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A&T U. Athletic Director Resigns For Post At Iowa

Bell to Leave Present Job September 15

By Richard E. Moore

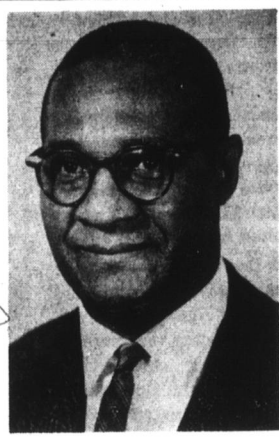
GREENSBORO, — Dr. William M. Bell, athletic director at A&T State University since 1946, resigned last Friday to accept a position of associate dean of students and professor of physical education at Iowa State University.

Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy, president of A&T, said Dr. Bell's resignation will be effective September 15. Dr. Dowdy said he expects to announce the appointment of Bell's successor in a few days.

"I am very pleased with this new opportunity to serve," said Bell. "I have spent much of my adult life at A&T and I love the college. I hope to spend most of my remaining time here working with my replacement so he can get off to a smooth start."

A native of Polk County, Georgia, Bell was an all-time great tackle at Ohio back in the late 1920's and early 1930's. He was named to several All-Americans teams.

Bell came to A&T in 1946 as head football coach and director of physical education. His 1950 team won the CIAA championship. Bell stepped down as Aggie coach in 1957. He began coaching at Ho-



DR. BELL

ward University as an assistant in 1932. Two years later he moved to Claflin College, Orangeburg, S. C., where he won two straight conference titles.

Bell was head coach at Florida A&M from 1936-43 and his teams there won three national Negro championships. While an officer in the U. S. Air Force, he coached Tuskegee Air Force Base for two seasons. His lifetime coaching record is 129-49-15.

Bell, who holds three degrees from Ohio State, was named one of America's top three physical fitness leaders in 1965 by the U. S. Jaycees.

He is currently chairman of the NCAA College Division's East Regional Basketball Tournament, a member of the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports and the CIAA Basketball Tournament.

LDF Files Appeals in 13 Schools Desegregation Cases in La.

Editors Note: The NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc. (LDF) is a separate and distinct organization from the NAACP. Its correct designation is NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc., which is shortened to LDF.

NEW ORLEANS, La.—The NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc. (LDF) filed appeals in 13 school desegregation cases here August 5, in the U. S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit.

The civil rights organization filed the appeals through its staff attorney, Franklin E. White.

The appeals, according to White, seek to have the court overrule several lower courts which have refused to conduct hearings involving attempts by Negroes in Louisiana and Mississippi to implement recent Supreme Court school desegregation rulings.

Lower courts, he said, have refused hearings on the grounds that the Louisiana and Mississippi school boards would not have time to develop school zoning procedures before the coming school year begins. White said, however, that the boards have had since May to develop such plans but have failed to do so.

If the rulings of the lower courts are allowed to stand, LDF officials contend, the schools will be reopened on the long practiced segregated basis. This, the officials say, will be in defiance of a recent Supreme Court ruling. That Court stated that if zoning or

other methods of assigning pupils would result in more integration than free choice plans now used, such action must be taken.

In Louisiana, the school boards involved in the court action are the St. Helena Parish School Board, Iberville Parish School Board, Pointe Coupee Parish School Board, Livingstone Parish School Board, Ascension Parish School Board, and the West Baton Rouge Parish School Board.

The Mississippi boards are the Canton Municipal School District and Madison County School District, Holmes County Board of Education, Yazoo County Board of Education, Meridian Separate School District, Issaquena County Board of Education, and Leake County School Board.

Grand Dragon Walking Again

SALISBURY — J. Robert Jones, grand dragon of the North Carolina Ku Klux Klan, is having to hoof it again. The Granite Quarry resident has been ordered to surrender his driver's license again for speeding.



A PORTION OF MORE THAN 200 persons attending a Mass Meeting called by the recently formed Black Solidarity Committee For Community Improvement which met at St. Joseph's AME Church Sunday, August 4. Wyatt Fowler, presi-

dent of the Barber's Union (top left inset), gave the principal address. Rev. P. R. Cousin, Pastor, St. Joseph's Church (top right inset), gave stirring remarks.

The committee is continuing its call for the boycotting of Northgate Shopping Center and selective buying in the downtown area. The next mass meeting is set for St. Joseph's A. M. E. Church Sunday, August 11, at 8:00 p.m.

(Photo by Purefoy)

President Gets Big Hand After Speech at Meet

WASHINGTON, D. C. — President Lyndon B. Johnson won a rousing, standing ovation from the nation's Negro lawyers Thursday as he outlined recent Negro advancement at the annual banquet of the National Bar Association in convention here.

The President cited the record and declared: "We will match our record with any people—anytime in history."

