More than 3000 Attend Lincoln Commencement
Alumni Enjoy Reunion Weekend

Archbishop Tutu, a 1984 Nobel Peace Prize winner and chief spokesman in South Africa’s nonviolent campaign for liberation, was conferred an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree by University President Niara Sudarkasa, who referred to him as an “humble and unassuming pastor for all humanity” and said, “Your optimism, faith, hope and charity drive your people to prevail—despite the odds—to write a new chapter in the history of South Africa. Blessed are we all for having had you among us.”

At Baccalaureate Services held earlier in the day, Archbishop Tutu expressed thankfulness for support of economic sanctions against South Africa which helped the movement “that is unstoppable…that opened walls of prisons.” He later remarked that the sanctions must not be lifted. “(They) must remain in place until the process of eliminating apartheid is irreversible,” he said, adding that the consequences of apartheid and all of its inequities will take time to correct.

As Archbishop of Cape Town, Desmond Tutu is the head of the Church of South Africa. Among the many recognitions he has received for his leadership against apartheid and his commitment to equality and justice are 27 honorary doctorates and the Martin Luther King Peace Award. Archbishop Tutu’s sermons, speeches, and other statements have been collected in two volumes: Crying in the Wilderness (Eerdmans, 1982) and Hope and Suffering (Eerdmans, 1984).

Dr. Sudarkasa also conferred honorary Doctor of Laws degrees upon former U.S. Ambassador Elliott P. Skinner and Horace G. Dawson, Jr., a 1949 Lincoln graduate.

Dr. Skinner—the Franz Boas Professor of Anthropology at Columbia University, President of the Association of Black American Ambassadors, former U.S. Ambassador to Upper Volta, author, and recognized expert in the areas of African ethnology and race relations—was awarded the title of Commander in the National Voltaic Order for his pioneering anthropological research and diplomatic service in Upper Volta. He has written nine books, including African Urban Life—which won the African Studies Association’s 1975 President’s Prize for the best book on Africa.

Dr. Elliott P. Skinner. 

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Dr. Sudarkasa—President of the University of Nigeria (UNN) in Nsukka, Nigeria (UNN) in Nsukka. UNN was founded by Dr. Azikiwe, who modelled it after Lincoln and America’s land grant institutions.

(Left to Right) Former U.S. Ambassador Elliott P. Skinner, Archbishop Desmond Tutu, President Niara Sudarkasa, and former Ambassador Horace G. Dawson.

President Sudarkasa—President Niara Sudarkasa and the Right Honorable Dr. Nnamdi Azikiwe, ’30.

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The Lincoln Lion

The Right Honorable Dr. Nnamdi Azikiwe, ’30

A high point of President Niara Sudarkasa’s recent trip to Nigeria was a visit to the Onunyi New Haven, Nsukka home of the Right Honorable Dr. Nnamdi Azikiwe, ’30, Nigeria’s first president. Dr. Azikiwe, who is maintaining his ties with Lincoln in a very real way through the elder of his two youngest sons (Lincoln freshman Molokwu Azikiwe), sent his regards to his fellow alumni and expressed disappointment at being unable to attend his 60th class reunion.

Dr. Azikiwe, born in Nigeria in 1904, is a political scientist, author, journalist, editor, educator and orator who led Nigeria’s fight against colonialism and championed the cause of the working class. The first Nigerian to be appointed college presidents and an address to the faculty convocation at the University of Nigeria (UNN) in Nsukka. UNN was founded by Dr. Azikiwe, who modelled it after Lincoln and America’s land grant institutions.

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From the Desk of Dr. J. Paul Stephens, '68

DIRECTOR OF ALUMNI RELATIONS

My eight months as your alumni relations director have been a time of learning and assessment to produce an alumni relations program that will sustain a high level of excitement in you about the many positive developments taking place today. Dr. Lee Light remembers a letter from an alumnus who expressed dismay and exasperation that he did not receive his little white reunion reservation card that in the past had accompanied the formal commencement invitation. Since the alumni—classmate, friend, and one of our most devoted volunteers for Lincoln—chose to share his sentiment with our Alumni Council, my reply was circulated accordingly. Over the Reunion Weekend, several Council members voiced encouragement about the content and theme of my reply that I have since viewed as a manifesto of sorts about my personal approach to my job. Since it is my belief that an informed alumni body is a caring and active body, I am re-printing my reply here as my submission for this edition of the Lion.

Dear :

Honesty, I never believed alumni took the reservation card that seriously! Certainly, in 23 years I have never paid it much attention, and the evidence of its usefulness was pretty slim when I learned from my staff that no more than a few of the 6000 printed annually were ever returned. Plus, the few returned did not have any real impact on the need for alumni to reserve space at the banquet or reunion halls.

