

SHE'S AN OLD FAMILY EMPLOYEE

**Woman White House Bound
If Stevenson Is The Winner**

HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Raleigh Resident Now 105

**Mayor Of City Leads
Fete For Centenarian**

RALEIGH — The Mayor of the City of Raleigh, the Honorable James E. Briggs, was in the forefront of a vast throng which gathered at the residence of Mrs. Temple Pitts here last Wednesday to wish her many happy returns of the day on the occasion of the celebration of her 105th birthday. A loud stream of voices, bright of eye and to the eye, belied the fact of her advanced age. Mrs. Pitts expressed her appreciation for their having come to a party arranged in her honor by

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SHE'S 105 YEARS YOUNG — Mrs. Temple Pitts beams like a teen-ager as she surveys the cake which indicates her 105th birthday. Mrs. Pitts, who lives with a daughter in Raleigh, was born into slavery in NC's Halifax County in 1847. During her birthday celebration last Wednesday, she was accorded many courtesies, including a visit from Raleigh's Mayor Briggs. —(SEE STORY THIS PAGE)

**MAID MAY MOVE
INTO MANSION
WITH NOMINEE**

**Complex Situation
May Carry Woman
Into White House**

SOUTHERN PINES — It's almost a certainty that a local woman resident will have to spend a portion of her time in the White House at Washington after January 2, 1933 if Illinois Governor Adlai Stevenson is elected President in the November elections. Just how a Southern Pines woman is expected to go to Washington with a probable successful Presidential candidate from Illinois may seem complex, but is, in the main, fairly simple to figure.

Should Governor Stevenson, who won the Democratic nomination for the country's highest post at Chicago last week be successful in his campaign for the Presidency, he necessarily will have to call upon his sister, Mrs. Ernest Ives of Southern Pines to be official hostess at the official mansion. The Illinois governor is divorced.

And if Mrs. Ives is compelled to go to Washington by virtue of her brother's winning the office, it is almost a certainty that she will wish to be

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**RESULTS OF THE
DEMOCRATIC
CONVENTION**

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**LENOIR APPOINTS
2 RACE POLICEMEN**

LENOIR — Another North Carolina city follows the lead of many other southern locales Friday when two Negro policemen assume duties here.

Officers Otis Michaux and Clifton Hayes, the first two Negroes to be considered for appointment to the local police force will go on duties in the West End and Freedman sections of the city then. Announcement of the trial appointments was made this week by local Chief S. E. Crisp following passage of a city council ordinance approving the appointments.

**DELIRIOUS MAN
DIED IN JAIL
IN GATE CITY**

**Medical Treatment
Could Have Saved
Man, Officials Say**

GREENSBORO — A Negro prisoner died in the city jail here on July 23 because he was denied medical attention, a report made by Guilford County Coroner Dr. W. W. Harvey this week reveals. Dr. Harvey said that an analysis of the vital organs of Billy F. Smith, 39, showed that the man had died of delirium tremens (DT) in the jailhouse and that his death could have been proved if he had been given needed medical attention.

Smith's condition was explained as a violent delirium which follows excessive and prolonged use of alcoholic liquors. The report of an autopsy made in a Washington laboratory indicated however that Smith's vital organs showed only slight traces of alcohol remaining. Dr. Harvey further said that most persons recover from delirium tremens if given "proper medical treatment." He added that Smith "probably" could have been saved by medical treatment on the day he died.

The victim was convicted on a drunkenness charge in the local Court in the morning, and he died about 9:50 p.m. shortly after an ambulance had been summoned by a police officer. The prisoner remained in jail after the court gave him one day to comply with a court fine. He had been arrested two days earlier on the drunkenness count and for another drunkenness arrest May 31. Jail officials say Smith ate all his meals and had not appeared sick on the day he died. Smith became delirious that night shortly before his death.

**PRISONER IS REFUSED
MEDICAL CARE; DIES**

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NAACP DRIVE ENDING

4-Day-Old Baby "Teeth"



SHE WAS THE VICTIM—Mrs. Evergreen Flowers, Chadbourne, NC, resident was the victim of a group of Klansmen facing conviction this week on flooding charges in the case which brought to fore the extent of Klan terrorism in the state and set into motion machinery which led to the apprehension of more than a hundred Klansmen including Grand Wizard Thomas Hamilton. Hamilton and his henchmen were to be sentenced in Columbus County Superior Court sitting in Whiteville Tuesday. Mrs. Flowers allegedly was floored by hooded and masked Klansmen in January for "playing around" with white men.

**Pleads Guilty
to Rape-murder
Of State Co-ed**

**TYLER ENTERS 2ND DEGREE PLEA
IN THE MURDER OF JANET KING**

**Former Howard U Student Had Been
Ruled Incompetent; Plea Accepted**

WASHINGTON — (Special) — A 22-year-old former Howard University student has pleaded guilty here to the brutal rape-murder of a 19-year-old North Carolina native co-ed of the same university last February.

Donald Nathan Tyler entered a plea of guilty to second degree murder and rape in the death of Miss Janet Ellen King, Salisbury native, in District Court last week. District Court Judge Alexander Holtzoff accepted the plea but said he would wait until the case could be investigated by probation officials before announcing the sentence.

Tyler had previously been charged with first degree murder of the coed whose body was found crumpled in the street in Washington after having been criminally attacked, choked, and shot three times.

