New President Of Palmer Memorial Institute Inaugurated

S. C. University Newspaper Opposes Byrnes

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Pictured above are some of the scenes from the recent Inaugural Services of the Second President of Palmer Memorial Institute, Sedalia. Dr. Charlotte Hawkins Brown, the institution's retiring president, foreground left, is shown shaking hands with Mrs. Wilhemenia M. Crosson, newly elected president, following the latter's speech accepting the position.

Seated, top left, are representatives from various colleges and universities who joined in congratulations to the new administrator. From left to right, Dr. William Hester, Boston, Mass; Robert Stone, Harvard University, Boston; Dr. Brown, C. R. Wharton, Greensboro, who presided over the program; Mrs. Crosson, Dr. F. D. Patterson, Tuskegee Institute, Alabama; Rev. John Brice, former instructor at the school.

At the speakers stand is Dr. Mordecia Johnson, president of Howard University, who delivered the inaugural address.

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Cong. Dawson Rips Republicans At NCC

ILLINOIS SOLON SAYS GENERAL EISENHOWER TOOL OF GOP "DIXIECRAT" COMBINATION

The Nation's Number One Democratic Negro political figure charged here this week that U. S. Senator Richard Nixon's civil rights voting record in Congress is "worse than that of some of the Southern congressmen".

Congressman William L. Dawson of the First Illinois District lashed out at Republican vice presidential nominee Nixon and Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, the GOP's presidential nominee in words hardly less bitter than Dawson praised the human those of President Harry S. Truman, Dawson praised the Democratic Party and predicted Negroes would stay in the Democratic folds in November.

Mr. Dawson delivered his tirade against the Republicans at North Carolina College's Duke Auditorium here at noon Monday. The speech was part of the NCC non-partisan forum committee's Fall series.

Republicans can answer the Dawson speech on October 20 when U. S. Rep. O. K. Armstrong of Missouri speaks before the general public in Duke Auditorium at noon His topic will be "What the Republicans Stand For."

In a blistering all-out attack against the Republicans, Congressman Dawson made this general indictment against GOP's Presidents Harding, Coolodge, and Hoover: "They killed the League of Nations, removed restraints and controls from our economy, left America militarily weak, paved the way for unprecedented unemployment, and laid the foundations for World War II."

Dawson said the Republican propagandists are trying to "cry Sparkman in an effort to divert Negroes' attention from the weaknesses of Gen. Eisenhower, the Republican presidential nominee."

The Illinois congressman said Sparkman, as a representative of Alabama, voted on civil rights and other issues in a manner respecting the desires of the people in his district. The speaker distinguished between Sparkman's philosophy of human rights and his political voting. "Where civil rights involving all the people are concerned, Mr. Sparkman has voted on the side of liberality," Dawson said.

According to Congressman Dawson, Sen. Nixon, the Californian, does not have much of a racial problem in hi state, and yet, Dawson said, Nixon has "been worse and more bitter in the Congress of the United States on civil rights issues than some Southern congressmen."

The Illinois solon said Sen. Sparkman is "made of the same kind of stuff as Associate Supreme Court Justice Hugo Black." Justice Black, an Alabama native, has become one of the most liberal justices in U. S. history, Dawson said, and he predicted Sen. Sparkman would prove to be of the same pattern if elected vice-president.

Dawson rapped Gen. Eisenhower's "grandstanding with the Dixiecrats and applauding the waving of Confederate flags and saying he likes Rebel yells.'

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Man In Jail Sent To Road For Having Wine

High Point—The local Municipal Court refused to recognize the "clink" as the legal residence of Otis Quick, local Negro, and therefore the jail lost its trusty Monday.

Quick told the court that he thought it was legally alright for a man to keep a small amount of wine in his house. This was his explanation for the part of a bottle of wine found in his cell by officers. Since the jail was his home while he served sentence, he contended that he had not broken a law.

The judge, J. A. Myatt, however disagreed with the trusty's way of thinking and therefore sentenced him to spend the remaining five months of his previous month sentence on the roads.