Thus, I set out this year to seek a more cost-effective way of communicating the housing and banquet pri...
At the annual meeting of the General Alumni Association on May 5, the body—
—listened to a State-of-the-University message from President Niara Sudarkasa;
—approved the minutes of the 1989 annual meeting;
—was given a summary of the morning meeting of The Council which
  • received the Executive Secretary’s report which recom-
    mended a series of meetings of the Executive Committee during the summer to resolve some issues;
  • listened to remarks of the Director of Alumni Relations, Dr. J. Paul Stephens, who reported his activities with reunion classes and his part in the preparation for the launching of the Capital Campaign;
  • received the report of the treasurer, Joseph V. Williams Jr., who expressed the need to approve a budget before June 1 so that it can go into effect on July 1;
  • heard from alumni trustee, Israel Floyd, who summarized the activities of the Board of Trustees;
  • received the report of the Athletic Committee which lauded the performance of the track team and presented criteria for election to the Athletic Hall of Fame;
  • heard the report of the president of the Association, Thelma L. Hill, who expressed appreciation for the support given her during her first year in office and called upon alumni for greater support and involvement; and
—approved the recommended constitutional change to Article V which provides that no alumnus or alumna who is a member of the Lincoln administration shall be eligible to hold office in the Association.

At the annual alumni banquet held also on May 5, Alumni Achievement Awards were presented to Albert P. Williams, ’40; Paul A. Dandridge, ’60; and Patricia D. Jacobs, ’70. The election of Levan Gordon, ’58, to another term on the Board of Trustees was also announced.

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"We Share Visions of Better Tomorrows"—
AMBASSADOR HORACE G. DAWSON

The graduates also received an uplifting message of hope from Ambassador Dawson, who delivered the Charge to the Graduates. “We share visions of better tomorrows,” he said. “This institution, as no other, helped to sharpen that vision within me.”

A communications specialist in the Diplomatic Service, Ambassador Dawson has worked tirelessly to open the ranks of the Foreign Service to minorities. A former ambassador to the Republic of Botswana, he recently retired as Director of the Office of Equal Employment Opportunity and Civil Rights. He is widely published and the recipient of numerous awards.

Lincoln’s 1990 honor graduates are Irma Hartmaier (valedictorian), summa cum laude; Cynthia J. Mullins (salutatorian) and Eleanor P. Weaver, magna cum laude; and Deena R. Browder, Theodore J. Corbin Jr., Erica R. Harper, Robin C. Jones, Peggy A. Russell, Kelynda M. Sexton, Cordelia Thornton, and Jane L. Whitaker, cum laude.

The Response from the Class was made by Anthony Stepney, Senior Class President. The Lincoln University Concert Choir, directed by Gwendolyn Foster and accompanied by Allen Foster, offered selections at both Commencement and the Baccalaureate Service.
Dr. Niara Sudarkasa is flanked by trustees Roland Johnson, '61, and Randolph Kinder following Commencement exercises on May 6.

Dr. Calvin S. Morris to Speak at Alumni Convocation

Dr. Calvin S. Morris, '63, an associate professor of pastoral theology and director of Ministries in Church and Society at the Howard University at Divinity School in Washington, DC, will be the featured speaker at Lincoln's first Homecoming Alumni Convocation. The Convocation is scheduled for 4 p.m. on Wednesday, October 24, in Mary Dosh Brown Memorial Chapel.

Dr. Morris, who graduated cum laude from Lincoln, holds a master of arts degree in American history, a Bachelor of Sacred Theology degree, and a Doctor of Philosophy degree, all from Boston University in Massachusetts. He has served as associate director of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference's Operation Breadbasket in Chicago, IL; director of the Afro-American Studies Program at Simmons College in Boston; visiting lecturer at the College of Urban Development, Michigan State University in East Lansing; executive director of Martin Luther King Jr. Center for Social Change in Atlanta, GA; and assistant professor of practical theology and director of field education at the Howard University Divinity School.

He is a member of a number of religious and professional organizations, as well as the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, American Civil Liberties Union, Amnesty International, and the National Urban League. Dr. Morris is the recipient of many honors, including the Whitney Young Fellowship at Boston University and the Graduate Fellowship for Black Americans from the National Fellowship Fund. He is also listed in Who's Who in America and Personality of the South and was a Rockefeller Protestant Fellow, a United Methodist Crusade Scholar, and a Black Doctoral Dissertation Fellow.

In 1988, Dr. Morris received the Lincoln University Alumni Award.

Lincoln University Ladies Auxiliary held its annual meeting at the Guest House on Saturday, May 5.

Dr. Jake Milliones to Speak at Alumni Luncheon

Dr. Jake Milliones, '62, will be the featured speaker at the Homecoming Alumni-Student Luncheon, to be held in the Student Union Building at 11:30 a.m. on Homecoming Day, October 27. A Pittsburgh city councilman, Dr. Milliones is a clinical psychologist with Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic in Pittsburgh, PA. He holds a Ph.D. from the University of Pittsburgh.

