

Integration Explodes; Gov.'s Office On Alert

2 Shot In Caswell, Dad Held

YANCEYVILLE — This quaint section was still bustling over the admission of 16 non-white children to what had been predominantly white schools Wednesday morning, after two white boys are said to have been shot and a Negro arrested and hurried to an undisclosed jail.

Eleven of the 16 children returned to school on the second day, including the three of the man arrested, Thomas Whitesley, County Superintendent, said there were no incidents Wednesday and none were anticipated.

The two white men are said to have been shot by Jasper Brown on a rural road, after he is said to have returned from enrolling his children in Bartlett-Yancey School.

Brown is alleged to have said that his life had been threatened and that a car, containing a group of white youths, had been following him around, during the morning, as he took his children. Details of the shooting were not complete. It was learned that N. L. Oliver, Jr., and James Nixon were the two men said to have been shot by Brown.

Nixon is said to have been quiet on the matter, but did identify Brown as the man who emptied his pistol at him. Some of the bullets are said to have gone astray.

The accused man is reported as having surrendered to highway patrolmen Tuesday. It was also reported that he was taken to an undisclosed jail until the tension died down.

The five who were integrated into Cobb Memorial Elementary School, however, did not return Wednesday.

Whitesley said that the Negro children at Cobb Memorial and Bartlett-Yancey had been advised to stay home a day or two until the tension eased, but he said they were advised it was their right to return today if they so desired.

Whitesley said that the highway patrolmen were in the town to handle any violence. A spokesman for the sheriff's office said, however, that no more trouble was expected.

The shooting incident was the first time such violence occurred in connection with integration of public schools in North Carolina. Charles McLean of Winston-Salem, Field Secretary for the NAACP, reported that Brown had complained earlier in the day that his life had been threatened.

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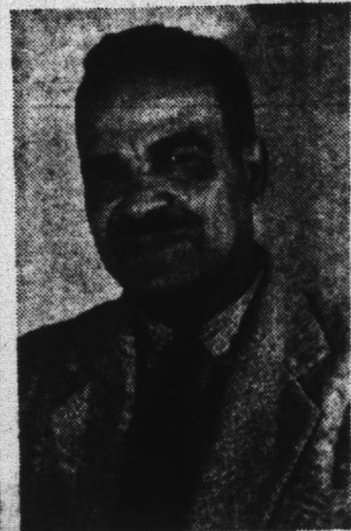
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J. C. RAINES

Long-Time Law To Be Challenged

The Raleigh City Council finds itself entwined in another case that smells of discrimination, according to Attorney George

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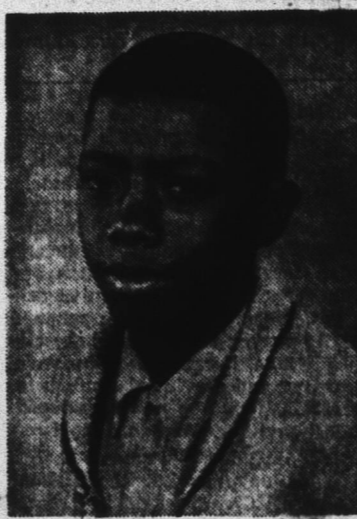
Lexington Youth Dies In Action

LEXINGTON — Basketball circles were stunned here Monday night when Leroy Arnette, 19, moved down to get an advantage position and suddenly keeled over and did not straighten up anymore for he had died of a heart attack on the court, that he made himself great, as a player, for Dunbar High School.

Arnette had scored four points in a game being played between the freshmen of Winston-Salem Teachers College and Dunbar High. The teachers were leading 15-11 when the star slumped to his death.

The youth is said to have no history as to a heart condition. His parents said that he had not been sick a day in his life. He had been a member of Charlie England's team for three years.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Arnette and moved here with his parents, about 12 years ago, from Washington, Ga. The body will be shipped to the Georgia town Thursday and funeral services will be held there Sunday.



GEORGE BERNARD SHAW

Victim Of Meningitis Buried Sun.

Funeral services for George Bernard Shaw, 15-year-old Berry O'Kelly High School, 10A student, were held from Lincolnville AME Church, Sunday with Rev. D. A. Garrett in charge.

The boy is reported to have died within 24 hours after having complained of being sick, upon his arrival at school, Monday morning. Mrs. Agnes E. Clemmons, his mother, told the CAROLINIAN that he did not complain of being sick on leaving for school.

