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TALLEY CASE NOW BEING TRIED IN GUILFORD COURT

Lewis Edwards of trio swears himself or Talley did not fire fatal shot

CASE WILL END SOMETIME TODAY

(From Daily News)

Lewis Edwards garbed in prison gray, who was convicted at a previous term of Guilford county Superior court and who was sentenced to 10 years in the state penitentiary was the star witness for the state. Edwards testified neither he nor Talley, did the shooting which snuffed out the life of the Greensboro police officer. He did not, however, make the statement that Tommy Robertson, the dead man, and driver of the whiskey car, fired the fatal shot.

The prisoner told of the chase as the Battleground road and testified that while he and Robertson were fixing the punctured tire of the whiskey car, Talley said, "Hurry up and get that fixed." On that statement and the fact that Edwards testified to Talley's firing shots at the officers while making his escape, the state expects to convict Carl Talley of being an accessory after the killing.

The state showed evidence that may convict Talley of the murder. In this chain was woven the fact that two men were on the front seat of the automobile; that at the time of the shooting Edwards was on the back seat and Talley was holding down the front seat with Tommy Robertson that Talley had a pistol of the same kind as that alleged to have been the property of Robertson, which was afterwards seized on the person of Edwards after the latter was captured; that the fatal shot was fired from the left hand front side curtain of the automobile; that there were two pistols in the trio and that both weapons were of the .38 caliber type.

Testimony of Dr. William M. Jones, Sheriff D. B. Stafford, former Police Officer D. B. Oakes and John Morton, negro, was almost identical to that given by them during the trial of Edwards. Dr. Jones testified as to the extracting of the bullet from the body of Policeman McCuiston and to the carving of his initials on the bullet for the purpose of identification. Sheriff Stafford told of finding the dead body of McCuiston on East Washington street of the chase in the pursuit of the liquor car and its occupants and of the capture of Edwards in the woods off the Battleground road, of the escape of Talley.

Former Policeman Oakes told of being summoned to East Washington street on the report that there was a liquor car there, of his hearing the shot that killed Policeman McCuiston and of witnessing the officer falling to the ground. Mr. Oakes testified that he recognized only Tommy Robertson at the wheel but that he saw three faces and heads close together. He also, went into detail in telling of the pursuit after the trio, and the killing of Robertson.

Morton told of driving a truck down East Washington street, of seeing two men on the front seat of the liquor car and of hearing the shot from the revolver as well as seeing Policeman McCuiston fall to the ground.

Considerable time was taken up in the direct examination of Lewis Edwards. He stated that the car had about 100 gallons of liquor in it and that he and Robertson were employed by Talley. He stated that the trio came to the suburbs of the city May 4, 1921, and were disposing liquor which he remarked, belonged to Carl Talley. Edwards testified that there was but one pistol in the party when the trio left Leaksville and that it was the property of Tommy Robertson.
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WALLACE REID FILM STAR DEAD AFTER HARD STRUGGLE

His wife announced he had contracted drug forming habit

HOPED HE COULD OVERCOME HABIT

(By Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 19.—Film-dom mourned the passing of Wallace Reid motion picture star whose death yesterday ended a long battle for health after abandoning the habit-forming drugs. Death came as he lay in the arms of his wife known in the screen world as Dorothy Davenport and just after he tumbled in a semi-delirium condition "God please" The Elks will conduct public funeral services Saturday afternoon then the body will be cremated in accordance with Reids wishes.

The direct cause of death, according to physicians at his bedside was congestion of the lungs and kidneys induced by the patient's recent nervous collapse.

According to Dr. G. S. Herbert, who has been attending Reid since he entered the sanatorium, the actor's health was broken by his fight to break himself of the use of narcotics.

Reid, who was six feet tall and whose normal weight was 185 pounds, had lost 60 pounds during the past several weeks.

LABORERS WAGES IN JAPAN INCREASE

(By Associated Press)

TOKIO, Jan. 18.—The result of investigations made by the Tokio Chamber of Commerce indicates an upward tendency of general laborer's wages during October. Of 50 different classes of labor, eight dropped in wages, and 10 rose, while the rest, numbering 32, remained practically unchanged, the increase in October on the general average amounting to half a sen.

