

CIAA CAGE TOURNAMENT IS MOVING FROM GREENSBORO



BUSINESS COLLEGE BEAUTIES—Lovely Vivian Eloise Rucker, (third from left) recently crowned "Miss Durham Business College" is pictured here surrounded by her attendants Shirley

Reece, of Greensboro, and Veronetta Stencil, of Pinehurst (left of Miss Rucker), and Queen Foster, of Yanceyville (extreme

right). From all appearances, this quartet should add to the attractiveness of any business office.

"Tired of Beatings," Woman Slays Brother With Shot Gun

Auto Accidents Drowning Take Lives of Five

Five persons met with violent deaths in three auto accidents, one drowning and a shooting in this area this week. A sixth succumbed to an overdose of alcohol.

● In Burlington, a 27 year old woman shot and killed her brother Saturday night.

● An A&T College student died Tuesday in an automobile accident near Yanceyville.

● Near South Boston, Va., a seven year old boy was killed instantly when he was struck by a truck.

● A 19 year old youth died shortly after receiving injuries when he was struck by an automobile near Southern Pines late Saturday.

● A Durham man died from acute alcoholism Saturday.

● A fisherman in Wake County drowned when he lost his balance fell into a farm pond Tuesday.

● Burlington police charged Mrs. Jean Carol Ferguson Smith with the shot-gun slaying Saturday. See ACCIDENTS, 6-A



HE CLEANED UP—James J. Bullock, 47, of 2603 Crest St., was given a \$500 bond after being arrested in Durham this week on charges of assault and battery with a deadly weapon. Bullock was captured by police Friday night as he went on a shooting rampage with two shot guns in the Mickstown community. Shouting several times that he was going to clean up Crest Street, Bullock fired several shots from the middle of the street, forcing residents to flee for cover. One of his neighbors, Lennion Fester who was struck in the face by blasts from his guns, was reported in "fair" condition at Duke hospital this week. Bullock, who is reported to have been an inmate of mental institutions several times, had a quantity of shells strapped to his waist when taken.

Acute Alcoholism Claims One Man, Hurts Another

Two men sat down to a whisky-drinking duel in Durham last Friday night. One was buried in funeral services on Thursday. Another was released from the hospital a little wobbly from the whole experience.

Earnest Bagley, 38, of 110 Jordan street, was discovered by his wife, Mrs. Della Bagley, dead on a couch in the living room of their home early Saturday morning.

George Currie, of 612 Jordan street, who lost the match to Bagley, was found about an hour later seriously ill under the front porch. See WHISKEY, 6-A



SUCCUMBS—James A. (Billboard) Jackson, colorful national figure, died in Manhattan hospital last week. Jackson combined a many-sided career in unrelated fields with great success. See 3-B for details.



STUDENT CITED FOR WRITING—Pictured is Allid D. Clark, a sophomore of Scotland Neck, who was cited for excellence in the Roberts Series of Awards for Editorial Writing by College Student's in Connection with the Intercollegiate Association for the Study of the Alcohol Problems. These were forty finalists of the program of 1960 and Clark was declared to be the winner of the fifth honors. He is listed in The International Student, Digest of Alcohol Studies, September, issue. His subject was "Drinking and Driving."

CAN'T GET COLISEUM

Winston-Salem May Be New Site

The CIAA basketball tournament will not return to Greensboro this year. This fact was made plain by tournament secretary Floyd Brown in Durham this week.

Brown said Winston-Salem appeared to be the most likely site of this year's tournament.

Failure of Greensboro's city coliseum management to provide the tournament with suitable dates for the event resulted in the decision to move.

"They reneged on a verbal contract," Brown said.

"We had been assured last March that we could get the dates we wanted. Then in August, we received further, definite assur-

ances. But, in September, we were notified that the dates were not available. In October, we were offered dates that were not acceptable." Brown pointed out.

Brown said the dates requested by the tournament committee, March 2, 3, and 4, (Thursday through Saturday) had been given to the Greensboro Generals, a hockey team in its first year of competition in the Eastern Hockey League.

Only open dates offered the committee according to Brown were Feb. 27, 28 and March 1, Monday through Wednesday.

These dates were not acceptable. See NEW SITE, 6-A

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NAACP To Back Its Lawyers



YOUTH NAACP OFFICERS—These four newly elected officers of the Durham youth NAACP are pictured shortly after their election Sunday going over plans for the organization's future projects. Left to right are Charles Days, second vice president; John W. Edwards, president; Miss Juanita Crow, advisor; and Willie Burt, first vice president. Burt is also treasurer

of the state Youth NAACP organizations. The election of new officers was held at St. Joseph's AME Church. Photo by Satterfield.

EMPORIA, Va.—A three-judge circuit court has dismissed a case against a member of the legal staff of the Virginia State Conference of NAACP branches charged on three counts of unprofessional conduct.

