

MAY NAME SHAW HEAD ON FRIDAY NEW SCHOOL SUIT LOOMS

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AID SOUGHT FOR HUNDREDS ON N. C. FARMS RIPPED BY STORM

HOLIDAY TOLL: 10

IT HAPPENED IN CAROLINA

To Jamboree

DURHAM — Eight local Boy Scouts left town on June 25 via special train to attend the National Jamboree being held at Valley Forge, Pa.

Among the local scouts who attended the event are James Schooler, Jr.; Bobbie Alston, James Morris, Ernest Peeler, Jr., Irving Pratt and Park Edgerton. The youth are scheduled to return Saturday morning.

Other towns in the Occaneechee Council sending Scouts to the Jamboree include Raleigh, Fayetteville, Oxford and Sanford.

Hot Rod Men

DURHAM — Their cars are no hot rods, but the way they were driving them was the best Barney Oldfield tradition, local officers contended as they booked two men here July 4 for speeding.

Nabbed were Jim Byrd and Lowell Joiner, who were clocked at 70 miles per hour in a 38 MPH zone. Byrd, driver of a '49 Hudson, said he attempted to pass Joiner's '49 Mercury when a spontaneous race began. The race was halted by traffic patrolmen.

Attack Attempt?

CLINTON — A man is being held here on charges of attempted assault and an attempt to break in after being caught near the house where a pregnant woman stood screaming for help, and shortly after bore a child.

Shot in the knee by an irate husband who found him near the porch of his home when returning to investigate the frantic calls of his ancient wife, is Luther Calvin, 33.

She's Happy

ZEULON — One of the happiest and yet un-happiest persons in this city is Mrs. Elsie Jones.

Mrs. Jones is happy because she received some of the material aid given farmers whose crops were destroyed in last week's hail-storm. Mrs. Jones is unhappy because her crop on the Arthur Carter farm where she is a widow and the mother of 10 children.

Real Mean

RALEIGH — James Jiles is scheduled to face a local judge this week to see what will be done on the charge that he deliberately ran over a female dog with young puppies with his car. He will face charges of cruelty to dumb animals. The charge was brought by a man who said he saw it happen.

Such Irony

RALEIGH — Gov. W. Kerr Scott, who was swept into office on his state roads program has yet to go around to having the state look at the road around his own residence.

The Governor's home is on Rural Route 1, Hawk River.

Cuttin Good Time

DURHAM — Miss Geneva Jones, 20, is facing trial here for assault and battery with intent to kill in connection with the cutting of Johnnie Perkins July 4.

Perkin's condition, according to the Lincoln Hospital here, is "fair."

Faces IN THE News



COUNSEL IN SUIT: Former North Carolina Senator William B. Umstead is one of the counsels for the officials of the Durham City School system facing suit in Federal Court on complaints of unequal schooling facilities for Negro children in that city. The precedent-setting case is currently in recess.



PARTICIPATE—Authors Chester Himes and Phillip Mannino are participating in Creative Writing Seminars and an Audio Visual Arts conference respectively at North Carolina College this month.



ALUMNUS OF YEAR: A. T. Spaulding, vice president and organizer of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company was recently voted "Alumnus of the Year" of North Carolina College.

GRIM REAPER STALKS STATE ON HOLIDAY

RALEIGH — At least 10 North Carolina Negroes lost their lives through violence during the recent "long" holiday weekend.

While traffic accidents claimed most of the lives, violence among persons and drowning also took a toll.

Death began to stalk the Carolina countryside on Friday when three men were killed near Lexington, when their car ran out of control and crashed into a tree.

THREE KILLED — Fatally injured in that accident were Samuel Edward McElvira, 23, Thomas Bryant, 25, and Aaron Lee, 25. All the men were residents of Lexington.

MAN DROWNED — Rayno Felley, 32, of Gastonia, was drowned Sunday in the Catawba River near Gastonia while swimming. The victim lost his life in the waters of approximately the same spot where three white men died the same day, drowning when their rowboat overturned.

SOLDIER VICTIM — Pvt. Robert Griffin, 20, stationed at Fort Bragg, died Monday night of injuries he sustained in an automobile accident on Monday morning. Full details on the accident were not forthcoming from Military authorities.

OTHER DEATHS — The Grim Reaper claimed the life of 18-year-old Donald Feaster when a wire broke loose from a town chain connected to a lead car close to the South Carolina line.

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CONSTRUCTION JOB INJURIES PROVE FATAL

WILSON — Willie Pace, 31, became the second person to die from injuries received when a construction elevator crashed here last week. He died Thursday.

First to succumb to injuries was a white construction worker.

Funeral services for Pace were held in his home county last week.

DEATH OF BOB RABB COMES AS SHOCK TO W-S

WINSTON-SALEM — The Monday morning death of Robert Earle (Bob) Rabb, director of the summer recreation program of the YMCA branch, came as a distinct shock to the city.

Rabb, 29, was a popular athlete at Winston-Salem Teachers College during his collegiate days, and succumbed after a brief illness at a local hospital. At the local college, Rabb, known as "Bob" Rabb to teammates and acquaintances, engaged in football, basketball, and intramural baseball.

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COMMEMORATING 50 YEARS OF MARRIAGE are Mr. and Mrs. Edgar R. Williams, of 425 South Person Street, Raleigh, whose anniversary was observed Thursday, June 29, at 8:30 p. m. at St. Paul AME Church. The pastor, Rev. T. P. Duhart officiated.

