

Wilkins Wins Times' Leadership Contest

Bacon St. Housing Project Left "Hanging In The Air"

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Six Southern States Lose School Integration Fight

Court Orders Top to Bottom Integration

WASHINGTON — Responding to the U. S. Supreme Court's action this week—allowing accelerated southern school integration—the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc. announced a step-up of litigation in nearly 200 cases.

The ruling, in effect, calls for top to bottom school integration in six deep southern states.

The high court refused to review the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals ruling affecting nine crucial school integration cases. Under the Appeals Court decision in the Caddo Parish group of cases, "a desegregation plan must work, must abolish the dual school system and the identifiable Negro school," said LDF Director-Counsel Jack Greenberg.

This is "the most influential school desegregation opinion since the Supreme Court's 1954 school ruling," Mr. Greenberg added.

The nine cases—of which six were brought by LDF attorneys—contained the underlying issue of the pace and extent of school integration. See INTEGRATION 8A

Gethsemane to Observe 47th Homecoming

The 47th annual Homecoming of the Gethsemane Baptist Church will be observed October 23-29, it was announced this week by the pastor, Dr. V. E. Brown.

During the anniversary week guest ministers, their choirs and congregations, will join in helping to celebrate the Homecoming observance.

Highlight of the week will



MISS WALKER

be an address at 11:00 a.m., Sunday, October 29, by Miss Mary Louise Walker of Brooklyn, N. Y., former president of the youth department of the Lott-Carey Baptist Convention.

Culminating the Homecoming celebration will be a financial effort by 31 leaders, all of whom are expected to raise a minimum of \$300. Prizes will be given the three leaders raising the highest amount over \$300.



MEMBERS OF THE DURHAM BUSINESS LEAGUE CONVENTION HELD RECENTLY IN ATLANTIC CITY ARE SHOWN ABOVE WITH CONVENTION PRINCIPALS. FROM LEFT TO RIGHT ARE: NATHANIEL B. WHITE, Theodore R. Speight, Burkeley G. Burrell, president; Mrs. Ertha M. White, historian and an associate of the Booker T. Washington who founded the

Durham Named Target City By National Business League

Local Group To Hire Director For New Office

F. V. Allison, president of the Durham Business and Professional Chain, announced Wednesday night the selection of Durham as one of the twelve target cities of the National Business League Project Outreach Program.

The program, geared to assist the small disadvantaged businessman, is funded by a \$319,532 grant from the Office of Economic Opportunity and a \$98,859 grant from the Economic Development Administration which will be supplemented by a \$70,000 appropriation from the NBL, according to Burkeley G. Burrell of Washington, D. C. and president of the League.

Project Outreach is a training and management assistance program designed to make better, more profitable business out of the existing small enterprises and to create new profitable establishments while training business-minded youngsters to take on junior management trainee jobs.

Project Outreach has a national goal of training 40 candidates for management jobs, 240 trainees who will open new businesses on a sound business basis and 500 persons who are now in business with the objective of improving their business performance.

The Durham Business and Professional Chain will set up an office and hire a management assistance director and a secretary to begin the program by November 1.

Local support for the project has been received from North Carolina College, Durham Technical Institute, Durham Chamber of Commerce, the Merchants Association, Operation Breakthrough and the North Carolina Fund.

Roy Trice Honored by White Rock Senior Choir October 15

Roy Trice, Sr., one of Durham's most highly respected citizens was honored here Sunday, October 15, by the Senior Choir of White Rock Baptist Church.

In 1905 Trice joined White Rock. Since that time he has been a devoted member, giving of his energy, time and service to his church, along with service to the community.

For over 57 years he has been a member of the Senior Choir of White Rock and in addition has served on the Deacon Board. He is presently a member of the Trustee Board and has taught Sunday School. See TRICE 8A



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WOMAN'S DAY QUEEN—Rev. D. L. Blakey, pastor, Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church is shown crowning Miss Onie Rogers, "Woman's Day Queen" in a ceremony held at the church recently. Miss Rogers won the honor by raising the

highest amount for the day, \$505. The total amount raised was \$2,754.75. Left to right, Mesdames Veomia Stevens, Lucille Starks, Louise Weeks, Rev. Blakey, Miss Rogers, Mesdames Queen Esther Toon,

Negro Citizens Await Council's Next Move

By KENT R. AUTOR

The Planning and Zoning Commission agreed unanimously Tuesday to recommend to the Durham City Council that the controversial Bacon Street project site be rezoned "R-6" for the construction of single family residences only. If the city Council accepts the Commission's recommendation, construction of multi-family units that were previously proposed, would not be allowed.

