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From the . . . PRESIDENT'S DESK

As the end of another school year approaches there are many things that should give you food for thought. As you look around, you will note that many of your friends who were here in September are no longer in college. In view of the fact that you are fortunate to be here, you might well consider whether you have made the best possible use of your time.

In your study this term have you merely tried to memorize facts so as to get a passing mark or have you read and studied and learned to evaluate facts? Unless you have learned to think critically you have not made the progress normally expected of a college student.

Fayetteville students will not be able to hold their own in the competitive world after graduation unless they learn while still here to apply to certain standards of their own to their reading, their study and their investigations. One cannot begin to call himself educated unless he has learned to judge the degree of his own competence, the degree of his own mastery of subject matter, the degree of his own facility of expression. If you have not already done so begin now to evaluate your achievement and your progress. You should never be content with a low level of achievement or low standards in general.

Sincerely,
Rudolph Jones
President

LARGEST CONTRIBUTION

The New York City Alumni Chapter made the largest contribution to the Scholarship Fund on Founders Day. A check for \$500.00 was received from Mr. L. Avon Corbett, Business Manager of the Chapter.

DRIVER EDUCATION COURSE

June 6 — June 17

Critique On Langston Hughes

Comments from students concerning Langston Hughes and the Lecture-Recital presented in the J. W. Seabrook Auditorium:

JOHNNY BRISBON—Langston Hughes is not only a great poet and writer but he is also an excellent and interesting speaker.

ASBERINE PARNELL—It was interesting to listen to poems being read by Mr. Hughes and to hear the reasons these poems were written.

CHARLES PERRY—Trying to pick out the most exciting moments of Langston Hughes' life would be like trying to find which came first, the chicken or the egg.

EVANGELINE SMITH—I am sure that everyone agrees that he is one of America's most distinguished writers.

JESSE UZZELL—The lecture-recital of Langston Hughes, which was very educational and full of aspiration, will long be remembered.

EDNA MARTIN—After doing research, reading, and then hearing Langston Hughes speak in person, one would eagerly want to write a book.

SHIRLEY MASSENBURG—The program was very inspiring, enjoyable, and educational.

GEORGE W. LESSANE—Mr. Hughes' thoughts and ideas which his creative works are composed from will help to lead countries and races into a better understanding of each other.

EDITH B. McMILLAN—Without fear of contradiction, we can say James Langston Hughes has made a great contribution to the world.

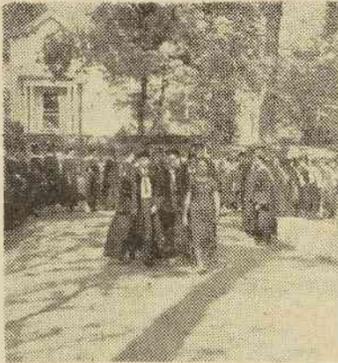
SUE EVELYN MCKOY—No poet has expressed so uniquely, simply and concisely the feelings of the Negro race.

FREDDIE L. WEST—His adventures told and poems read during his lecture are so lively that anyone would enjoy hearing him for hours.

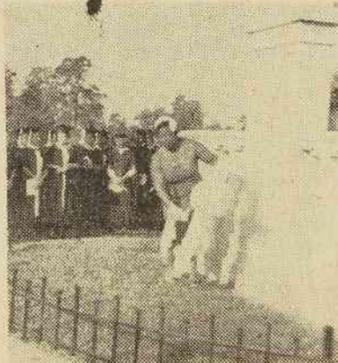
MARY L. HURLEY—If you did not hear Langston Hughes, you missed a very exciting moment of your life.

JULIETTE GARY—Certainly, in terms of quality of works produced, Langston Hughes deserves the honors that have come to him.

