



"MISS A&T" CROWNED BY PRESIDENT — Miss Patricia Mobley of Greensboro, receives crown at coronation ceremony held as part of A&T State University's Homecoming last

week. Making the presentation is Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy, president of the University. Looking on is Marsh Campbell, president of Student Government Association.

Mrs. Floree F. McLaughlin is Promoted at N. C. College

Mrs. Floree F. McLaughlin has been named assistant registrar at North Carolina College, President Albert N. Whiting announced this week.

Mrs. McLaughlin, who has been responsible for statistics and graduate records in the registrar's office, will succeed Mrs. Maria B. Creed, appointed admissions officer at the school.



MRS. McLAUGHLIN

An Asheville, native, Mrs. McLaughlin is a graduate of NCC and attended Hampton Institute for one year. She is the mother of two daughters, Miss Gloria McLaughlin, a senior at NCC, and Mrs. Adelle Wilder of Durham.

The new assistant registrar has two grandchildren, a girl aged two years, and a boy, aged five months.

As assistant registrar, Mrs. McLaughlin will be responsible

for supervision of day-to-day activities of the registrar's office under the direction of Brooklyn T. McMillon, registrar.

"To Sir, With Love" One of Year's Biggest Hits

NEW YORK—If there were any doubt that "To Sir, With Love" is one of the year's biggest hits, (and there never really was) Columbia Pictures has revealed that the Sidney Poitier starrer grossed a record \$3,625,000 in ten showcase weeks in the metropolitan New York-New Jersey area, and the company is going ahead with an unprecedented "encore" showcase engagement beginning in metropolitan New York on October 25.

The spectacular figure represents the gross from 28 theatres, and is the biggest tally ever to be recorded for a film playing the New York area in one group of theatres. According to the distributor, however, theatre patronage continued at such a heavy pace during the final weeks of the first showcase that it was obvious the audience potential was still enormous.

To meet this popular demand, "To Sir, With Love" was scheduled to open in 16 metropolitan New York theatres on October 25.



ROYAL COURT AT A&T CORONATION—Miss Patricia Mobley of Greensboro, (center) reigned as "Miss A&T" at University's recent Homecoming. With her are attendants Miss Eddyce Dacons, Statesville; Miss Edity Younger, Brooklyn; Miss Johnson, Tarboro, and Miss Cheryl Harvey, Binghamton, N. Y.

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The citation read in part as follows: "Dr. Robert Clifton Weaver, dedicated public servant—first American Negro member of a President's Cabinet—Scholarship and research, appointment to high public office, and skillful coordinating of the findings of research with broad public needs highlight your career and mark you as one whose achievements deserve emulation of future generations who would lift the level of America by elevating the status of all men everywhere to positions of dignity and respect."

The Achievement Award consists of: 1) A bronze medallion, the obverse side of which bears the sculptured likeness of John Merrick, Dr. Aaron Moore, and C. C. Spaulding. The reverse side of the medallion carries a replica of the home office building and the year of the award. 2) A bound copy of the Citation.

--Joyner

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turned to Durham after the death of her husband in 1961. In addition to her brother, Mrs. Joyner is survived by several cousins and other relatives.

Interment was at Beechwood Cemetery.

--Stewart

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ally, I am opposed to violence. But, it is unfortunate that it took the riots in the ghettos to focus the attention of the white leadership on the long existing problems of the ghetto. The summer's riots were the natural psychological result of long years of oppression and neglect and the eruption of suppressed rage as a last resort."

Asked if he felt the riots have hurt responsible Negro leadership goals of achieving progress through political means, he said he thought responsible Negro leadership may have been hurt in some pockets but "in the over-all program, no!"

"There are some whites who heretofore have not concerned themselves with Negro problems," he continues. "The riots have opened their eyes to the seriousness of the problem. Many of these people will now concern themselves with these problems facing the nation."

Turning to the matter of political goals for Negroes, he said: "Political goals should include more municipal employment of Negroes, Negroes who meet the qualifications for the jobs should have an opportunity to fulfill them on an impartial basis."

"This issue has not been met any way in a satisfactory manner because of the reluctance of city administrations to employ competent Negroes. The issue is only being met through political pressures on those holding political office to employ qualified Negroes. Entrenched civil service bodies would be obvious antagonists of Negro political leaders. This is one of the fundamentally frustrating problems. All types of pressures have been used. However, to date unsatisfactory progress is being made."

Stewart was asked what the new leadership's posture would be toward white suburbs in such matters as annexation and various types of intergovernmental cooperation; and to what extent the community programs have contributed to a stronger political identity of the Negro community.

