

HOMETOWN NEWS

Danville Minister Accepts Caswell County Church Post

MILTON For several months past, the Danville Baptist Church has been a busy place. The church has been a busy place since the resignation of the former pastor, Mr. C. W. McGinnis, of Greensboro, N. C. The church has been a busy place since the resignation of the former pastor, Mr. C. W. McGinnis, of Greensboro, N. C. The church has been a busy place since the resignation of the former pastor, Mr. C. W. McGinnis, of Greensboro, N. C.

Mr. Stewart was born in his present home and city where he now resides which is a very well known as "White Top Hill". The late parents were well known citizens of the city of Danville. He attended the Danville Industrial Elementary and High School, finishing with the class of 1927. Being of poor parents who had many children he was unable to go to college after finishing high school but went to work to supplement the family income.

However, later in his career, he attended the Virginia Seminary but could not complete due to his need for funds. He was called to the work of the Gospel Ministry on August 2, 1935 and was ordained on July 6, 1939 to pastor the Shiloh Baptist Church in his home city, where he successfully pastored for 13 years. Shiloh Baptist is a historic landmark in Danville for it has been pastored by outstanding pulpits.



GANDHI'S SON ARRESTED—Manilal Gandhi (above), son of the late Mahandas K. Gandhi, and 37 others, six of them whites, were arrested last week for participating in organized defiance of South Africa's race segregation laws. Gandhi edits "Indian Opinion" at Durban, East Africa. (Newspress Photo.)

Orange C'ty News Notes

Mr. Dan Fawcett, the second son of George Frank Fawcett of Washington, D. C., visited his father and other relatives in the past week. Mr. Fawcett is a member of the Orange County Board of Education and is a member of the Orange County Board of Education and is a member of the Orange County Board of Education.

Mr. Robert O. Fisher of Morrow Green School community and Miss Minnie Francis Jackson of Woburn will be married Wednesday December 10, 1952 at Graham, N. C. Mrs. Lulu MacAdoo of the Morrow Green School community went to visit her daughter, Mrs. Margaret MacAdoo, who is working in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Thomas Curry of Morrow Green School community and Miss Alice Cobb will be married December 23d at the Gains Chapel Methodist Church, West Eland, N. C.

William Ed Fawcett is in bed at his daughter's home and was sick Saturday December 19th. Mr. Fawcett has been sick since the County Board of Education sold the acre of land that he gave Orange County to use as a permanent public school grounds and he and his wife decided the land and he and Clarice Fawcett, Mrs. Fawcett, John A. Fawcett and other family members are planning to put up the school building. It is thought that the county should have paid Mr. William Ed Fawcett, who is 82 years old part of the money that he and his wife brought, which was \$7500.00 and money that the lot and building Mr. Jesse L. Cook bought the land on (building and lot) for about \$2500.00 on the building and lot for \$1000.00 per month and say that the land and house is worth \$1500.00 today.

There are over one hundred colored families in this community and every family should be taking the CAROLINIAN and other good papers. Out of the one hundred and more families we do not find many getting even their church paper.

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Musicals Draws Favorable Comment

WILMINGTON — The Fourth Annual Musicals presented Sunday afternoon in Williston high school's auditorium by Chestnut Street Presbyterian church choir drew long and enthusiastic applause by the several hundred music lovers from Wilmington and Southeastern North Carolina in attendance. The audience was divided into five parts, with an intermission during the second and third parts. During the intermission, the Reverend B. H. Baskette, pastor, brought greetings and thanks from the choir and church. The program follows: Part 1 - Jesus, Son of Man, Dearest from Church Cantata No. 47, Ralph Vaughan Williams, Esq. Beautiful Savior, Christians, Part 2 - Do Be My, Rachel J. H. Chadwell. Mrs. Lulu MacAdoo of the Morrow Green School community went to visit her daughter, Mrs. Margaret MacAdoo, who is working in Washington, D. C.

Part 3 - Great and Marvelous from The Holy City, Gail O. Evans, soprano and J. D. Chadwell, tenor. I Wonder As I Wander, N. C. Part 4 - As Jesus Foretold in Sunday, Cam. Sweet Little Jesus Boy, Alice Gumbay, Ladies' Ensemble. Part 5 - Im Gwine Ter Waay, Evelyn M. Lord A-Cable Mc Clark, and I Ain't Got A Whole Lot, Lillian M. Love, Ladies' Ensemble. From the first number to the last, the audience was held spell-bound by the execution of each selection. The tone quality, diction and poise were superb. J. H. Chadwell was at his best. His tenor voice was as clear as a bell. Chadwell and Mrs. G. L. Evans, soprano, were loudly applauded for their rendition of "O Divine Redeemer" by Gounod.

