

### State Rally is Sponsored by Prospect Chap.

Prospect Chapter No. 379, Order of the Eastern Star sponsored a State Rally with each state being represented with a Star. The most interesting program was held on November 14, 1971 at the Community Baptist Church on Barbee Road.

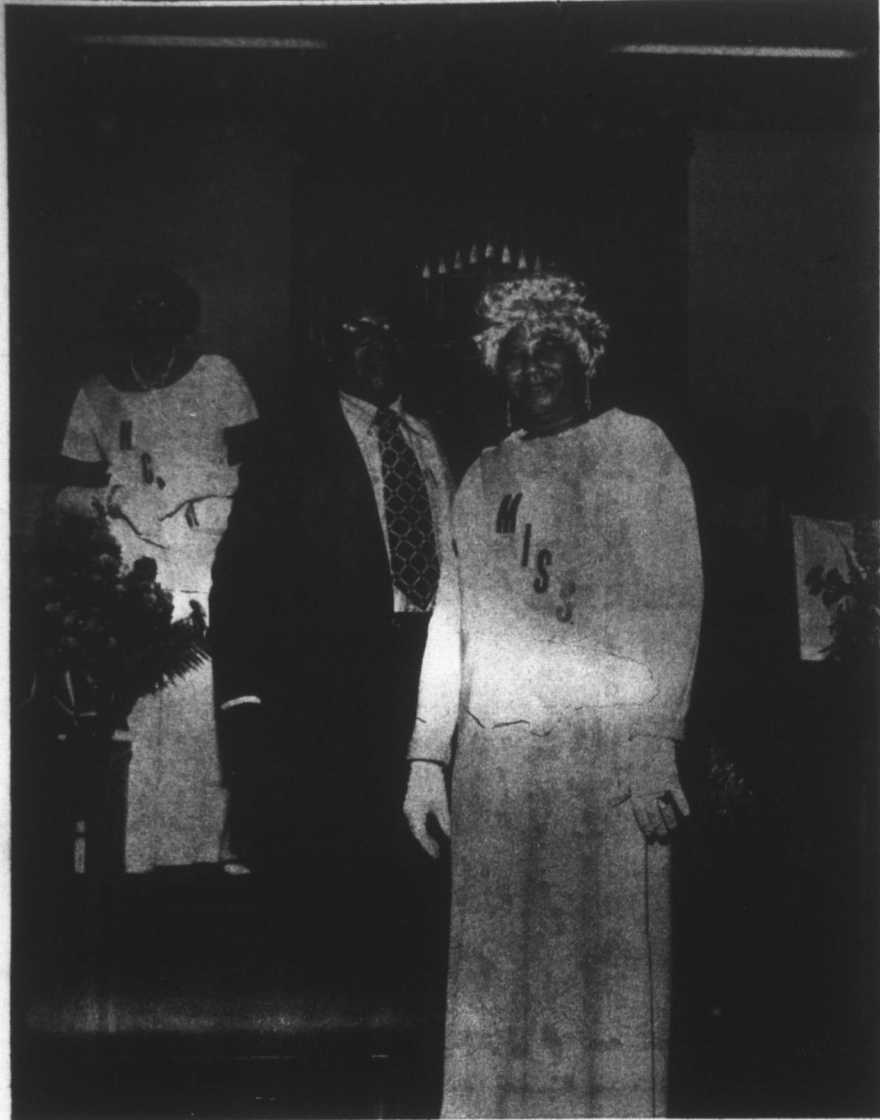
After the Opening Song of "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross," Scripture lessons was read by Sister Grace Watson, followed by prayer, led by Rev. E. T. Thompson, the pastor of the church.

A parade of the fifty states was then presented with each state being represented with a star. The Star and State raising the largest amount of funds were then crowned Mrs. U.S.A. Mrs. Lela Streeter, representing Mississippi, was the winner. Pennsylvania, represented by Mrs. Elizabeth Young, was the first runner up. Second runner up was Mrs. Mary Evans, who represented the State of Oklahoma.

Shown in the interesting pictures are the participants and the winners in the State Rally. From left to right in Photograph 1 is Mrs. Lela Streeter, who represented the state of Mississippi, being crowned by Brother J. A. Carter, Worthy Patron. Looking on is Mrs. Fannie Green, (Worthy Matron).

