

Major Salabarría, Chibas Testify At Cárdenas Trial

Major Mario Salabarría, Dr. Eduardo R. Chibas, Secret Police Chief Dr. Eufemio Fernandez and the dead man's sweetheart and mother testified yesterday at the trial of Major Juan (Guancho) de Cardenas for the murder of Dr. Eugenio Llanillo.

Leonor Quintana, Llanillo's fiancée, told the court she had received a threatening telephone call and had therefore requested the protection of the police.

Salabarría claimed that he did not clearly remember what had happened at the time, because four years have passed since then and said he was unable to confirm that Cardenas had told him he had sent men to arrest Llanillo.

Eduardo Chibas described in detail the investigation he had made to clear up the death of Llanillo. He said his first impression was that the crime had been committed by agents of Pedraza, but later, through investigations carried out, he learned that the death of Llanillo was the work of the police.