



FLAX CONCERT—On April 20 the Rocky Mount, Wilson, Tarboro chapter of The Links, Inc. will present Elza Lester in a recital at the Bunker T. Washington high school auditorium in Rocky Mount, N. C.

Appearing in the picture is the planning committee, reading from left to right, Mrs. Esterilda Hawkins, Mrs. Norma Darden, president of the chapter, Mrs. Jennie D. Taylor, general chairman, Mrs. Jessie H. Pash and Mrs. Marguerite Armstrong. Absent from the picture are Mrs. Anne Armstrong and Mrs. Sadie Armstrong.

In the fall of 1949 Miss Lester appeared (the only student) on a broadcast commemorating the 200th anniversary of the death of Bach. In June 1950 she appeared in the opera "The Magic Flute" by Mozart under the direction of the well-known conductor, Siegfried Landau and produced by Hans Sachse. She has also performed in Steinway and Carnegie recital halls.

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SPRING JILL, N. C.—With more than 300 automobiles parked outside for one mile and the church yard packed with some 2,000 people, some twelve hundred people from near and far gathered here at the Mt. Gilbert Baptist Church March 28 to pay their respects to the most popular and revered minister in the bounds of the Neuse River Baptist Association.

MORTICIAN SPEAKS
Principal speaker for the meeting was Chauncey C. Stokes, prominent local mortician who has been very practical and successful in his business ventures here. Mr. Stokes urged the pooling of our resources to build financial security for our people. Others on the program included J. T. Bellay and J. B. Barron.

OFFICERS ELECTED
Among the officers for the new year elected were Charles Jones, R. L. Aurora and Mrs. Catherine P. Lucas to the six-

member committee; F. Barron, F. L. Parker, L. Pipkin, John Faust, C. H. Richardson, Mrs. Pearl Horro, O. T. Heron, E. C. Isomber, Frank Morrison, Mrs. Barbara Terry and Jacob Baldwin on the board of directors. \$372 was paid in at the meeting which was largely attended.

LOANS OUTSTANDING were listed at \$127,722 with 77 of these being made during 1952 and only four applications were denied. Shares amount to \$15,163. Total assets and liabilities are balanced at \$16,334. Income was listed at \$3,218 as against expenses of \$3,485. Plans were announced concerning the opening of an office in the Bryant building in the little Bryant section about March 1st. Regular office hours will be observed there.

The Reverend W. M. Wilson Wiggins, dead of Baptist ministry in this section, was laid to rest amid glowing tribute from laymen, ministers and sisters. Revs. T. V. Foster, Sr. and J. E. James said the eulogy as twice as many people on the outside of the small church listened over a loud-speaker. Wiggins was pastoring four churches at the time of his death. They were Halifax Baptist, Mount Zion, Rosedale Chapel and Union Baptist, eighty-one years old now. Wiggins was the father of three children by his first marriage which was to the former Miss Molie Anthony (according to available information). Two children survive. They are Mrs. Martha W. Alexander and Mrs. Frances W. Smith, both of New York. The second marriage was to Miss Janie Alexander, 43 years ago. She survives.

WILLIE'S FRIEND
Life-long friends (almost everyone was Rev. Willie's friend) said Wiggins had been preaching fully 50 years and was responsible for the building of the old Tar River Institute which the Old Tar River Baptist Association operated at Greenville, N. C. for many years. Wiggins was past moderator of the association and is credited with being the founder of the Hertford County PTA and was prominently identified with many other programs in the county.

Among the participants on the funeral program were Rev. C. B. Branch, pastor of Mt. Gilbert, Deacons Jerry Pittman, John Spights, Noah Rascoe, S. G. Jenkins and Herbert Fleming. Others were BFC.

SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATIONS TO BE HELD

DURHAM (AP)—Competitive examinations for some 16 scholarships sponsored by the James E. Shepard Memorial Foundation will be given at North Carolina College here, April 11, it was announced this week.

Dr. A. E. Manley, chairman of the Scholarship Committee, said the foundation expects the number of candidates to exceed the 90 who competed last year.

This is only the second year that scholarships have been offered. Some 15 students from several state high schools now are enrolled at NCC under grant from the foundation. The scholarships are named for the late founder and first president of the college who died in 1947.

Meanwhile, the college announced that Miss Ruth G. Rich, former dean of women at NCC, has been named to succeed Dr. Manley, who will become president of Spelman College in Atlanta, Ga., July 1.

Veteran Rocky Mount School Teacher Mourned

By J. B. BARRON
ROCKY MOUNT—Funeral services were conducted from Mt. Zion Baptist Church here April 11 and Rev. Nedie Quirk Townsend, A. M. T. (Methodist), officiated. A bodyguard, made of 10 persons, and a guard of honor stood by.

The Rev. R. W. Underwood, Mt. Zion pastor, conducted the service and numerous floral tributes and a large following of friends which the deceased had gained during

her long residence here. Her late husband, Rev. W. H. Townsend, passed several years ago. Three children survive. They are William (Peter) Townsend, Mrs. Helen (Parker) and Miss Lucile Townsend. Not all relatives, Mrs. Townsend was a native of Rockingham, N. C., and left ten brothers, Edward, J. D. Quirk and W. H. Quirk. Also two sisters, Mrs. Connie Garth and Mrs. Corinne Little.

Virginia State College Band Sets N. C. Dates

PETERSBURG, Va.—The Virginia State College Concert Band will make a tour of the state of North Carolina beginning on April 12, it was announced April 4 by E. H. (Hank) Gattin, director of the band and acting head of the Music Department at the College.

During the tour the band will make seven concert appearances as many communities in North Carolina. Beginning on April 12, the band will appear at Elizabeth

City. The rest of the tour schedule is as follows: April 14, Spaulding High School in Spring Hope; April 15, Washington High School in Reidsville and Jordan-Sellers High School in Burlington; April 16, William Penn High School in High Point and Livingstone College in Salisbury; and April 17, Second Ward High School in Charlotte.

In each of its appearances the band will render numbers varying from the classical to the very

modern. Watauga and Eliza City of the Lower Creek, L. H. C. in Caldwell County think nothing of playing several times on their bases to hear something good soon.

Recently, according to W. A. Stephen, beekeeper specialist for the N. C. State College Agricultural Extension Service, the two swarms flew seven miles to a beehive session on the farm of A. Lee Tamm, Route 2, Granite Falls.

After the long bike journey the boys found, to their disappointment, that the bees weren't too friendly. Each received several stings, but even this failed to

stop the boys from hopping on their bikes and heading for home over the long seven-mile route.

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