



SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD CITED BY PTA HERE — Mrs. Emma Ruth Jeffries, left, of Raleigh, was cited on March 13 by the Parent-Teacher Association of the Millbrook Elementary School in a letter. The letter reads as follows: "It has not gone unnoticed what a fine job you have been doing, protecting our students and children at the corner of Millbrook Road and Falls of the Neuse Road. We all realize that it is a very dangerous crossing, but the way you have taken control there, has made us feel much more at ease. We want you to know you have our deepest appreciation and strongest support. Many thanks." The letter is signed by Bill Barrow, secretary of the Millbrook PTA. Mrs. Jeffries has served as a school crossing guard for several years and says, "I enjoy my work tremendously." (Staff Photo).

Campbell Files 300 Gs Suit After Suspension

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Hundreds Expected To Participate In

Massive March Here Sat. Of Move

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Son, 14, Allegedly

Kills Mom-Beater

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By Raleigh YMCA's Board Of Directors

Harris To Be Honored

Shotgun Used In Killing

ROSEBORO

Friends and neighbors of a 14-year-old boy were both horrified and saddened here Monday of this week when it became known that he had allegedly shot and killed a man who was physically attacking his mother.

A charge of murder has been filed against Bobby Louis Mathis in the shotgun murder of 28-year-old William Orlan Dawson of Stedman. Young Mathis is being held, without bond, in the Sampson County Jail in Clinton.

Linwood Hall, Sampson County corner, said the boy (See MOM-BEATER, P. 2)

Governor, HEW Set On 'Mixing'

National Black News Service RICHMOND, Va. — The State of Virginia and the Dept. of Health, Education and Welfare recently agreed to a 150 percent increase in black enrollment at Virginia's public colleges over the next five years.

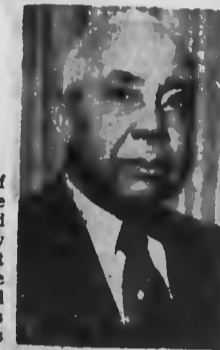
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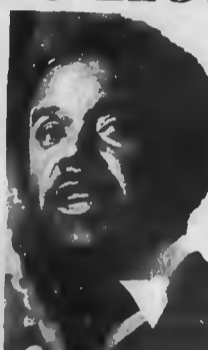
African Ambassador Speaks On Angola War In Raleigh

The United States, at the time of the departure of the Portuguese from Africa, had no African policy, and blundered seriously when it took its first major step into an African crisis (The Angolan War), said His Excellency Philip J. Palmer, Ambassador to the United States from Sierra Leone, West Africa, when he spoke at St. Augustine's College on March 21.

He stated that "The U.S. was helpless on foreign territory trying to intervene on behalf of Africans it did not know and had tried little to know before." While the U.S. must not escape blame completely for this indifference to Africa, most of the blame must be placed on the British for their apparent support for Portuguese colonialism in Africa and their hands-off policy in the development of independent Africa. It



DR. NELSON H. HARRIS, SR.



RALPH CAMPBELL

Accomplishments Have Been Many

The Board of Directors of the Bloodworth St. YMCA will honor Dr. Nelson Herbert Harris, Sr., of Raleigh, on Thursday, April 13, in the Shaw University Student Union Building. Dr. Harris will be cited during the YMCA's Annual Recognition Dinner Meeting. A reception is scheduled for 6:30 p.m. and the dinner at 7:30 p.m.

Through the years, Dr. Harris has been widely known as an exponent of Higher Education. A native of Richmond, Va., he received the B.S. degree from Virginia Union University in 1924; the M.A. and Ph.D. degrees in secondary education and sociology from the University of Michigan in 1927 and 1938, respectively. Shaw University conferred the honorary L.L.D. degree upon him in 1969. He has received scholastic recognition through election to membership in honor societies, as follows: Alpha Kappa Mu (general scholarship), Phi Gamma Mu (sociology), and Phi Delta Kappa (education). As a

member of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, he was twice selected as Iota Iota's "Man of the Year," 1953 and 1960.

Harris has served as a high (See DR. HARRIS, P. 2)

Housing Confab Talked

WASHINGTON, D. C. — On April 17-18, the National Committee Against Discrimination in Housing (NCDH) with cooperation and support from the Department of Housing and Urban Development will hold a Fair Housing Conference. The theme-Ten Years of Federal Housing Law: The Record and the Challenge-will focus on observing the 10th anniversary of the passage of Title VIII (the 1968 fair housing law) and on fair housing's unfinished agenda.

(See HOUSING, P. 2)

L. White Leading Strategy

Another episode will unfold at 11 a.m. Saturday in the struggle to free the Wilmington Ten and the Charlotte Three. The episode involves what promoters hope will be a massive march and rally through southeast Raleigh, from Chavis Park to the State Capitol. It is sponsored by the North Carolina Coalition To Free The Wilmington Ten.

Among participants in the march and rally will be Raleigh City Councilman William R. "Bill" Knight, according to the Rev. Leon White, one of the organizers of the event. White said Knight has also urged his constituents to join in the Wilmington Ten support.

