

\$100 Million Property Loss

Death and devastation followed early Monday morning in the wake of one of the most vicious tornadoes to touch down in Raleigh.

What was initially presumed to be more than one tornado was later identified to be a single storm, according to meteorologists and other weather specialists.

Scientists said that the tornado did not just sweep a path, but jumped around, wreaking havoc and destruc-tion and giving the appearance that there were several storms that hit the area at once.

The National Weather Service, located at Raleigh-Durham International Airport, could not give any ad- property.

vance notice of the approaching storm due to equipment problems. By the time the problems were corfrected it was too late. The storm was at that time destroying lives,

demolishing homes, stores and trees with such force and fury that after-ward it appeared that bombs had

relief program.

The program includes: Clean-up of debris from the begin rebuilding. public right of way.

•Providing special permits to enter the area (the permit office is located at 212 W. Hargett St). •Making a detailed damage

assessment • Taking steps to secure state and

federal financial assistance. As the storm wounced across the

been dropped. During a press conference Wednes-day, Mayor Avery Upchurch outlined that damages will exceed \$100 million the status of the damage left by the in the Wake area alone. Gov. Martin has indicated that he will ask the indicated that he will ask the state it left more than 500 residents president to declare these areas a disaster area to get federal funds to

In talking to some residents and ·Police protection of damaged workers of Pleasant Valley, one per-(See TURNADO, P. 2)



SEEKING SHELTER—The Crawford family was the last was destroyed by the ternade on Monday. The family to leave the emergency shelter set up by the Red was moving to a hotel in Raleigh until further and Cross at Martin Middle School after their home, located on could be made for them. (Photo by Talib Sabir-Calib nade on Monday. The family of six Raiolgh until further arrangements Doleman Drive off Six Forks Road behind Celebration Mall

Man Shot In Chavis Heights

Gunman Escapes Victim's Wallet Stolen

On Sunday around 9:49 p.m., Ronald Leon Smith of 6 Brunswick Way was walking on Chavis Way when a black male fired one shot into his stomach and took Smith's wallet

from his pocket, fleeing on foot. Smith was able to walk about 75 feet to his grandmother's house at 8 Granville Terrace. The assailant has en described as a tall black male with a two-to-three-day beard wearing a black coat. So far, police of-ficials have been unable to get a com-plete description of the suspect. mith is said to be in satisfactory condition in a local hospital. The incident took place in the Chavis Heights hous-ing comples just off East Lenoir

In related events: Wednesday morning after opening the store at 10 a.m., Carlisle Jewelers, located on the lower level of Crabtree Valley Mall, was robbed. Police reports state that two black males were involved. One of the men was described as 6'1" to 6'4" and was carrying a gun under his coat. The other was 5'9" to 5'11" wearing a brown coat or sweater.

While the gunman held everyone in



WATTING FOR THE BALL-Ms, Mildred Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hudson were just a few of the many in Raleigh of the Who's Who that were on hand for the AKA Debutante Ball at the Raleigh Civic Center Last Friday. While waiting

Gandhi believed in soul power,

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satyagraha

President Reagan Signs Price's Home Protection Bill Into Law

President Ronald Reagan has sign- in the home equity game now," Price 1987, from an estimated \$40 billion to mer protec- said Monday. "Under the new law, \$72 billion, due to recent changes in tion bill authored by Fourth District Congressman David Price. borrowers are assured of a fair deal when they take out loans. "While home equity loans are HR 3011, the Home Equity Loan popular financial tools, they can also **Consumer Protection Act, became** law over the Thanksgiving holiday. place consumers at the mercy of unscrupulous lenders," Price said. The president signed the bill on Nov. "People who are risking the lifetime 23. The House originally approved the bill in June; the Senate agreed to the investment they've made in their House version hours before adjournhomes will now get all the information they need to make wise financial ment on Oct. 22. decisions." The law takes a major step in con-Home equity loans have been largesumer protection by requiring ly unregulated until now, despite lenders to disclose the full terms and obligations of home equity loans. their growing popularity. Home equi-"The consumer is clearly the winner ty lending nearly doubled from 1986 to

Jackson Says Role, **Position**, No "Wacky **Far-Left Notion**"

BY JESSE L. JACKSON Special To The CAROLINIAN

When presidential candidate working, less patriotic, less universal eorge Bush said, "Read my lips," and more violent than whites. Every George Bush said, "Read my lips," he had one great advantage over Americans of color-the American people were able to hear and understand him (whether they believed him on taxes is another question). When American leaders of color

have spoken in clear and articulate terms, too often white America and its leadership could not read their lips. They could not or would not understand, in large part, because of racial stereotypes.

There are five stereotypes which consciously or subconsciously govern how most black people are judged by much of white America. Blacks, for.

Tearcher Of Yr.

The Wake County Board of Education Monday recognized Mary Ann Giemza from Underwood Elementary School as the Wake County Teacher of the Year. Henry Knight, chairman of the school board, and William Burns, president of Central Carolina Bank, presented the award to Ms. Giemza during a banquet sponsored by Central Carolina Bank. **Central Carolina Bank for the** first time this year sponsored the Gold Star Award to recognize outstanding classroom teachers in Wake County. The award included the Gold Star Award plaque and a \$1,000 check given to the winner, and \$500 cash awards and plaques given to the other four finalists. Ms. Giemza has taught special education at Underwood Elementary since 1984. From 1980-84 she served at Combs, Swift Creek, and Underwood elementary schools. Prior to coming to Wake County, she worked in Greensboro. Ms. Giemza earned (See TEACHER, P. 2)

the most part, are projected by the media as less intelligent, less hardmove a black person makes carries the burden of these stereotypes.

