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Among the neighborhood groups formally committed to FAIR are the Method Civil League, The Concerned Citizens of East Raleigh, and the Free Assembly of Raleigh. Representatives from other groups have participated actively and as observers in the meetings of the FAIR coordinating committee held to date. These persons have represented the Raleigh Citizens Association, the West Raleigh Civic Association, the Associated Citizens for Oberlin, and the Annexation Action Committee. Some of these organizations will seek formal affiliation with FAIR at their next regular membership meetings.

Acting through its coordinating committee, FAIR seeks to prepare policy positions which are acceptable to the constituent organizations, to publicize such positions and to call for public acceptance of these positions by announced candidates for public office. In this way, FAIR seeks to direct attention to pressing social problems and issues of vital concern. Although FAIR does not intend to endorse candidates in the upcoming election of city council and school board members, Mrs. White notes that membership in FAIR does not restrict constituent neighborhood organizations from endorsing and/or working actively for particular candidates.

FAIR has formally adopted positions on the Northwest annexation, the scattered sites housing program, school integration, public transportation for school children, and neighborhood planning and zoning. All positions were adopted by majority vote of the representatives of the constituent organizations. Although no constituent organization is bound by any policy position without the approval of its membership or executive committee, Mrs. White emphasized that the coordinating committee makes every attempt to develop mutually satisfactory policy positions. Although the representatives of organizations not yet formally allied with FAIR participated in the preparation of the various positions and tentatively endorsed some or all of them, formal association with FAIR and formal endorsement of each position awaits the regular membership meetings of the particular organizations.

The FAIR position on annexation and bond issues was taken prior to the action of the City Council last Friday postponing action on the Northwest annexation. It reads as follows:

Annexation and Bond Issues -- It is agreed that FAIR will not support any annexation bond issue proposed by any governing body of the City of Raleigh when it is found that body has not made adequate provision to serve the proposed area without degrading the level of service or standards of health and safety in other parts of the city and/or where that area fails to pay its way in general services from anticipated property tax collections.

Thus, FAIR recommends a "No" vote on the Northwest Annexation Bond Issues on March 30, for the following reasons:

- 1. Preliminary estimates show the area is expected to produce \$517,000 in annual tax revenues while costing \$522,000 per year to provide municipal services such as garbage collection and police and fire services.
- 2. Problems at the waste treatment plant on Walnut Creek will be further aggravated by additional sewage from the proposed North west annexation area.
- 3. The odorous emissions from the waste treatment plant already are creating a health hazard to residents of southeast Raleigh because the plant is operating at 8 to 12 million gallons per day in excess of its designed capacity.
- 4. The City Sanitation Department unofficially admits that it is neither equipped nor ready to service any additional areas.
- 5. Other bond issues are being contemplated for the coming year, including the following: New Sewerage Plant, \$5-15 million; Capital Improvement, Airport Extension and School Bonds.

Because of the existing health hazard and the possibility of a multitude of prospective bond referenda, FAIR holds that the Sewerage Plant bond issue should be afforded top priority, that no bond issue should precede it, and that the city officials should tell the people of Raleigh the "complete story" concerning upcoming bond issues so that the people may be better informed about the choices before them.

Other FAIR positions are as follows:

REV. McCLOUD

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lected associate general secretary of the denomination's Commission on Ecumenical Mission and Relations. The Rev. McCLOUD was pastor of the Davis Street United Presbyterian Church in Raleigh, N. C., during the 1960s.

NEW GIRLS'

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For further information contact Mrs. Shirley Willis, Assistant Director, Principal, Cooperative School for Pregnant Girls, 2038 Erwin Rd., Durham.

KIN THINKS

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hide something. Instead of stopping him, the officer turned off and went for help.

"When he came back with another officer, he ordered the man to stop, but they told me he turned off and shot the right hand window out of their patrol car," Mr. Cozart then backed up and the policemen told me that they didn't know what was happening. The man was shot five times, once in each shoulder, once in each side of the chest and once in an arm.

"They called me and I was at Wake Memorial Hospital by 1 o'clock Saturday morning and the body was already there." Hospital records state that the body of Mr. Cozart was admitted there at 12:45 a.m. Saturday.

Mrs. Cozart insisted that "the only thing they were interested in was talking about my uncle's police record. That was not the issue at hand. The issue was whether those officers could have just wounded him without killing him. We (the family) never did see the car they said was shot up. There was no report from a physician at the hearing as to just what caused the death. There were no blacks on the jury, only six whites from the Apex area.

Coroner Bennett declared all of the jurors were retired businessmen from the Raleigh area. The coroner also admitted there was a "scratch" above one of Mr. Cozart's eyes, but he said he probably received that when he fell over.

MAN HELD

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coat from Hudson-Belk Department Store, but when he appeared for trial on the charge Jan. 21, he walked out of the courtroom.

