

Charlotte News And Views

CHARLOTTE

On last Monday the modern dance classes presented a program in the school auditorium of West Charlotte High School.

Each dance was performed by separate groups, although some of the students appeared in two or more of the groups. Students who performed the dances were: Lelia Floyd, Patricia Stroud, Mary Foster, Cassandra Ford, Willa Mae Pullins, Emily Pinkney, Mary Agnes Smith, Marie Lomax, Peggy Sander, Ross McCombs, Mary Bailey, Frances Black, Katie White, Annette Davis, Beverly Montgomery, Minnie Pettis, Andredes Alexander, Shirley Way, Harriet Nail, Evelyn Bradshaw, Jettie Smith, Ruth Buford, Mamie Moore, Grace Owens, Jean McRae, Lannette, Pittman, Hazel Elvia Perry, Joyce Cathey, Calvine Rutherford, Hazeline Thompson, Zulie Montgomery, Darlene Jones, Bernice Vensie, Bernice Sloan, Vonzie Erwin, Louise Hill, Betty Mason, Barbara Agnes, Ruth Goforth, Mercer Broome, Elizabeth Withers, Patricia Brown, Jacqueline Platt and Samuel McDaniel.

Little Juanita Currie, a second grade student in one of the group was directed by Miss Anna Layton.

Choral Group Organized
The student nurses of the Good Samaritan Hospital School of Nursing were organized in a choral club early in October, 1953. All students interested in choral work are permitted to participate. The Nightingale Carolites, as the group is called are being trained by Mrs. Lydia Chenault Pride of Charlotte.

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a music teacher at the Western Union High School and voice specialist at the Beckwith School of Music. Mrs. Pride is a graduate of Knoxville College and has done graduate study at the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago, University of Cincinnati, and the University of Kentucky.

Since organization, the Nightingale Carolites have made several appearances, having rendered two selections on the program given by the North Carolina Nurses Association which met in Charlotte in October. Later in the fall, they appeared on a program at a District Nurses meeting held at Mercy Hospital of Charlotte. In January 1954, the group accepted a request to render a few numbers on a benefit program at Wilson Memorial Presbyterian Church.

The group has made two public appearances during the month of February, having made its radio debut on February 18 over station WIST on the Community Hour.

sponsored by Sears Roebuck Company through the St. Paul Baptist Church of Charlotte.

On February 19 the Nightingale Carolites were guest artists on the Omega Talent Hunt program held at West Charlotte High School and sang two numbers "Laura," by Johnny Mercer and David Raksin, and "Tenderly" by Walter Gross and Jack Lawrence. While the group sang, Miss Clara Hazell, a freshman in the Good Samaritan Hospital School of Nursing, and Billy Talbert, a senior at Johnson C. Smith University, were most effective in their performance of interpretative dances. Miss Dorothea Birch, a freshman was soloist.

Scholarship Quizzes

An intercollegiate examination was given at Second Ward High School recently. The examination was given to students from both Second Ward and West Charlotte schools to compete for scholarships. This test was sponsored by J. C. Smith University in Charlotte along with college and universities in Florida, Texas, Georgia, New Orleans and Nashville, Tenn.

Four senior girls attended a Youth Day Conference at Bennett College in Greensboro March 6 and 7. The purpose of this conference was to acquaint girls that are graduating from high school with the new educational facilities and training courses that are being offered at Bennett.

Girls attending were: Addie Watson, Bernice Davis, Christine Roseborough and Barbara Cureton, Mrs. Rosa H. Gaines, counselor at Second Ward accompanied the group.

Second Ward Wins Western AAA Crown

The Second Ward Tigers defeated the West Charlotte Lions 65-50 recently to win the Western Region AAA. William Gill with 21 and Frank Pharr with 17, led Second Ward offensively while Joe Williams starred on defense. Joe Robinson with 15 and Lester Ingram with 12 were the high scores for the losers.

Second Ward will represent the western portion of the state in the State Tournament which starts in Winston Salem on Mar. 11.

