

# Two Black Mayors To Speak In Durham September 19

Words of Wisdom

I have never known a man who died from overwork, but many who died from doubt.  
—Charles Mayo, M.D.

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### Community Corp. Faces Operational Struggles To Survive

#### Tenant Steering Committee Supports Propose Change Housing Auth. Personnel



MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATION look on as lifeguard Miss Gennie Mangum and Ger-ald Garner. Not present are Mrs. Patricia Stover, William Foy, Betty Foy and Joyce Carrington.

#### Favors Hiring of Black Deputy Director and Executive Director

The Tenant Steering Committee supports the proposed changes of the Durham Housing Authorities Personnel Policies as presented by the two Black Commissioners, E. W. Midgette and Artis Plummer. We agree that the plan proposed by the Durham Housing Authority is another case of malpractice and discrimination against Black people. Our committee also supports Charles Tillman in the position he has taken in our interest. We believe that Tillman is deliberately under fire from the Administration and the chairman of the Commissioners. This action is mainly due to this interests been unjustifiably mistreated had it not been for Tillman's efforts. The tenants at Damar Court are appreciative of his support in the development of the first Tenant Neighborhood Corporation in the country. The reason the Tenant Steering Committee has not met with Oldham is due to his negative attitude and his unwillingness to honestly arrange (See HOUSING page 10A)



RECIPIENTS OF STANDING OVATIONS — The Supremes singing "Someday We'll Be Together" as a part of their act; however, they have already come together in the opinion of everyone on hand for their breaking engagements around jammed packed opening at the country since Jean Terrell Frontier Hotel in Las Vegas joined the legendary group; It's no secret that the girls but now, they've gotten their have been getting their thing together and nothing can come together in the opinion together for several weeks of stop them now.

#### UOCI Comes To Aid Of Tenants Of Damar Court Corporation

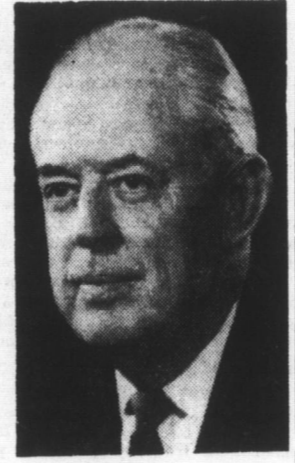
Residents of the Morreene Road Community are completing their third year of operating the swimming pool at the housing project. This self-help project began in October, 1967, when the Durham Housing Authority announced plans to convert the swimming pool into a spray pool. Initially, Damar residents were sparked by the announcement to get together and make plans for keeping the swimming pool in operation under the direction of residents. A major reason for the residents' eagerness to keep the pool in operation is the isolation of the Durham community, Damar residents felt a real need for recreation facilities for all members of their community. The Durham Recreation Department turned down a request from Damar Council members to run the pool; recreation officials said the particular kind of pool at Damar did meet the Department's specifications. During the summer of 1968, the pool operated by a committee made up of Damar residents and members of the over-all Durham community. The summer was a successful one, and profits from the pool were used to pay for legal work involved in getting a charter for a new corporation. Assisted by the Durham Legal Aid Clinic, the Damar group soon obtained a charter for a corporation which was to be called the Damar Community Recreation and Improvement Corporation. The Corporation is made up of residents from Damar Court and formerly the Duke Married Student Housing Complex. Incorporation meant that the tenants were able to operate the swimming pool. They also were enabled to operate a laundromat, which had been part of the deal whereby the Housing Authority acquired the pool. (See COMMUNITY page 10A)

#### Mrs. Asa T. Spaulding Chosen To Receive '70 Carolinas Award

It was announced here this week by Milton Harrington, president of Liggett and Myers, Inc. that Mrs. Asa T. Spaulding has been chosen to receive the 1970 Carolinas region citation award presented by the National Conference of Christians and Jews. Harrington will serve as chairman of the presentation dinner to be held in her honor October 6 at which time Brooks Hayes, chairman of the Governor's Good Neighbor Council will be guest speaker. Dr. David Hyatt of New (See AWARD page 10A)



MRS. SPAULDING



HARRINGTON

#### Hatcher And Lee To Be Main Keynoters At Leadership Meet

Mayor Richard Hatcher of Gary Indiana and Mayor Howard Lee of Chapel Hill, North Carolina, will be the principal speakers at the North Carolina Voter Education Project's Fourth Annual Leadership Training Conference in Durham, September 19th. Mayor Lee will deliver the keynote address at 9:30 a.m. at the Durham Hotel. Mayor Hatcher will address the closing session at 5 p.m. in the B. N. Duke Auditorium on the campus of North Carolina Central University.

