

# Durham Sets Plans For C&D Board Meet



**CHECKING OUT STOCK MARKET**—Dr. Leon Sullivan (center), president of Opportunities Industrialization Centers, recently took 30 of his business interns and graduates to Wall Street to see and learn the operations of the New York Stock Exchange. Here Dr. Sullivan is on the floor of the stock exchange

with John Gallagher (left), vice president and head floor broker for Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, Inc., and Ed Crandall, the specialist for General Motors stock. Dr. Sullivan is GM's first Black board member.

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# JOB PROGRAM IS INITIATED HERE FOR DISADVANTAGED PERSONS

## Establishes \$308,000 Training Program for the Unemployed

### Mayor Howard Lee Files For Office For Second Term

By JOHN MYERS, Staff Writer  
CHAPEL HILL — In a press conference in his office at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, April 7, Mayor Howard Lee filed for a second term as Mayor of Chapel Hill.

Mayor Lee said "My first term has been one of learning. If elected, the second term will have to be more progressive. It will mean a lot more work for everyone."

Some of the policies Mayor Lee wishes to pursue with a second term involve the bus system, utilities, recreation department development, and the housing situation.

He said "During my first term, I lacked the political sophistication and seasoning needed by a politician. I'm not sure this is bad. I do not want to gain an amount of seasoning that will not permit me to speak openly and shoot straight from the hip."

When Mayor Lee was asked (See MAYOR page 10A)

By JOHN MYERS, Staff Writer

Howard Schultz, Director of JOBS Program announced Tuesday 13 at the Durham Chamber of Commerce, the establishment of a \$308,000 training program for the unemployed in Durham.

He said the program will have two directives: 1. help disadvantaged persons to qualify for and find gainful employment and 2. help Durham area employers obtain the entry-level workers and skills they need to conduct a profitable business.

The JOBS Program will enable the Chamber, through its subcontractor, the National Federation of Electronics Association, Inc., to recruit, train, and place in jobs 114 persons from the disadvantaged segment of the local community.

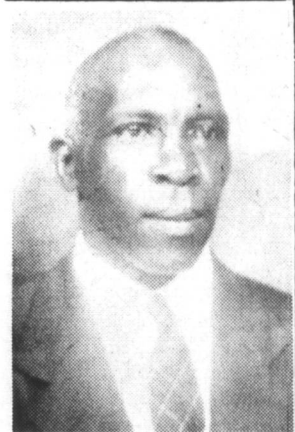
Local firms participating in the JOBS consortium are as follows: Black Industries (telephone linemen), North Carolina Blue Cross and Blue Shield (clerk typists), Duke Knitting Mills (link knitting operators), United Durham, (See ESTABLISHES 10A)



**MEMBERS OF ADVISORY BOARD OF BLACK ENTERPRISE** — They represent a broad cross section of Black Americans of proven abilities. Seated left to right are: The Honorable Edward Brooke, Senator from Massachusetts; The Honorable Shirley Chisholm, Representative from New York; The Honorable Chas. Evers, Mayor, Fayette, Mississippi. Standing: Earl G. Graves, Publisher and President of Earl G. Graves Associates, Con-

sultants; John Lewis, Former National Chairman of SNCC, National Director of Voter Education Project, Atlanta, Ga.; William Hudgins, President, Freedom National Bank, New York City; The Honorable Julian Bond, Member of the Georgia House of Representatives; Thomas A. Johnson, Award-winning staff-writer of the New York Times; Henry Parks, Chairman of the Board, H. G. Parks, Inc. (Parks Sausages).

## Durham Chamber Of Commerce Is Host For First Time In History



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### Leo W. Davis Dies at Hospital In Brooklyn, NY

Leo Warren Davis, formerly of Durham died at the Wycliff Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., Sunday, April 11, 1971 after a long illness.

He was born in Sumter, S. C. the son of Warren and Sarah Davis.

Mrs. Davis was once a member of the White Rock Baptist Church and served on the Deacon Board. After coming to Brooklyn, N. Y. he joined the Concord Baptist Church.

Mr. Davis is survived by a wife Mrs. Ada E. Davis, two sons Harrison W. Davis of the (See DAVIS page 10A)

By JOHN MYERS, Staff Writer

At a press conference in the Pine Room of the Downtowner Motor Inn, 11:00 a.m. Thursday, April 8, members of the Durham Chamber of Commerce announced the annual meeting of the Board of Conservation and Development to be held here April 15-17.

This is the first time in Durham's history that it will be host to the C&D Board. The Board affects more people than any other state agency due to the wide number of programs it sponsors.

Thursday 15, will be registration at the Downtowner Large Cardinal Room followed by a social hour from

6:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

Friday 16, the Board's day will begin at 7:30 a.m. with a breakfast buffet in the Downtowner. Following will be the opening business session at 9:30 a.m. The session will be presided by Gilliam K. Horton, Chairman of the Board of C&D.

At 10:00 a.m., a public hearing will be held for anyone wishing to be heard on any matter by the Board. 10:30 a.m. will be allotted for the division head reports followed at 12:00 noon by the lunch break.

