

HICKS CHASES BOYFRIEND MURDERS WIFE ON PORCH

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Wife Says "Shoot Me" Husband Kills Her

According to a story told to local police by Haywood Hicks, Sr., 314 Fayetteville St., he waited anxiously up on the night of Dec. 31, until 12:18, not waiting for the New Year, but waiting for his wife, whom he had reason to suspect would come, accompanied by her boyfriend, who was identified as Hallie Sanders.

He related, as he expected, while he kept watch, sitting in the living room with the front door open, with his loaded 16 gauge shotgun, he saw his wife, accompanied by a man, as they approached the house, he went outside. The man is alleged to have run between the houses, Hicks lost him in the shades of the night.

His wife, Mrs. Annie Mae Meadows Hicks, 33, is reported to have gone into the house, while Hicks sought her accomplice. Mrs. Hicks is alleged to have come back on the porch and said to her husband, "You didn't shoot him, now shoot me." Hicks is said to have complied with her request and pulled the trigger. The load is said to have struck her as she stood in the doorway.

Mrs. Hicks was taken to Wake Memorial Hospital, where she was pronounced dead, upon arrival.

The gun was found on the floor of one of the rooms, in the house, along with one empty shell.

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CONTROVERSIAL FIGURES - Miss Yvette Powell, estranged wife of Harlem's stormy preacher-congressman, who lost her job as a member of his staff this week, due to her failure to appear before a committee, investigating the antics of the congressman, is shown, top left. Miss Corrine Huff, right, who is also in for criticism for using credit cards for trips not attributed, by the committee, to the best interest of a fair traveling policy. She is said to be vacationing in the Bahamas. She is said to be listed as Powell's secretary. The congressman is shown at the bottom and is expected to arrive in Washington, Monday, to defend his right to be seated and to caucus with fellow Democratic colleagues.

Wife Fired, Sec'y Accused Powell To Fight Charges

WASHINGTON, D. C. - The controversial Adam Clayton Powell, Harlem pastor and representative of that district in the congress of the United States House of Representatives, is expected to arrive here Monday to defend his right to the congressional seat and to fight to hold the chairmanship of the House Education and Labor Committee.

The speculation is that once Powell meets his accusers, face-to-face, there might be a change in the trend. Very few, if any congressman, will conjure that he will not be seated, as a congressman. There are many who feel that he will not lose his chairmanship. Republicans are sitting back watching the "cat and mice" game and permitting the Democrats to squab-

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John Winters Bows Out

TOOLE TO BE BURIED FRIDAY

Funeral For Wake Principal To Be Held

Funeral services for Rhodes Herndon Toole, 921 S. East St., are scheduled to be held from St. Paul AME Church, Friday, 3 p. m., with Rev. B. S. Foust presiding.

Mr. Toole succumbed to an extended illness at Wake Memorial Hospital, Wednesday morning.

He was well known in the educational circles of the state and is known to have made many contributions to the on-going of the educational program.

At the time of his death he was the principal of Lockhart School, Knightdale. He worked in the Wake County School System for 17 years.

He received his early education at Crosby-Garfield. He earned his A. B. degree from Shaw University, after having received his high school diploma from the Baptist institution. He pursued a degree at Columbia University and received his M. A. degree from the New York School.

He taught at Logan High School, Concord, for a while. He accepted a job in the Raleigh Public School System and was the Dean of Boys, at Washington Junior High School, for sometime.

As a life-long member of St. Paul AME Church, he served in many capacities, including membership on the Trustee Board. He also was Minister of Music for many years.

In recognition of his work with the Boy Scouts he was given the Silver Beaver Award. His activities took him into practically every phase of community life. He was secretary of the Management Board of the Bloodworth Street YMCA. When the Meadowbrook Country Club was being formed he became a charter-member and served as the president at one time.

His connections with professional and fraternal groups were extensive. He held membership in the NEA, NCTA, and other organizations.

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HERNDON TOOLE



J. W. WINTERS

NAACP And Urban League Get Ford New Year's Gift

NEW YORK CITY - The Ford Foundation started 1967 off in grand style for the NAACP and the Urban League, by giving them grants totaling \$730,000 Monday. The two organizations were promised more funds, in the future, if they would widen their fund raising operations. The money was not earmarked for any particular project but could be used for general operations.

