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Rep. Neal Complains To FEA

Dealers Upset Over Pressure

WSSU Selects Two Students To Attend NCAE Convention



Phylisa M. Frink



Letcher D. Hash

The W-S State University campus chapter of the Student North Carolina Association of Educators (SNCA) has elected two students to serve as male and female Representative Future Teachers.

Miss Phylisa M. Frink and Letcher D. Hash were nominated for the honor by the faculty. They will be recognized along with other representatives at the Second General Session of the NCAE Convention at 8 p.m. April 11 in Greensboro.

Miss Frink is a senior history major from Chadbourn. She is Vice President of

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Local Masons Plan Meeting In Greensboro

The Scottish Rite order of Prince Hall Masons of Winston-Salem are making plans to send a large delegation to the 23rd annual meeting of the North Carolina Council of Deliberation April 11-13 at Greensboro.

The council, made up of 32nd and 33rd degree masons, will convene at the Royal Villa Motel in the Gate City. Dr. G. Wesley Allen of Fayetteville, deputy of the Orients of North Carolina, will preside.

The meeting is expected to draw more than 1,000 masons from the various consistories and Loyal Ladies Assembly of Golden Circles throughout the state. The Loyal Ladies are the affiliated auxiliary of the sponsoring Masons. Greensboro Consistory No. 106 and the Greensboro Assembly of Golden Circle will be hosts.

Registration will begin at noon April 11 and the main business meeting will be held

Saturday. The annual banquet will be at 7:30 p.m. Saturday. Bishop Herbert Bell Shaw of Wilmington, grand master of Prince Hall Masons of North Carolina, will speak at the banquet.

Other national leaders of the order, who will take part in the three-day meeting are John G. Lewis of Baton Rouge, La., sovent grant commander of the Southern Jurisdiction of the United Supreme Council; and James A. Mingo, secretary general of the Holy Empire of the Southern Jurisdiction, Supreme Council.

Special guests on the program will include Jim Melvin, mayor of Greensboro; Dr. Lewis Dowdy, president of A&T University; Greensboro; and Dr. Isaac Miller, president of Bennett College, Greensboro.

Rep. Steve Neal has complained to high administration officials that major oil companies are using subtle tactics to encourage the public to use more gasoline.

Neal made the charge at a meeting with Frank G. Zarb, Federal Energy Administrator, in the Fifth District congressman's office.

Citing complaints from service station operators in his district and elsewhere, Neal told Zarb pressure is being applied to franchised dealers and independent operators under contract "to sell all the gasoline they can."

"The major companies are doing everything they can to get their dealers to stay open at night and on week ends, and to cut prices at a time when the federal policy is to conserve gasoline," Neal said. "The price cut, however,

comes out of the service station's share."

Neal said Zarb told him he was aware of the alleged tactics, and attributed them to a surplus of petroleum on the world market. The FEA is powerless to intervene, Neal explained, as long as contracts between service station operators and oil companies are not being violated.

Neal said that he and Zarb agreed that a stricter energy policy needs to be established and enforced.

Also attending the meeting was Tommy Thompson, operator of Downtown Tire Center and Service, Inc., at 431 N. Main St.

Thompson told Zarb he has been hounded to the brink of bankruptcy because "Gulf Oil Corporation has tried to drive

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Lost Savings Of \$8,500

City Man Is Flim-Flammed

Can you get something for nothing? Some people can, but most people can not. A 72-year-old city man tried recently to get something for nothing and wound up getting nothing for a whole lot.

Winston-Salem's latest flim-flam victim lost his life's savings to a con artist who promised to give him \$3,000 if he put up some money first. The victim reported to police that he was approached by a man in front of a drug store on Fourth and Trade streets. The man showed the victim an envelope which supposedly contained \$10,000.

The con artist told the victim that he found the money in a telephone booth in the post office. The con artist told the victim that he would give him \$3,000 if he would

put up some money first.

The victim went to his bank and withdrew \$8,500. He went to another bank and cashed the check he had drawn on his account. The check was cashed over the urgings of the bank teller that the man not cash such a large check. The money was given to the con artist and neither the police nor the victim have seen him since.

Sgt. Fry of Crime Prevention Division advises senior citizens not to go shopping alone because the suspect will always approach a single person. Frye said the department has films covering the deceptive measures used to flim-flam people.

He said Cloverdale Shopping Center has a high concentra-

tion of such cases happening. The Sgt. said sometimes blacks and white couple will be working together and they will converge upon their victims either black or women giving evidence of legitimacy.

WSSU Plans Dedication

Henry S. Lewis, Jr., Winston-Salem State University Chaplain and director of the new auditorium on campus, has announced the schedule for its dedication and opening events. The auditorium, to be named in honor of the Chancellor, Kenneth R. Williams, is scheduled for completion in March.

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