



Caring and Sharing

On November 26, Zafa Court No. 41, Daughters of Isis, distributed thirteen Thanksgiving baskets to needy families in the Durham area. The giving of baskets is an annual event - one of the organization's numerous public service projects. Co-chair of the event were Dt. Violet P. Rogers and Dt. Mary C. Thomas. Shown with the food prior to

delivery are Noble Eli Bullock, Daughters Ruth Fulton, Violet P. Rogers, Mary C. Thomas, Amanda Long, Louise Moore, Ernestine Scott, Alice Rivers and Pearl L. George. Not pictured, Dt. Joyce Barnett and Noble John Armstrong. Dt. Rosalee Sharp is Illustrious Commandress.

Daughters of Dorcas

On November 29, the Daughters of Dorcas observed the approach of Christmas with a covered dish dinner at the J.J. Henderson Center. Mrs. Gazella P. Lipscomb presided and spoke words of welcome and of Christmas wishes.

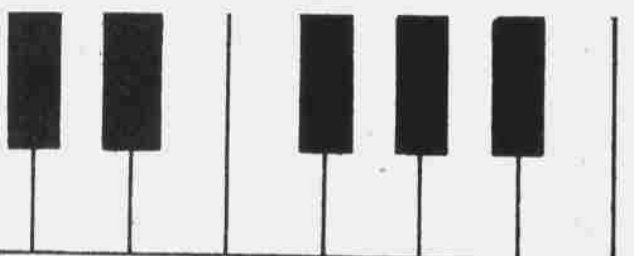
After members had identified themselves, Mrs. Marie Torain entertained with a beautiful Christmas reading. Mrs. Lipscomb played back a recording of these voices.

Ezekiel Clemons, speaking for himself and Mrs. Clemons, expressed appreciation for the invitation and all good wishes for the Daughters of Dorcas. "Happy Birthday" was sung to Mrs. Ada Leach, who had just turned 96. Mrs. Leach is a charter member.

Present were the following members: Mesdames Arteria Bryant, Lottie Campbell, Alice Collins, Gladys Faucette, Gertrude Gibson, Elise Greene, Julia Harris, Sallie Harris, Ada Leach, Gazella Lipscomb, Margaret Mack, Johnnie McLester, Lyda Merrick, Lorraine Thorpe, Marie Torain, Clumpertee Tucker and Ernestine Young; and guests: Miss Sandra Bryant, Mesdames Paulette Bowles of Washington, D.C., Marion Clemons, Bessie Doby, Ora Foster, Sophronia Green, Lillian Jenkins, Ruth Spaulding and Ruth Taylor of Oxon Hill, Md., and Messrs. R. Kelly Bryant, Charles Campbell, Ezekiel Clemons, and Norwood Mack.

The next meeting is scheduled for March 5 with Miss Marjorie Shepard.

Chamberlin Studio



Honor Roll
 First: Anthony Burnette, Ali Braswell
 Second: Christina Storey, Mrs. Margaret S. Shearin
 Instructor

David Ford, Durham Man To Head Hemophilia Foundation

CHAPEL HILL — David Ford of Durham has been elected president of the North Carolina Chapter of the National Hemophilia Foundation. Ford is the caseworker for Service to Veterans with the American Red Cross. He is a graduate of Harding High School, Charlotte; Gardner-Webb College, Boiling Springs; and Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Wake Forest. He is married and the father of a son.

Isaac Hollifield of Spindale was elected vice-president, Mrs. Vickie Strange of Hillsborough was elected secretary, and Charles M. Register of Durham was elected treasurer. Register is the Director of Academic Systems at Duke University.

The National Hemophilia Foundation is the voluntary health agency serving the needs of hemophiliacs and their families. Headquarters of the North Carolina

Chapter is at 412 West Franklin St., Chapel Hill. Hemophilia is an inherited blood disorder generally known as the bleeders disease. The cost of medical care and treatment for a hemophilia patient ranges from \$10,000 to \$25,000 annually. The National Hemophilia Foundation depends solely upon

public contributions for support. Information is available from the Chapter office in Chapel Hill or by writing P.O. Box 2838, Chapel Hill, 27514.

