

# The Raleigh SCENE



My Lady's Doings  
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In And Out Of Town

**REV. PENN RECEIVES HONORS**  
Rev. L. S. Penn, Pastor of St. Paul A. M. E. Church, was highly commended by Bishop Frank Mason Reid at the One-Day Convocation in Efland, recently. The Bishop pointed out the outstanding work so nobly accomplished in his ministerial work. Rev. Penn came to this conference from the Baltimore conference where he served as Presiding Elder as well as Minister.  
At the Seventy-Second Annual Commencement at Kittrell Junior College, Kittrell, he was awarded the Degree of Doctor of Divinity.

**FIRST TO GRADUATE**  
Eddie Brockington Crawford, a graduate of the State School for the Blind and Deaf was the first Negro from North Carolina to graduate from Gallaudet College in Washington, D. C. This is the only college for the Deaf in the World. He received a B. S. degree at the 94th Commencement exercises last Monday, June 9th.  
Mrs. Hattie M. Edmondson went to Washington to witness this occasion. Crawford is a native of Durham.

**PROGRESSIVE CLUB**  
The Progressive Club will give a tea, Sunday, June 20, at the home of Mrs. Connie Young, 587 East Lenox St. from five to seven p. m. A program will be rendered. Everyone is cordially invited. Mrs. Jessie Hunt, president. Mrs. H. J. Smith, secretary.

**BISHOP JONES TO RALEIGH**  
Bishop R. L. Jones of the 4th Episcopal Area of the A. M. E. Zion Church, will be the guest speaker at the 11 o'clock services on the 5th Sunday at Rush Memorial A. M. E. Zion Church and at this time the pulpit set given to the church by the Boosters' Club will be dedicated.

**BOOKER T. WASHINGTON CLUB**  
The Booker T. Washington Club will hold its regular monthly meeting Sunday at the home of Mrs. E. M. Wilson, 806 Manly Street at 4 p. m. Hostesses will be Mrs. Mary Blanche Dover and Mrs. Wilson. The president of the club is Mr. John Chavis.

**HARRISON LIBRARY GROUP**  
The "Aging in the Modern World Group" of the Richard B. Harrison Public Library, will hold its closing meeting at 5:00 P. M., Tuesday, July 24, at the home of Miss Dora Stroud in Method. The topic for discussion is "Creating a Climate For the Middle Years." Following the discussion, a picnic will be held on the lawn.

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**HOMEMAKING CLASSES AT LIGON**  
Adult and Out-of-School Youth classes are meeting at Ligon High School as part of the summer program of the Vocational Homemaking Department. The classes are in session daily, except Saturday, from 9:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M. For many adults who may find the morning hours inconvenient, the department is open until 2:30 P. M. Home visits and special services are available to homemaking students needing help for projects started during the year. Similar services are available to adults for their home projects. Classes will meet until June 28. Interested persons may still join the group. Mrs. Etta D. Toole is the instructor.

**MR. AND MRS. MCADAMS VISIT CITY**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McAdams of Cincinnati, Ohio are visiting the parents of Mrs. McAdams, Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Larkins. Both Mr. and Mrs. McAdams are instructors in the Cincinnati Public Schools. Mr. McAdams plans to leave this week to resume his studies at the University of Pennsylvania.

**WESTMINSTER FELLOWSHIP TO ENTERTAIN**  
The Westminister Fellowship of the Davis Street Presbyterian Church will journey to Durham Saturday evening, June 21, to act as joint hostesses with the Covenant Westminister Fellowship in entertaining a Youth Caravan from Westfield, N. J.

**SPURGEONS FIELDS ENTERTAIN**  
Mrs. Jeanette Fields, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Fields, a teacher in the Richmond, Va. public schools, and Mrs. Elvira Booker, a Richmond social worker, were guests last weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Fields at their home on Oberlin Road.

**LESSON GIVEN IN DRAPERY MAKING**  
The Sojourner Truth Branch of the YWCA is offering during June and July a special course in drapery and slip-cover designing. Pre-registration is required for this course.

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SUBJECT: "The True Vine."  
6:00 P.M. .... B. T. D.  
TEXT: PSALM 108 —  
O God, my heart is fixed: I will sing and give praise even with my glory.  
"A Fixed Heart To Praise God."  
7:30 Wednesday — Teachers Meeting.  
8:30 Wednesday — Prayer Service.

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**ATTENDS CONVENTION** — Officer Andrew Chambers of Burlington attended the annual Negro Law Enforcement Officers Convention, held in Shelby June 10 and 11.

