



MRS. VIVIAN WARE

Vivian Ware Celebrates On Her 85th Birthday

It was a happy birthday surprise party October 26th, just two days before Vivian Summitt Ware was 85 years old. The immediate family and relatives; and a few close friends joined together to share their supper in honor of the occasion.

The Depot was beautifully arranged with white table cloths and table runners bearing Happy Birthday down the center of each. The floral arrangements were in shades of pale blue, green to bright shades of pink and lavender.

Over the rear exit door hung a huge banner of the rainbow and all around it read "Surprise, Surprise, Surprise" - Vivian Summitt Ware. Happy Birthday October 28, 1900.

The main attraction was the centered cake table; bearing the birthday cake 14x28x20 high. The two cakes below and the second tier cake were all decorated in roses of shades of pink and pale yellow and matching flowers of blue and lavender. Candles decorated each cake and burning brightly the 85 could be seen on top of the lovely cake.

The theme for the party was two fold. "Somewhere over the rainbow" and "I'm forever blowing bubbles". The intent was to insist Mrs. Ware play a little Rinkey Dink piano tunes, but she was so over come with the sur-

prise of it all; we asked a very accomplished pianist to smooth her nerves; Mary Hart roberts. So she played the beautiful music.

Out of town relatives were: Mr. and Mrs. William Early, Laura, and Eric of Shelby. Kim Early from Clemson College, S.C., Annie Laura Summitt, Estella Short, daughter, Jewell and her two children all of Charlotte. Jim Short of California and Shelby. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Roberts of Forest City, Maggie Short, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Short all of Ellenboro.

Mrs. Ware was lead to believe by her grandson Larry Ware and wife Lesa, they were taking her out to supper. Some friends of theirs were having a party at the Depot and they were to drop in to see them.

Drop in they did. Mrs. Ware insisting on letting them go alone, but they weren't going without her. It was a surprise. Mrs. Ware said "This place sure is decorated pretty" and she still didn't know until the group sang Happy Birthday to her. It was her party.

"We want to take this opportunity to thank each and every one who shared in making this a beautiful occasion for the food was excellent, and the gift table held so many lovely things. These nice memories mother will enjoy as she reflects back on it all", said her children.

Dr. Gibson To Speak At NAACP Meeting

Dr. William F. Gibson, national chairman of the Board (of directors) for the NAACP will be the keynote speaker at the annual mass meeting of the Cleveland County Branch of the NAACP. The meeting will be held Sunday at Shiloh Baptist Church, 1000 Frederick Street, Shelby. The program represents the culmination of the annual membership drive for the organization. The program will start at 6 p.m.

Dr. Gibson is a native of South Carolina and currently has a private practice of General Dentistry in Greenville, South Carolina. He received his B.S. Degree in Biology from North Carolina A&T State University and a D.D.S. Degree in Dentistry from Meharry Medical College. Dr. Gibson has received numerous honors and has been recognized for his record of leadership in the area of civil rights and community service. He also continues to serve as President,



DR. W.F. GIBSON

S.C. Conference of Branches of the NAACP.

The program is open to the public. Music will be provided by the R.E. Devoe Spiritual Choir.

Concert Set December 1

A concert by the Swans Creek Male Chorus of Hope Mills, N.C. is slated for Dec. 1 at 3 p.m. at Barnes Auditorium.

Davidson High School Alumni Association is sponsoring the concert for which tickets are now on sale to the public.

Gossett On Staff Of Daily Tar Heel

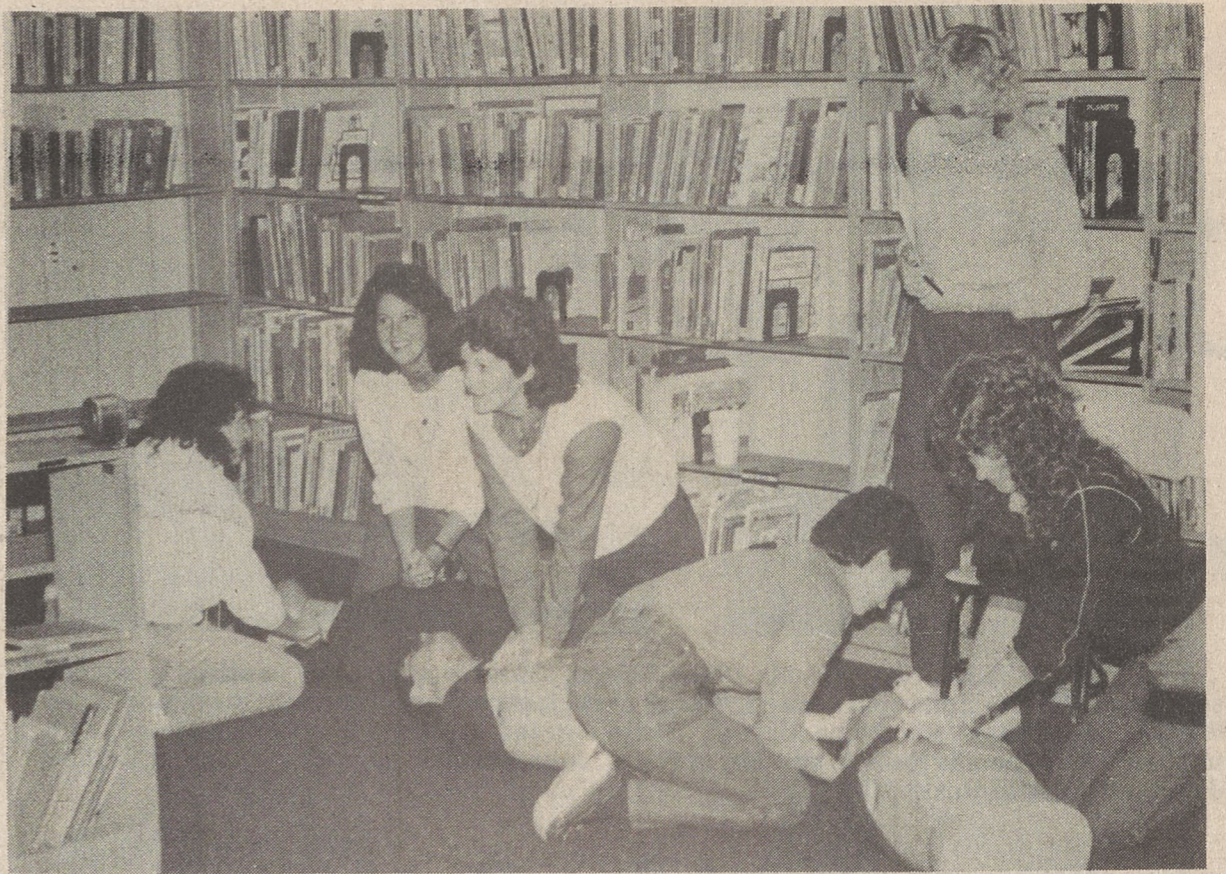
Todd Gossett, sophomore student at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, is a reporter on the staff of "The Daily Tar Heel", the student newspaper.