Two slices of fresh apple put together with a layer of cream cheese or slices of Cheddar cheese makes a hearty and substantial snack.



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BY THE WAY...

By Joe Black



"Sometimes you can't see the forest for the trees" is an oft-quoted phrase, and there are times when we, Black people, are our own worst enemy. For years and years, Black people suffered the indignity of being governed by signs that read "For Colored Only" in many cities, places, and even at water fountains. The mores of our society even dictated our selection of courses of study in college — Blacks were heavily oriented toward teaching, preaching, and social work. But then came 1955 and Mrs. Rosa Parks' acclamation that she was too tired to move to the back of the bus.

Under the leadership of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., the civil/social revolution of the decades of the '50s and '60s brought about some real changes. This nation was made to recognize that all components of its "melting pot" were not being accorded the rights and justice that were guaranteed by the constitution. James Brown had us singing "I'm Black and I'm proud"; through song, the Impressions told us that "we're movin' on up"; and Reverend Jesse Jackson had us proclaiming "I may be poor, but I am somebody."

But today there is a silent movement that is threatening to strip many Black Americans of their pride and dignity. No, I am not talking about a new pitfall from White America, but rather I am alluding to those Black persons who have brainwashed Black families into believing that they should accept the welfare syndrome as a way of life. And so today, we find too many Black families allowing the welfare system to rob them of their responsibility, their dignity, and their pride. And the tragedy is the fact that this loss of initiative and ambition is being passed down to their children.

Black America, I ask you if receiving something for nothing is really worth risking the loss of some potential future leaders of our community and this nation? Let us recognize that welfare should be temporary assistance and not a way of life.

Joe Black
 Vice President
 The Greyhound Corporation

Two Delicious Subjects For Cookie Lovers

The homebaked smell of cookies is always a welcome aroma for you after school or work brigade. So why not greet them with two popular treats made with a delightful variation?

Old-fashioned oatmeal cookies, a famous drop cookie variety, become Oatmeal Gems when you dot their centers with Kraft red raspberry preserves.

Chocolate lovers are sure to enjoy Chocolate Raspberry Bars. After they're baked, they are spread with red raspberry or strawberry preserves and sprinkled with toasted coconut. Then cool, cut them into bars and serve.

With a tall glass of milk or hot tea, these cookies will be the favorite subject of your cookie jar raiders.

- Oatmeal Gems**
- 1 cup Parkay margarine
 - 1/2 cup packed brown sugar
 - 1/2 cup granulated sugar
 - 2 eggs
 - 1 teaspoon vanilla
 - 1 cup flour
 - 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
 - 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
 - 3 cups old fashioned or quick oats, uncooked
 - Kraft red raspberry preserves

Cream margarine and sugars until light and fluffy. Blend in eggs and vanilla. Add combined flour, baking soda and cinnamon; mix well. Stir in oats. Drop heaping teaspoonfuls of dough onto ungreased cookie sheet. Indent centers;



fill with 1/4 teaspoon preserves. Bake at 375°, 8 to 10 minutes or until golden brown.

- Approximately 4-1/2 dozen
- Chocolate Raspberry Bars**
- 1 cup Parkay margarine
 - 1 cup sugar
 - 1/2 cup milk
 - 2 eggs
 - 2 1-oz. squares unsweetened chocolate, melted
 - 2 teaspoons vanilla
 - 2 cups flour
 - 1 teaspoon baking powder
 - 1/4 teaspoon salt
 - 1/2 cup Kraft red raspberry or strawberry preserves
 - 1 cup coconut, toasted
- Cream margarine and sugar until light and fluffy. Blend in milk, eggs, chocolate and vanilla. Add combined dry ingredients; mix well. Spread in greased 13 x 9-inch baking pan. Bake at 350°, 25 to 30 minutes or until wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean. While warm, spread with preserves; sprinkle with coconut. Cool; cut into bars.



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