

AT JACKSON, MICH.

# City Hall Windows Smashed

## Protest Police Action

JACKSON, Mich. - Angry Negroes smashed the windows in the Jackson, Mich., city hall and a bottling plant Tuesday night in a protest over police action. Violence subsided in New Haven, Conn., after three straight nights of turmoil.

The Jackson incident erupted after 150 Negroes attended a city commission meeting to protest police activity in a case that touched off several nights of violence. The Negroes told the commission that police had over-reacted and used too much force too soon in breaking up a fight between two Negroes at a dance Saturday night.

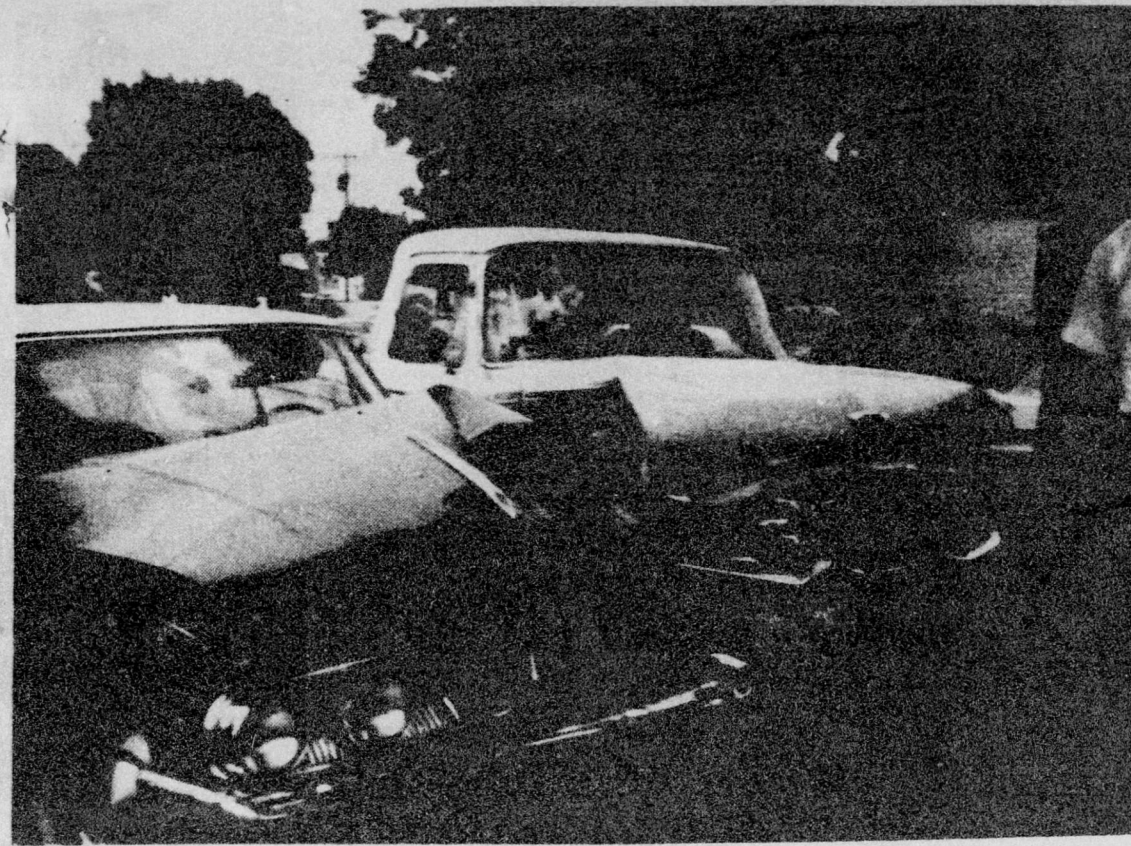
The police action was followed by several nights of fire-bombings and other disorders. Mayor Mary Bennett told the group their complaints would be investigated. But several Negroes threw rocks through the windows after they left the city hall meeting.

New Haven enjoyed relative calm Tuesday night and authorities said an 8 p. m. curfew apparently was effective in preventing trouble.

"There's considerably less action tonight," a police spokesman said. "They're throwing bottles, but we're not too concerned about it."

