

THE CENSUS TAKER IS COMING!

'Miss Hillside' Contest Gets Underway

BY WILLIAM A. TUCK
DURHAM—This week at Hillside Park High School votes have gone on sale for the annual selection of "Miss Hillside." Each year the Home Economics Club at Hillside School sponsors a popularity contest to determine the most popular young lady in the school and crown her with the highest honor the school can bestow upon her, the title "Miss Hillside."

Candidates for the "Miss Hillside" popularity contest are selected from the 9th and 10th grades by popular votes. The lucky young ladies selected then secure some one to manage their contest. Votes are solicited for each contestant and the young lady who receives the largest number of votes is crowned Miss Hillside at an elaborate ceremony. Many useful presents are given to winners of the contest through contributions of our down town and Hayti Merchants. The outstanding gift being a beautiful silver loving cup given annually by the N. C. Mutual Life Insurance Company. By their approval on a project designed to encourage high moral values and personality development among High School Youth. The eight contestants for this

year and their managers are as follows:

- 9-1—Thelma Hughes
- 9-2—Marie Johnson
- 9-3—Margaret Tapp
- 9-4—Dorothy Green
- 9-5—Beatrice Walston
- 10-1—Norma Thomas
- 10-2—Margaret Heller
- 10-3—Katherine Evans
- 10-4—Katie Gilmer

MANAGERS:

Abraham Graham, Joe Hart, man, John Cameron, Linwood Perry, Henry Williams, Burk Hollywood, Lawrence Ford, Fred Brewer, John Holloway.

Citizens in the community are asked to cast votes for their favorite contestant.

Winners of the popularity contest in previous years have been:

- 1931—Miss Vivian Farrington
- 1932—Miss Thelma Fitzgerald
- 1933—Miss Iola Stroud
- 1934—Miss Thelma Harris
- 1935—Miss Sarah Bass
- 1936—Miss Marietta Brown
- 1937—Miss Margaret Lambeth
- 1938—Miss Clara Douglass
- 1939—Miss Ruth Josey

Winners in previous years were truly our outstanding students. May we continue to crown with honor students who possess a strong personality.



HUNDREDS of thousands of Negro families like the above will have a visitor during the month of April—the Census taker. He will ask questions about the number of persons in the family, the age and occupation of each, and the type of dwelling in which they live. All this data will be used to compile the most complete statistics record of the state of the Union ever attempted. Be

cause this information is extremely valuable, Negro leaders all over the country have joined in urging every colored citizen to make the 1940 record the most perfect national accounting possible by answering the Census questions honestly and with hesitation. By Act of Congress all information given to a Census enumerator must be kept strictly confidential.

Churches

SAINT MARK AME ZION CHURCH

The Rev. W. T. Nelson, minister of the Pine Street Presbyterian church, choir and the members of his congregation worshiped with the St. Mark AME Zion church Sunday afternoon, March 31st. The Stewardess Board reported at this service and the Board reporting the largest amount or the person reporting the largest amount in the contest will be given a round trip to Washington, D. C.

Fred Cuttino, President of the Class Leaders are urging each members to be present to attend the Class Leaders' Conference Friday night, April 5th at 8 p. m.

The First Quarterly Mass Meeting met at Kyles Temple Wednesday, April 3 at 10 p. m.

The Missionary workers were asked to report their monies at the Zion church Sunday night.

The sick members of the church are Sisters Mamie Mciver, Viola Adams, Marie Marie Adams, Rosa Simmuel, Lillie Alston, Beatrice Day, Flora Hawkins, Bros. Ab Cameron, F. McNeill and O. T. Sligh.

W. Durham

MISS GERALDINE DURHAM from Mt. Olive and a graduate of North Carolina College for Negroes was a visitor in Durham and Chapel Hill for the past week. She was the guest of Mrs. M. H. Caldwell Williams and Mrs. M. C. Allen.

Mrs. S. P. Satterfield of Poe Street is very ill at the present time.

The Easter program was held at the West Durham Baptist Church Sunday night. Due to bad weather the program was postponed of Easter Sunday. Mrs. T. C. Graham and Miss Colonia Borland were sponsors.

Suicide

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 Believe Ostracism by Other Whites a Cause of Suicide; Former U. S. Attorney Was Nephew of Ties Joe Tolbert

standing over six feet and weighing more than 200 pounds, he was always able to protect himself.

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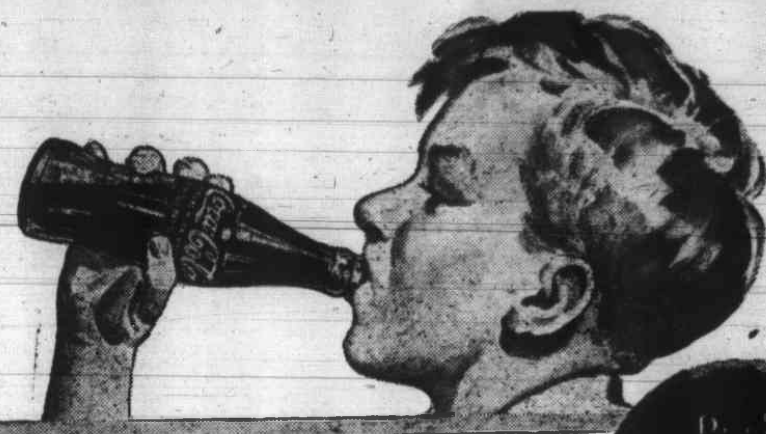
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Highlights Of Wendell

BY MRS. RUTH MORGAN
 For real laughter come on Wendell School April 8, 7:30 p. m. and see the Minstrel given by the Young Talent of Wendell. Mrs. Lillie Jones, Miss Margie Crews, N. G. Gadson, Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Morgan attended the Ushers Association at Reidville and reports an enjoyable trip. We hope that the wreck of last Thursday night will be a lesson to others: If you are not invited, don't be silly enough to "Crash" a party. Not one of the 8 passengers were seriously hurt although one car turned over three times. This car was taking the party "members" home. Health week is getting a great start in Wendell. The whole community helped in some way to beautify the cemetery on Monday, April 1st. Our only Cosmetologist has been confined to bed over a week which means our beauty is fading fast. We hope Mrs. Lyon will soon be able to make us more beautiful. Please turn to page seven.

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