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NEGRO SHOOTS PATROLMAN AND MAKES ESCAPE

hospital were preparing with an X-ray machine to locate the bullet in the neck of Auto Patrolman

While physicians at Robinwood

Adolph Reimer, 31, of 619 Nebraska-ave., Chief Herbert and his

men were searching for George Jackson, 37, colored, a park laborer, who shot Reimer on Monday night

to avoid arrest for beating his wife.

Reimer and Patrolman John A.

Snyder, of station No. 4, arrived at

9 p. m. at 357 Woodland-ave., where a colored woman complained of her husband beating her. Reimer, who led the way, was shot in the mouth as he opened a

bedroom door. Reimer fell and was pushed back as the assailant closed

the door.

Snyder shot through the door and then broke it down. The assailant reached the porch roof, jumped to the ground and escaped.

Reimer walked to an ambulance. He said he was not hurt and asked that he be not taken to a hospital. Police Surgeon Dickey said Reimer

was not injured fatally.

Sergeant Delehanty and Patrolmen Cook, Livingston and Hartley arrested Eugene Thomas, 27; Mrs. Jackson, 34; Mrs. A. M. Banmeter, 38, and Lena Daniels, 21, all colored, as witnesses.

REIMER LIVES; NAB A SUSPECT

The bullet that came so near ending the life of Patrolman Adolph Reimer on Monday night was still in his head on Wednesday. Reimer probably will recover.

Detective Emmett Cairl was expected to return on Wednesday from Gibsonburg, where he took charge of Charles Brown, colored, who was arrested by the Gibsonburg marshal, According to Cairl, Brown admitted prowling a house here, but said he did not shoot a policeman.

Reimer was shot at 357 Woodland-ave, when he attempted to arrest George Jackson, 37, colored, a park laborer, for beating a woman.

WOUND IS FATAL TO PATROLMAN; SLAYER SOUGHT



man Adolph Reimer, 31, at Robin-

from a bullet wound received on the night of Aug. 2, Chief Herbert Wednesday afternoon ordered a new warrant issued for the arrest of George Jackson colored, Rel-mer's alleged slayer, charging Jackson with murder. Jackson is still at large. Reimer is the third police officer shot to death within a year.
The services for the dead patrolman, who resided at 619 Nebraska-

wood hospital early on Wednesday,

ave., probably will be held at St. Petri's Lutheran church on Friday Reimer will be given afternoon. the customary police military fu-neral. Burial will be in Forest cometery. He leaves the widow and two boys, both under 10 years. Reimer died from blood poison-ing, superinduced by the lodging of

bullet in his neck when he was shot by Jackson, who lived at 357 Woodland-ave. Reimer suffered Woodland-ave. Reimer suffered terribly during the last few hours. The officer was driving No. 4

auto with Patrolman John Snyder on the night of Aug. 2. They answered a complaint that a man was killing his wife. When Reimer opened the door Jackson fired at him. Jackson then escaped by leaping from a second-story win-He is still at large. dow.

other two officers The killed within a year were Detective Kaiser Bartecki and Motor Patrolman H. Schultz. Schultz was shot by a colored burglar a year ago this month. Bartecki was shot by Peter

tion.

Reimer was appointed patrolman on July 20, 1909.

Skribner, now awaiting electrocu-

\$300.00 REWARD Wanted for Murder



GEORGE JACKSON

August 2nd, 1915, about 8:00 o'clock P. M., George Jackson, colored, whose photograph appears above, shot and dangerously wounded Adolph Reimer, a policeman of this department, who died August 25th, 1915, from the effects of the wound.

Jackson is described as being about 40 years of age, height about 5 feet 10 inches, weight about 160 pounds, medium dark brown skin, and wearing a small mustache; his left arm has been broken at the elbow and badly crushed, leaving a large scar just below elbow which appears as if the flesh had been gouged out; the left forearm is somewhat shriveled and is smaller than the right forearm, although he has the full use of it. When he left, he was wearing a dark coat, black slouch hat, black shirt, and blue overalls.

Jackson is a native of Cedartown, Ga., and has lived in Richland, Ga., Shelbyville, Ind., Richmond, Ind., and Columbus, Ind. He is a laborer, usually working around concrete mixers and on

paving jobs.

On August 28th, 1915 the Commissioners of Lucas County, Ohio, offered a reward of \$300.00 for the arrest and delivery of George Jackson to an authorized officer of the County, said reward to be paid upon conviction.

If located, arrest on the charge of First Degree Murder; wire this Department, whereupon an officer will be sent forward at once with the necessary papers to return him.

HENRY J. HERBERT.

Chief of Police.

Toledo, O., August 31st, 1915.

