



**CAROLINA TIMES' PUBLISH-** ER Louis Austin and Advertising Director J. Elwood Carter are shown reviewing the Eight Step, two-year program for progress being presented by Murray J. Marvin, management consultant and Planning Director of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company. (See the Publisher's statement on page 1A of this issue). (Photo by Nat Purefoy)

## Final Rites Held For Andrew W. Hasson, Gastonia Citizen

By MAUDE M. JEFFERS  
**GASTONIA**—Final rites were held for Andrew Milton Hasson of 504 North York Street Friday, January 7 at 4 p.m., St. Stephens AME Zion Church. His pastor, the Rev. A. C. Hunicutt officiated with assistance of the Rev. J. E. McCullum, pastor of Epworth Methodist Church, and the Rev. C. R. Mitchell, pastor of St. Paul Baptist Church.

Hasson died in a local hospital Tuesday, January 4 at 12:05 A.M. after a lingering illness. He was the son of the late Samuel and Adeline Hasson of Tuscaloosa, Ala.

He was a member of St. Stephens Church where he served faithfully as Vice-chairman of the Trustee Board, member of the church building and Improvement Committee and a former Superintendent of the Sunday School.

He was interested in the civic and political life of Gastonia and worked in many areas for improvement and progress. He was the first of his race to hold the public office as Justice of the Peace in the history of Gaston County in 1950. He was also the first on the Board of Trustees of the Gaston County Negro Hospital which is now integrated.

He was first married to the late Theresa B. Hasson, a dressmaker, who died in 1957. They reared an adopted daughter, Mrs. Daise Hasson Adams, a former school teacher and author of *Merchant of Dreams*, a book of poems.

Hasson was married to the former Miss Elizabeth Savage, of Spartanburg, S. C., a nurse, and at present the owner and operator of Louise Beauty Shop.

Surviving, in addition to his wife and daughter of Gastonia, are a sister, Mrs. Emma Johnson of Bent Harbor, Michigan; three nieces, Mrs. Louise Hopkins of Tuscaloosa, Mrs. Beatrice Ehlson, and Miss Juanita Richardson, both of Bent Harbor, and many other relatives and friends.

Interment was in Oakland Street Cemetery with Martins Funeral Home in charge.



**AT FELLOWSHIP DINNER**—While attending the NAACP Annual Fellowship Dinner recently held at the New York Hilton Hotel, Robert J. Brown (l.), of B&C Associates representing the F. W. Woolworth Company and Herbert Hill, National Director of the NAACP Labor Program, look over the list of distinguished names who were past recipients of the Spingarn Medal. The 1966 Spingarn Medal was awarded to opera singer Leontyne Price during the dinner service.

## N. C. Council of Human Relations to Meet

**RALEIGH**—The North Carolina Council on Human Relations will hold its Annual Meeting in Raleigh this year on Saturday night, January 22 at the Erdahl-Cloyd Union of the North Carolina State University. Dr. T. Franklin Williams of Chapel Hill, president

of the 40 year old organization will preside. Formed in 1919 by appointment of the Governor, the Council specializes in the dissemination of up-to-date and accurate information in the field of Human Rights and offer consultative services in Race Relations to city government and other public and private organizations stands for equal opportunity for all of the people of North Carolina.

Mahlon T. Puryear, Deputy Director of the National Urban League will be the featured speaker for the dinner. For many years Puryear was a contractor in Winston-Salem, his home city. He has taught and held administrative positions in Delaware and Arkansas and was Personnel Counselor at the Wright Aeronautics Corporation. In addition, Puryear served as assistant field director of the American Red Cross in Aberdeen and Okinawa. He has been with the Urban League since 1951 in Industrial and Vocational Field Services. As an expert in job employment, he took a year's leave of absence to coordinate Tuskegee Institute's Technical Education program in Indonesia. He brings to the council his experience as a member of New York State

Manpower Council, and as Consultant to the United States Department of Labor.

Puryear will be introduced by Romallus Murphy, a newcomer to Raleigh. Murphy was executive secretary of City Human Relations Commission in Erie, Pennsylvania and has come to Raleigh to practice law. He has been active in the National Urban League.

Reservations may be made with Miss Beth Crabtree, Country Club Homes or with Mrs. L. T. Delany, 212 N. State St., Raleigh.

## NAT'L COUNCIL OF NEGRO WOMEN TO MEET IN WASHINGTON FEB. 22

**WASHINGTON, D. C.**—Miss Dorothy I. Height, National President of the National Council of Negro Women, announced the appointment of Mrs. Dorothy Shaed Proctor as Chairman of the 8th Annual Brotherhood Food Festival sponsored by the National Council of Negro Women on February 22, 1966.

Throng of individuals of diverse races, faiths and nations will break bread together at this annual affair which will be held at the Presidential Arms, 1320 G. Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.

Commenting on the significance of the Festival, Miss Height noted that people the world over have expressed their individuality in foods. "In America," she said, "our melting pot idea takes on meaning as we share the things each holds dear with others of different backgrounds."

