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Local Men Honored In Program at FSTC

Culminating their celebration of "Bigger and Better Business Week" at the Fayetteville State Teachers College and environs, the local Zeta Beta (graduate) and Phi Beta Sigma (undergraduate) Chapters of the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity sponsored a vesper program at the college on Sunday evening, April 3. Mr. J. B. Baird, local school teacher, gave the history of the fraternity and Professor James E. Coppage, President of Zeta Beta, introduced the guest speaker, Dr. Samuel Duncan, State Supervisor of Negro High Schools.



L. E. GARRIS

Dr. Duncan, who spoke from the topic "Foundations of Bigger and Better Business," insisted that "schools and colleges must instill attitudes conducive to preparing for bigger and better business concerns. Let us think not how to spend our inherited property, but of how to invest it and to make it grow."

At the Friday assembly exercises, Edith Walker, sophomore of Fayetteville, was elected "Sigma Sweetheart of the Year" and received gifts amounting to approximately \$175.00. Richard Hadley of Fort Bragg played two piano solos by Chopin, "Fantasic Impromptu" and "Etude, Op. 10, No. 3."

The exercises were heightened by the honors that came to two men who have made outstanding records in local community and fraternal betterment. L. E. Garris, owner and operator of first-rate funeral homes in Fayetteville and in Mount Olive, N. C., was named "Business Man of the Year." A "self-made" man, Mr. Garris tells of how he left his Madison, N. J., home at the age of 20 and with \$20, worked his way through school and owned when he graduated a car, a barber

shop, and pressing club. Designated as "Sigma Man of the Year" was James E. Coppage of the Area of Manual Arts at the college who has been the moving spirit behind the Sigma groups since their organization on the campus in 1954. A plaque was presented to him by Dr. Watson Fowler. A former athlete at the A. and T. College, Professor Coppage has been close to the athletic program in the state and is currently Chairman of the College Committee on Athletics at the college. I. R. Mitchell presented the certificate to L. E. Garris.



J. E. COPPAGE

"MAN OF YEAR" IS NAMED

The Hood Hall (Men's) Dormitory Association, under the leadership of its president, Johnny Jiggett, a senior of Pittsburgh, Pa., staged its first "Citizenship Day" exercises at the college assembly period on Friday, March 18.

The purpose of the association is to promote high scholarship and good citizenship on and off the campus.

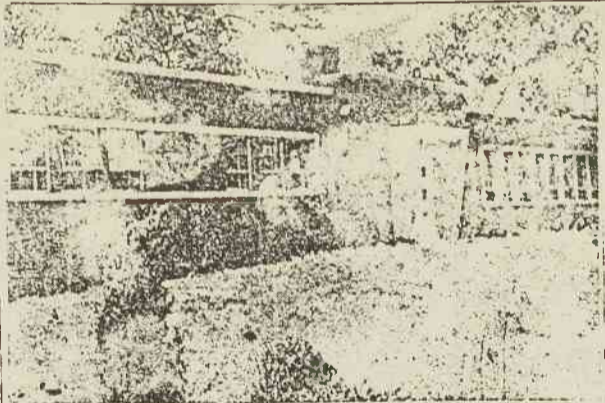
Attorney J. O. Tally, Jr., former mayor of Fayetteville, was the guest speaker.

Introduced by Dr. J. Ward Seabrook, president of the college, Mr. Tally insisted that character and learning go into the making of good citizenship in the atomic and hydrogen age. He pointed to the "silent generation" of people who refuse to speak out on public issues because of vested interests, and urged his hearers to be participating citizens.

The exercises were heightened by the presentation of the "Man of the Year," chosen on the basis of his wholesome personality, his scholarship standing, and his display of the traits of desirable citizenship, both on and off the campus. The man chosen for this honor was Earl Garrett, a senior of Montclair, N. J., and another senior, Johnny Farmer of Wilson.



Mrs. Susie W. Stovall of 827 Starr Street, Rocky Mount, N. C., announces the marriage of her daughter, Susie Vernell Stovall, to Mr. David L. Pugh of Oxford, N. C., in Washington, D. C. on June 4. Miss Stovall is currently a senior at the Fayetteville State Teachers College and will be graduated on May 31, while Mr. Pugh is a graduate of Johnson C. Smith University in Charlotte, N. C.



STATE'S NEW INFIRMARY, recently constructed at a cost of over \$125,000, as seen from the northeast entrance. Although it has not been accepted, it is hoped that it will be ready for occupancy by September.

