



### Drivers Escape Injury In Car-Truck Collision

Holding a worn volume of the Holy Bible salvaged from his car, Lonnie Lawson of Roxboro, exhibited a calmness which can come only from constant perusal of its contents, as he answered questions asked by local policemen concerning a collision involving his car and a truck driven by Alex Young, Jr., employee of the Boyce Supply Company. The accident occurred at the corners of Grant and Glenn Streets early Monday afternoon.

The 1948 Ford Sedan driven by Lawson was headed north on Grant Street, and the heavy-duty truck driven by Young, was headed south on Glenn St. at the time of the collision. It was reported that the truck in which Young was riding, turned over three times from the impact and barely escaped damaging a nearby dwelling.

According to the police officials, streets such as Grant and Glenn, where no stop signs are posted, the driver who has the largest portion of his vehicle in the intersection has the right of way, or the driver at the right has the right of way providing each vehicle has been slowed down or stopped before entering the street.

Both parties involved were booked at Recorder's Court for reckless driving pending a decision by the Judge.

many as among the best in the state, is under the direction of Mrs. Nell Hunter, noted soloist and music librarian at North Carolina College.

The program which is to be "A Sermon In Songs" will depict the life and passion of Jesus. It will center around several of the many outstanding events of His life's ministry. Because of the simple truths so beautifully dramatized in the songs and music of the program, a large crowd is expected to be on hand to witness its rendition.

The choir is composed of 26 voices, carefully selected and trained. Mrs. Minnie S. Gilmer is organist.

### CHARLOTTE NEWS

The West Charlotte High School Concert Band, under the direction of John L. Holloway, received the rating of I (Superior) at the District Music Festival which was held at Central High School in Newton, N. C., on April 2.

The rating received entitles the band to participate in the State-Wide Music Festival which will be held at A and T College on May 7.

Norman White, a member of the band, also received a I (Superior) rating for playing an instrumental solo.

Clifton Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomas of 401 and one half South McDowell, was injured Sunday afternoon, when he fell from the second floor of the apartment where he lives. Clifton was taken to Good Samaritan hospital immediately where his injuries were reported serious. He suffered a cut on the left side of his face and a slightly fractured wrist and skull.

Last week, 11 members of the Gamma Lambda Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority of Johnson C. Smith University recognized Red Cross day. As part of their initiation, their "service to others" project was sponsored by Mrs. Bertha Maxwell. Of 13 "probates", the 11 who gave their time between their regular classes included: Millie Davis, Wynona Hill, Jane Love, Beatrice Martin, Barbara Medford, Shirley Massey, Helena Sammons, Doris Stevens, Roddy Walker, Evelyn White



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Davis, grandmother; Mrs. Enid D. Harris of Detroit; Baby Joseph D. Butler in arms of Miss Anne Harrison of Danville, Va., godmother; Mrs. Charlie Davis Butler, and Dr. Joseph L. Butler of Winston-Salem.

### Churches Fete Pastor At First Baptist Installation Services

Installation service for the Rev. J. H. Jones, pastor of the first Baptist Church of Smithfield, were held at the church Sunday, April 4. Rev. Jones is former pastor of the New Hope and the Mt. Zion Baptist churches of Chatham County where he served successfully for 12 and 17 years respectively.

As a token of the high esteem in which he is held by both his former churches, Mt. Zion presented him with a purse of \$121 on Sunday March 28 and the New Hope Church presented him a purse of \$81 the previous Sunday.

Rev. Jones goes to Smithfield well prepared to pastor his new church. Born and reared in Durham County, he attended the city schools of the city and N. C. College before going to Shaw University from which he received an A.B. degree in 1931. Since that time he has pastored a number of large rural churches in the New Hope Association, for which he was



REVEREND J. H. JONES also secretary for 17 years. In 1950 he ran for Alderman in Chapel Hill and although not elected paved the way for the final election of a member of his race to the Board.

#### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Fannie Belle Waller, deceased, late of Durham County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 17th day of April, 1954, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 17th day of April, 1954. Joseph J. Waller, Administrator of the estate of Fannie Belle Waller, deceased. 906 Latta St., Durham, North Carolina. M. E. Johnson, Attorney

### Saint Joseph's Choir Sets Palm Sunday Recital

The Senior Choir of St. Joseph A.M.E. Church, will render its Seventh Annual "Palm Sunday" program, Sunday, April 11, at 7 P.M.

