

Resignation Final

McLENDON GOES TO HAMPTON



The array of dignitaries in the above photo is that of the principals in the Commencement exercises at North Carolina College here Tuesday, June 3. Speaker for the occasion was Dr. Carleton L. Trueblood, professor of Philosophy at Earlham College, Richmond, Indiana. From left to right: Dr. Albert L. Turner, dean of the North Carolina College Law School; Dr. A. E. Manley, dean of the college; President Alfonso Elder, Dr. Trueblood; Dr. W. W. Pierson, dean of the Graduate School; Dr. E. Moore, dean of the school of Library Science; Dr. Lucy Morgan, director, Department of North Carolina Public Health Education; Dr. C. C. Spaulding, member of the Board of Trustees and R. M. Gantt, chairman, Board of Trustees.

Commencement Speaker Tells N. C. College Graduates "Democracy Is Shoddy"

The members of North Carolina College's 1952 graduating classes were urged to raise their sights to perm it ideals of excellency to prevail over ideals of mediocrity here last Tuesday. Dr. D. Elton Trueblood, noted Quaker scholar of Earlham College, Richmond, Ind., spoke to the graduates in B. N. Duke Auditorium. The program was broadcast over Radio Station WDNC.

Dr. Trueblood said our democracy today is "shoddy," because there is too much mediocrity in our present system of living. To offset the dangers of mediocrity, Dr. Trueblood urged Americans to raise their sights in the areas of the home, daily work, the church, and the school.

He said it is useless to give advice to people who are not interested in our opinions on foreign affairs and national issues. What is needed, Dr. Trueblood said, is for individual citizens to make better homes, to do their individual jobs in a better way, to practice the ideals of Christianity outside of church as well as inside, and to approach the matter of education in a serious way that will improve all members of society.

The graduates were urged to practice habits of excellency which can be noted in happy homes, serviceable churches, skilled craftsmanship, and colleges that aid the citizens of our communities to make the world a better place in which to live. Dr. Trueblood urged a reading of serious books to help individuals become better world citizens. The quest for excellency.

16-Year-Old Boy Loses Life In Gum Neck Creek

COLUMBIA. The body of a 16-year-old boy of the Gum Neck section of the County, who drowned around 12:30 P. M., while swimming with several other youths in Bar Pit, was recovered here around 2:30 P. M., Sunday. The Bar Pit is located on the farm of Gerald Selby.

The unfortunate boy was Lester Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grandy Brown. Other boys who were in swimming with Brown at the time of the accident were Elwood Swain, Joe John Liverman, Hayes Liverman, Will Liverman and Richard Major.

According to officers making the investigation, Brown called for help and two of the boys attempted a rescue, but were forced to abandon it when he almost pulled them under.



Memorial service for Miss Moranda Smith, noted fighter for freedom will be held in Winston-Salem Sunday, June 8 at 2:00 P. M. It was announced this week by Miss Viola Brown and Mrs. Eugenia Lewis, co-chairmen of the committee arranging the program. Miss Smith died suddenly on April 13, 1950.

Berean Bible Class To Unveil Founder's Photo

The Berean Bible Class of St. Joseph A.M.E. Church will unveil a photograph of the founder of the church, the late Rev. Edman Markham, Sunday June 15. J. H. Betts, president of the class announced here this week that the unveiling ceremony will take place on the court of the church immediately following the morning service.

A special committee composed of C. R. Rivers, Nelson Hughes, Jr., J. Elwood Carter and the president of the class is arranging for the program. Cecilia Elaine Wiggs, six-year-old great-granddaughter of the (Please turn to Page Eight)

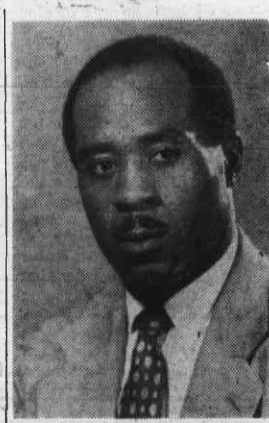
Pastor Of Ebenezer Baptist Church Tells Hillside High Graduates "Inequalities A Challenge"

The Rev. J. A. Brown, pastor of Ebenezer Baptist Church of Durham, in the annual baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of Hillside High School here Sunday, said that inequalities can serve a great challenge to youth.

