

Sailor

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didn't go after him, "but my boy came out and he chased him."

About an hour and a half after the police had been notified, he said an officer brought the sailor back to the house and Mrs. Broadhurst identified St. Cyr as the man.

Officer Springle took the stand and said he got a message over the radio. Going by the description of the boy given to him, he said he saw a boy about six or seven blocks away getting a soft drink out of a vending machine.

He talked to the sailor a while and then asked him to get in the patrol car. He said the lad was quiet, that he had been drinking and was "sort of rum dumb," he explained. Upon further questioning by Mr. Wheatly, Officer Springle added, "He just didn't seem to be all there."

St. Cyr, dressed in neat blues, standing about 5 feet 6 inches tall, was called to the stand. His face could be called doll-like — large brown eyes, regular features, a handsome lad. He told the court that he had been in the Navy 28 months and that he became 20 years of age Aug. 13 of this year. For the past 64 days, he said, he had been in the county jail. His \$5,000 bond for release could not be raised.

He gave his rating as a seaman first class. His home, he said, was in Massachusetts. On further questioning by Mr. Wheatly, St. Cyr said that he had been picked up by police only once before. That was in New York City on a charge of drunkenness. He said he spent one night in jail but was released the next morning without being called into court or fined.

Went to Beach

Then St. Cyr was asked to tell what he knew about the events on the night the Broadhurst home was entered. He said he left his ship, the Navarro, which was a Navy transport docked at Morehead City, and went over to Atlantic Beach and was drinking beer.

He said he hadn't had liberty for three or four weeks and that the night of Sept. 19 was the second time he'd been on liberty in Morehead City. He said he was with another buddy at the beach and when they left there they got a lift across the bridge and then started walking east on Evans Street.

But St. Cyr said he got tired

walking, and his friend left him. The witness said he sat down and closed his eyes awhile and then got up and started walking west on Evans Street again, thinking he'd go back to the beach.

The Broadhurst house attracted him, he said, because the lights were on. He said he went around the back of the house and went in the back door and saw "a woman" lying on a couch as he went in.

He said he doesn't remember "touching her." Mr. Wheatly contended that St. Cyr probably entered the house looking for someone to talk to and his approach to Mrs. Broadhurst was more on a friendly basis than an assault.

Witness Embarrassed

As Mr. Wheatly pursued questioning on the point of how St. Cyr "touched" Mrs. Broadhurst, the lad flushed and obviously showed embarrassment in answering the questions. He said he guessed what he did "was like she said."

Under further questioning, St. Cyr said his father died in 1949 and that he had left high school in 1952. He added that he has a younger brother, 10, and that he is the sole support of his mother. He added that he didn't know where he went when he left the Broadhurst house.

Mrs. St. Cyr, a good looking woman who appeared to be in her thirties, was seated during the course of the trial beside her son. Smartly dressed in a beige and brown ensemble, her long dark hair was neatly dressed ehignon style.

She took the stand and speaking with a slight French accent, said their home was in Lynchburg, Mass. She said that she regularly received an allotment from her son. When asked to describe her son, she said, "He's always been a good boy. I've always been proud of him" and with that she started to cry.

Obviously struggling to compose herself, she answered Mr. Wheatly who asked about her son's interest in girls. "He's always had girlfriends off and on," she said, and added that she knew he drank but was not aware that he apparently drank "as much as he does." She said that their home has always been in Lynchburg but they are of French-Canadian stock.

Mrs. Broadhurst was then recalled to the stand and upon insistent questioning by Mr. Wheatly as to details of the attack, she replied that she couldn't "show" Mr. Wheatly how it happened and asked, "That really isn't necessary, is it?" and the lawyer agreed that it wasn't.

During this questioning, Mrs. St. Cyr sobbed uncontrollably. Her son twisted nervously in his chair, spoke a few words to her, but was unable, evidently, to provide any effective comfort.

