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Dr. Shaw & Dr. Waggoner Finalists For Livingstone

SALISBURY, N. C. — The dates and the speakers for the 71st annual Commencement services at Livingstone College were announced here this week by President W. J. Trent. The speakers for the Commencement to be held from May 31st through June 1st, include Bishop Herbert Bell Shaw, D.D., who will preach the Commencement sermon on Sunday, May 31st, and Dr. Chi M. Waggoner, President of Phiffer Junior College, Misenheimer, N. C. Bishop Shaw of Wilmington, is presiding bishop of the Ninth Episcopal District of the A.M.E. Zion Church. Before his elevation to the office of Bishop, Dr. Shaw was a Preaching Elder in the Cape Fear Conference and late Secretary-Treasurer of the Home Missions Department of the A.M.E. Zion Church. He is an ardent friend and generous supporter of Living-

stone. Dr. Waggoner, to retire from the presidency of Phiffer College on July 1st, is an outstanding Methodist layman and Christian educator who has given many years to usefulness in education with young people. Under his administration the finest type of relationship have developed between Livingstone College and his institution, twenty miles away. Monday, June 1st, will be devoted to Alumni activities and meetings of the Board of Trustees of the College. The following classes will hold reunions during the Commencement, the class of '28, their twenty-fifth, the class of '37, their fifteenth, and the class of '43, their tenth. It is also expected that the class of '52 will come back to make plans for their first reunion in 1957. —BFC—



SEEKS DOCTORATE — The Acting Chairman, Division of Reverend Moses N. DeLaney, Philosophy and Religion, Shaw University, Raleigh, has been admitted to candidacy for the Doctor of Philosophy degree at Drew University, Madison, New Jersey. He is the recipient of an Ezra Soper Triple Fellowship to study in the Theological Seminary during the 1953-1954 term, and will pursue studies in the field of Christian Ethics and the Social Order. A leave of absence from Shaw University has been granted for this purpose as announced by Shaw's President, Dr. William R. Strasser. The Reverend Mr. DeLaney began work at Shaw University, School of Religion, in 1945 as Director of the Department of Rural Church. Since 1950 he has served in his present position as well as Chairman of the Committee on Chapel and Religious Life, and Director of Summer Academic Courses for In-Service Ministers. For two years prior to coming to Shaw, he was college minister and director of religious extension at the Agricultural, Mechanical and Normal College, Pine Bluff, Arkansas. He received the A. B. degree with honors from Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia, 1940; the B. D. degree, Colgate-Rochester Divinity School, Rochester, New York, 1943; the M. A. degree, and a Certificate from the Yale School of Alcohol Studies, New Haven, Connecticut, 1951. —BFC—

200 Expected To Attend A & T Alumni Sessions

GREENSBORO — More than 200 delegates and members represent that this one is going to be one of the largest in the long history of the Association. The one-day, two-session meeting of the national association will be held promptly at 9:00 a. m. in the auditorium of Coltrane College on Saturday of this week, May 9, and will start business at 12:30 p. m. E. E. Waddell, Albemarle, N. C., president of the national group, Lawrence Dr. F. D. Buford, president of the local group, will deliver the keynote address at the luncheon which we have already received and in view of the importance of the meeting is expected to conclude at 1:30 in the afternoon.

