

## Durham Society Notes

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### ANNOUNCEMENT

The Durham Branch of the NAACP will hold its session Sunday, August 25, at the Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, 1000 Pine Street, at 4:00 p.m. The speakers for the occasion will be the Rev. H. Albert Smith and the Rev. James Stewart. The Gospel Chorus of Mount Vernon Baptist Church will furnish the music. The public is invited to attend this service.

The members of the Socialite Club, Hickstow, had an enjoyable time at Atlantic Beach during the past week-end. They made the Gordon Motel their headquarters. Pictured above are two members of the group, Mrs. Edna Johnson, right, and Miss Luvenia Moore.

Mrs. Wilbur Green is president of the club and Miss Virginia King, vice-president.

The 4-H Club of East End Fence Row met in its regular meeting, Tuesday afternoon, August 13. The group opened the session at 12:00 noon with a brief exercise consisting of the 4-H song, the Lord's Prayer and reciting in unison the club pledge and motto.

The highlight of the session which ended at 3:00 P.M., was cutting out skirts and finishing aprons.

The closing program of the club will be held at the Bragtown Community ground on Ruth Street Monday, August 26, at 6:30 P.M. The meeting will feature as an exhibit the canning of fruits, vegetables, pickles, juices and jelly, and clothes projects consisting of the things made during the summer by the children.

Serving as judge for the occasion will be county agent, Mrs. C. B. Nixon. All parents and friends are welcome.

Those present at the meeting were adult leaders, Josephine Perry, Constance Hicks, Barbara Thompson, Nellie R. Burton, Libby Steel, Marie Steel, Christine Eates and Ernestine Pool; Visitor-Dorothy Pinks.

**SICK**  
 Carolyn Hicks, who is in the hospital and Louis Glenn, Louis, just out of the hospital, is now recuperating at home.

Miss E. M. Stanfield, Minnie C. Lyon, Erin Norris, Bessie Mason motored to Winston-Salem for the Woman's State Convention.

Miss Joan Harris is vacation-

ing in New York.  
 Miss Norah Reddish is on her vacation in Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Murray, the former Margarette Lanier of Durham, and daughters, Patricia, Judith and Marsha of Washington, D. C., are visiting their sister and brother-in-law, Lawyer and Mrs. M. Hugh Thompson, 304 Pekoe Street.

The Red Mount Baptist Chorus of Rougemont of which Mrs. Nola Faulk and Mrs. Ludie Bell Parker are the instructors and Miss Lind Parker, Organist, brought their chorus to Durham Saturday to enjoy a picnic at the Hillside Swimming Pool. These girls and boys enjoyed swimming, dancing and eating from the many baskets which they brought.

Mrs. Gladycy Grady Browne is a patient at Lincoln Hospital. She is one of the daughters of the late Rev. Grady and is an instructor of one of the County Schools on Fayetteville Road.

Johnson Ray, Sr., has returned to Lincoln Hospital and is improving nicely.

Mrs. Dorothy Alston Ploche, daughter of Mrs. Mattie Alston and the late Edward Alston, is home to attend the last rites of her father.

Mrs. Jennie Carter, former teacher of the Hickstow City School, is home visiting her Durham friends. She is residing in New England with one of her sons.

**Pastor's Aid Club Entertains**  
 Mrs. Portia Moore was hostess to the Pastor's Aid Club at a picnic on Freeman Road. Due to rain, the club members were entertained indoors. Each member carried a well filled basket of many good things to eat.

Those attending were Mesdames Annie L. Alston, president, Laura Burnette, Laura Bailey, Allie Mitchell, Lucy Briggs, Estella P. Scott, Sylvia Markham, Mabel Thompson, Ella McLaughlin, Carrie Rigbee, and Misses Mary Holloway and Peggie Pool.

The next meeting will be the Second Sunday in September at the home of Mrs. Laura Burnett, with Miss Lillian Burton as hostess.

On Monday, July 29th, Mrs. Mary Taylor of Pine Street entertained members of the A&B Missionary Circle in the basement chapel of Kyles Temple Church. Mrs. Carrie Saunders

conducted the devotions. President Lillian McKay, presided over the business deliberations, the hosts took charge and refreshments were served. She was assisted by Mrs. Elveta Monroe.

Members present were Misses Lenora Dolson and Mary Alston; Mesdames Maydalene Llewellyn, Lillian McKay, Martha Armstrong, Mary Hayes, Queen Ester Toon, Carrie Saunders, Lucille Starks, Lubertha Bule, Onnie Rogers, Hapsy Galloway, Elveta Monroe, Carrie Byrdine, Gladys McKinnie and Mable Powell.

The group adjourned to meet next with Mrs. Toon on St. Joseph Street.

On Saturday evening, August 3, at the home of Mrs. Evans on Ferrell Street, Mrs. Cecelia Evans and Mrs. Ruth Holloway entertained the members of the Friendly Workers Sick Club, Vice President Cecelia Evans presided over the meeting.

