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We hope that it is convenient for each of our parents to attend these plays. The best in plays has been selected for your enjoyment.

Betty Hunter from Mrs. Gibson's room was crowned as Davidson School's '51 May Queen. We are more than grateful to our parents and friends for cooperating so willingly in helping our May Day to be a success. We hope that our May Day was an enjoyable one for parents as well as pupils.

There were some pupils who made the Honor Roll for the past six weeks of school. They were: Carol Lynn Hickman, Hiliard C. Hunter, John Albert Gibson, Albert Thompson, Kay Francis Moore, Albert Williams, Son Bessie James, William L. Davis, Rebecca Schenck, Phyllis Brown, James Thoms, Joann Hickman, Sue Jackson, Shirley Thompson (H. M.), Joyce Byers, Willene Jackson, Peggy Dawkins, Phyllis Byers, Annie Thoms, Lewis Martin, Sarah Thoms, Peggy Byers, Carlee Roseboro, Leon Taylor, Hazel Adams, Alberta Boyce, Lizzie Gist and Earnest Gamble, Jr.

The Odd Fellows Lodge of Grover will have their turnout May 27 at St. Peter's Baptist church at 3 p. m. Sermon by Rev. Grey of Rock Hill, S. C.

Compact High School Announces Finals Compact High school extends an invitation to the public to attend its 12th annual commencement exercises.

The annual sermon will be Sunday May 6, at 3 p. m. Rev. L. C. Siler, pastor of St. Stephens A. M. E. Zion church, Gastonia, will preach.

Commencement exercises will be held Monday, May 7, at 2:00 p. m. in the elementary auditorium, Dr. Cleveland Floyd, B. S., D. D. S., will address the graduates of the High School. Miss L. S. Galbraith, A. B., M. A., Supervisor of Cleveland County and Shelby and Kings Mountain colored schools will address the elementary graduates and present their certificates.

Mr. Glee Bridges, who for five years has given prizes to the two ranking students of Compact will present the prizes and awards.

The graduating class is as follows: Ann Nell Brown, Bertha Adeline Brown, Odell Francis Byers, Nellie Jane Crosby, Kezia Evans, Herbert Albert Hickmond, Vera Lee Jackson, John Willie McCree, Hester Mae McKinney, Charles Edward Miller, Marion Murray, Bernard Randolph Patterson, Leroy Andrew Perkins, David Raymond Sharp, John Henry Sharp, Arthur Jonathan Williams, Jr.

Mrs. T. M. Brooks is the class advisor. L. L. Adams is Principal.

Negro News

By Mrs. Cannie Gordon
105 Carpenter Street
Kings Mountain, N. C.
Turn in News Items
at above address

On Sunday, May 6, at 7:30 p. m., Rev. R. L. Garvin, pastor of the Mt. Zion First Baptist church of the city will perform the sacred rites of baptism to a number of candidates. Everyone is cordially invited to come and worship with us.

On Saturday, May 5, the Christian Brotherhood of Langraham Branch Baptist church will be the

BYNUM CHAPEL A. M. E. ZION CHURCH
Rev. M. C. Wallin
Sunday school 10:00 a. m.
R. J. Brown, Supt.
Morning worship 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor 7:00 p. m.
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.

MOUNT ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. R. L. Garvin, Pastor
Preaching every first and third Sundays.
Sunday school 10 a. m.
W. M. Briggs, Supt.
Morning worship 11 a. m.
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.

ADAMS CHAPEL A.M.E. ZION CHURCH
Pastor, Rev. S. I. Clement
10 a. m. Sunday School.
Supt.: Lonnie Whistnant.
11 a. m. Worship service.
7:30 Worship service second and fourth Sundays.

GOOD HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Pastor, Rev. Young
10 a. m. Sunday school,
Supt.: Mrs. Pearl Miller.
2:00 p. m. Worship Service
first and third Sundays.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor, Rev. J. H. White
9:45 Sunday School.
Supt. G. E. Lindsey.
11:00 Worship service.
7:30 Worship Service, 2nd and fourth Sundays.

guests of the Christian Brotherhood of the Mt. Zion Baptist church at the home of Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Garvin at 104 N. Tracy street. All visitors are welcome and all members are urged to be present. Rev. R. L. Garvin, pastor, Rev. R. L. Thoms, President.

DAVIDSON HIGH SCHOOL NEWS
Friday night of this week marks the beginning of our commencement exercises. There will be a one-act play, "The Forest Frolic of Furred and Feathered Friends," in the Davidson School auditorium on May 4, at 8 p. m. This play is being directed by Miss M. L. Gidney and Mrs. L. H. Gibson. Don't miss our first play of the year. The following is the order of other plays of the year:
May 11, 7th and 8th grade play, Mrs. V. P. Higgins.
May 18, High School play, Miss M. L. Pope.
May 25, 4th, 5th and 6th grades Mrs. Winston and Miss Jackson.

New Church (MACEDONIA HOLINESS)
Tracy street
Rev. F. K. Herndon
Services every Second and Fourth Sunday,
11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

ST. PAUL METHODIST CHURCH
Pastor, Rev. P. W. Webb
10:00 a. m. Church school.
Supt. Mrs. Daisy L. Smith.
11:00 a. m. Worship service.
7:30 p. m. Evening worship, 2nd and 4th Sundays.

VESTIBULE A.M.E. ZION CHURCH
Pastor, Rev. S. I. Clement
10 a. m. Sunday School.
Supt.: Benjamin Woods.
11 a. m. Worship Service.
2:30 Worship Service first and second Sundays.

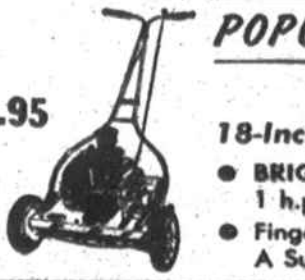
EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Murry, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Everett Ramseur, Supt.
Asst. Supt.: John W. Oates.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Second and fourth Sundays.
B. T. U. 7:30 p. m.
President: Howard Roberts.
Vice-president: Julia Roberts.
Wednesday—
7:30 p. m. Choir practice.

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Message From The Manager



The splendid spirit of the people of Kings Mountain and the surrounding community has been a source of great satisfaction to me. I wish to express my deep appreciation for your loyal support and to pledge through our New Store a better and greater service to the people of the Kings Mountain area.

DAN HUFFSTETLER, Manager

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