FOUR TRIED FOR ROBBERY

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NEA Sets Target As June 12th

WASHINGTON, D. C. - The National Edecation Association today called on its separate state affiliates in North Carolina to provide clarifying details on a proposed merger plan presented in Washington last week.

NEA President Irvamae Applegate, acting for the NEA Executive Committee, requested Executive Secretary - Treasurer A. C. Dawson of the North Carolina Education Association and Executive Secretary E. B. Palmer of the North Carolina Teachers Association to provide the additional information by June 12.

The two North Carolina delegates were invited to washington May 20 to discuss their plans for merger, submitted three weeks earlier to the NEA Executive Committee. The session was set in accordance with plans laid down by the Executive committee last February, to comply with a resolution adopted by the NEA Delegate Assembly in July 1966.

NCTA was represented at the

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Zion Bishops Issue Views

SALISBURY - It is apparent that two bishops of the AME Zion Church are in disagreement over the positions on Dr. Martin Luther King and Stokely Carmichael.

Bishop C. E. Tucker, acting president of the Board of Bishops, in a statement to the press, while here for a meeting of the bishops, last week, is said to have denounced both King and Carmichael for their recent stands. King for his timing civil rights into the Vietnam War and Carmichael for his black power policy. The

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Durham Man

Slays Wife With Shotgun

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At Fayetteville State

Dropout Best In Class

Sits And Waits To Explain

Mrs. Geraldine Henderson, a housewife, led the class of 1967, in its 90th finals, as she graduated Magna Cum Laude. Mrs. Henderson dropped out of school and married. She is the wife of a soldier and has traveled extensively, with her husband, in fields of combat. She finished high school and matriculated at Fayetteville. She is a mother and divided her time between looking after her family and studying. It is apparent that she did alright by both.

President Rudolph Jones of Fayetteville State College conferred baccalaureate degrees on 138 candidates, at the 90th annual commencement exercises, on Sunday, May 28, in the J. W. Seabrook Auditorium.

PRINCIPALS IN APPLIANCE ROBBERIES - These are principals in robberies that took place in Raleigh and Durham. Top left is Mrs. Deborah J. Hines, 18, who is being held as an accomplice to the crimes, due to the fact she was arrested driving the car in which some of the loot, which was stolen in Durham was found. Top right, Walter Lee Stevens, 21, who pleaded guilty in Durham County Superior Court, last week. Sentence is being witheld until the investigation is over. Bottom left, Eddie Lamar Herring, 17, who also pleaded guilty and is awaiting the results of the investigation before being sentenced. Clarence Isom, 22, the only one of the five who was reported as being employed, when the crimes were committed, was sentenced to three years in prison, along with Luther Hines, Jr., not shown. Hines is alleged to be the brother-in-law of Mrs. Hines. (See story on page 13.)

Wife And Mother In Top Spot

DURHAM - Local police are puzzled as to the motive in the killing of a housewife about 1:00 a.m. Tuesday and are holding her husband while they investigate.

Emory Lowell Rollins, 33, was in police custody today for investigation of murder in the shotgun slaying of his wife, Helen, at their four-room apartment at F-3 Mutual Drive, during wee hours today.

Police, upon arrival at the scene shortly after 3 a.m., reported finding the Negro woman lying in bed, covered with a sheet and blanket, with a shotgun wound of the left cheekbone.

Discovered underneath the bed covering were an empty 16 gauge shotgun shell and a 16 gauge automatic shotgun with the barrel extending across the victim's arm.

Patrolman H. H. Cameron, in a written report, stated he answered the call to the couple's apartment along with Lt. W. R. Evans and officers H. L. Hayes and C. Gooche, after Rollins, who told police he is a chemist at the Veterans Administration Hospital, telephoned a report that "his wife had been accidentally shot."

When officers arrived, Rollins was seated beside the front door and reportedly pointed toward a back bedroom in which the woman's body was found.

