

# 23 Ministers Named For Holy Land Contest Trip



JFK HEARS PROBLEMS OF NEGRO SCHOOLS — President John F. Kennedy met with a group of distinguished Negro educators for nearly an hour last Wednesday in the White House. They discussed

problems of financing for private colleges and the President indicated his keen interest. Those present during the conference, left to right, were Sect. Ribicoff (not shown) of the Department of

Health, Education and Welfare, Dr. Luther Foster of Tuskegee, Dr. Benjamin Mays of Morehouse College, William Trent of the United Negro College Fund and Dr. Albert Dent of Dillard University.

Also with the President but not shown in the above photograph were Dr. Fred Patterson, former Tuskegee President and Dr. Stephen Wright, President of Fisk University.

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### Negro Doctor Admitted To White Hospital

WINSTON-SALEM — Dr. Joseph M. Walker Jr., a Winston-Salem surgeon, this week became the first Negro physician to be named to the medical staff of all-white City Hospital.

Dr. Walker, 50, was among 33 physicians to be granted courtesy staff privileges by the Winston-Salem Hospital Commission. More than 130 doctors were appointed to the staff by the commission in a five-minute meeting Tuesday night.

A doctor with courtesy staff privileges doesn't practice regularly at City Hospital. But he has the privilege of requesting and receiving permission to place a patient in the hospital.

Walker's privileges extend to his specialty — surgery. That means that he may perform surgery on a patient in City Hospital and have that patient assigned to a room at the hospital.



HARRIS

### Ex-Durhamite Succumbs From Heart Attack

Final rites for Charles Edward (Fieldmouse) Harris, former Durhamite who died in Washington early this week, will be held Sunday at the White Rock. See HARRIS, page 2-A.

### NEWS IN BRIEF

### Pearson PTA Carnival, Delta Show in Oxford are Coming Events

The W. G. Pearson School Parent-Teachers Association has set its annual Carnival at the school for Tuesday night, March 6.

The Carnival, an event which yearly attracts city-wide interest, will feature numerous games, dances, movies, and other attractions.

Concession stands will be maintained throughout the school with prizes offered.

Money to be earned from the Carnival will be applied to the project for providing free lunches for underprivileged children at the school as well as other PTA projects.

### OXFORD-HENDERSON DELTAS TO PRESENT NCC BAND, DANCE GROUP NEXT FRIDAY

The Oxford-Henderson Alumnae Chapter, of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. presents the NORTH CAROLINA COLLEGE BAND and DANCE GROUP in a concert at the OXFORD ARMORY on FRIDAY, MARCH 9 at 8:15 p.m.

Last year's Queen and Princess of the Jabberwock will be on hand to crown this year's Queen and Princess.

Following this affair, a dance will be given in honor of our Queens and Princesses. The public is cordially invited.

### HILLSIDE PTA WILL MEET MONDAY

The Hillside High School Parent-Teacher Association will hold its regular meeting next Monday night, March 5, at 8 p.m. in the school auditorium.

As a special feature of the meeting, Mrs. E. M. King, Guidance Counselor at Hillside, and Mrs. E. M. Herndon of the guidance department, will serve as speakers on the subject "drop-outs."

### NATIONAL STUDENT EXAMS SLATED AT LITTLE RIVER

The National Merit Qualifying examination will be given to 11th grade students at Little River high school on Tuesday March 6, at nine p.m. Mrs. Lenoris S. Hooker reported this week.

The three hour examination is used to select students who receive scholarships to college. A National Education Develop See BRIEFS, page 2-A.

### NOMINATIONS OPEN

### Voting in Ministers Contest For Free Trip to Commence March 5

A total of 23 ministers were nominated this week to win big prizes in the CAROLINA TIMES Ministers' Vacation Popularity Contest, as voting is slated to get underway on Monday, March 5.

