

# NAACP LIST REMAINS SECRET

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### N. C.-Trained Tennis Queen:

# Althea Last U. S. Hope

## Advances To Semi-Finals In Wimbledon Tournament

WIMBLEDON, England — The United States' chances for a tennis singles championship are now resting solely on the determined shoulders of Miss Althea Gibson of Harlem, New York.

Barry MacKay plunged out of the men's singles here Tuesday. Miss Gibson, the defending women's champion, skirted the brink of disaster herself before she forced into the women's semifinals on a 6-3, 6-8, 6-2 victory over Miss Shirley Bloomer, Britain's No. 1 player.

Within one point of being down 0-8 in the final set, the tall Harlem Miss finally harnessed her powerful game. She proceeded to reel off six games in a row with the loss of only four points.

Miss Gibson's next opponent is scheduled to be Miss Ann Haydon, a Briton, who scrambled for every point in upsetting Miss Marion Bueno, the Brazilian stylist, 6-3, 7-5.

MacKay's loss left the United States without a representative in the men's semifinals for the second straight year and proved once again Australia's domination of the tennis game. Three Australians and a Dane, Kurt Nielsen, still survived play as late as Tuesday.

MacKay 22, of Dayton, Ohio, walked off the center court after his defeat, disappointed but not downhearted, according to friends. Miss Gibson is a heavy favorite to win at Wimbledon.

She formerly resided in Wilmington, N. C., where she lived with Dr. Hubert A. Eaton and attended the Williston Industrial School. Althea showed great promise as a tennis star while in the "Tar Heel" city.

## State May Be Sued By Ex-Prof.

ALBANY, Ga. — (AP) — Cleon King, the 37-year-old Negro professor put in a mental institution when he tried to enter the all-white University of Mississippi, said upon arriving at his father's home last week that he plans to return to Mississippi, regardless of any action that may be taken against him.

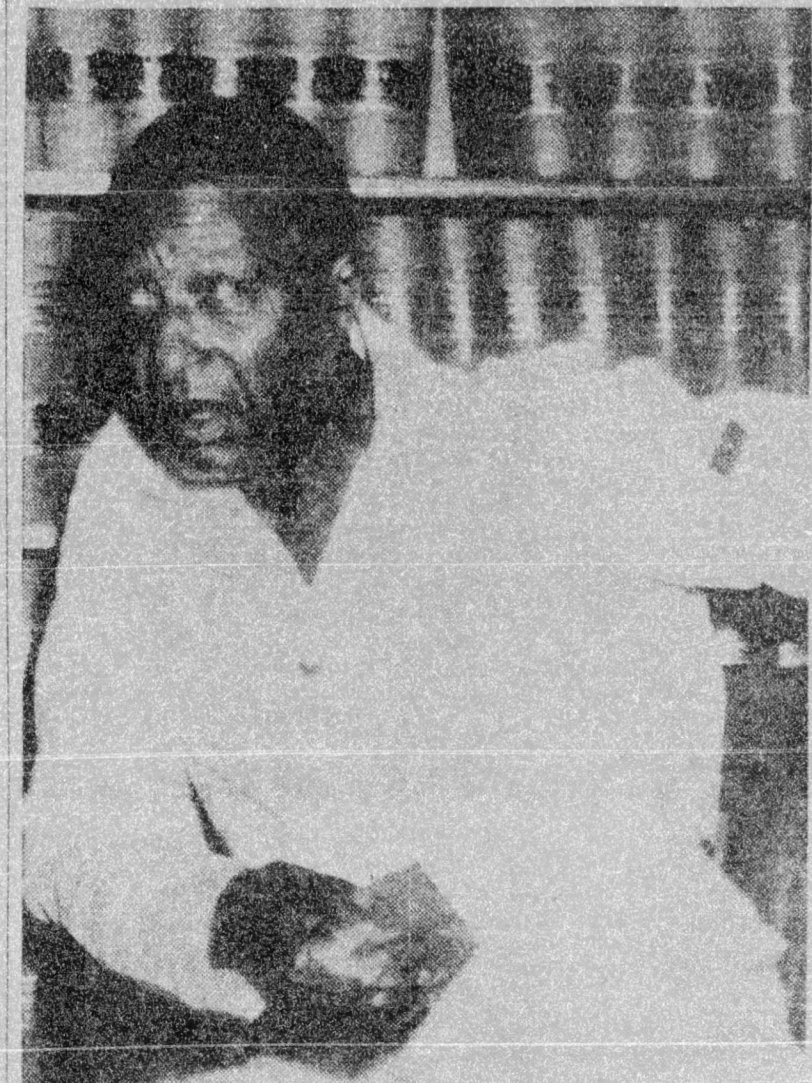
King, who first broke into the news when his criticisms of the NAACP forced a student boycott that almost closed A&M college, arrived here last week without luggage.