Police quoted County Coroner Dr. D. R. Perry as saying the victim died of a single shotgun wound about 1 a.m.

A further investigation was being made today by Police Detectives Jack Holt and R. D. Ray.

TEARS OF SORROW FOR CLASSMATES - Juda, Wis. - Lynn Davis, a graduating senior at Juda High School, cries as diplomas are presented posthumously to parents and representatives of nine classmates who were killed March 30 when an airplane crashed into a motel during a spring trip to New Orleans. (UPI).

Local Business Man To Face Assault Charges

The Records of the Raleigh Police Department show that John Henry Brown, owner of Brown's Property Management & Investment company, 229 S. East St., is charged with having committed assault upon a female and with nonfelonious entry, for which he is scheduled to appear in City Court, June 16.

The complaining witness is said to be Mrs. Lovely Ann Fleming, 2210 Biltmore Court. Mrs. Fleming was contacted by the CAROLINIAN and verified the fact that the incidents happened in her home and that she signed the warrants, but failed to answer whether he forced himself into the house or not

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Brooke On Peace Mission

GENEVA, Switzerland (NPI) - Sen. Edward W. Brooke has arrived on a two-fold mission that could bring peace both to Vietnam and the Middle East.

The Massachusetts Senator has already been to the Vietnam area and to Israel.

His Southeast Asia tour was an attempt to see if any understanding with North Vietnamese officials could be reached to end the war.

In Israel, his visit had no announced purpose, but is likely to result in closer economic ties between Israel and the United States.

His newest peace move is attendance at a conference sponsored by the Center for the study of Democratic Institution, whre he hopes to meet with

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WEEKLY LEGISLATIVE REPORT

NOTE: This is the sixteenth of a series of weekly summaries prepared by the legislative staff of the Institute of Government on the work of the North Carolina General Assembly of 1967. It is confined to discussions of matters of general interest and major importance.

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Jail Reform and Corrections

According to the 1967 Survey for the President's Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Justice, "filth, neglect and maladministration still accurately describe the role and status of jails and short-term institutions in the United States" with "no significant progress having been made in the past 50 years in the vast majority of city and county jails..." This statement probably represents an accurate picture of the jail situation in North Carolina today. Jails in this State, often housing in the same facility untried prisoners, short term misdemeanants, those awaiting appeal, children, alcholics and in some cases even the insane, generally are understaffed, poorly equiped, unsanitary and unsafe. In an effort to upgrade jails this General Assembly, sparked by the Legislative Research Commission, has launched a two-pronged attack aimed toward immediate as well as long range improvements. Looking to the future, a measure creating an eleven member Jail Study Commission (HR 500-SR 290, ratified May 23) will permit the exploration of subjects such as the economic feasibility of local governments maintaining jails, the use of local jails for non-criminal types such as alcoholics, mental patients and children. The proper role of the state and local government in jail administration and the lack of juvenile detention facilities for children awaiting juvenile court action. The Commission will report its findings and make its recommendations to the 1969 General Assembly.

SB 289 (and its House counterpart HB 591), ratified May 24, represents an effort to do something now to improve jail conditions and to provide for the basic needs of prisoners. For example, the bill requires the Commissioner of Welfare to develop minimum jail standards "with a view to providing secure custody of prisoners, and to protect their health, comfort and welfare." A new and more practical enforcement procedure is established requiring, essentially, that local jails meet such standards or

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Libraries Seek 7¢ Tax For Improved Services

G. Dodge Geoghegan, past chairman, Olivia Raney Board of Trustees, appeared before the Wake County Board of Commissioners Monday and not only brought them up to date on the desires of his board, but told them he would like to see the following recommendations acted upon.

(1) Consolidation of present libraries into one system to serve both city and county under one Board of Trustees appointed by their Board of County Commissioners.

(2) The provision of sufficient money, both for capital improvements and for operating expenses from county funds.

