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UNWRITTEN LAW STALKS INTO TRIAL

Eddie Fallows Case to Be Placed in Jury's Hands Late Today

PROSECUTION SEES KILLING PLANNED

Defense Makes Dramatic Plea for Life of Prisoner, Contrasting Him With George Parry

By Nolan Skiff

The unwritten law, that age-old tradition that determines in the minds and hearts of man whether a killing is an act of a murderer or "justifiable homicide," stalked dramatically into Eddie Fallows' murder trial in circuit court here today.

And, as R. J. Green, of defense counsel, dwelt upon the honor and devotion of the prisoner for his wife, Mrs. Nora Fallows sobbed quietly behind him—the first demonstration of visible emotion discernable to the crowd of spectators that has packed the court room during the four days of the trial.

"Which is the brighter picture?" Mr. Green demanded of the jury, "the picture of George Parry, who ruined the Fallows home, or that of big-hearted Eddie Fallows, a friend of society, a man who loved his wife above all else, and a man of honor?"

Court Room Still

The court room was stilled as the audience sensed that the prisoner's fate hung on the slender threads that were being woven into a tangible force in favor of his client by the attorney. The 12 jurors, most of them middle-aged men with families, gave him their undivided attention. One could have heard a pin drop.

Mr. Green declared that this case is "first degree murder or nothing." He asserted that there was no evidence that could be construed so as to permit finding the defendant guilty of second degree murder or manslaughter, basing this upon his quotations from a book of laws wherein it says that a "depraved mind" must be considered.

At noon, with his arguments unfinished, Mr. Green acquiesced to an hour's postponement for lunch, court convening again at 1 o'clock, when he resumed his discourse.

This afternoon, resuming his argument, Mr. Green openly touched upon the unwritten law and named it as one of "unwritten laws as strong if not stronger than any law of the commonwealth." He cited the law of the ocean that demands that a captain leave his sinking ship only after all others, and whereby a sailor is instructed to shoot down any man who attempts to leave before the women and children. "Did you ever hear of a sailor being prosecuted for shooting such a man—or rather, such a dog?" he asked the jury.

"And there is the unwritten law of man, old as the centuries, old as the mountains around you, that a man should do his part, furnish his home and that what happens to the home is his," he continued. "And it is the unwritten law of man that he shall protect his mate. It is just as strong today as it ever was."

Pausing, Mr. Green spoke softly for a moment and then thundered: "The darkest crime known to God or man is breaking up a man's home, Parry deserved to die—and he died justly."

Preceding Mr. Green, District

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LEGION DRUM CORPS HOLDS DINNER MEET

The Legion drum corps met last night at the Sveljaves for a banquet and meeting at which 22 were present. It was decided that the membership of the local corps be increased by about 10 members. Plans were also discussed for the obtaining of new uniforms for the corps members. Clarence Talbott acted as chairman of the meeting. Ralph Winters is president of the corps, Ray Williams is secretary, and the executive committee is composed of Harley Richardson, Ray Carney and Owen Mason.

WEATHER TODAY
7:30 a. m.—50 above.
Maximum—77 above.
Condition—Cloudy.

WEATHER YESTERDAY
Maximum 82, minimum 31 above.
Condition—Partly cloudy.

WEATHER OCT. 13, 1927
Maximum 72, minimum 40 above.

Elks' '49 Show To Begin Here On Wednesday

Proceeds of Show Are to Provide Christmas Tree for Kiddies and Provisions for the Needy

The annual B. P. O. Elks' Days of '49, a benefit entertainment annually given by the lodge, will begin next Wednesday in the Sveljaves hall, following a parade early in the evening from the Elks' temple to the ballroom entrance.

The show, modeled after the real days of '49 in the west, features dancing, games, etc., with cider taking the place of the red likker of old, but with the other features as colorful and exciting as during frontier days.

Pays for Christmas Cheer

Beginning Wednesday night, the show will continue until midnight Saturday, the proceeds of the four nights of fun going toward the Elks fund which is used each Yuletide to provide a mammoth community Christmas tree for the kiddies and also to provide scores of baskets of provisions for the needy families of the city. More than 100 baskets have been distributed each year and with the population of La Grande growing, it is expected that the figure this year will be the largest yet.

