#### Wake Campaign Gains Momentum

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#### **BY RON CORNWALL** Staff Writer

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ance this week endorsed the throughout this country." candidacy of the Rev. Jesse United States.

Rev. ment, Coppedge, president of the good relationships between everyone's involvement." alliance, said, "Our ministerial alliance stands firmly behind the Rev. Jackson as he proceeds to the Democratic National Convention.

"Never before have we had the opportunity to greatly influence the makeup of the party platform," said Rev. Coppedge. The Rev. John W.

Fleming, a member of the Wake County Jesse Jackson Campaign Committee, said of the Ministerial Alliance endorsement, "This endorsement, involvement and commitment from the

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area ministers is The Ministerial Alliance,

of more than 50 ministers Luther meet weekly to promote critical ...

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In making this endorse- from the Raleigh area who Committee, said, "This is

Brad Thompson, co-chair- with enough delegates to Fleming.

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"Our goal is to carry winning Wake County, "If encouraging. Our goal is to community and to improve Wake County, show very we all work hard between The Raleigh Interdenom- spread the word in each the spiritual, economic and well statewide, and send now and May 8, Jackson inational Ministerial Alli- church and community political conditions within Rev. Jackson to the Demo- could conceivably carry cratic National Convention Wake County," said Rev.

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Jackson for president of the established in 1935, consists man of the Wake County negotiate the interests of our "We are very pleased," Jesse Jackson Campaign people," said Thompson. stated Bruce Lightner. Rev. Fleming voiced the chairman of the Jackson We need same objective for the local Fourth Congressional Discampaign of Rev. Jackson (See MINISTERS, P. 2)

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IN RALEIGH

RALEIGH MINISTERS JOIN HANDS ON JACKSON SUPPORT-The Rev. Luther Coppedge, second from left, president of the Raleigh Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance, is pictured above as he completed the reading of the alliance's endorsement of Rev. Jesse Jackson for president of the United States. Pictured with Rev. Coppedge are Rev. Leon White, left, a director of the United Church of Christ's Commission for Racial Justice; the Rev. John W. Fleming, second from right, member of the Wake County Jesse Jackson Campaign Committee, who addressed the Monday meeting of the alliance; and Bruce Lightner, right, chairman of the Fourth Congressional District Jesse Jackson Campaign Committee.

### ELSEWHERE 30¢ **Campbell Foundation** n Missing From Home Created To Help Students

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From CAROLINIAN Staff Reports The Ralph Campbell, Sr., Scholarship Foundation which will provide financial aid to high school students wishing to pursue higher education has been created, a spokesman for the fund announced Tues-

day The foundation is trying to raise more than \$20,000 in scholarship funds. "The criteria for selection will be based on leadership potential, academic achievement, financial need and service to the community," said Harold Webb, director of the N.C. Personnel Office, who along with William Windley is chairman for the foundation.

Webb also named 11 people to the foundation's board of directors. They are Ralph Campbell, Jr., an employee of the N.C. Department of Revenue; Clifton Benson, a Raleigh businessman; Dr. George C. Debnam, a local physician; George Foxwell, Sr., a retired Wake County school principal; Webb, J.J. Sansom, chairman of the board of Mechanics and Farmers Bank; Windley, president of the Raleigh-Wake Citizens Association; Smedes York, former Raleigh mayor; Thelma Lennon of the N.C. Department of Public Instruction; and Lawrence Allen. an administrator of (See CAMPBELL, P. 2)

### Jackson 3rd In Ill. With 75% Of Black Vote Mondale, 330 for Hart and

Carolina caucuses, gathered 75 percent of the black vote in the Illinois Democratic primary to finish proud of the way Chicago third in that race.

Jackson won 189,539 paign. votes or 21 percent. Form Vice President Walter Mondale won the primary with 390,224 votes or 42 percent,

while Gary Hart, D-Colo., took second with 313,390 79 committed to Jackson. There are 268 uncommitted votes or 34 percent.