One of the ministers nominated will spend his summer vacation in the Holy Land, courtesy of the CAROLINA TIMES. That's right. The trip to the Holy Land is first prize in the Ministers' Vacation Contest. Second prize is a round trip vacation to Bermuda for some lucky minister. And the third prize is a round trip vacation to New York.

Here's how the contest works. On page 4-B of this issue appears an advertisement announcing the big contest. To nominate the minister you wish to win (nominations are still open), simply fill in his name and address on the nomination blank and mail or bring it to the CAROLINA TIMES.

Your nomination will automatically give the minister 5,000 points. (The minister with the highest number of points at the end of the contest wins.)

Voting in the contest will begin on Monday, March 5, and will continue for three 2-week periods, ending April 14. During this time, beginning with this week's CAROLINA TIMES, a blank ballot will appear in each issue of the paper. Clip the ballot and write in your favorite minister's name and mail or bring it to the CAROLINA TIMES, 436 E. Pettigrew St., Durham, N. C. You may vote for a minister as many times as you wish. Each ballot will count for 5,000 points.

See CONTEST, page 2-A.



McDONALD

### Durhamite Elected Over 3,000 At First NAACP Confab in Miss.

JACKSON, MISS. — LaFayette McDonald, of Durham, N. C., was elected president of the NAACP youth organizations of the Southeast region here last week as several outstanding Negro personalities took part in the first major NAACP convention ever to be held in Mississippi.

Archie Moore, Floyd Patterson, Jackie Robinson, Curtis See NAACP, page 2-A.

### "CHICKEN SHACK" SHOOTING

## VICTIM NEAR DEATH

"The Chicken Shack," a grill on Bivens Rd. in Lebanon Township, was the scene of a near-fatal shooting Saturday night.

Fletcher Hughes, 20, of Rt. 2, Hurdell Mills was hit in the head by a .22 calibre pistol bullet as a result of an argument with a 17-year-old youth.

Held in connection with the shooting is Sterling Eugene Whitted, 17, Rt. 2, Guess Rd. He has been charged with assault and battery with a deadly weapon with intent to kill and placed under \$1,000 bond.

The victim, who was admitted to Duke Hospital at 10:30 p.m. Saturday, was described in "critical" condition at press-time. The bullet entered his head just above the right eye and lodged at the base of his skull. He was described as being completely paralyzed on the right side of his body.

Sheriffs Deputies L. R. Watson and J. E. Wheeler reported the shooting occurred during an argument and quoted Whitted as saying that Hughes "came after me with a knife." He said he pulled a pistol from his pocket and fired one time, deputies said they were told.

Whitted said he then ran from the grill into a nearby woods where he threw away the pistol and headed for home.

Whitted, accompanied by his father, turned himself in at the sheriff's office about 9 a. m. See VICTIM, page 2-A.



SHOOTING SCENE — Pictured here is the "Chicken Shack," an entertainment spot which was the scene of a near

fatal shooting last Saturday night. The "Chicken Shack," which features dancing to juke box music, is located on

Bivens Road in Lebanon township approximately four and half miles from the city. photo by Rivera

## M&F Opens Charlotte Bank; More Rites Sun.

CHARLOTTE — Lorimer D. Milton, president of the Citizens Trust Co., Atlanta, Ga., the nation's largest bank operated by Negroes, will deliver the dedicatory speech for the Charlotte branch of the Mechanics and Farmers Bank at 4 p.m. Sunday, March 4, in the Johnson C. Smith University Church.

The program is open to the public.

The new Charlotte branch held ribbon cutting ceremonies on Thursday March 1, opening day.

An open-house ceremony featuring tours of the new two story \$160,000 Norman brick See BANK, page 2-A.

### SMITH CO-ED CUTS RIBBON

CHARLOTTE — Miss Mary Roberts, senior at Johnson C. Smith University, cut the ribbon across the entrance of the new branch of Mechanics and Farmers bank here shortly after nine a. m. Thursday.

