

THE COURT.

On the convening of the Court this morning the Grand Jury were handed an indictment against William Godfrey...

This case was the object of universal interest and comment. The Court House was densely packed with a curious, eager crowd when it was called...

Mr. Shannon was arraigned with all the solemn impressive formalities of the law. The selection of a jury was the next step...

The evidence for the State agreed in substance with the testimony at the Coroner's Inquest, which was published at the time...

Mr. Thos. E. Shannon, the accused, was the first witness. He ascended the witness stand calmly and with quiet dignity...

Mr. Shannon being sworn, said: "This trouble began about four years ago, when an old road was closed and a new one opened in the Midway neighborhood..."

He lives in the neighborhood where the controversy about the road was going on. Shannon had told him on one occasion that he had received a note from the defendant...

He did not hear N. B. Barrow inquire for the defendant on the day of the killing, but he heard him say that he was waiting in town for Shannon to go out with him...

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very poor use for it. The bottle was over his right arm when he fired. The defendant had no feelings of animosity whatever for the deceased...

opened Friday morning. Only one jury case was tried. Withdrawing was Editor for the foreman of a jury...

THE TRIAL OF THOS. E. SHANNON. This case was the object of universal interest and comment. The Court House was densely packed with a curious, eager crowd...

On being cross-examined by Mr. Gilliland for the State the witness said: "He did not see Barrows' buggy on the road the night of the killing until he had driven around Gibbons' buggy..."

Dr. I. M. Woods was the next witness for the defense: "He lives in the neighborhood where the controversy about the road was going on. Shannon had told him on one occasion that he had received a note from the defendant..."

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with an eye toward. The case was given to the jury after a lengthy charge by the court. But a few minutes sufficed for the jury to return a verdict of "not guilty"...

PRESENTMENT OF THE GRAND JURY. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF CLARENDON.

To His Honor Judge J. D. Witherspoon, presiding Judge: The Grand Jury respectfully beg leave to make the following report: Regarding the serious obligations we have assumed by our respective oaths...

Your Grand Jury has also examined the bonds given by the new officers elected at the last general election, and find them good and amply sufficient...

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