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**WORDS OF WISDOM**  
The world hates change, yet it is the only thing that has brought progress.  
—Charles F. Kettering  
A man's doubts and fears are his worst enemies.  
—William Whitley, Jr.  
Promptness is the essence of all good business.  
—E. C. Simmons

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## HELP HOUSE NEEDS HELP FOR ADDICTS

By JAMES VAUGHAN

They come from families barely able to have a child in college; but these are families willing to make many sacrifices to promote an almost sacred central theme of black progress: education — all you can get. "Education is the one thing that the man can't take away from you," the old folks would say.

Dean J. D. Lennon, Dean of Men, North Carolina Central University, is well acquainted with these people, the parents and the students. And in a saddened and dejected manner, he stated in an interview recently, "They are nodding .. too many of them are nodding. And the real tragedy is that when we are able to reach them, there is nothing we can offer in the form of rehabilitation."

Dean Lennon was referring to students caught in the nightmare of drug addiction. His dejection stemmed from several years of an uphill battle to establish a re-habilitation center for blacks in the city. Lennon's group of 12 board members and a handful of volunteers have attempted to maintain a center for addicts in the city.

The group has supported the Help House project and has been actively pushing for a modern drug treatment center large enough to accommodate resident addicts and a full program of rehabilitation. "Recently," according to Lennon "the area has received a substantial amount of funds to combat drugs. Our concern, however, is that usage of the money seems directed in the area of research."

Lennon continued, "Research is fine, we need it for the long-range curtailment of this social plague. But at the same time we have so many potential black achievers who are either living from day to day in the grips of drug addiction, or they are shot full of methadone and maintained as vegetables unproductive for themselves and society."

A Duke University psychiatrist, Dr. Everett Ellingwood and others of his team were the recipients of grants for the study of drug addiction. Lennon's group has been petitioning the organization for medical and other assistance in promoting a drug rehabilitation program.

The CUADA has requested that volunteer staff workers of the Help House project be salaried by Ellingwood's group. In addition, they have asked that Medical Personnel be available to the rehabilitation program.

"We especially would like

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**STOP WALLACE**—These are principals at a mass meeting of the Durham Branch, NAACP, held at Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, Durham, held in connection with the fight for freedom, which is being staged by the national office of the NAACP, to keep the Nixon Administration from weakening the power of the U. S. Supreme Court, as it relates to full integration of the schools. L-R, Rev. Percy L. High, pastor Mt. Vernon Baptist Church; Alfred Baker Lewis, treasurer-emeritus of the NAACP, who keyed the rally; Alexander Barnes, president, Durham Chapter and candidate for the Senate of the N. C. Legislature; Attorney H. M. Michaux, Jr., Durham County assistant prosecutor and candidate for the N. C. State House of Representatives and S. F. Pompey, executive secretary of the Durham Branch, who presided over the rally.

## HOWARD LEE SAYS FREE PHONE CALLS

ROCKY MOUNT—Chapel Hill Mayor Howard Lee said here today if elected to Congress he will provide free long distance telephone service for Second district residents to call his Washington office.

The mayor, who is attempting to unseat Congressman L. T. Fountain, also said he would establish two active offices in the district to assist people with problems and to help local government officials obtain federal grants.

Speaking to the Rocky Mount Optimist Club, Lee said his efforts to meet and talk with residents of the district won't stop with the campaign.

"This campaign won't stop May 6. I'll continue traveling throughout the district after elected and will have staff members permanently assigned to

working on the problems of the district," Lee said. The long distance toll free line would provide instant communication between the constituents and their congressman, according to Lee.

"This free phone line would

permit constituents to call my office to express an opinion or problem that would be guaranteed to be brought to my attention," Lee said. "There are sufficient funds in the Congressman's office budget to

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however, that an event of this type will be in keeping with fostering pride and awareness of black people.

Prior to this year, anyone who wanted could represent Durham in the Miss Black North Carolina Beauty Pageant. The club has now decided that a local contest would make it possible for the best suited person to represent the community. Therefore, the Durham Pageant was instituted.

Contestants for this year's pageant are Miss Nanny Fisher, Oxford; Miss Blanche Gardner, Myrtle Beach, South

### BRIEF BLACK ISSUES

By MARY C. JONES

**BLACK ENROLLMENT UP IN ARMY ROTC UNITS**

Black enrollment in Army ROTC now closely approximates the percentage of blacks in the total U. S. population and substantially higher than the percentage of blacks among the nation's college undergraduates.

According to the ROTC Directorate, U. S. Continental Army Command, 50,234 college men are enrolled in Military Science courses on campuses of more than 280 colleges universities during the current school year. Of that total, 5,427 are black — a figure representing 10.8 percent.