Speaking from the subject, "Inward Powers Overcoming The Inequalities Of The Present Day World," the Rev. Brown pointed out that if all were equal, there would be no leaders, there would be no talent, nor would there be any incentive to cause one to aspire to high attainment. The speaker referred to several local Negro leaders and pointed out that these persons, like many others have proved that an inequality can be an advantage.

The sermon was said to have been one of the most practical and forceful ever delivered at a high school baccalaureate exercise in this city, and in spite of the fact that it was Sunday, brought forth occasional applause from the audience.

Since taking over the pastorate of Ebenezer here one year ago, the membership has been increased nearly 200 and the church has emerged as one of the most outstanding in the city. The baccalaureate program was presided over by Rev. N. B. Higgins, member of the Hillside faculty. Scripture was read by Rev. L. M. Gooch, pastor of St. John Baptist Church with invocation being offered by Rev. Wm. Fuller, pastor of Mount Zion Baptist Church. Music for the occasion was furnished by



REVEREND J. A. BROWN the school chorus. The Rev. J. H. Peppers, pastor of St. Paul Baptist Church pronounced the benediction.

More Books On Religion Are Being Published

Right now publishers are issuing more books on religion than on any other nonfiction subjects. Newspaper syndicates are expanding their religious features. Sales of the Bible have because of increasing public interest doubled in five years and are (Please turn to Page Eight)

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New Drug For Treatment Of TB Released By FDA

WASHINGTON. Another new drug for the treatment of tuberculosis was announced here Wednesday by the U. S. Food and Drug Administration, to be used "Under close medical supervision."

Up until now the drug has been restricted to experimental use. The National Tuberculosis Association is cautious in describing the drug says that "it appears to be useful in treatment, but is not a specific cure for tuberculosis and (whose) real worth has not yet been evaluated."

The chemical name of the drug is isonicotinic acid hydrazide. It is said to be easy to make, inexpensive and in abundance.

Doctors report it to be "the best thing yet" to be used in the treatment of TB which kills annually over 45,000 persons in America.

In announcing the release of the material under which 4,000 TB patients have received treatment in the experimental program.

The FDA said in releasing its announcement that stated its action "Means only that the drug is regarded safe when used as recommended in its labelling and implies no approval or endorsement."

"For the present," said FDA, "the recommended use of isonicotinic acid hydrazide is limited to the treatment of tuberculosis victims who are not responding satisfactorily to streptomycin therapy."

Old North State Medical Society Closes Contab

The 65th annual meeting of the Old North State Medical Society closed a three day session here Thursday night.

All sessions were held in the Music and Fine Arts Building at North Carolina College. Scientific discussions were held Wednesday and Thursday with state and national medical authorities participating in the panels.

At Thursday's final day, the society listened to additional scientific papers, and held a joint business meeting with the Pharmaceutical section. The Ladies Auxiliary also met Thursday afternoon.

These meetings began here last Tuesday afternoon with a meeting of the executive board, a general membership business meeting, and a reception at the home of Dr. and Mrs. D. B. Cooke.

Dr. George H. Evans of Greensboro presided at the opening business sessions. Dr. W. T. Armstrong of Rocky Mount, president elect, was inducted into office at the closing meeting.

Officers of the society for the past year included, in addition to Dr. Evans, the president, the following: J. Garrett Parker of Durham, 1st vice president; Dr. Armstrong, president-elect; Dr. F. E. Davis, Greensboro, secretary-treasurer; Dr. Clyde Donnell, Durham, secretary-treasurer emeritus; and Dr. Milton D. Quigless, Tarboro, recording secretary.

