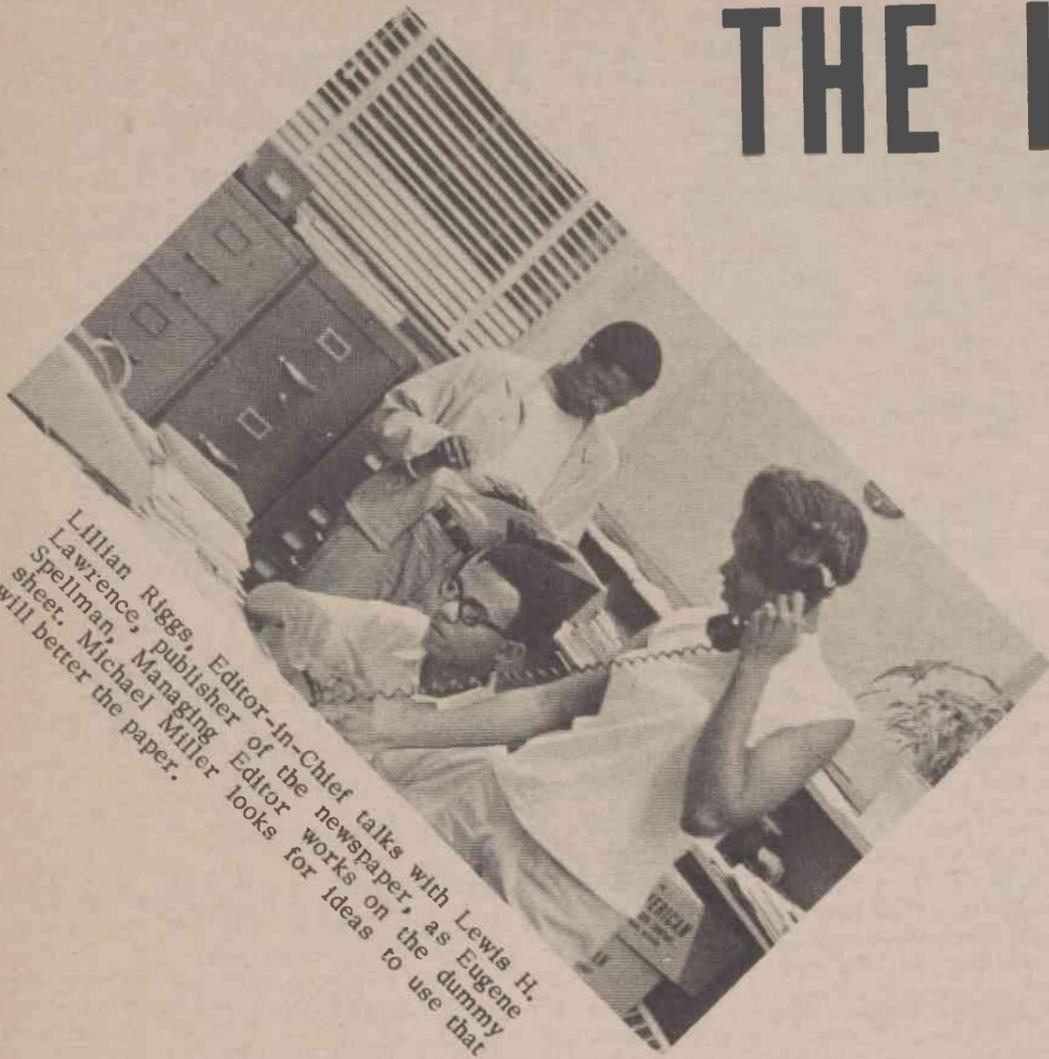


THE INSIDE STORY

Publishing Our Monthly Paper More Work Than You Think



Lillian Riggs, Editor-in-Chief talks with Lewis H. Lawrence, publisher of the newspaper, as Eugene Spellman, Managing Editor works on the dummy sheet. Michael Miller looks for ideas to use that will better the paper.

Publishing our monthly newspaper is more work than you think.

Have you ever stopped to think just how your university paper, THE COMPASS is published? You've probably never thought about the processes that it must go through before it is available to you. We feel that the readers of our paper should know the many, many tasks performed before and after the papers are issued.

During the course of the week, we are constantly receiving letters from alumni, friends of alumni, high school, college, and university newspaper editors, and many individuals who want to receive our newspaper. All of these names must be alphabetically added to a list of approximately 2,000 other names. All of these 2,000 individuals are mailed copies of the Compass free of charge.

All work done on the paper has to be done within our meetings which are held once a week from 7:30 until. This is necessary because our staff is made up of students. Many of us work in other offices on campus, we all have studying to do, library assignments and

many of us have tight class schedules. Our small meeting room is filled with determined persons who help get YOUR paper to the press on time.

