

SEVER'S KIN'S HEAD WITH SHOTGUN BLAST



SCENES OF FATAL SHOOTING — Cumberland County Sheriff L. L. Guy kneels beside the body of Carvin Avery (top photo), 43-year-old farmer in the Turnbull section of Beavertown Township, near Fayetteville, after the top of Avery's head was severed by a shotgun blast fired by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ellen Avery, 33, shown in bottom photo with her husband, Rochester Avery, brother of the dead man. Mrs. Avery claims she shot her brother-in-law in self defense as he attempted to force his way into her home.

Self-Defense Claimed In Fayetteville Slaying

FAYETTEVILLE — Mrs. Ellen Avery, 33, is being held in the county jail here in default of \$2,000 bond in the fatal shooting Saturday night of her brother-in-law, Carvin Avery, of the Beaver Dam Township.

Father of two adult children and a lifelong resident of the Turnbull Community, Avery was killed by a single blast of a 12 gauge shotgun, which blew off the top of his head.

Mrs. Avery and her sister, Mrs. (Continued on page 2)

Last Week Of Church Bonus Program Gets Underway

Raleigh and Wake County churches have just one more week "to rally to the flag" and bring the bonus home as the New Church Bonuses Program moves into its

fifth and final week of the first contest period. The fifth week period began

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All purchase slips of receipts presented to your church must come from stores advertising in the CAROLINIAN. Each week carries a date in the Bonus Money period. Purchases eligible must come from the store during the week the "cash" appears. No purchase slips representing a business should be submitted. All receipts must come from individual purchases. All churches in Raleigh and Wake County are eligible. All purchase slips must bear the name of the store from which the purchase was made. All purchase slips should be submitted in the name of the church, and should be in the office of the CAROLINIAN the Monday following close of Bonus period. In order that smaller churches may have an equal opportunity to share in the Bonus Money the following regulation is enacted: No church group will be awarded 1st Bonus Money consecutively. It should a church receive 1st Bonus Money after the first period it would have to wait until the third Bonus period to be presented 1st award again. However, this does not mean that second and third awards cannot be sought consecutively. Consequently every church group has the opportunity to secure an award every period. No purchase of over \$3.00 from any one merchant during a week can be counted. There is a ceiling of \$50 per person a week for grocery purchases. In the event of the same amount of purchases by more than one entry, the award will be divided. Weekly purchase totals should be shown on each packet and total placed on the outside of the envelope carrying the period entry along with name and address. Bonus money winners will be announced in the issue following the closing of each period. All entries remain the property of the CAROLINIAN. All buying is final when the entries of the Bonus Money winners are announced in the CAROLINIAN, and no responsibility is accepted by this newspaper beyond that point. No receipts from banks will be considered, except payment on mortgages.

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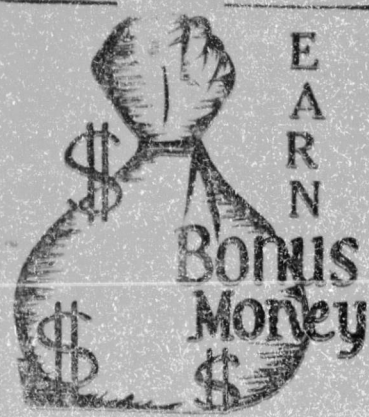
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Ike To Meet With Powell, Others

Nab New 'Insurance Killer'

President, Leaders To Talk Soon

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congressman Adam Clayton Powell is not the only person requesting a conference with Mr. Eisenhower on the civil rights issue, it was revealed last week. This observation was made known when a reporter reminded the President at a news conference that Mr. Powell had requested a conference several weeks ago, and was asked "what's the hitch?"

There is no hitch, the President shot back. He is not the only one trying to get on the schedule to express their views. Others including some Negroes have made the same request, continued Mr. Eisenhower. And a group of Southern congressmen have been trying to get a conference, also. Things must be arranged in the order in which they can be taken up and studied. All of these requests remain a matter of pending business.

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Joe Louis And Wife Separated

CHICAGO, Ill. — Former heavyweight boxing champion, Joe Louis, and his wife the former Mrs. Rose Morgan, agreed Monday to a legal separation.

The couple was married on Christmas Day, 1955. The attorney handling the matter reported that the legal separation stemmed from the fact that Mrs. Louis' cosmetic business requires her to be in New York constantly while Louis' business interests requires his presence in Chicago.

A looming split between the pair has been in the offing for several months, as Joe has allegedly been seen frequently with showgirl Sarah Vaughn.

Ku Klux Klan Mutilators To Receive Terms

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — One Ku Klux Klansman faced 29 years in prison, last week, for his part in sexual mutilation of a Negro man, and another of six defendants faces trial on Monday.

