

CIVIL RIGHTS PLANK ASKED

1 OF FIVE RACE LAW STUDENTS PASSES AT UNC

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DAD WOULD HAVE BEEN PROUD OF HIM—Kenneth Randolph, four-year-old son of the late Patrolman Harold K. Randolph, killed in a Brooklyn tavern shooting in 1951, stands at attention and reviews the police graduating class in City Hall, New York. Little Kenneth is wearing the department's Medal of Honor, awarded to his father posthumously. Others in the photo, left to right: Seventh Deputy Police Commissioner William Rowe, Mayor Vincent Impellitteri, Police Commissioner Monaghan and Chief Inspector Conrad H. Rothengast.

FOUR FAIL TO MAKE THE GRADE AT UNIVERSITY

Another Will Finish During Summer; Poor Hi Schools Blamed

CHAPEL HILL, N. C. (AP)—Only one of five Negro law students at the University of North Carolina was graduated last week at commencement exercises.

A second is expected to finish during the summer session. The lone graduate, who made history by being the first colored person to successfully complete work for a degree at the historic southern institution, is Harvey Elliott Beech, a native of Kinston, N. C.

J. Kenneth Lee of Greensboro, reportedly said that he had completed academic requirements for a law degree but needs five weeks of residence in order to be graduated.

The university has notified the other three that they have failed to meet the institution's standard of work. They may seek permission to continue study in the law school; however, their chances of getting a degree from the university are remote.

Students who failed to maintain the standard of work necessary for a degree are: James L. Lassiter and William A. Marsh Jr., Durham, and James R. Walker Jr., Statesville.

Marsh already has indicated that he intends to ask permission to continue study in the law school. He is Marsh. Another of the failing students, Lassiter, was unable to make up his mind on whether to continue trying or not. The third student, Walker, could not be reached for comment.

The realization that three of the students at the school failed to pass probably will not come as a surprise to many persons throughout the nation.

It has been common knowledge that they were having difficulty with their courses. Many reasons were given for this. Among them were accusations that the law school purposely was trying to

However, one of the students spiked this as being untrue. Another source suggested that the probable reason for their poor showing was because of inferior secondary training in many colored high schools.

Whatever the reason for the students' failing, it is a fact that their appearance on the Chapel Hill campus did create several incidents. How much effect this had on the ability of the students to study is debatable.

The Federal Court rulings requiring the university to accept the Negroes as students was rated the top news story in North Carolina for 1951 by working members of the press.

Beech, a 25-year-old graduate of Morehouse College, was happy over being graduated. He added however, he already was worried over passing the bar examination in August.



Both Parties To Be Asked To Include Rights Plank

NEW YORK — Democrats and Republicans alike will be urged to incorporate in their respective party platforms a seven-point civil rights program developed by representatives of 18 national Negro organizations. Walter White, executive secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has announced.

The program, which was formulated at a conference called by the NAACP, gives top priority to elimination of

the filibuster. It calls upon both parties to give a firm pledge to make the first order of business in the Senate of the 83rd Congress the curbing of the filibuster through adoption of a new rule to provide cloture by majority vote.

Endorsement of FEPC legislation with enforcement power is listed as the next most important legislative objective of Negro voters. "We will not be satisfied with platform gen-

eralities on this subject," the Negro spokesmen warn. Other points in the program include demands for commitments to support legislation to make mob violence a federal crime; to ban the poll tax and to protect the right to vote; to outlaw racial segregation in the armed forces, interstate travel, and the District of Columbia; and to deny federal aid for housing, health, education and recreation without guarantees against segregation.

N. C. MUTUAL'S 'HELLO GIRLS' — Citizens from cities, towns and hamlets throughout the United States have commented on the efficiency of the service rendered by the North Carolina Mutual's 'Hello Girls' who handle the many telephone calls coming into the massive switchboard at the Mutual's home offices in Durham. The 'Hello girls' are, left to right, Misses Julia Spencer, and Gladys Holloway (chief clerk) and Mrs. Patricia Palmer. In addition to handling the company's hundreds of 'phone calls daily, these young ladies guide touring groups through the company's Uptown home offices, distribute the company's many souvenirs, such as the postal cards they are examining above, and perform other duties.

THIS IS IT
by Lin Holloway



THIS WE LIKE
WE ARE INDEED HAPPY to see so many of our local churches carrying on summer Bible Schools. Being father old-fashioned, we believe the old saying, concerning the raising of a child in the way he should go, etc. and can see no better training for children than that to be garnered from the pages of the Bible. Much success to these schools. We hope that other church groups will form them.

LET'S GO OUT THERE
Let's go out to Chavis Park on Tuesday and Thursday nights and support the Recreation Department's softball league program. The boys and men who take part in the twice-weekly tilts are playing jan-up ball and deserve the attendance support of us all.

THOSE CATS ARE SHARPER
Man, those Deuces are sharper, and they've got four rooms and ought to shiner up in any time they play for Finals. The Deuces (Ed Macdonald, Dick DeLaine and Old Corby) wear formal outfits and for the other affairs, the fellows adopt their attire to fit the occasion.