King was released from the hospital after 17 doctors ruled him to be sane, and a writ of habeas corpus was filed in Jackson, Miss., demanding his release. His detention also kicked up a storm of criticism from the NAACP.

Meanwhile, King still faces charges of disorderly conduct and disturbing the peace at the university. It is unlikely, however, that he will be extradited to stand trial. Extradition between states is normally not done when only a misdemeanor is involved. Both charges are misdemeanors.

King said, however, that he would return anyway, but didn't say when. Explaining, he said: "I would feel like a pretty poor class American if there is a part of America that I can't return to."

Although state officials, (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)



MURDER SUSPECT — William (Bob) Brown, 58, above, father of Miss Minnie Mae Brown, one of the nine Negro students who integrated Central High School in Little Rock last fall, is being held on a murder charge in the Arkansas city. Brown is being questioned in connection with the slaying of James Isaac, 68, on June 22. Three bullets were found in the dead man's body. (UPI TELEPHOTO.)

## Cumberland Raid Nets 53 Violators Of ABC Laws

By E. RUDY YORK  
FAYETTEVILLE — In a well-planned raid on illegal whiskey sales which took six months to complete, city, county, state and federal law officers rounded up

27 Fayetteville Negro citizens and 26 Negroes outside the city limits in Cumberland County. They were charged with selling both tax paid and non-tax paid whiskey. Several of the suspects had several separate offenses charged, ranging up to seven warrants against one woman.

The officers assembled in City Recorder's Courtroom at 8 p. m. Friday, June 27, and moved with precision to spread out and bring in the suspects from the McComb Club, Red Bird Inn and Southerly Place. The Club Delesa was visited by one officer in plain clothes and several uniformed city policemen. However, the one suspect that they apprehended

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## Court Ruling Is Hailed By Two Leaders

MONTGOMERY, Ala. — The Rev. Martin Luther King, minister and NAACP integration leader, hailed the Supreme Court's NAACP ruling Monday as "most encouraging."

"The high court upheld the NAACP's right to keep its membership list away from scrutiny of a state and dismissed a \$1,000,000 contempt fine levied by an Alabama judge."

Rev. F. L. Suttlesworth, Birmingham integration leader, whose church was the target of a bombing attempt during the week-end, said of the ruling: "Thank God. At least we won't have to suffer from repressive measures."

Louisiana State Senator W. M. Rainach warned that the decision "Gives the green light to the Ku Klux Klan."

"The decision wraps a cloak of secrecy around the NAACP and is tantamount to making secret societies immune from authority of the states," Rainach said.

The decision was certain to cause added concern in official circles throughout the South. A number of southern states have either outlawed the NAACP or put the agency under strict inspection.

William Shaw, attorney for the Louisiana Joint Legislative Committee on Segregation, commented that the decision was "in line with the substance of the court to the (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)

## Little Rock School Case Is Rejected

WASHINGTON — The United States Supreme Court refused Monday to shorten the usual procedures and rules, directly and promptly on an appeal from an order suspending desegregation in Little Rock, Arkansas.

