

# FORM LYNCHING PARTY

## Three Men Are Arrested For Murdering Family and Angry Farmers Now Threaten to Kill Them

(By United Press Leased Wire.) BLUEFIELD, W. Va., Sept. 24.—Scores of angry farmers from Buchanan and adjoining counties today are gathering at Hurley where Alexander Blankenship and his two sons are in jail charged with murdering George Meadows, his wife and three children and Mrs. Meadows' aged mother. Blankenship and his boys were arrested only upon the promise of protection from the hands of a mob, after they had successfully withstood a posse for several hours last night by barricading themselves in their mountain cabin. Lynching Threatened. Today infuriated farmers are threatening to storm the jail and hang the prisoners to the nearest limb. Although the authorities are doing everything in their power for the protection of the prisoners, the mob in general is threatening to storm the jail and hang the prisoners to the nearest limb. Although the authorities are doing everything in their power for the protection of the prisoners, the mob in general is threatening to storm the jail and hang the prisoners to the nearest limb.

### Trained by Hounds.

Blankenship and his family formerly bore good reputations. When the Meadows family was found murdered, bloodhounds were rushed to the scene and put on the trail. From the Meadow house the dogs followed the scent for ten miles and finally led the sheriff and his posse to Blankenship's ranch. When the ranch-

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## Can a Couple Live on \$18 a Week in Tacoma?

(Continued From Page One.)

and cold water and a nice fire place. We dress neatly, have pleasure trips and entertain occasionally. Here is a list of our weekly expenses:

Rent	1.88
Groceries	3.00
Fuel averages	.75
Meat	.75
Milk	.35
Church	.35
Gas	.25
Laundry	.25
Carfare	.10
Times	.07
Tobacco	.00
Liquor	.00

Total per week.....\$7.65  
That leaves us \$10.35 a week, or \$41.40 a month for pleasure, clothing and bank. We are both under 25 years of age, so hope to be independent when old. So we save a small sum each week. A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush.

MRS. J. M. S.  
1010 South Eighth street.

Contest Editor: Yes! We are another couple living nicely on \$18 a week.

To do this it is necessary that the husband be a man of good habits and bring his wages into the home, and that the wife be economical and use good judgment in keeping house.

We are paying \$15 a month rent and consider that as much as any couple can well afford to pay with this income. I am careful always to have our meals wholesome and enjoyable. I use plenty of fruit and vegetables, but buy those which are in season and can be bought reasonably.

I do not buy the expensive cuts of meat, as the cheaper ones are just as nourishing and palatable as those of the more expensive kind. Then, I never throw out what is left over, but study my cookbook and fix it up some nice way to serve again.

We buy a good quality in all our clothing, but select colors and fabrics which will wear well and not soiled easily. We never buy exaggerated styles, as they can seldom be worn, but one season, and are usually hard to dispose of when I clean, press, and darn as long as a garment can be made to look well.

Always contented—Except. Contest Editor: Can a couple live on \$18 a week? Well I should say yes, for it has been demonstrated in our home. I have only been keeping house eight months, and have had all the lessons in economy to learn, as I didn't know a thing pertaining to housekeeping and its many mysteries when I started out.

Our living expense seldom runs over \$18 a week. Besides our clothing and other necessities, we lay a sum aside each month to provide for the inevitable rainy day. I do all my own work, including laundry, baking and sewing, that saves on an average of \$5 and \$6 a month; sometimes more. I buy the staple groceries by the quantity, and, above all, pay cash for everything. I try to use good judgment in what I buy and trade where I can get the best for the money. I will give you a sample of week's expenses according to average:

Groceries and meat	\$4.50
Car fare	.25
Phone	.25
Miscellaneous	.50
Total	\$5.50

That leaves us \$12.50 a week, so that is one advantage in our favor. We are both fond of amusement and have a pleasant evening at the theater, and we think we are happier than the majority of people living on \$18 a week. Always contented, excepting when

the newsboy forgets to leave the Times at 4010 East G street. MRS. F. C.

