riddled with bullets. This lynching followed closely on the lynching of Will James, a negro who earlier in the evening had been hanged for the murder of Miss Annie Pelley.

The governor, who is in Chicago, ordered eleven companies of the state guard to Cairo at once. The mob gave Salzman a chance to confess after the rope was around his neck, but he was so frightened that he could only mumble that his sisters had killed his wife.

Held Religious Services. The mob became furious at this and it was hard work to keep them off Salzman long enough to give him a chance to pray. The mob finally subsided and a short service was held, the rope being placed over a telegraph pole at Twenty-first and Washington streets.

The mob found some difficulty in breaking the cage, as it was an entirely steel structure, but after a half hour of telling blows upon the door, it gave way and Salzman was secured. The mob rushed him out of the back door of the jail, which is in the basement of the court house, around the building, through the yard and out into Washington avenue and up to Twenty-first street which is a prominent corner and has a public square.

He cried and begged pitifully for his life and was met by cries and blows from the mob. When Salzman was asked for his last statement, a man, a stranger in the crowd, stepped forward and said he believed Salzman was innocent, whereupon the mob fell upon him and kicked him and finally knocked him down, and it was only the pleas of cooler persons that saved his life. He was compelled to beg for mercy of the mob and announced in a loud voice that Salzman should be lynched, after which he was driven from the mob and all attention was given to Salzman.

After Salzman was hanged and while the body was being riddled with bullets, the rope broke and the body fell to the ground, where it now

lies, the mob going away and leaving it.

Salzman was born and reared here. He had been married about two years last July when his wife was found at her home with her skull fractured. A bloody axe was found under the bed. Two babies were playing in the mother's blood. Salzman was found at the home of his mother, where he often slept at night. Before Mrs. Salzman died, she recovered enough to accuse her husband of attacking her.

Feeling against him had been bitter, and tonight after the lynching of James when some one suggested Salzman, the mob rushed for the county jail, got Salzman and lynched him.

Will James the negro suspected of being the murderer of Miss Annie Pelley was killed here tonight by a mob. James was strung up to the public arch, the rope broke and at least five hundred shots were poured into his body. He made a partial confession and implicated another negro, Arthur Alexander, whom the mob is now searching for.

James was lynched in the most prominent square of the city and hanged to the arch at Eighth and Commercial streets.

Women Pulled Rope. Women present were the first to pull the rope. When it broke, the frenzy of the mob was uncontrollable and they fired volley after volley into James' body, shooting him to pieces.