DR. WADE

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Certified Social Workers. His term of office as NASW president was to have been completed on June 30 next.

The NASW announcement signed by NASW Executive Director, Chauncey A. Alexander -- said of Mr. Young's death: "This is a great loss to the nation, NASW, the social welfare field, and black people of America for whom he labored throughout his life in their efforts toward freedom and social justice."

Dr. Wade, a resident of Sacramento, Calif., is a charter member of NASW and has served in many important national offices and posts. Until his succession as president, he was first vice-president since 1969. From 1967 to 1969, he was a member of the NASW Division Cabinet of Social Policy and Action, and from 1965 to 1967, chairman of the Chicago Area Chapter. Before taking his post as Dean at Sacramento State College, he was an associate professor in the School of Social Service Administration, University of Chicago.

Dr. Wade was educated at the Universities of Wisconsin and Chicago, receiving his doctorate in 1960 from the latter. He resides, with his wife Sarah, at 3140 "C" Street, Sacramento. He has two children, Paula, 17, and Douglas, 14.

The National Association of Social Workers is the largest organization of professional social workers in the world with 172 chapters in the U.S., Puerto Rico and Europe. Founded in 1955, the voluntary membership organization concentrates its activities on programs to improve social work knowledge, practice, competence and action.

DR. WESLEY

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Dr. Wesley has headed the Inter-University Council of the State of Ohio and served as president of the Association of the Ohio College Presidents and Deans. Included in Dr. Wesley's scholarly writings are: "The Collapse of the Confederacy; The Negro in the Americas; and Neglected History."

Founded immediately following the Civil War, Johnson C. Smith University, then Bible Institute, has graduated over 6,000 men and women in its 104 years. Dr. Lionel H. Newsom serves as the college's ninth chief administrator.

MOTHER OF

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ter who is now a homemaker, a professional singer and dancer daughter, and a public school music teacher. Over half of her grandchildren are now in college.

"Love is the most important thing about being a mother," Mrs. Amaker said after being named the winner. "I've had a full life and I have enjoyed every minute so far. I've worked hard as a caterer to get my children through college and I am proud of them and everything they've done." The 68-year-old honoree voiced.

Mrs. Amaker, who was the first black woman chosen to represent High Point, says, "I've kept young by staying busy." Her civic activities include supervising four kitchens for the Head Start Program in High Point, teaching a sewing and kit making class at the YWCA and being on the Mayor's Task Force Committee for the Model Cities program.

According to Mrs. Amaker, who is very active in the Pearson Memorial AME Church where she sings in the choir and is president of the local missionary society. Her hobbies include hat making, ceramics, oil painting, and growing African violets. Her African violets are her first love now that her children are grown.

DEMOCRATS

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gro voters increased from 28,000 to over 200,000. In January, the Mississippi State Legislature passed a law prohibiting party designations or affiliations in future elections, beginning this year. This is believed to be the first step in preparing the ground for the Eastland-Williams forces to seek official recognition again at the 1972 Democratic convention by depriving the biracial Democratic Party-recognized and seated at the 1968 convention-- of the argument that the old-line regulars have refused to participate in their party procedures

Jabberwock Is Held At Auditorium

Raleigh Memorial Auditorium was the setting for the 1971 Jabberwock pageant last weekend, sponsored by Raleigh Deltas. The accent was on youth. The theme of this 31st annual Jabberwock was "Youthful Dreams Predict." The prelude featured "The Sweetness of Youth and a scene showing Delta Legacies.

Honorees for this occasion were the fifty girls whom Deltas had selected as the "Outstanding seniors of 1971." The program continued with presentations by the talent finalists. The dialogue was done by members of the Shaw Players under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Caple.

The highlight of the evening was the coronation of "Miss Jabberwock," Miss Cheryl Massenburg who was crowned by Miss Fran Bates, the 1970 queen. Miss Massenburg was chosen on the basis of scholarships, talent, personality, and service.

Academic awards were presented to Miss Bennis Blue -- first place, Misses Cheryl Massenburg and Cecilia Clegg for second place, and Miss Brenda Cannady, third place. The program ended with Deltas' salute to the seniors in the form of a torch ceremony. Each senior was given the torch of wisdom.

Senior At Ligon Receives 1971 Welcome Scholarship

The 1971 Burroughs Wellcome Achievement Scholarship has been awarded to Miss Bennis M. Blue, a senior at J. H. Ligon High School in Raleigh. B. W. Co. President, Fred A. Coe, Jr. said "One of the most pleasant duties I'm called on to perform each year is the presentation of the official scholarship certificates. It is particularly so when the recipient is a person like Bennis Blue. She has faced and surmounted more obstacles than have ever confronted most young people her age. We all are immensely proud to have her as this year's winner."

The presentation was made in the office of H. E. Brown, principal of Ligon High. He expressed every confidence in Bennis Blue's ability to succeed. "She is a good worker," he said, "and a very stable person. There is no question that she will do well."

