

left it over there. I called
carefully, if I had not
have looked over it more
fully carefully, but I believe
it looked even the body
= right?
consider a thorough investigation
is it you make what you
to be in, but not.
Dr. Scoville?
full an investigation as
you, this not make as
by that shop.
that must have been made
this. It seems to me like
around the thigh as it
it could have extended
to be in, I don't see how
out of a wound?
purposefully, because that
lie, unless it was done
in, or in which he could
that man could be placed
inorganic any position that
is a physician can you
that would preserve the work.

him in at the suggestion
of Dr. Heise, and you
(Commissioner A. L. Jones)
mentioned it would be better
to have another physician
probably, and having him
in on your recommendations
I left that more fully
to him, and I did the
writing; but I looked over
the body pretty carefully.
I have examined a great
many bodies since I have
been Coroner, and I looked
over it in this case about
as carefully as I generally
do, because it was a
case of more importance
than generally occurs, though
I did not perhaps take
hold and examine him care-
fully like he (Dr. Duggall)
did though I did not see
him feeling the wound. He
may have examined it
closer than I did, but it

clear than this, but it
may have occurred in
him during the winter. He
did think this was not
fully like the (Mr. Dargall)
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(Commissioner Bell. form)
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is my apricot, taking the position of the mark, the place that it occupied on the thigh, and thinking it over since, how difficult it would have been to have laid him in a position in which that mark would have been produced. It seems true they would have to change the position two or three times to get the mark around his leg. I think still it was made ante mortem.

Q How much experience have you had with bodies as a physician and Coroner?
 A I think for the time I have been practising medicine I have had more experience than most men in the same length of time. I have had considerable experience in the hospitals before I commenced practice.

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Q Have you as Physician and Coroner had such an experience as that you consider yourself an expert or fully up to the average of your profession in regard to the distinction of marks made before and after death?

A I have not ^{had} the experience that older men have had, but I think I have had an experience beyond the average of the profession.

Q What is your age, Doctor?

A I am 31. I was more careful in taking note especially of the internal appearances perhaps, for I don't write all the time then, but while the external examination was being made I was writing most of the time.

Q Would it require considerable force to make that mark if it had been made by

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 of the natural appearance
 perhaps, for about 1880
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 most of the time.
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 force to make that work
 if it has been made by

this strap before his death?
 a I think it would Considerable.

2 State if you please the nature of the blow. Use your own language - as to whether it was a hard or soft blow?

a I think it was a pretty hard blow.

C. T. Driggs M.D.
 being recalled testified as follows.

Examination by
Commissioner A. M. Jones.

2 Were you present during the post mortem examination of Convict Gus Rios.

Yes Sir.

2 Did you see any marks upon his person?

a Yes Sir.

408 2 Did you see any marks on

of this it would be better
 to stop before his death?
 or soft blow?
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 hard blow.
 your own language - as
 volume of the blow - the
 state of your place the
 old.

being really testified as follows.
H. B. Duffie M.D.

Commissioner of the
Prison Department

When you present during the
 past week the execution of
 Council for the
 after this
 this you see any marks
 upon his person?
 a few days
 you see any marks on

the body of the convict which might have been made by this strap? If so, state.

Q Yes Sir, they might have been made by that strap, but the impression was ~~that~~ then as I gave it in my testimony, that they were made in a fight, and the man might have been thrown with force on the iron bedstead. That is my impression. I paid no further attention but than that because that was what I thought, only I saw that they were ante mortem.

Q In your opinion as a physician were the marks made on the body before or after death?

A I think they were made before death, that is, ante mortem.

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Yes Sir, your notes and pictures

mark on the thigh or leg more prominent than an other. Did you notice any of these marks more prominent or well defined than others?

a I noticed ~~the~~ one.

2 Describe that to the Board of Commissioners as well as you can and its location?

a In plain English, the skin had been taken off by some friction.

2 Whereabouts was it on the body?

a I think it was on the back part of the thigh. I don't know which thigh it was on, whether it was the right or the left.

2 Well, over pretty well?

a Pretty much on the inside of the leg.

2 About in that position (illustrating)?

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of the leg.
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believe)?

a Running along over here, (indicating a point on the inside of the leg about six inches from the hip joint) and it looked like it came from behind, or a man falling in this position on a bed. The bedsteads are all made of iron and it might have been done in that way in a scuffle there. I knew the man had been fighting in the cell house.

Q Having heard all the testimony in this case what is your opinion.

a I think it was done with a strap, now.

Q State to the Board of Commissioners what it would have required in your opinion to have produced that mark if done by the strap?

a Well, ordinary force - he would strike pretty hard;