

# Inauguration NCC President Set April 27

## Association To Fight Public Housing In Southeast Durham

### Guy Rankin to Head New East Durham Group

The East Durham Citizens Association met last Sunday to formulate plans of attack directed at the Durham Housing Authority and to elect spokesmen for the group who represent a petition list of 2,000 persons.

Spokesmen for zoning, schools, traffic and a general spokesman were elected to voice the opinion of the group.

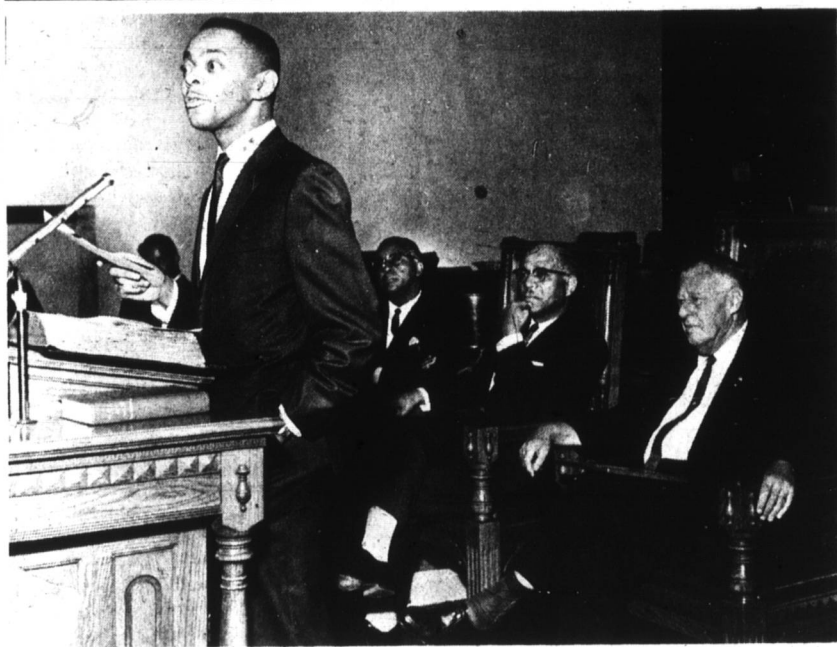
Guy Rankin, general spokesman, stated: "We have no intentions of accepting any compromise. It is high time that the voice of the middle class and lower class be heard without marching and destroying private property." "We don't want that kind of power play, but the Hoover Road Boone Street Project is like a stick of dynamite complete with fuse waiting for a match."

"We don't understand how a Housing Authority Board would purposely put a minority group in one corner of the city and create a super-ghetto." "Some people might be offended but, we see that Hope Valley and Forrest Hills or Crosdale don't have any of their fair share of projects."

The group met with Mayor Grabarek who stated that Durham was slated for 2500 units over a period of years. Rankin stated, "Our feeling is that with 1279 units in southeast Durham, we certainly have our fair share and that North, South, East and West should have equal distribution. I don't see how the people can let this go on."

"We learned that after appointment to the Housing Board no one has any authority in Housing matters except the Federal Government. We contend that if this is the system then it is wrong. Each community should be represented."

"Our post office Box 11213 is being used to accept contributions or letters of support." Rankin closed his interview with the following statement:  
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David Stith, President of Southeastern Business College and Democratic Candidate for Congress from the 4th Congressional District is shown making an

appeal for Life Membership for NAACP. Seated right to left, is Dr. Kivie Kaplan, National President of NAACP, Dr. Albert N. Whiting, President of North

Carolina College, Maceo Sloan, Vice-President of North Carolina Mutual and J. C. Scarborough, III, Candidate for Durham County Commissioner.

### Stith Says Galiafanakis Not Interested In Local Problems

### Cong. Conyers to Address Rally For Mrs. Clayton in Rocky Mt.

ROCKY MOUNT — Congressman John Conyers, Jr. of the First District of Michigan will be the featured speaker in Rocky Mount at a political rally in behalf of candidates Eva Clayton for Congress and Reginald Hawkins for governor, April 6. The rally will be held at Tarrytown Mall at 8:00 p.m. and supporters from all over the Second Congressional District and the state are expected to be there to hear Conyers and the candidates.

Congressman Conyers was elected in 1966 to his second term in the U. S. House of Representatives with 84% of the vote in the First Congressional District of Michigan, the fourth highest percentage of any Congressman.

