



## Someone You Should Meet

**Name:** Athelia C. Hart  
**Job Title:** Barber-stylist  
**Hometown:** Winston-Salem  
*Describe yourself in one word:*  
 "Fascinating"  
**Hobbies:** Traveling, singing, dancing, reading and meeting people  
**Favorite Book:** "The Third Life of Grange Copeland" by Alice Walker  
**Favorite Movie:** "Imitation Of Life"  
**Persons admire most:** Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and mother, Helen B. Hart  
**Career Goal:** "To be the best at what I do."

(photo by James Parker)

If you are single, at least 18 years old, doing something positive in the community or employed and interested in appearing in this column, or if you know someone that meets the criteria, please send your name and daytime telephone number to: Someone You Should Meet, Winston-Salem Chronicle, P.O. Box 3154, Winston-Salem, 27102.

## Crime Prevention

### Clerk Robbed, Beaten Unconscious

The following "Crime Box Score" is designed to keep you abreast of criminal activity in your community during the past week and to help you protect your family and property from crime.

- Armed Robbery**  
 •1200 block, Churton Street  
 A black male entered an office with an application to rent an apartment. He then pulled out a large knife and forced the clerk to the rear office, where the clerk was beaten, robbed, tied up with a sheet and knocked unconscious.
- 500 block, West 30th Street  
 Two suspects entered a convenience store, robbed the cash register and took the clerk's money and watch before shooting him. A vehicle, which a witness had reported seeing leaving the store, was stopped on Peters Creek Parkway. The three occupants of the car were charged with armed robbery and assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill.
- 900 block, Trade Street  
 The complainant was trying to get his car running after experiencing engine trouble. A black female assisted the complainant, who then agreed to take her home. As the complainant got inside the vehicle, the woman pulled out a razor and took the complainant's wallet. The suspect is described as 5-foot-5, with a medium complexion, short hair and a medium build.
- Storebreaking**  
 •400 block, North Liberty Street  
 A panel was knocked out of a rear door, which caused

- an alarm to sound. Nothing was taken.  
 •200 block, Woughtown Street  
 Stereo equipment was taken from an auditorium. The security guard chased two suspects, who dropped the equipment and continued to run. No descriptions were available.
- 600 block, West Fifth Street  
 Police responded to an alarm at a church. One suspect was arrested inside.
- 1600 block, Vargrave Street  
 A school was broken into. All items that were taken were found outside a classroom.
- Housebreaking**  
 •1100 block, Conley Street  
 A G.E. stove and refrigerator were taken from a vacant apartment.
- 300 block, East 14th Street  
 Canned goods were taken.
- Autobreaking**  
 •900 block, East Fourth Street  
 An orange handtruck was taken.
- 100 block, Cherry Street  
 A tan suitcase was taken.
- Larceny**  
 •1100 block, Salem Lake Road  
 A gold necklace was taken.
- 1200 block, Hattie Avenue  
 Glassware was taken.
- 600 block, Liberty Street

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## NEWS DIGEST

National, state and local news briefs compiled by John Slade

### Helms Says 'Attack' An Attempt To Aid Hunt

**RALEIGH** -- Senator Jesse Helms, R-N.C., accused Gov. Jim Hunt of using "surrogates" to smear Helms' expected re-election bid with "racism."

Helms charged in a news release last week that the Rev. Jerry Drayton, a Winston-Salem minister and a member of the state Human Relations Board, is attempting to aid Gov. Hunt's expected senatorial bid in 1984 by implying that Helms may use racially-motivated tactics to defeat Hunt.

"The smear of racism is being used all too often as a form of political terrorism -- the obvious purpose being to intimidate and hurt anyone who disagrees with liberals like Jesse Jackson and Jim Hunt," Helms said.

Helms continued: "Governor Hunt and the liberal media have obviously promoted Mr. Drayton's prejudiced and politically-motivated statement. It is they who are injecting race into this campaign by using his surrogates, including Mr. Drayton and the big-city liberal newspapers, to carry his negative campaign. While using his surrogates to call me a racist -- because I opposed the Martin-Luther King holiday -- (Gov. Hunt) turns right around and piously proclaims that he hopes race will not be injected into the campaign."

Dr. Drayton called Helms' allegations "a lot of bunk" and said he only wanted to prevent the issue of race being a factor in the 1984 campaign.