The foundation granted \$430,000 to the league and \$300,000 to the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

A foundation spokesman said it was the first time Ford funds had been given to the two organizations without a specific purpose. Previous Foundation grants earmarked for special projects had been given the league and the NAACP's Legal Defense and Education Fund, however.

McGeorge Bundy, Ford Foundation president, said additional one-year grants might be made over the next several years.

"Such a decision will be based in part on whether these organizations can achieve a substantially greater level of support from their members, from other private sources or funds, and from American society generally," he asserted.

Bundy said the foundation's one-year grants "cannot possi-

Councilm'n Does Not Choose To Run Again

Three times winner of a seat on Raleigh's City Council, John W. Winters, announced Tuesday night that he would not seek reelection to the council of City Fathers this year.

Mr. Winters had the distinct honor of being the first Negro ever elected to the August body and has given a good account of his stewardship to the citizens of the state capital.

He, in a prepared statement, to the CAROLINIAN said, "Since so many of my friends have asked if I would be a candidate for re-election, I thought it proper and timely that I make the following statement:

"The pressing responsibilities of a growing business requiring more and more of my time makes it necessary for me to answer that I will not be a candidate for the City Council after the completion of my present term. This has been a hard decision to make but one that I feel is in the best interest of my city, family and business.

I make this announcement at this time in order that other persons interested in offering would have ample time to make plans.

Above all, I am grateful to the citizens of Raleigh for having given me an opportunity to serve six years, and in a small way,

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WEATHER

Temperatures for the next five days, Thursday through Monday, will average near normal. Day time highs are expected to average in the 40's in the mountains, about the low 50's in the central section and mostly 50's on the coast. Lows at night will average in the upper 20's in the mountains, around the 30's in the interior and in the upper 30's and low 40's on the coast. Cold weather during these periods with some moderation in temperatures Friday and Saturday. Precipitation will total 1-4 to 3-4 inches occurring as showers about the weekend.

EDITORIAL FEATURE

Arise - Ye Sons Of Raleigh

In order for Raleigh to meet the technical, commercial and industrial demands of the next decade, some serious thinking and action loom high on the immediate agenda of future planning. The personnel pinch has tightened considerably and almost over night the smaller businesses, find themselves now, in direct competition, dollar-wise, with the much more sizeable salaries of giant businesses and industries, not to speak of government and institutions.

Such an addition to the now expanding technical world, brought about through the impact of the W. W. Holding Technical Center, in Wake County, would further guarantee a greater abundance of the use of our human resources. It would allow many youths to begin their life's training early, thereby bringing to the commercial, technical and industrial phases of this area, a fuller human reservoir, to supply the growing need of such personnel.

We solicit the support of the Raleigh Chamber of Commerce, the Raleigh Merchants Bureau, the N. C. Merchants Association, organizations, institutions and individuals, from Governor Moore down, including legislators, to affix their names to a petition, showing their interest, desire and sympathy, towards bringing to fruition such a school for our young and technical-minded section.

We believe our local Board of Education would leave no stone unturned in meeting the demands upon it which would enrich the lives of the people, geared to the areas, this type of education appeals to and serves.

We believe that the Board of Education should delve into the matter below the high school level and plan a technical curriculum that would begin as low as the fifth grade. Our modern day trend is so geared until fifth and six graders are able to discern the hope for a fuller and more serviceable life. One only needs to see and hear some of the thoughts expressed on national television and radio programs.

Technological training pre-

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However, a remedy to this growing need of efficient and trained personnel can be found in, we believe, a technical high school, located within the city limits of Raleigh. In such an educational center, much talent would be further trained that drop out, somewhere between the elementary and high school graduation. This type of school is feasible as it would give another strong link in the fine educational and cultural chain, to be found in the Capital City.



WAKE MEMORIAL FIRSTBORN - Mrs. Johnny Albert Narron, Knightdale, is shown with her baby, the first born at Wake Memorial Hospital, in 1967. The baby was born at 9:36 a. m. It has been a public service feature of the CAROLINIAN, with the cooperation of many of the business firms of Raleigh to give the baby and the parents a number of gifts. The Narrons, either parent, will be given the proper authorization at the CAROLINIAN office and a visit to the stores listed on page 16, of the same issue of Dec. 31, will entitle them to the presents.