Among those whose wages dropped in October were weavers, glass makers, brick layers, shoe makers and tailors. The wages of those engaged in canning, cement making, spinning, and black smithing appreciated, while unchanged were the wages of those connected with match making, brewery, confection, lumber and general fancy goods.

CAPTAIN CATHEY DIES AT AGE OF 100 YEARS

(By Associated Press)

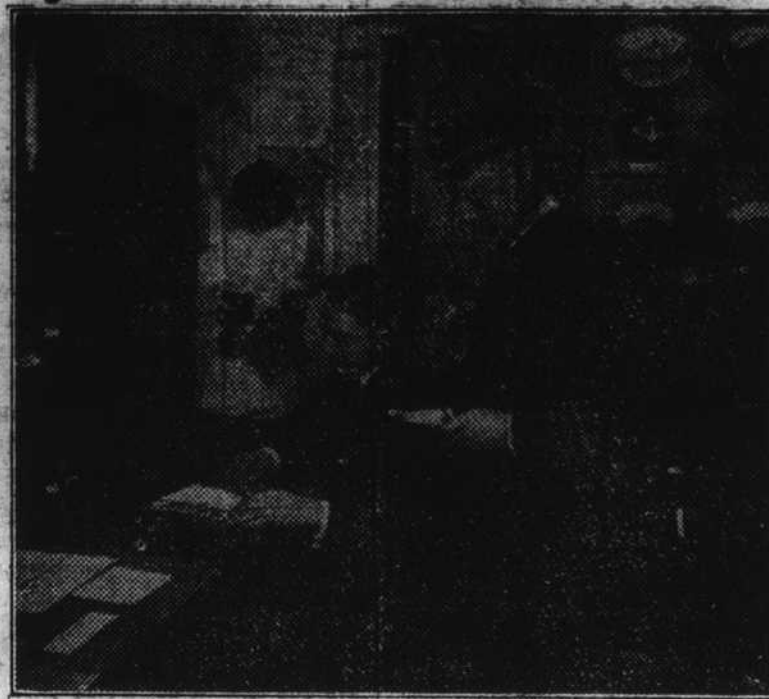
RALEIGH, Jan. 19.—Captain George Cathey, 100 years old last November, who taught school in the mountains of North Carolina and Georgia for 75 years, died yesterday of influenza at the North Carolina soldier's home here after a brief illness. Captain Cathey was a native of Macon county and had been an inmate of the home since he gave up his duties as a teacher about three years ago.

PROGRAM OF CHURCH SERVICE LEAGUE

At St. Luke's Episcopal Church Sunday Night

Topic Keep the Star of Hope shining.
Leader Hobart Quesenbury.
Song No. 44.
Creed and Prayer
Scripture Lesson.
Reading Sordid chapter from History—Ines Wadden.
Story A Son of the Star Annie Simpson.
Reading A beautiful chapter from history, James Curry.
Discussion on Topic By Society.
Solo Open the Door for the children.
Facts about Near East Relief, Charles Simpson.
Roll Call and Scripture Reading.
Poem Gods presents Alfred Simpson.

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PULLING ACHING TOOTH BY WIRELESS

Dr. Wood In The Wireless Room

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—The latest accomplishment of wireless and one that approximates miracle-work, is the pulling of a tooth across 500 miles of heaving seas. Dr. A. E. Wood, surgeon of the steamship "America" of the United States Lines, is credited with performing the feat that will go down through the years as radio history. The story of the tooth-pulling by wireless became known upon the recent arrival in port of the "America".

It was late in the night and the "America," in mid-ocean, was rhythmically throbbing her way to the port of New York, when Dr. Wood, who had long since retired to his cabin was aroused by a pounding on the door. The surgeon arose to be greeted by Wireless Operator Black with a radiogram, one of the strangest Dr. Wood in his many years at sea had ever had received.

The message was from the captain of a small freight vessel and stated that he had been suffering for five days with a toothache and that he desired aid in having the offending molar effectively yanked. Although a surgeon and not a dentist, Dr. Wood decided that it was an emergency in which he must not be found wanting. He would have to live up to the best traditions of the sea which require the giving of prompt assistance whenever it be called for.

