

# "Q'S" ANNOUNCE ACHIEVEMENT WEEK TOUR PLAN

Dr. Harry T. Penn, of Roanoke, Va., Grand Bashieu, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity begins a tour for the observance of National Achievement Week, November 10th, with H. Carl Maultree, Washington, D. C., National Executive Secretary.

Their itinerary includes Raleigh, N. C., November 11th; Atlanta, Ga., November 12th; Talladega, Ala., November 13th; Mobile, Ala., November 14th; Baton Rouge, La., November 15th; New Orleans, La., November 16th; with several later stops in Mississippi and a visit to Nashville, Tenn. Dr. Penn will deliver Achievement Week addresses at Talladega, Mobile, Baton Rouge and New Orleans on phases of the theme, "Fair and Effective Employment: the Economic Objective of a Restless Minority."

Official dates of the observance are November 6-13, with radio broadcasts, forums and public programs. The weekly YMCA Hungry Club Luncheon in Atlanta, Ga., November 9, will feature Dean James H. Robinson, Morris Brown College, in an address over Station WERD for Eta Omega Chapter, which presents Pres. B. E. Mays, Morehouse College, November 27 at Big Bethel A.M.E. Church. On November 26th Sigma Chi Chapter, Miami, Fla., sponsors a fellowship dinner and Dr. Mays as speaker, with Lester Granger, National Urban League and President B. F. Ashe, Miami University, as guests. Others are Milo Murray, Gray, Ind., Omega First Vice Grand Bashieu, at Lane College, Jackson, Tenn., on November 6, for Theta Iota Chapter, J. H. Calhoun, Atlanta, Ga., National Achievement Director, for Rho Chapter, at Smith University, Charlotte, N. C. November 13th and Dr. Thos. Poag, Nashville, Tenn., at Huntsville, Ala., November 7.

Achievement awards will cite outstanding citizens locally, such as one by Lambda Omicron Chapter, Los Angeles, to Loren Miller, for his restrictive covenant fight, and nationally at the Omega Grand Conclave in Chicago Ill., December 27-30, 1949.

The National High School Essay Contest closing November 10, on the subject "An Experience in Job-Making" is another feature of the observance attracting nationwide attention of high school students and teachers. The panel of judges includes:

- P. V. Sterrett, Providence, R. I.
- G. F. Goodman, Hartford, G. E. Meares, Brooklyn, J. A. Weiseger, Washington, C. J. Gray, Cleveland, A. M. Dobbin, Jackson, Tenn., J. E. Dotts, Charleston, S. C., V. H. Fields, Hampton, S. D. Kane, San Antonio, V. L. Jones, Detroit, C. F. Holmes, Denver, B. R. Brazel, C. N. Cornell, C. L. Gideon, J. F. Bannatt, W. S. Cannon, M. R. Ausell, F. D. Brown and Ambrose Phillips, Atlanta.

## LOUISVILLE TO GET NEW MOVIE HOUSE

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (ATLAS) — The National Theatre, a 2400 seater, will reopen in mid-November and operate for Negro patrons only, it was disclosed by Jack Powell, manager of the Grand, another Negro house.

Several Negro name bands have been lined up for appearances at the house and it is hoped that it will become the Apollo of the South.

More and more Duplin County farmers are purchasing foundation stock to begin building up beef cattle herds, says County Agent L. F. Weeks.



# THE FEMININE VIEWPOINT

By MONTROSE WHITLEY

### WILMINGTON —

A quiet week was spent in our port city, although Monday, Halloween was observed in its usual noisy manner, kids dressed as ghosts, witches and goblins paraded the streets. Halloween parties at the Catholic Auditorium and Payllis Wheatley YWCA were crowded and the kids had a jolly good time.

Like most of you, I don't have to don a mask. I wear my same old funny face all year round.

I must admit, I am really slipping in reference to who's driving the new cars round town. Prof. Dicks is driving a pretty black Pontiac, the Leroy Macks have had their fine new Plymouth for quite a while now, also the John Daniels, their lovely Chevrolet, Mrs. Louise Moore too, and the blue Cadillac of Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Eaton's is really smooth.

Charlie Evans, Thomas Ringer, and A. Wright were visitors at St. Luke A.M.E. Church on Sunday.

Among those on the sick list at Community Hospital is Mrs. Deliah Cooper Gorgasous Jerry McGhee is recuperating from a recent illness, yours truly wish for each of you a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Hattie L. Cowan is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Arthalia Freeman Aldrich, 4613 Newberry Terrace, St. Louis, Mo., who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Israel Moore and family of Whiteville, were visitors in the city during the week end. Mr. Moore brother of Rev. J. H. Moore, pastor of Shiloh Baptist Church.

Miss Hattie Johnson, Wilmingtonian who has been in Richmond Va., a few months came home to attend the funeral services of her finance, William Bradley.

Other out of town persons attending the Bradley rites were Mrs. Mable B. Parker, New York, Colonel Mosley and ROTC Unit from Hampton Institute. Yours truly was quite happy to greet truly B. Owens, Jr. one of the cadets and Wilmington's own, Mr. Owens is son of Mr. and Mrs. Angle B. Owens, Sr., on South 12th Street.

