

KEET KIDNAPING CASE IS NOW BEING HEARD

Dick Carter, One of Three Arrested, Has Turned State's Evidence. Marshfield, Mo., Oct. 8.—Dick Carter, one of the three men charged with the kidnaping of Baby Keet, whose body was found in an abandoned well ten days after his disappearance last June, has turned state's evidence, it was announced this afternoon.

Carter's testimony, it was declared, would be damaging to Claude Piersol, who went on trial as leader of the kidnaping gang today.

A panel of jurors had been temporarily passed when court adjourned this afternoon until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. More than 175 witnesses were present.

The court room had been enlarged to hold 1,000 persons, in anticipation of a large attendance, but less than a third of the seats were occupied.

Kidnaping in Missouri carries a maximum penalty of life imprisonment.

Prosecutor Paul M. O'Day announced this afternoon that the state would use Carter and that Carter had made a confession not only to his part in the attempt to abduct Clement but in the plot to steal Baby Keet. Carter, who is in the county jail here, said:

"I am tired of carrying the secret about the Keet kidnaping and shall make a clean breast of it all."

He said he would tell of the attempts that were made to abduct Clement and of two attempts to kidnap that baby when he was present. Carter stoutly maintains he had no part in the actual kidnaping.

It was learned that Carter made a confession to Prosecutor O'Day four weeks ago.

Dick Carter, Claude Piersol and Cletus Adams were placed on trial here today charged with the kidnaping and murder of fourteen-month-old Lloyd Keet, son of P. Holland Keet, whose body was found in an abandoned well on June 9, ten days after the child had been stolen from the home of its parents at Springfield.

Mrs. Taylor Adams, her husband, her son, Maxie, and Sam Marginis, who the authorities charge are implicated in a plot to abduct Clement A. Clement, wealthy jeweler of Springfield, at the same time the Keet baby was stolen, will also be placed on trial.

Special deputies have been sworn in to assist the court officials in preventing anticipated disturbances during the trials.

The Keet baby was stolen from its home in Springfield on the night of May 30, while the parents were attending a dance. A maid, a servant and a four-year-old boy were in the house when the abductors gained entrance through an open window in the nursery. The child was not missed until shortly after midnight when the parents returned from the dance.

The following day Keet received an anonymous note instructing him to bring \$6,000 to a secluded spot near Springfield that night on a promise of the return of the child.

Concealing the plans from the police, Keet did as directed, but the abductors failed to appear.

A second note was received on June 1. Keet's friends had been too solicitous in following him on the night of May 31, the note explained, adding that if he would bring several dollars additional as a penalty for the action of his friends the baby would be returned the following night, but the abductors again failed to appear.

A few days later all of the accused with the exception of Dick Carter were arrested.

On June 9 the body of the child was found in an abandoned well on a farm eight miles southwest of Springfield. Fearing for the safety of his prisoners, Sheriff Webb spirited them out of town before announcing that the child's body had

FRETFUL BABIES NEED A LAXATIVE

When your baby is cross and fretful the chances are it is constipated and that a mild laxative is all that is necessary to make it comfortable and happy. Inactive bowels are the cause of as much discomfort to children as to older people, and unless the condition is promptly relieved is very apt to develop serious illness.

For children there is nothing that will act more easily than the combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin that is sold in drug stores under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It does not gripe and is free from opiate or narcotic drugs, is pleasant to the taste, and positively effective; children like it and take it readily.

If you have never tried this simple, inexpensive remedy, get a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin from your druggist and have it in the house to use the next time any of the children seem to be of sorts. A trial bottle can be obtained, free of charge, by writing to W. B. Caldwell, 456 Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois.

ALMOST LIKE A MIRACLE WAY TANLAC WORKED

Mrs. Evans Says Those Terrible Spells Have Been Relieved.

SUFFERED 12 YEARS.

Very First Dose of Tanlac Made Slight Change For Better. Is Unusual Statement.

After suffering 12 years, the last several months of which was so severe she believed herself on the verge of the grave, Mrs. Ella Evans, of Iva, S. C., R. F. D. 4, in June, 1916, had obtained so much relief from Tanlac that "it seemed almost like a miracle the way Tanlac worked," according to her description. Mrs. Evans gave the following statement regarding the benefit Tanlac gave her:

"I suffered from a very bad case of stomach trouble for twelve years before I began taking Tanlac, and it seemed that no medicine would break up my trouble. I frequently would have terrible spells when my heart, nerves and stomach would all get out of order at the same time. I suffered terrible pain then. I had begun to fear I'd never be well again.

