

# HENDERSON-OXFORD-WARRENTON

## Henderson News

BY L. B. RUSSELL

**HENDERSON** - Last Monday evening an affair was held at Henderson High School, sponsored by Henderson High, Henderson Institute and Vance County High School. The program was intended for all junior and senior high school students in the County. It is designed to be of assistance to students planning to continue their education after high school graduation.

Students had the privilege of conversing with representatives from various colleges and universities throughout the state. Parents were also invited.

Mr. Joe Burt and Mr. John Whitefield, both of Nicholas St., are shut-in with acute illnesses at their homes. Both were also hospitalized for a short time. Their friends and relatives wish them a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Mattie Gooch, wife of Mr. Robert Gooch, is still confined in Granville Memorial Hospital, where she is undergoing treatment. Pray for her rapid recovery.

### UNITED CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF CHRIST NEWS

**BY MISS VICKIE FIELDS**  
Sunday School was held at the usual time. The title of the lesson was "A King Of Glory." The memory selection was "If you turn aside from following Me, you or your children and do not keep My commandment and My statutes, then I will cut off Israel from the land which I have given them." I Kings 9:6-7.

He had 93 present and 3 visitors. Rev. L. R. McKnight and Miss Barbara Lyons were from New Bethel Church and Miss Patricia Cooper from Cooke Chapel.



MISS FIELDS

Worship services began at 11 with the consecrational services from 11 until 11:30. Deacons S. Williams and Edwards opened the service. Prayer and hymns were rendered by the congregation, after which the offering was collected. The pastor, Rev. W. J. Wilson, took over the service. The senior choir sang "Marching To Zion." The scripture was read by the pastor from the 7th chapter of St. Matthew 1st verse and the 11th chapter, 28th verse. Prayer was offered by Rev. McKnight. The choir then sang "I Was Saved" and "Just A Little While." The pastor's text was from St. Matthew and entitled "Christ Is A Universal Institution." In his discourse he said, that Jesus invited us to "come ye that are being laden and I will give you rest, which is an invitation to pick

up your Cross and follow Him. The doors of the church were open as the choir sang "Only Believe." Prayer was then held around the altar, and we had Communion. Visitors were Mrs. Parham from the Methodist Church, Andrew Hinton and Walter Brame, from Nut Bush; also, Rev. McKnight.

Our Homecoming services began at 2:30 p.m., with the consecrational service led by Mrs. Amanda Haywood and Mrs. Annie Dorsey. The welcome address was given by Mrs. Mary Nicholson; response, Mrs. Cora L. Johnson of Spring St. Baptist Church. The Ruin Creek choir sang "We're Come This Far By Faith."

The Stars of Faith sang two hymns. The Blackwell Singers sang "Did You Stop To Pray This Morning?" and others. Recognition of visitors was made by Mr. Haywood Walker, Jr. The Kinki Chapel Choir of Creedmoor sang "You Don't Know What the Lord Has Done For Me," after which our visiting preacher for the Homecoming service, Rev. Jones, took over. He preached from the 15th chapter of St. Luke 17-18 verses. His text was "Stay In the Church and Live; Leave the Church And Die." In his discourse, he stated to have a loving home we must abide by the rules of the church, obey His commandments and live for Jesus. Rev. Bryant is from New Bethel Church. The New Bethel Ushers were present for the service. The Ruin Creek Choir closed our Homecoming services with "I Shall Know Him," which was enjoyed by all.

### SGA Prexy Installed At Voorhees

**DENMARK, S. C.** - The Student Government Association president of Voorhees College was installed Friday morning, September 19, on the Denmark, South Carolina campus. The newly installed president is Willie James Williams. The senior biology major is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams of Chester, S. C. During the course of his college career, Williams has been actively engaged in campus government; as a junior, he served as student defense attorney, and director of student public relations. He was senator to the campus Senate both his freshman and sophomore years.

