PATRONIZE THESE ADVERTISERS

ROCKY MOUNT

Rocky Mount - To Keep This Page Patronize These Advertisers

PERSONALS

CLUB MEETING

The Fine Arts Club met at the home of Mrs. B. D. Morgan 612 Atlantic Avenue Sunday, April 3. Mrs. R. L. Levister, president, presided.

Members of the Club are Mrs. M. H. Wilson, Mrs. Pauline Patterson, Mrs. T. M. Grimes, Mrs. G. M. Cofield, Mrs. M. B. Herbert, M. S. Clanton, Mrs. E. B. Hunter, Mrs. S. S. Leonard, Mrs. B. D. Morgan.

This meeting was a called meeting. The regular meetings are held on every third Tuesday night.

DEBUTANTE BALL

The first Annual Debutante Ball sponsored by the Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority was given here Friday night in the Community Center. The brilliant and enjoyable event took place between the hours of ten and two with the Flames of Rhythm furnishing the music.

The Debutantes were presented by Mrs. Annie W. Battle and Mrs. Anniedelle Armstrong. The Crowning of The Debutante Queen was performed by Mrs. Edna Bryant.

The Debutante figures were held at ten o'clock and were lead by Mrs. A. A. Neville. The Sorority figure was held at 11:30 lead by Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Armstrong. And the Third figure, the Sorority figure, was held at midnight under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Backus.

Chaperones for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Ancrum, Mr. and Mrs. Montero Dale, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Pope, all of Rocky Mount, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Barnes of Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bias of Scotlandneck, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Johnson of Elm City and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wilder of Enfield.

The Debutantes presented were Dorothy Armstrong, Greta Arrington, Elizabeth Barnes, Jean Barnes, Marie Barnes, Irma Battle, Dorothy Battle, Fannie Green Battle, Clara Batts, Dollie Batts, Irma Blackman, Jamison Boddie, Bertha Bradley, Dorothy Bridges, Annie Brown, Evelyn B. Bullock, Marion Bullock, Mary L. Cherry, Minerva Clark, Willie Cooper, Willie B. Cox, Mattie D'Vaughn, Ila K. Dunn, Levolyre Farmer, Nancy Gray, Mary Gaston, Modestine Gaynor, Erma Grimes, Joretta Hines, Ruby Horne, Willie Horne, Jamison Hopkins, Earnestine Knight and Alice J. Lawrence.

Bertha Lindsey, Ruby McCray, Maggie Moore, Nettie G. Pitt, Margaret Reid, Lois Ricks, Jean Robinson, Grace Smith, Flossie Smith, Snowdy Vines, Laura Ward, Christine Wells and Mariana Williams.

CONTEST SLATED

A bathing beauty contest will be held here in the early spring. The event will be sponsored by Rofelt Pasha Temple Number 175, Ancient Egyptian Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. Registration for the contest is now being conducted by a committee of the order. J. D. Chase is serving as promotional director.

SHAW CHOIR

The Lincoln School PTA will present the Shaw University Choir here April 7, in the Booker T. Washington School Auditorium. This out standing choral group is under the direction of Harry Gil-Smythe head of the Musical Department at Shaw University.

This musical group has been widely recognized for its many brilliant performances during the many years of its organization. Their appearance here next Thursday night will certainly be a great musical treat for the music lovers of this section.

PALM SUNDAY CONCERT

Members of the Gamma Kappa Sigma Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority are planning for their second annual Palm Sunday Concert Sunday afternoon April 10 at five o'clock in the Booker T. Washington High School Auditorium.

The program will feature Vivian Weaver, noted concert harpist and Joseph Theard tenor.

Last year the organization sponsored the appearance of Muriel Rahn noted soprano. The proceeds go into a scholarship fund of the local chapter.

The writer wishes to take this means to express his personal appreciation to P. R. Jervay and the personnel of the CAROLINIAN for the fine display given to news of the Southeastern regional conference of NAACP branches when Walter White, executive secretary was slated and did address the conference in the Memorial Auditorium in Raleigh on March 27. A most excellent job was done by the CAROLINIAN.

Walter Knight of Baltimore, Md. spent the week end with his wife, Mrs. Willie Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robinson celebrated their second anniversary Friday night, quite a number of guests were present to enjoy their hospitality. The gifts were many and beautiful.

Major Nora E. Bailey and Brig. General Joseph C. Connelly attended the Mid-Winter Conference of the Antlered Guard which was held in Atlantic City, N. J. last week. There were five door prizes awarded at the Antlered Guard Military ball on Saturday night. We are happy to note that General Connelly was the only general of the 48 State to win one of these prizes.

