

FROM RALEIGH'S OFFICIAL POLICE FILES
THE CRIME BEAT

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**EMPTY BILLFOLD
"SWIPED"**

William Henry Upchurch, 42, 402 E. Hargett Street, told Officer Lindsay W. Godwin at 12:13 a. m. Friday, that he and Leroy Evans were walking north in the 300 block of S. East Street when three subjects came up behind them and pushed Mr. Upchurch down. They then proceeded to "relieve" him of his billfold, valued at \$2, but containing no money. Upchurch went on to relate that Mr. Evans, his companion ran and he did not see him again. He also stated that his head hit a car, causing injuries to his forehead and lower lip. When he got up, the complainant stated, he observed the three attackers headed west on E. Davie.

**JUMPS FENCE FLEEING
COP**
Officer J. L. Arrington

made the following report at 8:23 p.m. Friday:
"I received a disturbance call to 1325 Walnut Street. When I arrived at the scene, I discovered a subject lying on the ground. As I approached the subject later known as James Edward Green, 20, 612 E. South Street, he jumped up and ran and jumped a high fence and fell to the ground. Subject had cuts on the arm and face. The subject was very highly intoxicated." No arrest was made.

WINE BOTTLE USED

Thomas Roosevelt Myatt, 321 Bledsoe Avenue, informed Officer W. G. Marshburn at 12:22 a.m. last Tuesday, that he heard "several boys cussing and carrying on in a very loud manner out in the street in front of my home." Then he heard a window break in the front of the house. This

window was broken by a wine bottle," the cop's report stated. Damage was set at \$5.

**WEAPON TAKEN FROM
HOME**

Mrs. Pearl Williams Freeman, 211 N. Tarboro Road, reported to Officer Glen Westbrook at 6:29 p.m. Tuesday, that she left home at 4 p.m. and when she returned at 6:30 p.m., she discovered that someone had entered her home through a window on the west side. The glass in a door was broken and the window was unlocked, according to the report. An officer from the City-County Identification Bureau came to the scene and dusted for fingerprints. Taken were two weapons stolen one .12 gauge shotgun valued at \$125 and one 30-06 rifle, valued at \$100.

STABBED IN STOMACH

Donald Sims, 27, 518 East Edenton Street told Officer B. W. Peoples at 10:20 last Tuesday that he was assaulted by an unknown person at the corner of Patterson Lane and E. Cabarrus Street. He could not describe the suspect. Sims said he was working on a car when the subject started an argument with him. Mr. Sims refused to go to Wake Memorial Hospital for treatment of a two-inch knife wound in the stomach.

MONEY, MAN, 'DISAPPEAR'

Bobby Ray Wilson, 121 Ashe Avenue, Apartment 4, informed Officer J. E. Moore at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, that a friend of his, Benjamin Smith, 27, spent the night with him on November 25. Wilson said he left for work at 9:30 a.m. on

Wednesday, leaving approximately \$120 in cash on the counter in the kitchen. Mr. Wilson stated that when he came home from work at 5:30 p.m., both the money and Mr. Smith were gone. A Cary address was listed for the suspect.

HURCAPS TAKEN

Owen Edgar Ivey, 2913 Newark Drive, told Officer J. A. Privette at 10 p.m. last Wednesday, that he parked his '69 Impala Chevrolet in the 300 block of Hill Street headed north on the east curb line, about 7 p.m. He stated that when he returned to the automobile at 9:35 p.m., four Mag type chrome plated hubcaps had been removed from it. Value was placed at \$75.

WOMAN ATTACKED

Miss Alma Jane Fort, 24, 509 Smithfield Street, reported to Officer R. F. Perry at 12:54 a.m. Friday, that she was on her way home when a young Negro male grabbed her at an empty lot in the 800 block of S. East Street. She said she was thrown to the ground but broke loose and ran from the assailant. She described him as being about 20, five feet, eight inches tall and weighing about 160 lbs. She stated that he was wearing a gray suit.

ROBBED AT KNIFEPOINT

Willie Lee Webb, 10 N. East Street, informed Officer G. W. Abernathy at 2:17 a. m. Friday, that he was with three subjects in the 200 block of S. East Street when one placed a knife at his throat and robbed him of \$267. Investigation is continuing.

SEEK FEMALE FORGER

Larry A. Stroud, an employee of Hudson-Belk Department Store, 319 Fayetteville Street, reported to Officer S. B. Price at 11 a.m. Friday, that a check which was passed at the store on last Tuesday by a colored female, whom he found out to be Miss

Catherine Barnes, Bledsoe Avenue and who works at Mayview Convalescent Home, Whitaker Mill Road, was a forger. Stroud stated that he had obtained a sample of her signature from the convalescent home. No other information was available on the report.

