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Booth. John of Cobb Coroner county, will resume his inquest into the Leo Frank lynching this morning at 10 o'clock in the Marietta undertaking parlors.

court The superior investigation will be held next Tuesday morning, a special session of court having been

called.

The moving pictures of the funeral of Leo M. Frank, which also included pictures of the crowds at the scene of the lynching and at the Greenberg & Bond undertaking establishment. were barred by the board of censorship yesterday afternoon, after Manager Logan, of the Georgian theater, had run them three or four times.

An advertisement on the street of the picture was stopped by Chief of Police W. M. Mayo, who, with Mayor Pro Tem. I. N. Ragsdale and City' Clerk Walter Taylor, made protests against the Frank pictures to Harrison Jones. president of the board of censorship, and W. L. Percy, chairman of the cen-

sorship committee.

Mr. Jones and Mr. Percy immediately visited the Georgian theater and watched the grank pictures, which, according to their statements, were a part or the Pathe Weeklies. After seeing on the Pathe Weeklies. After seeing Percy and Mr. Jones ordered Manager Logan to cut out that part of the Pathe Weeklies which showed anything about the Frank lynching or funeral. Mr. Logan willingly acquiesced

heir demands. In a statement to The Constitution.

Chairman Percy explained the action of the censorship board as follows: Prominent or the censorship board as follows:
"Prominent officials and citizens complained to us about the pictures, and declared that their being run would be a lack of consideration for the feelings of many people in Atlanta. We, herefore, on the grounds of public polcy, decided to cut them out."

The pictures did not include scenes of Frank's body hanging by the rope to tree near Marietta, where he was ynched.

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