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RALESCH —The killing of several persons in private drive ways and in the state this summer has prompted Ronald Hocutt, director of the North Carolina Highway Safety Division to remind drivers that their responsibility does not cease when they are on a public highway or street.

"Drivers should be just as alert and cautious in the operation of their vehicles on private property as they would be on a

public thoroughfare," the safety director declared. "In fact, since playing children and other persons going about their normal pursuits in a private yard or driveway do not expect to encounter a motor vehicle and therefore are not as alert as they would be in the street or

the safety roadway, the driver should be doubly cautious on private property." Stressing the importance of caution on the part of drivers when on private property, Hocutt referred to the recent accident in which a salesman drove into a yard and ran over

a blanket under which two children were playing, killing one of the children. In another recent accident, the driver of a coal truck parked his vehicle in back yard without setting the handbrake or leaving the truck in gear. The truck rolled down a slight incline and killed a woman in the yard.

From the time your car leaves its garage or overnight parking place in the morning until it returns at night, wherever it returns at night, wherever it may be, standing or moving, it should be handled as if you are always responsible for what your car does.

RACE YOUTHS GETS DEFENSE TRAINING IN SOUTH CAROLINA

CHARLESTON, S. C. (ANP) —As a result of three weeks of action Negro citizens told Tuesday that NYA training under the National Defense Training program, would be inaugurated at Burke Industrial High school here in the fall when the first eight weeks period ends. One hundred white youths are receiving such training at the Murray Vocational school which bars colored students.

Civic action was sparked by the local weekly, the Lighthouse and Informer, which began negotiations immediately upon

public announcement that no training was included in the local program for Negroes. Roger L. Coe, state NYA administrator and B. R. Turner of the state Education department were contacted, as well as local authorities.

When persistent efforts continued, an apparent run-around was abandoned and G. C. Rogers, assistant of local school board, told editor John H. McCray, who headed the citizens committee, on Tuesday that the course would be offered this fall. W. H. Grayson, Jr., principal of the school had conferred with Mr. Rogers Tuesday upon request of the committee.

TO REPUBLISH BOOK OF NEGRO SPIRITUALS IN SEPTEMBER

NEW YORK — Republication in September of "The Books of American Negro Spirituals," by James Weldon and J. Rosamond Johnson, in a single volume priced at \$2.95 is announced by the Viking Press in its pamphlet listing books which will be published in the Fall.

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