"I am delighted," Jackdelegates. Bruce Lightner, Jackson told reporters in Chicason's campaign mango this week. "People have made a major statement ager for the Fourth Congressional District, said about my candidacy. I am the Illinois primary was

significant because Jackson received 13 percent of the vote outside of Chicago's black districts. "This rk Primary stands at 557 clearly shows that as time legates committed to

(See JACKSON, P. 2)

police reports. MS. WILLIAMS **BY JOHN HINTON** 

Staff Writer pulling up poorer blacks?

junior at N.C. State Univer- police. sity: "Yes, they are responblacks had opportunities to succeed. Most come from support their own kind."

sophomore at NCSU from the advantages like some along the river. When other people do. They should officials at the Falls Lake

### Reward

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A retired state employee has been missing from his Southeast Raleigh home since Feb. 14, according to

Robert Lane, 62, of 216 S. Swain St., was last seen by his cousin Dorothy Lane at Question: Are middle- her home at 902 E. Martin class blacks responsible for St., Police Capt. R.N. Carrol said Wednesday. Ms. Lane George Brown, 20, a reported him missing to

Lane's car was found Feb. sible. Because middle-class 24 parked near the Neuse River bridge on Poole Road. "We have no reason to the lower class. They should suspect any foul play, upport their own kind." Carroll said. "We are still Richard Ashford., 20, a investigating."

Carroll said helicopters

SMAKING HANDS-Sen. Gary Hart shakes hands with people on their way to work at a

Chicago Transit Authority train station on Chicago's far south side. All eyes were on Illinois as voters went to the polis in one of the most important presidential primaries to date.

**Rev. White Says He May** Goldsboro: "Yes, they and foot patrols were should. Some people have dispatched to look for Lane the advantages like some along the river When

> After successfully com- death penalty in North in Vance County recently "The campaign must

**BY JOHN HINTON** Staff Writer The Rev. Jesse Jackson, fresh from his unprecedented victory in the South

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give these opportunities to other people.

Wanda Cohen, 18, freshman at State from Atlanta, Ga.: "Yes, because middleclass black citizens know what it was like when they were not financially stable. They had to work hard for what they got."

Deborah Williams, 19, a sophomore at N.C. State from Wilson: "Yes, in a way. If they have the resources to help the poor, they should. If that's the way it was, then they could always help the poor people. It's no fun being poor. Middle-class blacks know that because most of them were poor themselves.

#### WEATHER

Fair skies will prevail across most of North Carolina through Friday with a chance of spring showers on Saturday and Sunday. Highs are expected to be in the 60s with some 50s in the mountains and near 70s along the coast. Overnight lows should range from the 30s to 40s. A weak low pressure system from Georgia has been responsible for the rain and cloudy conditions of the past few days

Reservoir lower the depth of the river, police plan to send boats down the eastern part of the river in an effort to

locate Lane. Rescue teams already have dredged the river near where Lane's car was found. Carroll said. "He might have fallen into the water, we are just not sure."

Lane was a retired employee of the N.C. State Department and a member of the Davie Street Presbyterian Church. The church is offering a \$500 reward for any information leading to Lane's discovery if foul play is not involved, said member F.J. Carnage, only black candidate for a Raleigh attorney.

In related events:

