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Atty. Clyde Merritt, ~~notary~~ who notarized the Beaubouef affidavit, said he received no impression that B. had been coerced, threatened or bribed into signing an affidavit.

"I sat with Mr. B. approximately 3 or 4 minutes, alone, in the DA'S office, asking him questions. ..He indicated by his answers he had not been pressured into signing...We left the building together and we talked about a number of things, about the weather. The only thing he said about the affidavit was that he was glad to get it all over with. He seemed to have a feeling of relief." One question he asked, because he knew the thing was important, was whether B. had signed without promise of reward.