

What's happening!

By Bob Johnson

AKA FUN.....The Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority of the University of North Carolina at Charlotte got into a funky dance thing last Friday night, in the Lucas Room at Cone Center. The party was down the pipe with a lot of boss ladies and super dudes doing it to tunes by the young and flashy Zequillas Band. Among the guests at this Greek function were Robert and Deborah Reeves, Kevin Smith, Ed Flowers, Don Pearce, James Cuthbertson, Mike Crawford, Annette Johnson, Kenny Swann, Debbie Hearst, Kenny Parks, Sheldon Shipman, Voreicha Steele, Theresa Graves, Em Gillespie, Shirley Smith, Johnny Heardon, Norris Dae, Paul Hemphill, Cynthia Bennett, Barbara Mayhan and Johnny Matthews.

INSTALLATION PROGRAM.....The Las Elegantes Club held their annual installation program Saturday night at the lovely home of Mrs. Daisy Roberson, 1200 Log Cabin Road.

Mrs. Nancy Stroud was proudly installed as a new member of this popular social club.

The following members were present at this once a year happen-

ing: President Jacqueline McElrath, Vice President Carolyn Moore, Secretary Idelrie Bland, Assistant Secretary Barbara Warren, Treasurer Sadie Barksdale, along with Jacqueline Peters, Dorthea Roddey, Rebecca Sullivan, and Daisy Roberson.

PARTY TIME.....A Dy-no-mite party was held last Saturday night at 5437-K Albemarle Road. That happens to be the abode of Carl Flamer, president of the Lakeside Lovels, Inc., and the guest who included several of the former Charlotte Hornets were treated to the best drinks, hors d'oeuvres, dips and the latest in music. This elaborate event was tri-hosted by Flamer, Frank Robinson, and Maurice McClettie.

The former Hornets present included halfback Don Highsmith, wide receiver James Thompson, and wide receiver Al Young. Other folk attending this 125 guest party were Laura Strickland, Debbie Bright, John Bolling, Steve Gray, Eloise Erwin, James Bellamy, Derrick Maynor, Lewis McClendon and David Richards.

FASHIONS' GALORE.....If you need an idea for a Christmas gift, how about a snake skinned jacket lined in mink for that favorite man, or an original gown by Sarli for that favorite lady. These fashions plus many more were exhibited at the 18th annual Ebony Fashion Fair held here last Sunday evening at the Civic Center. This fantastic show was sponsored by the ladies of the Delta Zeta Chapter of the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority for the benefit of their scholarship fund. Many people attended this elaborate gathering. A lot of them dressed very fashionable themselves. Among the attendants were Mrs. Edith Simpson, New York, twenty students from the Upward Bound Program at Allen University in Columbia, S. C. with their guidance counselor Mrs. L. W. Hammonds, Mrs. Nora Lee Robinson and daughter Yvette, Mrs. Constance Henderson and daughters, Mr. Joseph Wiggins, Mrs. Lousie Black, Mrs. Maggie Reid, Mrs. Viola Smith, Mrs. Fannie Kelsey, and Mrs. Jean Bruce all from Salisbury, Charlotteans attending included Mrs. Lydia Pride and daughter Chomois, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kennedy, Mrs. Lou Benson, Mrs. Mattie Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Byers and daughter Bonita, Mrs. Vivian Howze, La Forest Williams, Mrs. Carolyn Wyche, Mrs. Moses Belton, Mrs. Joseph Belton, Mrs. Lucille Ray, Mrs. Joan Antrum, Mrs. P.L. Ross, Mrs. Frances Waddell, Mrs. Rose M. Pyles, Mrs. Cleo Yongue and grand daughter Pamela, Willie Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warren, Douglas Sims, Sharon Rhyne, Janice Davidson, Mary Faulkner, Mrs. Willie Boyd, Mrs. Katie Vance, Mrs. Eloise Boyd, Mrs. Dannel Hill, Mrs. Sarah Phillips, Mrs. Mack Davidson Jr., Mrs. Virginia Shaw, Mrs. Walter Hosley and daughter Donna, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hackett and daughter.