Lawyer Sums Up

Mr. Wheatly, in summing up the case, called Judge W. H. S. Burgwyn's attention to the sailor's fine record and commended Mrs. Broadhurst for her charitable feeling toward the boy. Looking at the lad, Mr. Wheatly said, "Frankly, I don't see how anybody could sell this boy beer or whisky."

The solicitor said that the public had to be protected against "things like this."

The judge, before passing sentence, mentioned that St. Cyr could be on trial for his life. "I'd like to be kind to him and relieve this mother of her sorrow, but I can't do it."

He asked the solicitor what the

Christmas Events in Beaufort, Morehead to Begin This Weekend

Court

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Edward Gray Worley was fined \$25 and taxed costs for careless and reckless driving.

Dewey Phillip White was taxed costs of court for making an improper turn and Edward Temple McCabe was assessed half costs for following too closely.

Robert Roy Stroube, charged with failing to stop at a stop sign, was taxed costs.

Continued cases were as follows: William O. Page, Richard Hansley, and Carroll M. Williams, speeding; Paul Cody, issuing a worthless check; James Foster Frink, failing to stop for a stop sign; David Strickland, failing to stop at a red light.

Abrom George Ballou, failing to stop at a stop sign and failing to yield the right of way causing an accident; Donald Ivey Finley, improper registration.

Two Apprehended

William Mason and James Butler were cited Sunday in Beaufort on charges of public drunkenness.

maximum sentence was in a case of this sort.

"Fifteen years," Mr. Bundy replied. "There's no minimum set by law."

St. Cyr stood as the judge passed sentence and the trial was over. Tentative plans called for committing him to state prison Friday. He's now being held in the county jail.



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The Morehead City religious Christmas parade will start at 8 o'clock Friday night at 15th and Arendell Streets and in Beaufort merchants will start their Pirate's Chest of Silver Christmas program Saturday.

Santa Claus will be on the streets of Morehead City after lunch Saturday and give gas-filled balloons to youngsters. He will arrive in Beaufort by boat at 4 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 1 with gifts for each boy and girl who brings him a letter.

Carl Southerland, chairman of the retail merchants committee of the Morehead City Chamber of Commerce, promoters of the parade in conjunction with county ministers, said yesterday that 14 floats will appear. Two churches have notified him that they will be unable to participate as had been planned last week.

In Beaufort the Pirate's Chest will be broken open for the first time Saturday, Dec. 4. In addition

to the merchants who are giving the tickets for the program, many other firms and professional persons are contributing money to ward the program, Lonnie Dill, promotion chairman, said.

One hundred dollars will be given away in Beaufort Dec. 4 and \$100 each Saturday thereafter until the last give-away on Dec. 24.

Five loud-speaking systems will be placed along the parade route in Morehead City Friday night and the floats will be described as they move along. Commentators will be the Rev. R. M. Poulk, the Rev. D. B. Cummins, the Rev. S. S. Moore, Dr. John Bunn and the Rev. Priestley Conyers.

Christmas lights are scheduled to go on in both Beaufort and Morehead City Friday night. The town Christmas tree in Morehead City, to be put up two weeks before Christmas, will be located on the northwest corner of the Recreation Center grounds.

Tuskegee President Issues Christmas Appeal

L. H. Foster, president of Tuskegee Institute, Alabama, has issued the annual Christmas appeal for items to be given needy families in the Tuskegee area.

President Foster said money, clothing and used toys are acceptable and gifts of all kinds are welcome. Packages should be mailed to Mrs. Kate M. Mack, Chairman of Christmas Charities, Tuskegee Institute, Alabama.

RUPTURE-EASER



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Store Operators Want Street Fixed

Owners of George Stanley's store at Pollock and Cedar Street repeated their plea to Beaufort town officials this week to fix the intersection at Pollock and Cedar.

William A. Branch, affiliated

with the store owner, George Stanley, said that after a light rain the intersection is impassable.

"A little bit of clay was dumped there a while ago but it's just made things worse," he said. Mayor Clifford Lewis said Wednesday that he would take the matter up with the street department to see if work could be done to correct the situation.

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