

CORE CHARGES POLICE BRUTALITY

Kentucky State Elects Hill New President

Statesville Cops Arrest Twenty In Demonstration

Hill Picked To Succeed R. B. Atwood

FRANKFORT, Ky. — Dr. Carl M. Hill has been elected president of Kentucky State College, it was reported here this week.

Dr. Hill succeeds Dr. Rufus Atwood, retiring president of Kentucky State who had reached the mandatory retirement age.

The new president is a former dean of the faculty at Tennessee State A. and I. University. He also taught chemistry at A. and T. College, of Greensboro.



REV. BROWN HOME AGAIN
—Rev. James A. Brown, pastor of Ebenezer Baptist Church, displays souvenirs of his 17 day trip through Southern Europe and the Holy Land at his home early this week. He is holding a stone he recovered from the sea of Galilee. Other souvenirs shown in trays in front of him are, reading counter-clockwise,

sea shells and stones from the Dead Sea, stones from the sea of Galilee, currency and coins from Israel, Rome and Greece, sand from the Mt. of Olives, chunks of earth and stone from the Garden of Gethsemane, and branches from Olive trees in the Garden of Gethsemane. Lying in center is a candle from the city of Bethlehem.

photo by Purefoy

Brown Back, Loaded With Holy Land Memories and Souvenirs

The Rev. James A. Brown returned to Durham on Sunday afternoon full of inspiring memories, armed with a bag full of souvenirs from the historic Biblical sites of the Holy Land and wearing broad smile.

"It was simply wonderful," he remarked as he clasped the hand of Carolina Times publisher L. E. Austin who greeted him on his arrival at the Durham-Raleigh airport Sunday afternoon.

"I will certainly have a great deal to tell my people about now," the Ebenezer Baptist Church pastor said. Rev. Brown's four engine United Airliner ship touched down at Durham-Raleigh shortly after 2:30 p. m. Sunday, after an 18 day trip which had carried him through six countries of southern Europe and the near East.

The popular Durham minister won the trip as first prize in the Carolina Times recently concluded "Ministers Popularity Contest."

He was given a send-off by his congregation and friends on his departure on July 31. It included a reception, a conference with Mayor E. J. Evans, and a motorcade to the airport. Although Rev. Brown toured the cities of London, Paris, Rome and Athens, in addition to the Holy Land, he was most articulate in his descriptions of sights in Holy Land.

"Most of the sites of Biblical interest are on the Jordan (Arab) side of Palestine," he explained.

"Palestine is a divided country," he said.

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Negroes Slighted C-R Report Disputes N. C. Jobs Claim

GREENSBORO — The North Carolina Civil Rights Advisory Committee issued a report on the percentage of Negroes employed by the state which contradicted one issued earlier by the State Personnel director.

The Civil Rights Committee report said that only about 10.8 percent of the employees in 88 state agencies are Negroes.

The report said the percentage of Negroes employed by the state is "significantly lower" than the percentage of Negroes in the state population.

Only about 10.8 percent of the employees in 88 states agencies are Negroes, the report said, while Negroes constitute approximately 25.4 percent of the total population.

State personnel director Walter Fuller three weeks ago handed a report to Governor Sanford which said that the percentage of Negroes employed by the state was higher than the percentage in the state's population.

Fuller commented that the report showed that North Carolina does not discriminate

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FAIR BEAUTIES — The pretty collection of girls from several Piedmont counties will be vying for the title of "Miss Piedmont" at the annual Chatham County Fair, to open September 3 at Pittsboro. Shown here are, left to right front row, Brona Cheek,

Ramsauer; Jeanne Luther, Asheboro; Evelyn Johnson, Staley; Barbara Burnette, Chapel Hill; Charlene McDougle, Chapel Hill. On the second row in the same order are Marjorie Lassiter, New Hill; Lucile Rodgers, Pittsboro; Shirley Siler, Siler City;

Joyce Marx, Bear Creek; and Loretta Brady, last year's winner of the "Miss Piedmont" title. Miss Brady and the runners-up in last year's contest will grace floats in a twilight parade to be held at 8:30 p. m. on Labor Day, opening day of this year's fair.



DR. BROWNE

State Ushers to Honor Dr. Browne As 'Woman of Year' in Convention

CHAPEL HILL — Dr. Rose Butler Browne, of Durham, prominent educator and religious leader, will be honored by the North Carolina Interdenominational Ushers Association in the organization's annual state convention here next week.

Dr. Browne will be given a special citation as the Ushers "Woman of the Year" by State President L. E. Austin.

The award will be given at the climax of the convention on Sunday.

A spokesman for the Ushers said this week that the organization is "extremely proud to have chosen such a fine example of American womanhood as Dr. Browne" to honor.

A special citation prepared by Ushers describes Dr. Browne as a "humanitarian, civic and religious leader," and as an outstanding advisor to youth.

Dr. Browne, wife of the Rev. E. T. Browne, who pastor's Mt. Vernon Baptist church, is professor of education at North Carolina College.

She was instrumental in the establishment of a complete religious program tailored for youth at Mt. Vernon.

In addition to her work at the church, she is or has been chairman of the program committee of the Whitted School PTA, District chairman of the Bright Leaf Council of Girl

New Bowling Facility Set To Open In Durham

A new recreation facility bowling is expected to open for Durhamites next Friday.

Officials of the College Plaza Bowling Lanes, now nearing completion on South Fayetteville St., said the facility will be open for the first time on Friday night, Aug. 31 at eight o'clock.

It was reported 90 per cent complete at mid-week, with only parking area improvement remaining to be finished.

