# Huge Negro Attendance Expected At Billy Graham Meet

## N. C. COLLEGE, A and T TEAMS GET BOWL BID

RALEIGH — North Carolina College at Durham has received a bid to play in the annual Orange Blossom Classic game played in the Orange Bowl, Miami, and North Carolina A. and T. College has either signed a pact to appear in a post-season game or is expected to do so within the week, it was learned this week.

The North Carolina College team, one of the few unbeaten grid teams in the nation's race colleges to date, has been offered the opportunity of meeting the Florida A. and M. College Rattlers in the 19th annual Blossom classic on December 1.

A. and T. College, at the same time, is under consideration as one of the opposing teams in the Steel Bowl Classic planned for Birmingham's Legion Field as a post-season attraction. A. and T. coaches, earlier in the season, were approached for the Steel Bowl game as well as others, and a contract for a post-season game by the Aggies was reportedly signed. No confirmation to this report could be gained this week.

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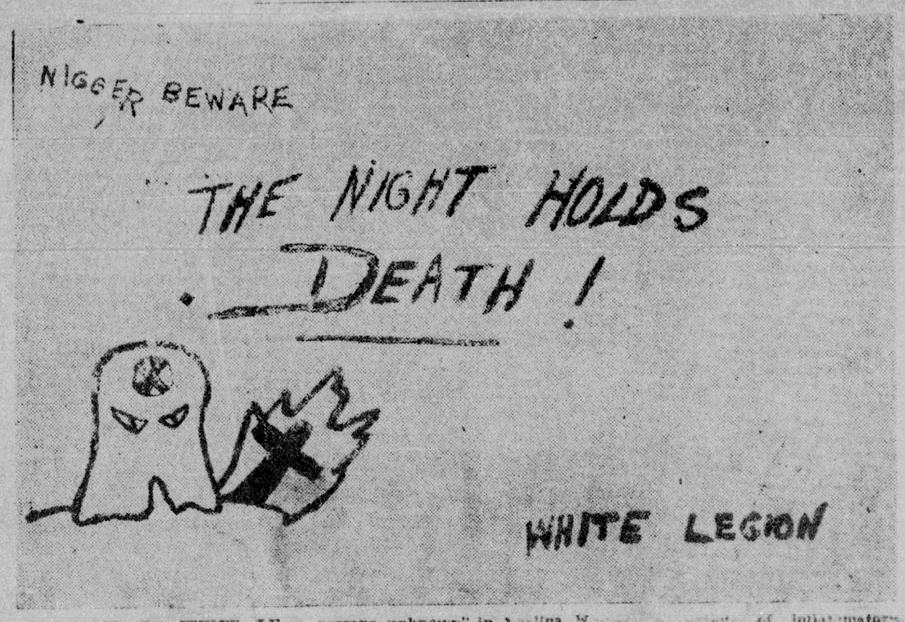
# FOUL PLAY FEARED; FIVE BODIES EXHUMED

## NAACP MEET CAUSED WHITE LEGION SCARE




EVIDENCE OF WHITE LEGION INVASION — Above is a photo-engraved reproduction of one of the hand-bills which were distributed by "person or persons unknown" in Norlina, N. C. recently. The bill, reading "Ni . . . r, beware . . . The Night Holds Death . . ." and signed "White Legion" is merely one [illegible] notices of its kind which was spread through the Warren County town following a mass meeting of the NAACP there

### Norlina Residents Still Apprehensive

By Staff Correspondent

NORLINA — The concensus of opinion here is that the recent "invasion" of this district by the White Legion, teen - age counterpart of the Ku Klux Klan, was prompted by a mass meeting staged under the aupices of the N. A. A. C. P., the CAROLINIAN was told this week by E. D. Crosson, member of the board of the State NAACP and head of the Warren County Branch.

Mr. Crosson

Mr. Crosson, who first ordered investigation of the spread of hand - bills threatening Negroes and signed by the White Legion here, further revealed that a forthcoming session of the Warren N. A. A. C. P. will be asked to officially petition Norlina officials to re-investigate the source of the hand - bills and bring to justice these persons responsible for their distribution.

An NAACP mass meeting held in a small community outside of Norlina, positions of which were transcribed and broadcast through an Oxford, NC broadcasting station as a public service, is indicated as the cause for White Legion intimidation locally. At that meeting, held one day previous to the night the hanad-bills were distributed, speakers were C. O. Pearson, Durham attorney and chairman of the legal redress committee of the State NAACP and Attorney M. H. Johnson, also of Durham and a member of the redress committee.

Mr. Crosson and other local residents note that a feeling of apprehension still permeate the lominantly - Negro populated sectors of the town.

# Shaw U. To Inaugurate President

## EVANGELIST TO BE IN RALEIGH THREE DAYS

### Near Thousand Seats Available Nightly For Attendants

RALEIGH — As a new wave of religious re-dedication sweeps the nation, indication was given this week that the same is happenjng here it it was learned that a huge Negro attendance is expected at the revival services to be staged by Evangelist Billy Graham at the William Neal Reynolds Coloseum on the campus of North Carolina State College this weekend.

