

HANGINGS IN ARMY BRANDED AS FALSE AT SENATE HEARING

Col. Symonds Identifies Gallows as Used to Execute One Murderer.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Firm denials of alleged illegal hangings of American soldiers in France have again been made before the Senate Investigation Committee by army officers.

The photograph of a gallows on which, Senator Watson of Georgia was told by a former soldier, many men had been hanged, was identified by Col. Charles J. Symonds as one he ordered erected. Only one man was executed on it, he said, and the hanging was secret, after the man had been duly tried for murder.

Col. Symonds was in command at Gievres during the time the alleged executions are supposed to have taken place. He said the gallows in the photograph closely resembled the one he had built.

The officer also denied that there had been any lynching of Negroes in the vicinity of Gievres, for he would have received a report of such incidents. Questioned closely by Senator Watson about the secrecy of the one execution, Col. Symonds explained that he saw no reason for making it public, as the crime had not been committed in that area. Col. Symonds has been in the army for thirty-six years and is now stationed at Camp Sherman, O.

Capt. Joseph D. Hahn of Camp Benning, Ga., testified that the charge that he had assisted in the unlawful execution of two Negroes at Gievres was false. He added that he had never heard of such executions in his regiment, the 16th Infantry.

Other witnesses, including Dr. H. E. Ross of Danville, Ill., a former battalion surgeon, testified to the same effect. Dr. Ross said he would surely have known of such lynchings, and that he had never seen in his hospital the body of a Negro with the rope still about his neck, as former witnesses have charged.

Senator Watson presented to the committee an affidavit by J. A. McQuinn of Youngstown, O., declaring he was at the Bassens Prison in France when Private Fitzgerald was shot and killed by a Sergeant named Cooper or Kulpura of New Castle, Pa.

The hearing was then adjourned until to-day, when other army officers will be called.

AGREE ON BOUNDARY LINE.

\$11,485,500 in Property May Go From Queens to Brooklyn.

After more than ten years of discussion, property owners along the border between Queens and Brooklyn boroughs have agreed upon a dividing line. This will extend from Metropolitan Avenue to Ouderdonk Avenue, to Flushing Avenue, to Cypress Avenue, to Blocker Avenue, to St. Nicholas Avenue, to Irving Avenue and to the cemetery line.

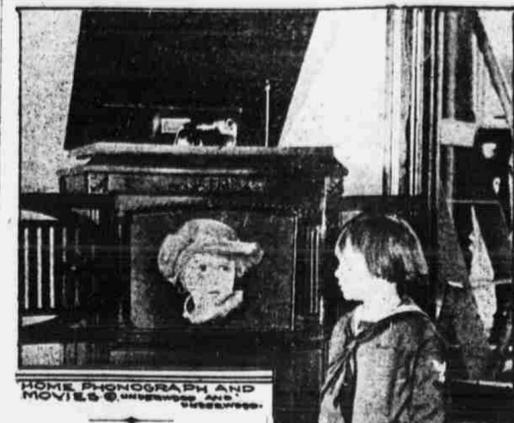
Under this proposed plan, property which is assessed by the Tax Department of the city at \$11,485,500 will be transferred to Brooklyn.

SCIENTIST TRUSTEES QUIT.

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—Progress in settling the controversy in the First Church of Christ, Scientist, was made yesterday when Superior Court Judge Crosby accepted the resignations of Herbert W. Eustace and Paul Harvey as trustees of the Christian Science Publishing Society. A hearing will begin to-morrow on the allowance of the trustees' accounts.

Judge Crosby's action ends one phase of the court procedure—hearings on the question of whether the directors of the church acted in good faith in removing Eustace and Harvey as trustees. The hearing on behalf of the directors, however, questioned the propriety of accepting the resignation after the men had been removed.

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Jackie Coogan bought the first one and the child star is shown watching a projection of himself as "The Kid."

A TOREADOR IS WHAT LUTHER JUST WASN'T

When He Was Cornered, His Son Put Out the Bull's Eye and Is Fined.

A prize bull, eighteen months old, of Guernsey stock, is a pet of Mrs. E. Trobridge Lord of King Street, Greenwich. She combs his hair.

The bull combed the trousers of Ernest Luther with his horns, and now Luther is a heretic, so far as the pet theory is concerned. He is Superintendent of the stock breeding establishment of E. Trobridge Lord. He isn't now.

Luther testified before Judge J. R. Mead yesterday that the bull pinned him in a corner of the Trobridge barn, plastering him against the corner walls so that he could not move. Luther's son testified that he put out the bull's eye in rescuing his father.

Judge Mead joined the heretics. He tried to sketch Luther and his son, both in front of the bull, in a corner of the barn, but couldn't make the grade. The court bogged down on the cubic contents, angle of direction and plane geometry, and admitted it. Also he fined Luther \$25 for cruelty to animals.

Mr. Lord testified he had notified Luther and his son that their wages were going to be reduced and neither had cheered lustily. He frankly revealed a suspicion that young Luther put out the bull's eye for revenge.

Frederick A. Hubbard, attorney for the defendant, took an appeal and his client was admitted to bail in \$100. Luther said that when the bull blockaded his father he struck a pitchfork's tines in the animal's rump, slammed it on the side with the handle and happened to put the fork into the eye before the bull pulled loose from Ernest Luther. In the testimony, to be nursing her pet's wounds.

THE REV. A. W. H. THOMPSON. BALTIMORE, Jan. 12.—The Rev. Dr. Albert W. H. Thompson, rector of St. Mark's Protestant Episcopal Church, Newark, N. J., died in a hospital here yesterday. He had come here to preach and was taken sick suddenly.

HAGAN NO EXTORTIONER.

Brooklyn Policeman Cleared From Italian's Charges.

Harold Hagan of No. 356 Baltic Street, Brooklyn, a patrolman of No. 33d Precinct, was acquitted last evening before Supreme Court Justice Dike in Brooklyn of a charge of attempted extortion.

Salvatore Garabaldi, a tailor, of No. 222 Johnson Street, Brooklyn, complained that on June 16 last Hagan charged him with illegal possession of liquor and asked him for \$200 to hush the matter up. Hagan testified that he found the liquor in the cellar, and although the tailor tried to give him \$50 and then \$100 to keep quiet, he spurned the offer and arrested Garabaldi. The liquor charge is still pending.

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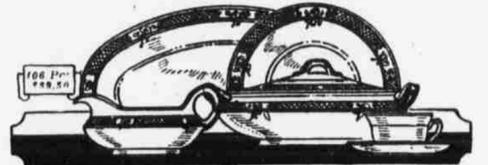
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