

# FATE OF BEATTIE RESTS WITH NEGRO

## Final Link Against Young Virginian May Be Supplied by Dark-Skinned Toiler.

### NEW WITNESS IS FOUND

#### Detective Tells of Finding Bloodstains in Road and Confusion of Husband, and High School Boys Testify.

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### CHESTERFIELD COURTHOUSE, Va., Aug. 26.—

The testimony of a black man, a negro laborer, member of a race long held in disdain by descendants of the first families of the Old Dominion, by a grim trick of circumstance may supply the link in the evidence necessary to send Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., the young son of a proud Virginia family, on trial for the murder of his wife, the electric chair.

### Negro Verifies Boys.

He will also testify, it was declared, that he, too, saw the automobile carrying the young boys who attended the dance at Bonair, whose testimony that they passed Beattie and his wife in the road at the spot where the murder was later committed, and that the car was stopped there, the defense has been endeavoring to show false.

Detective Scherer and the boys in this second automobile were on the stand today. Scherer described in detail his work on the day after the murder.

"We had been at the scene of the crime but a short time," he said, "when some one came up with a single-barreled gun. It was identified by Henry C. Beattie, Jr., as the gun. I am not positive whether he said it was the gun used in killing his wife. We took the gun to different persons to see if it could be identified.

"I discussed the case with Beattie and asked him to give me as near as possible all the facts concerning the shooting. We had only spoken a few words when reporters interrupted us. We walked to the blood spot, I and others who gathered asked Beattie to place the car in the position it was at the time of the shooting.

### Detective Tells Story.

"Mr. Beattie then placed the car, my recollection is, on the left-hand side of the blood spot going toward Richmond, about 20 or 25 inches from it with the front seat about opposite the blood spot. He had already told me that the bearded man was in front of the car, and that it was necessary for him to stop to keep from running over him, and had also said that the man had shot from in front of the car."

### ELKS TO BUILD NEW HOME

#### Institution to Be Erected in Virginia Will Cost \$500,000.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 26.—At a meeting of the officers of the Grand Lodge of Elks it was decided to erect a new Elks' home on the site of the present institution in Bedford City, Va.

### Blood Not in Pan.

"I could not see any signs of blood under the car and Sergeant Wiltshire crawled underneath and observed the gross pan. No blood had got out there. Mr. Beattie was with us, and answered that no blood had got out or been in the pan. After looking over the car, I asked Mr. Beattie if he could give me an explanation of how the blood got to the road. He said he could not.

### Unidentified Man Dies.

Without regaining consciousness, the unidentified man found at Fourth and Flinders streets Thursday night by Patrolmen Evans and Jones, died yesterday of a fractured skull, at St. Vincent's Hospital. The body was removed to the morgue, where it lies unclaimed.

six boys brought out the fact that one of their number, F. B. Adams, who went alone to the dance at Bonair, from which the lads were returning, saw a man unaccompanied, standing by a machine near the scene where the murder was three hours later committed. This was in line with the idea of the commonwealth that Beattie placed a gun in the bushes near by, so that it would be available when he was ready for the deed of which he stands accused.

### TREACHERY IS CHARGED

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not included in the last to be prosecuted.

The law under which the prosecution will be brought provides a maximum penalty of two years' imprisonment and a fine of \$10,000.

The action of the District Attorney is based on the fact that the injunction against which the meeting was called to protest is only temporary. Mr. Todd says that, pending final hearing of the injunction, such an outbreak constitutes a clear case of conspiracy to defeat justice.

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TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 26.—A. V. Fawcett, ex-mayor of Tacoma, who was one of the speakers at the mass meeting a



Judge Charles H. Hanford, Who Was Burned in Effigy at Seattle by His Critics.

Seattle last night, was arrested today by Deputy United States Marshal Crosby. He gave bond in the sum of \$500 to appear Monday.

Mr. Fawcett explains his connection with the meeting by saying he was induced by the editor of a Tacoma paper, which is owned by the same interests as the Seattle Star, to go to Seattle and attend the meeting. Mr. Fawcett says he was laboring under the misapprehension that the railroad involved in the fight belonged to the Stone & Webster interests, with whom he has clashed frequently in Tacoma controversies.

Mr. Fawcett was arrested as he was walking along the street and taken before the Federal Court Clerk, where he gave bonds. Ex-Councilmen W. R. Giblett and Fred A. Johnson were his bondsmen.

"I am not guilty of advocating ignoring Judge Hanford's injunction," said Fawcett after his release. "I did not know there was such an order until I heard of it at the meeting. I didn't know anything about the matter at all until Rockhill, of the Tacoma Times, called me up and asked me to go and take part in a Seattle mass meeting. I told Rockhill I had a lame back and didn't want to go, but he said he'd go along and look after me, so I went with him. I thought the people over there were fighting the Stone & Webster corporation. I never mentioned Judge Hanford's name in my speech and I didn't talk more than three or four minutes, and I didn't advise any disobedience of the law. I told the people how I had evaded laws and that they had as much right to strain the law as corporations had."

