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Boy, 10, Safe, But

Woman Held In Kidnap In Ga.

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Dinner Planned

YMCA To Honor Raiford

Raleigh Resident Caught

A 32-year-old Raleigh woman, who formerly drove a taxicab, has been charged with kidnaping a 10-year-old Pennsylvania boy. Following a high-speed chase, Mrs. Eloise Shaw, 729 Fitzgerald Drive (Biltmore Hills) was captured Sunday afternoon, following a 4-car collision. The arrest took place in New Castle County, Delaware. Police in Pennsylvania charged Mrs. Shaw with the Sunday afternoon kidnaping of Christopher Lawrence of Chester, Pa. The child was allegedly taken at gunpoint from a vacant lot, where he was playing with some other children.



CHAT AT DINNER — Lansing, Mich.: United States U. N. Ambassador Andrew Young (R) chats with Edward Olu Sann (C), the U. N. Ambassador from Nigeria, prior to an Urban League dinner April 12. Young, speaking on communism, said it would not be able to survive in Africa if racism is eliminated. He said, "The Soviet role has been destructive, but feeling is that everywhere the Russians have gone when they have been left alone, they've messed up." (UPI)

Sanders' Position Is Told

Vowing to "appeal my one-day suspension last week as far as I can take it," black Raleigh police officer Marvin Sanders began his legal process Monday. He was suspended by a superior officer for allegedly harassing a white woman, the wife of a city official.

The white woman involved in the case is Mrs. Vicki Baker, wife of Gary Baker, director of the parking violations bureau for the City of Raleigh. Police officials were accused Monday by Sanders of "covering up for this lady because her husband holds a management position with the city. I was reprimanded because she is Mr. Baker's wife and she is white," he continued.

Sanders' department supervisor, Major Willard Bunn, has denied that race was involved in the disposition of the case. "He (Sanders) abused his authority to try and find a citation for Mrs. Baker because he got irritated at her," Bunn declared.

Sanders, who was on special assignment with the city's police department, has been reduced in rank to patrolman. However, his salary remains the same. Major Bunn said Officer Sanders double-parked his patrol car on Hargett Street on Feb. 25 to get something out of his personal automobile, which was parked on the street. He also said the car blocked one lane of traffic and several (See COP TO, P. 2)

Oven Is Blamed In Fire

Extensive damage was done to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence C. Rivers, 167 E. Martin Street around 10:15 p.m. Saturday, when a fire damaged two rooms and penetrated the roof, according to district fire chief W. R. Mabrey. The cause of the fire was believed to have been a heated stove in the kitchen. The fire spread to the family room and (See OVEN IS, P. 2)

ATLANTA, Ga. — More than 3,000 persons marched through downtown Atlanta as a part of "a witness against executions" to the Georgia Capitol to hear several speakers and entertainers here last Saturday morning. One by one, the witnesses, all civil rights veterans, spoke out, each with a message that electrified those who listened just a few feet from a statue of 19th century populist Thomas Watson. "Georgia has executed more people than any other state in the nation," said Dr. Ralph David Abernathy, president emeritus of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference. He continued to attack a notion held by many in the U.S. that execution "will deter crime, saying, "we cannot correct crimes of homicide and killings through capital punishment. We come closer to correcting crime and homicide by providing jobs and income." He further criticized the armed race and the race to explore and settle outer space saying, "We need to stop wasting our money on the arms race and sending individuals to the moon and mars. We haven't learned as yet how to live down on this earth."

Ramsey Clark, the first U.S. Attorney General to oppose capital punishment while in (See DEMONSTRATE, P. 2)

Carter's CR Stand Is Hit National Black News Service WASHINGTON — The general counsel for the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights says the Carter Administration has been "disappointing, in the civil rights field" but is full of "wonderful young people" at the lower levels. Joseph Rauh told broadcast interviewers "the question is whether these wonderful young people, many (See CARTER'S, P. 2)

Award To Wilkins Set

NEW YORK — Roy Wilkins, retiring executive director of the NAACP, has been named to receive the Volunteers of America's 1977 Bollington and Maud Booth Award, in recognition of his nearly half-century of work in behalf of civil rights. The award will be presented to Mr. Wilkins at the 81st annual Grand Field Council of the Volunteers of America in Denver on May 2nd. The Volunteers of America is a religious social welfare organization founded in 1896 by General Bollington Booth and General Maud Booth. Its purpose is to extend spiritual and material aid to those in need, regardless of race, creed or color. VOA's commander-in-chief, General John F. McMahon, will make the presentation to Mr. Wilkins. The award will carry the following citation: "In grateful recognition of his dedicated service to his fellow Americans, his leadership in social causes and his humanitarian devotion to all mankind."

