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## WORDS OF WISDOM

Man is not on the earth solely for his own happiness. He is there to realize great things for humanity.  
— Vincent Van Gogh

The wise man seeks little joys, knowing that life is long and that his quota of great joys is distinctly limited.  
— William Feather

# GOVERNOR'S PEOPLE'S DAY PLANNED IN DURHAM

## Southern Black Mayors Meet Top Administration Officials



NFL ROOKIE OF THE YEAR—HOUSTON TEXAS Brash Charley Young, who is almost as good as he says he is, was named the 1973 United Press International National Football League rookie of the year by a landslide majority. He is shown with his wife, Colleen, after learning of the rookie of the year honor.

## More Than Forty Black Mayors From Across Southland Convene

ATLANTA, GA.—More than 40 of the Black Mayors from across the South expressed their needs and concerns directly with top level officials within the Administration in a one-day White House briefing held here.

"We want to open communications lines with the small town mayors whose voice and needs often are not heard or understood by policymaking officials," according to Stanley S. Scott, Special Assistant to the President.

Scott's remarks were echoed by a number of the Mayors in attendance in their discussion of pending legislation requiring local cities to produce 10 percent matching funds for Federal programs.

James Falk, Associate Director of the White House Domestic Council, told the Mayors that the Administration agrees with them and is attempting to have the matching funds provision deleted.

Four assistant secretaries the Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity, the Administrator of the Rural Development Service, and four White House staff members conducted briefing. The

Regional Directors of agencies of the Federal Government in Atlanta were also in attendance at the conference. They met on a one-to-one basis with the Black Mayors and responded to direct questions.

Some of the basic needs outlined by the Mayors ran the spectrum from water and sewer projects, housing, jobs, to health, education and welfare programs.

Mayor A.J. Cooper of Pritchard, Alabama, Chairman of the new Southern Conference of Black Mayors, called the meeting "historic." He said Black officials, particularly from small towns, (See MAYORS Page 7A)

## Bishop A. G. Dunston, A. M. E. Churchman Sees God In Times

Bishop A.G. Dunston, Jr., Philadelphia, in the opening session of the 1974 session of the Board of Bishops & Ministers and Laymen's Association, A.M.E. Zion Church, at Union Wesley Church, 1860 Michigan Avenue, N.D., told the church leaders that God has a way of making the powerful of the earth do right.

He pointed to the fact that at one time President Nixon intimated that Anela Davis had been found guilty by the court of public opinion. "He is now attempting to establish, in your mind and my mind, that salient principle of American jurisprudence, that any accused person is innocent until found guilty, by a jury of his peers. What has God wrought in the heart of Richard Nixon," he exclaimed.

He asked the audience to remember how John Mitchell countenanced the arrest of 12,000 peace demonstrators. "Who do you think Mitchell

wants arrested today?" the Bishop asked.

The theme of the three-day meet is "Good News in Bad Times". The prelate likened these times as to one of the times that the Children of Israel witnessed during their Exodus and the preacher, Aaron, preached so until the wilderness became aglow. He said that the preacher, especially the black preacher, could really prove the efficacy of God's power.

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## Durham Committee And NCCU Sponsor Salute to J. S. Stewart

John Sylvester "Shag" Stewart, former councilman and Mayor Pro-Tem of city of Durham for more than sixteen years was honored at a testimonial dinner on January 12, 1974. Sponsors were the Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People and North Carolina Central University. Setting for the dinner was the W.G. Pearson Cafeteria on the campus of NCCU.

Greetings were brought by Chancellor A.N. Whiting and John H. Wheeler, a slide presentation on the highlights of the life of John S. Stewart was presented by J.J. Henderson and John Wheeler.

Dr. Lewis Dowdy, Chancellor of A&T State University led a delegation from Greensboro to pay tribute to the foresight and business leadership of Stewart. Of special note, was the commanding and most articulate statement by Student Council President, Miss Marshall, of A&T State. Stewart is chairman of the



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Board of Trustees of A&T State University.

Other testimonial came from Mayor Hawkins of Durham, Mrs. Ann Atwater of UOCL, W.G. Kennedy, Chr. of Board of Directors of Mutual Savings and Loan Assn. and Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Robert Lewis, who spoke for the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Beta Phi Chapter Mrs. Mary Duke.

Seemans, philanthropist and past city councilwoman, Theodore Speight, Chairman of the Board of the Durham Business and Professional Chain, Arthur J. Stanley, Labor Leader and W.J. Kennedy II, President of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Presentations and plaque awards came from C. Elwood Boulware, councilman and W.P. Edwards, precinct Captain for the Durham Committee. Following a response by Shag Stewart he was accorded a standing ovation by all present.

Several members of his family were present from out of town, including his brother Frank Stewart of Tampa, Florida, his nephew, Atty. Delano Stewart of Tampa and his nephew, Wauna Dooks of Virginia Beach, Va. A highlight was a call from his older daughter, Mrs. Ethel Marie Foley of Los Angeles. Atty. W.G. Pearson II presided (See SALUTE Page 7A)



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## Workshop to Hear Speeches On Growth, Challenge of Press

MIAMI BEACH (NNPA) — GROWTH, role and challenges of the Black Press will be discussed in two major addresses at the Mid-Winter Workshop of the National Newspaper Publishers Association here, Jan. 24 and 25 at the Playboy Plaza Hotel.

Delivering these addresses will be William O. Walker, dean of the Black Press and editor-publisher of the Cleveland Call and Post; and NNPA President Carlton B. Goodlett, editor-publisher of the San Francisco Sun-Reporter Newspapers. Goodlett speaks Thursday

evening, Jan. 24, and Walker at the closing banquet on Friday evening, Jan. 25. Other Workshop speakers will be Berkeley G. Burrell, president of the National Business League; George Bush, chairman of the Republican National Committee, Dr. Michael R.

