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# Howard U. To Offer Ph.D In Chemistry

## Charges \$21,000 Taken By Officers Of Elkdom

WASHINGTON, D. C. Filing plainly labeled charges of fraud against Elks Grand Secretary William C. Hueston and the late J. Finley Wilson arising out of the purchase of the "John Brown Farm" at Harper's Ferry, West Va., Trezzvant W. Anderson last week asked Elks Trial Board action against Hueston.

Last December, Anderson filed a suit in U.S. District Court here against Hueston and the estate of the late Mr. Wilson, charging them with making "secret profits" of \$21,000 in their sale of the property to the Elks in 1949 for \$30,000.

Hueston and the late Mr. Wilson brought the farm in December 1948 for \$9,000, Anderson says. Hueston told the Elks it cost \$28,000 says Anderson.

In asking for action against Hueston by the Elks themselves, Mr. Anderson also tossed in a new wrinkle. He demanded that Perry W. Howard, Grand Legal Advisor of the Elks, represent the Grand Lodge in the effort to recover the \$21,000 allegedly gotten from the Elks by fraud, as Anderson charges.

Pointing out that Mr. Howard is paid \$233.88 a month salary by the Elks and also given \$2,000 a year for expenses of his office at 613 F St., N.W., here, Anderson reminded Grand Exalted Ruler Robert H. Johnson of the fact that Mr. Howard had served as defense counsel for Mr. Hueston when Anderson's suit was heard last Feb. That suit was dismissed on grounds that Anderson had not exhausted his resources within the Elks.

Anderson asked that the Grand Lodge join him in this new move as a co-complainant against Mr. Hueston, saying that if the Grand Lodge does not join as co-complainant he reserves the right to name the Grand Lodge as a "co-defendant" in any future action arising.

## NEGRO DOCTORS ADMITTED TO THE N. C. MEDICAL SOCIETY

PINEHURST By a vote of 104-37 the North Carolina Medical Society accepted the recommendations of a five-man committee here Tuesday to admit Negro physicians to scientific membership in the organization "for the good of humanity." Scientific membership does not carry with it the right to hold office and participate in the social affairs of the society. What the reaction of the Negro physicians will be remains to be seen.

The five-man committee was appointed five years ago to study the matter of admitting Negro physicians and its recommendation came after much thought and deliberation over the matter.

## Jackson And Waynick NCC Finals Speakers

DURHAM Dr. Joseph H. Jackson, president of the National Baptist Convention and the Hon. Capus M. Waynick, former ambassador to Nicaragua, are the 1955 commencement speakers at N. C. College.

Dr. Alfonso Elder, president of NCC, announced last night that Dr. Jackson, who is also pastor of the Olivet Baptist Church of Chicago, will give the annual baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, May 29, at 3:30 p.m. in the Men's Gymnasium.

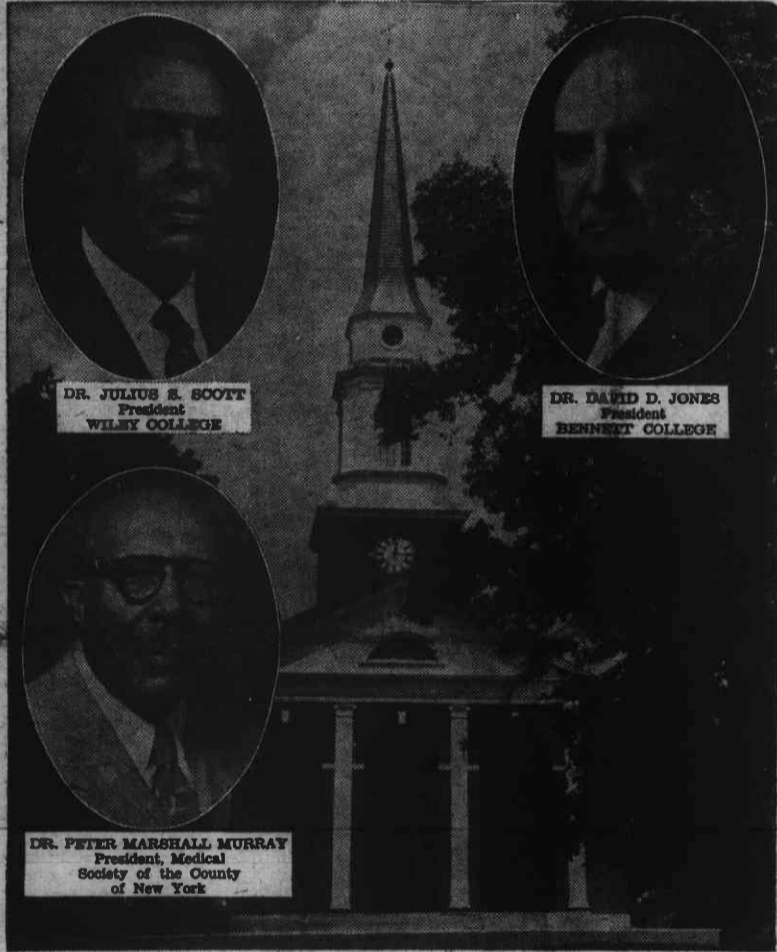
Mr. Waynick, former career man in state governmental services before entering the diplomatic corps, will deliver the final address to some 340 candidates for undergraduate, graduate and professional degrees in the gymnasium at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, May 31.

As in past years, a special Commencement Committee has made elaborate plans to entertain the parents, friends, and relatives of the graduates. The alumni will be guests of President and Mrs. Alfonso Elder in the president's home at 1902 Fayetteville Street immediately after baccalaureate service. Graduates, their families and friends are among the honorees at this annual affair.

