



CALVIN E. LIGHTNER  
... built many top structures

### C. E. Lightner, Builder And Mortician Is Buried

Calvin E. Lightner, 83, founder of the Lightner Funeral Home, died last Saturday in St. Agnes Hospital.

Mr. Lightner was a native of Winstboro, S. C. and came to Raleigh in 1888. Here he attended Shaw University, graduating in 1908. He entered the contracting business and constructed many buildings in Raleigh. Among them are the following:

Davie Street Presbyterian Church, which he designed; the

Lightner Building, now owned by the N. C. Teachers' Association; the Lightner Arcade Hotel, now owned by the Home Eekers, Inc.; the original Mechanics and Farmers Bank building; and the YWCA building.

As a churchman, Mr. Lightner was a member of the Davie Street Presbyterian Church for 62 years. He held many positions in the church over the years, serving as

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### Plea Of Insanity Rejected

MOBILE, Ala. — A 31-year-old Negro charged with raping a young white mother pleaded innocent by reason of insanity to the Oct. 16 crime, but a lunacy commission ruled him sane.

According to the white woman, Sam Smith awakened her after she had fallen asleep while watching a television, they scuffled but he tore off her clothes and raped her. She said he was armed and stayed in the house more than two hours, raping her again before

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### Industries Drew Many Gov. Hodges

Gov. Luther H. Hodges said in a news conference last week Friday that the 1960 census figure showed that the State "must redouble its efforts to attract industry and local communities must wake up to their needs. They must realize that it is going to cost money to make progress."

The percentage increase in population, he said, "is not as large as we would have liked but the chief thing is that we're very lucky the State has worked so hard in the past to supply jobs for people or the out-migration would have been greater."

The Census Bureau reported pre-

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**HEADS CANCER DRIVE** — L. C. Lindsay, above, Raleigh district manager of Winston Mutual Life Insurance Company, has been chosen as head of the colored division in the cancer drive of the American Cancer Society, Inc. He is active in civic and religious life in the city, serving on the trustee board of the First Congregational Church, and as president of the Thompson School PTA.

### State News

#### Brief

#### REV. TURNER RETURNS FROM MEET

RALEIGH — The Rev. A. J. Turner of 1801 Charles Street, this city, returned last week from Los Angeles, Calif., where he attended

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# Would-Be Rapists Languish In Jails

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## Political 'Pot Boils' In City

# King's Request Denied

### Dig Voter Turnout Is Expected

(See Sample Ballot On Page 12) Raleigh and Wake County voters are anxiously awaiting the outcome of the Saturday, May 28 primary. Negro registration has increased in all of the precincts and

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### Three Rape Attempts Thwarted

A wave of carnal looseness has balked up three rape attempt cases, involving Negroes ranging in age from 15 to 22, during the past week.

In Raleigh, a 15-year-old boy

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**REQUEST TRANSFER OF TRIAL** — Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and one of his five attorneys are shown here after requesting that his state tax perjury trial be transferred from Circuit Court, Montgomery, on grounds that his starring role in the bus boycott there five years ago meant he would not receive fair treatment. The request was denied. On the right is Judge Hubert Delany of New York, a native of Raleigh. (UPI TELEPHOTO).

### Tax Trial To Proceed As Planned

MONTGOMERY, Ala. — The perjury trial of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. will be conducted in the circuit court here in spite of a request to the contrary.

Special Circuit Judge James Carter refused last Thursday to move the trial to another circuit because "I am convinced that the defendant can get a fair, just, and impartial trial in the circuit court of Montgomery," the judge said.

Dr. King, head of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, fears that his integration activities may prejudice his case. He is to be tried on two charges of perjury in connection with his 1955 and 1958 state income tax. Alabama officials charged that he under-reported his income by \$27,000.

Another defense motion asking that charges be dismissed on grounds that Negroes are syste-

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DR. JEROME H. HOLLAND  
... takes over at Hampton

### Dr. J. H. Holland Ninth President Of Hampton

HAMPTON, Va. — Dr. Jerome H. Holland, 44, has been appointed the ninth president of Hampton Institute, 92-year-old college on Virginia's lower peninsula, according to an announcement by the college's board chairman, Arthur Howe, Jr. of Yale University.

Dr. Holland, who has been president of Delaware State College, Dover, since 1953, will assume his new post July 1.

Hampton Institute's and Delaware State's faculties—meeting at the same time on their

respective campuses recently—were the first to hear the announcement. Dr. Holland will fill the vacancy created by Dr. Alonzo G. Moron's resignation last June, after serving as Hampton's president for ten years.

