



LOCAL ELK'S SHRINE CLUB FORMED

The outstanding work resulted by the Hobson R. Reynolds Elk's Shrine Inc. of Winton, North Carolina (I.B.P.O.E. of W.) proved to be the stimulus for a drastic need of a local chapter of the Shrines here in Charlotte. Thus, the members of the Pisgah Temple No. 228 of Charlotte, in search for integrity, continuity, persistence, devotion and sisterly love, held a meeting recently for the purpose of organizing a local chapter. A local chapter in Charlotte was thus organized under the direction of the Past Grand Daughter Ruler Margaret Carathers. Officers of this new chapter were elected as follows: Sec.-PGDR Dorothy McMurray; Assistant Sec.-DGT. Frances Mobley; Tres.-PGDR Larine Evans; Chaplin-DGT. Marie Whitten; and

Program chairperson-DGT. Annie C. Lawrence. Other chartered members of the local chapter are PGDR Marion Dorbey, PSP Florence Bucke, DGT. Amanda Adams and DGT. Harriet Steele. PGDR Lelia Drakeford further enlightened the new chapter members' minds on all the beautiful aspects of the National Elk's Shrine Inc. This enlightenment served as an awareness of the members of the newly formed local chapter for a need to work jointly and faithfully with the national organization to meet the demands of the Elk's Shrine Club. The public is asked to give any type of assistance that will aid the Shrine Department to become bigger as an organization, and better in its functions this year and for years to come.

Juvenile Diabetes Not Just For Kids

Juvenile Diabetes isn't just for kids. It strikes teenagers and young adults as well and they all have one thing in common: they must take daily insulin injections to stay alive.

Mrs. Roz Greenspan, president of the local Juvenile Diabetes Foundation, (JDF), spoke with us recently and explained some things which the average layman may not be aware of concerning diabetes and the work of JDF.

She said, "With juvenile diabetes, the most severe form of diabetes mellitus, the body loses its ability to manufacture and/or utilize insulin - a chemical necessary for the

assimilation of carbohydrates. "Maturity-onset diabetes usually begins in the middle of later years, but is better characterized by a slower progression of the disease and its complications. Treatment is usually through control of diet and body weight, sometimes with the addition of oral medication."

Mrs. Greenspan noted that, "Diabetes now affects ten million people in the U.S., one million of whom are juvenile diabetics. The Juvenile Diabetes Foundation is a volunteer non-profit health organization whose main goal is to fund

diabetes research by raising public awareness and supporting families with diabetes. It is an international organization with chapters in the U.S., Canada and some foreign countries." Many of the volunteers are the parents of juvenile diabetics.

Mrs. Greenspan explained that she feels the general black community may not be familiar with the organization and its work, and added, "According to information released by JDF, non-whites are more likely to have diabetes than whites and low-income people are 3 times more likely to have it than middle-

Mount Peace Baptist Conducts 109th Annual Session

By Ms. Linda K. Hunter

Special To The Post

The 109th Annual Session of the Mount Peace Missionary Baptist Association was held recently at the Gethsemane Baptist Church, 2670 Dr. Carver Road.

The association, which boasts a membership of 40 churches, kicked off the week of fellowship with a musical program on Monday night. Various choirs were presented to the assembly by their individual pastors.

Rev. J.A. Cuthbertson presented the Young Adult Choir of Pleasant Hill. The Young Adult Choir of First Mt. Calvary were presented by Rev. Marion Clowney. Rev. M.H. Bostic presented the Musical Choir and the Jubilee Chorus

of Salem. Rev. R.A. Macon presented the choir from Progressive. Two choirs of the Host church were also featured. The Moderator of the body, Rev. R.M. Young introduced two choirs from St. Paul Community, the Chancel Choir and the Young Adult Choir.

Tuesday night, the Ushers presented their program. The host pastor, Rev. C.E. Dewberry delivered a most dynamic and inspiring sermon on the subject, "Edifying Christ." Encouraging and instructional remarks were given by the President of the Usher's Auxiliary L.M. Dawkins and Rev. H.S. Diggs, the Dean of Ushers.

Wednesday was Laymen's Day. Greetings and appeal for support were heard from Dr. Preston Pendergrass, pastor of Antioch, from the histo-

ric Friendship Junior College. The evening's sermon was preached by the Rev. Walter A. Rorie, pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist Church. The message was stirring and challenging.

Thursday was truly Woman's Day in that it was the only session to begin at 9:30 a.m. With President Lucinda Satterwhite presiding, Mrs. Mary McKinney delivered the morning's theme thought. The noon sermon was preached by the Rev. A.G. Glory, pastor of St. Mark, in a most electrifying manner. At the afternoon session, a memorial service was conducted in honor of the late Moderator, Dr. J. Arthur White and members of churches in the association that had died since the last annual sessions. This service was followed by the President's Annual Address. Miss Satterwhite's wonderful message ignited a spiritual explosion unequalled throughout the entire week.

The evening session began with a most inspirational program presented by the Youth and their Supervisor, Mrs. Hannah Crowe. The Young Adult Honor, which followed,

featured four speakers: Mr. Thomas Sadler, Mr. Scott Hendrix, Ms. Rosa Thomas and Mrs. Rebecca Caldwell. The climax of the days activities was the Minister's Wives Hour. These lovely ladies presented a dramatic skit and a fashion show which featured their children and grandchildren.

