

Cellmate Scared By Hammer Killer

CHICAGO (AP) — Junior Cox, confessed hammer killer who taunted police with telephone threats to strike again, frightened another slaying suspect nearly out of his wits when police threw both men in the same cell.

Milton Phillips, a husky truck driver who was arrested in connection with the butcher knife slaying of his bride in Indianapolis, Ind., June 19, spent Saturday night in a cell with the claw hammer killer.

"I didn't dare sleep—I was afraid he would bash my head in with a shoe," the 51-year-old Indianapolis man said. "I'd never want to spend another night in a cell with a guy like him."

Phillips didn't have to. He was taken back to Indianapolis for investigation into his wife's death and he actually seemed relieved.

Cox, who bludgeoned a man to death with a claw hammer and then threatened to invade swank Chicago hotels in his quest for blood, was captured Saturday at a YMCA.

He had been the object of an intensive 10-day manhunt. All of Chicago's more than 7,000 policemen were alerted to be on the lookout for the man, and guards were stationed to protect the Edgewater Beach and Drake Hotels, two of the city's finest and most expensive.

"It's a good thing you caught me—I was going to kill another man



NEW SCHOOL BUSES — Happy will be the school children who board ten new school buses which will be in operation shortly throughout the country. New models are either 21-foot size buses, intended to transport 45 children, or the larger 23-foot size with a seating capacity of 68 like the bus at the right. C. H. Hood, school traffic supervisor, does a bit of free advertising for his native state of Georgia as he notes that the bus at the left, built by Blue Bird of Ft. Valley, Ga. is equipped with directional signals on the rear. They will be the first county buses to have this safety device. Harnett County runs 102 school buses. (Photo by T. M. Stewart).

Harnett's School Fleet Now Totals 102 Buses

Seven brightly-colored orange buses and three replacements have been added to Harnett County's fleet of 102 school buses now being checked for the busy year ahead. Last year the county operated 95 buses.

County school traffic supervisor C. H. Hood said the new buses fall into two classifications, the 21-foot bus built by Blue Bird of Ft. Valley, Ga., powered with Ford motors, and the 23-foot bus manufactured by Hackney of Wilson with International motors.

"The Blue Birds," whose bright orange exteriors and olive green interiors belie their names, will boast the first directional signals ever to be in operation on a county school bus. Their neat, well designed bodies with brown leather seats will carry a maximum load of 45 children with three children to each seat.

These four 21-foot size new buses will go to Bute's Creek, Shawtown, Gentry School at Erwin and Harnett County Training School in Dunn.

THREE 23-FOOT BUSES — Benhaven, Lillington and Dunn will receive the three new 23-foot Hackney buses, intended to take care of a maximum load of 68 children. All new buses are equipped with defrosters, heaters, and automatic flags.

Three bus replacements will go to Lillington, Johnsonville, and Erwin, the latter incidentally replacing a bus which was in use for eleven years. Average life of a school bus is estimated by the state maintenance department to be ten years.

New buses are not going to make the old ones seem shabby, because during the summer thirty buses have been given a new coat of paint. All buses have been checked and repaired. This week the State Highway Patrol will make its pre-school check of the entire fleet.

soon," Cox boasted when detectives arrested him. The 30-year-old slayer said he was from Logan, W. Va., and revealed that he had received psychiatric treatment at two hospitals. "The doctors couldn't help me," he said.

Among the school bus fleet there are 45 Chevrolets, 21 Fords, 19 Dodges, and 17 International motors while several body makers are represented, but Hood emphasized every body is made of steel. However, the new buses are not the biggest. Three buses, capable of transporting 75 children, operate daily at Coats, LaFayette and Boone Trail.

Majority of buses are driven by school boys and girls, Hood reported, but noted there are five schools which are the exception to the rule. Two women cafeteria workers operate buses at Shawtown and Ridge-way schools. The principal at Maple Grove drives a bus, and a teacher at the East Carolina Indian school drives the panel truck that operates there. A school janitor at Buckhorn also doubles as a bus driver.

Hood emphasized that every driver has had a period of schooling, passed a written examination on traffic regulations, and a road test.

In the long history of school transportation in Harnett County statistics in the state department of education office show, Hood said, that only two Harnett County school children have been killed in school bus accidents. Last year there was only one highway accident which involved a school truck and no one was injured.

But a perfect safety record is the high goal Hood holds before his drivers and all maintenance personnel who work daily to make the ride to and from school safe for the county's school children.

ATHLETES MAKE COPS — EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP)—The most popular area of study for Michigan state college athletes is police administration.

FREE JUICE CUT OFF — GAFFNEY, S. C. (AP)—One man's free rural electrification program ended abruptly. Officers arrested Leo Tessmer on charges of stealing electricity from a rural electric co-operative powerline. They said he had tapped the line after his house had been cut off for non-payment of his light bill.

Calvet And Gabor Argue Over Bosoms

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Corinne Calvet says she has a bigger bosom than Zsa Zsa Gabor and is willing to strip to the waist to prove it.

"Zsa Zsa said once that I had no breasts," the film star said. "Well, anytime she feels like making a contest out of it I'm ready."

Miss Calvet last week sued the Hungarian actress for \$1,000,000, charging that she told a Hollywood columnist that Corinne was a Cock-

ney and not French. The accusation, Corinne said, hurt her career. "Even if Miss Gabor apologizes publicly, Corinne said, she will still go through with the suit. But she is willing to settle the bosom claims by baring her chest.

"I'll strip to the waist and show off my bosom to prove that Zsa Zsa is all wrong," she said. "And I know that she can't compete with me in a contest like that." Corinne said that anytime that

Zsa Zsa was ready for the "contest" she would show all. "I'm positive that I would be far out in front of her," she said.

ZSA ZSA REPLIES

LONDON (AP) — Zsa Zsa Gabor took a deep breath today but managed to withhold a double-barrelled answer to Corinne Calvet's challenge.

"Unfortunately," she said, "my attorney has forbidden me to say a word . . . not a single word." The blonde actress giggled when told that Miss Calvet had offered to strip to the waist to prove that her bosom is real.

"Not a word," said Miss Gabor. "Not a word."



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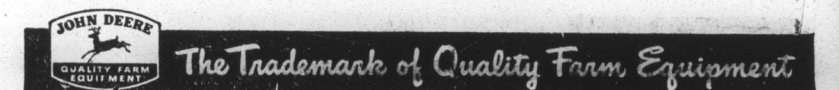
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