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GOV. HARRIS GIVES BESSIE STRIPLING HER DADDY.

Former Danville, Virginia, Chief of Police Gives Liberty by Governor of Georgia.

Atlanta, Ga., July 29.—Thomas Edgar Stripling, who served as chief of police of Danville, Va., for almost four of the 14 years that he was an escaped convict, was granted a full pardon by Governor Nat E. Harris at 6 o'clock tonight.

Since the first day that "Chief E. E. Morris," of Danville, was brought back to Georgia to resume his life sentence as Stripling, influential attempts were made through three state administrations to have him pardoned. All these failed, however, until Governor Harris went to Milledgeville in July, 1915, to inspect the state prison farm. While there one of Stripling's eight children, a girl of six, ran to him in the prison grounds and bashfully pleaded to "please let my papa out because he is sick and we all need him so bad." The incident touched the aged governor and he promised "to send your father back to you some time during his term."

Governor Harris tonight dispatched a letter to little Bessie Stripling and completed the case in its last sentence with "after all, it is the offering from the governor's heart to the love and innocence of a little child."

Stripling on November 4, 1897, shot and killed W. J. Cornett, his neighbor, in Harris county, Ga. He surrendered at Columbus, Ga., a few days afterward and eventually was found guilty and sentenced to life imprisonment.

Stripling testified at the trial, and it was corroborated, that Cornett had insulted both his wife and married sister, that Cornett had threatened to kill him and that when passing Cornett's house the night of the killing, he could not restrain himself from shooting when he saw Cornett passing a window with a light in his hand. He claimed self defense as he said he believed "it was either Cornett's life or mine sometime."

He escaped from the Harris county jail when his case was awaiting the outcome of an appeal. He remained hidden about two months at the home of his uncle in Harris county and then made his way to North Carolina where his wife joined him in 1899. Under the name of E. E. Morris he did different kinds of work in several towns for a number of years. Finally he was employed by the Southern railway as a special agent. That work took him to Danville where he had been about one year when he obtained a place on the police force. Nine months later he was elected chief of police.

Stripling has said there were two men in Danville who knew his life story, at they remained silent. Finally a man well known in Harris county saw him and soon afterwards reports as to Stripling's whereabouts were heard. These reports seemed, to W. W. Smith, a private detective, to warrant investigation. He obtained requisition papers from Governor Brown and proceeded to Danville. Smith established the identification beyond doubt.

On March 4, 1911, the Danville council was to elect a chief of police, and it is said Stripling was practically assured of re-election notwithstanding some opposition had arisen because he killed a young white man who had resisted arrest, killed a negro who was attempting to rob his home and shot another negro while resisting arrest. He was exonerated of blame in each case.

On the afternoon of March 3, however, Smith presented the requisition papers to Danville authorities. Stripling was confronted with the fact and admitted his identity. Stripling requested the mayor and members of council who at that time were unaware of his plight, to meet that night as he had an important statement to make. Before the body that probably would have elected him chief for another term the next night, he stood handcuffed, and told the story of the shooting of "Bill" Cornett, of his escape and movements during the nearly 14 years of freedom. He still wore his uniform when placed in jail in Georgia.

His family moved to Milledgeville soon after he was sent to the prison and has resided near the prison farm since. Stripling is now represented as being thoroughly well physically.

Macon, July 29.—Thomas Edgar Stripling, who for nearly 14 years while he was an escaped convict from Georgia, served as chief of police at Danville, Va., under the name of "E. E. Morris," passed through here today en route to join his family at Columbus, Ga., and announced that his pardon yesterday by Governor Harris had been followed by an offer from the president of the board of aldermen at Danville for him to resume his position as police chief there.

The former Danville chief said he wanted to rest for a short time and would decide later what he would do.

Shipped Liquor in Name of His Dead Wife.

St. Paul Messenger

A. Arnette who lives at Hope Mills was tried here last Monday by Recorder Butler, in two cases. He was arrested several days ago at Parkton, by Deputy Sheriff Tom McNeill, when it was discovered that he had five gallons of whiskey in a trunk which had been shipped from Petersburg, Va., to his wife, who had been dead for more than two years. He was tried in the first case for shipping the whiskey in some other name than his own. In this case prayer for judgment was asked, and the case was continued upon the payment of the cost. The second case was for having more whiskey in his possession than the law allows at one time, in which he received a verdict for \$50 fine and costs.

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