Contest Editor: A letter from a girl of 14 years. Yes, we can live on \$18 a week. I am only 14, but I know something about housekeeping already. My papa earns only up to \$15 a week, and we are four little ones, and I am the oldest. And all those hungry mouths always want something to eat, but my mamma always has something for them. We never go hungry to bed or to school. We always get nice clean dresses every other day. We need many shoes, but my mamma knows how to do everything. She sews all our dresses and does her own washing and baking. Every day we get our vegetables out of our own garden. When we come home from school we get an extra lunch.

Four of us go to school, and that costs us \$2.50 a month. We must buy all our books. And we have to pay \$10 rent per month. We cannot put any money in the bank, but we can live right. We are dressed so that we don't have to be ashamed. Yes, and then papa can even smoke his pipe of tobacco.

My wish is that every poor work-inhous can earn \$18 a week, so that they can save some money and get a home, and then they will "like Tacoma."

M. J.  
550 South Forty-ninth street.

List of Prizes  
First prize—A box at the Tacoma theater to see "Paid in Full."  
Second prize—Four orchestra seats.  
Third prize—Three orchestra seats.  
Fourth prize—Two orchestra seats.  
Fifth and sixth prizes—One orchestra seat each.

Answers should be limited to 250 words, the briefer the better. Write on one side of the paper only.  
Address Contest Editor, The Tacoma Times.  
All answers must be in by noon Friday, September 24.  
Awards will be announced in the Times Saturday, September 25. The letters are still coming.

### Two Cities Scrap Over Entertainment of the President

(By United Press Leased Wire.) SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.—President Taft will be compelled to eat two luncheons, ride in two boats to San Francisco and make two speeches at the same time, unless the deadlock existing today between the San Francisco and Oakland reception committees is broken and some sort of an agreement reached. According to the plans of the San Francisco reception committee the president is to be taken in charge by the San Franciscans at the foot of Broadway street, Oakland, and immediately transported to San Francisco in the government boat, the Golden Gate. While crossing the bay luncheon is to be served on board. Oakland, however, has a different plan. According to their arrangements, the president will be escorted to San Francisco by the Oakland delegation. Instead of the tug Golden Gate the committee has announced that a ferry boat will be employed to transport the president across the bay. Like San Francisco, luncheon is planned to take place during the passage from Oakland.

Rather Quick.  
From Tacoma to Seattle via steamer Flyer. Five round trips daily. Actual time each way one hour and thirty minutes. Leaves Tacoma 8:35 a. m., 12:15, 3:55, 7:30 and 11 p. m.

## GARRY SICK GIRL -21 MILES OVER MOUNTAINS

(By United Press Leased Wire.) PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 24.—After being carried two nights and a day over 21 miles of mountainous country, Gladys Saunders, 16 years of age, is in a local hospital today about to undergo an operation for appendicitis. The girl was taken ill recently and, fearing the attack would be fatal, her father, assisted by several friends, improvised a stretcher and carried her over rough country. When the party arrived all were exhausted. Physicians at the Good Samaritan hospital today declared that their kindness probably will save the girl's life.

### RIVER IS CARRIED 70 MILES IN PIPE

(By United Press Leased Wire.) DAWSON, Alaska, Sept. 24.—The Yukon Gold company's great ditch, extending to Gold Hill, has been completed and yesterday, for the first time, water was turned into it. The water is conveyed from Twelve Mile, most seventy miles from the place of its use. A volume of 5,000 inches, virtually a river, is sent over the hills at a cost of \$10,000,000, making the successful consummation of the greatest engineering undertaking in the history of the far north.

### TEN UNDER ARREST FOR ROBBING FREIGHTS

-ANACORTES, Sept. 23.—Ten Italians and their white foreman, W. H. Hale, were taken here last night, as they were in the act of robbing a Great Northern freight car. Robberies of this sort have been frequent for some time past, and only a few nights ago a car was robbed in Burlington by this same gang. The goods from the Burlington robbery were found in possession of the men on their car. In the car and the trunks of the men were found underclothing, a case of whiskey, tobacco, shoes, an outfit of barber's tools and a number of other articles.

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## THOUSANDS OF APPLES FOR FAIR VISITORS

SEATTLE, Sept. 24.—Thousands of apples will be distributed to visitors at the exposition on October 6. That will be Apple day and there will be apples everywhere. Where the visitor might expect a lemon to be passed out, he will be greeted with a red apple. That Washington is the home of the apple will be well advertised. At the head of the Cascades a pyramid of apples, measuring at its base eight feet square and rising to a height of thirty feet will be erected.

