

# STRICKLAND NIXED; SIX NAMED

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### COMMITTEE DEMANDS NEW APPOINTMENT

In a very forthright letter, the Raleigh Citizens' Association, at a special meeting held Friday night, told the County Commissioners that they not only did not like the nomination of J. E. Strickland for membership on the Hospital Authority, but took the county fathers to task for the method by which his name was presented.

The letter was addressed to Honorable Rep. R. Swain, Chairman of the Board of Commissioners, and requested that he look into consideration that the Norman report clearly stated that approaches to the Hospital Authority of Wake County for organized groups and presented to the nominating committee for consideration by the Commissioners, it further set forth that no organized group, representative of the Negro community, had been approached either in the city or the county.



HONORED—Mrs. Mollie Lee, librarian at the Richard B. Harrison Public Library here, who this week was named one of the six most distinguished Negro librarians in the nation by the Wilson Library Bulletin of New York. The Raleigh librarian, who has devoted twenty years to making the local library a model of its kind, was said to combine "missionary zeal with fine administrative ability."

## Africans To Shed Blood For Rights

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TORNADO VICTIM—Emma Mae Hill sits stumped in the rubble of her home in Commerce Landing, Miss., after a tornado swept through the town recently. The latest twister flattened Mrs. Hill's home, killing two other occupants, leaving her with only a bed and an electric iron, which is at her feet. More than 25 persons were killed, and some 150 left homeless. (Newspress Photo)

### 3 Colleges Seek Additional Funds

Boosts in their operating costs of \$452,274 over the sums recommended by the Advisory Budget Commission, were requested by three State-supported Negro colleges before the Joint Appropriations Committee, Thursday.

### State News Brief

EXCHANGE STUDENT KEYNOTES  
BUNN — Miss Julia Maxine Young, who recently returned from Europe where she observed farming methods under the International Farm Youth Exchange Program, was the guest speaker at a meeting of the PTA of Gettsense High School, Bunn, Monday night.

### 'Date' Story Flops; Apex Man Cleared

APEX—A man, arrested here on charges of attempting to date white women during a store and later resident street, was cleared in Recorder's Court, here last Wednesday.



MOUSEY SERGE—James Moss (left), handyman for the late draft dodger Serge Rubinska, recently strangled to death in his swank New York hotel, is followed by butler William Porter, shortly after both attended funeral services for the financier. Moss, who went openly upon learning of the Russian-born playboy's death, was forgotten in Rubinska's will. The butler got \$5,000. (Newspress Photo)

### Explosion Tears Head From Body

YOUNGVILLE — Horace W. Jones, 39, was killed instantly on Monday when a dynamite charge exploded as he was tamping it into a hole at the Bryan Rock and Sand Company quarry at Rolesville.

### Jim Crow Could Cause African War

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa—An effort on the part of the government of Nationalist Premier Johannes Strijdom to resettle 60,000 non-whites from Johannesburg's western areas to recently built homes, 12 miles outside the city brought two thousand Negroes into action here last week when they vowed that they would defend their homes, even with their lives.

## Many Enter Carolinian Campaign

The announcement of the mammoth subscription campaign which was made in our issue of February 5th must have been the thing that the public had been waiting for, from the response that it has received, even before the contest began.

## Methodist Bishops Assailed For Attitudes On Segregation

CHARLOTTE—Barriers within the Methodist Church "which keep any race from being a part of the Christian Fellowship" were assailed here last week by Miss Thelma Stevens, executive secretary of the Department of Christian Social Relations and Local Church Activities of the Women's Division of Christian Service.

### Prejudice A Sin

CHICAGO — The National Council of Churches of Christ in the U. S. A., representing 30 Protestant and Eastern Orthodox denominations, denounced racial prejudice as a sin here Friday, and called upon all churches to give up racial segregation.

### Female Impersonator Ends Term, Faces Still Another

GREENSBORO—Troubles continued to pile up last week for William Earl Johnson, female impersonator and dancer, when he was arrested on a federal charge of failing to report for induction into the armed services.

### 'Greensboro Clergy To Form Mixed Body

GREENSBORO—Merger in the full of white and Negro ministers of this city was announced Tuesday by the Rev. Frank C. Smith, pastor of the St. Stephen Christian Church, and president of the Greensboro Ministers Association.



FIRE DESTROYS LOCAL HOMES—A fire of undetermined origin left two Joe Lewis Park families homeless last Saturday night. The blaze, which went underway at about midnight, was discovered by Mrs. Katie Glover, a community resident. The families of Euben Patterson and Andrew Sanders were occupants of the two houses. In the above photo is shown the remains of the Sanders house, which suffered the least damage. Mrs. Lettie E. Alston, owner of this house was especially grateful to the Raleigh Fire Department for its quick action which was responsible for saving the house in which she lives, located next door. One of the houses, including the chimney, burned completely to the ground. Staffors by C. E. Jones.

### Baby Hazel Winning Fight For Life; Police Seek Mom

GREENSBORO—Baby "Hazel Smith," the tiny, undernourished baby which a young woman abandoned here last week, was winning its fight for life as the pediatric nurse to look at it and the next morning, welfare workers took the child to the hospital.

### OFFER \$500 IN TEACHER ATTACK

OXFORD—A reward of \$500 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person who attacked Mrs. Willa H. Gregory, local school teacher in her home last month has been offered by the Granville County Citizens' Committee.

### Pistol 'Just Went Off,' But Man Gets 15 Yrs. In Death

WHITEVILLE—Roland Anderson, 26, who testified that a pistol that he was holding "just went off" killing Mrs. Mary Page, 30, on Christmas Day, received a sentence of 15-18 years in Columbus County Superior Court on Wednesday.