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ESCORTED TO PLUSH PARTY — Minneapolis — Carrying their champagne up the stairway with luggage, retired skycap Sol Hughes, Sr., escorts Ms. Lillian Warren to a plush party here May 23, given by a local millionaire for 29 skycaps and their families, for what be called "The greatest group of skycaps in the world." (UPI)

One-Day Suspension Is Overruled, But

Black Cop Appeals Case

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At "Freedom Rally" Here

NAACP Raises $46,000

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Raleigh Woman Alleged Victim As Local

Man Held In Rape

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Sewage Backup Cited Here

'House Ruined:' Tenant

Sanders Going To The CSC

Raleigh police officer Marvin Sanders has appealed to the Civil Service Commission a ruling of City Manager L. F. Zachary. The city manager's compromise ruling last week upheld part of a March 25 disciplinary action against Sanders by Raleigh Police Chief Robert E. Goodwin.

Goodwin allegedly decided that Sanders had harassed a white motorist, Mrs. Vickie Baker and disciplined the black officer with a day's suspension without pay and transferred him from a public relations office job to regular patrol duty.

Zachary said in a letter to Sanders on May 17, 1977, "I do not believe the charge of harassment was substantiated." In February, Ms. Vickie Baker made the charge to the Internal Relations Unit which subsequently found that Sanders had harassed her. Sanders appealed to Capt. R. T. Justice and Major H. W. Bunn, who upheld the IRU's decision; and finally to Chief Goodwin, who

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Shaw Announces Tupper Banquet

On June 3 at 7 p.m., the Shaw Divinity School trustees will sponsor a banquet as a memorial to the late Dr. Henry Martin Tupper, founder of Shaw University and the Shaw Divinity School. The banquet will be held in the Student Union Building.

The trustees, their wives, alumni and many friends are expected to attend. Two hundred people are expected to be present to pay tribute to the memory of this leader who arrived in Raleigh with Mrs Tupper on Oct. 10, 1865, possessed with the conviction that God wanted him to provide educational opportunity for former slaves. On Dec. 1, 1865, Tupper gathered his first class in theology together Out of this effort has come what is now Shaw University and the Shaw Divinity School.

The guest speaker for this occasion will be Dr. Thomas Kilgore, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, Los Angeles, Calif. Dr. Kilgore is a native of North Carolina, graduate of

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Minority Seminar Thursday

FORT BRAGG — Minority businessmen and small businessmen can learn how to sell their products to the military and government during a seminar May 26 at Fort Bragg.

The seminar is being sponsored by the State Office of Minority Business Enterprise and Fort Bragg, Camp Lejeune, Seymour Johnson AFB, Pope AFB, and Cherry Point Marine Corps. The seminar will be at Fort Bragg Officers' Club.

Donald Rellins, small business advisor in the Office of the Secretary of the Air Force, will be the keynote speaker. In the afternoon, representatives of the military bases in North Carolina and several government agencies will participate in a panel discussion and answer questions from those attending the seminar.

The only cost is $4.25 for the luncheon. Additional information is available from: Walter H. Warfel, Chief, Procurement Division, Drawer E, Fort Bragg, N.C. 28307 (919) 396-0706.

Cacus Demands Apology

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The Congressional Black Caucus last week demanded a full investigation of the "racist remarks" which a Republican Congressman is alleged to have made while discussing the investigation into the assassination of civil rights leader Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Congressman Parren J. Mitchell, chairman of the caucus, asked for the investigation in a letter to John J. Rhodes, minority leader in the United States House of Representatives

Syndicated columnist Jack Anderson recently reported that John Ashbrook, a Republican Congressman from Johnston, Ohio, objected to the Capitol Hill probe into the assassination of the slain Nobel Peace Prize winner, and reportedly said that he believed that time and money should not be wasted "investigating the murder of some nigger." The caucus letter indicated that this alleged racial slur by a public official must be investigated to determine the true facts.

The Congressional Black Caucus, whose membership includes Cleveland Democrat Louis Stokes, House Assassinations Committee chairman and District of Columbia delegate Walter Fauntroy, chairman of the Assassinations sub-committee investigating Dr. King's death, strongly urged the House Republic party leadership to release the results of its investigation. When the report is released, the caucus further stated.

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DR. DANIEL D. GODFREY

Godfrey In NC Ag Position

Dr. Daniel D. Godfrey has been promoted to assistant director of the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service.

