

## Young Women Vying For Miss Bull City

Sometime before midnight Sunday, one of 23 area college students, vying for the Miss Bull City title, will wear the crown.

For winning first place; the lucky young woman will get \$500. The first runner-up will get \$200, while the second runner-up gets her choice of a \$200 gift certificate or \$100 cash.

The Miss Bull City Beauty Pageant begins a 6 p.m., at Durham's downtown civic center.

According to Anthony Edwards, president of Bull City Productions, a non-profit entertainment production

organization that is sponsoring the pageant, the show has several purposes.

"One, of course, is to bring a different type of entertainment to Durham," Edwards said, "something that can be appreciated by young people, middle-age people and others as well. The other reason is to give the young ladies a chance to display their talents and hopefully get some money to help with their education."

Bull City Productions, a non-profit entertainment production



**TURNING ON THE TALENT** — Ms. Jammie Lewis, at the piano, and Ms. Gloria Woods, standing, practice a talent presentation for the upcoming Miss Bull City Pageant. The pageant is scheduled for Sunday evening in the Civic Center. (Photo by Mayfield)



**STRUTTING THE STUFF** — Contestants in the Miss Bull City Pageant coming up Sunday strut their stuff during a recent rehearsal. (Photo by Mayfield)

## Fayetteville Happenings

By Mrs. T.H. Kinney

The rain and cold dampened the bodies of spectators and participants, but it didn't dampen their spirits. The crowd came out and managed to keep cheerful smiles in spite of the weather.

Project award went to the Northhill Community. Their membership increased. They have 195 members in their watch program.

Mrs. Willie Loftin, the family Home Economics Extension Agent, displayed a room full of beautiful gift items during open house recently. Educational sewing and cooking program is offered year-round. You can call 484-7156.

Ms. Flora M. McLean announced the engagement of her daughter, Janice Vanesa, to Joel Carlyle Bonds II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Bonds of Shannon.

The wedding is planned for First Free Will Baptist Church.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Red Springs High School and Winston-Salem State University. She is a registered nurse at Charlotte Memorial Hospital.

The bridegroom-elect is a graduate of Red Springs High. He is employed as the maintenance mechanic at the University of Washington, Seattle, which he attended. He is also a specialist in interior design.

Gifts from the kitchen can be fun, inexpensive, useful and attractive for your relatives and friends this year. According to economic experts, cookies, bread and special made candy can be prepared, wrapped and decorated with a bow.

K. Bish spent the weekend with his family. We wish for his safe return to New York.

It's gloom, anger and despair: Symptoms of holiday syndrome. Many do suffer, according to experts. There are those who wish holidays would be done away with completely. Something for us to think about.

The Kappas and their guests enjoyed an evening at the Lakeside Country Club on Saturday. Everyone seems to be sharing the Christmas joys.

Happy birthday anniversary to Ms. Ginny Bryan, Mrs. Penny Edens and Mrs. Karen Fallin.

You can live your Christmas get-togethers with a small ensemble of singers and musicians. Call 396-8572.

A fellowship gathering was held with Zetas on Sunday afternoon.

The Senior Choir of St. Luke AME Church presented a concert by George H. Spaulding and Curtis Price recently. Spaulding, who has been a musical director for many Pittsburgh area churches, played piano and organ. He is minister of music at St. James AME Church in Pittsburgh, Pa., and has been in the music field for fifty years.

The Inspirational Singers of Lewis Chapel Missionary Baptist Church presented a Christmas Cantata, "God's Gift of Love", by Eugene McClusky on Sunday evening.

Paul Eaglin was honored in the weekly news here. He recently received a certificate of appreciation from the Fayetteville YMCA for his volunteer work coordinating and coaching the Y's soccer program at Methodist College.

An active worker in the community, Eaglin serves on the YMCA's personnel committee and coaches several soccer teams, arranging their practices and helping to officiate games. He would like to see soccer become a number one sport in this nation.

An attorney, Eaglin is chairman of the N.C. Bar Association's law student activities committee, a member of the Republican Lawyers of N.C., and an active member of the Cumberland County Republican Party. He recently campaigned for a district court judgeship in the 12th District. He is a member of the Historic Properties Commission, the Fayetteville Arts Council board of directors, the Old Fayetteville Association and a former member of the Fayetteville Revitalization Commission.

Handel's "Messiah" was presented in Reeves Auditorium at Methodist College.

Retired Sgt. Cornelius J. Ware, Sr., 54, of 3923 James Dale Road was eulogized on Sunday at Sandy Grove Free Will Baptist Church in Wade. Sympathy is extended to members of his family.

Final rites for Mrs. Anna A. Bulla were held on Sunday afternoon at Falling Run Baptist Church.

organization, according to Edwards, is composed of local business operators who have decided to provide a broader variety of entertainment for older clientele in Durham.

Judges for Sunday's pageant include: Rep. Kenneth Spaulding, Mickey Michaux, William Evans, Joe Burwell, George Brown, Lucille Cole, Judy Hinchman, Ella McAllister, Anne Fulford, Ethel Satterwhite, Artis Plummer, Sr., and Joyce Latimore.

Contestants, listed ac-

ording to the schools they're attending, include:

\* NCCU: Brenda Baldwin, Sherry Allen, Stephanie Allen, Lori Grier, Linda Huggins, Gloria Woods, Alessia Shaw, Maricorna Steele, Della Tucker, Marta Washington, Kecia Raysor and Domita Scurlock.

\* Duke: Lori Jones and Paulette Leake.

\* UNC-Chapel Hill: Pamela Funderburk.

\* Durham Tech: Wanda Little.

Three other contestants, Jamie Lewis,

Lana Peek and Francae Crank, are not in school.

Persons attending the Sunday night pageant can also get in on the money because door prizes will be given to lucky ticket holders. A person who buys a \$9.50 ticket could win \$150, a person with an \$8.50 ticket could win \$100; and a person with a \$7.50 ticket could win \$50.

Tickets can be bought at the door, or by contacting Mrs. Gloria McCrae, the pageant coordinator, at 596-7395.

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