

DAVIS REFUSES TO MEET COMMITTEE

First Student And Instructor



THE STARK'S BEAUTY COLLEGE NUMBER TWO has just received an honor roll which was presented to them by Mr. Bates, one of Hendersonville's leading jewelers. The honor roll is a symbol to value the quality of students turned out by the Stark's Beauty College Number

2. Holding the trophy is Mrs. Denino Austin of this city, first student of the school and wife of Lodiua Austin, superintendent of the CAROLINA TIMES plant. Sitting is Mrs. Zerlina Bradley, manager of the school. Mrs. Bradley is a graduate of the Be-Guiale Beauty Academy of

Minneapolis, Minn., largest Beauty Academy of its kind in the United States, of which she finished with top honors. Her experience in the Beauty culture field is unlimited. She has held position from both Negro and White Beauty Academies as instructor and Hair Styling.

Hearing On Kittrell Is Set For Friday In Vance

DURHAM — The CAROLINA TIMES learned Thursday from reliable sources that Bishop M. H. Davis of the A.M.E. church refused to have a conference with a committee of laymen in an effort to heal the breach between the Bishop and certain members of the church over the disposal of certain bonds belonging to Kittrell College.

The committee was appointed by a group of laymen, and are plaintiffs in an injunction action restraining Bishop Davis from disposing of 625 shares of American Tobacco and Duke Power and Light stock. A representative states that the effort to confer with the Bishop was made for the purpose of not adding more expenses to the College and Church by a long drawn out court procedure.

Rather than condescend to given an account of the total indebtedness, itemized, the Bishop seemingly preferred to go to courts, and the case will be tried at two thirty Friday afternoon before Judge Leo Carr in Graham.

As has been reported, a meeting was held about the middle of February at Kittrell College, and out of it came the restraining order. Since this order has made it impossible to mortgage the property of Kittrell College, another meeting was called on March 22nd in Richmond, Virginia, at which time the quorum of trustees present gave the Bishop authority to hypothecate the Duke Power Stock left as an endowment fund to the institution to liquidate the indebtedness against the college which totals more than \$50,000.00, of which amount the Bishop claims that the College owes him more

than fourteen thousand dollars. The Virginia Annual Conference in recent session exonerated the Bishop of any dishonest act on his part and stated that there were certain sums the college actually owed him. The committee agrees that the college has debts, but would like an opportunity of going over the items which go to make up the total, and feel that, as an integral part of the church, they have a right to see the figures.

The committee feels that the issue is moral rather than legal and it seems to the best interest of all concerned that the Bishop could have met with its committee and settled the matter out of court. It is stated that when the group met to discuss this matter the stock was already in process of sale and a restraining order was necessary until such time as the Bishop and his group could meet with the committee.

Elks Sponsor Sunday Program

DURHAM — The Elks I. B. P. O. E. of W. joined in the 14th annual education session at Mt. Gilead Baptist Church, Sunday, April 14 at 3 o'clock.

Opening — by Chaplin, Brother Shaw

Welcome address — J. L. Holloway

Response — E. Ruler Pratt

Solo — With Mrs. Roxie Alston joining the choir, "When I come

DRESS SHOP REOPENS

M'LADY'S DRESS SHOP is now open for business at its new location at the intersection of Fayetteville and Pettigrew Sts. The newly renovated and decorated building is modern in every respect, very attractively arranged, and there is a wide variety of stock from which selections may be made. Mrs. C. C. Potter, proprietress of the shop, wishes to thank the ladies of Durham for their past patronage, and to pledge an even improved type of service at the new store.

WATCH next week's issue of the CAROLINA TIMES for a detailed announcement of the Formal Opening of M'LADY'S DRESS SHOP.

to the end of my journey." Recital — Miss Plaisie Selection — Diamond Jubilee Quartette Recital — Mrs. Denino Austin, "God's Gift to Man" Solo — Mrs. Holloway Speaker — Bro. Freddie Johnson introduced by Bro. Harris Selection — Quartette Paper — Dorothy Allen Remarks — Rev. Wimblerly, pastor. Collection — \$16.04

Physician Seeks High Position

DURHAM — Dr. J. N. Mills, practicing physician here for many years, recently filed as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the Democratic Primary. E. R. Avant, campaign manager, stated to the CAROLINA TIMES that it is their intention to make a real fight for the position. He emphasized that the campaign is in no measure for the purpose of securing publicity, but because the candidate feels that, if elected one of the five Durham County Commissioners, he can serve well both his community and people.

Dr. Mills is a highly successful physician, having been practicing here for twenty five years. He is at present chief of staff at the Lincoln Hospital, and school physician at North Carolina College for Negroes. He also holds a high office in the National Medical Association, and is past president of the Old North State Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Association.

