

DR. DUDLEY ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

Houlton, Me., Dec. 7.—Evidence tended to disclose that the body of little Mildred Sullivan, the Houlton girl, whose death led to the indictment of Dr. Lionel E. Dudley, the Presque Isle physician, on a charge of murdering her, through the performance of an illegal operation, was horribly mangled, was the chief feature of the trial of Dr. Dudley, which opened here today. The state contends that the operation was so bungled as to cause death to the victim of it and explains it with the theory that Dr. Dudley was under the influence of liquor at the time it was performed. This contention it will try to prove by competent witnesses as the case progresses.

The defense under the direction of Rainsford W. Shaw, senior counsel, will bitterly combat any evidence in this direction and will attempt to show that Kate Michaud, the Wallagass nurse, performed the operation. All preliminary matters in connection with the Dudley trial were completed Saturday, a jury of twelve men being selected from a venire list of eighteen and promptly at ten o'clock this morning the actual trial commenced.

In an attempt to prevent the state from using any evidence secured by means of dictagraph, which figured so prominently in the case, counsel for the respondent, asked for the right to preserve all constitutional rights of the prisoner, which had been violated by the state. Attorney General Wilson for the state, assured counsel that they would be preserved. It is believed that these referred to the alleged reports of conversations between Dudley and his counsel.

Attorney Shaw also attempted to secure a ruling from the court as to which count—murder or performing an illegal operation—the state should proceed upon, but the court declined to make the ruling.

County Attorney Bernard Archibald of Houlton, opened the case for the state. He described Mildred Sullivan a girl of seventeen or eighteen years, and the alleged consequences of her love affair with Ambrose Bridge of Houlton, who is under indictment in connection with the case.

Seeking relief from her condition, he said that she and Kate Michaud, Ambrose Bridge and George W. Davis of Houlton, a friend of Bridge, went to

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The man who knows all about women should forget it if he values his own peace of mind.

Presque Isle from Houlton, September first. They interviewed Dr. Dudley to see if he would perform the operation and received his consent, the state claims.

The county attorney went on to say that on the night of September third the Sullivan girl, with Kate Michaud went to Dr. Dudley's office and in perfect health. It was there, he contended, that the operation was performed, and then the girl was taken in Dr. Dudley's automobile to the home of Mrs. Augusta Southard.

SILK FROM SPRUCEWOOD

Beautiful Cloth Spun From Filaments of Great Logs

Silk dresses are now made from wood. There is the cleverly "mercerized" cotton, but machinery and chemicals have gone a step even beyond that in rivaling the art of the silk-spinning worm. The process of making silk yarn from a spruce log is a remarkably speedy one, and the results astonish you when you see the wood thrown carelessly into great vat to appear a few hours later in shining thread. The wood is first cut into thin sheets, after which it is put into a tank for chemical treatment. It is chewed and mashed by the machinery and "digested" by the strong chemicals until it closely resembles molasses in color and consistency. The solution is then forced through well-heated tubes, each with an outlet containing just as many perforations as there are to be filaments in the thread. Simultaneously it is sprayed with a chemical which "fixes" the thread, shrinking and hardening it. But to the wearer of silk, a garment made from wood pulp looks every bit as good as the product of the silkworm.

Cloth of this kind wears like leather and is cheaper than the cheapest cloth. The value of the material thus spun is that it dyes extremely well, the colors coming up admirably, and it is as a matter of fact, a good imitation of silk.

The people of Tibet have for a long time now worn clothes constructed of wood. In Ecuador the bark of a tree which grows on the slopes of the Andes is utilized for making blankets. Usually the blanket is six feet long and five feet wide, and is as soft and pliable as though it were made from flannel. It is about the thickness of a good flannel blanket, and can be rolled up and put in a strap without hurting or injuring it. This tree or bark blanket is merely a strip of bark cut from a section of the trunk of the demajagua tree. The Indians make a cutting around the trunk to get it, and they prepare it by soaking it in water until it is soft. It is then pounded so that the rough outside can be stripped off and the inside alone left. The inside is of fine fibres so joined together by Nature that it makes a beautiful blanket, warm enough to be used as a cover, and soft enough for a mattress.

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A Royal Race

Among the fine old kings that reign Upon a simple wooden throne, There's one with but a small domain, Yet, mark you, it is all his own.

And though upon his rustic towers No ancient standard waves its wings, Thick, leafy banners flushed with flowers From all the fragrant casements swing.

And here, in royal homespun, bow His nut-brown Court at night and morn— The bronzed Field Marshal of the Plough, The Chancellor of the Wheat and Corn.

The Keeper of the Golden Stacks, The Mistress of the Milking Pail, The bold Knights of the Ringing Axe, The Heralds of the Sounding Flail.

The Ladies of the New-mown Hay, The Master of the Spade and Hoe, The Minstrels of the Glorious Lay, That all the Sons of Freedom know.

And thus, while on the seasons roll, He wins from the inspiring sod, The brawny arm and noble soul, That serve his country and his God.

The writer of the above, James McCarroll, was an Irish journalist, who came from county Longford in 1831 and settled in Ontario.

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