

### DR. HADLEY PAYS FINAL PENALTY

Convicted of Murder of Wife, Physician is Executed in Richmond.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 9.—Dr. Wilmer Ames Hadley, physician at the base hospital at West Hampton in 1918, has paid the penalty of death in the electric chair for the murder of his wife, Mrs. Finsley Hadley, and one of the most prominent murder cases in the criminal history of Virginia is finished.

The physician went to his doom early this morning at the State penitentiary with the same unassuming air that carried him through his trial before the jury in the capacity of the Henrico county court. Briefly, the trial lasting only two days every bit of the evidence was presented by citizens from all walks of life and not in its history has the courtroom housed such crowds as were present when the evidence was presented.

The crime with which Dr. Hadley was charged and later convicted and which he today paid the penalty, was committed the latter part of December, 1918. First information that a murder had taken place became known on December 30, 1918, when a body which later turned out to be that of Mrs. Hadley, was found floating in the James River five miles above Richmond.

From that day until September 1, when the physician was arrested in southern Colorado by a representative of a detective agency, police of Richmond and Henrico made a country-wide search for the perpetrator of the crime.

The trial began on October 25 and Hadley entered a plea of not guilty when brought before the jury after the grand jury had indicted him, he having been indicted some time before he was apprehended.

A discussion by the opposing attorneys on the question of admitting to court an alleged confession, resulted on the opening day of the trial. It finally was placed on record.

Counsel for Hadley at his request, abandoned efforts for a new trial. The physician was represented as saying he preferred not to go through the " ordeal " of a second trial.

Conviction of the accused man was brought about without the testimony of one of the most important witnesses for the prosecution, Mrs. E. G. Clarke, with whom Dr. and Mrs. Hadley had made their home and who identified nothing of the murder woman a few days before Hadley was arrested.

The execution had attracted considerable interest during the last few days because of the reported possibility that Governor Davis might order a stay of execution to enable a commission to investigate the wife slayer's sanity but the Governor after examination of the records in the case, declined to interfere.

Dr. Hadley's death closed the last chapter of a case involving one of the most sensational murders in Richmond's criminal history.

### PRISONER REMAINED CALM.

He was taken from the death cell in the State prison and escorted to the chamber containing the electric chair at 8 o'clock. The current was applied at exactly 8:05 o'clock and the prison physician pronounced him dead at 8:07. Prison attendants declared Dr. Hadley showed little sign of nervousness and was extraordinarily cool while the chair straps and appliances were being adjusted.

Dr. Hadley told the Rev. Dr. Dr. J. J. Schreyer, Jr. and Judge J. Hoge before the juvenile and domestic relations court, who had visited him, that he had made peace with God. He made no statement before being led to the chair.

At the time of his arrest on a ranch in the West, he was in disguise and carrying an irrigation ditch. He was taken to Denver, Colo., where, according to the Henrico county authorities, he made a written confession that he had killed his wife.

This confession was used against him in his trial. In the confession he declared he also shot a mysterious "Dr. Griffin," a fellow surgeon in the army, but an investigation proved this to be unfounded, which Hadley finally admitted.

From the time of his arrest last August, until his execution, Dr. Hadley maintained a taciturn calmness and indifference.

### MARSHAL FOCH IS GUEST OF ATLANTA

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 9.—All Atlanta turned out today to do honor to Marshal Foch, whose brief stay here before leaving for a trip through the Carolinas and on to Washington included participation in a military parade, decoration of the monument to Fulton county men who lost their lives in the world war, patriotic exercises at Piedmont Park and a visit to Emory University.

### GETTING-QUINN.

Salisbury, Dec. 9.—In the presence of a few friends and relatives, Miss Janet Quinn became the bride of A. Neville Gething in a quiet home wedding Thursday morning. The bride was accompanied to the altar by her father, M. C. Quinn, and her only attendant was Miss Susie Hutchinson, of Charlotte. Perry Sessions, of Charlotte, acted as best man. The ceremony was said by Dr. Byron Clark, pastor, of First Presbyterian church.

The couple have gone on a trip in western North Carolina and, upon their return, will make their home on West Fisher street.

The groom is a native of England but has lived in Salisbury several months. The bride is the only daughter of M. C. Quinn and has always made her home here where she has a wide circle of friends.



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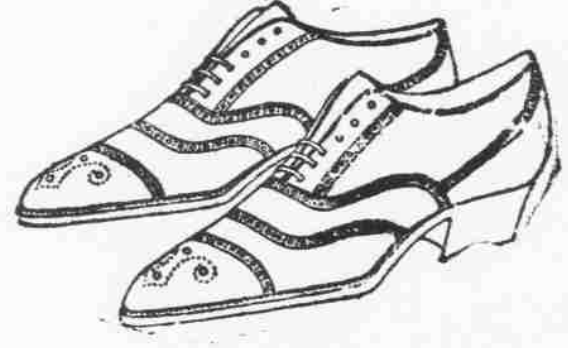


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