

New Mystery Note Injected Into Yule Eve Snipe Slaying

PAINESVILLE, Ohio (AP)—A new note of mystery was injected into the Christmas Eve snipe slaying of Charles R. Clark with the arrest Friday night of Floyd E. (Gene) Hargrove on a warrant charging him with first-degree murder.

Only a few days ago, county authorities said results of a polygraph test had cleared Hargrove of the rifle killing. The 35-year-old truck driver was freed. Investigators said they were baffled.

Hargrove went to Toledo to visit his mother, Effie Walker.

Armed with the murder warrant, Sheriff William B. Evans and Frank D. Hathy, police chief of Mentor, flew to Toledo Friday night. They arrested Hargrove on what they said was "New evidence."

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Hargrove readily admitted the relationship with the former model, who was reared in an orphanage and married Clark when she was 16, but denied having anything to do with the shooting.

After talking to Mrs. Clark for 15 minutes at the county jail last Saturday, Hargrove switched his story and said he fired the fatal bullet. He said he threw the rifle into Lake Erie.

The sheriff and prosecutor said, however, they had doubts on some of the details of Hargrove's admission. They gave him a polygraph test, a so-called lie detector, then announced last Monday that Hargrove wasn't their man.

Hargrove agreed, reversing his field once more, the father of five who was divorced from his wife two years ago, said he took the blame for the slaying in order to spare Mrs. Clark further anguish.

"I love her deeply," he told newsmen. "I'm worried for her welfare. I didn't want her life ruined."

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Members Of Club Nabbed By Police

THOMASVILLE, Ga. (AP)—Members of the "Tammy-Took-It" Club won't be taking any more merchandise from grocery stores here.

Police said seven boys who comprised the club were arrested Friday and held in jail for action by juvenile authorities.

Lt. R. J. Ramsey said the club members, aged 10 to 16, vowed to tell officers when questioned, "I didn't steal it. Tommy took it."

SHOUP SUCCEEDS PATE
WASHINGTON (UPI) — Gen. David M. Shoup, with a brand new star on his shoulder, was sworn in Friday as the 22nd commandant of the Marine Corps. He succeeded Gen. Randolph McC. Pate, who retired Thursday.

Solar System Age Gussed By Scientist

By RENNIE TAYLOR

Associated Press Science Writer
BERKELEY, Calif. (AP)—A meteorite which fell near Richardson N. D., 41 years ago has yielded evidence that the age of the solar system is 4,550,000,000 years.

Dr. John H. Reynolds, University of California physicist, made the calculations and announced the results today.

The age was fixed by determining the amount of a rare radioactive gas, xenon 129, in the meteorite. The sample contains more of this rare gas than any natural substance previously studied, Dr. Reynolds said.

The gas came from the radioactive decay of iodine 129 which presumably was one of the elements formed when all the chemicals of the solar system were produced.

Iodine 129 has a half life of 17 million years, which means that half of any given quantity of it will turn into xenon 129 in that time. Then half the remainder will turn to xenon 129 in another 17 million years, and so on until the iodine 129 is all gone.

When the meteorite was formed it contained just a trace of iodine 129—enough to turn into xenon and thus date the celestial visitor.

From this Dr. Reynolds calculated that the meteorite was formed 350 million years after the elements of the solar system were made.

Other means of telling the age of meteorites give this particular type an age of 4,600,000,000 years. To this figure Dr. Reynolds added the 350 million years to get the final age of the materials which made up the meteorite.

The figure agrees generally with those calculated by geologists and other scientists fixing the age of the solar system at about five billion years.

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Skin Diver Dies

GOLD BEACH, Ore. (AP)—Fifty-year-old Harold Robinson of nearby Nesika Beach died Friday while skin diving at the mouth of the Rogue River.

Death was believed due to a heart attack. He was stricken while swimming in shallow water near the jetty.

CARRIES WANT ARMS

NEW YORK (UPI)—New York's United Taxi Owners Guild will meet Monday to ask the city to let cab drivers carry guns.

