



The FEUD at SINGLE SHOT

By Luke Short

19th INSTALLMENT

"He's dead," Rosy said. "Trials are expensive, the sheriff thinks."

"One's enough, Hank," Hammond put in curtly. "It might be for you, but it ain't for me."

"Let's have it, one of you," Rosy said. Both men began to babble at once.

"Prove it," Crowell said calmly. "I demand to be placed in jail and have this go through the regular channels!"

"Oh, God, get him away!" Pearson moaned through his hands. He crawled down the bed against the wall, where he huddled like a small boy fearing punishment.

"I can always use men that have brains but no courage," Pearson said. "I was repaid, all right."

"I ain't the sheriff, ma'am," he muttered. "I can handle him alone," the sheriff said.

"That ranny by the name of Chinch out at Sayres' place," Dave said. Quinn frowned, then turned to Pearson.

"I can always use men that have brains but no courage," Pearson said. "I was repaid, all right."

"You better be careful, Hank," Hammond said cautiously. "Yeah, I will," the sheriff grunted.

"That's it," Pearson said. "The porch door opened and Crowell stepped into the room, prodded by the sheriff's gun."

"So I was careful to work it all out," Pearson said. "I knew that Sayres was a blackguard, and that he could be bought."

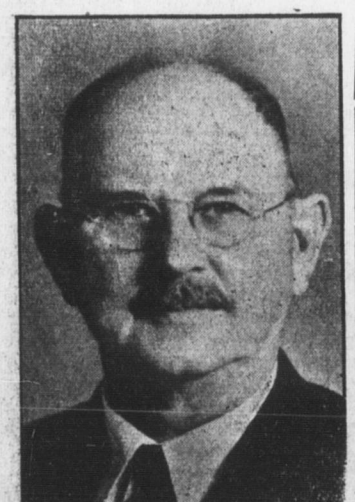
"No one spoke as they heard the front door shut. Rosy watched Pearson's face. The banker sagged."

"I reckon it begins with the train hold-up, don't it, Pearson?" Dave asked.

"So I was careful to work it all out," Pearson said. "I knew that Sayres was a blackguard, and that he could be bought."

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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER



Dave (H. D.) Woodruff of Elkin is a native of Surry County, and has always been a loyal and substantial citizen.

STATEMENT EQUITABLE LIFE ASSUR. SOCIETY (ACCL. DEPT.) NEW YORK CITY. Condition December 31, 1937, as Shown by Statement Filed

"And when I caught this Jasper hat was with Winters down in 'he alley,'" Quinn finished, "we had it out. I downed him. Then I knew Winters could have learned about me from only two people—Sam, the barber, and Pearson."

"I'll go on," Crowell rapped out, sneering at Pearson. "Let me tell about this Eastern genius. The lake was ready to blow when Dave got home."

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STATEMENT EXPORT INSURANCE COMPANY NEW YORK CITY

Table with financial data for Export Insurance Company, including condition December 31, 1937, and assets/liabilities.

BUSINESS IN NORTH CAROLINA DURING 1937

Table showing business statistics for North Carolina in 1937, including premiums and losses.

"I, DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Export Insurance Company of New York City, filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company, on the 31st day of December, 1937."

STATEMENT ENTERPRISE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Table with financial data for Enterprise Mutual Fire Insurance Company, including condition December 31, 1937, and assets/liabilities.

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C. H. Hayes and wife to Cleve Dezern, trustee for Phoebe Ann Dezern, which is recorded in the office of Register of Deeds of Surry County, in Book No. 134, page 157, the debt therein secured being due and unpaid, I will sell at public auction for cash at the court house door in Dobson on Saturday, the 19th day of November, 1938, at two o'clock P. M., the following real estate lying in Surry County, N. C., Marsh Township, bounded as follows:

Table with financial data for Employers Reinsurance Corp., including condition December 31, 1937, and assets/liabilities.

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STATEMENT DIXIE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY GREENSBORO, N. C.

Table with financial data for Dixie Fire Insurance Company, including condition December 31, 1937, and assets/liabilities.

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