



AT AKA FOUNDERS DAY CELEBRATION - Sorors present were: Susie Perry, charter member of the Alpha Theta Omega; Basileus, Susan Malone; Committee Chairman, Mary Davis; Committee Members, Phyllis Mann, Irene Lane, Thelma Watkins and Bessie Lewis. Others present: Fannie Latham; Marjorie Debnam, Gladys G. Hunt, Myrtle Crockett, Hazeline Ashe, Muriel Allison, Josephine Clanton, Jeanette Hicks, Hattie Edmondson, Elizabeth Barfield, Thelma Keck, Gertrude Harris, Alberta Hunt, Annie J. Wilson, Marguerite Adams, Former Regional Director; Fita Eason, Ruby Green, Ophelia Noble, Minnie Williams, Doecema Hammond, Audrey Logan, Carolyn Ennis, Edna Palmer, Linda Davis. Undergraduate Sorors: Ethel Moore, Eva Gandy, Eugenia Hinton, Marva Fisher, (Beta Rho); Barbara McCoy, Phyllis Sharpe, Constance Clark, Sheila Stocker, Glenda Bennett, Carol Payton, Annie Gaskins, (Gamma Xi). (See story).

Local Chapters Of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Observes Founding

The members of Alpha Theta Omega, Gamma Xi, and Beta Rho Chapters of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority held their Founders Day Celebration at Peebles Hotel, Sunday, Feb. 6, at 5 p. m. Under the direction of Basileus Susan Malone, a very impressive re-dedication service was held, followed by a review of the historical highlights of the sorority. Music was furnished by Mrs. Ruby Greene and the undergraduate sorors. From a beautifully-decorated table, with a pink and green color scheme, a dessert course was enjoyed by the forty sorors present.

Alpha Kappa Alpha, the oldest Greek letter Sorority ever established by Negro women, was founded in 1908 at Howard University, Washington, D. C. The membership includes women of all races, colors and creeds. There are more than 300 chapters in widely scattered geographic regions in the United States, West Africa, and Nassau in the Bahama Islands. The past 56 years of AKA has had marked growth in areas of civic, social and cul-

tural activities, not only on the national level, but implemented by the local chapters. The most recent addition to the Program Targets is THE JOB OPPORTUNITIES, EMPLOYMENT, AND TRAINING FOR YOUTH, CLEVELAND JOB CORPS, WOMEN'S RESIDENT-

TAL TRAINING CENTER (WRTA), serving 425 disadvantaged girls from 42 states. The theme of the Sorority "ADVANCEMENT THROUGH KNOWLEDGE AND ACTION" will be carried out at the Regional Conference to be held at the Sir Walter Motor Hotel March 18-20.

Scout Executive Lawrence Allen Speaks At Wilson Temple Sunday

Lawrence E. Allen, District Scout Executive of the Occaneechee Council Boy Scouts of America is a product of the local public schools, received his diploma from the J. W. Ligon High School in June of 1955, and entered the U. S. Navy. He emerged in 1958 with the rank of Yeoman Second Class, after being assigned to posts in Africa, Europe, the Mediterranean, and the Caribbean. He will speak at the 11 a. m. services Sunday at Wilson Temple Methodist Church, relating to Boy Scout Week.

Following his discharge, he entered Shaw University in the fall of 1958, and by attending summer school for three years, being exempted from some of the courses, because he had already had them in either high school or the Navy. Mr. Allen received the Bachelor of Arts degree there in 1961, with a major in business administration.

As District Executive of Wake 31 District he is responsible for the administration and supervision of all Scouting activities in the Raleigh area.

Mr. Allen is a member of the Oberlin Baptist Church, where he is the director of the junior choir and chairman of the budget committee and also a member of the trustee board.

Founder's Day Is Thursday At Livingstone

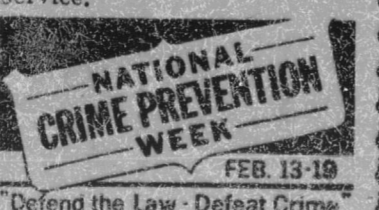
SALISBURY -- The annual Founder's Day observance at Livingstone College will be held Thursday, February 10, with two services scheduled in the Yarek Memorial Auditorium on the campus of the church-related institution at 10:30 a. m. and at 2:00 p. m.

Dr. Kenneth Williams, president of Winston-Salem State College, will be the featured speaker at the 2 p. m. service. A native of Norfolk, Va., he attended the public schools of Winston-Salem, N. C. and was graduated from Morehouse College in Atlanta, Ga. and received the M. A., STB, and Ph. D. degrees at Boston University, Boston, Mass.

He has been associated with the Winston-Salem State College since 1936 serving as professor of history and religion, and college Chaplain until he became president in 1961. A minister, he has served the First Institutional Baptist Church 1937-1948, and the West End Baptist Church, 1949-1961, both in Winston-Salem. His current professional affiliations include, among others: Board of Directors, Winston-Salem Urban League, Associated organizations for Teachers Education, Editorial Board, Journal of Teacher Education; and a member, the Winston-Salem Hospital Commission.

A pioneer civic leader in Winston-Salem, he is a past member of the Board of Aldermen and of the school and Recreation boards. A veteran, he served during the Second World War as a Chaplain in the U. S. Army being discharged as a Major in 1946.

