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\$33,000 Raised For Virginia Theological Seminary At Fete

LYNCHBURG, Va. (AP) — The 11th annual celebration of Hayes Day was held here Wednesday at College. When the program closed Virginia Theological Seminary and it was reported that \$33,000 had been raised in the campaign in support of the college.

The guest speaker was the Rev. Dr. R. L. Thomas, pastor of Pilgrim Baptist Church, Philadelphia. Speaking on "Learning the Wrong Way," Dr. Thomas pointed out that this is no time for anyone to be sleeping. He said everyone should be alert to the issues of the day and be prepared to play his part in the drama of life.

He stressed the need for educated ministers, and deplored the fact that many ministers fail to secure adequate training. He also emphasized the importance of the gospel, and said the people should hear the word of God.

Dr. E. C. Smith of Washington, D. C., president of the Virginia Baptist State Convention, the main support of Virginia Theological Seminary and College, gave a brief address on Prof. Gregory Willis Hayes, who was president of the college for 16 years beginning



Another Fire Sweeps Wilberforce Dorm; Temporary Home Provided

WILBERFORCE, Ohio — (AP) — When flames raced through Emory Hall last Tuesday, the 30-year-old men's dormitory at Wilberforce University, it made homeless more than 120 men, and destroyed \$100,000 worth of property, not including the books and personal belongings and money.

Dr. Robert Stoker, president of the University, said the complete loss will not be known until the students have had an opportunity to take inventory of their personal belongings and money.

SHELTER PROVIDED

However, before the students were released for the Christmas holidays the homeless had all been placed in temporary homes. When classes resume Jan. 5th, all students will be housed. F. Isabel Arlew, dean of students, announced Thursday.

NOT FIRST FIRE

The dean pointed out that this fire, though disastrous, was not the first fire to sweep the Wilberforce campus. The fire last week gutted the central portion of the men's dormitory. It started on the first floor in the center of the building and quickly spread to the penthouse and damaged the rear of the building and the roof.

CAPTAIN HURT

Doc Mause, captain of the basketball team, was in his room on the penthouse when the fire broke out. He sprained his ankle when he jumped two stories to the roof of an adjoining building.

MANY HELP

Officials at the university expressed appreciation for all the help given them during the fire. Fire department units from all over Green County rushed to the scene to battle the blaze. Zenia township firemen remained at the scene for several more hours to

make sure that the fire was out. Sheriff's deputies kept a close watch on the building throughout the night.

Central State College fire fighters were among the first ones on the scene. And other firemen from Cedarville, Beavercreek, Yellow Springs, Jamestown, Jasper and Fairborn arrived with fire fighting equipment.

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Ex-Slave Dies At 109; Saw Yanks In War

CHICAGO — (AP) — A Negro woman who spent her girlhood as a slave in Alabama died here in Chicago this week. A grandson gave her age as 109.

Robert Willis, 62, said his grandmother, Mrs. Mandy Willis, fixed her age on the basis of remember-

ing that she was 14 years old when she first heard other slaves discuss Abraham Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation in 1863. Mrs. Willis never learned to read or write, and she spent most of her adult life in Corinth, Miss. She came to Chicago in 1945. She is also survived by a great-grandson, George Willis, 42.

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Three Young Women Given Scholarships

GREENSBORO — Three Bennett College students are recipients of national scholarship awards from the Board of Education of the Methodist Church, it was announced here recently.

The awards cover tuition and fees up to \$500 and were granted on the basis of "superior academic standing, leadership ability, active church membership, character, personality and need." They are among 500 such awards given annually.

Bennett students receiving scholarships are:

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Miss Jo Ann Martin, sophomore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warkles Martin, of Leesville, and

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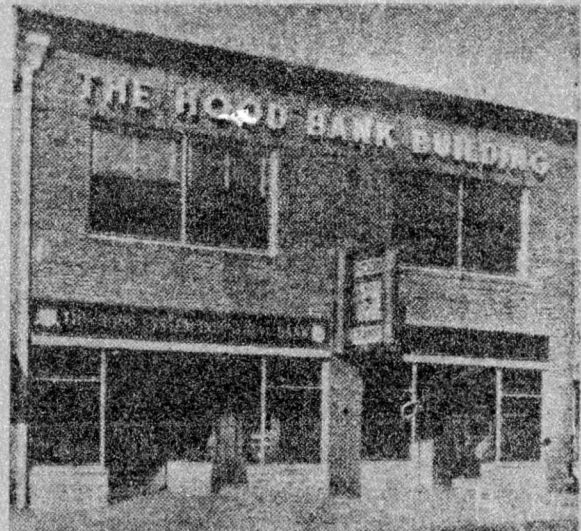
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