

Human Relations Executive Assails Urban Renewal Policies Now Being Used Here

Raleigh Man Shot To Death

32-Caliber Gun Used Fatally

Two men, well-known to the Raleigh Police Department, came to the parking of the ways Saturday about 11:30 p. m., when they are alleged to have engaged in an argument and the result is John Garland Adcock, 60, 110 E. Lee St., is in the Wake County Jail and Herbert Hoover Whitley, 212 E. Worth St., was carried to his last resting place, in Spring Hope Wednesday.

According to Betty Jean Adcock, son, who gave her address as 1468 Parkmont St., Northwest, Washington, D. C., Adcock shot Hoover in the head, with a .32-caliber pistol. Hoover was taken to Wake Memorial Hospital, where he died Sunday.

Adcock, standing on his constitutional rights, has refused to talk with officers or newspaper people. When visited in the Wake County jail Tuesday, he told the representative of this newspaper that he did not care to talk. He did say that he did not know what happened, when it happened or anything.

He would not say whether they fell out about a bet in a gambling game, or whether he shot Whitley for another reason, or not. Police stated they were baffled and had not been able to find a motive for the shooting. The Johnson woman was not available to answer any questions about the matter.

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Baby Sitter Raped in Goldsboro

GOLDSBORO - Justice of Peace Robert P. Veltorino, found probable cause against Michael Bunch, 29, for the alleged rape of a 15-year-old baby sitter, in his home Friday night and remanded him to jail to await a hearing in the March term of Wayne County Superior Court.

Officers, who investigated the case, alleged that Miss Beverly Arns wore such a web around Bunch that incident was inevitable.

They allege that Bunch lured the teen-ager to baby sit with his young child, due to the fact that his wife was not at home. The evidence is said to have revealed that Bunch left the house, after engaging the services of the young child. It was reported that the girl took care of the child and that when Bunch returned to the house, later Friday night, all was well. Officers reported that Bunch is alleged to have shown no alarm and was quite normal. The girl is said to have gone into the bedroom to get her coat and she passed Bunch, coming out of the bedroom, he laid hands on her and began kissing her. He is then alleged to have thrown her across the bed and to have spent his sex desires upon her.

After the incident, she is alleged to have run into the house where Bunch went to answer the telephone. She is said to have reported the rape immediately.

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Seek More Guardsmen

WASHINGTON - Washed: More Negro National Guardsmen. The cost of recruiting them: \$77 million.

That's the word from the Pentagon, where officials responded affirmatively to a recommendation made by the President's National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders that more Negro Guardsmen be recruited.

Pentagon officials are thinking of asking Congress for funds to start a three-year nationwide recruiting effort.

According to the 1965 report, Negroes make up only about 7,000 of the nation's 500,000 National Guardsmen - or one-thirtieth.

