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Lindsay Given 5 to 12 Years On Manslaughter Charge

In ordering a state prison sentence of not less than five nor more than 12 years in the case of George Lindsay, 78, who pleaded guilty to manslaughter, Judge Felix E. Alley, presiding in Guilford Superior court, declared Wednesday that he refrained from imposing a longer sentence because of the defendant's age.

The trial grew out of the death of Johnny Williams, 35, of the Sandy Ridge section, last May. Lindsay stated that he shot Williams when the younger man threatened, "I'll fight you."

The state, seeking a first degree murder conviction, accepted the plea about an hour after completion of the jury Wednesday.

The defendant declared that he and Williams both had been drinking before the shooting. Lindsay further claimed that when Williams began arguing with him, he ordered the dead man to go home but that Williams followed him to his room. The defendant said he was unable to walk without the use of two canes and that, having no other way to protect himself, he grabbed his shotgun and fired at Williams.

Sheriffs deputies reported that when they discovered Lindsay after Williams' death, the defendant was intoxicated, and was threatening to kill another Ne-

gro in the same community. Lindsay said he could not remember whether he made the threats. He stated that he did recall being "nervous and confused" after shooting Williams and added, "I had some whisky and I drank it like drinking water."

In passing sentence, Judge Alley remarked, "I think the highest aim of the criminal law is to save men where it is possible rather than destroy them."

Judge Alley also commented on the number of veniremen summoned for the case who claimed that they held conscientious scruples against capital punishment. In the interest of time and money and "if their conscience is in that state, it ought to be brought to the attention of the commissioners," he noted.

Fifty-eight veniremen were examined in an effort to fill the jury box, the majority of those excused pleading opposition to capital punishment.

The court dismissed the case against Will Patterson, 45, who was charged with breaking and entering after the state had completed evidence.

Hubert Stinson, 17, pleading not guilty to a highway robbery count, was convicted by the jury. The case is open for judgment. John Blair, prosecuting witness, declared that Stinson knocked him down and removed \$65 from his pocketbook.

Purnell Washington Returned



ALLEGED KILLER

Purnell Washington, Greensboro, charged with the shotgun slaying here July 4 of Miss Eunice Geneva Turner, has been returned from Washington where he was captured, and told local police that he shot the woman because "she kept nagging at me."

Washington declared that Miss Turner had been "living off" him

for some years now, and that over the holiday, his patience ran out. He picked up a 12-gauge shotgun he related, and fired it at her through a wall. He said he did not mean to kill her.

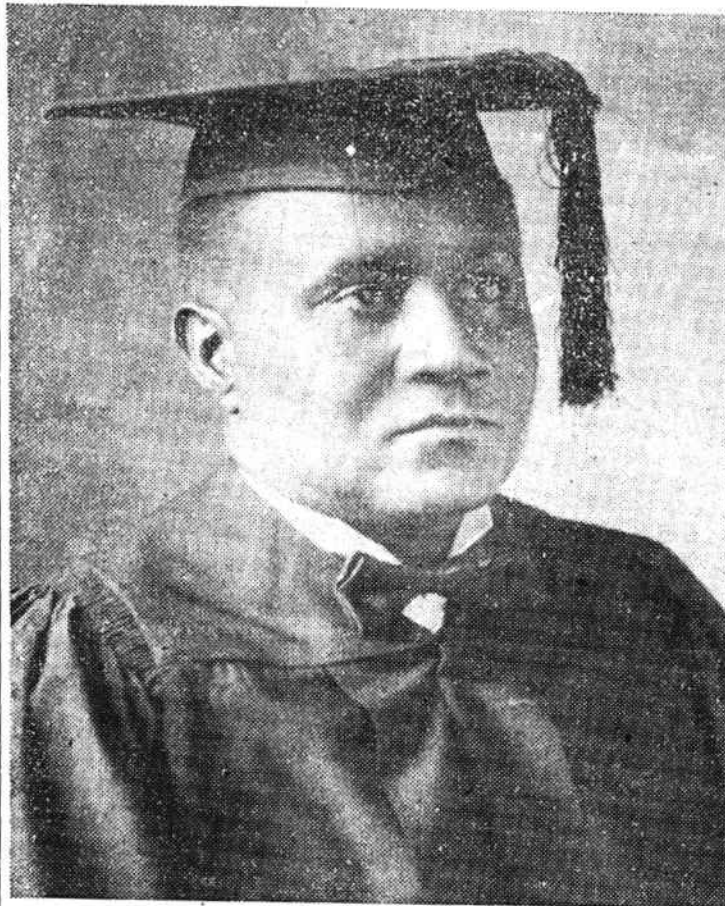
When Washington officers called for him at the home of relatives, he readily admitted who he was and offered no protest to returning. He was an employee of Proximity Manufacturing Company and said his only other court appearance involved a traffic violation.

