



LES AMIES BRIDGE CLUB President Thelma Byers, 2nd from right, presents a check for \$100 to Mrs. Anita Stroud, left, of the Anita Stroud Foundation for support of program for

disadvantaged children. Club members Mamie L. Brewington, right, and Letha J. Caldwell, 2nd from left, observe the proceedings.

Photo by Peeter

Les Amies Contribute To Anita Stroud Foundation

The 18-member, 42-year-old, Les Amies Bridge Club, as part of its policy of supporting worthwhile charitable organizations, contributed \$100 to the Anita Stroud Foundation last week for support of disadvantaged kids in the Fairview Homes Housing Project.

In past years the club, presently headed by President Thelma Byers, has contributed to such charitable causes as the Milk Fund, a Clothes and Shop Closet for needy individuals, Sickle Cell Anemia Fund, the NAACP, Mc-

Creory Branch YMCA, the YWCA, and the Black Women's Caucus.

Since organizing in 1934, the club has limited its membership to 18 persons and is presently composed of Thelma Byers, President; Mildred S. Grier, Secretary; Gladys Moreland, Secretary of Finance; Laura S. Malone, Treasurer; Elizabeth Dargan, Bessie Mulliens, Fannie Wallace; Mary Lee Henderson, Mamie L. Brewington; Louise Holloman, Willie Mae McKis-

sick, Frances Wheeler, Helen Cabiness, Malta Levi, Willie G. Towns, Claudie McFadden, Anne Roberts, and Letha J. Caldwell.

Two of Les Amies members - Mary Lee Henderson and Frances Wheeler - are charter members of the organization.

Club spokeswoman Laura S. Malone said the club, which meets once a month at different members homes, plans to make support of the Anita Stroud Foundation "an annual project."

For December 12 Cosmetologist Club Sets

Third Annual Fashion Show

By Melvetta Jenkins
Post Staff Writer

The Cosmetologist Club of Charlotte will sponsor its Third Annual Fashion Show on Sunday, December 12 at 7 p.m. at the McCrorey Branch YMCA on Beatties Ford Road.

The two members of the Club, Ms. Janie Deese and Ms. Elouise Ferguson, are owners of Deese's Coiffures and Hair Original Beauty Boutique, respectively.

The fashion show will be composed of two segments. The first will feature local professional and student models from Trim Modeling School and Patricia Stevens Modeling School. The models, Jackie Kee, Bonnie Phillips, Helen Lewis, Betty Johnson, Debra Johnson, Sly Davis Jr., Candy Stowe, Dena Hoey, Al-

terria Miller, Fredricka L. Mitchell, John Campbell, Johnita Jones, Karen Jones, Calvin Miller, Elizabeth Radcliffe, Teri McCauley, Valerie Brown and Kim Robinsin, will model clothes from such area stores as Sears, Belk's, McJay's, Miller and Rhoads and Sample Hut, and designs by Christian Dior, Emily Just, Mr. John and Zachary Taylor, to name a few.

The second segment of the show will feature hair styles from various beauty shops in the area, including Deese's Coiffures, Hair Original Beauty Boutique, Beckwith Beauty Clinic, House of Charles, Trend Setter, and William's Studio of Beauty. The wigs to be used in this segment of the show are by Naomi Sims. The latest fall styles and cuts will

be shown, plus a three feet high hairstyle worn by "Miss Christmas Tree" and done by Miss Peggy Gaines, a teacher in the Charlotte-Mecklenburg school system.

The coordinator of the show is Mrs. Betty Alsbrooks who has traveled in the West and mid-West, modeling with Zachary Perkins, well-known designer and the owner of Zachary Originals of Gary, Indiana. The commentator for the evening will be Mrs. Eva Shadd, assistant to the principal of North West Junior High School.

"The show is important to me because I enjoy working with people and keeping up with what's going on in the beauty culture," said Ms Ferguson. "Keeping your hands and mind out of the culture doesn't allow you to

accomplish much. We're giving young people an opportunity to feature in our show because Black models don't get enough recognition in Charlotte."

"The purpose of the fashion show is 'to present to women the different aspects of the beauty profession, since its growing so fast.'"