Possibly the most intricate and complexed number was "The Crucifixion" with Mrs. Sadie Binger, alto and Willie Thompson, tenor. The choir members delivered a finished product of which they might well be proud. "I Wonder As I Wander" with Mrs. Walter Weber an soloist, was one of the highlights of an evening which witnessed many high lights. Another highlight was "Sweet Little Jesus Boy" MacGinnis, by the Ladies' Ensemble, with Mrs. E. Clever Sautter, soloist. The program was arranged to show the chronological development of music, starting with the beginning and coming down to the spirituals, which represent the Negro contribution to the field. The program was arranged to show the chronological development of music, starting with the beginning and coming down to the spirituals, which represent the Negro contribution to the field. The program was arranged to show the chronological development of music, starting with the beginning and coming down to the spirituals, which represent the Negro contribution to the field.

Dept. Motor Vehicles Has 722 Drunk Driving Cases

RALPH — The Department of Motor Vehicles reported Friday that 722 North Carolinians lost their legal driving privileges in November for drunken driving. During November last for convictions were reported. In all there were 1,104 revocations and 531 suspensions. In November, 1951, there were 990 revocations and 534 suspensions a year ago.

Hampton Instit. Alumnus Gains Ga. Elective Post

HAMPTON, Va. — A Hampton Institute alumnus is the first Negro elected to public office in Georgia since Reconstruction Days. W. C. Ervin, class of '23, was elected in a member of the CIV. Board of Education of Augusta, Ga. A prominent school man, Mr. Ervin, with 24 years experience as the business manager of Paine College in Augusta, defeated his opponent 921 to 353. The predominant Negro population in the Third Ward brought about the election. There are 1,800 Negroes and 900 whites in vote in the ward. Ervin has received 32 white votes and that he campaigned for white as well as Negro. Ervin, an official at Paine College which is operated co-operatively by the white and Negro Methodist churches of the South and to give Negro youth Christian and educational training, declared he is not going to be representative solely of the Negro race on the board of directors of the Richmond County Tuberculosis Association. During World War II he has served on numerous annual committees of the Red Cross and Community Chest.

Ass'n Resolution Calls For Added Intergration

MEMPHIS, Tennessee — In its final sessions here recently, the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools for Negroes resolved to "continue to encourage and foster integration by exchange of students and faculty members."

ROCKY MOUNT NAACP HELDS MEETING

The Rocky Mount NAACP Chapter held its 13th annual election meeting December 9th and re-elected, with opposition, the entire roster of old officers which includes Charlie Jones, president, Elmas Braxwell, vice president, Mrs. Inez Shine, secretary, Mrs. Emma Leonard, treasurer, J. H. Richardson, chairman, board and J. B. Harren, legal redress chairman.

FIELD SECRETARY SPEAKS

Special guest for the meeting was Charles McLean of Winston-Salem, assistant field secretary of NAACP working in North Carolina since September. Mr. McLean came in from Tarboro, Roanoke County and other eastern North Carolina communities where he reports increased interest in N. A. C. P. activity with a 72-year-old mother joining up in Edenton.

RECREATION LAGS

McLean outlined suggestions for stimulating a membership drive on the local level to be started after the first of the year. He informed that the 12,000 colored citizens here had only one full-time recreation worker, the field secretary was surprised that it could be taken with so much complacency. He suggested action to improve the situation. Many communities are calling for new NAACP units and others to have old ones reactivated. Bertie county is organizing three units and Windsor and Washington (N. C.) are reviving theirs.

TO HONOR CHANCE AND WILLIAMS

The local NAACP voted to have a celebration New Year's night to honor Prof. W. Claude Chance, Sr., and John D. Williams of Patience and Spring Hope respectively, for their part in winning the two outstanding railroad and bus transportation suits in the U. S. court. Chance, a retired school principal of many years service and Williams, dynamic young prexy of Spring Hope NAACP, have both done much to further the cause of democracy by securing the right of franchise for many citizens in their home communities.