On Friday night those assembled heard the first Annual Address of the Rev. R.M. Young who succeeded to the office of Moderator upon the death of the late Moderator, Dr. J. Arthur White. The body heard final reports from auxiliaries and commit-

tees and voted in a slate of officers to serve a two year term. The new officers are as follows: Moderator, Rev. R.M. Young; First Vice Moderator, Rev. J.A. Cuthbertson; Second Vice Moderator, Rev. Paul W. Drummond; Secretary, Rev. Waylon R. Wallace; Asst. Sec., Mrs. Priscilla Stowe; Sunday School and B.T.U. Congress President, Rev. Walter A. Rorie; Usher's Auxiliary President, Mr. L.M. Dawkins; Treasurer, Rev. C.E. Dewberry; Historian, Rev. M.B. McIlwain; Minister's Wives Pres., Mrs. P.W. Drummond; Pres. Pastor's Conference, Rev. A.G. Coley

Senior Citizen Clubs

To Take Cruise In 1978

District VIII of the N.C. Association of Senior Citizen Clubs is making information available to anyone interested in taking a cruise to Bermuda Sept. 20, 1978.

Each year this association, a part of the N.C. Recreation and Parks Society, invites not only its club members, their friends, and relatives, but the general public to go on a trip to some new and exciting place. Cynthia Byars, Advisor for District VIII, states "The purpose of the endeavor is to provide a congenial group of traveling companions for those who do not travel because they cannot find a friend to go with them. Participants have ranged in aged from 9 to 80 years—couples and singles. Over the last two years we have had an increasing number of out-of-state participants. The trips are announced at least one year in advance in an effort to give everyone ample opportunity to make reservations and to save for the event."

Participants will sail on the Mardi-Gras from Norfolk, Virginia. Rooms aboard the ship are based on double occupancy, but the organization will try to find roommates for those who have none. Fares


range from \$395-\$950 depending on type of accommodations desired. Prices include room, six meals per day, access to all shipboard facilities, duty-free shipboard shopping, and more. Transportation to Norfolk is not included, but tentative plans are being made to offer bus transportation from Shelby, Gastonia, and Charlotte if these cities have at least 20 persons desiring to go. Shore excursions, service gratuities, and items of a personal nature are not included.

Those interested in receiving further information should contact Miss Byars at 864-3211, Ext. 297 (9 a.m. - 5 p.m.) or write N.C. Association of Senior Citizen Clubs, c/o P.O. Box 1748, Gastonia, N.C. 28052.

Patterson's Mother

In the article, "N.C. Mutual Honors Two Retirees," that was presented in the last issue of the Charlotte Post, an error was made for a name was omitted from the article.

Among Norman Patterson's guests attending the luncheon was his so beloved mother, Mrs. Callie Patterson of Lenoir, N.C.

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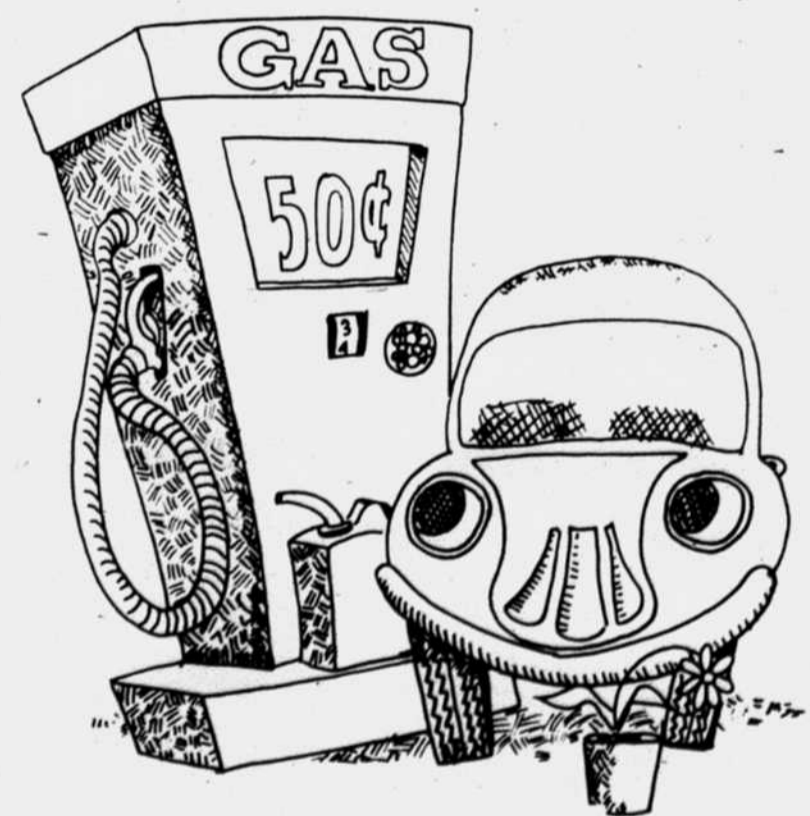
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