The Christmas tree, now becoming an institution, attracts more than 1,500 children, with Santa Claus passing out gifts to each child as part of his job of bringing cheer to the world.

The committee in charge of the show has been working for several weeks in preparation for the event and it is stated that all arrangements have been completed to make the 1928 Days of '49 the best in local history.

Mercury Drops To 27 Above In City Last Night

Frosts and weather five degrees below freezing point hit the Grande Ronde valley this morning, doing some damage, particularly to flowers, tomatoes, etc.

The minimum temperature in La Grande during the night was 27 above, and at 7:30 o'clock this morning it had only warmed up five degrees and was still two degrees below freezing point.

Weather has been snappy over all Eastern Oregon. Night before last, when the temperature dropped to the freezing point here, Baker experienced a minimum of 27 above. Enon fell at Enterprise the same day and the Wallowa mountains are well covered with snow in the higher altitudes.

The weather forecast for tonight is "heavy frosts."

New Tannery Is Established By Forrest E. Hart

Built in Oregon and a new tannery which will be the only tannery within a radius of 250 miles, the closest ones being at Portland and Spokane, Forrest E. Hart, who formerly was employed by the Enos Sutton Tannery, is the owner and manager of the new concern to be known as the "Grande Ronde Tannery". It is located at Island City in a building on main street.

The building, which is 24 by 100 feet in dimension is of frame construction with four rooms to be used as a hide house, one as a dry room, another as an office and the fourth as a rat room.

The hides to be tanned will be bought from Grande Ronde valley producers. "I intend to buy all I can get," Mr. Hart says. He will tan many of them and others he will sell to Portland and Salem markets.

Light hides will be cured by salt ship to Los Angeles to be made into rugs, coats and ornaments.

Mr. Hart worked with the Sutton company about two years before coming to Island City.

The process through which hides are put into sole leather, taking the flesh off, then putting it through an acid solution. It is then rinsed and put through a tanning liquid, rinsed again and tanned. It is then dyed, dampened, staked, oiled and finally trimmed.

Former Empress Of Russia Dies

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Oct. 13 (AP)—The ex-Empress Dowager Marie of Russia, born Princess Dagmar of Denmark, died this afternoon. She passed into unconsciousness several hours before the end came.

COOPERATION IS STRESSED BY HOOVER

Republican Nominee Addresses Group of New York Business Men

VISITORS SEE HIM IN CAPITOL CITY

Joint Effort Between The Business Men and Government Removes All Need for Interference

By James L. West
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13 (AP)—Voluntary cooperation between business and government was emphasized today by Herbert Hoover in a speech made at his headquarters to a delegation of New York city trade paper publishers and business and professional men who came here by special train to greet the republican presidential candidate.

Mr. Hoover asserted that this cooperation, started under his administration as secretary of commerce, marked a new mode of relationship between government and business and worked to the mutual advantage both of business and the people. He added that it was an effective method of removing the need for governmental interference in commerce and trade.

E. A. Simmons, publisher and spokesman for the delegation, in presenting the visitors, addressed Mr. Hoover as "Mr. President-elect," that brought applause from the group.

"Well, it's just as good as that."

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RED CROSS ROLL CALL WORK NEXT

La Grande Sends Check for $292.50 to Florida and Porto Rico

With a check for $292.50 sent in today to national Red Cross headquarters from La Grande for help in the work of relief for the populations in the stricken Florida and Porto Rico storm areas, plans have commenced on the annual roll call of the Red Cross. Miss Marion Bowen, of San Francisco, field representative of the Red Cross, arrived in La Grande yesterday and last night met with the Red Cross officials.

Those in attendance at the meeting were: Dr. Ray Murphy, Mrs. Mossman, Mr. Tyler and Sherwood Williams. It was decided that the committee will take charge of the roll call solicitation which will take place during the days from Nov. 11 to 25. The entire county will be covered at that time and representatives will be appointed in the various towns in the county.

All but $280,000 of the five million dollars set by the Red Cross for storm relief purposes has been raised and it is expected that that sum will be obtained within a short time.

Miss Bowen congratulated the La Grande Red Cross on its work in sponsoring swim week this summer. At that time 20 persons passed the Red Cross lifesaving test, which was a large number, she said.

