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# Durham Business College Scene Of Student Protest

# Community Honors Louis E. Austin With Testimonial

#### **Veteran Times Editor is Hailed** As "A Modern-Day Prophet"

publisher, editor of the Carolina Times Newspaper, was honored here Tuesday night, March 17 with a testimonial banquet sponsored by the Durham Committee on Negro Affairs, and the Durham Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. The banquet was held in the cafeteria of North Carolina Central University, Austin's alma mater.

Greetings of warmth and appreciation were given to the renowned editorialist by eleven individuals, representing various segments of the Durham community.

They all described the septegenarian newspaperman as a diligent fighter for human

Louis E. Austin, veteran the integrity of black people. William G. Pearson, toastmaster of the program said Austin has been keeping the faith for a long time.

> According to Rev. Andrew W. Lawson of the interdenominational Ministerial Alliance. "Louis E. Austin is a prophet after the like of Jeremiah. Jeremiah prophesied whether the people liked it or not. And he never gave up; he just kept on telling them like it was." The designation prophet was

the description most often applied to Austin, for it was he who, years before school integration became a burning issue, carried a young Negro to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill to register. After being refused (See EDITOR page 8A)



J. H. Wheeler, President of testimonial banquet given in Mechanics and Farmers Bank honor of the veteran publisher

"PAY TO THE ORDER OF"- | Austin and his wife during a | est Negro weekly in the Caro-

### Window In Student Center Is **Smashed During Demonstration**

#### 16 Demands Issued to School Officials Wed.

broke out on the campus of Durham Business College Wednesday afternoon as more than 50% of the student body surrounded the administration building.

According to a student spokesman, they wanted to talk to the college administration for the purpose of resolving a list of grievances that have been compiled by the



J. W. Hill, college administrator, said this is not the first time the business school has

been confronted with the same

"Last year about the same time, we had the same problems." he said.

The main point of protest according to the students is the curfew placed upon students on the weekends. In their list of objections, they suggest that the present time students are allowed out of the dorm be extended to 3 a.m.

They also ask that the ban on College Plaza be lifted. College Plaza is the apartments complex that once served as living quarters for DBC students. Now. however, a majority of the residents of the

### St. Joseph's Annual Holy Week Services Set To Start Monday

St. Joseph's A.M.E. Church will have its Annual Holy Week Services Monday, March 23 through Thursday, March 26, 1970. The services will be held at 7:30 each evening. The guest speaker for Holy Week is Rev. Henry L. Starks, pastor of St. James A.M.E. Church in Memphis, Tennessee. Rev. Starks received his B. S. Degree from LeMoyne-Owen College, M. A. from Fisk University, Master of Divinity from Memphis Theological Seminary and Doctor of Divinity from Monrovia College, Monrovia,

of Western State Mental Hos- mission, Member of the Board pital and is presently a member of Trustees Henderson Busiof the faculty of Memphis ness College and Chairman of Theological Seminary. He is the Board North Memphis



President of the Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance of Memphis and Shelby County, First Vice President of Mem-He has served as Chaplain phis Human Relations ComAgencies Coordinating Com-

The public is invited to attend the services and enjoy the fellowship with members of St. Joseph's.

#### **Ministerial Group** To Sponsor Good Friday Service

The Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance of Durham and Vicinity will sponsor Good Friday's service Friday, March 27, at the Mt. Olive A.M.E.Z. Church on W. Club Boulevard from 12 noon to 3:00 p.m. Rev. E. H. Whitley is the pastor and Rev. V.E. Brown



#### **Barber Appointed Assistant School Business Manager**

Richard F. Barber, 36, Durham native and presently assistant internal auditor at Duke University, has been named assistant business manager of Durham City Schools.

The Durham City Board of Education has been seeking an assistant to Business Manager J. L. Woodward, who is nearing retirement.

Barber's duties for the city school system are to begin on or before May 1.

Holder of a bachelor's degree in accounting from Duke University, Barber joined Duke in 1959 as auditor and assistant to the manager of stores opera-

Before that, he was employed by the United States General Accounting Office, first as a junior auditor, then as senior assistant auditor.

#### **NEA Hits School** Desegregation

In East Texas desegregation in East Texas is producing "arbitrary recently by the National Education

Association charges.