Semester Leaders Named at JCS

Leonard Green of Columbia, S. C. is freshman class president for the second semester at Johnson C. Smith University. Other officers elected recently at the university, are Ronald

Dockery, Philadelphia, Pa., vice president; Joan Page, Dillon, S. C., secretary; Marilyn Walker, Roxboro, assistant secretary; James Warren, Parkersburg, treasure; Frank Churchill, Charlotte, Johnnie Bobo, Enoree, S. C., and Mr. Greene, student council representatives; Jean Blue, Monroe, parliamentarian; and Elaine Powell, New York City, reporter.

Dr. Heaton Speaker At Fairview PTA

The PTA of Fairview School, 915 Burton St., met March 8 at the school. Guest speaker was Dr. George D. Heaton, pastor of Myers Park Baptist Church, who spoke on "Children's Rights Outside the Home and School." Mrs. Ethel Weathers is president of the PTA and W. G. Byers principal.

Speech, Hearing Clinic Reopens

The Evening Speech and Hearing Clinic, which was located formerly on Fayetteville St., has moved into a larger quarters and will open on March 10 from 7 to 9 p.m. at 615 McMannen St., according to Dr. Marcus H. Boulware, director.

Specializing in speech therapy with children, the clinic will give audiometric testing of hearing auditory training for the hard of hearing, speech reading (lip) for the deaf, and general speech therapy. A program for adult stutters will be greatly emphasized.

During 1949 to June, 1952, Dr. Boulware was speech and hearing therapist with the pub-

lic schools of Charlotte. He was visiting professor of speech correction and audiology during the 1953 summer session at North Carolina College. Currently two mornings per week, Dr. Boulware is serving as graduate speech pathology intern at the North Carolina Cerebral Palsy Hospital, where he gets training in physical therapy, occupational therapy, and speech therapy for the brain-injured child.



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Mrs. F. K. Watkins, Supervisor of Durham City Schools, and wife of F. K. Watkins, Durham business man who recently received her Masters Degree in Supervision, Administration and Curriculum Improvement from

Columbia University, New York City. Mrs. Watkins came to Durham from Greensboro a graduate of Bennett College. She also attended North Carolina College and graduated from that institution with a Bachelor of Arts Degree.

42nd Anniversary Of Girl Scouts To Be Celebrated March 7-13; Kits For Korea Project This Year

The Girl Scouts of Durham County will join with more than two million members of the organization throughout the country in celebrating Girl Scout Week, March 7-13, and the 42nd anniversary of Girl Scouting in the United States on March 12.

According to Mrs. E. C. Bolmer, President of the Durham County Council of Girl Scouts, this will be the first time that the week will be observed in March. Previously, it occurred in October, but by vote of the Girl Scout national convention last fall, the dates were changed to coincide with the annual celebration of the Girl Scout Anniversary on March 12.

Theme of the week will be "Know Your Neighbors—Know Your Nation." The seven-day observance will open on Girl Scout Sunday, March 7th, when troop members and leaders will attend their churches in uniform. During each day of the subsequent week Scout troops throughout Durham will feature an activity typical of the Girl Scout program—home-making, arts and crafts, citizenship, health and safety, the out-of-doors, and international friendship.

The highlight of the observance of the week in Durham will be a rally to be held Friday, March 12th, at the City Armory, from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Each troop throughout the city will feature a program activity in which it has participated during the year. The rally is open to the public and everyone is invited to attend.

KITS FOR KOREA
Girl Scout Project
Kits for Korea, a nationwide project of the Girl Scouts of the U.S.A., is being enthusiastically supported by troops in Durham, it was reported today by Mrs. R. L. Taylor, Program Chairman.

The girls are making drawing bags of gaily colored cotton and filling them with small useful articles for the children of Korea. The bags are being filled with such things as a pocket comb, soap, tooth brush, safety pins, needle and thread, a hair ribbon and similar items that people here in the United States take for granted as daily necessities but which are almost non-existent in stripped and war-torn Korea.

The gathering in of the kits in Durham will take place at a city-wide Girl Scout rally to be held in the Armory on March 12th at 7:30 p.m. It is anticipated that approximately 500 will be sent from Durham to American Relief for Korea, the agency which is cooperating with the Girl Scouts in shipping the Kits abroad.

