

Negro Is Executed After Long Fight

Raiford, April 27.—Fortune Ferguson, negro, went to his death in the electric chair at the state prison farm here at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Ferguson received the death sentence following his conviction on charges of criminally assaulting a white girl in Alachua county.

The negro fought the sentence of the United States supreme court on an appeal from the state supreme court, but without avail, the nation's highest tribunal upholding the sentence on the ground that it was without jurisdiction in the case.