NAACP TO MEET

The Raleigh-Apex Chapter of the NAACP will meet Sunday, April 17 at RICH Park in Method at 4 p.m. The public is invited to attend. The Rev. Dr. Charles W. Ward is president of the Raleigh-Apex chapter.

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TAR HEEL DELEGATION MARCHES — This is the North Carolina delegation attending the "Witness Against Executions March" in Atlanta, Ga. last Saturday. At left in the dark suit is William Glemer of Fayetteville. At center, carrying North Carolina banner, is John Stroman of Durham. (See story)



CLEVER COMMENTS ON FAITH — Portland, Oregon. When asked here last week if her conversion to Christianity isn't an effort to stay out of jail, former Black Panther leader Eldridge Cleaver said that "people didn't believe Jesus Christ, either." (UPI)

Rowan To FSU For Celebration

FAYETTEVILLE — A nationally renowned journalist, who was the first black American to sit with the President's Cabinet and the U. S. National Security Council will be the featured guest speaker at Fayetteville State University's 100th Anniversary Founder's Day Ceremonies on Sunday, April 17, at 2:30 p.m., in the J. W. Seabrook Auditorium.

The speaker is Carl Rowan. A native of McMinnville, Ten. Rowan will be introduced by Dr. Charles Lyons, Jr., chancellor of the second oldest (founded in 1877) state-supported school in the state of North Carolina. Rowan is considered one of the most sought-after lecturers in the United States and is probably read, seen and heard by more Americans than almost any other journalist in the land. While a freshman at Tennessee State College in Nashville, he took a nationally-competitive examination that led to his becoming one of the first 15 blacks in U. S. history to attain commissioned officer rank in the Navy.

After World War II, he received a bachelor's degree in mathematics from Oberlin College and then a master's degree in journalism from the University of Minnesota, which has given him its "distinguished achievement award." From 1964-65, when he was director of the United States Information Agency in the administration of Lyndon B. Johnson, Rowan became the first black American to sit with the President's Cabinet and (See CARL ROWAN, P. 2)

R-WCA Take Force Committee To Study School Board Hearings

Ralph Campbell, Sr., president of the Raleigh-Wake Citizens Association, (RWCA) has selected an Education Task Force committee of black citizens to study and make presentations to the Wake County School Board public hearings to be held April 19, Millbrook High School, April 20, Garner High School; April 21, Enloe High; April 22, Cary High School. All meetings are scheduled for 7:30 p.m.

R-WCA believes that the black community should take advantage of these opportunities to express its opinions regarding the crucial issue of mass busing of its young children to distant schools in Wake County System. The co-chairpersons of the Task Force Committee of R-WCA Father Arthur J. Calloway and George Spaulding. Support of this Task Force is requested of all churches in Wake County, all civic and fraternal organizations in Wake County. The general public is urged to attend one or all of these meetings and express your concerns to the New Pupil Assignment Plan and Busing of your children. (See APPRECIATION, P. 2)

Gov. Vetoes King Holiday Bill

National Black News Service RICHMOND, Va. — Virginia Governor Mills E. Godwin recently vetoed a bill that would have made Jan. 15 a state holiday honoring slain civil rights leader Martin Luther King, Jr., saying he believes the state already has enough legal holidays. While calling King "certainly a great leader who accomplished much in his lifetime," Godwin added that racial feelings had nothing to do with his decision. Democratic Sen. Douglas Wilder of Richmond, the bill's sponsor and the state Senate's only black member, called Godwin's veto "a racist act." However, John Robinson, the black director of the Martin Luther King Community Center in South Arlington, said, "I'm not really hung up on it. I would love to have seen it, but knowing Gov. Godwin, I expected a veto. There are more important problems facing the state...like high utility bills, fighting VEPCO (Virginia Electric Power Company)...and tax rates. The rich are getting richer." Senate Democratic Majority Leader Adalard Brault said, "I think the reasons why he vetoed the King holiday are very sound. But the thing he ignored was that this was a bill that passed both houses by a very wide margin. I think it's wrong to veto a bill of that kind." Del. Richard Hobson, another Democrat, noted that when Godwin ran as a Democrat in 1975, "he got elected with great support from the black community. I think he has turned his back on that support."

No Bond Allowed For '10'

WILMINGTON — Superior Court Judge Russell Lanier on Tuesday denied motions for bail for the Wilmington 10 so they could be free while the Pender County Court begins consideration of recent recantations of state witnesses and request for new trials for the civil rights activists.

