

vacant lot with some trees on it and it being dark, Operative could not tell who they were. But the men on seeing Operative made their way through an alley and pretended to be drunk. A few minutes later Operative saw J.B. Short coming from toward the Edmiston residence and a little later Martin Davis came down the same street, and later Gus Nelson came from the same direction. Operative was standing on the corner by the Wallace Hotel when they came on a little later and Operative joined them and we all in Baxtons before 2:00 O'clock, where we did considerable drinking and considerable talking, but Bill Cuff finally told them to keep still as Fiddley was on the outside and at that they all adjourned.