

Woman Lured Home To Axe Death By Irate Common-Law Husband

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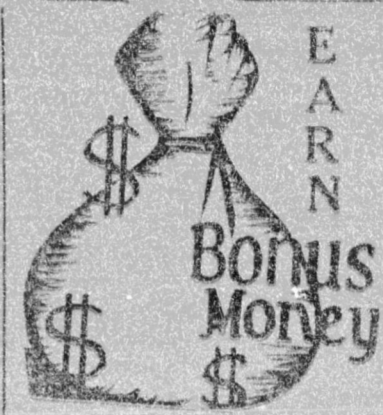
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Mother, 38, Victim Of Axe Blade

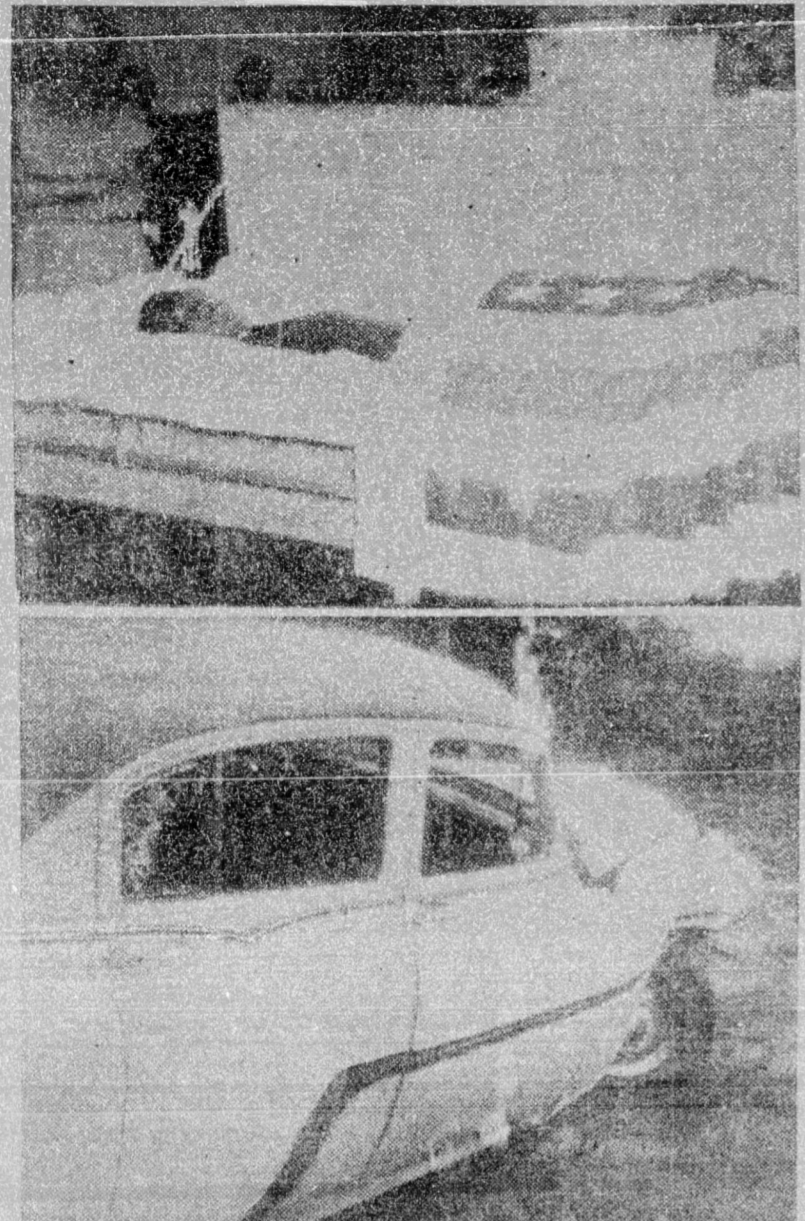
ROCKY MOUNT — Tragedy struck in the Dunbar community of Edgecombe County Sat. night when Mrs. Lucille Hill, mother of two grown sons by a previous marriage, was allegedly ruthlessly slain by John Henry Lyons, said to have been her common-law husband, from whom she had been separated for some time. Mrs. Hill was 38 years-old.