Gossett, 19, is the son of Shirley and Mal Brutko of Kings Mountain and Roy Gossett of Greensboro.

He is a journalism major and contributes regularly to the news columns of the student newspaper.



The earth is not perfectly round. Distances measured through the poles are shorter than those at the equator.



CPR TRAINING - Elementary teachers from Kings Mountain District Schools participated in CPR training last week at Grover School. Karen Davis, standing, of the Cleveland County Red Cross observes as teachers Joy Ellis, Suzy Holtzclaw, Karen Martin, Penny Canipe and Lynda Stewart (left to right) practice what they learned. The Grover PTO has donated a Red Cross dummy to be used for CPR training for ninth graders at Kings Mountain Junior High.

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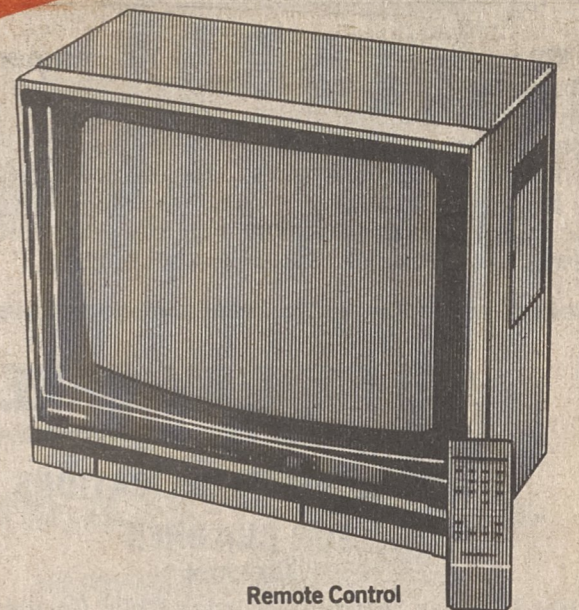
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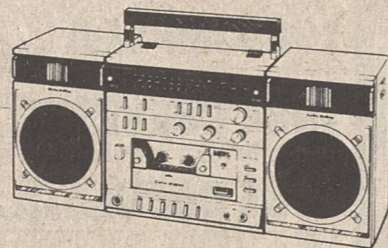
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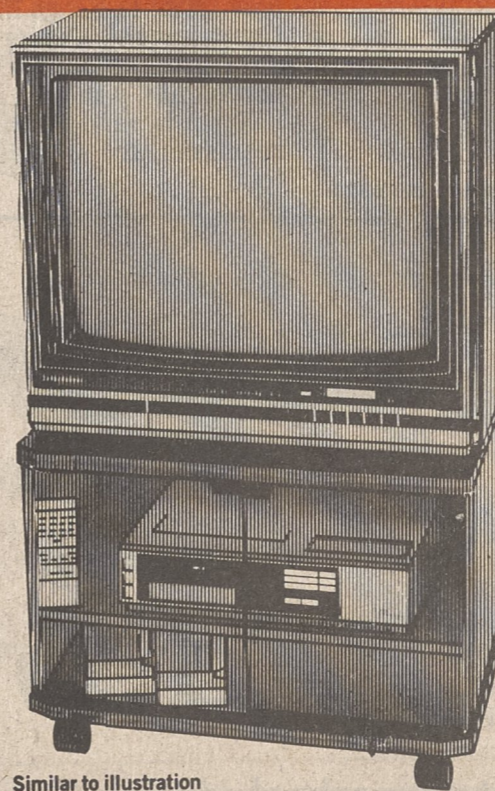
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