**ANGELA DAVIS SUPPORTERS ARRESTED**

While Angela Davis trial continued, 24 supporters were arrested for demonstrating in support of Angela and in affirmation of their constitutional right to peacefully assemble.

They were charged under California Penal Code Section 169, which forbids demonstrations at courthouses and were put on trial.

Despite the fact that Penal Code 169 has been on the books since 1970, it had not been enforced until the demonstration in support of Angela Davis.

**BOULEVARD FREEDOM TOWERS — SYMBOL OF BLACK CAPITALISM**

The Dr. Martin Luther King Boulevard Freedom Towers incorporates the entire "Black Capitalism" concept. At least a portion of its strength will be its tangibility. You can't help but recognize the existence of two ten story buildings. The Freedom Towers are permanent and will be a permanent source of revenue ... profit ... for the community in which they stand.

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**U. S. REPRESENTATIVE SPEAKS OUT ON OPEN-HOUSING**

"I am in favor of open-housing, fair-housing" states Shirley Chisholm, representative for the U. S.

"From the poorest accommodations to middle-class housing, the Negro must pay higher rents than do whites for equal housing accommodations. Only an end to housing segregation will change these inequities. I urge enforcement of the Civil Rights legislation by that department of our government which concerns itself with maintaining the laws of the land."

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In 1970, there were 10.5 million children under 18 years of age living in poverty — 6.2 million white and 4.1 million negro. This total represents 672,000 less than the 1969 figure and 6.7 million less than the total in 1959.

**W. J. KENNEDY, JR. WILL HIGHLIGHT MT. VERNON CH.**

Mount Vernon Baptist Church will observe Men's Day on Sunday, April 30. The Sunday School lesson will be taught by W. J. Kennedy, Jr. Rev. Charles W. Ward, Pastor First Baptist Church, Raleigh, North Carolina will speak at the morning worship services.

Kennedy, internationally known for his business activities, will make his twenty-ninth appearance in this capacity. He is a retired president of both the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company and the Bankers Fire Company. He serves as Vice-President and member of the Board of Directors of the Mechanics and Farmers Bank and Mutual Savings and Loan Association. Presently he is President of the John Avery Boys Club. He has a keen and active interest in boys and his chief concern and goal is the

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## Kittrell, Forsyth Closed Following SCHOOL PROTESTS

Kittrell College, in Kittrell, and Forsyth Senior High School in Winston-Salem were gripped this week by student turmoil which disrupted the operation of both schools.

West Forsyth Senior High School's trouble began last Monday with a fight on the grounds.

The school was closed about 1:30 p.m. Tuesday after a large number of students refused to attend classes. There has been trouble at the school between black and white students off and on this year.

Robert Brower, school principal, said the trouble started when a black called a white girl a bad name Monday afternoon while she was sitting in a car with a friend. The friend, a white boy, got out of the car to respond to the name calling, Brower said, and a fight developed.

Several blacks beat the girl's friend with belt buckles. The

friend was taken to a hospital for treatment of cuts and bruises and released.

Other fist fights came in the parking lot after the first.

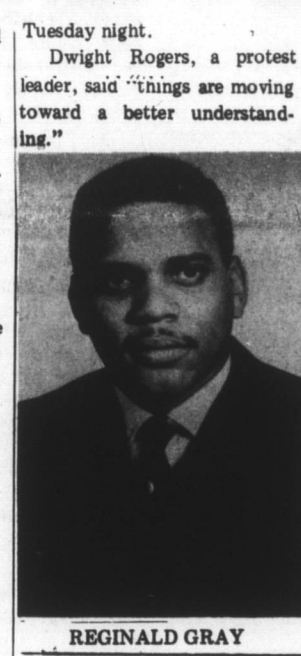
No police were called Monday, but sheriff's deputies were at the school at the start of the day Tuesday. There was no fighting Tuesday as far as Brower knew.

Kittrell College was plague this week by students protesting action by the administration to make changes at the school including placing five teachers on leave of absence against the wishes of the students.

"Things are at a standstill. We have not chosen to use any kind of force as yet. We hope to get a dialogue started," said College President L. G. Horton

Tuesday night.

Dwight Rogers, a protest leader, said "things are moving toward a better understanding."



REGINALD GRAY

Students took over the college in the early hours Monday, seizing the administration building, D. N. Duke Hall, and closing all entrances to the college.

Some 200 of them bore signs calling for the reinstatement of five teachers who had been asked to take "leaves of absence" to continue work toward masters degrees. They also demanded the dismissal of Academic Dean Norman Camp.

Blockades of construction material, automobiles and other articles continued to be manned by students at the three entrances to the Vance County Institution. No one was allowed to enter.

