

## TROOPS QUIET DULUTH WHEN MOB LYNCHES 3

Crowd Storms Jail and Takes  
Six Negroes Held in At-  
tack on White Girl.

DULUTH, Minn., June 16.—Minnesota state militiamen restored order in the streets of Duluth today, following a night of mob rule which resulted in the lynching in one of the main streets of the city of three negro circus roustabouts who had been arrested for attacking a 17-year-old white girl.

The girl was reported to have died as the result of her experiences.

Following the news of the attack, which spread quickly through the city, the mob, numbering some 5,000 men, broke into the jail where the negroes were confined, and took them from the cells.

Six negroes had been arrested in connection with the crime.

Three of the accused were found "not guilty" at a mock trial before the lynchers.

Not a shot was fired in the mob demonstrations.

The three negroes hanged were Isaac McGhee, Elmer Jackson and Nate Green.

**Hoosier Is Boosted  
for Rotarian Chief**

Indianapolis will be represented by about thirty-four Rotarians at the annual convention of International Rotary clubs, to be held at Atlantic City next week.

Some of the wives and other members of their families will accompany some Rotarians to the convention.

Indianapolis Rotarians are boosting John N. Dyer of Vincennes, Ind., as president of the international organization.

### Births

Stanton and Dera Lee, 3202 North Hovey, boy.

John and Maude Hughes, 643 North Parker, boy.

Elmer and Nellie Rowland, 942 North Temple, boy.

Cecil and Clara Chambers, 2509 West Tenth, boy.

Bernard and Katie Gallagher, 2402 State, boy.

Oral and Laura Steen, 2820 Walker, boy.

Forest and Ina Kalney, 3220 Roosevelt, girl.

Charles and Cecil Carter, 2046 LaSalle, girl.

George and Elva Garland, 20 Lansing, girl.

Frank and Harriet Fort, 429 East Court, girl.

Raymond and Dorothy Bell, 322 Leeds, boy.

Monroe and Mary Johnson, City hospital, girl.

Robert and Bessie Alums, City hospital, girl.

Henry and Florence Newmeyer, 430 North Moreland, girl and boy, twins.

Louie and Bannie Chilton, 1865 Shely, girl.

John and Catherine Titus, 102 Lansing, girl.

Louis and Caroline Stomage, 765 North Holme, boy.

Bill and Verne Wado, 1839 West Vermont, boy.

Simon and Minnie Smith, 2001 Alvo, boy.

Otto and Frieda Gray, 918 South New Jersey, boy.

James and Pearl Higgins, 126 Fulton, boy.

Elmer and Mary Williams, 1400 East Market, boy.

Frederick and Magdaline Galloway, 301 South Holmes, girl.

Elbert and Murley Stokes, Methodist hospital, girl.

### Deaths

Mary L. Paul, 54, 327 N. Davidson, multiple cysts of kidney.

Henderson George, 81, 3055 N. Meridian, acute lobar pneumonia.

James E. Hall, 15, Long hospital, glioma of brain.

Jessie Adele Hammel, 58, 2350 Central, chronic myocarditis.

W. H. Johnson, 67, City hospital, internal hemorrhage.

Alex A. McDonald, 62, 918 W. New York, cerebral hemorrhage.

John W. Dickey, 60, Oliver avenue and White river, drowning (accidental).

Henry Rhodes, 78, 2206 Winter, arterio sclerosis.

John Taylor, 1, 2024 Brighton boulevard, acute gastro enteritis.

Lydia Emery, 36, 1239 W. Washington, pulmonary tuberculosis.

John F. Pach, 71, 333 Caven, chronic myocarditis.

Grace M. Kittle, 29, Deaconess hospital, acute myocarditis.

Robert Thompson, 81, 818 Indiana, diabetes.

Caroline M. Parsons, 77, 522 East Fifteenth, cerebral hemorrhage.

Elmer Metzger, 64, 610 Lexington, lobar pneumonia.

Mary C. Evans, 57, Methodist hospital, carcinoma.

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## What's What In Indianapolis

### "Know Your Own Home Town"

(By the Reference Department, Indianapolis  
Public Library, C. E. Rugh, Librarian)



When was Indianapolis first connected by telegraph with another city?

In 1848, to Dayton, O.

Where does Indianapolis foster its art?

In the John Herron Art Institute the city has one of the noted art museums of the United States. It was organized by the Art Association of Indianapolis in 1888, and incorporated the same year. In 1893, John Herron, an Indianapolis man, left a bequest of \$250,000 with the stipulation that an art museum should be built and an art school conducted, which should bear his name.

For what fine piece of art is Indianapolis noted?

The Soldiers and Sailors Monument is recognized as one of the most noteworthy monuments in the United States. It is said to be the greatest monument in the world erected to commemorate the services of its citizen soldiers and the first ever erected directly in honor of the private soldier. Designed by Bruno Schmidt, it was erected at a cost of more than \$300,000 and dedicated in 1902.

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attempted to clear himself, but also did not involve Chief Schmitt, but admitted that he heard that liquor had been transported to Evansville.

Both Freddie and Trantwein testified they made an attempt to catch the booze runners.

"How many catches did you make in the police boat?" the court asked Freddie.

"One," answered Freddie.

Trantwein admitted that a tip came to headquarters from a Peter H. Henderson, Ky., that a shipment of booze was coming into town by a certain road.

Trantwein stated that the chief ordered him to remain at police headquarters instead of going out and hunting for the booze runners.