Sal Baron, general manager of the guild, said Friday that more than 500 of the city's 30,000 hackies were held up by armed robbers last year.

From The Ashes Of Rome, Church Opens For Gronchi

By WARD CANNEL

ROME (NEA)—Now, this is the story of an Irish priest named John Patrick Carroll-Ahbig, and how his memory once failed him.

But it will explain in part why child psychologists from Harvard University are now combing this country of Roman ruins, Renaissance decay and modern poverty. It may also be useful to American parents, teachers, college admissions officers and policemen.

"In 1944," Msgr. Carroll said, "Italy was beaten. The Nazis were holding the north. The Allies were driving from the south. And the country was without a civil government."

"I was working in the Vatican service, and everywhere I went I found orphaned or abandoned children—dead and living in the streets, in museums, in caves. It was terrifying."

"Here was a whole generation forced into the wilderness, pushed to be delinquents from civilization."

In his education Msgr. Carroll had read of American Boys Towns, a tradition started by William George in 1877 in New York and carried on by Father Flanagan in Nebraska.

"It was, I remembered, a system of communities for underprivileged boys who largely governed themselves and thus learned the values of being responsible, productive members of society. I decided to try it in Italy. Something had to be done," he said.

The plan took eight months to become reality in a bombed-out villa. Then another Town was opened, and another, until today when there are nine with a total registration of 2,400 boys.

"It seemed to be working quite well," Msgr. Carroll said. "But I felt there was much more I could learn from the American system. I had only half-remembered in 1944. So I made a trip to the U.S."

And what he found was disbelief in the American Boys Towns. Certainly the premise had once been self-government for the boys. But it hadn't really worked. And that success statistic of Msgr. Carroll's—100 per cent—was too high to take seriously.

"I was astounded," he said. "America had always been my idea of real child-centered families and democratic child-rearing. I began to investigate it more closely."

And what he discovered was:—The basic relationship between American parents and children is uncomfortable. Accent on youth in many cases is really bribery—paying off the children in lieu of giving them real time, attention and understanding.

—Much of the U.S. is homeless. The house is only a dormitory and most of the family's activities—together or separately—take place elsewhere.

—Meanwhile, formal education—both private and public—lays high stress on high I.Q. and "potential leadership," further compartmentalizing children.

"It was not surprising," he said, "that there were so many emotionally disturbed children in America. It was easy to see that drugs, alcohol and TV were not causing juvenile delinquency, but merely revealing the illness."

To make the picture perfect, he discovered on his return to Italy that a school had been started in Rome, restricting the registration to boys with high I.Q. and "potential leadership."

"By and by," Msgr. Carroll said, "an idea filtered out in my mind. We would have a new Boys Town, limited only to boys with emotional problems. With help from interested Americans, it is now doing quite nicely—again, 100 per cent success."

"And I note with a little satisfaction that the other school—for the elite high I.Q.—is failing rapidly."

"But of course it is an unfair competition. You can't build an elite out of I.Q. But rescue a child from emotional disturbance and you've got a sensitive, creative, independent human being."

Church Opens For Gronchi

MOSCOW (AP)—The Soviets are going to reopen a dark and deserted Roman Catholic church—but only for a day.

An American priest is helping the atheistic Kremlin solve a delicate diplomatic situation and avoid embarrassing Italian President Giovanni Gronchi during his visit to the Soviet Union.

Gronchi is flying to Moscow next Friday on an official visit that has raised a controversy in predominantly Catholic Italy.

His tight schedule calls for him to be in Leningrad—formerly St. Petersburg—on Sunday, Jan. 10.

There is one Catholic church in that old Czarist capital but the Communists closed it a long time ago.

Missing Mass could add to Gronchi's political problems at home stemming from his visit.

The Soviet government agreed to reopen the church and let the Rev. Louis F. Dion, an American Assumptionist priest stationed in Moscow, go to Leningrad to say Mass for the Italian president and his party.

Father Dion is apostolic administrator to American Catholics in Moscow under the U.S.-Soviet diplomatic exchange agreement.

About 85 per cent of "learning" is visual—through the eyes.

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