

# MORE THAN 60 NEGROES NOW TEACHING IN WHITE COLLEGES

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### Cops Who Raped Mother Get Sentence

### Man Gased, Beaten In Jail

### Two Policemen Found Guilty By White Jury

Richmond, Va. (ANP) — Two white Richmond policemen were found guilty of the rape of a 32-year-old Negro mother by an all white jury here last week and their punishment fixed at seven years in the state penitentiary. The incident was alleged to have occurred in the officer's patrol car when they offered to carry the victim home.

Patrolman Carl R. Burleson and Auxiliary Policeman Leonard E. Davis, the two convicted men, are free on a bond of \$3,000 each subject to a hearing Feb. 21 on a motion to set aside the verdict.

Both officers were charged with the rape case by the complainant, who has two children, after she reported that they had placed her in their automobile, driven to the dead end of a street and attacked her in the early morning of Oct. 20.

The defendants denied the charges when they took the witness stand. They claimed that the accuser asked them to take her home.

Before rendering their decision, the jury deliberated more than an hour. Adjusting the wording of the verdict delayed the decision a few minutes.

While making her testimony against the officers on the witness stand, the complainant declared that the two officers

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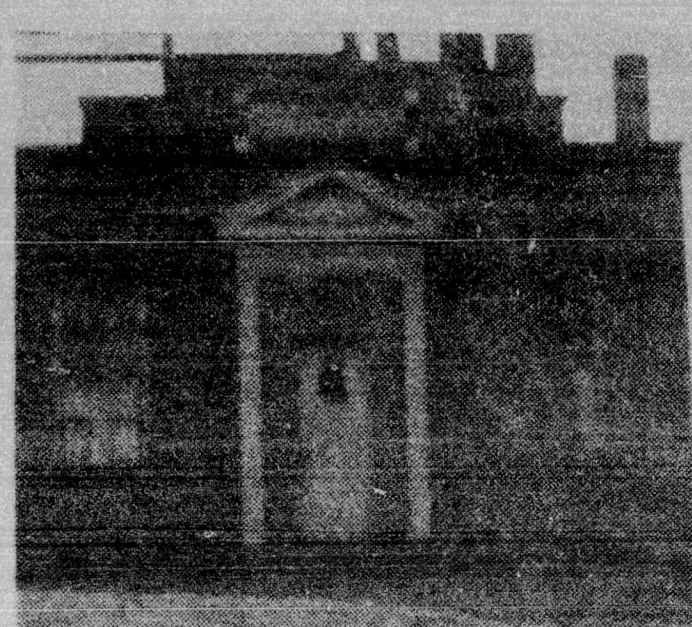
### TEXTBOOKS OMIT CONTRIBUTIONS OF NEGROES

NEW YORK (ANP) — A two-year study of 413 textbooks used in elementary and secondary schools and in introductory college courses throughout the country reveal that they ignore the contributions of Negroes to America's progress.

That revelation was made here last week by Dr. Howard E. Wilson, assistant director of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, and deputy director of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural organization, who reported to a group of educators and publishers on the findings of a 10-man committee to study and analyze textbooks, during a dinner at the Commodore hotel.

Negro achievement, progress and contribution to American life is played down by omission in most of the textbooks, Dr. Wilson's committee stated. The typical text and teaching guide tends to ignore Negroes and their contribution to contemporary society, he said.

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WELDON — Osburn Long, 31-year-old local man, has lost his eyesight at least temporarily as a result of beating and gassing sustained when he was arrested on a disorderly conduct charge on January 4. It has just been revealed.

Officers arrested Long and charged him with being drunk and disorderly and assault, handcuffed and took him to jail, according to reliable reports, and after he was confined to the jail, he was assaulted by the officers who made the arrest.

Following the attack and gassing he said he was kept in jail without medical attention, but that on the morning of Sunday, January 5, he called a man passing the jail and asked him to get an officer to take him to a doctor.