The club makes an annual contribution to the United Negro College Fund and plans to soon fulfill its goal of sending a worthy young student to beauty school. The members of the Cosmetologist Club plan to sponsor a drive soon to encourage new members.

Tickets for the show are \$3 and can be purchased at Deese's Coiffures (597-7951) and Hair Original Beauty Boutique (373-9230).



BETTY JOHNSON
...Local model

Council Approves Death Penalty

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was committed while the defendant was an accomplice, was committing or escaping arrest following a robbery, rape, arson, burglary, kidnapping, high-jacking or discharging of a bomb; the capital crime was committed against a law enforcement officer, an officer of the Department of Corrections, a fireman, judge, justice or former judge or justice, prosecutor, juror, former juror, witness or former witness against the defendant; the crime was a heinous or cruel crime; or that the defendant knowingly created a great risk of death to more than one person by a weapon or hazardous device.

If the sentencing jury finds any of the above aggravating factors, a finding can be made that any number of circumstances would demand that the sentence be life imprisonment rather than death. These circumstances include the following: The defendant has no "significant" history of criminal activity; the capital crime was committed while the defendant was mentally or emotionally disturbed; the victim

was a participant in the defendant's crime; the defendant was an accomplice to a capital crime committed by another person and his role was a minor one; the defendant's capacity to know that he was committing a crime was impaired by the defendant's age; the defendant aided in the apprehension or testified for the prosecution in another prosecution of a serious felon.

Further deliberation is yet to be had on the re-write of the death penalty by the Judicial Council on December 17 at 10:00 a.m. in the N.C. Justice Building, Judicial Council Di-

rector Franklin Freeman said that details of jury selection and other minor items have yet to be finalized.

The death penalty re-enactment is opposed by 17 organizations which comprise the coalition, North Carolinians Against the Death Penalty. That group is opposed to capital punishment. It is expected to request both Governor-elect Hunt and the Legislature to study whether capital punishment is in fact a deterrent to crime prior to re-enactment of a new death penalty to comply with the Supreme Court's guidelines.

Kennedy To Give Voice Recital

A voice recital will be held December 3 at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte. UNCC voice instructor Richard Kennedy will perform at 8:15 p.m. in Rowe Recital Hall. He will be accompanied by fellow faculty member Ronald Booth at the piano.

The program for the recital will include "Quanto peni anima Mia" by Alessandro Scarlatti, "Vinto Sono" also by Scarlatti, "Dichterliebe", Op. 48 by Robert Schumann and selections from both Bergettes

and Oh Fair To See by Gerald Finzi.

Kennedy graduated from the Indiana University School of Music with a double concentration in voice and theatre, the Masters of Music in voice pedagogy and completed a year's work on the doctorate. He has performed at the White House, the Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts and the Philharmonic Hall in Lincoln Center.

The recital is free and open to the public.

WBT-FM Schedules

Handel's "Messiah" WBT-TV and the Charlotte Music Club are co-sponsoring the 24th annual presentation of Handel's "Messiah."

The work will be performed by the Charlotte Community Chorus on Sunday, December 5, at 4 p.m. at Owens Auditorium. Admission is free.

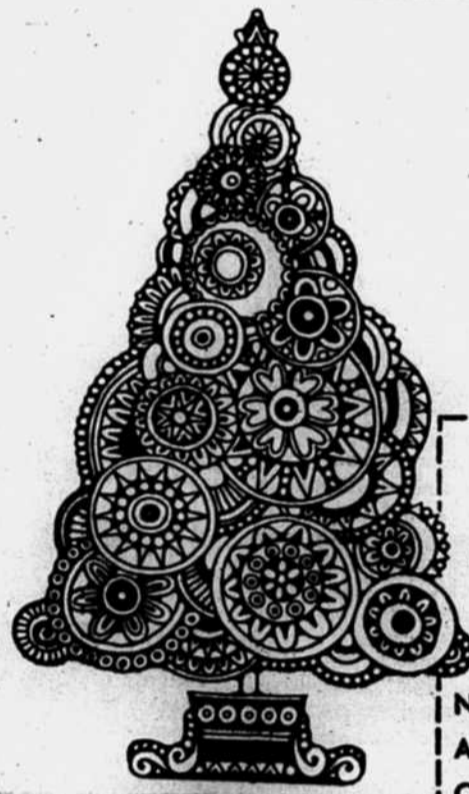
Handel's "Messiah" will be directed by Albert B. McClanahan. The presentation will be dedicated to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Covington.