Since last July, Dr. William E. Martin, Hampton's dean of faculty, has served as acting president of the college which currently enrolls over 1,300 students and has

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### 2,000 Club Women To City June 2-4

The North Carolina Federation of Negro Women's Clubs will hold its 51st Annual Conference June 2-4 on the campus of Shaw University, Raleigh. The Conference will open on Thursday night, June 2, with a meeting of the executive board.

A general session is scheduled for Friday night, June 3, 8:00 p. m. Greenleaf Chapel, Mrs. Gretchen V. C. Abbott, Consultant of Southern States, White House Conference on Children and Youth, Washington, D. C., will deliver the main address. 2,000 women are expected.

She will be introduced by Miss Wilhelmina Crosson, president of Palmer Memorial Institute, Sedalia. At this session the members of the Federation will be extended a

welcome on behalf of the City by Honorable W. C. Enloe, Mayor of Raleigh.

Greetings will be given by Mrs. Lillian Logan, one of the founders of Mary Talbert Home, Raleigh; Miss Ellen Bush, Supervisor of Field Services, State Board of Public Welfare; Dr. W. R. Strasser, President of Shaw University; and Dr. J. A. Boyer, President of St. Augustine's College. Mrs. Hardy Liston of Charlotte will respond to the greetings and welcome.

The officers of the Federation will be presented to the audience by Mrs. Rose D. Aggrey, president-emerita, Salisbury.

Music for the occasion will be furnished by the First Congregational Church Choir. The public

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### Members Report Meetings Planned By Raleigh YMCA

Report meetings in the current Bloodworth Street YMCA Membership enrollment campaign have been scheduled for Tuesdays and Fridays at 7:30 p. m. at the "Y". Cecil H. Flagg, general chairman, has announced. The first report session has been scheduled for Friday, May 27. The meeting will be brief and will be followed by the Grady D. Davis Political Campaign Meeting.

Mr. Davis, candidate for the House of Representatives de-

livered the address at the Kick-off meeting last Friday night. In a very eloquent and moving address, the campaigners were urged to put the YMCA drive over because of the purpose and program of the Association. "If we do not join the 'Y', we ought to be ashamed of ourselves," he chided them. During the past few months the YMCA has served as a meeting place for hundreds of Raleigh's cit-

izens who have attended forums, civic meetings, political meetings, club meetings of all kinds and varied other activities.

The "Y" receives about 30 per cent of its budget from the United Fund and membership helps to pay the 70 per cent remaining it was stated.

A YMCA "join-up station" has been set up in the lobby of the "Y" and all citizens who are not contacted may drop in anytime and get their "Y" cards.

### Slayer Of NC Policeman Confesses At Charlotte

CHARLOTTE — Millot Faust walked into police headquarters here last Sunday morning and confessed that he slew Officer John R. Annas during a street brawl the previous night.

Faust, who was involved in a street fight with another Negro, snatched a pistol from the holster of Officer James Bruce, who accompanied Annas, and pumped six bullets into Annas.

Bruce said he and Annas were riding in a patrol car in a Negro section when they spotted two Negroes engaged in a street fight with a large crowd of bystanders watching. He said the Negroes resisted arrest.

"A Negro man grabbed my pistol from the holster. He opened fire on Annas as Annas came back from the car. Annas fell to the street and the man with the gun pumped another five bullets into him as he lay there on the pavement."

Annas was rushed to Memorial Hospital by other officers answering the radio call. Annas was dead on arrival.

Witnesses told officers that they saw Faust running with Bruce's revolver in his hand after the shooting. A hunt for Faust followed

and was still going on when he surrendered.

Annas was 25 years old and the father of two small children.

### ODDS-ENDS

BY ROBERT G. SHEPARD

#### THE HOME STRETCH

The Grady D. Davis campaign, seeking to land one of Wake County's three seats in the state legislature for Davis, is now in the home stretch. Come Saturday night it will all be over.

At this stage, providing you do your part, Davis appears to have a good chance of winning. However, upon that provision, YOU DO YOUR PART, rests the whole outcome of this battle.

A good registration effort was responsible for the addition of approximately 2,000 names to the voting list. This number added to those already registered means we now have some 8,000 plus Negro voters in Wake County.

The one way to put Grady D.

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**HOST COMMITTEE FOR WOMEN'S CLUBS** — The above persons make up the planning committee for the annual convention of the N. C. Federation of Women's Clubs, which will convene here June 2-4. Seated, from left to right, are: Mesdames Lillian Logan, Victoria Walters, and Hattie Toole. Standing, left to right, are: Mesdames Beatrice Hall, Ruby S. McKinney, Minnie Burns, W. P. Devane, and Mrs. Ida Jones. (See story this page).