The President said much remained to be done but closed on a note of high confidence when he told the cheering lawyers: "I know that Americans, black and white, will prove they can be real soul brothers."

The text of the President's speech follows:

"Yesterday, along with my Cabinet, I heard a fascinating report about what is really happening in America today. The report came from a document entitled 'Recent Trends in Social and Economic Conditions of Negroes in the United States.' (The government, you know, is famous for these catchy titles.)

What we heard was a remarkable story. Tonight, I want to share it with you and the American people.

The report we heard does not say that everything is wonderful for black people, or that they never had it so good. The report does not attempt to gloss over the gap that still separates white and black in this Nation. That gap does exist — and it is wide.

But what we heard gives clear evidence that our society is on the move—that the gap is narrowing—that in the midst of crisis, encouraging changes are taking place.

Almost unnoticed, large numbers of American Negroes, for the first time in our history, have begun to enter the middle class. Almost unheard of, large numbers are breaking the old fetters of poverty and deprivation.

Social Security For All Over 65 Urged

DOVER (UPI) — Reece B. Gardner, 1st District Republican candidate for Congress said he wants to pay Social Security to anyone over 65 regardless of whether he works.

"If Social Security is in fact old-age insurance, as the government claims that it is, then I believe a man should get the money when it is due him, beginning in his 65th year," Gardner said.

"He has paid it in, and he should be able to get it out, even though he continues to work."

Dr. Leon Wright Addresses AME Women Thurs.

Dr. Leon E. Wright of the School of Religion, Howard University, Washington, D. C. was the guest speaker at a church luncheon held here at the Downtowner Inn, Thursday, August 8. The luncheon was under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society of the A.M.E. Church and was a part of the Youth and Missionary Convocation of the AME Church which convened at Kittrell College, in Kittrell, Aug. 5-9.

The keynote message of the convocation was preached by Bishop Joseph Gomez who exhorted the convocation's 1200 delegates to "express love." In reference to the philosophy of black power Bishop Gomez said that the "Negro should not seek special identity but strive to be an integral part of the total community."

(See WRIGHT page 8A)

Alpha Kappa Sorority To Hold 43rd Annual Session In Dallas

Richard Hatcher To Address Public Meeting Sunday

DALLAS, TEX. — Dallas, Texas will host 1500 Negro college women and a member of the country's elite group of black mayors, during the 43rd meeting of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, at the Sheraton Dallas Hotel, August 11-16.

Richard G. Hatcher, youthful mayor of Gary Indiana will address a public meeting in connection with the convention in the auditorium of Bishop College at 3 p.m. Sunday, August 11.

Dr. Lazzette G. Hale, president of Alpha-Kappa Alpha Sorority said that the mayor will also join the group in pilgrimage to the spot where President John F. Kennedy was

Durham Matron Joins Fight Opposing Violence In America

EDITOR'S NOTE: Mrs. Elna Spaulding, wife of Asa T. Spaulding, retired president of N. C. Mutual Life Insurance Company, was recently invited by McCall's Magazine to attend a project, sponsored by the publication, to consider "What Women Can Do To End Violence in America." Mrs. Spaulding informed Mrs. Minnie P. Spaulding, president of the Durham Chapter of Links, Inc. and Dr. Helen G. Edmonds Director of National and International Trends and Services and expressed a willingness to represent the Links local chapter of which she is a member. Her offer was readily accepted.



MRS. SPAULDING

The following is a letter addressed to the editor of The Carolina Times by Mrs. Spaulding on the subject of violence.

EDITOR CAROLINA TIMES
The editorial on Violence, appearing in a recent issue of your paper was indeed a timely (See MATRON page 8A)

State Acts After Suit Is Filed

NAACP Sponsors First Case Of Its Kind In US

ATLANTA, Ga. — The Georgia State Employment Agency last week agreed to serve all potential employees without regard to race, creed, or color.

The unprecedented agreement grew out of a suit filed against the state agency by the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc. (LDF).

ATTORNEY Howard Moore, a cooperating attorney, filed suit in U.S. District Court on behalf of 33-year-old Negro Robert Anthony.

The suit was the first ever filed against a state employment agency, attorney Moore said, and the resulting conciliating agreement is expected to have nationwide impact on employment practices in the country, he continued.

ANTHONY HAD received training in air conditioning through a program sponsored by the Georgia State Employment Agency. He charged, however, that after completion of the course the agency denied him access to jobs requiring the skills he had acquired because of his race.

In the conciliation agreement accepted by the Court, the state agency has agreed to offer Anthony and all other members of his training class jobs they are trained for and placement assistance through referrals to employers who have openings.

Ford Foundation Announces Further Aid to Rights Campaign

NEW YORK, — The Ford Foundation this week announced grants in further support of national civil-rights organizations and for continuation of special ghetto-area and economic development efforts in Cleveland and Detroit.