Opponents of the development of a multi-family public housing project at that Bacon Street site were elated by the Commission's action which was followed by "heated discussion on both sides of the issue," according to Durham attorney H. M. Michaux, Jr. But the battle is not considered to be won yet. Aware that the City Council could ignore the recommendation of the Commission, Michaux indicated that "we must insure that the recommendations are accepted." Michaux did not know whether the Mayor would call a special meeting of the City Council to receive the Commission's recommendations, or would wait for the matter to be considered at the next regular meeting scheduled for November 6th.

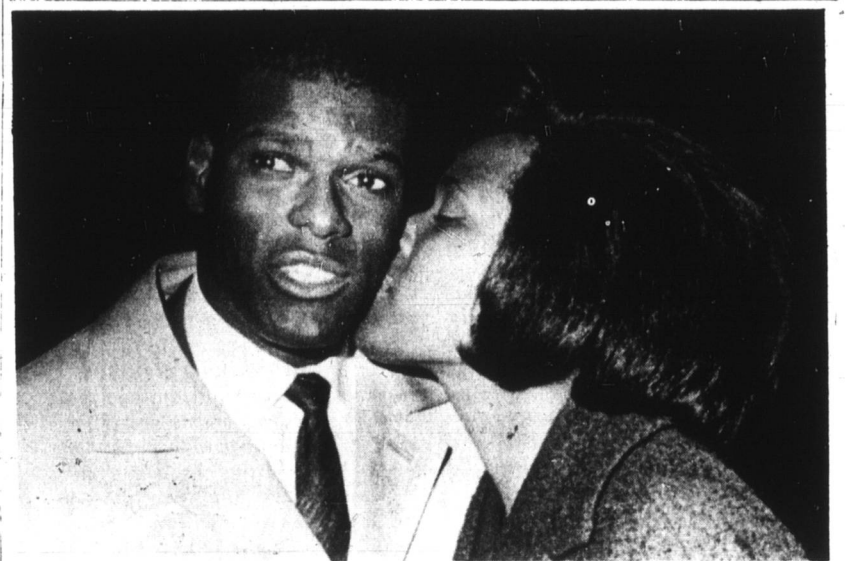
Wife of Former A&T President Dies Oct. 13

GREENSBORO — Mrs. Margee Jones Gibbs, 1000 Rose Avenue, wife of Dr. Warmoth T. Gibbs, president emeritus of A&T State University, died this morning at her home.

A resident of Greensboro, since 1926 when her husband came to teach at A&T, Mrs. Gibbs was a native of Boston, Mass. She was a daughter of the late Robert A. and Mrs. Rebecca C. Jones. She was a graduate of Cambridge Latin School.

Mrs. Gibbs was an active member of the Church of the Redeemer and the Ladies' Faculty Club of A&T, and several social and civic clubs.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Warmoth T. Gibbs, Jr., an assistant professor of English at A&T; and Dr. Chandler Gibbs, physician in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth G. Moore, librarian in Detroit, Mich.; a brother, Alexander Jones, New York City; and a sister, Mrs. Francis Perkins, Boston; and 12 grandchildren.



A KISS FOR THE CONQUEROR — (St. Louis) — Cardinal pitching ace Bob Gibson is kissed by his wife as they arrived back from Boston, where

Gibson won his 3rd World Series game and pitched the Cardinals to World Series championship. Gibson was the big man for the Cardinals who had to go the full 7 games to beat the Boston Red Sox. (UPI Telephoto)

Former Pastor Slated For Mt. Gilead Anniversary Sun.

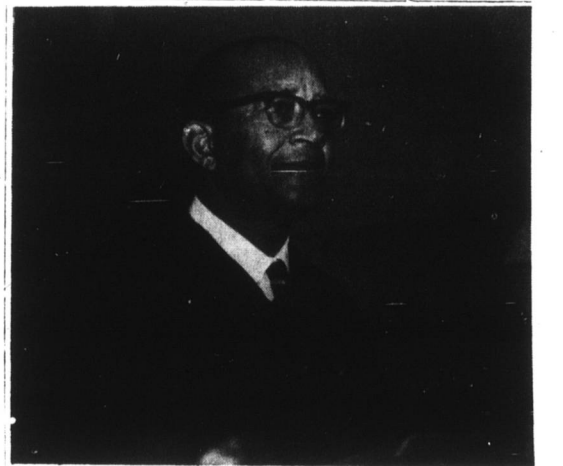
Mt. Gilead Baptist Church, under the pastorate of Dr. Alexander D. Moseley, will observe its Fifty-ninth Anniversary Sunday, October 22. A week-long observance commemorating the event began Monday, October 16.