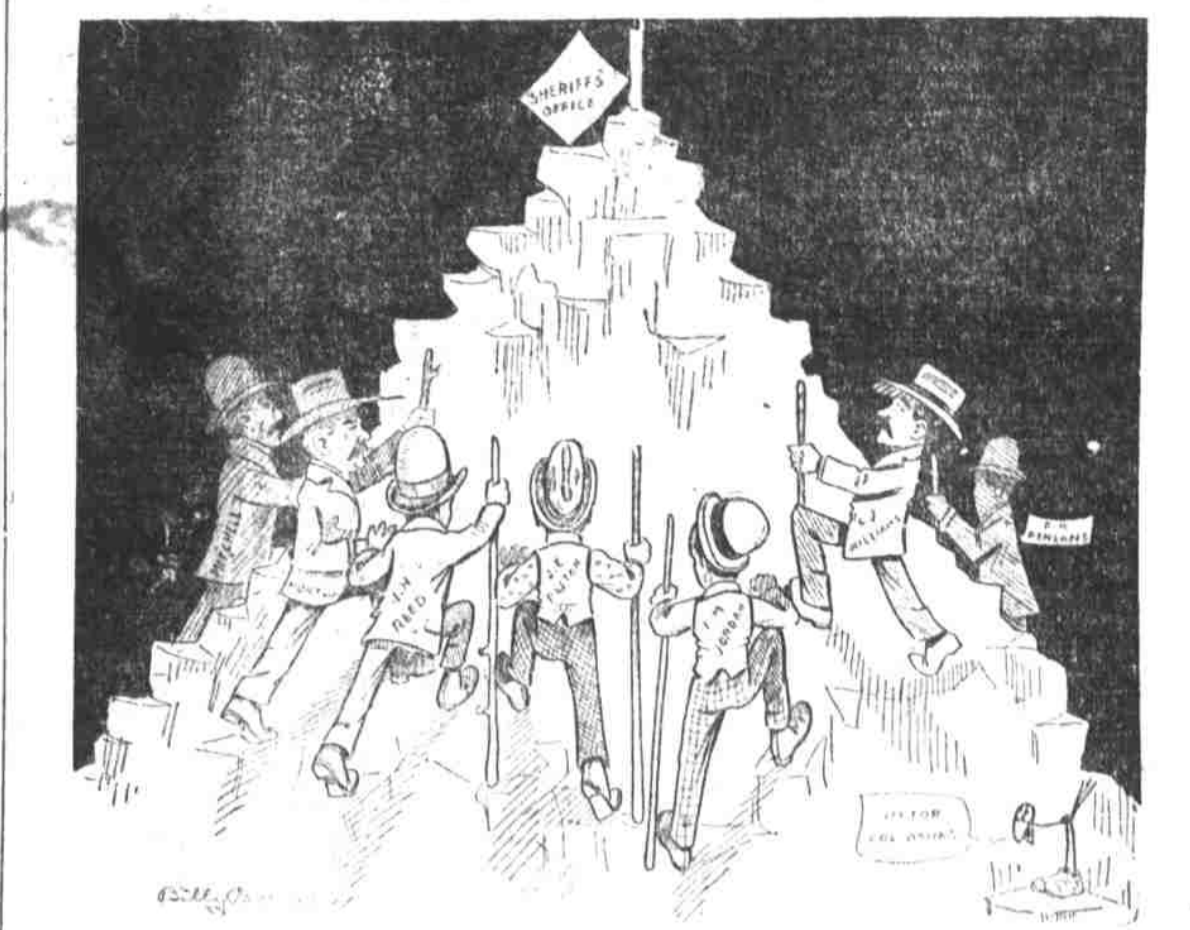
The mob then dragged the body over the streets for more than a mile, to Twenty-sixth and Elm streets into an alley and burned it where the murder was committed.

At least 10,000 people witnessed the lynching.

Sheriff's Efforts Vain. James was found with Sheriff Davis between Karamk, Ill., and Belknap, by the Cairo crowd who went up this afternoon. The crowd overpowered the officers and took the negro from them, and after a conference it was decided to bring their prisoner back to this city and lynch him. Sheriff Davis had been fleeing the mob for twenty-four hours with the prisoner. Driven from town to town by crowds, the sheriff had taken to the woods with James, but the persistent search

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Another Dash For The Pole.



NEW MISSION HOSPITAL TO BE BUILT TO REPLACE OLD BUILDING

Directors Considering Plan to Erect New and Modern Brick Structure in Rear of the Present Hospital. Money to be Raised in Part From Sale of the Present Building and the Lot on Which it Stands.

A new and modern Mission hospital is to be erected to replace the present building if present plans of the board of directors can be carried to fulfillment. While the plans are as yet in a formative stage, it can be stated that a new hospital will be built just as soon as the board can advantageously arrange for the sale of the old building.

For several years the present building has been totally inadequate to the needs of the city, and while every patient has been taken that the hospital could possibly accommodate, still many seeking admittance to both the charity and the private wards have been unable to find accommodations. Moreover, the old building is antiquated and out of date, and its facilities are not sufficient even for the accommodation of the patients that it receives. While in a fairly good condition it nevertheless is a costly building to maintain in such a state as is required by its uses and last year \$700 had to be spent in repairs and alterations.

Brick Building. The plan is to erect a new and modern brick building on the lot in the rear of the present hospital according to plans especially adapted to hospital uses. The new building is to be equipped with every modern convenience and constructed with a special view to its sanitary completeness. It will also be planned on such a scale as to accommodate all future requirements of the city. The plans will be so drawn that a wing can be erected as soon as funds can be provided, and later when more room is needed additional wings can be added

on without impairing its general style of architecture or in any way blocking the light or ventilation of the wards.