Mrs. Mazie Atwell of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting Mrs. N. E. Bailey.

The many friends of Dr. F. H. Avant are very happy to know that he is able to be out after so long suffering from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

Mrs. Martha Bell is doing nicely after under going an operation at the Stone Clinic.

The Rev. K. P. Battle has returned from Washington, D. C. and Richmond, Va. While in Washington he visited Dr. J. Finley Wilson, Grand Exalted Ruler of Elks.

NOTABLE ACTION PHOTOGRAPH OF ROUGH RIDERS IN ARMY DAY EXHIBITS—A giant enlargement of the picture above is a feature of the photographic exhibit which will be shown in many cities and towns throughout the country during the period of the 1949 Army Day observance. The historic negative of this scene of Colonel Theadore Roosevelt (center) and his troopers in 1898 is from the collection in the National Archives.

LAND SCAPE QUIZ — This picture shows a scene in an Eastern town. If you can name the and the street where this scene is located send your answer to William T. Grimes 200 E. Thomas Street, Rocky Mount, N. C. or call 2412-R. The first to identify this location will be the winner for this week.

Last week's winner was Miss Lillie Mae Daniel of 306 Pennsylvania in Rocky Mount. The answer was Jessie Baker's Funeral Home in Tarboro. The prize was $1.00 in cash. Look for the picture in the CAROLINIAN'S Rocky Mount page.

You can buy the CAROLINIAN at The City Barber Shop, 200 E. Thomas; J. B. Harren's Sales Agency, 242 Atlantic Avenue; Douglas-Armstrong Drug Co., Mrs. Rice's Sales Agency, E. Grand Avenue in front of the city barn; Miss Rosa Taylor, 206 Penn Avenue; 521 Penna. Avenue; Emanuel Lopes, 532 Penna. Avenue; and wherever you see the window sign "CAROLINIAN on sale."

MRS. MARY B. MOORE COMPLETES NURSE TRAINING COURSE

Mrs. Mary Bullock Moore has completed her course offered by The Lincoln Institute of Practical Nursing and received her certificate for same October 23, 1948. She has also passed the North Carolina Board of Nurse Examiners and was issued Licensed Practical Nurse No. 6 which is another high score for the All-Stars, we will journey

March 23, 1948. She is also a member of the Licensed Practical Nurses Association incorporated of North Carolina.

She wishes her friends both white and colored, to know that she is at their service if they should need her.

ALL STARS READY TO OPEN SEASON

The Rocky Mount All Stars Semi-Pro Baseball Team will again be in fine style this season according to the statement of President Hardy Gray, Jr.

Manager Goer Battle said that the same players form last season has reporting for this spring practice and have rounded up into tip-top shape for their opening game on the 16th of April in Henderson, N. C. vs. the Carolina Clowns.

On the 17th of April, Easter Sunday

Hopewell, Va. is in by the All-Stars, there. The pitchers for the next game are to stand Lem R. Gordon who was the top hurler last season, has developed a new curve ball called the Hezooka.

Newcomers to the team are W. Maryland, first baseman and Jesse R. Battle, utility man.

Hank Cheyne is coach and Prince Bullock is coach for this season.

"Queues of housewives outside bread are the essence of Socialism." Winston Churchill, British statesman.

LINCOLN SCHOOL WINS CAGE TILT

In the Grammar School Basketball Tournament the Lincoln School team coached by T. U. Pollard won the Mrs. W. Holland School was runner up.

In the Junior City League Tournament the Community Five won over the Lincoln Five and the Wilson Five won over the Spring Hill Five. The winner was coached by J. Leonard director of recreation activities.

Junior School age finals are to be Group II-13 years, second group 14-16. Games will be played at Talbot Park.

CLOWNS TO MEET ROCKY MOUNT TEAM

The Indianapolis Clowns composed of Negro World Champions for the first time under this name as they first appeared here five years ago was as the Ethiopian Clowns. Since that time they have reorganized and remained it.

They are known throughout the United States as some of the best baseball players and showmen in the game. They have traveled from Florida to all parts of the country, featured with the Clowns are two world famous All American baseball players, George Tatum, who has been with Satchel Paige, the great pitcher and showman and a lot of thrills throughout the game.

While the game for today's attraction consisting of a team playing of stars will be available for your enjoyment for an evening of baseball.

After the Rocky Mt. the Clowns will appear in Charlotte, Portsmouth, Norfolk, and Newport News, Va.

