

S. C. MOB DEFENDANTS ACQUITTED

LYNCH TRIAL LEAVES MIXED FEELINGS

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Statutes Upheld In Chapel Hill

MAN ESCAPES LYNCH MOB

by W. E. Bluford, instructor in Social Studies at Johnson C. Smith University.

Rep. Dawson Makes Academy Appointment

Rev. Holder Delivers Challenging Sermon

MISS. SENATOR ON
ANTI-LYNCHING
COMMITTEE

SEVEN ARRESTED IN NORTHAMPTON MOB CASE

**Released Under \$2,500
Bond Each**

RICH SQUARE. — Seven Northampton County white men charged with kidnapping and breaking into the county jail at Jackson in an attempt to lynch Godwin Bush, who was charged with attempted assault on a white woman — were arrested here Tuesday.

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TEST CASE
TRAVELERS
SENTENCED

State of Virginia case in which the supreme court held that local laws of segregation cannot apply to passengers of bus lines operating between different states or passengers using tickets from a point in one state to a destination in another.

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**HARLEM WOMAN
GETS YWCA POST**

Mrs. Lewis, who is the wife of Edward Lewis, executive secretary of the Urban League of Greater New York, is well known in the eastern area as a leader in civic and social welfare work and has long been connected with the VVCA.

He Escaped N. C. Lynch Mob



ampton County. Bush came to the home of a Negro farmer three miles south of Jackson after spending two days in the woods without food and in terror for his life to make his surrender.

Governor Cherry Makes Statement On Jackson Case

lynching since July 30, 1935, and we have set a precedent in this State for the punishment of white men who form mobs and mistreat Negroes. No such incident has passed in this State for many years without persons responsible being punished.

For 12 years North Carolina had seen no such shameful thing as has just happened at Jackson. This is a civilized State. Lynching will not be tolerated within our borders.

EQUAL SALARY SUIT RESULTS IN DISMISSAL

Leader of the teacher group seeking pay parity is Mrs. Ruby Jackson Gainer, who was charged with insubordination and neglect of duty. A hearing on her case was held last Wednesday, the decision on which will be rendered June 3.

STATE ELKS NAME OFFICERS

TARBORO — With one hundred delegates in attendance and with over three thousand visitors and freinds present the State Elks Association adjourned last Thursday with the out come very satisfactory

The following officers were elected for the new year:

President, K. P. Battle, Rocky Mount; 1st vice president, M. E. Alexis, Scotland Neck; 2nd vice

resident, George Allen, Wilmington, 3rd vice president, B. S. Rivers, New Bern; State Secretary, L. P. Harris, Charlotte; state treasurer, J. T. Hawkins, Durham; Esquire, J. W. Rogers, Williamston; inner guard, Joe Blunt, Farmville; Tyler, Grant Bell, Greensville; Commissioner of Education, R. J. Johnson, Rocky Mount; Commissioner of Civil Liberties, J. A. Joyner; Commissioner of Junior Herds, L. S. Potts, Charlotte; Commissioner of Athletics, J. N. White, Greenville; State Chaplain, Rev. J. E. Brown, Washington; Assistant State Chaplain, Rev. P. E. Davis, Charlotte.

Trustees: C. E. Evans, New Bern;
R. F. Lee, Wilmington; Rev. J. A.
Mebane, Tarboro.

Supreme Court Asked To Revise Civil Rights Act

The request was made during argument on a motion to dismiss the complaint of Edwin B. Henderson, director of physical education in the colored public schools of the District of Columbia and a sports columnist for the NNPA News Service, who is suing the National Theatre for damages of \$500 for refusing him admittance to the only legitimate playhouse here.

NAACP Calls For New Anti-Lynch Laws

"The names of the South Carolina lynchers are known. The record of their action was spread upon court records so plainly that no one doubts their guilt, despite the verdict.

Use Statistics to Identify ICN

Use Statistics To Justify JC D.C. School

Washington (ANP) — School officials here are seeking to justify the continuation of the Jim Crow school system and racial quota policy by the use of figures showing the percentage of money spent on education for colored and the white

en education opportunities equal to those enjoyed by white children, Dr. Hobart M. Corning reported to the board last week that 44.27 per cent of the district money goes to Negroes although

School Issue Sparks D. C. Women

WASHINGTON (ANP)—Near-bedlam broke loose at the annual open meeting of the white Voteless District League of Women voters here last week, when the subject of "Should the league

Spingarn Medal To Dr. Percy L. Julian

NEW YORK — It was announced Friday by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People that the Spingarn Medal for distinguished achievement by an American Negro has been awarded to Dr. Percy L. Julian, Chicago chemist.

Award selected Dr. Julian from among a distinguished group of prospective recipients for his brilliant contributions in the field of chemical research, much of which has received wide notice as a result of Paul de Kruif's articles in The Reader's Digest.