Just three days ago a newspaper editorialized about my leadership role and the future of the Democratic Party. It said, "His new role puts Mr. Jackson and his wacky, far-left no-tions at the very heart of the party." The Quayle family-owned Arizona Republic, most Republicans, and many in the Democratic party, too often have been blinded by the media's racial stereotypes and have not been able to read our lips. They have not heard or understood what we have been saying. The struggle for civil rights, public accommodations, the right to vote and open housing were not "wacky far-left notions," though some characterized them as such at the time—and some continue to do so Party. It said, "His new role puts Mr.

time—and some continue to do so even now. President Reagn, upon signing the Dr. Martin Luther King Holiday Bill, still implied he might have been a communist. The message was that we were not intelligent enough to rebel against our own oppression, we were being used and manipulated by left-wing communists.

The first time I went to

the store at bay, the shorter robber broke the glass case holding Rolex watches. The watches taken are estimated to be worth as much as \$100,000 in total value. The two men then left through a rear exit.

NEWS BRIEFS

CHAPTER FORMING

A local Catholic outreach chapter is forming in the greater **Raleigh area.** An organizational meeting will take place in the Community Room of St. Joseph Church at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 1. Local chapters are being organized throughout the diocese to help implement the National Black Catholic Pastoral Plan.

TYSON-BRUNO FIGHT OFF

Mike Tyson's Jan. 14, 1989 heavyweight title defense against Frank Bruno is off, this time when the Las Vegas Hilton, site of the scheduled match, backed out. The terms for a bout with Bruno, the first became the No. 1 con-ender for Tyson's undisputed crown over a year ago, would have earned the champion more than \$6 million. Seth Abraham, head of HBO Sports, said, "It will be a long time before Mike Tyson like the set of the time before the tyson fights again. There's a spiderweb of litigation out there now."

MS. TAYLOR NAMED TO FUQUA BUARD

Julia Taylor, president, chair-man and chief executive officer of Mechanics and Farmers Bank in Durham, was recently named to the North Carolina Advisory Board of Duke University's Fu-gus School of Dusiness. Ms. Taylor, the only black woman on the board, is well known as an economic leader in (See NEWS BRIEFS, P. T.

Non-Violent Action **Fails In S. Africa**

BY DANIEL MAROLEN

Who can still say that nonviolence can end apartheid? The struggle against apartheid has failed. Apartheid is at the pinnacle of its success It has already succeeded in all aspects of its inhuman program and tenets. It has made South Africa an entirely white-dominated country. It has disenfranchised all of its 26 million black inhabitants. The white minority group occupies 85 perent and the black majority is confined to only 13 percent of the land area of the

country. In addition, the black-ruled ter-In addition, the black-ruled ter-ritories that are adjacent to South Africa have been raided, laid waste and destabilized by South Africa. To blacks inside and on the periphery, South African life has become a vir-tual nightmare and reign of terror. Poverty, hunger and unemployment plague the black people, and the future looks gloomy for them. The world community goes on ham-mering at South Africa with verbal condemnation of the racist country's inhuman scourge of racial segrega-tion. But the world nation's efforts all end in utter failure because all these nations do is talk, talk, and talk, but do little else. This alone cannot end

little else. This alone cannot end irtheid. Apartheid can only end ough concerted action of world in-

the tax code. The new home equity law, which

will take effect in mid-1989, amends the federal Truth-in-Lending Law to provide consumers with important safeguards. The law helps consumers shop around for the best deal; gives them a fuller and more accurate picture of costs associated with the loan; and makes sure they won't face unexpected changes to the loan terms after signing a home equity loan contract, Price said.

The law has three major provisions:

• First, lenders must disclose key information about the costs associated with home equity loans when handing out applications for such loans. Information on the loan's annual percentage rate: the manner

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for trying to use the public library. (See JESSE JACKSON, P. 2)

Judges Bench

WOMAN STRANGLED

A Wilson woman's nude body was found Saturday afternoon slumped on the floor of her car, with her head lying on the seat. An autopsy showed that Lori Jean Woodard Sauls, 27, was strangled. She was last seen alive on Wednesday, but was not reported missing until Saturday. The car was parked three blocks from the woman's home. So far, there have been no arrests in the case.

ORDERED TO REDUCE RATES State Insurance Commissioner James E. Long has ordered the state's auto insurance agencies to reduce rates twice in the past nine months, but the costs for insuring your auto still haven't gone down. In-stead, drivers will be paying 4.3 per-cent more starting Jan. 1, 1969. It's the fourth increase in four years. Both times Commissioner Long

ordered rates reduced—a 3.9 percent ordered rates reduced—a 3.9 percent reduction in 1987 and a 1.4 percent cut this year—have been challenged by the insurance industry, which con-tends it hasn't been treated fairly in the decisions and has taken the battle for increased rates to the courts.

for increased rates to the courts. Currently pending <u>before the appeals</u> cases from 1986 and 1987. The appeals court heard arguments Oct. 25 in the first disputed auto-rate case. The court is expected to rule on that case early next spring. Attorneys for both sides say the decision could set a precedent for the other cases because they are so similar. Those appeals could prove costly for the insurance industry. If they lose, the companies would have to refund the rate of in-

(See JUDGES' BENCH, P. 2)

NDING GUARD—Jeey Boykin, security guard for Nationwide Security s vigilant at the wrockage of the K-Mart store destroyed by a ternade can by Merning. The ternado caused more than \$100 million dellars of proper-te in Wake County alone. (Phote by Tallb Sabir-Colloway) 87/