Police reported that 20 arrests Tuesday swelled the total to 393.

At Detroit, a private guard, Waverly Solomon, 32, was charged in the shooting of a Negro during the Detroit riot last month. Solomon, also a Negro was guarding a grocery at the time.



WHO WAS AT FAULT? - This is a picture of one of the many accidents that have happened at the intersection of Martin and Pettigrew Streets, recently. The car on the left was driven by Chester Long of Burlington and the truck on the right was driven by Barbara Edsall of Smithfield. Damage to the car was estimated as \$1,000.

## Martin And Pettigrew Corner Poses Fatal Traffic Hazard

On Saturday, about 1:25 p. m., there was an accident that caused considerable property damage, while two people had to be taken to the Wake Memorial Hospital. A truck, driven by Mrs. Barbara Edsall, of near Smithfield, was traveling south on Pettigrew and rammed into a car, driven by Chester Long of Burlington. Mrs. Hattie Lee Long, was riding with him. The car damage was estimated at \$1,000 while the Longs were taken to Wake Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Edsall was charged with failing to yield the right-of-way.

On Sunday, Mrs. Maude Cook Thompson, 1703 Patton, failed to stop at the stop sign as she entered the intersection, traveling north on Pettigrew. She collided with a car driven by Mrs. Judith Cooley Wilburn, 1809 Fairview. Mrs. Esther Rowland, 578 E. Cabarrus, was riding with her and was injured. She too was taken to Wake Memorial.

The same intersection was the scene of another wreck Tuesday, when Fred Fletcher, 3001 Fairview, going west on Martin failed to stop and plowed into William Henry Fakes, Jr., of Garner.

Citizens, who live near the intersection of Martin and Pettigrew Sts., have become alarmed at the number of accidents that have occurred there recently. It is reported that there were three mishaps there in two days, with two occurring within hours of each other.

Pettigrew has become a main artery for traffic that comes, perhaps from New Bern Ave., and proceeds through Rock Quarry Rd. to new building sites in the southwest section of the city and into the county. Although there have been no fatalities, it is expected that there will be, unless the city administrators do something about the peril that exists there.

Elsewhere in the state there were three weekend traffic deaths among Negroes. On Friday, at 10:10 p. m., Willis Marshall, 24, Rt. 1, Box 64, Rocky Mount, is said to have been traveling at a high rate of speed when the vehicle left the road and struck a tree. He died as the result of the mishap.

About two hours earlier Wiley Crumton, 60, 1016 W. 5th St., Charlotte, lost his life when it is alleged that he ran into the path of a car.

On Sunday morning, at 5:30 Lewis Barnett James, 18, Rt. 1, Halifax was killed when he was hit by a hit and run driver, on N. C. 561, about 6 miles north of Scotland Neck.

## Marshall Confirmation Assured

WASHINGTON - A majority of the Senate Judiciary Committee said Tuesday that Thurgood Marshall is "uniquely qualified" and "perfectly prepared" to become a Supreme Court Justice.

Four committee members, however, called the solicitor general "a constitutional iconoclast" and asked the Senate to reject his nomination as the first Negro on the high court.

The conflicting views were contained in the committee's report on the nomination, which was approved 11-5 two weeks ago. The report was to be filed in the Senate today.

Marshall's confirmation was assured. He has been confirmed previously as solicitor general and as a judge of the 2nd U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

"It will be a most historic occasion when the Senate confirms Thurgood Marshall as associate justice of the Supreme Court," the majority said.

"History will be made out of much because we will be recommending the confirmation of the first member of the U. S. Supreme Court who is a Negro who is uniquely qualified and one might say perfectly prepared to become a Supreme Court justice."

The minority view was written by Sen. Sam J. Ervin Jr., D-N. C. and supported by Chairman James C. Eastland, D-Miss., and Sens. John L. McClellan, D-Ark., and Strom Thurmond, R-S. C., Sen. George A. Smathers, D-Fla., did not sign either report.

Ervin prefaces his opposition with the comment that "I know that in doing so I lay myself open to the easy, but false, charge that I am a racist. I have no prejudice in my mind or heart against any man because of his race. I love men of all races. After all they are my fellow travelers to the tomb."

