

What's happening!

GOOD ENTERTAINMENT...The team of Gosha and Siegle, that created the entertainment boom around town early in the Summer, have parted, however both segments seem to be doing just fine anyhow.

Tony Gosha, the illustrious owner of VIP Productions has corralled the services of Luther Maxwell's Combo, and with Donald Daviss still singing as velvety as ever is operating pretty healthily. As an added attraction last weekend, the very foxy Virginia Massey added her charm and grace to the place, and coupled with the melodious voice really gave the guests of VIP something to rave about.

On the other hand Grady Siegle and "Touch" have hooked up some regular engagements around town, and all doing pretty well at this point. On Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays, they bring John Wooten's Big Apple Lounge alive. On Friday nights they have started a thing at McJ's Lounge on Rozzells Ferry Road, that's really beginning to catch on, which is evidence of the growing popularity of jazz music in these parts.

So any time you are looking for real cool atmosphere, real soothing sounds, real smooth refreshments and plenty of real lovelies, if you are a dude, check out these spots.

FOOTBALL WEEKEND...There was big joy in Mudville last Saturday night when the lights were turned out after Smith and Unions game. Unfortunately, the side I was on weren't for Mudville or Richmond, nor were they Virginia Union fans. They were from Charlotte and had traveled 300 miles, 500 strong, to help the Bulls continue their winning ways. But when the deal went down, the Bulls fans realized they had to resort to plan B., which was the second reason for being there...having fun. At least, as much as possible under the circumstances.

The Sirocco Club and a dance sponsored by the Richmond Chapter of the Johnson C. Smith Alumni Association were used to help drown the disappointments of Myra Maxwell, Duffie Hyatt, Rudy Torrence, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Howard, Joe Ellison, Charles Foster, Jackie Cox, "Killer" Lloyd, Carolyn Hailey, Oren McCullough, Dottie Osborne, William Joyner, Charles Hodges, Paul Howell, Metter Collins, Turner Sumpter, Donald Grigsby, Bill McCombs, Clyde Brown, Willie Helms, Charles Lee, Toby Abraham, Charles Dannelly, Mabel Holloway, Clarence Gaines and Vikki Sanders.

FASHIONS ON PARADE...Last Sunday afternoon was a very pretty day, weather wise that is and just the right type of day for a fashion show. Which brings us to a super successful show of fashions presented by the Pineville Sterling Alumni Association. The parade of fashions began about 6 p.m., and around 7 p.m. Jimmy McKee's Excelsior Club had a standing room only crowd.

While the guests, which included Mary Ann Harris, Delores Weathers, Bobby and Delores Davis, Gladys Redmond, Steve and Betty Adams, Isiah Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. William Luster, Dollie McNeely, George Hunter, Sarah Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Maxwell, Alma Nash, Parlie M. Frazier, Lee Woods, Nancy Holloway and Martha Holloway, nibbled away the snacks and sipped on the wine. They were cast in a dream-like state with fashions from Jay's Men Shop, House of Charles, Brittain's Shoe Store, Abbotts Fashionette, Robert Hall's and What's Happening Shop.

The models responsible for the polished showing of the elegant fashions were R.B. Phifer, Karen Cole, Alonzo Mackins, Yvonne McGee, Sheryl Williams, Valecia Beaty, Theresa Teague, Bradford Holland, Ann Gregory, Jimmy Wingate, Bernita Barnwell, Christine Luster, Karen Weathers, Dianne Harris, Lucille Gray, Anthony Pharr, Robert Foust, Mary Grier, Cathlene Mobley, Robert Harris, James Luster, Mary L. Harris and Bernita Ervin.

PARTY FUN...Last Saturday night David Caldwell, along with James and Dee Barnes gave a fabulous party for some close friends.

The party was held in the back yard of David Caldwell's beautiful home in Rock Hill, S.C.

Some of the guests at this affair were David and Jean Caldwell, Luther Caldwell, June and Dee Barnes, George and Tina Yelldell, Maggie Smith, Beatrice Hunter, James Mason, Helen Ruth Faust, Geneva Ware, Calvin Ware, Jimmy Leake and Virginia Harper.

The hosts and hostesses for the evening served cold cuts, fried chicken, potato salad and other goodies, topped off with a wide variety of liquid refreshments.

HAPPINESS...Search for a single, inclusive good is doomed to failure. Such happiness as life is capable of comes from the full participation of all our powers in the endeavor to wrest from each changing situation of experience its own unique meaning --ROCK EASY!



Bob Johnson



Seventeen-year-old Johnny Ray Wallace, the son of Mr. and Mrs. M.C. Wallace of 8713 Russell Road, is one of eight national finalists in a bicentennial essay contest. Greyhound Corporation presented a \$100 travelers check to Wallace and invited him and his parents to Phoenix, Arizona, where the contest judging took place. Wallace entered an essay entitled "What America Means To Me." The contest was sponsored nationally, said a recently published article. It involved 18 cities. A first

place winner from each city was selected, then eight national finalists were chosen and brought to Phoenix, a Greyhound official reportedly said. A student at West Charlotte High School, Wallace has been active in the Vocational Industrial Club of America. He was a junior marshal and he plans to apply to East Carolina University in Greenville for admission and financial assistance. "I'd like to be a medical technician," he was quoted as saying.

