



4-H WINNERS — A team from Durham County accepts the trophy they earned as first place winners in the State 4-H Club dairy cattle judging contest. From left to right are W. C. Cooper, district 4-H Club leader, A&T College, Greensboro; James Dillard, Eugene Holloway, David Bright and Robert Waller, team members; and C. D. Hodges, Durham County agricultural agent. The Durham 4-H'ers scored 1,153 points out of a possible 1,500, to win the honor. The trophy was provided by the Farmers and Homemakers Conference of A&T College.

North Carolinians Among Many Attending Conference In D. C.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Secretary of Commerce Luther H. Hodges met last week with representatives of independent Negro trade groups and associations.

The conference was arranged by Congressman Charles C. Diggs, Jr. (Michigan). The group expressed its desire to make an increased contribution to the economic expansion of the nation's economy with assistance that may be provided by the Commerce Department. Further plans of the group include the calling of a national conference eliciting the full support of the Negro business community in an economic expansion program.

Secretary Hodges will appoint a liaison team from the Commerce Department headed by Deputy Assistant Secretary for Domestic Affairs Eugene P. Foley and including aides Hyman H. Bookbinder and Franklin H. Whittaker to

study the proposals and consult with the planning committee from the trade-business groups.

Congressman Diggs stressed point that all independent trade, business and professional groups will be invited to participate in their conference planning.

Attending this meeting with the Secretary were:

Congressman Charles C. Diggs, Jr.; A. T. Spaulding, President, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance

Company, Durham, N. C.; E. Doyle Mitchell, President, Industrial Bank of Washington, D. C.; James Ward, Executive Director, National Association of Market Developers, Washington, D. C.; Edward Davis, Vice-President, National Business League, Detroit, Mich.; Sterling Tucker, National Urban League, Washington, D. C.; Dr. H. Naylor Fitzhugh, Howard University, Washington, D. C.; E. L. Harris, President of the National Insurance Association, Birmingham, Ala.; Randall Morgan, President, The Frontiers of America, Gary, Ind.; John Wheeler, Vice-President, National Business League and President, Mechanics &

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NC Leads In Number On Boards

This state leads the South and many northern states in the number of Negroes serving on state boards and commissions.

The number of Negroes holding state appointments was emphasized recently when Gov. Terry Sanford named Drs. James W. Seabrook and Samuel E. Duncan to state posts. Their appointments brought the total of seven, more than in any other southern state.

Gov. Sanford appointed Dr. Seabrook to the State Department Security Commission the first time a Negro has served on that body.

The governor named Dr. Duncan, president of Livingstone college, Salisbury, to the State Board of Public Welfare, another "first" and then rounded out his series of precedent-setting actions with another "first" by naming Dr. Gerald A. Edwards, professor and chairman of the A&T College department.

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Blind Man Killed At Crossing

CATLETT, Va.—William Perry made a daily visit to a country store from his home here for 20 years. The store is located a mile and a half away. Friday the 69-year-old man was struck and killed by a passenger train at a grade crossing.

Despite the fact that he was blind, the walk had become so familiar that Mr. Perry could make the trip without difficulty.

Using a cane to guide himself, Perry crossed the railroad tracks at the same crossing every day. His death came as a shock to this small Virginia community as the area took pride in his ability to be independent, although he was handicapped.



DOGS ADDED TO POLICE FORCE — A man carrying a bottle backs away, July 18, as "Alvin" one of Chicago's new police dogs snarls at him. The incident occurred as a special police detail began patrolling one of the city's Negro areas following recent outbreaks of racial disturbances. The dogs are part of the "Canine Corps" put into service for night duty to assist police in case of outbreaks. (UPI TELEPHOTO).

N. C. Leaders Attend:

Sec. L. Hodges Meets Trade Groups

2 Raleigh Men Caught With 72 Jars Of 'Booze'

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Williams Collects Guns

'Blood Bath' Vowed For Aggressors

MONROE—Robert F. Williams, president of the Union County chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said last week he is collecting rifles.

He gave two reasons. To form a rifle club for sport and for an "armament race with the white people of Monroe."

Williams, an alleged admirer of Cuban Dictator Fidel Castro, declined to say how many members would be in his rifle club. He said the group has about 100 weapons mostly foreign rifles.

"I keep an armed guard on my property at night and if anyone attacks my house, the city of Monroe is going to see a blood bath," Williams is reported as saying.

Monroe's mayor, Dr. Fred M. Wilson, said: "Anyone is free to have firearms and we hope they use them in a judicious manner."

Williams has been in trouble in

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LOCAL, STATE LEADERS VISIT SECRETARY HODGES — Secretary of Commerce Luther H. Hodges is shown, second from left, conversing with North Carolinians who visited him recently in Washington. The purpose of the visit was to present Hodges with a \$220 ham, bought by The CAROLINIAN Newspaper at the Johnston County Ham and Egg Show, Smithfield. He also was presented several dozen eggs. Left to right are: Jasper Simms, Selma, producer of the ham; Hodges; Alexander Barnes, CAROLINIAN promotion manager; L. F. Palmer, Johnston County Farm Agent, and C. A. Haywood, Raleigh businessman.

Henry W. Parker Is New Supt. Of Morrison Training School

The State Board of Correction and Training Thursday appointed Henry W. Parker as superintendent of Morrison Training School at Hoffman.

Parker will fill the position

Boy Hangs Self In Jail Cell

SELMA—No reason was advanced Wednesday as The CAROLINIAN contacted the police department of Selma as to why Robert Cox, 18, of Wendell, Route 1, hanged himself in the local jail Tuesday afternoon.

