

# 500 Hillsborough Students Protest Token Integration

## AME's Re-instate Ousted Prelate; Elect 2 New Bishops

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## Public Housing Protesters Clash With Cops At City Hall



**PROTESTERS OF THE PUBLIC** Housing conditions in Durham who were present at a meeting of City officials here this week found themselves faced with rifles, machine guns and night sticks in the hands of local police. In addition to the belligerent attitude exhibited by several of the police, one was

heard to have used profanity in opposing the public housing attendants. He is shown ducking his head in an apparent attempt to avoid being photographed after discovering he was overheard by a press photographer nearby. At the right Mayor R. Wense Grabarek and Major W. B. Julian of

the Durham Police Department are shown conversing with a young woman relative to abuse received at the hands of police officers. At her left is Ben Ruffin, Director of the United Organization for Community Improvement.

(Photo by Purefoy)

### Police Display Machine Guns, Rifles at Meet

Negro citizens, in a mock hearing held in the Durham City Council Chamber here Tuesday night, gave an unusual exhibition of ridicule for over an hour, of public housing hearings of tenants that have been presented to the Council over the past several months.

Occupying the seats of member of the Council, representatives of the tenants conducted a "trial" of Housing officials who have been charged by the tenants with delaying tactics and not playing fair concerning the several problems and demands placed before the city officials.

The meeting had been called it was claimed in an all-out effort of the City Council to arrive at a solution of the several complaints made by the tenants of the housing units. The demands presented the City Council included, as usual, the immediate discharge of Carvie Oldham and his assistant A. J. Walton, Jr.

Listed among the complaints which came from housing projects of Fayetteville Street, McDougald Terrace, Damar Court and Cornwalls Court were poor recreation facilities, poor lighting, broken tile, painting, a lack of locks for doors, air conditioning and numerous other grievances. Leaders of the group stated they would remain in City Hall until their demands are met.

At the meeting scheduled for Thursday at 8:00 p.m. to discuss the grievances, the Negroes walked out when Mayor R. W. Grabarek would not or See HOUSING 2A

## Team Of 15 Ministers Make Demands on Tobacco Firm

Harsh Practices Of P. Lorillard Co. Are Exposed

CHICAGO (SCLC)—The Reverend Jesse L. Jackson, National Director of Operation Breadbasket, led a team of 15 ministers representing Breadbasket operations in 28 cities in negotiations with P. Lorillard Company. The team met with the tobacco industry's fifth largest firm in Washington, D. C.

P. Lorillard's representatives at the negotiation were: B. Lowell Jacobsen, Vice President for Personnel; Robert Spangler, Public Relations representative; Charles Sterling, Administrative Assistant to the General Sales Manager and Robert Brown, President of B and C Associates, a firm retained by P. Lorillard to conduct part of its public relations throughout the nation.

The ministers demanded that P. Lorillard realize the fact that the practice of extracting profits from the black community and leaving poverty was now at an end. P. Lorillard's representatives were also reminded that the tobacco industry was the industry upon which black people's slavery

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## Atlanta Minister Slated For White Rock Service Sunday

The Rev. Dr. Samuel W. Williams, Pastor, Friendship Baptist Church since 1954 and Professor of Philosophy, Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia since 1946 will preach at White Rock Baptist Church, Sunday, May 19 at the 11:00 a.m. Worship Service in B. N. Duke Auditorium at North Carolina College at Durham. He will also meet with several church groups during the day.

The Rev. Williams has been in the forefront of Civil Rights Activities most of his adult life. He was the chief witness against the Georgia State College of Business Administration in the desegregation case which was won January 10, 1959. He was a successful plaintiff in the Atlanta Bus Desegregation case which was decided January 9, 1959.

He is Past President and member Executive Committee, Atlanta Branch NAACP; Former President and member Board of Directors, Greater Atlanta Council on Human Relations; Member, Board of Directors, Georgia Council on Human Re-



**DR. WILLIAMS** lations; 3rd Vice-President, Southern Christian Leadership Conference—and Co-Chairman, Atlanta Summit Leadership Conference. He received his A. B. Degree Morehouse College; B. D. Degree, Howard University; M. A. Degree, Howard University; Ph.D., University of Chicago and D. D., Arkansas Baptist College.

He has also served as Chaplain and Professor of Philoso- See MINISTER 2A

## Durham Awaits Arrival Poor Peoples March

Local citizens were awaiting with keen interest here Thursday for the arrival of the participants of the Poor People's March. It was estimated that about 500 persons would be in the group to visit Durham, which was scheduled to arrive at Durham Athletic Park, Thursday about noon.

Local campaign leaders stated that due to a non-cooperative attitude on the part of Durham leaders the marchers may be relocated in Chapel Hill.

It is reported that about 90 of the marchers had been ordered back to Mississippi because they were assuming a role of agitators rather than actual participants.

The marchers numbering over 400 left Charlotte Tuesday enroute to Greensboro, Durham and other key points.

Ben Ruffin, Durham Chairman of the Poor People's March Steering Committee, See PEOPLES 2A

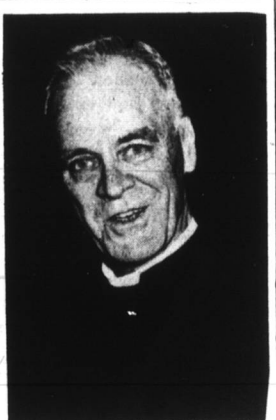


**HONORED** — Shown, left to right, are honorees at the recent Faculty Staff Recognition Banquet at North Carolina College: Dr. C. Elwood Boulware, Mathematics, honored for 25 years of service; James C. Blount, retiring; Earl Lee, retiring; Dean of Women, Miss Louise M. Lathan, retiring; and Dr. Charles A. Ray, English, 25 years.

