

NEWS FLASH:

TAR HEEL MAN APPEALS TO MD. GOVERNOR

ANNAPOLIS, Md.—Lloyd Walker, 22 of Baltimore... who is sentenced to be hanged for assault with intent to commit rape, appealed to Governor O'Connor Tuesday to spare his life.

Walker would have to die on a date set by the Governor... but the governor took the commutation request under advisement following a brief hearing Tuesday morning.

was an "intellectual moron" and L. C. Koger, attorney for the youth, contended that death was too severe a punishment for an act which Walker did not have the mentality to fully understand.

Kinston Honors Its Negro Veterans

KINSTON — Approximately 1,000 persons attended the homecoming day celebration of the Hampton-Cromwell Post of the American Legion at the county courthouse here July 4.

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WOMAN PROF. JAILED

COLLEGE FUND DRIVE CLIMBING

SHAW PROF. DRAGGED FROM BUS; ARRESTED

DURHAM, N. C. — Dr. R. Arlin Young, head of the department of biology of Shaw University, Raleigh, N. C., last Friday, charged with disorderly conduct and resisting arrest.



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Miss Mattie Bynum is a graduate of Meharry Medical Department of Nursing, Medical College of Virginia Department of Public Health Nursing and attended Winston-Salem Teachers College.

HASTIE ACTS TO HOLD PRICE CEILINGS IN V. I.

ST. THOMAS, V. I. (ANP) — Gov. William Henry Hastie acted hastily last week to hold the price ceilings on food and basic commodities for poverty-stricken Virgin Islanders by ordering the price control commission of the municipality of St. Thomas and St. John to step into the breach left by the failure of federal legislation to extend the federal price control act.

"I feel sure that the people of the Virgin Islands will give the same cooperation to the price control commission of St. Thomas and St. John and the food commission of St. John as they have so splendidly given during the past four years to the Office of Price Administration in our common struggle to combat the forces of inflation," the Governor said.

Successfully Passes Marginal Goal Marker

PRISONER CAUGHT AFTER 17 YEAR CHASE

LOUISBURG — Guiney Hinnant, alias Esau Chilton, who escaped from State Prison 17 years ago while serving a 22 to 30 year sentence for murder, was arrested by Louisville officers in Henderson Sunday.

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The prisoner who is also under bond in a charge of bigamy in Vanderburgh County, escaped from a prison ward in the State Sanatorium on November 19, 1929, after he had served two years of his sentence in connection with the murder of his brother-in-law.

VETS TO SUE CHICAGO HOTELS

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Membership of the United Negro and Allied Veterans is 80 per cent Negro.

New York — Contributions and commitments have brought the third annual nation-wide appeal of the United Negro College Fund beyond the \$850,000 mark.

The "intensive phase" of the drive ends July 4, although a number of campaign cities which did not start until late will continue for a few more weeks, Mr. Totton announced.

The Fund, a voluntary association of accredited colleges, annually conducts a financial campaign. Its appeal this year has been directed to foundations and business corporations in 54 cities and increasingly to individual givers in an effort to broaden the base of support.

The prompt and generous response on the part of national and local business corporations, Mr. Totton said, "is especially encouraging and shows that more than ever before, this important field has come to realize the relation between adequate education for Negroes and better race relations and the fact that only an educated citizenry can make its best contribution to industrial growth and social progress."

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Charles W. Greene, president of the National Negro Insurance Association which meets in annual session in New York City July 9-11, celebrating their Silver Anniversary. Mr. Greene is agency officer of the Atlanta Life Insurance Co.

CIVIL RIGHTS GROUP SEEKS ACTION ON BILBO

New York (ANP) — The Civil Rights congress Wednesday night renewed its charge that the election of Sen. Bilbo was permeated by fraud, and issued a demand through its counsel, Emanuel Bloch, that the department of justice and the senate privileges and elections committee immediately launch separate investigations to substantiate the charges.

The Civil Rights congress urged Atty. Gen. Clark to launch an immediate investigation with sufficient safeguards thrown around it to protect Negro citizens who are ready to testify or

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GOVERNOR APPOINTS EXPOSITION DELEGATES

RALEIGH — Three Negro citizens were appointed here this week by Governor R. Gregg Cherry to represent North Carolina at the proposed Liberty Centennial and Exposition to be held for a two-year period beginning next summer in Monrovia, Liberia.

RALEIGH — Tommie R. Cannon, 701 E. Lane St., and operator of Community Grocery Store, was found guilty of assaulting Mrs. Rebecca Barnes, 29 of 215 North Haywood St., with a beer bottle in his store on Saturday night.

He was sentenced to six months on the roads, suspended upon payment of cost and ordered to pay Mrs. Barnes' expense while in the hospital and her doctor bill. Mr. Cannon gave notice of appeal and Judge Paul F. Smith set his bond at \$300.

Mrs. Barnes in Hospital Mrs. Barnes, it was revealed at the trial, stayed in the hospital ten days and was treated

Dr. W. F. Clark, Her attorney, told Judge Paul F. Smith that Mrs. Barnes was still under the treatment of the doctor and the extent of her injury had not been determined.

Mrs. Barnes stated on the witness stand that she was hit on the chin by Mr. Cannon with his fist and that she was later hit on the forehead with a beer bottle and knocked down and that she was hit twice while on the floor. She was lifted from the floor by Mrs. Adonia Pettiford and taken to her home. She was later taken to the hospital, she stated.

Cannon Charges Insult Mr. Cannon on the stand stated that Mrs. Barnes insulted him by addressing him as "nigger" and that when Mrs. Barnes called him "nigger" he objected.

Lawyer Carnage objected to the word "nigger". When Mr. Cannon persisted in calling Mrs. Barnes a "nigger" her attorney again objected and appealed to Judge Paul F. Smith to inform the defendant that the word "nigger" is pronounced knee-gro and not nigger.

Another interesting and disturbing incident in the trial was the outburst of H. F. Cannon operator of a store on South Blount St., that if his brother had assaulted Mrs. Barnes he had a right to do so. Judge Paul F. Smith

rapped for order and the case continued. When the trial was over the brother went back into the clerk's office to justify his open statement that his brother had a right to hit Mrs. Barnes and Judge Smith told him that he had tried the case in open court and so far as he was concerned the case was closed.

goods. November 5, 1937, larceny and sentenced to 60 days in jail. August 2, 1938, speeding and operating an auto without license, fined \$10.00 and cost; September 13, convicted for threatening a cust and December 19 of the same state witness, fined \$25.00 and year convicted of an assault with a deadly weapon fined \$8.55. In May of 1939 he was convicted of an arrafay and sentenced to 30 days suspended. His last appearance in the city court, preceding his arrest for the assault on Mrs. Barnes was in 1946 when he was convicted for selling wine and beer on Sunday. In this case he

was convicted and sentenced to six months suspended. Mr. Carnage stated that his absence from the court from '39 to '46 was due to his service in the United States Army and not because Cannon had reformed.

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