Attorney Avant, Dr. Mills' campaign manager, states that there are two main reasons he believes the Durham County Voters should support his candidate. Said the attorney, "Dr. Mills is, in the first place, eminently qualified by training, experience, and all round ability for the position. In the second place, being the only Negro candidate, he represents the largest minority group and election to the office will enable that group to have fuller participation in participation in governmental function."

Dr. Mills holds substantial property in the city and county, and is one of Durham's most respected physicians. While his Please turn to page eight

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DEDICATING NEW DURHAM PUBLIC LIBRARY



DR. JAMES E. SHEPARD, president of North Carolina College is shown as he delivered the main address at the opening of the Stanford L. Warren Public last Sunday afternoon. The library represents an investment of \$45,800.00, and is

auditorium of the library. At far left is Prof. E. D. Mickles, Master of ceremonies, and next to him is Mayor W. F. Carr, who brought greetings to the group. The library represents an investment of \$45,800.00, and is

controlled by a corporation. It is supported by the City and County, and by rental income from three parcels of real estate owned by the corporation. It is modern in every manner, and an example of what can be accomplished through cooperation between public and private interests. It was named in honor of Dr. Warren, physician, who served many years as president of the Durham Colored Library. —(Reuben-Rudolph Photo)

Citizens League Gov. Clyde Hoey Is Holds Meet Speaker At Bi-Race Meet

CHARLOTTE — The Citizens League held its annual meeting at the Phillips Wheatley Branch YWCA here on Monday evening and elected officers for the ensuing year. Much business of importance was discussed during the evening.

Despite protests from most of the persons at the meeting, Dr. H. L. McCrory who has served as president for several years would not stand for reelection because the pressure of other duties required his absence from the city much of the time. Prof. W. H. Stinson was elected to fill the president's chair. Other officers include, Dr. R. L. Anderson, vice president, H. S. Adams secretary, W. F. Alexander, assistant secretary and J. S. Davidson, treasurer.

Murder

KILLS ESTRANGED WIFE. THEN TAKES OWN LIFE

GOLDSBORO — Failing to effect a reconciliation with his wife of a year from whom he had been separated since March 31, Clinton Jones, 23, fired three shots into her body and head then took his own life, last week.

The dead woman is Mrs. Christine Jones, 19. The shooting occurred in the 500 block of East Spruce Street as Mrs. Jones, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Annie B. Leggett, were enroute to the movies.

Since their separation, Jones Please turn to page eight

Special to the TIMES KINSTON — The necessity of increasing the moral and spiritual progress along with the state's material prosperity was emphasized by Gov. Clyde R. Hoey in the principal address at the 21st annual meeting of the State Interracial Conference in last week.

The conference lent itself to the general discussion of housing problems and various speakers stressed the mutuality of the problems incident to sub-standard housing and slum conditions regardless of racial lines. Bishop Edwin A. Penick, Raleigh, chairman of the State Commission, presided.

Governor Hoey outlined the progress made by the State along educational lines, declaring that an eighth month's school term is provided for both races.

The speaker observed that the state has erected six new buildings on colored campuses during his administration.

"In 1933," the governor stated, "North Carolina spent \$16, 000,000 for educational institutions; in 1940, it will spend \$26,750,000, and in 1941, \$27, 000,000."

The governor reviewed the prison record and commended the parole system for its rehabilitation work. He urged the appointment of local committees throughout the state to assist former prisoners to reabsorb themselves into useful places.

"The officers of the state are thoroughly imbued with the sense of responsibility of their duties to protect people of all races from mob violence," he continued, "and during my administration there has not been a Trade Union Athletic Association."

SEEKS OFFICE



DR. J. N. MILLS, Durham physician, who seeks the office of County Commissioner in the coming elections. Dr. Mills is the only Negro to file for office. His campaign will be managed by Attorney E. R. Avant, and they promise that they will fight to the finish.

Burned

MAN IS BURNED IN FREAK ACCIDENT

SHARPSBURG — Mack H. garage attendant here was burned when sharp back flames from an automobile struck him, setting them afire. Running out of the garage in Harris was knocked down several persons standing near, who poured water on him and rolled him on the ground until aid came. Harris was said to be serious, but responding satisfactorily to treatment.

JAMES A. WHITTED FACULTY HONORS PRINCIPAL



PROF. G. A. EDWARD, principal of the James A. Whitted elementary school, shown with members of his faculty, on the occasion of a recent Honorary

Surprise Birthday party given by them for him. Shown in the picture are, seated, left to right, Miss I. E. Horton, Mesdames Lucille, J. Hancock, W. D. Morris

W. H. Hill, Miss Kenney, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Edwards, Mesdames M. L. Newby, Sarah J. Pratt, G. M. Roberson, William Allen, Mesdames Hortense Wil-

son and J. B. Bradshaw, standing Mesdames W. Alston, M. L. Gilmore, M. M. Hill and N. L. Baldwin, Miss C. S. Young. —(Reuben-Rudolph Photo)