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RECENT BRIDE



Mrs. Richard Aggrey Witherspoon, who prior to her marriage on November 29th, was Miss Nannie G. Green of this City. Mrs. Witherspoon is an employee of the N. C. Mutual Life Insurance Company, of this City and a graduate of N. C. College, while Mr. Witherspoon is teaching in Madison, N. C. He also attended N. C. College and was a star athlete during his days there.

COLLEGES ASS'N IN SESSION

N. C. College Host To Gathering Of Colleges And Secondary Schools

DURHAM — The sixth annual session of the Association of Colleges and Secondary schools for Negroes opened here in the B. N. Duke Auditorium of N. C. College at 9 o'clock, Thursday morning with a welcome address delivered by Dr. James E. Shepard, president of N. C. College. All of the sessions will be presided over by President Rufus E. Clement of Atlanta University, president of the association.

Said Dr. Shepard in his address of welcome, "It is a great pleasure to welcome you because of what you represent. Don't be satisfied with the good, but strive for the best."

"Durham is no mean city," said Dr. Shepard. "It has the largest colored insurance company in the world and the largest colored bank in the world, and the only bonding company owned by colored people."

There are 42 schools and 13 states represented at this year's meeting. The sessions will hold for two days and many interesting talks and addresses as well as papers will be delivered and read to the visiting delegates.

A banquet for the visitors will be held at the college dining room, Thursday evening.

THEY SAW THE EAGLES AND BULLDOGS CLASH NOV. 30



Here is a study in human emotions. The comedy piece of humanity standing is Miss Zora Hurston, director of the famous Bri-dra-so stagers of N. C. College and famous playwright. Seated in front of Miss Hurston is Dr. J. A. Valentine, pastor of St. Joseph AME church and Mrs. Valentine at his left. Third from Mrs. Valentine's left is Mrs. C. C. Amey.

Miss Katherine Burnett Dies After Illness

DURHAM — Funeral services for Miss Katherine Burnett, 25, of 1208 Fayetteville Street who died at Lincoln Hospital Friday, December 1, were held at the St. Joseph AME Church Sunday, Dec. 3.

Miss Burnett was a former student and graduate of the Hillside Park High School, during which time she was a star athlete. She also attended the West Virginia State College for a year, after which she obtained employment during summer at the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, where she remained as one of its most progressive punctual and well liked employees until the time of her death.

Miss Burnett carried beams of pleasantness about her at all times which endeared her to all who came in contact with her, in both business and social circles.

She was a faithful member of St. Joseph AME Church, Sunday School and Choir and also a member of the Scatterfield-Davis Dramatic Club and various other religious and social organizations.

Rev. J. A. Valentine, pastor officiated in the services.

Surviving Miss Burnett are, a mother, Mrs. Laura Burnett, one sister, Miss Nanie Ruth Burnett and two brothers Frank and Henry. Interment was in Violet Park Cemetery.

A&T Defeats NCC Before Large Crowd

DURHAM — Before a capacity crowd of more than 7000 frenzied fans, the A & T College Bulldogs defeated the N. C. College Eagles to the tune of 7-0 in their annual Turkey Day Classic here last Thursday.

For 56 minutes both teams battled in a 0-0 stalemate, then a pass from Moore to the Bulldogs decided the difference between a tie and defeat.

The fast charging of the Eagles great forward wall kept the Bulldogs in their own territory during the first half. Three times the Eagles entered the 1 yard stripe of the Bulldogs but were never successful enough to carry the ball over for the touchdown which might have given them a tie game. Once the ball was lost due to a fumble on downs and once a field goal was attempted by Anders but was wide.

It is thought that the injuries of Dick Mack and "Red" Davis in the last quarter was definitely an important reason for the loss of the game by the Eagles.

George Mack, the Eagles nominee for the All CIAA center position, was brought from the hospital to witness the encounter. Mack had been confined due to an injury sustained in a recent game.