Later he was declared of unseemly mind by psychiatrists of Gallinger hospital, but in a subsequent examination by St. Elizabeth hospital doctors ruled Tyler's mind was sound.

Tyler's guilty plea was entered by his attorney Wesley Williams without coming to trial. Assistant U. S. Attorney Martin J. McNamara, Jr. did not object to the second degree murder plea because of the conflict in expert testimony.

At the time of her death, Miss King was a transfer student at the local institution, having studied previously at N. C. A. & T. College at Greensboro.

**NORTH CAROLINA NEWS
IN BRIEF**

Body of Drowned Boy Discovered
NEW BERN, — The body of a seven-year-old boy who was drowned in Lawson's Creek at the foot of Bryan Street here shortly after 6 o'clock last Tuesday night has been recovered by a neighbor, James Lewis.

The youngster, who was playing in the water with several other children, stepped into a hole and drowned before rescuers could reach him. He was a son of the Rev. H. O. Simmons, New Bern minister. No inquest was held.

Man Leaves Car, Is Killed
SOUTHPORT, — Stepping out into the highway from behind the car in which he had been riding, Forney Smith, 75-year-old local man was instantly killed Sunday night when he was struck by a passing machine operated by Rudolph Calson, young white man. Coroner John G. Calson and Patrolman R. H. Constante, investigating officers, said the death was the result of carelessness and that the operator of the death car was without fault. The accident was on the Southport-Supply road.

Man Faces Derailing Charge
FAYETTEVILLE — A St. Pauls man, Sylvester McKeithan, about 42, was arraigned here before U. S. Commissioner T. L. Hon on charges of attempting to derail an Atlantic Coast Line train on June 15. McKeithan allegedly placed a 55-gallon drum containing gasoline on a railroad at Johnson Crossing, near Rex.

An oncoming diesel passenger train struck the drum and hurled gasoline on the tracks, but damage was done to the train. McKeithan was bound over to the next term of U. S. District Court in Fayetteville and released under \$500 bond.

Tobacco Referendum Approved
RALEIGH — The directors of Tobacco Associates, Inc., put official approval Tuesday on the results of the July 19 tobacco referendum.

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ATHLETIC BEAUTIES—Posing prettily for the photographer before boarding a Pan American World Airways clipper which took them to Helsinki and the 1932 summer Olympic Games, are these three Chicago charmers. Left to right: Mabel Landry, broad jump; Barbara Jones, broad jump and 100-meter dash; and Mita Ekst, gymnast, were among the 75 other Olympic athletes and officials who flew overseas.

**MOUNT OLIVE MAN
KILLED BY TRAIN**

MOUNT OLIVE — Edward Serey, 35-year-old local resident, was killed last Saturday afternoon when struck by a freight train near the heart of the town. Serey, according to reports was killed instantly when struck by a northbound freight train when he attempted to cross the tracks which run thru town. Wayne County Coroner Harry Shumate has ruled the death accidental.

**BABY HAS ONE
TOOTH PULLED;
TWO ARE TO GO**

**Dentist Boasts Of
Youngest Patient**

ELIZABETH CITY — A four-day-old local baby, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hinton here, has set something of a record by having to make a visit to the dentist at that tender age because

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**Banquet Will Mark End of
Successful NAACP Drive**

BY JAMES A. SHEPARD
RALEIGH — Four of the most outstanding citizens of Raleigh are listed as speakers by the Raleigh Branch of the National Association For the Advancement of Colored People, for its celebration meeting, next Wednesday night, August 6, at the Bloodworth St. Y.M.C.A. Each speaker is limited to ten minutes.

This meeting which will be in the form of a buffet supper and to which all members and friends of the Association are cordially invited, will be presided over by Mrs. Anne Jodkins, chairman of the membership committee. Mrs. Jodkins and her staff of workers have done an outstanding job in building up the membership roster of the local branch. Several hundred new and old members are now on the books and the NAACP spirit which a long time seemed to be dying out here has been given a healthy shot in the arm. The speakers for this event are the Rev. Mr. Howard Cunningham, pastor of the First Congregational Church, who has given

**RALEIGH IS SITE
OF FIRST ANNUAL
SOFT BALL TOURNAY**

RALEIGH — A "first" in Raleigh recreational activities is scheduled to be written into the records here Saturday when the First Annual 81-County Softball Tournament is played on the Old Soldier's Field beginning at 9 a.m. The participating teams are from Johnston and Wake Counties with Selma and Southfield representing Johnston County and the Lockhart Tigers of near Lockhart School outside of Raleigh and the Hayes-Jackson team of East Raleigh representing Wake County.

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**N. C. COLLEGE SCENE OF
IOTA NATIONAL CONVENTION** — The twenty-third annual convention of the Iota Phi Lambda Society will be held in Durham August 23-27. It was announced last week by Mrs. Ethel Berry, president of the chapter, the hostess organization. Members of the planning committee are: standing (left to right) Soror Helen Jones, Chairman, Housing Committee, and Soror Orla Stearns, Treasurer and Chairman of the Entertainment Committee. Seated (left to right) Sorors Geneva Metane, Chairman, Southern Program Committee; Ethel Perry, President; B. A. J. Whitten, Second National Vice-President and Ruth Bolden, Journalist and Chairman of the Publicity Committee.