

Scott, the Senate Republican Leader, speaking at a Re- First Phase OfOIC Leader, speaking at a Re-

2, Box 304, Clayton, and 1809 Liberty Place, Raleigh, was accused by Miss Rachel Wright,

39, of the Liberty Place ad-

dress, at 9 p.m. of assaulting

her with a knife or other similar

instrument at her apartment.

in the back door of the house,

chased her out the front door,

then cut her with the instru-

ment, causing serious bodily

injury to her head and legs.

She suffered deep multiple lac-

WASHINGTON, D. C. - The

National Alliance of Postal and

Federal Employees is not par-

strike in which certain locals

of one of the craft unions are

President Ashby G. Smith in

urging members of the Alliance (See NAPFE NOT, P. 2)

ticipating in or supporting the

PFE Shuns

(See STABBED IN, P. 10)

The woman said Watson came

To Host Expo Sat.

RICHMOND, Va.-Businesses to exhibit their products and services at the First Annual Black Is Beautiful Business Expo set for the Richmond Arena, March 29th and 30th.

The Expo is scheduled to open at 2 p.m. Sunday the 20th with Mayor Phil Begley of Richmond joining in the ribbon cutting ceremonies with Berkley Burrell, President of the National Business League; Richmond City Councilman, Henry L. Marsh III; State Senator L. Douglas Wilder; Delegate W. Fergunson Reid; Miss Black America, Miss G. O. Smith of Detroit; Miss Glamour of Rad-

(see EXPO SET. P. 2)

Easter Coloring Contest

engaged.

Again this year, The CAROLINIAN is sponsoring an Easter Coloring Contest in which three prizes will be given away. See Page 11 for further details.

This contest is open to all children up to 12 years of age, except those of sponsors or employees of this newspaper. You may submit as many sets of pictures as you like. However, you can only win one prize.

The deadline for submitting colored pictures is noon on Monday, March 30.



4,500 TEACHERS STRIKE-Boston: A work stoppage by most of Boston's 4,500 teachers forced the closing of the city's 197 public schools March 24. The members of the Boston Teachers Union staged what they called a "Professional" day and set up pickets at several schools, Several hundred are shown as they marched down School Street from School Headquarters to Boston City Hall. (UPI).

Felton J. Capel Is Heard At NC State U.

from increased earning power and improved economic status of the black community," member of the N. C. Board of

Conservation and Development told some 200 industrial development officials at a Rural Development Conference at North Carolina State University here Tuesday.

Felton J. Capel of Southern Pines, the Black Mayor pretem, told government, industry and education leaders attending

VIEW FILM ON MUSBAND, FATHER-Atlanta; The family of the late Dr. Martin Luther King arrives at a downtown Atlanta theater March 24 for the showing of the film documentary of the slain civil rights leader. (L-R) Yolanda, 14; Martin, 12; Mrs. King and Dexter, 9. Daughter Bernice not shown, (UPI).

"All America will benefit the regional conference that if blacks alone, among all the poor, were brought above the (See CAPEL IS, P. 2)

Distinction Award To Mrs. King

MEDFORD, Mass. - Mrs. Coretta Scott King, wife of the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., will receive the Jackson Award of Distinction, April 7, (See MRS. KING. P. 2)

rence Towns, 10 Heath St., Carter's Inc.: Gladys Reddick, 1506 E. Jones St., Woodworth; Allene publican National Committee Pitts, 307 S. Tarboro St., Hud-Black Republican Elected Ofson-Belk; Mrs. Lillian B. Dunn, ficials Conference at the Statl-Route 7, Box 302, White Cross er Hilton, said, "The Repub-Drugs; Mrs. Queen Ester Hinlican Party must cultivate and ton, 24 McKee St., Bosse Jewelexpand its role in the black ers; Louise Curley, 418 S. Swain community, among the poor, a-St., Rhodes, Inc. mong the middle class, and particularly among the young. He

Randey Graham, 1943 Rock Quarry, Wood's; Kenover Gill. 3 Franklin Terrace, G. S. Tuck-(See 22 WINNERS, P. 2)

cautioned, "Any Republican strategy must compete for these votes and involvement. He must help." **Drug Use** "Like yourselves, I am by no means satisfied with the

Discussed

"The use of harmful drugs achieved, the overriding obligation of that Administration is is now a serious problem in Raleigh and both parents and students are urgently in need to see that it is achieved, "Scott said. However, he added that of education regarding this he was proud of the "outstandmenace" state Raymond Buring record of educational and ton, drug education coordinator economic progress for all Aof Camp Polk Department of mericans of our Republican Correction at the Public Af-(See SEN. SCOTT. P. 2) fairs Forum of the Bloodworth

