



Howard Lee holds press conference.

## Howard Lee Speaks At Bennett

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After a very inspiring October 14, general assembly speech to the Bennett student body, Howard Lee, mayor of Chapel Hill, held a news conference in the Student Union attended by a large representative from nearby news media.

Much of the questioning concerned his present term and political future. One question centered around the recent squabble of the town of Chapel Hill and the University involving the \$6.6 million Division of Health Affairs complex on the campus which has not complied with the town's zoning ordinances. The mayor took the position that it is now time that the University

conformed to the town's laws.

His biggest problem as a black politician in the South, he said was his inexperience, lack of influential political friends, and lack of backing of a political party. Therefore, he said, "I have to struggle for support in solving problems that would be no problem with the cooperation of the right groups." He said that much resentment to his election is subsiding, and that he is receiving cooperation from "even those who say openly that they did not vote for me."

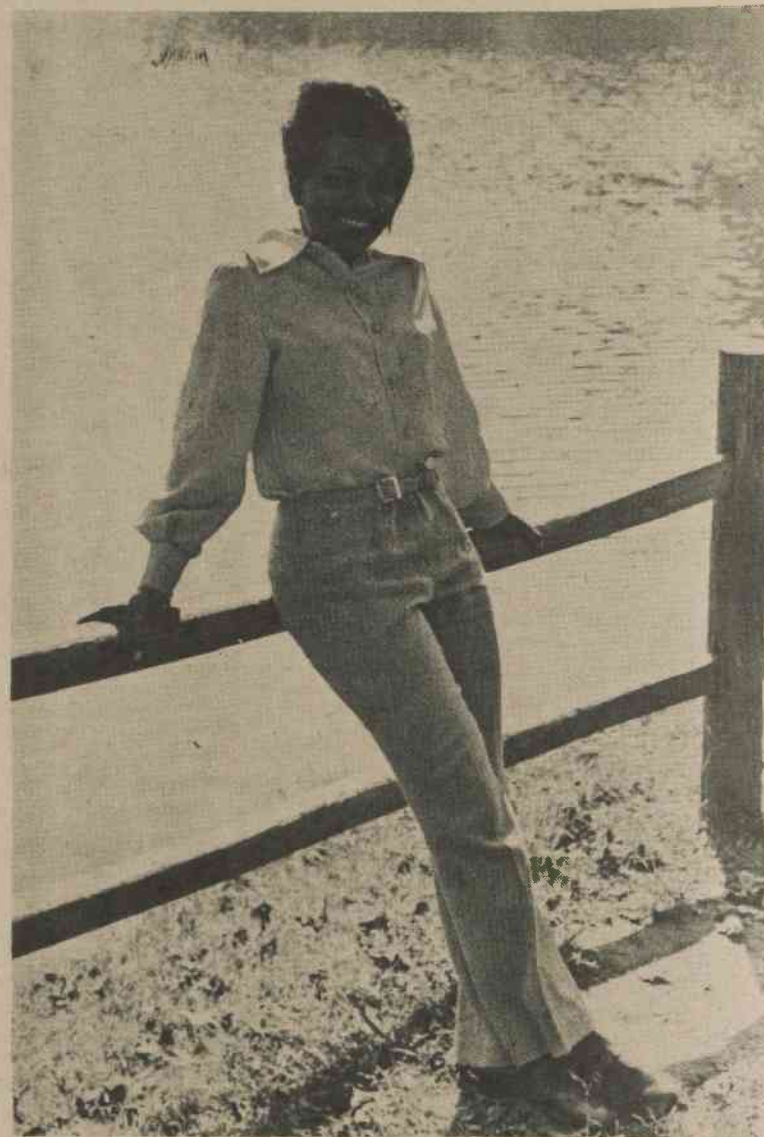
Mr. Lee told the press that he supports Malcolm X University in principle, "because it is a good concept and new venture in education."

Linda Silver, Bennett junior is currently seeking the title of Miss Goldsboro, the only black out of 12 girls competing for the title.

The criteria for eligibility is that a candidate be between the ages of 18 and 28 years old, never married and a native of Goldsboro. Linda became an official candidate upon filing a formal application, and after an interview with the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The contestants in the beauty contest are judged on evening wear, swim wear, and talent. The winner receives a scholarship and automatically participates in the Miss North Carolina pageant.

Linda was previously Miss Wayne County in 1967. This pageant was an all Black pageant sponsored by members of the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority. It was this same sorority that encouraged Linda to enter the Miss Goldsboro contest. Linda is a chemistry major and math and biology minor. She hopes to go into medicinal chemistry upon graduation. Her interests are public speaking, drama and modern dance. She holds membership in the science seminar club, associate membership in the national science honor society and student legislature. She holds the office of corresponding secretary in the student senate, assistant secretary of the legislature, and treasurer of the science seminar. The pageant will be held November 29.