### Jews On Opposite Sides Of Jackson Candidacy

**HOUSTON** -- A national Jewish leader says that, while Jesse Jackson stirs "deep and justifiable concern" among Jews, his presidential candidacy should not be turned into a black-Jewish confrontation.

Albert Vorspan of New York, vice president of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, told 3,000 delegates at the organization's biennial assembly last week, "Jesse Jackson will probably infuriate us, but his candidacy may just help to expose the American people to the real world and the real conditions of our cities, our minority families, our youth, our elderly, our future."

But some American Jews aren't viewing the situation in the same light as Vorspan.

Last week, a group called Jews Against Jackson placed an ad in *The New York Times* charging that Jackson is "a danger to American Jews, to the state of Israel and to America itself." The ad cites several instances of Jackson commenting on conflict between blacks and Jews and runs a photo of Jackson embracing Yasir Arafat, head of the Palestine Liberation Organization.

But Vorspan compared the Jackson candidacy to that of John F. Kennedy in 1960 and said: "Jesse Jackson challenges the white monopoly on the White House as JFK did the Protestant monopoly more than 20 years ago. In so doing, he will help achieve a more open society in which even the White House will someday become an equal opportunity employer."

### Bill Bans New U.S. Business In S. Africa

**WASHINGTON** -- The first major victory of apartheid opponents came recently in Congress with the passage of a bill prohibiting new American investments in South Africa.

Led by Rep. William Gray, D-Pa., the legislation focuses on economic sanctions against the country, the first such legislation in five years. The resolution forbids new loans or extensions of credit for the establishment of new business in South Africa, but does not affect existing businesses.

Meanwhile, the United Automobile Workers Interna-

tional Union asked the trustees of the UAW-Chrysler pension fund to refrain from making any further investments in the securities of 10 U.S. corporations that have not endorsed the Sullivan Principles, which relate to employment policies in South Africa.

Three weeks ago, the minority white population of South Africa voted in a new constitution that allows the country's Asians and people of mixed race to be represented by non-voting members in Parliament. South African blacks are still excluded from parliamentary representation.

## Fire Prevention

### How To Keep A Safe Fireplace

By THOMAS FLYNN  
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The fireplace season is upon us. Now's the time to make sure you've equipped, maintained and planned to use your fireplace wisely; after all, you don't want to use your whole house as a Yule log!

Fireplace safety begins with equipment. Fortunately, the very equipment that keeps a fireplace safe tends to increase its energy efficiency as well. Of course, you need a strong grate to hold your logs in place.

Today, there are logholders that not only keep logs from rolling about but blow heated air back into the house. The other important piece of fire safety equipment is a screen. Chain-mail and glass screens are both effective in keeping sparks from flying into the room, but glass screens are more energy-efficient. (Still, you're using one of the forced-air grates, you'll want a chain screen so that the hot air may move into your room).

For full protection against sparks, it's good idea to install a fireproof rug outside the fireplace. Rugs that are ornamental as they are effective are available through fireplace stores.

Maintenance is the next key to fireplace safety -- and fireplace safety equals chimney safety. Make sure your flue is in good condition, well-lubricated and easy to operate. It's bad business to start a fire with the flue clos-

ed, to say the least.

Periodic chimney maintenance is vital because a layer of flammable, oily creosote builds up inside a chimney after repeated use. This residue not only cuts the chimney's internal size and effective draft, but can be ignited.

You can't clean a chimney yourself. Even the most dedicated home handyman must bite the bullet and hire a chimney sweep.

How do you fight a chimney fire? From the inside. Spray a large dry chemical fire extinguisher -- after the fire in the fireplace has been extinguished -- up the chimney. The chimney fire's updraft will suck extinguishing powder up the chimney's full height.

All the same, it's a good idea to call the fire department, too, since a chimney fire is no laughing matter. It can ignite adjacent walls, ceilings and roofing and cause a chimney to collapse.

Finally, to make your fireplace safe, you must use it correctly. Care in starting has a lot to do with that. If you use a built-in gas starter, be sure you have a long, lighted wick or match near the gas jet before you turn on the gas.

Otherwise, you risk allowing a hazardous amount of gas to build up. If you use kindling and newspaper, make sure your screen is in place. Those newspapers can swirl

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