

### ...Durham Personal Notes...

#### VISITS DAUGHTER IN DURHAM

Mrs. Louvenia Parker has returned to her home in Washington, D. C. after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thelma Love, and family at 1111 Rosedale Ave.

While here she attended the graduation exercises of her granddaughter, Miss Jennifer M. Love, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Love and a graduate of Hillside High School. She was also entertained at a dinner party given by Mrs. Lula Mas Hill on Dupree St.

#### MRS. LOSSIE FOUSHEE HOSTESS TO LYON PARK ROSE GARDEN CLUB

The home of Mrs. Lossie Foushee, 1114 Cornell St. was the setting for the May meeting of the Lyon Park Rose Garden Club recently.

Mrs. Mary Hardy opened the meeting. The club sang the club song, and Mrs. Alice Jones read a poem entitled "Meditation."

Mrs. Helen McClain, president, presided over the business session. Highlights of the business session were the election and installation of officers, also delegates to the State Convention to be held in Charlotte were elected.

After the business session Mrs. Foushee invited her guests into the dining room where a lovely centerpiece of roses graced the lace covered table. From this table a delicious chicken dinner was served.

Member enjoying Mrs. Foushee's hospitality were: Mesdames Pearl Brown, Elizabeth Bullock, Matie Canty, Fannie Cozart, Mable Freeland, Annie D. Green, Mary Hardy, Josephine Haskins, Helen McClain, Catherine Shaw, Elvora Smith, Fannie Tapp, Bessie Thompson, Mae Willie Webb, Alice Jones, Willie Sneed and Miss Alene Mebane.

Guests attending were Mrs. Christine Gunter, Miss Mary Louise Stephens and Miss Hat-

tie White.

Mrs. Elnora Smith thanked the hostess and Mrs. Mary Hardy closed the meeting.

#### MISS CORA COLE HONORED AT PARTY

Miss Cora Cole, daughter of Mrs. Carrie Cole, who became the bride of Larry E. McFadden on June 6, was feted on Thursday, June 4, with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Mary Allison, 1005 Thaxton Ave.

Upon her arrival the honoree was presented a corsage of white carnations.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Mary Allison and Aleasus Bynum.

Miss Cole was showered with gifts by the guests.

Special guest was Miss Mammie Cole, sister of the bride.

The table was decorated with a lace cloth and an arrangement of roses. The yellow and green color scheme was carried out in the refreshments.

Many friends and relatives were in attendance.

#### STEWARDESS BOARD NO. 1 IN MEET

Stewardess Board No. 1 of Russell Memorial CME Church met at the home of Mrs. Julia McCrae on Fayetteville Rd., Sunday, May 24.

The meeting was opened by singing "When Peace Like A River," prayer by Mrs. Fannie Tapp.

After the devotion, Mrs. Fannie Tapp, president, presided over brief business session. Various committee reports were given.

Mrs. McCrae served a luscious dinner to the following members: Mesdames Lelia Burch, Lela Dark, Eva Patterson, Fannie Tapp, Lucy Walden and Georgia Ginyard. Arthur Ginyard was guest.

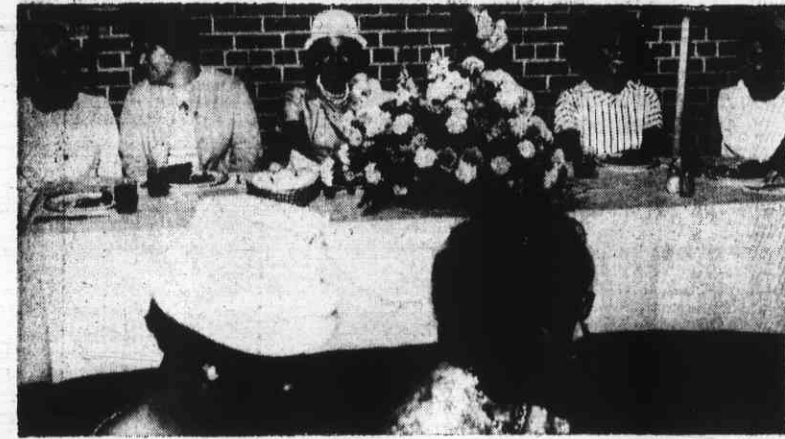
The next meeting is scheduled to be held at the home of Mrs. Eva Patterson, Fayetteville St.