The officer of the Durham Academy of Medicine, host to the state group, are: Dr. C. D. Grandy, president; Dr. J. M. Hubbard, Jr., vice president; Dr. R. E. Dawson, secretary; and Dr. (Please turn to Page Eight)



Last Rites Held For Mrs. Lowe At White Rock

Mrs. Lottie Sparkman Lowe, 56, wife of Jas. Urban Lowe, died at her home here, 801 Elizabeth Street, Sunday June 1, following an illness of approximately four months.

Mrs. Lowe, who was the former Miss Lottie Beatrice Sparkman, was born in Durham, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Sparkman.

She attended the public schools of the city and the National Training School, now the N. C. College at Durham. For several years she taught in the Durham County school system, after which she was employed at the N. C. Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Mrs. Lowe was a member of White Rock Baptist Church, the Mother's Club, Year Round Garden Club, Cosmetologist Club No. 1 and treasurer of the Square Glenn Memorial Foundation.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by her mother, Mrs. Mary J. Torian and two sons, Jas. Urban, Jr., instructor, Tennessee State University and Benjamin, graduate student at the University of Cincinnati.

The last rites were held at White Rock Wednesday morning, June 3 at 10:30. The Rev. Miles Mark Fisher, pastor, officiated.

Interment was at Beechwood Cemetery.

Annual NAACP Meet To Study Segregation

NEW YORK. The status of the all-out fight against segregation being waged by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will be discussed and studied in two half-day sessions on Thursday, June 26, at the 43rd annual NAACP convention, to be held in Oklahoma City. Thurgood Marshall, NAACP special counsel, and Daniel E. Byrd, field secretary for the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc., will lead the segregation discussions.

According to a schedule outlined in advance by Mr. Marshall, the morning session will be devoted to detailed exposure of all evils inherent in enforced racial segregation and the afternoon session to methods of effectively combating this segregation. Experts in the field will discuss various phases of the question and will outline experiences in the fight against Jim Crow on the community, state, regional and national levels.

Branch activity and legislative activity, with emphasis on the 1952 political action campaign, will be featured at other workshop sessions at the convention. Speakers at the evening sessions and Sunday mass meeting include Dr. Louis T. Wright, chairman of the NAACP board of directors; Rev. James H. Robinson, Church of the Master, New York; Senator Hubert Humphrey of Minnesota; George Rucker, 23-year-old president of the student senate, University of Oklahoma; Roy Wilkins, NAACP administrator; and Walter White, executive secretary.

On Saturday night, June 28, there will be a dramatization of "Fire in the Flint," Mr. White's first book, at the city auditorium. There will be no admission fee for the play, which was prepared by Professor Melvin B. Tolson of Langston University and will be performed by the university's Dust Bowl Players under Professor Tolson's direction.



Retiring Head Oxford School Feted By Faculty

OXFORD. On Tuesday evening May 27, the faculty of Orange Street School of Oxford, entertained at a banquet in the school cafeteria, in honor of its retiring principal, Rev. James W. Hall. Mrs. Sadie Wilson acted as mistress of ceremonies and Mrs. James C. Baptiste read telegrams of felicitations. Rev. C. A. Atkins gave the invocation.

Music was furnished by a group of Orange Street School music pupils under the direction of Mrs. B. P. Tyler. The twenty-one years of service the Rev. Mr. Hall has rendered to the community, and the esteem in which he is held, was paid tribute by Dr. E. E. Toney, Rev. G. C. Hawley, Rev. H. S. Davis, Mrs. Ira Miller, Mrs. Alex Peace, and a pupil, Nora Craft. Remarks were made by Dr. Budd E. Smith, Superintendent of Oxford City Schools and Mrs. M. W. Gant, Supervisor.

A Television Set, given by the faculty, was presented to Rev. Hall by a co-worker, Mrs. O. H. Johnson. The wife of the principal was also presented an orchid by Miss H. S. Barnes, another member of the faculty. The many contributions made by the Rev. Mr. Hall will long be remembered by all the citizens of Oxford and Granville County.

