



The Lincoln County Teachers Association — NCTA shown above in the first such group to join the National Education Association of the United States as 100 per cent life members from North Carolina. A report from NEA Headquarters states that there is only one other local

teachers' group in the U. S. The 19 Negro teachers employed in Greenbrier County, West Va., became life members also. From left to right, first row, are, Mrs. Emma Wade, Mrs. Annie Wade Biggers, Jeanes Supervisor, H. T. Moore, Mrs. Rosebud Rendleman, and Miss

Artelia Alexander. Second row, Mrs. Annie Lorriss, Miss Edith Ramseur, Mrs. Lillian Russell, Miss Magnolia McCombs, Mrs. B. M. Wallace, and H. B. Heath. Third row, A. G. Holland, president; Willie Wright, Jr., and S. E. Biggers.



Pictured above in the costumes of their roles are, Gilbert Riley as Bill Sikes and Ronald Scholer as Oliver Twist. "Oliver Twist" is the title of the play to be presented Tuesday, April 13, at 8 P. M. by the Senior Dramatics Club of Hillside

High School, under the direction of Mrs. G. C. Lyles. Others in the cast, are, Nellie Washington, Eli Singleton, Ronald Scholer, Gilbert Riley, Marguerite Boulware and Benjamin Miles.

"Career Day Clinic" Sponsored By Guidance Committee At Ayden

The Guidance Committee of the Pitt County Negro Schools staged their initial "Career Day Clinic" March 27 in the South Ayden High School. The theme was "Plan Well Today—Live Well Tomorrow."

The program began with a general session at 10 o'clock in the morning. The speaker of the hour was Dr. Leo W. Jenkins, Dean at the East Carolina College in Greenville, North Carolina. D. H. Conley, Superintendent of Pitt County Schools presented Dr. Jenkins. Music was rendered by the Larkettes, a group of four girls attending the C. M. Eppes High School of Greenville. Other participants included: J. W. Ormond, Principal of the South Ayden High School; Mrs. I. O. Wilson,

Teacher in the Bethel High School; Mrs. R. L. Brown, Chairman of the Guidance Committee, presided.

College representatives present were: Dr. A. F. Jackson, A and T College, Greensboro; Miss Eleanor Barnwell, Bennett College, Greensboro; Lafayette Parker, Fayetteville Teachers College, Fayetteville; Dr. G. T. Kyle, Dean of the Graduate School, North Carolina College, Durham; Dr. Ray Thompson, Guidance Consultant, State Dept. of Public Instruction, Raleigh; Dr. N. H. Harris, Shaw University, Raleigh; Mrs. Melba Skinner, St. Agnes School of Nursing, Raleigh; Dr. A. E. Teele, St. Augustine's College, Raleigh; Dr. Davis, Instructor, Elizabeth City Teachers College,

Elizabeth City. Vocation consultants were: James Goode, Pitt County Agent, agriculture; Miss Edna Smallwood, Supervisor Jones County Schools, supervision; D. D. Garrett, Greenville, Business; Leroy Redden, teacher in the Green County Training School, barbering; Mrs. H. F. Barnes, Beutician, Farmville, cosmetology; Dr. Andrew Best, physician in Greenville, medicine; Mrs. Bessie Sealey, nurse, Pitt Memorial Hospital, Greenville, Nursing; Mrs. W. H. Davenport, instructor at the Eppes High School, music; Miss E. C. Staplefoote, instructor at the Eppes High School, home economics.

Committee members responsible for the program were: Mrs. R. L. Brown, Miss P. C. Nixon, Chairman; Miss Gwendolyn Howard, Secretary; Mrs. B.

Recreation Meet Held At Third Ward Center

A recreation institute was sponsored recently at Third Ward Community Center by the Social Workers Round Table of Charlotte and Mecklenburg County Teachers' Association. Miss Grace Walker, recreation specialist with the National Recreation Association, New York City, served as consultant and

director of the institute. The institute was open to all persons working with groups and who were interested in learning new skills and techniques through social recreation and socio-drama. The Social Workers Round Table, with the cooperation of other groups, sponsors a community project each year.

Members of the institute planning committee were: C. D. Rippey, Miss Allegra Westbrook, Forrist Willis, chairman; Mrs. Rosalie Wyatt, and H. C. Barnhill.

W. Mebane; Mrs. E. A. Elliott; Moses Kennedy; Mrs. V. D. Selby, and Mrs. E. C. Roundtree.

Junior Choir Sings At Saint Paul Church

Sunday morning services at St. Paul Baptist Church began with Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. followed with prayer services which entered into the 11 o'clock service. Music was by the Junior choir and orchestra, under the direction of L. A. Paige Sr., L. W. Wertz is president and Gospel choir No. 4, Robert Roach, leader, Sam Campbell president.

The pastor's texts was taken from, Isaiah 36:8; speaking from the subject "Riders for Horses". He pointed out the most important four horses in the group, (a) Opportunity (b) Education (c) Talent and (d) Christianity. At 3 p.m., Missionary Circle No. 3, sponsored a musical program with the "Five Sons of

Strangers." Representatives from Circles 1 and 2 made brief remarks. Mrs. Amy Crosby is president of the sponsoring organization. Following this program the Baptist Training Union met with the adviser, Mrs. Florence Harin. The evening service featured Baptizing. The evening message was delivered by Rev. B. M. McKenzie.

Sorority Observes Founder's Day

Beta Pi Sigma Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, observed Founder's Day by worshipping recently at the St. Mark A. M. E. Zion church. In the profound sermon, delivered by the pastor, Rev. S. P. Perry, christian leaders were exhorted to seek divine guidance in all undertakings and to let Christ be their partner in all walks of life.

Basileus Willis Bradsher made a presentation to the building fund on behalf of the Sorority in celebration of Founder's Week. All the Sigmas rededicated themselves to "Greater Service," and "Greater Progress."

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