

## CFP To Observe National

### Historic Preservation Week

Balloons, crafts, dinners, speakers, tours, rides, attic sales, open houses. Sounds fun! All these elements are being brought together and coordinated by Citizens For Preservation Inc. to celebrate and emphasize National Historic Preservation Week during the week of May 9th through May 15th.

Mayor Belk issued a proclamation on April 30th officially designating that week as Preservation Week.

The festivities will begin with a dinner--open to the public--on May 11th at 6:30 p.m. The dinner is sponsored by Citizens For Preservation and is being held at historic First Presbyterian Church on

Trade Street. The cost of the dinner is \$4 per person. Grace Rohrer North Carolina's Secretary of Cultural Resources will be the speaker and awards will be presented by the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Historic Properties Commission. For dinner reservations send your check to Mrs. Jo Forsberg 319 Scottridge Drive.

On Saturday May 15 between the hours of 10 and 4 the area of Fourth Ward will be featured in the Fourth Ward Exposition. Booths will be set up along 8th and 9th Streets to display crafts sell antiques and advertise preservation activities throughout the county. The main event will be the official opening of the Berryhill House on the corner of Ninth and Pine Streets. The Junior League has been working hard to make this house a model example of how a little tender-loving care can make an old house beautiful again. Other houses in Fourth Ward will be open to show the progress of restoring the area.

Entertainment will be provided throughout the day. It promises to be a festive and fun occasion for all who attend.

Another feature of Preservation Week will be the publication of a story book written and illustrated by George Breisacher--the Charlotte Observer cartoonist and author of Boon Dock. The book--"The Old House Felt Better"--will be on sale at the Exposition and available in local stores afterwards.

#### First Aid

#### Classes Are

#### Offered Monthly

First aid classes are offered monthly by the Red Cross on a request basis. A minimum number of students are required for a class and as soon as the number is reached, the dates are set for either a daytime or evening class and all those who were interested are notified.

Classes are offered in standard and advanced first aid and in multimedia first aid. Multimedia is the standard first aid trimmed down to a seven and one-half hour course. Anyone interested in any first aid class should call Red Cross 376-1661, ext. 222. There is no charge for the course, only for the textbook materials.



Honoree Dr. Robert H. Green Receiving Plaque  
...Mrs. Griffin Wakefield (L) and Mrs. Robert Ladd look on

#### As "Doctor Of Year"

### Dr. Robert H. Green Honored

The Auxiliary to the Charlotte-Medical-Dental-Pharmaceutical Society celebrated Doctor's Day recently by worshipping together during the Sunday morning services at Gethesemane AME Zion Church on Campus Street and later honoring the doctors at the Holiday Inn on Woodlawn Avenue.

Dr. Robert H. Green was honored as the "Doctor of the Year". He was raised in Washington D.C. and attended undergraduate and medical school at Howard University. He did his internship at Lincoln Hospital in Durham, N.C. after which he came to Charlotte and engaged himself in the private practice of medicine.

Dr. Green has resided in

Charlotte since that time.

He was appointed a member of the Medical Advisory Council to the State Board of Mental Health by the Governor, a post which he held for several terms. He was untiring in his work in the fields of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, traveling to all parts of the state in the discharge of his responsibilities and has made a significant contribution to the progress of Mental Health in the state.

He is a life member of the Nation Medical Association, a member of the Old North State Dental Pharmaceutical society and past president, The Medical Society of the State of North Carolina, The Mecklenburg County Medical Society, The American Academy of

Family Practice, and the American Medical Association.

Dr. Green is married to Mrs. Gladys Green and they are members of the Grace Presbyterian Church. They reside at Oaklawn Avenue.

The president of the auxiliary is Mrs. Griffin Wakefield. Chairman of Doctor's Day was Mrs. Robert Ladd.

The Southern Medical Association set aside "Doctor's Day" in 1952 in commemoration of Dr. Crawford Long who first used ether as an anesthetic in 1842.

Keep your out-of-town friends informed on what's happening in Charlotte by sending them a copy of the Charlotte Post each week. The cost is only \$8.00, plus tax per year.

## Braden Scholarships

### Available At Queens

Applications are now being taken for the Mary Anne Braden Music Scholarship for the fall session of the pre-college division of the Queens College Music Department.

The scholarships, open to elementary and junior and senior high school students of organ, piano, voice and string, pay part of the cost of a semester of lessons. One scholarship will be awarded for each level.

The scholarship is sponsored by the Russell Braden family and the senior high ministry of Grace United Methodist Church. Miss Braden studied piano at Queens for nine years with Marie Hargett, director of the pre-college-adult music division. She was one of

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MRS. LOIS G. NEAL  
...89-year-old

### "Appreciation Day"

#### Service Honors Ms. Neal

"Appreciation Day" for the outstanding and faithful service of Mrs. Lois G. Neal to Amay James Presbyterian Church, 2400 West Boulevard, was held at 5 p.m., Sunday, May 2.