In commemoration of National Brotherhood Week, sponsored by the National Conference of Christian Jews, NCNW held its first Brotherhood Food Festival in 1959. Because of its phenomenal success, made possible by the cooperation of participating embassies and organizations, NCNW decided on simultaneous observances throughout the Nation to demonstrate brotherhood on a country-wide basis.

## NUL Offering Fellowships for Grad Study

**NEW YORK**—Have you checked out the National Urban League's Fellowship Program yet? Chances are you haven't. Well, never mind, you can learn about the advantages it offers by simply reading this.

During the 1966-67 academic year some 15 fellowships will be available to selected applicants for graduate study.

Financed by a \$300,000 grant from the Carnegie Corporation of New York over a three-year period, the fellowships provide the means by which the National Urban League (NUL) can get trained people for its professional staff, according to Conrad Graves, who is the NUL's assistant director of personnel and training as well as the head of the program.

He said that special efforts are being made to recruit students who would agree to making careers with the Urban League in such fields as human relations, political economics, labor and industrial relations, research, educational-vocational guidance and counseling, personnel work and community organization projects.

Depending on his need, each recipient may be given a maximum grant of \$3,000 a year. First year students in social work are eligible for subsidy during the sophomore term if their academic records justifies it.

At the end of his training, Graves pointed out, each recipient is expected to serve on the staff of the League for a period not less than a year.

"Actually, we are looking for people," Graves explained, "who recognize the vital role the Urban League is playing on the National scene and want to make a career with the organization which dedicates its efforts to equalizing the life-chances of all citizens in America."

**NORTH CAROLINA DURHAM COUNTY**  
**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT**  
**In The Matter of JOSEPHINE HARRIS WHITE, Executrix of the ESTATE OF GEORGE DANIEL WHITE, JR., Deceased**  
**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
 The undersigned, Josephine Harris White, having qualified as Executrix of the Estate of George Daniel White, Jr., deceased of Durham County, North Carolina on the 3rd day of December, 1965, hereby notifies all persons having claims against said Estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of June, 1966, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery as provided by G.S. 28-47.

All persons indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned or her attorneys. This 28th day of December, 1965.  
 Josephine Harris White, Executrix of the Estate of George Daniel White, Jr. McKissick and Burt, Attorneys Jan. 1, 8, 15, 22

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## To Participate In PR Institute at JCS

**FAYETTEVILLE**—Two Fayetteville State College administrators, Dr. Malvin E. Moore, Jr., Academic Dean, and Dr. Irving S. Cheroff, Director of Publicity and Public Relations, will be participating in the Ninth Annual Public Relations Institute to be held at Johnson C. Smith University, Charlotte, on January 27-28.

The theme of the Institute is entitled: "Public Relations In Action" and will feature such luminaries as Dr. John E. Marston of Michigan State University, author of "The Nature of Public Relations"; Dr. T. H. Johns, Missouri Valley College, "Organizing The Public Relations Program"; Harry Golden, Editor of the Carolina Israelite and author of "six best sellers"; C. A. McKnight Editor of Charlotte Observer; Thomas W. Young, publisher, The Norfolk Journal and Guide, and many others.

## Douglas Wallace, Jr. Funeralized

Final rites for Douglas Wallace, Jr., only son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Wallace were held Tuesday at 8 p.m. at First Baptist Church in New York, January 10. The two year old child died in a hospital after a few days of illness due to pneumonia. In addition to his parents he is survived by a sister, Sandra J. Wallace and grandparents, Mrs. Beth Wallace of Charlotte and Mrs. Amanda Wilson, of New York. He is nephew of Mrs. Maude M. Jeffers of Gastonia.

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**ASSETS**

Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 2,115,299.49
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	3,561,694.66
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	527,152.36
Securities of Federal agencies and corporations not guaranteed by United States	2,449,888.04
Other securities (including corporate stocks)	103,979.71
Other loans and discounts	6,051,872.84
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	316,213.20
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1,008.00
Other assets	115,019.22
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$15,242,127.52</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$ 5,699,524.11
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,921,761.85
Deposits of United States Government	310,598.62
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	2,058,641.84
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	183,440.21
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$14,173,966.63</b>
(a) Total demands deposits	\$ 6,793,135.04
(a) Total time and savings deposits	\$ 7,380,831.59
Other liabilities	150,590.77
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$14,324,557.40</b>
Total deposits to the credit of the State of North Carolina or any official thereof	\$ 422,204.97

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

Common stock—total par value	\$ 486,155.00
No. shares authorized 200,000	
No. shares outstanding 97,231	
Surplus	426,080.00
Undivided profits	5,335.12
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>917,570.12</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$15,242,127.52</b>

**MEMORANDA**

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	\$13,874,817.65
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	6,096,155.75
Loans as shown in item 7 of "Assets" are after deduction of valuation reserves of	95,593.40
Securities as shown in items 2-5 of "Assets" are deduction of valuation reserves of	31,500.00

I, I. O. FUNDERBURG, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

State of North Carolina, Correct—Attest:  
 County of Durham, ss: I. O. FUNDERBURG

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of January, 1966, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

JOSEPHINE S. STRATHORNE,  
 Notary Public  
 My commission expires December 10, 1967. Directors