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AN AFRICAN LOBSTER WAS TREAT FOR MISS BLACK NORTH CAROLINA

By Richard Moore

What did attractive and petite Tiki Scott do right after winning first place in the "Miss Black North Carolina" contest here last Sunday?

She went out with her aunt and had herself a big lobster dinner.

"Let it be known that it was



Miss Black N. C.

Attractive Miss Tiki Scott, a graduate student at A&T State University, began her reign last Sunday as the new "Miss Black North Carolina." Miss Scott, 35-24-37 is planning a teaching career.

African lobster," said smiling Miss Scott in her post-contest interview.

The attractive 23-year-old graduate student at A&T State University walked away with the crown from the pack of black beauties with her grace, charm, good looks and stirring rendition of the poem "The Negro Mother" by the late black poet Langston Hughes.

The lobster dinner to the contrary, Miss Scott is generally a young lady of simple tastes. "I never really entered the contest to win," she said. "I was really surprised when I realized that they had called the name of the runner-up and I was standing there by myself."

She is five feet, four inches tall and weighs 120 pounds. Her measurements are 35-24-37.

"Teaching is my preference," said Miss Scott, who doesn't think that her mind will be changed by the glitter and glamour of reigning for a year as "Miss Black North Carolina."

She holds an undergraduate degree in English from Bennett College and after securing her master's degree from A&T, she hopes to work for a doctorate, then begin a teaching career.

A native of Goldsboro, N. C., Miss Scott is a daughter of Adam Scott. Her mother is deceased. (Continued on Page 12)

Howard Prexy Dr. James Cheek To Address Record 750 A&T Grads

Dr. James E. Cheek, the dynamic young president of Howard University, will deliver the principal address at the annual Baccalaureate - Commencement exercises at A&T State University on Sunday, June 6.

More than 675 undergraduates and 75 graduate students will receive their degrees during the 11 a.m. services in Charles Moore Gym.

Cheek, a nationally prominent scholar, educator and theologian, has gained more recent fame as an advisor on higher education to President Nixon.

Prior to being called to the presidency of Howard, Cheek had headed Shaw University, gaining national recognition for that college with a series of imaginative programs for disadvantaged students. Cheek is the brother of Dr. King V. Cheek, the president of Morgan State College.

In addition to the commencement exercises, A&T has outlined plans for its annual three-day Alumni Weekend program.

A highlight of the alumni activities will be the annual meeting and election of national officers in the Memorial Student Union on Saturday, June 5 at 10 a.m.

Candidates for president of the organization include the incumbent, Mrs. Julia S. Brooks, a Philadelphia school teacher; and David S. Coley, an insurance executive of Greensboro, N. C.

The annual Alumni Awards Luncheon, culminating the 1971 Annual Giving program, will be held in the Memorial Union ballroom Saturday at 1 p.m. Keynote speaker will be Marshall H. Coston, a California educator who was recently named director of planning and development at A&T.

Reunions will be held by the classes of 1901, 1911, 1921, 1931, 1941, 1951, and 1961. Other activities will include an All-Alumni Mixer at the Sheraton Motor Inn on June 5 at 7 p.m. and the Presidential Reception for the graduates at 1 p.m. on Sunday, June 6 in the Memorial Union.



Mr. Washington I. Morris, Placement Director, North Carolina A&T State University (right) was among 20 placement officers to visit New York-New Jersey port area as guests of Sea-Land Service, Inc. With Mr. Morris is L. Barret representing Sea-Land.

Placement Director at A&T Visits New York

Elizabeth, N. J. — Mr. Washington I. Morris, Placement Director, North Carolina A&T State University, was among a group of 20 leading college placement officers to visit the headquarters and facilities of Sea-Land Service, Inc., on May 6 and 7.

They were invited to tour the Sea-Land facilities as well as the New York-New Jersey port area to learn firsthand about containerization and ocean shipping and the career opportunities the industry affords.

Sea-Land, which in 1956 pioneered containerized shipping, is one of the largest and fastest growing transportation companies in the world.

The company operates 47 containerships on world trade routes to 27 countries and 50 international ports, ranging from the Far East to the Mediterranean and Northern Europe. Its continuing expansion has created a need for qualified management candidates to fill posts in United States and overseas.

The group was greeted by Sea-Land President Paul F. Richardson, who asked for their support in finding college graduates for Sea-Land's management program.

The placement directors who attended the two-day session represent leading colleges and universities and substantial or predominate minority enrollments.

Sea-Land Service is part of R. J. Reynolds Industries, Inc., which is also the parent company of R. J. Reynolds Tobacco

Company and other subsidiaries in the foods and beverages, aluminum products and packaging and petroleum industries.

Cone Mills Officer Honored At Dinner



JOHN W. BAGWILL

John W. (Jack) Bagwill, 70-year-old retiring Cone Mills Corp. vice-president and former chairman of the Greensboro Human Relations Commission was honored Monday evening with a testimonial dinner at the Sheraton Inn.

Mr. Bagwill challenged the city's business, church and government leaders to help break down barriers of selfishness and prejudice.

Other speakers said Bagwill had dedicated almost 15 years (Continued on Page 11)

A&T Awarded \$70,000 Fed. Grant For Training of 50 Biology Teachers

A&T State University Tuesday was awarded a federal grant of \$69,161 to conduct a nine-week summer institute designed to improve the teaching of biology in secondary schools.

The grant from the National Science Foundation was announced by J. Neil Armstrong, director of the summer session at A&T.

The biology institute is expected to attract 50 teachers from North Carolina and neighboring states and will be directed by Dr. Artis P. Graves, chairman of the Department of Biology at A&T.

"We shall be working with experienced teachers," said Graves, "and we are concerned with sharing with them some of the modern techniques of

teaching this important subject matter."

Participants in the conference will be eligible for a stipend up to \$675 plus an allowance for dependents and travel.

In all, more than 2,000 students are expected to attend the three summer sessions, which will begin on June 14 and end on August 13.

Other special workshops will include an institute for junior and senior high school music students, and industrial arts workshop and a workshop on drama production, and a special program for prospective freshmen students.

Participants in the conference will be eligible for a stipend up to \$675 plus an allowance for (Continued on Page 12)