Dr. Milliones, a community activist, serves as president of the Pittsburgh School Board and as chairman of a task force on drugs and alcohol in the schools. He has been credited with numerous accomplishments in the school system and was the organizer of a Pittsbughers Against Apartheid protest at a concert which cited the artists' monetary gains in South Africa.

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Lincoln Alumni Among NAFAE Honorees

Eight Lincoln University alumni are listed as 1990 NAFAE (National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education) Distinguished Alumni of the Year in Summer 1990 Edition of "The Lincoln Lion". Among these honorees are:

- Dr. H. Alfred Farrell, ’34, Lincoln's Distinguished Alumni Award recipient, was honored at a dinner on May 24 at the Times Business Club in Philadelphia.
- Rev. Thomas B. Hargrove, ’23, says he is shown here with his late wife, Laurette.
- Mr. Robert Warner, Jr., ’72, father of Malcolm Jamal Warner (television actor who starred in "The Cosby Show")
- Dr. Calvin S. Morris ’63
- Mr. William M. Jordan, Jr., ’37
- Dr. Roseay W. Ford, ’25
- Mr. Robert Warner, Jr., ’72
- Dr. Walter Haynes, ’42

The General Alumni Association chartered its newest chapter, the Tide-water Area Chapter, encompassing areas around Norfolk, VA. Dr. H. Alfred Farrell delivered the charter personally to a gathering of the chapter.

Chapter News

The General Alumni Association held its 25th anniversary celebration with a gala event on Saturday, October 6, at the Mar-Hon Caters, Philadelphia. For further information contact chapter president Sharlene Rober-son (215-276-4442).... The Washington D.C. Chapter held a buffet dinner for Lincoln University Concert Choir at the John F. Kennedy Performing Arts Center, September 30. The phone number is 202-347-4510. The Lincoln University Alumni Chapter held a reception to attract new members at the Chosen Image Art Gallery on April 22.

Black Aviation Exhibit

The Alumni Association, through the Office of Alumni Relations, has organized an exhibit in the school's new Aviation and Engineering Center. The exhibit, titled "Lincoln University Alumni: Whereabouts Unknown", features photos and information about alumni who have made significant contributions to the aviation industry.

Lincoln University Alumni: Whereabouts Unknown

For example, Mr. Robert Warner, Jr., ’72, who is the father of the television actor Malcolm Jamal Warner, has lived in the same area for many years. The exhibit also features photos of Mr. William M. Jordan, Jr., ’37, who has served in various positions at Lincoln University.

The Alumni Office has contracted with the Bernard C. Harris Publishing Company to produce the directory. Harris will soon begin researching and compiling the information to be printed in the directory by mailing a questionnaire to each alumni. If you prefer not to be in the directory, please contact the Office of Alumni Relations in writing as soon as possible.

For more details on the project in future issues.

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Lincoln’s oldest living graduate, WIL- LIAM M. ASHBY, was on hand to witness the unveiling of a stone monu- ment at the “William Ashby-Wallace Street Park” in Newark, NJ, recently named in his honor. Considered by many a living monument among those Black and others in the Garden State, Mr. Ashby celebrated his 100th birth- day on October 15. The unveiling was sponsored by the Newark Club of Frontiers International, of which Ashby is a founding member. Several government officials were present.

Ashby, who is also the oldest living graduate of the Yale School of Divinity, is the first African American to have a state building named in his honor (the William M. Ashby Department of Community Affairs Building in Tren- ton), New Jersey’s first African Ameri- can social worker; a founder and first director of the Newark Negro Welfare League (now the Urban League); and the author of three books. He now lives at the Brookhaven Health Care Center in East Orange and remains active in a number of organizations.

Rev. Canon THOMAS W. S. LOGAN Sr., retired rector of Calvary Episcopal Church in Philadelphia, PA, and an Episcopal priest for more than 50 years, has come out of retirement to assume the duties of interim priest at the Church in Philadelphia.

The agency recently relocated from Ardmore to 406 West Chelten Avenue in Philadelphia, making it the only full-service agency in Germantown and Mt. Airy.

The Reverend PAUL M. WASHING- TON, Rector Emeritus of the Episcopal Church of the Advocate in Philadel- phia, delivered the Baccalaureate Ad- dress at Swarthmore College on June 3. Internationally recognized as an ac- tivist on issues of human justice and peace, Rev. Washington has champi- oned the causes of those on welfare, exploited laborers, the homeless, people with AIDS, and victims of discrimina- tion based on race, religion, sex or sexual orientation. He served as a mission- ary to Liberia, West Africa; a prison chaplain; Curate at the Church of the Crucifixion and Vicar of St. Cyprian’s Church, both in Philadelphia; Consul- tant to the Church in the Province of Uganda; Bishop Co-Adjacent; and as a member of the National Episcopal Ex- ecutive Council of Churches and an elected member of the Diocesan Council.