Other pictures from left to right show second runner-up, Mrs. Mary Evans, who represented the State of Oklahoma; first runner-up, Mrs. Elizabeth Young, who represented Pennsylvania; and the winner, Mrs. Lela Streeter, who represented Mississippi. Shown in the large group pictures are the several participants in the State Star Rally along with Brother J. A. Carter (Worthy Patron) and Brother Frank Jacobs.

The group extends its thanks to Rev. E. T. Thompson and the many friends of Prospect Chapter for helping them in such a successful venture. Special thanks were extended to Mr. & Mrs. Burgess Leathers for serving as the Finance Secretaries.



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PROSPECT No. 379

### First District SS Convention To Convene

The First District Sunday School Convention will convene at the Calvary Baptist Church, December 10-12, Rev. W. L. Butler is the pastor.

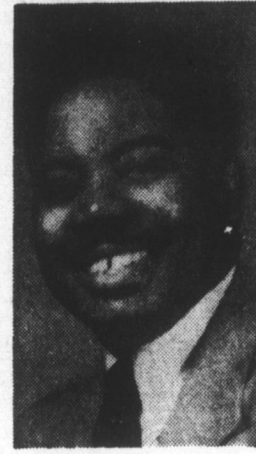
Devotions will be led by Calvary Baptist Missionary Circle at 7:30. The president will preside over the business of the convention. At 8:10 report of Field Missionary, Rufus Ferrell, Cleo Green and James Tutt. Different topics will be discussed by various groups. Calvary Baptist Junior Choir will render the music and the presentation of trophy will be by the president, which will go to the church with the largest attendance.

Sunday morning 9:45 a.m. Sunday School. At 11:00 a.m. devotions will be led by the

# CHURCH NEWS

## In Memoriam

Although I had known the late Theodore H. Freeland less than a year, I learned he was a lovable man. We were thrown together by accident when I went to the High Rise Apartment building on East Main Street to accompany a singer. While there I played some hymns accompanying the seniors there who enjoyed singing under the direction of their leader Theodore. I enjoyed this initial visit with them so much that I continued the contacts each Thursday morning. Several weeks were to pass before I learned that Theodore was an incomparable tenor. One morning he sang for us "Mother Machree" by Ol-



THEODORE H. FREELAND

cott & Ball. Unlike most singers, Theodore had a touch of the divine in his singing. Long years ago I learned another late Durhamite also has this spark. John Allen Foushee and Freeland knew not how best they were among singers. This elusive spark favors not many singers. Roland Hayes has it four-fold. The Gods are scant with this miracle touch. Training brings it not; one is to the

Senior Missionary Circle and music will be furnished by Calvary Baptist Senior Choir. The sermon will be delivered by Rev. W. L. Butler. The Junior program will be presided over by the Secretary. Remarks by the president, McKinley Mangum.

Each church is asked to send two persons to appear on the Junior program.

manner born, like unto the late preachers Charles Tindley formerly of Tindley Temple Philadelphia and J. C. Austin, Pilgrim Baptist Church Chicago. These men could hold the attention and interest of their congregations minus becoming a bore. I listened with rapt attention while the eulogist Reverend Edgar T. Thompson

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## White Rock Baptist Church

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Sunday, December 5, 1971

105TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION  
HOLY COMMUNION

9:30 A.M. CHURCH SCHOOL

10:55 A.M. WORSHIP

PASTORAL SERMON . . . . . The Pastor

Senior Choir Leading the Singing

5:45 P.M. Missionary Program

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## St. Joseph's AME Church

PHILIP R. COUSIN, Minister  
FAYETTEVILLE STREET DURHAM, N. C.

Sunday, December 5, 1971

8:00 A.M. EARLY MORNING WORSHIP

SERMON . . . . . The Pastor

Holy Communion

MUSIC by the Gospel Choir

George Hatcher at the Console

Eugene Plummer, Director

9:30 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL

Miss Marie Faulk, Superintendent

11:00 A.M. MORNING WORSHIP

SERMON . . . . . The Pastor

Holy Communion

MUSIC . . . . . The Senior Choir"

George Hatcher at the Console

Joseph T. Mitchell, Director