"At night I could not sleep well and I was so weak I could hardly be up. Really it seemed that my whole system was out of order in every way and I got no better, thought I had the best medical attention.

"Some of my relatives persuaded me to take Tanlac. I have just finished my first bottle and just a short time ago I ordered the second. I am a great deal stronger now in every way and I've not had one of those terrible spells since I started taking Tanlac. My heart, nerves, stomach, liver and bowels have been regulated by the Tanlac. I have a good appetite, too, now.

"The very first dose of Tanlac made a slight change for the better, and in my case it seemed almost like a miracle the way Tanlac worked. In every way Tanlac has made my health better and I am so happy, for I believe I am on the road to recovery. I sure will continue to take Tanlac, for it certainly is wonderful."

Tanlac, the master medicine, is sold exclusively by J. F. Mackey, Lancaster; Peoples Drug & Grocery Co., Heath Springs; C. O. Floyd, Kershaw.—Adv.

been found.

On learning the prisoners were taken from the town, a posse gave chase, overtaking the officials and the accused shortly before midnight near Stockton. The posse demanded the prisoners. After exacting a promise from the posse that the lives of the suspects would be spared, Sheriff Webb surrendered them.

Piersol was questioned by members of the posse, but refused to make a statement. A rope was tied about his neck and even though his body was repeatedly swung from the ground, he refused to talk. All of the accused were then returned to the officials. At the preliminary trial in August Carter, Piersol and Cletus Adams were denied bail after Dr. Harvey Fullbright testified the baby had died either from drugs or suffocation before being thrown in the well.

The cases ordinarily would have been tried before Judge Johnson, but because of his activity in the search for the child, he was disqualified.

POSTPONES DECISION.

Contempt Proceedings in King Means Case Delayed.

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 8.—Federal Judge Webb this afternoon postponed decision on the contempt petition against Assistant District Attorney Dooling and other assisting New York counsel in the King murder case.

Principal attorneys for Means, Osborne and Cansler, were in Salisbury at the hearing before Superior Judge Cline, at which the New Yorkers were to show cause why they should not relinquish papers of Means. Pending the outcome of this proceedings and defense's counsel's return here, Judge Webb withheld again his decision.

Sign Languages.

It is said that Gen. Hugh S. Scott is one of the world's greatest experts in sign language, and that without any fighting he has settled more disputes with Indians than any other man in history. Most of them were settled, too, without a spoken word, just by signs and gestures. General Scott speaks practically every North American Indian dialect, besides being familiar with the primitive languages of other lands.

ECUADOR CLOSES DOOR.

German Minister to Peru Will Not Be Received.

Quito, Ecuador, Oct. 8.—The Ecuadorean secretary of foreign affairs today sent a cablegram to the Ecuadorean legation at Lima announcing that Dr. Perl, the German minister to Peru and Ecuador, residents at Lima, will not be officially received by the Ecuadorean government in case he attempts to come to Ecuador.

The action of the Ecuadorean foreign secretary is understood to have been undertaken to demonstrate Ecuador's close affiliations with the union of American republics.

DON'T DANCE THAT WAY.

Hawaiian Maidens Do Their Dance As Religious Rite.

Detroit, Oct. 8.—Americans don't do the hula dance right. Those lithesome maidens garbed in straw skirts and a smile—and a string of flowers—who permit cabaret regulars to close their eyes and dream of far-off Hawaii to the tune of a ukelele are all wrong.

Dr. W. H. Ketchum says so. And Dr. Ketchum ought to know. He hails from Honolulu. He told an assembly in the Hotel Statler that the Hawaiian maidens do their dance as a religious rite.

Uniforms of 1812 Elaborate.

During the war of 1812 several types of uniform were worn by the American forces. There was little left to remind one of the Revolutionary war. Instead of the long cutaway, enlisted men wore single-breasted, close-buttoned coats, with the skirts fashioned after the civilian dress coat of today. Facings disappeared and the collars became enormously high, rising to the tip of the ear. Hats were high, some infantry wearing headpieces much like those worn by the cabmen of the days just preceding the taxicab. The officers of the line and the men wore coats of the same form, but the trimming was white tape or silver lace.