The doctor is alleged to have ordered him to Wake Memorial Hospital and he is said to have died around midnight that night of meningitis.

Surviving, besides his mother, are 4 brothers, 2 sisters and a step-father.

Dr. Thomas in Cary.

Man Held In Baby Beating

LILLINGTON — Beating a two-year-old and rubbing the bruises and welts, caused by the beating, with alcohol and then putting the child on the hearth, in front of the fireplace to get warm, by its father was little more than Harnett County officers could take in the death of the child.

Willie Roberson Williamson, 21, a farm laborer, is being held in the county jail, without bond for the death of his child. The child is alleged to have been dead about 10 or 12 hours when it was carried to the Bejay Johnson Memorial Hospital Sunday morning.

Hospital authorities are reported as saying that the child was the victim of third degree burns over

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HARVEY GANTT

Clemson To Admit Gantt

South Carolina, the only state south of the Mason-Dixon line that has never admitted a Negro to either its all-white public schools or to any of its colleges, apparently will have to bow to a court order directing Clemson College to admit Harvey Gantt, a Charleston Negro to its classes.

A federal court Monday blasted the hopes of the state to keep Gantt out of the all-white college. Both Chief Judge Simon Sobeloff of the U. S. 4th Circuit Court of Appeals and Chief Justice Earl Warren refused to delay effectiveness of an appeals court order that Gantt be accepted as a transfer student from Iowa State University.

The appellate court last Wednesday.

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Says Segregation Is An Insult To God

CHICAGO, Ill. — A. Harold Murray, director of the Community Affairs Department of the American Jewish Committee, presented a plan here recently to Catholics, Protestants and Jews, to carry an interfaith campaign against racial bias



GEORGIA LEGISLATOR — Atlanta, Ga.: Georgia State Senator LeRoy R. Johnson, first Negro elected to the Georgia legislature in more than 50 years, and his wife are shown entering a hotel at Atlanta January 15th to attend the Inaugural Ball honoring Gov. Carl E. Sanders. (UPI PHOTO).

Governor Sanford Asks Employment For Negroes

In a statement released by Governor Terry Sanford, enacted what he termed the "Observance For A Second Century," the Governor praised progress made by Negroes in the field of education, and in entering into the community and civic life of the Nation.

"Now is a time not merely to look back to freedom" said the Governor, "but forward to the fulfillment of its meaning. Despite great progress, the Negro's opportunity to obtain a good job has not been achieved in most places in this country. Reluctance to accept the Negro in employment is the greatest single block to his continued progress and to the full use of the human potential of the nation and its States."

The Governor continued by saying that the time has come for American citizens to give up their reluctance, to quit unfair discriminations and to give the Negro a full chance to earn a decent living for his family and to contribute to higher standards for himself and all men.

On the heels of the Governor's statement, however, came reports from several N. C. agencies showing that the percentage of Negroes employed by the state was "significantly lower" than the population figures. Only 10 percent of State jobs, exclusive of teaching positions were held by Negroes.

Although the Governor's speech was well received, it was not expected that any words of hope given on the Negro by the Governor will bring an appreciable increase in Negroes on the state payroll.

To the statements made by a few agencies that efforts are being made to employ Negroes, the Advisory Committee report states that in spite of the fact that the Merit System requires the appointment of "one of three top qualified" Negroes are seldom employed in the "senior" services.

To implement his statement, the Governor then announced the establishment of the North Carolina Good Neighbor Council, consisting of 24 outstanding citizens of the state, and the naming of an Advisory Committee to reach more sections of the economy and the state.

He made a plea to all Mayors and Chairmen of County Committees to establish local Good Neighbor Councils and to support the objectives of the Good Neighbor Council.

A memorandum was issued by the Governor to all state agencies departments and institutions asking them to examine and formulate policies which do not exclude from employment qualified people because of race. In addition, the Governor proposes to call a conference in the spring, inviting leading industrialists and businessmen to participate in this move, in order to assure success.

The Governor concluded his statement by saying, "We can do this. We should do this. We will do it because we are concerned with the problems and the welfare of our neighbors. . . We will do it because it is honest and fair for us to give all men and women their best chance to live."

The Governor continued by saying

Durham Students Defy Integration

DURHAM — Leader who have pushed the integration of Negro students to what was all-white schools find that they have been successful in their undertaking, but they also find that many of the students who were assigned to such school have decided they want to remain where they are.

