

Carolinian Food Show Scheduled May 18-19-20



MISS ZELLE MITCHELL

Attempts Suicide

RALEIGH—According to a telephone conversation by a CAROLINIAN representative and Miss Zelle Mitchell, who resides with her parents, 200 Lincoln Court, the young lady is ready to accept the blues of "Ole Man River" which she has tried of being and afraid of doing. This realization must have come as the result of a two day sojourn which she had at St. Anne's Hospital, as the result of an attempt to take her own life, as reported by her. When asked if she was getting tired of living, she related, "Don't we all at some time in life?" Her recent decision came as a surprise to her many friends and has caused much concern among her acquaintances.

Body Of White Boy Found In Auto Trunk

GREENSBORO—Aaron Robinson, Panama section, waived preliminary hearing here Monday morning and was held in the Guilford County jail to await the action of the grand jury, May 19, for the "strange shooting" of John Thomas Mitchell, white, age 25. Robinson was tried by Judge J. E. Paschall on the charge of those not to make any statement as to his guilt or innocence. The story unfolded like a drama that began with the sighting of a car which stayed parked on a street, in Winston-Salem for

Bryant Defeated

By J. B. HARRIS
ROCKY MOUNT—(Special)—Once again, Alexander H. "Tuffy" Bryant, popular local businessman and civic leader, has been defeated in his third attempt to obtain a seat on the board of aldermen from the Sixth Ward which is heavily populated by colored citizens with a reported registration of more than 700 race voters as compared to about 120 white voters. In a three-way race with two white candidates, Bryant was only able to garner 375 votes as compared with the successful candidate's 535. The winner was Raymond Armstrong, who reportedly was making his first try at politics. Bryant ran twice. Bryant, the third man, A. Bruce, who "also ran" obtained only 99 votes.



NEW PREXY OF ONSLOW COUNTY TEACHERS—David W. Weaver, of Raleigh, above, instructor and band director at the Georgetown High School, Jacksonville, N. C., was elected president of the Onslow County Teachers Association for the 1954-55 term, on April 20. Mr. Weaver, who attended St. Monica's School, Palmer Memorial Institute and St. Augustine's College, where he received his B.S. degree in Mathematics and Science, is a veteran of the Army Air Force.

"Elect Reliable Officials:" Taylor

By J. B. HARRIS
RALEIGH—We are in the midst of one of the greatest social revolutions in the history of our country, declared Attorney Herman L. Taylor, prominent Raleigh civil rights fighter, in an address to the NC Civil Liberties Association at the Daughters-Elks (DPOEW) at St. Matthews Methodist Church here Sunday afternoon.

CHIEF BAGWELL INDICTED

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TEACHERS IN ANNUAL PICNIC TO HAMMOCKS

FAYETTEVILLE—If the wishes of Dr. J. W. Seabrook, chairman of the Board that charts the development of Hammocks Beach are met, there will be more than 5,000 persons in attendance on the third annual pilgrimage to the seashore sight on Saturday. The program is not considered to be one that will tax the brains or the hearts of the teachers who own the vast tract of land, comprising more than 4,500 acres and extending four miles along the Atlantic Ocean. This is set apart as a day when the school mums and masters will trek to the resort, don their leisure clothes and take it easy.



EX-POW TESTIFIES—S. Sgt. John Spivey, 28, of Washington, D.C., ex-prisoner of war in Korea, is shown with his daughter, Joan Marie, 8, at Fort McNaie as he swears to tell the witness stand at the court martial of Capt. Edward S. Dickerson, of Big Stone Gap, Va. Spivey soundly cursed Dickerson, who is charged with being a stool pigeon for the Communists while a prisoner of the Reds in Korea. (Newspress Photo).

Fayetteville Mother Wins National Honors

FAYETTEVILLE—It was announced here this week that Mrs. Julia F. Ferguson, wife of B. F. Ferguson, well known mail carrier, civic worker, religious leader and fraternal man won national honors as the mother of the year as the result of a poll conducted by a Baltimore newspaper and will be signally honored on May 12.

