## Hardy Is Finalist In "Little Miss North America" Pageant

By Teresa Simmons

Post Managing Editor A B+ student at Chantilly Elementary School, Tiesha Hardy was recently accepted as a finalist in the Little Miss North America Pageant, the official preliminary to the National Little Miss North America Pageant to be held in Orlando, FL, in November.

The parents of Tiesha, Mary and Walter Hardy, sent in their daughter's photo plus information about her. "We stated that her favorite television show is "The Flintstones," that her ambition is to become a nurse and a few of her favorite foods and that she is very outgoing,"

stated Mrs. Hardy. When asked why she wanted to become a nurse, Tiesha answered with a serious expression: "...for

God and for people."

At six years old she al-ready enjoys reading about dinosaurs. She enjoys playing and running and is a member of the Brownie Scout Troop No. 86.

In order to participate in the Little Miss North America Pageant, Tiesha needs only five or less sponsors to help her raise the \$150 entry fee. Only the first 60 respondents will be accepted for this pageant. The winner will receive \$1,000 in cash plus other



Tiesha Hardy .....B-Plus first grader

Tiesha is a member of Seigle Avenue Church of

God where she sings on the Children's Choir and is a member of the Sunday School. She is looking forward to participating with young girls ages five to nine. Some of the main purposes of the pageant will be to help the young ladies develop stage pre-sence, poise and confi-dence. Sue Kise is the State Director. Tiesha plans to sing "Baby Face" during the talent section of the com-

petition. Her grandpa-

rents are Mr. and Mrs. Lesley McNeill and Mr. and Mrs. James Hardy. She already has one spon-sor: Charlotte Brake Clinic. If you would like to sponsor Little Miss Tiesha in this national pa-geant, call 376-0496 and ask for the Editorial Depart-



"It's all in the serve, honey.".....And if you plan to take advantage of the sunshine to hit a few balls, take this important advice from Candra Whitley. Remember to watch out for Candra on the courts. She's little, but she's bad. (Photo By Bernard Reeves)

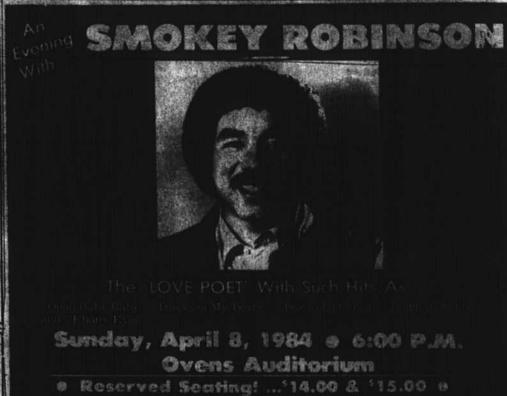
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good. The players are making the adjustments."

Due to a new residence "The attitude has been all-business," cited Ste-phone Darby, a graduat-ing senior and starting lineker from last year's team. "There are change being made and some held at West Charlotte High School's track. players being shifted to new assignments, but the overall spirit has been

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## Webber, Howard To Receive Alumni Awards

Orangeburg - Dr. Clem- "Mother of the Year." mie E. Webber and Dr. Robert E. Howard received alumni awards at the 88th South Carolina State College Founders' Day ce-remonies, held March 4.

Dr. Webber's Distinguished Alumna Award was presented in recogni-tion of her outstanding career as a teacher, ad-ministrator and community leader and for being named the National

Dr. Howard's Distinguished Alumnus Award was presented in recognition of outstanding achievement in education as a teacher, coach and administrator.

Both are also cited for their loyalty and vontin-ued service to the college. Marva Nettles Collins,

educator from Chicago, was the speaker.

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