

15-Year Old Lad Winner Of Soap Box Derby In Greensboro

J. S. Stewart Appointed To N. C. Higher Education Post

Durham City Official Named By A&T Board

GREENSBORO—The A. and T. College Board of Trustees has named one of its members, J. S. Stewart, a Durham banker, to the reorganized North Carolina Board of Higher Education.

The announcement was made last Sunday, by Robert H. Frazier, chairman of the A. and T. Board, who said that the appointment is temporary pending formal approval at the regular fall meeting to be held in October.

A. and T. was one of five senior colleges named by Gov. Dan K. Moore to select one of its members to fill the quota for representatives from the senior colleges, as specified in the new act. The new board will be composed of 15 members authorized by the recent session of the North Carolina Legislature.

Stewart, who became a member of the A. and T. Board in 1961, is president of the Durham Mutual Savings and Loan Association, a member of the Durham City Council, a member of the National Public Advisory Committee of the Area Redevelopment Administration (ARA) of the U. S. Department of Commerce.

Attending the meeting here on Saturday besides Frazier and Stewart were E. E. Waddell, Charlotte; vice-chairman; Dr. A. A. Best, Greenville; W. L. Reid, Kannapolis; Dr. Otis Till-

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Thurgood Marshall Named To Solicitor General Post



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man. HighPoint; J. Mack Hatch Charlotte; Dr. Frontis Johnston, Davidson; W. B. Wicker, Greensboro, and Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy, president of the college.

Pres. Johnson Taps 'Mr. CR' For High Post

WASHINGTON — President Johnson has nominated Thurgood Marshall, former NAACP attorney now judge of the 2nd U. S. Circuit Court, as Solicitor General of the United States.

Upon Senate confirmation, Marshall, a tall, debonaire, mustached lawyer, will become the 33rd man to hold the post. The Solicitor General argues federal government cases before the Supreme Court. Marshall will succeed Archibald Cox who is retiring to return to Massachusetts where he said, "I have deep roots."

While with the NAACP Mar-



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shall argued 32 civil rights before the high tribunal and emerged victorious 29 times. His most memorable victory was in 1954 when he led the NAACP's attack on school segregation.

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Nation Mourns Sudden Death Of Stevenson

LONDON—Adlai Stevenson, U. S. ambassador to the United Nations, was stricken outside the U. S. Embassy Wednesday and died shortly afterward at 11 a. m. EST at St. George's Hospital, in Washington, a wave of sorrow swept through Congress and President Johnson was said close to tears.

Details of the cause of Stevenson's death were not available immediately. The ambassador was on a short trip to London and had just left the Embassy on Grosvenor Square. He collapsed on a mild sunny day in 70 degree weather. Earlier in the day Stevenson had met with Foreign Secretary Michael Stewart at the Foreign Office, and was expected to return to the U. S. this weekend.

Stevenson had shown no signs of illness and appeared to be his usual articulate self when interviewed Monday night on British Broadcasting Corp. television about U. S. policy in Viet Nam. He was the Democratic Presidential candidate in 1952 and 1956 and had made his last appearance at the United Nations before the Security Council at which he defended the U. S. action in sending troops to the Dominican Republic.

The one time Governor of Illinois served during Harry S. Truman's administration as a delegate to the first two sessions of the U. N. General Assembly in 1946 and 1947 and was appointed by President STEVENSON, 2A



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Among those sworn in as members of the board of Aldermen of East Spencer here recently was James W. McIlwaine who returned to the city in 1962 after having spent 22 years in the United States Army during which time he attained the rank

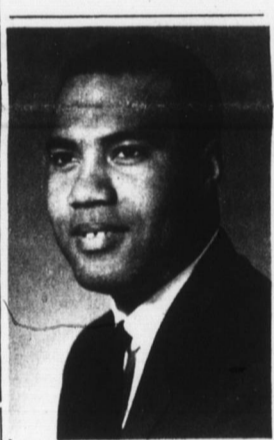
of first Lieutenant and served as commander of several transportation corps units.

He is married to the former Miss Alta Perkins of Salisbury, and Brooklyn, N. Y. They are the parents of three children,

Diana 15, Juana 12 and Jacques 9.

Others sworn in from left to right; Mrs. Francis Ruffly, Clerk of Court; C. A. Myrick, W. H. Rusher, G. A. Lyerly and McIlwaine.

