

Cleveland Murder Trial Continues

By Arthur Everett
CLEVELAND, (AP)—The name of pretty young Susan Hayes was put on record for the first time Tuesday at the murder trial of Dr. Samuel H. Sheppard.

The young woman with a freckled nose is scheduled as a star witness against Dr. Sheppard later. Sheppard is accused of beating his pregnant wife, Marilyn, to death July 4 after a romance in California last spring with Miss Hayes, 24. She is a sometime aide in an osteopathic hospital in suburban Bay Village where Sheppard, his father and two brothers are on the staff.

Dr. Sheppard seemed to fidget slightly at the mention of Miss Hayes' name.

The prosecution claims an admission from Miss Hayes that she was intimate with Sheppard more than once last March when both were in California. Four months later, Sheppard's wife, Marilyn, 31, mother of one child and four months pregnant with her second, was beaten to death in her bedroom.

Sheppard has stuck firmly to his original story that a bushy-haired intruder killed his wife and knocked him unconscious when he tried to grapple with the man.

Two prospective jurors, Tuesday admitted receiving a crank letter, copies of which were mailed to several members of the panel. One of them, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Burke, was later selected as the second juror seated so far.

The judge is a photostat of printed documents, typewritten exhortations and pictures of principals in the case, including Dr. Sheppard. It attempts to portray him as a subject of "persecution" from Roman Catholic elements. The osteopath is a Methodist.

Defence counsel William J. Corrigan again tried unsuccessfully to get Judge Edward Blythin to delay the trial.

CASTLE GHOST

Glamis castle, childhood home of Queen Mother Elizabeth, is haunted by the ghost of the "White Lady of Glamis."

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS 50c Per Insertion

BIRTHS

ANDREWS — At the P. E. Island Hospital, October 9th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Andrews, a daughter, Evelyn Jean.

GAUDET — At the Charlottetown Hospital on Tuesday, October 19th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gaudet of Charlottetown a daughter, 6 lbs. 10 ozs.

HUGHES — At the Charlottetown Hospital, October 18, to Mr. and Mrs. James L. Hughes, Charlottetown, a daughter, Helen Elizabeth, weight 8 lbs. 1-1/2 ozs.

DEATHS

MACLEOD — At Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 19th, 1954, Hugh John MacLeod, aged 66 years, eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacLeod, Breadalbane.

ARSENAULT — At Abrams Village Monday, Oct. 18, Mary Louise Arsenault in her 66th year, wife of Emile J. Arsenault. The remains were transferred yesterday afternoon from the Compton Funeral Home to her late residence from where the funeral will be held Thursday, Oct. 21, at the Egmont Bay Church for Requiem Mass at 9 a.m. Interment church cemetery.

SCHURMAN — Passed away at the Prince County Hospital on Tuesday morning, October 19th, 1954, Chesley D. Schurman in his 77th year. Resting at the Bonness Funeral Home until noon Thursday, October 21st, then to Summer-side Baptist Church for service at 2 p.m. Interment in People's Cemetery. Visiting hours 10 to 12 a.m. 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 1 p.m.

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EVERYONE welcome to special meetings continuing in Gospel Tent on St. Peter's Road, Parkdale.

RENEWS ACQUAINTANCES — Miss Doreen Clark of the head office of the Unemployment Insurance Commission Ottawa is visiting the Charlottetown office of the Commission on official business. Miss Clark, a graduate of McGill University, has several friends in Charlottetown, acquaintances of her student days.

HERE ON BUSINESS — Mr. R. L. Beatty of Ottawa is visiting Charlottetown on business. Mr. Beatty is attached to the head office of the Unemployment Insurance Commission Ottawa. It is Mr. Beatty's second visit to the Island. He was in the Province four years ago.

ATTENDED CONFERENCE — Representatives from ten Maritime universities were in Halifax over the week-end for a conference of the Maritime Inter-Collegiate Debating League of the University of St. Dunstan's University was among the 19 students in attendance.

POLICE COURT — A man charged with taking a car without the owners consent was remanded until the 26th when he appeared before Magistrate Martin in City Police Court yesterday morning. Three drunk and incapable witnesses dealt with as follows: 10 days, 20 days and \$10 and costs or 10 days.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of the late James R. Stevens of North River was held from the MacLean Funeral Home yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. E. R. Moore. Interment was in Hampshire Cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. Thomas Sanderson, Miller Sanderson, William Molyneux, Robert Vickerson, Stafford Vickerson, Bert Younker.

