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GOP MAY DITCH SOUTHERN STATES

Kittrell College Takes On New Life Under Bishop F.M. Reid



The above photos are scenes at the Fifth Annual Religious Educational Retreat held at Kittrell College last week at which more than 1,000 persons gathered for the four-day session. Top photo Number 1, shows President R. W. Wisner pointing out the new gymnasium now under construction at the school. Center photo, Number 2, shows directors of retreat in an informal discus-

sion with their leader, Rev. C. C. Scott. Others are from left to right, Mrs. Leolis Q. Brown, Mrs. Dorothy Swann, Mrs. Gladys Wisner, wife of the president and Rev. S. E. Gullies. Bottom photo, Number 3, shows the new Episcopal residence now under construction on the campus. Other photos of Retreat on back page.

Alumni Of AME School Launch \$100,000 Drive

KITTRELL
Over a thousand men, women and children of all ages flocked to the Fifth Annual Religious Educational Retreat at Kittrell Junior College last week.

Ministers, high church officials, young people and grown-ups attended workshops, clinics for ministers, picnics, sermons, pageants and musical programs at the venerable educational institution. The delegation was composed primarily of representatives of the Second Episcopal District, which includes Maryland, the District of Columbia, Virginia and North Carolina, but visitors were present from New Jersey, New York, Illinois, Tennessee and Michigan.

L. E. Austin, publisher of the Carolina Times was elected president of the Alumni Association and immediately announced plans to raise \$100,000 for the college. Pledge books were quickly gobbled up by friends of the college in attendance at the Retreat and Founder's Day, February 14, was set as the final date for making reports at which time the desired goal of \$100,000 is expected to be reached.

Austin pointed out to the Alumni Association the importance of private schools and said that strong efforts will be made to encourage the denomination to support the vitalization of Kittrell.

He stated further that the white Methodist Churches in North Carolina, instead of abandoning any of the several colleges they already have in the state, were planning to establish three new ones.

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FLOYD BROWN



GEORGE E. TILLETT
Floyd H. Brown and George E. Tillett, 1956 and 1953 graduates of the N. C. College Law School, respectively, who passed the State Bar Examinations recently.

Republicans Making Bid To Regain Negro Vote Lost To Demos In 1936

AME Zion's Open Big Gathering In Asheville

ASHEVILLE

High officials of the A. M. E. Zion Church began arriving here Sunday for the 1956 Connectional Council meeting of the A. M. E. Zion Church, which opens here August 22, at 11:00 a. m., with Hopkins Chapel as host.

The meeting is scheduled to last for four days and will open with a sermon and the serving of the Holy Communion of the Lord's Sacrament. The Rt. Rev. W. W. Slade will preside over the opening session and will then turn the gavel over to Bishop Raymond Jones, who will serve as chairman of the Board of Bishops until January.

The meeting is scheduled to be a busy one, due to the fact that much of the unfinished work of the general conference will be completed. Much interest is being shown in the selection of the Judicial Council. This body was brought into existence at the general conference. There will be five ministers and four laymen selected. There will be no bishop on the Council. The general conference will close.

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DR. HELEN EDMONDS

NCC Professor To Second Ike's Nomination

Dr. Helen Edmonds, professor of History at North Carolina College, is scheduled to second the nomination of President Eisenhower at the Republican National Convention now in process at the Cow Palace in San Francisco, Calif. Dr. Edmonds left Durham by plane Tuesday morning and will be in attendance at the GOP Convention until it closes.

In a final effort to win back the Negro vote which it lost in 1936 and in spite of the contention by many observers that it is definitely planning to hold the gains it made in Southern states in the campaign of 1952, those in the know at the Republican National Convention say that the GOP will finally ditch the Southern states in its bid for Negro support in the November election.

A close inspection of the Republican platform will disclose that it is not so much in keeping with Southern thinking as it appears on the surface even though the Civil Rights Plank is against the use of force in one place. Another it pledges the enactment of the civil rights bill which was killed by Southern Senators at the last session of Congress.

The GOP promises to renege that clause in the civil rights bill which gives a commission the "power to subpoena witnesses and records in investigation of a denial of the right to vote and 'unwarranted pressures' aimed at denying basic rights."

The commission's power is so broad that a witness might be summoned from his home to Washington or elsewhere and held at his own expense for a wholly unwarranted complaint made by persons whose identity he did not know. It would give the National Association

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Montgomery Boycott Minister To Deliver Ushers Annual Sermon

—RALEIGH

When the 32nd annual session of the Interdenominational Ushers Association of North Carolina opens in Greenleaf Auditorium at Shaw University here Thursday, it will bring together the largest interdenominational religious group in the state.

Listed on this year's program are many outstanding personalities of local, state and national note, including the Rev. S. S. Seay of Montgomery, Alabama who was jailed, together with 20 other Negro ministers of that city, because of the leading part they took in the bus boycott. Rev. Seay will deliver the annual sermon Sunday afternoon at three o'clock at Ligon High School. Other noted persons who will address the convention are Mayor Fred B. Wheeler of Raleigh; J. R. Larkin, State Welfare Director; Dr. J. O. Plummer, Raleigh Physician; Dr. W. R. Strasser, president of Shaw University; Rev. C. L. Gidney, Raleigh Ministerial Alliance; Mrs. V. T. Brown, Mrs. N. E. Lochart and Attorney E. A. Solomon.

