

# Dungee Continues To Lead In Ministers Contest

## DUKE MAY ADMIT HIGH SCHOOL GRADS SEPT.

### All Contestants Prepare for Final Rush as Holy Land Race Nears End

Rev. John R. Dungee of Henderson continued to hold on tenaciously by a narrow margin in the Carolina Times second annual Ministers Vacation Popularity contest. With the closing of the first week of the final two weeks period at noon Monday, April 22, the contest will have only one more week to go before the curtain is rung down at noon Monday, April 29.

With votes coming in from all over the nation by letter and by friends and supporters of the various contestants the office of the Times was snowed under last week in trying to tabulate all of the ballots that had come in up to noon Wednesday.

From all indications the going will be rough, tough and mighty during the closing week. As it now stands the final outcome is definitely not in the bag. Any one of the top 10 contestants may spring a last moment surprise and walk off with the Grand Prize which is a free airplane round trip to the Holy Land.

Trailing Rev. Dungee this week is Rev. A. D. Moseley of Durham, Rev. J. H. Jones of Danville, Va., Rev. J. C. Harris of Statesville who is still clinging to fourth place to which he advanced last week, Rev. T. H. Murphy of Henderson and Rev. W. T. Bigelow of Durham.

There was also indications that Rev. A. W. Lawson of Durham, Rev. Kermit DeGraffenreid of Pittsboro and Rev. J. R. Manley were still in the fight. Supporters for all three of the last named showed this week that they are determined to keep their favorite of one of the three prizes which minister within striking distance in addition to the Holy Land trip consists of a free airplane round trip to Bermuda as the second prize and a free airplane round trip to New York as the third prize.

This week's relative standing up to Wednesday noon is as follows:

Rev. John R. Dungee, Henderson	4,380,500
Rev. A. D. Moseley, Durham	4,359,500
Rev. J. H. Jones, Danville, Va.	3,998,500
Rev. J. C. Harris, Statesville	3,275,000
Rev. T. H. Murphy, Henderson	3,102,500
Rev. W. T. Bigelow, Durham	2,969,500
Rev. A. W. Lawson, Durham	2,657,000
Rev. Kermit DeGraffenreid, Pittsboro	2,486,500
Rev. J. R. Manley, Chapel Hill	1,889,500
Rev. I. W. Choates, Durham	1,402,500
Rev. Walter Yarborough, Franklinton	1,214,000
Rev. Z. D. Harris, Durham	1,012,000
Rev. R. L. Speaks, Durham	1,010,500
Rev. E. L. Kirby Reidville	896,500
Bishop M. T. Mitchell, Baltimore, Md.	767,500
Rev. J. H. Thomas, East Orange, N. J.	522,500
Rev. K. O. P. Goodwin, Winston-Salem	449,000
Rev. L. T. Daye, Mebane	307,500
Rev. J. W. Smith, Durham	306,000
Rev. G. A. Gilchrist, Littleton	304,500
Rev. Clyde Johnson, Weldon	215,000
Rev. Otto Smith, Durham	212,500

### Philip Faces Trial in Abortion Case

### Admissions Head Says Applications Being Processed

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### Durham Man Named by Wake White Woman

Winston Peter Philip, 58 year old Durham resident, is facing charges of performing a criminal abortion on a 39 year old white woman who police say named him after she became ill and was taken to a Wake County hospital.

Philip, arrested and jailed late Sunday, was placed under \$5,000 bond early this week.

Police have charged him with performing an abortion on Mrs. Mary D. Woodward, white, of Wilson, on Saturday night.

Charges were lodged after Mrs. Woodward was taken to Wake Memorial hospital Sunday afternoon.

Philip, who at one time operated Durham Surgical Supply Co. at 412 S. Mangum St., was tried and acquitted in December, 1961 in the death of a well known Kinston teacher, Mrs. Ruth G. Tillery.

Mrs. Tillery's partially clad body was found in Dec. 1960 on the out skirts of Kinston. Medical evidence produced in the trial indicated that the woman died from exposure. It was also reported that she was pregnant and had apparently aborted at the time of her death.

Mrs. Woodward entered Wake County hospital late Sunday after being taken there from a drive-in where she had become ill. Doctors at the hospital complained that an unsuccessful abortion had been performed and reported that the woman named Philip.