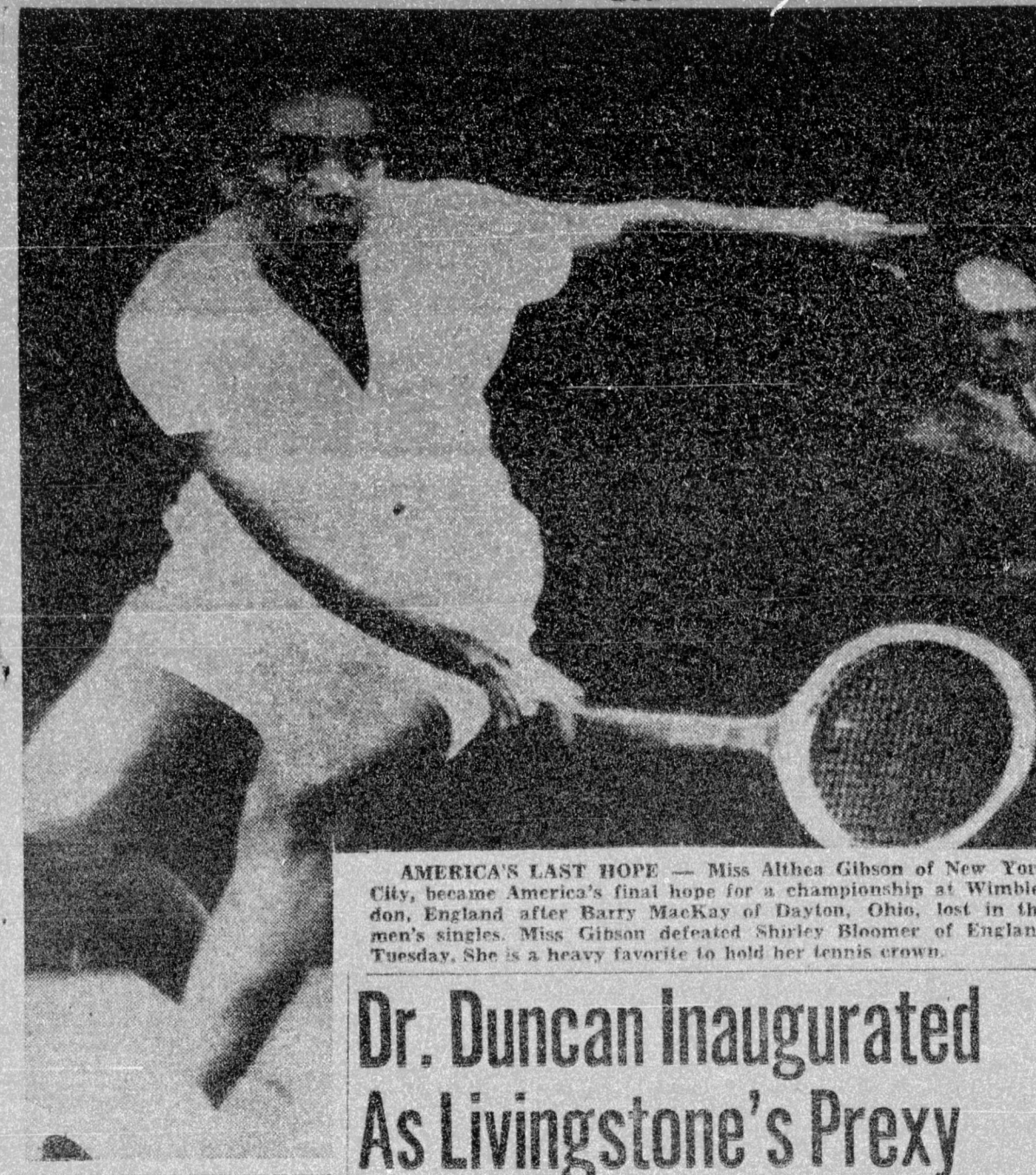
In so doing the court said it was sure that the U. S. Court of Appeals in St. Louis, Mo., would act on the appeal "in ample time to permit arrangements to be made for the next school year."

Noting that the Little Rock desegregation case has been before the Court of Appeals in St. Louis in one form or another three different times, the Supreme Court said:

"That Court is the regular district court here concerned and court reviewing the Order of the appeal and the petition for a stay are matters properly to be adjudicated by it in the first instance."

The text of the Supreme Court's order Monday rejecting a request for a quick ruling on integration at Little Rock's Central High School.

John Aaron, et al. petitioners, v. William G. Cooper, et al. members of the board of directors of the Little Rock, Arkansas, independent school district and Virgil T. Blossom, superintendent of school. On petition for writ of certiorari to the United States 1961, a plan of integration there. (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)



AMERICA'S LAST HOPE — Miss Althea Gibson of New York City, became America's final hope for a championship at Wimbledon, England after Barry MacKay of Dayton, Ohio, lost in the men's singles. Miss Gibson defeated Shirley Bloomer of England Tuesday. She is a heavy favorite to hold her tennis crown.

## Dr. Duncan Inaugurated As Livingstone's Prexy

SALISBURY — Dr. S. E. Duncan, newly-elected president, Livingstone College, the capstone of education for the A.M.E. Zion Church, formally took over his duties here Tuesday, 11:09 A.M., after a brief welcome ceremony by the faculty of the Summer School and Dr. W. J. Trent, whom he succeeds.