Founders' Day — 1960



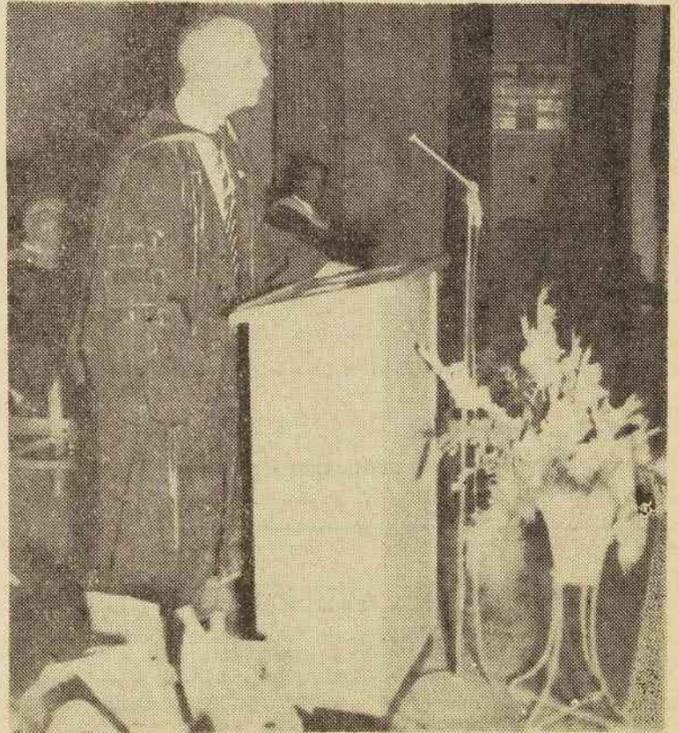
Academic Procession



At The Monument



PRINCIPAL FIGURES in Founders' Day Observance



PRESIDENT F. L. ATKINS,
Winston-Salem Teachers College, Founders' Day Speaker

Fayetteville State Teachers College

FAYETTEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

Eighty-Third Annual Commencement Program

May 26th - May 29th, 1960

SENIOR CAP AND GOWN DAY

Thursday, May 26th, 12:00 Noon Seabrook Auditorium

Mr. C. J. Barber, Principal
Garner High School
Garner, North Carolina

Sat., May 28th, 6:30 - 8:00 P. M., President's Residence

President and Mrs. Rudolph Jones "At Home"

Members of the Senior Class, Alumni, Faculty and Friends

GRADUATION EXERCISES

Sunday, May 29th, 3:00 P. M. - Seabrook Auditorium

Dr. Lester P. Granger
Executive Director
National Urban League
New York City

Little Symphony Plays

The North Carolina Little Symphony, under the direction of Benjamin Swalin, appeared in concert in the J. W. Seabrook Auditorium of Fayetteville State Teachers College, on Thursday, March 31.

Orchestral selections of the adult concert included Cherubini, Overture to the Opera ANACREON; Mozart, Symphony No. 35 in D Major, "Haffner"; Lehar, Waltz, from the operetta THE MERRY WIDOW; Saint Saens, Bacchanale, from the opera SAMPSON AND DELILAH; Jarnefelt, Praeludium; Aliven, Dance of the Shepherd Girl; and Liszt, Hungarian Rhapsody No. II, transcribed by Salabert.

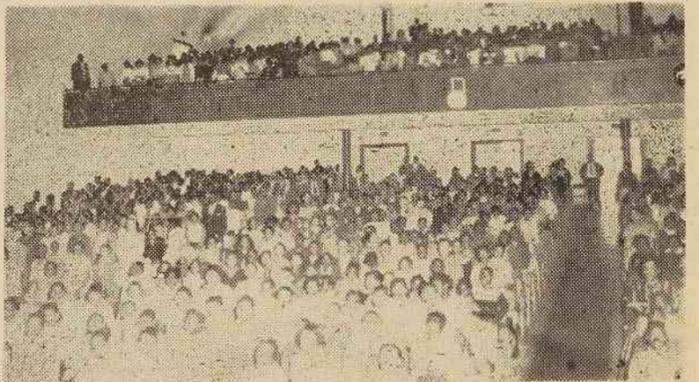
Sophia Steffan, Mezzo-soprano, from High Point, N. C., was the featured soloist. She completely captivated the audience with her renditions of Aria di Polissena, from the opera RAMADISTO, Handel: Von Ewiger Liebe, Brahms, Habanera, from the opera CARMEN, Bizet; and Non piu mesta, from the opera LA CENERENTOLA, Rossini.

The Little Symphony is a part of the North Carolina Symphony, now in its Fifteenth Annual Tour, visiting this season 46 communities of North Carolina. The Symphony was organized in 1832 and was the first state symphony in the United States.



LANGSTON HUGHES—Who recently appeared at FSTC is greeted by President and Mrs. Jones.

LITTLE SYMPHONY



RAPT ATTENTION is shown by a capacity audience of elementary school youngsters as they fill the J. W. Seabrook Auditorium and listen to the North Carolina Little Symphony.