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BETHEL A M E CHURCH NEWS NEWS

SILVER TEA

Immediately following the morning worship service Sunday, April 2, the Stewardess Board No. 1 of Bethel Church will sponsor a "Silver Tea" in the Education Building. Donation 25c. Mrs. Catherine Lamar, President.

Worship Service

At 3:30 P. M., Sunday April 2, the Pastor and members of Bethel will worship at Gethsemane Baptist Church on Gorrell St Dr. Leon S. Penn, Sr. will be the speaker.

Raleigh Visit

The Pastor, Rev. Penn and members of Bethel have been invited to worship at St. Paul A. M. E. Church in Raleigh, N. C., Sunday April 9, at 4:00 p.m. Dinner will be served free. The two adult choirs of Bethel and Senior Usher Board are expected to be present. Plans are being made to charter two busses for the trip. Round trip \$2.50 Tickets are on sale now.

Choir Anniversary

The Gospel Choir will observe its Anniversary Sunday, April 16 in the Fellowship Hall at Bethel Church at 3:00 p.m. An interesting program has been planned. Te public is cordially invited.

Fashion Show

Members of the Sarah Allen Missionary Circle of Bethel are busy making plans for their unique Fashion Show to be held in the Fellowship Hall Sunday, April 16, at 6 p.m. You must not miss this treat!

Souvenir Bulletin

Have you secured your Souvenir Bulletin? Contact any member of the Souvenir Committee-James Fuller, Jr., Leon S. Penn, Jr., E. E. Nance, Phillip M. Cole, B. W. Harris, Dr. F. E. Davis, and Mrs. Frances Enzlow. This is a keepsake any family of Bethel or friend should cherish. Get yours now before the supply is exhausted. \$1.00 per copy. Reasonable, huh?

States Rally Underway Several representatives as Governors of the various states of the United States and its possessions and their workers are busy raising funds to help build the much needed Sanctuary at Bethel. The Governor reporting the largest amount will be named President, the workers will be named Cabinet members. The competition is getting Association. mighty keen. Workers, help your Governor to become President by doing your share! The Rally will terminate in July, 1967.

Gratitude

Governors representing the states of Oregon and Mississippi are grateful to all persons who contributed to the success of their Easter Breakfast held at Winston-Salem, 7 p.m. Sunday, March 26. Benefit, States Rally.

Boy Scouts Meetings

Master at Bethel, is asking all of Wilson, N. C.; secretary, Narparents to remind their boys of

the Scout meetings every Saturday, 1:30 p.m. at Bethel Church. Flower Show and Tea

A cordial and warm invitation is being extended to you and your friends by the Begonia Garden Club to attend their Annual Flower Show and Tea to be held in Cooper Hall Lounge at A. and T. College, Sunday April 2, 1967 at 4-6 p.m. The theme of the Show is "Springtime Is In The Air". Arrangements of spring flowers and others will be displayed by members, most of them grown in their own flower gardens. Tea will be served to all attending. Admission 50c. Mrs. Donnell Pearce, Flower Show Chairman,

Miss Janet Jenkins Bennett May Queen

Miss Janet Jenkins, senior home economics major, of Camqueen to reign over May Day festivities at Bennett College on May 6, according to campuslated.

President of the Student Senate for 1967-68 will be Miss Cynthia Frierson, of Florence. S. C., a rising senior foods and nutrition major. Serving in her staffs in Washington and in their cabinet will be: Misses Jo Anne Coble of Wilson, N. C., vice president; Angelene Johnson of Reidsville, secretary; Vera Fowler, of Albany, Ga., treasurer, and Dorothy Childs of Pittsburg, Pa., partliamentarian.

special education major. was D. Jones Student Union Other Union officers are Misses Patricia Kersh, of Chicago, Ill., vice president; Gwendolyn Morse, of Ninety-Six, S. C., secretary, Patricia Herring, of Greensboro, treasurer, and Wanda Dula, of Lenoir, pianist.

