

# NCCU, UNC-CH TO CREATE JOINT CENTER

WORDS OF WISDOM

One man with courage makes a majority.  
—K.V.P. Philosopher  
A young man's most profitable investment is to give his best to his employer.  
—Roger W. Babson  
A time comes to every man when he must do a thing or miss a great benefit.  
—Theodore Roosevelt

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THE TRUTH UNBridged

### Negro College Fund Leaders To Meet In Raleigh March 12-14



CHECK PRESENTED—Claude O. Sykes, left, of General Telephone of the Southeast, and Anthony J. Morreale, Jr., right, of the parent GTE Sylvania, presented a \$2,500 check representing an unrestricted gift by the GTE Sylvania

Foundation to North Carolina Central University. NCCU President Albert N. Whiting is shown accepting the gift presented Wednesday, March 1.

### UNCF Consists of Forty Private Fully-Accredited Black Schools

The United Negro College Fund will hold its joint annual meeting of Members and Directors in Raleigh, N. C. from March 12-14th.

Arthur A. Fletcher, executive director of the UNCF, said that the meeting will continue the practice of holding board meetings in a city where the UNCF has member institutions.

Shaw University and Saint Augustine's College, two UNCF colleges, are located in Raleigh.

On the agenda for the leaders of the Fund to discuss are matters pertaining to the financial problems of the schools, possible new avenues of loan assistance to students and greater cooperative planning among the member schools.

The UNCF consists of 40 private fully-accredited four year institutions. Some 45,000 students attend these schools.

Ely R. Callaway, president of Burlington Industries, Inc., will be the main speaker at a corporate luncheon during the three-day meeting. The luncheon, which is by invitation only, will be held at 12:30 p.m. Monday, March 13th, at the Holiday Inn in Raleigh, where all sessions will take place.

John W. Winters, Raleigh (See UNCF page 2A)

### Release of Angela Davis Was Staunch Victory in People's Fight

The release of Angela Davis on bail is a resounding victory in the people's fight to free all political prisoners.

In the past 16 months, our committee has taken the lead in the building of a broad mass movement. We were correct in setting our goal and correct in our tactics. We have literally built a movement standing over the shoulder of the state and the court which is tied to a legal defense that takes the movement into the court room.

At this very important moment in our campaign we must shift into higher gear. The bail restrictions placed on Miss Davis by the court are not only unconstitutional, but the right to speak and travel (during pauses in court proceedings) is part and parcel of a "fair trial." We will mount an intense movement to remove those restrictions.

But bail is not enough! It is an interim victory. Now our focus must be Sister Angela's full and complete freedom.

We have already maintained and continue to stress the fact that Angela Davis is the victim of a racist, anti-communist frameup. She is the victim of (See ANGELA page 2A)

### Funding For The Joint Center Will Be Provided By Consolidated UNC

A Center for the Study of Desegregation, staffed by faculty members of predominantly black North Carolina Central University and the largely white University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, will be established on the North Carolina Central campus here.

Funding for the Center will be provided by the Consolidated University of North Carolina. UNC President William C. Friday and NCCU President Albert N. Whiting announced Monday that \$15,000 annually will be allocated by the Consolidated University to the Center's operations.

### Social Clubs Organized for Mental Patients

By JOHN MYERS

Mrs. Patricia Osborne and Quinton Parker announced Thursday 2 the organization of two social clubs for the mental health patients in the Durham Mental Health Center.

One club will meet Thursdays 10-11:30 a.m. This club will consist of people who are over 40 and who do not have jobs in the community. After attending three meetings this person may decide whether or not he wishes to become a member. After becoming a member if he misses three consecutive meetings he will be asked the reason for not attending and if he is not interested in remaining in the (See MENTAL page 2A)

Uhl said a group of twelve faculty members representing both educational institutions has begun preliminary meetings to determine specific functions and organizational structure of the center. The faculty members represent the academic areas of city and regional planning, education, history, law, physical education, psychology, sociology, and urban studies, in addition to the research and evaluation offices of the schools.

Uhl said the interdisciplinary interest in the center had encouraged him. "The answers to desegregation and integration are not available in any single discipline," he said, "and (See CENTER 2A)

### First Black Student Pres. Named at UNC

CHAPEL HILL — University of North Carolina junior Richard James Epps Jr. of Wilmington is the first black student to be elected president of the student body here.