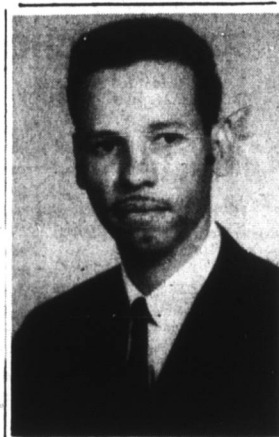
For the activities of three leading national organizations — the A. Phillip Randolph Educational Fund, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and the National Urban League, a total of \$954,000 was granted.

In Detroit, \$357,000 was granted for a variety of projects under the auspices of the Metropolitan Fund.

In Cleveland, \$300,000 was granted to the Special Purpose Fund of the Congress of Racial Equality (CORE) for voter education, economic development, youth leadership development, and community relations activities; and \$256,615, to the Greater Cleveland Associated Foundation for city management and police training programs, and the Businessmen's Interracial Committee on Community Affairs.

The Foundation made its first grants to the Cleveland organizations a year ago. Since then CORE has concentrated on voter education and registration and, more recently, on programs of economic development for the ghettos. In the months ahead CORE will expand its voter education activities in the 21st Congressional District, which is largely Negro.

It will also work with other organizations, including the NAACP, the Urban League, and the Case Western Reserve (See FORD, page 8A)



BISHOP AMOS

Bishop Amos to Celebrate 4th Anniversary

A series of services beginning Monday, August 12 and continuing for two weeks through Sunday, August 25 will be held at the Church of God in Christ Jesus, 815 Fargo Street to celebrate the 4th anniversary of the pastor, Bishop W. H. Amos.

Bishop Amos assumed the pastorate of the church in 1963 following the death of the former pastor, Bishop C. L. Faison.

The following is the scheduled program with those conducting each service: Monday, August 12, Bishop Edwards, Careful; Tuesday, August 13, Sister Dorothy Wilson and others; Wednesday, August 14, (See AMOS, page 8A)

FSC President Asks \$1.1 Mil. For Institution

FAYETTEVILLE — President Rudolph Jones of Fayetteville State College told the Advisory Budget Commission Thursday the institution will need more than a million dollars for capital improvements during the next two years.

Dr. Jones told the commission that despite improvements which have been made on the campus in the past "the relative position of the school in the state supported institutions in North Carolina is still the same."

"FSC is expected to do more with less" he said. The college is one of the oldest institutions of higher learning in North Carolina," he said but comparing this college with others it is obvious," we have been discriminated against."

Top priority expansion plans includes \$90,000 for roads, walks and outside lighting. Dr. Jones said that this money would be used to improve the fifty acres of land across the railroad adjoining the campus.

Funds were also requested to construct a pedestrian railroad underpass. Dr. Jones estimated the cost at \$75,000 and said this was necessary so (See FAYETTEVILLE 8A)



HOLES-IN-ONE — Real "boy pair. Knee sections not protected with Fabrilock could not stand the punishment, as this photo shows. Youngsters show are part of the Cleveland group of boys who put the test pants through the grueling, grinding, perpetual motion world in which norms! 8-to-10-year-olds

live. The "real boys" tests worked out so well (knee sections treated with invisible Fabrilock film outlasted untreated sections up to nine times) that B. F. Goodrich advertising personnel repeated the test, before cameras, for a television commercial.

Spaulding on National Med. Foundation Board

Asa T. Spaulding, retired President of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, has been appointed a member of the Board of Directors of the National Medical Association Foundation. He was notified of his appointment by Dr. Mitchell W. Spellman, Executive Vice President of the National Medical Association Foundation, Inc. of Washington, D. C.

Spaulding will leave Durham Sunday, August 11, to attend a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Foundation at the Shamrock Hilton Hotel in Houston, Texas.

The two major goals of the Foundation are:

"An improved health care system for the urban poor through a cooperative enterprise involving private physi-

cians, the Federal interests and the resources of philanthropy. (See SPAULDING 8A)

WINN-DIXIE GIVES SCHOLARSHIPS TO RALEIGH EMPLOYEES' CHILDREN

Winn-Dixie Stores Foundation advised the Raleigh Division today that the following applications for scholarships valued at from \$1200.00 to \$1500.00 have been passed for children of employees of the Raleigh Division.

The scholarship winner are: Malcolm Carl Wilkins, Four Oaks; Thomas Wayne Jackson, Four Oaks; Shirley Ann Stephens, Wilmington; Sharon

Kelly Strickland, Clayton; Charles Randy Collier, Roanoke Rapids; Felton Cecil Shows, Jr., Roanoke, Va.; William Alfred Currie, Laurinburg; Barbara Johnson, Raleigh.

The Scholarship Committee of the Foundation awards the scholarships based on the academic records of the applicants as well as the moral character and reputation in the community in which they live.