Those who have added their subscriptions to the Red Cross for relief purposes since the last list was published are:

Mrs. T. A. McKinstry, $2.50; Mrs. W. F. Buchanan, $1; J. L. Courtney, $1; Pauline Heidenreich, $1; Hattie McDonald, $1; Order of Eastern Star, $10; a friend, $1; E. H. Tonzer, $2; Ray Williams, $1; John S. Hodgin, $2.50; Modern Woodmen of America, $5; Royal Arch Masons, $50; Church of Our Lady of the Valley, $10.65; Associated Girl Students, $2; and Blue Mountain Creamery company, $5; anonymous, $10.

WATER TESTED AND FOUND TO BE PERFECT

For the second time this year, water supplying the city of La Grande has been tested as perfect, with no bacteria being found by the state board of health examiner per cubic centimeter.

The water for this test was taken on Oct. 6 and a similar perfect test was secured on water taken July 21. Since three years ago no test of La Grande water has been below "Class A."

At present, largely due to the decrease in the hills, Beaver creek is only supplying the city with about a million gallons each 24 hours, approximately 20 per cent below normal. This requires operation of the pumps at the artesian wells for from four to seven hours daily. At this time last year the "pumping season" was ended.

Coolidge Talks With Alfonso On Radio Telephone

President and Spanish King Converse Over Radio and Cable While 6,500 Miles Apart

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13—(AP)—Speaking over a radio and cable circuit 6,500 miles long, President Coolidge and King Alphonso, of Spain, inaugurated today a telephonic service between their two countries, acclaiming the new means of communication as a great factor in the perpetuation of friendship and peace between them.

Availing himself of his first opportunity to speak by radio telephone with Europe, Mr. Coolidge told King Alphonso that with the possibility of communicating with far countries by word of mouth "the danger of any serious disagreement is immeasurably lessened."

The chief executive also took the opportunity to express to the Spanish king his satisfaction that America and Spain adopted identical attitudes as to the promotion of peace in the world as shown by Spain's prompt indication that she would become a party to the recently concluded covenant for the outlawry of war.

After greeting King Alphonso "in the name of the people of the United States," and listening to a short address from his interlocutor, President Coolidge said over the telephone:

"I welcome this added link, no less strong because it is invisible, between Spain and the United States. I believe it to be true that when two men can talk together the danger of any serious disagreement is immeasurably lessened and that what is true of individuals is true of nations. The international telephone, therefore, which carries the warmth and the friendliness of the human voice will always correct what might be misinterpreted in the written word.

"I am especially glad thus orally to greet your Majesty because I know the position of great personal responsibility you hold in directing the policies and progress of your country. I wish for Your Majesty a long and happy life and for your country all the prosperity and happiness which come from wise and benevolent leadership in all those things which make life richer and finer."

The king of Spain's voice was returned by a similar arrangement with the broadcasting plant at Rugby, England, and the radio receiving set at Houlton, Maine.

FREIGHTER IN FLAMES WITH CREW GASSED

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13—(A. P.)—A wireless message to The Associated Press from the Edward Mc-dorf, purser of the Matson steamship Makiki today reported that the British freighter Trojanstar was limping toward Vancouver, B. C., after extinguishing a fire which broke out in her hold while off Cape Mendocino, northern California.

The purser reported that one fireman aboard the Trojanstar named Tennyson was dead, nearly all the crew was badly gassed and that several of them were badly injured. The Makiki arrived alongside the Trojanstar last night a few hours after the British ship had sent out distress calls.

Mae Murray Under Arrest in South

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 13 (AP)—Mae Murray, screen actress, for whose arrest on a charge of forcible house entry a warrant was sworn out yesterday, surrendered to the Santa Monica chief of police today. A search for a judge was begun so that the actress might be arraigned.

Bail was set at $500.

Byrd's Ships Are Near Marquesas

NEW YORK, Oct. 13—(AP)—A wireless message to the New York Times gave the position at noon yesterday of two of the ships of Commander Richard E. Byrd's South Polar expedition.

The Eleanor Bolling was 65 miles northeast of the Galapagos Islands, in latitude 4.03 north, longitude 86.54 west. The City of New York was 1,585 miles east of the Marquesas Islands, latitude 7.18 south, longitude 112.23 west.