Durham County solicitor Dan See PHILIP, 6-A

Duke University may get its first Negro undergraduate students this year, according to informed sources.

W. L. Brinkley, director of admissions at Duke, admitted that the University is processing applications from prospective Negro high school graduates but declined to go into further detail.

Reports persisted this week that eight members of this year's graduating classes of J. W. Ligon, Raleigh, Hillside, of Durham, and Dudley, of Greensboro, are among the applicants being considered.

Duke, one of the South's most respected universities, voluntarily admitted Negroes to graduate and professional schools two years ago.

Last year, a scholarship was established for Negro students in the Divinity school by the Babcock Foundation of Winston-Salem.

Its students and faculty had for several years prior to the formal dropping of racial bars by the trustees petitioned the school's administrative leaders and trustees to open its doors to Negro students.

### Honor Masons Head State NAACP Rally to Feature To Leaders

CHARLOTTE — Two high ranking NAACP officials, a Maryland state legislator and the crowning of the "NAACP Mother of the Year" will feature the annual freedom day rally to be staged by the North Carolina NAACP at the Dorton State Fair Arena in Raleigh on Sunday, May 5.

Announcement of the rally was made here this week by Kelly M. Alexander, state president of the N. C. NAACP.

Alexander's statement said that "thousands" of N. C. NAACP members are expected to take part in the state-wide rally in Raleigh on May 5.

The meeting will be featured by the presence of several outstanding civil rights leaders including two highly placed NAACP officials and a legislator from Maryland. They are Bishop Stephen G. Spottswood, chairman of the NAACP National Board of Directors, and Clarence Mitchell, Jr., Director of the Washington bureau of the NAACP.

Also included in the list of outstanding leaders is Mitchell's son, Clarence Mitchell, III, who was elected to Maryland Assembly at the age of 22 on a strong civil rights platform.

Another feature of the freedom celebration will be honoring The Honorable Clark S. Brown, Most Worshipful Grand Master, Prince Hall Grand Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina, and affiliated lodges for the contributions to freedom that masons have made throughout the state of North Carolina.

A highlight of the freedom celebration is the crowning of the "NAACP Mother of the Year", an See RALLY, 6-A

### Urban Renewal Ready to Start In Earnest With Federal Grant

Urban renewal for a portion of Durham's Hayti section moved one step nearer realization this week with the announcement that \$4.3 million in federal funds have been granted for the project.

Congressman Harold Kornegay of the tenth N. C. district, notified Durham Mayor E. J. Evans last Thursday that funds from the Federal Housing and Home Finance Agency has been granted.

This action cleared the way for work to get underway in earnest on the first project in Hayti which is to include some 200 acres.

Total cost of redevelopment of the area has been set at \$10 million. Some \$2 million of that amount will be furnished by the city under the terms of a bond issue, approved by voters last spring. The federal government's grant of \$4.3 leaves less than \$4 million remaining, an amount which is expected to be raised by resale of land in the project area.

The overall urban renewal plan calls for some 500 acres in the Hayti area to be redeveloped. However, urban renewal officials have decided to undertake the redevelopment stages, the first of which is the 200 acre project.

It is expected that two years will be required to complete redevelopment of the first 200 acre project.



### Speaks Enters Council Race In Durham

The Reverend Reuben L. Speaks pastor of St. Mark A. M. E. Zion Church, announced late last week his candidacy for an at-large seat on the Durham City Council in the upcoming May elections.

If Rev. Speaks is elected, he would bring to two the number of Negroes now on the Council, James S. Stewart is now serving his second term as representative from the predominantly Negro third ward.

Rev. Speaks' entry into the Council race brings to seven the number of candidates in the race for three at-large seats. Others who have already entered are incumbents Luther Barbour, and James Hawkins, former Recorder's Court Clerk S. O. Riley, merchant Melvin Gladstein and tobacco worker Claude Hicks.

The top six in the results of the May 4 primary will be entered in the general election on May 18 where the final three will be selected.

Rev. Speaks is a graduate of Drake University, of Iowa, and holds a master's degree in sacred theology from Temple University.

### Fleming to Give Major Address At Mid-Year Ushers Gathering

Dr. John W. Fleming, director of Christian Education for the General State Baptist Convention of North Carolina, will deliver the feature address for the annual Mid-Year session of the N. C. Interdenominational Ushers Association on Sunday at the Ushers Home in Franklinton.