St. Aug.'s Street YMCA Friday night. Types of drugs discussed included (1), the depressant drugs, barbituates, seconal etc. Audiences (2). stimulant drugs, Benzad-rine Pep pills (3). Halluci-genics such as LSD, STP, DMT, Challenged and (4), the hard drugs such as heroin. The latter two types were described as especially Dr. James Brewer, professor dangerous since they are de-

of history, North Carolina Censtroyers of the mind. Three tral University, and Dr. Earl out of ten who begin using such E. Thorpe, chairman of the hisdrug as Marijuara end up tory department of that institu-(See DRUG USE. P. 2) (See ST. AUG.'S, P.)

ird For GalaD Shriners G innovation is a cup that will shrinedom each year. The cup

FAYETTEVILLE - Thurman J. Smith, Deputy of the Desert of North Carolina, Mystic Shrine, announced here last week that the most elaborate plans for the celebration of Gala Day, in Goldsboro, May 15-16, are now being unfolded and, if carried out, will make the event the greatest ever held.

A queen's contest, now underway in the 14 temples, seem to have the greatest lustre. It is being promoted by a committee, headed by Noble William Honeyblue. The first contestant to register is Miss Linda Powell Dixon of Farmville, representing Rofelt-Pasha Temple. She is a senior at H. B. Suggs High School and hopes to continue her education at Fayetteville State University. She is intensely interested in creative dancing.

Another feature that is an

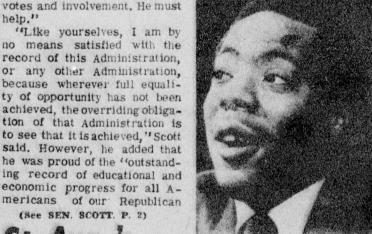


WILLIAM HONEYBLUE

The temple that raises the largest sum of money, in support of the Desert, will receive 200 points. The largest number more than 12 members, on review, gets 150 points, while the marching unit having the largest number over 20, in the parade, will receive 100 points. The cup will rotate each year. This annual observance by the state's Shriners is looked forward to with much en-nected with the order. Persons have been known to come from other states to take part in the many celebrations that are attendant to the observance. It

Ends, Reopens Apr. 6

ROCKY MOUNT - The first phase of seven weeks of the Feeder Program' of Opportunities Industrialization Center (OIC) engaged in the train-



TESTIFIES - Washington: Charles West, 23, of Chicago, a former Army sergeant who witnessed the alleged My Lai massacre, told the Senate Juvenile Delinquency subcommittee March 24 that a maiority of the GIs who participated smoked marijuana. He said that some of them did so the night before the incident. Dr. Joel H. Kaplan, a former Army psychiatrist who worked with drug users in Vietnam, told the subcommittee that if the soldiers were "chronic pot-heads" it could have contributed to their actions. (UPI).

BY J. B. HARREN he first ing of the unskilled to secure better jobs and advance to others came to a close here at the local OIC unit in the former BTA school building Thursday night when progress reports were given by members of the volunteer teaching staff and some advanced students.

Under the untiring efforts of guidance, teaching and coordination of programs by Mrs. Rosa Brodie and Mrs. Vivian Tillman, both of whom played the major roles in organizing (See OIC ENDS. P. 10)

GRIME REAT From Raleigh's Official

Police Files SCRATCHED BY DRUNK

Mrs. Mary D. McCullers, 918 Fayetteville Street, told Officer G. W. Abernathy at 1:04 a.m. Sunday, that she came home and found Bernard Tucker. 28, 1008 Mark Street, drunk in her house. She stated she asked Tucker to leave, but he got mad and scratched her face and eyes with his fingernails. Mrs. McCullers, who suffered a scratched face, said she would sign an assault and battery warrant against Mr. Tucker.



Sweepstakes Grows

Number 3935, 12112 and 1246 for \$15 at Briggs Hardware, thusiasm by all persons con- are winning numbers in this week's CAROLINIAN'S Revised Sweepstakes feature. Number 3935, first prize, is worth 25 in merchandise at Ter-

politan Furniture Leasing Co., 3801 S. Wilmington St. In the Spotlight this week is Arlan's, 1920 North Blvd., ry Furniture Co., 214 E. Martin St.; 12112, second, is valuable (See SWEEPSTAKES, P. 2)

220 Fayetteville St.; and num-

ber 1246, third, \$10 at Metro-

(See NC SHEINERS, P. 2)