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DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Myrtle Sapp Crutchfield, age 74, of 3407 Herbin St., Greensboro, N. C., died Tuesday, March 4, 1969 at Moses H. Cone Hospital

She was the widow of the late Rev. Oscar Crutchfield.

Funeral will be held Saturday, March 8, 1969 from the Celia Phelps Methodist Church with the Rev. J. W. Free, officiating. Interment will be in Mt. Tabor Cemetery.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lucille Mebane, and Mrs. Bessie Jones; seven sons, Mr. Henry Cecil Crutchfield of Greensboro, Mr. Sanford Crutchfield of Baltimore, Md., Mr. William Crutchfield, Mr. Norman Crutchfield, Mr. Luther Crutchfield, Mr. David Crutchfield, and Mr. Oscar Crutchfield, Jr. all of Greensboro; one sister, Mrs. Louise Sapp Webster of Guilford College, N. C.; two brothers, Prof. Earl Sapp of Guilford College,



MRS. M. S. CRUTCHFIELD

N. C., and William Sapp of Jamestown, N. C.; 15 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren.

Hargett's Funeral Service in charge of arrangements.

MR. WALTER L. SMITH, SR. Walter Lindsay Smith, Jr.,

age 59 of Route 2, Gibsonville, died Tuesday at the Moses Cone Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were to be held 3:00 P.M., Thursday at Hargett's Memorial Chapel. Rev. C. B. McLean, the pastor of Community Baptist Church, officiated and burial followed in Clapp's Chapel A.M.E. Church cemetery, Whitsett, N. C.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lucille F. Smith of the home; daughter, Betty Smith; two sons, Walter L. Smith Jr. and Windell Smith; one stepdaughter, Mary R. Smith; one step-son, Monroe Smith, all of the home; two sisters, Mrs. Catherine Smith and Mrs. Emma McManus, both of Whitsett, N. C.; six brothers, Russell Smith of Sedalia, N. C., Wallace Smith, Henry Smith, both of Greensboro, Rufus Smith of Gibsonville, N. C., and aGin Smith of Elon College, N. C., and Chancy Smith of Whitsett, N. C.

The family met their friends at Hargett's Funeral Home Wednesday night from 7 to 9. Hargett Funeral Service in

charge of arrangements.

MR. WILLARD CRAWFORD

Mr. Willard Crawford, age 47 died March 2nd as a result of injuries received from contact with a moving automobile. He lived at 2700 McConnell Road, and eran.

Funeral service will be held Saturday, March 8th, 2:00 P.M. Brown's Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow in Veterans Plot, Maplewood Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Louise Crawford, Winston-Salem, N. C.; mother, Mrs. Laura Lewis of the home; sisters, Mrs. Marie Rice and Mrs. Quinnie Coley, Greensboro, Mrs. Essie Comer, Washington, D. C., Mrs. Darlene Husher, Brooklyn, N. Y., Mrs. Irene Reid, Philadelphia, Pa., and Mrs. Bessie Futch, Savannah, Ga.; two brothers, Fred Crawford, Greensboro and Elroy Crawford, Goldsboro, N. C.; five half brothers, John and Jasper Lewis, Greensboro, Clarence and Lafayette Lewis, Goldsboro, N. C., Alexander Lewis, U. S. Army.

The family will receive their friends at the funeral home Friday evening from 7 to 9.

Brown's Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

MRS. BLANCHE PAGE

Mrs. Blanche Page, 49 died Saturday morning, March 1st at her home, 515 East Street from injuries received from fire.

Funeral service was held Monday, March 3rd, 2:00 P.M. Browns Funeral Home Chapel, Rev. J. L. Foushee, Baptist Evangelist officiated. Burial followed in Maplewood Cemetery.

The body remained at the Funeral Home until the hour of

Survivors include her husband, Earl Page of the home. Brown's Funeral Directors in

charge of arrangements.

MRS. BELLE WEATHERS

Mrs. Belle Weathers, age 84 died at Evergreen Nursing Home Tuesday, February 25th following several months of declining health.

Funeral service was held Sunday, March 2nd, 3:00 P.M., Brown's Funeral Home Chapel, Rev. J. L. Foushee, Baptist Evangelist officiated. Burial followed in Piedmont Memorial Park.

She is survived by several grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

Brown's Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

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Greensboro Native Heads Bronx Anti-Poverty Agency

Frank Wright, who formerly served in the capacity of Deputy Director of the South Bronx Community Progress Center, was elevated by the Community Corporation through its Board of Directors to the position of Executive Director. This action took place during a closed session of the Board, on May 24, 1968, however, the Board withheld the official release until now.

The hard working Mr. Wright. who was acting Director until the above mentioned Board's decision, succeeds Mrs. Gladys Harrington, who resigned her South Bronx Community Corporation post in mid April to join the staff of H.R.A.

