

GABBING About Town

BY MRS. A. H. THORPE

"SEEKING TO KNOW" Coming together is beginning, Keeping together is progress Thinking together is unity Working together is success.

VISITING SISTER AND BROTHER-LAW

Mrs. Mary Jones Daniels, of New York City and Miss Anna Jones, also of New York are in the city as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Powell, of 552 E. Cabarrus St., Mrs. Daniels and Jones are sisters of Mrs. Powell.

RECENT HOUSE GUEST

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Degraffenreidt of 724 Bunche Dr., had as their recent house guest their son and daughter-in-law and granddaughter, Rev. and Mrs. Kermit Degraffenreidt of Rockville, Md. Lest I forget the daughter Kisha was in their in big letters. She is only 4 1/2 month old. Rev. Degraffenreidt was presented in Recital at Rush Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church on last Thursday night. He was accompanied by Mrs. Clyde Jacques Barrett also of Rockville, Md. Quite a

unique program was presented. MUCH IMPROVED AT THIS WRITING

We learned that Mrs. Denzel Saunders who is a patient at Rex Hospital is much improved and seems to be well on the way to recovery. PATIENT AT WAKE MEMORIAL

We hear that Willie Patterson known to many as "Mutt" is back at Wake Memorial. We say to him to put your trust in God and he will certainly bring you out alright. CONVALESCING AT HOME

Mrs. Helen Batchelor of 537 E. Cabarrus St., is at home and is convalescing nicely. This is indeed a delight to her many friends.

CONTINUING ON SICK LIST

Mrs. T. H. Harris of 424 Watson St., is on the sick list again. We hear that she is a victim of "Flu." Hurry up Mrs. Harris and come on out. We missed you so very badly Sunday. We are continually praying for you.

NOTE: Thanks! and let us keep hearing from you.

Club News

WORLD FELLOWSHIP GROUP

The World Fellowship Group of the East Raleigh Branch of the YWCA met at the home of Mrs. Mary B. Sapp, 325 Smithfield St., Monday night, April 18, at 8 p. m.

Devotion was led by the chairman, Mrs. Mary Sapp. We opened by singing the theme song, "O Master Let Me Walk With Thee," followed by the 23rd Psalm, the Lord's Prayer and the singing of "In Christ There Is No East Or West." Mrs. Lovie Ellis introduced the speaker of the evening, Mr. Bennett Strong, a chalk artist who painted Mount Fuji and showed its reflection by using shades of light. We can live together when we reflect God.

Mr. Strong chose as his theme, "Jesus Is Coming Back." Jesus said, I want you to be my witnesses. Jesus was talking not only of the people who followed him but of those who reflected his image. Jesus wants us to be a reflection of Him.

Members present: Miss Marjorie Williams, Miss Beatrice Martin, Mesdames India Smith, Eva Williams, David Andrews, Lovie Ellis, Daisy Robson, Flossie Grant, Gladys Hunt, Ida Washington, Mary Sapp, Lucille G. Paige, and Emma Boyer. Guests: Mr. Bennett Strong, and Miss Elsie Evans.

After the program, the group was served delicious tuna fish salad on lettuce, potato chips, ham bits, crackers, iced tea, mints and nuts. Miss Marjorie Williams was hostess.

THE EMERGENCY CLUB OF ST. PAUL AME CHURCH

The Emergency Club of St. Paul AME Church met with Mrs. Phyllis Haywood in her beautiful home on Cross Link Road, Easter Mon. night.

After the devotional period, led by the chaplain, Mrs. Hazel Williams, the president Mrs. H. B. Edmondson, discussed the activities of the church for the rest of April.

Just before Mrs. Haywood served, she announced that there were two eggs hidden in the living room, one was pink and the other one was yellow. Each member searched diligently. At last, Mrs. Augusta Gray found the pink egg and Mrs. Nefie Iredell found the yellow egg. Each was presented a box of Easter eggs that was the color of the egg they found.

Mrs. Haywood served a delicious buffet dinner. Mrs. Ballentine extended courtesies to the hostess for a beautiful and an enjoyable evening and a delicious meal.

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Members present were: Mesdames Hattie B. Edmondson, Augusta Gray, Nefie Iredell, Effie Young, Addie Logan, Lucy Hawes, Emily Wilson, Hazel Williams, Ida Washington, Bessie Wesley, Lillie M. Hodge, Louise Nunn, Lottie Ballentine and Phyllis Haywood.