Shaw University Students Observe '53 Honors Day

RALEIGH — Shaw University students and faculty members observed Dr. Joseph H. Taylor, Chairman of the Department of History, and Director of Summer School, North Carolina College at Durham, in an address at the Honors Day observance of the Alpha Omicron Chapter of the Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society held in Greenleaf Auditorium Wednesday April 29. Dr. Taylor told the honor recipients, "You have met the rigid test set by this institution, and by having excelled, you are keeping faith with the pioneers in education; and with thousands of men and women who have not had this privilege, but have contributed their pennies in your behalf. You are keeping faith with your teachers." However, he continued, "scholarship is more than being the peddler of other men's thoughts or the satisfactor of qualifications. The true scholar is not subdued by books — there can be no scholar without a heroic mind." The scholar, he said, is one who attempts to discover man and the secrets of nature. "Man," he concluded, has unlocked the secret door of nature, but what about the secret of his heart and mind? The speaker was introduced by Dean Foster P. Payne. The presentation of six new members of the organization was made by Lorine Harris, president, as follows: Eleanor Adams, a senior of Apex, Rosetta Ains, a junior of Wilmington; Dorothy Burnett, a junior of Mebane; Lizzie Chase, a junior of Hogwood; Jonathan Harding, a junior of Philadelphia, Pa.; and William Sherrell, a junior of Seaton. Senior members continuing from last year are Lorine Harris, M. Whitaker, president; James Alexander of Hickory, vice-president; Harvey Nunn of Raleigh, secretary; Judith Combs of Goldsboro, assistant secretary; Robert Price of Ozone Park, N. Y., treasurer. The scripture and invocation were given by Nathaniel Gaylord.

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GENERALS WELCOME GI — Lt. General Maxwell D. Taylor (left) and General Mark Clark (right) have welcome words for Pfc. Robert Stell, of Baltimore (on stretcher), the second American POW to be repatriated in Korea. Stell was returned to the U.S. and an Army hospital last Wednesday. (Newspress Photo.)



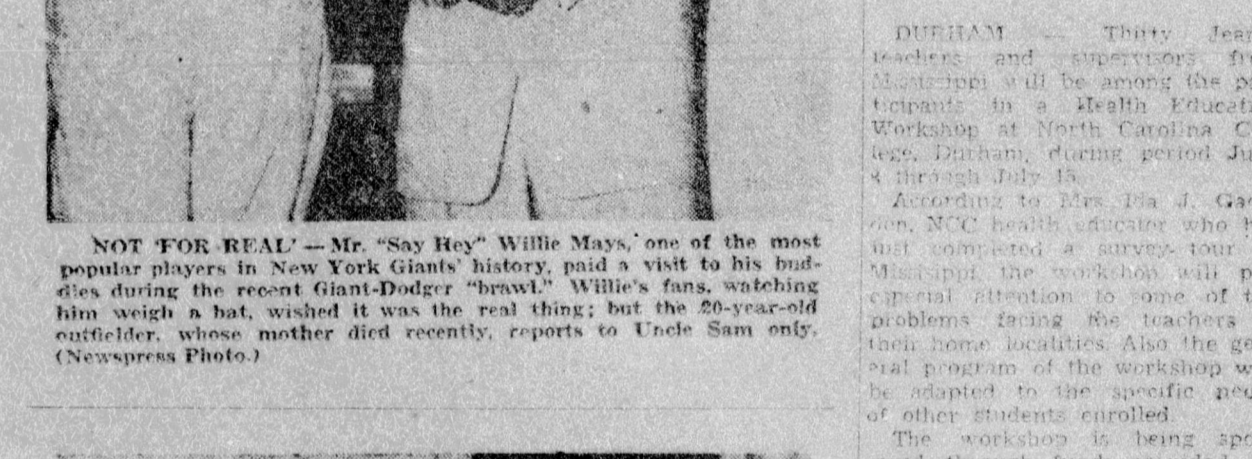
PROUD BEARER — The world premiere of M-G-M's "Bright Road" in New York last week drew the two figures in the social, civic and business worlds. Formerly titled, "See How They Run," the movie taken from Mary Elizabeth Yroman's story, has been hailed as a sincere endeavor. Star Hazel Scott Powell (left) proudly displays the Christopher award won by the movie, to Hazel Scott Powell and producer Sol Dace Fielding. (Newspress Photo.)