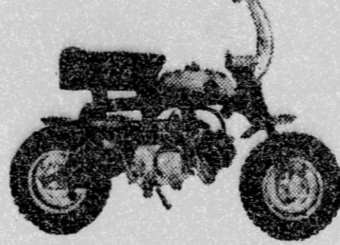
ROBBED NEAR OFFICE

James Allen, 39, 23 S. Swain Street, told Officer Norman Artis at 9:45 p.m. Friday, that he was walking east in the 500 block of E. Martin Street near The CAROLINIAN newspaper when three black males in their twenties or younger came out of the driveway beside The CAROLINIAN suddenly grabbed him and struck him about the face with a pistol then robbed him of his \$2 wallet and \$14 in cash. He was treated and released at Wake Memorial Hospital.

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Obituary

MRS. MARY NELSON
Graveside services for Mrs. Mary Nelson, formerly of Flint, Michigan who died Tuesday of last week, were conducted Friday at 11:00 a.m. at Mount Hope Cemetery by the Rev. Dr. C. W. Ward. The family was at the home of her cousin, Mr. Frank Watson, with whom she had her home, 109 Idlewild Avenue.

designed to show a well-planned, low-cost house. Extension Plan No. 90 has been used. The plan includes living room, combination kitchen-dining, and three bedrooms.

Home Economics Extension agents in Wake County have worked with the Neals on furnishings for the home. On a limited budget the family has made attractive bedspreads, refinished furniture, created interesting window treatment and other decorative features. The Neals were burned out of their rented home in March of this year. The new home was built through a housing loan from the Farmers Home

administration, USDA. Mr. Neal is employed by a local nursery. He had done his own landscaping. Mrs. Neal does domestic work. They have seven children - 6 girls and 1 boy. Five of the children reside in the home.

LENDERS OBTAIN APPRAISALS

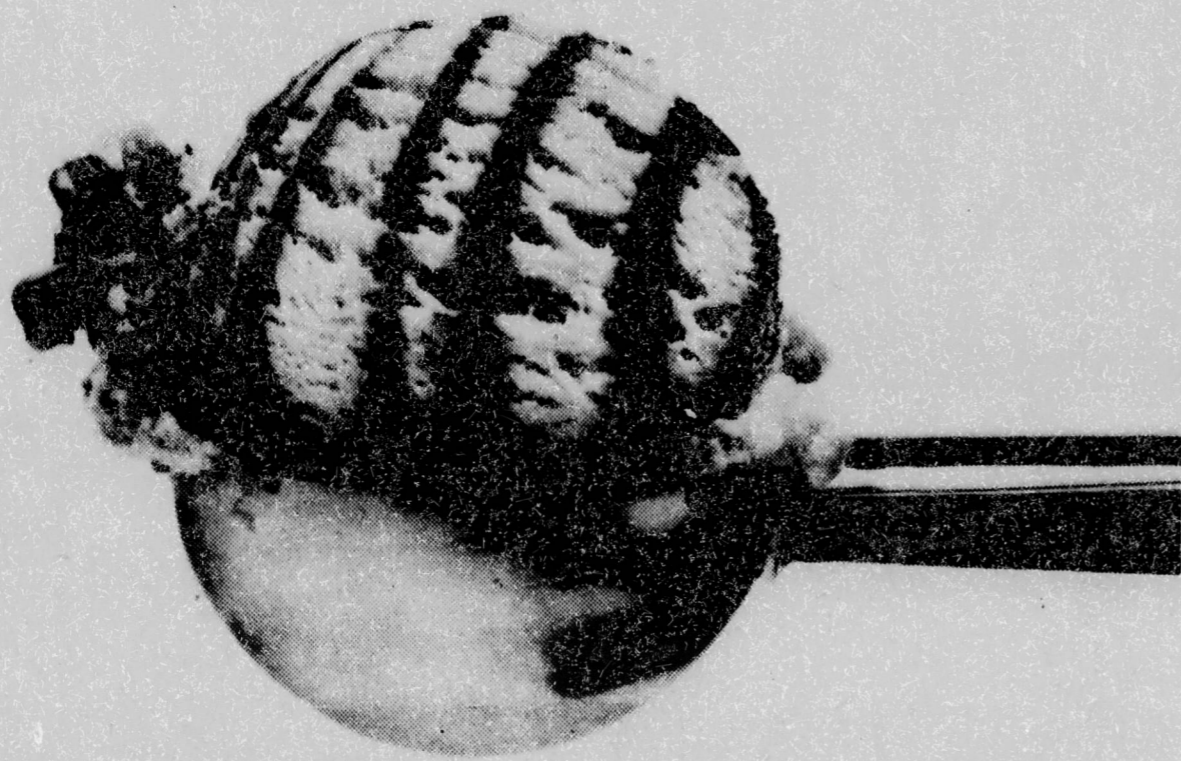
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