He said the new leadership's position would be "to cooperate in all matters that are in the best interest of the community. The preferential treatment that some suburbs now receive at the expense of the cities would be curtailed."

The community action programs, he added, "have been of very great benefit in encouraging Negroes to participate in political activities

--Taylor

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sity Baptist; Mrs. Iola Mason, New Hope Association; Mrs. N. B. Lockwood, Yates Association. Rev. Lorenzo A. Lynch, Pastor, White Rock Baptist Church is Chairman of Planning Committee, Rev. Chris Hamlet and Rev. Booker, are Co-Chairmen of the Planning Committee.

--Women

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ices. Mrs. Estes is a Durham native, a graduate of Hillside High School and A&T's Degree Nursing Program. Recently she received her Master of Science Degree in Psychiatric Nursing from the University of Maryland.

Rev. B. A. Mack, the pastor announces that the public is invited to both of these services. Special music is arranged by the choir. Mrs. C. E. Mc Lester is general chairman, assisted by many sponsors and the President of the Missionary Circle, Mrs. Mary Cornigans. A Fellowship Dinner will be served to all of our guests immediately following the morning service.

--Convicted

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three young civil rights activists in Philadelphia, Miss., is a history making development in the administration of justice in that state. Never before has a Mississippi jury found a white defendant guilty of a major crime against a civil rights worker.

The verdict is a tribute not only to the thoroughness of the Federal Government's prosecution under direction of Assistant Attorney General John Doar but also to the jurors who turned their backs on a hoary Dixie tradition to uphold the American ideal of equal justice. It further demonstrates that a determined effort by the Department of Justice can result in conviction. There are other cases which the government should now proceed to prosecute.

The trend toward equal justice in Mississippi was first signaled in 1964 by the hung jury in the two trials of Byron de la Beckwith, charged with the murder of NAACP Field Director Medgar Evers. In previous instances there had been either prompt acquittals or, more generally, no arrest, no indictment and no trial by the state machinery of white persons accused of killing Negroes. In the Philadelphia case the state refused to act.

Gratifying as is this verdict, it cannot be forgotten that the maximum penalty resulting from the murder of three men is a ten-year jail sentence and a \$5,000 fine for conspiracy. A murder of this kind should be a Federal crime, with commensurate penalties, as is provided in a civil rights bill now pending before the Congress.

for the best interest of the Negro community. It is more successful as an autonomous activity because the majority of Negroes living in ghettos feel that the municipal government is responsible for the conditions under which they live and could do more to upgrade them."

OCTOBER 26 — Colonel Campbell C. Johnson was the first Negro to be appointed executive assistant to the Director of Selective Service in 1940.

OCTOBER 27 — Benjamin O. Davis Jr. was the first Negro to be named an "U.S. Air Force general" in 1954.

OCTOBER 28 — Levi Coffin (1798-1877), founder of the Underground Railroad was born.

OCTOBER 29 — Charlotte Forten, poet and teacher of whites in Massachusetts, arrived in St. Helena, S.C. in 1862 to teach untrained Negroes in the South.

North Carolina Highway Patrol Recruiting Thirty for Training

RALEIGH—The North Carolina State Highway Patrol is in the process of recruiting 30 men for an interim Patrol training school tentatively scheduled November 19 at the State Fairgrounds Youth Center in Raleigh.

Major E. W. Jones, who heads the Patrol's training and inspection division, says the interim school is necessary due to increases in authorized strength approved by the 1967 General Assembly.

The legislature authorized an increase in Patrol strength of 125 men over the biennium 1967-69.

Major Jones noted there is a Patrol School underway now at the Institute of Government in Chapel Hill in which 34 men are enrolled. This school will be concluded on December 15.

"Currently," Major Jones said, "There are 49 vacancies in the enforcement division, and we are not scheduled to begin another school in Chapel Hill until January 8, 1968."

The patrol officer said, "ac-

ording to tentative plans, the school will begin November 19, at the State Fairgrounds Youth Center in Raleigh.

We would like very much to have 30 qualified men to swear in and place in this interim school," Major Jones said.

The basic requirements for becoming a state trooper are: 21 to 30 years of age, a U.S. Citizen, with a high school diploma or equivalent, at least 5 feet, 9½ inches in height, and 160 pounds.

Any young man, who meets these qualifications, can obtain additional information by contacting the local trooper, the district sergeant, Troop headquarters, or state headquarters.