The agency recently relocated from Ardmore to 406 West Chelten Avenue in Philadelphia, making it the only full-service agency in Germantown and Mt. Airy.

Dr. Paul B. Taylor, Jr., a well- known New Haven optometrist, has been named president of the Hundred Club of Connecticut, a 2,500 member organization dedicated to caring for the families of policemen, firemen and cor- rectional guards who lose their lives in the line of duty.

The first African American elected to the coveted office and the only Afri- can American optometrist in the state of Connecticut, Dr. Taylor received his optometry degree from the New Eng- land College of Optometry in Boston, MA. A native of New Haven, he has been practicing optometry in that city since 1955.

Dr. Taylor has been a member of the “Club with a Heart” since 1972 and on its Board of Directors for more than a decade. He rose through the chairs to the presidency, to which he was in- stalled at the Club’s annual dinner on November 11, 1989.

He is past president of the New Hav- en County and Connecticut Optometric Associations as well as the New Eng- land Council of Optometrists. He served on the Optometric Care Pack- age Project Team and Community Care and Political Action Committees of the American Optometric Associa- tion, and as chair of the nominating committee of the American Optometric Association. A member of the Urban League and National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Dr. Taylor is the recipient of communi- ty service awards from both organiza- tions. He also received the 1989 Man of the Year Award by the Elks City Black Professional Woman’s Club and was designated “Optometrist of the Year” by the Connecticut Optometric Association.

Dr. Taylor is a life member of the Kappa Alpha Psi, Sigma Phi Pi Boule, and Omega Epislon Phi Professional Fraternities. The first African Ameri- can in Connecticut elected to a local school board, he was a vice chair of the
Hamden Board of Education, served on the Board of the South Central Comprehensive Planning Agency and New Haven Care Agency, and was designated the local optometry member of the statewide Coalition of Independent Health Professionals. He is also Chair of the Board of the Inner City Day Care Council, a director of the Black Coalition of New Haven, and member of the United Way budget committee and Dikewell Community Council Advisory Committee.

Dr. Taylor resides in Branford with his wife, the former Priscilla Blessing of Morgan State University of Baltimore and the University of Pennsylvania, and owner of Blessingdale Associates in Hamden. The couple has three sons, Paul III, David, and Ken.

Dr. Taylor's hobbies include skiing and designing/create stained glass works.

Dr. CARL M. MANSFIELD, chair of Thomas Jefferson University Hospital's Department of Radiation Oncology and Nuclear Medicine, was recently honored by Widener-Mercy College for his contributions in support of minority students in the allied health fields.

A main interest of Dr. Mansfield is the encouragement of minority youths to enter the allied health professions and keeping them informed of the career possibilities. Together with other community leaders, he helped to mobilize the school's efforts to obtain the Health Careers Opportunities Program Grant, which assists minority and disadvantaged youths to explore careers in allied health. Dr. Mansfield has also been an active spokesman for cancer awareness in the Black community.

Dr. Mansfield earned his M.D. degree at Howard University and since his many honors is the Outstanding Achievement Award from the Radiology Section of the National Medical Association.

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Rev. JAMES A. SCOTT, pastor of Bethany Baptist Church in Newark, N.J., has been appointed to the board of trustees of Unisted Hospitals Medical Center. United Hospitals, a 429-bed teaching hospital in Newark, is comprised of four hospital units. Children's Hospital of New Jersey, Newark Eye and Ear Infirmary, Presbyterian Medical Center of the United Hospitals Orthopedic Center. Dr. Scott holds a B.D. from Yale Divinity School and a Ph.D. from Rutgers University, where he is now an associate professor. He is a member of Alpha Phi Alpha, the North Jersey Black Clergy governing board, and the National Council of Churches; a past president of the Lott Cally Foreign Mission Society; a Woodrow Wilson Dissertation Fellow; and the recipient of the Diasuishishinlai Distillers' Award from the New Jersey Dental Society.

BENJAMIN F. BROWN, general counsel and executive director of the National Institute of Law Officers, has been appointed to the Board of Directors of First Maryland Bancorp and to the Board of its subsidiary, First National Bank of Maryland. First Maryland is owned by Allied Irish Banks Plc. of Dublin.

A graduate of the University of Maryland School of Law and currently a member of the University of Maryland System's Board of Regents, Brown was the solicitor for Baltimore, and a member of the city's Board of Estimates, from 1974 to 1987. He has also served as an associate judge of the District Court of Maryland and was a managing partner of the law firm of Howard, Brown and Williams.