The new Center Director, who joined the East 149th Street (near 3rd Ave.) staff in July 1966, formerly headed this antipoverty agency's Neighborhood Youth Corps and Manpower Development Department.

During Mr. Wright's directorship of the latter department, the South Bronx CPC hit an all time high in youth job training and placement. In August 1967, the Neighborhood Youth Corps and Manpower Development employed upwards of 1400 boys and girls, ranging in age from 16 to 21, in addition Wright is an above the average

employment.

This was something of a record in South Bronx Youth employment training and development, Mr. Wright simultaneously paced several hundred additional youths in "On the Job Training" programs in Bronx Hospitals, schools, parks, banks, community coordinating agencies, playgrounds, parochial school vacation playgrounds and the U. S. Rubber Company, among other private enterprises and public agencies.

Summer Youth Payroll

Mr. Wright, also designed proposals for and administered last summer New York City program with a \$42,000 weekly payroll, one of the nation's largest for a local anti-poverty agency.

A Native of North Carolina

Mr. Wright is a native of Greensboro, North Carolina, where he attended public schools and worked his way through N. C. Agricultural and Technical State University. The many talented South Bronx C. P. C. Director went on to the City University of New York and Toledo (Ohio) University.

A former Teacher and Community Relations Director for the Board of Education, Mr.

approximately 400 were refer-, golf and tennis player, and Bronx, N. Y., Versatile B. red to and/or placed in private when he is not spending his leisure time in one of the above sports, he is reading extensively and writing, professional periodicals for publication. He is married to the former Laura Hartman of Brooklyn, a New York City public school teacher.



A&T STUDENT SCORES A 'FIRST'

A&T State University student Lawrence Calvin McSwain Saturday became the first black student to head the North Carolina Student Legislature. He is a native of Kings Mountain, N. C.

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"Our Crooks Are Flying; Our Boys Are Dying"

By RALPH JOHNS

Mr. President; While you are flying over the European Area seeking peace and prosperity; Which I agree is very commendable and admirable and shows that you are an honorable man; But up in Washington, we have a bunch of Senators who only recently voted to give themselves an enormous raise in salary, while our country is bankrupt, while our boys in Vietnam are dving for peanuts. This I don't understand! But I'm not mad; But I am mad about a matter that is the most sickening thing that could happen in our country, especially at a time when the mood of our Militants are dangerous; When students and minority groups are groping for a sign from the leaders of our government that they have got heart and mind for understanding the complex problems that must be resolved at once, before America goes up in flames, before blood and lives are lost all over this land of ours.

Our values are mixed up in America when we fail to see what our youngsters are trying to tell us. They are sick of this floundering, failing, phony leadership that calls itself our leaders. Here is a gross example: Senator John Stennis from Mississippi for years that states Senator: for years he has been head of the Committee on HUAC, which was supposed to be the witch hunters, which

man who owns thousands of acres of land in Mississippi and has shared it out to sharecroppers at starvation wages; This man who has been paid by our government many years, many hundreds of thousands of dollars to plow under his crops through government subsidies. This man who for years and years has condoned discrimination, segregation, injustices, White Sheeted K.K.K. to ride and terrorize black Americans in his home state: Here is a man who for many years has pointed a finger, Here is a Senator under Congressional Immunity Character Assassinated many a Black and White American; This same Senator Stennis was honored the other day in Mississippi.

That's all right, that's his business and the business of those who honored him; But I business of every tax-paying high heavens . . . U. S. Government jet planes were flown to Mississippi — riding these jet planes were many Senators and big wheels at taxpavers expense who went on a surprise party honoring Senator Stennis!

When is our country going to learn, when is there going to be honesty in government, when are our Senators and Congressmen going to learn to stop this petty pilfering and I call it was supposed to ferret out Com- stealing from the taxpayers and American.

munist activities and un Ameri- | America. I say it's time somecanism in our country; This one woke up! I think a lot of young boys in Vietnam would like a ride home at government's expense for a day or so to see their loved ones. The money spent on this excursion is a sin. For this money spent honoring this old hypocrit, this man who pretends to be a great Christian and Great American is blood money.

The blood of many children and old folks who died of starvation in Mississippi; The blood of boys dying in Vietnam; This man who has castigated, who has threatened, who has yelled Communist with impunity through Senatorial immunity with his cohorts who took this hundred thousand dollar taxpayers ride should not be allowed to reimburse the government, they should not be allowed to whitewash or sweep under the rug this dishonest act; They should be fired, thrown in say it is my business and the jail, like many of the ones who were beaten up, and thrown in American citizen to yell to the jail in his home state of Mississippi for demanding the right to vote, insisting on the right to be treated as Americans; You Senator John Stennis, who have tried so many Americans by insinuations and innuendoes through your House Un-American Committee, (HUAC) You are now on trial: Those Senators who took that free ride, they're on trial. Let me hear you holler loud and clear . . . Un-American — Un-American — Un-