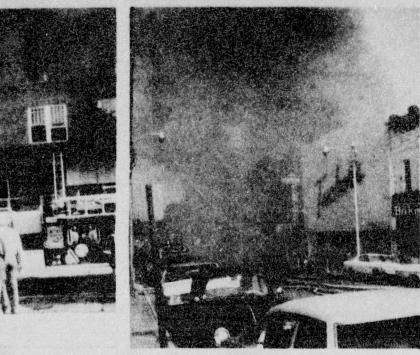
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Peebles' Hotel Is Total Loss; Was 49 Years Old

Eye-Witness Describes Fire At Hotel

About to take a shower on the second floor of Peebles' Hotel, 122 E. Hargett Street last Wednesday about 5:10 p.m. was Robert Taylor. However, the shouts of "Fire"! from the third floor apparently changed his mind. Mr. Taylor ran out of the 49-year-old establishment with only his trousers on, and everything he

According to Ira Frazier, of merchandise, but sustained owner of "Sweet Pea Green's Record Shop," located in the same building, two women came into his shop and reported they saw smoke coming from a third floor window.

Mr. Green commented, "I went outside and saw the smoke; real heavy smoke. I ran up to the floor, trying to find where the smoke was coming from and kicked open the bathroom door. There were heavy flames in there. It was really bad. No one was up there, though." "I had told the desk clerk to call the fire department on my way upstairs, and by the

time I came down they were here," Frazier said. He said he saved \$6,000 to \$7,000 worth

\$4,000 to \$5,000 in damages from smoke and water. The first alarm reached the fire department at 5:11 p.m., and two pumpers, a ladder

truck and the rescue squad were dispatched. By 5:12 assistant fire chief C. R. Puryear had called in the second of five alarms that came in quick succession until 5:26

p.m. Four pumpers, three ladders, the rescue squad with a crew of about 35 men worked on the fire. The four pumpers, at full blast, poured out 4,000 gal-

lons of water a minute. Asked if his men were able

to pour enough water on the (See HOTEL IS, P. 2) **Refuse To Take Part**

owned as was destoryed in the fire as was the hotel itself. Mr. Taylor was one of about twenty guests in the hotel when the five alarm fire broke out in the bathroom of the hotel. The hotel was operated by Mr. and Mrs. Victor Peebles, who also operate Peebles' Charcoal Flame, S. Wilmington Street.

L. D. Haywood, Principal, Teacher, Is Funeralized



Funeral services for Leonidas D. Haywood, 60, 1027, Oberlin Rd., former principal of the Oberlin Elementary School, and a teacher for many years at the Crosby-Garfield Elementary School, in New York and Halifax County, were conducted Tuesday, June 30, at 3 p.m. at the Wilson Temple United Methodist Church.

The Rev. J. H. McCallum officiated and burial was in Carolina Biblical Gardens.

Mr. Haywood was found dead last Friday, lying face down on his bed in the bedroom. He was born in Raleigh, the son of Claude and Laura Haywood, February 10, 1910. He died June

He was a lifetime and faith-

ful member of the Wilson Tem-

ple United Methodist Church,

where he also served as organ-

ist for 17 years. He was ed-

ucated in the public schools

in Raleigh, at Saint Augustine's

College and he received his

Master of Arts degree at

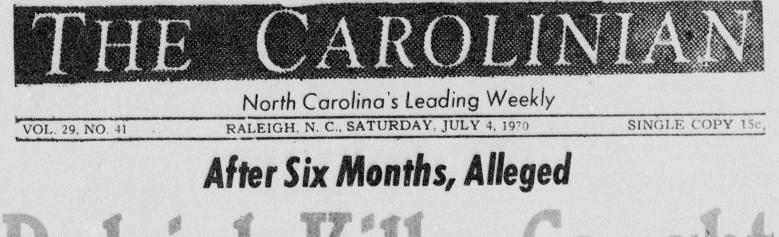
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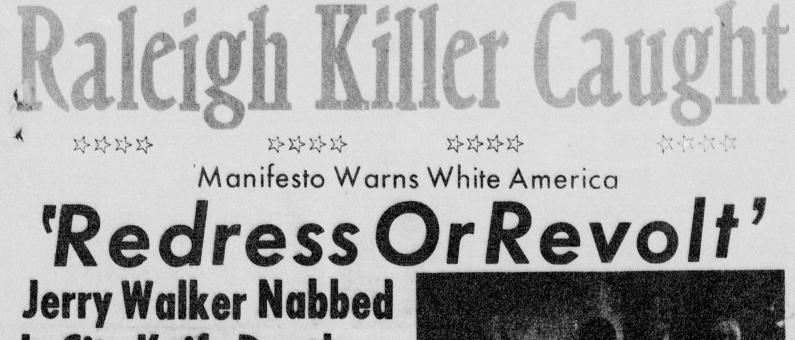
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SCENES FORM PEEBLES' HOTEL FIRE-Shown above are scenes, taken from carlous positions last Wednesday, as the Peebles' Hotel went up in flames. The establishment has been deemed a total loss. Photo at far left was taken a couple of blacks away from the burning hotel. In the next picture, the

photographer was in front of the business. Third photo was also taken at a distance. In picture, 4th from left, ex-City Councilman, Dr. John W, Winters, is shown talking with a police officer. The final photo was taken as the hotel was completely gutted.

