

New Week Begins

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Second Woman on Jury For Carter-Artis Trial

PATERSON — A third juror, a woman, was selected yesterday as the first degree murder trial of one-time middleweight boxing title contender Rubin (Hurricane) Carter and John Artis went into its second week. The state is seeking the death penalty for Carter, 30, of 298 20th Ave., and Artis, 22, of 5 Tyler St., Paterson, a former high school track star.

The pair is charged with shooting three persons, two men and a woman, last June 17 at

the Lafayette Grill, 428 E. 18th St., Paterson. The men died instantly and the woman died three weeks later. A fourth victim survived.

Sworn at 11:24 a.m. yesterday as the third juror for the trial was Mrs. Patricia M. Joy, 265 Marion St., Paterson, a statistical clerk for IIT, Paramus. Mrs. Joy, mother of two married children, was born in Italy and lived in Paterson most of her life.

She joins Mrs. Antoinette

Fargnoli of Rifle Camp Road, West Paterson, sworn last Wednesday; and George S. Griffith, 805 11th Ave., Paterson, as jurors.

A total of 23 persons were interviewed yesterday. Superior Court Judge Samuel A. Lerner, who is hearing the case, excused 23 and Assistant Prosecutor Vincent Hull Jr., representing the state, excused one potential juror because he previously was employed by a person currently under indictment for involvement with another murder case.

Judge Lerner excused a Clifton woman who, after stating her only companion is a dog which would not stay in a kennel, added she couldn't "stand the Negro race."

Upon hearing the woman's concern about her dog, Judge Lerner said it appeared "our system of justice should be broken down because your dog wouldn't stay in a kennel."

He said, based on all the excuses he heard last week, if all who sought to be were excused, the courthouse "would have to close down."

When being questioned by defense counsel Raymond A. Brown of Jersey City the woman made the remark about not caring for the Negro race. Judge Lerner ordered the woman to leave and suggested she not be allowed to serve as a juror in any case in the courts.

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