Reportedly, Mrs. Hill had been induced to return to her paramour under the guise of

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'ROOT DOCTOR' FACES TRIAL

Urge Ike To Take School Stand



SCENES FROM SHOOTING OF A&T STUDENT—Some 300 citizens paid final tribute to Joseph James Cross, 24-year-old A&T College student, top photo, September 11 at the Shiloh Baptist Church in Williamston. Funeral attendant stands at head of casket in absence of military honor guard, which was "not available." Cross was allegedly slain by a deputy sheriff over a white woman. Bottom photo shows Cross' wrecked auto. A bullet hole in the right front door at the window edge slants forward. The right rear ventilator glass is cracked. The battered front end, according to Martin County Sheriff W. R. Bawls, resulted from the dying man's having driven it off a creek bridge after he was mortally wounded. (PHOTOS BY J. B. HARRIN)

Describe Slain Student As An "Ideal Person"

By J. B. HARRIN
WILLIAMSTON — An overflow audience of more than 300 sad, but stern-faced citizens paid final tribute to Joseph James Cross, 24-year-old ex-service man and a rising senior student at A. and T. College, Greensboro, when he was interred at the Shiloh Baptist Church here September 11th.

10 Nabbed, 1 At Large In "Mixed" Morals Cases In Both Carolinas

ELKIN — A Sunday morning disturbance at the home of a Jonesville Negro resulted in the arrest of four white Yadkin County residents.

One of the whites, Mrs. Donna Faye Billings Forester, was found nude in the colored man's bed by an arresting officer. The incident was reported by Policeman Charles Montgomery of Jonesville.

Man Faces Attempted Rape Count

ROCKY MOUNT — David Lee King, 31, has been charged with attempted rape and burglary last week in a case involving an 18-year-old married white woman here, according to Police Chief J. I. Nichols.

Given a preliminary hearing in Recorder's Court here Monday morning, King was brought over to the Edgecombe Grand Jury, which is expected to hear the case this week.

The woman has been identified as Mrs. Annie Barnes Copeland. Chief Nichols reported that King had been

Segregation At Grid Game Poses Big Controversy

ATLANTA — Chairman Robert O. Arnold of the Georgia board of regents said Monday the stands "will be segregated" when the University of Georgia football team meets Navy at Norfolk, Va., on Oct. 15.

However, a spokesman at the U. S. Naval Academy said that they had a clause in its football contracts for southern games that there would be "freedom of ingress and non-segregation of seating for all spectators seeking admission."

