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ALLENS DIE IN ELECTRIC CHAIR

Father and Son Executed in Richmond Prison.

FOR HILLSVILLE TRAGEDY.

Mann Returns Unexpectedly and Prevents Lieutenant Request From Acting Upon a Request For Commutation.

Half whispering "I am ready to go," Floyd Allen stepped into the electric chair at 12:05 o'clock Friday afternoon and was dead in six minutes. Nine minutes later his youngest son, Claude Swanson Allen, was pronounced dead from the electric current, both men giving their lives to the Commonwealth of Virginia for the part they took in the Hillsville courthouse tragedy of March 14 last year, when the judge, the Commonwealth's attorney, the sheriff and a juror were killed in the courtroom, a spectator dying a few days later from a bullet received during the fight between the Allen outlaws and the court officials.



FLOYD ALLEN

The executions followed a morning of many developments after a night spent by the sympathizers of the doomed men in pleading with Lieutenant Governor J. Taylor Ellyson to commute the sentences on the ground that Governor Mann was out of the State. The conference resulted in an order going to Superintendent Wood, of the State prison, to hold the execution scheduled for 7 o'clock until noon in order to give Attorney General Samuel W. Williams an opportunity to put in writing his opinion relative to the Lieutenant Governor's right in the premises.

Mann Hurries Back.

Governor Mann, in Philadelphia, en route to Trenton, N. J., at 2:55 o'clock heard of the attempt to have the Lieutenant Governor commute the sentences, and the Chief Executive of the State canceled his Trenton engagement and hastily returned to the city, wiring from Washington that he would be on Virginia soil at 8 o'clock, thus terminating by his presence in the State any authority that the Lieutenant Governor could assume. The officials of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railway saw that there was a heavy guard of private detectives thrown around the Chief Executive that no harm could come to him, as feared by his young son and relatives. The guard was augmented upon the arrival of the train at Eiba Station at 11:25 o'clock, whence the Governor, his son Hodges and Private Secretary Ben P. Owen were hurried in an automobile to the executive offices in the State capitol. A few minutes after arriving at his office Governor Mann issued this statement:

"Hearing at five minutes to 3 o'clock of the action taken in the Allen cases after I left the city, I considered it my duty to hurry back. I simply desire to repeat that after the most careful consideration of the evidence in these cases I have not the slightest doubt of the guilt of Floyd and Claude Allen, and I will not interfere. The law must take its course."

Went Bravely To Death.

Thereupon, the prison authorities were notified of the governor's final decision, and the jurymen who were summoned for 7 o'clock and excused, were again reassembled, and at 12:05 o'clock Floyd Allen, the aged mountaineer, walked to the death chair and took his seat. The death current was turned on at 12:05 o'clock, and at 12:06 Floyd was pronounced dead. Claude followed his father to the chair, entering it at 1:30. The current was applied at 1:31 and at 1:36 he was pronounced dead. State Prison Surgeon Herbert Mann officiated at the examination of the bodies.

The father and son went to their death bravely. They did not break down, as anticipated, although the elder man was the more nervous of the two. The bodies were taken in charge by an undertaker and shipped to Carroll county. The funeral ceremonies were held Sunday afternoon.

Declare Their Innocence.

Both Claude and Floyd Allen left lengthy letters declaring their innocence of conspiring to wipe out the court officials; reiterating that they acted in self-defense and that they were brought to their doom through the evidence of their political enemies. Reviewing his history from the date he was born, June 11, 1889, Claude Allen wrote:

"From my earliest recollections I was taught to speak the truth in everything and deal honestly with my fellowman, which I have tried to do. Our parents have tried to rear us to feel that we must be honorable and under no condition speak falsehoods. I went to Hillsville during my father's trial and heard some of the evidence. I never thought for one moment of trouble. The first I knew of it was when it began and what I did was without any premeditation whatever and there was no plot before hand or any conspiracy, as far as I know, and I do not believe there was any with anyone else. I am not guilty of the charge of conspiracy. I had too much love for my dear mother and sweetheart."

The Hillsville Tragedy.

Floyd Allen and his son, Claude Swanson Allen, belonged to the notorious Allen clan whose reputed lawlessness for years held the natives of the Virginia mountains in terror, and culminated on March 14, 1912, in the shooting up of the Carroll county court when five persons lost their lives. The news of the crime sent a thrill of horror throughout the nation, and the shocked Virginia authorities moved expeditiously to bring the criminals to justice.