He will fill the vacancy created by the retirement of R. E. Jones, who served the organization for more than 40 years.

Godfrey's promotion was announced by the chancellors of the state's two land-grant universities, Dr. Joab L. Thomas of North Carolina State University, and Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy of North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University. These universities are respon-

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Dr. Fields Resigns As Acting Shaw President

Dr. Richard Fields, acting president of Shaw University since June of 1976, announced his resignation from that position on Tuesday.

Fields said that his resignation was for personal reasons and he had made no immediate plans for the future. He said that his resignation had been accepted by the board of trustees of Shaw, effective June 30.

The chairman of the board, the Rev. Dr. Otha L. Sherrill, expressed gratitude for Dr. Fields' service in the acting position.

The 52-year-old Dr. Fields was planning director at A&T Stat University, Greensboro, from 1972 until he was appointed to the Shaw position. Prior to that, he was dean of academic affairs at Fayetteville State University and had taught at Bennett College, also in Greensboro.

The Brooklyn, N. Y. native received his bachelor's degree at Virginia State College, a master's from New York University and the doctorate from Ratgers.

2 Blind Persons Sue Pair

WINSTON-SALEM — Two white Forsyth County magistrates here are being sued by a black man and a white woman, both of whom are blind, because they refused to marry them, the federal suit alleges.

The suit was filed Friday in Greensboro by the County Legal Aid Society on behalf of Thomas Roger Person, 26, and Ms. Carol Ann Figueroa, 25, charging that Magistrates J. C. Lewter and Harold Thomerson

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SRC Raps Policies Of USDA

ATLANTA — U.S. Department of Agriculture policies favoring large-scale farm production over small farmers have driven the poor from rural areas and have done nothing to prepare them for other employment, states a report released Monday by the Southern Regional Council (SRC).

"One of the greatest tragedies in the past several decades," according to Status and Prospects of Small Farmers in the South, "was the large-scale displacement from agriculture of people ill-prepared by education, training, or experience for nonfarm jobs. Clearly this has resulted

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Kidnap'g Is Also Charged

A 23-year-old Raleigh man is being held without bond in the Wake County Jail, charged with the alleged kidnaping and rape Sunday of a Bloodworth Street woman, Phillip M. Sanders of 1738 Proctor Road (Southgate Apartments), was picked up at his home Monday. The alleged victim was Ms. Gloria Ann Johnson, of 9 N. Bloodworth St.

An all-night Sunday investigation by the Wake County Sheriff's Department and Raleigh police led to Sanders' arrest.

Sanders is reported to have forced Ms. Johnson into his car on a downtown street at about 7:10 p.m. Sunday. He is then said to have taken her to a rural section of the county and to have raped her.

PHILLIP M. SANDERS

Aside from first-degree rape and kidnaping, the warrant also charges that Sanders threatened the woman with a weapon, according to Deputy P. L. Womble, who also added that investigators did not think Sanders had a gun.

Police and deputies were informed of the incident at 9 p.m. Sunday.

According to Deputy Womble, Sanders apparently did not know the woman prior to the incident.

As late as Tuesday of this week, no date had been set for a preliminary hearing on the charges in Wake District Court.

Durham's NAACP Is Winner

About 50 mothers came to Raleigh Sunday and reported more than $46,000 at the annual "Freedom Fund," staged by the N. C. State Conference of NAACP Branches, held at the Raleigh Memorial Auditorium. The program got underway at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. Davesene W. Spellman, Durham, reported the sum of $9,000, which represents the largest sum ever reported, making Durham the winner in the big city bracket for the sixth time in seven years. However, the runner-up, Winston-Salem, reported $1,500.

The big upset was the fact that the Burgaw-Holley Branch

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CLEANING UP SEWAGE OVERFLOW — Ms. Alma Beck and her daughter of 1820 Cantwell Court, are shown cleaning up the sewage backup that overflowed into her apartment on three different occasions, twice last weekend and again on Monday. See story. (Staff Photo).

Ms. Beck Describes Troubles

BY CHARLES R. JONES

Mrs. Alma Beck of 1820 Cantwell Court in the federally-subsidized Raleigh North Apartments, is an angry young woman. She came into the office of The CAROLINIAN Tuesday afternoon and related a tale of sewage coming into her kitchen from other apartments in the complex at least on three occasion, the first of which took place Friday afternoon.

Ms. Beck, who moved into the apartment in August of 1976, said the first backup occurred about 4 or 5 p.m. Friday.