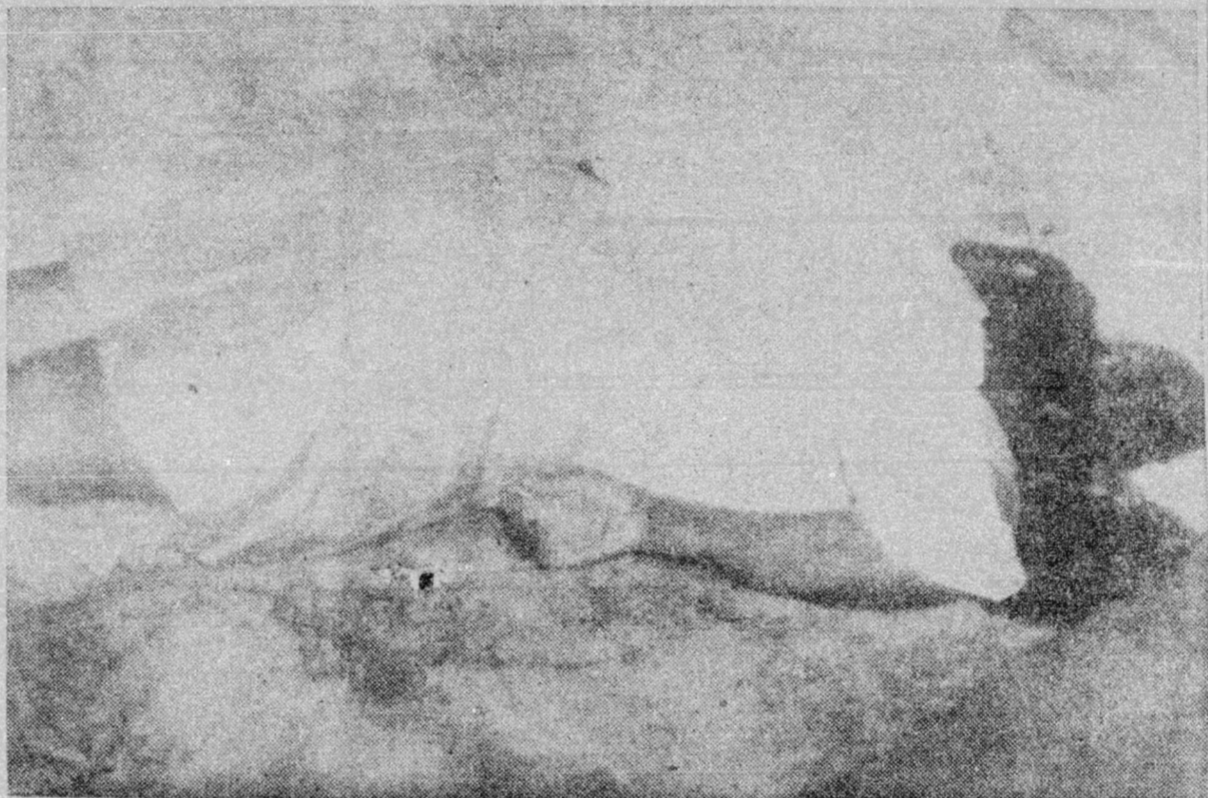
Navy also is scheduled to

Poisoning Rap Faces "Doctor"

COLUMBIA, S. C. — A Columbia white woman and a Negro self-styled "root doctor" are scheduled for trial this week in Richland County General Sessions Court in connection with the deaths of two white men.

Mrs. Daisy Scott Lett, 39, is charged with murdering one of her husbands and a boy friend to collect insurance money and "root doctor." Mrs. Susie Ross, is charged with furnishing the arsenic for the

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KILLED WITH AXE—Mrs. Lucille Hill of the Dunbar community of Edgecombe County, near Rocky Mount, is shown lying in a pool of her own blood after being brutally slain, allegedly by her common-law husband, John Henry Lyons, at their residence on Highway 95, near Tucker's Store. Lyons is being held for the grand jury. The death weapon was reported to have been a savagely-wielded axe in the hand of Lyons. (PHOTO BY BRYANT'S STUDIO)

Arlington School Board Appeals Integration Ruling

ALEXANDRIA, Va. — The Arlington school board Monday appealed a federal judge's order that seven Negro children be admitted to all-white public schools.

Judge Albert V. Bryan had ordered that desegregation begin on Sept. 23. It was not clear whether the order would be stayed pending the appeal filed in Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals.

A school board official said

State News Brief

THREE DIE IN CRASH
LOUISBURG — Two Negroes and Franklin County Coroner William W. O'Neal, were killed and two other persons critically injured Monday night in a head-on collision near here. The Negro victims were identified as Walter Dunston, 28, and Mrs. Louise Mitchell, 50, both of Louisville. Injured were the coroner's 5-year-old daughter, Kathy, and Russell Macon, 18, a passenger in the Dunston auto. Dunston's car either swerved or skidded into the path of the O'Neal car, of officers reported.

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Gov. Faubus Mum On Next Move As Trial Date Nears

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — Governor Orval E. Faubus secluded himself in his official residence this week, silent in the face of a tide of rumors that he will withdraw the National Guard from Central High School within the next few days.

Only about 15 guardsmen took up stations at the school when classes resumed Monday.

No Negro students were present on the scene. Clusters of adults, about equal to the number of guardsmen, gathered across the street but did not remain long. In contrast to last week's tagged remarks to reporters, there was only ink-

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Quakers Ask Ike To Speak

PHILADELPHIA — The American Friends Service Committee appealed to President Eisenhower this week to speak by radio and television to the nation regarding the crisis surrounding the school issue.

The message was sent by telegram to the President at his vacation spot at Newport Naval Base. It was signed by Henry J. Cadbury, chairman of the committee.

The committee said, "Beyond the avoidance of further specific incidents, men of goodwill need the encouragement of your strong and unequivocal support at these points."

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PRESIDENT DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER, now vacationing in Newport, R. I., was urged this week by the Quakers to speak by radio and television in support of public school integration and to take action against persons who did not uphold the ruling of the United States Supreme Court.

Dorothy Counts Out For Good, According To Dad

CHARLOTTE — Miss Dorothy Geraldine Counts, 15, who was the center of an integration controversy here, will definitely not return to all-white Harding High School from which she withdrew, her father disclosed Monday.

The Rev. Herman L. Counts told newsmen his daughter's statements on a Washington, D. C., television program Sunday had been misconstrued. Dorothy when

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Leave Integration Alone, Kasper, Followers Told

NASHVILLE, TENN. — Segregationist crusader John Kasper and nine of his confederates were under preliminary federal injunction Tuesday to keep their hands off Nashville's first grade integration process.

Federal Judge William E. Miller issued the order Monday, naming 10 of the 12 persons he had placed under temporary restraint last week following three days of

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ROUGH FIRST DAY—Police officer escorts unidentified Negro mothers and their children home after they were targets for a 509 bottle thrown in a minor incident during the start of first grade integration in Nashville September 9. Negro first-graders entered seven schools. Some white parents kept their offspring home. UNITED PRESS PHOTO.

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