The recent court order made it possible for 18 students to transfer and the City School Board certified such transfers. Only 6 of the 183 transfers Tuesday morning.

Some of the students, however, said that they would transfer at the beginning of the 1963-64 school year.

In the case pertaining to the 46 plaintiffs, there will be 10 of the Negro transfer pupils moving into Durham High School. Fourteen will go to Carr Junior High and eight to Holton Junior High.

In one of the new cases, a family has moved from Guilford County. It was explained, and the child would ordinarily be assigned to East End School. His parents, however, have requested his assignment to the North Durham School instead. The board granted the request.

In the other two cases, a mother

and two children have moved from the Pearson School district into the Fuller School district. The mother has asked that her children be transferred from all-Negro Pearson to all-Negro East End School. The board was unable to determine, however, if the mother knew her children would ordinarily be assigned to predominantly white Fuller School.

The board voted them to assign the two children to Fuller School but to provide that if the mother, being so informed, still requested assignment to East End School, that they should be reassigned there.

A total of 188 other reassignments and initial assignments were approved by the board, but none of the others concerned children of one race transferring to schools predominantly attended by another race.

The three new assignments were the first to be treated by the board since Federal Judge Edwin M. Stanley issued an order Jan. 2 prohibiting any further assignment with any regard to race. All new

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WEATHER

The five day weather forecast for the Raleigh area beginning Thursday, January 24, and continuing through Monday, January 28, is as follows: Temperatures will average about 10 degrees below normal and precipitation around a half inch Thursday through Monday, turning very cold again tonight and Thursday with some moderation during the weekend. Normal high and low temperatures 32 and 34 degrees. These precipitations will occur tonight and again about Sunday or Monday.

Changes In Job Office To Benefit Negroes

The announced separation of the divisions of Employment Services and the Unemployment will bring about changes that will provide better and more efficient service

in the offices of the state, according to officials of the Employment Security Commission.

This action follows a nation-wide trend in employment offices and

will give the Negroes employed in the local offices better opportunities for advancement.

At the present time only one office, the local Greensboro office has adopted this method, and Negroes employed there in positions where they are best qualified. Up to the present no complaints have been made about the new policy. Whites and Negroes line up wherever they have to and are served either by white or Negro workers.

The new plan will be put into operation in the several offices of the Employment Security Commission, and it is anticipated that since it appears to be successful in Greensboro, Raleigh and Durham will be next on the list.

No information was available from the local Employment Secu-

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Winters States New Angle To JC Speech

In an interview given to a representative of the CAROLINIAN City Councilman John Winters set forth some specific objectives which were not mentioned in his recent speech before the members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, recently.

In that speech Winters described what he termed the city machine

and its two dimensions. First the mechanics of the city and second the "organics" of the city. His plea was that the city authorities should bring about more public understanding of the said mechanics. Regarding the organics, he stressed the point that cities should "reach

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SEARCHING FAST — Nashville, Tenn.: Bernard Swain, locally known as Bishop St. Paul, went into a coffin here Jan. 15 to begin a 15-20 day fast for "divine guidance." The Bishop was arrested on Christmas for operating a "massage parlor" in the church, paid his fine and was released. The Bishop contended to police he was making holy wine and went into the fast for the divine answer to see if he could continue to make the wine. He said he would stay in the coffin until he got the answer—or die. (UPI PHOTO).

STATE IN BRIEF

MISSING MAN A SUICIDE SCOTLAND NECK — A search launched near here Thursday for Charles Webb, 28, a former mental patient who had been missing since Wednesday afternoon, ended Friday evening when his body was found hanging from a tree in a densely wooded area. Hatteras County Coroner Rufus Britton ruled it a suicide and said

no inquest would be held. He said Webb, a Negro, probably hanged himself about two hours after he left his home about a mile and a half from Scotland Neck Wednesday afternoon.

DRIVE CHARGED IN DEATH KINSTON — James Cox, 25-year-old man of Kinston, Rt. 2, has been

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ODDS-ENDS BY JAMES A. SHEPARD

"This thing, was not done in a moment."

EVIDENCE OF A STATESMAN

Dictionary sources define a statesman as "a political leader of distinguished ability; one skilled in the management of governmental affairs; one skilled in the science of government; a governmental official dedicated to working for the needs of the people."

Using these definitions as a yardstick, the recent pronouncement of Gov. Sanford relative to racial job discrimination in North Carolina, entitles him to be considered a statesman.

It has been apparent to Gov. San-

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