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Waynick Cites Urgency Of Better Employment Opportunities

The urgency of meeting problems of better employment for Negroes in North Carolina was outlined last week at A&T College.

Speaking was Capus Waynick, special assistant to the Governor, who appeared before a meeting of the North Carolina Good Neighbor Council.

"Unless the nation can adjust its employment opportunities," he said, "to meet the upcoming needs for minority groups, we are headed for real trouble."

He told the group that the current and tremendous output from the nation's industries will be inadequate to meet the challenges which face it.

"I am afraid for the white majority," General Wynick continued, "if it fails now to give justice in employment to the Negro minority."

He said the United States foreshadowed the current social revolution by showing to the world that man can live more abundantly by the full use of its manpower in the production of goods and services.

"We cannot survive," he told the Council, "if ten per cent of our people continue to march the streets in protest and with thousands of others standing by in support, unless we make dramatic changes."

Concluding, he said, "This state is great enough in heart and mind to meet the tremendous challenges it faces at this hour. This Council is trying hard to lift the overburden so that twenty-five per cent of North Carolina's population, Negroes, can express themselves in its progress."

Another speaker, Dr. Vivian W. Henderson, professor and chairman of the Department of Economics at Fisk University, Nashville, Tennessee, serving this year as visiting professor at State College, said the Negro has made significant economic strides since World War II, but the economic gap has widened between them and whites.

He explained that whites had also made economic progress, and more.

A&T Symphony Band In Concert On Sunday

The A&T College Symphony Band will present its annual spring concert on Sunday.

The program is set for the Harrison Auditorium beginning at 8:30 P.M.

Walter F. Carlson, Jr., director of bands, will conduct the 70-piece group in a variety program which will include groups of marches, semi-classical literature and music by the masters. He will be assisted by J. J. Williams, assistant director.

The public is invited.

He brought a ripple from the group when he cited figures to show that the income gap widens between Negroes and whites as the Negro gains more education and training. He said figures show that Negroes with eight-years of schooling will earn \$71,000 less than whites in a lifetime, or 57%; after 12-years of schooling, \$125,000 less, or 48% of that of whites with the same training, and, after 16-years of schooling, \$215,000, or 42% of that of whites.

He said that the employment plight for the Negro will probably worsen before it improves, unless major offsetting factors are employed. He mentioned massive education and training programs and immediate large scale public effort to diminish unemployment among Negroes, as possible corrective measures.

Other speakers appearing included: Hugh M. Raper, director, Employment Security Research, N. C. Employment Security Commission; Fred Eason, educational supervisor, Department of Community Colleges, and Dr. Horace Hamilton, professor of rural sociology, State College, all of Raleigh, N. C., and R. E. Jones, State Agent, A&T College Extension Service.

The Council heard a report on progress in High Point by Irving Hamilton, vice chairman, and Mrs. Howard Marsh, both of the High Point Human Relations Committee.

James Brown To Headline Galaxy Of Record Stars At Coliseum

Probably the greatest group of rhythm and blues singers ever assembled on the same bill will appear in Greensboro at the Coliseum Wednesday, May 13, headed by James Brown. James Brown, famous as both a singer and instrumentalist, has practically made record history in that each time he changes his style, he becomes more successful with larger audiences.

A favorite performer all over America, James Brown's fellow performers in this show include an all-star list of recording artists. The complete unit, of 20 song stars, is backed by the James Brown Orchestra, conducted by Paul Williams, and emceed by King Coleman, popular comic.

James Brown, whose first record release "Please-Please-Please" began an unbroken string of hit records unmatched in the record industry, is a great favorite here. After vocal successes like "Try Me", "Bewildered", "Good, Good Lovin'" he turned to instrumentals with similar suc-



WOMAN'S DAY AT CELIA

PHELPS METHODIST CHURCH

Woman's Day at Celia Phelps Methodist Church, Sunday, April 26, was highlighted in the morning service with an address by the president of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the church, Mrs. Ada M. Tonkins. The afternoon service was highlighted with an address by the Greensboro District president of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, Mrs. K. W. Jones of Reidsville.

Music for both services was furnished by the Women's Choir, with Mrs. Jacqueline Kerr, Pianist. Vocal solos were rendered at both services by Miss Nellie Mebane.

