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NEW HAVEN, Conn. (UPI)—The Lonnie McLucas jury, after nearly 30 hours of deliberation, said it was "in disagreement" and asked the judge's advice. Judge Harold M. Mulvey sent the panel back to talk some more.

Summoning participants and newsmen to the courtroom on the fifth day of deliberations, Mulvey read a 10-word note from the jury foreman:

"We are in disagreement. Please advise. Thank you. Martin Flaherty."

He called in the jury of 10 whites and two blacks and read the "Chip Smith charge," exhorting jurors with a minority view to reconsider the evidence but also suggesting the minority not change its opinion if unconvinced by the majority view.