The ladies responsible for this "Natural Feeling" happening were Philistine Dunlap, Clarissy Knox, Eloise Morton, Ella Asbury, Madie Simpson, Jane Reid, Elizabeth Hutchison, Brenda Slade, Evelyn Pharr, Alberto Alexander, Eddieola Alexander, Carrie Evans, Margaret Hood, Helen Kibler, Frances Miller, Elizabeth Murphy, Netie Myrick, Sarah Schofield, Mary Streater, Emma Wade and Elizabeth Williams.

HAPPINESS.....Happiness is a sunbeam which may pass through a thousand bosoms without losing a particle of its original ray; but, when it strikes on a kindred heart, like the converged light on a mirror, it reflects itself with doubled brightness - It is not perfect till it is shared.

Until our next rap session, be good to yourselves and ROCK EASY!

Miss Ora Lee Fetherson Is Bride Of Bosie Hasty

Saturday, at 5 p.m. at Marvin AME Zion Methodist Church Miss Ora Lee Fetherson became the bride of Bosie Lee Hasty.

The bride is the daughter of Ms. Eloise Fetherson of Rte. 3 Box 165; Waxhaw, N. C. The groom is the son of Ms. Doretha Hasty and the late Mr. Hasty of Rte. 2, Waxhaw.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. O. C. Davis and Rev. J. W. Threat. D. A. Oglesby was organist and Michael Houston was soloist.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Ralph Fetherson. She wore a cream colored lagoon gown with lace bodice sleeves and train. Her veil was also of matching lace.

Miss Deborah Fetherson, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a tangerine orange colored dress with cream colored lace trim.

Bridesmaids included Ms. Betty Sue Fetherson, Demetres Feteron, both of Charlotte and Shirley Vinson of Waxhaw. Their dresses were a floral print of tangerine orange colors with cream colored lace trim.

Donald Morrow of Charlotte served as best man. Ushers included Napoleon Morrison, Donnie Hasty, Donnie Vinson and Bivens Morrison.

For her daughters wedding Mrs. Fetherson chose a dress that accented the bride's and a matching corsage. Mrs. Hasty chose the same attire.

The bride is a 1972 graduate of Sun Valley High School. She



MRS. BOSIE LEE HASTY
...She was Miss Ora L. Fetherson

is a 1974 graduate of Wingate College and is employed by the law firm of Chambers Stein, Ferguson, and Becton. The groom is a 1968 graduate of Parkwood High School,

Monroe and is presently a part-time student at Central Piedmont Community College. He is employed by the Family Dollar Stores of Matthews.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at Marvin Church Community Center.

Singley-Battle Vows Spoken In Boston, Mass.

Of interest to the Charlotte community is the recent marriage of Ms. Bernestine Singley, daughter of Mrs. Odessa R. Singley of 1216 Oaklawn Avenue, to Richard Vernon Battle of Chicago, Illinois.

The couple were married in Boston, Mass., at which time they also joined their last names to form Singley-Battle as their own surname.

Mrs. Singley-Battle graduated from West Charlotte Senior High School in 1967. While attending West Charlotte she was a top student and earned many academic awards. She was a Charlotte News All-Star Scholar, President of the National Honor Society, won the Belk-Foundation Scholarship, and won a four-year scholarship to Lawrence University, Appleton, Wis.

After obtaining her B.A. in Political Science from Lawrence, Mrs. Singley-Battle entered the University of Florida College of Law in 1971. She studied at both the University of Florida and the Escuela Libre de Derecho, Mexico City, Mexico. In 1974 she was awarded her J. D. During her law studies she received four awards for academic excellence, in three different fields of law.

During the summer of 1974 Mrs. Singley-Battle had the privilege of teaching at the University of Florida College

of Law. During the fall of 1974 she entered Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Mass., where she is currently completing requirements for an L. L. M. (Masters of Law Degree).

Mr. Singley-Battle is a 1972 graduate of Harvard College where he won the Lloyd McKim Garrison Prize for excellence in Poetry. He was also co-captain of the Harvard Wrestling Team and was

awarded membership in the Harvard Varsity Club in 1970. A poet, writer, and English teacher at Boston Latin Academy, he has had some of his works published in the "Harvard Advocate" and the "Harvard Magazine". He is currently completing work on his first novel.

The Singley-Battles have made their home in Boston which is where Mrs. Singley-Battle will practice law

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