The program will be held in the main auditorium of the church, located at the corner of Fayetteville and St. Joseph Streets. It is a special feature of the Easter season, and climaxes a day in which the church celebrates the triumphant entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. The choir, considered by

### Banquet Closes Athletic Meet

CHARLESTON, S. C. An elaborate banquet held recently marked the climax of the Charleston Athletic Officials' Association meeting. Attending were members of the association, their wives, and invited guests. The estate of Pinckney Ezekiel, located near the Ashley River West of Charleston, was the scene of the affair.

The Charleston Officials' Association is composed of former high school and college athletes who organized 12 years ago to officiate at all sports events held in the vicinity of Charleston. The members have become

affiliated with the Southern and South Eastern conferences and have served in games throughout South Carolina, Georgia, Tampa and Miami, Fla. Honored guests at the banquet were: Professor and Mrs. Elbert Johnson of S. C. State College. Professor Johnson was made an honorary member of the association on the basis of his long tenure of service with the group.

Officers of the association elected at the final meeting are: Alfred "Seaport" Fields, J. C. Smith University, president; Frederick J. Cook, Claflin College, vice-president; Allen Tibbs, secretary; Edward Martin, assistant secretary; Reginald S. Boone, treasurer; James Manigault, Chaplain; Joseph A. Moore, public relations; Henry Mack, rules interpretations; and John F. "Pop" Long, commissioner.

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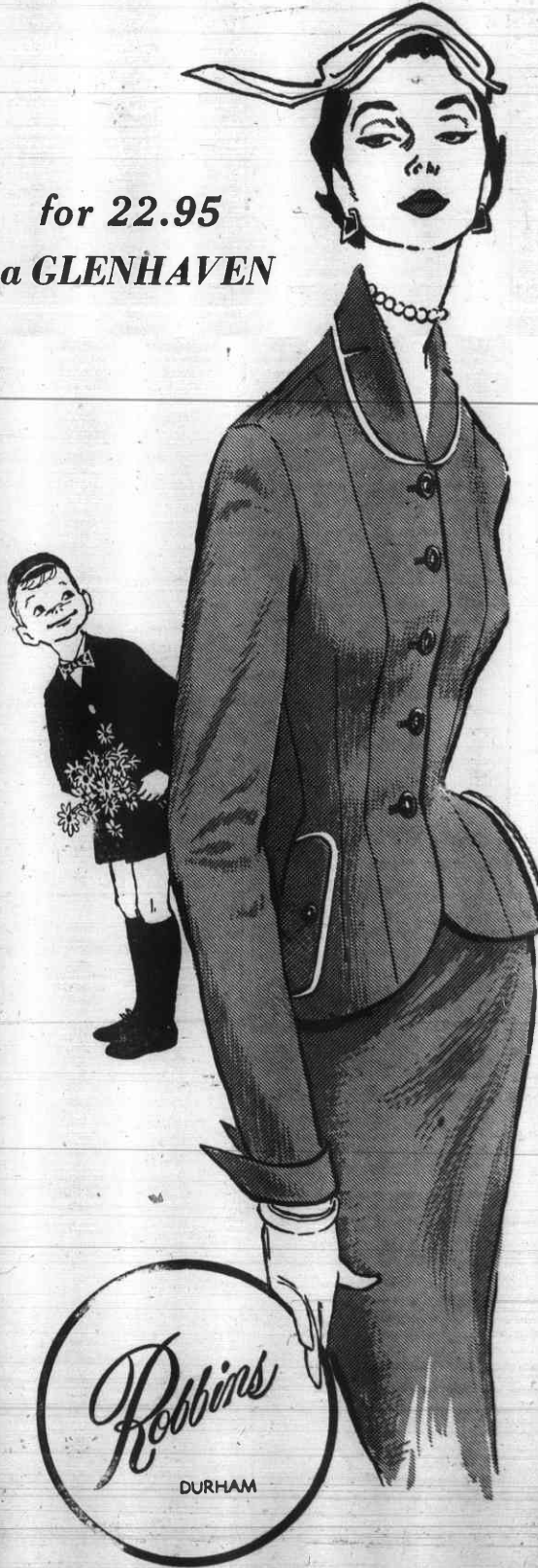
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