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**Words Of Wisdom**  
There is such a thing as being so good that you're no good.  
...  
A man of words and not of deeds, is like a garden full of weeds.  
...  
If thou thinkest twice before thou speakest once, thou wilt speak twice the better for it.

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## March For MLK Holiday Termed Success



At The Beginning

An unidentified woman holds a U.S. flag while watching the Inaugural Parade in Washington, January 20. Part of the conclusion of President Ronald W. Reagan's Inaugural Address: "...with God's help, we can and will resolve the problems which confront us. Why shouldn't we believe that? After all - we are Americans."

UPI Photo

## State Rep. Kenneth Spaulding Elected To Two Committees

By Trelle L. Jeffers  
State Representative Kenneth B. Spaulding, Durham, has been elected to ten committees in the January, 1981 meeting of the General Assembly. Rep. Spaulding will serve as vice chairman of the Court and Judicial District Committee, the Congressional Redistricting Committee and the Judicial II Committee. He will serve on the following additional committees: Administrative Rules Review, Election Laws, Local Government, Constitutional Amendment, Drug Law Revision, Appropriations and Legislative Redistricting. Officers elected in the Senate in the 1981 General Assembly are Sen. W. Craig Lawing, president pro tempore; Sen. Kenneth Royall, Jr., majority leader; Ms. Sylvia M. Fink, principal clerk; Leroy Clark, Jr., reading clerk and Ms. Gerda Pleasants, sergeant-at-arms.

Officers elected in the House are Rep. Liston B. Ramsey, speaker; Rep. Allen C. Barbee, speaker pro tempore; Ms. Grace E. Collins, principal clerk; Sam J. Barrow, Jr., reading clerk and Larry P. Eagles, sergeant-at-arms. The Legislative Service of Raleigh has also announced that it will operate a bill status desk during this session. Any person wishing to obtain information on the status and legislative history of any bill introduced in the 1981 session may do so by calling (919) 733-7779 or may visit the Bill Status Desk in Room 2226 of the State Legislative Building. This service is available from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on weekdays and from 7-9 p.m. on Monday evenings.

The Legislative Service offices will also provide anyone with a single copy of any bill introduced in

the 1981 session free of charge in Room 2022 of the State Legislative Building. The bill requested must be identified

by both the house in which it originated and by its number. The telephone number for this service is (919) 733-5648.

### Installation Saturday

The Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People will hold its annual installation ceremony Saturday, February 7, at 6 p.m., at St. Joseph's AME Church, 2521 Fayetteville Street. All officers, committee chairmen and co-chairmen elected last December at the meeting of the organization will be installed.

On Sunday, February 8, at 7:30 p.m. at White Rock Baptist Church, on Fayetteville St., the Education Sub-committee (of the Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People) will hold its regular monthly meeting.

A.J. Howard Clement, III, chairman of the Durham City School Middle School Concept Committee, will discuss some of the findings of the middle school concept and will answer questions and solicit input from parents of Durham City pupils who have a keen interest in this concept. The public is invited to both meetings.



King's Family Pays Tribute

Mrs. Coretta Scott King (c), daughter Bernice (l) and son, Martin, III, carry and place a wreath at the tomb of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., during services marking the slain civil rights leader's 52nd birthday anniversary. Several thousand people marched to the King Center near downtown Atlanta to honor Dr. King, ending a week of annual services in the civil rights leader's honor. UPI Photos

## Mutual Savings Reports Record Gains For 1980

The annual Shareholders meeting of Mutual Savings and Loan Association was held Tuesday, January 13, in the lobby of the association's building, 112 West Parrish Street.

Savers at Mutual Savings and Loan Association were paid a record amount of interest last year, according to F.V. Allison, Jr., president of the Association. "The record high interest rates we paid savers meant that we had to charge higher rates to borrowers and those higher loan rates, specially when combined with continuing high home prices, dampened the local mortgage market," Allison said. "We paid \$1,089,521.12 in savings accounts interest to our depositors in 1980," he continued, "the highest in the association's history. Mutual Savings and Loan Association's savings now total \$14,634,367.93 - a gain of \$412,868.00 during 1980. The savings balance total is an all-time high."

Mutual Savings and Loan Association loaned \$1,607,475.00 to local home buyers in 1980. The association now has a total of \$14,327,495.43 in mortgage loans outstanding. That, too, is a record for the association. Allison further stated that, "in spite of the cost of funds, Mutual Savings and Loan Association ad-

ded \$90,748.00 to its reserves and the institution continues to maintain high reserve and liquidity ratios. At year-end, the assets reached a total of \$16,946,354.20."

In a year-end report to customers, Allison said "the 1980s hold great promise for home lending institutions such as Mutual Savings - in spite of a slow beginning. The population trends indicate a record housing demand nationally, and the local housing demand should be strong, too. It all depends of how the leaders of this country deal with inflation and related problems."

Allison added, "Mutual Savings will meet the challenge and continue to serve the community with its financial needs."

