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were no mention of this in the officers' report.

The letter further revealed that the life and acts of Stokes have been under observation by the NAACP for the past two years. The place was branded as a place where crime, malice, hatred, prejudice and lawlessness are bred.

The letter told the editor that Stokes is almost dead and is struggling for life. He said that Bailey only went to the place to get a hot dog and that his statement to the officers that Bailey wanted to start a riot was only to make a false accusation.

PROBLEMS

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The Commission says that the general public should understand that the urban riots, destructive mainly to people and property in the ghetto itself, were "only the violent manifestations of feelings of anger and despair."

"Reacting to continued rejection and to doors which do not open even after years of patient waiting, increasing numbers of Negro citizens are rejecting white America," the Commission states.

In releasing the report, William L. Taylor, Staff Director of the Commission stated: "The Commission's decision to issue this report was prompted in large measure by its belief that many white Americans simply do not comprehend the situation that confronts Negroes, Mexican Americans and members of other minority groups in the ghetto."

In transmitting the 133-page report to the President and the Congress, the members of the Commission said: "The testimony -- generally given by persons who live in slum ghettos or who deal with ghetto problems daily -- provides insights into what slum residents think and feel about the conditions in which they live."

The Commission observes in its report that "it would be reassuring to conclude that the situation of Negroes in the slums is not dissimilar to that of past generations of American immigrants who lived in ghettos but were able to leave. Negroes are not recent immigrants to our shores but Americans of long standing. The legacy of slavery continues in the form of racial segregation, discrimination, and prejudice."

According to the Commission report, "What is not visible to the eye and what apparently is not generally understood is the feeling of many ghetto residents that they live in a 'trap' from which they cannot escape..."

To ghetto dwellers, the Commission notes, white authority is symbolized by the policeman who does not treat the slum dweller with dignity and respect and who is viewed in the role of "keeping Negroes 'in line' on behalf of the white community."

mission report. "Critical decisions are often made by officials far removed from the scene and the persons most intimately involved are generally not permitted to participate in planning their own affairs and futures," the report adds.

Federal response to deprivation and discrimination "has raised expectations," but too often has been characterized "by an inadequate commitment of resources and by acquiescence in, or failure to deal effectively with, practices of segregation and confinement," the Commission says.

"Underlying these private and public actions have been attitudes within the white majority -- attitudes based on fear, on racial prejudice, and on a desire for status. While many of these attitudes are not overtly expressed, they are nonetheless real and effective," concludes the Commission.

ROBBERY

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Margie Standard, that he was waiting for his brother, Mrs. Standard said.

The other came in wearing a ski mask and carrying a shotgun or large-caliber rifle under a poncho. The first man drew a pistol as his partner entered and ordered Mrs. Standard to empty the cash register, she said.

One of the two went into the dining room and told the assistant manager, Marvin Laxton that the cashier wanted to see him.

They then forced Laxton, Mrs. Standard and a customer, Oliver Depoy, to lie on the floor while they took the money out of the two safes behind the counter.

HAWKINS

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across the state. The idea didn't originate with me."

He has been chairman of the Mecklenburg Organization of Political Affairs for 15 years and chairman of his Democratic precinct. He has also been active in a number of civil rights demonstrations in the Charlotte area.

Hawkins indicated if he gets the necessary funds he will run. He added he could not finance his own campaign.

One of his reasons for making the race, Hawkins said, would be his belief that the handling of education, employment, health, housing and income "under the Moore administration have been rotten."

"My image as a political leader in this state is such that it could give hope to all the people, particularly the Negro, the poor white and the white liberal," he said.

Hawkins, who is an ordained Presbyterian minister, said he is now in the process of "making assessments across the state of the possibility, raising campaign funds."

RAP BROWN (Continued from page 1)
tional Airport in Alexandria, Va. two days after he delivered a speech in Cambridge which authorities there said incited Negroes to riot and burn down buildings.

The appeals court said it did not even see much merit in Brown's arguments against extradition, though the court added it was not deciding that issue.

Brown claimed he faced a "legal lynching" in Maryland. Brown's petition against extradition "presented no claim of patent or impressive merit," the court said.

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was reported that there were only about 10,000 members, as compared to 25,000 Masons, 12,000 school teachers, 15,000 Elks, to say nothing about business and professional people.