ROTARY LUNCHEON — Mr. Roy Grant, Jr., a teacher at the Summerside High School was guest speaker yesterday at the regular weekly luncheon meeting of the Summerside Rotary Club, J. C. "Bud" Mountain in the chair. Grant gave an interesting and often times humorous account of the history of speech making, which was much enjoyed by the gathering. Visitors to the luncheon meeting were Rotarians Charles Lowry and John E. McCurdy of Sydney, N.S., Jack Lockerty of Rochelle Park, N. J., and O. D. MacGregor, Halifax, N.S.

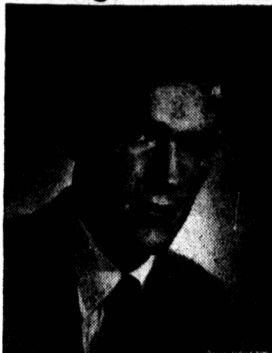
MINOR ACCIDENTS — Two minor accidents occurred in the City yesterday. A car travelling South on Weymouth Street was in collision with another travelling East on Sydney. The first car received extensive damage to the right rear wheel, the right rear door and the right side of the body. The other suffered a twisted frame and a broken front bumper. The second accident happened on a car going North on Queen Street on Sydney Street. The Queen Street car was damaged on the left front fender and door. The other vehicle's damage was negligible.

TRINITY Y.P.U. — The regular meeting of Trinity Y.P.U. was held last night in the social hall with approximately 150 present. A lively recreation period was held by Charles Frizell, Tommy Davies, and David MacDonald, including games and relays. The main feature of the evening was a discussion in which all present were able to participate. The chairman for the discussion was Prof. Gordon Bennett, who spoke briefly to the group on subjects brought up in the discussion. Following a short business meeting conducted by the vice-president, Ian Macdonald, the worship service was conducted by Dorothy Coffin, Janet Wood and Ralph Madalitck. During the worship service Joyce MacCallum sang "One Sweetly Solomn Thought." She was accompanied by Joan Rogerson at the piano. The meeting closed with prayer, led by Dorothy Coffin.

ZION Y. P. S. — Zion Y. P. S. opened its regular weekly meeting last evening with a devotional period under the leadership of Joyce MacSwain, Norma MacFadyen and Audrey Panting. The reading of the minutes opened the business portion of the meeting. The president then extended a welcome to the young people concerning the Island Y.P.S. rally which is to be held at Zion Church. Following this a report on the Maritime conference which was held at Stellarton, N. S., Thanksgiving week-end was given by the young people who attended from the Island. The meeting then adjourned to the lower hall where Bible baseball was led by Gordon Brown and Marian MacDonald. A recreational period was then led by David MacEachern and Isabel Farquharson after which the meeting closed with singing "Blest be the tie that binds."

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN Y.P.S. — The meeting last night of the Central Christian Church Young People's Society was opened with choir-time during which the young people practiced a special for the coming Youth conference. A period of lively chorusing singing was enjoyed followed by the scripture reading by Wallace Platts and a devotional thought entitled "Danger Spot" given by Annie Laurie MacLean. The group was led in prayer by Vincent Beck. Mr. Wheelock, General Secretary of the British and Foreign Bible Society for P. E. Island and New Brunswick was present and delivered a very interesting address on the work of the society which he represents. The impressive

To Sing at P. W. C.



One of Canada's celebrated concert artists James Milligan, (above), baritone, is returning to Charlottetown for his second appearance on the Prince of Wales College Concert Series on Friday, October 29.

Last year's grand award winner of "Singing Stars of Tomorrow", and winner of many other honours, he has already earned warm praise from critics and popularity from audiences from coast to coast. He has been heard many times on the C. B. C. and he has sung leading roles in the Corporation's opera productions.

This year he sang in Carnegie Hall in New York in the Messiah and St. Matthew's Passion and was enthusiastically received.

Mr. Milligan is the son of a United Church minister who once held charges on Prince Edward Island and in New Brunswick. He worked his way to the top and is today one of the most popular radio and stage personalities in Canada. He is accompanied in his concerts by his wife who is a pianist in her own right and a former instructor in piano at the Royal Conservatory of Music.

On October 25th at 8 p. m. in the Prince of Wales Auditorium the Prince Edward Island Women's Institutes will sponsor the seventh Audubon Screen tour to come to Prince Edward Island. Mr. Allan Cruickshank, noted naturalist and author of New York, will present a film "River of the Crying Bird" at second lecture in this province. The National Audubon Society presents wild life motion pictures to all parts of the North American continent from Key West to Edmonton and from Halifax to Sacramento.

