

## DURHAM SOCIETY NOTES

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On Saturday night, November 3, the business session of the Fourth Quarterly Meeting held on Holland Chapel Circuit was held at Ebenezer Church. The meeting was well attended and reports were very good. The total amount raised Saturday and Sunday was \$202. This quarterly meeting proved to be a success with the Reverend W. D. Drake, pastor, and Rev. J. A. Jones, acting Presiding Elder.

Mrs. Mamie Reynolds and Mrs. Adeline Reynolds Spaulding have returned from Atlantic City, N. J., after attending the funeral of Mrs. Adeline Reynolds Spaulding and Mrs. Agnes Reynolds Mauney.

### Happy Pals Anniversary

On Friday evening November 16, the Happy Pals with many of their friends gathered at the W. D. Hill Recreation Center to do honors on their 10th birthday. Everyone declared that this pre Thanksgiving affair lived up to the previous ones or surpassed them. Beneath a dimly lighted revolving crystal ball each and everyone danced to the music of the Pastels who gave forth with the most. Members of the Happy Pals are Miss Ella Britton, Mrs. Pauline Carter, Mrs. Anne Davis, Mrs. Lillian Davis, Mrs. Pauline Carter, Mrs. Minnie Frazier, Mrs. Amelia Harper, Mrs. Elivan Jamison, Mrs. Louise Jenkins, Mrs. Margaret Marsh, Mary Miller, Mrs. Josie Powell, Mrs. Hattie Singleton, Mrs. Eloise Smith, Mrs. Mary Taylor, Miss Martha Taylor, Mrs. Laura Willoughby, and Miss Vivian Rogers.

### Mrs. Borland Entertains

The Sylvia Williams Mission Circle met at the home of Mrs. James K. Borland, 609 Linwood Avenue, Sunday November 4 at 4 o'clock. The meeting was opened with singing "This is My Story". The scripture was read by Mrs. Cary, sentence prayers were offered by Mrs. Burch, followed by Mrs. Leathers and Mrs. Boykins singing "What a Fellowship." Mrs. Leathers then opened the meeting for business. Officers for 1957 were elected as follows—President, Mrs. Nora Leathers; Vice president, Mrs. Annie L. Alston; Secretary, Mrs. Leadva Wall; Treasurer, Mrs. Zora Walker; and Mrs. Boykin, Reporters. A collection was taken.

The activities of the members for the past month were many and varied, which shows the work of an alert and active mission group, "who lifts their eyes and looks on the fields which are white but the labor-

ers are few." The lessons taken from the "Helper" subjects as follows: "Looking at the Home Base"—"Out-look in Foreign Fields"—"Missions"—"The Joy of Heart"—and The Whole Christian Life. These were beautifully discussed by Mrs. Boykin. Mrs. Borland served the group delicious refreshments which were enjoyed by all. Mrs. Mangum thanked the hostess for the lovely afternoon in her home and Mrs. Cary gave the closing prayer. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Mitchell, 2508 Otis Street, Dec. 3.

### Visited Atlanta Georgia

Rev. and Mrs. J. Neal Hughes and Mrs. Mary Shepard, Motored to Atlanta, Ga., last Saturday and spent a very pleasant week-end visiting relatives and friends.

### Guest From Washington

Mrs. Joseph S. Jackson of Washington, D. C., the former Miss Parepa Watson of Durham was the Thanksgiving holiday guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Prof. and Mrs. H. M. Holmes of 124 Masedale Ave. Mrs. Jackson came especially to witness the presentation of her niece, Miss Miriam Rosamond Holmes, to society at the annual A.K.A.'s Debutante Ball which was held in Raleigh at the Memorial Auditorium.

### Attends U.N. Seminar

During the Thanksgiving holiday vacation, Walter Van Buren Holmes, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Holmes of Durham, attended the United Nations Seminar, sponsored by the National Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A. of New York City. He went with a delegation of students from the YMCA at the North Carolina State College in Raleigh.

### Prize Winners, Baby Contest

Little "Riggi" George, 3 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. George of 618 Dupree St., won First Prize in the Baby Contest sponsored by the St. Cecilia's Guild of St. Titus Episcopal Church. William Edward Bivens, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bivens of Plum Street was second prize winner. Both babies are to be congratulated.

### Reunion

Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. James Meadows were hosts to a family reunion held at their home 108 W. Hillside Ave. This was a day of rejoicing and feasting. The delicious dinner consisted of every kind of food one could mention, which was enjoyed by those present, and

and the fellowship was great. Around 40 or more persons were present. Those from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Calvin R. Ashe of Baltimore, Md., Mrs. Addie Bryant, East Orange, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams, Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Norman, Trenton, N. J.; Mrs. Mary C. Allen, East Orange, N. J.; Mrs. Josephine E. Scott, Baltimore, Md. From Henderson, N. C., Miss Robbie Williamson, Charles Williamson, Jr., Attorney and Mrs. E. A. Bullock, Mrs. Desdy Simons and Miss Yvonne Bullock.