Cox was awaiting transportation to a rural prison camp. V. J. Underwood, coroner, reported that Cox was found in his cell by police officer Walter Edwards.

Edwards told a CAROLINIAN reporter that he had no idea why Cox would take his own life.

The only prisoner in the jail at the time, Cox was tried earlier in the afternoon and sentenced to four months on the roads. The coroner said he tore apart a mattress cover, made a loop around his neck and

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ODDS-ENDS

BY ROBERT G. SHEPARD

"Bless them which persecute you; bless, and curse not." LET'S FOLLOW THIS ONE THROUGH

The action of the City Council's Law and Finance Committee in approving a \$41,000 gift of city funds for a new National Guard Armory here does not necessarily mean that the City Council will approve this action. The odds however, that it will be approved, are tremendous.

Maybe there isn't anything basically wrong about the city of Raleigh giving 7 1/2 percent of the total cost of this proposed new armory if it is really needed. There is, however, a whole lot wrong about giving

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made vacant by the death of Dr. Paul R. Brown, who succumbed during commencement exercises June 11 at the school.

The new superintendent was hired at Morrison in 1955 and has served as assistant superintendent since 1959. He is a native of Mount Gilead and attended the public schools of Montgomery County. Parker is a graduate of A&T College in Greensboro.

Morrison is the largest correction and training public school in the state with an average student population of 250. It serves colored males between the ages of 14 and 18, who have been deemed delinquent in the state's juvenile courts.

"We are very fortunate in having a man within our own organization with sufficient resourcefulness and

ability to be promoted to this important position," commented Blaine M. Madison, state commissioner of correction.

Terms Meted At Assault Trial Here

A Wake County Superior Court jury last week reached a verdict in a case involving three teen-aged youths on trial for rape, a capital crime.

The defendants are: Isaac Lee, Jr., 19, of Washington Terrace; Leon Jones, 19, of 103 Fisher Street; and David Foster, 18, of 217 N. Carver Street. Lee was sentenced to ten years and the other two defendants received terms of from 5 to 7 years each.

They are accused of raping Mrs. Marnie McNeill, 45, on May 27. The trio has contended during the trial that police officers forced them into a false confession of the crime.

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Odd Fellows Hold Talks In Washington

BY J. B. HARRIS
WASHINGTON, N. C.—District No. 7, Grand United Order of Odd Fellows have announced their annual grand lodge convention to be held in Washington, N. C. August 1-3 with Jesse W. Rogers, District

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Nabbed By ATU Agents

DUNK—Richard Lewis Avery, 22, of 1127 S. State Street, and Ray Roland McLeod, 24, white man of 428 Raleigh View Road, both of Raleigh, were arrested last week-end by three agents of the Alcoholic Tax Unit. Seventy-two gallons of "White Lightning" whiskey were taken by the officers.

ATU Agent Mel Goodwin said they came upon one car, stopped long enough to let one agent out and place the driver under arrest, then moved on after a second car.

McLeod waived preliminary hearing before U. S. Commissioner Abe Elmore and was bound over for trial in federal court under a \$500 bond.

Avery was temporarily placed in a jail here pending the posting of a \$500 bond.

Both cars were captured Friday in the Pleasant Grove Township, near Johnston County.

Patient Drowns In Basin

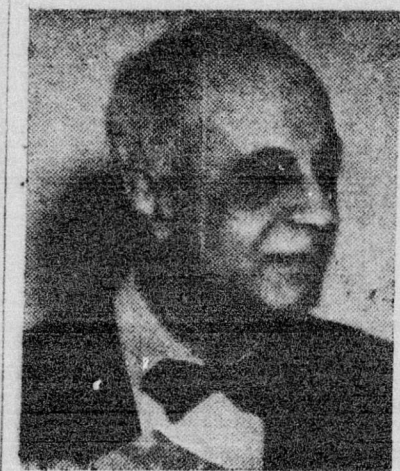
GOLDSBORO—Grewer Sapp, 1 3/4-year-old patient at Cherry Hospital here, drowned Saturday in a settling basin at the filter plant of the hospital.

The drowning was ruled accidental by Coroner I. T. Seymour. Plant Superintendent Robert Hunt told Coroner Seymour that the victim was assisting him in cleaning sediment from the basin.

Hunt also is reported as saying that he went into the plant, telling Sapp to get something from a truck and returned to find Sapp's cap floating on the water in the basin.

Seymour said the man's body was recovered by members of the Goldsboro Rescue Squad after the basin had been drained of about 12 feet of water.

Dr. Atkins Resigns As WSTC Prexy; Will Teach



DR. F. L. ATKINS

WINSTON-SALEM—The president of Winston-Salem Teachers College since 1934, Dr. Francis L. Atkins, resigned his position last week.

The veteran educator will remain at the college in a teaching capacity during the 1961-62 school year.

Announcement of Dr. Atkins' resignation came at the conclusion of a meeting of the college's board of trustees.

The chairman of the board, T. Winfield Blackwell, said an interim replacement would be named soon for Dr. Atkins.

Dr. Atkins, in explaining his actions, said he would reach 65 in December, the compulsory age for retirement of state employees.

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Lincoln Theatre

WEATHER

The five-day weather forecast, beginning Thursday, July 27th, through Monday, July 31st, is as follows:

Temperatures are expected to average above normal with little day-to-day changes. There is a probability that the temperature will not be as warm at the end of the period. Normal high and low temperatures expected should be 84 and 70 degrees. Rainfall will average three-fourths of an inch and will occur as daily afternoon and evening scattered thunder-showers.