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RCA President Campbell Warns

'We Cannot Afford The Luxury Of Division' Here

Mother, 'Friend,' Charged

BY STAFF WRITER

Murder rampant in Raleigh last weekend as two men were shot to death - the first by an alleged friend - the second by his own mother. Two persons have been charged with murder in the deaths, which occurred last Saturday afternoon and Sunday night, respectively. The two killings took place less than a mile apart.

James Arthur Anthony, 31-year-old resident of 1224 Blarney Court, reportedly became engaged in an argument with Clarence Hamlin, Jr., 26, 1254 New Bern Avenue, over a dog and the supposed mistreatment of same by one of the two men. Hamlin is said to have produced an illegal 410 gauge shotgun and fired at close range, the bullet landing in the left side of Anthony's chest, believed to have killed him instantly.

This incident took place at a
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Top Events At Church On Sunday

Twelve years after the First Baptist Church celebrated her sesquicentennial anniversary, the pastor, Dr. Charles W. Ward will deliver the 162nd anniversary sermon Sunday, March 3rd on the theme, "The Rock of Faith." Dr. Ward is in his 15th year as pastor of the historic First Baptist Church and under his leadership the church has continued to make

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SOUGHT IN CAROLINA MURDERS - Columbia, S.C. - Search continued here for three men wanted in connection with the deaths of police officers in Kershaw County and a Forest Acres and a Columbia businessman. McKinley Thomas (R), turned himself in over the weekend to Richland County (Columbia) Sheriff's Deputies, but Dennis Wilson (L), is still at large. (UPI)

Agency Told To End Bias In Its Practices Of Employment

National Black News Service

GREENVILLE, Miss. - The 4-H and homemakers pro-

grams in Holmes County have been guilty of widespread racial discrimination in employment practices. A judge has ordered that the bias be eliminated.

Chief U.S. District Court Judge William C. Keady, in a 43-page ruling involving an

CRIME BEAT
From Raleigh's Official
Police Files

EDITOR'S NOTE This column of 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.

FACES FELONY CHARGES
Mrs. Alma Baker Fort, 28, 2152 Mayview Road, told Officer D. C. Pratt at 5:29 p.m. Sunday, that she was kidnapped, assaulted and an attempt was made to rape her. A razor blade is said to have been used to cut the woman on both cheeks of her buttocks. Arrested and charged with these raps was James Edward Wright, 24, address unlisted. He was charged specifically with kidnapping, aiding and abetting in assault and commit rape and assault with a deadly weapon. Place of the alleged occurrence of the incident was not reported.
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Appreciation Check Won By Raleigh Man

There was only one lucky winner of a \$10 check last week in The CAROLINIAN'S Appreciation Money Feature, sponsored by this newspaper and

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Appreciation Money
SPOTLIGHT THIS WEEK
BUFFALO & CO. BUILDERS
"Call For Free Aluminum Siding Estimates"



FIST-SWINGING MELEE ENDS IN ARRESTS - Oakland, Calif. - The "People In Need" project to which Randolph Hearst and the Hearst Foundation, already had contributed \$2 million in return for his daughter's safety, got off to a chaotic start Feb. 22. At Oakland, there was a fist-swinging melee when a delivery truck drew up and someone threw food from it, leading to the brawl. Crowd (top) is unruly as police try to keep order. At bottom (L), one of the persons involved is taken into police car at (R) another, face bloodied, is taken in. (UPI)

Tarheel Native Is Watergate Standout

WASHINGTON, D. C. - A native of Fayetteville, N. C., who is also a registered Democrat is a relatively new face now being seen at the Watergate hearings. He is Albert Bryant, Jr., 27, recently appointed as a research assistant with the U. S. Senate Select Committee on Presidential Campaign Activities. He is the first and only black to work for the committee in a professional capacity.

Sam Ervin, Jr., chairman of (See NATIVE OF, P. 2)



ALBERT BRYANT, JR.

Reelected RCA Head Challenges Members

Following his re-election as president of the civic and politically potent Raleigh-Wake Citizens Association last week, Association President, Ralph Campbell, Sr., released the following statement: "Naturally, I am very pleased that there were those, in sufficient numbers, who believed in the policies and philosophy of leadership I advocate. Simply defined, these policies are working out ways and means calculated to promote, enlarge, expand, and protect the interests of the black citizens of Wake County. True, there were those who felt the time had come for new leadership, a feeling they had every right to espouse.

"However, I can not and will not ever believe that the minority group, who sought such a change, are any degree less dedicated to the welfare and programs of our black citizens because of this belief. I earnestly call for a dedicated and purposeful rededicated unification effort.

"An objective look at the many problems facing all of us should be sufficient to convince every black in Wake County that we can not afford the luxury of division. I am pleading for unity, for understanding, for compassion and for support. I am asking that each of us stand before the mirror of his consciousness, examine the reflection exposed to him and let him satisfy himself whether or not he is satisfied with what his reflection reveals. It is everlasting true that we can not effectively

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Dr. Lyons Elected As NAFEO Head

HOUSTON, Texas - Dr. Charles Lyons, Jr., chancellor, Fayetteville State University, has been named president of the National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education.

Dr. Lyons' election came at the annual meeting of the association in Houston, Texas. He succeeds Dr. Hermon Branson, President of Lincoln University in Pennsylvania.

NAFEO is composed of more than 100 predominantly Black colleges and Universities enrolling over 200,000 students in undergraduate, graduate, and professional schools.