Winston, director of the Moorland-Spingarn Research Center, Howard University; Miss Vera Gunn, president of the National Association of Marketing Developers; Stanley S. Scott, special assistant to President Nixon; and Col. Wallace W. Price of (See PRESS Page 7A)

## First "People Day," of 1974 To Be Held Here Tuesday, Jan. 22

Governor Jim Holshouser's first "People Day" of 1974 will be held in Durham on Tuesday January 22.

From 10:00 a.m. until noon and from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., the Governor will be available at the Durham County Courthouse, Main Street, to meet with citizens on a first-come, first serve basis.

"This will be our first People's Day in Durham County," the Governor said. "I am looking forward to a great deal to seeing many of the people of that area."

The purpose of the monthly People's Day is to

allow citizens to bring to the Governor's personal attention any problems, complaints or suggestions they have involving State government.

Interviews are limited to five minutes to assure that as many people as possible have the opportunity to see the Governor. Citizens are assured that their sessions with Holshouser will be private.

Accompanying the Governor at all People's Day events is Fred Gallagher, the People's Man, or Ombudsman. It is Gallagher's (See GOVERNORS Page 7A)

## Roy Wilkins Salutes Two New Mayors

NEW YORK—The new mayors of two major cities received telegrams of congratulations last week from Roy Wilkins, executive director of the NAACP.

To the Hon. Coleman A. Young, the newly-elected black mayor of Detroit, the civil rights leader said:

"As start a course as Mayor of Detroit please permit me as head of the NAACP and our 1,700 local units to wish you well. Not only is Detroit the motor capital of the world but it carries the hopes of all thoughtful Americans that the ideal of living together in reasonable harmony and fairness will be advanced in your administration."

To The Hon. Abraham D. Beame, who New Year's Day took the oath of office as mayor of the City of New York, Mr. Wilkins said: (See MAYORS Page 7A)

## Fayetteville Police Department Cited By National Publication

The Fayetteville Police Department has been cited by a national magazine for its work in a murder case. The editors of Official Detective Stories have notified Chief Harvey Keeter that the publication's Meritorious Service Citation is being presented to his department for its skillful investigation into the May, 1973 slaying of Cecilia "CeCe" Finch Kivist.

A detailed account of the award-winning investigation, titled, "Dixie's Riddle of the Mutilated Nude" appears in the February issue of Official Detective Stories, which has just reached local newsstands.

The magazine cited the Fayetteville Police Department "in national recognition of achievements in the highest traditions of law enforcements."

## Black Leaders to Keynote Black Elected Officials Conference

Two top Black leaders will be keynote speakers at the annual 1974 meeting of the North Carolina Black Elected Officials Conference to be held in Raleigh at the Sir Walter Hotel, January 18-19th. Walter Fantroy, representative of the District of Columbia, will be the main speaker at the banquet Friday, January 18th.

The theme of the three-day meet is "Good News in Bad Times". The prelate likened these times as to one of the times that the Children of Israel witnessed during their Exodus and the preacher, Aaron, preached so until the wilderness became aglow. He said that the preacher, especially the black preacher, could really prove the efficacy of God's power.

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to be held at 6:30 p.m. John Lewis, Executive Director of the voter education project, Inc. of Atlanta will be the Saturday luncheon speaker at 12 noon. In addition to the addresses by the two Black leaders, work shops will be held with state Black political leaders serving as panelists. Workshop participants will be Floyd B. McKissick, builder of Soul City; Mayor Clarence Lightner, Raleigh; Mayor Howard Lee, Chapel Hill; Representative Henry Frye, Greensboro, Representative J.J. Johnson, Fairmont, Councilman E.V. Wilkins.

The conference is being co-sponsored by the voters education project and the North Carolina Conference of black elected officials. John Edwards, area coordinator of voter education project, stated that the theme of the (See LEADERS Page 7A)

## NAACP Asks For Hiring of Black Troopers

MONTGOMERY, Ala.—The NAACP has filed suit in the United States District Court here to enforce implementation of a February, 1972, one-for-one hiring ratio ordered in the Alabama State Trooper case. The NAACP brief recommends to the Court that its first decision must be "how to punish George Wallace who is the real villain causing the frustration of its orders." The 1972 court order had required that one black person be hired as a trooper for every white person hired in that (See TROOPERS Page 7A)



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## Brooklyn, N. Y. School Must Desegregate

NEW YORK—U.S. District Judge Jack Weinstein indicated in an oral statement from the bench recently that he will hold the central Board of Education and Mark Twain School as a black junior high school. The judge's comment followed hearings on a case filed by the NAACP and tried by Assistant General Counsel James I. Meyerson.

"Mark Twain is going to be desegregated under the order of this court," Judge Weinstein said. "I am not going to permit Mark Twain to be (See SCHOOL Page 7A)

## Religious Conference To Be Held In Soul City January 22-24

A three-day conference entitled "Developing A Religious Program for Soul City" will be held in Henderson and Soul City January 22-24. The conference is being sponsored by the North Carolina Churches Committee for new communities in cooperation with the Soul City Foundation, Inc. The churches committee for new communities is composed of state and national church officials of the various denominations of both the predominately black and white churches throughout the state.

Dr. John H. Hager, Field Representative for the Office of Urban Ministries, United Methodist and Rev. James

Hamblen and Rev. David Lucke of Associates in Mission will serve as major resource persons. Associates in Missions,

which is based in the new town of Columbia, Maryland, is an open coalition of clergy, laymen, churches, and denominations concerned about the spiritual aspects of Urban Development. The conference agenda includes a series of workshops in which state church officials, area pastors, residents and Soul City staff will exchange views and comments on what type of (See SOUL CITY Page 7A)