Barry A. Floyd, 31, was scheduled to be tried this week on a charge of mayhem in the Labor Day emancipation of Negro Judge E. Aaron, 34, after a jury took only 59 minutes last week to return a guilty verdict.

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Negroes May Invade Nixon's Lily-White DC Neighborhood

Woman Dies Of Poisoning; Mate Near Death Now

GASTONIA — A young Negro laborer lay near death here victim of carbon monoxide gas which filled his 12-year-old wife last week.

Hospital officials said that Wal-

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LITTLE ROCK NAACP HEAD ARRESTED — The Rev. J. C. Crenshaw, right, president of the Little Rock chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, is shown here at the police station after his arrest last Friday. Mrs. L. C. Bates, president of the State NAACP chapter, was also ordered arrested, but was out of town. Their arrests were ordered by the state attorney general for failing to make public their confidential records. (UNITED PRESS TELEPHOTO)

Trespass Case Verdict Appealed

State News Brief

See "Ball Of Fire"
LUMBERTON — Mrs. Barbara Jean Stokes of this city reported Monday that she saw a "big ball of fire," similar to the one seen over Texas, while riding with her husband and another couple Thursday. Mrs. Stokes reported the incident Friday morning, but her story was largely discounted.

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RALEIGH — Seven Durham residents Monday asked the State Supreme Court to reverse their conviction of trespassing in a diary bar in Durham.

Those involved were: The Rev. Douglass E. Moore, Miss Vivian Elaine Jones, Miss Virginia Lee Williams, Miss Mary Clyburn, Claude E. Glenn, Jesse Willard Gray and Melvin H. Willis.

The appeal was filed with the State Supreme Court just one day before the deadline, Tuesday at 10 a.m., was the deadline for appeals from the 14th Judicial District of which Durham is a part.

A tentative date of the last of this month has been set aside for case.

Each of the defendants was fined \$25 and court costs for trespassing.

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Cops Hold 2nd Woman In Murders

SELMA, Ala. — Police investigating three alleged "insurance murders" by a Negro seamstress who carries 150 policies stumbled this week on another woman who insured at least 25 persons, three of whom have died.

Authorities said this woman named herself beneficiary in each policy and apparently few of the persons insured were aware of it.

Mrs. Mary Perkins, 35, was charged with three poison deaths on which she collected insurance money, and a fourth death is being investigated.

Police Capt. J. W. Baker said investigators accidentally learned of the other woman, Bertha Mitchell, also a Negro, who allegedly collected on three deaths and holds at least 35 other policies.

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NC Methodists Avert Ruling On Integration

FAYETTEVILLE — Methodists of The North Carolina Conference voted unanimously Monday to conduct a \$5million drive for College work but averted a decision on the admission of Negroes to "our Methodist School."

Approval of the Capital Fund Campaign to help build two new colleges and expand

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By ROBERT G. SHEPARD

NATIONAL BIBLE WEEK: The week of October 20-26 was designated as National Bible Week. The purpose of this observance was to

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Faubus Will Declare Stand

NEW ORLEANS — Gov. Orval Faubus of Arkansas Thursday said he will declare his stand on the constitutional issues involved in troop enforced integration in a speech here Nov. 11.

Faubus, agreeing by telephone to be principal speaker at an American Legion Veterans' Day observance, said that in his address he will reply to President Eisenhower's queries about where Faubus "stands on the Constitution."

Faubus used National Guardsmen to prevent court-ordered integration of Central High School in Little Rock until Eisenhower federalized the

guard and also sent in Army Airborne troops to take over.

At Lubbock, National Legion executive committeemen said he invited Faubus by telephone and Faubus accepted immediately, saying his topic would be "The Constitution of the United States."

Faubus, a former district commander in the Legion, rose from Private to Major in a battlefield commission during World War II.

Wife Killer Gets 14-18 Years

CHARLOTTE — Cletis Morrow has begun a 14 to 18 year prison sentence for the murder of his wife, Bertha.

Judge Dan K. Moore imposed the sentence here Tuesday after remarking: "I've said this before and it's still true. Human life in Mecklenburg County is very cheap."

A detective testified in Superior Court that Morrow first stabbed his wife in the neck, then clubbed her to death with a broken shotgun

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Say 20 Whites Beat Lone Man On City Street

DENTON — Police Chief T. R. Gallimore reported Monday that he was in the process of investigating a racial incident which occurred here Sunday when a South Carolina Negro was beaten.

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NAMED TO HIGH STATE OFFICE — Mrs. Joyce Phillipa Austin, 3881 Madison Avenue, New York City, was sworn in last week as assistant deputy commissioner of the State Department of Commerce. Secretary of State Caroline Desanto is shown performing the swearing in ceremony. A graduate of Hunter College and Fordham Law School, Mrs. Austin will also serve as assistant director of the Women's Program of the State Department of Commerce.