### A. Powell Comments On Sit-Ins

RICHMOND, Va. — Congressman Adam Clayton Powell called the student sitdown demonstrations a campaign against "the cheap, shoddy, hypocritical legalism of the land" in an address at an NAACP rally here last week Thursday.

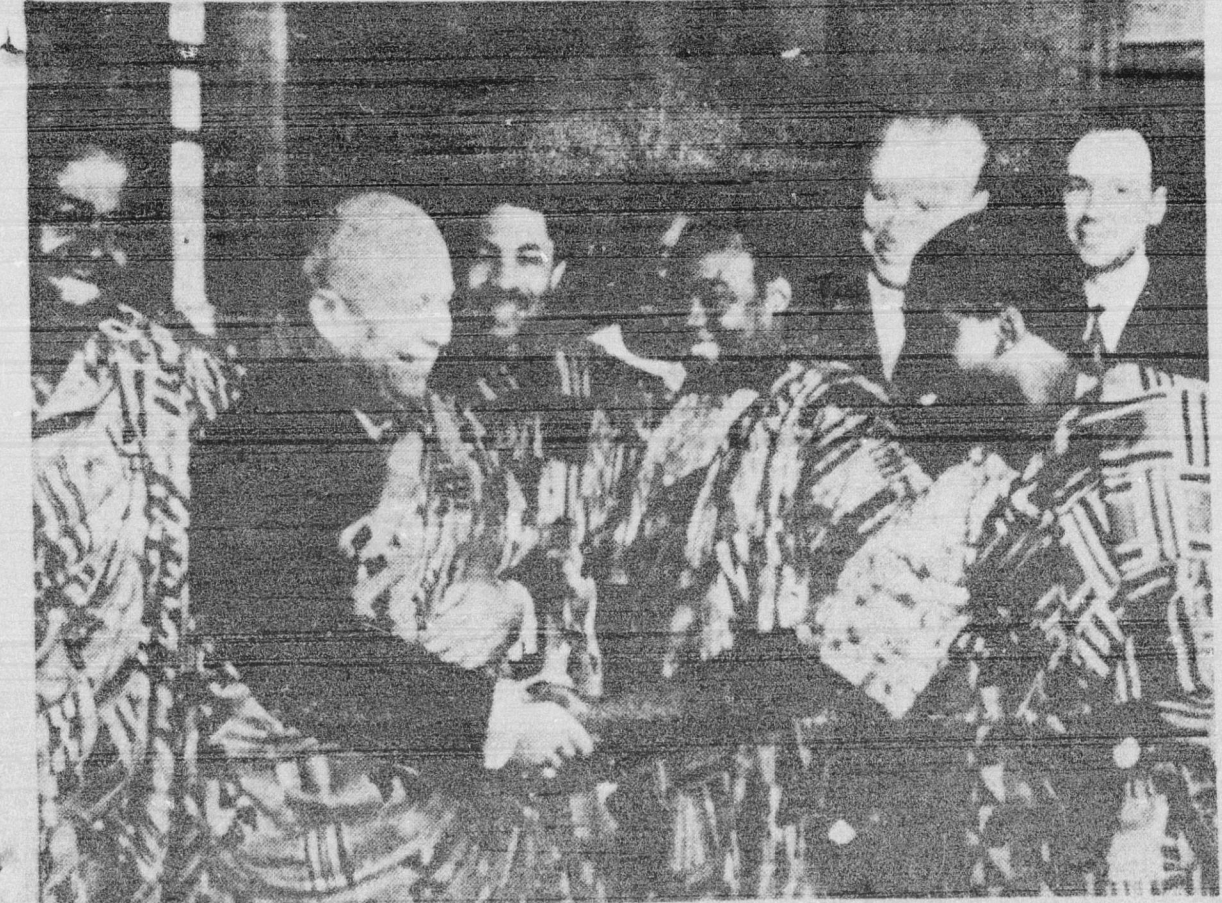
The congressman said that the Negro is the last revolutionary in an America which lies groveling under the tyranny of mediocrity. The Negro fighting against 2nd-class citizenship "is conscious that each personal victory will help save America from second-class nationhood," he said.

In speaking of Sen. Harry F. Byrd, Congressman Powell told the crowd of 4,000 people he believed that "if white Vir-

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**GHANA ROBE FOR MR. "K"**—Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev wraps a traditional Ghana robe about himself over his Western suit in a meeting with Ghanaian leaders in Moscow. The colorful costumed African leaders were members of Ghana's Parliamentary delegation to the U.S.-S.R. (UPI PHOTO).

**SAT. IS THE DAY! BE SURE TO VOTE FOR YOUR CANDIDATES**