

3 Accused In Rapes Of Blondes

Pastor Wounded As Man Murders Wife In Church

GIVEN LIE DETECTOR TEST

CHARLOTTE — A husky man who claimed he stabbed and beat an elderly white grocer to death here last April was taken to Raleigh Thursday to undergo lie detector tests.

The State Bureau of Investigation was to administer the tests to Charles Norman, 28.

Norman told authorities Sunday he killed Grocer C. D. Campbell at the latter's store April 6. However, police continued to search for evidence to support the confession.



OUTSIDE CHANCE — A dozen policemen and a photographer were watching and waiting when Richard J. Nuby, 20, of Cincinnati, Ohio, climbed down from the window of a furniture store there last Thursday. A neighbor saw someone breaking in and phoned police. Nuby is being held on a suspicion of burglary charge. (UPI TELEPHOTO)

Trio Spirited To Undisclosed Jail

LA GRANGE, Ga. — Three men were hustled away on Saturday evening to an undisclosed jail for sneaking in connection with the alleged raping of two white girls earlier that day.

Sheriff L. W. Bailey said there was no indication of violence but "thought it would be safer" to send the men away.

The suspects—George Alford Jr., 18, Dayton, Ohio; Clifford Johnson, 22, and Brannon Epps,

25 both of LaGrange—are alleged to have raped the two white girls at knife and pistol point.

According to reports, the men grabbed the two girls, one 20 and married and the other 18 and single, as they were being escorted home by two white youths, despite efforts of two other men to prevent the attack.

A hearing in the case was set for this week.

Mrs. B. A. J. Whitted Of Durham Succumbs

DURHAM — One of this city's most illustrious business women and socialites, died last Saturday, August 1, at the age of 70.

Mrs. Bessie Alberta Johnson Whitted, a woman with a record of 50 years of service as an employee of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, was buried on Monday after the 11:00 a.m. memorial services, conducted by the Rev. Dr. Melvin Chester Swann at the Saint Joseph's A. M. E. Church.

Born in Charlotte, April 15, 1879, Mrs. Whitted began her business career with People's Benevolent and Relief Association in her hometown. In 1906 she was employed by the North Carolina Mutual Life



MRS. WHITTED

Big Bond Election Is Set For Tuesday Here

A large number of Negroes in Raleigh are expected to turn out to the forthcoming bond election on Tuesday, August 11. The issues to be presented will involve more than 4 and 1-2 million dollars for improvements in the areas of water supply, recreation, fire prevention and public streets in the city.

The following eight questions will be voted upon:

1. Shall the qualified voters of the City of Raleigh approve and authorize:

1. Bonds in an aggregate amount not exceeding \$1,742,000 for the improvement and enlargement of the water supply system?
2. Bonds in an aggregate amount not exceeding \$1,500,000 for construction or reconstruction of the surface of public streets?
3. Bonds in an aggregate amount not exceeding \$1,357,000 for the improvement and enlargement of the sanitary sewer system?
4. Bonds in an aggregate amount not exceeding \$750,000 for the improvement and enlargement of the recreational system established and operated by the city?
5. Bonds in an aggregate amount not exceeding \$240,000 for the erection of one or more new buildings and the construction or enlargement of one or more existing buildings for the use of the City's Fire Department?
6. Bonds in an aggregate amount not exceeding \$63,000 for the acquisition of fire engines, fire trucks and other vehicles for use by the City's Fire Department in

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Chapel Hill Board Member Quits

Transient Worker

Dives Into Well, Dies

Woman, 63, Slain During Sunday Morning Services

WINSTON-SALEM — A 63-year-old woman was stabbed to death by her husband Sunday while the couple were attending services at a church near here.

Mrs. Nanny Crouch, stabbed in the stomach, was dead on arrival at a hospital. Her husband, Amos Crouch, was hospitalized with injuries he received when the congregation tried to keep him from attacking his wife.

The pastor of the church, the Rev. Manning Singleton, was treated and released from the hospital for cuts and abrasions.

Police said Crouch would be charged with murder.

Incidents leading up to the killing could not be ascertained at CAROLINIAN press time.

It was believed, however, that Crouch and his wife had argued quite frequently and that the argument and death in the church grew out of these frequent "fusses."

Funeral services for Mrs. Crouch were alleged to have been conducted in the same church in which she met her death.

The couple had resided in this area for many years.



MISS HARRIETT NUNN

Miss Nunn Ends Work At UNC

Miss Harriett L. Nunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nunn, 1006 S. Person Street, completed work for a master of education degree in the physical sciences, at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, last week.

A graduate of Shaw University in the class of 1953, Miss Nunn taught for five years at Shawtown High School, Lillington. She has also studied at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

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Greene Cnty Officials Defer Action

SNOW HILL — The Greene County Board of Education, which met on Monday, deferred action on the reassignment applications of five Negro students seeking admission to all-white schools until August 14.

The deferment was made on the grounds that the Board lacked enough information from the five applicants and their parents in order to make a decision.

The parents of three of the ap-

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State News Brief

SHAW UNIVERSITY TO STAGE FOUNDER'S BENEFIT DINNER — RALEIGH — A special feature of the quarter million dollar campaign, currently sponsored jointly, by the Negro Baptists of North Carolina and the Shaw University alumni, is that of the Founder's Day Benefit Dinner, to be held in the University dining hall, Thursday night, November 9, 1959, 7:30 o'clock, according to an announce-

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2 BROTHERS DROWN IN STATE

RONDA — Two brothers were drowned Friday in a farm pond near here when they stepped into a deep hole while wading.

Wilkes County Coroner M. W. Greene identified the youths as Walter Clayton Parks, 10, and his brother Paul Herman Parks, 15. Both of Ronda, Greene ruled the deaths accidental drownings.

He said both of the men were non-swimmers. The younger brother stepped in a hole and the older brother went to his aid but both drowned.



YOUNGSTER FALLS FORTY FEET, LIVES — Fireman John Nudo carries 8-year-old Roy Tramble to waiting ambulance in Chicago last week after the youngster fell 40 feet from the porch railing of his home. The boy suffered fractures of both arms and probable skull fracture. He is in critical condition. (UPI TELEPHOTO)

Reunion Of Bricks Grads Aug. 28-30

BY J. B. BARREN

16 miles north of this city on busy U. S. 301.

That is the word from the Brick National Alumni president Fletcher H. Atkins and Mrs. E. M. Venture, corresponding secretary, 601 Tex St. N. W., Washington, D. C. At-

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Nab Privates In Death Of Fellow Military Man

FORT GORDON, Ga. — Two privates, alleged to have been involved in a shooting spree near a service club, were questioned on Friday, July 31, in connection with the death of a janitor and the wounding of another private.

A small calibre pistol, believed to have used in the shooting and identified as the one bought by Pvt. Archie Cooke four days earlier, was found by investigators.

Dead is Eugene Sims, 53, a base janitor and retired sergeant. Wounded and hospitalized is Pvt.

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Powell Under Knife

WASHINGTON (AP)—Rep. Adam Clayton Powell underwent an emergency appendectomy Friday in Bethesda, Md. Naval hospital.

Powell, one of four Negro members of the House, was reported out of danger at press time.

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Be Sure To Vote In Next Tuesday's Important Bond Election