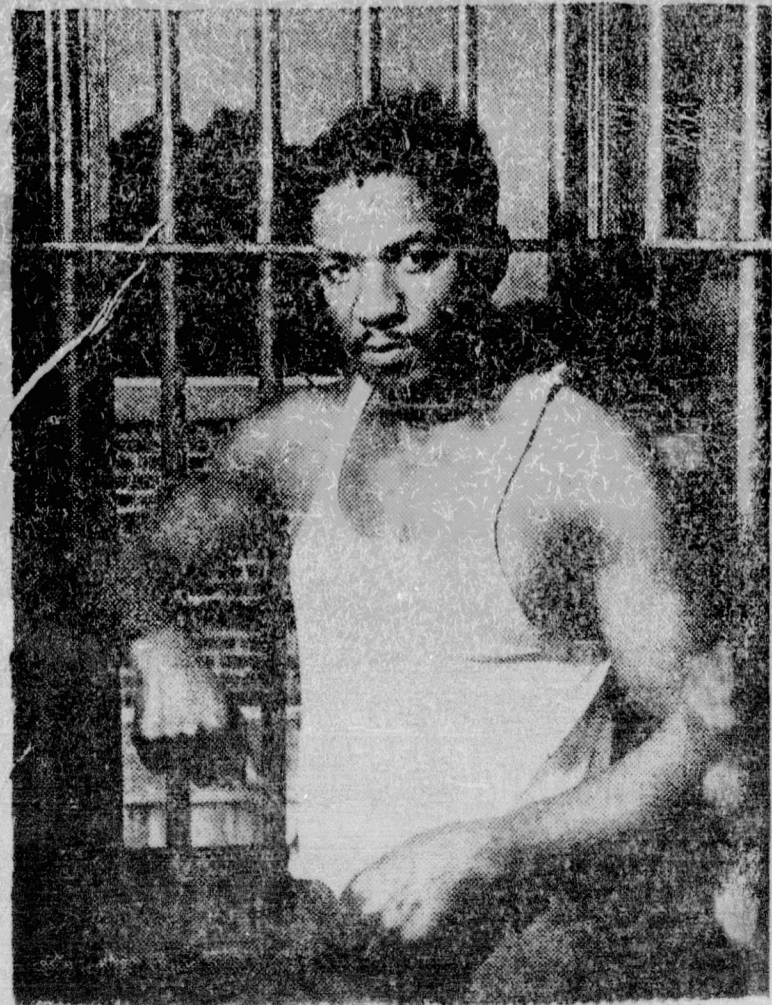


BUTLER ADMITS SLAYING



PRISONER — Monroe Medlin is being held in the Charlotte jail after he signed a confession saying that he is responsible for the slaying of Mrs. Eusey Anderson, his former employer. Medlin was taken into custody less than

26 hours after the slaying occurred on the strength of a pass ticket for a radio from the Anderson household, pawned in his name. He is being held without bond pending a hearing.

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THUGS FIRE HOME

BAPTISTS HEAR DR. BETHUNE

WOMAN LEADER ASSAILS DENIAL OF RACE LOYALTY

BY CLARENCE H. HUNTER

Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, Negro America's "First Lady of the Land," drew an unparalleled ovation from North Carolina Baptists Wednesday night with a frontal attack upon recent allegations of Negro disloyalty to America.



MOB ATTACKS NEW OWNERS IN CHICAGO

Chicago — A detail of fifteen patrolmen has been assigned to guard the territory and area around the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Johnson.

MEDLIN SAYS HE KILLED WOMAN AND CUT BUTLER

Monroe Medlin, ex-servant of the Andersons, has confessed the murder of Mrs. Eusey Anderson, elderly society matron of Charlotte. Mr. Anderson was shot to death in her luxurious suburban home in Charlotte Tuesday.

Medlin, in a signed confession says that Mrs. Anderson was shot as he struggled to take away a shotgun the leveler at him after he slipped into an upstairs room. Police Chief Frank M. Littlejohn says that the motive was clearly one of robbery.

HARRINGTON GETS BOARD APPOINTMENT

A. T. Harrington was recently appointed to the Winston-Salem Zoning Board of Adjustment by Mayor Marshall Jurkess. His appointment was a part of a program of integration of all Winston-Salem citizens into the government of the city, headed by Mayor Jurkess during his campaign.



URGES REBIRTH OF RURAL CHURCHES — In his address before the All Baptist Assembly in Memorial Auditorium Monday evening, North Carolina's Governor W. Kerr Scott exhibited a deep spiritual faith and understanding of rural life as he challenged the delegates to the assembly to spark a rebirth of activity in the rural church among all denominations and races.



Mrs. F. J. McGill of Charlotte, N. C., accepts from Alfred Lewis the \$100 award presented by the NAACP to the Charlotte chapter for being the most progressive city organization.

Citizens Ass'n Approves Project

The Raleigh Citizens Association for four years and Negroes haven't been able to do anything about it. They should have used the money and I want to see it used for the benefit of the Negro people in this area.

NAACP Hit on House Floor

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American Council on Human Rights and the NAACP were among the national organizations attacked by southern representatives on the house floor last Tuesday.

Six Sue U. of Md.

Six residents of Maryland have filed suit against the University of Maryland seeking admission to the graduate schools of the university.

12-Year-Old Evicted From Train

Twelve-year-old Shirley Jean Joiner of Washington, D. C., was evicted from a Southern Railway train in Greensboro last Sunday because she was riding a half-price ticket.

MORTGAGE BURNING

The President of the N. C. General Baptist State Convention watches the organizations \$10000 mortgage go up in smoke.

ARGUMENTS ARE PRESENTED IN SCHOOL CASE

Decision in a matter before the Board of Education in Greensboro is expected in the next few days.

PANEL SEES PROGRESS OF RACIAL UNITY

In a panel discussion on "The Present Day Problems of Group Relations in America," at Wake Forest College in Salisbury last week there was general agreement that some important strides have been made toward better race relations.

Wake Schools To Be Merged

Plans have been outlined for the consolidation of all Negro grade schools in Wake County during the next few years by Board of Education.

Completes Work

Dr. Ralph J. Bunche delivered his report on the Palestine Conciliation Commission to the United Nations Security Council.

Committee Approves FEPC Bill

The House Education and Labor Committee approved by a vote of 14 to 11 a fair employment practices bill with strong enforcement provisions.

DR. DREW VISITS ARMY IN EUROPE

FRANKFURT, Germany (AP) — Dr. Charles R. Drew, noted physician, authority on hematology and pioneer in the field of the blood therapy, recently arrived here with a group of leading civilian medical specialists to serve as a consultant to the medical corps of the European occupation command on problems of blood transfusion and storage.

USMC HOLDS HEARING ON JOBS

The employment problems of Negro officers on merchant vessels was discussed at a hearing called by the United States Maritime Commission at the request of Clarence Mitchell, labor secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.