"I had never had this happen to me before and I was very surprised and mad to see all of that human waste, including bathroom tissue, coming up through my kitchen sink. It also came out of the outlet where my washing machine is.

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Closings Of Schools Eyed

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The District of Columbia school administration, faced with a continuing decline in the city's school enrollment, has recommended the closing of 8 school buildings in the city.

The proposal, bared by School Supt. Vincent E. Reed during a recent congressional hearing, would result in the elimination of two elementary schools, four special education schools and two other school buildings now used for administrative offices.

Boycott Set In N. Hanover

A boycott of white merchants in Wilmington, letterwriting and petitioning campaigns to Gov. James B. Hunt, and demonstrations and marches have been announced by supporters of the Wilmington 10 to build the pressure to free the Wilmington 10. The step up in activity follows a denial of a new trial for the Wilmington 10 by Special Superior Court Judge George Fountain.

The Wilmington boycott, although eventually to include all white merchants in the town is scheduled to begin with relatives of former New Hanover Prosecutor Jay Stroud. Zora's Fish Market, located in the town's black ghetto, is run by Stroud's great aunt, who insists she is only a distant relative. Her business, which has been operated for 22 years in the black community, is reportedly one of the targets of the boycott.

Kojo Natambu, a boycott leader, said Stroud's family

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Editorial Could Keep Blacks Off UNC Board, Says Writer

BY JAMES AUGUSTUS SHEPARD

(Editor's Note: We present our readers an editorial signed by 17 N.C. dailies, including the Raleigh News & Observer, the Raleigh Times, and one Virginia daily, the Norfolk, Virginia Pilot, that if adopted, would, or could, result in the elimination of black representation on the University of North Carolina Board of Governors.)

This vicious, anti-black editorial reads as follows:

"UNC'S QUOTA SYSTEM"

"Under North Carolina law, precisely one-eighth of the membership of the University of North Carolina board of governors must be members of 'a minority race' and thereby hangs a lawsuit. The suit has been brought by state Rep.J. Reid Poovey of Hickory and others, with assistance from the North Carolina Fund for Individual Rights. Power to them.

"As fair-minded men must recognize, this quota provision flies in the face of the 'equal protection' clause, to say nothing of the 1964 Civil Rights Act. It became a part of the General Statutes of this state

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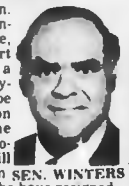
Sen. Winters, Others Okayed For Utilities

Gov. James B. Hunt, Jr.'s five nominees for the State Utilities Commission gained approval last Thursday from the General Assembly.



SEN. WINTERS

State Sen. John W. Winters, D-Wake, and Dr. Robert Fischbaub, a Charlotte physicist, will be sworn in on July 1. The other three nominees will fill terms of commissioners who have resigned. The three newly-nominated persons are Robert Kroger, Raleigh; Leigh Hammond, economics professor at N.C. State University; and Ms. Sarah Lindsay Tate, Raleigh lawyer.

The five nominees underwent intensive questioning by Senate and House utilities committees. The only negative vote on confirmation of the five was cast by Rep. Fred Dorsey, R-Henderson.

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Appreciation Feature Has Two Winners

Two CAROLINIAN readers won last week's Appreciation Money after they reported to The CAROLINIAN office that they had found their names in the advertisements on the Appreciation Money page.

Henry Reddick, of 440 Peyton St., received a $10 check after he reported that he had found his name in the advertisement for Baker's Shoe Store, 110 E.

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

IT'S NOW "DR. BILL COSBY" — Amherst, Mass. — Comedian Bill Cosby (R) shakes hands with Univ. of Massachusetts Chancellor Randolph W. Bromery (L) after receiving his Doctor of Education degree during graduation exercises May 21. Cosby, who has won four Emmy Awards and six Grammy awards, said his degree "is more important." (UPI)

LEADS RALLY AFTER NEW TRIAL DENIED — Burgaw, N.C. — Damu Smith, Washington, D.C., leads a rally on the steps of the Pender Co. Courthouse attended by Mrs. Elizabeth Chavis (L) mother of Rev. Ben Chavis, after Judge George Fountain denied a motion for a new trial for the Wilmington Ten May 20. Smith is a spokesman for the 10's National Defense Committee. (UPI) sister Helen S. Behind them are Dr. G. L. Kates and Mary Shelton, assistant director of pediatric