

HAPPY NEW YEAR!



HELD IN 'COPYCAT KILLINGS' — Los Angeles — Los Angeles Police homicide investigators escort Stephen Devazin, 40 (C), from his apartment after he was picked up Dec. 26. Devazin and Thomas Davis, 21, have been arrested on suspicion they strangled two women in "copycat killings" inspired by the Hillside Strangler or deliberately disguised as his work to confuse investigators. They were held on suspicion of murder in the deaths of Paula Glen Ward, 18, and Carolyn Tanya Williams, 21, both found strangled Dec. 21. (UPI)

'Ten Case Hurts Nation Overseas'

WASHINGTON, D. C. — policy, "but lingering suspicions in the case of the Wilmington Ten has caused much consternation overseas."

Women, Blacks May Lose

National Black News Service
WASHINGTON, D. C. — The People's Republic of China was cited recently as a key offender in the loss of hundreds of American jobs in the domestic work glove industry. The vast majority of employees are women and blacks, according to a study.

The PRC, which accounts for some 20 percent of all cotton work gloves imported into the United States and nearly 30 percent of one category, was named in the first petition ever filed under Section 406 of the 1974 Trade Act. This (See WOMEN AND, P. 2)



FEMINIST IS 'VERY UPSET' — Kingston, Jamaica — Beverley Manley is a Jamaica feminist who says she is "very upset" that there are no women in the cabinet of her husband, the island's prime minister, and that only one of the country's council of ministers is a woman. The 36-year-old former model points out that the priorities of women in her country are different because two-thirds of all households on the island are headed by women. Mrs. Manley says getting work for any kind of pay for the women of Jamaica is her number one priority. (UPI)

Black Press Workshop To Talk Unemployment

WASHINGTON, D. C. — "Ways of Solving the Unemployment Problem" will be discussed by experts at the National Newspaper Publishers Association (NNPA) mid-winter workshop, Jan. 11-14 in Miami at the Omni International Hotel, Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett, NNPA president announced last week.

The experts who will participate in a luncheon symposium on the critical unemployment problem among blacks on Friday, Jan. 13, are Assistant Secretary of Labor Ernest G. Green, one of the Little Rock nine; and Equal Employment Opportunity Commission chairman Eleanor Holmes Norton.

They will be preceded on Jan. 12 by Congressman Augustus F. Hawkins of California, co-sponsor of the Humphrey-Hawkins Full Employment and Balanced Growth Bill, who will discuss his proposed legislation and its chances of becoming law.

Secretary of the Army Clifford L. Alexander, Jr., will address the workshop on Friday evening, Jan. 13, giving an overview of the manpower needs of the military. Black adult unemployment stands at more than 13 percent, and teenagers, at nearly 40 percent.

In addition to those who will discuss manpower and unemployment, others will focus on the immediate problems of the Black Press. E. Daniel Capell, vice president and circulation director of Newsweek Magazine, will discuss the whole range of circulation problems. Joining Capell will be: John (See UNEMPLOYMENT, P. 2)



N.C. HOME CONSUMED BY FIRE — Boone, N.C. — Boone firemen were hampered in fighting this house fire Dec. 27 some 8 miles from Boone by a shortage of water in 10 degree weather. The home of Mrs. Jean Keller was consumed by flames, and Mr. Raymond Day, Mrs. Keller's father, is in satisfactory condition at the Watauga County Hospital, where he is being treated for burns received in the fire. Firemen had to refill their tanks from one mile away. (UPI)

Jackson Asks Jails Probe

Cites 'Furloughs' For Former Politicians

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Raleigh Police Say

Woman Raped, Slain

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Bullet Lodges Near Brother's Heart - Sister

Jailed In Shooting

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Says Money Reason For Claim

Not Pregnant: J. Little

Raleigh Man Is Critical

Simon Alonzo Taylor, 36, is in the intensive care section of Wake Medical Center suffering from a bullet wound just below his heart. His sister, Mrs. Anna Faison Lyons, 900 Harp Terrace in Halifax Court, has been charged with assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill, after allegedly shooting her brother with a .32 calibre pistol after an argument at her house. Taylor, whose address as of May of this year was 815 E. Hargett St., here in Raleigh, was a musician. He played the piano at Gethsemane True Vine Holiness Church, 700 block of E. Martin St., for several years.

When contacted early Wednesday of this week, Mr. Taylor's condition was listed as "critical" by officials at the medical facility, where he was admitted about 7:30 p.m. Christmas Day. He is said to have reported the shooting to police, and was then rushed to Wake Medical Center.

According to police, the gun used in the shooting belonged to Mrs. Lyons, who was arrested and placed in Wake County Jail under a bond of \$1,500.

Detective Lt. E.C. Winston, who is handling the investigation, said "We do not know what the argument was about. We have not interviewed Taylor yet since he is in intensive care at Wake, so we do not have his statement." (See JAILED IN, P. 2)

AME Zion Bishops To Convene

ST. LOUIS, Mo. — Dr. R.L. Fisher, pastor of Washington Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church at Garrison and Lucas Streets, announced recently that St. Louis is ready for the annual meeting of the Church Board of Bishops, Jan. 4-6.