Trial date had not been set early Wednesday afternoon.

SILVER TRUMPET GOSPEL CHOIR

Friday night, July 13, at 8:00 o'clock, the Silver Trumpet Gospel choir will render a program at Gasemia Baptist church. Sunday afternoon at 3:30, the choir will appear at the United Constitutional Baptist church. Monday night, July 16, they will be at Trinity Zion, along with the Terra Cotta Gospel singers.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ingram spent three days in Rockingham visiting Mr. Ingram's grandmother.



REV. HERBERT C. GANNAWAY

Noted Carolina Minister Dies

OBITUARY

Rev. Herbert Chauncey Gannaway, son of the late Nicholas and Sarah Gannaway, was born near High Point, in 1892. In his early youth, he accepted Jesus Christ.

Rev. Gannaway received his education at Bennett college, in Greensboro, and Gammon Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Ga. Prior to entering Bennett college, he felt the urge to preach, and was ordained at Thomasville, under the pastorate of Rev. P. I. Wells. During his ministry, he pastored some of the leading churches of the North Carolina conference.

In 1927, he was married to Miss Willie Mae Hill. To this

union was born one child, Mary Helen. He was a devoted husband and father, and a friend to all.

Departing this life July 7, 1945, Rev. Gannaway was completing his seventh year as pastor at Maxton and Piney Grove charges.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Willie Mae Gannaway; a daughter, Mary Helen; two sisters, Mrs. Mamie Albea, and Mrs. Nina Reid, of High Point; three brothers, Purvey, of Trinity, Frank, of New York city, and Bank, of Atlantic City, N. J.

Sunset, and evening star, and one clear call for me,

May there be no mourning at the
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Milk Contributions For Wednesday Total \$285.00

Further contributions of \$285.50 Wednesday brought The Daily News Milk fund to \$920.25, an excellent beginning for the campaign by which it is hoped that about \$5,000 will be raised for furtherance of the "milk-for-health" program in Greensboro.

In recent years North Carolina has made as much progress as any state in developing public health facilities devoted to the general good. No longer is it necessary for a child to suffer from diphtheria, smallpox, or typhoid fever if reasonable precautions are taken by parents through health departments.

However, if children receive sufficient milk it must be pro-

vided by parents or by community agencies supported by public contributions. Milk funds are maintained in many cities and, admittedly, they have been the means of protecting thousands of children from the ravages of diseases caused by malnutrition. In Greensboro gifts of money through the milk fund have meant better health for children who cannot provide for themselves.

All contributions to The Daily News Milk fund go to the purchase of milk and all contributions are acknowledged in The Daily News. Please make your checks payable to The Daily News Milk fund.

Army Air Force Demonstration at A. & T. College

The Army Air Forces Educational Demonstration program will arrange a demonstration unit in the gymnasium of A. and T. college Wednesday, July 18, continuing from 9 a. m. until 4:30 p. m., it was announced Thursday by President F. D. Bluford, of the college, and Maj. Frederick W. Boswell, Air Corps chief, Training Liaison Office, Atlanta, Ga.

The AAF has established nine area teams to cover the various states throughout the country. Each team is made up of military personnel having had past educational experience. All were former instructors in AAF Training Command, and in civilian life were engaged in the field of education.

The tour of each team is being made in a traveling conveyance containing aircraft equipment and related materials. This equipment will be displayed and the team members will demonstrate how it is being utilized within the Training Command as a teaching aid. They will also have available photographs, constructional diagrams, tool and parts lists and method of construction on over 100 different demonstrational units that have been constructed in the AAF Training Program from aircraft equipment.

"A. and T. College," Dr. Bluford stated, "was one of the first schools of the country authorized

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PVT. THOMAS E. SCOTT

—who took his basic training at Sheppard Field, Tex., was home recently on a 12-day leave, visiting his wife at 1107 East Washington street. He has returned to California, to be stationed. He was entertained with a dinner party by his sister, a aunt and grandmother, and on July 4, enjoyed a party given by Mrs. Creola Wiley and Mrs. Hattie Hines. Many friends were present.