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### MOB KILLS NEGRO IN MISSOURI TOWN

Dead Man Accused of Beating and Robbing Farmer—There Companions Escape.

Moberly, Mo., Nov. 16.—A negro one of four said to have beaten and robbed Edward Thompson, a farmer, Thursday night, was lynched here today by a mob of 100 masked men. The negro's three companions escaped after they had been taken from the jail at Macon early today and brought to Moberly secretly. Later it was reported two had been captured and were in custody at a point unknown to the mob.

It was reported farmers have gone to adjacent counties in search of the blacks. Local authorities said the negroes admitted they were Industrial Workers of the World.

Last night large numbers of farmers congregated on the streets here, and fearing mob violence. Sheriff Owens took the four negroes to Macon county. Learning of this the mob motored there and demanded that Sheriff Jesse Stamper turn over the negroes to them. The sheriff pleaded with the men, but the jail keys were taken forcibly from him and the blacks were returned here just before daybreak, clad only in their night clothes.

A large fire had been built in a public park, and sight of it produced a noisy demonstration among the negroes. A rope was placed over the head of one of them and swung it over a limb of a tree. The mob pulled and the limb broke. The negro started running as he fell. Four guns flashed and he was killed instantly. At the sound of the shots the other three escaped.

The negroes are alleged to have beaten Thompson into unconsciousness and robbed him of \$12 on the outskirts of Moberly.

### PRIEST SERVED WELL

London, Nov. 14. (By the Associated Press.)—Exploits of Father Meens who warned London of impending German air raids during the war and who worked with Edith Cavell, the martyred British nurse in aiding British prisoners to escape from Belgium, have just been disclosed by the Roman Catholic periodical, The Universe. Father Meens, who lived in Brussels, was associated with the allied intelligence department.

Once he disguised himself as a cattle driver and making his way to Ostend, found the hiding place of the German submarines.

Air raids to England, the priest learned, were usually preceded by a dinner of the officers of the Zeppelins and Gothas. By pretending to be a pastry cook, he discovered when the dinners were to be held. Carrier pigeons carried his messages to Holland, and before 6 p. m. the British admiral would have word to the coming raids.

Escaped British prisoners seeking Nurse Cavell proceeded, disguised, to Brussels and were met there by a little girl of 11. She used to carry a big doll, run about and play and look in the shop windows. Without any sign on her part of recognizing the soldiers, she would lead them to the house where Nurse Cavell awaited them. There the men were bandaged, transformed into "hospital patients" and turned over to "Baron Jansen," otherwise Father Meens, who took them across the frontier.

On the night of Nurse Cavell's arrest, Father Meens had been sent to Holland to carry a message for Cardinal Mercier, thus escaping death, as he had arranged to meet at midnight two other conspirators, both of whom were taken and shot."

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### WOOD ALCOHOL FATAL

Florence, Nov. 16.—Laurie Adams, aged 23 years, drank a Coca-Cola bottle full of wood alcohol Friday afternoon and died from the effects of the poison at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. On his death bed he told the physician he had bought the "stuff" from a man in a cafe near the depot in this city but was unable to give his name. The bottle was not labeled. The young man suffered great pain before he died. He was a son of John Adams of Darlington county, and came here some time ago to work in the Atlantic Coast Line shops. The matter has been reported to Coroner Smith and an investigation will be held.

### CORONER CALLED IN

Florence, Nov. 16.—Coroner Smith was called to Scranton yesterday to investigate the death of J. T. Miles the circumstances surrounding which had been reported to him as suspicious. It was learned that Mr. Miles died while sitting in a drug store at Scranton a few minutes after he had been served with a dose of a well known patent medicine for headache. He had stated that he was suffering from toothache when he called for the remedy, and that during the morning he had visited a dentist at Lake City.

In view of these circumstances the sudden death of Mr. Miles created some excitement and there were some who were disposed to think that his death was primarily due to the remedies he had taken. A careful investigation disclosed the fact, however, that these fears were groundless and the coroner's jury returned a verdict stating that Mr. Miles had come to his death from natural causes. Mr. Miles was a well known farmer of the Cowards section. He leaves a widow and six children. He was 40 years old.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

Pursuant to an order of J. M. Windham, Judge of Probate, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the residence of the late S. R. Mims, on Saturday the 6th day of December 1919, at 11 o'clock A. M. the following personalty; one mower, one dixie plow, on set plow gear, one plow stock, one (1) horse wagon, one buggy and harness, one mare, one grind rock and one half interest in guano distributor.

C. E. Amble, Administrator.  
Turbeville, S. C., Nov. 17, 1919.

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