At 1:30 p.m. business progresses with the committee (See C&D MEET 10A)

### W. Durham Baptist Church Holding Dedication Services

West Durham Baptist Church has been emphasizing for the past year the role of the church. Speakers from the city and state have played with the venture. The week of April 12-18 will climax their effort. The services started on Monday, April 12, and will run through Sunday, April 18. The speaker for Monday night will be Virgil Wittnerberg, Minister of Abiding Savior Lutheran Church; Tuesday night, The Rev. Lorenzo Lynch, White Rock Baptist Church; Wednesday night, T. R. Trotten, Raleigh; Thursday night, Rev. L. H. McDonald, Northside Baptist Church and Friday night, (See CHURCH page 10A)



**TO REPRESENT RED CROSS IN AFRICA**—Prior to his departure to Accra, Ghana, Steve Bullock (right) who will represent the American Red Cross in a League of Red Cross Societies training institute for West Africans,

talks about the conference with George M. Elsey, ARC president. Mr. Bullock, assistant to the manager of ARC's Southeastern Area in Atlanta, Ga., will spend three weeks at the institute.

## Steve Bullock Represents A. Red Cross In West African Conference

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Steve D. Bullock, American Red Cross national staff member, is representing the ARC in the League of Red Cross Societies' regional training institute in Accra, Ghana, April 7-29.

Mr. Bullock, who is assistant to the manager of ARC's Southeastern Area in Atlanta, Ga., will participate in the institute which is designed to strengthen overall competence in leadership of West African Red Cross societies and to formulate ideas of how the Red Cross can better respond to social problems in this part of the world.

As the only American delegate, Mr. Bullock will be interested in learning how these developing nations feel the Red Cross can assist them and their societies. "We want

### Black Historian JCS Founder's Day Keynoter

CHARLOTTE — America's most outstanding Black historian delivered the 104th Founders' Day Address at Johnson C. Smith University Thursday and emphasized the return to spiritual values rather than materialistic accomplishments.

Dr. Charles H. Wesley, now executive director of the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History, made his remarks before a captive audience of 500 in the University church. (See HISTORIAN 10A)

to find out how the League can participate to give these people better service and how the American Red Cross can better participate in international Red Cross efforts of all types," he said.

Delegates at the institute will be predominantly from English-speaking West African Red Cross societies. A few, like Mr. Bullock, are from non-African societies.

Mr. Bullock has had extensive experience in Red Cross work, serving tours for the ARC in Vietnam, France, Germany and the U.S. He was a member of the six-man team of Red Cross workers that accompanied H. Ross Perot on his around-the-world mission on behalf of American prisoners of war held in North Vietnam.

A native of Enfield, N. C. he is a graduate of Union

## Women In Action Sponsoring A Statewide Workshop April 16-17

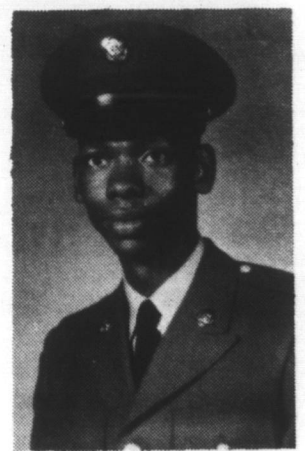
Women in Action for the Prevention of Violence and its Causes (WIAPV) are sponsoring a Statewide Workshop April 16 and 17 at Durham Hotel and Motel. The purpose of the workshop will be to deal with major problems causing trouble in North Carolina Communities and to share with the participants the experience, know-how, and techniques developed by the Durham group with the aim that similar organizations might be formed in their communities to effectively deal with their problems.

Opening Highlights on Friday evening will include greetings by the Hon. Robert W. Scott, Governor of North Carolina. Mrs. Margaret Post, Coordinator of the Indianapolis Anti-Crime Crusade, will address the Banquet Session. Saturday's session will include criteria and discussion on How to Organize a Chapter of WIAPV by Mrs. A. T. Spaulding, President of Durham WIAPV. Other Study Sessions (See WOMEN page 10A)

## Tragedy Averted by Courageous Action of Sgt. Melvin Thaxton

By SP 4 MICHAEL BROUWER  
3D BCT BRIGADE — Tragedy was recently averted through the spontaneous courage demonstrated by a 3d Basic Combat Training Brigade soldier while serving as a safety noncommissioned officer (NCO) at training area 10, the live fire phase of grenade training.

As field cadetman with D-1-3, Sergeant Melvin R. Thaxton had been assigned to aid and supervise the trainees who passed through bay number 4, his point of responsibility. According to SGT Thaxton and eyewitnesses, a b-3-2 trainee, after having pulled the pin of the first of the two grenades he was required to throw, froze and dropped the weapon at his feet. SGT Thaxton



**SGT. THAXTON** reached immediately by sweeping the bewildered trainee over the safety wall, and pinning the individual to the ground as the grenade exploded. (See THAXTON page 10A)



**EXCHANGE VIEWS**—Charlotte Dr. Charles Wesley (left) and Lionel Newsom exchange views following Johnson C. Smith University's 104th Founders' Day Program. Dr. Wesley, executive director of the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History, was the main speaker for the occasion. Dr. Newsom serves as the institution's ninth chief administrator. (See story)



**BUSINESS LEAGUE SEMINAR PRINCIPALS** — Fayetteville Business League's one-day Business Seminar held Friday at the Utopia Lounge, attracted more than 175 participants. The highlight of the session was a luncheon speech by Attorney Floyd McKissick (second from left). With Attorney McKissick are other

principals in the seminar, left to right: Thomas Bacote, FBL President; David Rice, Chapter Director, National Business League, Washington, D. C.; and William Bowser, Executive Director, Cumberland County Community Action Program.