### REYES TO QUIT MEXICO.

(By United Press Leased Wire.) MONTERREY, Mex., Sept. 24.—Following the resignation of General Bernardo Reyes from the presidency of the local Casino, the highest social distinction of the state, it is rumored here that General Reyes is preparing to leave Mexico and to take up his residence in Europe. Much color is lent to the reports due to the fact that the home of General Reyes, valued at \$90,000, is for sale.

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### CAN YOU SOLVE IT!

The nearest correct answer to the above will receive the \$500 Steger Piano advertised in this contest. The next nearest correct answer will receive one of the \$200 factory bonds, and the third nearest correct answer will receive the other \$200 factory piano bonds. Other awards in order of merit.

MAIL YOUR ANSWER AT ONCE AND BE SURE AND READ THE RULES GOVERNING THIS CONTEST BEFORE YOU SEND YOUR ANSWER

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WHY THIS CONTEST IS GIVEN AND THE GREAT BENEFIT TO YOU.

In consideration of a special factory arrangement the manufacturers of whom we purchase pianos, believing the large amount of money spent in magazines would be greatly appreciated if divided among piano purchasers, have agreed to allow us a large amount of money to be used in the above-stated way. We are now the largest exclusive dealers in pianos in the world, and in bringing the well-known makes of pianos made by us in Los Angeles and other cities of the Pacific coast to this city we do so offering the world's best pianos at the same low prices which have made our name well known in the many homes in cities of the Pacific coast states, where we have owned and operated stores for several years. We represent only the makers of high-grade pianos. Let us send you a complete list of the makes, or call and inspect them. We want you to get better acquainted with our house and our methods. The Lucore Piano Co., in the eight states where our lines are now represented, have received over fifty cars of high-grade pianos in sixty days. We made a statement some time ago that we had ordered over 1,000 pianos. These have been received, and not a single store is overstocked with goods. This is made possible inasmuch as we make lower prices than any other house, no matter where located. Without a question you will agree with us that 1,000 pianos can be sold and purchased for less per piano than 100 instruments can be disposed of. The great savings we make in purchasing in large quantities, and from the fact that we pay no commissions to any one and sell for only one price, enables you to buy an instrument for from \$50 to \$100 less than any other house asks for the same grade instrument. We sell reliable new pianos for as low as \$250.

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UTICA, N. Y., Sept. 24.—

"Though it has been proved that the murder of the Procopio girl and the Infusino baby was not the work of the Black Hand, yet the time is ripe to impress one lesson on people's minds, and that is this:

"If the Black Hand is ever suppressed, the Italians must do it themselves. The police cannot do it alone."

It was Chief of Police Edward Brophy of this city who spoke. It was a conclusion uttered with deep conviction. Utica, a city of 75,000 people, has 10,000 Italians, and Chief Brophy finds the regulation of the Italian district his most difficult task.

He had been working for a week to discover the motive and perpetrator of the brutal murder of two Italian children, and the wounding of another—a crime that shocked the whole country. He had to work along the black hand angle as well as others.

"We have almost martial law in the Italian district in this city. Our people and detectives are instructed to stop any Italian on the street and search him for arms. This isn't the law, of course, it's a form of martial law. We have taken guns and knives by the score. When the Italians complain I say to them, 'Well, if you don't like it, why don't you stop wearing guns, and make your friends do the same?'"

"Then I suggest to them, as I have been suggesting for many months, that the thing for the Italians in this country to do is to take their own countrymen in hand. The Italians can wipe out this Black Hand evil."

### MACHINE BOYS WIN STRIKE.

(By United Press Leased Wire.) SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.—The machine boys who have been on strike at the Illinois Pacific Glass Works returned to work today with an increase of 25 cents a day added to their pay envelopes. The strike tied up 200 glass blowers.

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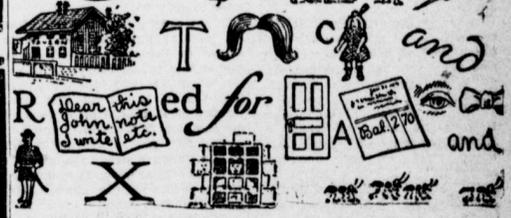
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