

Rev. G H. Skadra Head Of Presbyterians

CINCINNATI, Ohio — The Rev. Gordon H. Skadra is elected executive director of the United Presbyterian Church's General Assembly Mission Council, subject to confirmation by the General Assembly, expected next Monday evening. The action came at a meeting of the Mission Council being held in conjunction with the meeting of the denomination's 187th General Assembly (1975) here.

Mr. Skadra has been executive of the church's Synod of Lincoln Trails, covering the states of Illinois and Indiana, since Jan. 1973. He expects to begin his new duties in mid-July.

The Rev. Leon E. Fanniel resigned the Mission Council post last July, since that time William P. Thompson, stated clerk of the General Assembly, has been serving as interim executive director.

In his new post, Skadra, who is 42-years-old, will be the highest administrative officer of the denomination's mission operations. The post is parallel to that of the stated clerk, who is chief permanent officer of the General Assembly.

Before becoming the Lincoln Trails executive, Mr. Skadra was on the staff of the denomination's former Board of National Missions for 3½ years, working in the fields of local church strategy and mission development. Earlier, he was pastor of the Firestone Park Presbyterian Church in Akron, Ohio, the First Presbyterian Church of London, Ohio and the Groveport, Ohio,

Presbyterian Church. A graduate of Park College and McCormick Theological Seminary, he has done additional study at Hamma Divinity School. He is to receive a doctor of divinity degree from Hanover College on May 25.

He is a member of the board

of directors of Johnson C. Smith Theological Seminary, the committee of executives of the Illinois Conference of Churches, and the board of directors of the Indiana Council of Churches; has served on committees related to the World and National Councils of Churches; and has undertaken a broad variety of

responsibilities at the General Assembly, synod, presbytery and local levels of the denomination. He also has taken part in such community activities as the YMCA, precinct level political work and drama and music groups.

The editor of a manual on "Guidelines for Local Church Clusters" for the United Church of Christ and the United Presbyterian Church, Mr. Skadra also has written on subjects ranging from shopping center ministries to the designing of mission for new congregations.

Mr. Skadra is a native of Jamestown, N.Y.

RELIGION

Area Deaths And Funerals

(HIGH POINT)

MR. VICTOR BLACKBURN

Mr. Victor Blackburn of 1206 Crawford Place died in High Point Memorial Hospital. Funeral service was conducted at Memorial United Methodist Church by the Rev. Belvin Jessup. Burial was in Guilford Memorial Park.

HOOPER'S FUNERAL HOME was in charge of all arrangements.

MR. GLENN COVINGTON

Mr. Glenn Covington, 43, of 1701-C Leonard Avenue died in High Point Memorial Hospital. Funeral service was conducted at the Amos Street Church of God of Prophecy, the Rev. George Jones officiating. Burial was in the Carolina Biblical Garden.

MOORE'S FUNERAL SERVICE was in charge of all arrangements.

MR. WILLIE SYKES, Jr.

Mr. Willie Sykes, Jr., 29, of 228-A Brentwood Street died in High Point Memorial Hospital. Funeral service was conducted at St. Stephen A.M.E. Zion Church by the Rev. G. Ray Coleman. Burial was in Piedmont Memorial Gardens. MOORE'S FUNERAL SERVICE was in charge of all arrangements.

KATIE THREADGILL

Katie Threadgill, 62, of 313-D Henley Street died in High Point Memorial Hospital. Funeral service was conducted at First Emmanuel Baptist Church by the Rev. D.D. Mason. Burial was in Rocky Mount Church Cemetery, Ansonville, N.C. MOORE'S FUNERAL SERVICE was in charge of all arrangements.

MR. GEORGE L. DIGGS

Mr. George L. Diggs, 53, of 823 Willow Place, died in High Point Memorial Hospital. Funeral service was conducted at First Emmanuel Baptist Church by the Rev. D.D. Mason and the Rev. J.W. Flake. Burial was in Trinity Cemetery.

HAIZLIP FUNERAL HOME was in charge of all arrangements.