(3) The continuance of the Olivia Raney Corporation in some auxiliary capacity rather than the administrative agency for library service.

(4) The sale of the present Olivia Raney Building and the present Richard B. Harrison building as soon as suitable quarters could be constructed.

(5) The construction of a new main library building in Raleigh.

(6) The construction of two branch libraries in Raleigh.

(7) The development of further sub-branches in the smaller communities of Wake County as part of a unified library system.

He then gave his justification as to why there should be a 7¢ tax, per $100 valuation, to pay for the type of library service Wake County needed.

(1) We propose that you proceed immediately to establish a Wake County Public Library as you are authorized

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NEW SCOUT EXECUTIVE - Jimmy R. Looper has recently been appointed to serve as District Scout Executive for the Wacamotka District. This appointment was made by Wallace Wood, who is Council Executive for the Wacamotka District. Jimmy brings spirit and enthusiasm to his first professional assignment. Wacamotka's District leaders and boys should feel a tremendous upswing in the Program of Scouting. Jimmy is a native of Charlotte, and a graduate of Second Ward High School. After graduation he enrolled at North Carolina A&T College located in Greensboro. He is a member of St. Paul Baptist Church, a member of Alpha Fraternity and student NEA. He served as a Scout Committeeman in the General Greene Council. He is married to the former Miss Patricia Brown of Charlotte. He is the father of two boys, Garland who is 7 years of age and Jimmy, Jr. 9 months.

Mr. Looper will leave for the National Training School on June 25th. His family will move to Raleigh in August.

Traffic Toll Takes Twist

Death on North Carolina highways took a different twist during the past weekend when two persons died from having thrown themselves into the path of oncoming cars, by lying down in the highway. The strange accidents happened in Rockingham County.

At 12:45 a.m. Friday, Walter Edward Mullins, Jr., 35, Rt. 5, Reidsville was struck by an auto as he sprawled himself on U. S. 158, 2.1 miles east of Reidsville. No reason was given for his lying down in the road.

On or about 3:55 a.m. Saturday, Monell Scales, 30, of Spray, is said to have made her body a target for traffic as she laid down on N. C. 87, 1.5 miles north of Leaksville. The scene of this death was in Rockingham County.

In Raleigh, Frank Blake, 70, 225 Freeman St., is said to have walked into the path of a car at 3:00 a.m. Friday.

Highway patrolman reported that J. D. Howard, Dothan, Ala. was killed as he walked into a car as it traveled on I-95, 300 feet north of Charlotte about 1:00 a.m. Saturday. Howard was listed a being 25 years old.

Claude H. Hinn, Jr., Rt. 2, Smithfield, was killed when

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Three Join Duke Univ. Alumni

DURHAM - There was no hysteria here when Wilhelmina Reuben, Mary Mitchell Harris and Nathaniel White received their degrees from Duke University at its commencement exercises and became the first Negroes to become members of the Alumni Association from the under graduate school.

In many ways, they are no different than their classmates. They have worked just as hard to earn the degrees. And their hopes for the future are just as bright.

But in one major respect, Mimi, Mary and Buddy are unique. They are what remains of the first group of undergraduate Negro students admitted by Duke.

The group was never large it consisted of only five members back in 1963. In the course of the four-year long quest in sheepskins, one of that number left school to take a job and a second to join the armed forces.

Mimi and Buddy plan to continue their studies beyond Monday's commencement both aiming toward Ph. D degrees. Mary who attended one session of summer school and thus was able to complete her studies in psychology and pre-medicine last January, now is married and working at Duke's Aging Center. She, too, hopes to do graduate study eventually.

Mimi will begin work toward her doctorate in American studies next fall at Harvard University with the aid of a coveted Woodrow Wilson fellowship. Her ultimate goal is a career as a college professor.

