

READY FOR THE RUSH

We are prepared to care for your wants, having the goods, prices and competent clerks to wait on you. We anticipate a great week in business. Our sales for the month of December so far have been larger than ever before, and the closing of the year 1910 will give us we believe the largest business we have ever enjoyed in any one year before. This we attribute to having the goods, both in quality, quantity and price. From tomorrow (Tuesday) on Mr. John W. Steele, representing C. G. Alford & Co., New York City, will be with us until after Christmas, having as already advertised, the largest stock of jewelry, including WATCHES, DIAMONDS, JEWELRY of all kinds and makes ever shown in our city before. This stock of \$125,000.00 coupled with what we are now showing gives you an opportunity of selecting from just such goods as you are looking for. We are sparing no trouble, time or expense in arranging for such a stock and do not question being able to supply you with the exact article you are looking for.

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From Today on You Can

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for father, mother, sister, brother or sweetheart. Diamonds, Cameos, Opals, reconstructed Rubies, Signets plain chased, in fact we have them all.

When in ask to see the latest designs. We have it

Copeland's Jewelry Store

Fewer Persons Slain By Mobs During This Year

(Herald Special.)
Chicago, Ill., Dec. 23.—Only fifty-seven lynchings were recorded in the United States in 1910, a much smaller number than in almost any previous year in the last sixteen. In 1909 the total was seventy and in 1908 it was sixty-five.

All but five of the fifty-seven cases of lynching in 1910 were of negroes, and ten of these cases were those in which the charge against the victim was assault on white women or girls. In eleven of the remaining number the charge was attempted criminal assault. In the five cases of white men, four were for murder and the other for aiding and abetting in a jail delivery. Several of the cases in which negroes were lynched were based upon the murder, or alleged murder, of white women in which the question of assault is implied.

As in previous years, nearly all the lynchings were in southern states, Florida and Georgia having ten each, Alabama and Arkansas eight each, and Texas six. The only lynching in the north occurred in Ohio, the victim being Carl Etherington, an agent of the Ohio Anti-Saloon League, who met death at the hands of a mob in Newark following his imprisonment in jail on a charge of having murdered

LYNCHINGS IN THE UNITED STATES.

Year	Number
1894	190
1895	171
1896	131
1897	166
1898	127
1899	107
1900	116
1901	135
1902	96
1903	106
1904	90
1905	66
1906	68
1907	51
1908	65
1909	70
1910	57

a saloon keeper while making a raid on an alleged blind tiger. Following is the record for 1910 by states:

- Alabama—Eight negroes.
- Arkansas—Eight negroes.
- Florida—Eight negroes and two whites.
- Georgia—Ten negroes.
- Louisiana—One negro.
- Ohio—One white man.
- Oklahoma—One negro.
- South Carolina—One negro.
- Tennessee—Two negroes.
- Texas—Four negroes and two whites.

Of the five whites lynched, two were Italians, who were lynched in Florida. They were charged with murder and with inciting the riots during the strike of cigar makers in Tampa. Another of the white victims was a Mexican, who was shot and burned at the stake near the Texas border, following his confession that he had murdered a white woman. Of the fifty-two negro victims, two were women.

The record of the crimes for which the victims were put to death follows: Murder, seventeen; criminal assault, ten; attempted criminal assault,

eleven; robbery, four; attempted murder, seven; aiding and abetting jail delivery, three; assault with intent to do bodily injury, one; insulting women, two; threatening to commit murder, two.

In many of these cases the lynchings followed the arrest or conviction of the victims on the charges made against them. In other cases the victims met death while endeavoring to escape from pursuing posses. In two cases the negro victims were lynched by mobs composed of members of their own race. In almost every case the victim was summarily hanged or shot without burning at the stake, such as accompanied these acts of summary vengeance in former years.

In the foregoing record the word "lynching" has been held to apply only to the summary punishment inflicted by a mob or by any number of citizens on a person alleged to have committed a crime for which that person should have been tried according to law. This limitation excludes a number of cases reported during the year, such as the race trouble which occurred near Slocum, Texas, last August, in which eight or ten negroes were killed.

Hebrew Educators Confer.

Dayton, O., Dec. 23.—Jewish rabbis and religious workers from all over Ohio assembled in this city today to discuss Sunday school methods and general Jewish educational interests. The conference will continue several days.

Scientists to Meet in New Haven.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 23.—New Haven is preparing to entertain a large number of eminent scientists and educators next week on the occasion of the annual meeting of the American Physiological Society. The society will meet here in joint session with the American Society of Biological Chemists and the American Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics.

A sprained ankle will usually disable the injured person for three or four weeks. This is due to lack of proper treatment. When Chamberlain's Liniment is applied a cure may be effected in three or four days. This liniment is one of the best and most remarkable preparations in use. Sold by Bratton Drug Co.

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He has also visited different markets and selected the very best stock of nuts, raisins, dates, dried figs, citron and coconuts. All the above has been bought very cheap. I will actually save you one-third straight through on everything you buy. I have bought Celery in such large quantity that I can sell cheaper than any one else. I will also have the largest stock of Oysters that ever came to Palestine—furthermore from eastern markets.

I have selected the best stock of Fireworks that could be had for Christmas. The price I have paid for these goods enables me to sell cheaper than any one else. This stuff will all be on sale beginning December 14th. Don't wait until the last day. Buy early and get first pick.

Hoping to see all my old customers and lots of new ones, I remain,

RESPECTFULLY,

W. H. SMITH.