It was definitely pointed out that there must be a new approach to the job of enrolling new members. RACIAL INCLUSION

We in the NAACP are conscious of the Black Revolution throughout the world and the increasing impatience of Negroes in this country because of more than three hundred years of exclusion from the economic, educational and political life of America.

We affirm our determination to obliterate every trace of racial discrimination wherever it may be. We support every legitimate effort to eliminate disenfranchisement and secure for the Negro all of his rights and seek the advent of the Negro into every facet of the American economy.

We agree that ethnic continuity as well as ethnic unity are not only desirable but indispensable in a pluralistic society. CO-OPERATIVES

unions in basic sectors of industry in North Carolina; Anti-Negro practices by both employers and labor unions do seriously harm to the economic well-being of the entire Negro community in the expanding industrial economy of the State. We recognize that organized labor can be an important element in the struggle for full equality in North Carolina.

EDUCATION
We call upon all Branches to expand and intensify efforts to end all forms of racially segregated schools, raise educational standards of long neglected schools and correct all other inequities and discriminatory practices affecting Negro students and teachers.

The NAACP continues to oppose vigorously all delaying tactics and evasive plans of state and local school officials which are intended to keep as much segregation as possible. We specifically oppose voluntary pupil transfer or so-called freedom of choice plans, grade-by-grade plans and other ineffective approaches to ending segregation.

We call upon our Branches to urge Negro parents to exercise their rights for their children and to assist parents in taking whatever steps are necessary, including filing complaints with the U. S. Office of Education and community action, in order to insure that school boards properly admit and protect Negro children in desegregated schools.

WELFARE
We vigorously oppose the freezing of welfare rolls and the denial of welfare assistance to unwed mothers. This does not mean that we condone illegitimacy, but we do feel that they should not be denied welfare assistance.

STUDENT

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that he had died in his sleep. Detective J. L. Stoudenmire went to the scene and said there was no sign of foul play. He was of the opinion that he died of natural causes.

Dr. W. M. Hedrick, county health examiner, ordered an autopsy and revealed to the CAROLINIAN that Sneed died as the result of having too much blood in the area of his liver and heart. He was not able to determine the cause of the over supply of blood.

Sneed, 19, was highly respected on the campus and his death was a distinct shock to the university family. His body was shipped to the nation's capital.

Negro Cry

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have reached the untouchables of society and have allowed them to express their hatred of whites without much rioting."

The Muslims, he added, are "moving from that point to rehabilitate men into a positive relationship with the community."

When anger is channeled into frustration, riots become less likely, he said.

According to the noted psychiatrist, the "psychological castration of the society of black people" accounts for the "abnormal amount of aggression of Negroes."

He recommended "some form of black power" as a psychological antidote.

GOLDSBORO

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He St. Community Center and the Masonic Hall on N. James St.

Books are at these places on the designated weekends. But during the week, teams in each neighborhood work to encourage voter registration.

Rev. Horton said the teams make no effort to advise citizens on how to register - whether Democrat, Republican or Independent. "We're trying to overcome voter apathy," he said.

Behind the project is the Southern Regional Council of Atlanta, Ga. It bears the expenses, including a secretary working every day out of the office of Dr. O. R. Stovall who is overall chairman of the local project.

ROWAN

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draw up a resolution of intent to close the Clement School next year and set a public hearing on the matter sometime in January.

Conyers To Speak In Charlotte

WELDON - During the past two years, fifteen inter-racial, inter-faith ministers from the state of North Carolina have attended the Urban Training Center for Christian Missions on a Ford Foundation Fellowship. The purpose of the study is for Christian minister to go where the action is, be in the cathedral or on a skid row.

After much reflection and study throughout the United States, we decided that we wanted to make North Carolina a better place in which to live for the disadvantaged. The voting records of our senators and congressmen from the so called progressive state



AIDING THE WOUNDED-DK TO, SOUTH VIETNAM: A wounded member of the 173rd Airborne Brigade is helped through the thick jungle of Hill 889 Nov. 20th at the height of a battle with North Vietnamese regulars. (UPI)



KING AND QUEEN - Mrs. Hattie Carrington and James Ray, King and Queen for the Joint Usher Boards, are shown as they are crowned by Councilman Clarence Lightner, Friday night, Nov. 10, at the Raleigh Memorial Auditorium. This couple represented the group reporting the highest amount of money at the International Festival Benefit sponsored by the Manly Street Christian Church. Winning in the costume division was the King and Queen for the Primary Department of the Sunday School, (left), namely: DeJuanna Cameron and Michael Lindsey. These young people were dressed in the native dress for Japan. Runner-up couple in the costume division was Mrs. Edna Haywood and Mr. Walter Jones. This couple served as King and Queen for the Floral Club and were dressed in native Italian dress. Picture (right) is Mrs. Bette Elliott as she made the announcement regarding the various winners.

of the south is exasperating to the black citizens of North Carolina. We are determined to humanize our state by any means necessary.

