

# Seek Answers To Strengthen Our Industrial World

**QUESTION:** In View Of Rising Costs For Higher Education, And The Demands For Skilled Labor, Is It Unjust To Deny Masses Of Students Diversified Career Skills Or Trades Training In The Public Schools, Beginning (For Guidance Purposes) With The Elementary Schools? Please React In The Affirmative Or Negative.

BY JOHN LEVINGSTON  
Retired Industrial Arts Teacher

All of the children enrolled in the public schools of North Carolina should have an opportunity to prepare to go to college or find something in the work world that will give them a good return for their efforts. As for preparing a graduate of the system for college, the schools are doing a good job. However, the majority of the pupils do not complete the secondary level. Industrial education is offered to the junior and senior high school student. How about grades 1-6? Boys and girls at this level learn quickly and some potential dropouts could become excellent tradesmen. To make the industrial courses more attractive, some changes should be made. It is the custom to send all of the slow learners and troublemakers to the industrial education courses. This practice makes it impossible for the instructors to develop first-class performers in the field. Exposure to the industrial education curriculum in grades 1 through 12 does not guarantee that all of the pupils will become craftsmen. All is not lost, however. In later life, some will be able to use the skills on a hobby and handyman basis.



JOHN LEVINGSTON

## Burt Seeks Council

The campaign for Raleigh City Council positions opened Wednesday when James E. Burt, former chairman of the Raleigh Community Relations Commission, announced his candidacy for the District C council post, now held by Councilman William Knight. During a press conference at the First Cosmopolitan Baptist Church, Burt said he intends to run a vigorous campaign to reach all of the voters in the district.

Burt is a well-known Raleigh native who increased his exposure to the public and politics during 1975-76 when he headed the Raleigh Community Relations Commission (RCRC).

While a student at St. Augustine's College, Burt began his involvement in community affairs of the city as one of the first undergraduate student members of RCRC. After this initial thrust, his involvement reached from Wake-Raleigh Citizens Association to the local government institute.

Upon his graduation from St. Augustine's, the former Ligon High School student assumed his present position as a coordinator of alumni affairs for St. Augustine's College.



GETS STATE SUPREME COURT POST — Sacramento — Gov. Edmund G. Brown, Jr. Saturday appointed the first black to the California Supreme Court, naming Wiley W. Manuel, 49, as Associate Justice. Manuel is an Alameda County Superior Court Judge appointed by Brown in January, 1976. (UPI)

## UNCF's Alumni Body Opens Meet

The National Alumni Council and Pre-Alumni Council of the United Negro College Fund will

hold its 31st annual conference in Raleigh at the Royal Villa Motor Hotel, on February 17-20. Purdie Anders of St. Augustine's College and Thomas E. Kee of Shaw University will act as hosts for the meetings, which are under the auspices of the six member colleges of North Carolina: Shaw University, Saint Augustine's, Johnson C. Smith, Livingstone, Barber-Scott and Bennett College.

This year's theme is "Strategy for Survival: Revitalizing and Mobilizing Our Resources."

The conference will begin with the registration at the Convention Center at 10 a.m. on Thursday, Feb. 17, continuing with an executive session of the NAC and NPAC, a presidents' reception, and the NPAC social hour. Friday's schedule will begin the actual working of the conference with the conference committees and workshops getting down to the business at hand.

The keynote address will be delivered by Dr. Milton Curry, president of the United Negro College Fund, and Ms. Lena M. Sammons, first vice president, NAC, will be the presiding officer. The days' activities will also include a corporate luncheon, with Dr. Roy Hudson, vice-president of the Parke-Davis Company, as the speaker. The evening will be highlighted by the conference ball, with music by "Rebirth."

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JAMES E. BURT

On the issues that he considers central to his success in the District C City Council race, Burt said he will emphasize several concepts that have occupied his attention as a community leader and organizer.

"There are 3 major areas that should demand my attention as I look toward serving on the City Council. These major areas should also claim the attention of everyone in the core area and in Raleigh," he said.

"My first area of concern is jobs for everyone that needs one and is physically able to work. Statistics show that the unemployment among blacks is 5 times higher than the

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# 2 Murders Stun County

Pistols Blaze In Wake As  
Boy, 4, Testifies  
Pair Free On Abuse Rap  
Raleigh, Fuquay Scenes

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By Raleigh Woman

# Cop Attack Claimed

As Woman Of The Year

## Zetas Cite Mrs. Eaton



MRS. MINETTA G. EATON

## Former Principal Honored

Omeron Zeta Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority announced that Mrs. Minetta Gaylor Eaton, veteran educator, has been chosen as the 1976 Woman of the Year for her outstanding services.

Since 1945, Mrs. Eaton has been an outstanding citizen of the Raleigh community, rendering multiple services on the educational, religious, community and civic, on local, regional, state and national levels.

Mrs. Eaton spent many years molding the lives of children of the Raleigh community as a teacher and principal.

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## Warrant Attempt Denied

BY CHARLES R. JONES

A 31-year-old Raleigh woman came into The CAROLINIAN Monday afternoon and declared she was denied assault warrants on two police officers who assaulted her last week as she accompanied a neighbor and his child to Wake Medical Center for treatment of an epileptic condition.

Mrs. Jean Gaines, Central Park Mobile Homes (off Old Garner Road), said Officers M. R. Longmire and A. R. Daniels stopped her at 11:30 p.m. Wednesday, as she travelled north on S. State Street, near its intersection with Peterson. She said Longmire emerged from his marked police vehicle and asked, "What the hell is wrong with you, woman?" as he approached her 1973 Ford Thunderbird.

