

# Youthful Car Thief Comes To End Of Road; Dies In Auto Crash Running From Police

MIAMI (ANP) — Fifteen-year-old Clarence Jones, who had been in trouble with law enforcement for the past four years, finally met his nemesis here last week when a stolen car which he piloted careened into a concrete post, jumped a median strip and crashed head-on into another auto.

When the police cleared away the debris, they found that Clarence had made good his getaway — he was dead. But in his death, he caused the death of one person, serious injury to another, and heartache to many others.

Clarence was one of six boys and four girls who broke out of Youth Hall last May 5, by twisting the arm of a matron on duty and forcing her to give up the keys. He was in Youth Hall for car theft. All but Clarence were later picked up.

Last week a rented Chevrolet was stolen, and police spotted the car when it ran a red light. In a subsequent chase through city streets, Clarence lost control of the car and met his death. Innocent victims of the crash were Robert Haas, who was killed instantly, and his wife, Estelle, critically injured.

## GORDON'S GIN

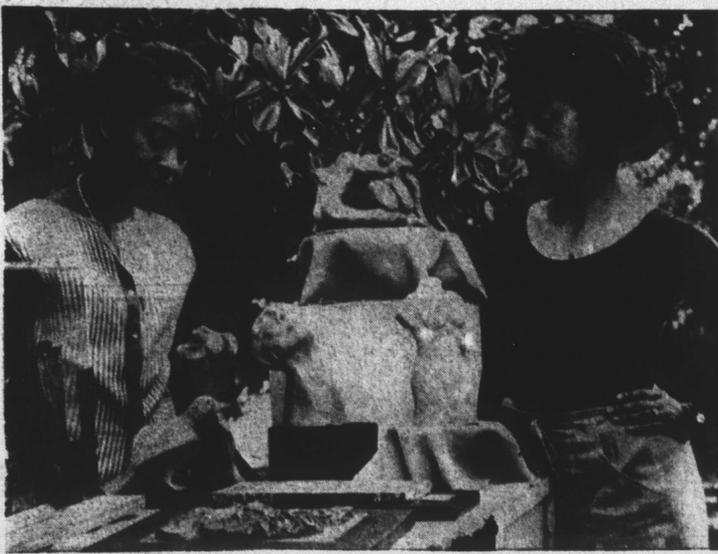


### Abortionist, Two Helpers Sued In Death

NEW ORLEANS (ANP) — Mrs. Francis Welch, 50-year-old Negro woman currently serving six years in the state penitentiary after pleading guilty to manslaughter and three counts of criminal abortion, was slapped with a \$25,000 damage suit in Civil District court here last week.

The suit, naming Mrs. Welch, WASHINGTON TERRACE APARTMENTS, 2 bedrooms, living room, kitchen and bath. Stove, refrigerator, heater, water furnished \$54.00. Apply in person Tel: 3-1102.

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ART FOR SALE — Miss Geraldine Kearney (left) of Philadelphia, Pa., who had a wide variety of creations on display during Bennett College outdoor art show, awaits purchase selection by Miss Frantine Goodrum, of Newport News, Va., from collection of sculptures and ceramics.

### Secretary Of Commerce Hodges Will Address Insurance Ass'n

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Secretary of Commerce Luther Hartwell Hodges will address the 44th Annual Convention of the National Insurance Association at a banquet in the Sheraton Hotel, Philadelphia on July 22. Hodges is a former governor of North Carolina.

The convention of 400 Negro life insurance executives will be in session July 20 through July 23, according to William A. Clement, president of the Association, and vice president of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Durham, N. C.

The delegates will examine "Problems and Responsibilities in a Changing Economic and Social Order," Clement said, and Secretary Hodges was invited to address the Convention

because government is now directly involved in the social and economic aspects of what is termed the Negro Revolution. Clement and Earl B. Dickerson, president of Supreme Life Insurance Co. of America, will address the Convention on Tuesday morning, July 21. Dickerson, a lawyer, is active in the Urban League and the NAACP nationally. Clement is a Chartered Life Underwriter, highest professional designation in the life insurance industry. The 44 year old trade group has 47 member companies, and applications of three more will be acted upon during the Convention. Although NIA is an instrument of Negro insurance men, most of the companies and individuals are also active participants in the major

U. S. insurance organizations, Clement said.

### Successful Vacation Bible School Held At Providence

The Vacation Bible School at the Providence Holy Church of Raleigh, was held with the theme of "How Great Thou Art" and the singing of Prayer for Divine Guidance was offered by Rev. James Baysden, supervisor, as scripture was read by Bro. John Daniels.

The theme of the lessons were: "Everything Belongs to God"; "Jesus Christ is God's Son"; "Jesus Christ is Savior and Lord"; "Hear With Christ the King"; and "How Great Thou Art".

The total attendance for the opening day was 89 children and increased gradually each day. Lectures were given by Mrs. Winnie A. Williams each day. Her subjects were on the following: "Love"; "The Lord's Prayer"; "Duty of children to parents which was so beautifully illustrated, and a thought was taken from the 27th Psalm.

An interesting discussion was presented in the Boy's Youth Class, teacher, John Daniels. During this

period Miss Irene Wright, a student at Saint Augustine's College, assistant supervisor, took charge of class as questions were directed by her. The discussion was centered around "Doubtful Thomas" and the purpose of this discussion was to correlate the present day skepticism, merely on the belief and faith in God, as to Christians endeavor each day of our lives. School, the assistant supervisor, presided. Teachers were given instructions for practicing the students for the commencement exercises which were scheduled for Sunday. Rev. Mrs. Christine Durham was mistress of ceremonies for this occasion, held on Sunday at the church. There was a fine display of various talents, including group singing and speaking. Parents and friends were present.

Those officiating and working with the School were: Rev. James Baysden, supervisor, Miss Irene E. Wright, assistant supervisor, Miss K. F. Farrar, secretary and Clariton Upchurch, reporter.

The teachers were: Mrs. Gladys McNeil, Z. Freeman, Josephine Jones, Rev. Mrs. Christine Durham and John Daniels. The pastor, Rev. G. M. Williams made remarks as to the fine organization of the school and the complete cooperation of all involved.

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DELTA "LINE" — These coeds at A&T College were recently initiated into the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority by the way of the Alpha Mu Chapter at A&T College. They are, from left to right: Misses Barbara Best, Hampton, Va.; Shirley Jacobs, Wetha, and Barbara Bolton, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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