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NAACP RESENTS SEAR'S ACTION

ATT'Y TAYLOR'S TRIAL TO BE HELD IN VIRGINIA

U. S. Circuit Court To Rule On Appeal

ALEXANDRIA, Va. — Attorney Herman L. Taylor, Raleigh, N. C. practitioner, who appealed a two-year prison term, on income tax charges, will have his case reviewed by the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals here, Monday 9:30 a. m., in the U. S. Post Office Building.

Len Holt, Norfolk, Va. will argue the case in Taylor's behalf. He is expected, according to a news release purported to have been sent out by the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc. that he is the object of prosecution, initiated by southern agents of the Internal Revenue, who were inspired by Taylor's militancy in civil rights cases.

The North Carolina lawyer is

pictured as a defender of Negro rights, in the release. Taylor was indicted, along with his former law partner, S. C. Mitchell, after they filed the original suit, attacking school segregation in Raleigh.

Income-tax charges were filed against both Taylor and Mitchell in 1961 — just after they had filed a new suit to speed school desegregation. Mitchell's case is also still pending. Taylor denied any fraud on income-tax reporting, but he was convicted and sentenced to two years in prison. The sentence was probated on-condition that he pay a \$20,000 fine and \$2,000 in back taxes. He appealed, and the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals out

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Mrs. M. A. Horne Implores White Baptist Missionaries

CHARLOTTE — Mrs. M. A. Horne, president of the Woman's Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary Convention of North Carolina took race prejudice to the doors of the white Baptist Woman's Missionary Union here last week.

Mrs. Horne pictured racial prejudice as a cancer that had eaten into the heart of mankind and was

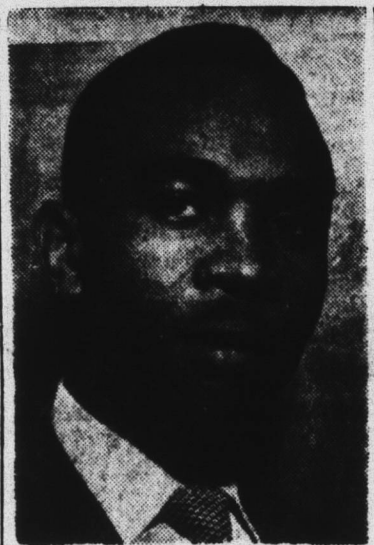
breeding fear and insecurity. She pictured it as a monster that was undermining the true qualities of the principles that Jesus Christ came to the earth to establish.

The speaker praised the Union for having opened a new door to the ultimate ending of racial prejudice, by having representatives of another group come in and talk about the monster. More than one-third of the persons attending the session, in which Mrs. Horne spoke were members of her organization.

This is said to have been the first time that Negroes have been invited to attend the meeting of the white organization.

"Racial prejudice has no part with Jesus Christ, our Lord," she said. "This prejudice is world-wide."

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ATTORNEY TAYLOR

Loan Fund Feature Of Club Women

More than 2000 Home Demonstration Club women are expected to converge on the State Fair arena, Wednesday, March 27, for the 27th annual meeting of the State Council, at 10:30 A. M.

Governor Terry Sanford will address the morning session. He will be introduced by R. W. Shoffner, director N. C. Agricultural Extension Service.

Howard T. Pearsall, chairman of the Music Department, A&T College, will be in charge of the music. Larry Hardy, baritone, of A&T College Male Chorus will be featured with the chorus. The procession will be led by the Honor Guard of the ROTC, A&T College.

Rev. Cleo McCoy, director of Religious Activities, A&T College.

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Child Is Denied Privilege

The third monthly meeting of the local chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People met Sunday at the Martin Street Baptist Church, with Councilman John Winters as the principal speaker.

"We live in changing times, and both white and colored people must begin to think anew and act anew," Mr. Winters said. The speaker was introduced by Mrs. Virginia Newell.

Several reports were given among them was one of importance outlining what had been done in the area of job opportunities. Approaches were made to Sears Roebuck regarding an allegation that a Negro child was rushed out of a bathroom in the store. The committee said that a letter was sent to the management and that Sears was given until Wednesday to make amends or the store will be picketed.

A report was made on the new Charles Store. It appears that Negroes are employed there only in menial jobs. However, Ralph Campbell, president of the local chapter said that a sign was placed on the grounds asking for applicants and that very few skilled Negroes applied. "If we are to fight for better jobs," said Mr. Campbell, "we must apply at places in need of such help."