Members of the local church appearing on the program during the day were Mesdames, Mary Mebane, who presided in the morning; Pearl Siler, Johnnie Moore, Patsy Ann Stroud, V. M. Allen, Emma Herbin, Willie Mae Cathey, Alice Mebane, Margaret Free, Johnnie Alston, Patricia Wiseman, Mary Herbin, Myrtle Crutchfield, Beatrice McClammy. Ushers were Mesdames Catherine Tonkins and Louise McGibboney.

Proceeds for the day were applied to the Building Fund of the church.

YMCA Executive To Deliver A&T College Baccalaureate Sermon

A top executive in the Young Men's Christian Association of America will deliver the sermon at the A&T College Baccalaureate Services.

Dr. Matthew G. Carter, assistant director, Association Press, National Board of YMCA, New York City, will speak here on Sunday, May 24. The program has been set for the Charles Moore Gymnasium, beginning at 11:00 A.M.

A native of Danville, Va., the speaker is a graduate of Virginia Union University and has had graduate study at Columbia University and Union Theological Seminary. He has held executive positions with the YMCA in Richmond, Va., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and Columbus, Ohio, prior to assuming his present post.

The baccalaureate services will set in motion the weeklong 73rd annual commencement program for the College. Other events scheduled for Sunday, May 24, include: The annual joint concert of the A&T College Choir and the A&T College Symphony Band on the front campus lawn, beginning at 5:30 P.M., and the annual reception for graduating seniors, alumni and friends of the College, given that evening at 7:30 o'clock by Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy, president of the College, and Mrs. Dowdy. That event is to be held in Cooper Hall.

The finals program, set for the Greensboro Coliseum on Saturday,

A&T ALUMNI SET ANNUAL MEETING

The A&T College General Alumni Association will hold its annual meeting here on Saturday, May 30. The meet is set for the Carver Hall Auditorium, beginning at 9:00 A.M.

The official call, issued this week by Howard C. Barnhill, Charlotte, N. C., president of the Association, said the organization will be called upon to vote on important new legislation and to approve a new campaign which would lead to the construction of a national headquarters building. Barnhill said that ample land area for the new structure has already been procured.

Nearly forty-chapters, located in North Carolina and principal cities in the East and Midwest, will present their annual financial reports in support of the Association's Scholarship Fund.

The opening session, the annual Alumni Dinner, will be held at the Greensboro Hot Shoppes on the previous evening, Friday, May 29, beginning at 8:00 o'clock. Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy, president of the College, will deliver the dinner speech.

May 30, at 3:00 P.M., will feature the main address by Dr. Charles Wesley, president of Central State College, Wilberforce, Ohio. Earlier in the day, at 9:00 A.M., the A&T College General Alumni Association will hold its annual meeting.

"NEGRO WRITERS FACE CHALLENGE," SAYS BONTEMPS

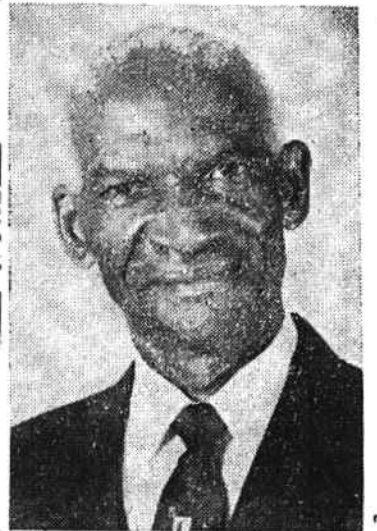
A&T College students were told last week that the modern day Negro writer faces a big challenge.

Speaking was Arna Bontemps, noted novelist and poet, who delivered a main address during the observance of Humanities Week.

He used as his subject, "American Negro Poetry," the title of his latest book, published late in 1963.

"The challenge of the Negro writer in the second century of freedom," he said, "is to attempt to consolidate in the heart of his reader what has been won in the mind."

Services Held



JAMES ALBERT YOUSE

Funeral services for James Albert Youse were held at St. Matthews Methodist Church on Wednesday, April 29 at 4:00 p.m. Rev. John G. Corry, pastor, officiated.

James Albert Youse, a native of Rockingham County was born November 22, 1890 and departed this life in the Moses Cone Memorial Hospital April 27, 1964.

A Greensboro resident for nearly 50 years, he was a member of St. Matthews Methodist Church where he served on the Steward Board.

Surviving are his wife: Mrs. Ollie Youse, one brother, George Youse; two sons, Clarence and Wiley Youse, three grandchildren, nieces, nephews and many relatives and friends.

Smith's Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.