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### Blinded, Kept In Jail Without Medical Aid

### DIFFERENTIAL SCHOLARSHIPS TO 2,500 PUPILS

ATLANTA (ANP) — More than 2,500 "differential" scholarships have been granted by southern states, with the exception of Mississippi, to Negroes seeking to continue their education through graduate study leading to a degree, it was disclosed here recently.

The plan of offering scholarships is the outgrowth of the U. S. Supreme court decision nine years ago, holding it to be illegal for a state to provide educational opportunities on a certain level for one racial group and refuse another group the same opportunities.

Mississippi is the only state which has not undertaken the costly system of "differential" scholarships — a monetary grant which makes up the difference it would cost a

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### MAN HELD IN SHOOTING

DUNN — Leon McLean of Lillington Thursday was bound over to Superior Court under \$1,500 bond for slaying of Henry Hodges, Lillington white man, it has been reported.

Hodges died en route to Harnett County Hospital shortly after he was shot by McLean with a 22 rifle, and the defendant was held for trial following a hearing in which Judge Floyd H. Taylor "probable cause" for trial.



LIBRARIAN EDUCATOR VISITS SHAW  
When Prof. David Brewer Thomas of the Lott Carey Mission in Brewerville, Liberia, visited Shaw University, two Librarian students at Shaw were especially happy to greet him. The students, Misses Angie Brooks and

Mable Fagans, are both freshmen. They are shown above with Mrs. Thomas and his mother, Mrs. Shaw. From left to right are: Miss Brooks, Mrs. Thomas, Mr. Thomas, and Miss Fagans.

### Virgin Islands Prosper Under Race Governor

WASHINGTON, D. C. (NNPA) — The fiscal year ended June 30, last, was a protracted period of transition between two administrations in the Virgin Islands, with an Acting Governor functioning without a permanent one.

The report stated that the transitional administration of necessity "focused its attention upon the limited though important objectives of maintaining essential public services and administrative functions," adding:

"It is to the great credit of the Acting Governor and those who carried on during this period that orderly machinery of government functioning in normal fashion was turned over to the incoming Governor at the end of the year."

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### 3 CHILDREN DIE IN BLAZE

LUMBERTON — Two children of Mr. and Mrs. Junior Lilly, tenants on the farm of Alexander Gillis near Parkton, were burned to death Tuesday afternoon in flames which destroyed their home, Coroner D. W. Biggs reported Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lilly were away from home at the time of the blaze, but while other children in the house which was occupied by two families either escaped or were rescued by adults who discovered the fire after it had spread all over the house.

Since the fire is considered accidental no inquiry will be held.

### CONVERTS NAZI MESS INTO PLAY CENTER

BY DORA JANE HANBLIN  
American Red Cross correspondent MUMICH, Germany — In the ornate, Bavarian-style building that used to house an officers' mess for the Nazis who trained Germany's SS troops in anti-aircraft techniques, GIs of the 514th Quartermaster Group now have one of the most complete American Red Cross recreational areas in Germany.

"Flak Kaserne," the German name for the ack-ack training school, was one of Hitler's pet projects, elaborately built to train only storm trooper corporals. Most of its barracks are unchanged; many still bear faded pictures of Allied tanks and planes, painted there to acquaint students with enemy weapons. But along the roads which crisscross the Kaserne are new names — Massachusetts Avenue, Colorado Street, Georgia Avenue —

and in the officers' mess, the Kaserne's most attractive building, things have been upset completely. One year old the Flak Kaserne Club was opened in two rooms of the damaged building by Mrs. Ed-

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### TAXICAB BABY

Henderson — An eight pound baby girl was born to the wife of Theodore Taylor in a taxicab as they were hurrying to Jubilee Hospital at 8:30 Friday morning.

Taylor assisted Mrs. Taylor at the birth of this, their ninth child, and when the infant had apparently turned to the driver and said "Everything is all right now Drive us back home." Mother and daughter were later reported doing nicely.

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### WHS Gets Vocational Building

RALEIGH — A temporary building with an area of 3,000 feet for housing a vocational training program for veterans at Washington High School has been made available, it was reported here Tuesday.