**Evangelist Graham, a native of North Carolina, who in the last few years has become noted as the nation's leading evangelist and has been referred to as the "Billy Sunday of the 1950's", is scheduled to head a large group of evangelists who will hold services at the mammoth Coloseum Friday night through Sunday.**

In addition to meetings which will be held Friday and Saturday nights getting underway at 7:30, the Graham evangelistic troupe will also present its nationally-aired radio broadcast "The Hour of Decision" from the local site.

**ARRANGEMENTS MADE**

Specific arrangements for Negro accommodations have been made by the Coliseum management with upward to 1,000 seats tightly being set aside. The sole

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## CEREMONIALS FOR NEW SCHOOL HELD

GROUND-BREAKING PRINCIPALS — The Rev. Paul R. Johnson, pastor of the Martin Street Baptist Church, and Attorney Fred J. Carnage, a member of the City School Board, are shown breaking the ground for the new million-dollar Negro Junior and Senior high school in impressive ceremonies on the site of the proposed school on East Lenoir street northeast of Chavis Heights last Tuesday afternoon. Looking on, left to right, are C. H. McLendon, principal of the Washington School; Mrs. W. S. Lockhart, principal of the Crosby-Garfield School; E. L. Raiford, executive secretary of the Bloodworth Street YMCA; Jessie O. Sanderson, city superintendent of schools; Mayor James E. Briggs of Raleigh; Harold D. Cooley, Congressman for the Ninth Congressional District; A. L. Haskins and Thomas W. Cooper, architects for the school; and George W. Kane, contractor who is to construct the new building.

## MAN ACQUITTED IN SLAYING

GREENSBORO — A white man who the Guilford County Superior Court Solicitor says set himself up as "judge, jury and executioner" during a trial growing out of his alleged murder of a Negro neighbor who spoke "improperly" to his wife and sister in 950, was acquitted of all blame in the case here this week.

Despite Solicitor Charles T. Hagen's denouncement of a self-defense alibi as a "cock and bull story", John H. Coleman, 25-year-old Summerville area farmer, was was found not guilty of charges of second degree murder or manslaughter prefered by the State in the death of Roman Moore last November 26.

Moore and Coleman were tenants on the same farm the night Coleman fatally wounded Moore with a .22-calibre rifle.

Coleman's wife testified that on Moore made an improper remark the night before the shooting to her and her sister.

Coleman contended that on Nov.

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## YOUTH APPEALS 6—YEAR TERM

RALEIGH — Attorney Herman Tuesday filed appeal for a youth from Jamaica, N. Y., who was sentenced to six years in prison for allegedly accosting three white women here last week. The appeal is to Wake Superior Court.

Jonathan Blue, 20, was given two-year sentences on each of

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## W. R. Strassner Will Be Inaugurated On Friday

RALEIGH — Highlight of the Shaw University 86th Annual Founder's Day observance to be held Friday November 16, is to be the inauguration of the Reverend William R. Strassner as the sixth president of the noted Baptist institution.

**The day's exercises will begin at 10:00 o'clock a.m. at the grave of the school's founder, Dr. Henry Martin Tupper where officials will place a wreath. Inaugural ceremonies will begin at 11:00 o'clock a.m. in Raleigh Memorial Auditorium.**

Representatives from about forty colleges and Universities, twenty learned societies, educational and other organizations are expected for the induction.

Presiding will be the Reverend Edwin McNeill Poteat, vice chairman of the Board of Trustees of the University. Invocation will be given by Dr. Harold L. Trigg, president, St. Augustine's College, Raleigh.

**Greetings will be extended by the Reverend W. L. Wilson, State Vice President of the National Baptist Convention, U. S. A. Inc.; Dr. N. C. Newbold, on behalf of the National Education; the Rev. W. Drew Varney, American Baptist Convention; Dr. Alphonso Elder, President of North Ca-**

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W. R. STRASSNER

## LOCAL, FEDERAL OFFICIALS AT SCHOOL EVENT

### Impressive Ceremony Marks Event; School Not Yet Named

RALEIGH — Several city officials and at least one personality of national repute was present at ground-breaking ceremonies for Raleigh's projected million-dollar Negro junior and senior high school building here Tuesday afternoon.

**The joviality with which the ceremony was marked was considerably dampened when it was learned following the actual ground - breaking that no name has been chosen for the structure.**

Taking leading roles in the ceremonies marking the beginning of long - awaited construction on the building, located on Lenoir Street just East of the Chavis Heights Housing Project, were Superintendent of Schools Jesse O. Sanderson; School Board member F.

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## Decision Awaited In NC Reckless Eye-Ball Case

YANCEYVILLE — (Special) — Max Ingram, defendant in Caswell county's infamous "wreckless eye-balling" case in which the 44-year-old tenant farmer and father of nine children is alleged to have "assaulted" a white woman he never came within 75 feet of anywhere but in a courtroom, will know this week whether he must spend a term ranging upward to 15 years in prison or whether he will leave Caswell County courthouse a free man.