IDEAS IN EDUCATION

By JOHN CLARKSON

Education has been defined as a life-long process of changes, modifications, and adjustments. Each particular phase of education, as stated above, affects the individual emotionally, physically, morally, and in many other different characteristics of human behavior. Considering all factors and with this definition in mind, students on the college level should strive to improve themselves and to make preparations for future work and training.

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THE VOICE STAFF WISHES TO EXPRESS ITS SINCERE THANKS TO MR. JOHN W. PARKER, FOR WITHOUT HIS AID THIS ISSUE WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN POSSIBLE.

DR. FRIERSON NAMED AS TRUSTEE OF SHAW UNIV.

Dr. William R. Strassner announced recently the election of Dr. Marguerite S. Frierson, chairman, area of education, Fayetteville State Teachers College, to the Board of Trustees of Shaw University. She was one of the three persons named by the executive committee of the Alumni Association for this honor.

Dr. Frierson received the A. B. degree from Shaw University in 1928, the B. E. degree from the University of Cincinnati in 1929, the Ed. M. degree from Boston University in 1938 and the Ph.D. degree from Ohio State University in 1950.

A native of Augusta, Ga., she taught English at Haines School from 1929 to 1933. Other positions held are supervisor of elementary schools in Gloucester County, Va., 1933-1942, associate professor of Tuskegee Institute, 1942-1949, and visiting professor, graduate school, North Carolina College at Durham.

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION MAY 31

The following students are candidates for graduation on May 31: Dolores Baker, Gracie Ruth Barnett, Doris Batts, Dolores Bellamy, Geneva Best, Nellie Bowden, Anna Bowens, Ethel Mae Brown, Janice Brown, Jean Bryant, Clarissa Butler, Annie Caraway, Laura Chambers, Marie Clemons, Wilma Cordon, Nora D. Croom, Carolyn Culbreth, Pearl Cunningham, Rosetta Currie, Alfred Davis, Alfred Dowe, Nannie Drake, Mahala Drew, Loretta Durham.

Berdie Eloy, Pearl Everette, Johnny Farmer, Margie Fennell, Lucille Fields, Andrew Frazier, Earl Garrett, Annie Glover, Jewel Greene, Edward Henderson, Pearl Ray Herndon, Maggie Lee Hester, Dorothy Lee Hill, Mary Lou Holmes, Marian Holt, Robert Hopkins, Queenie James, Bernice Johnson, Pearl Kemp, Thomasena Leach, Vertie Lessane, Florence Little, Miriam Little, Alma Focus.

Edwin Manning, McNeasia Marrow, Henry Lee Martin, Melba Melvin, Queen Mitchell, William Monroe, Lottie Murphy, Julia McCormick, Katie McCoy, Mary McDonald, Helena Nelson, Mary Catherine Palmer, Pearl Parks, Barbara Pearock, Gracie Perry, Barbara Powell, Bina Randolph.

Melva Sinclair, Doris Smith, Jonathan Smith, Maxine Smith, Ovedia Smith, Susie Stovall, Ethel Taylor, George Taylor, Areatha Troublefield, Ruby Smith Vaughn, Mack Virgil, Alma G. Walker, Lillie Mae Waters, Ruth Victoria Watford, Genetta D. Witaker, Esther Whit, Crettie Williams, Dazzerine Williams, Evelyn V. Williams, Lottie Williams, Annie Cogdell Willie, Melba Woolen, Lillie Clark Yarboro.

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Fayetteville, North Carolina

78th Annual Commencement Program
May 27th-31st, 1955

SENIOR CAP AND GOWN DAY
Friday, May 27th, 12:00 Noon College Auditorium
Dean Warmoth T. Gibbs
School of Education and Science
A. & T. College
Greensboro, North Carolina

The Dean of Women's and the Dean of Men's Informal Party Party
For Graduating Seniors

Friday, May 27th, 6:00 P. M. Campus Quadrangle
President and Mrs. J. Ward Seabrook "At Home" to Members
of the Senior Class, Graduates, Faculty and Friends

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

BACCALAUREATE SERMON
Sunday, May 29th, 4:30 P. M. College Auditorium
Dr. Louis C. LaMotte
President, Presbyterian Junior College
Maxton, North Carolina

GRADUATION EXERCISES
Tuesday, May 31st, 11:00 A. M. College Auditorium
Dr. Frederick D. Patterson
Director, Phelps-Stokes Fund
New York City