### Mrs. Donnell Fetes Club

The Queen High Bridge Club was entertained on Thursday evening December 27 by Mrs. Martha Donnell at her home on Fayetteville St.; As the guests entered the cheerful home, the pre-Christmas decorations gave everyone the real Christmas spirit. A palatable menu was served by the hostess. At the end of the progressions, Mrs. Donnell's special guests, Mrs. Carrie Deans, and Mrs. Bettie Goodloe were presented prizes. The club prizes were as follows: First, Mrs. Ret. C. Williams. Second, Mrs. Eula W. Harris. Third, Mrs. Nell Hunter. Other members present were Mesdames Bess Whitted, Laura Bruce, Grace Massey, Julia Cox, Beatrice Burnette, Nola Garrett and Miss Snow Bailey.

### W. B. Club

Sunday afternoon at her home on Park Lane, Mrs. Ida Davis entertained members of the W. B. Club. The devotions were led by Mrs. Jesse Downey and Miss Flonza Taylor. The president, Mrs. Novella Crawford offered prayer and presided over the meeting. During the business session plans for the Christmas activities were completed. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Other members attending were Mrs. Laura White, Mrs. Celeste Thomas and Mrs. Alene Brown.

### Six-W Social Club

On Monday night, November 19, Mrs. Elizabeth Edwards was hostess to the 6-W Club at her home on Hazel Street. The president, Mrs. Swannie Wilcher conducted a short business session, after which a social hour



Above is an exterior view of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church of Durham, which on Sunday, Dec. 9, will be the scene of homecoming services in observance of the 47th anniversary of the church. Rev. William Fuller, pastor of the church, will deliver the main address at the regular eleven o'clock morning

service. Rev. R. L. Speaks, pastor of St. Mark A.M.E. Zion church, also of Durham, will be the speaker for a three o'clock afternoon service. The senior choir, one, and the gospel chorus of St. Mark will furnish music for the afternoon services. The public is invited.

### Dinner Guests

On Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, the Dunigan family of 619 Massey Ave., had as their dinner guests Mrs. Flora Roberts Chambers of Hertford, Conn., and Miss Charlotte Roberts of Durham. After eating a delicious dinner everyone enjoyed talking about old times and looking at TV.

### Azalea Garden Club

The Azalea Garden Club met on Monday night, November 26, at the lovely home of Mrs. Cornelia Johnson on Cecil Street. The Garden Gate was opened by Mrs. Roxie Davis, who ended her remarks with the reading of a lovely poem. The president, Mrs. Effie Cotton, presided over a short business meeting, during which plans for Holiday House, an annual project at Christmas were perfected. Holiday House

1907 Cecil St. The meeting was opened with the club song, followed by the Lord's Prayer and Onward Christian Soldiers. Plans were being made concerning Christmas gifts to patients at Convalescence homes. After all business was discussed, the group enjoyed a delectable repast served by Mrs. Davis and her daughter, Mrs. G. D. Tait. Members present were Mrs. Nancy Harris, Mamie Weaver, Charming Watson, Rosa Sult, Lillian Midgett, Hattie Johnson, Sarah Smith, Nellie Williams, Dorcas Overby, Grace Lyon, Neoveta Wall, Annie Johnson, Lorain Thorpe, Essie Trice, Rosa Fortune, Dovie Dunston, Visitor, Miss Hattie Mason, Marie Faucett. Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Nancy Harris, 711 Grant Street.

### Club Closes Project

On Sunday December 2, the Lyon Park Rose Garden Club climaxed Flower month. Nov. was designated as Flower Month for planting of bulbs and planting and moving shrubs and pansies. The group met at the Harriet Tubman Branch YWCA on Unstead St. Mrs. V. M. Joyner presided over the meeting. The program opened with the club song, "God Bless The Roses." Scripture was read by Mrs. Louise Thorpe, prayer was offered by Mrs. Elvin King of the Better Home and Garden Club. A solo was rendered by Miss Margaret Stephens of the Blossom Garden Club. Presentation of the speaker, Mr. T. W. Flowers, Horticulturist at A. and T. College at Greensboro, His subject was "Rose Culture," which was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Remarks were given by Mrs. Elnora Smith, vice president. A social hour followed, which carried out the Christmas motif.