Williams addressed the faculty, staff and students with an inspiring inaugural challenge. Speaking on the topic, "Progress Brings Change," he emphasized that "If progress is our goal, change is inevitable!" Challenging the Voorhees Family to pause and get their bearings, he queried, "Are we struggling toward progress or are we lumbering about-face entwined in regression?" He

concluded that "Change is a stirrer of diverse opinions and is often accompanied by gloomy offense." William admonished his listeners, "Let us prepare ourselves to peacefully accept the changes necessary for the Advancement of progress. If progress is to prevail here, the path to the conference table must be peaceful and non-violent. Let us accept the progress and adjust to the changes."



**A&T'S ROTC UNIT CITED FOR PERFORMANCE** - A&T Army ROTC cadets Reginald Ray, Fayetteville, and Herbert Tillery, Washington, D. C. receive citation for their unit having given the top performance at annual Summer Camp at Fort Bragg. A&T edged such colleges as Ga. Tech, Florida State and the Citadel. Making presentation is Lt. Col. William V. Graves, professor of military science at A&T.



**STUDENT WINS PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLARSHIP** - William H. Kirby, Jr. of Clayton (third from left) receives Presidential Scholarship to attend A&T State University from Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy, president of A&T. Kirby will pursue a career in soil conservation in the School of Agriculture. Looking on are Lee A. Yates (left) and Ethbert Carr (right), teachers in the School of Agriculture.

### Concert Artist Got Second Start After "Thrill Slayings"

**DURHAM** - Dr. Don Shirley was teaching at the University of Chicago when a series of "thrill killings" in New York's Central Park was linked by the

press and the public with "certain types of music." Dr. Shirley applied for a grant from a national psychological association to study the alleged music-crime relationship. The psychologist took an unusual approach to the problem. He devised a number of musical arrangements offering various combinations of keys, chord progressions, and varying dynamics. He then performed these arrangements in a small Chicago night club.

The audiences that heard Dr. Shirley's music didn't know they were the subject of scientific experiment. Neither did music critics, one of whom called the music "mellow dynamite." When Dr. Shirley took his music to New York at the request of a friend from his college days, the former musical prodigy found himself playing opposite Duke Ellington, and Ellington was ecstatic. So were other musicians and critics. "His virtuosity is worthy of

the gods!" said Igor Stravinsky, the celebrated composer. Ed Sullivan called Shirley's work "piano wizardry." The New York performance led to a contract to perform on a regular morning television show.

Don Shirley's press releases don't tell the results of Dr. Shirley's psychological study, but one result is self-evident. Don Shirley, who made his American concert debut in 1945 with the Boston Pops Orchestra, has returned to the music world.

The native of Kinston, Jamaica, will present a concert of music, "The Music of Don Shirley" at 8:15 p.m. Saturday, October 18, at North Carolina Central University's B. N. Duke Auditorium in Durham.

As may be gathered from the story of his psychological study, Don Shirley cannot be pinned down to one type of music. His training was classical, but one of his most fervent admirers is Duke Ellington. He has performed the works of George Gershwin at La Scala in Milan, Italy. (Only two other pianists have performed there as soloists--Rubinstein and Richter.)

### Yes, We All Talk

BY MARCUS H. BOULWARE  
SPEECH CLIMAX  
QUESTION: What is meant by rising to a climax in a public speech?--D.M.L.

ANSWER: The diction says climax is means final culmination of any progressive or retrogressive force in the public speech, climax adds considerably to the personality of the address; it is the joining of all fires as both the speaker and the speech approach the heights. Climax in the speech gives it a dramatic effect. The sentences are constructed to deliver a "punch." The entire speech is arranged to summarize the message, arouse the audience to action or belief, and create a lasting impression.

If a speaker had succeeded, it is the climax that the listeners remember. Take the classic orations, for example, we recall: "Give me liberty or give me death," "that the government of the people, by the people, and for the people shall not perish from the earth."

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