The corporation, [illegible] nine-member board, would set mail rates — subject to congressional veto — sufficient to cover operation costs. It would be authorized to sell bonds for funds to finance modernization and equipment purchases.

Balcony Becomes Scene Of Slaying

White Youth Beaten After Racial Violence Film

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 2. — (AP) — A 17-year-old white youth was beaten to death Sunday night in the second balcony of a half-filled downtown theater featuring a film that deals with racial violence.

The theater is in a predominantly Negro neighborhood.

Police did not release the identity of the victim immediately. He was pronounced dead on arrival at the Albany Medical Center Hospital.

The film—"Uptight" — was not running at the time of the attack. The audience was watching a second feature, about skydivers, frogmen and commandos. A later showing of "Uptight" was canceled after the 9 p.m. (EST) incident.

A youth who said he was with the dead boy told police the victim was struck on the head with what might have been a pipe during a scuffle.

Police stopped questioning by newsmen of the three companions and held them as material witnesses.

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