IT LOOKS LIKE THE DUCK
It looks like the duck of the heat and raggedy musician is gone forever.

WHO THE HELL IS YOUR PAPA?
I was having a slight chat about this and that in a Sim-don in a neighboring town the other day when this cat strolled by my stool and bumped my arm causing me to upset my brew.

AMEZ BISHOP SAYS CHURCH BACKS RIGHTS

BROOKLYN, N. Y. — Bishop W. J. Walls, Senior Bishop AMEZ Zion Church, said at the close of the 34th quadrennial session of the General conference that the Board of Bishops unanimously endorsed President Truman's Civil Rights Program.

The Prelate spoke for the Board and was forceful in his praise. "The interest that President Truman has shown in the Negroes and all minorities is full evidence that he is worthy of all the praise and support that can be given him. He is determined that this nation, under God, shall forever remain indivisible," he said.

The Church is known to have been one of the militant forces in America and Bishop Walls' declaration bears out this tradition. It was founded on liberty and the courage to beat prejudices and it has been its policy to speak out against injustices since its founding.

Walls, known in our native community, Pop was of the opinion that whenever anyone asked about 'Holloway' on the Block, they were referring to him. His ego was not deflated, however, when a prominent citizen from a city in a neighboring state overlooked of HIS efforts in life in factoring if he wasn't the Pop of the South who wrote the 'Whirlwind' and 'Call' column in 'South and Seck' a newspaper.

African Church Leaders Predict New Day Of Progress—AMEZ Church

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Dr. A. W. E. Appiah, Cape Coast, Gold Coast, West Africa, Reverend K. O. Okyri, Kumasi, Gold Coast, West Africa, and Reverend Isaac S. Cole Keta, Gold Coast, West Africa said here Tuesday that the AMEZ Zion Church has every possibility of progress in the Gold Coast, West Africa, in particular, in Liberia and Nigeria in general.

The three were members of the African delegation to the recent AMEZ general conference which was held in Brooklyn, New York. They based their predictions on the fact that the natives have been clamoring for a resident bishop and it is now a reality. Bishop D. C. Pope has been assigned to this area and will take up residence there.

The election of Dr. Pope is a blessing to us, said Dr. Appiah. He was joined by the other two who agreed that Bishop Pope was a man with vision, determination and influence. They concluded by saying that Bishop Pope would be able to enhance the expansion program.

Author Of Anti-Lynch Bill Will Present The 1952 Spingarn Award

NEW YORK — Representative Clifford P. Case (R., N. J.), author of an anti-lynching bill and a bill to safeguard members of the armed services against bodily attack, will present the 37th Spingarn Medal posthumously to Harry T. Moore on Friday evening, June 27, at the forty-third annual convention of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in Oklahoma City. The medal will be accepted by Mrs. Rosa Moore, the 83-year-old mother of the Florida NAACP leader who was killed with his wife in a hate-bomb blast on Christmas night, 1951.

Congressman Case has an outstanding record on support of civil rights since his election to the Seventy-ninth Congress in 1944. He has opposed the poll tax, segregation in the armed services and power of the House Rules Committee to block civil rights legislation and has voted in support of FEPC and aid for underde-

veloped areas of the world (Point IV). His anti-lynching bill, H.R. 1018, was introduced in the Eighty-first Congress and again in the Eighty-second Congress, and his bill to protect members of the armed services from violence was introduced in the Eighty-second Congress.

The late Mr. Moore will be the second Spingarn Medalist within the last two years to be honored after his death. In 1950, the award was presented posthumously to Charles H. Houston, outstanding constitutional lawyer who played a large part in framing the Association's legal attack on segregation. Last year's medal went to Mrs. Mabel Keaton Staupers, whose courageous work brought about the integration of Negro nurses throughout the nursing profession, resulting in the disbandment of the National Association of Colored Graduate Nurses.



AFRICAN LEADERS

GRADS HEAR CHALLENGE AT LIVINGSTONE

SALISBURY, N. C. — "The greatest problem in our world is the problem of human relations," Colonel Austin T. Walden, prominent Attorney of Atlanta, Georgia told the 63 graduates of Livingstone College last Tuesday afternoon at the Seventieth annual commencement exercises of the local church-supported institution. "You young people are about to enter into a world that has been made corrupt by your elders," and it is your responsibility together with thousands of others who leave school during this period to restore normal human relations.

A thunderous applause followed the address by Attorney Walden who was introduced by President Trent as 'scholarly Veteran' with rank of Colonel. Civic Leader:

ENROLLMENT OF SESSION ABOUT SAME AT A & T

GREENSBORO — "The knowledge of how far one can venture, the knowledge of how to be friendly, the knowledge to exercise patience, the knowledge of the value of tolerance and the knowledge of the method of conciliation are the basic prerequisites of the know how of living," told Robert H. Frazier, mayor of Greensboro, who delivered the commencement address last Monday (June 2) at A and T College.

The message which had as its subject, 'The Know How of Living,' was directed at 426 graduates of the institution in the 54th annual finals held outdoors on the college quadrangle.



LET'S LICK V. D.



SIT-DOWN STRIKE . . . Sir Lionel does not choose to run at the Garden State Park race track, Camden, N. J.