# Durham To Host NAACP Annual Session

Miss. Negroes Challenge Desegregation On Two Fronts



IN CEREMONIES held in the eral clerk; Calvin Pruden, as- of Fellow, Life Management home office, Joseph W. Good- sistant to the agency director; Institute and Mrs. Jordan and loe, left, president of the North and Edward Bowser, computer Messrs. Pruden and Bowser Carolina Mutual Life Insurance operator on the successful com-Company, congratulates from pletion of the Life Office Man stitute's program. At right is left: L. B. Porter, associate ac- agement Association courses. M. A. Sloan, CLU, vice presi-

completed Course I of the Intuary: Mrs. Bertha Jordan, gen- Porter received the designation dent, Home Office Operations

# 3 NCM Representatives Honored NAACP, will convene here Thursday, October 9, at the At 42nd Underwriter Conference

Insurance Company representatives Edward J. Halfacre, Edward J. Clemons, and Edward J. Martin were awarded the coveted Chartered Life Underwriter resignation at the 42nd Annual National Conferment Exercises of the American College of Life Underwriters in Washington, D. C.

The American College of Life Underwriters grants the CLU Designation to persons engaged in activities relating to the insuring of human life values and who pass a series of professional examinations and meet the stringent experience and ethical requirements of the College. This year 2,000 men and women were awarded the designation, bringing to 21,454 the number of people who have received it since the College was founded in 1927.

Edward J. Halfacre joined North Carolina Mutual as assistant agency director when Unity Mutual of Chicago merged N. C. Mutual in 1962. He is a graduate of LIAMA's 53rd Agency Officers School, attended Roosevelt College in structor of the National Insurance Association School in Agency Management for 1967, 1968 and 1969.

Edward J. Clemons joined North Carolina Mutual in 1955 as a combination agent after finishing Clark College in Atlanta. In 1960 he was promoted to the position of staff man-(See HONORED 2A)

#### Mrs. Asa T. Spaulding to Deliver Ebenezer Women's Day Address

Ebenezer, Baptist Church will observe the fifteenth celebration of 'Vomen's Day here on October 12 and will feature an address by Mrs. Asa T. Spaulding at the 11 a.m. ser-

The theme "The "inity of Church Women in a Changing World," will be the main emphasis of Mrs. Spaulding's mes-A native of Tuskegee, Ala.,

Irs. Spaulding is a graduate of Talladega College where she received a B. S. Degree in music is presently a member of the White Rock Baptist Church choir. In addition to holding membership and offices in numerous civic as well as religious organizations, she is the founder of the Durham women's group known as Women In Action for the Prevention of Violence and Its Causes.

Music will be rendered by the Women's Choir of Ebenezer, under the direction of Mrs. Mary Mayo, and also by Mrs. Ella Hayes of St. Mark AME Zion Church who will be featured as the guest soloist.



MRS. SPAULDING

Rev. W. E. Daye, minister of Ebnezer, along with the program committee extends an open invitation to the public.

SACRAMENTO, Calif.

Although denying he was the father, soul singer James Brown has agreed to pay \$500 monthly child support for 20 years to the son of the former president of his San Francisco

The settlement of the suit was announced Tuesday. The singer was accused by Mary Brown, 20, no relation, of fathering the boy in a San Francisco area motel The child, Michael Deon

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# Over 600 Expected To Attend NAACP Meet Here Oct. 9-11

#### **Durham Hotel** To Be the Site **Gathering**

The 26th Annual Convention of the North Carolina State Conference of Branches, Durham Hotel on Cercoran

Kelly M. Alexander, state president, will officially greet delegates following the 11 a.m. opening and devotion. Rev. I. Quency Newman of Columbia, S. C., will deliver the luncheon keynote address. A freedom, gospel and spiritual inspirational program planned for the evening will feature an address by Rev. Julius C. Hope, president, Georgia State Conference of Branches and pastor of Zion Baptist Church, Brunswick, Ga. Several area choirs will furnish musical renditions.

All Friday sessions are scheduled for the Durham Motel and Hotel. In addition to various meetings, reports memorial services, and presentation of state officers, the registration of youth delegates will open at 8 a.m. also. Andrew Small president of state youth councils and college chapters; Diane Dawson, president of the Durham Youth Council; and Robert Steele, chairman of youth work committee and advisor, will welcome the dele-Kelly Alexander, Jr., Charles McLean, Bruce Tyson, and Miss Carolyn, will extend greetings and responses to the

youth. Friday afternoon sessions will also feature the convention plenary with Mrs. Ada Ford presiding; the meeting including discussions on NAACP in-

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State President



### **188 Citizens** Attempting to Register Jailed

CLARKSDALE, Miss. Here in Coahoma County, the issue of school desegregation has ranged opposing forces against each other on two explosive fronts. In Clarksdale, the county seat, 188 Negro youths who attempted to register at a white school on Oct. 1 were arrested. In the surrounding county area, other Negroes have refused to accept a projected desegregation plan which they consider patently discriminatory.

In Clarksdale, a plan for desegregation was laid before the courts in 1964. Action never has been taken on that plan. On Wednesday, October 1, under the guidance of the local NAACP, an effort was made to register the Negro students at a white school and the arrests were made.

Immediately, Dr. Aaron Henry, president of the Mississippi State Conference of NAACP Branches, asked in court for an injunction to show why the students should not be permitted to register.

