

An Evening Of

Contemporary Artistry

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The Charlotte Little Theatre Friday August 5 and Saturday August 6 manifested an environment of insight and social realism; courtesy of the Ebony Group and Company.

The evening of contemporary artistry had the mien of a diamond in the rough.

Shimmers of brilliance effloresced in a presentation of Dramatic Readings written with an insight seldom accomplished. In keeping with the quality of the material, members of the company gave highly artistic deliveries.

The readings, written and directed by Bernard White, a member of EGC, traversed the scope - birth to death.

"Hotsey Street Tonight?," choreographed by Jacci Kirksey began as a still portrait in dance that aroused both curiosity and expectations. Unfortunately, the ingenuity of the first movement was lacking in the remaining sequence.

A poignant one act drama "The Sirens" culminated this theatrical experience.

The play, depicting profane social practices, was profound in language to the extent of being excessive in some instances. Performances by the cast exemplified sincerity and

effort necessary for successful productions. Denise Reid as Pepper and Darrell Winstead as Bobby performed with a realism that lacked stage awareness and added a genuine sense of professionalism.

In the role of Mavis, Lucera Blount's performance was reminiscent of a pendulum. At its high with dialogue and its nadir in monologue.

The Ebony Group and Company is developing an organization to be reckoned with in local live theatre. The curtain is rising...

Colts-Oilers Football Game To Be Seen

As a prelude to the regular-season schedule of National Football League games on the CBS Television Network, CBS Sports will broadcast the clash between the Baltimore Colts and Houston Oilers Sunday, August 14 at 3:45 p.m. on WBTV, Channel 3, in the first of three pre-season contests.

Pat Summerall, play by play, and Tom Brookshier, analysis, will be the commentators for the game at the Astrodome in Houston, Texas.

In other pre-season action, the Cincinnati Bengals tangle with the Detroit Lions at Pontiac Stadium in Pontiac, Michigan, Sunday, August 21 at 1 p.m., and in a final pre-season broadcast by CBS sports, the

New England Patriots play host to the former world champion Pittsburgh Steelers at Schaefer Stadium in Foxboro, Mass., Sunday, August 28 at 2 p.m.

In all, 95 National Football League games, including Super Bowl XII from the Louisiana Superdome in New Orleans, and three other post-season contests, will be broadcast by CBS Sports during the 1977 season.

Regular season live coverage begins Sunday, September 18 with six games to be broadcast regionally, followed by a national game telecast between the Dallas Cowboys and Minnesota Vikings at Metropolitan Stadium in Bloomington, Minn.

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