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DORTHEA MURRAY is the Democratic candidate for State Representative of Pennsylvania from the 13th District, opposing incumbent Arthur Herlong. Murray, who resides in the village of Lincoln University, she has been a state committeewoman for 15 years. She specializes in the heritage National program to organize Oxford's first community day center and a neighborhood services center, which acts as a directory to county and state agencies and programs.

Murray advocates a public transportation system in rural Chester County and affordable health care for everyone.

'61

WEBSTER M. FITZGERALD Sr., is the executive director of the Philadelphia Parking Authority, a City Council 600-employee agency which enforces parking laws and has generated over $28 million in the past 15 years. Fitzgerald is on loan from the pharmaceutical giant, Smith, Kline and Beecham, which has employed him as director of human resources for the past 14 years.

A native Philadelphian, Fitzgerald holds a master's degree in education from Temple University.

ex '63

EUGENE O. HATTON is leading a group of fellow Philadelphia businessmen in the acquisition of Pittsburgh's Heritage National Bank, with a net worth of $1 million, from Equimark Corporation. Under new direction, Heritage will seek out minorities as customers; the Hispanic community in particular will be an important marketing target.

Equimark took over the failed New World National Bank in 1987, renamed it, and is regarded as Pennsylvania's only minority bank because Heritage's board is controlled by minorities. Hatton, chief executive officer of Equimark Corporation, by purchasing Heritage's stock, is returning the bank to minority ownership, rather than just minority control. New World was formed in Pittsburgh 15 years ago to provide a financial institution for Blacks to own and that trains Blacks in banking.

Hatton plans to open a branch in Philadelphia and later expand to other parts of Pennsylvania.

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Dr. ANDREW HICKEY recently left a successful family practice in Dallas- town, PA, to become medical director of the York County Hospital and Home at Pleasant Acres. He took the position with 22 years of experience, including a one-year stint as a doctor in a 120-bed hospital on a Native Indian reservation in Arizona, and part-time service as the medical director of Rest Haven-York Nursing Home.

Dr. Hickey also teaches geriatric medicine to York Hospital's resident doctors. He says he is drawn to that field of medicine, which is unglamorous and offers a somewhat lower financial reward than others, because the needs of the elderly are so great.

A graduate of Howard University in Washington, D.C., he served a three-year residency at York Hospital. His wife, Linda, is director of Rest Haven's therapeutic recreation department; the couple has three children: Heather, 23, Andrew, 21, and Matthew, 17.

The Reverend LEROY CARTER, pastor of Deliverance Tabernacle in Chester Township, PA, is the author of a dynamic new book, Black Heroes of the Bible. Visitors to the Chester area are invited to Sunday morning services, and Rev. Carter is available for lectures on his book.

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RONDEY L. IRELAND was administrative director of the Community Action Program of Talbot, Queen Anne and Kent Counties.

CHARLES H. SPAIN JR., vice president and senior attorney with National City Bank in Cleveland, OH, has been appointed to the MetroHealth System Board of Trustees. MetroHealth Systems seeks to provide integrated health care in both inpatient and outpatient settings.

Formerly a senior attorney with Sears, Roebuck and Co. in Chicago, Spain holds a JD degree from Columbia Law School in New York. He is a member of the American Society of Corporate Secretaries, Ohio Republican Council, and American Bar Association. Originally from Chester, PA, he now resides in Shaker Heights, OH.

ex '67

LEON DASH is the recipient of a 1990 PEN Literary Award; a PEN Martha Albrand Citation for Nonfiction, for his When Children Want Children (pub- lished by William Morrow). PEN Literary Awards are sponsored by the Book-of-the-Month Club and PEN American Center.

PETE SMITH was profiled in a recent issue of GERMAN FOREIGN COURIER, of Philadelphia. "A Career YMCA Man," Smith began working for the Young Men's Christian Association right after college, 23 years ago. Since 1985, he has been executive director of the Germantown YMCA.

As a youth, Smith was active in sports and junior leadership at the Reading (PA) YMCA. He majored in health and physical education at Lincoln and began his career as physical education director of a Christian Street YMCA in Philadelphia.

While Smith acknowledges that YMCAs, dedicated to Christian brotherhood, were segregated until the late 1950s, he prefers to focus on the progress the organization has made since then, including the opening of its doors to all levels at all races and religions and to women.

'68

The Reverend SANDRA HIGH was the guest speaker at the Southeastern Chester County Business and Professional Women's Club's 3rd Annual Black History Breakfast, held in February at the Passtown Baptist Church in Coutes- ville, PA. Rev. High, who holds a master's degree in social work from the University of Pennsylvania, is a senior staff therapist at the Pennsylvania Hospital.

'69

Attorney JO ANN DASHIELL ASPARAGUS is on note sponsored for the second annual King Day cele- bration, held in January at the Oxford Community Center in Oxford, MI.

