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ROYAL WEDDING - Fourth graders at North School are pictured above performing the wedding of Prince Charles and Lady Di. The wedding will be part of the program when the N.C. Symphony plays a special concert for third through fifth graders November 10 at Barnes Auditorium. Members of the wedding party include Kim Ruff, bride; Jason Hughes,

groom; Steven Richards, father of the bride; Nickie Jackson, mother of the bride; Robbie Cansler, preacher; Nicole Hildreth, Queen; Vickie Wray and Tina Mathis, bridesmaids; Allen Moore and Michael Ball, ushers; and Grgg Miller, Kenneth Massagee and Chip Parker, trumpet players.

KM Teachers Attend Conference

School Board members, principals and teachers from over 70 North Carolina school systems will meet with nationally known scholars at the School of Science and Mathematics Biennial Conference in Durham on October 21 and 22.

Participants will discuss ways to meet the nation's increasing demands for technical knowledge and competence. The meeting will honor the late Dr. Philip Handler, former president of the National Academy of Sciences and a Duke professor.

A combination of open and closed sessions will give participants an opportunity to learn about successful projects and discuss possible projects for "Energizing and Mobilizing Partnerships for Science and Mathematics Education as a National Priority." Among prospective partners for progress in meeting the nation's needs are education, industry, state government, and communities.

Dr. Cecily C. Selby, conference chairman, is co-chairman of the National Science Board's Commission on Precollege Education in Mathematics, Science and Technology.

Open sessions will be held at Baldwind Auditorium at Duke on October 21 from 9:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend free of charge. No reservations are needed.

That morning Dr. Lewis Thomas, Chancellor of the Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Institute will deliver the first Handler Lecture, "Challenges" Other morning speakers include Governor James B. Hunt, Jr.; Director Charles R. Eilber, NCSSM; Senator Kenneth Royall, Jr.; Dr. D.W. Colvard, Chancellor Emeritus of UNC-Charlotte; Dr. Robert L. Hill, James B. Duke Professor of Biochemistry at Duke; and Dr. Frank Press, President of the National Academy of sciences.

Afternoon speakers will in-

clude Dr. Quentin Lindsay, Science and Public Policy Advisory to the Governor; Dr. Prezell Robinson, President of St. Augustine College; Dr. Thomas S. Ellman, Vice President of Carolina Power and Light Company; and Thomas Lambeth, Executive Director. Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation.

Late afternoon discussion-panel members will be Dr. Elizabeth Koontz, retired assistant state superintendent of public instruction; Patricia Barrows, Rowan County science teacher; Amy Gilbert, NCSSM alumna, now at Duke; Jeanne E. Meiggs, superintendent, Currituck County public schools; Dr. George Bland, NCSU, assistant dean for undergraduate student services; and J. Patrick Price, Asheville City Board of Education.

Reservations are needed for the Thursday evening session where both Dr. A. Craig Phillips, state superintendent of public instruction and Professor A.G. Howson, University of Southampton, England, will be featured speakers. Howson, a member of the Commission of Mathematical Instruction, will talk on "Speaking the Same Language" at the Sheraton University Center 7:30 p.m. Admission is free of charge.

In small closed sessions on October 22, participants will rotate through mini-workshops, gathering information for prospective partnerships. They will hear about projects across the nation where partnerships between education, industry, higher education, state governments, organizations, and the community have been successful and will consider how partnership programs can be expanded and adapted to other communities. Among the seventeen workshop leaders are Bonnie Brownstein, New York Academy of Sciences; John G. Truxal, College of Education of the State University of New York at Stony Brook;

Bell Distributing New Telephone Books

Get ready to throw away your old dog-eared, crumpled, and out-of-date phone directory.

Southern Bell is currently distributing the new Kings Mountain-Grover telephone directory and should have new books to all telephone subscribers by late October.

According to T.M. Graham, Southern Bell District Manager, this year's telephone directory offers no major changes from last year. "The only change represents the growth of the community and our customers," he said.

A North Carolina photgraph is featured again this year on the front cover.

This year 19,000 directories were printed. This was an increase of 2000 from last year. Graham said, "publishing the directory for Kings Mountain and Grover customers required 24,700 pounds of text paper, 380 pounds of ink and 190 pounds of glue. The directory sections are updated annually in the director which also includes listings of Bessemer City, Gastonia and

Shelby.

The White Pages of the Southern Bell directory contain a wealth of information.

The introductory section, called the Customer Guide, has answers to many questions you may have about basic telephone service, long distance calling, or doing business with Southern Bell.

The Customer Guide is arranged in a readable, easy to use format and covers a wide variety of telephone facts, such as explanations of the different residence services available, how to save money when calling long distance, and locations of Southern Bell Phone Centers Stores.

In addition, there's a list of nationwide area codes, information on telephone services for disabled people, advice on what to do about annoyance calls, instructions on making international calls and a whole lot more.

"Discover the Customer Guide. It's in the front of your telephone directory," said Graham.



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PLAYING FLUTES - Students in Mrs. Lynda Stewart's fourth-fifth grade at Grover School practice playing the flutes as they prepare for the annual visit by the North Carolina Sym-

phony on November 10. The symphony will perform for third through fifth graders during the day and will give a public performance that night.



PRESS CONFERENCE - Musician Scott Joplin (Tim Roseboro), left, fields some questions from the news media during a press conference promoting the November 10 N.C. Symphony concert at B.N. Barnes Auditorium. Members of the press corps include Brenda

Conner, Michael Clack, Molly Bradshaw, Larry Carroll, Tasha Barnett, Ricky Wray, Michael Holliday, Shaft Hopper, Ami Butler and Misty Whetstone. All are students at North School.



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