Organizations in seven provinces in Canada and forty-two states in the United States sponsor these lectures and films which have been made in localities from Bonaventure Island, to the Pacific coast, from Canada's Northland to the Gulf of Mexico, are shown.

In scenes reminiscent of the Ontario week-end floods in the Toronto area, public and municipal workers today used sawboats to rescue housewives, school children and workers trapped in their homes in low-lying parts of Glasgow.

Stories of rescue and narrow escapes came in today from many areas.

Three places in Scotland reported more than two inches of rain Monday and nearly an inch was recorded in parts of northern England. In many places it was still raining.

Many parts of the Glasgow area had no mail, newspapers or bread this morning. About 2,000 telephones were out of action.

Rain was followed by brilliant sunshine today in south Scotland, and as the floods began to subside hundreds of workers began the long task of cleaning up and repairing the damage.

Nfld. Brunette Stranded When Boy Friend Jailed

SYDNEY (CP)—A pretty 22-year-old brunette waited tearfully in the police station here today for relatives to pay her way home to Newfoundland where she met the man whose tall tales raised delightful dreams of marriage and travel.

Sobbing Jean Pardy was left to shift for herself when magistrate Michael Whalley sentenced Harold Boone, 29, of St. John's to a week in jail for creating a public nuisance. The magistrate gave the Corner Brook lass 48 hours to leave the city but she still hadn't collected the money needed for her fare home.

The girl testified she met Boone a month ago when he borrowed \$45 from her and disappeared into the woods where he said he hoped to make enough money to get them both to Toronto. He returned shortly after, she said, borrowed more money and set about making plans for the trip.

Police said they became suspicious of Boone's story. He finally broke down and admitted he was broke and had been right along, she said. He said he was married and had three children.

film "The Bible On The Table" was shown by Mr. Wheelock bringing a very profitable meeting to a close.

League of Mercy Annual Tea And Display

The annual League of Mercy tea and display put on by the Junior Aid of the P. E. Island Hospital was held at the Cundall Home yesterday afternoon. Mrs. L. J. McEllan acted as convener, assisted by Mrs. William Hambly.

Many gifts of linens and glassware were donated through the Aid to the hospital by kind friends who visited the gymnasium during the afternoon to see the display.

Mrs. J. K. L. Irwin, president of the Junior Aid, received in the Cundall Home proper where tea was being served under convener Mrs. James MacLean assisted by Mrs. W. W. Reid, Mrs. H. L. Sear, Jr. and Mrs. Tom Rogers.

Mrs. Gordon Aard, president of the Senior Ladies Aid and Mrs. A. Bagnall, vice president of the Senior Aid, poured. Mrs. H. J. A. Brown, Mrs. Wendell Barbour, Mrs. Allister MacLeod, Mrs. T. A. Laidlaw, Mrs. Archie MacVicar, Mrs. Allison Owen and Mrs. Frank Jelks, served.

The tables were most attractively decorated with yellow candles and silver candelabra and bronze and yellow baby mums.

Two Big Towns Are Cut Off By Floods In U. K.

GLASGOW (Reuters) — Floods following two days of torrential rain in the north of the British Isles have cut off two big towns, isolated many villages, blocked roads, cut off rail and telephonic communications and made hundreds of families homeless.

The farming town of Wigton, in Cumberland has been completely marooned since noon Monday.

Despite serious damage to property only one death has so far been reported — a five-year-old Glasgow boy was caught in the overflow of a river and sucked into an underground tunnel.

LIKE TORONTO FLOODS

Omagh, principal town of county Tyrone, northern Ireland—scene of the week-end gun battle between British troops and Irish republican extremists — now is also out of touch, with hundreds of houses and shops swamped by four feet of water.

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CORN SWEEP AWAY

Northern Ireland farmers reported corn swept away, and country people were out today wading through flooded fields driving cattle and sheep to higher ground.

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Truckers Slash Montreal To Toronto Rates

By John LeBlanc
OTTAWA (CP)—Truckers have slashed rates between Montreal and Toronto as the latest move in a rail-truck war on Canada's busiest freight artery.

The truck move matches sharp railway rate cuts put into effect a month ago in an attempt to snatch back some of the business among the country's most lucrative—which highway operators have been taking from the rail company in recent years.

The railways at the time heavily undercut the trucks with reductions estimated to average 35 per cent, but a truck spokesman said Tuesday the road companies now have achieved parity again on the long list of articles involved in the rail cuts.

However, G. M. Parke, president of Canadian Trucking Associations, said it is uncertain if the truckers can maintain the low rates. CTA is the voice of Canada's \$200,000,000-a-year "for hire" road transport industry.

