

# KNIFE FOUND IN WOODWARD'S CELL

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Its Discovery Apparently Explains  
the Murderer's Declaration That  
He Would Never Be Hanged

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The seeming confidence with which Paul Woodward, sentenced to be hanged January 7 in the Camden county jail for the murder of the Jennings and Coffin boys, expressed himself that he would not be executed was easily accounted for when in a search of his cell the other day a pocket knife with an edge as keen as a razor was found.

Several times had the officials searched the cell thoroughly as they supposed. Each time Woodward met their efforts with a mocking laugh. Convinced that there was something hidden one of the "watch" placed his fingers in a pipe in the cell and pulled forth the knife. Woodward has not done very much talking since except to his favorite keeper.

During the past few days his mother, baby sister, elder sister and minister have spent many hours with him.

The jailors say that Woodward pays very little attention to any of them. They seem to think the strain is telling heavily on him and that before the day of execution he will collapse. They say he spends the greater portion of his time in asking and solving riddles.

Last night Woodward's mother and younger sister visited the jail and took home his phonograph, horn and records.

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