

Poems Wanted for Contest and Anthology

Dorrance Publishing Co. Inc. is accepting poems for submission to its winter 1994 Contemporary Poets of America and Britain poetry contest. There is no entry fee. A total of 100 cash prizes valued at \$5,000 will be awarded. Also 100 gifts of recognition will be conferred.

All poets, regardless of previous publication or experience, are cordially invited to submit their work for inclusion in this contest. All 100 winners of cash prizes will be guaranteed publication in the Contemporary Poets of America and Britain, Winter 1994 Anthol-

ogy, a hard-bound volume featuring poets from both sides of the Atlantic. Non-winning entries may be published at the author's request with purchase of a copy of the anthology.

Interested poets are encouraged to submit one poem, 20 lines or less, any style or subject. All poems entered into the contest will be reviewed by a panel of qualified, impartial judges.

First prize will be \$1,500. A second prize of \$500, third prize of \$100, and 97 honorable mentions of \$30 will also be awarded.

The deadline for submission of poems for the Winter 1994 Contemporary Poets of America and Britain contest is Aug. 31, but poets are invited to submit their poems as soon as possible.

Contest awards will be announced on Nov. 30. Late submissions will be entered into the next contest.

For further information on the contest, write to Contemporary Poets of America and Britain, Dept. NR-W94, 643 Smithfield St., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15222.

Free Prostate Seminar to be Held

Benign enlargement of the prostate affects more than half of men over age 50, and cancer of the prostate is now the most common cancer among men.

A local urologist will discuss the symptoms and treatment of

prostate enlargement and prostate cancer at a free seminar for men over age 50 and their wives.

The program will be held Tuesday from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Community Education Center, located at 855-B Bethesda Road.

The seminar is sponsored by Forsyth Memorial Hospital and Medical Park Hospital with a grant from Merck & Co. Human Health Division. For more information or to register, call Health Connections at 760-0122.

Red Cross Offers Teens Summer Volunteer

The Northwest North Carolina Chapter of the American Red Cross is gearing up for its annual Summer Youth Volunteer Program and is accepting volunteer applications now.

The program matches teenagers, ages 13-18, with one of 30 area agencies who have immediate openings for summer volunteers. "Our program allows young people to build self-esteem and learn about

responsibility," said Tim McCoy, director of Volunteer Services.

"This experience proves to be an excellent opportunity for personal growth in this crucial time of a young person's life."

The summer youth volunteers complete a Red Cross orientation and are then placed in one of 30 agencies. Volunteer placements

include Special Children's School and Family Services Head Start Program in Winston-Salem, Meadowbrook Manor in Clemmons, Tara Plantation in King, and Guardian Care in Walnut Cove.

For more information on becoming a Red Cross summer youth volunteer, call the Northwest North Carolina Chapter at 724-0511.

Senior Citizens Club Holds Luncheon

The Walkertown Senior Citizens Club held a luncheon meeting Friday at Red Rock Lodge on Pine Hall Road.

Henry Chandler sang a solo. Chandler and Rayford Manns sang a duet, accompanied by pianist Eloise Strickland.

Marchous Roberts, secretary, was the emcee and introduced the speaker, the Rev. Harry Smith. Scripture was led by the Rev. William Harris. The welcome was

delivered by Grady Mills.

Lois Russell Smith, president, made presentations. Walkertown Mayor H. Gray Swain received 50 pairs of eyeglasses for the Lion's Club, which were collected by the senior citizens club. Artanzia Jones, who is retiring this month from Experiment in Self-Reliance's senior services division, received a plaque in appreciation for her services to the club as coordinator. Swain and Jones gave remarks. Smith was also

presented a plaque in appreciation for her service to the club.

Moriece Davis delivered the grace. Clara Chandler, chairman, and Ruby Robert, Ruth Davis, Narvie Campbell and Marie Fulp served refreshments. Other participating members were Franklin Taylor and Willie Mae Miles. Refreshment were sent to other members.

The club theme for May is "Be A Friend."

State Insurance Commissioner Appoints Special Assistant

Insurance Commissioner Jim Long recently announced that Sherri Paulette White of Clinton has been appointed as special assistant in the N.C. Department of Insurance. White has been serving as director of Constituent Services for U.S. Congressman Martin Lancaster.

"We are all delighted to be able to recruit someone with Ms. White's considerable talent and background," said Long. "Her knowledge of eastern and Piedmont North Car-

olina, her reputation within several special communities, and her service-minded orientation are important additions to the department."

White's duties will include acting as one of the department's liaisons with the General Assembly; liaison with public interest and public service groups; director of the department's Office of Minority Affairs; and leading a variety of special policy, research and outreach projects.

White has worked with Congresswoman Lancaster since 1987. She holds a bachelor of science in zoology from Howard University and did graduate work at North Carolina A&T State University and the Bowman-Gray School of Medicine. Active in political and civic affairs, White served as a volunteer at the 1988 Democratic National Convention in Atlanta, and as a VIP troubleshooter with the 1992 Democratic National Convention in New York.