The new facility will feature 24 lanes with automatic pin-spotting equipment, a snack bar and a pro shop.

The building, covering an area of 21,000 square feet, is air-conditioned.

It is the first of a series of buildings proposed for the College Plaza Shopping center on Fayetteville St., it was built by the Greenberg construction company.

Arrangements for its lease have already been made, and the bowling alley will be operated by Southern bowling

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ALEXANDER

Alexander Begins Duties as NCC News Director

President Alfonso Elder announced this week the appointment of Harold W. Alexander as Director of the News Bureau at North Carolina College.

Alexander comes to NCC from the Fort Valley State College, Fort Valley, Georgia, where he was Public Relations Director and Associate professor of English.

A native of Macon, Georgia, Alexander did his undergraduate studies at Fort Valley, later going to the State University of Iowa for his master's degree. He has done pre-doctoral work at Iowa University.

In addition to his teaching at Fort Valley, he has also served on the faculties of Texas Southern University, Tougaloo Southern Christian College, Florida A. and M. University and Jackson State College, Jackson, Mississippi.

His professional affiliations include the College Language Association, Professional Photographers of America, the American College Public Relations Association and the Columbia Scholastic Press Advisors Association

See ALEXANDER, 6-A

Durham's Oak Grove Freewill Baptist Church Burns Mortgage In Special Sunday Afternoon Ceremony

Oak Grove Baptist Church set fire to its mortgage papers in special ceremony at the Durham church Sunday afternoon, climaxing a several years campaign by the church to complete payment of construction costs.

Mrs. Nola Lockhart, who was crowned "Queen" at the end of the church's final fund drive, was given the honor of setting

fire to the papers which had been placed in a special container for the burning.

The mortgage was presented to the pastor Rev. Z. D. Harris by J. J. Henderson, assistant vice president of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance company.

The church was completely

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Shelton Sworn In On Orange County Welfare Board

HILLSBORO — S. N. Shelton, Agricultural Agent for Orange County in Hillsboro, was recently sworn in as a member

See SHELTON, 6-A



A CHURCH BURNS ITS MORTGAGE — Mrs. Nola Lockhart (in white gown and headpiece) is shown just after she ignited scraps of the mortgage on the Oak Grove Free Will Baptist Church

building. The scene took place Sunday as the church held a special ceremony to celebrate the retiring of its mortgaged indebtedness. Standing beside her is Oak Grove pastor Rev. Z. D. Harris. Looking on in

background are, left to right, Miss Mary Branch, Mrs. Mary Hooker, Mrs. Sallie Williams, Mrs. Murray Bell, Mrs. Betty Dunstan, Mrs. Callie Gillis and Mrs. Lucy Harris.

—photo by Purefoy

STATESVILLE — CORE has charged Statesville police with "brutality" in connection with a mass demonstration staged here Sunday at the Howard Johnson's restaurant.

A statement from CORE spokesmen this week said Patricia Long and Paul Ramsey, teen-agers, were assaulted with police clubs as they were arrested.

A total of 21 arrests were made by police on Sunday during the demonstration. More than 300 persons took part in the action.

First to be arrested was Rev. B. Elton Cox of High Point, who is a CORE field secretary. Next was Dr. Hawkins, a local Presbyterian minister who had urged the group to continue singing and then Doris Castle, a CORE member from New Orleans.

A rally protesting both the brutality and the arrests was held that evening in front of the jail and another at midnight at the First Baptist Church. James Farmer, national CORE director, addressed the rally and then sent protest wires to Governor Terry Sanford and Attorney General Robert Kennedy.

The Statesville rally was one of three held at Howard Johnson's restaurants in North Carolina

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CORE Continues Campaign In 4 N. C. Towns

CORE continues its campaign against the exclusion of Negroes from Howard Johnson's restaurants in four North Carolina cities this week, and in the process attracted comment from a national source.

Demonstrations were held over the week-end at Durham, Statesville, Charlotte and Raleigh.

Some 22 persons were arrested in the wake of the actions, most of them at Statesville.

In the meantime, former North Carolina Governor Luther Hodges stated from Washington, D. C. that the restaurants placed themselves in a bad position by refusing to serve Negroes.

Hodges now Secretary of Commerce, was a one-time part owner of Howard Johnson's restaurants in North Carolina.

CORE officials promised "no let" up in the campaign to open chain restaurants and hotels along major highways.

The demonstration at Statesville provided the most action. Some 20 Negroes were arrested during a demonstration by more than 200 at the Howard Johnson's restaurant near that city. In Raleigh, some 300 persons, mostly Negroes, withstood the continual spray of water from lawn sprinklers at the Howard Johnson's restaurant there to state a demonstration.

One person was arrested in

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THREE PLEAD GUILTY IN POISON CASE

WARRENTON — Three persons charged with murder and conspiracy in the poison death of a Warren County man pleaded guilty at a preliminary hearing here Friday.

The three are Mrs. Vance Perry, 35, of Warrenton; John Henry Harris, 26, of Warrenton; and Maggie Alston Williams, 54, of Franklington.

Mrs. Perry is charged with murder and conspiracy to murder in the July 18 death of her husband Vance Perry.

Mrs. Williams and Harris pleaded guilty to conspiracy to murder.

All were arrested three weeks ago after an investigation by agents of the State Bureau of Investigation and the Warren and Franklin County police

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NEARING COMPLETION — This photograph, taken a few days ago, shows exterior construction of the College Plaza

Bowling Lanes nearing completion. Located on South Fayetteville St., the facility, first for Negroes in Durham,

is to open next Friday, Aug. 31. It is the first in a series of buildings proposed for the College Plaza Shopping center.