**TODAY'S SCENE AS VIEWED BY LEADERS** IN Government, education and business is the topic as U.S. Representative C. C. Diggs, Jr., Detroit, second from left, discusses programs and objectives of the National Association of Market Developers with three men who played an important part in the organization's recent annual convention, held at the Rice Hotel, Houston, Texas. From left to right, H. Naylor Fitzhugh, pro-

fessor of marketing at Howard University, who was chairman of the program committee; Congressman Diggs; James S. Avery, national president of the association; and C. B. Davis, who was host to the three-day meeting in his capacity as president of the Houston Chapter of N. A. A. M. D., a professional organization dedicated to improvement of practices and standards in the fields of marketing, public relations, advertising and

sales. Congressman Diggs was the principal speaker at the annual N.A.M.D. awards banquet. Honored with awards were the Government's Plan for Progress Program, a concerted drive for fair employment and equal opportunity in business and industry, and the American Association of Advertising Agencies for the aid it has given recently and is continuing to give in combatting discrimination.



**PARTICIPANTS IN THE ANNUAL Y-Teen Mother-Daughter Banquet** which was held at the Harriet-Tubman Branch of the YWCA recently. The principal

address was delivered by Mrs. C. E. McLeister, Guidance Counselor at Jas. A. Whitted Junior High School, third from left. Others shown at the banquet

table are: Miss Barbara Buir; Miss Catherine Cummings; Mrs. McLeister; Mrs. N. H. Bennett, Jr., and Mrs. Fredricka C. Harrison.

## Judge L. Howard Bennett Finals Speaker at Allen University

COLUMBIA, S. C. — Speaking to the 94th annual commencement exercises at Allen University, Monday, May 25, Judge L. Howard Bennett told the 89 graduating seniors that violent protest demonstrations only hurt the civil rights movement and are actually a disservice to the revolution.

He said that the movement is hampered by the failure of the Negro people to make known what they expect from all of the demon-

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## U.S. Diplomat Praises Work of Negro Press

WASHINGTON, D. C. — U.S. Diplomat G. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary of State on African Affairs, who is indeed doing a fine job of creating that much needed image of human dignity and good human relations between the American People and the nations of Africa, cited the Negro Press in its various contributions to the peoples of the world when he was interviewed in his Office here by Lou LuTour, "Governor Williams," so called by his millions of friends and admirers the world over because of his having been elected Governor of Michigan six consecutive times, gave highlights of his close association with the Negro Press during the time he was Governor of Michigan and even since he has been with the Present Administration.

"The Negro Press is continuing to fill that need which lets the world know of the great contributions being made by the Negro as well as by those of other races and surely it is keeping the people well informed of the splendid job being done and the favorable action being taken by President Johnson of the passing of the Civil Rights Bill," said "Governor Williams."

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This selection places the Norfolk, Va., based ship in competition with the finalists from other commands for the '64' Ney Award. The award is given annually to the ship or station with the outstanding preparation and service of food. It is given in honor of the late Captain F. F. Ney, who served as head of the assistance division of the Board of supplies and Accounts during World War II.

## CORE Head Protests Stiff Prison Terms

NEW YORK, N. Y. — Excessive prison sentences meted-out recently to peaceful civil rights demonstrators in Chapel Hill, North Carolina and San Francisco, California drew vigorous protests on June 3 from CORE National Director James Farmer. The protests were in the form of wires sent to the governors and attorney generals of the two respective states.

In Chapel Hill two CORE Task Force workers and two other persons designated by the prosecutor as leaders of a mass demonstration on May 8 were sentenced to a year in prison by Judge Raymond Mallard. Two were released on appeal but two have been in jail over three weeks. Five others received sentences ranging from four to eight months. In addition fines up to \$500 were imposed and 90 persons received suspended sentences ranging from six months to five years.

Farmer's wire to Governor Terry Sanford said: "It is hard to believe that in a state like North Carolina with its liberal reputation, civil rights demonstrators can receive sentences even harder than have been imposed to date in Mississippi."

In San Francisco six demonstrators have received sentences of 60 days, one 45 days and four 30 days from Judge Andrew Eymann. All 11 are serving their sentences as is CORE Chairman William Bradley, who got 5 days for contempt after he was being considered by the Senate," he said.