Dr. Jackson is a native of Coahoma County, Mississippi. He received the A.B. degree at Jackson College, Jackson, Miss., the B. Th., from the same institution; the B.D. degree from Colgate-Rochester Divinity School; the M.A. degree at Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska, and an honorary D.D. (Please turn to Page Ten)

Said Dr. James P. Rousseau of Winston-Salem, new president of the Society, "We acted for the good of humanity. We faced a question that had to be solved. We could no longer evade it and we did not. If by our action last night, we help one Negro physician to serve humanity more effectively, then our action was well worthwhile."

The question of admitting Negroes was probably the most momentous decision the society has had to make in its history. Prior to the vote the House of Delegates adopted a resolution censuring the Mecklenburg County Medical Society for admitting Negroes to membership before the parent body had settled the matter.



Principals in and scene of 82-nd commencement exercises to be held at Bennett College, Greensboro, N. C., May 29-30. Dr. Scott will deliver the baccalaureate address at 4 p.m. on Sunday, May 29 in Annie Mar-ner Pfeiffer Chapel and Dr. Murray will make the commencement address at exercises which will begin at 10:30 a.m., Monday, May 30. Dr. David D. Jones, president of the college, will preside on both occasions.

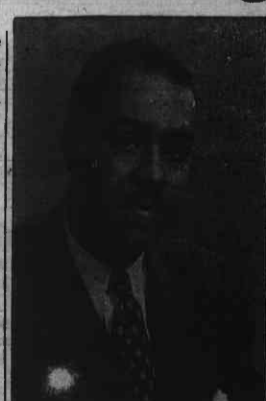
## Wilkins To Address Mass Meeting Sun.

CHARLOTTE ROY WILKINS, Executive Secretary, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will deliver the main address at a special NAACP Freedom Day Celebration to be held at 3:30 o'clock in the Memorial Auditorium in Raleigh, Sunday, May 8.

Another feature of the meeting will be a Memorial Service for Walter White. The memorial service message will be delivered by the Reverend H. H. Little, Professor of Practical Theology, Hood Theological Seminary, Livingstone College, Salisbury.

The Honorable Fred B. Wheeler, Mayor of Raleigh, will welcome delegates. Wilkins will be introduced by J. H. Wheeler, President of the Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Durham, and Carl DeVane, Professor of Sociology, Shaw University, Raleigh, will respond to the address.

Other participants on the program will be the Reverend P. H. Johnson, Pastor of Martin Street Baptist Church, Raleigh; Street Baptist Church, Raleigh; Secretary-N. C. State Conference, Tarboro; The Reverend J. R. Funderburk, Chairman of the State Conference Life Membership Committee; Mrs. Ruth H. Morgan, Vice Presi-



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## Last Rites Held For Mrs. Lula Goodloe In S. C.

BEAUFORT, S. C. Mrs. Lula Goodloe, resident of Durham for more than seventy-five (75) years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robbie G. Wright, 1015 Prince Street, Beaufort, S. C., on Wed. April 27. Mrs. Goodloe was a loyal and faithful member of White Rock Baptist Church where she was quite active in missionary work until illness forced her to take up residence with her daughter in Beaufort.

Funeral services were held at the Tabernacle Baptist Church in Beaufort Saturday, April 30, at 2:00 P. M. with the Rev. Sharp officiating.

Mrs. Goodloe is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Robbie G. Wright of Beaufort, two sons, Reginald and Stephen Goodloe, from Pennsylvania and New York respectively three grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

## 87-Year-Old School Gets First Doctorate Degree Since Founding

### DR. PATTERSON, DR. NEWMAN FINALS SPEAKERS AT SHAW UNIV.

RALEIGH Commencement Exercises are to take place at Raleigh Memorial Auditorium Monday afternoon, May 30, at 3:30 p.m.

Dr. William R. Strassner, President of Shaw University has announced the schedule of Commencement Events as follows:

Sunday, May 22, at 6:00 p.m. the Annual Musical Concert featuring the University Choral Society, will be held in Greenleaf Auditorium.

Baccalaureate services Sunday afternoon, May 29, at 3:00 will formally open the Ninetieth Commencement Season at the University. The annual sermon will be delivered by Dr.



DR. F. D. PATTERSON and the address will be made by Dr. Frederick D. Patterson, President of the United Negro College Fund, New York, N. Y.

Other final events include Class Night Exercises to be held Friday, May 27, at 8:00 p.m. in Greenleaf Auditorium; the University Dinner, Saturday, May 28, at 7:30, University Dining Hall; the President's reception, honoring graduating classes, relatives, alumni and friends, President's home, East Campus, Sunday, May 29, at 5:00 p.m.

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WASHINGTON, D. C. The Board of Trustees of Howard University, in its annual spring meeting held at the University on Tuesday, April 26th, authorized the Department of Chemistry to offer a program of studies leading to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, beginning with the school year, 1955-56.

This will be the first program at the University to offer the Ph.D. degree in the school's 87-year history.

Other action taken by the trustees included the appointment of Dr. Robert S. Jason, A.B., Lincoln University, M.D., Howard University, Ph.D. University of Chicago, Professor and Head of the Department of Pathology, Howard University, College of Medicine, as Dean of the College of Medicine beginning May 1 1955. He will succeed Dr. Joseph L. Johnson, whose term of office as Dean of the College of Medicine and as Dean of the School of Medicine was terminated effective April 30, 1955. Dr. Johnson continues on indefinite tenure as a professor of physiology in the College of Medicine.

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