The twelve prelates will review reports of the twelve general officers and the executive committee of the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society during the 3-day meet. The sessions will be held at the church and will be presided over by Bishop Herbert Bell Shaw, of Wilmington, N.C., who is the (See AME ZION, P. 2)



SIMON A. TAYLOR



MS. JOANNE LITTLE

Female, 75, Rape And Murder Victim

A 75-year-old Raleigh woman, believed to have died of natural causes, was raped and strangled to death, Raleigh police officials reported this week.

Police Chief Robert E. Goodwin said foul play was suspected in the death of Mrs. Alma Evans Jones of 1426 Sawyer Lane, after his department received a report from the state medical examiner Tuesday.

A relative found the body about 9:45 a.m. on Christmas Eve in the hallway of her home.

Detective Sgt. R.D. Williams said Mrs. Jones, who lived alone, was raped and strangled (See AIRCRAFT, P. 2)

Gala Banquet Planned For Annual Meeting Of NAACP

NEW YORK, N.Y. — With high drama befitting the launching of a new historical era, New York City branches will celebrate the start of Benjamin Hooks' first full year as NAACP executive director by helping to sponsor a massive banquet during the annual meeting weekend. Some 2,000 people from across the country are expected to fill the New York Hilton Grand Ballroom on Sunday night. Signifying their honored role.

Appreciation Check Claimed By Lady Here

Mrs. Gladys McCarter, of 824 E. Lenoir St., was the winner of a \$10 check last week after she reported that she had found her name listed in the Natural Health Foods advertisement on the back of the front section of the newspaper. (See APPRECIATION, P. 2)

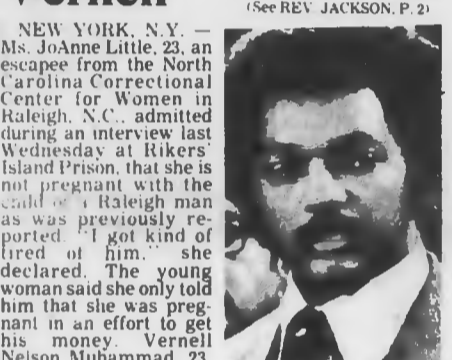
Telegram Sent To President

CHICAGO, Ill. — The Rev. Jesse L. Jackson, executive director of People United To Save Humanity (PUSH) has called for a national investigation of human rights violations and abuses against inmates in jails and for training to give prisoners the skills they need to hold jobs after their release.

Rev. Jackson issued the call last weekend on the sixth anniversary of Operation PUSH. He said that he has sent a telegram to President Jimmy Carter, requesting an investigation of the human rights denied American prisoners.

He said, "So far, Carter has made a big international splash trying to free Russian prisoners, but right here, young men by the thousands are languishing in jails, unable to afford bail or lawyers and unable to get speedy trials."

According to Jackson, 400,000 persons are behind bars in U. S. jails and 70 to 80 percent of them are black or brown. "A great percentage are poor and young," he stated. "There is some indication of racism and perhaps classism as well in the judicial system." (See REV. JACKSON, P. 2)



REV. JESSE L. JACKSON

Ag. Dept. Official Honored

WASHINGTON, D. C. — A committee of 100 friends gave a reception last week for Dr. Joan Scott Wallace following her swearing in as the first black assistant secretary of Agriculture.

Dr. Wallace, who has wide experience in education and social work, will serve as Administrative Assistant Secretary, having general surveillance over such staff agencies of the Department as the Offices of Personnel, Information and Plant and Operations.

During the swearing-in ceremony, Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland called the appointment of Dr. Wallace a (See AG. DEPT., P. 2)

Question Sale Of Aircraft

National Black News Service PHILADELPHIA, Pa. — The American Friends Service Committee called recently for an investigation by the Carter Administration into alleged sale of U.S.-designed Cessna 337 military aircraft to Rhodesia. (See AIRCRAFT, P. 2)

New York branch presidents will be seated at the head table with Mr. Hooks. A golden circle with the Hooks table at center will be comprised of people or groups who contributed \$500 or more and also purchase a table for \$350. Individual seats cost \$35. Invitations were sent to about 500 metropolitan churches. (See BANQUET IS, P. 2)



GIVE TO NEEDY — The Typical Twelve Associates (husbands of Typical Twelve Civic, Social Club members), made two less privileged southeast Raleigh families' Christmas merrier with their presents of baskets of food. Associates pictured are, back row, left-to-right: E. L. Sanders, Al Willis, James Stroud, Walter Harris. Front row, left-to-right: Howard Jones, E. J. Minter, L. E. Scales and John Burnette. This is the third year the Typical Twelve Associates have given Christmas time to the needy. (Staff Photo)

Appreciation Money
SPOTLIGHT THIS WEEK
HUDSON-BELK
DEPT. STORES
"FOR THE BEST AT ECONOMICAL PRICES"