NEGRO LYNCHED IN GEORGIA

Taken From Cell and Shot After Alleged Attack on Woman

LAGRANGE, Ga., Sept. 8 (AP)—A 16-year-old Negro, charged with an attempted attack on a white woman, was taken from the city jail here early today and lynched, Chief of Police J. E. Mathews announced tonight.

Chief Mathews said the masked men took the Negro, Austin Callaway, from the jail by forcing the jailer at gunpoint to open the cell door. A searching party found the Negro on the Liberty Hill road, eight miles from town, with bullet wounds in his head and arm and took him to a hospital, where he died late this afternoon.

About six men, at least one of whom was armed, forced Acting Jailor S. J. Willis to release the prisoner, Chief Mathews reported.

The Negro was then placed in an automobile and driven away.

Callaway was arrested yesterday afternoon in Lagrange near the residence where the assault and attempted rape of the woman was said to have taken place, the police chief reported.