The ceremonies took place outside the office of the president when members of the faculty, bearing placards with varied welcome sayings on them. Along with Dr. Trent, who was named president emeritus, upon his retirement in 1957, who spoke for the group and told how pleased he was to see Dr. Duncan at the head of the institution that was so near and dear to him. It is to be remembered that Dr. Trent served as president from 1925 to 1957.

Dr. Trent pointed out that Dr. Duncan grew up with Livingstone and that his was a great heritage, having graduated from many of the departments of the school. He spoke of how Dr. Duncan came through the elementary schools of Salisbury, thence through Livingstone and on to Cornell

University, where he earned his Master's degree and Doctor of Philosophy. He ended by saying: "This is the happiest day of my life, because I know your capabilities and I am sure Livingstone is in good hands."

Dr. Duncan expressed his grateful appreciation for the warm welcome given by Dr. Trent and the group. He pledged his dedication to the forward progress of the school and said: "I pledge to devote myself and life to the perpetuation of the traditions of Christian Education for which Livingstone has been noted for more than three-quarters of a century."

Dr. Duncan then presented his wife, the former Miss Ida Hauser, who also is a product of Salisbury and has made a great contribution to the educational life of North Carolina. She was warmly received.

The new president brings to the church-related institution a wealth of experience as an educator. His father, the late Samuel Edward (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)

## Jim Crow Faces Fight In NJ City

TRENTON, N. J. — Anti-discrimination organizations joined Tuesday night to fight builder William J. Levitt's attempt to exclude Negroes from a huge proposed housing development which in effect, would result in an all-white town.

Levitt, who has built two "Levittowns," one in New York and another in Pennsylvania, announced early this month that he would restrict sales of houses in his new project in New Jersey to whites.

The Levittown project in New York originally was closed to Negroes. However, many Negro families purchased homes there during the past few years from white families.

A group of approximately 250 persons, about evenly divided between whites and Negroes, formed an organization to be known as the New Jersey State Committee against discrimination in housing. George S. Phinias, state deputy (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)

## Taxed Without Representation, Tar Heel Morticians Declare

SALISBURY — It was brought to the attention of the North Carolina Funeral Directors and Morticians Association, Inc. at its 31st annual convention which convened in Salisbury, recently that unethical practices were being perpetrated within the profession.

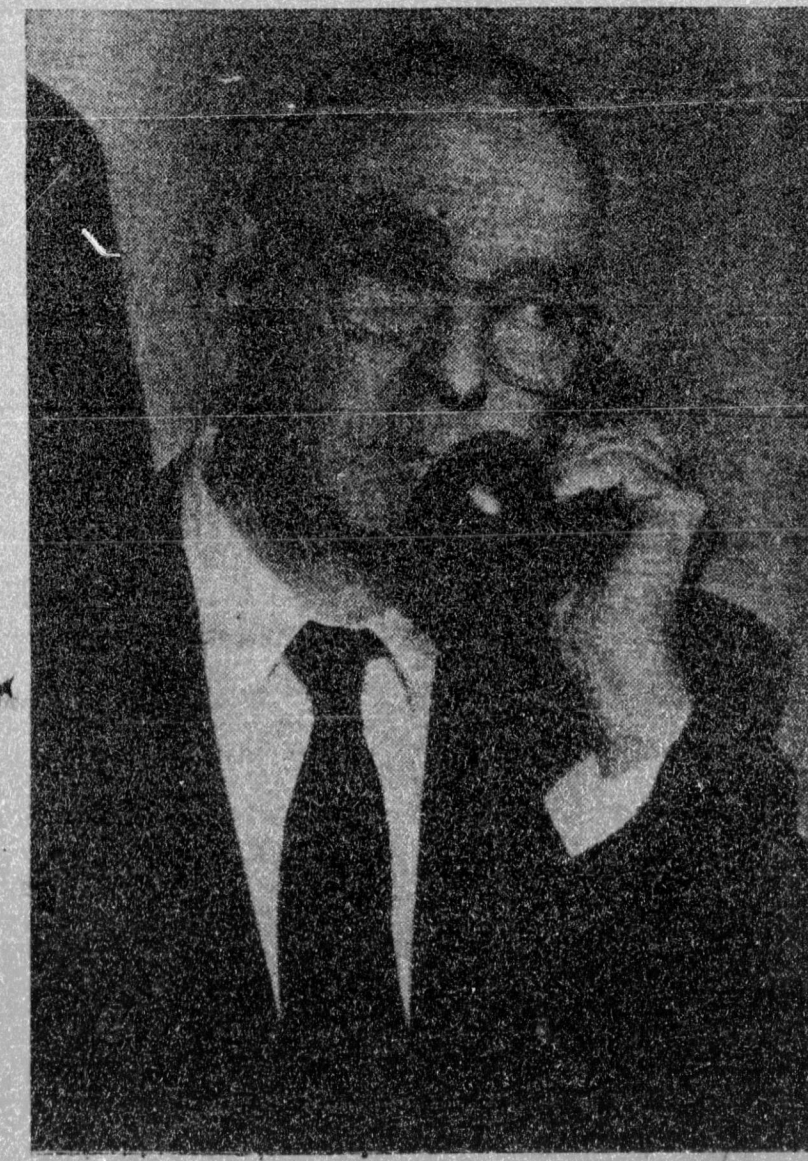
These facts were brought to the attention of the Executive Secretary of the State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors, Clyde O. Robinson.