Epps was named president-elect during annual UNC campus elections held this week. A runoff was scheduled for next week between Epps and his closest contender, David Pittman Dickey from Fayetteville, until Dickey withdrew from the race.

Epps received 46 percent of the votes in one of the largest turnouts for a campus election in UNC history. Dickey received 25 percent of the votes.

Epps, campaign platform focused on the re-direction of student government. Epps and his running mate for vice president, Fred Blount Davenport Jr. of Mackeys, proposed (See STUDENT page 2A)

### Eastern District Conference AME Church To Convene At Emmanuel

The Eastern District Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Church of the Western North Carolina Conference will convene at the Emmanuel A.M.E. Church, 2018 Riddle Road, Durham, March 16 and continue through March 17, 1972. Rev. J. R. Crutchfield is the host pastor.

Opening session begins Thursday at 10 o'clock with devotions led by the Reverends D. L. Morrison, D. H. Ford, and A. M. Hall.

Rev. A. J. Turner, Pastor of the North Hillsborough Church, will deliver the opening sermon. Music will be rendered by the District Conference Choir.

Holy Communion will be administered by the Visiting Presiding Elders and Pastors of the District.

Dr. G. W. Larkin, who presides over the Eastern District, will deliver his message Thursday evening, March 16. (See CONVENTION 4A)

### Howard Lee Opens Carrboro Headquarters

By JOHN MYERS

CHAPEL HILL — The Masonic Temple in Carrboro has been the successful beginning site for two election campaigns for Howard Lee of Chapel Hill. It was in that building Lee opened his campaign headquarters for both races for mayor in which he came out first.

Friday evening, March 3, Lee once again put the building to candidacy use. This time to open his headquarters for a congressional seat in district 2. In his welcoming address Lee stated that the Masonic Temple had meant good luck for him

in the past and he saw no reason to stop using the building now.

Lee stated that in his preliminary campaigning of the past several weeks he had been spending 13-14 hour days touring 2nd district and talking to the people of the area. The common attitude of the people (See LEE page 2A)



RECEIVES AWARD — Mrs. Secolla Bishop, center, accepts 6-year pin for service rendered the Cub Scouts of Mount Gilead Baptist Church. The Rev. A. D. Moseley, pastor, presents the award as Thomas King observes. Mrs. Bishop is a member of the Willing Workers Sunday School Class, Missionary Board of Christian Education and a Hostess of the Mt. Gilead Baptist Church. She is the wife of Frank Bishop of Mineral Springs Rd. and they have three sons.

### Blacks Are Urged To Seek Posts As Precinct Election Officials

On March 18, 1972, the County Board of Elections in every county meets to appoint new precinct election officials for every precinct in their county. "It is very important that more Blacks be appointed as precinct election officials," said John Edwards, director of the North Carolina Voter Education Project, in a recent address to the Granville County Improvement Association.

The most important precinct officials are the registrar and two judges. In addition, other precinct election officials such as ballot counters, are appointed in some counties. The director of the Durham-based organization said these officials, particularly the precinct regis-

trar can have a lot to do with whether or not voter registration drives are successful, and that the election officials are the ones who run the precinct polling place on election day.

In his speech Edwards outlined how people are appointed as election officials. He said that in every county the County Chairman of each political (See PRECINCT 2A)

### Blacks Are Urged to Participate In the Democratic Convention

Blacks throughout the state are urged to participate in precinct, county and congressional district as well as national conventions by the Minorities Division of the Democratic National Committee in an attempt to mount a strong "Nixon is thru in '72" campaign.

Dr. E. Lavonia Allison, A. J. H. Clement III and other key black Democrats of the area hosted a series of news conferences with Andrew C. Muse, Director, Minorities Division Democratic National Committee, in Durham recently.

In an attack on the current administration Muse stated, "... the presidency of Mr. Nixon has been wishy-washy if not anti-black in the area of civil rights."

He charged further that the administration has been attempting to put blinders over Nixon's poor record, but blacks of North Carolina and other parts of the nation are not in the mood for being fooled with misinformation, even if the source is the White (See DEMOS page 2A)