

# "Musical Circus" Presented By Hill Center Play School Group

Children of the Play School at W. D. Hill Community Center presented a "Musical Circus" recently at the center before a large number of parents and interested guests.

The circus opened with a parade of elephants, bears, horses, kangaroos, and giraffes portrayed by Reginald Jenkins, Alphonso Teasley, Eric Moore, Chappell Felder, Ray Deberry, Augustus Thompson, James Stewart, Walter Goin, Charles Lassiter, Garret Parker, Jay Whisenton, Richard Barksdale, Logan Cooke, Michael Jones, James Huggins, William Fitzgerald, Leon Marshall, Wilburn Robinson, Phillip McCollum, Aaron Allen, and Floyd Brown.

Three dances followed the parade with the "Starlets" featured among the three-year olds. Participating were: Phyllis Thompson, James Hill, Delores Thomas, Quentin Cannady, Dianne Dawson, Ann McMillan, Michael Johnson, Lirida Lassiter, Joyce Page, Reatha Mae Page, Thad Brown, Patricia Williams, Melva Washington, Alton Thornton, and Marshall Fauette.

The "Toy Ballet" dance group was composed of Japhine Paylor, Shirley Ward, Florence Walker, Deborah Watts, Ida Rosebud Page, Mamie Austin, Mildred Williams, Kathryn Thompson, Gurnia Michaux, Gwendolyn Parker, and Rosalyn McCollum.

A trip through the "Fun House" featured 'spooks and ghosts' on the rampage. Roles of the spooks were played by: Eric Moore, Larry Mayo, Michael Jones, Walter Goin, Augustus Thomas, Anthony Sampson, George Gilmore, Charles Lassiter, Ray Deberry, and Richard Barksdale.

"Hoo Donit", the magician, played by Garret Parker, opened the second act with the touch of his magic wand producing such images before the audience's eyes as: the World's Fat-test Man, a Hawaiian Girl, Little Bo Peep, a Space Man, a Cowboy, the world's Smallest Bride, a Sword Swallower, a Two-Headed Man, a Dutch Girl, a Mounted Policeman, an Indian Girl, a Pumpkin Head, a Rosebud, and an Angel.

Valinda Walker and Chappell Felder thrilled the onlookers with their acrobatic dance entitled, "Lights and Shadows." Linda McClinton and Deloris Johnson delighted all with their dance—"Little Old Lady." The "Japanese Fan Dance" performed by Sheron Pipin, Gail Parker, Deloris Johnson, Joe Ann Horton, and Marilyn Davis was well received.

Eric Moore, Jay Whisenton, Chappell Felder, Larry Mayo, and Reginald Jenkins did the "Sailors Hornpipe." This was followed with a group of Egyptian dance girls featuring Beverly McNeill, Valinda Walker, Joe Ann Horton, Alice Luster, Carriella Herndon, Demerice Williams, Solona Neil, Linda McClinton, Brenda Smith, Barbara Cooper, Merice Reid, Anita Page, and Joy Ann Handy.

A "Balloon Dance" climaxed the affair with Marilyn Davis, Gail Parker and Sherron Pippin executing the routine. Two clowns, Arthur J. Clement and Paul Peady announced each act to follow during the presentation. The program was directed by Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Brown who was assisted by Mrs.

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## Armless Virginia Youth To Give Vocal Concert

LeRoy R. Russell presents the 13th Annual Song Festival and Quartet Contest, Sunday May 16, 2 p.m. in Memorial Stadium. A great musical extravaganza. A special guest artist, Louis Watts, age 18 of Lexington, Va. A junior at Lyburn Downing High School he plays the bass drum in the band, makes better than average grades, "pitches" softball and is active in other sports.

That's nothing unusual for a high school boy except that Louis Watts has no arms. Louis, 18, was born without them. The growth of tissue stopped at the shoulders. But he has never "felt sorry" for himself, determining a long time ago to live as near normal as possible.

**GETS A TOE HOLD**  
His legs and feet have been trained to perform the many tasks necessary to daily living that a normal boy does with his hands and arms. "He can write better than I, say, his principal, U. B. Brodneaux." In fact, he is one of the highest-standing pupils in the junior class. "Louis writes by gripping a pencil or pen between his great toe and the one next to it on his right foot. He holds the paper steady with his left foot."

In addition to writing (Flawlessly) in "Longhand" he has become quite good at lettering and prepares posters advertising games of his junior league softball team, the "Wildcats." He also does sign painting.

**BATS WITH HIS FOOT**  
He pitches occasionally for the softball team. When on the mound he must ease the toe on his right foot under the ball, balance it on the top of his foot and whip it toward the batter. Last summer, he missed a shut-out by just one run. The previous summer he pitched two no hit games. Bats with his foot, cleans his teeth, pitches horseshoes, sings in church choir, and school glee club, has his radio show, has a lovely voice. Louis is active in several other sports besides softball. He has served as

Mabel Davis, Mrs. Lillie B. Horton, Mrs. Frances Walker and Mrs. Evelyn W. McKissick.

extra point kicker for the football team. He hopes to go to college to continue his musical training upon graduation at the Lexington school. Louis agrees that it is not more people had his outlook on life "they would be better off."

Louis is a "WONDERFUL boy."