Many of those attending the program which honored nearly 50 years of service Mrs. Neal has given to the church, were members of her family. The 89-year-old honoree taught Sunday School at Amay James when the church was a small mission with a dirt floor. She is now its oldest member and a surviving charter member.

#### President Ford

#### Proclaims Small

#### Business Week

WASHINGTON, D.C., April 13, 1976--President Ford today signed a proclamation designating the week of May 9 as Small Business Week, and asked all Americans to join him in supporting an expanding small business community.

The President said, "Small businesses are the cornerstone of the American economy. They stand as a symbol of American character and spirit. The traits of individual initiative, self reliance, and creativity we prize so highly, as exemplified by our small business men and women, have always been the indispensable characteristics of a free and dynamic people."

SBA Administrator Mitchell P. Kobelinski said that a week-long salute to the nation's small businesses would be held during May 10-13 at the Hyatt Regency Washington, New Jersey Avenue at "D" Street, N.W., with national leaders in education, finance, and industry participating.

Mrs. Neal remains active in the church. She still attends Sunday School, the regular worship service and other church programs.

She received many gifts including a flower which was pinned on her by her daughter Mrs. Alice N. Kern. The church choir gave her a copy of the Living Bible.

Music for the program was rendered by the Amay James choir, McClintock Presbyterian AME Church Gospel Choir and The Watt Family.

The Church Sessoin of Amay James announced that a Sunday School classroom has been named for Mrs. Neal.

The Rev. M.A. Cochrane, pastor of Amay James, presided over the program. Guest speaker for the occasion was the Rev. Gene E. Gilmore.

#### Winston-Salem

#### State Honors 4

#### Local Students

Four Charlotte students at Winston Salem State University received awards recently.

University officials and community leaders participated in the program to recognize students for their service, leadership and achievements.

Michael Caldwell received the Outstanding Leadership and Service Award for his activities with the university's Student Union.

Gloria Ross received an Outstanding Achievement Award for her accomplishments in journalism.

Sheril Evans received a Music Merit Award for her activities with the university choir.

Michael Caldwell received an award from the university band.

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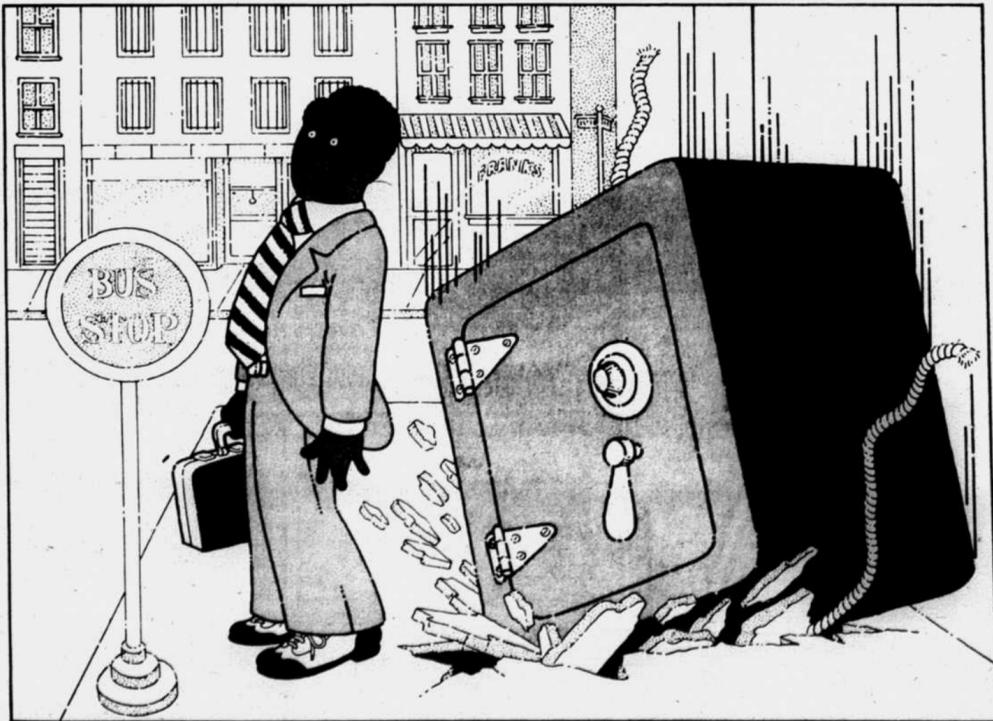
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