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**CONGRATULATIONS FOR NEW BOSS**—William J. Kennedy, Jr., Durham Board Chairman of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, second from left, receives congratulations from three members of Durham's Boy's Club for his recent election to the National Board of Directors of the Boy's Clubs of America. Congratulating him are, left to right, Paul Jackson, Willis Vines and Mike Parker. Kennedy has been president of Durham's Boy's Club since 1958 when it was first founded. —Photo by Purafay

# Durham Banker Named To CED Post REGISTRATION DRIVE OPENS

## 5,000 New Negro Registrants Sought by Local Vote Committee

Durham Negro citizens started an all-out campaign to get Negroes registered to vote here this week, but have come up short of the number of people needed to help carry on the voter-registration drive, according to an NAACP spokesman.

John Edwards, field secretary for the NAACP, said here this week that the state-wide voter registration drive is scheduled to begin in January, but that the citizens in Durham have started earlier in order to have a successful and effective drive. He said the expected amount of Negroes to register and vote is 5,000 or more. He added however that people in the Negro community have not responded as he had anticipated.

Edwards went on to say that the local voter-registration drive, which has its headquarters at the Carolina Times building, will issue another call to the Negro citizens of Durham to help with the campaign.

"We need more people to do door-to-door campaigning and people with cars," said Edwards.

Edwards said that his group is working in conjunction with the Durham Committee on Negro Affairs, and that both groups plan to carry on the program until late next year.



**TOYS FROM NCC** — These North Carolina College coeds, members of the Civic Committee of the school's Annie Day Shepard Dormitory, are shown with gifts made and purchased by the group for distribution to needy tots. The group recently visited the O'Berry School for the Mentally Retarded at Goldsboro and distributed gifts. All North Carolinians, they are, from left: Janet Sims, Avondale; Catherine Jordan, Oxford; Marjorie Dunstan, Lewisburg; Ernestine Vines, Walstonburg; and LaVerne Robinson, Lewisburg.

# Roy Wilkins Blasts Fuller In Speech At Morgan State

BALTIMORE — Attacks upon the U. S. Supreme Court because of its liberal rulings in constitutional cases suggests as strongly as any other illustration the continuing menace to the American charter of freedom of the Constitution, Roy Wilkins, NAACP executive secretary, told students of Morgan State College here on a program in observance of Bill of Rights Day.



DR. DAWSON

The events of the Sixties, in the civil rights fields, and particularly those of 1963, must continue a warning to all Americans concerned with safeguarding the Bill of Rights, he continued.

Turning to remarks recently made by S. B. Fuller, at the 10th annual Congress of American Industry in New York, Mr. Wilkins quoted the Chicago manufacturer as having said that the Negro has been held back not by segregation and discrimination, but by his "lack of initiative, courage, integrity, loyalty and wisdom... unfortunately, the Negro believes there is a racial barrier in America which keeps him from succeeding."

In these remarks, the NAACP asserted, "Mr. Fuller slanders the great body of Negro citizens in this nation. They have shown courage and persistence and determination against the kind of odds no gambler would accept. They have fought and overcome handicaps that no men should be called upon to face. They have struggled up by their boot-

See WILKINS, 2A

# NCC to Give NTE Examination To Area Teachers

Prospective teachers in this area will have an opportunity to take the National Teachers Examinations on February 16, 1964, at North Carolina College according to Dr. F. G. Shipman, chairman of the Department of Education, who will supervise the administration of the tests.

Application blanks and Bulletin of Information describing registration procedures and containing representative test questions may be obtained from Shipman or directly from the National Teachers Examinations, Educational Testing Service, Princeton, New Jersey. Applications must be mailed so as to be received at the Princeton Office not later than January 17, Shipman advised.

Scores on the National Teacher Examinations are used by a large number of school systems and teachers education institutions throughout the country as an aid in evaluating such of the qualifications of prospective teachers as are measured by the

See EXAM, 2A



FUNDERBURG

# I. O. Funderburg New DPBC Prexy

At a recent meeting of the Durham Business & Professional Chain I. O. Funderburg, Cashier, Mechanics & Farmers Bank, was named President.

Funderburg is a graduate of Morehouse College, the Graduate School of Banking at Rutgers University. He is a member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, the Durham Committee on Negro Affairs, Past Commander of the American Legion, and Membership Chairman of the NAACP.

See PREXY, 2A

# J. H. Wheeler Gets Post As CED Trustee

A Durham Banker has been named as a trustee to the Committee for Economic Development, it was announced earlier this week by T. V. Horner, a New York chairman of CED.

John H. Wheeler, president of Mechanics and Farmers Bank of Durham, is the first Durham Negro to become a member of the Committee for Economic Development.

CED is a 21-year-old nonprofit organization of 200 business executives and educators who engage in research on major national economic problems with the purpose of promoting high employment with stable economic growth.

Wheeler, a native of Kittrell and a graduate of the Law School of North Carolina College at Durham, has been with Mechanics and Farmers Bank since 1929. He was admitted to law practice in the courts of North Carolina (1947) and the U. S. Supreme Court in 1955.

He is a member of the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity, and a past president of the National Negro Bankers Association.