The members regret to report that Mrs. Juanita Strickland and Mrs. Garnell Watts were absent because they were ill. The members missed them very much and wish for them speedy recoveries.

*** IDLE-A-WHILE SOCIAL CLUB The Idle-A-While Social Club held its April meeting at the home of Mrs. Hazel Williams, of Prize St.

The regular business meeting was held with Mrs. P. Haywood, president, presiding. The members are glad to know that Mrs. Rosetta Rand is home and doing nicely.

In spite of the cool, crisp weather, the members were in a joyful, happy mood, and enjoyed the evening playing Pinochle and socializing.

Mrs. Williams served a delicious meal. The table was beautifully decorated with flowers and Easter eggs.

Members present were: Mesdames Mary B. Graham, Louise Nunn, Dorothy Powell, Louise Walden, Dorothy King, Phyllis Haywood, Jennie Charles, and Elizabeth Pridgeon. The April 21 meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jennie Charles, of Calloway Dr.

SMITH TEMPLE USHERS MET

The Smith Temple Ushers Board met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee, 121 S. Pettigrew St. It was lovely. There were riddles and games played and was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served.

THE LEND-A-HAND CLUB

The Lend-A-Hand Club of the First Congregational United Church of Christ met Sunday afternoon at 4 p. m., at the home of Miss Essie Trowell, 717 Manly St., with the president, Mrs. M. B. Dover, presiding.

After the business session was over, the hostess served a delicious repast.

Members present: Mesdames Massena Williams, Hattie M. Wilson, Catherine Logan, Margaret Jones, Lila Sanders, Lillie Bialock, M. B. Dover, Miss Essie Trowell. Mrs. Evelyn Dozier was welcomed into the club as a new member.

Visitors present were: Mrs. E. M. Wilson and Mr. Frank Bialock. The club closed with a rising vote of thanks to the hostess.

Howard Holderness, president of Johnson Standard Life Insurance Company, is chairman of the 1967 Heart Fund campaign in North Carolina. The Greensboro executive succeeds UNC President William C. Friday, who headed the 1966 Heart Fund effort.

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Come to Church

BY MRS. MAY L. BROADIE

"Dear Father, we thank Thee for the gift of friendship that makes us care for one another, for the power of love that drives out that which is greedy and mean in human hearts. We thank Thee, for those who make our lives happy. May we give them love in return. Keep us from being fickle, and make us dependable and loyal. We thank Thee for friends and loved ones. May we live so according to the teaching of Christ, that we may help our families and friends in after-years. May our lives, too, bless those who follow us, and thus know the possibilities of an immortal life through Jesus Christ we pray, in His holy name."

*** WAKE BAPTIST GROVE - Church School began at 9:30 a. m. with the Supt., Mr. William Mangum, in charge. Morning worship began at 11 a. m. with the morning lesson and prayer by the Rev. C. P. Briley, pastor. The pastor delivered a dynamic sermon, Rev. Ernest Coefield pronounced the benediction. ***

*** SPRING FIELD BAPTIST - Church School began at 10 a. m. with the Supt., Mr. Thomas B. Jiles, in charge. Morning worship service began at 11 a. m. with the junior choir in charge of the music, under the direction of Mrs. Arlene Griffiths. Scripture was read by Rev. William McEachin. Prayer was given by Deacon H. C. Williams. The faculty and staff of the Garner Consolidated School were guests. Rev. McEachin, guest minister, delivered an inspiring sermon. Rev. W. E. Egerton is the pastor. ***

*** ST. ANNAH FREEWILL BAPTIST - Church School began at 10 a. m. with the Supt., Mr. W. H. Lyons in charge. Morning worship service began at 11 a. m. with the junior choir in charge of the music, under the direction of Mrs. E. R. Hodge, and the introduction of the speaker was made by Mr. Speed. The guest speaker was Dr. Harold L. Trigg, who brought a dynamic sermon on "National and International Affairs." Everyone enjoyed the service. ***

*** TUPPER MEMORIAL BAPTIST - Church School began at 9:30 a. m. with the Supt., Mrs. Dorothy Allen, in charge. Morning worship service began at 11 a. m. with the junior choir in charge of the music. Prayer and scripture were read by Rev. Willie Walker. The morning sermon was delivered by the pastor, the Rev. L. T. Ford. He used for his subject, "Out on the Road." The message was enjoyed by all. ***