The members of the association feel that they are being taxed without proper protection and that the office of the Executive Secretary is not (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)

## Is Burlington Becoming Base Of Klan Activity?

BURLINGTON — The Ku Klux Klan apparently is making Burlington its base of activities in North Carolina.

Dorsett of Greensboro said he knew only that "Something is going to take place over there." He said he had not talked with (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)



ORDER STILL STANDS — Federal Judge Harry J. Lemley talks on the phone at Little Rock, Ark. last week. He rejected a request by the NAACP that he stay his Order suspending integration for 7-12 years at the Central High School in Little Rock. The NAACP asked the U. S. Supreme Court to nullify the court's ruling, but the high tribunal decided this week to let the U. S. District Court of Appeals, St. Louis, Mo., handle the request. — (UPI Photo.)

## Inmate Is Quickly Recaptured

SPRUCE PINE, N. C. — An inmate of the Avery County prison camp escaped when he fled from a road gang working near here Friday but was recaptured a few hours later.

Prison officials said Funtroy Merrill, 36, of Greensboro, was recaptured (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)

## Woman Bound Over; Faces Murder Rap

Miss Etta Louise Douglas, 38, a parolee, was held on first degree murder charges Tuesday in the slaying of an elderly veteran of World War I.

She was bound over to Wake Superior Court after a hearing Tuesday. Officers said the woman had admitted the fatal stabbing of Raeford York, 65, 316 S. Bloodworth Street, during a drinking bout at his home early (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)

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## NC Pair To Face Charges Of Bribery

WHITEVILLE — A father and son have been charged with trying to bribe a city oligman who arrested the youth after a 10-minute chase through town.

Police Chief L. W. White said that James Hawkins, 19, Brunswick, was stopped by Officer Bill Rhodes and charged with speeding, reckless driving, failure to heed a siren and a stop light, damage (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)

## Winners Of Bonus Money Announced

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## STATE IN BRIEF

YOUTH DROWNS IN FARM POND  
CATAWBA — James Roosevelt Hartness, 32, Route 2, Catawba drowned Tuesday while swimming in a farm pond about five miles from here. Members of the youth's family, who were swimming with him, said Hartness was the first of the group to enter the pond. They said he swam about halfway across the pond when they discovered he started back toward shore. Rescuer crews recovered his body about an hour after the drowning.

DOCTOR'S HOSPITAL SUIT DISMISSED  
WILMINGTON — Federal Judge Don Gilliam Wednesday dismissed a suit filed by three Negro doctors seeking the use of the operating room at the James Walker Memorial Hospital here.

An order signed at his home at Tarboro, held that the federal courts did not have the jurisdiction in this case. He ruled that although the city of Wilmington and New Hanover County support the hospital financially, they do not control its operation.

Drs. Robert A. Eaton, Daniel C. Roams and Samuel J. Gray filed suit March 23, 1956 on behalf of themselves and other Negro doctors. They named the hospital, the board of County Commissioners and the City Council as defendants. (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)



AT WHITE HOUSE MEETING — President Eisenhower poses in his office at Washington on June 23 with Negro leaders, following a conference dealing with school integration and other matters affecting the race. From left to right are Lester E. Granger, executive secretary of the National Urban League; Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., president of the Southern Leadership Conference; E. Frederick Morrow, White House administrative officer; the President; Asa Phillip Randolph, vice-president of the AFL-CIO; Attorney General William Rogers; Enoch S. Richardson, special assistant to the President; and Roy Wilkins, executive secretary of the NAACP. (UPI TELEPHOTO.)