WAC TO PARTICIPATE IN ARMY DAY PROGRAM

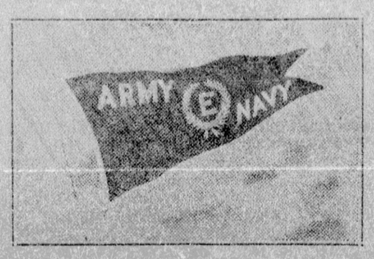
Members of the Women's Army Corps will share equally with other branches of the armed services in the observance of Army Day, April 6. Established seven years ago by an act of Congress, the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps made a brilliant record and was made an integral part of the Army, becoming the Women's Army Corps on July 1, 1943.

At WAC peak strength, more than 100,000 women enlisted, and in the performance of their duties served in every theater of operations at home and overseas. Duty sent them in the wake of troops which landed on Normandy Beach on D-Day, and into the holocaust of the Far East. Today approximately 3,000 WACs still serve beside their GI brothers, carrying on the proud record.

On June 12, 1948, in recognition of their contribution to national security, Congress established a permanent Women's Army Corps in the peacetime Army. These WACs are the nucleus of trained specialists, the basis upon which the Corps can expand in any emergency.

ARMY DAY WILL BE "E" DAY IN NATION'S INDUSTRIAL PLANTS

Army "E" flags, symbols of American industry's part in winning the war, again will be unfurled over shops and mills throughout the country on April 6, Army Day, in a visible salute to the Army's present-day job in preserving the peace. Army "E" Award winners everywhere plan once again to raise their flags with ceremonies commemorating the rugged wartime days when America's prodigious industry provided the arms and munitions with which armed forces crushed the enemies of democracy and freedom.



The Army is extending full cooperation and assistance to plant management in connection with individual plant ceremonies. Army Day speakers will be assigned wherever desired. Units of the Regular Army, National Guard and Organized Reserve have been directed to offer their assistance in response to requests in preparing Army Day programs.

NEWS AND VIEWS

BY J. B. HARREN

We are greatly disturbed because of the increased amount of crime that is occurring in many of our communities during recent months.

The alarming thing about it is that the increase comes at a time when our group can ill-afford to such unfavorable publicity while the exponents of Liberalism are waging a hard fight for better opportunities and equal citizenship for us.

Then too, when we are at the lowest ebb in employment that we have been in years, we are paying out more in local courts in fines or serving time because of our attempts at getting "something-for-nothing" or fighting over nothing at all.

When, in one day in police court, our people pay out over two thousand dollars and the other group pays out only $24, it is time for us to stop and THINK. "Can we go on that way?"

Our humble suggestion to the various ministerial alliances and church and civic leaders is that we initiate a series of well-planned sermons and services around the general theme of "Christian-citizenship" and "Christian-brotherhood" to get to the masses.

Our hat is off to the clerics of Spartenburg, S. C. whose alliance set aside a Monday night for their contest and NAACP rally. With twenty churches represented and 400 people in attendance they RAISED $243 for their local NAACP. On top of that they have 13 men who have taken examination for police duty. A hint to the wise is sufficient.

THE CAROLINIAN staff deserves a big hand for the extra expense and work they put into the special section of the 5th Southeastern Regional NAACP Conference edition. We of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People want them to know we greatly appreciate and LIKE the CAROLINIAN is most liberal in giving publicity to the work of NAACP and we trust the public will show its appreciation by supporting both. NAACP and the CAROLINIAN. Send us your news and photos and read the CAROLINIAN.

The Rev. J. W. Barnette of Mt. Pisgah Presbyterian Church preached a strong sermon Sunday from St. John 12:25: "He that loveth his life shall lose it; and he that hateth his life in this world shall keep it unto life eternal."

Speaking from the subject: Where are you spending eternity? the minister endeavored to have his hearers see that we are building our own eternity as we live each day of our life; that we do not wait for the close of this earthly sojourn, but according as we live and work for the highest and noblest Christian standards, so will our after life be.

The Rev. J. W. Barnette, accompanied by J. B. Harren, held a special service Sunday with the people of the Bricks School community with Prof. Neal A. McLean in charge. Among those present were: Mesdames John P. Phillips, Mary P. Body, Mary A. Reid, Mrs. Kyle, Bell, Garrett and C. Garrett.

The McLaurins are the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy — their fifth child. From Bricks, The Rev. Mr. Barnette and Mr. Harren continued on to the Hare Memorial Sunday School Mission at Pendleton in Northampton County where he is assisting Mrs. Ruth Hare Jacobs and her mother, Mrs. Missouri L. Hare in reviving the church (Presbyterian) there which has been without pastorial care for six years.