An application for equipment to be used in the building for providing instruction in the building and an automobile trades has been approved in full, but no estimate of

the value of the equipment is available. Federal authorities rejected Superintendent Jessie O. Sanderson's application for a building which would provide 6,000 feet of floor space, but Atlanta officials have indicated that the remaining 3,000 feet of building will be provided when Congress grants the Federal Works Agency additional funds.

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### N. C. STATE HEALTH SCHOOL GETS \$8,000

DURHAM (ANP) — North Carolina State College for Negroes, Dr. James E. Shepard, president, has received \$8,000 from the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

The sum will be used in aiding the college to develop its school of public health. It is the only Negro institution with a program of this type.

The award brings the amount received by Negro institutions during the current year up to \$103,000. It was announced at the 48th annual policyholders' meeting held here last week. Seven seemed to be a charmed number in the report which Mr. Spaulding referred.

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### NEGROES ON WHITE COLLEGE FACILITIES AS FAR SOUTH AS BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C.

BY ALBERT ANDERSON  
CHICAGO (ANP) — The steady growth in the number of Negroes who have been placed upon facilities of white colleges throughout the north, and even as far south as Black Mountain College in North Carolina, has come about with a swiftness which has caught many of us unaware.

The list which does not consciously include those below the rank of instructor, omitting teaching fellows of whom there may be a great many, is as follows:  
Walter Anderson, Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio; Charles A. H. Benjamin and Lestine Grant, Sampson College, Geneva, N. Y.; Dr. Mary Huff Diggs, Alfred B. Martin and Warren Brown, Hunter College, New York; Tannery F. Duckery, University of Southern California, Los Angeles; Joseph T. Gray, University of California, Berkeley; Eugene C. Holmes, College of City of New York; Edward Nelson Palmer, Wade Ellis, Robert Hayden, and Martin Stryker, M. D. surgery, University of Michigan; Sarah M. Pereira, Clifford L. Graves, and Mrs. Sophie Lee He-

### Warrant Denied In Shooting Case

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — Called together by the Southern Negro Youth Congress, a group of Negro and white citizens met last week at the 16th Street Baptist Church to discuss action to bring to justice the murderer of Willie Daniel.

Quilting the case, Arthur G. Price, staff member of the Southern Negro Youth Congress, said: "On December 21, Willie Daniel, 21 year old veteran was shot through the side and killed while Christmas shopping with his wife. To date no action has been taken by the city of Bessemer to indict John Vanderford, TCI guard who killed this man without provocation."

The father of the deceased with A. D. Shores, local attorney visited the Bessemer deputy solicitor arguing that a warrant be issued for

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### OFFENSIVE NURSERY RHYME DROPPED

New York — The inclusion of a peculiar anti-Negro version of an old nursery rhyme in a recent tenth edition of "Mother Goose," published by the Samuel Love Company of Kenosha, Wisconsin, was deemed by Madison S. Jones, Jr., NAACP administrative assistant in a letter to the publisher which resulted in his promise to delete the offensive rhyme from any reprints.

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### FHA Employs Few Negroes

WASHINGTON, D. C. (NNPA) — Neither in the Washington headquarters nor in the field are colored administrative personnel being employed on an equitable basis to carry out the program of the recently created Farmers Home Administration, it was learned last Saturday.

The Farmers' Home Administration, created by the act of August 14, 1946, is charged with the continuation of the rehabilitation and farm tenancy programs previously carried out by the Farm Security Administration, which was abolished by the act, and the operation of the crop and farm loan program.

Estimates for 1948 call for 447 employees in the Washington headquarters of the Farmers' Home Administration, ranging in title from custodial workers to administrators.

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### NEGRO COMBAT TEAM TO TAKE OVER 3 JAP DIST.

Gifu, Japan (NNPA) — A colored regimental combat team will take over three of the choicest Japanese districts soon when the 24th Infantry Regiment joins the occupation forces.

Already the third battalion of the Twenty-fourth, 1,100 men, is training at a camp ten miles from Gifu and 250 miles west of Tokyo. The regiment will be near its full

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