SPEAKS OUT: In fighting address to Presidential commission on Immigration, Walter White, NAACP secretary above, warned U. S. that should present restrictions against non-white peoples of the world continue, Western-style Democracy was doomed. "Three-fourth of world will not be kicked around for ever" he added. (Newspress photo.)

Asks Defeat Of Proposal To Close Schools

Columbia, S. C.—Defeat of a proposal to abolish the public school system in the State of South Carolina is urged by John Duffy, a columnist for the *Gamecock*, University of South Carolina student publication. The move to abandon the school system was initiated by Gov. James F. Byrnes as a result of the NAACP suit in the Clarendon County case to end segregation in the elementary and secondary schools.

This "fantastic" Byrnes proposal, Mr. Duffy says in his column of September 26, can be explained only as racial prejudice. "Rather than mix races in the schools the state would abolish the schools," he asserts. "It does not matter how the people stand on the race issue. That is only incidental. The question is simply whether we shall allow ourselves to be so inflamed by the race issue that we shall work irreparable harm upon ourselves by abolishing the school system."

He calls upon students of the university to "influence our families and our friends to vote against the proposed amendment

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NIXON HORNS IN ON SERIES' SPOTLIGHT

NEW YORK

Senator Richard Nixon, Republican vice-presidential nominee, horned in on some of the world series' spotlight by attending the thrilling fifth game as a rooter for the Dodgers.

Sitting directly behind the Dodger dugout, Nixon on explained his penchant for the Dodger dugout, Nixon exways followed Jackie Robinson since he played for UCLA. Northwithstanding, his wife is a Yankee fan.

Over 1,000 Pay Tribute To Dr. C. Brown As New Head Takes Over Reins

By ADA HANNAR

Sedalia—An audience of 1,000 or more gathered here Sunday afternoon in Wellsley Auditorium of Palmer Memorial Institute to pay tribute to its founder-president, Dr. Charlotte Hawkins Brown, and to extend best wishes to the new president in her future undertakings.

The new president, Mrs. Wilhemenia M. Crosson, is a graduate of State Teacher's College, Salem, Mass., and Boston City College, Boston. She was employed in the Boston City School System prior to coming to North Carolina where she has taught at Palmer Memorial Institute for three years.

Platform speakers for the occassion were several leading educators, representing institutions which were both inspirational and helpful to the founder during the early years of Palmer's struggle for existance. The inaugural address was delivered by Dr. Mordecia Johnson, president of Howard University, Washington, D. C.

He lauded Dr. Brown for her contributions to the moral, cultural and intellectual development of American boys and girls, including his own son, who is a graduate of the institution.

Dr. Johnson also emphasized the need for stronger elementary and secondary preparation, as demonstrated by former Palmer students at Howard and other institutions throughout the nation.

Others participating in the program were Robert G. Stone, son of the late Galen Stone an early benifactor of the school, who represented Harvard University; Dr. F. D. Patterson, Alabama, Tuskegee Institute; Dr. W. C. Jackson, Woman's College, Greensboro; Dr. F. D. Bluford, A. and T. College, Greensboro; Professor O. R. Pope, Bennett College, Greensboro and Dr. Alfonso Elder, North Carolina College at Durham, Durham.

The chairman of the Board of Trustees, C. R. Wharton, Greensboro, presided at the inaugura-

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The late Weeks S. Armstrong of Rocky Mount for whom the new $1,900,000 housing project of that city was named recently by the local housing authority. Protesting vehemently the naming of the project for the noted Reconstruction period Negro leader is a group of citizens headed by A. Y. "Tuffy" Bryant, president of the Rocky Mount Forum.

Police Officer Absolved Of Killing Man

Siler City—A corner's jury ruled here Tuesday night that Policeman Leroy Pittman acted in the line of duty when he killed Ernest Carter, a local 33 year old Negro, Monday.