426 Graduated At 54th Commencement Of 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.

An adventurous life which breaks away from the past for the sake of the future is safe

only to the individual who has clear understanding of simple things. "All the adventure and all the courage may fail when confronted by reality unless there is clear understanding," warned the speaker.

Mr. Frazier advocated reading of books and study of the Bible as able aids to clear thinking and self-education when he said, "the reading of the Bible improves one's speech and affords wisdom, inspiration and understanding essential in knowing how to live."

"Another bit of know how of living," continued the speaker, "is the recognition of the need for patience. It is one of the rarest adornments of character but in the work of our life and in our patience is essential."

Mr. Frazier, a member of the college trustee board, was introduced by board chairman, Judge Charles A. Hines.

Nine of the 15 new buildings in the current program at the college were named and dedicated. These included: The W. Kerr Scott Hall, the men's dormitory named for the governor of North Carolina; The Austin W. Curtis Hall, named for one of the first graduates of the college, now deceased; The Charles A. Hines Hall, the Agricultural-Science building, named for the chairman of the college trustee board; The David S. Coltrane Hall, the Agricultural extension building, named in honor of the assistant director of the N. C. Budget Bureau; The Julian (Please turn to Page Eight)

Noted Coach Pulls Up Stakes At N. C. College

The resignation of Johnny B. McLendon, famous basketball coach at North Carolina, was reported to be definite and final here Thursday when representative of the Carolina Times learned that McLendon had given up all hopes of ironing out difficulties and had signed a contract with Hampton Institute, Hampton, Va.

The usual dillydallying tactics of the North Carolina College administration was said to have proved the final straw that broke the camel's back in feverish efforts of faculty members, students, alumni and friends of the college to keep McLendon from making his resignation final.

An inquiry at the College News Bureau disclosed that it was absolutely in the dark about the resignation and thereupon a representative of the Times inquired at the office of President Alfonso Elder, who stated that he did not know what McLendon had finally decided to do about his resignation.

Further investigation from a very reliable source revealed that Coach McLendon has not only already signed a contract to accept work at Hampton, but that he had already left the city. Thus, North Carolina College's 12 years' supremacy in the basketball circle of the CIAA comes to an abrupt end unless the institution is able to find some person who can produce the type of top-ranking teams which the college became famous for under the coaching of McLendon.

It was back in 1937 when McLendon came to North Carolina College and accepted a contract at the lowly salary of \$60 per month, as assistant basketball coach to William Burghart, now Director of Athletics at Morgan State College, Baltimore, Md. In 1940 McLendon was given full charge of basketball at the college and during the entire 12 years, eight of his teams were CIAA champions and three others were runners up, thus leaving only one year in the entire 12 years that his team was not a contestant in the championship finals.

He was the first coach of a Negro basketball team to beat Clairbee's famous Long Island University team. The game was played in Washington and started the basketball world and catapulted North Carolina College basketball team into the national limelight as one of the outstanding of the nation.

Efforts to reach McLendon at his home for a statement were unsuccessful.

Scott Says Race Issue Injected Into May Primary

RALEIGH. The final days of the Umstead-Olive gubernatorial race developed into a regular mudslinging campaign, it was learned this week, with the race issue on the Willis Smith style, being injected into it with no uncertain terms.

Governor Scott stated here this week that, "It looks like they said the governor. 'I don't think it is for the good of the state.'"

The Chief Executive said, "That sort of thing probably has had a bearing upon the rise of the Ku Klux Klan in North Carolina."

It was also disclosed here Monday that handbills had been distributed in Eastern North Carolina, stating that Governor Scott had appointed a Negro to the State Board of Education and that Olive was his choice for governor. The handbills further asked the voter, if he wanted his children in the same school with Negroes?

Charges that the handbill originated in Wendell over the name of Worth Hinton, mayor of Wendell, were denied by Hinton this week. The mayor said he had no part in the composing of it or in its distribution.

The handbills were signed (Please turn to Page Eight)