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## Festival Play Presented By Othello Club

The play "Twenty-Five Cents", written by Eric W. Harris was presented by the Othello Club of Lincoln High School to the student body on March 13, 1951, in the school auditorium. This play describes the problems and difficulties encountered by a typical family during a depression.

On March 14, 1951, the Othello Club presented this play at the District Festival which was held at the Dudley High School in Greensboro, N. C.

The characters were as follows: William Burnette as Bill Fisher; Alice Page as Maggie Fisher; Mary L. Stroud as Gertie Fisher; John Atwater as Bennie Fisher; Cynthia Booth as Mrs. Swanson; and Alfred Perry as a policeman. Alice Page

## "Little Broadway" Is Presented Here

The Music Department of L.H.S. brought "Little Broadway" to the school auditorium in the form of a gala variety show on March 6. Dancing choruses, solos, duets, trios, quartets, and instrumental solos were featured.

The proceeds from the show will be used to buy music for the chorus and band and for other needs of the music department.



PICTURED ARE FOUR PAST PRESIDENTS of the Lincoln High School P. T. A. who were present at the Founder's Day meeting in February. Reading from left to right: Mr. Charlie Craig, Mr. Hubert Robinson, Mrs. M. D. Turner, chairman of the Founder's Day committee, Mr. Morris Mason, present president, Mrs. Ada Jarnagin, guest speaker for the occasion, Mrs. Alease Winston, Mrs. Rosa Brewer, and Mr. Charlie Farrington.

## 25 Members Of New Homemakers Attend Annual State Convention

Twenty-five members of the New Homemakers of America Club of Lincoln High School and their adviser, Miss R. P. Pope, attended the annual State Convention which was held at the Hillside High School at Durham on March 31.

Sarah Alexander, State President, presided during the morning session. Mr. H. M. Holmes, principal of Hillside, made the welcome address.

Outstanding among the morning events was the talent show sponsored by districts 1-8. The guest artist was an African girl who is attending school in High Point.

The highlight of the evening session was the address made by Miss Ernestine Herbin who was

national president in 1949 and representative at the Mid-Century White House Conference.

The N.H.A. girls stopped to view the lovely Duke Gardens on their return to Chapel Hill.

The club is very grateful to Mrs. Susie Weaver for allowing it to use her bus for transportation.

Gloria Mason

## Successful Ending To Red Cross Drive

The "Essay Contest" and "Comb Drive" sponsored by the Junior Red Cross ended successfully on February 28.

The Grammar and Primary grades participated in the "Comb Drive". The winning classes in the "Comb Drive" were, Mr. Todd 6-B grammar grade, and Miss Boyd, 4-A primary grade. Each class received prizes—basketball, vase, and dust pan.

In the essay contest, the High school students were invited to write an essay based on, "What We Owe To Disabled Veterans". The winners were announced on March 9. They were Florence Suitt, and Delores Hargraves of 10-A. Each received a valuable fountain pen.

Delores Hargraves

## Publications Association Is Attended

Frank Robinson, Ernest Cordal, Edwin Caldwell, and Mrs. R. A. Smith attended the meeting of the High School Publications Association at Saint Augustine's College in Raleigh on Feb. 17.

Speakers for the meeting were Dr. S. E. Duncan, Dr. Harold Trigg, Mr. A. L. Morrissey, Mr. W. L. Greene, and Mrs. A. Smith. Plans were made for the continuation of the association.

The following students were elected officers for the association: President, Alexine Clements of Hillside; Vice President, La Bonnie Bianchi of Dudley High School; Secretary, Shirley Guerns of the Reidsville High School; and Treasurer, Mabel Haines of Charlotte.

The students who attended from L.H.S. made a full report to the student body on February 23.

Ernest Cordal, Jr.

## Mrs. H. F. Roston Speaks For Negro History Week

The highlight of Negro History Week for the students at Lincoln High School was an inspiring speech delivered by Mrs. A. F. Roston at the High School assembly on February 16, 1951. Mrs. Roston's speech was a message given to encourage and challenge the Negro youth of America.

Mrs. Roston told about the progress of the Negro from 1619, when the first Negroes were brought to America, up to present day. She told us about their problems and the difficulties that the Negro has overcome. She pointed out challenges for the Negro youth of today and encouraged them to accept these challenges and take their places as citizens of the world.

Margaret Battle

## Calendar Of Coming Events

April 20	Junior-Senior Prom
April 27	Primary Grades Operetta, "Little Red Riding Hood".
May 4	May Day Festival
May 10	Grammar Grades Play, "Goodnight, Uncle George", a comedy in three acts
May 15	P. T. A. Social
June 1	Senior Assembly
June 3	Senior Vespers
June 6	Commencement Exercises
June 7	School Closes