Thanksgiving Vacation November 26 (1:00 P.M.) -December 1

Durham, North Carolina, Thursday, October 31, 1968



MISS BESSIE BECKWITH

RALEICH COED CROWNED MISS NCC

Bessie Beckwith, a senior from Raleigh, North Carolina, was crowned Miss NCC by President A. N. Whiting in the B. N. Duke Auditorium, October 19. Bessie won the title by popular vote in the spring election.

Bessie is a graduate of Ligon High School in Raleigh where she participated in the National Honor Society, Marionette Social Club, Glee Club, and Y-Teens.

The new Miss NCC is a Sociology major. She is a member of the Delta Sigma Theta Soror ity, the Alpha Kappa Delta National Sociological Honor Society and, Student Government Association. She has also been elected to Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Bessie is the daughter of Mr.

Melvin Beckwith. She lives with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Haywood.

After the coronation, a reception was held in the Alfonso Elder Student Union Building and a ball in the Women's Gymnasium in her honor.

Patricia Meddling and Lillian Monk served as Bessie's attendants. Miss NCC's court consisted of Miss Freshman, Tiwanda Nivens; Miss Sophomore, Sylvia England; Miss Junior. Marguerita Davis: Miss Senior, Dianne Harper; Miss Alpha Phi Omega, Shirley Watford; Miss Kappa, Jocelyn Cordice; Miss Omega Psi Phi, Betty Drumgold; and Miss Alpha Phi Alpha, Mary Bentley.

The coronation was sponsored by the Student Government As-

Biggers Named Dean Of Women By ROSELINE MCKINNEY

An N.C.C. woman's dress, ideals and principles "should be like an address on an envelope-something to direct the message to where she wants it to go" is the philosophy of Dean Alma F. Biggers

Mrs. Alma F. Biggers, Dean of Women, is an N. C. C. alumna. She received her B.A. and M.A. degrees in Counseling and Guidance.

She has worked actively in counseling centers and in the Equal Employment Opportunity Program for at least five years. She taught Engligh one summer at Mary Potter High School in Oxford. In the summer of 1966, she worked at Robbins AFB in Macon, Georgia.

After working at the Employment Security Commission for a number of years she decided to return to Counseling and Guidance.

She also received a grant from the American Association of University Women in Washington, D. C. to attend George Washington University one sum-

Dean Biggers has been working with students pratically all her life. Aside from serving as dean, she is closely connected with the school choir. Feeling that "all things are possible through God," she invites all young men and women to come and worship with her each Sun-

Students Faculty Visit Art Show

An unique exhibition entitled "The Great Age of Fresco Giotto to Pontormo" will be on display at the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York on November

This show brings to America for the first and only time works which exemplify one of the greatest periods of Western art in a medium which is almost completely without representation in American collections and museums.

The works were lent as a generous gesture by the Italian government to acknowledge outside aid in the aftermath of the disastrous flood which swept Florence in 1966. Fine pieces by Giotto, Pierdello Francesca, Andrea del Sarto, Fra Angelico, Andrea del Castagno, Jacopo Pontormo will be shown.

Instructors and students going from NCC are Miss Lana Thompson, Mr. Sam Moline, and Mr. N. E. Pendagraft of the Art Department, and Marilyn Alston, Bobby Jones, Franklin Beuvell, James Biggers, Ledell Flynn and Diane Speas, all art majors.

They will leave September 7 and will tour the Guggenheim Museum and the Whitney Mu-



STUDENTS FOR HUMPHREY

Students Attend Rally For Humphrey

singing were symbols of the allout efforts of a contingent of 400 NCC students to back Vice President Hubert Humphrey. The students loaded seven buses October 2, enroute to the Charlotte Coliseum where they participated in the Humphrey-Muskie campaign. The rally was termed "the biggest thing that

Hands swinging and students has ever hit the Charlotte Coliseum."

> Officers of the Student Organization for Humphrey- Muskie are: William Murphy, president; Wayne Roberts, vice president; Delores Benton, secretary; Yvonne Myers, assistant secretary; Chappell Felder, treasurer; and Perry Massey and Earl Leatherberry, public relations agents.

