

# PASTOR DENOUNCES LYNCHERS

**Dr. Wallace Says Their Protection Means Anarchy.**

"To lynch a murderer—even a negro murderer—after he is in a cell and sure of receiving just punishment is far more atrocious, cowardly and lawless than to commit an impulsive murder."

Such was the comment on the Brooklyn lynching last night of Rev. Dr. O. C. S. Wallace, pastor of First Baptist Church, whose text was "Thou shalt not kill."

"When such a crime as this lynching is backed up by the sentiment of the community in which it was committed," continued Dr. Wallace, "it is worse than lawlessness and more than murder. It is anarchy. I understand that not an arrest has been made in the case, and I am sure that this would not be if the murdering lynchers were not protected by the community."

"Not one arrest has been made, which means that the murderers are being protected by the community, which means anarchy. There lies the danger."