Highlights of the annual session will be the public program, Thursday evening; the Ushers Institute Friday morning under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Morgan of Wen-

dell; the program of the Arts and Crafts Department and the Junior Department Saturday afternoon, Mrs. A. B. Massenburg is president of the former and Miss Norma C. McCoy is president of the latter. On Friday night the president's annual address will be delivered.

Saturday morning, August 25, the First Aid Department will have its annual program and make its annual report. Election of officers will be at 1:00 p. m. Saturday. Saturday evening at eight the annual Oratorical Contest, Mrs. Susie V. Cooper, Director, will be held, followed by awarding of prizes

by Mrs. E. K. Hughes of Fayetteville.

Music for the various programs will be conducted by the Fayetteville Street Baptist Church Choir, Manley Street Church Choir, Mrs. Margaret Chavis and Miss Ernestine Laws.

Principal officers of the Association are L. E. Austin, Durham, president; C. A. Langston, Raleigh, vice president; Mrs. M. J. Copeland, Greensboro, recording secretary; Mrs. Esther Haywood, Raleigh, correspondence secretary, Durham, treasurer and A. D. Clark, Chapel Hill, chairman of the Board of Directors.



JOHN B. LARKIN



REVEREND S. S. SEAY

NATIONAL BAR ASSOCIATION TO HOLD 31ST SESSION IN N. Y.

NEW YORK

The National Bar Association will hold its 31st Annual Convention in New York City from August 30 through September 1. All sessions, except the public session, will be at the Hotel New Yorker, the Convention Headquarters.

The program, as announced by Lawrence R. Bailey and Edward J. Cambridge, co-chairmen of the convention committee, will include such well-known speakers as Prof. Herbert Reid, Howard University Law School; Roy Wilkins, Executive Secretary, NAACP; Prof. Robert McKay, New York University Law School; Louis K. Pollak, Professor of Law, Yale University.

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Grambling Gets \$5 Million For Improvements

By C. J. NICHOLSON

GAMBLING, LA.
The Louisiana State Board of Education has approved a \$4,700,000 expansion program for Grambling College.

President E. W. E. Jones made the announcement last

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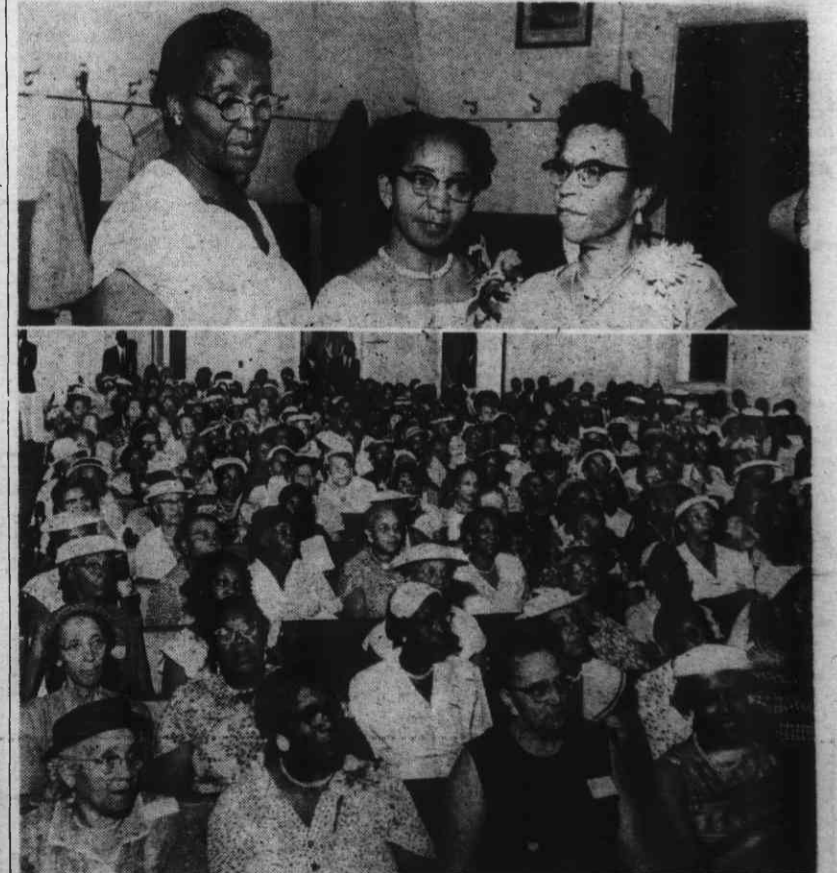
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Pictured above are scenes at the 72nd annual session of the Women's Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary Convention, held this month. At the top reading from left to right: Mrs. Ellen S. Akston, Raleigh, executive secretary of the Convention; Mrs. M. A. Horne, Winston-Salem, president, who is serving her seventh year; Mrs. A. E.

Johnson, Raleigh, bookkeeper. Bottom photo shows a section of the delegation assembled in the Mount Vernon Baptist Church, Reverend E. T. Brown, pastor. The delegates represented the female members in 1700 churches of the Baptist denomination located in North Carolina.