

Trial of Ex-Klansman Ends In Mistrial for Fourth Time

HATTIESBURG, Miss., July 26 (UPI)—A biracial jury deadlocked last night in the trial of a former Ku Klux Klan leader, Samuel H. Bowers Jr., on charges stemming from the death of a Negro voter registration worker, Vernon Dahmer.

It was the fourth mistrial in the case for Mr. Bowers, 41 years old, of Laurel.

The jury, composed of four Negro men, three white women and five white men, deliberated for almost five hours before reporting a hopeless 8-to-4 deadlock.