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African Cultural

Program For Youths ed a very interesting summer

By Abigail L. Flanders Post Staff Writer

In these lazy, hazy, crazy days of summer, several groups and organizations have plans for activities to help keep the kids off the streets and further them down the paths of learning. This summer, Juanita Erwin, a program director for the YWCA on Trade Street has discover-

project, seemingly designed especially for Black children and teens, entitled: "Discover Us: An African Cultural Program." The program began with an informal open house, June the 12th, and will continue through August the 3rd. Some of the activities that the program will sponsor in-

clude tie dying, made simple for the younger children, as well as teenagers; the art of preparing a variety of foods-everything from hot dogs to soul food; music and dance-organized and choreographed by those participating in the summer program, and many other activities that will prove to be very interesting to young people of all ages.

Juanita Erwin is excited about the program because it is one of the first of its kind in the Charlotte area. Although the Afro-American Cultural festival is featured annually on a summer basis, it only lasts one day. An extensive sum-

mer program designed for and by Black youth is apt to have its rewards in introducing teens to a world of cooking, entertainment and the arts, which will more than likely help create a summer of both learning and enjoyment as well as aid them in growing

pendent individuals.

into more mature and inde-

To Enter Federal

Bonnie Y. Draper

... To enter college

Bonnie Draper

City College

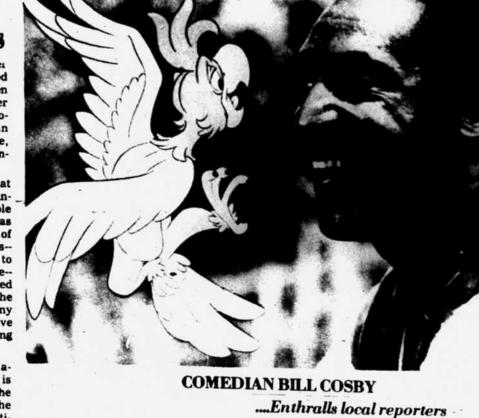
Miss Bonnie Yvonne Draper, a former student of Wilson Junior High School, received her high school diploma on Tuesday, June 8th from Francis L. Cardozo Senior High School in Washington, D.C.

In the fall of this year she will enter Federal City College on a federal grant to pursuit a Bachelors of Art Degree in Sociology. She is the granddaughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Polk Jr. of 2826 Botany St. Charlotte.

Premiering Tuesday, June 15th, Hugh Downs returns to. radio with a five-minute program on physical fitness. Feeling Fit", an NBC presentation, will air each Tuesday and Thursday on WSOC-AM at 7:30 p.m.

Another NBC five-minute show, with host Bess Myerson, begins on Radio 93 Monday.



....Enthralls local reporters **Bill Cosby Emphasizes**

Importance Of Education

duce the commercials.

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By Abigail L. Flanders Post Staff Writer Somber, soft-spoken and assertive, BillCosby took a seat at the head of a large table. surrounded by Black report-

tributed to the underprivileg-

ed ones. "I've worked at em-

phasizing the importance of

education. In most schools,

the poorer the student body,

the greater the probability of

less good working materials."

he said as he glanced around

An even greater obsession

for the popular star is the

growing lack of morals and

values for children. "Where

my wife and I come from, a

child's back side was freely

heated when he disobeved.

and that's how we've reared

our children. You see, there's

more to learning than just

sitting in a classroom and

chewing gum. A child learns

from every situation in life.

That's one reason why Fat

Albert has been so popular.