MR. ALVIN SPENCER

Mr. Alvin Spencer, Sr., 90, of 606 Gordon Street, died in Davidson Nursing Center, Thomasville. Funeral service was held at Haizlip Funeral Chapel by the Rev. E.J. Love. Burial was in Greenhill Cemetery.

HAIZLIP FUNERAL HOME was in charge of all arrangements.

Angela Davis Talks About JoAnne Little

Rape from the perspective of the victim and society at large, has gained national attention recently through two well-documented cases. The May cover story in Ms. Magazine dealt with the case of Inez Garcia, 30-year-old Latina who was convicted of second-degree murder for slaying the accomplice in her rape. Considered were such critical issues as the psychological effect of rape on the victim, and the social, political and judicial steps that must be taken to ensure the rape victim of her civil rights and the rapist of just punishment.

In June, Angela Davis reviews the important case of JoAnne Little in the 'Forum' section of Ms. JoAnne Little, a 20-year-old black woman from North Carolina, is accused of stabbing to death the white prison guard who allegedly sexually assaulted her. At the time (last Aug. 27), Ms. Little was being held at the Beaufort County Jail in North Carolina; the only woman among male

prisoners and guards alike. She allegedly stabbed the jailor, Clarence Alligood, 11 times with an ice pick that was known to belong to him. After a week of evading the police, Ms. Little turned herself in, pleading self-defense.

There was ample evidence that Alligood had entered Ms. Little's cell that fateful night. His shoes were found in the corridor and his socks were on his feet. He was otherwise naked from the waist down. Moreover, the autopsy report showed that he had engaged in recent sexual activity.

But despite the seemingly overwhelming evidence that Ms. Little killed in self-defense, she nevertheless stands a good chance of being convicted of murder in the first degree. The reasons, as Angela Davis points out, are many; among them, that JoAnne Little is black, poor and a woman, and is standing trial in a state that has sentenced more political activists to prison than any other state in the country. In her article, Angela Davis

explores the historical and social context of rape, from the days of white domination and almost daily rape of black slaves to the present day, when class distinctions still determine whether or not a rapist goes free.

In her article, "JoAnne Little: The Dialectics of Rape," Angela Davis calls upon, "All people who see themselves as members of the existing community of struggle for justice, equality and

Roy Wilkins Cautions Graduates

NEW YORK — NAACP Executive Director Roy Wilkins cautioned the graduating class of Fisk University that they should not adopt the tactics of whip supremacists as they fight racism and develop pride in themselves to compete with other ethnic groups in the world.

Addressing the 101st commencement exercises of

the university in Nashville, Tenn., on Monday, May 12, Mr. Wilkins drew on his decades of experience to advise the graduates on life in the world outside the campus.

He said that, "We must increase our knowledge of ourselves, and we must instill in our children and in our youth a sense of identity and purpose, a pride and a consequent confidence that will enable us to move forward along with other ethnic groups in our world." But, he told his audience, they should

not adopt the "very philosophy and methods which the white supremacists have used against men of color for generations."

If the slogan "white is right" is not well-meaning for Negroes, he said, so is "black is right" equally imperfect. Mr. Wilkins was presented a Doctor of Laws degree by the Fisk University. At another commencement on Sunday, May 11, St. John's University presented him an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree.

Enlisting the quality minority market

NRD Washington recently instituted a pilot program aimed towards enlisting quality minority applicants, while at the same time allowing Navy recruiters a chance to continue their education.

The program places recruiters on campus for about two hours on Tuesday and Thursday of each week with three objectives in mind:

- To allow recruiters to fulfill individual aspirations by continuing their education.
- To demonstrate to student prospects that the Navy does encourage its people to pursue further education.
- To suggest to students the idea of going Navy when they complete community college by displaying the uniform on campus and through conversation with them.

There are three recruiters from NRD Washington heading this trial program. They are Chief Boatswain's Mate Joe P. Fair, Chief Electrician's Mate Cesar C. Lorenzo and Machinist's Mate First Class Raymond B. Fourcade.