He was sponsor of the Full Opportunity Act which would provide \$30 billion yearly to



MRS. CLAYTON aid low income Americans in the areas of jobs, housing and education. The bill also has strong anti-discrimination laws and enforcement provisions.  
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### Says Incumbent Silent on Civil Rights Report

David Stith, Democratic Candidate for Congress from the 4th Congressional District, Saturday accused incumbent Nick Galiafanakis "of doing more to try to solve the problems of France than of taking any active interest in the people of his home district in the United States." Stith sighted as a case in point Galiafanakis' complete lack of reaction on the recent report of the President's Commission on Civil Disorder as a case in point. Here, Stith said "is a matter which will have to be discussed and handled by the Congress and to date Galiafanakis has not given any indication of his feelings on the report." Nick is still fighting the question of France's debt to the U. S. and the Gold Crisis. In other words, Stith said "Nick is still fiddling while Rome burns."

Stith said in a statement, "Mr. Galiafanakis' comments on Gen. De Gaulle and the gold crisis are deliberate efforts to create a smokescreen to hide his inactivity and apparent disinterest in pressing problems of disadvantaged citizens in his own district."

Stith also linked Durham Mayor Wense Grabarek with "those politicians who are preoccupied with problems outside of Durham and the 4th District at the expense of impending crisis growing out of implications of the President's Commission's report on Civil Disorder."

"With the obviously flammable situation in Durham, the Mayor and his colleagues virtually ignored a report from its Ad Hoc Committee on Human Relations while the council adjourned for what might have well have been an opportunity to view sports activities."

Stith said in an interview Saturday that "the persistent refusal of the peoples' representatives to ignore the basic aspirations of the masses is becoming more not less flagrant than ever. For this reason, it is imperative that the little people in the nation's cities elect representatives who are not only aware of the problems of little people, but representatives who will take an active and consistent part in promoting the interest of the people."

Stith went on to say "that week after week we see news reports from Galiafanakis' Washington Office, reports de-

### Local Doctor Pushes Search For Medical Career Seekers

### W. J. Kennedy Jr. Is Speaker For Boys' Club Week Meet

W. J. Kennedy, Jr., president of the John Avery Boys' Club and a member of the Board of Directors of Boys' Clubs of America, will be the speaker at a public meeting that will be held at the Whitted Junior High School Auditorium, Tuesday, April 2 at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting is one of many activities planned by the John Avery Boys' Club in its celebration of National Boys' Club Week March 31-April 6.

Clinton A. Shearin, program director of the local Club stated that the theme of the program is "Boy Development." Also included in the program will be the showing of two movies entitled "The Dangerous Years" and "A Place For Growing."

The public is cordially invited to attend this meeting and learn what one of your United Fund Agencies has accomplished in its 29 years of



KENNEDY existence and its plans for the future as it works with the boys of our community.

CHARLOTTE (UPI) — The North Carolina Association of Realtors will be asked next month by its president to back him in a court test of an open housing act passed by Congress.

### NMA COUNCIL BACKS TALENT RECRUITMENT

Durham physician, LeRoy R. Swift, has developed a program for recruiting Negro youth for medical and health careers which he hopes will be funded for operation in North Carolina, Virginia and South Carolina. Dr. Swift is the Chairman of the National Medical Association's (NMA) Council on Talent Recruitment.

The plan, first conceived by Dr. William M. Cobb of Howard University, aims to motivate and assist young Negroes in developing careers as physicians, medical technicians and health specialists. Conceived as a five year demonstration project, the program would aim immediately at tapping a pool of nearly 26,000 students presently enrolled in colleges in the tri-state area. In time, it would reach out to youngsters in high schools and junior high schools.

In general, the demand for medical and health personnel exceeds the demand, but the demand, according to NMA, presents important occupation-

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## Spaulding And Barnes Enter Primary Slated Sat., May 4

### Retired NCM Head, News Man Seek Seat

Two additional Negro candidates for public offices in Durham will be in the Primary to be held May 4 it was disclosed here at the closing of the filing date at Noon Friday, March 22.

Filing for office of County Commissioner were Asa T. Spaulding, retired president of N. C. Mutual Life Insurance Company and Alexander Barnes, newspaper man and



SPAUDLING public relations director of the A.M.E. Zion Church. In filing for the County Commissioner post, Spaulding



BARNES had the following to say: "I have lived in Durham County for more than forty years."  
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### Anthropologist Claims Racism Dangerous Myth

Dr. Stanton K. Tefft, of Wake Forest University's department of anthropology, told North Carolina College students in a lecture Friday, March 22, that racism is "man's most dangerous myth." Tefft examined each of the white racist's claims to superiority and found that no scientific evidence supports any of those claims.

