

Arkansas NAACP Case In Court

Inter-Racial Body For Integration Problems



Newly installed President of the Durham unit of the National Council of Negro Women is pictured here with Mrs. William Thomas Mason following her speech in Durham at the organization's first public meeting. Left to right are Mrs. Adylene A. Spaulding, president of the Durham Council of the NCNW; Miss Betty Wong Wahn of Hong Kong; Mrs. Mason, national

Durham City Council Approves Request For Relations Committee

An interracial committee designed to handle any problems arising in relations between the races has been approved for formation by the Durham City Council.

The move came at the Council's regular Monday night meeting.

Actually, the Council was acceding to a request by a group of prominent citizens who petitioned the Council to set up

Halt To Demand For Little Rock Records Asked

LITTLE ROCK, ARK. NAACP attorneys have filed a complaint in the United States District Court here asking for an order to restrain several Little Rock officials from demanding the records of the Little Rock NAACP branch.

The attorneys are Robert L. Carter of New York, the Association's general counsel, and George Howard, Jr., of Pine Bluff, Ark.

The NAACP document filed on Oct. 28, asks the federal court to issue a restraining order on the basis that the local ordinance requiring such information from the NAACP branch is "an unconstitutional violation of the due process and equal protection clause of the Fourteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution."

The complaint also requests that the court at an early date set a hearing for a preliminary injunction against the city officials named. Those listed as defendants are Mayor Woodrow Wilson Mann, the city clerk, aldermen, members of the board of directors, the city collector, and the city attorney.

The ordinance in question was enacted by the city council on Oct. 14. On Oct. 15 the mayor called upon the NAACP and three pro-segregation groups to submit lists of members and other records within 15 days. The NAACP was specifically required to file the names of its members and contributors, its

Atlantic Unit Jacks And Jills To Meet Friday

GREENSBORO Nearly 200 youngsters, members of the Jack and Jill of America, Inc., are expected here for the annual Midatlantic Teenage Conference, November 15-17.

Drawing delegates from 19 chapters in Virginia, North and South Carolina, the three-day meet will hold sessions at the local Hayes-Taylor Memorial YMCA.

Conducted on the theme, "Drafting a Blueprint For Effective Adult Living", several workshops will be conducted by prominent youth leaders. Consultants to participate in discussions on a variety of subjects of interest to teenagers, include: Mrs. Lusybil Ward Taylor, Durham, national editor of "Jack and Jill"; the official publication; Dr. A. F. Jackson, director of guidance at A&T College; Rev. J. T. Douglas, pastor of the local St. James Presbyterian Church; Sampson Bula, Greensboro, Boy Scout field executive; Mrs. Mary S. Cherry, Fayetteville, teenage sponsor and Miss Grace Matthews, Richmond, director of distributive education.

The opening session, scheduled for Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock will be keynoted by Dr. Hobart Jarrett, chairman, Division of Humanities at Bennett College. That session is open to the general public.

Host to the meet is the Greensboro Chapter of the organization headed by Thomasine Corbett, President of the parent's group is Mrs. Edna Fisher.

such a committee.

The petition was signed by 50 Durhamites who were described as "leading citizens."

The establishment of such a committee to deal with problems arising in race relations will be a first for Durham. It is a step that has been long advocated by many persons of various points of view.

In voting to set up the committee, the Council set forth three rather general purposes for the body which are presumed to be the limits of its authority.

They are as follows:

1. To help each race to know and understand the problems of the other so that they can meet on common ground to solve current problems.

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Two highlights from off-the-field activities during North Carolina College's homecoming last Saturday are captured by the photographer in these two scenes. At bottom, Olympic champion Lee Cathoun, who returned to NCC's Homecoming with his recent bride Guendolyn Bannister, is shown making brief remarks during halftime ceremonies. In top photo, three sets of "queens" who were presented during halftime are pictured following coronation ceremonies. Left to right are Zenobia Newton, attendant to "Miss Homecoming," Barbara Overton, "Miss Homecoming," Yvonne Pearson, her attendant; Margaret Purvis, "Miss Shaw," her attendant, Jean Deloatch; and alumni queens Miss Swannie Moore, Miss Doris Richardson and Miss Olivia Battle.

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Contestants in the 15th "Miss Trade Week" contest are pictured here. Contestants and sponsoring firms are, left to right, top row, Peggy Johnson, Durham district, N. C. Mutual life insurance Co.; Delores Johnson, College Grill; Sawadra Brown, Fuller Products; Mary Washington, Garretts' Dressing; Gloria Sutton, Scarborough and Hart; Shirley McMaster, Quality Food Market; Ruby Boggan, Service Printing Co.; and Faye Murrell, Vanity Fair Beauty Salon. Second row, same order, are Virginia Gordon, Royal Cleaners; Shirley Walker, Wright's Cleaners; and Miss Sarah Dutton, Dutton's League and director of the Miss Trade Week contest. Also in the contest but not pictured here is Naomi Lourey, sponsored by Neighborhood Grocery. Winner of the contest, to be selected on the basis of production in a market, will be crowned "Miss Trade Week" on Wednesday night. She will receive a cash prize of \$100. A silent show will be presented prior to the "Miss Trade Week" ceremonies.

