



THE WOMAN'S PAGE



FASHIONS and SHOPPING

Bethune College Honors Its Founder

DAYTONA BEACH, (ANP)—Bethune Cooman college here was the scene last Friday evening of a testimonial banquet attended by several hundred persons and given in honor of Doctor Mary McLeod Bethune, founder and president of the college and national known head of the Negro division, NYA During Mrs. Bethune's absence in Washington as an NIA official, Abram L. Simpson is acting president of the college.

After the dinner and entertainment program, Mrs. Bethune spoke, pledging anew her determination to continue the fight for training of our boys and girls. She said Bethune-Cookman's greatest need at present was a permanent endowment, and that the school must secure \$135,000 immediately as the first step toward that goal.

A strong plea for support was made by Dr. Charlotte Hawkins Brown, famed woman leader and president of North Carolina's Palmer Memorial Institute. As a result, \$2,600 was raised, of which \$1,400 was in cash for the endowment. Mrs. Bethune said.

ON THE AIR

BY SALLYE BELL

For Associated Negro Press — Just in case you didn't know it, last week marked the 25th anniversary of the observance of National Negro Health week. You no doubt heard Dr. Robert Olesen of the U. S. Public Health Service, who was the principal speaker on the initial broadcast inaugurating the week's celebration last Wednesday 11 o'clock Washington, D. C.'s station WMAL at 3:15. He gave out some interesting bits of information, stressing the fact that this health business is not merely a celebration one week out of the year, but a year round health measure.

Also, that public health work is not primarily the provision of safe water, milk and food, but at the same time the maintenance of individual and personal health achieved by being receptive to authentic information intelligently applying these instructions. Major Campbell C. Johnson, executive secretary of the local YMCA, added pertinent comments, and Dr. Roscoe C. Brown acted as announcer and m. c. The Howard university glee club furnished the music, and all in all it was an entirely worthy program. If you heard it, I hope you didn't fail to drop them your letter of appreciation immediately afterwards. It's always gratifying, you know, to know that some one appreciates your efforts.

I hope all you folks who first "Our institution cannot reach the mark of an 'A' rating as a Junior college until our endowment reaches the standard requirements. We are requesting our friends to come to our rescue by sending contributions to this fund. Gifts to the endowment of Bethune-Cookman college will be permanent investment in human lives, bringing dividends of better citizenship, better leadership, better living.

IN RECITAL — The choir at the North Carolina College for Negroes presented an Oratorio from Olivet to Calvary in the B. N. Duke Auditorium at 3 p. m. Sunday afternoon. A silver offering was taken.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S PROGRESSIVE CLUB — At four o'clock Easter Monday afternoon the club is presenting a wienie roast at the Kyles Temple A. M. E. Zion church. Every member is entitled to invite one guest, and members and friends are asked to be present a short while before the hour to begin.

WEEK END VISITOR — Dan Eural of Washington, North Carolina was the weekend guest at the Biltmore Hotel.

SUNNY SIDE SOCIAL CLUB — The Sunny Side Social Club met at the Durham Chauffeurs Club room Tuesday night. The meeting was of business nature. Those present were Misses L. Turner, Catherine Hazel, Rachel Couch, Mary Toomer, Gazel Trice, Lillie Allen, Sigema Richmond and Frances Burt. Mesdames Magnolia Jenkins, Lathia Dixon and Eloise Adams.

CLUBS

SILVER MOON CLUB MEETS

The Silver Moon Club was entertained by Mrs. Walter Johnson at her home on Drew Street. The evening was spent for business after all business had been transacted. Mrs. Johnson served a delicious course of cream cheese on clix, peach mousse and lots of good things. A large basket of easter eggs were placed in center of dining room table. Every member declared Mrs. Johnson a wonderful hostess.

MISS BESSIE AVERY HOSTESS TO SILVER MOON

Members of the Silver Moon club entertained Miss Beattie Avery at a party Tuesday evening March 29 at the home of Mrs. Holeman on Gray St.

Miss Avery is a member of the Silver Moon Club but has been living in New York for the past year. She was presented a lovely gift from the members, chinese checkers were played during the evening sandwiches and toasted was served to Mr. and Mrs. Excell Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Rush Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holman, Mrs. David Gilmore, Mrs. Willie M. Debnan, and Mrs. French, Misses Beattie Fuller, Temple Crawley and Mr. Maynard.

OPTIMISTIC CLUB MEETS

The Optimistic Club entertained at the Biltmore Hotel Lobby on Friday night March 31. A delightful repast of sandwiches, mints and peanuts was served.

