

Brown Named President of Morticians

The 30th Annual Convention of the National Funeral Directors and Morticians Association, Inc., elected Perry J. Brown of Greensboro, as National President, August 17, in Chicago. The retiring President was Malverse Mack of New York.

More than 800 delegates and friends, representing 40 states and 2 foreign countries, attended the convention.

The new president, has served in many official capacities in the National Organization, as well as Past President of the North Carolina Chapter. Many of the delegates felt that Perry Brown will take over his new post well equipped with experience and formal training. He is a graduate of Virginia Union University, Richmond; Post Graduate of University of Illinois, and Graduate of Worsham College of Mortuary Science, Chicago. Brown is a member of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, and is a native of Virginia.



POTENTATE HESTER AND POTENTATE WASHINGTON

Atlantic City. N. J. Man is Installed as Shriners Potentate

ATLANTIC CITY—Freeholder, John Henry Hester of Atlantic City, New Jersey, was elected and installed as Imperial Potentate of The Ancient Egyptian Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine during a regular meeting of the 74th Annual Imperial Council Session of the AEAOMS having jurisdiction over 172 Shrine Temples throughout the country, ranging, from Anchorage Alaska to the Bahamas, and an Armed Forces Temple in Germany.

Prince Hall Shrinedom, its emphasis and community involvement has channeled thousands to charitable institutions in combating ills of the human family. Imperial Potentate Hester, stresses to all Nobles the urgency of reaching down and clasping the hands of his disadvantaged brother at the very lowest of the totem pole.

perial Officer, Illustrious Potentate, and Noble throughout the domain.



ROBERT H. MILLER—known to many as Bob—was reelected executive secretary at the recent annual convention of the National Funeral Directors and Morticians association (NFDMA), which met at the Sherman House, Chicago. His reelection to the office marks the beginning of his 19th year of service to the organization in this capacity. (NPI Photo)

NCC Players To Present "A Raisin in Sun"

(By David H. Witherspoon)

In 1959, a young North Carolina College graduate, Ivan Dixon, stepped into a major supporting role in the Broadway production of Lorraine Hansberry's "A Raisin in the Sun."

The play, which won popular acclaim and the Drama Critics' Award for that season, was of major importance to the career of the co-star of television's "Hogan's Heroes." Members of the North Carolina College Thespians hope the play can mean as much to the program of the dramatic group.

"A Raisin in the Sun" will be the first production of the 1967-68 season for the Thespians and will be the first in recent years for which admission will be charged. Mrs. Helen Adams, acting chairman of the college's Department of Dramatic Arts, said that other productions of the season will depend on the success of the first.

The setting is the Southside of Chicago. A Negro family—a grandmother, her son and daughter-in-law, daughter, and grandson—are each in his own way counting on the \$10,000 from the grandfather's life insurance policy to change their lives.

For the son, a chauffeur, the check will mean a chance to invest in a business. For his mother, it will mean a house and the garden she has always dreamed of. For the daughter, a college student, it can pay her medical school tuition.

The play has what might be called social significance. It is set in the ghetto and depicts the life there of ordinary human beings with the usual dreams of human beings.

The characters speak with the ghetto's accent of despair and anger.

Miss Hansberry does not leave the audience with the despair and anger, however. The



PASTOR CELEBRATES 3RD ANNIVERSARY — Rev. G. G. Ewings is shown being congratulated by a few of the members of the church staff, who are from left to right: Deacon Ray-

mond Evans, Rev. G. G. Ewings, pastor; Mrs. Genevieve Evans, Financial Secretary; Deacon, Rufus Ferrell, Chairman, Deacon Board and Jessie Farrell, Chairman Trustee Board. Rev.

Ewings is pastor of the Henderson Grove Baptist Church of Durham County and Chestnut Grove Baptist Church of Wake County. The anniversary party was held at the Nelson Com-

munity Center, on Page Road, in Durham County. Rev. Ewings is also Vice-President of Local 731, Plasters and Cement Finishers.

Fashions

By BETTY MITCHELL

Well, one week of school brought many new and different fashions to light. Girls wore fashions ranging from minidress to suits.

Fashions looking something like this Bell Bottom Sleeve dress, Mini-dress, poor boy suits, A-line dress and many others. The shoes are out of this world with the granny look. The boys came on fine too with the stove pipe pants.

To give a clear view of the whole thing everyone is at their best.

Negro owned and operated Illinois Federal Savings and Loan Association in Chicago has assets totaling more than \$13 million.

The nation's farmers spend approximately \$1.5 billion annually for fertilizers and lime, the U.S. Agriculture Department says.