Capsule

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president of the United States. Jean Westwood, former Democratic national chairman is to be his campaign director and Phillip Hoff, former governor of Vermont, is to serve as his campaign coordinator.

Despite the expressed opposition of HEW and the negative results of the survey conducted by the fiscal research division staff of the General Assembly, the General Assembly is expected to move full steam ahead in establishing a veterinarian school at North Carolina State University.

HEW stated that should the vet school be placed at N.C. Sta. e, a program of comparable stature should be established at N.C. Agriculture and Technical University. The survey conducted by the fiscal research division staff of the General Assembly concluded that veterinary services are more available than used.

It was stated by one Senate backer that "the survey revealed that the vet school is not really needed but most of us have already committed ourselves, and the school will go through."

How long can we as citizens of this state continue to support politicians who seemingly care more about protecting their ego than serving the needs of the citizenry.

NRD Washington's Chief Recruiter, Master Chief Petty Officer Matthew Jones, explained why the campus was selected as a means to enlist quality minority members.

"Community colleges are not the only place to find the type of applicant we seek, but minorities attending college are generally the strongly motivated individuals we want in the Navy. I say this, because the majority of them are working their way through school," he said.

Master Chief Jones also said the recruiters' presence on campus also suggests an avenue for a student who must drop out to explore as an alternative to accepting a low-paying job.

"The job market today offers little or no hope for unskilled persons. The uniformed recruiter on campus will be a visible reminder of a way for them to get specialized training with pay," the chief recruiter said.

Although only a small number of recruiters are enrolled in the program at this time, the District plans for additional enrollments for next semester. It's still too early to determine the success of the program, but NRD Washington recruiters feel the combination of matriculating and recruiting is a good approach to enlisting quality minority applicants.



BMC Fair talks to some fellow students about opportunities in today's Navy.

Church Calendar

LEXINGTON: The Sure-lette Gospel Singers are celebrating their 15th Anniversary. Sunday at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. at the Buncombe Baptist Church in the Petersville commu-

nity. The manager, Mrs. Jessie Wood and the pastor, the Rev. S.W. Mack, invite all area churches and groups to participate.

CROSSWORD

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ACROSS

- Agreement
- One's dwelling
- Mountain nymph
- First-rate (slang)
- Half diameters
- Arab chieftain (var.)
- Bottoms of ships
- Sets at an angle
- Disdain
- Sheep's cry
- Soon
- Tanker
- A. U. S. President
- Georgia's capital
- Pasha of Tunis
- Sting
- List of candidates
- Governor Loveless, c. 5
- Made of flax
- Conscious
- Wide-awake
- Purposive
- A chessman
- Fume

DOWN

- Flesh of swine
- Genitive of Ara
- Give over
- Heads or —
- After manner of men (obs.)
- Not shut
- Encounter
- Blunders
- Perception
- Secretary's department
- Conjunction
- Large snake
- River Isle
- Entire
- Aged
- Born
- One tenth of a line (obs.)
- The Great
- cab-layer
- Tan-talum (sym.)
- of London
- Strike
- Miss Lee, actress
- A fresh
- Skin mark
- Biblical name
- Part of the body

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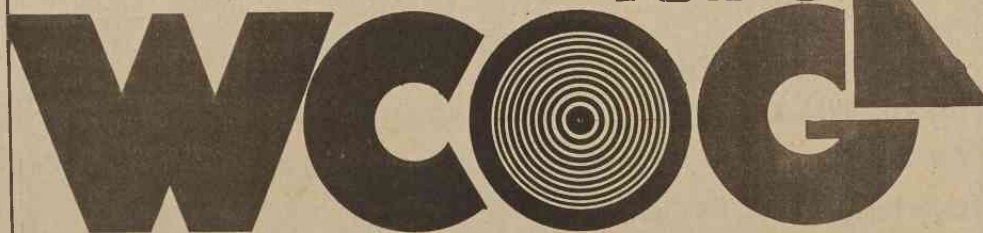
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