In his acceptance remarks, Dr. Lyons stated that he was gratified at the trust his peers had placed in him and pledged to work to make NAFEO the most viable and forceful association speaking for and about the traditionally Black higher education institutions in the United States.

"These are very crucial times for NAFEO-member institutions and I solicit your cooperation and support as we face, together, the challenges ahead of us in higher education in general and in Black higher education in particular," Dr. Lyons said. "I pledge to you that I will utilize all of the leadership talent we have in this association as we move forward to meet these challenges."

Dr. Lyons has been the chief administrator at Fayetteville State University since 1969. He came to the post from Howard University, where he was Director of Admissions.
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DURHAM - Mrs. Ruby Hurley, director, Southeast Region, NAACP, composed of North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Tennessee, announced from her Atlanta office recently, that the 22nd Annual Convention of the region, which will meet at the Durham Hotel and Motel, March 14-16, will be the most crucial ever held.

The theme of the convention, "Equality and Justice in Another Time of Crisis," will be explored in all its ramifications. More than 500 delegates are expected, due to the need of the organization to implement its program that both the President of the United States and Congress have shifted their interests away from minority rights to such an extent that many forces are attempting to legitimate away some of the gains made in the 60s.

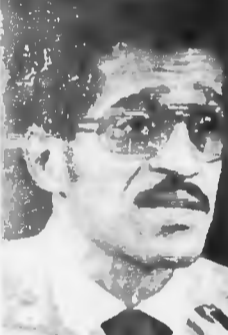
Registration will begin at 8 a.m. Thursday, March 14. The band of Central Orphanage, Oxford, will give a concert, beginning at 9 a.m. The Rev. B. A. Mack, pastor, Morehead

Ex-Athlete Is Given Final Rites

DURHAM - The universal Empire and the eternal Referee called Thomas E. Hayes out at the plate and waved him into his corner, at Watts Hospital, 9:50 a.m. Tuesday, February 19, after a week's illness, bringing an end to a colorful career as a baseball player and prize fighter.

Thomas was born in Raleigh, but spent most of his life here. His mother, the late Bernice Hayes, was a member of a

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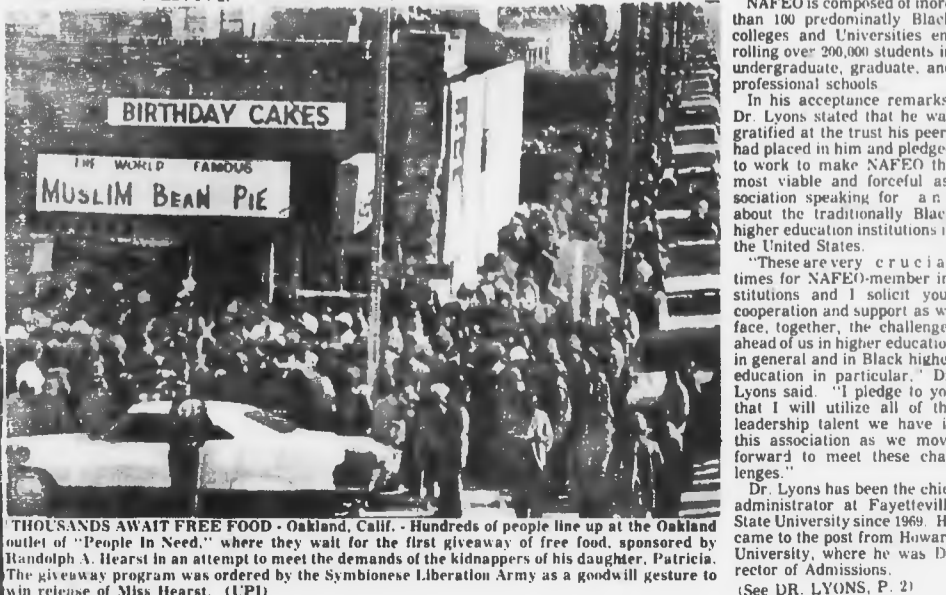
ENTERTAINER HOSPITAL - (ZED) - Miami Beach entertainer Sammy Davis, Jr., suffered chest pains during lunch Feb. 25 and was taken to a hospital where his condition was reported as satisfactory. (UPI)



PROTEST INEQUITIES AT UNIVERSITY - Athens, Ga. - A gathering of some 150 black students protested alleged inequities at the University of Georgia, Tuesday morning, Feb. 26, following a "scuffle" at an intramural basketball game Monday afternoon and presented a list of grievances to Univ. President Fred Davison. Davison met with representatives of the group and announced later that they "came to a good understanding." The students are pressing for equal rights, a black student union, more black administrators and instructors. (UPI)



QUEEN CAN'T VOTE - London - Elizabeth II may be queen, but she can't vote for the man who will run her government. Queen Elizabeth, unlike the lowliest of her subjects, doesn't have the right to vote in the Feb. 28 national elections. Neither has any other member of the Royal Family. The queen is shown walking past native dancers on her arrival at Hubert Murray Stadium here Feb. 26. (UPI)



THOUSANDS AWAIT FREE FOOD - Oakland, Calif. - Hundreds of people line up at the Oakland outlet of "People In Need," where they wait for the first giveaway of free food, sponsored by Randolph A. Hearst in an attempt to meet the demands of the kidnapers of his daughter, Patricia. The giveaway program was ordered by the Symbionese Liberation Army as a goodwill gesture to win release of Miss Hearst. (UPI)