Would Sell Old Building. The hospital owns a large lot in the rear of the present building extending all the way back to the alley leading off Woodfin street, and this will give ample room for the new building and all future needs and will, at the same time, be off the main thoroughfare where there is always more or less noise and dust. The lot occupied by the present building is one of the most valuable sites in that part of the city and with the building could probably be sold for enough to build the proposed new building, and such additions to the funds as the board of directors may be able to secure.

It is proposed to set aside the fund collected on the last Hospital Sunday as a nucleus for the new building rather than expend it in alterations or improvements on the old building which must necessarily in the course of a few years be abandoned as a hospital.

Splendid Work Done. The splendid work done by the Mission hospital is not entirely appreciated by the people of the city, but a few statistics from the report which the board of directors is preparing to send to the state board of charities will show the great good it is doing in the community. During the year from October 8, 1908, to October 8, 1909, according to this report, 696 cases were treated at the hospital, and of these two-thirds, or, to be exact, 450 were charity patients. When the comparatively small and precar-

ious income of the institution is considered this great preponderance of charity patients is little short of marvelous. Moreover, the rates for private patients are moderate that but little real income is realized from them. The appropriations of \$100 per month from the city and county do not cover the expense of the charity patients.

The hospital is open to all the doctors of the city, and it thus open to all the people of the city and county when there is room. Of course there is a regular hospital staff, but any physician can send his patient there and continue to treat him there.

Corps of Nurses. It is well provided with nurses who, under the superintendence of Miss Mary Laxton, are doing splendid work not only in the treatment of their patients but also in the education of young women to be nurses in the nurses' training school. Miss Laxton has been a tireless and efficient worker in the advancement of the hospital. The mortality of the institution for the past year is sufficient proof of the excellence of the attendance. The report shows that there were but 47 deaths during the year, and of these 18 were moribund cases when received at the institution.

And all of this was done on the meager sum of about \$15,000. The receipts from all sources for the year amounted to that sum, and the expenses took it all, and it was due only to the excellent management of the doctors and staff that the hospital was not in debt at the end of the first year.

TAFT MAKES SOJOURN FOR TWO WHOLE DAYS IN THE NUTMEG STATE

With Vice-President Will Receive L. L. D. From Wesleyan University.

JUST A QUIET TRIP.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—President Taft and party left Washington on the federal express over the Pennsylvania at 5:35 o'clock this afternoon for Hartford and Middletown, Conn., for a two day trip. The departure was made on schedule time and was without incident.

In the president's private car were Vice President, Sherman, Attorney General Wickersham and Mr. Taft's military aide, Captain Archibald Butt. The vice president will accompany the president to Middletown where the degree of LL. D. will be conferred on both of them tomorrow by Wesleyan university. Mr. Wickersham's presence on the train was for the purpose of discussing with the president matters connected with his department. The attorney general will go as far as Philadelphia and expects to return to Washington tomorrow. Only a few persons were present at the union station to see the presidential party off.

ARE OPPOSED TO INFANT MORTALITY.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 11.—The opening session of the conference on prevention of infant mortality here today was devoted to the reading of papers on the subject from a medical standpoint. The papers followed a greeting from Yale university given by President Arthur T. Hadley and the opening of the conference by Dr. W. Blair Stewart, of Atlantic City, vice-president of the Academy of Medicine.

Dr. J. H. Mason Knox, of Johns Hopkins, presided. The addresses and discussions at tonight's meeting of the conference treated of the prevention of infant mortality from the philanthropic side. Dr. Edward T. Devine, of New York, chairman of the meeting, said that the object of the conference was not only to prevent babies dying, but to keep them well and increase their strength.

PERFORMER ALDRICH TALKS TO BANKERS AND BUILDS HIS AIR CASTLES

Thinks That The West Is The Coming El Dorado For American Youth.

WAS GUEST OF HONOR.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Nov. 11.—Senator Aldrich talked here tonight to the local bankers' club. He again discussed the necessity for the reform of the banking and currency laws in order to provide against panics like that of 1907. He went into details concerning the operations of central banks in Europe.

This is the home of Senator Gammelin, who has shown an inclination to antagonize the Aldrich policy. Mr. Aldrich's only allusion to Mr. Gammelin in his speech here was made in connection with mention of the name of the late Senator Allison, and was made in a way that could not have aroused any but the kindest feeling.

Mr. Aldrich was the guest of honor at a bankers' dinner given at the Savoy hotel.

