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86th ANNIVERSARY PARTICIPANTS — Dean Charles E. Morton, President Rudolph Jones, Dr. Asa T. Spaulding (Founders' Day Speaker), President-Emeritus J. W. Seabrook.

Observance Of Teaching Career Month

In observance of "Teaching Career Month," the J. W. Seabrook Chapter of the Student National Education Association sponsored a program which brought one hundred and fifty-four high school students to the campus. These students were from high schools in the Southeastern section of this state. This program was conducted in two sessions, the first of which was held in the morning and a second during the afternoon.

The opening session involved a detailed discussion by Dr. H. M. Eldridge concerning the availability of scholarships and loans. This was followed by a descriptive and elaborate account of the curriculum opportunities open to these students. Dean J. C. Jones proceeded to inform the visitors of the qualified personnel and increasing changes which would make Fayetteville State a wide selection. Mr. Jack Sharpe, a junior and an elementary education major showed films depicting many interesting areas of the campus and discussed the various functions carried on in these areas. This session was concluded with a question and answer period in which the students sought to weigh the advantages presented to them.

During the afternoon Dr. Lafayette Parker, president of the North Carolina Teachers Association, addressed the College community on the significance of Teaching Career Month. Dr. Parker discussed several fallacies, such as the idea that "those who can, do; those who can't, teach." He pointed out that though such might be true in some instances, this is not invariably the case among teachers. Dr. Parker also indicated that greater demands will be made of the teacher in the future and that this might become a sweeping trend. In pursuing his thesis he showed how the idea of moderation in education might be taken out of proportion. He expatiated on the mythical notion of how machines will eventually replace classroom teachers. This quaint analysis revealed that machines would even administer discipline and summon parents to school to discuss recalcitrant pupils. At this juncture Dr. Parker reverted to a somewhat more sobering and awakening vein of thought which led to the close of his excellent discussion.

Calletha Matthews
Stanley Johnson
Dean J. C. Jones,
Advisor

Founders' Day Observed

BETTIE RANKINS

Fayetteville State Teachers College celebrated the eighty-sixth anniversary of its founding on Sunday, April 28, at 4:00 p.m.

The procession was led by Chief Marshal J. C. Jones, followed by the administration of the college and platform guests. Behind these were Faculty Marshals Charles Asbury and R. P. Robinson, the faculty and staff of the college and the faculty of Newbold Training School here on campus. This group, in academic attire, entered the Seabrook Auditorium as the College Band played the majestic "Procession of Nobles."

Dr. Asa T. Spaulding, President of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, Durham, N. C., delivered the address. Dr. Spaulding spoke inspiringly from the subject, Challenge — Response — Change.

Another phase of the program featured Dr. J. W. Seabrook, President Emeritus of our College, who recognized relatives of the founders and past presidents.

Alumni representative, Mrs. Gertrude Wilds, presented Mrs. Addie O. Williams, Supervisor of Fayetteville City Schools, a certificate for meritorious service (Annual Alumni Association Award).

At the termination of the program in the auditorium came the annual pilgrimage to the monuments where wreaths were placed by Miss Arletha Troublefield and Mrs. Clea Fowlkes Jackson. A brief memorial was held at the monument of Dr. E. E. Smith.

With the blowing of Taps by Mr. Prince Gilliard, of the American Legion Post No. 202, the ceremony was concluded.

Commencement

SENIOR CAP AND GOWN DAY Friday, May 31, 12:00 Noon

Speaker — Dr. Alphonso Elder, President

North Carolina College at Durham

President and Mrs. Rudolph Jones "At Home" to Members of the

Senior Class, Alumni and Faculty — Saturday, June 1, 6:30-8:00 P.M.

GRADUATION EXERCISES Sunday, June 2, 3:00 P.M.

Speaker — Dr. L. P. McLendon, Chairman

State Board of Higher Education

Conferring of degrees upon approximately 135 candidates

— Registrar's Office

SUMMER SESSION

Nine Weeks

June 10-August 9

Jessica Henderson Top FSTC Student

A serious and energetic coed who has the distinction of being the top student of more than one thousand FSTC'ers is Jessica Henderson, a junior, majoring in history.

Jessica is a member of the 1960 graduating class of McKinley High School, Honolulu, Hawaii. While in high school she served as School Chairman of the Pacific and Asian Affairs Council, co-chairman of the Island-wide Speech Tournament, and was a member of Future Teachers Association, Inter-school Christian Fellowship, and the Debating Club.

She transferred to FSTC from the University of the Philippines where she was co-chairman of the Social Committee.