N. C. News In Brief

LOCAL MAN SUFFERS WRECK INJURIES

A Raleigh man was hospitalized with painful injuries Tuesday after a collision at the corner of Martin and Freeman Streets. Carl Alphonso Jones, 22-year-old resident of 412 Montague Lane received a crushed left foot and deep cuts on his left leg, according to police reports. He is receiving treatment at St. Agnes Hospital. Involved in a collision with him was a taxi cab driver, Jesse James Hunter of 323 S. East St. Officer W. T. Blackwood investigated the accident. No charges were preferred.

JOYNER CASE CONTINUED

The case of William Franklin Joyner, employee of Buchanan's Nursery on Western Boulevard and charged with assault with a deadly weapon by Apex's Chief of Police Sam L. Bagwell, continued here Tuesday.

"Brutus" Wilson Let Out By Shaw Univ.

Shaw University's coach of eight years, Howard K. "Brutus" Wilson received notification Monday, April 26, in a letter from the president of the university that the board of trustees had refused to consider his contract for another year's tenure at Shaw University. In an interview with the CAROLINIAN, coach Wilson said that he went in to see President William E. Spruener following his receipt of the notice in order to gain the facts as to exactly why he was being released. The president is alleged to have given the coach a list of grievances, and to have offered Wilson the chance to resign his position. Wilson reported that he is undecided as to whether he will resign or not.

However, Wilson did say that he will not be at Shaw University next year unless the president retracts his action. Certain alleged deficiencies to administrative policies and the inability to produce quality basketball from the present stock at Shaw were given as reasons by Wilson as to why he was actually fired.

Woman Killer Denied Bond

RALEIGH—Mrs. Lavinia Hunter Lane is now languishing in Wake County jail for having fired the shot that took the life of Vernon Hedgpath, at her home, 121 Cover Street, Saturday afternoon, without the privilege of bond. The shooting, according to arresting officers, and a trial to them by the alleged killer happened on the porch of a house located on the north side of Highway 64, since being in a delirious condition. The police report reveals that Hedgpath was ordered from the house by the woman. There seems to have been some discussion between the woman and Hedgpath and he is alleged to have attempted a criminal attack upon the woman. The woman is alleged to have resented his attacks and ordered him from the premises. He is said to have refused to go. It was then that Mrs. Lane went into the house and got her trusted rifle and pointed the trigger and ordered him to, literally, wince.



VERNON HEDGPATH

Vote For Bi-Racial Student Body

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Between those who voted for outright admission or non-admission was a middle-of-the-road group of 63 who said that white students should be admitted some time in the near future, to the graduate and professional schools only, at all levels, with classroom privileges of attending sports events, with privileges of participating in athletics, dining hall privileges, or with all social and dining hall privileges but without dormitory services. Remarks in answer to a question as to the factor determining his opinions expressed proved to be interesting. Some of the "yes" votes were by veterans who had experienced integration of Negro and white service men. Some of

SIX SESSIONS SCHEDULED AT SHAW GYM

The 1954 edition of LINMAN'S FOOD SHOW AND HOMEMAKERS EXPOSITION is slated to get underway Tuesday, May 18th and will continue through the 20th, inclusive. The show is slated to be the best of its kind ever staged in Raleigh and is expected to attract more than 5,000 housewives. It is being held in the Spaulding Gymnasium and will feature two sessions daily, 2-4 and 7-9. The purpose of the show is to exhibit and demonstrate the latest in food preparation and home (CONTINUED ON PAGE 3)

APEX CASE SHOWS INTEREST

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POST GRAD BEAUTICIANS—A group of 184 U.S. beauticians, who invested more than \$200,000 in a trip to Paris, are shown abroad taking a post-graduate course in new hair styling and techniques. On returning to America, they will instruct students and apprentices in French hair styling methods. (Newspress Photo).