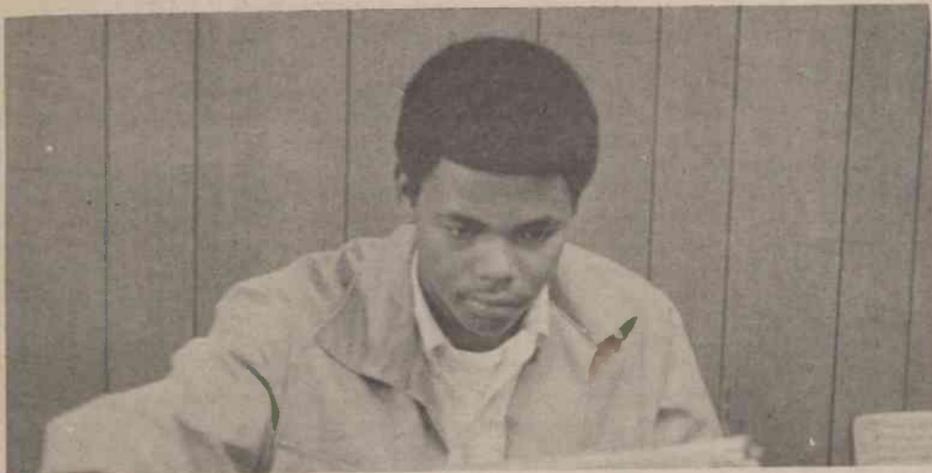
Our typists work diligently in typing articles. They have the undesirable task of trying to discern the editor's handwriting along with others who are not legible.

Because of the distance of our publishers, Lawrence Newspaper, Garner, N. C. there is a considerable amount of work involved in receiving the paper. They need 5 days to prepare our paper. At the end of those 5 days the paper is sent to us by bus.

The papers must be distributed on campus. With a sufficient number of papers in each dormitory and other places on campus, we then prepare our papers for mailing.

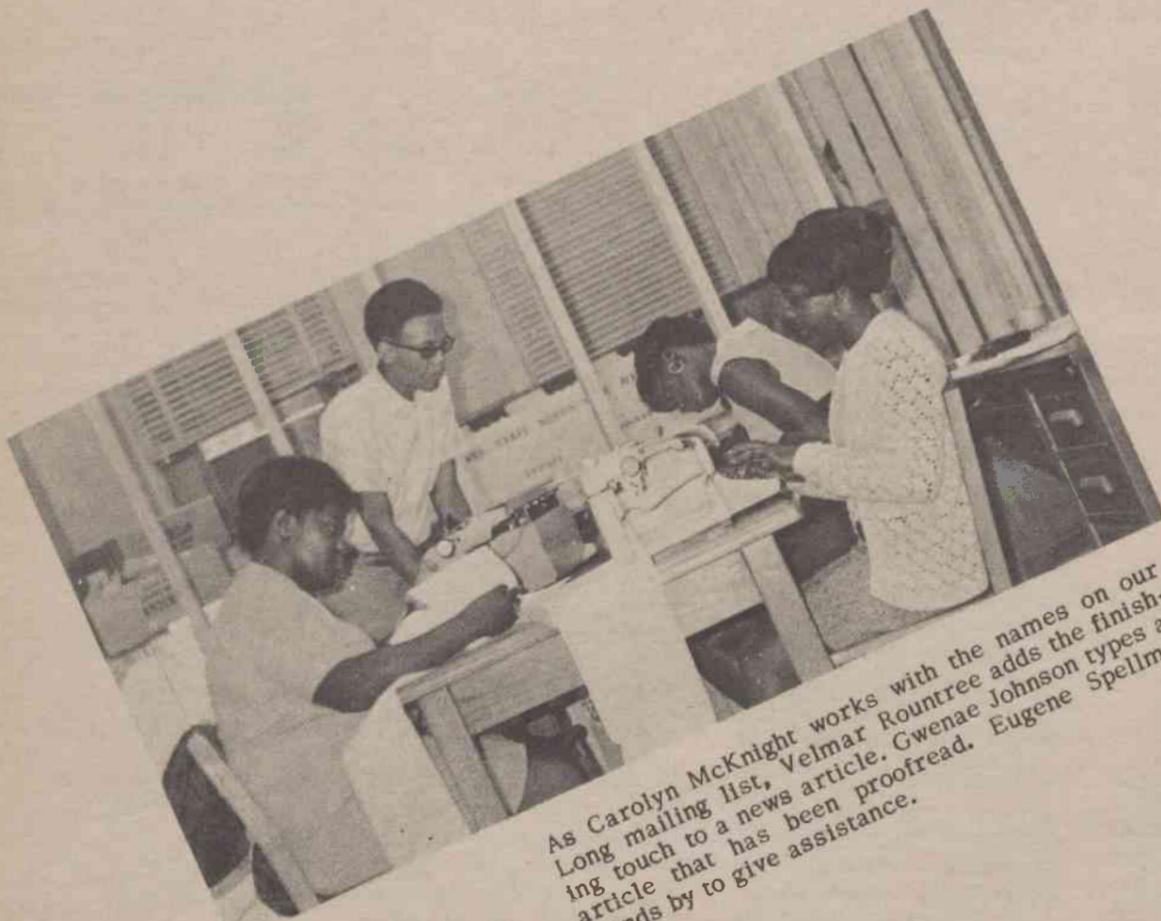
You prepare the papers for mailing - they must all be folded a special way. This job is one which is very tedious, but with our diligent workers, it is done in one day.

We must compliment the personnel in the business office for the promptness with which our checks are prepared



Walter Winborne, Sports Editor, prepares articles on the ECSU football games.

THE COMPASS STAFF



As Carolyn McKnight works with the names on our Long mailing list, Velmar Rountree adds the finishing touch to a news article. Gwenae Johnson types an article that has been proofread. Eugene Spellman stands by to give assistance.



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