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Signed only "interested community", the following telegram was received by The Journal today. It was sent from Geneva, New York.

Gentlemen:

Freedom of speech is one of our sacred heritages. It can also hinder the workings of true justice. Mr. John Page, Jr., a respected attorney, believes Frank Wetzel is innocent of this crime. If the press took the time to assume this man innocent until proven guilty, articles in papers would not be injuring justice but seeing it done. The state and the press have pushed this boy into corner.

We want the man responsible found and punished, but this man is not Frank Wetzel. Many statements supposedly given by Frank are false. Originated from deputies and people assuming the facts. Please check for truth and undo harm that has been done to this boy's chances for justice.

Interested Community.

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