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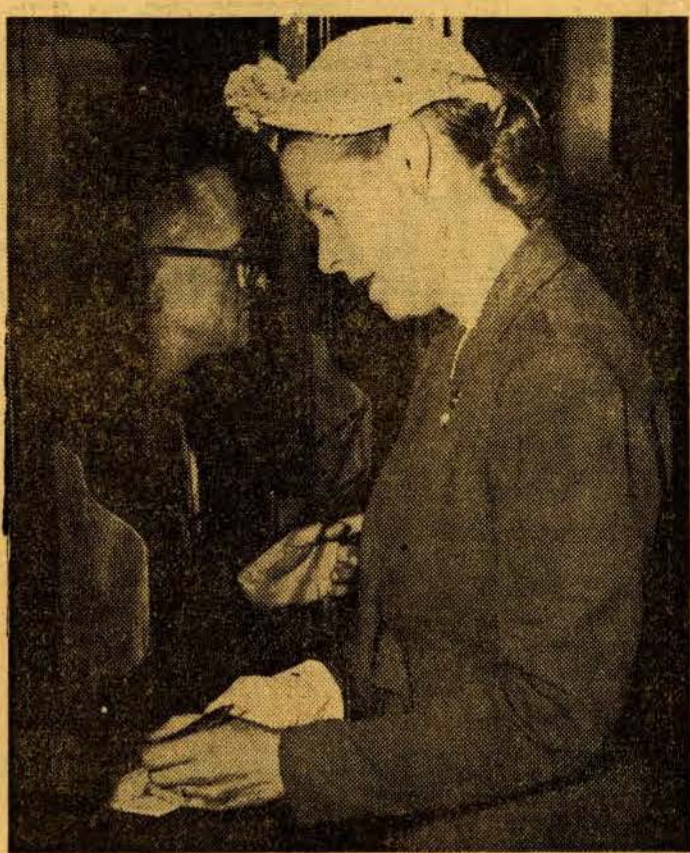
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PURSE OF MRS. STEPHEN SHEPPARD is examined by Mrs. Rose Smith, a County Jail matron, before the sister-in-law of Dr. Samuel Sheppard was permitted upstairs.

MRS. RICHARD SHEPPARD applies for a visitor's pass from Deputy Sheriff Joe Hetzel. This was visiting day for prisoners in Dr. Sam's cellblock.

Visitors Parade In to See Doctor

Dr. Samuel H. Sheppard continued "practicing medicine" from his County Jail cell today. He discussed "a very serious case of a young girl with a cyst on her brain" with his father, Dr. Richard A. Sheppard.

The father was the first of a series of callers who filled every minute of the 1 to 3 p. m. visiting hours for Dr. Sam.

Dr. Sheppard Sr., chief of staff at Bay View Hospital, which he founded, brought his son a neuro-surgery professional magazine, some X-rays of a patient and a portable radio.

The radio replaced one which hadn't worked satisfactorily. Dr. Stephen Sheppard took the defective one.

Another Visitor

As the father was leaving, he was greeted by Mrs. G. R. Brown, 1861 Idlewood Ave., East Cleveland. Mrs. Brown, a sister of Thomas Reese, helped rear Marilyn Reese Sheppard, who Dr. Sam is charged with murdering.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown were followed into the visiting room by Mrs. Betty Sheppard, wife of Dr. Stephen. She brought Dr. Sam some fruit and a change of clothing.

Mrs. Dorothy Sheppard, wife of Dr. Richard N., oldest of the three osteopath brothers, brought Dr. Sam a small brown package.

Friend of Doctor

Another visitor was Gerry Flick, 20, of 3137 Rocky River Dr., Lakewood, a Colgate University student. Flick said he was "a friend—I know the guy pretty well. . . . I credit him with influencing me to study osteopathy."

Flick, whose father is an osteopath, said he had water-skied with Dr. Sam. He brought him a Journal of Osteopathy, Speed Age and Hot Rod magazine.



AUNT OF MARILYN SHEPPARD, the July 4 slaying victim, Mrs. G. R. Brown is comforted at County Jail today by Dr. Richard A. Sheppard.