

# 'Blacks Kill King's Dream'

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Top Gospel Music Singer

# Clara Ward Dies

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Charlotte To Host As

# State NAACP Will Meet

## Two Strokes Fatal For Miss Ward

LOS ANGELES — Gospel singer Clara Ward, who sang her first solo at the age of 5 and grew up singing in churches with her mother and sister, died Tuesday after suffering two strokes within the past five weeks. She was 48.



MISS CLARA WARD

## King's Dream Not Fulfilled, Minister Says

ATLANTA, Ga. — As the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. once said — "A time comes when silence is betrayal." That time has come for the Atlanta Chapter of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference in relation to the works of Dr. King.

January 15, 1973 marked the 5th birthday anniversary since a sick white racist, savagely and cowardly assassinated our champion of the poor. Many relatives, friends, and followers with good intentions will celebrate and honor our King of Justice by contributing and participating in nothing more than a gala commemorative attraction.

In an attempt to remind these relatives, friends, followers, and the nation as a whole of the sacrificing and suffering Dr. King did for the poor, we presented the first of these gala attractions to be held at the Wheat Street Baptist Church on Sunday, January 14th, where on stage an all-star cast unveiled a live portrayal of "THE LIFE OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR." Then, in a tribute to Dr. King and to develop financial resources for the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Nonviolent Social Change, Mrs. Coretta Scott King featured nationally known TV personality Flip Wilson at the OMNI in a gala birthday celebration.

While the Atlanta Chapter of SCLC supports Mrs. King and the Center in this particular fund-raising event, Mrs. King's failure to share the resources (See SAYS KING'S, P. 2)

Miss Ward, leader of the Clara Ward Singers, had been in a coma at UCLA Medical Center since suffering the most recent stroke at her suburban Baldwin Hills home last week.

During her career, Miss Ward performed twice before President Lyndon Johnson, played Carnegie Hall with Mahalia Jackson, directed the music for a Broadway play and was nominated for a Grammy Award.

Miss Ward and her sister, Willa, joined their mother, Gertrude, when they were still children to form the Ward Singers trio and for many years sang at Sunday services in all-black churches.

(See TWO STROKES, P. 2)

## Formulation Of Chapters NAACP's Goal

BY J. B. HARRIS  
CHARLOTTE — A strong appeal has gone out from the office of N. C. NAACP president Kelly Miller Alexander, Sr., requesting the presence of representation from each of Tarheel's one hundred or more NAACP adult, Youth and College chapters to meet January 27 to help formulate the 1973 state program.

On the eve of his departure to attend the national board meeting of NAACP in New York January 6-8, Alexander, an influential board member himself, announced the "Annual Leadership Meeting of Officers and Members" will be convened at Holiday Inn of Charlotte, Number 2-Downtown, 900 No. Tryon St., all day, Saturday, January 27.

The theme of the meeting, Alexander stated, is "Doing Our Thing In Housing" an area in which Negroes have suffered much discrimination and exploitation.

The veteran NAACP prexy (25 years at the helm) said "Negroes of North Carolina are (See N. C. NAACP, P. 2)



MISS BEVERLY MITCHELL

## RCRC Fills Two Posts In Raleigh

Raleigh Community Relations Committee Chairman Z. N. Heller has announced the appointment of Miss Beverly Ruth Mitchell to the position of Assistant to the Executive Secretary (Bill Jessup) and Lawrence Wray to fill the newly created post of Social Services (See RCRC FILLS, P. 2)

## Training Programs Are Frozen

National Black News Service  
WASHINGTON — A freeze on new enrollment in the nation's job training programs has been ordered by the Administration. Civil rights leaders have declared that the action will severely cripple efforts to train thousands of blacks for jobs.