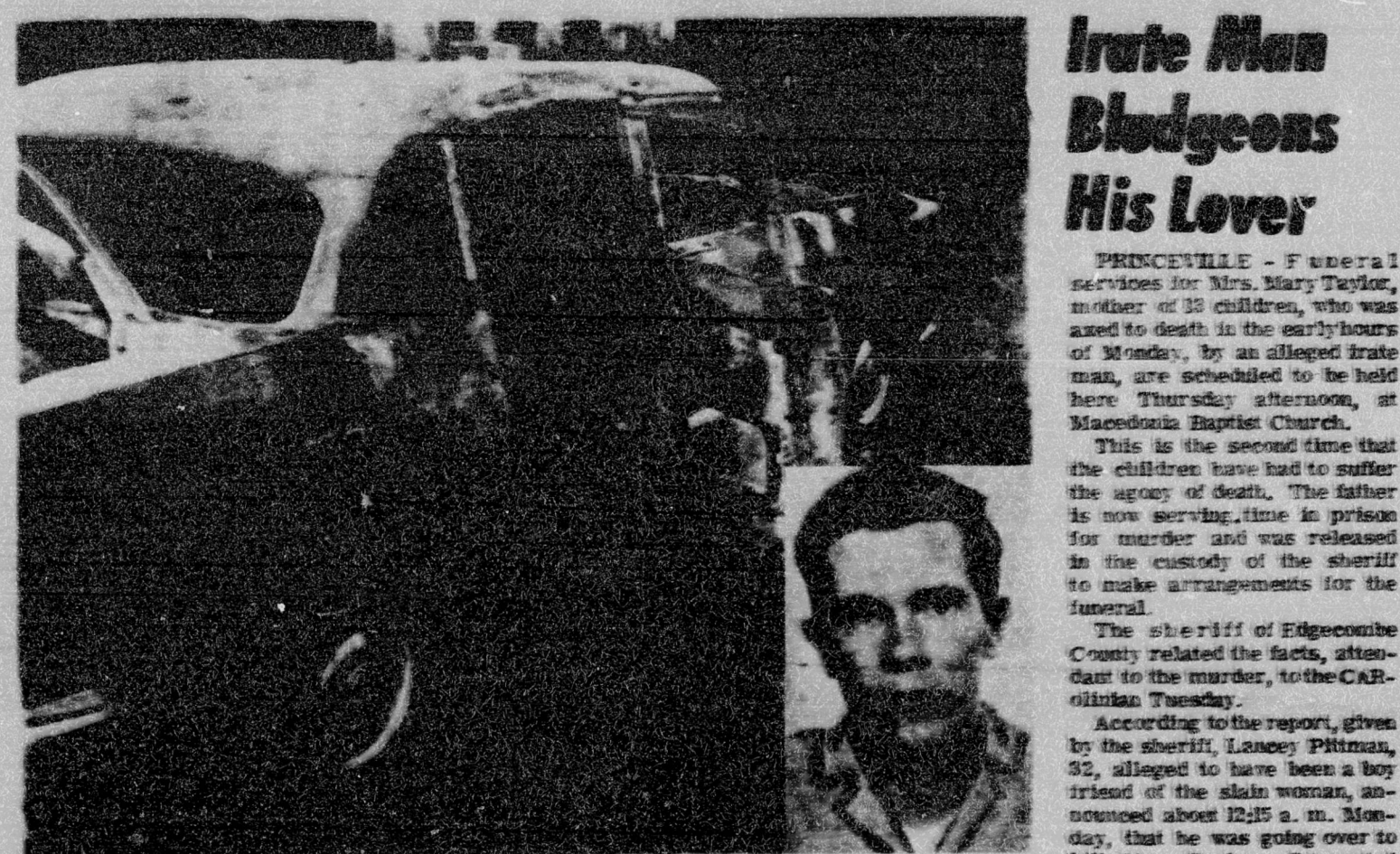
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Children Watch Mother

AXED TO DEATH

500 Hear Dr. Hawkins



CAMPUS TRAGEDY - This is the fire-gutted cab that belong to a 26-yr. old man killed in Knoxville, Tenn. March 9. The body of A. J. Boruff was found about 75 yards from the cab dead from a pistol wound. The incident took place at Knoxville College campus. (UPI)

Vice President Says 1st Class Negro Soldiers Should Not Return To 2nd Class Citizenship

WASHINGTON, D. C. - Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey insisted this week that American citizens should not let the "first-class" (Negro) soldiers return to second-class citizenship. Speaking before a Washington Conference of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Vice President said American boys living and fighting together in Vietnam have proved that integration works.

He said: "I don't need to give this audience the statistics to prove that courage, willingness to volunteer for hazardous duty, bravery in the face of the enemy, are qualities that seem to emanate from the heart, not from the skin."

The Vice President stated that the Vietnam war has taught us that "those supposedly deep-rooted, life-long, built-in human prejudices do not take generations to disappear."

He added, "where there is an important job to be done - where there is equal opportunity and equal dignity and respect for all - prejudice seems to evaporate fairly quickly."

He went on to say, "We can ask a young man to put on a uniform and send him to a combat zone. But far too often we do not permit him to live and work on equal terms at home."

"We often live an integrated life but not an integrated neighborhood," the Vice President asserted.

"This country cannot afford to let its first class soldiers return to second class citizenship -- and that is just what is happening to far too many Vietnam veterans today."

"We have made enormous progress toward equal opportunity in these past few years - especially in building a solid framework of laws and protection for the future," the Vice President said.

Housing Is Top Evil In Raleigh

The matter of open housing came back to plague the Raleigh Housing Authority, when Romanus Murphy, executive secretary of the Mayor's Human Relations Committee, chided the agency about the way it is handling the Southside urban renewal project.

Murphy got down to the core of the entire matter and urged the passage of a resolution that would spell "open housing" on to the City Council, to such an extent it would enact a local ordinance, that would make open housing possible.