Former Miss Wayne County, Linda Silver, seeks new title.

# From The Liberation News Service....

## Panthers And Lords

NEW YORK (LNS) -- The Federal government, the government of the state of New York, and Governor Rockefeller simply do not have the resources to meet the needs of the people, what with all the more important things that have to be done like sending three clowns to the moon and dumping bombs and napalm on the peasants of Vietnam, Ethiopia, Guatemala, and other countries around the world. So when this year's budget rolled round they were forced to make major cuts in the welfare clothing allowance. A grievous situation for all concerned, they assured us, but sadly unavoidable.

What made it so sad for the pigs was that quite a few of the welfare mothers weren't taking this sitting down. Instead they were taking it to the streets, pushing a school boycott that shut down several New York schools almost completely during the first weeks of the school year.

What made it even sadder for the pigs was that there are some people around who understand that serving the people is their primary task and who make that their life's work--the Black Panther Party and the Young Lords Organization. So when it became clear that this racist government had no more intention of clothing children than it had of giving them a decent breakfast, the Panthers and Lords announced that they would do it.

They moved on the businessmen who have been robbing from the community for years and put it to them that now the people were going to get something back. They collected over three tons of new and used clothes and let the community know that on Saturday, Sept. 27, it would all be distributed for free.

Saturday came and more than 500 people were lined up outside Intermediate School 201 when the Panthers and Lords told them to come in and help themselves to the truckloads of clothing that covered long rows of tables. All the items were marked, telling what they were and what size. Panthers and Lords stood behind each table, ready to give help to anyone who needed it. These people who had spent months fighting to win some kind of help from this government began to understand in a new and real way how this pig government works not for the people but for the oppressors. There were the clothes they needed, and there were the Panthers and Lords who had gotten them for them, and there were pamphlets and papers explaining why the Panthers and Lords serve the people.

The state was nowhere to be seen, except for a few pigs who kept a nervous eye on what was going down, afraid to vamp on the Panthers and Lords when the people could see what that was all about. All about ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

## California Regents Five Black Woman Who Is Communist Party Member

LOS ANGELES (LNS) -- The Regents of the University of California took it upon themselves Sept. 19 to fire Angela Davis, black assistant professor of philosophy at UCLA. It was a stupid move, even for the Regents.

Angela, who at 25, is completing her doctoral dissertation under the supervision of Herbert Marcuse, a member of the Communist Party. She belongs to the Che-Lumumba Club, a CP black collective in Southern California. It is not surprising that the UC Regents, with a right-wing majority led by Ronald Reagan, don't dig Professor Davis. However, many liberal eyebrows were raised here because the Regents' action is blatantly unconstitutional.

In 1967, the U.S. Supreme Court invalidated New York statutes making Communist Party mem-

bership grounds for disqualification from teaching in a public institution. Based on this decision, the California Supreme Court the same year invalidated that section of the California constitution requiring public employees to sign an oath denying membership in any organization advocating violent overthrow of the government.

Many academic freedom types on the UCLA faculty have expressed their "outrage" at Prof. Davis' dismissal. But Prof. Davis herself and Robert Singleton of the Afro-American Studies Center understand the issue clearly as a further example of racist oppression. Singleton cited the fact that many white Communists are employed by the UC system and sees Miss Davis' dismissal as part of the movement of white

fascism against the black man.

When classes begin the first week of October, Angela will be teaching. Pending a hearing on her dismissal, she has been assigned by Philosophy Department head Ronald Kalish to teach a black literature course.

Angela Davis will fight the Regents all the way to the Supreme Court if necessary. "Let's there be no doubt," she states, "my stand is forthright. As a black woman, my politics and political affiliation are bound up with and flow from participation in my people's struggle for liberation, and with the fight of oppressed people all over the world against American Imperialism. . . . As a black woman I am used to fighting and I will continue fighting now."

## Army Goes After Underground Editor

CAMP EAGLE, South Vietnam (LNS) -- Army cops are going all out to find the soldiers who publish a mimeographed underground sheet called "GI Says."

Men from military intelligence got really pissed off, according to a report in the Overseas Weekly, when the underground paper called for the death

of Lt. Col. Weldon Honeycutt, the decorated commander who led his men on a costly charge up Hamburger Hill. "GI Says" offered a reward of \$10,000 for Honeycutt's neck. Soon after, the Weekly reported, "rumors began to run through the 3d Brigade's Camp Evans that somebody tried to collect the dough by booby-trapping Honeycutt's hootch with

grenades and Claymore mines." The army has a suspect already. He is Spec 4 Kenneth Anderberg, a clerk at brigade headquarters (and a former sportswriter) whom the Overseas Weekly describes as "hairy-lipped." Intelligence officers say that Annenberg's typewriter was the same one used to produce "GI Says."