An Eastern Shore (MD) native, Asparagus holds a master's degree in social work from the University of Pittsburgh and is a graduate of the Duquesne University School of Law. She has served as consultant to the Pittsburgh Home for Crippled Children, to the Maurice Falk Medical Fund and to the Tri-County Head Start Pro- gram for Talbot, Queen Anne and Kent Counties. She also taught social work at Salisbury State University.

Asparagus began her legal career in Salisbury as a law clerk and later staff attorney for the Salvation Army and worked to win the position of attorney for the Centreville Legal Aid Bureau. She has been assistant administrative attorney in Denton where she practiced civil law for the firm of Aspra- gus and Farina.

Currently in general law practice in both Easton and Denton, she is married to Vernon Dallas Murray, a corporal with the Maryland State Police. The couple lives in McDaniell, MD, with their four-year-old son.

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Dr. ELVYN JONES-DUBE is a South- ern African lecturer/teacher/writer who specializes in the design, implementa- tion and evaluation of adult education programs, and research on and evalu- ation of indigenous entrepreneurship, communications and gender issues. She is currently in Senegal, where her husband A.M. Dube, who is in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Botswana, is sta- tioned as the Ambassador to Scandi- navia and the Soviet Union. The couple has three sons, 11, five and three years old.

Holder of a M.Ed. degree from Texas Southern University in Houston and a E.d.D. degree from the University of Massachusetts in Amherst, Dr. Jones- Dube lectures in adult education the-
ory, communications, and research and evaluation at the Institute of Adult Edu-
cation, University of Botswana. She is currently conducting a Botswana study.
"Women's Educational Needs for In-
come Generating Projects," funded by the African Association of Literacy and
Adult Educators; and co-writing a forthcoming book, "Gender Issues in
Botswana," funded by Swedish and Norwegian Aid Agencies.

Pennsylvania State Representative
DONALD E. PALM is running for re-
election for a fifth term as repre-
sentative from the 200th Legislative
District.

First elected to office in 1982, Rep.
Linton has been involved with legisla-
tion on such issues as mass transit,
seatbelt laws, minority and women in
business, and programs in higher edu-
cation. He ran unopposed in the pri-
mary election and claims a broad base
of support which includes community
organizations, committees, business
leaders and bankers.

Linton, who is the former chair of the
Subcommittee on Public Transporta-
tion, has introduced legislation that
seeks to amend the state constitution so
that motor-vehicle taxes can be spent
on mass transit systems, as well as legis-
lation aimed at speeding up the re-
move of abandoned vehicles from
streets and private properties.

Holder of a master's degree in educa-
tion from American University, Rep.
Linton currently serves as secretary of the House Appropriations Committee,
chair of the Pennsylvania Legislative
Black Caucus, and member of the Busi-
ness and Commerce Committee, Sub-
committees on自然界 Businesses, Com-
mittee on Committees, State
Government Committee, and Lincoln's
Board of Trustees.

BERNADINE HAWES, director of Re-
search Management at Philadelphia's
University City Science Center, was a
participant at the Pennsylvania Tech-
nology Conference. The conference
included a visit to the Wyndham Franklin Plaza Hotel in Phil-
adelphia. The conference was spon-
sored by Dyna-Log Software.

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FRANK GIHAN has been promoted by
McDonald's Corporation to the newly
created position of senior marketing
manager/community development for
the Philadelphia, PA, region. He pre-
viously served as McDonald's regional
marketing manager, responsible for ad-
vertising, promotions, public relations
and marketing. In his new position, he
will manage special projects pertaining
to the environment, employment, eco-
nomic development, labor and
nutrition—serving as McDonald's key
liaison for media, government, conser-
vative, civic and business groups.

Recently appointed chair of the
1990-91 United Negro College Fund
telethon, Gihan is a board member of
the Philadelphia chapter of Ronald
McDonald Children's Charities, the
Poor Richard's Club, and the Philadel-
phia Convention and Visitors Bureau.
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Franklin Hall Williams Chair of Lincoln’s Board of Trustees 1917-1990

Franklin Hall Williams, president of the Phelps Stokes Fund in New York City, chairman of Lincoln’s Board of Trustees, and president of the Board of Trustees of the Barnes Foundation in Merion, PA, has long been concerned with the advancement of education in New Jersey; and the establishment of the Franklin H. Williams Scholarship Fund to support education in the Caribbean. Williams was subsequently appointed NAACP Regional Secretary-Counsel responsible for 11 states. Credited with the first desegregation case and the removal of racial restrictions in the Baltimore public school system in 1959, Williams' work was recognized with numerous honors from Ghanian tribes, including ten honorary doctorates. The Williams Alumni Hall of Fame, was the recipient of many prestigious awards, including recognition as Pennsylvanian Employee of the Year in 1973 from Pennsylvanians for the Right to Work.