The significance of the ruling on November 14, according to NAACP General Counsel Robert Carter, is that it is now clear "the Association is prepared to go to the limit of its resources to protect and defend" lawyers "whose only crimes have been" their assistance to the NAACP efforts to remove race barriers.

Charges of unprofessional conduct were brought against Samuel W. Tucker, of Emporia, by the state bar and stemmed from his admitted participation in three NAACP cases dating back to 1949.

Prominent NAACP officials, including Secretary Roy Wilkins and W. Lester Banks, executive secretary of the Virginia State NAACP, were on hand at the hearing Nov. 14 to testify in defense. See LAWYERS, 6-A

MOBS ENCOURAGED BY COUNCIL

New Orleans Dad Fired; Police Action Praised

NEW ORLEANS, La.—The father of one of the four Negro youngsters attending previously a 11-white schools in this bias-torn city was fired from his job this week after four and a half years of service.

NAACP Field Secretary Clarence Laws has assured the unidentified parent that the NAACP will help him find another job.

Laws revealed that the parents of the four first-graders "are holding fast despite the violence."

Although the identity of the par-

ents and children has not been revealed to date, their homes are under twenty-four hour police security guard.

The NAACP spokesman also said that the "teachers have been nice to the Negro girls who appear to be oblivious to what is happening."

"All four children are only six years old.

Laws praised police saying "they have been working to their utmost to protect life and property. They are trying to do a job, even though they have been under terrific attack by the White Citizens Council and others."

The marauding mobs have received ample stimulation and encouragement from the White Citizens Council. See DAD FIRED, 6-A

Rev. Crawford Draws Church In Charlotte

Among the few changes of pastorates made at the recent session of the Western North Carolina Conference of the AME Church held in Morganton was that of the Rev. Peter Crawford, pastor of Emmanuel AME Church of Durham and Rev. P. O. James, pastor of Bethel AME Church, Charlotte.

Rev. Crawford and Rev. James will exchange pastorates. This means that the former will go to Bethel in Charlotte while the latter will assume the pastorate of Emmanuel in Durham.

Although Rev. Crawford remained at Emmanuel only one year, 40 new members were added to the church role, new art glass windows were installed and there were 28 baptisms made.

As pastor of Emmanuel, Rev. Crawford has been heard with See CRAWFORD, 6-A



MRS. MCNEILL

Friday Morning Services Are Set For Mrs. Gladys H. McNeill

Funeral services for Mrs. Gladys Holloway McNeill, Durham County native and former public school teacher, will be held at 11:00 a.m. Friday at White Rock Baptist Church. Burial will follow in the Beechwood Cemetery. Dr. Miles M. Fisher, pastor, will officiate. The Rev. R. L. Speaks will be associated in the church service.

A resident of 1504 Fayetteville St. for the past 30 years, Mrs. McNeill was the widow of the late P. H. McNeill, founder of the Royal Cleaning Co., on Pettigrew Street.

Her parents were the late James M. and Emma (Laws) Holloway. She was the oldest of seven children.

Surviving are two brothers, Owen and Oscar of Durham, and four sisters: Mrs. Sodie H. Marrow, bursar at N. C. College; Mrs. Oa Hill, a teacher in the Raleigh City Schools; Mrs. Eva Medding, a

teacher at Pearsontown School in Durham County; and Mrs. Claudia Brandon of Durham.

The body will lie in state at the church from 10 to 11 a. m. Friday.

Friends of the family will be received at 510 and 511 Price St. before and after the final rites. Mrs. McNeill attended NCC when it was the National Religious Training School and Chauataqua. She also studied at Fayetteville State Teachers College and received her bachelor's degree from NCC.

She had been in declining health for several months. With her late husband, Mrs. McNeill took an active part in many of the religious, civic, and educational affairs of the Southside community.

Amey was in charge of arrangements.

DIES OF CANCER—Elizabeth Davis, 51, who was from a seminary to become one of the music world's most celebrated sopranos, died of cancer last Tuesday in New Rochelle, N. Y. She made her debut in New York's Town Hall in 1908 and since has appeared on major concert and opera stages in America and abroad. Her final appearance was her So. American tour last year.



LIFE NAACP MEMBERSHIP CHECK—Irvin L. Norwood, left, president of the recently opened Norwood Cosmetics company, in Baltimore, Md., presents check in partial payment of a \$500 NAACP Life Membership to Phillip

Savage, NAACP campaign director in Baltimore. Looking on are Norwood's brothers, who are executives in the newly formed business venture. They are, left to right, Moses Norwood, of

Durham, N. C. manager of distribution in North Carolina; Amos Norwood, of Philadelphia, secretary-treasurer; and Joel Norwood, vice president and general manager.

The Norwood Cosmetics firm was formally opened last month at 1513 Pennsylvania avenue in Baltimore by the four brothers. They are natives of Oxford, N. Carolina.