Mays, Gibson Shine In All-Star Contest



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MARICHAL IS WINNER OF MVP AWARD

MINNEAPOLIS — Nifty base running by Willie Mays and clutch pitching by Bob Gibson in the late innings lifted the National League All-Stars past the American Leaguers 6-5 in the annual All-Star game held here Tuesday at the Metropolitan Stadium before a sellout crowd of 64,706.

In taking the lead for the first time in the all-star play, the National League had to shake off several rallies by the junior league stars to preserve the win. The National League now holds a slight 18-17-1 lead in all-star competition.

Mays, playing in his 16th all-star game, hit the second pitch of the game into the lower section of the leftfield seats and before the inning was over, the National League had scored three runs. Willie Stargell poked a two run homer into the centerfield bullpen in the second frame and the fans started thinking of a possible run away since the senior loop stars had a 5-0 lead after two innings.

But the American League broke loose for five runs in the next four stanzas to turn what once looked like a one-sided affair into a tie game after six innings.

Mays batting out of the lead off spot for the winners, opened the seventh frame with a walk. Aaron followed with a single to right sending Mays to third. After Roberto Clemente



Juan Marichal, p. Willie Mays, of forced Aaron at second and Mays held third, the brilliant centerfielder even with a handicap, scampered home on Ron Santo's single off Bobby Richardson's glove behind second base.

Realizing the fact that offense is not the only phase of the game, St. Louis' Bob Gibson came on to pitch the final two innings for the National League. The World series hero of last year, had a scare in the ninth after retiring the side in the eighth frame. Tony Oliva opened the last inning with a double but Gibson got Max Alvis to pop up on an attempted bunt and then the hard throwing righthander fanned Harmon Killebrew and Joe Pepitone.

Juan Marichal, the starting pitcher for the National League was voted the Most Valuable Player award edging out teammate Mays 46-45 in the voting. The high kicking righthander, faced the minimum of nine batters in the first three innings he hurled. After retiring the six American Leaguers, he allowed a lead off single to Vic Davalillo in the third frame. But Davalillo was quickly erased from the base as the See ALL-STARS Page 2A

Negro Named Ambassador To Syria

President Lyndon B. Johnson announced Thursday the nomination of Dr. Hugh M. Smythe, 51, of New York City as Ambassador to Syria.

Dr. Smythe is deputy chairman of the graduate division of the Department of sociology at Brooklyn College and has long been active in foreign affairs. He was senior adviser on economic and social affairs to the United States Mission to the United Nations, 1961-62, and was a member of the U. S. delegation to the 16th General Assembly of the United Nations.

Upon Senate confirmation, Dr. Smythe will become the fourth Negro to gain Ambassadorial rank in the State Department since President Lyndon B. Johnson assumed office. Clinton Knox, Ambassador to Dahomey, Mrs. Patricia R. Harris, Ambassador to Luxembourg and Franklin Williams, U. S. representative to the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization were appointed by Pres. Johnson. Earlier the late President JFK appointed Mercer Cook as Ambassador and the latter is now representing the United States in Senegal and Gambia. Of the ten Negroes who have achieved Ambassadorial rank in the history of the United States, five were named since 1960.

Dr. Smythe received his Ph.D. degree from Northwestern University, his Master's Degree from Atlanta University after having done his undergraduate work at Virginia State College. His wife, Dr. Mabel Smythe, is principal of the Lincoln School in New York City and collaborated with him on a study of Nigerian leaders which was published in 1960 under the title "The New Nigerian Elite."

MISS McCRAE WINS CONTEST

Miss Jacquelyn DeVon McCrae, age 18, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McCrae and the granddaughter of Mrs. Luner Drumwright and the late Charlie Drumwright of Woodside was the recipient of the first prize in the Interdenominational Ushers Union Oratorical Contest Sunday, July 11 at West Durham Baptist Church on Thaxton Ave. Six other persons participated in the contest.

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PROUD PARENTS — Joseph Hamilton Holloway, center, winner last week in the Greensboro Soap Box Derby, is flanked by his proud parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Major B. Holloway. With the win, Joseph received a \$500 saving bond, a handsome trophy and a chance to compete

in the National Soap Box Derby Finals at Akron, Ohio for a top prize of \$10,000, and other prizes.

Dogged Determination Pays Off For Gate City Boy

GREENSBORO — Dogged determination paid off for Joseph Hamilton Holloway, 15, who after three years of trying, raced across the finish line in the final event to win the Greensboro 1965 Soap Box Derby, here last Saturday.

