



NKRUMAH VISITS QUEEN — Kwame Nkrumah, Prime Minister of Ghana, visits Queen Elizabeth and Princess Anne at Balmoral Castle, August 12. The African leader offered his congratulations to the Queen who is expecting her third child. This is the first photo of the Queen since palace sources announced her pregnancy. The Queen told Nkrumah that, because of her pregnancy, she would be unable to make a scheduled trip to Ghana. (UPI PHOTO).

Murderess Of 1940 Faces New Rap In

Front Yard Death Here

N. C. Ushers Close Sessions

Nelson Pope's Death Places Toll At Nine

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Attacker Claims Mistaken Identity:

Girl, 15, Gang War Victim

BY STAFF WRITER
Wake County chalked up its ninth killing in recent weeks Sunday when Mrs. Rosa Matthews Griffin, allegedly pumped a .32 bullet into the stomach of Nelson Pope, 45, 621 Price Street, Method.
Mrs. Griffin, 45, of the 500 block of Cannon Street, is charged with shooting Pope after he reportedly was beating her.
Lawrence Upperman, 31, of 8 Saunders Street, who attempted to aid the woman, was gashed on the right thigh by Pope. At this point the shooting is said to have taken place.
The woman received a preliminary hearing in City Court Tuesday and was bound over under \$5,000 bond.
Mrs. Griffin was arrested by Patrolman Norman Artis.
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NELSON POPE ... shot in yard

10,000 Elks At Confab

ATLANTIC CITY — This famous seaside resort rolled out the Red Carpet Saturday to extend welcome to the Elks of the world as they arrived in regal splendor to attend their Grand Lodge convention which continues to Saturday, August 29.
Headed by Robert H. Johnson
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Dr. Harris Goes To Ill. For 1 Year

Dr. Nelson H. Harris, chairman of the division of education at Shaw University, has been granted a year's leave by Dr. William R. Strasser, president, to serve as visiting professor of education at the University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois.



DR. N. H. HARRIS to teach at Ill. U.

Dr. Harris will be the first Negro to serve as professor in the School of Education at the University of Illinois. He will teach two undergraduate courses and one graduate course. He holds the A.B. degree from Virginia Union University, Richmond, Virginia and the A.M. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

He served for approximately five years as supervisor of Negro high schools in North Carolina on leave from Shaw University.

He is a member of Phi Gamma Delta.

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Raleighites Elected By State Ushers

Four Raleighites were elected to top-ranking offices in the Inter-denominational Ushers Association of North Carolina at the association's thirty-fifth annual session August 20-23.

The newly-elected officers are: Gregg Johnson of 540 E. Cabarrus St., member of the trustee board; James O'Neal of 606 E. Martin St., first vice-president; Miss Margaret Wallace, 509 E. Davis St., recording secretary; and Mr. Frank Grant of Washington Terrace, district supervisor for district No. 2.

L. E. Austin of Durham is state president.

Some 300 persons from all over the state attended the annual affair at the Rush Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church. The program featured addresses by many prominent

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MISS WALLACE ... rec secretary

JAMES O'NEAL ... 1st vice-president



GREGG JOHNSON ... trustee board

Dismissal Of Woman Considered

MONTGOMERY, Ala. — An Alabama legislative committee is considering a bill which would fire the woman librarian who placed a children's picture book about a rabbit's wedding in a library here.
The subcommittee of the state house segregation screening committee was appointed last week to draft the bill. Rep. Sam Thomas, chairman of the segregation committee, said his group recommended changes in qualifications so that the library director had to be a native of Alabama.
The bill is expected to be introduced during the regular session of the legislature later this month. If successful, it would in effect fire Miss Emily Reed of Asheville, N. C., director of the Alabama Public Library Service.

Innocent Girl Slain As Rival Gang Opens Fire

NEW YORK, N. Y. — A 15-year-old girl was shot down fatally on Manhattan's lower eastside on Sunday night and seven other persons were wounded by members of two street gangs, one predominantly Negro and the other Puerto Rican.

The shooting occurred in a clash of violence between the two hoodlum groups: the Negro "Sportsmen" and the Puerto Rican "Forsythe Street Boys."
A young street hoodlum admitted on Monday to the killing

ing of the girl. In the meanwhile, police picked up 29 other youths who, it is believed, were involved in the outbreak.

It is alleged that the outbreak began when the Sportsmen trespassed on the Forsythe territory.
A 23-year-old man, who said he was walking with his wife when a group of teen-agers attacked him, was stabbed in the back. However, he denied any gang connections with the incident.

