

Negro Arrested For Transporting 'White Lightning'

Vincent N. Perkins, Negro, was arrested last night by the Colbert County Sheriff's office and A. B. C. Summers agents on charges of transporting illegal whiskey.

The sheriff's office reported that Perkins was arrested about 11 p.m. He had 20 gallons of white whiskey in his possession, they reported.

STARTED ARBOR DAY

Arbor Day is the result of the idea and efforts of Julius Stuedgen Morton, who started the greatest tree-planting movement in history in the tree-planting of Nebraska.

Which bag with a difference is one that's as long and thin as a business envelope.

Lawrence Negro Given 30 Years For Slaying

MOULTON (Special)—Johnnie Dee Stewart, 19-year-old Chattanooga Negro, was sentenced to 30 years in the State penitentiary for the shotgun slaying of his first cousin, Connie C. Jones, in the Town Creek last Christmas night.

The verdict of murder in the second degree was returned here Thursday afternoon by a Lawrence circuit court jury.

During the trial the State showed as a motive for the shooting Stewart's jealousy of his wife, Louise, who had left with his cousin, Connie, and a group of others to visit a relative near Killian in Lauderdale County earlier Christmas night.

The defense maintained that Stewart was intoxicated to the extent that he could not form a malice intent to commit murder.

A second murder trial in the April circuit court session began late Thursday afternoon with George Hames being tried for the shotgun death of a neighbor, John Blankenship, near Hillsboro.

Hames is charged with second degree murder.

Attorney Robert L. Almon entered a plea of not guilty for the defendant on the grounds of self-defense in his opening statement to the jury, producing a butcher knife which he said the deceased was coming on the defendant with.

M. M. Barnes, who operates a store near the scene of the shooting, was called as the first State witness. He testified that when he arrived at the Hames home shortly after the shooting the defendant and the deceased's 12-year-old step-son were sitting on a couch in the front yard.

Hames had a double barrel shotgun across his lap, Barnes said, and told him, "Call the sheriff. I've shot Blankenship."

Barnes said he asked Hames why he did so and he said "I put up with it as long as I can."

Barnes said he then went into the house and saw Blankenship lying on the floor in the doorway connecting the two rooms of the house. He testified further that he did not see a butcher knife or any kind of knife on the floor in the house.

A Decatur physician also was called by the State. Dr. G. N. Nungester testified he administered seven pints of blood and other blood substitutes in an attempt to save his life. He said Blankenship died about five hours after entering the hospital.

The fourth trial of Woodrow Hendrix, former Town Creek chief of police, charged with manslaughter in the shooting of J. W. Tidwell

Work Of School For Blind, Deaf Told Rotarians

Sheffield Rotarians heard E. M. Gentry, head of the Talladega School for the deaf and blind, at its weekly meeting Thursday.

Mr. Gentry told the club that they have about 150 children in the school, including 100 in the deaf department and 50 in the blind department. He said that teaching the blind children was not much different from teaching other children and they are just as capable of learning.

Mr. Gentry said that the school offered adjustment training to adults who have become blind so that they may learn how to lead a normal life as possible.

He also said that sight saving classes were offered for the deaf because their sight was so important to them.

High School guests for the meeting were Jean Nelson, Jeanette Nelson, Gene Edinger and Deni Ford.

Visiting Rotarians were Jack Yawger, Birmingham, and Russell Lewis, Florence.

Other visitors were Bill Millard, guest of George Morris, Ray Rayburn and E. J. Black, guests of Jimmie Gambill, and Sam Israel, guest of W. T. Archer.

WORLD'S TALLEST
Tallest plants in the world are seaweeds of which some that are 600 feet tall have been found in the ocean at the southern tip of South America.

PRODUCED IN GEORGIA
Georgia produces more than half the world's supply of naval stores, which include rosin, turpentine and other useful products, from its coastal pine forests.

was continued until the August session of court because of the illness of a defense witness, Robbie Faye Letson.

Carnal knowledge charges against Bennie Sanford, 20-year-old Courtland Negro, were reduced to assault and battery charges. Judge S. A. Lynne fined Sanford \$100 and costs and six months at hard labor. In lieu of the \$200 fine Sanford was served in an additional 70 days at hard kind of labor.

A plea for probation was then entered by Sanford and a hearing was set for May 6.

Plea of guilty and requests for probation were entered by the five Negroes indicted for grand larceny in connection with the series of robberies in the Oahtville community.

Probation was asked by Hosea Lee Taylor, George McDaniel, Dock Whitton, Dee and Aaron

New York Paper Wins Typography Award

PHILADELPHIA, (U.S.)—The New York Herald-Tribune has won its 11th F. Wayland Ayer cup for excellence in typography, giving it permanent possession of the present cup.

The award was announced yesterday by the N. W. Ayer & Son advertising firm which has organized the contest for 25 years.

Judging was on March 10, issued 858 English language daily newspapers.

First honorable mentions went to the Winston Salem, N. C., Journal, for newspapers with more than 50,000 circulation; to the Iron Mountain, Mich. News, for newspapers with circulation between 10,000 and 50,000, and to the morning Herald, Hagerstown, Md., for newspapers with less than 10,000 circulation.

Newspaper of Garden City, L. I. is honorable mention in the tabloid class.

Boys, Who Borrowed Plane, Won't Be Prosecuted For It

FACSIMA, Calif. (U.S.)—Two 15-year-old boys who "borrowed" a plane last Tuesday without the owner's permission and took a two-day jaunt over the Mojave desert, won't be prosecuted.

The plane was found yesterday on a highway between Darwin and Keeler, in Inyo County, after the boys landed it there and set out to find help to tie it down against high winds.

The boys flew the plane to Trona Tuesday and returned Wednesday they landed at Lone Pine, said they were en route to Elko, Nev., and were lost. Despite warnings they took off in rough weather and were forced down.

The plane's owner has forgiven everything.

FIRST FEMALE FLYER

First woman ever to go aloft in a free balloon was Madame Tulle, French prima donna, who rode as a passenger over Lyons, France, for 45 minutes on June 4, 1784.

"MOLLYCODDLERS"

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