

**CALLS PEGGY BEAL  
VERDICT 'OUTRAGE'**

**Mother of Slain Man Says Acquittal of Nurse Is Travesty of Justice**

**'DISGRACE TO KANSAS CITY'**

The acquittal of "Peggy" Beal for slaying her "perfect lover," Frank Warren Anderson, was called an outrage and a travesty of justice today by Mrs. Flora Anderson, of Collingswood, K. J., mother of the dead man.

Marie L. "Peggy" Beal was declared not guilty by a jury in Kansas City after one of the shortest murder trials in the history of Missouri.

Mrs. Anderson said her son is buried in the Kansas City cemetery. Eventually she plans to have the body removed to a cemetery near here.

"Peggy" Beal, a nurse, faced life with renewed determination today. Learning that the verdict was not what she desired, she asked the jury, and asserted, "Now I am going right here in Kansas City and make good. I'm going to send my little boys in Terre Haute and make a good home for them."

The court ordeal was comparatively brief. There were few witnesses, and the testimony was adduced readily. She took the witness stand, pallid and nervous, and the story of the shooting was drawn from her by the attorneys.

**Lured to Hotel**  
From the first meeting in Dayton, O., Mrs. Beal, a young divorcee, related in chronological order incidents of their association which terminated in her fatally shooting Anderson and seriously wounding herself in a room which they occupied in a local hotel, June 3.

She lured here, she said, with a promise of marriage.

"I met Anderson in a restaurant in Dayton, O., she testified. "He asked me to marry him before he left Dayton. I told him I would give him my answer in June."

Twice she visited him in Kansas City. They moved to the hotel and she found him to be a man of no means. "I was nearly stunned when he told her he could find no grounds for divorce," she said.

"Do as You Please"  
"I asked him what I was going to do," she told the court. "He said, 'Do as you please.'" She asked him why he had sought her love and he answered, she declared, "Because I'm a devil."

She said that she could not recall shooting him, but remembered shooting herself.

State attorneys branded the thirty-two-year-old nurse a liar.

**ROONEY IS NOMINATED FOR VARE'S SENATE SEAT**  
**Democrats of First District to File Certificate Today**

Democrats of the First District last night nominated William L. Rooney, of the Thirty-sixth Ward, for the Vane seat in the State Senate.

Rooney is a candidate opposing Senator Vane two years ago, and is well known in the district.

The nomination was made in the City Committee headquarters, Eleventh and Walnut streets, and was unanimous.

Chairman Rank called attention to the mass-meeting in Scottish Rite Hall on the evening of November 3 to be addressed by John A. McSparran and his colleagues on the State ticket.

Reports on registration were received from representatives of all wards, who said there was a healthy sentiment for the State ticket, and the prediction was made that the city vote for McSparran would equal the 1920 presidential vote.

**GIRL SCOUTS HEAR GUIDE**  
**Clarice M. Warren, of England, Addresses Villanova Organization**

Mrs. Clarice M. Warren, Girl Guide county secretary, of Surrey, England, talked to the Villanova Girl Scouts about the way things are done in her country.

The Girl Guide movement started in England in 1910, while the Girl Scouts made their debut in this country in 1912.

Mrs. Warren will speak with her tonight at the Philadelphia Girl Scout headquarters.

**Move Made to End Lynching**  
The Anti-Lynching Crusaders met last night in the Allen A. M. E. Church, Seventeenth and Bainbridge streets, to open a campaign having as its object the raising of 1,000,000 women in the effort to suppress lynching.

**ACCUSED OF INSTIGATING MURDER**



**ALICE THORNTON**  
Accused, with George Cline and Charles Scullion, of the murder of "Dare Devil" Jack Bergen. Photographed on way to court-house accompanied by the prison matron

**Cline Case May Go to Jury Tonight**

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that Cline about the scene she had witnessed between Mrs. Cline and Bergen in her presence the night of the murder.

