

With Dianne Simpson

Campus Capers



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What is more touching, more inspirational and simply more beautiful than to have witnessed the honoring of a most distinguished and inspiring figure, such as Mrs. Inez Parker.

A former English instructor and presently Smith's historian, Mrs. Parker was honored in a ceremony sponsored in the University Campus Church by the Kappa Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.

Presiding over this special occasion was Soror Dale Cobb, a senior English major. JCSU's loyalty song served as the opening selection. Soror Cathy Stafford, a senior Early Childhood Ed. major read the scripture and Samuel Blackwell, a member of the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. conducted the invocation.

Soror Carmen Thomas, a senior Psychology major introduced the speaker Ms. Allegra Westbrooks. But before Ms. Westbrooks gave her presentation, the University Choir, under the direction of Mr. Christopher Kemp, uplifted the occasion with their beautiful melodic voices rendering selections of "Listen to the Lamb" and "Little Lamb."

Ms. Westbrooks, the supervisor of 14 branches of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Public Library made her address. In opening her speech she stressed Mrs. Parker's roles of being an excellent teacher, researcher, historian and author.

In her act of reminiscing, Ms. Westbrooks recalled that many of Mrs. Parker's English students had once categorized Mrs. Parker as being "a neat teacher." She was a stresser of correctness, grammar, tenses, concise articulation and the maker of interesting literature. She was noted by Ms. Westbrooks as being an instructor who gave a sense of direction and went beyond the textbook to the character of the student. She was then titled as being a "Suitcase teacher" because she was always on the move to encourage and promote. She was then called by Ms. Westbrooks a "Clockwatcher" because she always wanted to see how many extra hours she could put in to teach, do research and inspire.

Ms. Westbrooks, who feels that many of the students should pattern their academic successes by Mrs. Parker's, concluded her speech with the UNCF slogan that "A mind is a terrible thing to waste."

It was at this moment that Smith's R.W. Johnson Spiritual Choir, under the direction of Samuel Blackwell sang two beautiful selections. Soror Stafford read to Mrs. Parker a poem entitled "Give Me My Flowers" and she and the other Zeta sorors presented to Mrs. Parker beautiful roses.



Mrs. Inez Parker

...An inspiring figure

Words of gratitude were then given to Mrs. Parker by Randy Lee, President of the Student Christian Association; John Griffin, editor-in-chief of the campus newspaper; Larry Smith, editor-in-chief of the yearbook and President Dr. Wilbert Greenfield. The lovely ladies of the Gamma Delta Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. presented to Mrs. Parker flowers and sang to her a song as an illustration of their love for her being their AKA soror.

The ceremony ended with the singing of the National Black Anthem and Mrs. Inez Parker, teacher, historian, author and researcher revealing her tears of joy.

Bennett Choir To Present Christmas Candlelight Concert

Greensboro, N.C. -- The Bennett College Choir will present its annual Christmas Candlelight Concert, Sunday, Dec. 4 at 7 p.m. in Annie Merner Pfeiffer Chapel.

The concert will include a group of popular 17th and 18th century works such as "Hodie Christus Natus Est," a Christmas motet by J.P. Sweelinck, "From Heaven Above" by Arcadelt, and "Ave Maria" by Phillip Hayes.

Among the traditional concert seasonal favorites will be selections such as Dickinson's "The Shepherds' Story," Ran-

dall Thompson's "Nowell," and Martin's "The Birth Of Our Lord."

Richard Maxwell

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the bands and thus urges the public to attend the Christmas concerts performed by the Albemarle Road Jr. High and Hawthorne Jr. High Schools bands. The Albemarle Jr. High Christmas concert is to be presented in Westerly Hills, Monday, December 12 at 9:30 a.m. and at the Albemarle Mall at 7:30 p.m. on December 13. Hawthorne Jr. High will present their concert in their gymnasium on December 14, at 7:30 p.m. Admission is free.

Maxwell is an active member of the Johnson C. Smith University Alumni Association. He is married to Minnie Maxwell who works with JCSU academic affairs, and they have one son Richard E. Maxwell, Jr. who is a senior at West Charlotte High School.

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