For the Bulldogs, the passing of Moore and the headwork of Bruce played an important part in their history. Moore often ran or passed the Aggies to wonderful positions while Bruce's punting, which was not up to par due to fast charging of the Eagles' line, took the Bulldogs out of some tight spots.

The visitors were never able to penetrate into the ten yard line of the locals during the whole game until Moore's pass to Doder for 47 yards made possible the touchdown.

The 7,000 fans this year came from many states north and south as well as from North Carolina, Indiana, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia and North Carolina were among the states represented at this year's classic.

Mrs. Mary J. Fitzgerald Dies

DURHAM — Miss Mary J. Fitzgerald, 85, died Nov. 30, 7:15 P. M. at her home 802 Kent St.

Miss Fitzgerald was born in Chester County Penn and came to Hillsboro in 1867 with her parent Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fitzgerald. Miss Fitzgerald taught school for a number of years after which she lived with her sister the late Mrs. Clez and later on she made her home with her niece Mrs. Mamie Reynolds.

The greatest boldness ought to appear in our measures, that we may redeem gentleness from the imputation of fear. The blustering have least courage.

"Aunt Mary", as nearly everybody knew her, was a lovely character, with a kind word and a smile for everyone. The funeral was conducted at the home of her niece by Rev. O. D. Stanley. Interment was in Beechwood Cemetery. She leaves many relatives to mourn their loss.

BOY, 17, IS SOLOIST WITH DENVER SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

DENVER, (ANP)—A 17-year-old Negro boy, Eugene Gash, was guest soloist with the Denver Civic Symphony orchestra at its second concert held Sunday afternoon at the Denver auditorium.

A pianist of remarkable ability, young Gash was called back for two encores by the audience that packed the auditorium. The orchestra is conducted by Horace E. Tureman.

TUSKEGEE GIVES ALA. GOVERNOR HIS TURKEY

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (ANP)—When Gov. Dixon sat down to his Thanksgiving dinner Thursday on the "traditional" day, his main dish was the product of Tuskegee institute's poultry section, a 15 pound turkey. It was sent to the governor with the best wishes of the school.

Contractors Escape Death In Auto Mishap

SOUTH HILL, Va. — Death struck again here Sunday morning at six o'clock when Willie Woods, 36, Durham, N. C., was killed instantly on highway number one, about three miles south of the city, after the car he was driving had been sideswiped by a large truck driven by C. C. Brooks, white, Lake Harbor, Florida.

E. D. Barnes, Washington and Durham contractor, was seriously injured and had to be rushed to St. Phillips Hospital, Richmond. Mrs. Isabella Barnes, wife of the contractor, and Mrs. Hettie Speights, daughter, were also slightly injured and had to be given first aid treatment both here and in Richmond.

Mrs. Barnes, only person able to give an account of the accident, described it by saying that as they approached the truck she noticed that the truck was coming very close to the car in which they were riding. At this time the two vehicles came together. The weight of the truck caused the car, a thirty eight Plymouth sedan, to turn over three of four times.

The impact threw Woods outside and before anyone reached him he was dead. An examination disclosed a piece of wood had gone thru the side of his face down into his breast and severed his jugular vein. This piece of wood was about four inches wide and six or eight inches long.

It was quite difficult to get medical attention for the injured person and it was almost an hour before first aid attention was administered. Barnes was found to be suffering from broken ribs and serious cuts about the head and face. First attention was given by Dr. R. S. Montgomery, white, this city. Mr. Barnes was reported as resting well at this writing and unless complications set in was expected to be released.

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JUST BEFORE AND DURING THE ANNUAL NCC EAGLES AND A AND T. TURKEY-DAY-CLASSIC



Just before the Thanksgiving Day battle began between the Eagles of North Carolina College and the Aggies and A & T. Co-captains Dick Mack, (left) and Peter White, extreme right, are shown shaking hands with Captain William Gould of A and T. This packed game was won by A & T when a pass was completed in the shadow of the goal during the last minutes of play. At the right is shown a portion of the frenzied crowd of more than 7,000 who saw the Eagles out play the Aggies for 56 minutes only to lose 7-0.