At Unitarian Convention ? Blacks Boycott Church Meet





In City Knife Death

The cops have finally caught elusive Jerry Walker, near 60, wanted in Raleigh since February 8, when he alleged stabbed a city woman to death. Walker's local address was listed as 212 1/2 W. South Street. The victim 1was 32-year-old Mrs. Ruby Ann Lanier Horton.

After receiving a tip that sent a description of him and the Mr. Walker was in Jacksonthere. ville, N. C., Raleigh officials

JERRY WALKER

charge to police needquarters Walker was arrested at the Jacksonville bus station by

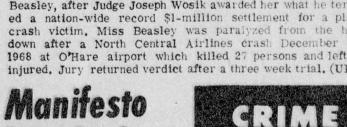
Patrolman Levi Simmons. Jacksonville Police said Walker had told them he had been in Jacksonville for six months.

Lt. Russell A. Liles of the . Raleigh Investigation Division said two detectives were bringing Walker back to Raleigh. Mrs. Horton, 32, was found dead in her apartment at 5081/2 East Hargett St. on the afternoon of February 8 by her father.

An autopsy report later showed that Mrs. Horton died of internal bleeding from knife wounds.

leigh pokice, will face charges of murder in Waker District

Walker, no "stranger" to Ra-(See KNIFE DEATH. P. 2)



"Americans created the

military-industrial complex and ghetto prisons for blacks in the same way: by failing to ask the right questions at the right time of the right people," writes Arnold Schuchter in his forthcoming book, Reparations: The Black Manifesto and Its Challenge to White America, which Lippincott will publish August 17. Examining the moral and religious failure of white society in America to live up to its declared values and beliefs, Reparations issues a manifesto of its own that projects a vision of what America might be like and, beginning where James Forman left off, offers the churches and other agencies a prophetic role in a program of redress for all dis-

advantaged Americans. Because of its paranoid fear to Third World Revolution, wherever it might occur, Mr. (Sec MANIFESTO, P. 2)

's Sessions This boycott, decided sever-

BOSTON, Mass.-The General Assembly of the Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA), being held at Seattle, Wash., June 29 through July 4, will be officially boycotted by the Black organization of that denomination.

The Black Unitarian Universalist Caucus (BUUC) refuses to participate in any activities of this convention - business liturgical or social. Its national chairman, like most of its membership, declines to attend the Seattle event.

Rocky Mt. Has Ten **OIC Grads** ROCKY MOUNT - The local

unit of Opportunities Industrialization Center (OIC), the smallest of an hundred self-help training centers founded by Dr. Leon H. Sullivan of Philadelphia, Pa., graduated its first class of ten-3 men and sev.1 females - Hospital Attendants, (two of whom already have jobs) June 29, with "words of commendation" from Dr. W. Thurber Armstrong, local medico, who is president-elect of the (See ROCKY MT., P. 2)

(See WORKSHOP, P. 2) **NAACP** Session Concludes

BY ALEXANDER BARNES CINCINNATI, Ohio - The opening sessions of the 61st annual meeting of the NAACP were marked with strong declarations of the purpose and intent of making America the citadel of demorcracy by three national personages as the more than 2,000 delegates assembled for the meet, which began Monday and will continue thru Friday. Roy Wilkins, executive director, in a Sunday release said that he felt that President Nixon meant well, but was receiving devasting advice as it relates to the civil rights movement and the cause of freedom. He was .optimistic that not long

ward two societies, one black, one white -- seperate and unequal. He said, "This deepen-(ing division is not inevitable,

al months ago, is the Black organization's first massive response to the April 26 decision of the UUA trustee board to cut off funds from the Black Affairs Council (BAC), the national foundation for Black empowerment the BUUC established three years ago through the Unitarian Church. At that time, by a vote of the denomination's membership at a similar assembly, it was agreed that the UUA would find the founda-(See BOYCOTT, P. 2)

Workshop

To Create

Leaders

supposed to do.

LEONIDAS D. HAYWOOD

Unity Week Is Backed **By Officials**

PHILADEL PHIA-Two governors and seven mayors are among the thirteen new honorary chairman of Black Unity Week, Sept. 21-26, recently announced by Samuel L. Evans, general chairman of the observance.

Governor William T. Cahill of New Jersey and Governor DURHAM-The 25 Durham and Robert S. Scott of North Caro-Person County teenagers who lina have officially endorsed the will live on the campus of North goals of the week and of the First Carolina Central University Annual Philadelphia Black Unity from July 12 through July 24 Football Classic that cliwill be heard from, if the twomax its activities on Saturday week program does what it is night the 26th at John F. Kennedy Stadium.