# U. S. Supreme Court Grants Pickets Hearing

WASHINGTON — The U. S. Supreme Court this week granted a petition from the NAACP asking the Court to decide whether peaceful picketing to advance legitimate group interests is constitutionally protected.

The NAACP is appealing a decision of the Florida District Court of Appeals which upheld a lower court ruling that although peaceful picketing by labor unions is upheld by the Constitution, this same protection does not extend to racial groups.

In December, 1960, the St. Petersburg branch of the NAACP under the leadership of its president, Ralph C. Wimblish, picketed Webb's City, a variety store chain. Pickets carried signs

See COURT, 2A

# Local Physician Gets Coveted ABO Recognition

Dr. Robert E. Dawson, physician and surgeon of 819 Lawson Street, Durham, this week received the coveted recognition of Diplomate of the American Board of Ophthalmology.

He is the only Negro medical man between Washington, D. C. and Nashville, Tenn., to hold this recognition in his field.

Dr. Dawson is chief of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Service, at Lincoln Hospital here. He is a native of Rocky Mt., graduated from Wilson High School, Clark University, and Meharry Medical College.

He is married to the former Miss Julia Davis of Summit, N. J. They are the parents of four children: Diane Elizabeth, 12; Janice Elaine, 10; Robert Edward, Jr., 9 and Melanie Lorraine, 3.

The physician and surgeon was formerly chief of Ophthalmology at Scott Air Force Base, Ill. He served in the U. S. Air Force Medical Corps from October, 1954, to January, 1957 leaving the service with the rank of major.

In addition to his professional and military activities, Dr. Dawson is a frequent participant in civil and religious events. His memberships include Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Thirty Second degree Mason and Shriner, Executive Committee of the Old North State Medical Society and the National Medical Association. He serves as secretary in the E. E. N. T. section of MMA.

Dr. Dawson worships at St. Joseph A.M.E. Church where he

See PHYSICIAN, 2A



**FOR KENYA, AFRICA INDEPENDENCE**—Miss Peggy Martin left, "Miss A. and T.", presents a cake, a gift from A. and T. College students, to Aynba Wanjiku, a student at Guillard College, and Obadiah K. Ngari, a student at A. and T. both from Kenya, Africa, program principals in the Kenya Independence Celebration held last week at A. and T. College. Miss Geneva Holmes, advisor to foreign students at A. and T., looks on from right. More than 250 persons, including the 18 students from Kenya enrolled in colleges and universities in North Carolina, attended the event.



REV. MASON

# Popular Minister Slated for Anniv. Of Mt. Vernon

The 76th anniversary of Mt. Vernon Baptist Church will be observed Sunday, December 29, it was announced this week by the pastor, the Rev. E. T. Browne.

The anniversary sermon will be preached by the Rev. W. L. Mason, pastor of the St. James Baptist Church of Rocky Mount. Rev. Mason is a native of Durham and is well known in church and business circles throughout the nation. During his ministry he has pastored some of the leading Baptist Churches of the state and is considered one of the most forceful and dynamic

See MINISTER, 2A

# Racial Demonstrations Renewed In "Liberal-Minded" Chapel Hill

CHAPEL HILL — Some 92 persons have been arrested here this week as a result of renewed sit-in demonstrations, at segregated eating establishments, after three months of suspension.

A spokesman for the Congress of Racial Equality said the present protest are being conducted in support of three persons serving 30-day sentences in the Orange County Jail in nearby Hillsboro. The three - a white man, a Negro lady and a white lady elected to serve an active sentence instead of paying a \$50 fine for sit-in demonstrations staged here this summer. A fourth lady, paid the fine; she said she could not remain in jail because she has a son stricken with asthma.

John B. Dunn, an ex-UNC student now full time employee of CORE, said, "This is only the beginning of what could be a long drawn out struggle."

Another protest leader, Eugene Leak, Co-chairman of the Chapel Hill CORE, said that in addition to protesting the jailings, they are also demonstrating for a public accommodation law, and that they will "demonstrate until we get what we want." We are prepared to do this," he added.

Demonstrations started here Friday, Dec. 13, when three groups of demonstrators staged hit and runs in several of the

See DEMONSTRATIONS, 2A

# DBPC HOLDS ANNUAL OUTDOOR XMAS DECORATIONS CONTEST

The Durham Business and Professional Chain began its Annual Outdoor Christmas Decoration Contest here last week. There will be competition in two separate categories—according to D. F. Reed, co-chairman of the contest.

There will be competition in two separate categories—Santa Claus and Religious Displays. Prizes will be awarded for the best decorations in each division.

Persons interested in entering the contest may complete the following application and mail immediately. Judging will take place Sunday night, Dec. 22.

Name of Organization/Individual .....

Address .....

Telephone .....

Type of Entry: .....

Santa Claus .....

Mail to D. F. Reed, Service Printing Co., 504 E. Pettigrew Street, Durham, N. C., Telephone 661-2039.

# A&T Celebrates Kenya Freedom

GREENSBORO — More than 250 guests of 18 students from Kenya, Africa, who are enrolled in North Carolina Colleges and Universities celebrated Kenya's newly secured independence in a program at A. and T. College.

The program, held in the Lutheran Gymnasium on the A and T campus, drew a number

See KENYA, 2A