Although the Administration said the move was just temporary, insiders believe that this is merely an omen of things to come for the manpower training programs. (See PROGRAMS ARE, P. 2)

## 'We Foster Polarization,' Wilkins

National Black News Service  
NEW YORK — The "executive branch of the Federal Government" is guilty of fostering a polarization between blacks and whites in this country, NAACP Executive Director Roy Wilkins contends.

Wilkins, addressing 200 delegates to the Association's annual meeting here, sounded far more pessimistic about the future of blacks under another term for President Nixon than in recent memory.

"We used to be able to call Lyndon or John when things got bad," said Aaron Henry, president of the Mississippi state chapter.

"But now we've lost the White House and the Attorney General. And when Nixon appoints one more member to the Supreme Court, we've lost that too."

The NAACP executive director told the group that the President had launched a seige against blacks by telling whites they were "hard-working." He said Nixon was implying that blacks were not.

Wilkins said his greatest (See ROY WILKINS, P. 2)



LAST PRESS CONFERENCE FOR ESSEX'S FAMILY - Emporia, Kans. - The family of Mark (Jimmy) Essex met with newsmen in Emporia, Kansas Thursday to explain incidents leading to Essex's

shootout with New Orleans police. From left are Mrs. Nellie Essex, the man's mother; Mark Essex, father; Penny Fox, sister; Joyce Horne, sister; Timmy Essex, brother. (UPI)

Asheville Pastor

# Elevated To Bishop

## Rev. James Lawson Howze Auxiliary Bishop-Elect

Catholics of the eastern part of the State and friends will honor Bishop-elect Joseph L. Howze with a farewell reception Wednesday evening at the auditorium of the Cardinal Gibbons High School, off Western Blvd., beginning at 7:30 p.m. The Bishop-elect has served parishes at Sanford, Southern Pines and Durham and lastly at Asheville until he was named Auxiliary Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Natchez-Jackson, Mississippi.

He will leave shortly for his new appointment made by Pope Paul VI and will be ordained bishop at the Municipal Auditorium in Jackson on January 28th.

Members of the Raleigh area Catholic churches are sponsoring the informal reception, featuring glee club presentations and speakers. The public is invited.

John W. Winters of Raleigh; Sister Miriam Regina, principal of Our Lady of Lourdes Parochial School, and Auxiliary Bishop George E. Lynch and Bishop Vincent S. Waters of Raleigh will speak in behalf of the laity, religious Sisters and the clergy.

The Rev. Gerald L. Lewis, vice-chancellor of the diocese of Raleigh is toastmaster.

Bishop Waters ordained Bishop-elect Howze to the priesthood

## Raleigh Man Insulted By Officer R. Sneed

BY CHARLES R. JONES

Francis Jerome Poole, 805 Delany Drive, came into the office of The CAROLINIAN Tuesday and told a tale of a white Raleigh policeman, Officer Robert W. Sneed, who arrested him almost in front of his church, Wilson Temple United Methodist, where he was on the list to usher that day. Mr. Poole is a lifelong resident of this city, having been reared in the Oberlin (West Raleigh) community.

Mr. Poole said the 25-year old Charles R. Jones, managing Sneed, who also manhandled (See INSULTED, P. 2)



BISHOP J. L. HOWZE

## Staff Sgt. Tinsley Gets Top Honors In Carolinas

Air Force Staff Sergeant Ulysses Tinsley, 106 Hunting Court, Garner, has been honored as Outstanding Support Non-Commissioned Officer of the Quarter for Air Force Recruiting in eastern North and South Carolina.

Selected for the award by

Major James T. Jones, commander of Air Force recruiting in the 81-county area. Sergeant Tinsley serves as an administrator. (See STAFF SGT., P. 2)



SGT. TINSLEY

## Negro Women Discuss Turnkey Three

BY MISS J. E. HICKS

The National Council of Negro Women met Sunday at 5 p.m. at the home of Mrs. S. V. Perry, 1105 S. Person Street. Miss Emma Foreman led the group in devotional singing.

