

**BRIDGE NEWS**

**Triad Bridge Unit set for Grade A tourney**

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Special to the Chronicle

Last week's winners at the Carl H. Russell Recreation Center, Monday, Dec. 4, were Geraldine Cary and Lee Alma Vaughn, first place; and George and Mary Boswell, second place.

Winston-Salem Duplicate Bridge Club winners at the Tuesday, Dec. 5, meeting were Sarah and Rudolph Boone, first place; Geraldine Cary and Geneva Coleman, second place.

Winners from the Thursday, Dec. 7, Kings and Queens Duplicate Bridge Club meeting were Charles and Irma Gadson, first place; and Waldo and Marjorie Lester, second place.

The Nationwide Benefit Tournament is scheduled for Dec. 29. The place and time will be published next week.

The Triad Bridge Unit has its plans set for the annual Grade A Bridge Tournament. It is scheduled

for Feb. 9 to 11 at the Howard Johnson's Coliseum Motor Lodge, 3030 High Point Road, in Greensboro.

Richard Bowling is the tournament chair. Wilma Peterson is the partnership chair. Ruth Washington is president of the Triad Unit.

Persons interested in joining either of the local clubs will find this to be the best time of the year to inquire about membership details. Both clubs' fiscal year begins in January so make your intent known as soon as possible.

Also, those persons who wish to learn the game of bridge should inquire about the next beginning class. A minimum number of eight interested persons will constitute enough to start a class. A few people have already voiced their interest.

Sometime in the near future, the Kings and Queens Duplicate Bridge Club will be moving their Thursday night games from the Carl H. Russell Recreation Center back to the Rupert Bell Recreation Center.

The exact time will be published later.

**MILITARY NOTES**

**Rutledge reports for duty aboard Iowa**

Navy Seaman Recruit **Kenneth H. Rutledge** recently reported for duty aboard the battleship USS Iowa, based in Norfolk, Va.

A 1989 graduate of West Forsyth High School, he is the son of Doris A. Rutledge of Winston-Salem. He joined the Navy in June 1989.

**Navy Seaman Apprentice Jerry Tillman** recently returned from a six-month deployment to the Persian Gulf while serving aboard the guided missile frigate USS Ford, based in Long Beach, Calif.

During the deployment, Seaman Tillman participated in surveillance and mine countermeasure support operations and numerous escort operations involving reflagged Kuwait tankers.

Seaman Tillman also made port visits to Hong Kong, Phuket, Thailand; Colombo, Sri Lanka; Cochin, India; Singapore; Subic Bay, Republic of the Philippines; and Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

A 1988 graduate of North Forsyth High School, he is the son of Jonas B. Tillman of Winston-Salem. Seaman Tillman joined the Navy in October 1988.

Navy Seaman Recruit **Henry I. Lewis** has completed recruit training at Recruit Training Command in Orlando, Fla.

During Seaman Lewis' eight-week training cycle, he studied general military subjects designed to prepare him for further academic and on-the-job training.

His studies included seamanship, close order drill, naval history and first aid.

A 1988 graduate of Glenn High School, he is the son of Shirley and Henry I. Lewis Jr. of Winston-Salem. Seaman Lewis joined the Navy in July.

Navy Seaman Recruit **Mary T. Timbers** has completed recruit training at Recruit Training Command in Orlando, Fla.

During her eight-week training cycle, Seaman Timbers stud-

ied general military subjects designed to prepare her for further academic and on-the-job training.

Her studies included seamanship, close order drill, naval history and first aid.

Seaman Timbers is the niece of Delphine Williams of Winston-Salem.

**Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Tommy A. Springs** recently deployed to the Mediterranean Sea while serving aboard the aircraft carrier USS Forrestal, based in Mayport, Fla.

During the six-month deployment, Officer Springs will visit numerous countries including Spain, France, Italy, Israel, Tunisia, Morocco and Egypt. He also will participate in various Sixth Fleet and NATO exercises in the region.

A 1984 graduate of Parkland High School, he joined the Navy in May. He is the son of Priscilla A. Reid of Winston-Salem.

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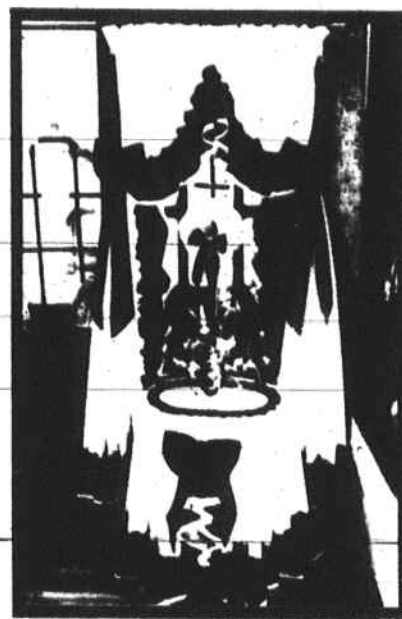
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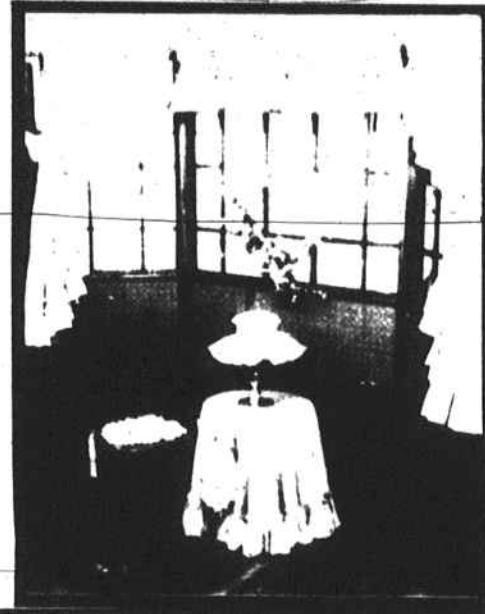
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The United Negro College Fund will celebrate a decade of telethon success on Saturday, Dec. 30, when some of the entertainment world's top performers will appear on a special 10th anniversary edition of the "Lou Rawls Parade of Stars" telethon. Co-hosts for the event include Marilyn McCoo, a telethon anchor since 1983, along with television game show host Alex Trebek. Sharing co-host duties from Las Vegas will be Nancy Wilson and Ed McMahon, who first served as co-host 10 years ago.

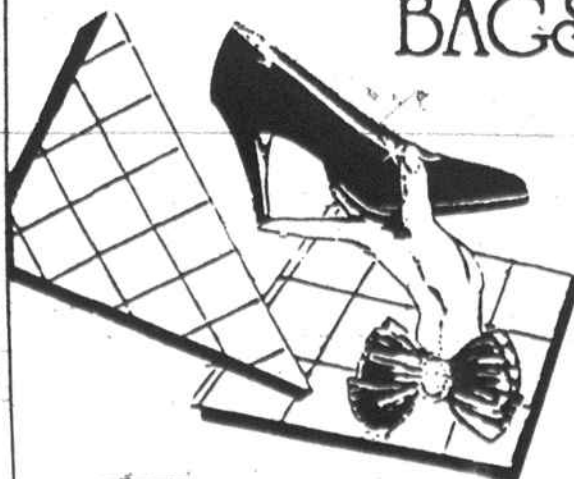
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