



NEW MEMBERS — These students at A&T College are now members of the Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, recently initiated via Alpha Nu chapter. In the group are, from left to right: (seated) James Hoyle, Shelby; Nathaniel Herring, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Henry Moultrie, Philadelphia, Pa.; Walter Rawlins, Raleigh. Those standing are, left to right: James Davis, Raleigh; Troy McMillan, Fayetteville; Harold Woodall, Macon, Ga.; James Lemon, Charleston, S. C.; Moses Wilds, Charleston, S. C., and Lemuel Harrison, Rocky Mount.

At Coast Guard Academy

Negro Cadet Named Class V-P

NEW LONDON, Conn. (ANP) — Merle J. Smith, Jr., whose appointment to the U. S. Coast Guard Academy made headlines, has been named vice president of his class.

Smith, a Negro, was elected to the office by his classmates, members of the Class of 1968.

In addition to holding a class office, Smith has a fine record at the Academy both academically and professionally. He is a member of the "JV" football squad and of the Protestant Chapel choir.

Cadet Smith won appointment to the Coast Guard Academy through competitive examination. His appointment was significant since it followed an observance by President Kennedy during his inauguration ceremonies that there were no Negroes in the Coast Guard units which participated.

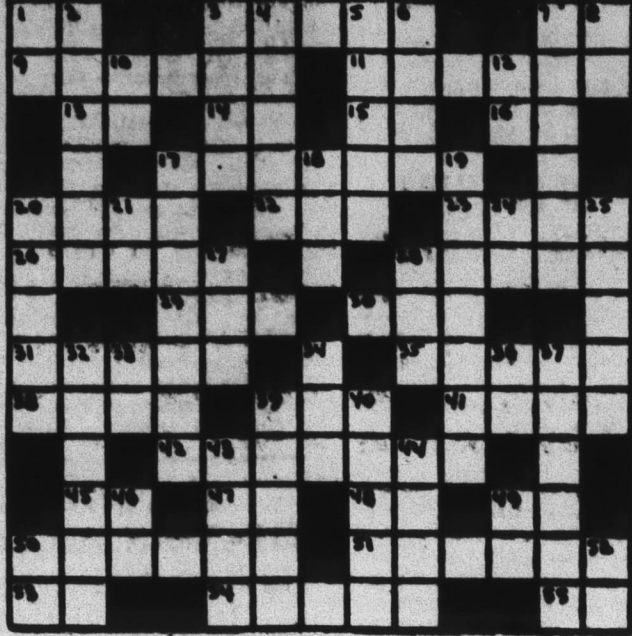
Action was taken to determine whether or not discrimination existed in the Academy. Officials said there was no policy of discrimination but admitted there were no Negro cadets at the time. Smith, the son of Army Lt. Col. and Mrs. Merle J. Smith, Sr., of Aberdeen, Md., passed the competitive examination and received appointment. Another Negro passed the examination but decided to enter another service academy.

Cab Calloway, former orchestra leader and popularizer of HI-DE-HO singing, was born in Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 25, 1907.

Actress Dorothy Dandridge is a native of Cleveland, O. The U. S. Department of State was founded as the Department of Foreign Affairs in 1871. It received its present name on Sept. 15, 1789. The 1962 tobacco harvest in Europe is forecast at 1,023 million pounds or about 200 million more than in 1961.

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- ACROSS**
- 1 - Metric unit of land measure
 - 3 - To reach
 - 7 - Parts of "logotharax"
 - 9 - Item
 - 11 - Meteorological line
 - 13 - Proceed
 - 14 - In reference
 - 15 - Definite article
 - 16 - Erbium (chem.)
 - 17 - Disposed
 - 20 - ... gts
 - 23 - Hawaiian wood
 - 24 - Epele
 - 25 - House
 - 26 - Church song
 - 29 - Clasp
 - 30 - Chromium
 - 31 - Sewal
 - 33 - Harshness
 - 34 - Sharp flavor
 - 39 - Still
 - 41 - A wrought out, in law
 - 42 - Approve
 - 43 - Not at all
- DOWN**
- 1 - Public notice
 - 2 - Entertain
 - 3 - Father
 - 4 - Shakespeare
 - 5 - Lariat
 - 6 - Blue
 - 7 - Of the white
 - 8 - Sider
 - 10 - Preposition
 - 12 - Sully
 - 17 - Communication
 - 18 - Histrionically
 - 19 - Chicago atom
 - 21 - New dancing
 - 22 - Pole support
 - 24 - Old English (abbr.)
 - 26 - Sun god
 - 28 - Synchron
 - 29 - Language
 - 32 - A wreath
 - 35 - Disposed
 - 36 - Geological formation (abbr.)
 - 37 - Self esteem
 - 38 - Proverbial
 - 39 - Inflation
 - 40 - A wreath
 - 44 - Cane
 - 45 - Correspondent's addition
 - 46 - U. S. state (abbr.)
 - 47 - Spanish "you"

Baha'is To Observe Human Rights Day

Human Rights Day, Prayer for Peace in Action, is the theme of special programs of prayer, sponsored by the Baha'is of Raleigh in observance of Human Rights Day. The meetings are open free to the public.

In announcing this year's Human Rights Day observance, Mrs. Frances Falvey, chairman of the local Baha'i community, said that prayers will be offered for the success of the Human Rights Day program as an instrument for peace in which all nations will together harmoni-

ously in one world much as do the States live together within our Country.

The first Human Rights Day program will be held Sunday at 8 o'clock with a second program taking place Wednesday, Dec. 12 at 8 o'clock. The first meeting will be held at 2402 VanDyke Ave. The second meeting will be held at 1815 Hadley Road.

Human Rights literature will be presented to all attending. Programs of Prayers for Peace, open to people of all religions, are being

held, in observance of Human Rights Day, by Baha'is in over 1,000 communities in the United States.

CALL IT A RAW DEAL
DARLINGTON, Eng.—John Raw, 19-year-old thief, ran into a church here or sanctuary, a court was told. It turned out he wasn't as safe as he had hoped.

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The Parmi Nous Club Sponsors Youth Clinic

CLAYTON — The Parmi Nous Club of Clayton entertained the parents, marshalls and prospective debutantes of 1963-64 at a clinic Thursday night at Cooper High School.

The club has chosen as its theme "Cultural Enrichment for our Youth."

At the clinic, Mrs. Winnie Lee-Well, the president of the club, explained "Why a Debutante Ball is held in Clayton." Miss Edith Ann Barbour, debutante queen of 1960 told, "What it meant to her to be a debutante." The parents, marshalls and prospective debutantes were introduced by Mrs. Ann Heartley, chairman of the debutante social committee. H. D. Heartley introduced the guest speaker, Miss Louise M. Latham, Dean of Women at North Carolina College. Miss Latham captured the heart of each person present with her dynamic approach to youth problems. She left this thought with the girls, "Live well today, for today well dream of happiness and every tomorrow a vision of hope. Live well therefore to this day."

Mr. Camshey, principal of Cooper School and advisor of the club gave remarks.

Guests were: Miss M. Smith, dormitory counselor at North Carolina College; Mrs. Lucille Heartley, instructor at Johnston County Training School and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lamberth of Clayton.

A beige lace cloth covered the refreshment table which was centered with an arrangement of red satin American Beauty Roses on white vases with green ivy. All other tables were covered with white linen cloths. The sixty-five persons present were served fine frappe and pink and green diamond shape cakes.

Mrs. Mable Barbour and Mrs. Harriet Patterson served as hostesses. Music by Montovani and Strauss was played while the guests were being served. Other clinics of this type are being planned for later on in the year.

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