



**DAY CARE CENTER GRADUATES** from Shiloh Institutional Baptist Church for the year 1976 pose for picture with Rev. J.A. White, rear, Director Mrs. Sara W. White, second row, at right, and other members of staff at graduation last Sunday. Class members are: Candice Watt, Eddie Armstrong, Stephanie Hamilton, Victoria Long, Marvin Thomas, Colton Blake, and Ruby Ford. Lisa Owens was the class Mascot. Photo by Peeler

## Day Care Center Shiloh Institutional Church Holds Graduation Exercises

By James Peeler  
Post Staff Writer

A small but enthusiastic crowd of parents and friends and relatives were on hand last Sunday, June 6, at 3 p.m. for the 8th Graduation Exercises of Shiloh Institutional Baptist Church's Day Care Center at 208 South Bruns Avenue.

This year's graduates were Ruby Ford, Marvin Thomas, Candice Watt, Stephanie Hamilton, Colton Blake, Victoria Long and Eddie Armstrong.

During the hour-long program, presided over by Mrs. Ella Nesmith, the graduates heard guest speaker Ms. Bernice Miller give the 1976 graduation address. Piano music

for the occasion was provided by Mrs. Gwendolyn Turner, one of the Day Care Center's parents.

Other program participants included: Kecia Martin who delivered The Children's Prayer; Schenelle McClurkin and Rhonda Wilson who spoke words of Welcome; The J.A. White Gospel Choir who sang "Ode To Joy"; Miss Evelyn Hamilton and Rev. J.A. White, pastor of Shiloh Institutional Baptist Church, who awarded the Diplomas; and Mrs. Betty Moore, Mr. Eugene Campbell, and PTA President Mrs. K. Watts, who gave remarks.

The program included a medley of songs by the Kindergarten Choir and School Band. Selections rendered in-

cluded: "Good Manners", "Let's Be Good Friends", "Sharing A Snack", "The Clean-up Song", "He's Got The Whole World In His Hands", and "Kum Ba Ya."

Shiloh Institutional Baptist Church Day Care Center Staff is composed of Mrs. Sara W. White, Director; Mrs. Ella Nesmith, Associate Director; Mr. Jessie Robinson, Advisory Chairman; Pastor J.A. White, Co-ordinator; Mr. Cordell Gilmore, Driver; Mrs. Janie Gaines, Nutritionist; Mrs. Evelyn Hamilton, Teacher; Mrs. Doris Barron, Teacher, and Mrs. Josie Grier, Teacher's Aid.

The Day Care Center's class colors are Pink and White and their class flower is the rose.

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In the very loving homes where the parents have tried to provide everything to nurture their child's health and happiness, a "little" carelessness has caused suffering, permanent maiming and death.

Part of the normal growing process for children is to explore their world--their home--by climbing, opening drawers and cupboards, reaching, feeling, tasting. In fact, they will test almost everything they pick up by putting it in their mouth--even when the taste is vile.

Teaching is not good enough for youngsters one through three. The only safe way to protect them is to put every poison in your home out of their reach, according to Health, Education and Welfare's experts in emergency health services.

Put Poisons in Safe Places  
Where are your household



**WINNER--James William Taylor** of 3127 Barringer Drive has won \$100 from the "Super Cash Bingo Game" sponsored by A&P Food Stores. Taylor presented his winning card at a Freedom Drive A&P location.

### Krieger Named

### Director Of

### Operations

M. Thomas Krieger was recently named Director of Perishable Operations for Food Town Stores, Inc., according to an announcement by Food Town's president Ralph W. Ketner.

Krieger assumes overall responsibility for the supervision of Food Town's perishable operation including the buying of fresh produce and the merchandising and selling of produce, frozen foods, and dairy products for Food Town's 39 supermarkets in the Carolinas.

A 23-year veteran of the Kroger Company of Cincinnati, Krieger's background in retailing includes experience in all facets of supermarket operations including the positions of clerk, produce manager, store manager, produce supervisor, zone manager and, most recently, director of produce.

He served, for the past four and a half years, as director of produce for Kroger's "Gateway Marketing Area" which includes 119 supermarkets in Kansas, Missouri and southern Illinois.

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## Red Cross To Offer Baby Sitters Course

A free course for instructing baby sitters will be held at the local Red Cross building, 2425 Park Road, on June 22, 23, and 24, in the afternoon from 2 until 4 o'clock. The course will be open to anyone 12 years of age or older.

The course will be taught mainly by Red Cross staff members including a registered nurse. A representative of the Charlotte police department will teach protection in the home.

### Busy Girls Club

### Announces First

### Garden Project

A combined garden spot is one of the first projects to be undertaken by The Busy Girls Youth Garden Club.

Member Patricia Scott hosted the club's last meeting Friday, June 4. In addition to making plans for the garden, the group adopted the motto, "To Keep Our World Beautiful", and the club song, "He's Got The Whole World In His Hands."

Two new members were welcomed into the month old club. They were Sebastian Algood and Cortez Asbury.

Other members present were Tina Harris, Chandra Harris, Alicia Roberts, Dorothy Barringer, Marcella Miller, Tina Ervin and Cheryl Jant.

Group advisor, Mrs. Eva Wiley gave words of encouragement at the meeting.

The Red Cross nursing director will teach baby care and the handling of an infant, and a member of the safety staff will be the instructor in first aid.

Other staff members will discuss the responsibility of the baby sitter to the family and the responsibility of the family to the baby sitter. Each class member will be furnished a Baby Sitter's Check List which will include such information as the name of the family physician, a telephone number where a member of the family can always be reached, the name of a near neighbor, etc.

There will be instruction in ways to keep a child happy, how to get along with children, simple games and recreation, and safety rules during play.

Class members will be encouraged to assemble materials for a "Kit bag" to take to baby sitting jobs. Some of the items suggested for the Kit will be simple plastic toys, colored paper, crayons, blunt scissors, story books, and a flashlight.

The course is sponsored by the Red Cross Youth Service Programs of the Greater Carolinas Chapter and is unique in that it is the only such course currently being offered in this area. It was designed by a

local Red Cross staff member, a registered nurse. This is the first session of the course for this summer; and, if demand is sufficient, another class will be taught in July.

Certificates will be presented to young persons who complete the course.

Anyone interested in enrolling for the baby sitters course should call the office of Youth Service Programs at the Red Cross, 376-1661, Ext. 227.

### Northwest

### Residents To Fight

### Rezoning Action

continued from page 1 of the residents of the area but will await the Planning Commissioner's recommendation before stating his position on the matter.

County Commission candidates Lewis C. Coleman and Robert Walton also expressed sympathy for the residents on this issue. Walton summarized their views when he said, "I am against placing such a facility in the neighborhood. It will take away from the design and beauty of the community. I support those neighborhood groups opposing this move."

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