He took issue with the remarks made by H. Palmer Edwards, executive director of the Raleigh Redevelopment Commission that he did not think any small committee should pass a resolution favoring open housing. Murphy fired back by saying that he did not believe in waiting on the City Council. He buttressed his argument with the fact that Jesus Christ walked on the leaders on Rome to propagate the tenets of the Christian religion, he would have had to wait for a long time.

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Candidate Scores In Wilson Co.

WILSON - Approximately 500 colored Americans and five whites gathered at the five-dollars-per-plate barbecue dinner staged in the local Community Center to eat and listen with much enthusiasm and give much applause to the candidacy of Charlotte's Dr. Reginald Hawkins for governor and Mrs. Eva Clayton of Warrenton for the 2nd Congressional District post now held by L. H. (Lawrence) Fountain of Tarboro.

Throughout the two-hour program there was hardly a weary listener. Perhaps this was because Negro history was being written anew in Tarboro. This was the first time in their lifetime that any one present - except, perhaps 85-year-old Rev. John A. Mebane, retired Tarboro Baptist minister-historian - had had the opportunity to hear a Negro gubernatorial candidate; and a colored woman running for a Congressional seat from the 2nd district.

N. C. College student George Butlerfield (Wilson) presented Dr. Hawkins with the first hundred dollars of a proposed \$5000 to help the candidacy of the "Black Candidate" came to come from N. C. College (Durham) students.

William Fitz Sr., campaign manager for Mrs. Eva Clayton's Congressional bid, presided over the program with assistance by the Rev. Albert A. L. Hockaday of Rocky Mount and C. C. Stokes Jr. of Rocky Mount morticians.

Hawkins said the present administration, like previous ones, has failed to lead an attentive ear to the needs of the poor whites and Negroes of Tarboro.

Speed Kills 2, 3 Walk To Death

Since Wednesday of last week 5 race persons lost their lives on state highways.

Wednesday at 2:55 p. m. David Gilbert, 52, while traveling on Rt. 102, 1 1/2 miles west of Raeford, at an excessive rate of speed, lost control of his car and crossed the center line and ran head-on into a car, driven by Merle Richard Thompson, white, 48, driving himself and Thompson. Gilbert lived on Rt. 4, Fayetteville, and Thompson lived on Rt. 1, Raeford.

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MARCHING ON STATE HOUSE: Several hundred Negro students are shown marching on the South Carolina State House in Columbia March 7 in protest of the slaying of three students at South Carolina State College in Orangeburg. Six students were arrested for disturbing legislators with shouts of protest. (UPI PHOTO)

Saint Augustine's Prof. Disappears

Persons at St. Augustine's campus are alarmed over the fact that Willis M. Fowler, 46, instructor in business at the college, has not been seen or heard from, since Friday.

It was thought that he left to visit his father in Harrisburg, Pa. and there is also belief that he might have gone to Greensboro after that. A check with his family in the Pennsylvania city revealed that he did not visit there and they had no knowledge of where he might have gone and that might have happened.

Fowler has not been ruled out, but he is said to have been given to spells that caused him to black out. However, sources on the campus said that they could not conceive of what happened, to the extent he had not been heard from since Friday.

He is reported as being unmarried, being of slender build, 6'11" tall and weighing 180 lbs.

Local Baptist Leader Retires After 26 Yrs.

After twenty six years as the top woman in the Baptist circles of North Carolina, Dr. Ellen Seabrook Alston stepped down, this week, as executive secretary - treasurer of the Woman's Baptist Home & Foreign Missionary Convention of North Carolina.

Her duties made her the policy maker of the most powerful auxiliary of the Baptist State Convention and gave her supervision over approximately 3500 women, throughout the state.

Even though she retired from the top spot, in the work of the Baptist women of the state, she plans to continue working in many capacities. She plans to continue doing organizational work and will always be available for consultation and assistance.

A committee has been appointed to find a person to replace her and it is believed that it will not have an easy job to find one with the qualifications that Dr. Alston had.

