

Love marks 100th year with family

William Edgar Love of Pilot Mountain celebrated his 100th birthday Jan. 18 at his home surrounded by 200 members of his family and friends.

The mistress of ceremonies was Page Dodd Searcy, who presented a solo selection for the occasion.

A scripture reading and remarks were given by Love's grandson, Sammie Love.

Love's granddaughter, Genetta Hughes, presented a solo; Ricky Love, a great-grandson, gave the welcome address.

Other participants included Betty Mae Taylor of Detroit, Odess, Phronnie, Sam and Genelle Love, Leuritha Mack, Lola Bates of Washington, Velnie Jessup of Kernersville, Johnny Love of High Point, the Rev. Leonard Moore of Mount Airy and Juanita Tatum.

Six generations of Love's family helped him celebrate his special day, including the youngest family member, 5-month-old Gelevia



William Love recently celebrated his 100th birthday surrounded by his family and friends at a special observance.

Kimrough, daughter of Princeton Kimrough of Alexandria, Va.

Love is the father of nine children, 45 grandchildren, 72 great-grandchildren, 39 great-

great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Love is a retired farmer and has lived in Stokes County his entire life.

Haffenden brings special work to NCBRC

The North Carolina Black Repertory Company's American premiere of "Toussaint -- Angelwarrior of Haiti" will star Audley Haffenden, New York playwright and the play's author.

Haffenden has performed in Europe, the West Indies, New York and in numerous regional theaters across America. A graduate of Dillard University and the American Musical and Dramatic Academy, he is a classically trained actor.

"Toussaint" received a workshop production at Frank Silvera's Writers Workshop in New York and became the American entry in the Interna-

tional Arts Festival in Kingston, Jamaica, in 1985. The production starred Antonio Fargas, who has performed in Winston-Salem with the NCBRC.

Larry Leon Hamlin, director of the NCBRC, who is directing the play, says, "Audley Haffenden is not only an international playwright, he is a very talented actor. 'Toussaint -- Angelwarrior of Haiti' represents a very special and exciting experience for the Black Rep. American premieres are few in Winston-Salem, and to have the playwright starring in the lead role enhances the excitement and the experience."

Hamlin also says, "I've had a 'marvastic' experience directing Audley; he takes direction well and is not afraid to allow the director to stretch the actor into the unknown and the unsafe in order to create an above-average production and performance for the audience. I look forward to directing more of his plays, as well as working with him as an actor."

The play will have its American premiere Feb. 6 at 8 p.m. in the Arts Council Theater, 610 Coliseum Drive.

Additional performances will be held Feb. 7, 8, 12 to 15 at 8 p.m. and at 3 p.m. on Feb. 15.



Arts Festival

The "Love the Arts Festival" at Hanes Mall will be held Feb. 6 through 7 and will include exhibits, singers, crafts, storytellers, auctioneers and dancers. Entertainment begins at noon on Friday and runs through 5:30 p.m. on Saturday. There will also be in-store activities throughout the mall.



High Steppin'

The "Love the Arts Festival," sponsored by the Arts Council, will feature a slate of community arts groups and organizations. Among the participants will be ensembles from the North Carolina Black Repertory Company, who will perform routines from various productions such as "Cope," pictured at left.

Young pianist shares talent with Book Club of Today

The Book Club of Today recently met at the home of Emalene Goodwin for its regular monthly meeting.

Ruth Boone presided at the meeting.

Other hostesses were Maybelle Hedgley and Irma Gadson.

Annie Brown-Kennedy led the devotion with thoughts from "Centering Moments" by Howard Thurman.

After the meeting's business session and hospitality hour, the music committee was in charge of

the program.

Evelyn Sellars presented Rochelle Joyner, a third-year music major at Winston-Salem State University. Miss Joyner studied piano with Mrs. Sellars for seven years and was a pupil of the North Carolina School of the Arts for two years.

Miss Joyner played several piano selections and discussed some of the selections. The music included Bach's "Invention No. 4," Schumann's "Night of the Rocking Horse" and "Catch Me," Chopin's "Waltz in C

Sharp Minor" and Khachaturian's "Toccata."

Mrs. Boone passed out of copies of two book reviews, "Thunder in America" by Bob Faw and Nancy Skelton, and "Eyes on the Prize: America's Civil Rights Years, 1954-1965" by Juan Williams et al.

Other members attending the meeting were Aleise Jessup, Wilma Lassiter, Selena Nichols, Barbara Phillips, Edna Revels, Catherine Simmons and Marian Wooten.

Forsyth County joins Dental Health Month activities

February is National Children's Dental Health Month, an observance providing recognition of the needs concerning children's dental health.

The month-long observance promotes public awareness and motivation for children and adults who seek proper dental care.

This year, special emphasis will be given to dental trauma. The cause and effect of such trauma in children will be addressed throughout the month of February.

Locally, the Forsyth County

Dental Society, along with dental hygienists, dental assistants and dental auxiliary organizations, will work in conjunction with the Forsyth County Health Department to present Children's Dental Health Month.