### OYSTER ROAST

The home of Mrs. Lessie Reid on South Eighth Street was the scene of a jolly good time a few nites ago as her son, Charles, was host to several of his friends at an oyster roast in their lovely backyard. The guests had a delightful evening roasting oysters, eating hot dogs and partaking of delicious stimulants. Those present were some port city socialites who really believe in having a good time. Mrs. L. Whitty Chavis, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Craven, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dean, Miss Catherine Peebles, E. Abernethy, William T. Childs, W. J. Parker, Atty. R. R. Bond, George Henry Moon, and that very popular personality, Mrs. Inez Childs Seokkins.

### ATTEND HOMECOMINGS

I understand if you were looking for a change of scenery or perhaps seeing new faces, Raleigh wasn't the place to go on Saturday, as many Wilmingtonians were on hand to witness the Shaw U Homecoming Game versus Howard U, among those were Prof. and Mrs. B. T. Washington, Prof. F. J. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson, Dr. F. W. Avant, Rev. and Mrs. B. H. Baskerville, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Telfair, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott P. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Shelton, Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Upperman, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Swann, Mr. and Mrs. M. Foreman, Miss Marion Taggart, Miss Marie Tucker, and Frank Adair. The W. B. Williams and Miss Marie Tucker also went to Durham and witnessed the N. C. College Game, Atty. R. R. Bond, L. M. Newsome, and W. W. Twitty traveled to Charlotte to see the J.

C. Smith Homecoming Game, incidentally the lawyer has passed over the ring to Miss Penny Perry, Charlotte teacher, I heard it to be a June wedding.

Mrs. Margaret F. Runnells, local teacher and her mother, Mrs. Josephine Farnsworth witnessed the J. C. Smith U. Homecoming activities.

### RECENT BIRTHDAYS

Happy birthday to Mrs. Addie Hanks whose birthday is November 10; David Hawkins whose is November 2 and Becher P. Adkins whose was October 31.

### WEDDING RECEPTION

The following invitation has been received: Mrs. Mary Farrow requests the pleasure of your company at the wedding reception of her daughter, Minnie Lee and Mr. Harry Taylor on Friday evening, November the eleventh at eight o'clock, 616 Dawson Street.

### OFF THE RECORD

Is your name written there? Quite philosophical, a question to which apparently had been given much thought by Frederick Douglass Sanders, sixth grade student, in the homeroom of Miss Sara B. Nixon, no more a few weeks ago this young student enthusiastically asked Miss Nixon to please be present at church on Sunday as he was going to join the church, which he did. At services on the past Sunday, this same little gentleman joined the church again, and when Miss Nixon learned of this on Monday, she asked Sanders why did he do this. To which Sanders sincerely replied, "Miss Nixon, when I joined before, they did not put my name on the book. I guess it is feasible that some of us call by the church's office and check the roll, think so?" By the way young Sanders is son of Mrs. Estella Sanders, 1211 South Seventh St.

## HIGH POINT NOTES

Larry Sellers is recuperating after undergoing an operation. He is confined to High Point hospital. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Sellers, 612 Elizabeth Street.

Miss Veatrice Jeanette Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson, 508 Grayson, has been accepted as a member of the Pyramid Club of the Delta Sigma Theta sorority at A. and T. College.

Harrison Strickland is reported improving following an operation. He is confined at High Point Hospital. His daughter, Mrs. Malori Green, is here from New York City.

## W. M. PENN OPEN HOUSE MONDAY

### HIGH POINT

Parents and patrons of William Penn High School attended Open House Program at the School Monday at 7:30 p.m. Parents conferred with home room teachers at 7:30. At 8 p.m. at the assembly Superintendent Charles E. Carroll, Jr. of the city school will deliver the main address regarding American Education Week.



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## CONCERT ARTIST IS WELL TRAINED FOR HER CAREER

### WILMINGTON —

Gwendolyn Ginson Gray began her musical career as a student at three years of age. By the time she reached four, she was playing in the accuracy of an adult. The major and minor scales, it was then that she began the Matthews course of piano instruction, beginning with Book III, perhaps the foremost method of training for piano.

At the age of six she was presented in recital playing such outstanding composers as Chopin's "Minute Waltz." By the time Mrs. Gray had completed grammar school she had completed ten grades of the Matthews course.

Mrs. Gray's early childhood was spent on a Presbyterian private school campus. Her father was administrator of the Cotton Plant Academy and consistently appointed to his faculty very competent music instructors.

During the summer months, she was sent to metropolitan areas for further study. After completing

grammar school she entered Ingleside Fee Fee Institute in Burkeville, Virginia, for her high school training. This institution was chosen because it maintained a complete department of music. There she soon became an assistant to her instructors.

Such trainings practically paid the fertilizer bill on the 68-acre tobacco crop of R. F. Butler of Rt. 2, Reidsville, this year.

A Durac sow owned by O. H. Williamson of Columbus County has farrowed her third litter of pigs in a single year.

The number of chicks produced by North Carolina commercial hatcheries in September is estimated at 1,950,000 — 45 per cent more than the number produced during September last year.

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