Two Trawlers In Fatal Collision

LISBON, Portugal, Oct. 13—(A. P.)—Two trawlers collided off the Portuguese coast near Oporto today in a fog, with the loss of four men. One of the trawlers sank immediately and twenty-one of her crew were saved.

ON HUSBAND-HUNTING CRUISE

Headed by the blonde Helen Davis, 52, these three women left Washington, D. C., in a sedan the other day on a hunt for husbands. They gave their names as Stella Howe (center), 50, and Vivian Frederick Kerr (right), 38. Miss Davis is shown to the left. Miss Davis says the candidates have some 600 applicants to interview on the trip. Miss Davis says her husband must earn $10,000 a year and he prepared to advance $5000 for her brother's education.

GRID SCORES

FOOTBALL FINALS

Grinnell 5; Iowa State 0.
Iowa 13; Chicago 0.
Minnesota 15; Purdue 0.
Case 0; Mt. Union 19.
Wittenberg 13; Ohio 12.
Ohio State 10; Northwestern 0.
Nebraska 28; Montana State 6.
Third period: Oregon 14; Willamette 6.
Third period: Oregon State 27; Columbia 0.
First period: Washington 0; Montana 0.
First period: Idaho 6; Whitman 0.
Army 11, Providence 0.
Indiana 6, Michigan 6.
Notre Dame 6, Navy 0.
Detroit 46, Louisville 0.
Missouri 60, Centre 0.
Williams 20, Bowdoin 0.
Princeton 0, Virginia 0.
Ohio Wesleyan 72, Cincinnati 0.
Otterbein 18, Kenyon 0.
Columbia 21, Wesleyan 0.
Holy Cross 16, Rutgers 0.
Colgate 25, Virginia Poly 14.
Georgetown 52, Lebanon Valley 0.
Yale 21, Georgia 6.
At Orono, Me., Maine 0; Connecticut Aggies 0.
At Lewiston, Me., Bates 0; Tufts 13.

Search Is Made For Ben Gitlow

PHOENIX, Ariz., Oct. 13—(AP)—In the midst of his campaign for election to the vice presidency, Benjamin Gitlow, communist party candidate, who sought throughout Arizona today after he had failed twice to appear in scheduled speaking engagements.

Whether or not "pressure" had forced Gitlow to abandon two addresses this week, one here and another at Tucson was speculated upon today as reports were published that he had been advised not to leave his train upon his arrival here.

PRAY FOR ZEPPELIN

NEW YORK, Oct. 12—(AP)—One minute of silent prayer for the safety and success of the Graf Zeppelin was observed by audiences and actors in virtually all Broadway theatres last night. A special service of prayer also was broadcast over WOR on a wave length of 422.3 meters to permit it being picked up by the zeppelin.

BUILDING COLLAPSES

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, Oct. 13 (AP)—Only 20 bodies had been extracted up to noon today from the mass of soft coaled cement, girders and broken masonry which resulted from the collapse yesterday of an eight story office building under construction here.

Government officials, driven to grim conclusion by the calamity, were unable to estimate the probable number of victims. Unofficially it was believed that the dead would total from 40 to 100. Exact figures will not be available until the mountain of debris has been cleared away and authorities said it would take at least a week to accomplish that task.

ADAMS GETS LIFE

PENDLETON, Ore., Oct. 13—(A. P.)—William S. Adams, convicted of a statutory crime against his daughter, was sentenced today to life imprisonment at the state penitentiary.

HICKMAN ADMITS TEXAS ROBBERIES

Doomed Man Explains He Wishes to Confess All of His Crimes

FORT WORTH, Oct. 13 (AP)—A letter from William Edward Hickman, under death sentence at San Quentin, Cal., which stated that Hickman committed a robbery in Fort Worth, was received by Police Chief Henry Lee today.

Hickman stated he robbed a restaurant in Fort Worth in December, 1926. He explained he wished to confess all his crimes before he died. Hickman said he was sorry he could not return the money he obtained in the holdup. No details of the holdup were given in the letter.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Oct. 13 (AP)—William Edward Hickman, condemned to death in California, was a partner in a drug store holdup here in December, 1926, according to a letter from the condemned man which was received here today by Chief of Police Owen Kildare.