**A Caswell Grand Jury Monday returned a bill of indictment charging Ingram with assault with intent to commit rape even though a Recorder's Court solicitor had noted that evidence in the case failed to warrant such a charge.**

**Maximum sentence on the charge preferred against the aging farmer is 15 years.**

**WIDELY NOTED CASE**

The "reckless eye - balling" case first became noted last June when Ingram has hauled into court when 17-year-old Willa Jean Boswell, daughter of a farmer living near Ingram's tenant acres, declared that Ingram had leered at her peculiarly when she was going to join her brothers and father in a tobacco patch.

**Miss Boswell, who related that she was dressed in slacks and wore a turban when she first noted Ingram "eye-balling" her, admitted that the man never came within 75 feet of her.**

Attorneys C. O. Pearson and William Carter are defending Ingram in the Superior Court trial which got underway Wednesday morning.

**EXCERPTS FROM RECORD**

Ingram, appealed a conviction of two years imprisonment meted out by a Recorder's Court judge in the case.

Excerpts from the record of the Recorder's Court trial follow:

Question, by Solicitor W. B. Horton on direct examination; On the 4th of June, 1951, did you have occasion to see Mack Ingram? If so, where and under what circumstances?

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# CIAA Statistician Gives Analysis On 51 Championship

**(EDITOR'S NOTE: The high pitch of interest in the outcome of Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association football play for the current season as attested by the deluge of telephone calls to and conversations with members of the CAROLINIAN staff following last weekend's "setbacks" to the North Carolina College and N. C. A. and T. College teams, prompts the following comprehensible analysis of the situation as it now stands. The article is by John B. McLendon, director of athletics at North Carolina College and statistician for the CIAA)**

The football championship for 1951 in the Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association will be finally decided on Thanksgiving Day. West Virginia State College had the position to decide the championship but not the power as they elected a stalemate with North Carolina College instead of a victory. A victory for West Virginia State would have clinched undisputed first place. As it is, West Va. State has clinched at least a tie for themselves.

**A. and T. College losing the Capitol Classic to Virginia State College has definitely eliminated the Aggies as contenders. Champions in 1950, their best possible position for 1951 is runner-up with even that place exceedingly remote.**

North Carolina College in their Nov. 10th tie with West Virginia has a mathematical possibility to share the championship. The name

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REIGNS AS "MISS VIRGINIA STATE" — Miss Lucy O. Fleming, a sophomore of Louisa, Va., chosen from among 22 contestants, was officially named "Miss Virginia State" at half-time ceremonies at the Virginia State-West Virginia State football game.

## DEATH OF FIVE IN STATESVILLE FIRE PROBED

### Bodies Of Mother, Four Children Are To Be Examined

STATESVILLE — Iredell County Coroner M. W. Raymer has ordered exhumed for examination the bodies of a mother and four children who lost their lives in a recent fire which consumed their home while the husband and father was reportedly at a "cab stand playing checkers".

The coroner has solicited pathologists from the local hospital to examine the bodies of Mrs. Mary Murray, 28, and her four children in an effort to find if they were dead before the October 23 fire destroyed their modest frame dwelling.

city was staging a mock air-raid

The tragedy occurred as the attack. The fire went unnoticed for a period because of the brightness of flares being used in the night test.

Would-be rescuers of the Murray family who reportedly heard

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## COMMUNITY CHEST QUOTA IS EXCEEDED

RALEIGH — The East Raleigh Division of the recently closed Community Chest Fund drive has been awarded a silver loving cup in recognition of its having raised the largest amount of money over its quota in the solicitation.

The East Raleigh Division, under chairmanship of F. J. Carnage, local attorney and civic leader, raised a total of $3,393.53 to end the drive 13 percent over its quota of $3000. E. L. Raiford served as adjutant for the division.

Units of the division, their chairman and quotas were: Business, A. E. Brown, $1000; Professional, Dr. N. L. Perry $300; clubs, Mrs. Harriett S. Jones, $500; Residential (northside) Mrs. M. H. Batey, Chairman, $800; Residential (southside) Mrs. E. M. Boyer and Mrs. J. W. Jones $800.

The business unit, A. E. Brown, chairman, reported $1244.15 for 124 of its goal.

Participating agencies in the chest include the YWCA, YMCA, Tuttle Community, Tot Haven Nursery, Free Lunch Fund and the Boy and Girl Scouts and eight other social service agencies.

## FOOTBALL RESULTS

W. Va. State 0-N. C. College 0
Va. State 13-A. and T. 9
Bluefield 20-St. Augustine's 6
Fayetteville 66-Morirstown 0
Benedict 31-Fort Valley 9
Maryland State 26-Wilkes 7
Prairie View 34-Grambling 12
Fisk 19-Clark 7

TWO OF A KIND — Harlem's Brown Twins, Hilda and Vivian, have always been "two of a kind". During their highly successful stage careers, each garnered her share of honors. Now, both happily married, are becoming noted business women in the New York community and have recently established themsleves as owner-managers of a swank cafe society night spot.