Farmer's wire to Governor Edmund Brown said: "It is unfortunate that a California court should impose such heavy sentences on dedicated individuals campaigning for basic human rights."

## Attacks on Jury Trial Section of CR Bill Miss the Point -- Humphrey

Senate Majority Whip Hubert H. Humphrey (D-Minn.) said last week that attacks on jury trial provisions of the compromise Civil Rights Bill miss the point completely because the bill actually liberalizes the right to jury trials in Federal courts.

The right to trial by jury in the proposed bill is broadened about as much as it can be without being called "is the Civil Rights Act of 1957," Humphrey said in a Senate speech. "And it creates as great a right to jury trial as can be granted without seriously jeopardizing the enforcement of H. R. 7152 (the Civil Rights Bill) and the Civil Rights Acts of 1957 and 1960."

Humphrey said the provisions are based on the traditional doctrine that courts have power to enforce their orders and maintain their dignity by sentencing violators for contempt without benefit of jury trials.

"This has been the procedure in every state in the Union and the federal courts," he said. "Constitutional experts acknowledge that the Constitution's guarantees of trial by jury do not extend to contempt cases, Humphrey said.

"Since this is so, I fail to understand why my friends who oppose the Civil Rights Bill have extended their hostility to this jury trial provision."

Humphrey said the compromise bill contains a limitation on the sentence that a judge can impose in a criminal contempt trial without having the case heard by a jury.

"It provides that in any criminal contempt trial under H. R. 7152 or under the 1957 Civil Rights Act the accused individual may be tried by jury, do not seem to be bothered by this problem except when Civil Rights bills are being considered by the Senate," he said.

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## ...News From Statesville...

My reason for not going along with the present program initiated by Garrett Allen, has been clearly stated in two executive meetings and in our last NAACP meeting, May 2. However, since my name has been implicated in many refers from this date, I feel it necessary and incumbent that I once again make my position clear for the past and future.

I cannot go along with the present "Garrett Allen Plan." The reasons for this are many. Here are some of the most important ones: (1) It would violate a principle of morality (2) It asks for the very thing that we have condemned and have been fighting against since 1819 (3) It makes little sense to me, to fight all the way from the bottom rung to the top and then surrender (4) It means a complete disregard and the shameful flouting of those who helped us (5) We could have made this concession last year and it would have avoided the RECALL ELECTION and it would have saved a council that was working with us and showing a spirit of fairness to all (6) Help from Garrett Allen was conditioned with shameful servility (7) The other Radio Station of this city offered us free time two years ago to present our views to the public without any strings attached (8) It is suspicious that Garrett Allen waited until we had secured an injunction to keep the council from holding an election, then he comes up with an injunction plan (9) If there is racial hatred in the area, no person has played any greater part in bringing it about than Garrett Allen—

Why then would we have to pay this humiliating price to help him reverse himself? (10) Why would we have an injunction to spend approximately \$300.00, and then turn around two weeks after and renounce the very purpose of the injunction, time, and money (11) What assurance do we have that segregation and discrimination will be done away with after this year? (12) How can our people and those who support us understand switches like this? (13) It was intended to reflect disgrace, and hurt all organizations who have fought and are fighting the Negro's cause of freedom and justice (14) What will happen if these promises prove to be deceptive in part, or fail to come through? — People cannot be turned on and off like machines (15) It destroys confidence in leadership (16) It is an expression of "white man-wit" (17) It creates an atmosphere of under-dependability (18) And it suggests accommodation to gratuity.

As for the future, may I state emphatically, I am not a part of the "Garrett Allen Program" and will not be. However, let me state clearly, I am not now and will not fight the "Allen Program." I

will not engage in vilification or disparaging remarks of those personalities who are responsible for the program, though, I am in utmost disagreement. (There are those who say that I am fighting the program and that I am organizing a group. Such statements are erroneous, mendacious; irresponsible, without foundation, and are reflections of instability and insecurity.)

I am not fighting Mr. Allen's program, I am not organizing against it, I am not supporting it, because I believe it to be wrong in principle, intent and choice. I will remain a member of the NAACP, I will support its objectives, and hope that it will not again, allow itself or its name, to be persuaded or duped into, the unorthodoxy that is in contradiction to the method, objective, and aim of the organization.

Now let me turn with gracious thanks to you, the people of Statesville, Fredell City and communities, who have given us un-

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