Judge McMillan Removes

Himself From "Lazy B" Case

Judge James B. McMillan of Western Federal District Court, in a surprise move, dismissed himself without explanation from hearing the appeal of the 'Charlotte, North Carolina, Three' Tuesday, September 14th. The case is now referred to U.S. District Chief Judge Woodrow Wilson Jones to either hear himself or assign to another judge.

Speaking for the North Carolina Alliance Against Racist and Political Repression, Anne Mitchell, coordinator said, "This ominous development is yet another in a series of attempts by the repressive forces in this state to reincarcerate Dr. James Grant, T.J. Reddy and Charles Parker of the Charlotte Three. We demand the systematic repression of activists in North Carolina cease immediately, beginning with the reversal of the Charlotte Three conviction and the immediate release of the Rev. Ben Chavis and sister and brothers of the Wilmington Ten. For, these cases represent the consistent use of the full repressive powers of

this state to imprison the leaders of all of us who are fighting for justice and equality in North Carolina."

Convicted in 1972 for burning a stable in Charlotte, N.C. in a case fraught with inconsistencies and the testimony of paid informers, T.J. Reddy and Dr. Jim Grant were released from prison on June 22nd and 24th of this year, pending federal review of the consistent violation of their constitutional rights by the state of North Carolina. Dr. Grant is currently out on \$50,000 bond, T.J. Reddy on \$10,000 bond and Charles Parker is on parole.

Dr. Grant, a member of the Executive Board of the National Alliance Against Racist and Political Repression, stated today, "The court system is not going to free political activists. The only element that freed us temporarily was pressure by the people, both within the state of North Carolina and outside. Ultimately, it will be the people who will bring about the release of the Wilmington Ten and Charlotte

Three and not the court system which is the hand and the guardian of the ruling class."

For more information contact the National Alliance, 150 Fifth Ave., Room 804, New York, N.Y. 10011 (212) 243-8555 or the North Carolina Alliance, P.O. Box 14307, Raleigh, N.C. 27610 (919) 755-9196.

Happiness Through Health Milk May Cause Ulcer Damage

By Otto McClarrin
Special To The Post
Milk reduces stomach acid and discomfort for ulcer patients, but a new study shows that milk provides only temporary relief and eventually results in higher acid secretions that may further damage painful ulcers, researchers say.

A study of 10 ulcer and nonulcer patients at Wadsworth Veterans Administration Hospital in Los Angeles shows that "milk may be detrimental to ulcer healing," said Dr. John I. Isenberg.

Isenberg stated that researchers found that there was a brief decrease in acid levels of subjects who consumed milk but a marked increase in acid secretion occurred within four hours. He said the acid levels increased as much as three times above normal and the increase was caused by whole, lowfat and

nonfat milk. Doctors believe excess acid production is a major cause of ulcers. "We are not recommending that ulcer patients stop drinking milk," he said. "But we are saying that doctors should not prescribe milk instead of antacids in treatment."

Development with Hypertension

The first report on more than one million persons examined for high blood pressure in a nationwide program indicates that while there has been considerable improvement in the detection and treatment of this potentially fatal disorder, it is still an undetected or uncontrolled disease in more than half those who have it.

The report, published in a recent American Medical Association Journal, states that 21 percent of 4,492,253 persons who took part in Community Hypertension Evaluation Cl

nic programs around the country in the last three years were found to have high blood pressure, or hypertension.

But only 45 percent of those with hypertension were being adequately treated to bring their blood pressure down to normal levels, the clinic findings showed.

New Cancer Drug May Be Ready In Six Months:

A powerful new anti-cancer drug, AD 32, has been used successfully on animals and could be ready for human use in six months, according to the director of the Charles A. Dana Center in Brookline, Mass.

The drug is ten times more effective and much safer than adriamycin, an antibiotic used against bone marrow leukemia and a broad range of solid tumors, says Dr. Emil Frei. Dr. Frei developed the new drug with Dr. Mervyn Israel and Dr. Edward J. Modest.

Samples of the drug have been sent to the National Cancer Institute for confirmation of the previous work and further tests. Dr. Frei said the new drug was developed by changing the molecular structure of adriamycin and a similar drug, daunomycin. Both those drugs are effective against leukemia and solid tumors but are restricted in use because they suppress bone marrow activity and affect the heart over a period of time.

AD 32 is far less toxic in animals than the two antibiotics used as models, Dr. Frei said. (NNPA)

Democratic Women's Club To Meet

Record by Curt Martin

The Democratic Women's Club of Mecklenburg County will hold a General Meeting on Tuesday, September 28, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at Queens College in the Dana Class Room Building Auditorium (not Dana Auditorium), Room 106. This building is located across the street from the court yard.

The guest speaker will be Martha Lowrance, Ms. Lowrance did research and typed the manuscript for the recent book pertaining to the North Carolina Legislature. For the

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At this meeting a nominating committee shall be elected to recommend a slate of officers for the Board of Directors, and amendments to the bylaws of the Democratic Women's Club will be submitted and voted on by the membership.

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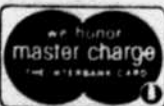


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