"You were to arrest them if they happened to come to headquarters?" asked District Attorney VanNuys.

The witness was silent.

**CONGRESSMAN USED AS CHARACTER WITNESS.**

O. R. Lubring, congressman from Evansville, appeared as a character witness.

On cross-examination by District Attorney VanNuys, Lubring admitted that Ossenberg's place of business is in the colored district and that Lubring and Ossenberg often had conferences.

"You mea that Freddie Ossenberg is a political boss down there?" asked the district attorney.

"I don't know," he said, "from the standpoint of being corrupt," answered Lubring.

VanNuys asked if a political boss means a man who can control enough votes to swing an election, then Ossenberg is a political boss?"

Lubring explained to the court that he was just a color and was suddenly called a witness.

Those introducing a defense in an attempt to refute the evidence introduced by the government are Edgar Schmidt, police chief of Evansville and the central figure of the alleged conspiracy are:

Chief Freddie Ossenberg, who is alleged to have influenced the sheriff of Vanderburgh and his deputies not to interfere with the "whisky runners" between Henderson, Ky., and Evansville.

Sheriff INCLUDED IN BUNCH.

Herbert Males, sheriff of Vanderburgh county, whose alleged obedience to Ossenberg allowed the favorites of Chief Schmidt un molested access to roads leading to Evansville.

Abe and Moses Klyman, former wholesale liquor dealers of Henderson, Ky., whom government witnesses claimed they purchased whisky from for transportation into Indiana.

Charles J. Ruhl, deputy sheriff, alleged to have been a part of the whisky transportation conspiracy.

Andy Freddie, captain of police; Enoch

Weir, William Fuchs and James Trautwein, all members of the police department at Evansville, and according to the government witnesses made no interference with the alleged wide open transportation of liquor into the state.

Carl Dreisch, inspector of weights and measures.

Arthur R. Booth, city councilman; Charles Smith and William Morris, police officers.

**OTHERS ENTERED GUILTY PLEAS.**

The others of the seventy-eight defendants with the exception of two men, who have not been arraigned, have entered guilty pleas.

Charles Thompson, defendant who is alleged to be the mastermind of the whisky running, testified he had others bring whisky into him and testified that he gave \$50 while a case was pending in the city court against his wife and stated that Schmidt accepted the "gift."

"My wife gave City Judge Ireland a fountain pen for Christmas and I gave him a pen and a box of cigars," testified Thompson.

"Did Judge Ireland give you the pen?" asked Judge Anderson.

"No," replied Thompson, in explaining that he gave Chief Schmidt the pens to give the city judge.

"And did the chief do it?" asked Judge Anderson with a smile.

"Yes, he did because I heard about it," answered Thompson.

A colored boy was introduced as a witness and testified to hauling a trunk to Indianapolis from which they came to Indianapolis in a taxicab.

They said they had no idea how the man reached Indianapolis with the car after the accident.

Miss Durbin said her purse containing \$50 was missing.

Miss Meyers' purse was found in the car.

The women said they knew the man, giving his name as Blahey, as William Blahey, and that he lived at 1210 North Randolph street.

Grove was arrested on a charge of operating a blind tiger and driving an automobile while under the influence of liquor and Blahey was charged with operating a blind tiger.

Grove's condition is said to be the most serious.

He was charged with the theft of \$300 worth of Liberty bonds and \$10 in War Savings certificates.

He was placed in the Marion county jail today upon failure to give \$1,000 bond.

of Evansville and Enoch Weir drive up to the station.

McDaniels testified that he and Weir, who is a police officer under indictment, followed the truck containing the trunk full of whisky, to police headquarters.

"At police headquarters" testified McDaniels, "Weir told me that I was no longer needed."

McDaniels said that this remark made him so angry that he forgot to watch where the truck went to with the whisky after it left headquarters.

J. Cavins, a police officer, who was not indicted, testified that he saw the trunk containing the whisky at Captain of Police Andy Freddie.

"Freddie over the phone told me 'not to see too much, as I knew what tomorrow was.'

"And what was tomorrow?" asked Mr. Slack.

"Election day," answered Cavins.

Cavins stated that he "didn't see any more," left the station and when he returned the trunk was not there.

"The chief then said it was a check that Boner had left," testified Schmitt.

REDDUCED FOR TELLING PRESS.

Schmitt testified that a woman, alleged to be the operator of an immoral house at Evansville, was with Boner at the time of the transaction.

Schmitt stated that he was afterward reduced from the rank of an officer after he had told the press about the transaction and that Chief Schmidt afterward reduced from the rank of an officer but talked too much."

Schmitt was not indicted and was only a witness of the government.

Roberts testified that Schmidt told him to give the \$50 to John Boner, a brother of James Boner, and stated that he did. John Boner substantiated the evidence of Roberts and said the money was used in the interest of the family of his brother.

David Wolf, former saloon keeper, testified that Chief Schmidt borrowed \$50 from him to go to Hot Springs, and that he talked to Schmidt about transporting booze into the state.

**SAYS CHIEF.**

DOESN'T PAY BILLS.

Abram Cohn, who operates a grocery at Evansville, with his brother Sol Cohn, admitted having a trunk containing \$500 in Liberty bonds.

Richard Pennington, a defendant who pleaded guilty, testified to buying whisky from the Klyman Brothers at Henderson, and of seeing Fred Ossenberg, Circuit Judge Gould, Ben Bartlett, a police officer, and others together.

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