"If traffic volume proves insufficient to maintain some of the low rates in effect, those rates will be raised to their former levels, even if it means loss of traffic," he said.

Last month, Mr. Parke called the rail cuts the most drastic ever made by Canadian railways. He predicted an economic debacle if "unbridled competition" continues.

500 TAKE PANTIES

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Five hundred Tulane male students swarmed into girls' dormitories Monday night and took panties in a raid which touched off a riot call, a fire alarm and wild confusion. Police were met by a barrage of rocks. Four students were arrested. The girls offered little resistance.

Potato Shipments Up In September

Potato exports from the Province during the month of September last year up 40 cars over the same period last year but this increase was not enough to bring this year's total for September up to that of last year. Total shipments for the month from Borden to Tormentine were 465 carloads compared to 473 for the same month of the preceding year. This is contained in the monthly traffic report of the Canadian National Railways issued from the Superintendent's office, Charlottetown.

The more important exports with last year's figures in brackets are as follows: Eggs 7 (4); fish 8 (3); hides 2 (4); livestock 93 (101); meats 26 (20); potatoes 133 (93); turpines 63 (82); canned goods 1 (5); hay and straw 3 (4); moss 7 (12); roughwood 3 (6); lumber 3 (9).

Imports ferried from Cape Tormentine to Borden showed a total increase of 81 cars over the corresponding period last year. The biggest individual commodity imported is seen in sand and gravel where the amount for September, 1954, was 249 cars compared to 114 for the same period in 1953. Other imports with comparative figures for 1953 are: Autos 7 (25) empty barrels 3 (5), coal 183 (162), fruit 9 (10), flour and feed 92 (136), gas and oils 192 (211), livestock 2 (14), roofing 10 (6), lumber 28 (22), brick and cement 45 (38).

Of the cars forwarded from Tormentine to Borden in 1954 were destined to points between Charlottetown, Borden and Summerside; 140 East and South of Charlottetown; 134 West of Summerside, making a total of 1,317 cars.

Of those forwarded from Borden to Tormentine, 327 originated at points between Charlottetown, Borden and Summerside; 96 East and South of Charlottetown and 42 West of Summerside.

Ambassadors Walk Out Of Moscow Dinner

MOSCOW (Reuters)—Seven ambassadors, including Canada's John Watkins, walked out of a Moscow diplomatic dinner party Tuesday night because they were asked to dine at the same table as the Communist Chinese and East German ambassadors, it was disclosed Tuesday.

Chief guest at the dinner was Russian Foreign Minister Molotov, who came with Deputy Premier Mikhail Peruvkhin.

The dinner was given by Burmese ambassador Maung Ohn, acting dean of the diplomatic corps, in a private suite in the Soviet-Skayvo hotel.

Those who walked out included United States Ambassador Charles E. Bohlen, French Ambassador Lois Joxe and British Ambassador Sir William Hayter.

It was understood that the Western diplomats did not know until their arrival that their table companions would include the Communist Chinese Ambassador Chang Wen-Tien, and East German Ambassador Rudolf Appelt.

Order Emerges From Ontario Storm Area

TORONTO (CP) — Order gradually emerged Tuesday night from the grim chaos left by hurricane Hazel in the western outskirts of Toronto.

But disaster crews were still recovering bodies from the silt and debris piled high by the Humber river, and an unconfirmed report was published that the Ontario death toll of last Friday's storm now 78—may exceed 100 when the flooded Holland Marsh is drained.

George Bryant, Toronto Star reporter, wrote that 25 may have perished when 7,000 acres of rich reclaimed farmland was deeply inundated and almost 3,000 persons were forced from their homes.

Police at Bradford, beside the marsh, discounted the report. They said they knew of only one man missing, and he might be visiting Toronto.

LOOK FOR BODIES — Search parties in small boats poked among floating vegetation for signs of human bodies.

Bryant quoted Reeve Arthur Evans of Bradford as saying nearly a dozen people are known to be missing, including five in one family.

Besides the 78 dead, and apart from the reported Holland Marsh missing, seven persons are missing and presumed drowned and nine are listed as missing.

It may be weeks before the facts are known. Huge pumps must remove millions of tons of water before the land is dry.

Tuesday the tempo of the search for missing lessened. Hundreds returned to their damp and muddy homes. The number in emergency hostels dropped sharply. Traffic, though hampered by smashed bridges, moved fairly well. Most trains were running normally though some still had to be re-routed around swamps.

Bid Accepted For First Stage Of Seaway Project

OTTAWA, (CP)—The St. Lawrence Seaway Authority has selected the joint bid of three Ontario construction companies for the first stage of construction, on the \$300,000,000 seaway.