The program might be de-Municipal support of the week-long celebration - aimed scribed as a leadership school, or even a citizenship class. at demonstrating the achieve-Instead, it is called a "Youth ments of the Philadelphia area Development Workshop" and black community in working that description is accurate. with all races toward common Co-sponsored by the educaends-has been pledged by Mavor John C. Gilmour, Jr., of Cherry Hill, N. J.; Mayor Harry G. Haskell, Jr., of Wilmington, Del.; Mayor John H. Nacrelli of Chester, Pa.; Mayor Victor R. H. Yarnell of Reading, Pa.; Mayor Joseph B. Conahan of

SEES TROUBLE AHEAD-Washington: Samuel C. Jackson, general asst. secy. of HUD, the highest-ranking black man in the Nixon Administration, says the nation may be headed for racial warfare unless politicians at all levels of government stop feeding the prejudices of the white middle class, Jackson said he is convinced that President Nixon is committed the cause of social justice but that inflammatory rhetoric by some officials has damaged the Administration's credibili-

ty in the black community. (UPI). (See UNITY WEEK, P. 2) In The Sweepstakes SPOTLIGHT THIS WEEK

Heilig-Levine Of Raleigh Furniture of Quality That Dignifies Any Home

See SWEEPSTAKES Ads Read Page 10 For Winners

Sweepstakes Moving

Since there were no winners in last week's revised CARO-LINIAN Sweepstakes Promotion, the merchandise is continuing to pile up at the variour businesses which advertise on 'The CAROLINIAN'S Sweepstakes Page. Winning numbers this week

Company, 322 S. Salisbury St. Number 08665, second, is valued. in the amount of \$15 worth of trade at Ben Franklin Stores, Longview Shopping Center; and 08795, third, will bring its bearer \$10 worth of trade at Smith's Studio, 14 E. Hargett Street. The Spotlight this week is See SWEEPSTAKES, P. 2)

merchandise at Jounson-Lambe

Fisher St., was involved in a knifing incident last Saturday near his house. He refused to talk to Officer W. E. Radford about how he was cut. His girlfriend, however, "spilled the beans," by telling the cop how Watson received his wound. She said he was playing cards at 115 N. Fisher Street, when he got into a "fuss" with Miss Lenora Fields, 20, 115 N. Fisher. The girlfriend, believed to be Miss Ora Cooper, who had earlier called "the law," said Miss Fields went into the kitchen, got a knife, then came back and cut Watson on the left hand. He suffered a one and onehalf inch laceration. He told Officer Radford that he would not

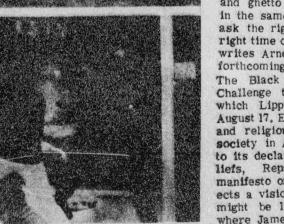
sign a warrant against Miss Fields.

(See CRIME BEAT. P. 3)



cuit Court June 29 by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Beasley, after Judge Joseph Wosik awarded her what he termed a nation-wide record \$1-million settlement for a plane crash victim. Miss Beasley was paralyzed from the hips down after a North Central Airlines crash December 27, 1968 at O'Hare airport which killed 27 persons and left 26 injured. Jury returned verdict after a three week trial. (UPI).

Says Redress **Blacks Now**



VIOLENCE IN ST. PETERSBURG-St. Petersburg, Fla .: Store manager, Mickey Williams, saw an unidentified young Negro apparently shoplifting a pair of shoes June 26 and a scuffle developed (top) when Williams tried to hold the youth for police. Two other unidentified youths them jumped Williams, knocking him to the ground. The triothen fied and police are searching for them. (UPI).



GRIME BEAT From Raleigh's Official Police Files

WOMAN CUTS MAN Harold Watson, Jr., 25, 102 S.

hence Mr. Nixon would rise to the occasion and take the brakes off the freedom movement and move toward the oath he took as the leader of the greatest nation in the world. In his annual address Tuesday morning, Mr. Wilkins pictured America as moving to-

The movement apart can be reversed. To pursue our present course will involve the continuing polarization of the American community." He said such a course would result in the ultimate destruction of democratic valuable democratic - values. "The alternative is not blind repression or capitulation to lawlessness. It is the realization of common opportunities for all, within a single society," he said.

Bishop S. G. Spottswood, chairman, Board of Directors, in a rip-rousing keynote speech (See NAACP, P. 2)

Cancelled

A Golf Clinic, which was to have been sponsored by the Tee Off Club, Rocky Quarry Road, and was to have started on Monday, June 29, has been cancelled because of apparent lack of interest on the part of the local citizenry. The Clinic was to have been followed by a Tournament in which prizes would be are as follows: 08910, first given to the best golfers in sevprize, is worth \$25 worth of eral categories.