Summer Outdoor Furniture Should be Stylish, Durable and Easy to Maintain

Summer-time consumers crave outdoor furniture that is stylish, durable, easy to maintain, lightweight and affordable — all qualities that resin furniture possesses.

Resin is a form of plastic. Most formulas combine polypropylene with other chemicals that make the finished product more flexible, sturdier and better able to withstand the elements than previous generations of plastic furniture. Other improvements include dust and static-free properties and a glossy finish. Styling improvements include more generous chairs and sturdier tables.

Although white is the best-selling color, hunter green, gray and black — particularly for indoor use — are selling well in some areas. Several manufacturers are exploring different ways to introduce color, reports the Soap and Detergent Association. These include colored inserts in seats and backs, snap-on seat cushions, woodgrain textures and multi-colored table tops in marble and granite finishes. In some cases, resin is combined with other materials, such as melamine, acrylic or glass.

Stackable chairs are extremely popular. They are easy to store and styled to be suitable for indoor as well as outdoor use in dorm rooms,

play rooms and as spare chairs. Because they are light, compact and won't scratch the floor, they are particularly welcome as extra dining



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room chairs.

Prices can vary widely. In general, the more expensive versions are thicker and heavier than the less expensive ones. High-end resin furniture is usually heavier and often has a lacquer finish that resembles high-gloss paint.

Resin furniture can retain its sleek, clean look for years with minimum care. Most soils and stains can be cleaned off with a non-abrasive, all-purpose cleaner, a glass cleaner or a cleaner-polish, following the package directions. Or wipe the surface with a sponge or cloth dipped in a solution of hand dishwashing detergent and warm water. Rinse thoroughly and dry with a clean, soft cloth.

This is the season to enjoy the outdoor furniture. A lot of people stored their outdoor furniture and

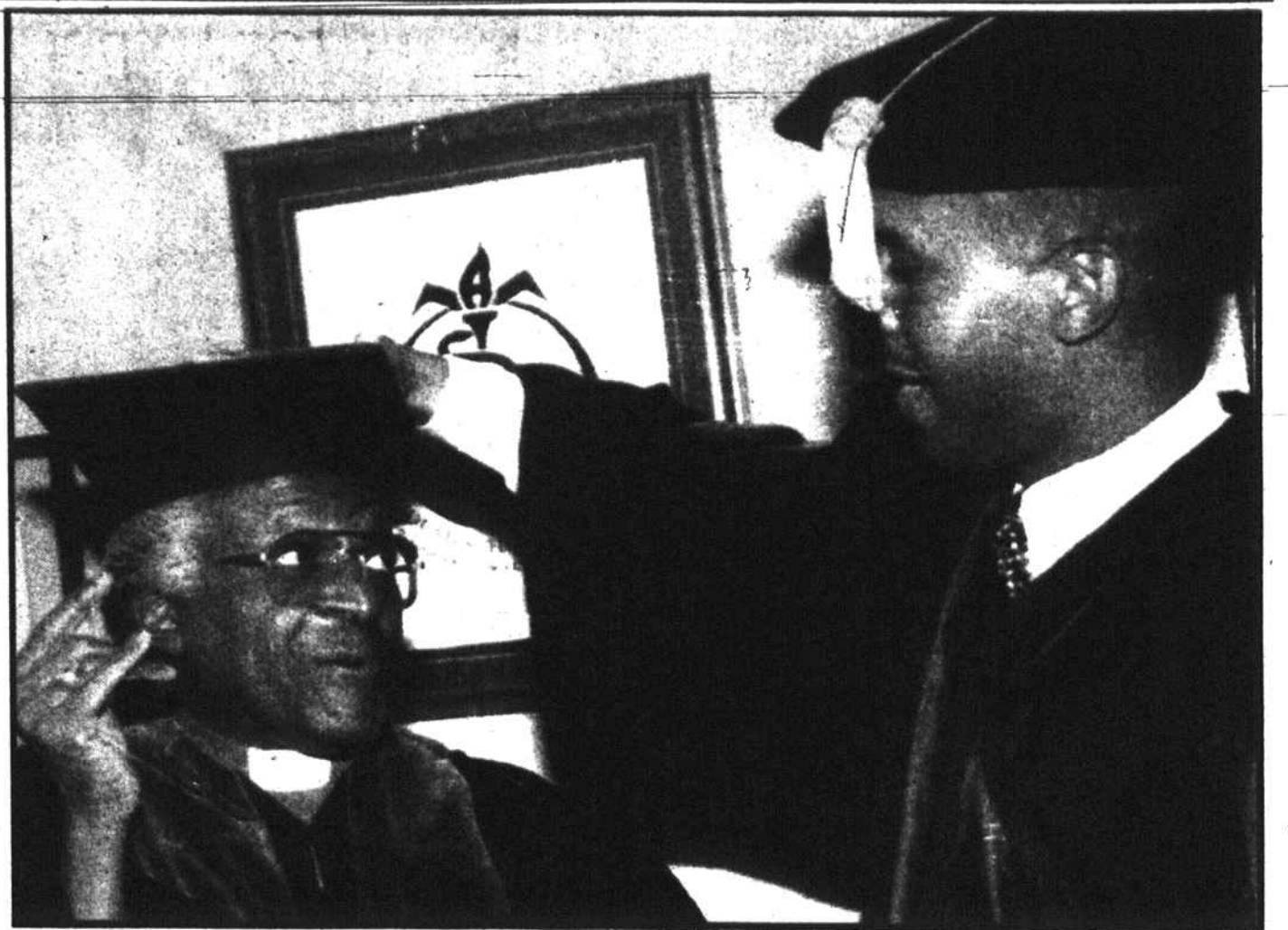
are ready to clean it up to dress up the patio, deck or lawn. Many persons are asking questions about how to clean their outdoor furniture. The