Members of the Board of Directors re-elected for 1981 are: F.V. Allison, Jr., Bert Collins, R.E. Dawson, J.J. Henderson, Ralph A. Hunt, William Jones, W.J. Kennedy, Jr., Willie C. Lovett, Mrs. Constance M. Watts, Herbert E. Weaver and Nathaniel B. White.

Officers re-elected for 1981 are: J.J. Henderson, chairman of the board, F.V. Allison, Jr., president; William Jones, vice president; Mrs. Josephine S. Strayhorn, vice president-secretary; and Mrs. Annie A. Johnson, controller-assistant secretary.

### Black Experience Workshop Scheduled

## Conference To Focus On Health-Human Services

CHAPEL HILL - the second annual Black Experience Workshop will be held Friday, February 27, at the Carolina Student Union on the campus of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Sponsored by the UNCH School of Social Work, the public workshop, led by black educators and practitioners, will focus upon health and human services for the black population. An open forum will be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 26, in 100 Hamilton Hall. The forum is free.

discussion topics will include: the family, child

development and socialization, media communication and the community, the elderly, potential and problems for the administrator and urban change and the community.

Speakers will include Dr. Leon Chestang, professor of social work at the University of Alabama; Dr. Jeanne Spurlock, associate deputy director of the American Psychiatric Association; Dr. Barbara Solomon, professor of social work at the University of Southern California; Dr. Stanley H. Smith, president of Shaw Univer-

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## 50,000 Turn Out In Cold To Push For Holiday

By Felicia M. Cassels

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Some 50,000 people participated in a rally at the Washington Monument on January 15 to make Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday anniversary a national holiday. The event was spearheaded by singer Stevie Wonder, 30, who has been traveling around the country encouraging people to support the holiday effort. The rally was the conclusion to a march from the nation's Capitol to the Monument led by Wonder and D.C. Congressman Walter Fauntroy. Fauntroy was master of ceremonies at the rally. Other personalities present included Rev. Jesse Jackson, Dick Gregory, Congressman John Conyers, D.C. Mayor Marion Barry, entertainer Gil

Scott-Heron, Imam Wallace D. Muhammed, Denver Bronco Rick Upchurch, and Martin Luther King, III, oldest son of the assassinated leader. King, III, gave one of the most well-received speeches of the day. He thanked rally participants, endorsed nonviolent tactics to promote change and encouraged blacks to return to the church. He said blacks must not accept indecent housing, inadequate health care and unemployment. He received loud applause when he repeated words from the black spiritual, "I Ain't No Ways Tired."

Stevie Wonder also addressed the crowd, calling the day the greatest of his life. He said he's not a

politician or a leader, but a human being who believes in expressing himself. Wonder led the crowd in singing "We Shall Overcome" and "Happy Birthday," a song from his latest album, calling for a national King holiday.

The rally was attended by persons from California to New York, with many organizations being represented, such as the recently formed National Black Independent Political Party.

Ofield Dukes, a Washington-based public relations specialist, organized the rally at Wonder's request. Wonder gave a benefit concert at Washington's Capitol Center to pay for the rally.



Stevie Wonder March

An estimated crowd of 50,000 people gathered on the grounds of the Washington Monument January 15 in honor of Martin Luther King's birthday. The march, sponsored by Stevie Wonder, The Martin Luther King Jr. Center for Non-Violent Social Change and the Office of the D.C. Mayor was in support of making King's birthday a national holiday. UPI Photo

## Stanford Warren Library To Sponsor History Essay Contest

By Trelle L. Jeffers  
The Stanford L. Warren Public Library, 1201 Fayetteville Street, is sponsoring an essay contest during February, Black History Month, and has invited Durham City Schools pupils to participate.

The theme for the essay is "Black History: Role Model For Youth," which is this year's national theme, and students from grades one through twelve are encouraged to submit essays.

Categories and length for essays are: grades 1-3, 100-200 words; 4-6, 300-500 words; 7-8, 600-800 words, and 9-12, 900-1000 words. All essays must be written in the students' own handwriting and will be judged on neatness, clarity, content or subject matter, originality, grammar and writing style.

The following awards will be offered in each

category: \$25 to first place winners; \$15 to second place winners, and \$10 to third place winners. The purpose of the essay contest is to make students aware of the contributions made by black role models in whatever areas they choose to research.

The contest will close on or before February 27, and winners will be announced at the Stanford L. Warren Public Library on March 14.

Dr. Frank B. Weaver, associate superintendent of Public Instruction, Durham City Schools, has endorsed the contest and Mrs. Claronell K. Brown, elementary supervisor of Science and Math,

Durham City Schools, will serve as coordinator for all teachers who wish to enter pupils from their classes. Presently, over 500 pupils have entered the contest.

All references and periodicals on black role models are available at the library and a bibliography on some of the material available has been prepared and will be distributed to all city schools.

Students who have not yet been informed about the contest may inquire at their schools or may visit the Stanford L. Warren Public Library to receive a briefing by a member of the library staff.

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