AID IN 'K' WHIPPING IN TEXAS ELECTION

Offers \$500 Reward for Con-

Coffeyville, Kan., Oct. 17 .- Ald of Federal authorities may be asked in connection with the investigation of the whipping of Mayor Theodore Schierl-man, of Liberty, Kan., by a band of men Saturday night, it was stated at men saturday fight. It was stated at Liberty last night by flarold F. Mc-Gugen, attorney for Schlerlman. Governor Allen yesterday denounced

the flogging of Mayor Schierlman and said he had been assured that Attorney General Hopkins was making a vigorous

Ransas City, Mo., Oct. 17.—(By A. p.)—Repudiating the acts of the men who Saturday night beat Mayor Schierlwho Saturday night beat Mayor Schierlman, of Liberty, Kan., the Ku Klux Klan of Kansas, through a statement issued at its propaganda department at Kansas City, Kan., last night offered a reward of \$500 to the "officer or officers who bring about the arrest and consistion of any or all passens conconviction of any or all persons con-nected with the affair."

The statement says that "if any Klansmen were connected with this outrageous crime at Liberty, Kan., we want to know it, and will assist in the prosecution of a Klansman connected with it, just as quickly as we will if

Independence, Kan., Oct. 17.—Mayor Theodore Schierlman, of Liberty, Kan., was taken out of town Saturday and was taken out of town Saturday and flogged with a leather harness strap by twelve Ku Klux Klansmen, he revealed in a statement yesterday, in which he announced he will sue his town for

State and county authorities yesterday began an investigation of flogging.
The Mayor's suit to be directed by
Walter Keith, his attorney, is to be
based on the Kansas law which makes a city responsible for any damage done by a mob. Mr. Keith is candidate for by a mob. Mr. Keith is candidate for District Judge on the Democratic ticket nd is a bitter enemy of the Ku Klux

Daniel W. Stewart, County Attorney announced every agency at his command would be directed to hunting out those responsible for the flogging.

"I want to send the members of this mob to the penitentiary," Stewart said.
"If, as I believe, they were imported Klansmen acting under orders to beat the Mayor because of his religious belief, I want to find the men who issued the orders."

Mayor Schierlman yesterday told of his experience.
"I had just closed my store—an autonobile sales agency—Saturday night," e said. "Three motorcars drew up to the curb. License plates had been re-moved—the cars were not the property

of any man in Liberty. Four men rode in each machine. Three jumped out of one car, grabbed me and hurled me into the rear seat. Then the cars headed out "'We're going to beat you until you understand that we won't stand for you talking against the Ku Klux Klan," one of the men told me. had talked against the Klan, for

I believe in a man's right to practice any religion he wants," Schierlman said. He is a Catholic—one of the few in Liberty.

"After we got out into the country about three miles, the twelve men ordered me out of the car," Mayor Schierlman said. "Then they took ropes and tied me to a tree. One ripped the and tied me to a tree. One ripped the

shirt from my back.
"Two others took turns with a harness tug—a strap about three feet long and a quarter of an inch thick. I believe it had been soaked in oil in preparation for the beating. The men said they were not residents of Liberty but were instructed by my neighbors to

MARYLAND'S KU KLUX FIGHTS 'TIGER'S EYE'

Hagerstown, Md., Oct. 17.—Rivalry between the Ku Klux Klan and the Knights of the Tiger's Eye was shown resterday, when placards caricaturing the Tiger's Eye appeared on telephone poles. One placard bore the inscription, "Dead Men Tell No Tales." Others warned the Tiger's Eye to "Beware!"

Deware:
A city ordinance prohibits posting of placards on poles, and the police said they will try to learn who is responsible for posting the warnings.

ELMAN SOUGHT BLOND, BUT WILL WED BRUNETTE

Violinist's Flancee Says It Love at First Sight New York, Oct. 17.—"Mischa Elman sought a blond as his ideal girl. The unexpected always happens. He found

So said Mildred Stone the pretty twenty-three-year-old girl chosen by the famous viclin virtuoso to become his bride, as she sat yesterday in her apart-

ment at Broadway and Seventy-first

Miss Stone added:

"Everything comes to him who waits.

Mr. Elman waited and I came. I really don't know exactly what his conception of an ideal girl is, but I must meet the requirements.
We met at Lake Placid in July

when my fiance came to visit my brother-in-law, Rudolf Polk, the violinist. It was a case of love at first sight. Do I believe in that? Not as a rule. You can't apply any rules to real life."

MORSE TRIAL IN NEW YORK

Commissioner Orders Removal of Defendant From Connecticut

Bridgeport, Conn., Oct. 17.—(By A. P.)—Harry F. Morse, who is under indictment with his father, Charles W. Morse, and others, charged with conspiracy to use the mails to defraud, will have to stand trial in the southern district of New York, according to a finding made by United States Commissioner Hugh J. Lavery here today.

Morse is to report before Commissioner Lavery on Thursday to be detained for removal to New York.

CAVE-IN HITS HOMES

Pennsylvania Families Forced to Fice for Their Lives

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 17.—(By A. P.)
—Two families were forced to flee from their homes early today when a mine cave tore out the foundation wall of the homes of Patrick Mahon and Harold terd on Railroad avenue.

The settling jammed the doors of the se and the residents had difficulty in ling out. The cave was twenty feet and thirty feet wide and autities said it was over old mine floss of the Glen Alten Coal Com-

MAY ASK FEDERAL K. K. K. ONLY ISSUE

Klux Kansas Headquarters 'Invisible Empire' Risks Its Fu-

Washington, Oct. 17.—The Ku Klux Klan is the only issue in Texas this Kian is the only issue in Texas this year. In other states, the Klan is active for certain candidates. In Missouri, according to the stories brought to Washington, the Klan has joined forces with the Anti-Saloon League to defeat Senator James A. Reed. In Oregon, the Klan is out to defeat the Republican candidate for governor and incidentally to put over a bit of legis. incidentally to put over a bit of legis-lation which would drive private schools out of the State. But in Texas, there are no side issues. It is Klan or no Klan.

Earl B. Mayfield, nominated by the

Earl B. Mayfield, nominated by the Democrats for the United States Senate, is standing as the candidate of the Klan. He has not professed membership in the organization, but it is well known that he has received the Klan support throughout his candidacy. Opposed to him will be George E. B. I'eddy, a registered Democrat, who in this contest is running as independent, with organized support from the Republicans and with the promised support of anti-Klan Democrats.

Advantage with Mayfield

Advantage with Mayfield Mayfield and his Klan supporters go into the fight with tremendous advantage. They have, first, the normal Democratic support to count on. Then, in all probability, they will have the andditional advantage of opposing a man whose name will have to be written on the ballots. Then they have the Klan funds and the entire Klan organization, for the "Invisible Empire" has sent word throughout the State that the Texas fight the Investment at the Texas fight is the important one, de-ciding as it will whether the Klan is to remain the political power in Texas or whether the voters of Texas are going to outlaw it and thus free the State, for the immediate future, from its influences.

Mayfield's friends have begun their attack by refusing to permit Peddy's name to go on the ballots. They are in

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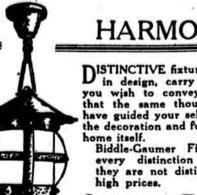
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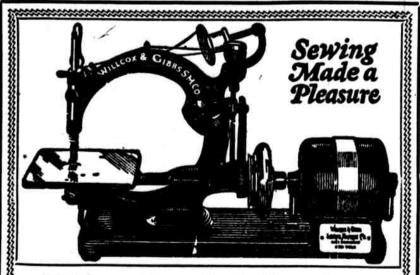
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