When post conviction hearing begins on May 9 in Burgaw, 9 of the Wilmington 10 remaining in North Carolina prisons, will not have been able to confer jointly with their lawyers to prepare their case. Attorney James Ferguson told Lanier that unless he was able to get the Wilmington 10 free on bail that unusual circumstances would lessen the effectiveness of their representation. He said that all of the Wilmington 10 are scattered in separate prisons across the state and to confer with them once would require driving more than 1,000 miles.

Ferguson also argued that the recantation of Allen Hall last October, the recantation of Jerome Mitchell in February, and the newly discovered 1974 recantation of Eric Jomious plus the 4,400 page proceeding (See NO BOND, P. 2)

Employment Practices Bill Seen

State enforcement of an Equal Employment Practices Act is proposed in legislation filed in the General Assembly by black Rep. H. M. Michaux and Sen. Kathy Sebo. Michaux and Sebo explained the legislation at a legislative seminar of the N. C. Association of Human Rights Officials last week. Patterned after the federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) enforcement of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, employment based on sex, national origin, race, religion and age would be prohibited.

A Division of Equal Opportunity would be established within the Department of Administration to investigate, conciliate and make settlements to compensate for discrimination. All complaints made to the Division would be under the director of the North Carolina Human Relations Commission. Complaints of discrimination would be investigated within 90 days. After complaint investigation had been completed the Division would make a finding of whether "reasonable cause" exists to believe discrimination occurred or was occurring. At (See EMPLOYMENT, P. 2)



TO GIVE BIRTH IN FALL — Hollywood — Singer Natalie Cole, daughter of Nat (King) Cole, is expected to give birth next fall. Her husband is composer-producer Marvin Yancey. (UPI)

Morris To Take Over New Post

NEW YORK, N. Y. — William R. Morris, for nine years the National Director of Housing for NAACP, has resigned that post to accept a new job in the housing field. On May 2, Morris, who has also been executive director of the NAACP's National Housing Corporation, will become consultant to the president and chairman of the Federal National Mortgage Association in Washington, D. C. In accepting Mr. Morris' resignation, Gloster Current, NAACP administrator, credited him with having "significantly developed and expanded our housing program, despite limited resources and staff assistance."

"Your expertise and technical skills have helped make it possible for NAACP units in various parts of the country to open new housing units for our minority," Current said. "Your departure represents a great loss to the Association." Mr. Morris, who has been involved in civil rights and community development (See MORRIS, P. 2)

J. Bond Comments On Hooks

Editor's Note: The following is a commentary by Georgia State Legislator Julian Bond on the NAACP. It will be broadcast as part of the next edition of Black Journal, "The New Warrior: Can Benjamin Hooks Save the NAACP?" which will be distributed nationally by the Public Broadcasting Service to (See J. BOND, P. 2)

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ERNEST L. RAIFORD is honored at a retirement recognition dinner at the Martin Luther King Student Union, St. Augustine's College, Thursday, April 21, 7:30 p.m., it has been announced by Dr. Nelson H. Harris, chairman of the YMCA Board of Management.

The board committee in charge of arrangements is composed of A. J. Turner, chairman, James E. Byers, J. E. Wilson, Dr. Wiley Davis, Bruce Hargrove, Lawrence Dickens, Cecil H. Flagg and W. W. Hurdle. Special out-of-town guests expected to attend and participate on the program include Jesse N. Alexander, chairman of the National Board of YMCAs, Division of Human Rights, of New York and Earl (See RAIFORD TO, P. 2)



TOP ADVERTISERS GET NNPA AWARDS — General Motors, Phillip Morris, Ford Motor Company, American Tobacco Company, and General Foods, the top five national advertisers in the Black Press in 1976, received Affirmative Action Advertising Awards from the National Newspaper Publishers Association (NNPA) during its recent sequential Observance in Washington at the International Inn. Their total investment in reaching black consumers through the Black Press was placed at nearly \$3 million by Amalgamated Publishers, Inc., a black advertising agency. Representatives of these top advertisers are shown above with their AAAA plaques of laminated Black Press mastheads. Left-to-right: James Bowling, senior vice president of Phillip Morris; Lee A. Archer, equal opportunity officer for General Foods; Levi Jackson, urban affairs director, Ford Motor Co.; Dr. Gloria F. A. Tootle, former assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, received a plaque for her equal opportunity work with that agency; Jarred Finney, assistant advertising manager of General Motors; Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett, NNPA president; John W. Edgill, national sales manager, American Tobacco Co.; and William G. Moore, advertising director of American Tobacco Co. Award participants not shown were: Peter DeLuca, vice president and general counsel of General Foods; Ms. Ethel Moore, assistant sales manager of Amalgamated Publishers, Inc., who served as mistress of ceremonies; and Jerrel W. Jones, NNPA first vice president and publisher of the Milwaukee Courier and the Milwaukee Star, who presided.