Members present were Mesdames Pearl Bennett, Jessie Foster, Ella M. Andrews, Lizzie Stewart, Effie Weaver, Thelma Scurlock; Misses Margaret White, Mattie Chavis, Margaret Geet; Messrs Jack Filmore, Grover Fowler.

Mrs. Thelma Scurlock thanked the hostesses.

On Monday, August 12, Mrs. Queen Ester Toon was the hostess to the A&B Missionary Circle in the basement Chapel of Kyles Temple Church. The devotion was conducted by Mrs. Hapsy Galloway. The members gave quotations and testimonies.

President Lillian McKay presided over the business session. After the business session, the hostess served a delicious chicken dinner. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. Carrie Saunders and Mrs. Mary Hayes.

Members present were Mesdames Lucille Starks, Onnie Rogers, Alease McKinnie, Lillian McKay, Hapsy Galloway, Martha Armstrong, Elveta Monroe, Lubertha Bule Mary Hayes, Virginia Pitchford, Carrie Saunders, Mable Powell and Misses Leora Dolson and Mary Alston.

Mrs. Monroe thanked the hostess for her hospitality. The group adjourned to meet next with Mrs. Mildred Williams at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Durham of Baltimore, Md., spent last week here in the city visiting with Mrs. Durham's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McKay of Dunstan Street. Several social courtesies were extended them while here.

A number of relatives were here in the city on last week to

attend funeral services of Robert Meadows, a resident of Fayetteville Rd. Mr. Meadows was sick only a short while and died in a local hospital. Funeral services were held on Tuesday, August 6th, at Mount Vernon Baptist Church. Rev. E. T. Brown, pastor, conducted the services.

Out-of-town relatives attending were Mr. and Mrs. James Pritchard of Washington, D. C., Tom Speed, Mrs. Mozure Little and Mr. and Mrs. John Speed and of Oxford, N. C., Glen Herbert, James and Larry Bonner and also George Pritchard of Little Washington, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jordan have returned home to Pittsburgh, Pa., after spending their vacation here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Perry of Linwood Ave. They were also accompanied by their two children Jimmy and Kathy. While here in the city, social courtesies were extended them by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williams of Fayetteville St., Mr. and Mrs. Patterson Taylor of Mutual Court and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Alston of Fayetteville Rd.

## Mrs. Thompson Is Wed To Mr. Felix H. Miller

Mrs. Lella Barnes Thompson and Felix Hicks Miller were united in marriage here this evening at the home of Attorney and Mrs. Meredith Hugh Thompson. The Reverend J. W. Smith, Jr., pastor of the Covenant Presbyterian Church, performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. William Cortez Barnes of Goldsboro and the late Mr. Barnes. Mr. Miller is the son of Mrs. C. Arthur Hall of Baltimore, Maryland and the late John Miller of Goldsboro.

The vows were spoken before an improvised altar against a background of palms, pink gladioli, and pink tapers. A prie-dieu centered the nuptial scene.

Miss Yvonne Miller, the daughter of the bridegroom, accompanied Mrs. Margaret Kennedy Goodwin who sang D'Hardelot's "Because." Miss Miller also played the wedding march using the "Bridal March" from Wagner's Lohengrin.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Attorney Thompson, wore a dress of mauve peau de soie fashioned with a fitted bodice and a bouffant skirt. Embroidered lace appliques embellished

with seed pearls and rhinestones adorned the bodice and were set at intervals on the skirt. An abbreviated veil of illusion hung from a half-hat of the same fabric as her dress ornamented with seed pearls and rhinestones. She carried a prayer book with a cascade of petal pink ribbon and a purple-throated white orchid.

Mrs. Meredith Hugh Thompson, the matron of honor, wore a dress of horizon blue silk organda appliqued with chintilly lace flowers re-embroidered with pearls. Her hat was of matching blue tulle ornamented with seed pearls. She wore a corsage of cymbidium orchids. Booker B. Spaulding was best man.

The bride, who is Operating Room Supervisor at Lincoln Hospital, is a graduate of the Lincoln Hospital School of Nursing. She pursued a graduate course in operating room technique at Michael Reese Hospital in Chicago.

Mr. Miller is a graduate of North Carolina College at Durham and is an auditor with the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Assisting with the reception which followed the ceremony were Mrs. Louis Williams, Mrs. William Jones, Mrs. George Webb, Mrs. Robert P. Randolph, Miss Pearl Geardy, Miss Blanche Meadows, Mrs. Effie Smith Parks of Raleigh, Mrs. William Reid of Raleigh, Mrs. Marshall Murray, and Mrs. I. E. Turner.

Out of town guests included Mrs. W. C. Barnes, the bride's mother and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Spruill, Mrs. Marshall Murray of Washington, D. C. and her daughters Patricia, Judith, and Marsha Carol, and Ronald Reid of Raleigh.

### A NOTE OF THANKS

Mr. Emmett Pratt and family wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their prayers, flowers, cards, visits and gifts during his recent illness. We especially want to thank the blood donors and express our deep appreciation and gratitude to each of them.