With the win goes a \$500 saving bond, a handsome trophy an all-expense trip to represent Greensboro in the National Soap Box Derby Finals at Akron, Ohio in early August and a big chance at the top prize of \$10,000. It was his last opportunity for competition is restricted to 15 years or below. For "Champ" Holloway, as he is now called, the victory was a perfect climax for his efforts which began in 1963. He won no prizes in 1963, but explains, "I learned a lot." This fact is proved by the progress he has made since. In 1964, he was more successful winning the runnerup position in the Class A bracket, but losing in the finals.

His achievement marks the first time a youth of his race has won the Greensboro event, though several have come close. "Champ" received all the honors at the giant victory banquet held that evening at the King's Inn Ballroom and has tucked away several other prizes, gifts from friends, local merchants and the Greensboro Junior Chamber of Commerce, local sponsors of the Derby. Joseph and his parents are to

be guests of honor at a luncheon at the Greensboro O'Henry Hotel later this month, sponsored by the Jaycees.

Assistance Requests Running High at North Carolina College

An estimated 1200 to 1500 applications are expected to be filed in the North Carolina College Dean of Students' office for financial assistance under the National Defense Student Loan Program for the 1965-1966 academic year. According to John L. Stewart, acting dean of students, an estimated 925 will qualify for and receive aid under the program, which is financed by the federal government (90 per cent) and the college (10 per cent).

Stewart revealed that therefore, he said, is cutting \$450,000 is available for applicants enrolled during the 1965-1966 school year and the 1966 summer school but emphasized that the amount still is not enough if everyone were given the amount he requested. A problem, therefore, he said, is cutting — where and how much — and yet distributing the money widely so that students who otherwise could not do so might be able to remain in school.

Mrs. Mae McMillion, secretary of the NDSLP, indicated that incoming freshmen are being notified of their qualification and all students are expected to be notified of their qualification by July 31. She pointed out that there has been noticeable increase in the number of out of state applications over last year, especially from New York and New Jersey.

Stewart said, "If students drop out, the loan becomes due immediately. Graduates have one year of grace (after graduation) before beginning to pay," he continued "but must make a repayment agreement with the business office before they receive their degrees."

"Processing and handling of applications would be greatly facilitated," Stewart added, "if careful reading of the instructions were done and followed."

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NAACP Bars Appointment Of Former Governor Of Miss.

DENVER, Colo. — The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has called upon the United States Senate to refuse to confirm the nomination of former Mississippi Gov. James P. Coleman as a judge on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit.

At the closing session of the Association's 56th annual convention here, June 28-July 3, tion expressing "shock" at the nomination and calling upon "the President to screen all persons who are considered for judgeships and to make certain that anyone appointed is fully committed to uphold the law and to protect the constitutional rights of all Americans with-

out regard to race, creed or color."

Debate on the resolution was marred by the implication asserted by one delegate that a "deal" had been made between NAACP Board and/or staff members and the Johnson Administration not to press for nomination to the Coleman position. "Who wants to get into the Cabinet? What deal was cut?" the delegate demanded.

The allegation of a "deal" was bitterly assailed by Executive Director Roy Wilkins following adoption of the resolution. It's up to the delegates to adopt whatever resolution they desired, he said. "What you decree. I will attempt to carry out." However, he went on, "I

deeply resent this rude lie," referring to the remarks made by the delegate from Flint, Mich. "I have not been offered any position, do not expect any offer and do not want any. I wouldn't trade my position with the Association even for the seat in the White House," he declared.

Clarence Mitchell, director of the NAACP Washington bureau, likewise assailed and denied the remarks made by the delegate and offered to settle the issue "in debate on the floor, or out in the corridors. I don't take that kind of stuff from anybody."

The delegates gave the Resolutions Committee, the Executive Director and the Director See PROTESTS, 2A

EPIS. DIS. OF AME CHURCH TO HOLD CONVOCATION

WINSTON-SALEM—The Second Episcopal District of the AME Church will hold its Christian Educational Convocation Aug. 10-13 at St. James Church here at North 15th St. and Patterson Avenue.

In charge of the sessions will be the Presiding Bishop of the Second Episcopal District Bishop George W. Baber. The Rev. Melvin Chester Swann of Durham, minister of St. Joseph's AME Church, is convocation director, and the Rev. J. T. McMillian is host minister.

The theme of the three-day meeting is, "The Church in Mission." Along with a ministerial seminar and a laymen's workshop, the following activities are scheduled: a fellowship luncheon, youth retreat consisting of a splash party and teen party, a ministerial fellowship breakfast, and an ecumenical reception.