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- 50c Dr. Graves Tooth Powder... 25c
- 25c Colgate's Dental Powder... 15c
- 25c Liquid Dentifrice... 15c
- 25c Colgate's Dental Cream... 20c
- 25c Williams' Shaving Stick... 20c
- 10c Williams' Shaving Soap... 5c
- 25c Hollister's Deodorant... 15c



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- 25c Colgate's Shaving Cream... 20c
- 25c Espey's Fragrant Cream... 17c
- 25c 4711 Rose Glycerine Soap... 15c
- 10c Wild Rose Glycerine Soap... 7c
- 75c Eastman's Royal Perfume... 39c
- Colgate's Monad Tinted Talcum... 25c
- Head Heart Cold Cream... 50c

# Values of An Extraordinary Kind ARE OFFERED YOU IN THIS GREAT SALE OF SUMMER GOODS

Don't forget—These are money-saving days for you. This is our Summer Clean-up time; our profitless time. Every department is teeming with reasonable goods marked at hurry-away prices. This season's goods must leave this season. Have you availed yourself of these remarkable values we've been offering during this sale? Better hurry up and pay our store a visit just as soon as possible. Sale ends this week

## Men's 75c and \$1 Golf Shirts on Sale at 49c

This is surely proving to be the biggest and best Shirt Sale held in this city for many a day.

Over 1800 Men's Golf Shirts shown in a wonderful variety of patterns. They come in plain white, blue and assorted stripes; also with plain body finished with fancy bosom in pleated effect or with fancy piping. They are shown in both coat and regular style and in all sizes. All are good custom-made Shirts that sell regularly at 75c and \$1.00 each; specially priced for this sale at



## Forty-Nine Cents

#### 75c Underwear at 55c

#### Men's light-weight Merino Shirts and Drawers in all sizes. Splendid-wearing, perfect-fitting garments always sold at 75c, on sale at 55c

### B. V. D. Underwear

#### For men, both Shirts and Drawers made of fine nainsook and shown in all sizes; the kind sold regularly at 50c a garment, on sale at 39c

### B. V. D. Union Suits

#### For men, shown in the most popular styles and in all sizes; made of the best nainsook and sold regularly at \$1.00, on sale at 79c

## Women's Fashionable Fall Coats and Suits—The Prettiest Styles

#### Children's Dresses, \$2.50 to \$3.50 Values, \$1.39

Your opportunity is here now. About 500 Children's Dresses to be closed out under cost price. They are made of best quality gingham, percale, rep, poplin and several other good wash materials. Styles are absolutely new. Well made garments that will launder fine. Regular \$2.50 to \$3.50 values, extra special \$1.39

### Long Kimonos, \$1.25 Values at 69c

A sale of Women's Long Kimonos, made of good quality flowered lawn, also challie in Persian and Oriental designs. Some are finished with belt, while other styles have tucked yoke back and front. Your choice of \$1.25 values, this sale 69c

### Women's Suits at \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50, \$19.50, \$25.00

A magnificent showing of Women's New Fall Suits in a large range of styles and colors, navy, black and an enormous variety in brown, gray and tan mixtures. Coats are mostly plain tailored and lined with good quality satin. Skirts come in panel back and front; also several other pretty styles. Just read the prices carefully, then come in and see the suits for yourself. They carry conviction in every graceful line, every stunning weave, every durable fabric.

### Women's Coats at \$7.50, \$10.50, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$19.50

A great assortment of Women's Long Coats for Fall wear. Smart lines of manish Coats in loose and semi-fitting styles, with collars of same cloth or velvet. They are made with or without raglan sleeve and plain or welted seams. They come with silk Venetian shoulder lining and body lining of worsted checks and plaids. Shown in homespun and cheviot coatings in stylish tan, gray and brown mixtures and herringbone stripes. Also full-length fitting and semi-fitting coats of serge or broadcloths in black and navy. The best possible values to be had at the above prices.

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## Sensational Sale 15,000 Yds. Embroidery Edges 15c Grade at 7 1/2c a Yard

#### From 2 to 10 Inches

The fact that Fall stocks are crowding in our Fancy Goods Section and demanding more room means that we must close out many lines at once. Hence these Embroidery values.

#### Tomorrow on the center aisle tables, we will place on sale over 15,000 yards of fine Swiss and Cambrie Embroideries at one-half actual worth. The assortment includes a full showing of neat and attractive patterns from 2 to 10 inches wide. Both edges and insertions that sell regularly at 15c to 20c a yard, are marked for this sale at 7 1/2c

### New Valenciennes Laces

#### Below Half Price, 20c a Dozen Yards

A wonderful assortment to choose from. 1500 dozen yards of brand-new Valenciennes Laces. They are shown in a broad variety of new, pretty patterns and are 1/2 an inch to 1 1/4 inches wide. They come in Filet, French and German mesh. The kind that sell regularly at 5c a yard or 50c a dozen, sold in 12-yd. bolts only, and priced for this sale at, bolt 20c

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