### Daughters Of Dorcas Club

On Thursday Nov. 29th, Mrs. Sarah Felder made "Family Night" one long to be remembered for she was hostess to the club at the Algonquin Club House. Her many invited were friends to all of the Dorcas sisters so the family night was a big one. Guest speaker was Mrs. Edward Moll-wife of Dr. Edward Moll, a Lutheran minister who served in the Holy Land. Mrs. Moll spent two or three years out with him. Some very interesting slides which included the birthplace of our Lord, his travels, the places of his crucifixion, burial and resurrection of many other sacred but awful happenings as well as pictures of the Dead Sea, mountains and valleys and so many places you have and still do hear about. Not leaving out the beautiful flowers and formations God has given so bountifully to this world. This was all so informative and so much enjoyed by all. Mrs. Moll and Mrs. Felder were thanked heartily. Mrs. Felder's service was unique and all partook of the delicious refreshments served. The Mizpah and "Happy Good-nights" closed the meeting.

### Durham Workers Club

The Durham Workers Club was founded by its present Treasurer, Mr. Dock Gaddy in the month of January 1953. The club holds its regular meetings at the home of Mr. Walter McKinnie, 110 Dunston Street. The club now has \$5,087.45 in its treasury. With plans to give eight Christmas baskets to needy families.

The officers are as follows: Mr. Charlie Pugh, president, Ellis Starnes, vice president, Robie Coffin, Secretary, John Armstrong, Assistant Treasurer, and Dock Gaddy, Treasurer.

## Mrs. Caldwell Is Fatally Stricken In Chapel Hill

### CHAPEL HILL

Miss Sarah V. Caldwell, prominent church and community leader, died suddenly here on November 13, at the home of a friend where she had stopped enroute to her home.

Miss Caldwell died at the home of Mrs. Sidney Gattis on South Graham street, where she had been accompanied earlier by her sister, Miss Julia Caldwell.

She was born in March, 1888, daughter of the late Rev. John H. and Emma Caldwell. Educated in the public schools of Chapel Hill and Henderson Institute, Miss Caldwell taught from 1914 to 1942 in Wake, Vance, Durham and Orange counties. After she stopped teaching, she went into practical nursing.

A member of the First Baptist church in Chapel Hill for a number of years, Miss Caldwell was active in many organizations of the church, the Pastor's Aide club, the choir, the BTU, the Usher Board, Den mother for the church Club Scout unit.

She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Hattie Jones and Miss Julia Caldwell of Chapel Hill; four brothers, Arthur and Lewis of Chapel Hill, Emmett of Durham and Livery of Washington, D. C.

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## FIRST CALVARY BAPT. CHURCH

Reverend A. L. Thompson, Pastor

Sunday, December 9, 1956

9:30 A. M. — SUNDAY SCHOOL  
RICHARD JAMES, SUPT.  
11:00 A. M. — SERMON — REV. L. A. THOMPSON  
MUSIC — MISS MARY L. STEPHENS, ORGANIST  
6:30 P. M. — BAPTIST TRAINING UNION  
DENICE MERRITT, PRESIDENT  
7:30 P. M. — SERMON — THE PASTOR

## "A FRIENDLY CHURCH"

WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH  
White Rock Square

Reverend Miles Mark Fisher, Pastor

Sunday, December 9, 1956

8:45 A. M. — CALL TO WORSHIP — ELECTRONICS  
9:30 A. M. — SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON  
"More The Conqueror,"  
Romans 8:26-28, 31-39.  
PROF. J. M. SCHOOLES, SUPT.  
11:00 A. M. — "Religious Fundamentals" — PASTOR  
SENIOR CHOR, MRS. V. W. ALSTON, DIRECTRESS  
YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHOR, FLORIDA FISHER, DIRECTRESS  
IRA MURCHISON, DIRECTOR  
6:30 P. M. — BAPTIST TRAINING UNION  
IRA MURCHISON, DIRECTOR  
7:30 P. M. — Annual Observance Of District Ten,  
Sermon  
GOSPEL CHORUS, MISS LEANA E. ROBERSON, DIRECTRESS

## "Little Old Mother Welcomes You"

ST. JOSEPH'S A. M. E. CHURCH

Reverend D. A. Johnston, Pastor

Sunday, December 9, 1956

6:30 P. M. — BAPTIST TRAINING UNION  
W. A. MARSH, SUPT.  
11:00 A. M. — "Beyond The Old Frontiers" — PASTOR  
6:00 P. M. — A. C. E. LEAGUE  
WINFRED MARTIN, PRESIDENT  
7:00 P. M. — The Marian Brown's Studio will render  
an Instrumental Musical Program

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BAPTIST  
CHURCH

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Pastor

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SERMON — PASTOR BROWNE