*** WILSON TEMPLE METHODIST - Church School began at 9:30 a. m. with the Supt., Miss Nannie Morgan, in charge. Morning worship service began at 11 a. m. with the senior choir in charge of the music, under the direction of Miss Morgan, with Mrs. M. M. Kelly at the organ. Scripture and prayer were given by the pastor, the Rev. S. E. Nesmith. A wonderful sermon was also delivered by the pastor. ***

*** GOOD SAMARITAN BAPTIST - Church School began at 10 a. m. with the Supt., Mr. Earl McClamb, in charge. Morning worship service is held every second and fourth Sundays. The Rev. W. E. Egerton is the pastor. ***

*** UNION BAPTIST - Church School began at 9:30 a. m. with the Supt., Mr. James Campbell, in charge. Morning worship services began at 11 a. m. with the congregation singing. Scripture and prayer were given by the pastor, the Rev. E. Mason. The sermon was also delivered by the pastor. His subject, "When Jesus Went Through Cyprus." ***

*** OBERLIN BAPTIST - Church School began at 9:30 a. m. with the Supt., Mr. Robert Lesane, in charge. Morning worship service began at 11 a. m. with the junior choir in charge of the music, under the direction of Mrs. Joane Alston, with Mrs. Rosemary Walton at the organ. It was Youth Day with Miss Shirley Horton, presiding. Scripture was read by Mr. Robert Lesane; prayer by Miss Hazel Sanders; introduction of the speaker by Miss Shirley Hicks. The speaker was Miss Joyce Perry, of MCC at Durham. Miss Hicks spoke on "Living A Meaningful Life." The Rev. J. F. Epps is the pastor. ***

CHRISTIAN TABERNACLE



NEWLYWEDS AT WEDDING DINNER - Sgt. and Mrs. George Tomlinson, married on Saturday, April 9, are shown above later at a wedding dinner. Mrs. Tomlinson is the former Mrs. Betty Curly Baugh, of this city. Sgt. Tomlinson is also a Raleigh native. (See story).

the Supt., Deacon Walter Curtis, in charge. Morning worship service began at 11 a. m. with the junior choir in charge of the music, under the direction of Mrs. Lucille Campbell. Morning lesson was given by the pastor, the Rev. J. P. Dempsey. Prayer was offered by Deacon Millard Peebles. The pastor also delivered the sermon. His subject, "Man's Need of a Refuge." ***

*** LILY OF THE VALLEY FREEWILL BAPTIST - Church School began at 10 a. m. with Mr. Levi Rogers in charge. Morning worship began at 11 a. m. with the senior choir in charge of the music, under the direction of Mrs. Mable Blandshaw and Mr. Levi Rogers, guitarist. A very inspiring message was delivered by the pastor, the Rev. Walter Sanders. ***

*** MANLY STREET UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST - Church School began at 9:30 a. m. with the Supt., Mrs. Pearl McDonald in charge. Morning worship service began at 11 a. m. with the Lucious Minter Choir in charge of the music, under the direction of the guest organist, Mrs. Julia Battle. Morning lesson and prayer were given by the pastor, the Rev. T. C. Hamans, Rev. Hamans used for his subject, "There Hath Not Failed One Word of His Good Promise." The sermon was enjoyed by all. ***

*** MORNING STAR BAPTIST - Sunday School was opened at 11 a. m. Subject discussed was, "A Nation Divided." Morning services opened by singing "Down At The Cross." Prayer was offered by Rev. Robinson. Next song was, "My Hope Is Built." Scripture was taken from St. Mark, 9:1-32. Rev. Robinson brought a wonderful sermon from St. Mark, 9:29-32. His subject was, "We Must Believe That He Is." Mrs. Veasey, Raleigh's president of the NAACP gave some wonderful remarks about the sermon and also the work of the NAACP. We closed by singing, "Bless Be The Tide." ***

*** SMITH TEMPLE FREEWILL BAPTIST - Sunday School began at 10 a. m. with the Supt., Mr. Elbert Sanders in charge. A. M. in Rev. Charles Alford, pastor, made the call to worship with the senior choir in charge of the music, under the direction of Mrs. F. Williams and Mrs. L. Holder. Scripture lesson was taken from the 20th Psalm. Morning prayer was given by Deacon Baker. Rev. Alford brought a wonderful sermon from Psalm, 20:5. Subject, "In The Name of the Lord We Will Set Up Our Battle." ***