## N. C. Mutual Employees Honored

Personnel from North Carolina Mutual's two Baltimore offices joined with a large number of local citizens today at a luncheon held in the Holiday Inn-Pimlico to salute twenty year veteran manager Frank E. Walker, and his successor, Jesse E. Wiggins.

Joseph W. Goodloe, president of North Carolina Mutual and luncheon speaker, reviewed the significance of the company's "service slogan" to illustrate his salute to these two managers.

"As you have probably noticed in our advertisements in the AFRO-AMERICAN," Goodloe said, "we call ourselves the 'Achiever Company.' This whole matter of achievement has considerable significance to us as black people. And because of this, we feel the designation of North Carolina Mutual as the achiever company has a special racial message and great meaning."

Goodloe pointed out his personal interest in the achiever term dates back almost twenty

years to the momentous Supreme Court school decision when the Court agreed that "separate could never be equal."

At that time there was a flurry of news articles and magazine features which pointed out there was little difference in the initial "native intelligence" between black and white children. But because of different school facilities, etc., there was an ever-widening gap between the "achievement levels" of blacks and whites as they proceeded in

## DBPC HEAD ATTENDS NATIONAL WORKSHOPS

Reginald Gray, President of the Durham Business and Professional Chain, was among those attending a workshop for presidents of local chapters of the National Business League. The meeting was held April 21-22 in Washington, D.C. at the NBL national headquarters.

The entire meeting was devoted to the discussion of the problems related to minority business enterprise, and to the

ways government, private industry, and local communities can join forces in alleviating those problems.

Chapter presidents from throughout the nation were addressed by Art Williams, Assistant Director of the U.S. Office of Minority Business Enterprise (OMBE), Art McZier, an administrator of the U.S. Small Business Administration and Burkely G. Burrell, President of the National Business League.

## Rev. Charles E. Cobb Receives Honorary Doctorate Of Divinity

Reverend Charles Earl Cobb, native of Durham, North Carolina, former Minister, Saint John's Congregational Church, Springfield, Massachusetts, Executive Director, Commission for Racial Justice, United Church of Christ, New York, New York, has been nominated to receive the honorary degree, Doctor of Divinity, Houston-Tillotson College, Austin, Texas.

This degree will be bestowed upon the honoree, Reverend Charles Earl Cobb, at the 1972 Commencement of Houston-Tillotson, Monday, May 8, 1972. This distinction will be accorded Reverend Cobb because of the quality

of dedication and distinctive service rendered to the United Church of Christ and to the cause of humanity.

Reverend Cobb received a B. A. Degree from North Carolina College (now NCCU). Other educational qualifications include: B. A., Howard University, Master of Sacred Theology, Boston University, and Residential Requirements for Doctor of Theology, Boston University, Boston, Mass. The nominee, a former Pastor of Saint John's Congregational church, is a courageous and articulate Civil Rights spokesman. He was a member of the Governor's Advisory Committee on Civil

Rights and the Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination, recipient of the Man of the Year in New England by Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, a negotiator for a \$5000 grant for Massachusetts Council of Churches and recipient of numerous honors. Reverend Cobb's wife, Mrs. Martha Kendrick Cobb, is an instructor of French and Spanish, Howard University, Washington, District of Columbia. The Cobb Children include Charles Jr., and Mrs. Ann Cobb Dingle, and Adrienne.

The Durham Community, consistent with the announcement of Dr. John T. King,



**SELMA, ALABAMA**— Marchers cross the Edmund Pettus Bridge to commemorate the Selma struggle which won the right to vote for black people in 1965. Leading the march,

left to right, are Julian Bond, Voter Education Project (VEP) board member; Fred Gray, Tuskegee attorney and state representative; John Lewis, VEP executive director,

and the Rev. L. L. Anderson, a Selma minister. The march climaxed a three-day VEP voter registration tour of Alabama. (Photo by Archie E. Allen)

## NCCU SHARES FEDERAL GRANT WITH 6 OTHERS

North Carolina Central University is one of six black colleges and universities which will share a \$225,000 federal grant to continue training programs in geography, according to Dr. Theodore R. Speigner, chairman of the department of geography at NCCU.

Speigner, who is contract director for the Commission on Geography and Afro-America of the Association of American Geographers, said the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare made the grant to NCCU, Southern University, Morgan State College, Grambling College, Tennessee State University, and Prairie View State College, "for the continuation of a program to develop the capacity of black colleges and universities to conduct training

programs to improve geographical education and to increase black participation in the geographical profession."

The NCCU professor said, "The major objective of the project for 1972-1973 will be to focus upon the development of a system to improve geographic education at predominantly black colleges." He said this goal will be achieved through traineeships for future college teachers, through in-service training for college faculty members, and through summer workshops for experienced secondary teachers.

Speigner said, "According to a conservative estimation there will be 28 black college graduates from southern universities pursuing advanced

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