Samuel "Sad Jones," famed North Carolina College All-CIAA basketball star, is shown here with his June bride, classmate Gladys Dera Chavis of Ahsokie, third from left, Jones' mother, Mrs. Louise Davis, Durham; and Mrs. Jones' sister, Christine, Ahsokie. Ceremony was performed June 15 by the Reverend Father Fred Hunter at Saint Titus Episcopal Church of Durham. Bride is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Davis of Ahsokie. Jones expects to play professional basketball with the Boston Celtics next season.

## NCC Alumna Gladys Chavis Married To Basketball Star Samuel Jones

Miss Gladys Dora Chavis of Ahsokie, 1957 graduate of North Carolina College, was married in Durham earlier this summer to Samuel "Sad Sam" Jones, famed North Carolina College cage star.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Mr. Clarence Chavis of Ahsokie. An Episcopal ceremony performed by the Rev. Father Fred Hunter, rector of the St. Titus Church of Durham, united the two NCC alumni. Close family friends, classmates, and college officials were among those invited.

After the ceremony, H. M. Michaux, Jr., the groom's best man, hosted a dinner for the bridal party. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Chavis, the bride's parents, Mrs. Louise Davis of Durham, the groom's mother, and other close friends and relatives.

The Chase Restaurant was appropriately decorated for the occasion.

Mrs. Jones' attendants included two of her sisters, Mrs. Marilyn Weaver, and Miss Christine Chavis, and Miss Barbara McLinden of Washington, D. C., one of the bride's classmates.

Mr. Michaux was Mr. Jones' best man.

The couple honeymooned at an undisclosed location.

Jones, an all CIAA basketball star at NCC, has been drafted by the Boston Celtics professional cage team. He expects to combine a career as a professional basketball player with that of a recreation worker in an Indiana City. Mrs. Jones will accompany her husband.

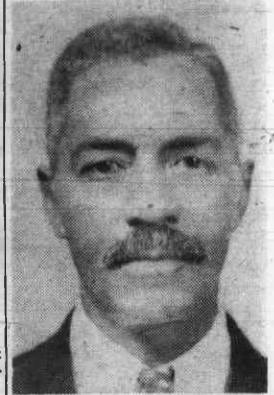
In addition to the visiting relatives from out-of-town, other wedding guests from outside Durham were Mrs. Tynie

## DURHAM DEATHS

### RICHARD NEWTON

Funeral services for Richard Newton, 67 years old, who died at Lincoln Hospital on Monday, August 12, were held at Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church, Friday, August 18, at 2:00 P.M. The pastor, Rev. George Tharrington officiated.

Mr. Newton, who lived at 1910 East Pettigrew Street, was a native of Hamlin. He was buried in Beechwood Cemetery. Surviving are several relatives.



### ED ALSTON

Last rites for Ed Alston were held at the White Rock Baptist Church last Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. The pastor, the Reverend Miles M. Fisher, officiated.

Mr. Alston died at Lincoln Hospital on Wednesday, August 14, after an illness of about two months.

A native of Vance County, Mr. Alston had been a resident of Durham for many years. He (Please turn to page Eight)

Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Freeland, Mrs. Dyle Reid, and Iva James, Ahsokie; Miss Shirley R. Williams, Siler City; Miss Pheriby C. Gibson, Raleigh.

The ceremony was performed on June 15 in Durham.

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9:30 A. M. SUNDAY SCHOOL  
 W. A. MARSH, Supt.

11:00 A. M.—SERMON  
 REV. W. L. MASON  
 Pastor, St. James Baptist Church, Rocky Mount, N. C.

MUSIC  
 CHOIR NUMBER TWO

6:00 P. M. A. C. E. LEAGUE  
 WINFRED MARTIN, President

7:00 P. M.—Program by Steward Board of the Church

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**WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 WHITE ROCK SQUARE  
 Miles Mark Fisher, Pastor

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25, 1957

8:45 A. M.—CALL TO WORSHIP  
 ELECTRONICS

9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL, LESSON  
 "Amos, Crusader for Righteousness"  
 Amos.  
 PROF. J. M. SCHOOLER, Supt.

11:00 A. M.—Golden Age Club, Mrs. C. G. Hargraves  
 "The Sun Standing Still"  
 THE PASTOR.  
 Senior Choir, MRS. V. W. ALSTON, Directress

6:30 P. M. BAPTIST TRAINING UNION  
 IRA MURCHISON, Director

7:30 P. M.—"Baptism in the Name of Jesus Only"  
 THE PASTOR  
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Rev. E. T. Browne  
 Pastor

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9:30 A. M. SUNDAY SCHOOL  
 C. E. RICHARDSON, Supt.

11:00 A. M.—SERMON  
 REV. L. C. HILL  
 MUSIC  
 MRS. RUTH MCCOLLUM, Organist

4:00 P. M.—NAACP Monthly Meeting  
 6:00 P. M. BAPTIST TRAINING UNION  
 Theme: "The Local Church and Christian Education"

7:30 P. M.—CHOIR HOUR  
 YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHOIR SPEAKER  
 REV. L. C. HILL