In his address, Mr. Aldrich spoke especially of the growing importance of the west as affording the best reason why the people of Iowa should desire a stable banking system and be appealed to them to join with him in devising a plan that would place the United States in advance of all other nations as a financial center. Here he gave some what more attention than elsewhere to the important part that commercial paper plays in the banking systems of the old world. This he explained was the reason of the European plan in the United States, but to indicate a possible means of increasing credit in case it should be found desirable to go abroad for suggestions looking to an improvement over our monetary system.

MORE PELLAURA.

DURHAM, N. C., Nov. 11.—Miss Maggie Hutchins, daughter of well-to-do parents, died here last night of pellagra, making the tenth victim of the disease in this city. She was the second white patient, the other also a woman, to die from the strange malady.

SHE SHOT HIM BUT SHE "WOULD NOT HURT HAIR OF HIS HEAD" SAID WIFE

Knoxville City Turns Up With Real Sensation In Every Day Life.

FOLLOWED HIM UP.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 11.—"I would not hurt a hair on his head for the world" were the words uttered by Mrs. Ann Coker, in her cell at the city prison tonight after she had been arrested for fatally shooting her husband, James Coker, when she found him in company with his divorced wife on an uptown street. Coker lay three miles in the county and according to Mrs. Coker, her husband has for some weeks been holding secret meetings with Mrs. Sarah Ryan, his former wife, who recently returned from Cincinnati where her second husband died.

Telling her husband tonight that he could not come to town unless she came with him, he proceeded to show her otherwise. Going to the house of a neighbor, Mrs. Coker secured a pistol, followed her husband to town and went to a house where she believed he would be. Waiting in front, she was rewarded by seeing them come out. When within arms length of the pair, Mrs. Coker raised the pistol and while wrestling with her, the weapon discharged and he received the bullet in his left groin. Coker will die.

Mrs. Coker says she wanted to kill the woman and not her husband. Mrs. Deagan was Coker's first wife, he having married her twenty-five years ago. They were divorced fifteen years ago. Coker was married to his second wife eleven years ago.

REDUCES PRICE OF GAS.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 11.—Establishing a precedent in the matter of the regulation of municipal utility corporations by a state board the Georgia railroad commission today ordered material reductions in the rates on gas and electricity in Columbus, Ga., supplied by the Gas Light company of Columbus and the Columbus Railroad company.

CUSTOM OFFICERS TO WATCH ALL TOBACCO

Scrutiny as to Fillers and Wrappers will Save Thousands to Government.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—How many thousand dollars will be saved to the government by a more rigid examination of tobacco imports to prevent the wrapper product coming in under the lower duty for filler tobacco is still problematical but the matter is engaging the attention of customs experts in New York. The treasury department last month took steps looking to more rigid scrutiny and announced that seizures might be made. Filler tobacco when mixed or packed with over fifteen per cent of wrapper, if untempered is taxed \$1.85 a pound and \$2.50 a pound if stemmed, while filler tobacco is taxed only thirty-five cents if untempered and fifty cents if stemmed.

Reports indicate that an examination of only ten per cent of each importation as at New York, does not safeguard for the government interests.

GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS ARE MOVED UP A PEG

No Contests at National Convocation Except for Minor Positions.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 11.—Promotions were the order in the election of officers of the general grand chapter of great owl Masons at the convocation of that body here today. Following are the new officers: General grand high priest—Nathan G. Kinsey, Austin, Minn. Deputy general grand high priest—Bernard G. Wray, Henderson, Ky. General grand scribe—George E. Mason, Washington, D. C. General grand warden—Frederick Deane, Des Moines, Iowa. General grand captain of the host—William E. Kuhn, St. Joseph, Mo. General grand principal secretary—Boster G. Brown, Topeka, Kansas. General grand royal arch captain—Charles N. Dix, Hot Springs. General grand master of the third veil—J. Albert Blake of Boston.

The general grand master of the second veil and the grand master of the first veil will be elected tomorrow. These are the only two contested places in the entire list of officers. Major H. D. Hamilton, of New York, Mr. L. A. Goddard, of Illinois, Mr. Henry B. Banks of Lagrange and Col. Robert L. Colting of Savannah are being championed by "friends for the occasion." This morning two hundred Masons and their wives made the circuit of the grand prize automobile race track cars and this afternoon following a river trip were guests at an old-fashioned barbecue "under the oaks at Colraine."