Hence His Wail.

"Why so unhappy, my man?" "I've just been caught embezzling funds of the company."

"Well, cheer up. Now that you have confessed, perhaps they won't prosecute you."

"Oh, it isn't that. I've paid back the money and they've agreed not to send me to jail."

"Then why so dismal now?" "They won't let me keep my job, too, and it was such a soft snap."

WHAT AND WHY IS THE LIBERTY LOAN OF 1917?

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A.—Interest from November 15, 1917, to date of final or full payment must be made added to the last payment. Credit will be given the subscriber for interest at the same rate upon all the payments. Tables showing the amount of accrued interest payable on January 15, 1918, and on various interest days after payment has been made, will be distributed through the banks by the Treasury Department.

Q.—As a practical matter, will I have any difficulty in attending to these details?

A.—None at all. Any bank, trust company, bond house, or broker will gladly give you full instructions at any time without charge.

How Women May Aid.

Q.—How may women aid in the Liberty Loan?

A.—First: By the purchase of Liberty Bonds. Second: By helping to sell Liberty Bonds to others.

Q.—Can a woman own a Liberty Bond as her personal property?

A.—A Liberty Bond is the personal property of the purchaser or of the person to whom the purchaser may sell or assign it. If it is a registered bond, the record of its ownership is a matter of governmental record. A Liberty Bond is therefore the property of the woman who buys it until she disposes of it.

Q.—Why should women buy Liberty Bonds?

A.—Because Liberty Bonds are the method adopted by the government of the United States to take care of the soldiers, sailors, and marines who are fighting America's war. The success of our men in this war will benefit women no less than men. Women may not fight; but women may aid men in providing the sinews of war for the fighters. To women, even more poignantly than to men, come the words of the

Neuragia of the face, shoulder, hands, or feet requires a powerful remedy that will penetrate the flesh.

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If, after using the contents of a can, you are not satisfied in every respect, your grocer will refund your money.

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LUZIANNE coffee

The Reily-Taylor Company, New Orleans

Secretary of the Treasury, "Shall we be more tender with our dollars than with the lives of our sons?"

Q.—What may women's organizations do to promote the Liberty Loan?

A.—Every organization of women has a fund of some sort which may be used to aid the Liberty Loan. The money of this fund may be invested in Liberty Bonds. There is no better investment for the funds of an institution, a community, or of an organization. Every women's organization in the country should be represented by investment in the Liberty Bonds.

Q.—How does the purchase of Liberty Bonds express the patriotism of the American people?

A.—Every citizen of the United States who buys a Liberty Bond registers his approval of our defending ourselves against Germany. Every citizen who buys a Liberty Bond testifies to his love of country. Every citizen who buys a Liberty Bond contributes toward victory.

IMPOSTER GETS TWO YEARS

Posed as Secretary Daniels' Son and Borrowed Money.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 8.—Joseph Levy, of Pittsburg, who pleaded guilty to impersonating a son of Secretary Daniels, was sentenced here today to two years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga. Through passing as young Daniels, Levy obtained loans and letters to prominent persons and succeeded also in gaining admittance to the New York navy yards.

All you who have torpid liver, weak digestion or constipated bowels look out for chills. The season is here and the air is full of disease germs. The best thing to do is to get your liver in good condition and purify the stomach and bowels. **HERBINE** is the right remedy, it answers the purposes completely. Price 50c. Sold by all dealers in medicine.

Pains, Dizzy Spells

Mrs. G. P. Cartwright, of Whitwell, Tenn., writes: "I suffered with bearing-down pains. . . The dizzy spells got so bad that when I would start to walk, I would just pretty nearly fall. Was very much run-down. I told my husband I thought Cardui would help me. . . He got me a bottle. . . It helped me so much that he got me another bottle. I got a whole lot better. The dizzy spells and the bearing-down pains . . . left me entirely."

If you are weak and run-down, or suffer from womanly pains,

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The South must not be a slacker in growing grain this Fall. Every acre available for planting Oats, Wheat, Rye, etc. must be drafted into service, thoroughly prepared, well fertilized with a balanced fertilizer that contains only available plant food and then planted.

To feed our Soldiers and our Allies this Country must raise the largest grain crop in its history. To stimulate the planting of grain our government has made the minimum price of wheat \$2.00 per bushel.

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