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Wake County Opportunities, Inc. In Turmoil

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BY WILLIE WHITE  
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Officer Allegedly Struck Victim With Blackjack

## Beating Trial Set

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City-County Church Members Attend As

## Area Revival Acclaimed

### Raleigh Native Mourned

DURHAM — Mrs. Eva Frazer Ray, former Shaw University registrar, died at Durham County General Hospital at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 16. She was 57.

A native of Raleigh, Mrs. Ray had lived in Durham since 1947. She was the wife of Dr. Charles A. Ray, Sr., also a Raleigh native and chairman of the Department of English at NCCU. She taught psychology at NCCU from 1961-1963.

At the time of her death, Mrs. Ray was a staff psychologist at the Outpatient Clinic at the Children's Psychiatric Institute at Butner.

Her father was the late Dean Charles Rivers Frazer, Sr., first black dean of the College of Liberal Arts at Shaw. Her mother was the late Mrs. Daisy Christian Frazer of Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Ray attended the Raleigh public schools, Shaw University (B.A.), Columbia University (M.A.) and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. She had completed the preliminary examinations for the Ph.D. degree in psychology here Friday.

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MRS. EVA FRAZER RAY ...given last rites



DR. WILLIAM A. JONES, JR. ...conducts mammoth revival

## Say Man, 65, Was Attached On Floor

DURHAM — W.J. Pleasants, a white Durham police officer, was bound over for trial in Durham County Superior Court last Friday on charges that he beat a 65-year-old black man, whom he had arrested on a charge of public drunkenness.

Officer Pleasants allegedly struck Jake Williams "two or three times" with a blackjack on March 27 in the Durham County Jail, according to jail employees, law enforcement officers and inmates, who testified at a hearing in District Court here Friday.

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### Hundreds Respond To 'Call'

BY CHARLES R. JONES  
Managing Editor

"This is the greatest soul-saving revival ever to come to the City of Raleigh and Wake County," said one well-known Raleigh minister last Friday night as the first annual City and County-wide Revival came to a close at the First Cosmopolitan Baptist Church, 1515 Cross Link Rd.

More than 5,500 persons had heard the Rev. Dr. William Augustus Jones, Jr., pastor of Brooklyn's New York's Bethany Baptist Church, deliver five soul-stirring messages, the first of which was given on Monday, April 10, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

According to the Rev. Dr. Willie B. Lewis, pastor of the host church, it has a normal seating capacity of 1,000. However, some 100 extra chairs were needed each night

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### WEATHER

The five-day weather forecast for the period Wednesday through Sunday is as follows: Showers and thundershowers were expected to linger across the state on Wednesday, but skies should begin to clear up in the afternoon. Highs Wednesday were in the 70s, except in the 60s in the mountains. Lows Wednesday night were mostly in the 40s, with mid-30s in the mountains. Skies are expected to be mostly clear Thursday with cooler temperatures. Highs are expected to be in the 60s in the Piedmont area. Friday through Sunday call for fair skies, with highs in the 60s, except the 70s in the southeastern counties. Lows will be in the 30s in the west and the 40s in the east.

"I may have erred. Maybe I did act too quickly," J. Mills Holloway said Wednesday about a letter in which he cleared a Wake County Opportunities Inc. (WCO) official of charges which resulted March 16 in his suspension without pay.

In a telephone interview from Talladega College, Ala., Holloway, chairman of WCO's Board of Directors, responded to "enraged" reactions of other WCO officials concerning the letter of April 14 in which Holloway told Anti-Poverty Director Ralph Campbell that the Executive Committee and the Grievance Committee had cleared him of all charges. The matter became public when Campbell released press statements saying that he had been

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### Dr. Cobb Trainers, See Pres.

NEW YORK, N.Y. — Dr. Charles E. Cobb executive director of the United Church of Christ's Commission for Racial Justice, along with a National Consultation of Trainers, last week called on President Jimmy Carter to "direct all Federal Agencies to neutralize racism in the Federal work force, using racial training as means of change."

The group pointed to the Government Accounting Office as an agency which has utilized such training, and asked the President to commend the Comptroller General.

The pronouncement was made during a two-day "National Consultation of Trainers" held in Potomac, Maryland. The theme of this consultation was, "Combating Racism."

Dr. Cobb said, "It is past time for the nation and its institutions to give serious attention to the conclusions reached by the Kerner Commission."

The Consultation was sponsored by the Council of Interracial Books for Children, Association of Religious Communities: Anti-Racism Project, and the United Church of

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## More Than 300 Persons Fete Dr. Harris At Dinner Here

More than 300 people attended the Bloodworth Street YMCA's annual meeting and recognition dinner last week as the agency honored Dr. Nelson Herbert Harris, Sr., retiring chairman of the Board of Directors.