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## Weekly Church Roundup

By Mrs. May L. Broadie

**YOUNG'S MISSIONARY TEMPLE CME CHURCH** — Church School at the usual hour. Supt., Mrs. Della R. Furr. Morning worship 11 o'clock. Junior choir had charge of music, under the direction of organist, Miss Bettie J. Broadie. A wonderful sermon was delivered by the pastor, Rev. J. N. Levelette, from the Book of St. John, 10:30. Theme: "I and My Father are one." It was very beautiful. Sunday evening services were well attended. It was Talent Hour.

**LADY OF THE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH** — Church School at 10 a. m. Supt., Mr. Joseph Williams, Sr. Worship service at 11 o'clock. Senior choir in charge of music, under the direction of the organist, Mr. Willie Henderson. A very spiritual message was delivered by the pastor, Rev. G. H. Graham, from the Book of Genesis, 28:20. Subject: "When You Make Your Vows Stick To Them." Everyone enjoyed it very much.

**WILSON TEMPLE METHODIST CHURCH** — Church School at 9:45 Supt., Miss Nannie Morgan. Worship service 11 o'clock. Senior choir in charge of music under the direction of Miss Nannie Morgan, organist, Mr. Leon Hayward. Professional, The Kingdom of God. A spiritual sermon was delivered by the Rev. Mr. Askew, the former pastor of the First Baptist Church. Everyone enjoyed it very much.

**ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH** — Church School was in charge of the superintendent, Mrs. Hattie Mitchell, with Mrs. Geneva Brown and Mr. Terry Hough in charge of the music. After the study period, the supt. called on the classes to tell the high lights of the lesson which ended in closing remarks by the pastor, the Rev. L. S. Penn.

**FATHER'S DAY** was observed by the men's chorus furnishing the music and the pastor, Rev. H. Cunningham. Theme, "Our Heavenly and earthly Father." It was enjoyed by all.

**OBERLIN BAPTIST CHURCH** — Church School at 9:45 a. m. Supt., Mr. Walter Curtis. Morning service began with the Junior choir in charge under the direction of Mr. Ernest Massenburg. A very sweet sermon was delivered by the pastor, Rev. H. Cunningham. Theme, "Our Heavenly and earthly Father." It was enjoyed by all.

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH** — Church School at 9:45 a. m. Supt., Mr. Sherman Lewis. Morning worship 11 o'clock a. m. Senior choir in charge of music under the direction of organist, Mr. Ernest Massenburg. A very sweet sermon was delivered by the pastor, Rev. H. Cunningham. Theme, "Our Heavenly and earthly Father." It was enjoyed by all.

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## Ground-Breaking Rites Held For Williams Grove Baptist

Ground-breaking for the Williams Grove Baptist Church, Rock Quarry Road, was held on Sunday, June 15th at 5:00 p. m. Presiding over the activities for the afternoon were the Reverends B. H. Closs and J. N. Levelette. The program was as follows: Song by Sister Conora Gill; scripture reading by Rev. B. H. Closs; prayer by Deacon Virgil M. Hicks; Psalm 115, 1 Chronicles 22, special prayer, reading from Genesis 22: 10-22, by Rev. Closs; response reading of the 24th Psalm; hymn, lead by Sister Dunn; short address, concerning the building to be erected, its architecture, its spiritual meaning in the community, and its symbolism as the house of God by Rev. J. N. Levelette; the setting of the spade in the earth and prayer by Rev. Closs.  
The representative of the different societies of the church, Deacon Virgil M. Hicks, Sr., lifted the first spade of earth, and was followed by each trustee of the church: Stephen Webb, Walter, Phillip Alston, Jr., church clerk, and Sister Ada H. Hicks.  
Each person quoted from the scriptures while removing earth. The program was closed with prayer and benediction by Deacon Readford.

## Experimental Reading Washington School

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that usually occur in groups were noted. The slow learner didn't feel slow because the others around him were as slow as he. This fact seemed to have aroused a competitive spirit and children who had apparently lost interest in reading were finding it exciting for the first time in a great while. They liked the idea that the teacher was free to devote all of her time to the one group. The fact that they were not with their age mates did not seem to bother them at all.

Glenda may be the product of all. When she entered the laboratory, she was reading on a second grade level and was falling in her school work. At the end of four months she had moved up to the 6th grade in Reading, improved in her other classroom work, and made her grade for the year.

The program was unlike anything the youngsters had ever experienced before. After orientation and testing, the children were grouped into classes according to their levels of performance from the 2nd to the 7th grades. These classes met as a Reading Laboratory for one and one-half hours each morning. The first hour of this time was devoted to intensive instructional reading and the half-hour each morning. The first hour of this time was devoted to intensive instructional reading and the half-hour each morning. The first hour of this time was devoted to intensive instructional reading and the half-hour each morning. The first hour of this time was devoted to intensive instructional reading and the half-hour each morning.



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