Records are being checked in an effort to determine what holdup Hickman confesses with the comment "that it is the Christian thing to do." The condemned man did not name his partner but says about $250 was taken.

KLAMATH BOY PASSES AFTER GRID CONTEST

MEDFORD, Ore., Oct. 13 (AP)—Max Newsome, of Klamath Falls, quarterback of the Southern Oregon Normal school football team, died last night following his collapse during the Oregon State college-Normal game at Ashland yesterday afternoon.

Newsome was carried from the field during a time-out period, and innumerables then attributed his exhaustion to "high blood pressure." He protested against his removal. Later he was taken to the hospital where his condition changed for the worse.

The parents were spectators at the game, and visited Newsome at the hospital, before leaving for their home in Klamath Falls, where the father is a physician.

Steiwer Confers With Mr. Coolidge

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13 (AP)—Senator Steiwer, of Oregon, chairman of the senate campaign funds committee, after calling upon President Coolidge today, said that his committee would postpone its work until after election.

Senator Robinson To Speak in Salem

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 13—(AP)—Senator Joseph T. Robinson, democratic vice presidential candidate, passed through Portland today enroute to Seattle, where he will speak tonight.

Sunday he will remain at Seattle, and he will return to Portland Monday morning.

Senator Robinson promised Milton A. Miller, of Portland, today that he would speak at the armory at Salem at 2:30 p. m. Monday.

Returning to Portland he will speak at the municipal auditorium here Monday night.

Governor Smith Is Welcomed To Louisville, Ky.

Arrives There Following Speech Before 5,000 in Nashville, Attacking Hoover's Policies

ATTACKS SMITH

NEW BERN, N. C., Oct. 13 (AP)—Senator Furnifold M. Simmons, democrat of North Carolina, has hurled at his party the accusation that its presidential campaign is one in which hypocricy is the predominant factor.

Addressing a meeting of "anti-Smith democrats" here last night, he declared that the party is waging a "militant liquor campaign" in the north, while below the Mason and Dixon line it is evading the prohibition question and raising a cry of intolerance against those who honestly oppose Governor Alfred E. Smith because of his attitude toward the 18th amendment and the Volstead law.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 13—(AP)—Governor Smith and his party arrived today in Louisville where the democratic presidential candidate will make an address tonight.

The governor was given an ovation as he went from the train to an automobile to lead a procession to his hotel. The Young Men's Democratic league turned out in full, wearing brown derbies.

The campaign special had been purposely sidetracked thirty miles outside Louisville for several hours early today to allow the Smith party to get some rest after the huge demonstration given them last night in Nashville, Tenn.

Speaks in Nashville

Speaking last night before a crowd that jammed into the 5,000 seats at Ryman auditorium in Nashville, Governor Smith ripped into his republican opponents and President Coolidge in connection with their farm relief and Muscle Shoals stands, attacked Herbert Hoover's Tennessee remarks on prohibition, water power, and immigration, and outlined his previously declared attitudes on some of these questions.

Reaching the subject of water-power about the halfway mark in his speech, the nominee declared, amid laughter and applause, that he had carefully scrutinized Mr. Hoover's Tennessee speech but found not even an indirect reference to Muscle Shoals.

"He treated it as though it was not anywhere near here," the governor added, and then quoted Mr. Hoover as saying: "There are local instances where the government must enter the business field as a by-product of some great major purposes, such as improvement in navigation, flood control, scientific research, or national defense, but they do not vitiate the general policy to which we should adhere."

Reaffirms Stand

The governor then reaffirmed the government ownership and control stand he took in his Denver speech, declaring the agency, whether state or federal, should "not only own the site but should own and build and operate the power house" of waterpower projects.

"It is the only way that you can guarantee equitable distribution of the power and fair and reasonable prices to the ultimate consumer, and this is because of the government's power to contract."

Frequently interrupted by cheers

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20 Killed When 3 Trains Crash At Gloucester

GLOUCESTER, Eng., Oct. 13 (AP)—At least 11 persons were killed, with the possibility that the complete toll will be 20, in a triple train collision this morning on the Birmingham-Bristol line. The bodies of the victims were so mutilated that none had been identified this afternoon.

The number of injured was estimated at 40.

