

D Q. Are you telling us you fell to the ground, and you were kicked -----

THE COMMISSIONER: No, she is not telling the jury anything of the kind. She said she was struck and that caused her to fall to the ground.

MR ST VILLE (to the witness): You said that after you had fallen to the ground you were kicked, were you not?

E A. Yes, that is right.

Q. And you say that you managed to run away, to set yourself free from this man, and managed to run upstairs? A. You mean if he was really hitting me -----

Q. Yes? A. Well, he was. I was feeling it. And somebody walked by the door, and I had kind of pulled myself up -----

F Q. Somebody -----

THE COMMISSIONER: Do let her answer.

THE WITNESS: There were some people walking by the door, and in that second he looked towards the door, and in one brief second I was away from him.

G MR ST VILLE: You saw all this while you were on the ground? A. No, I never saw it. I just heard some people, and I was shouting at the top of my head. I heard some people outside walking by the door, and somebody anyway was there not far from the door; and in one split second he let go of me, and in that split second that he let go of me I struggled free, and I ran and I only had about a yard to run; with closing that swing door behind me, which prevented him -----

H Q. You were on the floor? A. Yes.

B Q. But you were in a worse position when you were being kicked on the floor. A. Well, may be he was seeing how I would recover or something; but for one second he let me go.

Q. I put it to you that it was quite impossible. You could not have run away.

C THE COMMISSIONER: This is descending to argument. It is not in cross-examination. You can suggest it to the jury as part of your speech.

MR ST VILLE (to the witness): In fact, it did not happen. A. It does sound a bit ridiculous, but thank goodness, for my own sake, that it did happen; and it did happen that way.

D Re-examined by MR CUSSEN

Q. When you first saw the defendant, and when the things happened which you have described ----- A. Yes.

Q. --- who was with you or near you, having come down with you from the flat? A. Miss Hamilton Marshall.

E Q. Was there anybody else with you at all? A. No, nobody at all.

Q. You have described the injuries which you received, so far as you can, and we shall hear medical evidence about it. Who caused those injuries to you? A. Lucky Gordon caused those injuries to me.

F MR CUSSEN: I have no further questions. Thank you, Madam.

The witness withdrew

THE PRISONER: I want to -----

THE COMMISSIONER: Your defence is in the hands of your Counsel, and he will decide when is the proper time -----

G THE PRISONER: I would like to discharge my Counsel, and give him notice, and I would like to cross-examine the witness, sir.

THE COMMISSIONER: No, you have not discharged your Counsel up to this moment. If you desire to do so now you can, but you will not be allowed to cross-examine the last witness, whose evidence has been finished. You say that you now wish to withdraw your instructions.

H THE PRISONER: To Counsel.

THE COMMISSIONER (to Mr St Ville): It cannot be helped.

Miss C. KEELER: X-1d.

Dr. Francis HUGHES: Sworn.
Examined by Mr. CUSSEN.

A Q. Doctor, is your name Francis Hughes? A. It is.

Q. Are you a registered medical practitioner? A. I am.

Q. Do you know Miss Christine Keeler, whom you have seen in the precincts of the Court today? A. Yes.

Q. At what time was it on 18 April, in the early hours of that day, that you attended at 33 Devonshire Street to see her? A. At approximately 12.45 a.m.

B Q. And did you examine her? A. I did.

Q. Will you now tell us what you found, and would you deal with it in whatever way is convenient to you, taking it slowly and, if you will, loudly? I will only interrupt you if need be.

C A. I found that she had a half-inch cut above her left eyebrow, and she had a large swelling over her left cheek bone which extended down to the side of her nose. She had a livid mark over her right tenth rib, and she was tender in the stomach and I found that she was in a state of extreme nervous tension and extremely excited.

D Q. Pausing there, if you will, so far as the cut which you referred to above the left eyebrow, the skin was broken, was it? A. Yes, it was, Sir.

Q. And was there anything to be observed above the right temple? A. Not above the right temple, no.

E Q. That was the result of your examination. Did you make arrangements for her to be X-rayed later? A. I did, sir; the next morning.

Q. The position was that no fractures were disclosed? A. Quite.

Q. Did you see her again on 22 April? A. I did.

F Q. And what was the position then in regard to the bruising? A. The bruising was definitely going down after treatment, but was still evident.

THE COMMISSIONER: Was this the 22nd or 23rd? A. The 22nd.

MR CUSSEN: Can you help us in this matter: were the bruises which you found consistent with her being kicked?

G A. I think so, yes, sir.

Q. Had she tripped over a suitcase of some kind and fallen, and then, perhaps, again fallen on a stairway, on stairs when going up stairs, would you have expected to find the type of injuries which you described? A. No, I would not.

H THE COMMISSIONER (to the Prisoner): Do you want to ask any questions?

THE PRISONER: Yes, Sir.

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HOME NEWS

3 YEARS' GAOL FOR ASSAULT ON MODEL

MISS KEELER WAS "TERRORIZED"

Alwynne Gordon, aged 21, a Hamilton first sister of Colonel Gordon, was sentenced at the Central Criminal Court yesterday to three years imprisonment for an assault on Miss Keeler.

WHY THE 100TH YEW NEVER GREW

ACID PUT ON ROOTS

FAINSWICK, June 7. A Cornish mystery which has baffled people for years has solved today. St Mary's church, Fainswick, has a churchyard story was that only 99 trees would grow there—never 100. An attempt to cut was the hypothesis failed.

Arthur George Moore, a dentist with a love for practical jokes, found for many years in Cornish village, which is now the home of Mr. Moore's daughter, Catherine—was

OVERSEAS NEWS

FRANCE INCREASES AID TO AIR INDUSTRY

BID TO GAIN EXPORT ORDERS

From Our Aeronautical Correspondent

PARIS, June 7. Which the holding of a prototype has now been approved by the Government. When President de Gaulle officially No details of the RB113 have been made known the Paris Aero and Space Show.

MAN KILLED IN U.S. RACIAL RIOT

STATE TROOPS IN ACTION

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

WASHINGTON, June 7. One white man was killed and 400 other wounded by gunfire last night in a race riot in Jackson, North Carolina. A third white man was drowned



