

Controversy of East-West Expressway Continues

At a City Council public hearing Monday night on the proposed extension of the East-West Expressway, proponents contended that economic growth and resolution of traffic problems in West Durham would be the benefits. The hearing was one of several held recently by the City Council and the North Carolina Department of Transportation. Whether the Crest Street community will be wiped out by extending the expressway ultimately is a decision of the City Council. A decision was not made after the Monday night hearing. John Grimaldi, representing the South Square Merchants

Association, and Attorney Claude Jones, representing the West Durham Merchants, spoke in favor of extension. Opposing the extension were residents of the Crest Street Community who contended that the highway would increase air pollution in the area and would destroy the close relationships of caring for one another which now make it possible for the elderly who live alone to remain in their homes. Ms. Antonette Booth, a resident of the community, said that its "not Social Services" which looks out for them, but rather, "it is the people from the Crest Street Community."

Mrs. Josephine Turner, representing the Durham Branch of the NAACP said that the only benefit of the expressway "is to help the rich get richer and the poor get poorer." The majority of the Crest Street residents are black who will be moved elsewhere if the present expressway plans are carried through. A proposal was made for the community to be moved to a place close by which is owned by Duke University.



WASHINGTON - A man described only as "John Doe", wearing a ski mask, and a former insurance agent, Ronald Bell, of Oakland, Calif., told the House Committee on aging 11/28 how insurance agents pressured old people into buying unnecessary health insurance by invoking fear of disease and a lonely death. UP

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WSSU Alumni Honor Judge Richard Erwin

WINSTON-SALEM — The Winston Salem State University Alumni held a banquet in honor of Richard C. Erwin, Judge, Court of Appeals of North Carolina on WSSU's Campus, Micky Michaux, U.S. Attorney for Middle District Court in North Carolina was the keynote speaker for the occasion.

Mr. Michaux said that Judge Erwin has helped to "bridge the gap between scientific and moral progress". He said that "we must have a true revolution of values and re establish the moral ends of our lives..." He concluded by saying we should seek "... a genuine revolution of values

that extends loyalty to mankind." A special plaque was presented to Judge Erwin by Winslow Lowery, alumni director, WSSU. Alumni Judge Erwin thanked every one for participating in the affair and promised to continue to work with citizens and maintain fairness and impartiality.

Alex Gilleskie Presented "Fellow Award"

Alex J. Gilleskie, Director of Recreation for the City of Durham, has presented the "Fellow Award" by the North Carolina Recreation and Park Society. The Fellow Award is the

Seniors Win Three Food Demands of Winn Dixie

Seniors in Action (SIA) of Carolina Action announced today that it has received a "yes" from Winn-Dixie on three of its requests from the "Food Buyers' Bill of Rights." SIA will be meeting with representatives of Winn Dixie on Wednesday, December 13 to discuss the remaining two requests. Winn-Dixie has agreed to see that double pricing is eliminated, that all advertised special prices are marked on the items, and to hold 1979 price increases to the 5.75% guideline set by the Carter Administration. "We feel that its particularly exciting that Winn-Dixie has agreed to our request to meet President Carter's price guidelines for 1979," said

Ms. Thelma Denning, President of SIA. "This means that Winn-Dixie food prices in North Carolina will be held to no more than a 5.75% increase this coming year compared to other food chain averages of 8.9% this past year," said Denning. The two requests not yet met were the 10% discount for senior citizens and the elimination for seniors of a minimum purchase requirement for discount items. This would enable seniors to buy sale items without purchasing the minimum \$7.50 amount in other items.

Senior citizens with Carolina Action marched into Winn-Dixie stores in Durham, Raleigh, Charlotte and Greensboro last Thursday and presented the "Food Buyers' Bill of Rights" for the first time. The official Winn Dixie responses were received the following Monday and Tuesday, informing seniors of Winn-Dixie's agreement with three of their requests and arranging for meetings with seniors across the state to discuss the remaining requests.

"We're pleased with three of Winn-Dixie's responses—the "yes" ones," said Ms. Denning. "We're still working for the two that remain. We want to see every senior citizen at our meeting with Winn-Dixie."

Director of the North Carolina Recreation and Park Society.

highest honor which the Society awards.

It was presented to Gilleskie Tuesday night during the Society's 34th Annual Conference at the Benton Convention Center in Winston-Salem. The award was presented by Douglas Sessoms, head of the Recreation Curriculum at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Chairman of the North Carolina Recreation and Park Society.

Gilleskie was selected to receive the award because of his outstanding service to the recreation profession and his contributions to the Society and his community.

Durham resident Ken Free, Commissioner of the Middle Eastern Athletic Conference, ended his tenure as President of the Society during the Conference. Bill Scott, Executive Director of the Scotland County Reaction Commission, is the group's new President. Jim Lowry of Durham is Executive

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By the Way

How many times have you grumbled when you read or heard how more than forty percent of our Black youths are unemployed? What thoughts came to your mind? Racism? Unqualified? Well, some thoughts come to my mind, but they are not racism nor unqualified.

All negatives in the Black community are not the result of racism, and I am proud of the thousands of youthful Blacks who have acquired college educations. Unqualified is an excuse that the private sector will have to eliminate. But, my young friends, I want you to remember that acquiring an education should have done more than prepare you for a job, it should have also taught you how to think.

So, you haven't been able to find a position in the field in which you studied, but is that reason enough to sacrifice your pride and dignity. That's right! When you are not working, you are not only an unemployed statistic, but you are also without pride and dignity. You can't force business and industry to create new jobs, but you can retain independence and pride by working. Where? The same jobs that helped your parents and grandparents survive years ago... that's right, waiters, bellhops, and waitresses. As the old adage goes: "A bird in the hand beats two in the bush," and always remember that you can still look for your ideal position while working on the less desirable job.

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