John W. Edwards, Director of North Carolina Voter Education Project, said the purpose of the one day conference, "is to bring together Black leaders from across the state to discuss ways on how they can participate more effectively in the political system". Edwards stated that invitations have been extended to both political parties to send Black representatives. In addition to the speeches by (See MAYORS 10A)

#### Gossie Harold Hudson Receives Ph.D. in American History Field

Gossie Harold Hudson is the recipient of the Ph. D. Degree in the field of American History at the Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, September 4, 1970.



HUDSON

His Masters Thesis, "Negro Historians View the Causes of the Civil War", was received at North Carolina Central University. While matriculating at the University of Ohio, he worked as a Teaching Associate for two years. And continued his affiliation with Phi Alpha Theta and Pi Gamma Mu, Honor Societies. He has accepted a position as assistant professor in the history department at Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, Illinois. He is married to the former Florence Delories McCall. They are the parents of two children, Gossie Harold and Florence Elizabeth.



**50TH DTI NURSING CLASS**—Seventeen women completed the one-year practical nurse education program offered by Durham Technical Institute in late August, thus becoming the 50th class to graduate from the program since it was founded in 1948. All of the women took their clinical training at Duke Medical Center, and all but one have joined the Duke staff since graduation. Completion of the D.T.I. course enables the students to take the state examination leading to the designation "licensed practical nurse." Shown after graduation ceremonies are, left to right, first row: Miss Pat Smith, instructor at DTI, Mrs. Mary C. Adams, president of the N. C. Licensed Practical Nurse Organization, Miss Yvonne Landis of Creedmoor, Mrs. Maxine Owens of Durham, Mrs. Sandra Upchurch of Durham, Miss Beverly Besty of Durham, Mrs. Shirley Ford of Roxboro, Miss Marilyn Blake of Durham, Mrs. Eva Farrar of Chapel Hill, Mrs. Doris P. Crowder, executive Secretary of the NCLPN organization, and Mrs. Louise J. Gooche, instructor at DTI. Second row: Miss Gloria Webb of Durham, Miss Agnes McNeill of Erwin, Miss Cynthia Atkins of Durham, Mrs. Antoinette Dorsey of Durham, Miss Veronica Mason of Rougemont, Mrs. Lola Farrow of Chapel Hill, Mrs. Queen McRae of Durham, Miss Brenda K. Porter of Murfreesboro, Mrs. Annie Bell Howard of Durham, Mrs. Lois Boone of Durham, Mrs. Georgia Jones, chairman of practical nursing education at DTI, and Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, past president of the Duke LPN organization and a member of the first DTI nursing class.

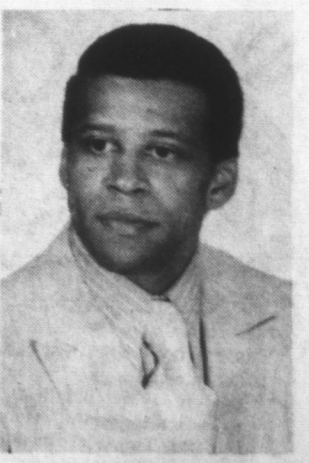
#### BAHA'I WORLD PEACE DAY TO BE OBSERVED

On September 20, members of the Baha'i Faith in more than 500 American communities will sponsor and observe World Peace Day to spread the recognition of America's spiritual destiny to raise the standard of peace in the world. A series of public meetings sponsored by the Durham Baha'i Community will be held Sept. 16 thru 20. On Sunday, Sept. 20 a symposium will be held at which Howard Lee, Mayor of Chapel Hill, Reverend Grady Davis, Pastor of Union Baptist Church, and Mrs. Tereh Cowart Smith, an international Baha'i lecturer will speak on "Avenues to World Peace." This meeting will be held at 4:30 p.m. at the YMCA Trinity and N. Duke Streets.

A program of the arts, (See BAHAI page 10A)

#### Ronald Barbee Passes North Carolina Bar Exam; Joins Firm

Ronald Barbee, a recent 1970 honor graduate of the North Carolina Central University School of Law, passed the North Carolina Bar Examination which was given on August 4, 5 and 6 of this year.



BARBEE

Mr. Barbee will be practicing law in Greensboro, where he is now an associate of the law firm of Frye and Johnson. While at North Carolina Central University School of Law, Mr. Barbee was editor-in-chief of the North Carolina Central Law Journal. He also received the annual award for the student graduating with the highest scholastic average in his class. Mr. Barbee, a native of Durham, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Barbee, Sr., of 207 West Geer Street. He is married to Alice Murray of Savannah, Georgia.