Fleming is an outspoken advocate of equal rights and is prominent in state Baptist circles.

Sunday's one day meeting will get underway at the Ushers Home at 9:30 with the holding of Sunday School.

Approximately 1,500 delegates of the state-wide organization are expected to attend the session.

Fleming's address will be given at an 11 o'clock a.m. session. Dinner will be served delegates and visitors at the conclusion on Sunday's meeting.

The Ushers are in process of renovating property once used by Franklin Christian College. Part of it is planned to be used as an unwed mothers home and another section for retired ministers.

Mordecai Johnson, president emeritus of Howard University, will speak for the vesper services on Sunday, April 21, at 3 p.m. at North Carolina College.



### Durham Mayor Appoint "Good Neighbor Council"

Durham's newly appointed "Good Neighbor Council" was described as a group of "top flight executives" by Mayor E. J. Evans who announced formation of the organization late last week.

Included among the ten members of the Council are three Negroes: N. H. Bennett, vice president of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company; N. B. White, manager of Service Printing Co., and Dr. T. R. Speigner, chairman of the Resource-Use Department of North Carolina College.

The committee was named, Evans said, at the suggestion of Governor Terry Sanford who earlier formed a state-wide "Good Neighbor Council" to work on the problem of employment discrimination against Negroes. He urged Mayors throughout the state to appoint local councils.

Sanford said the state council would seek to solve the problem through persuasion.

Mayor Evans commented on the task of the committee in announcing its formation:

"Durham has a large Negro population that has made progress but much more can be done. The members of this new commission that have agreed to serve on Durham's Good Neighbor Council are all top flight executives who are experienced in race relations in our commercial life. I hope their participation in this area of community relations will do much to eliminate unfair discrimination that might be employed against Negro citizens.

"If the Negro is given a fair chance to earn a decent living for his family, we shall all witness new economic growth and opportunities in Durham."

See COUNCIL, 6-A

### Strong U.S. Action Urged by Civil Rights to Protect Miss. Negroes

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Civil Rights Commission called on President Kennedy Tuesday for an all-out effort to force Mississippi to protect the rights of its Negro citizens.

"There is an overriding constitutional obligation to make certain that federal funds are expended in a manner which benefit all citizens without distinction," the commission said in a special report to the president at his Palm Beach, Fla., vacation home.

The commission has been studying the Mississippi situation closely for several weeks. Staff Director or Berl I. Bernhard flew to Jackson Tuesday for a special session of the Mississippi Advisory Committee.

"Since October 1962," the report said, "the open and flagrant violation of the constitutional guarantees in Mississippi has precipitated serious conflict which, on several occasions, has reached the point of crisis. Each week brings fresh evidence of the danger of a complete breakdown of law and order.

The report cited a long list of incidents and said that despite See ACTION, 6-A

### Removed From NCC Prexy's Race

### John Hope Franklin Appointed Full Professor at Chicago Univ.

CHICAGO — Dr. John Hope Franklin, chairman of the department of history at Brooklyn College, has been appointed a full professor of history at the University of Chicago, it was announced this week.

Announcement of his appointment at the Chicago school apparently removed his name from a list of possible candidates for the presidency of North Carolina College in Durham, a four year liberal arts college attended predominantly by Negroes.

Dr. Franklin is a former professor at North Carolina College and Howard University.

He is currently on leave from Brooklyn College as Pitt professor at Cambridge University in England.

Dr. Franklin is one of the foremost authorities on American slavery and the Reconstruction era. His appointment to the Chicago faculty permits him to join a small but growing number of Negro professors in major American colleges and Universities.

The history professor was selected to join the Chicago faculty because of his high ranking in his field. It was reported. It was also See FRANKLIN, 6-A



### NEW PASTOR IN DURHAM—Here is the Rev. Ollie H. Broadie, who will assume the pastorate of Mt. Zion Baptist Church near Durham. The Rev. Brodie succeeds the Rev. T. S. Griswell, of Durham, at the church, located on Cheek Road near Merrick-Moore school. Rev. Broadie had served pastorates in the Franklin-Louisburg area prior to coming to Durham. Complete story, page 5-A.