

AMEZ'S ELECT NORTH CAROLINIAN BISHOP

"In The Bag" BY T. C. JERVAY BROOKLYN New York The

election of Bishop Herbert Bell

tually in the bag long before

beams as he poses for official photo of AME Zion Bishops following his near-unanimous election at Brooklyn last week.

Election Was ing their votes last Wednesday There were several main considerations which resulted in Dr. JOURNAL predicted his election, as did the influential NEW YORK litt thereby breaking a 50-year-

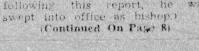
Asks Cigarette... Shaw, of Wilmington, on the first ballot in historic and spaceous First AMEZ church here, was viring Gets Gun-blast

A NEW BISHOP BEAMS - WINSTON-SALEM - A man who asked for a cig- for Wilmington's Dr. H. B. shaw arette here in "The Camel City" late Friday night was be (second from right, back row) dead Saturday morning when the reply to his request turned out to be a gun-blast.

Police here say that James Edward Witherspoon, 40, swept into office as bishop. (Continued On Page EIGHT)

Was Broken

rose to applied him Immediately





ONE KILLED IN

190 G TRAGEDY

routed the 100-pins residents of a

During the halocaust, a resi-

dent of the building lost his

life when he was trapped by

flames while attempting to esrape from the second floor of

the dilapidated frame building.

The building occupied the heart of the 1300 block of Assembly

Street, a block surrounded on its

and the like The blaze spread

Home clouds of snoke rolled up

from the birning wood, feed and

sacking, enveloping several blocks

of the city. A mild breeze kept

the smoke from settling for long.

Firemen struggled with the smoul-

FAVETTEVHLE - An E. E.

Smith High School senior who

was scheduled to graduate this

the eye of her graduation.

Livingstone Coll ge

In Best Condition

program greatly.

Since Its Founding

BROOKLYN, N Y. - Dr W

GIRL KHLLED ON

CRADUATION EVE

street faced by stores, warehouses

17 - YEAR - OLD FEDERAL RAP

WOE IS WOODROW - Ever since Raleigh City Court Judge Albert Doub decreed that he could no longer present his im promptu concerts (which consist of singing, talking and doing anything else he can think of) on the streets of Uptown Raleigh, Wodrow Montague, famed 'Street Troubadour' of the Capital City, has felt down in the dumps'. The concerts he is cur-

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e owner of the store in which is a youth worked, and found to our surprise that it was the outh himself who did the three-ining. Bobby Anderson, who worked (Continued On Page 8). WOE IS WOODROW — Ever

WINSTON-SALEM - Mrs Lena

many North Carolinians who was playing with the baby and appeared when Graham did in a



roles in the 87th annual class reunion to be staged in connection with a meeting of the National Alumni Association at Shaw University Monday May 26 are Prof. W. R. Collins, above left, president of the Association, Dr. C. B. Codrington, above right, treasurer and the Rev. O. I. Hairston at left, secretary. The Association session is scheduted to get underway in Greenleaf Auditorium on the

Negro members of the American by State Adjutant N D McKee Legion boycott the State Legion to come to Durham and carry out Convention slated here June 7th the convention" Leading to the pro-boyer to spect no coor from the movement is the local Weaver-local post Copies of the letter McLean Post No 175 which has were also sent to high-ranking accused the Durham white Les white Legion officials including gion post, playing host to the State Commander L. F. ancially and otherwise, - Scheduled to play principal Funderburg,

its rejuctance play host to prompting actions which will give Division and ha also usked that Command-MR. THORNTON

the stand of the Negro group fin- of the convention planning con NOT SURPRISE MOVE The action taken by the Durham legion post comes as no surprise to the many North Carolinians who have observed Legion actions during the past few years since and during World War II.

Negro veterans have been accepted as simply 'veterans' composed of former members in every major organization of the Armed Forces with the exception of the Legion in Southern states. It is generally believed that the younger blood in the Legion is

race veterans a fuller share of FULL TEXT OF LETTER er Thornton advise Negro Legion- Following is the full text of the naires of the futility of coming to letter sent to Vice-Commander

(Continued On Page 4)

University campus at 10 a.m. Carolinian

QUESTION: Some about this policy?