Rev. Harold Roland, former pastor of Mt. Gilead will be the guest speaker for the climaxing programs which will be held on Sunday at 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. respectively.

Rev. Roland received the A.B. degree from South Carolina State College and the B.D. degree from the School of Religion, Howard University, Washington, D. C. He has done graduate work in Religious Education and Counseling at the University of Pennsylvania, Union Theological Seminary, N. Y., Yale University, and the University of Georgia.

He has held the following pastorates: Bethlehem Baptist Church, Central Baptist Church, Charleston, S. C.; Mt. Gilead Baptist Church, 12 years and currently serves as the pastor of the New Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Orangeburg, S. C., a position which he has held for the past six years.

Recently Rev. Roland was elected Chairman of the Corps of Chaplains of South Carolina State College. He has seventeen years experience as a religious writer of weekly ser-



REV. ROLAND

monettes for the Carolina Times entitled "Spiritual Insight." His current publications include the following: "The Negroes Return to the Law-Making Process in South Carolina," "Orangeburg's Freedom Fight," and "Gems from Genesis," a booklet of sermons. See MT. GILEAD 8A

published this past May to celebrate his twenty-fifth year in the full time ministry.

Currently he is serving as the President of the Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance of Orangeburg and vicinity, Chairman of the Christian. See MT. GILEAD 8A

Noted Minister to Preach at Fisher Memorial Church Sunday

Rev. James A. Forbes, Jr., a noted minister, will conduct a two-weeks revival at Fisher Memorial Holy Church, 420 E. Piedmont Avenue beginning October 23 through November 3. Rev. A. W. Lawson, pastor. Rev. Forbes is a graduate of Howard University, Washington, D. C. and Union Theological Seminary of Columbia University, New York City. He has spoken at many colleges for Religious Emphasis Week and is the pastor of St. John United Holy Church of Richmond, Virginia.



REV. FORBES

CORE Chapter To Form Colony For Durham

BROOKLYN — The Brooklyn Chapter of the Congress of Racial Equality has taken an option on property where it expects to develop an all-Negro settlement, according to Robert (Sonny) Carson, Chairman of the militant local group. The specific site is presently unknown, but it is believed to be "somewhere in the south."

Disillusioned with "traditional" civil rights type action, Carson announced last month that his followers would "return to the position of our forefathers—back to the soil," and attempt to set up "a new world of our own" that would be in part an agricultural community.

Apparently intent on going through with the plan, Carson said he expected to be "moved in" by the middle of next April.

The plan involves settlement of the site over a five year period, starting with 1,500 people next spring. With gradual increases, the population of the proposed community would expand to 7,000 individuals by 1972. The cost is estimated by Carson to be "about \$700,000." The budget involves the allocation of \$90,000 for the purchase of the 900 acre property.

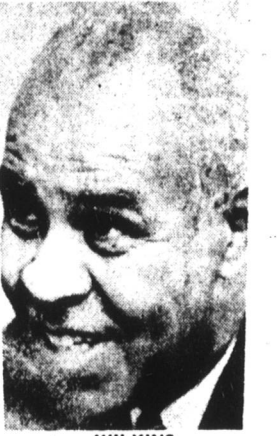
In addition to the financial support of foundations, Carson expects aid from industry, commerce, and private sources. The response from persons who want to join in the settlement plan and those who are willing to contribute money has been "tremendous," he said. In discussing the project, Carson expressed the view that See CORE 8A

NAACP Executive Secretary Tops All in Six Weeks Race

Roy Wilkins, executive secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People outdistanced all other contestants to end up the winner of the National Contest sponsored by the Carolina Times during the past six weeks.

The voting during the closing hours was the heaviest of the entire six weeks contest and kept tabulators busy for over 24 hours before the final count was available.

Although Wilkins had led all the way there were times during the Contest and especially during the closing hours when it appeared he might be overtaken by his closest opponent, Dr. Martin Luther King. Like Wilkins the top contender, Dr. King overwhelmed all opponents for the second place in the contest. The final tabulation was as follows:



WILKINS

Judge Opposes New Youth Law

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. — (UPI) — Denver Juvenile Court Judge Philip B. Gilliam has announced that he is opposed to a new state law that prevents judges from sentencing juveniles to the state reformatory. "I don't agree there's no such thing as a bad boy," Gilliam said. "Some of them are meaner than hell."

Roy Wilkins	1,122,000
Martin L. King	992,000
Thurgood Marshall	901,000
Whitney Young	706,000
A. P. Randolph	512,000
Senator Brooke	498,000
Jackie Robinson	304,000
Stokeley Carmichael	212,000
Rap Brown	116,000