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# Rhode Island Col. Dedicates Building Dr. Rose B. Browne



DEDICATION of the Rose But | body who gathered to do honor | dent; Mrs. Kauffman, The Rev.

ler Browne Hall at Rhode for the occasion. Shown in the Emmett T. Browne, Dr. Rose Island College, September 28, picture at RIC from left to right Butler Browne in front of was of unusual interest to memare Dr. Joseph F. Kauffman the ROSE BUTLER BROWNE bers of the faculty and student Rhode Island College Presi HALL at Rhode Island College.

#### Local Woman Lauded by New **England School**

Island College president Dr. Joseph F. Kauffman (left) and his wife chat with Dr. Rose Butler Browne and her husband the Rev. Emmett T. Browne of Durham, Sunday (Sept. 28) before the dedication of Rose-Butler Browne Hall, a seven. story residence and infirmary complex on the RIC campus in Providence

Dr. Browne is a graduate of RIC and has been prominent in higher education in the South for the past half century. She retired from the faculty of North Carolina College in 1963 and since has operated the Happy Hours Child Care Center, located at her husband's parish, the Mt. Vernon Baptist Church in Durham.

She is the author of "Love My Children." an autobiography published this year by the

## Law Enforcement Policies of Attorney General Is Questioned By

General John N. Mitchell this week was asked to reveal whether "all the government's 'moral, political and economic power' is not at the disposal of Negro citizens demanding an end to segregated schooling." The pointed question was put to the Attorney General by NAACP Assistant Executive Director John A. Morsell following Mr. Mitchell's speech to 3,500 local and state police officials at the opening session of the International Association of Chief of Police in Miami Beach on Sept. 29.

In that speech, Mr. Mitchell said that the Nixon Administration "will marshal all its moral, political and economic power to support law enforcement officers in our battle to defeat crime.'

"At the same moment," the NAACP executive said in a telegram to the Attorney General, "the head of your own Civil Rights Division, Jerris Leonard, told a news conference that the Administration would find it impossible to enforce a court ruling requir-

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ing (that) black school children on his promotion by the Army Center offers the congratula- of Tony E. Bone, 1027 Lynn get immediate enjoyment of to Sergeant First Class. Lt. tions to Antonelli, a Network Rd., Durham.)

FIRST CLASS NOW-Anthony | Deputy Director, Defense Com- | tonelli lives at 710 N. Vermont E. Antonelli is congratulated munications Agency Operations St., Arlington (Antonelli is son Colonel D. W. Chance, USA, Controller in the Center. An-

## **NCCU To Host Resource-Use** 23rd Annual Meet November 13

North Carolina Central Uni-23rd annual meeting of The North Carolina Resource-Use Education Conference on November 13. The one-day conference will feature two major addresses, a Student Symposium, and fourteen Conservation-Environmental Education Workshops.

Dr. Theodore R. Speigner, is NCCU Director of the Division of Resource-Use Education and State Chairman of the Confer

The keynote address for the morning session will be delivered by the Hon. Benjamin Brown, Representative to the Georgia House of Representatives, Atlanta, Ga. His address will be delivered at 11:00 A.M. in B. N. Duke Auditorium.

The first general session of the State Conference will be held in B. N. Duke Auditorium at 9:00 A.M. It will feature a Student Symposium by seniors and juniors from participating schools on, "Is There A Need For Black Studies in the High

Dr. Martha T. Henderson versity will be the scene of the | Senior Associate, Environmental Education Division, The Conservation Foundation, Washington, D. C., will be the principal speaker for the Administrators' Workshop.

> The Desegregation Workshop will feature two nationally known civil rights leaders for the afternoon session. Dr. Kenneth Haddock, Educational Branch Chief, Charlottesville Regional Office for Civil Rights, Charlottesville, Va., will discuss "Civil Rights in Model Cities Programs."

Dr. David Gerard is presently Chief, Education Branch, Office for Civil Rights, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, D. C. The theme that he will discuss is "Desegregation and Educa- early age.

Other workshops scheduled sisters: Mrs. Gertrude Bynum for the afternoon sessions are: of Durham and Mrs. Lula Scur-Geography, Guidance, Human Relations, Mental Helath, Mathematics, Reading, Social Stud- Durham; one niece, two nephies, Science, and Afro-American Studies Institute.

#### Graveside Rites **Held For Luther Eugene Johnson**

HILLSBOROUGH - Graveside rites for Luther Eugene Johnson, who died in a fire of unknown origin which consumed his home on October 2, were held Saturday, October 4; Dr. L. W. Reid, minister of Piney Grove Baptist Church, officiated.

Johnson, who lived in the house alone, was a long time employee of Liggett and Myers, Inc., and at the time of his death was working at Hines Liner Company of Hillsborough. He was educated in the Orange County Schools and became a member of Piney Grove at an

Johnson is survived by two lock of Orange County; one aunt, Mrs. Maggie Holman of ews; and other relatives and friends.

#### **Young People** Invited to Join Police League

Attention Young People beween the ages of 12, 13 and 14, Chief W. W. Pleasants of the Durham Police Department announces the beginning of its Junior Police League for the City of Durham.

A chance for young people and police to work hand in hand in the areas of police work, all sports, first aid, recreation, city government, law and other areas that would aid in the building of a total united community.

Requirements are: 1. Must be in Junior High

School 2. Be able to get along with other young people 3. Willing to meet at the des-

ignated times 4. Willing to obey all rules of the Junior Police League 5. Must have consent of Par-

ent or guardian 6. No dues will be required All members will be issued (See POLICE page 2A)