



Miss Shirley Isler, center, is shown being crowned as winner in the recently concluded AMVETS popularity contest held in Durham. In its second year, the contest is sponsored by the Durham Chapter of The American Veterans of World War II and Korea, to raise money to buy food for needy families of Durham county at Christmas. Miss Isler reported

the largest amount of money in a field of 17 other contestants to win the honor. Shown with her in the picture are, left to right, Mrs. Carolyn McGhee, who placed second, George T. Mayo, commander of the Durham AMVETS, Miss Isler, Joyce Johnson, last year's queen, and Mary Crisp, third place in this year's contest. Food for 17 families of 108

persons will be donated this year by the AMVETS as a result of the contest. Other contestants, not shown, are Doris Decatur, Mertice Reid, Hester Bland, Placie Brown, Evelyn Armstrong, Ella Lyons, Cassie Watson, Gwendolyn Bittle, Eva McIver, Earnestine Lyons, Geraldine Barbee, Bobby Williams, Margaret Satterwhite, Helen Hayes and Emma Burnett.

Thurgood Takes Hawaiian-Born NAACP Official As Second Bride

NEW YORK
Thurgood Marshall and Miss Cecilia Ayson Suyat were married here Saturday in a quiet, simple ceremony, attended by only a few relatives and close friends.

The marriage took place at 4:00 p.m. in the parish house of St. Philip's Episcopal Church, 215 West 133rd Street. Father Shelton Hale Bishop, Rector of St. Philip's, performed the ceremony.

The bride was given away by Roy Wilkins, NAACP Executive Secretary. Charles E. Hill, an old friend of the Marshall family, was the best man, and Miss Marilyn Mayegawa was the maid of honor.

The marriage climaxed a short courtship. It is the second marriage for the bridegroom and the first for the bride.

Marshall, 47, is Director-Counsel of NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund and Special Counsel for the NAACP.

Mrs. Marshall, petite, attractive and of American-Filipino ancestry, is 28. She was born in Puene, Maui, Hawaii. She is a graduate of the Honolulu Business College. She came to New York in February, 1947 to study at Columbia University and joined the staff of the NAACP in 1947 as a stenographer. For the past seven years she was secretary to the Director of NAACP Branches.

Pretty, the mother of the honoree, assisted by Mrs. Douglas Raye, and Mrs. Booker Games were played and enjoyed by all.

Legal Notice

NORTH CAROLINA
DURHAM COUNTY
Trustee Sale Of Land
UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed by VANCE LEONNOR, Jr. (single) dated the 21 day of December, 1950, and recorded in Book 49, page 69, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Durham County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and said deed of trust being by the terms thereof subject to foreclosure, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Durham, North Carolina, at noon, on the

17th day of January, 1956, the property conveyed in said deed of trust, the same lying and being in the County of Durham and State of North Carolina, and Patterson Township, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the Southeastern margin of Fayetteville Road; thence South 44 degs. East 200 feet to a stake; thence South 51 degs. West 100 feet to a stake; thence North 44 degs. West 200 feet to a stake on the southeastern margin of Fayetteville Road; thence running along and with Fayetteville Road 51 degs. East 100 feet to the point of beginning and being Lots Nos. 6 and 7, as shown by the plat of Lake View Subdivision, and surveyed and platted by J. Ralph Weaver, Reg. Sur. January 12, 1948, duly recorded in Plat Book 18, at page 145, Durham County Registry, to which reference is hereby made for a more particular description. See Deed Book 156, at page 130, and Deed Book 155, page 459.

This 16th day of December, 1955.
J. J. Henderson, Trustee
M. Hugh Thompson, Attorney

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Funeral Held For Young Wife Who Succumbs After Baby's Birth

Funeral services for Mrs. Constance Allen Harris, daughter of William Allen and Mrs. Julia E. Allen, 24-H Ridgeway Avenue, Durham, were held at the Oak Grove Free Will Baptist Church last Monday, Dec. 19, at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Harris died unexpectedly at Duke Hospital last Saturday morning. The officiating minister was the Rev. E. T. Browne, pastor of the Mount Vernon Baptist Church.

Mrs. Harris, the second of five children, was born here, November 23, 1934. She attended the public schools of the city graduating from the Hillside High School in June, 1953.

She became a member of the Oak Grove Church during the summer of the same year. And on May 3 of this year, she was married to Lonnie D. Harris.

Surviving are her husband, father, mother, three brothers, one sister, a niece, six uncles, nine aunts and a daughter born a few hours before her mother's passing.

Serving as active pallbearers were Jesse Harris, John Hunter,



Thomas Gilmer, Louis Savage, Richard Walker, and Willie Freland.

Honorary pallbearers were Thomas Johnson, Leroy Johnson, J. C. Johnson, Paul Free-

man and Clarence D. Lee. Serving as floral bearers were Miss Barbara A. Davis, Mrs. Marion Rogers, Mrs. C. J. Colclough, Mrs. Mary Ann Payne, Miss Erdine Fogg, Miss Dorothy Garrett, Miss Winifred Williams and Miss Julia Wheeler.

Honorary floral bearers were Miss Barbara Cross, Miss Constance Lee, Miss Ruby Hayes, Miss Yvonne Miller, Miss Carolyn Ingram, Miss Lynwood Beckham and Miss Minnie C. Davis.

Ladies Aid Christmas Party

The Ladies Aid Society of St. Joseph AME Church held its annual Christmas Party in the lounge of St. Joseph's Education Building. A short program consisting of Christmas Carols, remarks by the president, Mrs. C. E. Nixon, and collection of "Thank You" bags from each member, preceded the serving of a most delicious repast. Gifts were exchanged and a merry time was had by all.

Party Held For Durham Lass

Patricia Ann Pretty celebrated her 10th birthday at the W. D. Hill Recreation Center, December 18th. Friends who helped Patricia celebrate her birthday are as follows: Otelia Daye, Betty Sue and Richard Tatum, Kyle Schooler, Charles Spaulding, Laverne Bostic, Sylvia Sloan, Alene Watts, and Andry McKissick. Ice cream and cake, nuts and mints were served by Mrs.

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