Bennis intends to major in Journalism at Virginia State College, Petersburg, Va. During her high school career she has been very active as yearbook copy editor, senior class historian, and homeroom president. She works with the Neighborhood Youth Corps and is Human Relations Council secretary. Bennis is a member of the National Honor Society, the Modern Music Makers International Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, as well as the Art Club and the Mixed Chorus.

The Burroughs Wellcome Achievement Scholarship is awarded each year in cooperation with the National Merit Scholarship Corporation. This program is a nationwide competition among black students. Each four-year scholarship carries a stipend ranging from \$250 to \$1,500, depending on the financial needs of the students. The scholarship is primarily for children of Company employees. If none qualify, then the scholarship is awarded to a student from the Raleigh, Durham, Chapel Hill or Greenville areas.

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Rev. Kearney To Rhamkatte Sunday Night

RHAMKATTE-The Rev. Otha Kearney, a native of the Rhamkatte area, who begins his ministry from this section, accompanied by his members from the Lee's Cross Roads, Spring Hill Baptist and Green Chapel Number Two Baptist Churches, will render services at Watts Chapel Baptist Church in Rhamkatte, Sunday, March 28, at 7 p.m.

This service is sponsored by Deacon Thomas Glenn for the benefit of the church's building fund. Music will be furnished by the choir and choruses of each church.

The Rev. Kearney is a dynamic speaker and the public is invited to see and hear him.

Chapel Hill News

BY MRS. CARRIDENE STUBBS
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City High Schools In Rock-A-Thon

Raleigh high school students are sponsoring a Rock-a-Thon for the March of Dimes on March 27 in the lower mall of the North Hills Shopping Center from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. High School boys -- 2 from each of the 5 high schools -- will sit in grammy groups in rocking chairs and rock money in. The high school that gets the most money will be given a dance by WKX radio.

Students, who will be participating in the Rock-a-Thon are listed below: Broughton, Peter Hartman and Dave Kelly; Enloe, Bobby Bryant and Rob Flynn; Ligon, Lawrence Lindsey and Frank Williams; Cardinal Gibbons, Peter Van Gieson and Bill Richardson; Sanderson, Bill Terry and Lincoln Morton.

Rhodes Furniture Co. is providing the rocking chairs. Please urge all people to come and donate to the March of Dimes.

to attend the 35th annual Congressional Banquet and Ball sponsored by the North Carolina Democratic Club at the Sheraton Park Hotel in Washington, D. C. Saturday, March 20. The 4th District of which Nick Galifianakis is representative was well attended by members and friends and his secretary in Durham, Jean Weir, sold the largest number of tickets. The menu consisted of fresh pineapple chunks, boned chicken with apple and almond farce, tomato embassy, asparagus mimosas, mixed green salad, cheshire cheese dressing, Sheraton Park ice cream cake, strawberry sauce with North Carolina Emblem, coffee, tea and cherry herring.

While in Washington, Mrs. Stubbs was guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvons Saunders, formerly of Smithfield who are relatives of Mrs. Stubbs.

Music for the ball was furnished by Fred Perry and his orchestra. All districts were present or mentioned, but the 4th had the largest attendance.

Club News

BOOKER T. WASHINGTON CLUB
The Booker T. Washington Club will hold its monthly meeting

Woman's Day Sunday At St. Matthew AME

The St. Matthew Church at 805 E. Davie Street, will celebrate its annual Woman's Day service Sunday with the guest speaker being Mrs. Arthur M. Lawson of Virginia Beach, Va. Rev. David L. Morrison is the pastor.

Mrs. Lawson has taught in the Migrant Education Summer Program for two summers, participated in Conference on the Migrant, held in Florida, Texas, Arizona and in the state of Virginia for the past two years.

Mrs. Lawson holds membership in (TACCI) Tidewater Area Council On Community Improvement. Mrs. Lawson attended Edward Water College and Norfolk State, where she completed work for Elementary teacher; worked on her master degree at Old Dominion University, on leave from Virginia Beach School board.

She is a pianist and director of the Intermediate choir, superintendent of the Sunday School and a member of the hospitality club of St. Mark AME Church, Va. Beach, Va. All funding is earmarked for the building fund of St. Matthew. Mrs. Eunice Whitley is chairman of the Woman's Day committee. Rev. D. L. Morrison, pastor; Eunice Whitley, chairman.

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WOMAN'S DAY SPEAKER - Dorothy Slade Williams, director of Urban Sciences at Shaw University, will be the Woman's Day speaker at the 11 o'clock service at St. Paul AME Church, Sunday, March 28. The public is invited to attend. Dr. Williams received the B. A. degree at Livingstone College, Salisbury; the M. A. degree at Atlanta University; and the Ph. D. degree, University of Southern California, Los Angeles.

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speakers will be released. It is expected that the public may find some issues discussed of interest to all.

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