The 10:30 a. m. program will feature student and faculty tributes to the founder, Dr. Joseph Charles Price who served the college from its founding until 1893. The Rev. Robert L. Clayton, assistant Chaplain instructor in social science, will speak representing the faculty while James M. Gavlin, III, president of the Student Government Association, will preside at the morning service.



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Parents, Friends Witness Exams At Winston-Salem

WINSTON-SALEM - It was examination time last week at Whitaker Gymnasium on the campus of Winston-Salem State College for the students of C. E. Gaines. Several hundred parents and friends were on hand to witness the event.

The class was "Activities in the Elementary School" and the students were physical education majors who had spent part of the semester teaching the children of St. Benedict's Roman Catholic School. Now the children were showing how ef-

fective the teaching had been. Although the children found doing the exercises which they had been taught fun, it was lots of work also. They clapped and cheered for every performance and display of skill. After each group had its turn in the spotlight, the members of that group appraised their performances.

Each of the eight grades at St. Benedict had been taught by a student or group of students. Each grade had its turn to demonstrate what it had learned.

Feb. 6-12: Electrical Week Being Observed

Electricity, an industry which at the turn of the century was but a fledgling infant struggling for a place in the economic sun, has blossomed into an indispensable giant powering the nation's economy.

The power source that less than a century ago fascinated all today plays such a vital role in our lives it is often taken for granted.

Over 90 per cent of all energy used to power production machinery in the United States is electrical energy, Carolina Power & Light Company points out during the observance of National Electrical Week Feb. 6-12.

It is predicted that there will be more electrical progress during the next 10 years than took place in Thomas Edison's entire lifetime.

The 119th anniversary of the birth of Edison, "father of the electrical industry," will be observed February 11.

Edison is perhaps best known for perfecting the first incandescent light bulb. He was also the first to deliver electricity to customers from a central generating station in 1882.

Perhaps his greatest contribution was a new "method" of invention. He organized a group of engineers and scientists which in actuality was the first research and development organization. His method of team research set the pattern for an age of technical progress.

The electric success story is an incongruous one -- from which everyone benefits. While the cost of living has doubled during the past 25 years, the average price of electricity to residential users has been cut more than 40 per cent.

IN COMPARISON with what I expected out of my life I'm so far ahead that I often give myself a pat on the back.



OIL COMPANY'S CAMPUS 'TALENT SCOUTS' - Regular recruiting programs on college campuses have become standard practice as companies, large and small, seek to attract the best-qualified graduates in order to fill the gap between the present supply of trained people and the much larger and growing demand in both technical and non-technical fields. Three management representatives of Humble Oil & Refining Company recently concluded recruiting with the above faculty members and many other officials on the campus of A&T College, Greensboro. From left, William L. Morris, college placement officer, is shown with J. S. Toler, in charge of professional recruiting at Humble Oil's headquarters in Houston; Durward C. Archer of the oil company's Bayway Refinery at Linden, New Jersey, where he is head of the equipment-engineering group; James S. Avery, management representative of Humble from New York; and Dr. T. Mahaffey, chairman of the A&T College Department of Business.



NEW ZETAS -- Omicron Zeta Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Inc. recently initiated these seven proud and industrious young ladies into the Zeta sisterhood. Still showing signs of their initiation and more important, very bright smiles are, left to right: Janice Anderson, Margaret Anderson, Jocelyn Archer, Lillian McMillian, Amelia Peebles, Bertha Wilson and Doris Best displaying their Zeta Phi Beta souvenirs made while on probation. The Big Sisters to the neophytes entertained them at the Downtowner Restaurant in the Patio with a delicious dinner, all the trimmings and surprised each with gifts, corsages and telegrams from members of their families and friends. Not shown on the picture is Soror Waverlene Edwards, a newcomer to the city of Raleigh, who also joined the chapter.

Dr. Willa Player's Resignation Accepted "With Profound Regret"

GREENSBORO -- Announcement of the acceptance "with profound regret" by the Bennett College board of trustees of the resignation of President Willa E. Player, was made by Dr. F. D. Patterson, of New York City, board chairman, at a general assembly last Tuesday.

The resignation, he said, will become effective on March 1 when Dr. Player assumes the position of director of the division of college support in the U. S. Office of Education of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Dr. Player's resignation will officially terminate 35 years of service to Bennett, the last 10 of which were in the position of president.

Under her leadership, the college has expanded its enrollment, strengthened the faculty and the physical plant of the college has undergone substantial development.

An interim committee to conduct the affairs of the college consisting of the following persons was designated by the board:

Mrs. Mary Eady, registrar; James J. Scarlette, business manager; Dr. George Breathett, of the office of educational planning and development; Dr. Marlowe F. Shute, director of self-

study and evaluation services, and Dr. Chauncey G. Winston, dean of instruction, who will serve as chairman. Dr. Winston will assume the position of acting president on March 1 when Dr. Player takes up her

new duties. The trust also appointed a committee on the selection of a successor to Dr. Player and this committee will report its recommendations to the board when a selection has been made.

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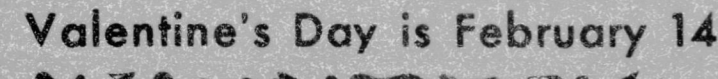
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