The Rev. Mr. Barnette delivered his third message of the day to an appreciative group, among whom were the following: Mrs. Ruth Hare Jacobs, Mrs. Catherine C. Lassiter, Harvey Lassiter, Kelly Warren, Talmadge L. Jacobs, Wm. T. Sharpe, Mesdames Irene Faison, Jessie Sharpe, Beatrice Lassiter, Elizabeth Sharpe, Nina Deloatch, Misses Verlie Mae Hart, Vernie Lee Deloach, Margaret Lassiter, Ida Lou Joyner, Ellie Carter, Essie Mae Lassiter and Alberta Lassiter.

Also present were, Blanch and Mildred Vinson, Venessie Mae Rogers, Louise Faison, Earlie Mae Lassiter, James Brayboy, Wm. Brayboy, Percy Poffler, Emma Jane Lassiter, Christine Ruffin and Claudia Mae Sharpe. This Mission Sunday School has enrolled about sixty members recently.

Miss Missouri L. Hare was the recipient of a delightful birthday party on her 80th birthday at the home of Mrs. Viola Branch of Severn.

The Willis Hare High School of Pendleton has an enrollment of 133 students and nine teachers. The principal is Walter C. Ellerbe. Other teachers are: Mesdames Marion B. Morris, Ella W. Reid, Geneva G. Weaver, Ruth Hare Jacobs, Leola W. Morgan, Elizabeth L. Sharpe, Miss Eva Mae Alston and Robert L. Moore. The school is getting some of the badly needed buildings it deserves.

NAMED NOTARY — Mrs. Mary Bullock Moore of 520 Park Avenue, Rocky Mount, was appointed Notary Public of Edgecombe County February 18, 1949 by the Honorable W. Kerr Scott and is qualified to render service as a Not. for her friends and citizens of Edgecombe County.

MAN IS JAILED IN BRANDING OF SON

CHICAGO (ANP) — A local Pullman porter was arrested last week upon his return from a run because he tortured his son "for his own good."

Sylvester Wallace, Sr., 37, will be charged with assault, child neglect, and disorderly conduct for burning his son 21 times with a red-hot clothes hanger because the youth did not perform his duties at home correctly.

The son, Sylvester Wallace, Jr., 15, after being missing by neighbors was discovered on his bed with a scarred back from the numerous brands. He is now in County Hospital.

The boy helped maintain the building owned by the father. He did such jobs as fire the furnace and other such duties. He said his father would punish him when he did not perform his tasks by pressing his with the red hot hangers.

The father commented, "I didn't know the hot hangers would hurt him so bad. I meant no harm."

His case is scheduled to come up April 29. If he is convicted on the above charges he could serve up to a year in prison and pay up to $500 in fines.

The procedure to be followed by tobacco farmers in obtaining cotton classification and market news services in 1949 under the Smith-Doxey Act will be the same as in 1948, the U. S. Department of Agriculture has announced.

WHERE TO BUY IT

THE CAROLINIAN may be purchased in Rocky Mount from J. B. Harren's Sales Agency, 343 Atlantic Avenue; The Douglas-Armstrong Drug Co., from sales persons and from William T. Grimes, City Barber Shop, 200 East Thomas Street.

Send your news to these agents in Rocky Mount. The CAROLINIAN will print all worthy news. It is your local paper, your subscription or your purchase from local agents or sales persons will bring you untold value at a very low cost. For your reading pleasure and local, state and national interest, it is the CAROLINIAN that you should read.

LIBERIA ASKS TO SHARE FUNDS

CHICAGO (ANP) — The Afro-World Fellowship through its executive secretary, George F. McCray, recommended to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs last week that Liberia be permitted to share in funds of the European Cooperation administration on the same basis as France, Great Britain and their colonies in Africa and the West Indies.

The House Committee had under consideration the plan of the Truman administration in which Congress would appropriate nearly six billion dollars to be apportioned among various European powers and their colonies as a means of aiding their industrial development.

In a telegram sent to each of the 20 members of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, the Fellowship drew attention to the fact that Liberia is not only America's moral responsibility, "a staunch ally in two wars but that investment in Liberian industrial and commercial development would be highly profitable and would provide American industry with needed raw materials.

It was charged that the present ECA program actually discriminates against such countries as Liberia and Ethiopia by preventing them from sharing in ECA funds because they happen not to be a colony of an European power.

It Pays To Advertise!!!

ROYAL CAFE
GRADE "A"
Meals and Sandwiches of all Kinds, Ice Cream, Newspapers.
G. E. DANCY, Prop.
U. S. 301 Highway South
Phone 384 I, Enfield, N. C.