SUPREME COURT AFFIRMS SHEMWELL'S SENTENCE

Must Serve Five Months in Jail for Assault on Southern Railway Conductor.

JALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 11.—That Baxter Shewell, member of a prominent family in Lexington who shot to death Dr. Payne in that town, a number of years ago, must serve five months in Guilford county jail for drawing two revolvers on a Southern railway conductor, who refused to violate orders and stop a through Southern train at Lexington for him to get off, is the effect of the action of the State Supreme court this afternoon, in affirming trial, conviction and sentence of the lower court.

In another case, State vs. Hilton, from Guilford, the court holds that Judge Long erred when he called up a case against the defendant and passed sentence after Judge Ferguson had three years before suspended judgment on the payment of costs and a bond for good behavior, which had been subsequently discharged. The court holds that the former case had been fully satisfied and could not be revived, as a punishment for subsequent violations. His offense was selling whiskey.

HIGH OFFICIALS IN SUGAR TRUST MAY BE CAUGHT IN TOILS

Investigation Shows That "Man Higher up" Was Behind Weighing Frauds

COMPANY STARTS CLEANING HOUSE

President Declares he is Ready to Aid Gov't. Officials in Their Inquiry

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Evidence which is confidently expected to reveal the "man higher up" in the sugar weighing frauds unearthed during the term of Henry L. Stimson as United States district attorney for the Southern district of New York has been placed in possession of the government. It was authoritatively stated today and is being used as the basis of a federal indictment soon to be filed against one of the American Sugar Refining company. Since surrendering the duties of United States district attorney Mr. Stimson, acting as a special United States attorney-general has had in hand the work of building up the government's case against the custom-house weighers and the employees of the American Sugar Refining company. Who are charged with having conspired together to defraud the United States government of \$7,000,000 of sugar duties. The inquiry is now approaching a climax.

After Man Higher Up. Mr. Stimson himself refused to discuss the nature of the evidence, but it is learned that the evidence furnished by one of the implicated government weighers was regarded as conclusive enough to make practically certain the indictment of a high official of the American Sugar Refining company.

W. M. Thomas, president of the American Sugar Refining company, speaking of the government investigation said today:

"Our company is just as anxious as the government to bring out the facts in the sugar frauds. We are doing everything in our power to aid Mr. Stimson in his investigation." Resignations of James F. Eendernege, the superintendent of the Williamsburg plant and several other department heads in the plant were accepted today, it is said, and other changes are contemplated in the house cleaning that the company has started.

Loss All Settled. Henry L. Stimson, special counsel for the government in the sugar fraud cases, tonight denied a statement published here today that the true losses to the federal treasury by short weighing of imported raw sugar would total \$30,000,000.

Mr. Stimson in his denial says: "The reports that the records show a loss of \$30,000,000 to the government from the weighing frauds at the American Sugar Refining company docks, are not true, nor is there the slightest basis for believing that there was any such loss. If there had been, the settlement for \$2,135,000 never would have been made." "The customs records were carefully examined under my direction before that settlement was made; and I believe that the payment made was complete restitution to the government to the amount of its loss."

SOUTHERN DOCTORS THANK ROCKEFELLER

So. Medical Association Endorses Taft on Health Department.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 11.—The third annual convention of the Southern Medical Association adjourned today after electing Dr. W. Crawford of Hattiesburg, Miss., president; selecting Nashville as the next place of meeting and adopting several resolutions.

A resolution was unanimously adopted endorsing President Taft's proposition that there should be established a federal health department. The association also went on record as strongly favoring the acceptance for a campaign against the hookworm disease and instructed the councilors to prepare resolutions thanking the donor. The report of the council recommended that the association magazine should suspend publication after the December issue.

Dr. Oscar Dowling of Shreveport, La., was elected secretary and treasurer.

SYNOD IN POLITICS.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 11.—The synod of the Cumberland Presbyterian church of Alabama today endorsed the constitutional prohibition amendment. The meeting of the synod closed tonight with a temperance rally.