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Beaufort Eyes School Suit

WASHINGTON, N. C. (Special) — With the precedent-making Durham school equality case now re-referred in Federal Court, mention has been made here on the possibility of court action over the six-months long battle on a plan of school organization for Beaufort Co. Following an appearance of Beaufort representatives before the State School board in Raleigh this week, it was assumed that court action would be utilized in an effort to retain Negro and white schools in Parisette.

A plan already advanced would consolidate the high schools, both white and colored, with those in Beaufort, about 100 miles distant.

Beaufort citizens, however, have protested the plan, pointing out the inconveniences which would be fastened upon students, and also pointing out class lines in the scheme.

The preeminent "gripe" of Beaufort citizens, as they appeared before the School Board, however, was that there had been no real investigation.

The two arrests made Friday brought the week's "take" in the crackdown up to the dozen figure. At least nine of the persons arrested during the past week had previous convictions on lottery charges, convictions hanging from playing in writing and collecting numbers bets.

FARM CROPS DESTROYED BY RAGING STORMS

By STAFF CORRESPONDENT RALEIGH — The rains came to Central and Eastern North Carolina last week, bringing with them high winds and hail and leaving in their wake hundreds of acres of totally ruined crops.

The rains, the hail and the wind played no favorites, smashing through the properties of all persons, white and colored, owner and tenant, leveling stands of tobacco and inundating truck crops beneath tons of mud and sledge.

Negro farmers in an area reaching from Wake County going Eastward to and through Wilson and Nash counties, stand in dire need of assistance, and presented pitiable spectacle to CAROLINIAN reporters who interviewed them on the sites of their ruined season's work.

A typical situation occurred on the farm owned by Avon Privett, an automobile dealer in Zebulon, whose 10 tenant farmers saw their crops smashed to bits by driving hail and roaring winds last Thursday morning.

Two Negro tenant farmer on the Privett estate, Ernest Carpenter and Elijah Moore have no way in which to figure their actual losses during the storm. While tobacco crops are insured for only \$200 an acre, with the tenant-owner percentage being 50-50, the men also sustained losses from their farm crops with the possible exception of corn which miraculously bore the brunt of the storm with seemingly unswerving resistance.

AID COMES — North Carolina and the United States government, along with public service agencies, immediately

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N. C. NUMBERS DRIVE GROWS; 12 MEN NABBED

GREENSBORO — The state-wide concentrated crackdown on the infamous "Numbers" racket gained more impetus here last week when a total of 12 men were arrested for taking part in the lottery.

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The numbers set-up in Greensboro is predominantly "litter and eggs" in which published stock market figures are used to determine the winning number for the day. In other cities in the state, the numbers lotteries are operated on the "L-T" plan in which the published records of utility changes are utilized.

In Eastern North Carolina, the usual mode for numbers operation is through the use of a "wheel." The bet slips are placed in a bin usually located in a hide-away. At a certain time of the day, the bin is shaken up and spun, with the number on the first slip to fall from the bin being considered the winning number.



TO BE WED: Miss Mabel Louise Turner, popular young Raleigh resident who is engaged to be wed according to an announcement by Mrs. Delta H. Turner, mother of the bride-elect. Turner will repeat nuptial vows to Dr. E. Alton Wimberly late August.

Dr. Jackson May Be Named

RALEIGH — The entire academic community here emboding S. University and St. August College is a-dither this week, it becomes more and more likely that Dr. Raymond Jackson of Chicago will become the next president of Shaw.

Popular rumors circulate throughout the city center that the trip that Dr. Jackson, prominent Baptist leader, is making to Raleigh this week and is for the purpose of accepting or rejecting the presidency of the Baptist institution.

Ever since the current operative Interim Committee of the school first began deliberations on a successor for Dr. R. P. Daniel, who resigned to Shaw Presidency to become president at Virginia State College this year the name of Dr. Jackson has been foremost in discussion.

This Friday Dr. Jackson scheduled to be in Raleigh with the Executive Committee of the University holds a meeting of the committee, which embodies members of all of the school's boards as well as members of the Interim Committee, does not have it its power to actually select a president to head the noted institution. It can only make recommendations to the Board of Directors. Trustees in other groups who actually control such decisions.

NOTE CHURCHMAN — Dr. Jackson, a native of Miss.

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50 Snared In Mecklenburg County ABC July 4 Sweep

CHARLOTTE — The Independence Day celebration in Mecklenburg County was none too happy for at least 50 persons of color who were caught up in the net tossed out by county Alcohol Beverage Control agents.

Working with clock-like precision, ABC agents swept thru the county during the four-day period, including July fourth and rounded up the near half-

hundred persons, all of whom were caught in possession of liquor, both tax-paid and otherwise. Hearings on the arrests are scheduled to be held for the remainder of this week and into next week in an effort to keep the docket of the lower court from becoming congested. The all-out raids were started

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Hey, Hubby: You'll Have To Walk A Chalk Line Now

RALEIGH — If legislation discussed in Raleigh Wednesday by the Domestic Relations Commission becomes a reality, even state lines may soon be no protection to men who desert their families.

Among other matters, the Commission studied a proposed bill to recommend to the 1951 Legislature which would make North Carolina laws pertaining to abandonment effective in other states as well, pending enactment of reciprocal legislation in those states. About a dozen states already have such legislation.

The Commission met in the Justice Building, with all members present, and considered possibilities of amendments and additions to several other North Carolina statutes pertaining to children in divorce cases, guardianship, juvenile court age jurisdiction, and abandonment and non-support.

PEACE PRAYERS REQUEST MADE

WINSTON-SALEM — The Negro Home and Welfare Association and the Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance have issued a joint request that all citizens of the city join in the city-wide prayer for world peace.

The groups ask that residents set up home altars and pray daily for the return of peace to the world. The cooperation of all local groups in the observance of the prayer period has been asked.