Washington Junior High School, counselor and principal of the Douglass High Summer School, placement counselor for "colored" schools, and vice principal for two junior high schools. Mr. Turner retired in 1968 after serving since 1959 as principal of the South Baltimore Junior High School, which he had attended when it was an elementary school.

His wife, the former Bernice Lopez, died in 1987. He is survived by four daughters, Fern Anderson of Kirkland, WA, Maxine Richardson of Baltimore, Joan Jones of Madison, WI, and Joest Turner of Chicago, IL, six grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

James Gaskins, 82, died on January 28

A retired educator, Mr. Gaskins held a master's degree from Columbia University. He served as an instructor in Warren, VT; Tyler, TX; and as principal in Fairfax, VA. He was also a postal assistant in Philadelphia.

Mr. Gaskins was a member of the First Baptist Church in Lawrenceville, VA, and of the Epson Omiler Lamber of Chapter Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity. He is survived by his wife, Lucy R. Gaskins; a stepson, Robert H. Gaskins; two grandchildren; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Dr. Arthur Motley of Edinburgh, Scotland, died on October 18, 1989.

Mark M. Gibson died on January 28, 1990.

Mayme Holden Sims Dies

Mayme A. Holden Sims, 84, one-time president of the Ladies Auxiliary of Lincoln University, died on December 17 at Graduate Hospital in Philadelphia. She was the widow of Bishop David H. Sims of the African Methodist Episcopal Church.

A religious and civic leader who traveled throughout the United States, Mrs. Sims worked several years with her husband as a missionary in South Africa and West Africa. She was a Philadelphia social worker,YWCA leader, a musician with the Philadel phia Piano Ensemble, and a member of Allen A.M.E. Church, where she helped to stage dramatic plays. A graduate of Howard University and the Chicago Conservatory of Music, Mrs. Sims was a member of many organizations, including the National Council of Church Women United, the National Council of Negro Women, and Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority.

Byron Farbeaux Reed, '31

Byron Farbeaux Reed, 82, died on December 12, 1989, at the Leader Nursing Home and Rehabilitation Center in Yeadon, PA.

A native of Philadelphia, Mr. Reed devoted more than half his life to educating children in Philadelphia and Delaware County. He held a master's degree from Temple University, where he also earned credits toward a doctorate, and began his teaching career at the Phyllis Wheatley School in Morton, where he helped to establish a dental clinic for the school's children and later became principal.

After leaving the Wheatley School, Mr. Reed became the first Black teacher at Gillespie Junior High School in Philadelphia. He also taught at Vaux Junior High School, Dobbin Vocational-Technical High School and Southern High School.

Mr. Reed refereed high school and college basketball games; he belonged to the International Association of Approved Basketball Officials from 1952 to 1964. In 1956, he invented and patented the Basketball Play Book, which was used to develop game strategy. He was also a charter member, president and longtime board member of the Nile Swim Club in Yeadon.

Rev. Grover Cleveland Hawley died in January at the age of 82. He was born in Granville County, NC.

His wife, the former Bernice Lopez, died in November 1989. A memorial service was held at the Alzheimers Family Relief Program, 1585 Shady Grove Rd., Suite 140, Rockville, MD 20850.

Rev. Grover Cleveland Hawley died in January at the age of 82. He was born in Granville County, NC.

He was the second oldest recipient ever to be so honored. He is survived by his wife, Frances Johnson Hawley; daughters, Helen F. Burgoyne of Silver Spring, MD, and Faye C. Strathurn of Baltimore, MD; a foster son, Samuel Cox of Oxford, NC; sisters, Ida Parham, Estelle Hawley, Daisy H. McCormick, Bernice Hawley; seven grandchildren; three great grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Lawrence Richardson, a New York retired Judicial Conference probation officer, died in November 1989. Formerly of Kentucky, Mr. Richardson was a graduate of the Asylum School of Social Work. He was active in the Harold Jarman Memorial Society and was well known for his reservoir of Black History facts. The wid ow of the late composer and concert conductor Leonard Adams, he is survived by a daughter, Diane, a teacher and freelance magazine writer.

Wiliam Wallace, Esq., died on September 17, 1989. A second service was held at Riverside Church in New York City, NY.
In Memoriam

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Dr. CHARLES D. BONNER, a physician who pioneered new treatments for stroke victims, died of a heart attack on May 10 in Massachusetts General Hospital. He was 73.

Lincoln's class valedictorian, Dr. Bonner grew up in New Bedford, MA, and received his doctorate from Boston University School of Medicine in 1944. After serving as a U.S. Army battle surgeon in the Philippines, he interned at Boston City Hospital. In 1949, he joined the Cancer Research and Control Unit of the University of Pittsburgh as a Damon Runyan Fellow, the first African American so honored, and helped implement the first Holy Ghost Hospital in Cambridge.