WALLACE RALLY HELD IN DURHAM

By ESTHER SILVER

George Wallace, the American Independent Party's presidential candidate, brought his campaign to Durham, Thursday, October 24, and was greeted by a crowd of supporters and dissenters.

Among the dissenters gathered in the parking lot of the Durham City Police Station were about 300 NCC students.

Wallace began his traditional speech my lashing out at college students, professors, his opponents, Richard Nixon and Hubert Humphrey, the federal government, and the hippies. He gave the students and professors his favorite label "anarchists" and stated, "The anarchists had better have their day now because after November 5, they're through."

He continued his remarks

ham Merchants Association recently said that no one person would be able to give the Echo an official report on the effects that the current boycott in Durham is having. This is the only answer that we have received

Whether or not the effects have been too small to be tabulated remain to be known.

Since the Eagles were asked to support the boycott, it may seem discouraging that we cannot find out how well we are doing. Lacking official word on the boycott's success or failure, we can be sure that somebody knows, whether that somebody lets us know or not. If no one person will let us know, and we certainly will not be able to attend a meeting of the entire Merchants Association, there is only one way to be absolutely sure of the boycott's effects and its success: SUPPORT THE BOYCOTT.

aimed at these groups - "I don't know what they teach in the colleges now, but they ought to teach them how to behave in a crowd," - "I am going to get rid of professors, some preachers and some bureaucrats that look down their noses at you and say you don't know where to send your child." He also remarked that a few of the students would end up being dragged by the hair to a good jail where they

belonged. At this point, some of the crowd shouted, "We want Wallace," and others shouted "Seig Heil," and NCC students waved their placards saying, "'Wallass' Got Soul," "'Wallass' is Black" and "'Wallass' is our Boy!"

A scuffle erupted after this demonstration. NCC students complained that someone, apparently Wallace supporters, sprayed them with mace.

Wallace evoked much approval from the crowd when he aimed at "the Establishment," the Republicans and Democrats. the Supreme Court and gave his pleage of law and order and (See Wallace Rally, Page 4)

Morehouse Prof. Lectures At NCC

Dr. Samuel W. Williams, Professor of Philosophy and College Minister at Morehouse College, will deliver a series of lectures at NCC, November 18-20 on "The Role of Religion in Human Affairs." Dr. Williams will appear before class combinations, conduct seminars, engage in domitory discussions, and deliver a main lecture. There will also be luncheons with students and faculty.

Professor Williams will address himself to such themes as "The Black Man's Religion," "Christianity, Communism and the Demand for Social Change" and "Questions the Present Generation is Asking About Religion." These lectures are being sponsored by the Religious Activities Committee.

NCC QUALIFIES FOR SLOAN GRANT

Concurrent with the recent visit of Morris DeLisser, Consultant, Phelps Stokes Fund, President Albert N. Whiting, announced the receipt of \$22,429 from the Sloan Foundation in matching money covering the six-month period of February through July.

The Alfred P. Sloan Foundation has made available to North Carolina College \$30,000 in matching money to encourage increased giving by the College's alumni and friends over a two-year period.

To get the matching gift the College must match the gift with contributions from alumni local and in state contributions.

For every two dollars raised (See NCC Qualifies, Page 4)

COMING EVENTS

Monday, November 4-Founder's Day

Wednesday, November 13, 7:30 p.m. - Film -"The Delinquents"

Friday, November 15, 8:00 p.m. -Movie - "Guns of Navarone"

Wednesday, November 20, 7:30 p.m. - Film - "Synanon in Prison"

Saturday, November 23, 1:00 p.m. - Tournament Day -Table Tennis, Pool and Pinochle Trophies Awarded Tuesday, November 26 -

Thanksgiving Holidays — begin at 1:00 p.m. Thursday, November 28 -

Thanksgiving Day Classic

Boycott Effects Not Revealed

A representative of the Durfrom "the man."