## Clement Speaks To S. C. College Career Confab

ORANGETOWN, S. C. Arthur J. Clement, agency director of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company delivered the keynote message at the opening session of the third annual career conference held at South Carolina State College Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Guest consultants representing the fields of commerce, finance, industry, insurance, business, education, labor, and the professions served during the conference.

Participants on the opening program were: H. W. Crawford, dean of the School of Engineering; Dr. B. C. Turner, Rev. Warren C. Jenkins, and Rev. Matthew D. McCollum.

The closing general session was held Tuesday afternoon with a summary given by William V. Harper, chairman of the conference. Music was furnished

by the college male ensemble directed by E. C. Pinson with F. P. Abraham at the organ.

## Legal Notices

**NORTH CAROLINA DURHAM COUNTY TRUSTEE NOTICE OF SALE UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE POWER OF SALE CONTAINED IN A CERTAIN DEED OF TRUST EXECUTED BY IRENE C. THOMPSON AND WIFE, IRENE C. THOMPSON, DATED THE 4TH DAY OF MAY, 1953, AND RECORDED IN BOOK 503, AT PAGE 21, IN THE OFFICE OF THE REGISTER OF DEEDS OF DURHAM COUNTY, DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE PAYMENT OF THE INDEBTEDNESS THEREBY SECURED; AND UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN THE UNDERSIGNED AS SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE BY AN INSTRUMENT OF WRITING DATED THE 2ND DAY OF APRIL, 1954, AND RECORDED IN BOOK 215, PAGE 515, OFFICE OF THE REGISTER OF DEEDS OF DURHAM COUNTY; AND THE SAID DEED OF TRUST BEING BY THE TERMS THEREOF SUBJECT TO FORECLOSURE, AND THE HOLDER OF THE INDEBTEDNESS THEREBY SECURED HAVING DEMAND A FORECLOSURE THEREOF FOR THE PURPOSE OF SATISFYING SAID INDEBTEDNESS, THE UNDERSIGNED SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE WILL OFFER FOR SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH AT THE COURTHOUSE DOOR IN DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA AT TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON, ON THE 4TH DAY OF MAY, 1954 THE LAND CONVEYED IN SAID DEED OF TRUST, THE SAME LYING AND BEING IN DURHAM TOWNSHIP, DURHAM COUNTY, STATE AFORESAID, AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:**

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thence South 29 degrees 13' West 97 feet to a stake, place of beginning. This lot being No. 3 of the E. C. Belvin survey of June 24, 1924, and registered in Flat Book 6, page 161. See deed from A. E. Spears and wife to Walter N. Herndon and wife, recorded in Book 88, at page 140, in office of the Register of Deeds of Durham County. On this lot is situated house known as 709 Glenn Street. See Deed Book 139, at page 418.

**BEGINNING** at a stake on the Northwest corner of Lyon and Glenn Streets, running North 64 deg. West No. Min. 41.7 feet to a stake; thence North 29 deg. 17' East 97 feet to a stake; thence South 30 deg. 55' West 92.6 feet to a stake or place of beginning. Being Lot No. 4 of the C. E. Belvin survey of June 24, 1924 and registered in plot 6B, at page 161.

A deposit of Five percent (5%) will be required of the highest bidder at the sale. This 3rd day of April, 1954. J. S. Stewart, Substitute Trustee M. Hugh Thompson, Attorney

**NORTH CAROLINA DURHAM COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE HAVING QUALIFIED AS ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF Mrs. Ethel Grizzelle Hubbard, deceased, late of Durham County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned at 807 Fayetteville Street, Durham, North Carolina, on or before March 22, 1955, or this notice will be pleaded in bar indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.**

This 18th day of March, 1954. J. M. Hubbard, Sr., Administrator of Estate of Mrs. Ethel Grizzelle Hubbard, deceased. M. Hugh Thompson, Attorney.

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The defendant, Fred Carlton, and all other persons in esse and not in esse who may be heirs at law of notice that a special proceeding entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Durham County, North Carolina, by the petitioners for the sale of real estate of the deceased, the said petitioners and defendants being tenants in common, for division.

And said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Durham County, in his office in the courthouse in Durham, North Carolina, and answer or demur to the petition filed in said proceeding, on or before 10 days after the 17 day of April, 1954, or petitioners will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said petition.

This 16 day of March, 1954. Jas R. Stone, Asst. Clerk of the Superior Court Durham County M. Hugh Thompson, Attorney

**NORTH CAROLINA DURHAM COUNTY IN THE SUPERIOR COURT NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ALONZO YARBOROUGH**

TO Indiana Yarbrough, her husband if married, Lullia Glascoe and children, Annie C. Yarbrough Burwell and Edna Yarbrough and all persons in esse or not in esse who may be interested in the subject matter of this action:

TAKE NOTICE that an affidavit and petition has been filed in the above-entitled special proceeding. THE nature of the relief being sought is as follows: 1. THAT said Indiana Yarbrough be declared dead. 2.

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THAT an order issue appointing Edna Yarbrough Rainey the administrator of the estate of the said Indiana Yarbrough. YOU ARE required to make defense to such pleading not later than 10 days after April 17, 1954, and upon your failure to do so the party seeking service against you will apply to the court for the relief sought.

THIS, THE 16 day of March, 1954. Jas R. Stone, Asst. Clerk of Superior Court C. O. Pearson Attorneys E. H. Gadsden

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