Writer Feels City Marked 100 Years Of Ignorance

By JAMES A. SHEPARD — That the celebration now in progress in Durham has been labeled to represent the 100th anniversary of the city's founding, is a mistake. One hundred years of ignorance, according to the records, Durham, Tennessee, backwoodsness. We say now was established 100 years ago, three times regardless of the fact Durham was just a hamlet, a sort of trading post for the slave-

owning plantations, owners living in that area. Even then, in 1853, the slave owners were getting, more disturbed because of the growing agitation against slavery, an agitation that was gaining momentum and was soon to break out in open hostilities between the North and the South. This is not however, intended to give a review of the War of Rebellion, the foregoing was merely to give an idea of the circumstances existing when Durham was founded. The rise of Durham as a tobacco and textile center is fairly well known, or at least enough is known to establish the fact following the war, Durham gained its prominence as a trading center and became one of the first cities in North Carolina to capitalize on the growing tobacco industry. Subsequently, Northern textile interests attracted by cheap labor plus the added incentive of being near their chief product, cotton, began moving textile mills

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NOT FOR REAL — Mr. "Say Hey" Willie Mays, one of the most popular players in New York Giants' history, paid a visit to his buddies during the recent Giant-Dodger "brawl." Willie's fans, watching him weigh a bat, wished it was the real thing; but the 20-year-old outfielder, whose mother died recently, reports to Uncle Sam only. (Newspress Photo.)



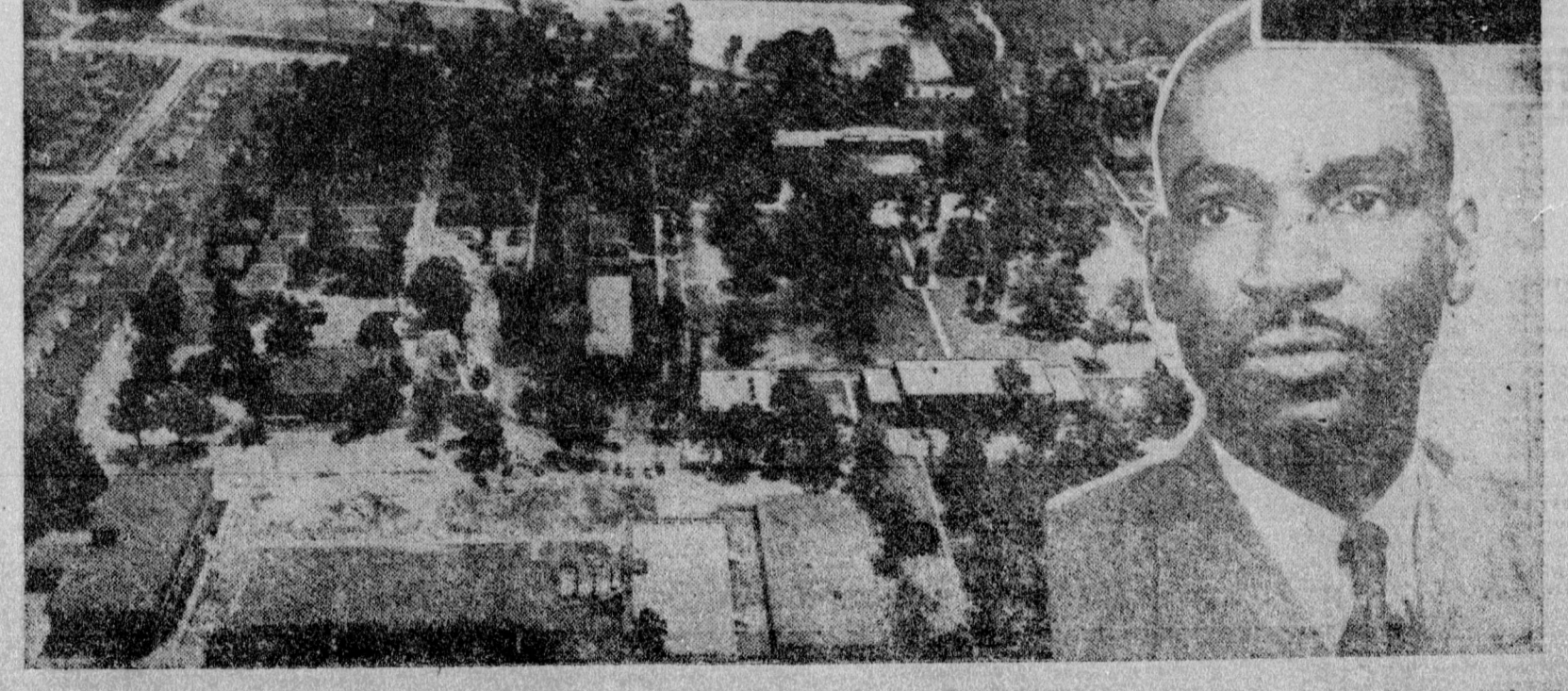
THIS MP IS WELCOME — Military Policemen are not ordinarily the most popular men in the Army, but Pfc. Roger Henderson, of Miami, Fla., has a wide smile for the MP at Freedom Village in Korea after the Florida GI had been repatriated from the POW exchange. (Newspress Photo.)