Hon. Lionel Chevrier, authority president, Tuesday night announced that the authority is asking the treasury board's approval of a \$23,145,500 bid for excavation of the channel and construction of a dike in the Lachine, Que., section of the big river.

The bid was one of 16 received for the job. It came from McNamara Construction Company Limited, Toronto; Pigott Construction Company Limited, Hamilton; and Peacock and McQuigge Limited, Toronto, jointly.

Mr. Chevrier said their bid was the lowest "on the basis of unit prices tendered" and that authority engineers were "satisfied that the company is capable of doing the work according to specifications and on schedule."

One Boy Dead Another Injured In Truro Accident

HALIFAX, (CP)—Frank MacSwain, 6, died today in Victoria General hospital and a seven-year-old companion injured in the same highway accident near Truro was reported in serious condition.

MacSwain and Bruce MacKay, 7, were struck by a rural mail delivery truck as they alighted from a school bus near their home at Bible Hill, a suburb of Truro.

There were no details of the injuries that claimed young MacSwain's life. The doctor treating the other child could not be reached for comment.

The boys were taken first to Colchester County hospital at Truro and later to Halifax when their condition was found to require more advanced treatment.

Commission May Survey Storm Damage

OTTAWA (CP) — A royal commission probably will be established to survey the Toronto area's storm damage with a view to determining how much the federal treasury should contribute for rehabilitation.

Prime Minister St. Laurent said Tuesday this looks like the most practical way of dealing with the disaster, though no final decision has been reached.

He told reporters, after talking by long-distance telephone with Premier Frost of Ontario, that he and Mr. Frost are agreed there should be a royal commission if that appears the most expeditious way of handling the matter.

"We both want to know the facts as quickly as possible," he said. Mr. St. Laurent promised Monday that federal assistance will be given the Toronto area on the same principles that governed aid following the Winnipeg flood and fires during 1950 at Rimouski and Cabano in Quebec.

GREAT DOCTOR

Edward Jenner, the English originator of vaccination who died in 1823, was left an orphan at six years of age.

Begin Construction Of New Naval Vessel

SOREL, Que. (CP)—Construction of the 10th of 14 new destroyer-class escort vessels being built for the Royal Canadian Navy began here Oct. 15.

The ship is the second of this type under construction at Sorel. To date a total of six have been launched in Canadian shipyards.

Thanksgiving Services Held At Kingston

Despite the decidedly inclement weather on Sunday evening the Kingston Baptist Church was comfortably filled for the Thanksgiving service held on that occasion.

The recently ordained pastor, Rev. Owen Cochran gave a truly inspired message, stressing the many reasons for thankfulness.

The choir was augmented by singers from Charlottetown and churches in the vicinity.

A ladies trio, Mrs. Leigh Warren, Mrs. Andrew MacEachern and Mrs. Lawrence Molyneux gave a beautiful rendition of "Search Me Oh God" by Ackley, while the soloists Mr. Roland Ward of Kingston and Mrs. Leigh Warren and Mr. Sterling Inman of Charlottetown were heard to good advantage in several pleasing selections. The church was made especially beautiful by the profusion of fruits, vegetables and flowers with which it was decorated.

Mrs. Everett Holmes, the organist of the church, and Mrs. Frank Willis of North River, were accompanists for the evening.

Italian Premier Wins Vote On Trieste Issue

ROME (AP) — Premier Mario Scelba won a vote of confidence on the Trieste issue today in the Italian Chamber of Deputies. The vote was 295 to 265.

The angry session, lasting until nearly dawn, was twice broken up Tuesday by fist-fighting among Communists and Scelba's coalition government supporters. Six deputies and five ushers were injured.

The vote was on the government's agreement with Yugoslavia over division of the free territory of Trieste between them.

Seven deputies in the splinter party of Popular Monarchists abstained in the roll call vote.

Supporting the government was the solid government coalition bloc centering on Scelba's own Christian Democrat party.

The Communists, pro-Communist Socialists on the left and the Fascists and Monarchists on the extreme right voted against the government.

Scelba already had won by 122 to 89 a similar confidence vote in the Senate.

ATTENTION FARMERS

The attention of all farmers is directed to the provisions of the Prince Edward Island Potato Production Act passed in 1947.

Section 1 of this Act states that "no person shall plant potatoes in the Province of Prince Edward Island unless the seed used is of the class Foundation or Certified as determined by the official inspection carried out by the Plant Protection Division, Science Service, Dominion Department of Agriculture."

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