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August 08, 1899: William Yates Atkinson Dies
 Vocabulary

<u>Word</u>	<u>Part of Speech</u>	<u>Definition</u>
Lynch Mob	Noun	Group of citizens with the desire or goal to put someone to death without a trial
Progressive	Adjective	Favoring or advocating change, improvement, or reform, as opposed to wishing to maintain things as they are, especially in political matters.
Demagogues	Noun	A person, especially an orator or political leader, who gains power and popularity by arousing the emotions, passions, and prejudices of the people.
Convict Lease System	Noun	Convict leasing provided prisoner labor to private parties, such as plantation owners and corporations
Plea	Noun	an urgent, often emotional, request
Distinction	Noun	excellence in quality or talent, something done or given as a mark of respect or honor