By wireless the "America's" surgeon called for a detailed history of the aching molar and when he had been given the desired information he decided that an immediate extraction was necessary to give the freight captain relief. The toothachy sailorman informed Dr. Wood that his chief engineer was prepared to pull the tormenting molar with a pair of wire pliers, providing directions were furnished.

With all the exactness of which he is capable, the surgeon of the "America" sent specific directions for the extraction of the molar. Back came a message from the freighter stating that the directions were fully understood and that the volunteer dentist, armed with the wire pliers was about to execute the job.

Half an hour later the following message was shot through the void to the "America".

"Tooth successfully yanked. Your generous assistance warmly appreciated. God bless you".

And, so having participated in the making of wireless history, Dr. Wood returned to his cabin to complete his interrupted sleep. Since the perfection of wireless, ship surgeons are being called upon more and more to give aid to small vessels that carry no doctor. Pulling a tooth by wireless, however, is a test that had never before been attempted.

MARION, Ill., Jan. 19.—All five defendants in Herrin riot trial found not guilty by Jury of 12 Williamson County farmers.

FRENCH TROUBLES MULTIPLIED WHEN ORDERS REJECTED

Railway administration refuse to deliver coal to the French, arrests follow

FRENCH DEPUTIES FIGHT IN CHAMBER

(By Associated Press)

ESSEN, Jan. 19.—President of the district railway administration refused to dispatch coal trains, rejecting French demands for shipments. The seizure of state mines in the Ruhr by the occupation, began at two pits near Buer, being occupied by the military and the manager arrested for refusing to deliver coke. Troops appeared at other mines. Orders for general strike of freight railway men throughout the Ruhr were received from Berlin and the French expect them to repudiate their promise to continue to work, and obey instructions to walk out.

PARIS, Jan. 19.—Blackened eyes and swollen lips were in evidence in the Chamber of Deputies as reminders of last night's stormy session which voted to suspend the parliamentary immunity of Marcel Cachin, Communist. The trouble started when a special commission recommended the suspension of Cachin, so he might be prosecuted for alleged activity in the Ruhr district.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—All German branch banks, credit institutions and tax collectors offices, in old and newly occupied territory of the Rhineland, have been confiscated by the French authorities, says a Central News dispatch from Berlin.

COAL SUBSIDY IN PHILIPPINES RECOMMENDED

(By Associated Press)

MANILA, Jan. 19.—The board of directors of the National Coal Company in the annual report to the government which is the chief stockholder, recommends that a higher tariff on imported coal be imposed and that the additional revenue thus derived be used in paying a subsidy to companies producing coal in the Philippines and for further development of coal fields in the Island of Mindanao.

The report of the board says: "We do not believe it possible for new company either government or private, to mine coal in the Philippine with commercial success unless the industry is given a protective tariff."

The report also declares that unless the coal properties can be leased to private parties, the National Coal Company should cease operations and liquidation proceedings be inaugurated.

Miss Nancy Burton is able to be able to be out today, after being quite sick.

Mr. B. F. Ivie was out today after being confined to his home several days.

OBSERVANCE OF LEE'S BIRTHDAY FIRST SINCE WORLD WAR

In North Carolina Lee-Jackson day was observed

CAPTAIN CATHY, LEE FOLLOWER DIES

(By Associated Press)

RICHMOND, Jan. 19.—The first observance of Lee's birthday since the outbreak of the world war was participated in by Veterans, sons of veterans, daughters of the Confederacy and other patriotic and civic organizations who gathered at the Confederate home to pay tribute to the leader of the armies of the lost cause. The day is a legal holiday throughout, banks, state, county and city offices, and educational institutions being closed while those connected, jointed in reverent observance and nativity of the Southern leader.

RALEIGH, Jan. 19.—Lee-Jackson day was observed generally thru North Carolina where it is a legal holiday. The day was marked by the funeral of Captain George L. Cathey, one of Lee's followers who died yesterday, after having passed century mark.

STATE COMMITTEE CALLED TO MEET IN RICHMOND

(By Associated Press)

DANVILLE, Jan. 19.—A special meeting of the Virginia Democratic committee was called to meet in Richmond February 2, chairman Byrd announced in a telegram. The committee will consider the controversy in the twenty fourth senatorial district over the method of selecting a candidate for the assembly. The county committee wanting a convention and the city committee a primary.