## Orange Board Of Education Charged With Bias Methods



DR. WOODHALL



DR. CLELAND

## Two Noted Faculty Members to Deliver Duke Finals Addresses

Two of Duke University's most prominent faculty members—a distinguished neurosurgeon and a noted clergyman—will be the principal speakers for Duke's 1968 Commencement Weekend program.

They are Dr. Barnes Woodhall and Dr. James T. Cleland. Dr. Woodhall, who was promoted last summer to the newly created post of Associate Provost of the University, will deliver the Commencement address on Monday morning, June 3, in Duke Indoor Stadium.

Dr. Cleland, who is James B. Duke, Professor of Preaching and Dean of the Chapel, will give the baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning, June 2, in Duke Chapel.

Dr. Woodhall has been a

member of the Duke faculty for 31 years. In addition to serving as Professor of Neurosurgery, he organized and headed the neurological services for the Medical Center before being named the second Dean of the Duke School of Medicine in 1960. At that time, he also was named a Vice Provost of the University and four years later relinquished the deanship to devote his full time to the broader tasks of Vice Provost of Medical Affairs. His further promotion to the position of Associate Provost of the University came last July.

A past president of three national professional organizations, Dr. Woodhall currently is chairman of the Board of Re-

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### Superintendent Fails In Effort To Make Settlement

HILLSBOROUGH—Over 500 pupils of the all-Negro Central High School walked out of classes here Tuesday as a protest against the County Board of Education's plan to hold fast to the pattern of segregation of the county schools until 1969.

In a statement made to the Carolina Times Tuesday afternoon during the walkout J. M. Murfree, principal of Central High, in which is also included an elementary school department, stated that the boycott of his school was 100 per cent effective.

In an interview with the Superintendent of the Orange County Schools, G. Paul Carr, the representative of the Times was told that a committee of 40, 30 whites and 10 Negroes of which William C. Dowd is chairman, was formulated April 8, 1968 at which time a resolution was passed unanimously which read as follows: "We recommend to the Board of Education that they make every effort possible to eliminate the dual school system by September 1969."

Although the students knew of the action of the committee they are resentful of the efforts of the Board to enroll Negro students in Orange High, the white high school, without any white students being enrolled in Central High. In short, they see an effort, on the part of the School Board, to perpetuate segregation rather than promote integration in both the white and Negro schools.

President of the Negro student body of Central High is

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## Final Session Held at Mother Bethel Church

PHILADELPHIA—With the election of two bishops and three men to high administrative offices the 38th Quadrennial Session of the African Methodist Episcopal Church came to a close here Tuesday as the 1088 delegates rang down the curtain on the 1968 gathering with a sigh of relief from approximately two weeks of hectic activities.

Elected to the Bishop were D. G. Dewey Robinson, pastor of Metropolitan A.M.E. Church of Washington, D. C. and Dr. Henry Murph, pastor of Grant A.M.E. Church of Los Angeles, California.

The newly elected lay officers are: Dr. Frank Cummings of St. Louis who defeated incumbent, Dr. A. G. Gaston of Birmingham, Alabama for the position of Church Extension; Dr. Ford Gibson of Chicago, Illinois, Secretary of Foreign Missions and B. Gregg, president of Payne College, new Historian.

Probably the most tense moment of the entire session of the Quadrennial came last Thursday, May 9, when the delegates by a vote of 710 to 383 voted to reinstate to the Bench of Bishops, D. Ward Nichols, who was ousted as bishop in 1959 under charges involving alleged embezzlement of \$207,950. Other charges were either quashed or dissolved in several court actions held from time to time over the past eight years or more. He was finally cleared of all criminal charges in 1964.

The vote to reinstate the See AME's page 2A



DR. HEISKELL

## Time Official Is Speaker For Shaw U. Finals

RALEIGH — Andrew Heiskell, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Time, Inc., will deliver the keynote address during Shaw University's 103rd Convocation for the Confering of Degrees on Sunday, June 9, at 3 p.m. at the Raleigh Memorial Auditorium.

A native of Naples, Italy, Heiskell was educated in Germany, Switzerland and the University of Paris (France). Associated with the publishing company since May, 1937, when he joined the staff of Life Magazine, then six months old, as science and medicine editor, Heiskell was appointed assistant general manager in 1939.

In 1940, he was sent to Life's Paris office. However, when the French capitol fell to the Germans, Heiskell joined other refugees from the Paris office, who packed their cars with office records and baggage and followed the French government to Bordeaux.

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**HILLSBORO STUDENTS IN WALKOUT**—Charlie Florence, (center) president of the student body of the all-Negro Central High School, is shown talking with schoolmates after

they had met in front of the Orange County Courthouse just after 500 of them walked out of the school Tuesday in protest of token integration of the county school system. The

walk-out was reported orderly and will be continued until Monday the student leaders stated.

(Photo by Purefoy)



**VICTORY DINNER**—Shown in this picture are three of the bishops of the A. M. E. Zion Church, who were recalled at the 38th quadrennial session of the A. M. E. Zion Church, held in Detroit, Mich., May 15, as they enjoy a press lunch-

con. Alexander Barnes, director of Public Relations is shown on the extreme right as he discusses the news of the conference with Bishop W. A. Hilliard. The three prelates (left to right), W. E. Tucker, Louisville, Ky.; W. A. Stewart,

who presides over the Central North Carolina Conference (which includes Durham) and F. S. Anderson, Louisville, Ky. Bishop Stewart was reassigned to the Central North Carolina Conference.