## H. Rap Brown Freed

NEW YORK CITY - Admirers and followers of H. Rap Brown were able to raise \$15,000 for release from a New York jail Tuesday, but their trouble of raising money to get him out of jail might have not ended. According to information coming out of New Orleans, La., there is a possibility that a federal judge, down there, has set bond of \$25,000 to assure his return there, where the alleged crime is said to have been committed.



FREED ON \$15,000 BOND - New York: H. Rap Brown, SNCC chairman, is surrounded by newsmen here Aug. 22, after leaving the Federal House of Detention, free on \$15,000 bail. SNCC had quickly raised the bail following a tempestuous hearing after which a federal judge reduced the amount of bail from \$25,000. Brown is charged with violating federal law by taking a rifle across state lines while under indictment. He was formally indicted for that charge by a federal grand jury Aug. 22. (UPI PHOTO).

## Low Budget Okayed By Council

In a new move to provide supervised recreation during school months and to work more closely with the Raleigh Public School system, the City Council has included an \$8,000 budget item for paid recreation leadership in the five Junior High Schools of Raleigh this year. These leaders and programs are to be under the supervision of the Raleigh Recreation Department.

Plans include pre-school, after school and Saturday intramurals in the schools. Specific activities will be announced for each season during the school year. Programs will start in September and continue through the year.

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## MORE SCHOOL BARRIERS FALL

### Lincoln And Franklin Get Orders

LOUISBURG - Judge Algeron Butler, Federal District Court, left no doubt in the mind of the Franklin County School Board, in a decision handed down Saturday, that it could no longer dodge, evade, or escape the desegregation issue, as it applied to the school system in that county.

On Monday night the county board and principals of the county schools are said to have sat down and assigned 282 Negro children, in compliance with Judge Butler's order, making the total 328 Negroes in so-called all-white schools.

The jurist told the board it had to assign at least 10 percent of the county's Negro pupils to predominantly white schools before the 1967-68 term began.

He went further in his edict and told the board that it had until October 15 to submit a schedule for conversion to a completely desegregated school system.

Judge Butler told the board that their use of freedom-of-choice was nothing but circumvention of the law and therefore was no freedom-of-choice. He heard testimony of this system, that the board had been operating under for sometime and rendered his decision on the evidence he heard about a month ago. He was told at the hearing that Negro children, who had chosen white schools, had returned to Negro schools.

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## Advocates Of Black Power On Downgrade

COLLEGE PARK, Md. - Echoes from the embattled meeting held here by the National Student Association, the withdrawal of Harry Golden from SNCC for its expressed desire to give up non-violence, Rap Brown's in-and-out of jail episodes, along with the arrest of George Washington Ware, aide to Stokely Carmichael, present a gloomy picture for Black Power advocates.

Pandemonium almost prevailed here Sunday when a militant resolution, endorsing black power was approved. Approximately 50 Negro delegates threaten to walk out. The resolution encountered debate when a motion was made to delete the controversial phrase, "Black power is the unification of all black peoples in America for their liberation by any means necessary."

Supporters of the amended deletion were able to get it dropped by a vote of 182 to 117.

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AND MORE TO COME - Speed, N. C.: Several families were forced to leave their homes near here late Monday after flash flooding occurred when the Deep Creek River overflowed. Heavy rains in the area kept residents from their homes again today Aug. 22 and weathermen were predicting more rain. (UPI PHOTO).

## Bias, Veto Said To Be Cause

WASHINGTON, D. C. - A major White House demonstration on discrimination in Federal agencies and the possible threat of a veto on a proposed inadequate pay raise will be staged Friday, August 25, 1967 at 11:30 a. m., by The National Alliance of Postal and Federal Employees, with representation from other 120 major postal and federal installations.

The alliance is requesting the President to give his approval of a 12.5 pay increase, which is above his recommended 4.5

guide line. They also requested the President to use the full weight of his office to demand all agencies to eliminate all traces of discrimination and to make all federal agencies the image of democracy.

The demonstrations that will end at the Senate Office Building will be joined by rank and file members from across the country.

The following telegram was sent: President Lyndon B. Johnson Washington, D. C.

THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE NATIONAL ALLIANCE OF POSTAL AND FEDERAL EMPLOYEES, IN SESSION AT THE SHERATON PARK HOTEL, AUGUST 21, 1967, WASHINGTON, D. C., VOTED UNANIMOUSLY THAT A CRISIS EXISTS TODAY IN AMERICA BECAUSE OF THE FAILURE OF THE HEADS OF THE POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, THE GSA, VA, HEW AND OTHER AGENCIES TO FULLY IMPLEMENT THE EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM. YOU ARE URGENTLY REQUESTED TO TAKE STRONG ACTION NOW TO SEE THAT THIS PROGRAM IS NO LONGER STYMIED BY AGENCY HEADS AND THEIR SUBORDINATES. NEGROES, LATIN AMERICANS AND OTHER MINORITY GROUP AMERICANS CAN ONLY UNDERSTAND CONCRETE RESULTS. Ashby G. Smith, President National Alliance of Postal and Federal Employees.

## Benefactor Rejoices Over Beach Growth

SWANSBORO - It was gratifying to Mrs. Gertrude Hurst on August 12, as she stood in the Gertrude Hurst Building, built by members of the North Carolina Teachers, in 1955, as a tribute to her for the part she played in making Hammocks Beach a reality, and smiled with glee as she told what a consolation it was to have had a part in such worthy undertaking.

Mrs. Hurst and her late husband, John, were employees in the home of Dr. and Mrs. William Sharpe, in New York City, for a number of years, and it was the generosity and respect for the couple that prompted the Sharpes to offer the Hursts more than 4,000 acres of land, they owned in Onslow County. When the offer was made Mrs. Hurst is said to have replied, "We will never be able to develop this property -- why not give it to the members of the North Carolina Teachers Association."

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P. J. BROWN

## Tar Heel To Head Morticians

GREENSBORO - The 30th Annual Convention of the National Funeral Directors and Morticians, Inc. elected Perry J. Brown - owner of Brown's Funeral Home, Greensboro, its National President at the concluding session held at the Sheraton Hotel.

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## From Raleigh's Official Police Files THE CRIME BEAT

### CORRECTION!

Paul Roland Pope Jr. was erroneously reported as being charged with attempting to burn a house at 612 Nazareth St. in last week's CAROLINIAN. The report was incorrect and we apologize to Mr. Pope.

The person actually charged with the crime was Paul Roland Pope Sr., but the charge was later dropped. According to testimony in City Court Friday, Pope Sr. followed his wife to the home of his brother, Joseph Pope, the Nazareth Street address. Pope Sr. then yelled for his wife to come out of the house, warning her he was going to throw fire bombs at the house.

One bomb landed in the yard and started a fire. Paul Pope Jr. threw a rug on the fire to put it out but failed and set the rug on fire.

Since nothing was actually burned, Judge Pretlow Winborne dropped the charge of felonious burning. Pope Sr. was convicted, however, of carrying a concealed weapon, a straight razor, and judgment was reserved. He was ordered held in jail pending judgment of the court.

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MRS. HURST

**SWEEPSTAKES NUMBERS**

15	1620	8333
WORTH \$25	WORTH \$15	WORTH \$10

Anyone having current WHITE tickets, dated August 10, 1967, with proper numbers present same to The CAROLINIAN office and receive amounts listed above from the Sweepstakes Feature.

## Three Winners Again This Week

The interest in Sweepstakes continues to grow and the readers are winning the money. For the past two weeks there have been constant winners. Mrs. Gladys Mayo of Zebulon had ticket number 2090 that she picked up at G. S. Tucker Furniture Company. She received \$25.00 for it. Mrs. Mary Kelly, 519 E. Lenoir, went

into Heilig-Levine and got number 1003 and it was good for \$15. This was her second time winning in the CAROLINIAN Sweepstakes.

Mr. Pilgrim T. Jones, 526 W. Lenoir St., had some business with Brown's Property Management & Investment Co. When he was through he remembered that the firm was one

of the participants in Sweepstakes. He asked for his ticket and was given 1704, which was good for \$20.00.

There is no reason that you cannot win. All you have to do is do business with one of the firms listed on the Sweepstakes page and ask for your ticket. It will be gladly given to you.

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