The academic atmosphere will be nothing new to her. Her father is president of Morris College, Sumter, S. C., and is currently completing requirements for his Ph. D. degree in theology at Duke. Mimi's mother, holder of a doctorate from Columbia University, is professor of American history at Morris.

One of Duke's most popular students, Mimi was this spring elected May Queen by her fellow students at the Woman's College.

Her popularity has not been gained by sacrificing principle. She identifies closely with the civil rights movement and participated in a number of demonstrations at nearby Chapel Hill during her freshman year.

But she does not feel bound by anyone's definition of civil rights.

"You can't take an entire race and say they all feel this way or that way about any specific issue," she argues.

Mimi has found her race to be neither handicap nor help at Duke. During her first year, she was a bit annoyed by the

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Dunn Youth Critically Injured

DUNN - A 20 year old Negro was arrested here Sunday charged with firing three shots from a 22 caliber pistol into another Negro's home and critically injuring a 13 year old girl.

Larry Leak was booked on an

WEATHER

Temperatures during the period Thursday through Monday will average below normal on the coast and near normal elsewhere. Daytime highs are expected to average in the 80s except around 70 in the mountains. Lows at night will average in the 60s in the mountains and the low and mid 70s elsewhere. Warm weather will continue through Monday with warmest temperatures expected over the weekend. Precipitation will total up to 3-4 inch, occurring mostly as scattered afternoon and evening showers or thunderstorms beginning in the western section about Saturday, probably becoming more widespread by Monday. Portland high 68, normal low 62.

WOUNDED OR AWAITS EVACUATION - Near the Cambodian Border: A wounded member of the U. S. Fourth Infantry Division rests beside a barricade of stacked logs as he awaits evacuation helicopter following a battle with North Vietnamese Troops May 25th. The battle took place about 25 miles west of Pleiku. (UPI PHOTO).

DUKE HISTORY MAKERS - These three firsts are shown as they prepare to receive their degrees at Duke University finals Monday. They were the first of their race to get undergraduate degrees from the famed institution. "Mimi" Reuben is shown on the left. She not only graduated but proved to be quite popular, during her four years and made history as "May Queen," during Spring Festivities. Her first name is Wilhelmina. Buddy White, son of Nat White, one of the owners of Service Printing Co., is shown in the middle, with Mrs. Mary Mitchell Harris.

SWEEPSTAKES NUMBERS

4082	2783	5796
WORTH $25	WORTH $5	WORTH $20

Anyone having current YELLOW tickets, dated June 3, 1967, with proper numbers present same to the CAROLINIAN office and receive amounts listed above from the SWEEPSTAKES Feature.

Sweepstakes Winners Growing

Last week's winners in the CAROLINIAN Sweepstakes were Mrs. Callie Martin, 1104 Pender St. and Miss Emma Lane, 900 E. Martin St.

"Grand" was Miss Lane's word as she picked up $25 for ticket # 1879, which she got from Ken's Drive Inn. She is a member of First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Martin got her ticket #4077, at Rhodes Furniture Company. It was worth $15.

"Like we said" if you will just get your ticket from one of the stores, listed in the Sweepstakes page, after you have made a purchase, or paid a bill, your chances of winning are great. Just compare your ticket with the numbers on the front page of the paper and if you have the right one, bring it to the office, 113 E. Martin and pick up your winnings.

The tickets are yellow this week and are dated June 3. If you have #4082, it is worth $25. Number 2783 will get you $5 and 5796 is worth $20.00.

From Raleigh's Official Police Files

THE CRIME BEAT

EVANS A SUSPECT

Wilbert Lee Evans is suspected of prying open a door, in the rear of the Imperial Supper Club, 430 S. East St., about 3:30 p. m. Thursday and taking money from the juke boxes, the cigarret machine and a wall box.

$125 DAMAGE TO CAR

George Edward Sanders, 116 Lincoln Court, reported that his car was damaged to the tune of $125, when someone made an angular crack in the windshield of his '63 Buick Rivera. He reported the incident to police.

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