On the morning of March 14, Floyd Allen stood before the bar of the Carroll county courthouse at Hillsville, to receive sentence for his part in aiding the escape of another mountaineer from the custody of the sheriff. A crowd packed the little courtroom, for the character of the prisoner was well known. Members of the Allen family were known to be in court and trouble was thought imminent.

The jury having announced a verdict of guilty, Judge Thornton L. Massie sentenced the prisoner to one year at hard labor. With the last word of the sentence, a crash of firearms broke from the spectators' benches. Floyd Allen, with a smoking revolver in his hand, leaped from the prisoner's dock and joined the rush of the gang toward the door.

Judiciary Slain.

When the courtroom was cleared the body of Judge Massie, riddled with bullets, was found lying over his desk; Commonwealth's Attorney William M. Foster and Sheriff L. F. Webb lay dead on the floor. Augustus Fowler, a juror, and Elizabeth Ayers, a spectator, were bleeding from wounds which proved fatal the next day, and Dexter Goad, clerk of the court, lay shot through the neck. Goad was one of the principal witnesses for the state at the conviction of the prisoners.

When the courtroom was examined later it was found that more than 200 shots had been fired. Twenty-seven shots took effect upon those killed and wounded.

An army of detectives and newspaper correspondents soon were scouring the muddy roads of the mountains in search of the prisoners. Floyd Allen, the cause of the shooting, who had been wounded by Sheriff Webb in the courtroom, was taken the day of the crime, together with his son, Victor Allen, and his nephew, Bird Marion.

Surrender Of Outlaws.

Sidna Edwards, a nephew of the Allen brothers, was captured in a hut in the mountains March 22. Edwards, who is lame, had eaten nothing for several days, and was very weak when found. Claude Swanson Allen, another son of Floyd Allen, walked up to a posse in the mountains and surrendered himself on March 28. The next day Friel Allen, youngest member of the gang, was taken at his father's home.

Floyd Allen, charged specifically with the killing of Commonwealth Attorney Foster, was found guilty of first degree murder on May 17, and sentenced to death. Claude Allen, his son, was tried on a charge of killing Judge Massie, and convicted of murder in the second degree. The jury recommended a sentence of 15 years in the penitentiary. The state demanded a new trial, and a verdict of guilty in the first degree was returned on July 27, and he was sentenced to death.

Long Hunt For Sidna.

Friel Allen pleaded guilty of murder in the second degree, and on August 14 was sentenced to 18 years in prison. Three days later Sidna Edwards pleaded guilty to a like charge and was given a sentence of 15 years. Victor Allen was acquitted of the charge of having participated in the murders.

Sidna Allen, brother of Floyd Allen, and recognized leader of the clan, and his nephew, Wesley Edwards, eluded pursuit for many weeks, and eventually escaped out of the Virginia mountains and made their way West. They were captured at Des Moines, Ia., September 1, as the result of a love affair of young Edwards. A letter from him was lost by Maude Iroier, of Mount Airey, N. C., and detectives followed its information and captured the two men.

Sidna Allen was sentenced to 25 years and Wesley Edwards to 27 years in the penitentiary.

Byrd Marion, a relative of the Allens, was indicted with them, but the case was dismissed.

Paul Mand, of Swoyersville, Pa., has landed in an insane asylum because of his persistent habit of falling asleep on railroad and street car tracks.

RECORD OF WORK WELL DONE

Anti-Tuberculosis Campaign Fruitful of Results for the Good of All Mankind.

Some comparisons showing the progress of the anti-tuberculosis campaign in the last eight years and the present needs of this movement are made by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis in a brief report of its work recently issued. During the eight years of its work, the national association has assisted in the organization of over 800 state and local anti-tuberculosis societies located in almost every state and territory of the Union. Over 500 hospitals and sanatoria have been established, with more than 30,000 beds for consumptives. About 400 dispensaries, with more than 1,000 physicians in attendance and at least 150 open air schools for tuberculous and anaemic children, have also been provided. Laws dealing with tuberculosis have been passed in 45 states, and ordinances on this subject have been adopted in over 200 cities and towns. An active field campaign of education against tuberculosis has been carried on in 40 states and territories by means of lectures, exhibits, the press, and the distribution of over 100,000,000 pamphlets on this disease.

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