•A Raleigh woman was gaining momentum every robbed of an undisclosed day. He based his remarks amount of money at her on the fact that a large home Friday by a man number of friends are whom police nabbed helping him with different moments after the crime, chores as volunteers in addition to the reactions according to reports. Carla Benita Hagins, 31, that he is receiving from of 1441 Sawyer Road, was across the state as a result robbed by a man who of personal visits and pushed in her door and communication by mail,

demanded money between 8 newspaper and television exposure and 8:30 a.m., police sid. At present, Hannon is Joseph Norris, 29, whose address police did not know, tabling his effort to raise was arrested and charged \$100,000 because it takes too with robbery. He was being much of his time from traveling and campaigning (See REWARD, P. 2)

pleting a 50-mile memorial Carolina. march for James Hutchins Rev. White, along with begin now," Rev. White

and on behalf of other death five others, began the said, declaring that justicerow inmates, the Rev. Leon march at dawn on Friday, loving people, both black White declared that wonder- March 16, following and white, must come ful things happen on the Hutchins' execution. The together and make some road to Damascus. He was marchers arrived in Hen- hard decisions about Gov. making reference to a sign derson on the following day James Hunt and Jesse he received to organize a at 4 p.m. They held a rally Helms, who both support the Christian political on behalf of James Vereen, death penalty. campaign to abolish the who was sentenced to death

(See SENATE, P.2)

### Hannon Says His Campaign **Gains Daily Momentum**

across the state. "I will just Dr. Robert L. Hannon, the borrow the money needed and try to raise funds to pay governor of North Carolina, it back after the election is said that his campaign is over." he said.

During March, Hannon and his campaign manager, E.L. Raiford, and advisory committee will spend much of their time visiting and commnicating with voters in new or unvisited counties. As to polls and reports showing him at the bottom of the ladder or not even on the ladder, Hannon said, "That's a lot of hogwash and we are not going to let it

worry us. One thing it does is to cause us to work and campaign even harder." Dr. Hannon noted that he

is very much encouraged about his growing popularity among white voters, especially women and voters from ages 35 and

under. This has resulted from his appearances at gubernatorial forums sponsored mainly by women's groups, the YDC and college Democrats. "I hope this popularity will show up at the polls behind the curtains," he said.

Unlike most politicians who hire outside pollsters, Hannon, based on his academic training in political science and his study of other pollsters' guidelines, will conduct his

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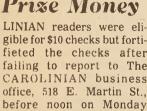
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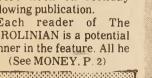
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## Southgate, Biltmore Have **Highest Black Vote Totals**

From CAROLINIAN Staff Reports

The communities of Kingwood Forest and Southgate have more blacks registered to vote than any other predominantly black neighborhood in Raleigh, according to statistics from the Wake County Board, of Elections.

As of Feb. 29, 2,251 blacks were registered to vote in the 22nd precinct, which encompasses two neighborhoods. Kingwood Forest and Southgate are made mainly of middle-class blacks

Biltmore Hills, a predominantly black community off Garner Road, comes in second among predominantly black communities in Southeast Raleigh with a high number of blacks registered. The neighborhood has 1,786 blacks registered to vote in 35 precincts. These are also middleclass black neighborhoods.

Experts say that middle-class blacks are more likely to vote because they moved up the economic ladder by participating in

(See SOUTHGATE, P. 2)

### Byers, 1st Black Head **Of Mixed School Dies**

integrated school in Wake Gardens. County, died Saturday.

brook Drive, was principal of West Cary Junior High School for seven years. He retired from the school in Shaw University and later 1972 to work as director of obtained his master's Head Start, a program for degree and professional poor preschool children.

A funeral will be held Thursday, March 22, at 2 versity p.m. at Martin Street

James Estes Byers, the Baptist Cnurch. Burial will first black principal of an follow in Carolina Biblical

Survivors include his wife, Byers, 70, of 311 Sherry- Ms. Amelia Dodd Byers, and a brother, Walter G. Byers of Charlotte.

Byers graduated from diploma from Teacher's College of Columbia Uni-

(See PRINCIPAL, P. 2)



MURDERER WEDS-Houston, Texas-Convicted murderer Richard James Wilkerson, 19, right, and Erlene Renee Malveaux, 18, left, were married March 19 by county At-Law Judge Don Hendrix, the same day Wilkerson was requesting a new trial in the slaying of four at the Mallbu Grand Prix gameroom. (UPi)

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