In a 57-page document outlining the failures and frustrations of desegregation in 25 rural counties east of Dallas and Houston, the NEA recommends formation of "black occupational caucuses" by teachers to give blacks the political power they need to fight "white domination."

Based on a special study by NEA's Commission of Professional Rights and Responsibilities, the report tells of the systematic elimination of black (See NEA page 8A)

## N Carolina University Dean To Address Honor Society

Patterson, dean, North Carolina Central University will give one of the principle addresses at All American Management Corp. the thirty-second annual convention of Alpha Kappa Mu vention of Alpha Kappa Mu National Honor Society which will be held at Elizabeth City Taps Hudson As Branch Manager State University March 26-28. The other speaker will be Dr. James Farmer, assistant secretary, Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Wash-

Theme of the convention will Hampton Institute, banquet speaker and Cornelius King of Southern University.

Panels and Committees will consider problems associated with student unrest, pass-fail grades, newer roles for honor societies and the future of can Life & Casualty Company. (See PATTERSON page 8A) Following graduation from

CHICAGO - Roamless Hud- Williston Senior High in Wil- B.S. and M.S. degrees in Chemson, Jr. of Durham, has been mington, Hudson received his istry from North Carolina Cen-

appointed Branch Manager of All American Management Corporation's office located at 1101 Scranton Place. The announcebe "Academic Excellence and Its Relevance to Social Ronald R. Wicks, President of Ronald R. Wicks, President of include Miss Judith Moore of the Corporation. All American Management Corporation distributes mutual fund shares in 37 states through a sales force of over 250 registered representatives. A complete line of Life Insurance is also offered through an affiliate. All Ameri-

tral University and most recently has taken advanced studies at Western Michigan

Mr. Hudson has served as a minister of Social Concern at the Abiding Savior Lutheran Church in Durham and as Secretary of Beta Theta Lambda Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity. He is a 32nd degree Mason and Shriner; a member of the American Chemical Society and the National Educa-

### Coca-Cola USA Announces Its Annual Carl Murphy Award

#### To Be Given In June at The NNPA Contab

ATLANTA, Ga. - The third annual Carl Murphy Award, given by Coca-Cola USA. will be presented to a selected newspaper during the annual convention in June of the National Newspaper Publishers Association, Kelvin A. Wall, vice president of the soft drink firm, announced

recently.
The award, given in honor of the late Carl Murphy, former publisher of the Afro-American newspapers, consists of a plaque and an award of \$1000. Entitled the "Carl Murphy Community Service Award," it is designed to encourage further community service programs by the Black newspapers. The newspaper to receive the award will be selected by the NNPA Awards Committee, composed of dis-

tinguished journalists. (See AWARD page 8A)



OFF TO NEW YORK-Eleven | 12 through 13. students and two teachers from lasted three days, from March Richard Conrad, Deidre Barnes, newspaper.

Pearson School attended the re- tice, Audrey Mangum, Sheila Mrs. Bernadine Bailey. cently conducted Columbia Brown, Corliss Suite, Robert

The students were: Eva Jus- were: Mrs. Ruth Thomas, and First place rating at the Press Association meeting in Conrad, Frederick Bennett, An- meeting was won by the Pear-New York City. The meeting thony Myers, Charlie Mebane, son School Voice, the school's



QUICK RESPONSE - North | Oxford Central Orphanage. The | clothes shown here are only

and danger.

Carolina Mutual employees re- Negro institution lost most of a part of the literally pounds spended quickly to an appeal by the clothes of the children of clothing that was donated J. W. Goodloe, President of there in an early morning fire by concerned persons. the company, for assistance to which gutted the laundry. The

Louis E. Austin

Thanks to all. It is with great humility that

I take this means of expressing thanks to the

Heavenly Father for the many friends who sent

cards, letters, flowers and telegrams, paid visits

to the hospital and my home during my recent

May God bless and keep all of you from harm

(Photo by Purefoy)

**Professor Dies** 

mead, Calif.
COLONEL Lydle served as the second PMS at VSC during the period 1950 through 1954. He succeeded LTC Robert M. Hendrick Jr., who is presently serving as the director of admissions and registrar at the

PETERSBURG, Va. — Lt. Col. (Ret.) Crawford H. Lydle, III, US Army, a former professor of Military Science at Virginia State College, died recently at his home in Sunny-