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Says Shooting Was Murder.

Judge John A. Oliphant, retired lawyer, the next witness on the stand, and who testified that he was an eyewitness to the killing of Dr. A. C. Jackson, negro physician, gave a graphic description of that deed, which he described as cold-blooded murder.

"Doctor Jackson came walking toward me," Judge Oliphant said, "with his hands in the air. 'Here am I, I want to go with you,' he said. A body of about seven men, all armed, intercepted him and two young fellows fired on him. He fell to the ground and one of the men fired again."

Tells Who Fired Houses.

Judge Oliphant startled the courtroom into amazement when he testified that four men, one of whom he knew to be a policeman, named Brown, and the other three of whom were wearing stars, were the leaders of the firing squad which burned the best negro residential district. "Cowboy" Long, notorious bootlegger, was also a member of the band, he said.

A few minutes later the witness said he was not friendly to the present city administration as officers.

"I do not think that Chief Gustafson did his duty," he affirmed, "and for that reason I am not friendly with him as an officer." In answer to the question of defense counsel, he said he helped elect the present city officials and might be considered as friendly for that reason. However, he explained that he did not think they had done their duty.

Oliphant said that the firing had ceased in his neighborhood about 5 o'clock, and that a few moments later about 200 men in khaki uniform, whom he took to be overseas soldiers, but which were national guardsmen, advanced up Stand Pipe hill, where they remained throughout the morning. The witness said the other parts of the negro section were on fire and that he phoned police headquarters to send some men out there to protect the property.

Could Have Stopped Looting.

"I told him to send me ten men and I could stop the whole business," Oliphant said, "and I thought I could. But I guess I was mistaken. However, I believe that I could have stopped the burning and looting."

He said he also sent for national guardsmen after he saw the Oklahoma City train pull in but no aid was sent. On cross examination he was asked if the men in khaki, whom he had seen take positions near his neighborhood were not there during the firing. Judge Oliphant replied that he didn't see them but admitted that neither had he seen them leave.

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