It's entertaining, and it also

teaches morals and values on

the table.

ers. His dark handsome face **Eddie Kendricks** became writhe when asked about his favorite subject-children and how he has con-

To Appear On

Bandstand

Dick Clark welcomes spe cial quests Rhythm Heritage. Eddie Kendricks and Rip Taylor to the ABC Television Network's "American Bandstand", SATURDAY, JUNE 19 (from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., EDT)

Rhythm Heritage will per-New Programs To form two of their current in recordings, "Theme From form two of their current hit S.W.A.T." and "Baretta's

Benefit Mind, Body will sing "Get it While It's Hot" and zany comedian Rip Taylor will entertain the audi-

Dick Clark is the host of "American Bandstand" Barry Glazer is the executive producer and director. Judy Price is the producer.

a child's level.' Mr. Cosby's love and con-

cern for children has helped to children's programming, do enhance his career. His televiyou feel that there's a need for sion appearances, particularit? one reporter asked. "Well, ly his commercials, generally I would think that it's cheaper have a group of children comthan national children's promenting on how good a certain gramming. You would not pudding is. He has advanced need all the materials that now to commercials with chilnational children's programdren that talk about how good a car is, which is why Charlotte was graced with his presence in the first place. He was asked to do some Ford commercials, for which he

was paid an exhuberant ato lunch. mount of money, flown to Charlotte in a private jet and

ming uses. All you need to do is to establish your characters and let them do all the work." Suddenly, the interveiw was ended...and the legendary Bill Cosby was quickly rushed off

CHARLOTTE ART Charlotte in a private jet and given the royal treatment by Jefferson Productions, the OPEN IIAM DAILY & I PM SUNDAY company which helped to pro-SUPER X DOUBLE! STARVED? TREAT Mr. Cosby seemed unim-YOURSELF TO 'LUNCH'

pressed by all the pomp and circumstance as he delivered his honest replies to the reporters who watched and listened -PLUS! carefully to the forty year old "BOTTOMS star as he lecturefully spoke. "Mr. Cosby, what about local Happy Motoring!

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TV Special **Owens Returns To Berlin**

"Jesse Owens Returns to Berlin", is the story of how Owens, the twenty-two-yearold American son of an Alabama sharecropper, went to Germany as a member of the United States Olympic Team to compete in the 1936 Berlin Games during the rise of Nazi power in Germany. "Jesse Owens Returns to Berlin" will air Sunday, June 20 at 7:00 p.m. on WTVI, Channel 42 over PBS.

The 1936 Berlin Olympic Games were much more than an athletic event. Hitler stated publicly that he wanted complete victory from the German Olympic Team to prove that his theory of Aryan racial supremacy was correct. Owens, narrating his own experience, recalls how his four gold-medal victories at the Berlin Games dominated the spotlight, averting attempts by the Nazis to convert the games into political propaganda extolling their super race theory.

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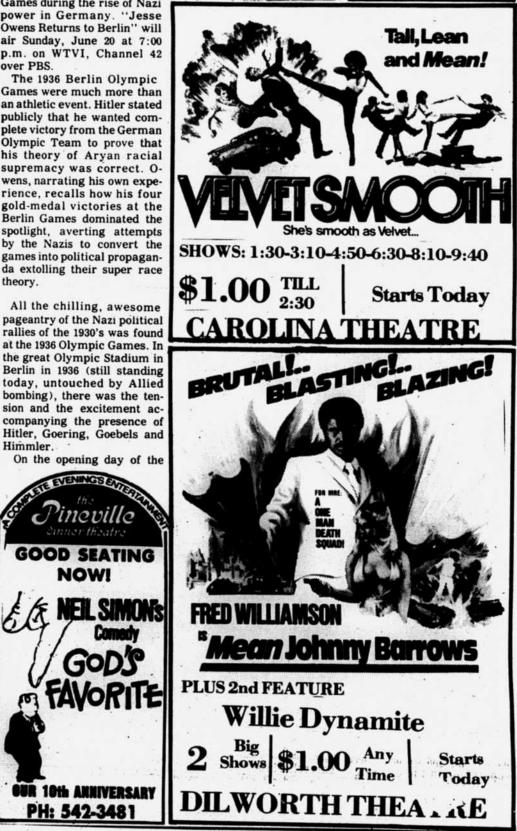
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Berlin Games, there was great interest in how the different teams would pass in review in front of Hilter's box. Says Owens, "We were told to place our hats over our hearts. The crowd did not like it. source of news about the peo-Every nation dipped its flag to ple you know,

the Fuhrer as it passed the Chancellor's box. Every nation but one. The United States flag has never been dipped." ... READ the Charlotte Post each week. It is your best



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