There are 36 sergeant's districts located throughout the state, six troop headquarters (Greenville, Fayetteville, Raleigh, Greensboro, Salisbury or Asheville) and the State Highway Patrol Headquarters, located in the Motor Vehicles Building, Raleigh.

--Ruffin

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not mean we're anti-white." "We're anti-exploitation, we're anti-degradation, we're anti-oppression," he stated vehemently to his student audience. Ruffin stressed the importance of different groups of Negroes to keep their differences among themselves, and to unite in the common assault on the problem of improving the situation of the black man in this country. "If we Blacks have differences, let us differ in the back room, and when we come out front, let us be united as one," he said.

--Speaker

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James S. Lee, former chairman of the Department of Biology, the commerce building, in memory of the late C. T. Willis, longtime chairman of the Commerce Department, the science building, in memory of the late Dr. William H. Robinson, former chairman of the Science Department; and the new dormitory for freshman women in tribute to Dr. Bascom Baynes, chairman of NCC's Board of Trustees.

The convocation will open with an outdoor concert by the NCC band at 10:30 a.m. Following the ceremonies in McDougald Gymnasium will be graveside rites at Beechwood Cemetery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 25th day of October, 1967.

Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Administrator Estate of Oscar James Shaw, Deceased Oct. 28; Nov. 4, 11, 18.

--Daytona

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annexation efforts. Yet, he did not provide the spark to the Commission which James Huger has supplied and we can't agree with Smith that his past service alone is sufficient reason to unseat incumbent Huger who has proved his worth as a first term Commissioner and an exemplary representative not only of his race but for all citizens.

--March

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themselves unable to join the march to the City Hall are urged to go in automobiles or by bus to the point of assembly.

NORTH CAROLINA DURHAM COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE HAVING QUALIFIED as Administrator of the estate of Oscar James Shaw, deceased, late of Durham County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned at 116 West Parrish Street, Durham, North Carolina, on or before April 28, 1968, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 25th day of October, 1967.

Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Administrator Estate of Oscar James Shaw, Deceased Oct. 28; Nov. 4, 11, 18.

Tubman "Y" Sponsors Tour To Washington

The Harriet Tubman Branch YWCA will sponsor a tour to Washington, D. C. November 11-12. The tour will include the World Fellowship Service to be held at the Washington Cathedral. The theme is "Come With a Song." It furnishes an opportunity to see the 100th celebration of World Fellowship Week along with others from across the nation and around the world.

Other attractions will include a visit to Mt. Vernon, the home of George Washington; the White House, the Capitol, Arlington Cemetery, Aquarium, Botanic Garden, Embassy Row Library of Congress, Jefferson Memorial, Washington Monument, Lincoln Memorial, the J. F. Kennedy Monument, National Wax Museum and others.

All age groups are urged to join the tour which is scheduled to leave Saturday morning, November 11. Those interested may register now. For further information, call the YWCA at 688-1140.

Hot Summers, Hotter Winters Are Predicted

Nathan Garrett, Deputy Director of the North Carolina Fund, expressed the opinion that the violence and social turmoil of the past summer will not remain a summer time activity, when he addressed the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship in Durham last Sunday. "I'm dismayed," he said, "but I think things are going to get worse before they get better."

Garrett spoke on the topic, "The War on Poverty After the Long, Hot Summer," and gave his personal assessment of the Great Society program as it stands at this time. He also outlined what he believes to be the major need for making the war on poverty effective.

"The people who participated in this summer's riots are hard to classify," he said, "because all kinds of people were involved, not just the poor and unemployed. I think they were a group of persons representing rampant, uncontrolled, and unorganized power." He likened the power of these people to lightning, that is not completely understood, but when unleashed, can be destructive.

"We must learn how to harness and control this power for constructive ends," Garrett stated. "One way it can be controlled is to organize the people and allow representative leadership to emerge. "The problem for existing institutions such as the Office of Economic Opportunity is to zero in on this, and to assist in the organization of neighborhood and community groups."

Ironically, OEO has turned down the challenge, for its Director, Sargent Shriver, has ordered all anti-poverty personnel supported by federal funds not to indulge in any organizing or political activities among the poor.

NORTH CAROLINA DURHAM COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

HAVING QUALIFIED as administrator of the estate of Georgia Pearson Joyner, deceased, late of Durham County, North Carolina, this is to claim against the said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned at Post Office Box 1428, Durham, North Carolina, on or before the 29th day of April, 1968, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 24th day of October, 1967.

Conrad O. Pearson, Administrator of the estate of Georgia Pearson Joyner, Deceased Oct. 28; Nov. 4, 11, 18

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