The business discussed included concern for the Turnkey III Appalo Heights housing which initially was sponsored by the group, but now seems to differ from the early plans. A committee, Miss Louise Latham, Mrs. Susie Perry, Mrs. Nora Lockhart, Misses Maye E. Ligon and Jeannette Hicks plan to study the new plan and workshop in this area is being considered for the membership.

For a public meeting which NCNW hopes to have soon in continuation of voter-registration the club was divided into committees which planned activities for that meeting. Hostess Susie Perry served a (See NCNW MEETS, P. 2)

## Progressive Baptists To WASHINGTON

CINCINNATI, O. - Placing high priority on Convention objectives, Progressive Baptists are holding their Mid-Winter Adjourned Session in the nation's capital, the location of their headquarters and the Nannie Helen Burroughs School, which they support along with other Baptists bodies. They will convene at the Shoreham Hotel, Connecticut and Calvert Streets, N.W., (See BAPTISTS TO, P. 2)

## NAACP TO MEET SUN.

The Raleigh-Apex Chapter of the NAACP will hold its Annual Installation Service of New Officers along with a Memorial of the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Sunday, January 21, 1973 at the First Baptist Church on Wilmington Street in Raleigh at 4:30 p.m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## Women Voters Will Discuss Taxes In City

You are invited to join League members in a workshop to consider "The Effect of Taxation on the Urbanization of Wake County." This project has been partially funded by the North Carolina Committee for Continuing Education in the Humanities. The session will be held at Christ Episcopal Church, E. Edenton and Wilmington Streets.

We plan to meet at 10:00 a.m. on January 22 to hear four exceptionally well-qualified men present their views on tax policy, particularly how tax laws affect land use. The League has come to see the restraint that is imposed on enlightened land use by current (See WOMEN TO, P. 2)

## CRIME BEAT

From Raleigh's Official Police Files

EDITOR'S NOTE: This column or feature is produced in the public interest with an aim towards eliminating its contents. Numerous individuals have requested that they be given the consideration of overlooking their listing on the police blotter. This we would like to do. However, it is not our position to be judge or jury. We merely publish the facts as we find them reported by the arresting officers. To keep out of the Crime Beat columns, merely means not being registered by a police officer in reporting his findings, while on duty. So, simply keep off the "blotter" and you won't be in the Crime Beat.

### STABBED IN ARM

William Thomas Oates, 35, 424 S. Bloodworth Street, told two cops at 6:54 p.m. Saturday, that at about 2 p.m. on that date, he was stabbed by his wife, Mrs. Mary Oates, 32, following an argument. The man said he did not intend to press charges. He suffered a stab wound in the upper right arm. (See CRIME BEAT, P. 3)

HELD IN COP SHOOTING - Detroit - A battered and handcuffed Hayward Brown, 18, one of three men sought in a massive manhunt since the fatal shooting of a Detroit plainclothes police officer December 27, 1972 and the wounding of five other policemen, pauses briefly as he is escorted into a courtroom, January 12 to be arraigned on murder charges. (UPI)

## Appreciation Money Is Claimed By Three Here

After no winners claimed their prizes in The Swade Archibole of 1116 Hazelnut Drive, Mrs. Annie Snellings of 1114 Holmes St. and Mrs. Ava L. Terrell of 1310, Tarboro Street were all winners last week. All three winners came in to Archibole's name appeared in (See APPRECIATION, P. 2)

Appreciation Money SPOTLIGHT THIS WEEK

NATURAL HEALTH FOOD STORES

For Reasonably Priced And Potent Health Foods



THREE BLACK N.C. LEGISLATORS NOW - Raleigh - The three black members of the North Carolina House of Representatives are shown above. From left to right, they are Democrats Dr. Joy L. Johnson of Fairmont, Henry E. Frye, Greensboro; and H. M. "Mickey" Michaux, Jr., of Durham. They are shown as they chat together last week before the 130th General Assembly began here.