Petway's Service Station
Amoco Gas, Oil, Greasing, Washing, Mechanical Adjustments, Groceries
600 E. Thomas St.
Harvey Petway, Prop.

WCEC & WCEC-FM
INVITES YOU TO RADIO AT ITS BEST
H E A R
"THE CHOIR AND THE ORGAN"
WEDNESDAY NIGHT 9-10

ARTCRAFT GLASS CO.
GLASS — MIRRORS
1131 South Church St.
Phone 2544
Rocky Mount N. C.

CITY SERVICE STATION
Shell, Gas, Oil, Washing
Greasing, Simonizing, Repairs on all makes and models
Hours: 8 a. m. - 12 p. m.
621 E. Thomas St.
Phone 2995-R
Tillery and Armstrong, Props.

John Wimberly
LADIES AND GENTS TAILOR AND DRY CLEANING
We Are Equal to the Best.
Superior to the Rest
309 Highland Ave., At Atlantic

POWELL & SON'S FUNERAL HOME
Edgecombe Mutual Burial Association
24-HOUR AMBULANCE SERVICE
You may join this burial association from 1 year to 65 years of age.
Joining Fee 25c
Assessments 5c - 30c
Nashville, N. C.—Phone 315-2
Night: Day Phone—Rocky Mount 3422

LINCOLN PARK
"ROCKY MOUNT'S FINEST NEGRO DEVELOPMENT"
These Smartly Designed, Well Constructed, Modern Homes Are Now Offered—
FOR RENT OR SALE
You'll be delighted with the modern conveniences, spacious lots, fine neighbors and prestige to be found in this outstanding community.
Available to Veterans and Non-Veterans
Liberal Financing Available To Purchasers
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION SEE or CALL
Wimberley & Gregory
-AGENTS-
123 Sunset Avenue Telephone 41-42

MAY & GORHAM DRUG COMPANY
PRESCRIPTION DRUGGISTS
Phone 200
Tarboro St. at Five Points

MOUSE'S SERVICE STA.
Atlantic Gas Oil, Washing, Greasing, Tire Repairs
209 Myrtle Ave
MOUSE'S SODA SHOP
215 Durham St.
Light Groceries Sodas Music

Neighborhood Center
GROCERIES & MAGAZINES
LADIES NYLON HOSE AND NOTIONS
700 Penn Ave. Phone 2386-R
J. L. Lassiter, Prop.

McKINLEY EASON'S PLACE
CASH GROCERY
Beer, Cigars, Cigarettes, Soft Drinks, Candies, Good Music
442 Center St.

Harren's Sales Agency
CONFECTIONERS
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
AGENTS WANTED: AFRO & TELEGRAM NEWSPAPERS
243 Atlantic Ave. — Phone 756

Moore's Fish Market
Trouts - Butterfish - Mullets
Spots - Black Bass - Drums
Drinks, Confectionaries, Fuel Oil, Music
625 W. Thomas, Phone 1255WX
Coretha A. Moore, Prop.

The Engineering Section For
BETTER PLANNED HOMES
Licensed and Registered Architectual Engineering
W. H. Lawrence & L. T. Foster
Room 11, Douglass Building

ARTHUR JOYNER'S
Soft Drink Stand
Candies — Fruits — Ice Cream
Cigarettes — Cigars
Soft Drinks
626 Henry St.

LAWRENCE'S
SHOE SHINE PARLOR
SHOE SHINES SMOKES
DRINKS GOOD MUSIC
500 Raleigh Road

William Clarence Parker
For Your Electrical Work
Phone 580-W
F. A. B. MARTIN
Contractor
Myrtle Ave. Phone 2097-J

The TEXACO Center
100 N. Church & Sunset Ave.
"YOUR FRIENDLY STATION"
OILS — GAS — LUBRICATION
ALL WORK GUARANTEED
Dial 9156 —J. M. Johnson, Mgr.

H. H. WEEKS
SEED STORE
219 Tarboro St. — Rocky Mount
MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF SEED AND GARDEN NEEDS IN TOWN

"When Better Automobiles Are Built BUICK will Build Them"
The Best of Service On All Makes of Cars and Trucks
ROSE BUICK CO.

IT PAYS TO LOOK WELL
Treat Yourself To Our Service
City Barber Shop
200 E. THOMAS ST.
William Grimes, Prop.

RADIO HOSPITAL
127 S. WASHINGTON ST.
Everything In Radio Repairs
PHONE 2637

WILLIAMS
COMMUNITY STORE
314 GOLDLEAF STREET
PLAIN & FANCY GROCERIES
FRESH MEATS — DAIRY PRODUCTS OF ALL KINDS