

For June 8-10

Presbyterians Plan Meeting

The Catawba Inter-Presbytery Program Agency, consisting of the United Presbyterian Churches in North Carolina and Virginia, will host the Rev. Clinton M. Marsh, Moderator of the General Assembly, U.P.C. and Mrs. Mary Pardee, National President of the United Presbyterian Women.

Over 300 Presbyterians from North Carolina and Virginia are expected to participate in planned events. The theme for this occasion is:

Dr. King To Speak Here Saturday

The Penecostal Temple Church of Christ and God will host Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., Saturday, May 18 at 8 p.m.

Rev. King was originally scheduled to speak at the Charlotte Civic Center, however, the response of the black community was below what the coordinator, Rev. Joe Sherman Jr., anticipated thus causing the change in location.

Although there will be no admission charge for Saturday's event those in attendance are asked to make a contribution. Funds raised will go into "The Dixie Community Fund."

Rev. King, the father of slain civil rights leader, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., is pastor of the Ebenezer Baptist Church of Atlanta, Ga.

Rev. King has received several honorary degrees in recognition of his work and underlying efforts to bring about racial harmony and equality.

He was awarded the honorary degrees of Doctor of Divinity from Morris Brown College, Doctor of Humanities from Wilberforce University and Doctor of Letters from University of Haiti, and Doctor of Divinity from Morehouse College.

Lem Long Jr. To Head Elks

Lem Long, Jr. was elected President of the North Carolina State Association of Elks at the organization's Annual Convention held in Raleigh, N.C. May 4th through May 8th.

He was installed on May 6th at the convention which was attended by approximately 500 Elks.

The Charlotte businessman is the owner of Long's Mor-

tuary, Manager of the AME Zion Publication House, and Secretary-Treasurer of the Church Extension Department of the AME Zion Church. He has also been named in Who's Who in North Carolina for the year 1974.

Mr. Long is married to the former Miss Eddie Vaughn and the couple have one child, Lem Long III.

Events planned for their visitation are:

1. Workshop-Saturday, June 8, beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending at 3:00 p.m.

2. Banquet-Saturday, June 8, at 7:30 p.m.

(These events will be held at the Downtowner Motor Inn, Coliseum Area, Charlotte, North Carolina)

3. Popular Meeting-Sunday, June 9 at Grace United Methodist Presbyterian Church, Winston-Salem, North Carolina at 4:00 p.m.

Both the Moderator and the National President of United Presbyterian Women, will speak at all occasions. A wrap up session will be held on Monday, June 10, Johnson C. Smith University Memorial Union, Charlotte, North Carolina at 9:30 a.m. For further information, you may call the Unit's Office at 372-9360.

Attic Sale Set For Saturday

The Chappell Memorial Baptist Church is having an attic sale Saturday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Smith of 754 Bilmack Ave. from 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

They will be selling clothes, shoes, antiques, and many other odds and ends. Proceeds from the event will go to the Church's building fund.

The Rev. Wilson Mitchell, pastor of the Church, and the congregation cordially invites the public to join them. Oh, by the way, there will be plenty of food to eat while you browse through the merchandise.



LEM LONG JR.Elks President

Sterchi's Sales Up

Sales of Sterchi Bros. Stores, Inc. for April were \$2,493,622, reflecting a 4.25 percent increase over sales of \$2,391,971 for April last year. April sales were highest ever for that month and continued the company's 40-month record of increases over months of prior periods, according to C.A. Terrell, President.

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SICKLE CELL representative, Mrs. Peggy Beckwith, right, smilingly accepts \$200.00 check from Le Blanchettes Social Club treasurer, Mrs. Mildred Sanders Glenn, as the club's donation to help fight the disease which afflicts mostly blacks. Photo by Peeler.

To Sickle Cell Le Blanchettes Club Contributes \$200

The 7-year-old club which was started in 1966 to "help benefit our fellowman," according to Mrs. Mildred Sanders Glenn, sponsored a METROLINA DANCE at the National Guard Armory.

"The dance was a success, thanks to a tremendous amount of public support for which we are very grateful," said Mrs. Glenn.

In addition to helping various causes and charities. The experience has been a personally rewarding one for the ladies in white (Le Blanchettes) club composed of Mrs. Carlene Smith, Secretary, Mrs. Mildred Glenn, treasurer, Miss Shirley Mickens and Mrs. Bobbie Harris.

Charlotte's new Public Transit Specialist will be working under the Transportation Planning Coordinator, conducting bus route studies, examining route alignments, analyzing transfer points, and making other specialized studies

Rodger Feahr Named New Transit Specialist

City Manager David Burkhalter today announced the appointment of Rodger H. Feahr as the city's new Public Transit Specialist. Beginning his duties May 16, Feahr will be responsible for studying Charlotte's public transit needs in order to develop a system of dependable, safe and attractive bus transportation which will fit into a workable mass transit program for the city.

A senior transit specialist with Wilbur Smith and Associates since 1970, Rodger Feahr is already familiar with some of the transit needs of Charlotte. He has served as an assistant project director studying transit operations, finance and conducting service and technical studies in Charlotte as well as Columbia, S.C. He has also worked with the Washington, D.C. Metropolitan Area Transit Authority in conducting a bus and rail coordination study and participated in special studies for the State of New Jersey Department of Transportation and such cities as Roanoke, Va., Springfield, Mass., Syracuse, N.Y., and San Antonio, Texas. Prior to joining Wilbur Smith and Associates, Feahr served 20 years in bus operations as a manager with National City Lines, Inc. in Illinois.

concerning the city's bus system operation, and providing advice on how to operate and maintain a public transit system which will provide dependable service at a reasonable cost. He will also be coordinating efforts with other City departments and keeping up-to-date on federal and state programs designed to assist public transit systems.

Rodger Feahr is a member of various professional organizations including the American Society of Planning Officials, National High Research Board and American Transit Association.

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