The violence is said to be the first serious outbreak since an Episcopal minister arranged a "truce" between the two gangs about two years ago.

Yancey Board To Meet

BURNSVILLE — The Yancey County Board of Education may decide next week what action it will take on appeals by the parents of children turned down in their bid for transfer to all-white schools here.

The one-room, one-teacher Negro school here was condemned and closed a year ago and the children last year attended Negro schools at Asheville, 40 miles away.

The board rejected the applications for transfers last week and held a hearing on the appeals Friday. Board members said they wanted to study the record of the hearing before announcing a decision. The board originally had assigned the Negroes to the Asheville schools they attended last

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TROUBLED LIFE — His body covered with welts and bruises, this eight-year-old boy was under hospital care Aug. 18th, and his mother and stepfather were in custody charged with cruelty. Lt. Richard Murphy of the Youth Aid Bureau charged Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Williams with mistreating the boy who is Mrs. Williams' child by another marriage. Murphy reported finding dog collar marks on the lad's neck, as well as the many bruises. There was no evidence the youngster, named Melvin, had ever been to school. Murphy said the parents admitted tying the boy with a rope the past two months "to keep him out of trouble." in Newark, N. J. (UPI TELEPHOTO)

'Integration Over Dead Body,' Alabama Gov. Says

ATLANTA (AP) — While the U. S. court of appeals in New Orleans was being asked to rule on a Federal District court order to end racial segregation in local public schools, Gov. John Patterson of Alabama was doing two things.
First, he signed into law a bill permitting any school threatened with integration, to withdraw from city, county and

state schools systems and form an independent school district within itself.

At the same time, he publicly declared that "if a school in Alabama is integrated, it will be over my body." The governor evidently implied the word "dead" in that familiar phrase.

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Funeral Directors Convene

CHICAGO — The National Funeral Directors and Morticians Association, Inc., ended their four-day meet on Thursday night with the President's Ball in the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Sherman, attended by hundreds. All in all it seems as though the visitors to the "Windy City" had fun in spite of their strenuous business meetings, and judging by the attendance this was the most successful con-

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New Bern School Bd. Admits 17

A record number of 17 students have been admitted to the previously all-white Havelock school in New Bern, according to reports received from the Craven County School Board on Tuesday.
On the same day, Durham's City School Superintendent announced that some 200 applications for reassignment to white schools had been received. The number is the largest in any one North Carolina city to date.

The 17 children to the Havelock school are from nine families of personnel at Cherry Point Marine Air Station and had to "meet certain conditions and requirements" of the School Board.
The children had to attend Negro schools more than 20 miles away during previous years. This caused uneasiness among Negro

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Buy Site For Country Club In Alamance

GREENSBORO — Negotiations will be completed by a group here before Nov. 1 for the purchase of a country club situated on a 120-acre spread of land in Burlington, according to an announcement by Attorney J. Kenneth Lee.
The Burlington Industries Country Club on the Ruffins Mill Road located some three and a half miles out of Burlington will be owned and operated by a corporation of businessmen as of Nov. 1.

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Shriners Close LA Sessions

LOS ANGELES, Calif. — The nation's Shriners ended their six-day convention here last Saturday after one of the most enlightening and enjoyable meetings in their 68-year history.
More than 5,000 Nobles, delegates from some 150 temples of the Ancient Egyptian Arabic Order of

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ON THE WARPATH — Brandishing sticks, native women demonstrate in violent fashion at Ixopo, South Africa. More than 1,500 women participated in the demonstration against an increase in the poll tax imposed by the government. The demonstration was dispersed when police reinforcements arrived. (UPI RADIOTELEPHOTO).

Front Royal, Va. Asks NAACP For A "Mixing" Compromise

FRONT ROYAL, Va. — A compromise is being sought with NAACP attorneys by a 3-member committee named on Monday by Warren County leaders in connection with school integration here. Both parties will meet late this week.
At the same time, the Warren County Educational Foundation met to determine whether to continue its private school system this fall in the face of integration at the County's only public high school.

The foundation has expected a registration of 700 for private tuition but only 530 have registered up to now.

In the midst of all this, the Warren County School Board said it was considering a voluntary gradual desegregation plan for next year in return for withdrawal of the Negroes from the white public school this fall.

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State News Brief

MRS. LIGON AMONG WINNERS
RALEIGH — Mrs. C. B. Ligon of E. Lenoir Street, a teacher at the Lucille Hunter School here, entered a "Name The Tiger" contest while visiting in Washington.

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