It is to be remembered that her husband passed about 10 years ago, but she still enjoys the chores of happy home making. She and one of her daughters, Mrs. Bernice Johnson, live at 222 Smithfield St. She has three other daughters who are in the teaching field. Mrs. (See PAGE 2)

Suspected Robber Killed By Officer

FAYETTEVILLE - A man who has been the terror of bank officials in two states, the object of a national hunt by county, state and federal law enforcement officers, including the FBI, is reported to have met his death at the hand of Deputy Sheriff Blaine O'Brien, as he sat in a taxi-cab, just inside the city limits, on highway 401, shortly after he is alleged to have escaped with \$72,125 from the Coats Branch of the First Citizens Bank & Trust Company, Tuesday.

Curis E. Harris, 23, has been suspected of committing robberies at two other banks in the State and had been able to evade officers rather successfully, since the robbery of a bank in Greenville, Dec. 26, last, when it was reported that \$17,500 was taken.

He is reported as having gone to Florence, S. C., after the first robbery and was apprehended in that city Jan. 9, after having been arraigned on a bank robbery charge and placed in jail at Sumter, S. C., he escaped and is said to have forced two white girls to drive him back to North Carolina. The girls alleged that as they were on their way to work, on a night shift, they discovered an object in the road and stopped to avoid running over it. Upon stopping they were amazed to find it was a man with a pistol, who ordered them to get out of the car.

Temperatures during the period Thursday through Monday will average above normal. Dr. H. H. H. are expected to average in the upper 60s in the mountains, ranging to the lower 70s in Southeastern N. C. near the coast and Eastern S. C. with mostly 60 elsewhere. Lows at night will average mostly in the 40s, except for the 50s in the mountains. Cool Thursday with a warming trend setting in Friday and Saturday with mild weather Sunday and Monday. Precipitation will total 1/2 to 1 1/2 inches with heavier amounts in the mountains occurring as scattered showers and thunder showers over the weekend. Normal high and low for the period 61 and 38.

SCLC Loses 45Gs Suit

BIRMINGHAM - A local black man has been awarded \$45,000 from Dr. Martin Luther King's Southern Christian Leadership Conference for injuries suffered during a 1966 demonstration at a supermarket.

William A. Maxwell, 35, charged that SCLC Field Secretary Hosea Williams organized a demonstration at the store, during which Maxwell was shot.

As a result of the shooting, the plaintiff - who had sued SCLC for \$150,000 - had to have his spleen removed and was required to wear a drainage tube in his side, according to a doctor's testimony.

Maxwell said his side "still hurts" where he was shot. Policemen said Williams organized the demonstration to force the supermarket to hire at least 50 per cent Negro employees or close.

The two Birmingham Negro ministers, the Revs. Edward Gardner and J. E. Lowery, testified that they had no knowledge of SCLC's participation in the picketing.

SWEEPSTAKES

6752	253	4755
\$50	\$15	\$20

Anyone having current BLUE tickets dated March 2, 1968, with proper numbers, present same to the CAROLINIAN office and receive amounts listed above from the SWEEPSTAKES Feature.

Chavis Heights Man Wins

William Earl Fleming, 7, Nash Terrace, Chavis Heights, is now an ardent supporter of Sweepstakes and he is going to be going into the stores that are participating in Sweepstakes. He went into National Market and picked ticket # 5610. He then compared it with the numbers on the front of the CAROLINIAN and found that he had won \$60. He lost no time in presenting it to the office.

He was all elated and said it was the first time he had won. You can be a winner too. Just check the Sweepstakes page and find the names of the stores that are taking part, visit them and compare the ticket, you pick up, with the numbers shown above.

The tickets are while this week and dated March 5. Ticket #6722 is good for \$50; 253 will give you \$15 and 4755 pays \$20. Start toward one of the stores as soon as you finish reading this.

FROM RALEIGH'S OFFICIAL POLICE FILES THE CRIME BEAT

"SUSPECTED" LOVERS

QUARRELL According to Max Reid, 122 Fisher St., on March 5, Tuesday, at 9 a. m. L. C. Stephens, 50, same address, came into the house and started hitting and kicking her. She alleges that his attacks were centered on her head and stomach. Police report that it was a "lover's quarrel."

WRECKED BOAT

According to William Hixson, 700 E. Martha St. the telephone booth at 701 E. Martha St. was damaged March 7, at 8:30 p. m. The extent of the damage was not noted.

MISSING FROM CAMP

William F. Rowlette, Camp Gordon, Ga., notified the Raleigh Police Department that William W. Smith, 1235 E. Stone St., had been missing since March 5.