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SOCIAL COHERENCE CLUB

The Social Coherence Club met with Mrs. Vixian Ray March 28, at her home on Enterprise St. The meeting was opened by having usual devotions. After which all business was discussed, Miss Janet Wooten gave a very interesting program. Mr. Ray assisted Mrs. Ray in preparing the repast which consisted of meat sandwiches, grape punch with lemon, strawberry ice cream and apple pie and easter eggs with fruit. The next meeting will be with Miss Minnie Scott on Elizabeth Street.

MISSIONARY CIRCLE MEET

The Missionary Circle number two met with Mrs. Rosa Taylor 110 Umstead St. Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock, with Mrs. M. B. Fuller, President, presiding.

GOES TO SOUTH CAROLINA

Mr. and Mrs. James Reaves left the city Saturday to spend the Easter holidays with the parents of Mr. Reaves in South Carolina.

EASTER PROGRAM

The Intermediate girls' class of Ebenezer is looking forward to an Easter entertainment to be given by the teacher, Mrs. Julia Barbee.

UNION BAPTIST USHER BOARD MEET TUES.

The Lady Department of the Union Baptist Usher Board met at the M'Lady Dress Shop Tuesday April 4, 1939 at eight p. m. The meeting opened with the president Mrs. Minnie Ford, presiding. After a brief business discussion the meeting was dismissed. Mrs. Potter, Misses Mason and Miss Rogers all of whom are concerned with the M'Lady Dress Shop took much interest in showing the group the beautiful display of the latest fashions in dresses and how to wear them. After the display had been well-viewed C. C. Potter, proprietor of the M'Lady Dress Shop

Do it Different Club Presents Claude Hopkins

By Eddie Philip Ellis

In an affair, to eclipse all affairs for the current season, the Do It Different Club of which Doctor James Edward Shepard is president, literally lived up to its name when it presented Claude Hopkins and his orchestra in a dance reception at the College Gymnasium Monday night.

Lavishing in its artificial setting of maroon and grey, the bright lights, a symbol of democracy, gave the illusion of a regal sun set mid a sun colored background.

The diversified guest list represented achievement and culture, not only of Durham, but of the state and country — a wall. Although the affair was labelled "semi formal" evening attire for both ladies and gentlemen was the vogue.

Claude Hopkins, stylist at the piano, was right at home in the collegiate atmosphere, being a former student of Howard university where his mother at present is a member of the staff. The band wore blue satin uniforms, and this coupled with the velvety of the Hopkins harmony abetted by the canarying of Beverly White, placed the occasion as most outstanding due to the fact that Hopkins organization belongs to the Big Ten among dance orchestras today.

A partial list of the distinguished guests ensues:

Doctor and Mrs. James Edward Shepard, Dean and Mrs. Foster Payne, Doctor and Mrs. W. L. Kennedy, Dean Lorenzo Addison, Prof. and Mrs. E. D. Mickle, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Merrick, Attorney M. Hugh Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Spaulding Jr., Mr. and Mrs. F. L. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wheeler, President and Mrs. F. L. Atkins, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kennedy, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gates, Dr.

carried the group over to the Malone Cafe where they were served a delicious course of ham and tomato sandwiches, hot tea coffee and cake. The evening was highly enjoyed by every one.

and Mrs. J. N. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. A. Day, Mr. and Mrs. G. Cox, Dr. and Mrs. Leo Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Spaulding, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schooler, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. John Spaulding, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Austin, Doctor and Mrs. I. E. Turner, Doctor L. W. Upperman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Goodloe, Mr. and Mrs. John B. McLendon, Jr. Doctor and Mrs. V. V. Oak, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Michaux Dr. Gadret, Doctor and Mrs. Cleland, Mr. and Mrs. A. Henningburg, Mr. and Mrs. Grigaby.

Misses Marguerite Frierson, Grace Lanier, Theresa Shepard, Katie Kelly, Jane Avant, Ruth Rush, Thomasina Tally and E. C. Steele, Mesdames Eagleson, C. H. Shepard and Marjorie Sills, Dr. Atkinson, Messrs John Allen Foushee, Truman Breaux and Edward Avant.

Personals

CALLED TO WINSTON-SALEM — Charlie Little was suddenly called to Winston Salem to his son's death.

RETURNS TO NEW YORK — LeRoy Bynum of New York City returned April 6 after visiting his grandmother Mrs. Mary C. Evans who has been ill.

LOCAL BARBERS TO MEET — Two of the local barbers of this city are planning to organize a club especially for barbers on Sunday afternoon at 7 o'clock at a mass meeting to be held in Bull City Barber Shop.

AMOS WILSON GOES HOME TO LAST REWARD — Amos Wilson noted farmer and deacon of Liscomb Grove Church died at his home here on Thursday morning March 23. After an illness of several months. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon from Lipscomb Grove church.

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