Public health dental hygienists will visit third-grade classes in the Winston-Salem/Forsyth County schools through Feb. 20. The hygienists will provide an overview of dentistry and oral health instruction.

The Winston-Salem Marketplace will sponsor the Forsyth County Dental Society as

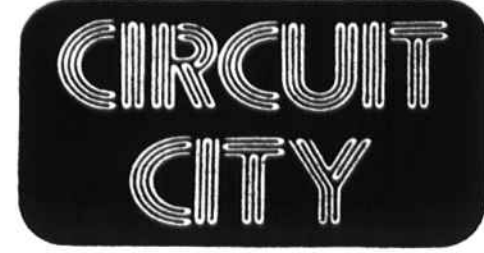
it presents "Child Identification," "Dental Trauma" and "Dental Mouthguards" Feb. 19 through 22. Thursday and Friday hours will be 6 to 9 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday hours, 1 to 6 p.m.

There will also be a "Meet the Dentist" program designed for kindergarten classes Feb. 19 through 22 at the Nature Science Center. The program will help to promote dental health and acquaint young children with dentistry.

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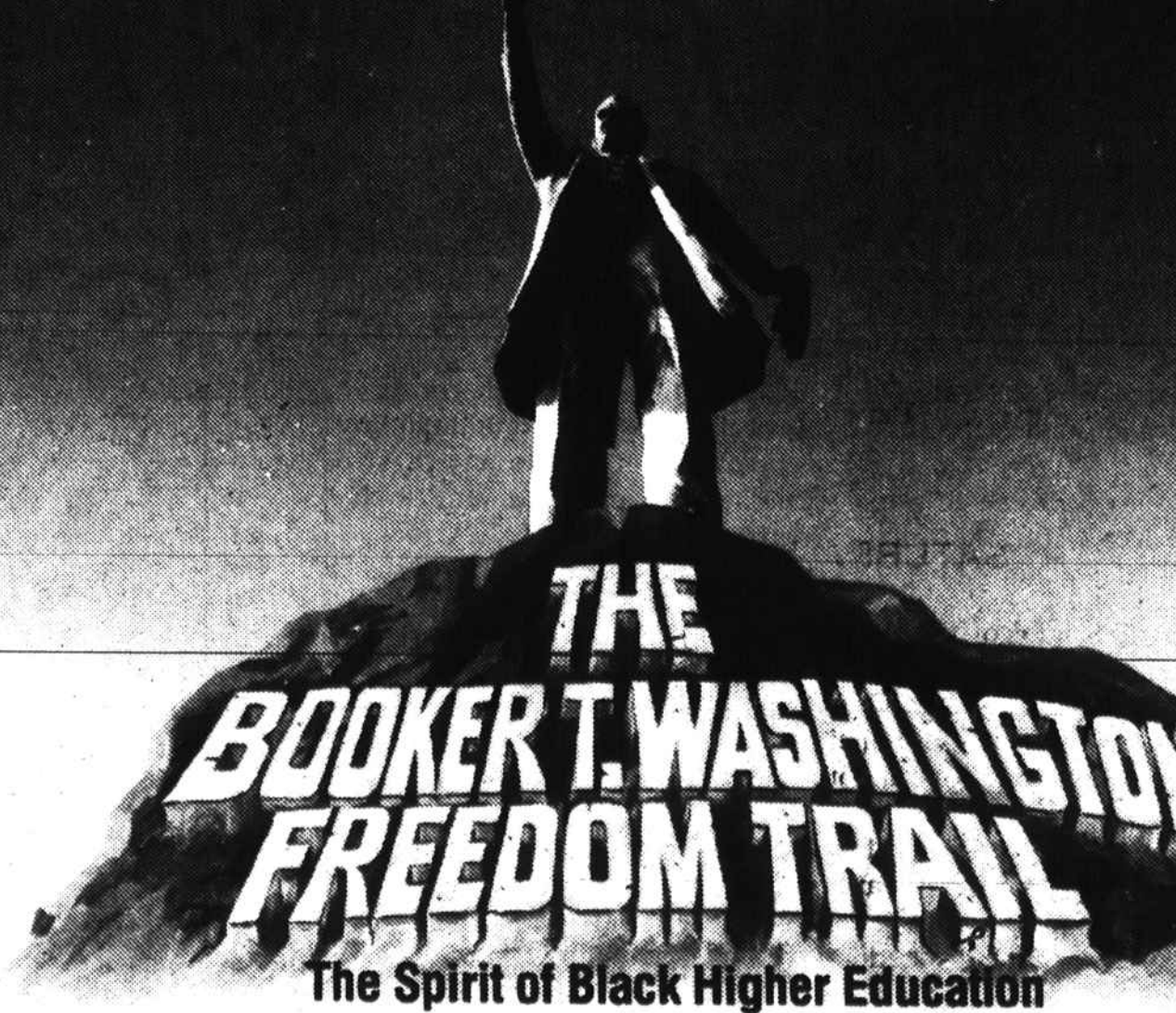
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