The collision resulted from a delay in getting a freight train off the main line to a siding. First there was a collision between an express train and a freight and then a third train running on a parallel track crashed into the wreckage.

Fire followed from gasoline and oil carried on one of the freight trains.

Today's wreck was the third railroad collision in Britain within the last three days resulting in death.

Smith Will Speak On Radio Tonight

NEW YORK, Oct. 13 (AP)—Political speakers on the radio tonight include:

Democratic—Governor Smith, from Louisville, Ky., at 8 p. m., over WEAF and a coast-to-coast network.

Republican—A group of prominent women will give one-minute talks, starting at 9 p. m. over WJZ and chain.

(Times given are eastern standard).

REPORTS SAY DAMAGE DONE TO ZEPPELIN

No Cause for Alarm However, and Repairs Are Being Made, Is Word

HUGE DIRIGIBLE NEARING BERMUDA

Radio Corporation Announces This Afternoon Receiving No Word of Trouble from Air Liner

BERLIN, Oct. 13 (AP)—The government broadcasting station announced that at 7:05 p. m. word had been received from Friedrichshafen that the Graf Zeppelin would likely reach Bermuda soon after midnight.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13—(AP)—The New York American in a copyrighted radio dispatch from its correspondent on the Graf Zeppelin today will say that "there is no cause for alarm and the damage is being repaired." A further message said the covering of the stabilizer had been torn off and that her speed was now 49 miles an hour.

The preceding message from the Graf Zeppelin is used through the courtesy of the New York American and Hearst newspapers which have exclusive rights to all radio messages from the dirigible.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13—(AP)—The Radio Corporation of America reported early this afternoon that it had been making good contact with the Graf Zeppelin up to 12:32 p. m., Eastern standard time, in receiving commercial messages.

No reports of trouble aboard were received by the company. The dirigible's position was not given.

POSITION GIVEN

NEW YORK, Oct. 13—(AP)—The North German Lloyd liner Berlin reported the position of the Graf Zeppelin at 5 a. m., Eastern standard time, this morning, as latitude 22.09 north and longitude 39.09 west.

This would place the airliner about 1500 miles from Bermuda.

LAKEHURST, N. J., Oct. 13—(AP)—It may take the Graf Zeppelin 100 hours to cross the Atlantic but once she gets to the naval air station here naval officers say she can be landed in three minutes.

NEARING LAKEHURST

NEW YORK, Oct. 13—(AP)—With her five 580 horsepower motors droning a steady song of power and speed, Graf Zeppelin, huge transatlantic liner, raced over the Atlantic today at between 75 and 85 miles an hour headed for Lakehurst, N. J., via Bermuda.

Advices of unfavorable weather to the north dictated that the airship pursue a circuitous course to the south. Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander and builder, hoped to land at the United States naval air station at Lakehurst at noon tomorrow with his cargo of 20 passengers and mail from Friedrichshafen, Germany, demonstrating that crossing the ocean by airship is no longer mere adventure but now is a commercial undertaking.

Four years ago today Dr. Eckener took the dawn as he approached the island of San Miguel, the Azores on the ZR-3, now the Los Angeles. At dawn this morning the Azores were well behind him as he directed the Graf Zeppelin, half again as large as the Los Angeles.

Good weather aided the airship in making up for time lost in battling headwinds over the Mediterranean after leaving Friedrichshafen, Germany, at 2 a. m., Eastern standard time, on Thursday. In swinging south to Madeira the dirigible entered a region of light variable winds which made passengers easier. The dirigible escaped a

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MOTHER KILLS THREE OF HER FIVE CHILDREN

DETROIT, Oct. 13 (AP) — Mrs. Beatrice Canters, 32, drowned three of her five children in the Detroit river shortly after midnight and attempted to drown the other two and herself.

Those drowned were: Nita, 3 years old; Mary, 7 years old; Gloria, 9 months.

The other two children, Nellie, 5, and Lawrence Jr., 7, although thrown into the river by their mother, were able to rescue themselves and call for help.

When attaches of the local harbor master's office arrived the woman was holding one of the three victims under the water. She was dragged from the water but the child, Gloria, was dead.

Mrs. Canters and the two rescued children were taken to a local hospital where the mother was detained for observation. She was hysterical and wept continuously for the baby Gloria.