

N. C. MARINE VIEWS ATOM BLAST

Teacher Wife Fears Hubby Will Slay Her; Wants Out

DURHAM — A teacher in the local school system fears that her life is in danger as long as she is the wife of her present husband. She has asked the court to appoint a commissioner to sell property at 117 Nelson St. here and the Powers that be to grant her divorce.

Mary Sharpe Thompson, defendant and asks the court to see that she receives all personal property she bought and placed in the residence.

She claims that she and her two children bought a house and lot on Nelson Street here and she paid \$3,000 of the \$3,500 down payment.

Mr. Thompson bought two cars and despite the fact she had \$100 toward their purchase she has never received any benefit from either vehicle.



OFFICERS OF ST. AUGUSTINE'S COLLEGE CHAPTER, BETA KAPPA CHI. Pictured above are the newly elected officers of the St. Augustine's College Chapter of the Beta Kappa Chi National Scientific Honorary Society standing:

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FIREBUG GETS LIFE

Former Asylum Inmate Kill Wife And 3 Children

FAYETTEVILLE — A 38-year-old local resident who had been an inmate of a State mental institution for the past two years was sentenced in Cumberland Superior Court Tuesday to life imprisonment for arson.



SGT. ROBERT E. RUFFIN
DURHAM MARINE ON THE SCENE AS BOMB BLOWS

CAMP DESERT ROCK, Nev. — Marine Sgt. Robert E. Ruffin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Ruffin of 504 Pickett Street, Durham, N. C. last week witnessed an atomic explosion, and then joined in the mock assault on an objective near the center of the atomic impact area here.

Raleigh GI Wins Boxing Title In Charleston, S. C.

CHARLESTON, S. C. — Pie Joseph M. Cole, 2481st ASU, was the lone contestant from Camp Rucker, Ala. to enter the First Negro Amateur Boxing Tournament held at here recently and Pie, Cole, a former Golden Gloves Contestant in North Carolina, won the title in the middle weight division.



CANDIDATE — Charlie Jones, candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward of Rocky Mount, N. C. is a railroad employee of 29 years standing and has been prominently identified with the economic life of the community.

Raleigh NAACP Seeking Members, Head Of Drive Asks Public Cooperation

Beginning May 1, the Raleigh chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will launch an all-out membership drive in Raleigh and Wake County.



MRS. ROSELLA JUDKINS

GOOD START — Students from 26 high schools in North Carolina took competitive examinations at North Carolina College last Saturday for the first in a series of scholarships to be given by the James E. Shepard Memorial Foundation.

secretary of the Foundation and member of the North Carolina College's faculty. Sixteen scholarships of \$200 each will be given this year. Winners of the awards will be announced.

Strike Violence Continues

THOMASVILLE — Violence continues to be the rule rather than the exception at the strike-borne Thomasville Chair Company here.

Months, were arrested and tried on assault charges.

State Press Club Meet Set At Raleigh May 2nd

RALEIGH — Saint Augustine's College will be the site of the Second Annual Meeting of the North Carolina Press Club, Saturday, May 3.

The State-In Brief...

Bennett Seniors Are Honored
GREENSBORO — Senior Honors at Bennett College were announced last week by President David D. Jones.

Honorary Group At College
RALEIGH — At a very impressive initiation ceremony, recently, four new members were accepted into the Saint Augustine's College Chapter of the Zeta Kappa Chi National Scientific Honorary Society.

Events Slated In Finals At Greensboro
GREENSBORO — A full calendar of activities has been scheduled at Bennett College in connection with commencement exercises of the 1952 graduating class.

Rev. Williams Guest At School
GREENSBORO — The Rev. Kenneth Williams, of Winston-Salem, was guest speaker at Bennett College recently.

BULLETIN
LAWYER FIGHTS CASE
RALEIGH — Attorney Herman L. Taylor, leading warrior for Civil Rights returned to Raleigh Wednesday afternoon after having appeared before the U. S. Supreme Court contesting decisions which have been handed down by N. C. Courts in felony cases involving Daniels Cousins.

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QUESTION: Should a woman dress to please herself, suit her husband's taste, or according to the changing fashion trends?

ANSWER: As a busy housewife and mother, I prefer the simple but elegant styles, preferably suits which go places well.

ANSWER: I think a woman should buy with the intentions of making herself more attractive and appealing to her husband, by considering his taste for ladies' apparel.



PARTICIPANTS — Experts in family, marriage, divorce and related fields from many parts of the nation converged on North Carolina College for the three-day meeting of the 15th Groves Conference on Marriage and the Family.

Participants in the conference, whose keynote was the necessity for divorce laws reform, were concluded last Wednesday. Some of the participants on the conference sessions are shown above. They are, left to right, Beatrice Kurtzman of the Merrill-Palmer School, Detroit, Mich.; Isabel C. Clark, Saint Augustine's College, Raleigh, N. C.; Rosemary Funderburg, case worker for the Durham, N. C. Family Service; Ralph Bridgman, Lucas County Family Court, Toledo, Ohio; Herman Gant, Southern Illinois University; and Leonard Robinson, A and T College, Greensboro, N. C.