30 Mississippi Teachers In NCC Summer Workshop

DURHAM — Thirty Tennessee teachers and supervisors from Mississippi will be among the participants in a Health Education Workshop at North Carolina College, Durham, during period June 4 through July 15. According to Mrs. E. J. Gadsden, NCC health educator who has just completed a survey tour of Mississippi, the workshop will pay special attention to some of the problems facing the teachers in their home localities. Also the general program of the workshop will be adapted to the specific needs of other students enrolled. The workshop is being sponsored through funds provided by the Southern Education Foundation. Workshop staff members include in addition to Mrs. Gadsden, the director, the following: T. L. Robertson, consultant in health education; Public Health Service, Washington; Dr. Maude J. Vancey, NCC; Mrs. Velma T. Joyner, field secretary, N. C. Tuberculosis Association, Raleigh; and Dr. Roger Howell, School of Public Health, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. Among the enrollees who have already announced plans to participate are four NCC graduate stu-

Men-Woman Relationship Confab At Livingstone

SALISBURY — A conference on Men and Women Relationships was held on the campus at Livingstone College May 1, sponsored jointly by the Young Women's Christian Association and the College Health Service Department. The chief consultant and speaker was Dr. Samuel L. Gandy, Chaplain at Virginia State College, Ertree, Va., who gave two addresses before groups of faculty members and students. One on the subject, "What Makes For Wholesome Men-Women Relationships on a Christian Campus?" and the other on the theme, "Christian Leaders, Ministers, Teachers: Your Responsibility for a Christian Marriage." Rutha Dixon, a senior from Gainesville, Fla., and president of the Student YWCA, presided at one of the sessions, as did Tina Jones, senior from Pickens, S. C., and Anita Jenkins, junior from Brooklyn, N. Y. Mrs. Lois Reeves is advisor to the group and director of the College Health Service. Remarks and words of welcome were given at the opening session by President W. J. Trent.



ARKANSAS A M & N OBSERVES 80TH FOUNDER'S DAY — Students, faculty, alumni and friends of Arkansas Agricultural, Mechanical and Normal College in Pine Bluff last week (April 20-25) observed the 80th annual Founder's Day celebration of this institution. With a theme of "Arkansas Sees Its School," the school held an open house and a series of special programs in honor of this great event. Shown above are key figures making this program possible and scenes from the college's modern campus. The pictures are as follows: UPPER LEFT: (left to right), Mrs. Ruby Fischer principal of Arkansas A.M.&N. college elementary school; Mrs. Katie J. Pierre, instructor in education; and Oliver E. Jackson, head of romance languages. They were honored an Appreciation Dinner for 25 years of service to the college. UPPER RIGHT: The late John Brown Watson who guided Arkansas A.M.&N. into becoming a degree granting institution in 1928 and had it moved to its present site. BOTTOM LEFT: Pfc. Bird's eye view of the attractive campus. One can see the Student Union, Infirmary, Gymnasium, Agricultural and Science Buildings. Under construction are two modern dormitories. BOTTOM RIGHT: Dr. Lawrence A. Davis, dynamic progressive president of Arkansas A.M.&N.