"Is this the way you treat me after all I've done for you?" Cline then told Charles Scullion to go upstairs and get a gun, but she did not see him come back with any firearms.

"Get out of my house at once," Bergen then told Cline to come out, side as he had something to tell him, she testified, but Cline said if he had anything to say, to say it there.

**Hears Shot Upstairs**  
The men were upstairs just a few minutes, she said, when she heard a noise and a shot, and then Bergen came stumbling downstairs with his hand clamped to his side and went out.

Her voice became fainter as the prosecutor continued questioning her and her eyes were filled with tears. "I told me he had asked Mrs. Cline to go with me, and she did not," she said. "I told Mrs. Thornton in a love note, 'and we were in public.'"

**Jurors Enjoy Theatre**  
The twelve jurors, six of whom are women, were given convenient quarters in the Mansions House, directly across from the courthouse, and were taken to the theatre last night, and it was reported, allowed to read the newspapers after they had been debriefed.

**Women on Jury in Bergen County**  
The youngest member of the jury is the foreman, Mrs. Susan Spire, twenty-five years old, a stenographer, who is an employee of the Bergen County Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

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**Miss Thornton, according to the witness, then related how she had told of the relations between Bergen and Mrs. Cline and said Cline sent Scullion**

**MAYFIELD HEARING  
NEAR JURY STAGE**

**Judge Tells Them to Decide if Klan Had Part in Campaign Costs**

**LAWYERS' SPEECHES TODAY**

**By Associated Press**  
**Corsicana, Tex., Oct. 24.**—The injunction suit to bar permanently the name of Earle B. Mayfield, Democratic nominee for United States Senator, from the November ballot, was nearly to the jury stage today. Plaintiff attorneys still had two hours for argument, to be followed by three hours by the defense.

**New Orleans, La., Oct. 24.**—(By A. P.)—George B. S. Peadar, Houston lawyer, lost his fight before a Federal tribunal here yesterday to force Texas election officials to place his name on the November ballot as a United States senatorial candidate against Earle B. Mayfield, Democratic nominee and alleged Ku Klux Klan candidate.

**Brand Student with Acid**  
**Peace Overtures Now Made Between Warring Colleges**  
**Los Angeles, Oct. 24.**—(By A. P.)—The four expressed by Ernest C. Moore, director of the University of California, southern branch, that the rivalry between his students and those of the University of Southern California might result in serious outbreaks of violence, led to a renewal of peace overtures among the students by officials of both institutions today.

**SCHOOL DIRECTORS MEET IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY**  
**Annual Convention Will Start Today at Norristown**  
**J. Howard Ewing, of Ozone, president of the Montgomery County School Directors' Association, has issued the call for the annual meeting of that organization, to be held at Norristown today.**

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**MISSING WITNESS FOUND IN O'CONNELL MURDER TRIAL**  
**Cashier Who Saw Woman Fire Shot Located in Baltimore**  
**Cleveland, Oct. 24.**—(By A. P.)—William H. Conklin, the State's "missing" witness in the murder trial of Mrs. Mabel Champlin, will arrive here tomorrow from Baltimore to testify in the fatal shooting of Thomas A. O'Connell, cashier in the restaurant at the time of the killing, is said to have declared he saw Mrs. Champlin fire three shots from a revolver she carried under her coat following a quarrel between O'Connell and Mrs. Champlin's husband.

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**declared he saw Mrs. Champlin fire three shots from a revolver she carried under her coat following a quarrel between O'Connell and Mrs. Champlin's husband.**  
**County Prosecutor Edward C. Stanton, having his principal hope of conviction upon the ex-cashier's testimony, ordered a city detective to Baltimore to locate Conklin, who had only recently recovered from a surgical operation there, and today received a wire from the detective that he would be here tomorrow morning with Conklin.**  
**When the selection of a jury was resumed this morning three women and one man were tentatively seated in the jury box.**



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