Nixon Okays Race Resident

WASHINGTON, D. C. In a surprise answer to a plot by Georgia segregationists to move a Negro family... the larger the better—into a restricted residential area where Vice President Dick Nixon lives—sources close to Nixon gave out the report that "he wouldn't care less."



REV. J. W. WILEY

Headed by Georgia State Rep. A. A. Fowler, in Atlanta, the idea of the American Resettlement Foundation is to seek swanky northern neighborhoods for southern Negroes and charge as low as \$1.00 per month. They choose Negro families with 10 or 12 kids and buy property in the most exclusive section of the country.

Fowler is quoted as saying this idea will give the country's leading integrationists a chance to practice "some of the mixing they have been preaching." If the deal goes through, plans are to settle the Negro family in the new house within 60 days. Leaders of the Resettlement Foundation include Roy V. Harris, one of the biggest segregation powers in the South.

ASK NEGROES FOR CR-BODY

WASHINGTON, D. C. The American Council on Human Rights today urged President Eisenhower to give "full consideration to the appointment of a Negro, either Republican or Democrat," to the Civil Rights Commission authorized by the Civil Rights Legislation, P. L. 85-318.

The Council, a civil rights co-operative made up of Greek-letter organizations, brought to the attention of the President the distinguished services on Presidential Commissions and Committees of such Negroes as Archibald Carey, James Nabrit, J. Ernest Wilkins, Dowdell Davis, Oliver Hill, Jesse Mitchell, John Sengstacke, Mrs. Sedis Alexander, Channing Tobias, Charles Houston, Milton Webster, P. B. Young, and Earl B. Dickerson.

Shaw Founder's Day Program To Hear Wiley

RALEIGH The Reverend Joseph Weldon Wiley, principal of Swift Creek School, Nash County and pastor of Carter's Chapel Baptist Church, Halifax County, will deliver the Founder's Day address on the ninety-second anniversary of Shaw University, Friday, November 15, at 11:00 a.m. in University Church.

Reverend Wiley received the A.B. degree at Shaw University, the S.T.B. degree at Harvard Divinity School, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts and the M.A. degree at Columbia University, New York City. He served for two years as president of Shaw University's National Alumni Association. He is a member of the Board of Trustees of Palmer Memorial Institute, Sedalia.

A special feature of the Founder's Day exercises will be the naming of Science Hall for the late Dr. Nicholas Franklin Roberts by Charles R. Frazer, real estate broker, who is a former dean of Shaw. Dr. Roberts also served on the Shaw faculty.

Founder's Day Rites Conducted At Two N. C. State Colleges



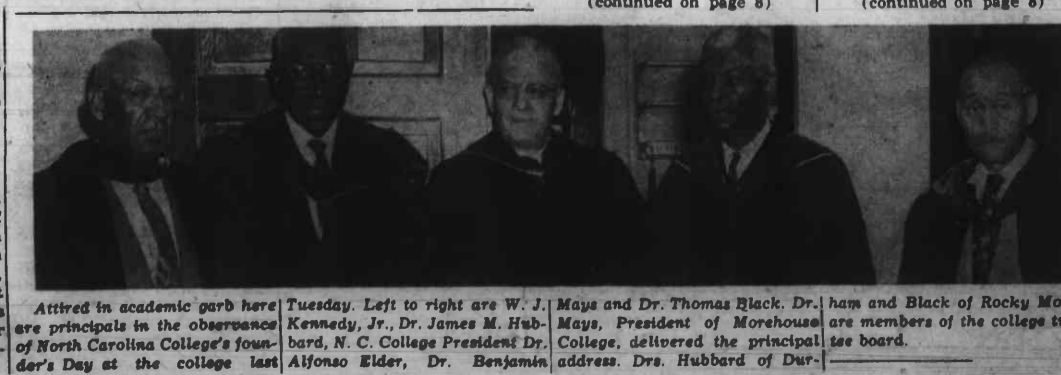
Principals at the annual Founders Day celebration, held at A&T College last week included, from left to right, Rev. Melvin Chester Swann, Sr., pastor of the Greensboro Bethel AME Church, dedicatory prayer; T. E. McKinney, dean of faculties at Johnson C. Smith University, Charlotte, principal speaker; Dr. Warmoth T. Gibbs, president and Francis H. Mabane, Farmville, who brought greetings from the alumni.

The celebration marked the 68th anniversary of the college and featured the dedication of three new buildings.

Hampton President Answers Attempts By Press To Smear Him With Commie Label For Speech At School

HAMPTON, Va. Hampton Institute's president, Dr. Alonzo G. Moron, lashed back at attempts by a Virginia evening daily paper to impute to him guilt by association as a result of his speaking at an integration seminar at the Highlander Folk School.

The Times Herald, Newport News, Va., published reports of investigations of the Georgia Commission on Education which characterized the Montegle, Tenn., school as "a Communist training school." The story was carried prominently under four column headlines. In an endeavor



Attired in academic garb here are principals in the observance of North Carolina College's founder's Day at the college last Tuesday. Left to right are W. J. Kennedy, Jr., Dr. James M. Hubbard, N. C. College President Dr. Alfonso Elder, Dr. Benjamin Mays and Dr. Thomas Black. Dr. Mays, President of Morehouse College, delivered the principal address. Drs. Hubbard of Durham and Black of Rocky Mount are members of the college trustee board.