The claim of the pre-Civil War apologist for slavery that Negroes are subhuman Tefft found totally insupportable. "Negroes are least 'ape-like' in six (of eleven selected traits) ... and Europeans are least in only three," Tefft said.

If average brain size were proven to be a measure of racial superiority, Tefft said, the white man would "have to acknowledge the large-brained Eskimos as our intellectual superiors and include the African Zulu and AnaXhosa along with them."

Although many racists seized upon the results of the Army alpha and beta tests of the first World War and on subsequent so-called intelligence tests, as evidence of white superiority, Tefft said, warnings of probable invalidity for this purpose came in the

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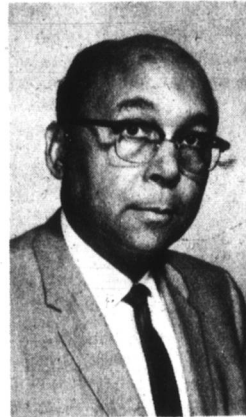
### Dr. Albert Whiting Ceremonies Mark Shepard's 3rd Successor

### Former Durham Man Named to Supervisory Post in Gastonia

GASTONIA — Thebaud Jeffers, for many years, principal of Highland Junior-Senior High School and since 1966 of Highland Junior High School, has been named to the top supervisory position in the Gastonia-Gastonia County Consolidated School System, at Gastonia.

He will have direct supervision of the eleven senior high schools and the six junior high schools of the 33,000 student Gastonia-Gastonia County Consolidated School System.

Superintendent William H. Brown of the consolidated school system told the Board of Education in making his re-



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### Local College Plans Rites For Fourth Head

Inaugural ceremonies on Saturday, April 27 will mark North Carolina College's official welcome to Dr. Albert N. Whiting, the fourth man to hold the college presidency since its founding in 1910.

Dr. Whiting, who took office on July 1, 1967, takes on the mantle of Dr. James E. Shepard, the college's founder and its president from 1910 until his death in 1947. Others who have worn the mantle include Dr. Alfonso Elder and Dr. Samuel P. Massie.

Dr. Shepard was described as "greater than Booker T. Washington" during his lifetime. The college's founder received his undergraduate and

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### Winston-Salem Jaycees Cite Negro Teacher

WINSTON-SALEM — Mrs. Clarice Graham Carter, a 1955 graduate of Winston-Salem State College and a fourth-grade teacher at Diggs Elementary School, was recently named "Outstanding Young Educator for 1968" by the Winston-Salem Jaycees.

Mrs. Carter is the first Negro selected for the title which the local Jaycees have given annually for the past four years. They also nominated her for the state title.

The holder of a master's degree from A&T State University, Mrs. Carter has taught every year except one since 1955. She was on leave one year when her daughter, Gail Allison, was born. Mrs. Carter has taught fourth grade every year but one and she taught gifted students from 1959 until 1966 when gifted classes were moved from Digg's school.

"I accept every child where he is and help him to progress as fast as he can or as slowly as he must. I derive my greatest satisfaction in teaching from being totally involved with my children, being sensitive to their needs, providing stimuli for their inquiring minds and sharing with them their hopes and their pro-

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### PROMOTED TO MAJOR

FORT BENNING, Ga.—William B. Gooch, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Lerman Gooch, Route 1, Stem, N. C., has been promoted to major by Colonel Herbert E. Wolff, commander, U. S. Army Training Center, Infantry.

Before assignment to the Training Center, Maj. Gooch served with Advisory Team 33, Vietnam. He has been awarded the Bronze Star and the Com-

bat Infantryman's Badge. The Training Center was established here Sept. 15, 1965 and since December 1965 has graduated more than 125,000 soldiers from basic combat training.

A graduate of G. C. Hawley High School, Creedmoor, N.C., Maj. Gooch received his Bachelor of Science degree from North Carolina A&T University, Greensboro. He was commissioned through the Reserve

Officer Training Corps. Prior to entering the Army in January 1964, Gooch was a case worker with the Durham County Welfare Department. His wife, Margaret, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Watson Parham, Creedmoor.

Major Gooch is shown receiving the new rank insignia from Col. Herbert E. Wolff, commander, U. S. Army Training Center, Infantry and Mrs. Gooch.

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