MR HUBERT HAYES, SR, businessman, Raleight

I think that it is perfectly right, fitting, and even intelligent on the part of male and female worshippers to allow their male this comfort.

After all, the men seem to be most tolerant and thought of ladies and their comfort in general; and I think as much thought and comfort is justly deserved by the men.

Tradition is one but I thing, think there is no reason for the male worshipper to be too

comfortable in church (Continued On Page 8) ____BFC--

A VOTELESS PEOPLE IS A DEFENSELESS PEOPLE!

Registration Campaign "Moderately Successful"

DURHAM POST REFUSES TO HOST

CONVENTION: THORNTON TOLD

which the State's thousands of though he had "been

N.A.A.C.P. Officials Say April, May Efforts Only First Round

churches permit their male 22 000 citizens of Raleigh Town- nine precincts have qualified for ship and incidentally more than a second book and a second reworshiper the comfort of re- 1,660 in both predominantly-Negro gistrac although the precincts may moving their coats during Precinct 20 and Precinct 26 al- not be split, and five other preservices in the hot summer cials regarded the April and May more than 850 persons registered, months. How do you feel campaign to get Negroes register- and will have to open additional ed for the May Primary as 'mod- books as soon as the books open erately successful, and said it for registration for the general was merely the first round in election of October 11. a series of such campaigns.

Plans are already under conregistered voter and urging him to go to the polls and cast his ballot in the May 31 Primary, and definite plans for a similar campaign begin-

ing completion. REGISTRATION HEAVY Because of the newly-installed

ning about October 1 to en-

courage more Negroes to re-

gister for the General Elec-

tion on November 4 are near-

RALEIGH - With more than registration system, the books of which will hold only 1,000 names.

According to Herbert O'Keek, chairman of the Wake County sideration by the Raleigh Elections Board, the polling places Chapter for contacting every can not be changed, but in each of the nine precincts with more than 1,000 registered, and second book will be opened, the names beginning with letter A and con-(Continued On Page 8)

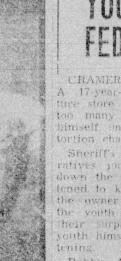
Shrine Gala Day Parade Elicits Glowing Comment

marked finale to public events in Eleven bands and drum and connection with the observance of bugle corps groups, gaily-attired Shrine Gala Day here last Satur- Shrine marching units and flagday, has been described as the bearers, some 500 Nobles an best Negro parade ever to be Daughters of Isis and beauty tastaged here by local residents. lent queens, Misses Lucille Mc-

way promptly at 11 a.m. at the line Weaver of Raleigh, also were Athletic Park here and winded its in the half-mile long processional way through the heart of the as were several fully - decorated city, then through the Hayti (Ne- floats, gro) area and onto the new Hill-side School, a distance of three miles, was highlighted by the presence of Dr. Raymond Jackson, Shrine Imperial Potentate

The parade, which got under- Allister of Durham and Clemen

Included among the chies featuring marching u n i ts. bands, etc., were Durham, Ra-Fayetteville, Oxford, (Continued On Page 8)



FINALS SET

ercises for the Saint Agnes School of Nursing at Saint Agnes Hospital here will get underway with baccalaureate services slated to be held at the Saint Paul's Methodsit Church Sunday June 1. The Rev. T. P. Duhart, pastor, is to deliver the message for the service which will be held at II

The annual graduation and capping ceremonies are to be held Wednesday night, June 4. with the Saint Paul's Church again as site.