CASWELL NOTES

YANCEYVILLE, N. C. — The Caswell County Training School Basketball team has opened its 52-53 basketball season with a successful win over Burlington 62-31. With the high scorer being "Sonny" Johnson with the 20 points followed by Howard Bigelow with 13 points. The team would like to have games with other schools in Carolina and Virginia. If any coaches have any open dates please contact Mr. J. Roach, Caswell County Training School, Box 56, Yanceyville, N. C. The Caswell County Training School has been successfully moving along this year. The Band and Glee Club have made a great deal of progress. A Boys Glee Club has been organized under the direction of Mr. E. L. Reid. The Christmas program will be held December 14, at the Caswell County Training School at 6 p. m. in the School Auditorium sponsored by the Glee Club.

Holly Springs Happenings

BARBARA JEAN HARRIS, Reporter

HOLLY SPRINGS — A tea was given at the lovely home of Mrs. Georgia Betts last Sunday afternoon. This was one of a series of teas given by the missionary circle of the Baptist Church. The first tea in this series was given at the palatial home of Mrs. Georgia Betts. Miss Myrtle Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lattie Rogers is expected home for the Christmas holidays from Delaware State College where she is employed as secretary to the president. The popular group of singers known as the Chordsmen will appear at the Holly Springs School, Sunday December 21, at 3:00 p. m. The famous group of singers has as its director the Reverend Mr. Walter of the Wilson Temple Church in West Raleigh. The mission group of the Christian Church is sponsoring this program. Mrs. Candace Evans, teacher of

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PRIZE - WINNING FLOAT—Above is the prize winning float entered in the annual Christmas parade by Williston high school. The school walked off with the first prize of \$100.



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ROCKYMOUNT NEWS and VIEWS
By J.B. HARREN Editor 2-1913

20,000 VIEW XMAS PAGEANT ROCKY MOUNT, N. C. — A crowd variously estimated at from 20 to 30 thousand people, braved the near-freezing weather to view the 18-boat religious Christmas parade here December 12th. Rocky Mount was one of the cities which caught on to the idea said to have originated in Henderson, N. C., calling for a revival of the true meaning of Christmas — that of emphasizing the Virgin Birth of Christ, rather than the customary commercial angle seen each year.

SEMI-INTERRACTORAL Sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and the Ministerial Alliance (white), there were five floats built and entered in the parade by colored churches. They were interspersed throughout the line of march with St. James Baptist Church in second position. Others were Saint Mages A.M.E. North End Baptist and Mount Pisgah Presbytery Churches. The Rocky Mount choir and BTW high school choral group marched on foot and sang Christmas songs, all of which was reverently received by the throngs along the two-mile parade route.

WILL BE REPEATED This new type of parade met with hearty approval from almost everyone and it is expected that it will be repeated next year. The cost of floats was from \$50 up and all were good.

BETW PLAYERS PERFORM The Booker Washington Thespians presented their Christmas play Sunday night to an overflow audience in the school auditorium. Dedicating their new gymnasium Friday, the local divided honors of a bill game with Marie L. Walker basketballists of Richmond.

It appears that BTW now needs to enlarge its auditorium which has been too small for many years. When Prof. C. R. Pone was principal years ago, he had to place a heavy admission charge upon children to make room for adults at public programs.

AUDITORIUM OUTGROWN Completely out-grown for many years the auditorium will only seat the student body and a few adults or seat adults and leave the children out of any public program if there is normal adult attendance. BTW has just dedicated a new gymnasium and several classrooms. A related course in typing and other business instruction has been added at BTW to the delight of the students, many of whom have longed for it for years. A class of thirty adults now forming for a typewriting course of twelve one-evening-a-week lessons was over-subscribed by 60.

THE FIRST DAY, according to school officials, was a success. Mrs. DAVIS AT HOLLAND Principal Boyd L. Ancrum and staff held open-house and dedicated the new buildings at the Annie W. Holland elementary school Sunday with Mrs. H. S. Davis of Oxford, president N. C. Council Colored Parents and Teachers as featured speaker for the occasion. School officials were also on the program sponsored by the Holland PTA.

Mrs. Nora E. Bailey and Rev. W. D. Burgess concluded a "United States" rally Sunday at the Faith Presbyterian Church on

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