

Over 300 Grads Will March In NCC Exercises

An estimated 300 candidates for undergraduate, graduate and professional degrees will be among the participants in North Carolina College's 43rd commencement exercises here Sunday, May 30 and Tuesday, June 1, in the men's gymnasium.

Dr. William J. Faulkner, pastor of the Congregational Church of Park Manor, Chicago, Ill., will preach the baccalaureate sermon Sunday afternoon, at 3:30 p.m. William L. Shirer, noted radio commentator and journalist, will be the final speaker at 11 a.m. Tuesday, June 1.

Baccalaureate Sunday will feature the annual sermon at 3:30 p.m., followed by the annual reception for graduates, their friends and the faculty, given by President and Mrs. Alfonso Elder at their home. The music department's special Commencement Recital will be presented at 8:15 p.m. in Duke Auditorium.

Monday, May 31, has been set aside as Alumni Day. The annual meeting Monday afternoon will be followed by the traditional banquet Monday night. As in past years, the 1954 commencement season will pay Megginson, Martin and Lockett survived the semi-finals by winning over Charlie Sands and Leon Bowser of Morgan State.



CANDIDATE — EDWIN B. CLEMENT, candidate for County Commissioner, advocates a square deal for all citizens of Durham. If elected in the May 29 primary, he pledges to uphold the principles of honesty, sincerity, and efficiency.

special tribute to the Parents of graduating seniors and recipients of advanced and professional degrees.

Charles Bussey To Head A&T Student Paper

GREENSBORO — A new editor of the REGISTER, the student newspaper at A and T College was named at the annual banquet for its staff recently. Charles D. Bussey, of

Washington, D. C., rising senior, succeeds Richard E. Moore, of Farrell, Pa., upon the latter's graduation late this month.

The incoming editor, the son of Mrs. Mattie Bussey of Washington, served as sports editor of the newspaper in 1952 and associate editor, the following year. An honor roll student, he is regimental commander of the Army ROTC unit at the college.

Principal speaker at the banquet was L. E. Austin, publisher of the Carolina Times, in Durham, who spoke to the young journalists from the subject, "Remedy For a Sick World".

"Today's youth have inherited the most disturbed world of all ages", he said and warned that the one and only cure for many of its ills lay in love, sympathy and understanding between the peoples of the world.

Other REGISTER staff heads named at the banquet included: Don Fairley, Gilbert Caldwell, associate editors; James Knight, sports editor; Charles King, feature editor; Lyndall Hamilton, art editor and Dally Gaddie, circulation manager.

Remarks were made by Dean Warmoth T. Gibbs and Mrs. Lorenzo M. Marrow, advisors of the paper.



Madison Robinson, left, and Spenser "Sonny" Jameson were recently appointed head coaches of football and basketball, respectively, at St. Paul's Polytechnic Institute in Lawrenceville, Va. Robinson formerly coached college and high school



teams in Arkansas. Jameson was a three-sport star at City College of New York and captained the basketball team there one season. Robinson succeeds L. N. Stallworth as head coach at the institution.



PEARSONSTOWN GRADS — Shown are candidates for graduation from the Pearsons town Elementary School. They will be participants in the forthcoming commencement exercises to be held at the school in June.

Lockett And Martin Pace Some 40 Netmen Representing Ten To Eighteen C.I.A.A. Colleges

WASHINGTON, D. C. — North Carolina A and T College swept to its third straight CIAA tennis championship last Saturday as former national Negro intercollegiate champion, Julius Martin, won the singles title and teamed with John Lockett to oust Hampton Institute's second-seeded doubles team in a two-hour final round match.

The Greensboro school, which advanced both its singles players and doubles teams to the semi-finals in the three-day tournament, amassed 17 points

to runner-up Howard University's nine. Hampton (Va.) and Morgan State of Baltimore tied for third place in the 10-team competition with seven points.

In the grueling 48-game doubles finals Martin and Lockett came from behind to win over Eric Blake and Roosevelt Megginson of Hampton, 4-6, 11-9, 10-8. The Hampton duo reached match point on two occasions only to be denied as the top-seeded Aggies rallied.

Martin, a senior from Wilmington, N. C., won handily over teammate Lockett in the singles, 6-3, 6-1. By virtue of his win Martin qualifies for the intercollegiate championships, a tourney which he won in 1952. This year's tourney will be played in August at Daytona Beach, Fla.

Saturday's matches determined the individual champions, but the team championship was clinched by A and T in the semi-final round. In addition to the Martin-Lockett combination the Aggies' second doubles team of Ed Wells and Vic Miller advanced to the semi-finals before being eliminated by Blake and

Osmond S. Guy, Ethel Hamilton, Lacy E. Headen, and Regis A. Hull.

Loretta Lee Johnson, Clinton J. Jones, Eddie Lee Jones, Bettie Lewis, Annie Lowrie, William G. Matthews, Mary Meachem, Prunella E. Nelson, Carolyn Norwood, Clarence E. Peoples, Lucille C. Pittott, Eugene H. Preston, Wilfred C. Roce, Linwood E. Rodgers, Grover H. Sanders, Ruth C. Skelton, Jonathan Smith, Leonard Waters, James W. White, James A. Wright and John Ziegler were also honored.

From the School of Engineering: Charles Alston, Grady T. Alston, Glossie D. Anderson, Jesse James Bass, Izetta Cole Callahan, Maxine Dargan, Leon Dixon, Corbert R. Drake, Luther V. Dye, Edward Favors,

James E. Matthews, Dinsdale St. Ledger McLeod, Marion E. Miller, Ellis E. Ragland, Thelma E. Silas, Minnie Skinner, Benjamin Smallwood and Mildred Lee Tally received the certificate from the agriculture department.

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