

What's happening!

POLITICAL AFFAIR... The committee that is responsible for re-electing Charles Dannelly to City Council sponsored a benefit concert Wednesday night, September 19, at the Beacon Club on Beatties Ford Road. The concert featured Maurice Williams and the Zodiacs, the perennial beach music singing favorites in this area.

Maurice, the talented leader is heavier now than he was when this reporter first saw him perform. The years however have been good to him. His voice has developed an elegant maturity, yet not lacking the unmistakable Maurice sound.

The personnel in his group has changed through the years. William McKinney, (horn player) is the only member that has been with the group for any length of time.

The group's style has changed some also, adding the disco flavor and using different arrangements for some old standard times.



Bob Johnson

The show at the Becon for Councilman Dannelly was well attended and allowed other people to see and hear the new Maurice Williams and the Zodiacs, since they rarely perform in Charlotte. Among the attendees were Jerome Roseboro, Joe Appling, Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. James Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mince, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Josephs, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swift, Mr. and Mrs. James McCullough, C.J. Whaley who was in the midst of celebrating his birthday, Bill Whitmire, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bailey.

DISASTER STRIKES... Crystal Springs Golf Course beautifully sprawled along 7,000 acres of land just off highway 51 south of Pineville is tough and very challenging. It has creeks that literally reach out and snatch golf balls, after they have been hit from tilted fairways. Nonetheless,

hackers continually accept the challenge in hopes of someday conquering this giant link. Such is the case with Bill Johnson, Robert Morris and yours truly.

Last Sunday morning the three of us braved the cool air and rain to try our limited skills in mastering the monster and were disastrously subdued. Be that as it may, we will return again and again and again!

While on the subject of golf, the Par. Buster's Group will hold their final tournament of a very successful year, sometime in October. The tournament will be played at Sunset Hills Gold Course. There will more details in a later issue.

TENNIS ANYONE?... The Beta Chapter of Guys and Dolls Inc. will sponsor an Open Tennis Tournament and free tennis clinics, September 28, 29 and 30th at West Charlotte High School's tennis courts.

The events will consist of men's singles, women's singles, men's and women's doubles and family doubles. Trophies will be awarded to the winners and runners-up in each event.

Saturday, September 29 at 12 noon at

West Charlotte, the Guys and Dolls are sponsoring a free tennis clinic. The clinic will be for participants 7 years and older. Alex Thompson the teaching pro at Central Piedmont Community College, will conduct the clinic. A mini tournament will be held free for participants of the clinic, whose ages are between 7 and 12.

For more information contact Richard McElrath-392-7253.

COMMAND, PERFORMANCE... The Greater Galilee Baptist Church glowed last Sunday night with the dynamically emotional sounds of the Greater Charlotte Community Chorale in their last Charlotte concert of 1979.

The Greater Charlotte Community Chorale taught this reporter how fascinating a microcosm of dynamics it is possible to create and keep on creating. This 54-member group is very capable of generating and sustaining overtly powerful and emotional forces.

Yet another arresting quality of The Greater Charlotte Community Chorale is the evident persistence with which it collectively-and in the solo work of each of its members-continues to perfect the art of the development. The solos rising organically from the surrounding textures and temperaments and always building and interweaving with the other voices. That's why The Greater Charlotte Community Chorale can be heard over and over in the pleasure of rediscovering, and following the ways in which the overall and individual designs grow into and over each other before your very ears.

At this concert during a Pat Jackson solo on "You Don't Know Me Yet", a soft spoken woman sitting next to me said, "If their singing doesn't move you, you're dead." And they surely moved a lot of people that memorable Sunday night.



TWO GREAT STARS MEET

Mr. Charles, nationally-famous hair stylist, finds great satisfaction in the opportunity to perform his artistry on the famed "Jenny" of the popular "The Jeffersons" television show. In real life "Jenny" is Belinda Tolbert Reed, a native of Charlotte who spent a few days in town last week.

Unmitigated Disaster For Blacks

Continued from Page 1 showed that intelligence is related to genes, has been shown by Princeton's Dr. Leon Kamin to have been fabricated. Taken together, what this all means is that racist arguments about the supposed inferiority of Black students is no more than false and vile rhetoric. Moreover, it snatches from the hands of

affirmative action critics one of their more persuasive weapons--that admitting Blacks means erosion of standards are nothing less than just another devious trick designed to preserve segregation. represents a still potent weapon for those who would deny Blacks justice. The Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals which

relied on Powell's opinion in striking down a rule at the University of North Carolina that guaranteed minority students two places on the student council and honor court is symptomatic of that trend.

