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Carl Dean

Man Killed In Alto Shooting

An Alto man is dean and another is being held in the Cherokee County Jail as a result of a shooting incident Tuesday night in Alto.

Dead is Carl Dean, age 46, of Alto. He was pronounced deat at the scene by Justice of the Peace George Wood.

Constable Albert Wilson reports that the shooting took place in the apartment rented by John McCrary in an Alto tourist court. "Dean was shot once in the chest with a 16 guage shotgun." says Wilson.

Held in the Cherokee County Jail is Mickey Leonard, age 38. No bond had been set at press time.

Wilson reports that the shooting was apparently the result of an argument. "I am continuing to investigation." says the constable.

Also present at the scene of the shooting were McCrary and Mrs. Patsy Dean, wife of the dead man.

Funeral services are pening for Dean at O. T. Allen and Son Funeral Home in Alto.

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