The Girl Scouts of Korea, a small, comparatively new, but very active organization, were consulted by the Girl Scouts of

the U.S.A. before the Kits for Korea project was established. It was at their suggestion that the Girl Scouts of the U. S. A. collect and send the children of Korea the small necessities that are so scarce in that country. Above all, they said, put them in brightly colored containers to bring some cheer and gaiety into their lives. The Girl Scouts of the U. S. A. also consulted with American Relief for Korea to determine the kind of supplies that would be useful, easy to distribute, and to ship.

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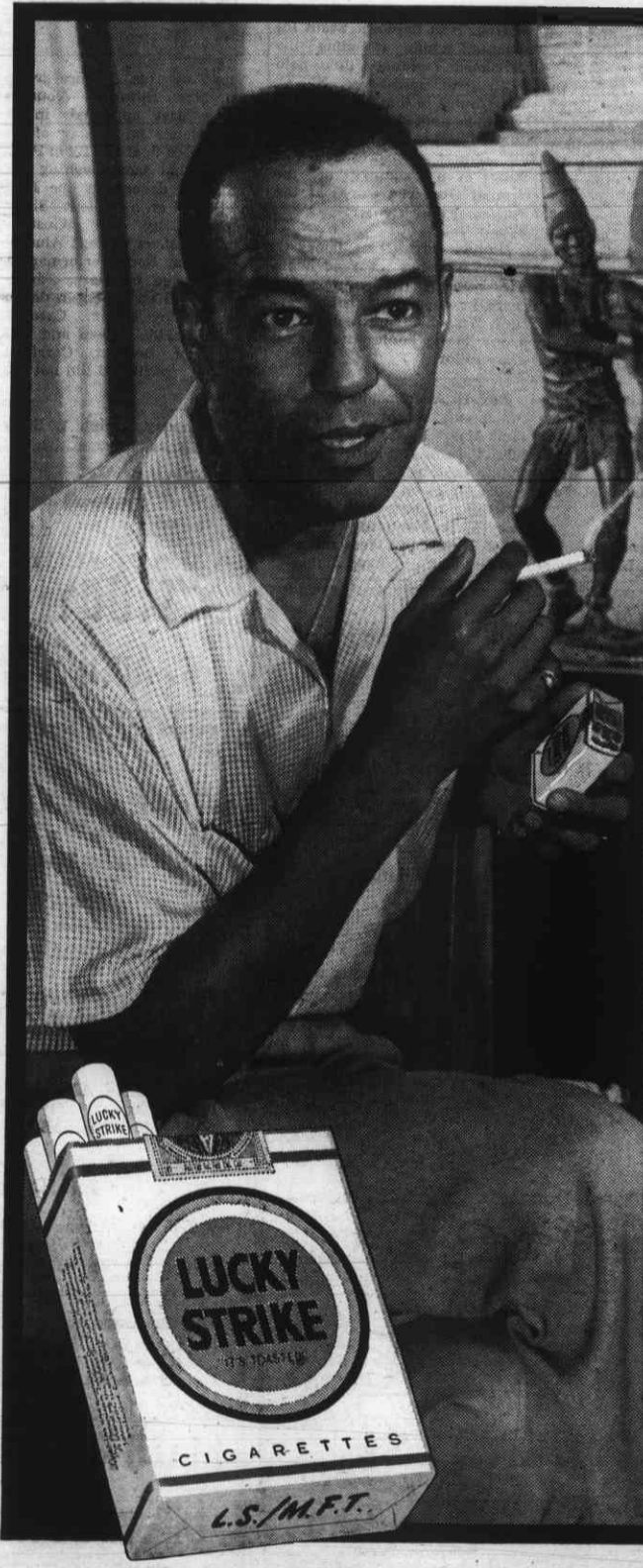
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Any prominence I may enjoy is due entirely to sculpture. So it must sound odd when I say that I'm giving it up in favor of painting. Many sculptors, I'm sure, will say, "Barthé's crazy. There he is, successful, and he quits." I don't think of it that way. Sculpture has never really satisfied me. It shows only the shape of people. With colors, I can express the inner quality of people much more vividly.

Of course, whether an artist finds sculpting or painting more expressive for his purposes is all a matter of taste, personal opinion. Just like the atmosphere he likes to work in. For example, give me soft symphony music, a glass of sherry and my pack of Luckies, and I'll work from dawn to dusk.

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