Named student representative to the Central Administrative Committee was Miss Deverly Roberts, of Newark, N. J., rising junior English major. Cassandra Feaster, of Miss Greensboro, a rising junior sociology major, was elected Bennett's "Miss UNCF " and Miss D'jaris Ragland, of Birmingham, Ala., a rising junior biology major, was named coordinator for the Nationad Student

Other election results follow: RECREATIONAL COUNCI -Chairman. Hedy Hunt, of Henderson; vice chairman, Constance Clarke of Akron, Ohio: secretary - treasurer, Bonnie Warren, of Glen Raven, N. C .; assistant, Peggy Richmond, of Charlotte, and publicity chairman, Patricia Galloway, of

INTER-DORMIORY COUN-CIL - President, Juanita White, of Mt. Pleasant, S. C.; Thomas Isley, the Boy Scout vice president, Paulette Coole. (Continued on Page 8)



A. A. VANCE Elks Implement Efforts To Get Negroes Hired In Washington, D. C.

Chapel Hill - Approximately 200 persons, men and women, den, N. J., has been chosen of the 5th district, State Association, Improved Benevolent & Protective Order of Elks of the World, led by A. A. Vance diswide elections returns just tabu- trict deputy of Raleigh, met here Sunday and endorsed the program of the Civil Liberties Department to get the solons, who are members of Congress to qualify Negroes to their state offices.

The Civil Liberties Department announced that a mass rally has been scheduled for Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church, 409 Dunstan Street. Durham, April 15, as a climax Miss Sandra McFadden, of to the observance of Appomat-Philadelphia, Pa., rising senior, tox Day, which went into history, April 9, when Lee surrendelected president of the David ered to Grant at Appomattox Courhouse, Va.

> The Elks took new courage from an attack on N. C.'s Ne-(Continued on Pag-

Alabama[®]Schools Must End Bias Yext Fall

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Alabama this week became the first southern state ordered by a federal court to desegregate all its public school districts. The court ordered 99 school districts to end segregation by next fall.

This unprecedented action ci the three judge federal court came in response to four years of litigation by attorneys of the NAACP Legal Defense and Education Fund, Inc. (LDF).

Alabama Gov. Lurleen B Wallace, State School Superin. tendent Ernest Stone and 10 other state officials were directed by the U. S. District Court in Montgomery to "take affirmative action to disestablish all state-enforced or encouraged public segregation."

They were also told to "eliminate the effects of past . . discrimination."

LDF Director Counsel Jack Greenberg called the decision, "an important step in closing the doors to evasion of the Constitution and the desegregation guidelines of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. We plan to follow this up in those hard core states where massive resistance remains the order of the day, particularly Mississippi, Louisiana and S. W. Georgia," he said.

This injunction marks the first time since the Supreme Court's desegregation ruling of 1954 that an entire state has been placed under a single injunction to end segregation, Mr. Greenberg added.

The Court ruled that Gov. Wallace and other state officials have through their control and influence over local school boards flouted every effort to

meaningful reality to Negro school children in Alabama.

The Federal Court said that Gov. Wallace and other state officials had used two chief means of encouraging local Alabama school boards to resist integration.

- * "They used thir authority as a threat and as a means of punishment to prevent local school officials . . . to desegregate schools."
- "They have performed their own functions in such a way as to maintain and preserve the racial characteristics of the system."

LDF attorneys based their case on the successful argument that Gov. Wallace and other defendants:

Exercised their pervasive powers to frustrate local officials who attempted to integrate schools.

- Controlled school finances and fiscal policies in a manner that maintained and promoted segregation.
- Controlled instructional programs and policies in a manner htat maintained and promoted segregation.

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LDF attorneys participating in the Case were Fred D. Gray Charles berg. H. Jones. of Montgomery; and, Mr. Green-Melvyn Zarr and Henry M. Aronson, all of New York City.

DEADLY FRIENDS

Bill Pyle and Chuck Farley, long-time friends and actors aprearing with Dean Martin in Universal's "Rough Night In Jericho," saw each other for the first time in 20 years-and one friend 'killed' the toher. Pyle plays a trader who is killed by Farley, a seedy buffalo hunter, in "Jericho."

FROM REEL TO REAL

Johnny Watts was having a great time portraying a tank crewman recently in Universal's "Tobruk," until he was called away. But he'll keep his tank orientation manual; he was called to active duty with the First Armored Division, U. S. Army.



Senator Hugh Scott (R-Pa.) congratulates his ap-pointee, Walter White of 5641 Lansdowne Ave., Phila-delphia, to the U.S. Capitol Police Force. White is a pre-med junior at Howard University in Washington, D.C. Senator Scott has one of the best integrated staffs in the Nation's Capitol.