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Statewide Minority Trade Fair Set

The second annual Statewide Minority Trade Fair will be held October 3-4 at the Charlotte Civic Center.

This annual event provides a unique opportunity for the establishment and renewal of

Local Student

Wins Howard

Scholarship

Vicki Janice Ballou, a resident of Charlotte who is a senior majoring in print journalism at Howard University in Washington, D.C., recently received a \$1,000 Carl T. Rowan Scholarship and was named the "most promising student in print media."

The scholarship was awarded during Convocation Day ceremonies at Howard, Friday, Sept. 24.

Miss Ballou is currently managing editor of the student newspaper The Hilltop, and she has worked during the last few years with the Howard student radio station WNBC, the Howard office of sports information and the Hemisphere Publishing Co.

She has a 3.56 grade point average and is a member of Delta Sigma Theta and the Frederick Douglass Honor Society.

Howard University is the only truly comprehensive university in America with a predominantly black constituency. This year, about 10,500 students have enrolled in Howard's 17 schools and colleges which offer more than 70 different areas of study.

Mighty Mites

A seventy yard touchdown pass from quarterback Lonnie Stowe to Laurence Howell proved to be enough to defeat the Winterfield Mighty Mites 6-0 for the Coulwood-Oakdale team.

productive relationships between purchasing agents and minority vendor of goods and services. Additionally, the Statewide Minority Trade Fair affords majority corporations and opportunity to update their Minority Vendor Development Program and to locate minority vendors.

When the Statewide Minority Trade Fair opens its door on Wednesday, October 3 at 12 noon, more than 2,500 purchasing agents and vendors are expected, along with interested persons from throughout the Carolinas.

On hand for the ribbon-cutting ceremony will be several local and state elected officials, including Charlotte Mayor Ken Harris, who will officiate.

A highlight of the Statewide Minority Trade Fair will be the 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, October 3 banquet with Margaret Z. Richardson Wiley, Executive Director of the National Minority Purchasing Council, as keynote speaker.

Booths at the Statewide Minority Trade Fair will display products and services majority corporations are interested in procuring from minority vendors.

The 1979 Statewide Minority Trade Fair closes at 12 noon Thursday, October 4.

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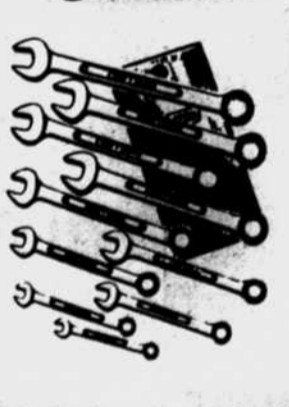
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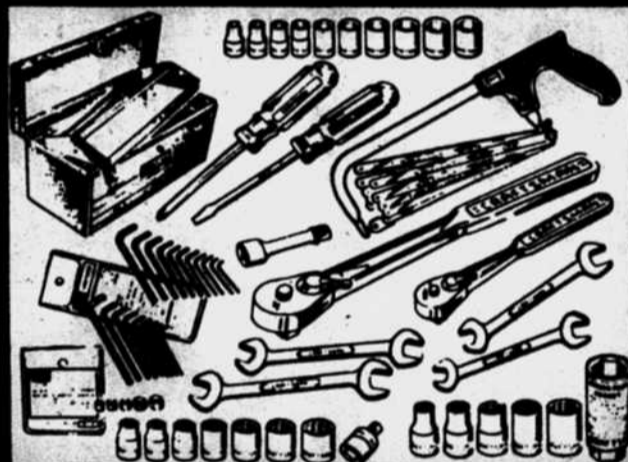
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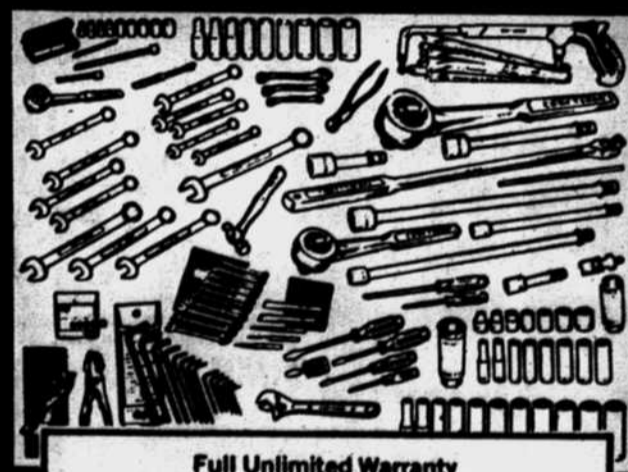
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