Locally opening the new bank for its first day of business. Crowds of spectators and first day depositors kept the branch's personnel busy throughout the morning opening. See CEREMONY, page 2-A.



MILTON



WHEELER

### Economic Boycott In Edenton

EDENTON — "Wear old clothes with new dignity." This has become the slogan of Negroes in this small town, who last week, called for a boycott of the entire downtown area of Edenton.

Led by Golden A. Frinks and the Rev. F. H. LaGarde, Negroes at a mass meeting Sunday night, agreed to provide transportation for others to nearby cities to purchase necessary things. A national cosmetics and household goods company has also been contracted to provide many items.

The boycott, according to the leaders, will last for at least three weeks or "as long as we feel it is necessary."

"Our aim in staging this boycott is to let the downtown merchants know that we are not satisfied with situations as they are now. We want them to know that See BOYCOTT, page 2-A.

### NEW NCC TRUSTEE

Pictured above is W. H. Davenport, principal of Eppes High School in Greenville, who this week was appointed to the board of trustees at North Carolina College to replace John G. Clarke who resigned recently.

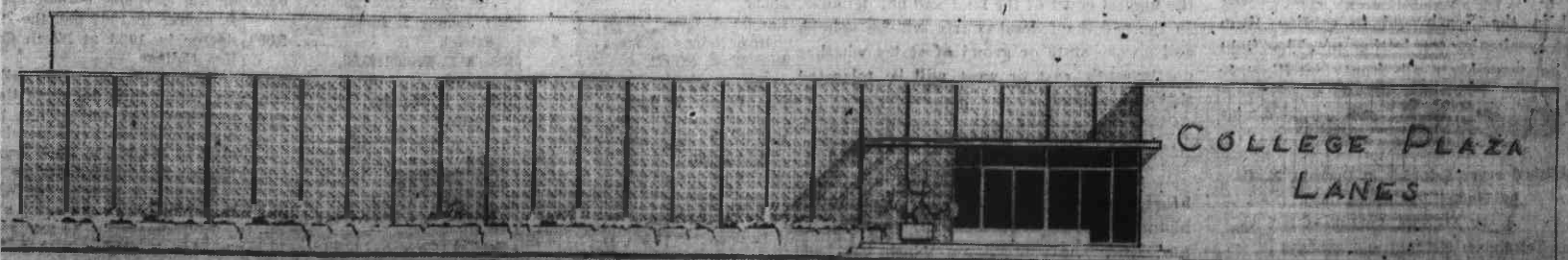
### Integrate, N. C. School Board Told

CHARLOTTE — The North Carolina Council on Human Relations this week called on school boards in the state to seriously consider making plans to desegregate public schools.

A statement outlining six reasons why the council believes the time is ripe for desegregation was sent to the school boards and superintendents of schools throughout the state.

The reasons, as set forth by the council's executive committee:

1. "It is now generally recognized that forced racial segregation is morally wrong."
2. "Segregation as is practiced in the schools of our state today, is contrary to the law, both state and federal."
3. "Year by year, delay in complying with the school desegregation laws have sorely See INTEGRATE, page 2-A.



### WORK BEGUN ON SHOPPING CENTER BOWLING ALLEY

Work was scheduled to begin soon on a new \$175,000 bowling alley being constructed in the College Plaza Shopping center, located off South Fayetteville street in Durham. Pictured

above is the architect's conception of the 24 lane alley. A. Greenberg, owner of the center, announced the appointment of North Carolina College graduate James Fowler

as manager of the recreation facility. He said Fowler has spent the past two years working in bowling in New York. The new bowling alley

will be operated by Delta Bowling Corp. of New York, a national chain with operations in Florida, South Carolina, Louisiana and Delaware. The

center will be equipped with automatic machinery, will contain a lounge, a nursery, a restaurant-lunchroom, locker facilities and meeting rooms

for league activities. A. M. Ham is architect for the building. Greenberg said the bowling alley is expected to be ready for use on June 1.