1866 Centennial Celebration 1967

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Sunday, September 10, 1967

8:30 A.M. CALL TO WORSHIP.....Electronics

9:30 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
10:30 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
Reviewed by Mr. J. D. Lennon's Class
Dr. C. Ray, Superintendent

11:00 A.M. SERMON.....The Pastor
"On Why We Are NOT Baptists" (Galatians 4:31; 5:1 New English Bible)
Senior Choir, Mrs. L. L. Parker, Directress
Junior Choir, Mrs. R. Southerland, Directress

6:30 P.M. B. T. U.....Miss A. Thorpe, Directress

7:30 P.M. Mutual Heights District Program

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Sunday, September 10, 1967

7:00 A.M. EARLY MORNING SERVICE

SERMON.....The Minister
MUSIC.....Gospel Chorus
Fred Mason at the Console

9:30 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL

Subject: "Descendant Becomes Witness"
Miss Marie Faulk, Superintendent

11:00 A.M. MORNING WORSHIP

SERMON.....The Minister
Subject: "The Modern Pharisee"
MUSIC.....Senior Choir
Mrs. Minnie Gilmer at the Console
Joseph T. Mitchell, Directing

--Archer

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is married and lives at 755 West Seventh Street in Plainfield, N. J. He and Mrs. Archer have a 2-year-old daughter, Carolyn. Before moving to Plainfield about 3½ years ago, they lived in Teaneck, New Jersey, where Mr. Archer was also active in civic and professional organizations.



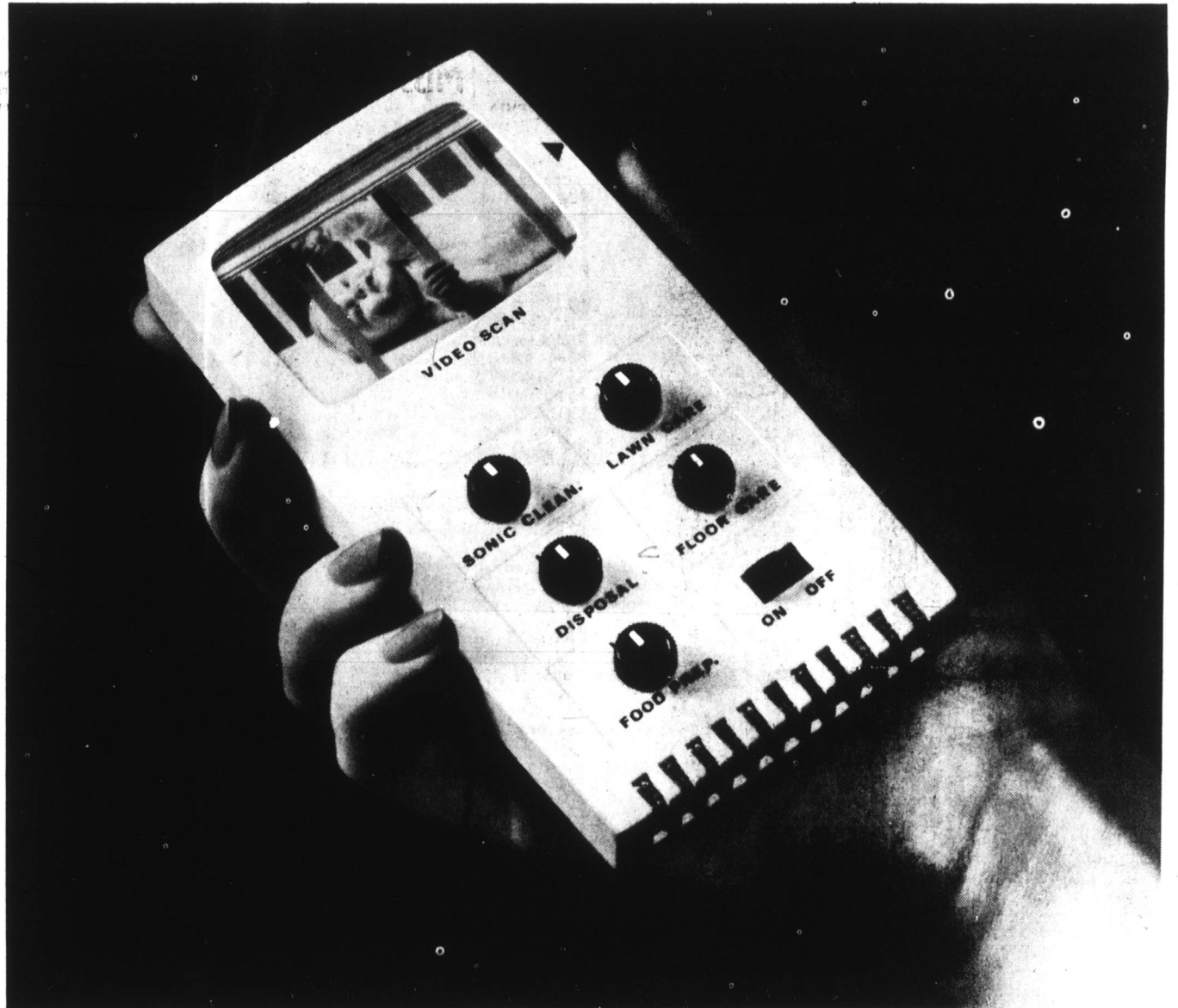
DID YOU KNOW?

In 1619 the first Negroes brought to America landed at Jamestown, Va.? In 1831 Nat Turner rises up against southern slave holders, which marks the beginning of Negro militancy? 1963 the March on Washington was the largest single march on the capitol in the nation's history, and in 1963 James Meredith was the first Negro to be graduated from Ole Miss?

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