Cooper High School Librarian Hits Carolinian Sweepstakes



MRS. MAGGIE SPENCER



MISS LILLIE SANDERS

Perhaps the happiest person in the Raleigh area this week is Miss Lillie Sanders, 800 Fitzgerald Dr., who hit the jackpot in the CAROLINIAN Sweepstakes this week and picked up \$175.00.

Miss Sanders was thrilled when she visited the CAROLINIAN office to pick up the money. She had the following to say, "I was thrilled beyond expression when I went to the mail box and got the paper and found that I had the lucky number. It was the first time I ever won any money."

Miss Sanders won a fruit basket at Cooper High School, Clayton, before the school closed for the Christmas holidays. She is the librarian for the school and was still jubilant over that.

The Sweepstakes winner is a graduate of North Carolina College. She is a member St. Annah Freewill Baptist Church and conducts a dance school, at Radio Station WLE. She has a sister who is a freshman at Winston Salem State Col-

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Orange County Board Gets Federal Okey

HILLSBOROUGH - The Orange County Board of Education has "apparently" satisfied the federal government that it is observing the guidelines set out by it for desegregation. The Board is said to have received a letter which implied such a reaction.

The board Monday discussed the notice, contained in a letter from John Hope II, director of Area Two of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare's Equal Educational Opportunities Program.

County officials interpreted the letter as saying the county should turn its attention now to making further progress with plans for the 1967-68 school year.

Revised guidelines for 1967 were received from Education Commissioner Harold Howe II.

The guidelines are substantially unchanged from 1966, except for recommending that freedom of choice be conducted between January and April.

Hope said in his letter, "it

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Charlotte Ministers Embrace GOP

CHARLOTTE - According to a news letter purported to have been circulated by an organization of ministers Negroes are expecting greater recognition in county government, due to Republican take-over.

A story, which bore the headline, "Republican Victory Brings New Hope For Negro," the Clergymen's Christian and Civic Association, headed by Rev. Coleman Kerry, revealed that due to authentic assurance, made by Republican leadership,

the Negro can look forward to a new day here.

"We have every reason to believe that Mr. Marcus Hickman, the chairman of the Republican Party, will be concerned about treating the Negro as an important part of the Republican Party," the news letter said.

"Too long have we been puppets for the Democrats and allowed them to take our vote for granted. Now let them work for it and show us what good accrues to us."

The letter said that new GOP sheriff Donald Stahl had promised to hire seven Negro deputies - three of them outside the jail, but Stahl said that this was a misunderstanding.

Stahl said that in a speech he had noted that Negroes ought to have "six or seven" of the deputy jobs. He said, however, that he did not specify that three of them would be working outside the jail.

Stahl is hoping that he will have a Negro deputy serving papers soon. Negroes have not done this before.

The new sheriff said that he had offered a job to a qualified Negro and that he hoped he would take it.

Clay Loses Another Round With Draft Bd.

LOUISVILLE, Ky. - Cassius Clay might be able to take on all comers in the ring, but lost his battle to the Justice Department and will not be reclassified.

The heavy weight champion has carried on a running battle with his draft board, the Kentucky Selective Service appeals board and the Justice Department to prove that he was a conscientious objector.

The appeals board last May tentatively rejected Clay's request that he be reclassified I-

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A MODERN FIRST - Edward W. Brooke, the first Negro to be elected in modern times to the United States Senate and the first ever elected, outside the south, Office Building, in Washington, D. C., as a senator from Mass. Ironically enough, Mr. Brooke is a Republican, and all other Negroes elected to that august body were Republicans.

From Raleigh's Official Police Files THE CRIME BEAT

Accidentally Shoots Self

Mildred Mae Watson, 412 Swain St., reported to police the shooting of a man, Dec. 30. The report showed that George Leon Hopkins, 20, while cleaning his pistol, at Swain and Adams Alley, it went off, and the bullet strided and hit him in the left side of his stomach. The pistol was a 22-caliber automatic. Hopkins was treated at Wake Memorial.

Reports Assault, Regrets Act

Weisner Goodson, 546 E. Cabarrus, complained to police that he and his girl friend, of the same address, had an argument on Dec. 30, about 11:17 p. m. He alleged that she bit him so fiercely that he received a puncture on his left hand. However, by the time he was ready to complain he had decided that he did not want to sign a warrant.

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