One of our first state-wide projects is to sponsor Congressman John Conyers, Jr., Democrat from the First District, Michigan, on Dec. 8, 8 p. m. at the North West Junior High in Charlotte. There will be a press conference at the White House Inn earlier in the day of the eighth.

Congressman Conyers is sponsor of Full Opportunity Act which would provide \$30 billion yearly to aid low income Americans in the areas of jobs, housing and education. Since first term has been first and only Negro American member of the House Judiciary Committee which handles all civil rights legislation. Active supporter of the Mississippi Challenge in 1965, Voting Rights Act of 1965 and Civil Rights Act of 1966. Received 1967 Rosa Parks Award for Civil Rights Activities from the Southern Christian Leadership Conference.

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Personal

Mrs. Ioxie Alston and sister, Mrs. Mable Davis, of Pittsburgh, Pa. spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jeffries. While in the city, they visited relatives in Durham.

Housing Appeal

DETROIT - An appeal for passage of fair-housing legislation has been made by this city's "blue-ribbon" committee, which met with Gov. George Romney and legislative leaders. The group wants an open-occupancy law passed at the current special session of the state legislature. The com-

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Racial Unrest Attributed To Middle Class

SAN FRANCISCO - The Negro middle class, motivated by "rising expectations" brought on by unfulfilled promises, has triggered the riots of recent summers rather than the poor and uneducated Negroes, an intergroup expert today told the American Jewish Committee's National Executive Board, gathered at the Fairmont Hotel here at its annual meeting.

Stating that "a meaningful segment of our society is in revolutionary ferment," Nathan Perlmuter, Director of the AJC's Department of Domestic Affairs, said that "we must unleash the success-potential of the employed and educated Negro's expectations" and in this way "take over the revolution" within the confines of a revived concept of integration.

He added that the middle-class Negro's life style must be "within ambition's reach of the Negro underclass," pointing

mittee, which includes both businessmen and militant black leaders, also demands a revision of "outmoded" housing codes which unfairly penalize tenants.

ing to the recent election of Carl Stokes as Mayor of Cleveland as a step in this direction. Stokes' election, he said, not only reassured hundreds of middle-class Negroes in Cleveland but also sparked the ambition of thousands of young Negroes in the underclass.

From studies of the riots, Mr. Perlmuter explained, "it is, or should be, apparent that the match that ignites the infernos of our summers is not among the Negro poor or the Negro uneducated. Quite the contrary. They are the tinder, as the pool and the uneducated were in the Paris of 1789 and in the Petrograd of 1917.

"The igniting instrument is in the Negro middle and near-middle classes. It is they who have glimpsed, in pay check and in school, the elusive dreams of our promises; it is they whose cupped ears have heard America's boastful and coming rhapsody. Having nibbled and liked to the point of hungering, having waited and waited and waited, they have determined to shoulder their way to our table -- and in so doing, the Negro middle class is acting out an old script.

"It's in our history books, although the black militants' middleclass antecedents were called the bourgeoisie back in Louis XVI's time.

Advertisement for Carolina Builders Corp. and Consumer Credit Co. featuring a turkey and the text: 'Let Us Buy Your Christmas Turkey', 'Don't Wait Until You Need It!', 'QUALIFY FOR YOUR PERSONAL LOAN NOW!', 'Write, phone or visit our office today for information about our convenient loan service...' and 'Consumer Credit Co. 7 East Hargett Street Telephone 834-3417'

Large advertisement for Carolina Power & Light Company with the headline 'Can you do this in every ROOM in your home?' and details about electric heat benefits, including 'With electric heat you could! A different temperature in every room. That's one of the built-in benefits of electric comfort heat.'