"The only violation that I knew I might have been guilty of was failing to dim my headlights," Mrs. Gaines told this newsmen. "I then got out of my car to get my CB radio so that my husband (who was not at the scene) could listen at him cursing me," the woman continued.

"When I tried to get to my radio, he (Longmire) attacked me and flipped me onto the ground in the middle of State Street. He held me there and another police car drove up. First, he said he ought to shoot

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DR. PAULI MURRAY

## Woman Priest Hailed

CHAPEL HILL. Many of the reported 600 persons who heard Rev. Dr. Pauli Murray, the first non-white woman to be ordained as a priest in the Episcopal Church, can appreciate the words of Edgar Allen Poe: "Suddenly, I heard a rapping, tapping on my Chamber Door."

Even though it was the first time they heard her in her ecclesiastical role, they will remember her as having lapped on the doors of men's souls with her idealistic preaching, even as a student in Durham's elementary schools, Hillside High, and as the special guest preacher in a local church, twice Sunday.

She began her public life as a writer for The Carolina Times, in the late 20s, even though there was no crystal ball prediction that she would rise to the heights of Christendom in the church where her mother was baptized while yet a slave, she displayed the sternness that characterized her many conferences, consultations, debates and addresses that she attended as she climbed the ladder of success.

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## Judge Issues Ruling

An irate Wake District Court Judge George R. Greene Monday afternoon reluctantly dismissed charges against 32-year-old Joseph Goodson, charged with assault on a minor, after the prosecutor asked that charges be dropped against the mother of a 4-year-old boy whom Goodson is accused of beating earlier this month.

Prosecutor Larry Colbert suggested that the jurist dismiss criminal child neglect action against Ms. Althea Johnson, who allegedly lived with Goodson and her child at 1019 E. Jones Street, because, he indicated he had insufficient evidence to prove that the woman actually knew that her child was receiving a severe

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## Eviction Halted By HUD

National Black News Service WASHINGTON — Housing and Urban Development Secretary Patricia Roberts Harris has directed that no action be taken to evict former homeowners presently occupying properties foreclosed and acquired by HUD.

She has also halted all eviction actions now in process. The order (which went into effect last week) will stand for 3 months while HUD reconsiders the policy now in effect regarding the repurchase of these homes by the occupants.

The 3-month period may be extended or shortened depending on how quickly HUD can come up with an acceptable solution.



HENRY A. PETERSON

...faces murder rap

The shooting took place about 6 p.m. Sunday. According to Raleigh police officers who investigated the shooting at 2609-A Dandridge Drive (in the Biltmore Hills section of the city), the killing occurred over an unnamed girlfriend of one of the parties involved.

An official of the Wake County District Court Clerk's office said Peterson will face a preliminary hearing on March 3 at 9 a.m. on the charge.

Statements from witnesses revealed that Sanders was killed while visiting friends at the Dandridge Drive apartment.

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## Franklin, Wilson Cite St. Aug.'s Aims

Noting the significant change of conditions since Saint Augustine's College was founded in 1867, Dr. John Hope Franklin, professor, department of history, University of Chicago, said that Raleigh was scarcely more than a village, with some 5,000 inhabitants.

## Supports Anti-Jim Crow Bill

Guilford County Sen. Katherine H. Sebo spoke to the Raleigh Community Relations Commission (RCRC) Feb. 8, detailing the history and strategy to pass a measure in the state legislature to enforce prohibitions against discrimination in hiring, firing, promotion, etc., with regard to race, sex, religion and age. The RCRC voted to ask the Raleigh City Council to support the measure which is expected to be introduced into the General Assembly soon.

A legislative research commission studying sex discrimination laws, recommended recently to the General Assembly passage of the measure which would be administered by a Fair Employment Practices Commission. The study commission did not make recommendations as to which state agency should enforce the law. Sebo did not indicate a

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## Showdown Seen In Congress

National Black News Service WASHINGTON — The author of the Hawkins-Humphrey Full Employment Bill recently predicted that President Carter and the Democratic Congress are headed for a "showdown" over aid to the ailing economy, which will result in some of the President's advisors being "unrocked." Representative Augustus Hawkins (D-Calif.) made the statement on "America's Black Forum," the first nationally syndicated black news interview program on commercial television.

The black lawmaker said President Carter is "getting some very hum advice from some of the old reactionary economists around him." He continued, "I think there are some economic advisors around the President who believe that doing business as it was done during the last 8 years is sufficient...and I

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## Two Men Appreciation Winners

Johnnie Lee Harris, of 2116 Gilliam Ln., was the winner of last week's Appreciation Money. Before the deadline at noon Monday, Harris reported to The CAROLINIAN that he had found his name listed in the Be a Hiver advertisement on the Appreciation Money Page. He received a check for \$10.

The name of Benjamin Morgan, 619 Chamberlain St., was listed in the Liles Shoes advertisement. He also claimed his \$10 check. Otis Cotten of 219 E. South Sr. was listed in

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## NAACP To Meet Sun.

The Raleigh-Apex Chapter of the NAACP will meet Sunday, Feb. 20, at 4 p.m. at RICH Park in Method. The executive board meets at 3 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

Appreciation Money SPOTLIGHT THIS WEEK RALEIGH FCX SERVICE "FOR YOUR LAWN AND GARDEN NEEDS"



THEY HAVE NO ENERGY PROBLEMS — Bartlow, Va. — The nation's energy problems aren't affecting Roosevelt and Angeline Johnson or their neighbors...they have always burned wood to keep warm, and there's plenty of that around Bartlow. Progress in heating and cooking with natural gas or electricity hasn't found its way into the shanties in their neighborhood, as they have rejected the modernization in favor of Home Comfort wood burning stoves and Ashley wood-fueled heaters. (UPI)