Mr. Winters listed improvements that have already been made in the Negro neighborhoods. Such as additional lights, pavements and the proposed straightening of Oakwood Avenue at the intersection of Tarboro, a corner which is considered very dangerous.

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10-Member Committee To Explore

Raleigh made another move to become more democratic in its approach to better relations in employment conditions when it was revealed that a bi-racial committee had not only been formed to explore employment, promotions and working conditions at the post office, but had had one meeting.

Postmaster D. Staton Insooe, in an exclusive interview with a representative of the CAROLINIAN, said Tuesday that the committee was formed to implement the practice of equal employment opportunities in the post office.

He was asked what the function of the committee was, he promptly replied, "The committee has no authoritative power. It is its function to act in an advisory capacity."

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Selection Of Jury Baffling

LAURINBURG — Ignorance has never been a virtue, but it, coupled with an interracial love story, will stand out prominently in the trial of Truemiller and Pinky Polston, two sisters who went north to riches, almost overnight, the state is expected to contend, when court resumes, after a lunch recess, this (Wednesday) afternoon.

The trial, which has attracted world wide attention is the result of charges being brought against the two women, for the alleged unlawful taking of \$14,000.00 from the safe of the Morris Funeral Home.

Both of the women are charged with robbing the safe and conspiring to rob the safe. Pinky was a maid for the owners of the business, C. H. Morris and his wife. Truemiller worked at a local hospital. The combined weekly income of the two was reported as being less than \$60.00 per week.

The trial began Wednesday morning, after a grand jury found probable cause Tuesday and remanded them to the Scotland County Superior Court. Court attaches and interested persons were of the opinion that selecting a jury would require some time. The jury is said to have been selected by about 12:30 p. m. Upon the completion of the jury, the court adjourned to reopen at 2:00.

Judge Hamilton Hobgood, sitting for the case, began the testimony, in the afternoon session. The jury, all white, is composed of Scotland County citizens, ranging from cotton buyers to workers in a watch factory. They are Kermit McKenzie, J. E. Wallace, M. T. Ficklin, Z. V. Hearn, John W. Clark, Thomas T. McGill, W. T. Genes, John W. White, Ernest Tucker, Steve Barnwell, Mark Tuttle and C. L. Twitty. Rudolph Hicks is the alternate.

Moseley Boyette, solicitor, is being assisted by Jennings King and Joe Cox in the prosecution of the case and Gilbert Medlin is defending.

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State New Briefs

SAMPSON TEEN-AGE GUN SHOT, MAN HELD
CLINTON — James Luther Parker, 23, of Parkersburg, arrested Saturday in connection with the pistol shooting of 14-year-old Sander Arlene Gibbs of Garland, has been released under \$300 bond pending a hearing set for March 25.

FARM BUREAU MEET AT GARNER SCHOOL
GARNER — The 15th annual meeting of the Farm Bureau Federation is slated to get underway in the auditorium of Garner Consolidated School, at 10:30 Friday morning. The meeting is sponsored by the N. C. Farm Bureau Federation, Inc. and is held for the non-white members of the organization.

WOMAN CONVINCES MAN WITH PISTOL
KANNAPOLIS — A 62-year-old man paid the supreme penalty here Saturday night when he attempted to have a woman accompany him some place that she says she did not want to go. Mrs. Earle

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STAND UP AND READ — Albany, Ga.: An unidentified Negro family sign applications for library cards at the Albany Public Library March 11 as the city desegregated the facilities on a "stand-up" basis. Tables and chairs were removed from the libraries operated by the city, forcing patrons to check out books and leave. The libraries had been closed for several months since they were the scene of repeated racial demonstration. UPI PHOTO.

KNIFE VICTIM DIES OF FRIGHT



DR. BUNCHE IN YEMEN — SANAA, Yemen: United Nations Undersecretary for Special Political Affairs Dr. Ralph Bunche (eye-glasses) shakes hand with Yemeni tribesman during a visit here recently. Dr. Bunche was on a fact-finding tour of Yemen. Upon his arrival in Cairo a few days later, Dr. Bunche said he was appalled by the social conditions in Yemen, but said he saw no fighting there. The American representative said Yemeni Premier Col. Abdullah Sallal had made no demands on the United Nations, but had sought technical aid "and UN help in establishing peaceful relations with neighbors." UPI PHOTO.