Principal speaker for the Wedenday night exercises will be Miss Miriam Daughtry, secretary of the North Carolina State Board of Nurse Examiners Miss Daughtry will be introduced to the class and audience by Mrs. Emma Rose Moncrieffe, director of nur ses at the nursing school, who will also officiate in the capping cere

Others scheduled to take part on the Wednesday night ceremonial, which will get un-(Continued On Page 8)

Monday and Superior Court Judge Dr. Ross is alleged to have per- WASHINGTON, D. C. (Special) Zeb V. Netties set the bond. formed an abortion on a Southern - A North Carolina home demonfration agent was one of four Megroes receiving Superior Service awards from the United State Department of Agriculture here last Thursday.

Recipient of the award was Mrs. Carrie Wilson of Alamance County, who was presented the emblem commemorative of the honor a special ceremony at which President Harry S. Truman was

Mrs. Wilson was henored "for her influence in bringing better diets, improved living conditions, and technical training to Negro families."

County, Okla.





needed, Call your Red Cross to-

is serving with the Eighth Army's 65th Orduance Ammunition N. C., is congratulated by his Company. He manages the ser-company comunder. Capt. Geo. vice club which was constructed dering buildings for amost four Palkucha, for his outstanding and furnished from salvaged work as manager of a newly materials to give men of the will service club near Chun- unit a place to relax during chon, Kerea, The Raleigh soldier off-duty hours,

Doctor Must Face Trial On Charge Of Abortion

year died on what may be called SOUTHERN PINES - A phy. Carthage and placed in jail social of Southern Projes, Dr. W. until bond was made a few Miss Opal Murphy was killed it Plass, 13, is free ander a \$2,500 hours later, instantly Standay when a pickup bond this week after a Moore Sheriff C. J. McDonald, SBI

RALLIGH OF LAUDED -CPL

Daniel Baies (right) of Raleigh,

Dr. Ross was brought to

truck in which she was riding was County Grand Jury returned a Agent Lee Phillips, and District struck by a far Another rider of the fifth of indictional against Solicion M. G. Boyette investithe truck Fletcher Filler, was him on an abortion charge. goted the case before it was turn-also killed. Miss Morphy was to. The grand jury returned the bill of over to the jury.

NAACP Letter Protests Registrar's Negligence

BROOKLYN, N.Y. - Dr. W.

J. Brent, President Licinostone ZEBLION - The Raleigh Chap- registration, while whites were at a special cere College, Salisbary, N.C. in his ter of the NAACP, in a letter to not delayed.

Quadrennial report to the 34th Mrs. Rheda W. Gill, registrar for Following is a copy of the principal speaker. Session of the General Confer the Little River polling precinct NAACP letter which was also ence, AME Zion Church, said here at Zebulon, accused Mrs. Gill of sent to the chairmen of the countriesday, that Livingstone College failure to remain at her post in ty and state boards of elections. was in the best condition that it the politic place, thus preventing Mrs. Rhoda W. Gill. Registrar has been in since its beginning in qualified cutizens from registering. Little River-Zebulon The incident in question occur- Zebulon, N C

He stressed the work of red on Saturday, May 3, opening Dear Mrs. Gill:

Hood Theological Seminary registration date but it was not and said that its facilities until last Saturday that NAACP 2 Zebulon claims that according Josie Browne Dishman, technician officials got around to posing a to his residence he is covered by in the mycology division of the representative at the polls to ob- your registration distinct. How- Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils, would be greatly expanded in order to meet the growing need for trained preachers. He said that the church had cobeing held up for almost an hour on the afternon of Saturday, May demonstration agent of Creek operated with the seminary's before and during the process of

serve registration procedure, fol- ever he alleges that he and a a n d Agricultural Engineering; lowing reports that Negroes were few others who wanted to register Miss Hazel O. King, and home (Continued, On Page 4)

Hospitalized Yets Need Your Blood



U. S. ARMY PHOTO FT. BRAGG, N. C .- "I wouldn't be here if I hadn't received the blood," says Pic, Bobby Williams of Roseboro, N. C., who was severely wounded while fighting with the Third Division in Korea, Private Williams' words point up the dire need for blood on the fighting fronts, but the young soldier also emphasizes the need for the lifesaving finid here at home, where many hospitalized wounded require frequent transfusions months after leaving the battleground, "Make sure that the blood is there when