According to Pittman, he had arrested Carter on a charge of prowling, and was taking him to be identified by the nightwatchman, Eugene Campbell, of the Siler City Manufactoring Company, as the man he chased from the plant Sunday night.

Said the officer, "Just as the car turned off the highway, Carter started to open the door and jump out and I grabbed him and slammed on brakes."

"He hit me across the left arm and I turned him loose. He started out of the door again, and I grabbed him. He hit me across the face, and I realized that he was cutting me. I shot him. Car-

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ROCKY MOUNT CITIZENS STILL AT ODDS OVER NAMING OF FEDERAL HOUSING PROJECT

By D. W. STITH

ROCKY MOUNT

The fight over the naming of the new $1,900,000 housing project for the late Weeks S. Armstrong, prominent citizen of this city and one time employee of the local post office, continued unabated here this week as both sides in the three-week old melee vied for vantage.

Charges and counter charges were flying fast with the opposition supposedly coming from the Rocky Mount Civic Forum, headed by A. Y. "Tuffy" Bryant, although a member of the executive committee of the Forum told the CAROLINA TIMES representative that the matter had never been before it for consideration.

In an advertisement carried in the Rocky Mount Telegram, local daily, last week, Bryant charged that the Civic Forum had steered the movement to secure the housing project from its incipiency until it was ap-

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ATLANTA HOST TO NEW FARMERS OF AMERICA

ATLANTA, GA.

The 18th annual convention of the New Farmers of America convened here last week with the welcome address being delivered by Mayor Hartsfield. In his address, the Mayor stated that he likes to greet people from other states, so that he can tell them of the vast opportunities Atlanta affords its Negro citizens.

"Atlanta is the educational center for Negroes," he went on to say, "and there are more Negro colleges in Atlanta than in any other city in the United States, as well as many opportunities for young people to go into business in this great city."

On Wednesday the Honorary Superior Farm Degree was conferred upon Dr. J. W. Davis, President of West Virginia State College, Harley F. Taylor, guest speaker for the convention and W. F. Hickson, state Advisor from South Carolina. Recipients of the Superior Farmer Degree were James Willie Heard and Freddie Houston of Louisiana; Howard Jones and Robert Ellis of Virginia; Zan Withrow, North

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NCC Majorettes Prance In Preparation For Homecoming With Maryland State "Hawks"

Shown here at the start of a prancing routine they will exhibit in Durham on Saturday October 25 when the Maryland State College Hawks' football team play the North Carolina College Eagles in North Carolina College's Homecoming feature are six of the famed Tarheel school's majorettes. Left to right, the pretty baton beauties are from left, the Misses Barbara Kelly, Troy; Betty Redding, Oxford; Dorothy Wilkins, Asheville; Tamara Baron, Winston-Salem; Bessie Payton, Norfolk, Virginia; and Geraldine Lyles, Pomona.

SMALL CHILD ACCIDENTALLY CRUSHED TO DEATH UNDER AUTO WHEELS IN HILLSBORO

Hillsboro — Lula Minerva Foust, an eighteen month old Negro girl, was fatally injured when a car ran over her, while she was playing in her back yard Sunday.

The tragedy occured when Clyde Junior Whitted, 18 year old service station attendant, was returning the family's car after washing it.

James Foust, father of the child, witnessed the accident. He was reported to have shouted, "You've killed my baby," as Whitted backed the car into a parked position after he had turned it around.

Little Lula was rushed immediately to Duke Hospital where she died half an hour later of multiple compound depressed fractures of the head.

Officers from the Orange County Sheriff's Department were continuing investigations last night and no charges had been preferred.

HELD IN $55,000 BANK ROBBERY

CHICAGO — Twenty - two-year old Larry Trumblay, an ambitious southside youth, is being charged with taking part in a $55,000 robbery of a South Bend, Ind. bank on September 19th. Larry was caught by FBI agents in ambush at a road culvert where he had an arsenal of various weapons. He pleaded innocent but his record for the past few years reads: twice shot and seriously wounded and once tumbled 14 feet from a roof top while dodging a policeman's bullets.

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