WINSTON SALEM — There is a saying, "I just as soon have you kill me as to scare me to death." According to a diagnosis into the cause of the death of William Jackson Crosby, 33 who died at the Kate Biting Hospital about 9 a. m. Sunday morning, the result of a heart attack caused by a stabbing, about 6 a. m. on the same morning could bear this out.

Crosby was admitted to the hospital after he had been stabbed in the left arm by Myrtle Coleman Dorvin, 31. It is reported that the two argued over money and when there was no apparent agreement,

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Ex-Council Woman Bids For Post

KINSTON — Mrs. J. J. Hannibal, who made history as not only the first Negro to be a member of the City Council, but the first woman, has offered for the post, subject to the coming primary.

Mrs. Hannibal has been a dynamic force in the life of the city and has been in the forefront to make Kinston conscious of its responsibility to all its citizens. There are ten candidates aspiring for these vacancies, for four years.

This promises to be a real battle. Seven of the candidates are Democrats and three are Republicans. The filing of the Republicans have also enlivened the race.

There is much concern about the apathy of Negroes to register. The books have been

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Ligon High School Uniform Drive Organization Is Completed

The organization which hopes to complete the drive for \$5,000.00 to buy uniforms for a 100 men Ligon High marching band, has now been completed.

The list of persons making up this group includes the following names: D. H. Keck, General Chairman; Rev. D. N. Howard, ministers and churches; J. D. Lewis, mass media communication and special

events; Mrs. Alzoria P. Roberts, cosmetologists; Mrs. J. Dudley Hinton, civic organizations; Henry Worth, county and state employees; D. H. Keck, educational institutions; A. E. Brown, business groups and individuals; Dr. James T. Thomas, professional groups; Gilbert Hunter, Barber Association.

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President JFK Salutes Press Week Observance

WASHINGTON, D. C. — In a tribute to the Negro Press on its 136th anniversary, President Kennedy has declared that in spite of hardships Negro newspapers have "never stopped working toward the goal of equal opportunity."

The White House message went to the National Newspaper Publishers Association on the eve of the founding date of "Freedom's Journal," the first American Negro newspaper, which was launched by John B. Russwurm on March 16, 1827, and in salute to NNPA for its sponsorship of the 25th annual observ-

ance of National Negro Newspaper Week, March 17-23.

Said the President: "When John B. Russwurm published the first Negro newspaper on March 16, 1827, human slavery was an entrenched institution in our nation. Only a small band of Americans in that period had a firm faith in the coming of freedom. Their faith in the future was inspired and nurtured by the Negro newspaper."

"Looking back at this period one must observe that despite serious economic hardships the American

Negro Press has never stopped

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ODDS-ENDS

BY JAMES A. SHEPARD

"Let he who is without fault cast the first stone."

ADAM CLAYTON POWELL

It is not conceivable that any person believing in right could or would defend the junketing and absentee practices of New York Congressman, Adam Clayton Powell. As far as we are personally concerned, we would propose a constitutional amendment making it mandatory for each member of Congress to personally answer each roll call unless prohibited from doing so by illness or by an excused absence based upon legitimate reason.

The above should make it apparent that we have no intention of defending Congressman Powell's reversible shenanigans. We do however defend his statement that the reason so much "hue and cry" is being raised about his doings is simply because he is a Negro.

A look at the absentee and traveling record of many white congressmen is both revealing and shocking. It is most revealing when you find that the record of Congressman Powell in these areas is quite modest compared to the record of many of his white colleagues. The highly touted Congressman Harold Cooley of North Carolina has not only out-travelled and out-spent Congressman Powell but he has had the gall to state publicly that the only one he has

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WEATHER

The five day weather forecast for the Raleigh area beginning Thursday, March 21 and continuing through Monday, March 25, is as follows:

Temperatures will average near normal with daily changes in temperature. High and low temperatures of 61 - 63. Very little or no rain expected.



PROTEST RETARDED INTEGRATION — Atlanta, Ga.: Mayor Ivan Allen speaks from City Hall steps to group of about 200 Negro students who staged a mass march to protest that city hasn't progressed fast enough toward desegregation. Marchers listened quietly to Allen, sang some hymns, and dispersed. There were no incidents or arrests. (UPI PHOTO).

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