UNION OF CHURCHES IS ONE STEP NEARER

(By Associated Press)

CINCINNATI, Jan. 19.—A working agreement making possible the reunion of the two factions of the Methodist Episcopal church, was agreed to in a joint executive session here last night by the commissions representing the Methodist Episcopal church, and the Methodist Episcopal church south.

A committee of 10 on which the two divisions are represented equally was selected from the joint commission to agree on the principles of the agreement. This committee was to deliberate and report its findings to a joint meeting of the commissions scheduled for this afternoon.

Mr. J. B. Hundley who runs a market on the Boulevard got word this morning that his mother, Mrs. George Hundley, Figsboro, Va., died at 5:20 this morning, Mrs. Hundley was a widow, and was about 62 years old. Burial will take place at the old family home, probably Saturday.

SPAIN'S TRADE IN PHILIPPINE DISPLACES GERMAN

(By Associated Press)

MANILA, Jan. 19.—Spain's trade with the Philippine Islands came to the front during the month of October and that country now occupies fifth place among nations trading with the islands, displacing Germany and the Netherlands, according to statistics given out at the bureau of customs.

The commerce of the Philippines with Spain in October 1922 amounted to \$600,000 against \$570,000 for the same period last year. Spain took a considerable amount of cigars, leaf tobacco and hemp in exchange for wine, vegetables, fish products and textiles.

The share of the United States of the Philippine foreign commerce during October was \$10,700,000, an increase of \$5,000,000 over October of last year.

MARY COLLINS TELLS STORY WHICH PUTS CRIME ON MOTHER

Mother in jail but knows nothing of Daughters latest Statement

CRIME COMMITTED DEFENSE OF HONOR

(By Associated Press)

MORGANTON, Jan. 19.—A night meditation over her "confession" yesterday afternoon that she killed Uray Smith in defense of her honor evidently caused Mary Collins to decide to tell the whole truth about the affair and early this morning, having sent for Solicitor Huffman, she admitted to him the first story was told in an effort to shield her mother, Mrs. Rosalie Collins, who, she now says shot her cousin, Mrs. Collins who is also in jail, has not been allowed to converse with her daughter, and although she knows of Mary's taking all the blame on herself in the story she told yesterday, she does not know the turn that the affair has taken and still maintains her own innocence.

Mary Collins' story today is that when her mother, brother and uncle left for Glen Alpine soon after dinner on the day of the tragedy, she and Irene Smith had started to the field to continue fodder pulling.

Smith Detained Her.

With "wait a few minutes," Uray Smith had detained her while his sister went on to the field. Possibly thinking all the other members of the family were safely out of the way, after closing and latching the door, he began making improper proposals to her, she said. When she refused to accede to his wishes he tried to force her. She declares that it was then that she cut him, having succeeded in getting hold of his knife whether attracted by the girl cries or possibly led back by mother's intuition, Mrs. Collins returned, Mary says she saw her pass the window and said, "there comes mama" By that time her mother was kicking on the door and Uray released her to go and unlatch the door. She ran away and did not see the killing. She heard the shot and when she looked back as she was nearing the field she saw her mother running toward the straw stack where the gun was later found.

Accounting for the blood on the shirt, she says that when she cut Uray he grabbed the old shirt was holding it to his throat when her mother came back.

Isaiah Smith and Mrs. Collins son Guy, were examined again today by Solicitor Huffman and both declared that Mrs. Collins did not go back after they started to Glen Alpine. Evidently the family had agreed on a policy of silence but they did not take into account that Mary absence (she had been at Mountain Island for several months) might cause her to confess what she knew when she saw circumstantial evidence winding around her. The girl maintained that she had never discussed the tragedy with her mother, her mother.

Our Neighbors The Review Co., Reidsville, were forced to call on the Gazette linotype machine for their usual amount of type, while their brand new model No. 14 linotype was temporarily disabled. It appears that in some way the machine took on an overdose of electric current due probably to defective wiring, and was forced to lay up for repairs. The Gazette was glad to accommodate them last night, or any other time.

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Mr. R. D. Williams the Boulevard shoemaker has been sick for a week and as he was just getting out other members of his family were taken down with the la grippe.