Harris, an educator, civic leader and churchperson, received his undergraduate degree from Virginia Union University and his terminal degree from the University of Michigan. He taught college students at a number of institutions, to include Florida A&M University, Shaw University, and the University of Illinois.

Harris also served on many boards and committees. Harris was active with the Bloodworth Street YMCA for more than 30 years and led the agency in a building fund drive which has resulted in the raising of more than \$400,000 for a new facility on the Old Garner Rd.

Many former students and current community leaders and educators took part in the 3-hour event, which was held in the Shaw Student Union. Morris Johnson was the toastmaster.

Reflections and expressions were given by Dr. Charles Ward, Dr. John W. Fleming, Dr. Prezell Robinson, Earl



RETIREES AFTER MORE THAN 30 YEARS OF SERVICE WITH RALEIGH YMCA — J. Mills Holloway, left, vice president for financial affairs at St. Augustine's College here, and chairman of the Board of Directors of Wake County Opportunities, Inc., is shown above presenting a plaque to Dr. Nelson Herbert Harris, Sr., who recently retired as chairman of the Board of Directors of the Bloodworth Street YMCA, after serving the organization as both a member and chairman for more than 30 years. Dr. Harris is a noted churchman and veteran educator. The recognition dinner took place on Thursday night, April 13, in the Student Union Building at Shaw University. (See story).



SHE'S FREE AT LAST — Detroit — Lizzy Williams, 60, cries tears of joy after learning April 14 she would not be going back to prison. "Thank you Jesus, praise the Lord," Miss Williams said after learning that Michigan Gov. William Milliken refused to extradite her saying, "The ends of justice would not be served." Miss Williams served 9 years in an Alabama prison farm for robbery, but escaped in 1951 while serving a 218 year prison term. (UPI)

## High Court's Rejection Stuns Ex-S&L Exec

BY ALEXANDER BARNES  
DURHAM — When John S. "Shag" Stewart, ex-president of the Mutual Building & Loan Association, the third member of the "Black Business Empire," learned that the U.S. Supreme Court would not even review his appeal Monday from the three-year prison term and the \$10,000 fine he received in 1976 for irregularities in the operation of the

business, he is quoted as saying, "I ain't got nothing to make me bitter. I will keep the faith and stand tall."

Stewart took over the reins in 1955 and held it until 1976.

Under his leadership, the firm stretched its business wings and became one of the largest black-controlled building associations in the nation. He had

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## J. Little's Lawyer Is Now On Trial

DURHAM — Spectators and others interested in the outcome of Durham Attorney Jerry Paul's case, centered around his being tried in the Durham Civil Superior Court for unbecoming conduct when he represented Ms. JoAnne Little, cannot quite determine whether the stormy barrister is being prosecuted or persecuted.

The trial was supposed to have begun Monday, when the N.C. Bar Association was to present its case of violating the Canons of Ethics, said to be the credo by which lawyers are duty bound to respect when appearing in a court of law.

Paul was alleged to have violated this sacred pact while defending JoAnne Little in her successful trial, where she was charged with the slaying of a white prison guard. The lawyer is said to have made derogatory statements about North

Carolina's judicial system and its flagrant abuse of certain people being tried in the state.

The first flare began Monday when Judge Henry A. McKin

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### Human Rights March, Demonstration Saturday

KINSTON — This Lenoir County seat will be the center of a focus on human rights for eastern North Carolina this coming Saturday, April 22. On that day, beginning at 11 a.m., citizens of Kinston and other eastern North Carolina communities will gather at Mitchell Wooten Court and begin a 2-mile march through the black community to the Lenoir County Courthouse, where a rally will be held. The march will then continue on to the board of education building where, following a prayer vigil,

## CRIME BEAT

EDITOR'S NOTE: This column or feature is produced in the public interest with an aim towards eliminating its contents. Numerous individuals have requested that they be given the consideration of a retraction. This we would like to do. However, it is not our position to be judge or jury. We merely publish the facts as we find them reported by the arresting officers. To keep out of the Crime Beat Column, merely means not being troubled by a police officer in reporting his findings while on duty. So simply keep off the "Beats" and you won't be in THE CRIME BEAT.

### CHEAP CANDY "LIFTED"

Frederick Alexander Mial was arrested and charged with unlawful concealment of an 89 cent package of Brach's Chocolate candy, according to police reports. The alleged larceny took place at Hudson-Belk, 319 Fayetteville St., at 10:25 a.m. on Tuesday.

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DEMONSTRATE IN FRONT OF SUPREME COURT — Washington — Demonstrators march on the Supreme Court April 15, demanding the justices overturn the Bakke reverse discrimination case. The demonstrators, thousands of young black and white, asked in speeches, placards and chants that the Supreme Court reverse a California decision that held Bakke, a white, was discriminated against when he was denied admission to medical school. (UPI)