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# C. P. CONNOLLY DEAD; LAWYER AND WRITER

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*Former Prosecuting Attorney in  
Butte, Mont., Had Practiced  
Here and in Newark.*

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EAST ORANGE, N. J., Nov. 8.—

Christopher Powell Connolly, lawyer, lecturer and writer, died today in Orange Memorial Hospital after a long illness in his seventieth year.

Prior to his retirement two years ago, Mr. Connolly had practiced law in Newark where he had opened an office twenty years ago. Before that he had practiced in New York and Montana. He was prosecuting attorney in Butte, Mont., for several years.

Born in Wappingers Falls, N. Y., he went to Montana as a young man. In recent years he had spent most of his time writing for national magazines. He covered the Leo Frank murder case in Atlanta for Collier's and wrote a history of Montana for McClure's Magazine. He was the author of numerous other magazine articles. He favored the enactment of the Eighteenth Amendment and was a member of the "flying squadron," which toured the United States in the cause of prohibition.

His widow, a son, W. J. Connolly of Baltimore, and three daughters, Sister Helen of Yakima, Wash.; Miss Lillian Connolly of East Orange and Mrs. B. S. O'Hara of West Orange, survive.

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