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Robinson in runoff for Mayor

VOTE FOR

A. C. Robinson, Jr.

— for —

Mayor

OF ELIZABETH CITY

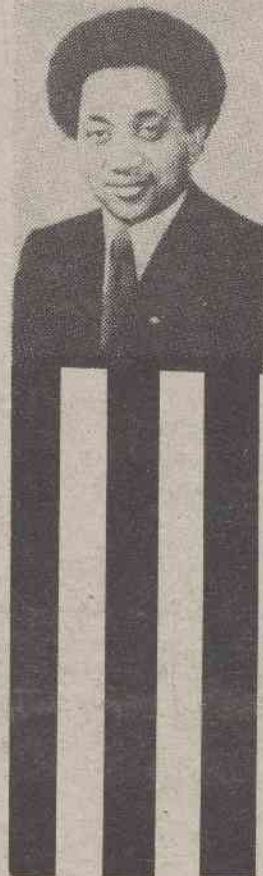


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Resident of Elizabeth City

Experienced in:

- Personnel
- Policies
- Procedures
- Budgets

INTERESTED IN THE PEOPLE
... NOT IN THE POLITICS



By **LARRY LISTER**
"Elizabeth City needs a new sense of direction and a change to Black leadership," asserted Albert C. Robinson, Jr., Personnel Director at Elizabeth City State University in his campaign speech for Mayor of Elizabeth City.

Robinson said that if he becomes Mayor he would provide more industrial growth to the area and would become "the people's Mayor."

A runoff with John Bell, present Mayor of Elizabeth City is scheduled for Nov. 6. Robinson called for the runoff because on October 9, he came withing 250 votes of unseating Bell.

U.S. Jaycee President Visits ECSU A Historical Event



By **GAYLE PLUMMER**

Who would ever believe that a visit from a big man to a small town could promote student involvement and enhance enthusiasm about our city, state and nation in a matter of minutes?

Those who attended can verify that last Thursday marked an historical event on the campus of Elizabeth City State University as students and faculty members were on hand for an address by the U.S. Jaycee President in Moore Hall Auditorium.

In his address, J. Terryl Bechtol, the 60th U.S. Jaycee President mentioned that out of approximately 267 college Jaycee chapters in the United States, his first campus visit was to ECSU. He added that the college chapters have only been in

existence for approximately five years.

Travelling from Alexandria, Virginia late that afternoon, Bechtol was in Elizabeth City for the 30th anniversary of the Elizabeth City Jaycees to be celebrated later that evening at the Elizabeth City Jaycee Fairgrounds.

The installation of 40 new members was a highlight in the program. Campus Jaycee President, John A. Ward, senior Music Education major presented Bechtol with gifts as a token of brotherhood.

After expressing his appreciation for the invitation and gifts, Bechtol went on to elaborate on the characteristics of a good Jaycee. He urged students to get involved with campus as well as civic

organizations and to lend a helping hand in the community when needed.

The U.S. Jaycees, the second largest volunteer organization in our country also has several members in the U.S. House of Representatives - approximately 62 percent.

The first U.S. Jaycee President in 31 years without a college degree, Bechtol stressed that earth's greatest treasure lies in human personality and that this organization was built upon brotherhood, free enterprise and service to humanity.

He added that it is left to the young Jaycees to bring the nation back to patriotism. "Our country is in a time of crisis," he emphasized.

This crisis can only be

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