Here at FSTC Jessica is president of the Day Students Organization, vice-president of Future Teachers Association, and member of Student NEA, Westminster Fellowship and the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.

Among the honors this modest young lady has garnered while pursuing her studies are McKinley High School Certificate of Excellence in Speech, University of Philippines Certificate of Merit (scholastic achievements), and FSTC Dean's List each semester since entering here.

Her community activities include work as a Sunday School teacher at the College Heights Presbyterian Church.

Being one of three daughters of a member of the Armed Forces and his wife — Sgt. and Mrs. James E. Henderson — Jessica has found her travels to be far reaching. She has found herself in Bermuda, Hawaii, the Philippines, as well as in various parts of these United States. Her sisters are Mrs. Geraldine White at Dover Air Force Base, Dover, Delaware; and Jennifer Henderson, a third grader at No. 12 Elementary School here in Fayetteville.

Auto Mechanics Honor Student

The only other student to maintain a straight "A" average the first semester of this school term is Lonnie C. Ewing, Jr., first-year Auto Mechanics student.

Ewing is a Fayettevillian who was graduated from the E. E. Smith High School here in the city. While in high school he was active in several organizations. Among these was the school band. We hear that he was voted "Most Outstanding Member of the Band" his senior year. He was also a member of the Library Club.

His father has one of the leading local barber shops — located in downtown Fayetteville. This student is following the pattern of tradition, for his mother is an alumna of Fayetteville State, and is pictured elsewhere in this issue of the VOICE as an active member of the FSTC Alumni Association.

— Interviewers of "A" Students,
Robert Daniels

Honors And Awards Day

The Sixth Annual Honors and Awards Day Program was presented in the J. W. Seabrook Auditorium at the regular chapel hour on Wednesday, May 15.

Featured speaker was Dr. Darwin T. Turner, Chairman, Department of English, A&T College, Greensboro.

A part of this program was the induction of five students into Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society. Those entering this group and receiving certificates and keys were Geneva Bennett, Jessica Henderson, Joseph James Johnson, Betty Lou McKethan, and Jesse Franklin Williams.

The presentation of awards was made by President Rudolph Jones. Among the awards given were the following:

The Rho Beta Chi Chapter of AKM Honor Society Award for Excellence in Scholarship in the Sophomore Class — a rotating plaque — to Dorothy M. Fulton.

The G. H. Williams Memorial Award for Excellence in Scholarship in Graduating Class — Recipient: Jameszetta L. Butler (Cum Laude) Valedictorian.

The E. E. Smith and Nannie Goode Smith Memorial Award for Superior Scholarship in Graduating Class — Stanley W. Johnson (Cum Laude) Salutatorian.

The Mayme Worsham Seabrook Memorial Award for Superior Scholarship in Graduating Class — Stanley W. Johnson.

The Edwards Evans and Sallie Evans Memorial Awards for Good Citizenship — Ander James Dunham.

The Pauline Lander Moore Memorial Award for Excellence in Student Teaching — Stanley W.

Johnson, Mary W. Mann.

The Annie W. Jones Memorial Award—Omega Beta Chapter, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority.

The June Cotton Boutte Memorial Award for Excellence in Education — Emma Hoare Jackson (Cum Laude).

The Lenora T. Jackson Memorial Award for Outstanding Service in the Sunday School — William B. Moore.

Religion and Culture Award for best work in Area of Religion and Culture — Emma Hoare Jackson.

More than sixty students received J. W. Seabrook Scholarship Awards ranging from \$10.00 to \$100.00.

The Science Achievement Awards — William Westfield, William Swift, Sherry Spencer, Patricia West, George Langford.

The Delta Alpha Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Award for Scholarship and Service (Loving Cup) — Ernestine Thompson.

The Epsilon Rho Lambda Chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Scholarship Awards — Clarence E. Lloyd, Gene A. Powell, Marlyn G. Walker.

The Fayetteville Alumnae Chapter, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Scholarship Award — Judith Wilkins.

The Delta Gamma Chapter and Beta Chi Chapter, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Awards — George H. Langford.

Fourteen young women received The Senior Counselor's Awards (Merit Certificates).

Eleven students who were elected to Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges (1963) received their certificates.

President Jones Meets With Alumni Group In Baltimore



Standing left to right: Charlie Leggett, Lois Slade, Albert Monroe, Grace Hernandez, Dr. Rudolph Jones, Archa Dogan, Mary Raynor, Willie M. Leggett, William Bland.

Seated left to right: Lillian D. Jordan, Mattie Little, Sonobia Thompson, Dorethea Melvin, Maude Singletary, Judith Drumright, Ethel Coleman, Nelia Gatlin.