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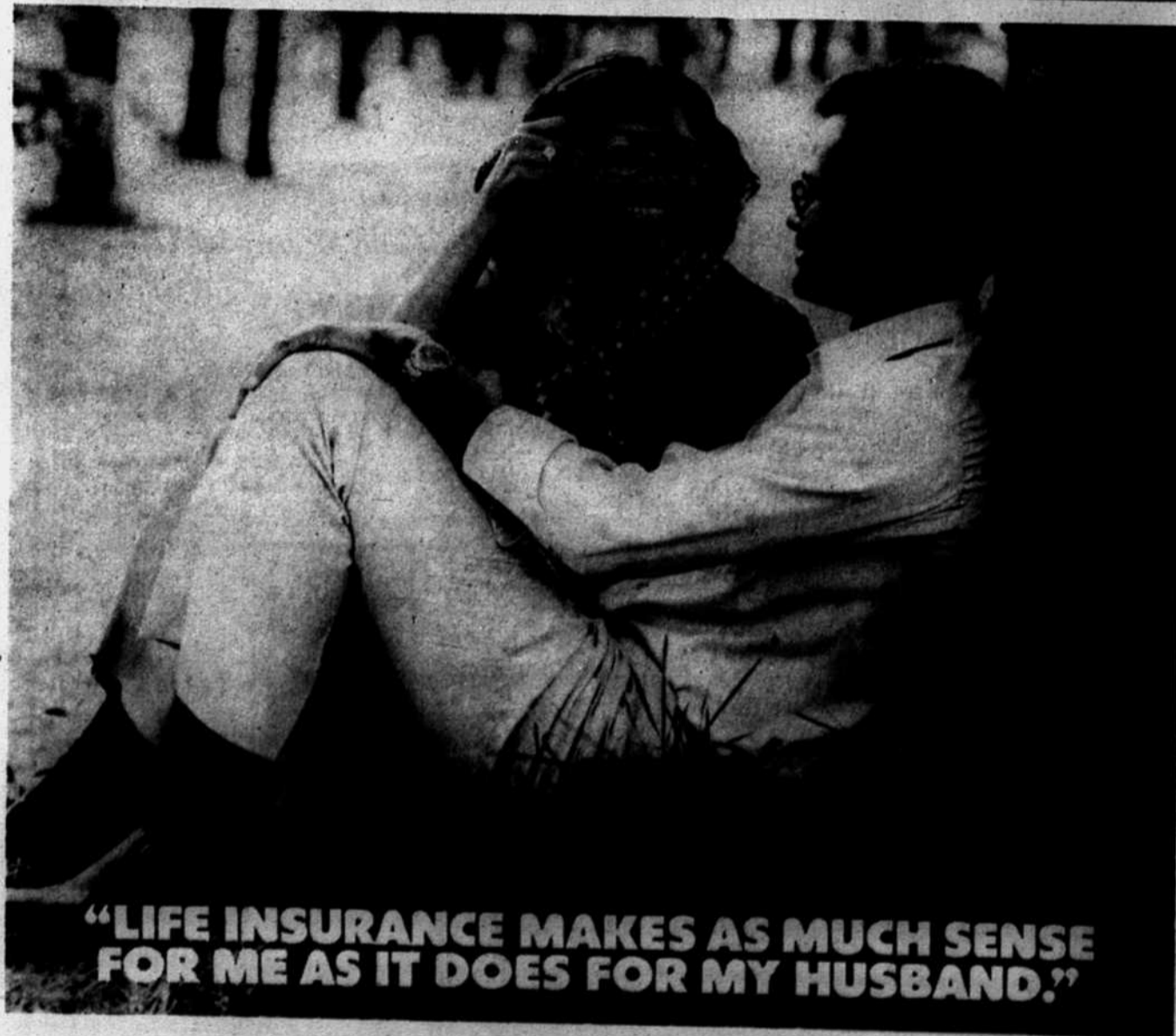
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