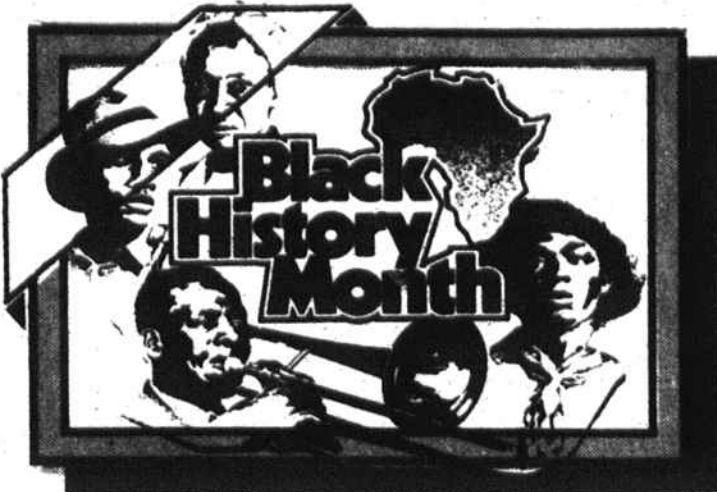




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Ordinance hearing is delayed

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — A Superior Court challenge of Atlantic City's parade ordinance by the Rev. Al Sharpton and activist Steven Young has delayed Wednesday's hearing on charges Sharpton and others violated the ordinance. They also were charged with violating a state statute when they blocked the Atlantic City Expressway during a march on Labor Day, which they also are challenging.

The hearing on the city's charges has been rescheduled for April 5.

Witnesses refuse to testify

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Prosecutors said that two key witnesses in Winnie Mandela's trial on kidnapping and assault charges had refused to testify because they feared for their lives.

Prosecutor Jan Swanspoel told the court that the witnesses, Kenneth Kase and Tshiso Momo, refused to come to court after a third witness, Gabriel Meko, was allegedly kidnapped Sunday.

All three testified at a previous trial that Mrs. Mandela, wife of African National Congress leader Nelson Mandela, beat them.

Police Chief reinstated

WARREN, Ark. (AP) — The Warren Civil Service Commission voted 3-1 Monday to reinstate the city's police chief, who had been on leave with pay since the fatal shooting of a suspect.

Robert Outlaw, 56, was back on patrol when the meeting adjourned Monday morning. Lindberg Jefferson, the only black member on the Civil Service Commission, cast the dissenting vote.

Before the vote, commissioners met with three representatives of the Bradley County NAACP. The three gave commissioners a letter requesting an investigation of alleged racial problems.

Wilder rated Best

RICHMOND (AP) — Gov. L. Douglas Wilder ranked No. 1 in a newspaper effectiveness survey, despite a contentious first year of budget slashing and battles with prominent members of his own party.

The legislators, lobbyists, public officials and journalists taking part in the survey by The Virginian-Pilot and The Ledger-Star gave him an average score of 7.79 out of a possible 10 points.

Fliers threaten students

ORANOE PARK, Fla. (AP) — Cahn has returned to Orange Park High School after two incidents in which racist fliers were distributed threatening the lives of 11 black students and two officials.

The incidents resulted in security being beefed up and prompted a schoolwide assembly Thursday.

"Everything is under control. Everything was fine today. There were no new incidents," a school official, who declined to give her name, said Friday.

Students said Thursday they were more angered than frightened by the fliers.

Judge claims conspiracy

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Lawyers for U.S. District Judge Robert F. Collins criticized a federal indictment against him as part of a nationwide effort by the Bush administration to dis-

Hine's new job reviewed

By RUDY ANDERSON
Chronicle Managing Editor

Winston-Salem's personnel director says the new duties of the city's former recreation and parks superintendent are under review to determine what his job classification and therefore his salary are supposed to be.

Alan Hine, the city's former superintendent of recreation and parks, was stripped of his duties as a supervisor last week in the wake of allegations raised

by members of the Board of Aldermen of discrimination against African-American employees and misuse of city property in the recreation and parks department.

Hine was reassigned by recreation and parks director Nick Jamison as an engineer in the department. But Jamison insisted that his reassignment had nothing to do with the allegations raised or the investigation of his department. He called the move an attempt to "have a good management team." He said it was in the best interest of the maintenance department to reassign

Hine. Hine, who has been employed with the city since 1971, said of the allegations, "They are nothing but allegations, that's all they are. I hope everything will come out shortly. I know the truth will be known."

On his reassignment Hine declined comment. But on the matter of his pending evaluation, Hine said, "I would imagine that one is coming. Anytime there is a

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History is Fun!



Children at the Kingston Green City Recreation Center are fascinated by the pictures and information about black history covering the walls of the center. A lot of the information on important figures concern not only key national figures but local people of note who have contributed to the development and enhancement of the African-American community.

Board hunt underway

Interim committee begins its work

By RUDY ANDERSON
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A seven member transition committee named last week to undertake the task of reconstituting the Winston-Salem Urban League Board of Directors began its work Tuesday.

The committee along with Rev. Johnson the director of fiscal management and operations for affiliates of the National Urban League, met for several hours at the Urban League office on 5th street.

The committee elected the Rev. Wendell Johnson, pastor of First Baptist Church on Highland Ave, as chair.

In addition to Johnson, other members of the

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WFU gift used for minority grants

Chronicle Wire Report

Two million dollars of a multi-million dollar gift to Wake Forest University from the Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation will be used to boost the institution's minority scholarship program.

The announcement of the three-part gift and how it would be used was made during the Founder's Day Convocation last week. In addition to funds

for the scholarships, the gift adds \$500,000 dollars to the university's existing merit scholarship program and \$250,000 a year to strengthen undergraduate faculty teaching and research.

"This three-part grant not only reflects the historically-strong relationship between the foundation and Wake Forest, but also is a testimony to the particular interest the foundation has in the university," said foundation board

member, Hubert Humphrey Jr., who made the gift presentation.

The foundation has supported minority scholarships since 1985. Until now, \$900,000 was provided by the foundation. Wake Forest officials say the gift will now boost the value of those one-year renewable scholarships to full instead of partial tuition. Currently 28 of the more than 230 African-American undergraduates at Wake For-

est are recipients of these scholarships. A total of 36 scholarships has been awarded since the mid-1980s.

The scholarships are merit-based and geared to attract qualified students.

Wake officials credit this scholarship program, along with several others, with helping the university increase its minority enrollment the last few

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Nursing Program gets extension

WSSU has two years to improve

By RUDY ANDERSON
Chronicle Managing Editor

A committee of the University of North Carolina Board of Governors followed the recommendation of UNC president C.D. Spangler that Winston-Salem State University's generic (four-year) nursing program be allowed to continue operating for two more years.

But during that time, the nursing program must keep its enrollment up and at least 75 percent of its students must pass state licensing exams.

Spangler made his recommendation last week to the educational planning committee of the Board of Governors after being persuaded by the university's trustee board to give the program more time to improve.

Spangler recommended last spring that the nursing program admit only registered nurses wanting to obtain a bachelor's degree instead of traditional four-year students.

That recommendation was made because Winston-Salem State's enrollment in the nursing program had dropped and for several years its



Jo Ann Miller (left) and Tonia Morrison (right) are very happy that the nursing program at their university has been given more time to improve.

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