The author of three books and more than 80 published papers, Dr. Bonner presented exhibits at more than a dozen international conferences. He served on the medical faculties of Tufts and other universities.

Dr. Bonner served as a trustee of Mount Auburn Hospital; president of the Massachusetts Heart Association; and vice president of the American Heart Association, from which he received an Award of Merit. His many other honors include the Louis B. Russell Award "in outstanding service in minority programming," presented to him at the White House in Washington, DC, in 1978.

He is survived by his wife, Dr. Frances Jones Bonner; two daughters, Carol Bonner Scialli of Wellesley and Dale Murphy of Newton; two brothers, Walter and Fred, both of New Bedford; a sister, Gwendolyn Clements of New Bedford; and two grandchildren. A memorial service will be held in July.

WILLIAM E. MADDOX JR. of West Philadelphia died on January 11. He was 73.

A community activist and Army World War II veteran, Mr. Maddox owned and operated the William E. Maddox Funeral Home for more than 25 years, retiring in 1986. He retired from the Army Reserve with the rank of major with a total of 22 years of active and reserve service.

A graduate of Swarthmore High School, he attended Washington Jefferson University; after graduating from Lincoln, he worked for the city of Philadelphia before attending Eckholt College of Mortuary Science. He was a warden in the Church of the Annunciation, a member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, and active with the Masons, becoming a chaplain stationed at Aberdeen, MD; a member of the Allegheny and Dauphin Counties Bar Associations. At the time of his death, he was an instructor of law at the Penn State Learning Center in Pittsburgh.

Mr. Phifer is survived by his wife, Sarah, and his many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

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Masters of Human Services graduate RAYMOND G. BROWN SR., 67, a retired equal-employment-opportunity officer and investigator for the Philadelphia area with the Army Supply Command, died on November 25, 1989, at his home in North Philadelphia.

Mr. Brown retired in 1973, after working as a civilian and military employee of the Army and Marine Corps for 29 years. He also served as program specialist for North City Congress; administrative director of the Be Baba Mi Cultural Center and the Be Ibe Black Humanitarian Center, instructor for the Civil Service Commission's New York regional office; and consultant for the Conference on Gangs Inc. He was also a World War II veteran, having served in the Army Air Corps.

Mr. Brown's sister, Wille Cattane, died in 1988. He is survived by sons, Raymond Jr. and Gregory; daughters Roseann Brown-Scialli and Patricia Burgon; 10 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and three sisters.

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GEORGE FANNING, a supervisor at Elwyn Institute, died on May 11 at his home in Prospect Park, PA. He was 30.

Mr. Fanning was a member of the First Baptist Church in Morton and the Voices of the First Baptist Church Choir. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hope Fanning; his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Frame; four sisters, Bertha, Sarah, Ruth and Vera, all of Chester; a foster sister, Marva Wilkins; two brothers, Hope of Columbus, GA, and Daniel of West Germany; a foster brother, George J. Frame; and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevenson.

The acclaimed Lincoln University Concert Choir, led by Gwendolyn Foster, in Mary Dods Brown Memorial Chapel on Alumni Day 90.
Lincoln University
Homecoming '90 Schedule of Activities
October 21-28, 1990

Sunday, October 21
Ms/Mr. Lincoln Coronation, 7 p.m., Manuel Rivero Hall

Monday, October 22
Bonfire and Pep Rally on Athletic Field

Wednesday, October 24
NEW** Alumni-Student Convocation **NEW
Generations of Excellence, Speaker: Rev. Calvin Morris, '63
4 p.m., Mary Dod Brown Memorial Chapel

Thursday, October 25
Theatre Presentation, TBA

Friday, October 26
Fashion Show
Class of 1991 Dance

Homecoming Day
Saturday October 27
General Alumni Association Executive Council Meeting,
9:30 a.m., LHM Library
Ladies Auxiliary Meeting, 10 a.m., Guest House
Black College Invitational Cross Country Meet, 10 a.m.
Langston Hughes Memorial Library Open House, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Soccer Match, 11 a.m.
Alumni-Student Luncheon, Speaker: Dr. Jake Milliones, '62, 11:30 a.m.
Pi and Phi Football Game, 1:30 p.m.
Homecoming Parade, 2:30 p.m.
Put-Hellenic Step Show, 4 p.m.
NEW** Buffet Dinner/Entertainment, 6:30 p.m., Lions' Den **NEW
Homecoming Concert, 9 p.m.
Class of 1991 Dance, 11 p.m.

Sunday, October 28
Sunday Morning Service, 11 a.m., Mary Dod Brown Memorial Chapel
Gospel Concert, Time: TBA, Mary Dod Brown Memorial Chapel