following information is a care package for your furniture:

The best care of vinyl furniture to remove all mildew. Chlorine bleach is safe to use on most vinyl furniture. However if in doubt, pre-test the solution on an inconspicuous spot before cleaning.

Wrought iron furniture can be wiped down with a damp cloth and dried. Wrought iron needs painting at least every other year. For rust on metal, sand the rust off and wipe down the surface with a damp cloth that has been dipped in a clorox water detergent solution.

Wood furniture will need a thorough dusting. If there is a protective coating on the wood, wipe down with a solution of sudsy clorox and water. Red wood needs a wood sealer from time to time, and when the color changes it needs restoring.



Wayne J. Riley, president of the 1993 senior class of the Morehouse School of Medicine, helps Archbishop Desmond Tutu with his mortar board before commencement exercises in Atlanta Saturday.

Tutu Meets with Clinton at White House

The President met with Anglican Archbishop Desmond Tutu of South Africa in the Oval Office yesterday. During the meeting, the

President and the Archbishop reviewed progress being made toward non-racial democracy in South Africa.

A group of Nobel Peace Prize laureates joined them for a meeting on the status of human rights in Burma.

Local Student Receives Degree

Tawanna Lynette "T.K." King, a 1989 honor graduate of Bishop McGuinness High School, received a bachelor of science degree in computer science from the Catholic University of America in Washington last Saturday. King received a minor in management of human resources.

King was a member of the women's basketball team, where she presently holds the school record for scoring the most points in a single game and the most 3-points scored. She is also listed in Who's Who Among College and University Students.

She has also received awards for Most Valuable Player and Female Athlete of the Year. She was named to numerous confer-

ence teams in basketball.

King is a member of St. Benedict Catholic Church and Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie L. King and the granddaughter of Flora B. King and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Cain Jr.

King's parents treated her to a graduation reception at the Quality Hotel in Washington after the ceremony.

Family members who attended were Tonjua King, Randall Cain Sr., Ruby O. Cain, James D. King, Margaret and Johnny Baker, William H. Cain III, Malcolm and Carol Cain, Annie B. Kimber, Angela King, Christopher Baily Sr., Tasha Lopez, Leia and



Tawanna "T.K." King Ashley Cain, Mark and Phillip Bailey, Timeka Couthen and Mac Frances McRae.

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SUMMER ART CAMPS

- UNDERSEA WORLD 6/9-11, 9am-12, 6/14-15, 1-4pm
Multi-media fish fantasies!
- TROPICAL RAINFOREST 6/14-6/18, 9am-12
New this year! Explore a creative jungle!
- ART AROUND THE WORLD 6/21-25, 1-4 pm
Celebrate diversity with art!
- STORYBOOK 6/28-7/2, 1-4pm
Write, illustrate, and create your own!
- NATIVE AMERICAN ART 7/6-7/9, 1-4 pm
Myths, stories, legends, inspiration!
- SAWTOOTH CIRCUS 7/12-7/16, 1-4 pm
Three-ring carnival, kid created!
- ANIMAL KINGDOM 7/19-7/23, 9am-12
A creative safari with live animal models!
- PLAYMAKING 7/26-7/30, 9am-12
Costumes, sets, standing ovations!
- YEAR OF AMERICAN CRAFT 8/2-8/6, 9am-12
Celebrate the work of the hand, a national heritage!
- OUTER SPACE 8/9-8/13, 9am-12
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A NEW ENDEAVOR FOR THE NEW YEAR!!

The New Year is here and some of us are looking for a new challenge, a new way to extend ourselves and grow. Becoming a foster parent may be just the right step for you. The Forsyth County Department of Social Services is looking for couples or single adults who are caring and understanding, who believe in children and their right to a secure, stable environment.

Complete training, support, and reimbursement will be provided.

Foster Parents Can make a Life - Time Difference For a Child.

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