Labeled "The Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Day Rally to Free the Wilmington Ten," the march will leave Chavis Park and continue east on Boundary St., turn south on State St., east on Brag to the N.C. Correctional Center for Women, north on Coleman St., east on Page St., north on Rock Quarry Rd., and north on Rock Quarry Rd., the march proceeds west on Lenoir St. to East St., where it turns (See MARCH SET, P. 2)

WEATHER

The five day weather forecast is as follows for the period of Wednesday through Sunday: sunny and mild days will prevail across the state Wednesday and Thursday with high temperatures in the mid 60s and 70s. Wednesday and Thursday nights will be cool with lows ranging from the 30s in the west to the 40s in the east. Fair skies will prevail Friday and Saturday with a chance of showers Sunday. Highs will be in the 70s today. Days and lows will be in the 40s and low 50s.



"GREETINGS, YOUR EXCELLENCE" — These St. Augustine's College officials and students are welcoming at the Raleigh-Lurham Airport, His Excellency Philip J. Palmer, Ambassador to the United States from Sierra Leone, West Africa, as he arrives to keynote International Week, sponsored by the International Students Association at the college beginning March 21.

Thompson, Malone Respond On Area Magnet School

The Black Parents Association is working to stop more implementation of the magnet school concept in southeast Raleigh, according to association chairperson Brad Thompson.

In an interview this week, Thompson said that his organization has gotten information from the Dept. of Health, Education and Welfare and other agencies and still finds the concept unacceptable. The magnet school proposal being advanced by Wake Schools Supt. John Murphy, and tentatively approved by the Wake County Board of Education, is "Not in the best interest of the black community," he said.

Thompson said the magnet school is "incidental to the problems that we have" and suggested that what is needed is a "more direct type educational curriculum." He said several magnet type schools are already in operation in southeast Raleigh, such as the Lucille Hunter and Mary F. Phillips Schools.

D. Stith Denounced By Blacks

GREENSBORO — The recent hassle over N. C. HUD operations in the state of North Carolina surfaced as nothing new to the minorities Division of the North Carolina Republican Party.

Leaders like John Hawkins, Warren County Republican chairman; A. J. Turner, Raleigh, former Wake County and state officer; Don Pollock, first director of the Minorities Division and prominent Kinston attorney; the late James Hawkins, Durham, treasurer, Minorities Division; Dr. Tommie Young, former secretary, Durham, who organized and made it a part of the Plan of Organization, warned of David Stith's operations, during the Holshouser administration.

The first break with Stith was when he refused to certify the Durham Branch, NAACP, for a grant to open and operate (See D. STITH, P. 2)



BRAD THOMPSON



VERNON MALONE

Ms. V. M. Jones Is 'Outstanding'

ATLANTA, Ga. — Ms. Vivian Malone Jones, executive director of the Atlanta-based Voter Education Project, Inc., has been selected as one of the most outstanding young women of 1977 by *Woman's* magazine.

Ms. Jones was selected along with 24 other women from a group of 100 distinguished nominees. The nominees were selected on the basis of their personal integrity, public image, community involvement, and professional excellence. This criteria was not only the basis for selection—but it is also an expression of what the name "Woman's" exemplifies.

The highlight of the 3-day celebration (to be held from March 31-April 2 in Chicago)

Durham School Heads Differ Over Methods

DURHAM — This city's 4 to 1 black-white ratio Board of Education is again confronted with different ideologies that relate to using the "Success in Beginning Reading and Writing" program.

Superintendent Ben T. Brooks (white) and Dr. Frank Weaver (black), associate superintendent, did not see eye to eye on the program, after Dr. Weaver is said to have accused some of the principals of pressuring the teachers into using

will be the First Annual Image Excellence Awards Banquet which will be held on Saturday, April 1 at Chicago's Pick Congress Hotel. At that time, all of the honorees will be presented with a handsome statuette that symbolizes the beauty and excellence of black womanhood, which is very appropriately named the "Kizzy" (The statuette was named in honor of the unforgettable character portrayed by Leolauggie Chavis in the television drama, "Roots").

The 25 recipients of the first annual Kizzy Awards range in age from 18-38 and encompass a wide range of professions—from operatic soprano, to chief police prosecutor, to athletic (See VEPCO HEAD, P. 2)

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Two Readers Win Week's Appreciation

Two of the readers of last week's edition of THE CAROLINIAN found their names listed in advertisements on the Appreciation Money Page and received a \$10 check each.

The readers were Manly Lane, of 1801 Boaz Dr., and Various Hall, of 628 Peyton St., Lane's name was in the Piggly Wiggly supermarket advertisement, and Hall's name was in the Johnson's Grocery advertisement.

Ms. Gloria L. Patterson, of 221 E. Lee St., was listed in the Jeffries Jewelers and Gemologists advertisement, but she did not report finding her name before the Monday noon deadline.

Three names are listed each week in advertisements on the Appreciation Money Page. The page is on the back of the front section. Readers who find their names should report to The CAROLINIAN before noon Monday.



PROTEST AFRICAN RACISM — Nashville, Tenn. — Brandishing signs protesting African racism, several thousand demonstrators gathered at Tennessee's State Capitol last week to protest the Davis Cup Tennis Tournament which was underway here. (UPI)

Appreciation Money SPOTLIGHT THIS WEEK TERRY'S FURNITURE CO. "WHERE YOUR CASH BUYS MORE FOR LESS"