At 8 p. m. the Men's Club celebrated its 7th anniversary. They had as their special guest the Rock Spring Christian Church choir. ***

*** GRACE AME ZION - Church School opened at 10 a. m. with the Supt., Mrs. Ella Hinton, in charge. The morning worship was sparked by the Second Quarterly Conference. The Rev. L. P. Perry and the Rev. F. K. Woods conducted the morning service. The presiding Elder F. J. Young brought a most inspiring and informative message. Music was under the direction of Mr. William Van Dergriff with the senior choir singing. ***

The business session of the conference was held immediately after the 11 a. m. service. During this meeting the elder found that the church was progressing in a most satisfying way in the upbuilding of the kingdom of God. ***

*** RUSH METROPOLITAN AME ZION - Church School began at 9:45 a. m., with both Supts., Mr. Leslie Campbell and Mr. Jesse Degraffenreidt at their posts of duty. The Junior Church services were conducted by Rev. Bro. S. C. Taylor who spoke of the "New Birth." The regular morning services were conducted by the full time pastor, Rev. T. H. Harris. The music was furnished by the Senior choir with Mrs. Pauline Coefield Burton of Garner, accompanist. Rev. Harris then preached a soul stirring message. His text was taken from the following passage of scripture Isaiah the 62nd Chapter and the 1st verse. Subject, "The Prophet Creed." At 7 p. m., the pastor chose Revelation the 21st chapter and the 7th verse. The thought most advanced was, "To receive and enjoy the blessings of the Lord." Mrs. Annie H. Thorpe is church reporter. ***

*** The first and fundamental law of nature . . . is to seek peace and follow it. -Thomas Hobbes.

Pete's Pickin's

BY W. A. "PETE" WILDER Well, I went out to Wake Memorial last Sunday and I saw that the "Negro Ward" really had "Token integration." A few whites on the "Negro side." Maybe that is "it."

The local Eta Sigma chapter of the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity has really stepped into it for the Regionals. On to Sir Walter Hotel. What happened to its old "Bigger and Better Negro Business Week?"

Out on Montague Place, the City Building Inspector is permitting a house to be built presumably for Negroes, which has only front entrances. My dad built a similar structure for his horse "Roxie," but they called it a stable!

Mrs. Mattie Farrar, 1800 Charles St., is a patient at Wake Memorial. We are hopeful for an early trip home for her.

Mr. John Hinton, Eagle Rock, is confined to Wake Memorial. Let's hope its only temporary.

Mrs. Minnie Poole, Westhaven Rest Home, is now a patient at Wake Memorial. Her friends wish for her a rapid recovery!

Mrs. Jennette Johnson, Fuquay-Varina, is a patient at Wake Memorial Hospital. She's ready to go home. Let's hope she does!

Mrs. Annie Bostic, 223 1/2 E. Cabarrus St., is a patient at Wake Memorial. Friends really remembered her last weekend.

Mrs. Zenobia Debnam, 1419 E. Lane St., is much improved after surgery. "Friends have been great to me," she said.

Mrs. Esther Moore, 15 1/2 Dodd St., is a patient at Wake Memorial Hospital. She hopes to go home real soon.

Mrs. Catherine H. Burnette, Garner, is much improved. Friends, please take due notice!

Mrs. Mamie Price, 513 W. South St., is a patient at Wake Memorial Hospital. Her many friends wish for her a rapid recovery.

Mr. Louis Worth, one of Raleigh's great young tenors in the 30's at Washington High, is a patient at Wake Memorial. Mr. Horace Harris, 804 Cotton place, is a patient at Wake Memorial. Hurry home, Horace!

Mrs. Mildred Banks, 122 N. Swan St., is a patient at Wake Memorial. She is progressing nicely to the delight of her many friends.

Mrs. Sarah Mitchell, 614 E. Hargett St., is a patient at Wake Memorial. She hopes to be at home by the weekend.

Capital City Elks and Daughters are already warming up for the State convention. Last Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m., they held the preliminary elimination in the Oratorical Contest, which is a portion of its educational program. Three contestants vied for the honors. They were Miss Lois Latta, Miss Sarah Bialock and Miss Clara Smith. Miss Smith, a student at Garner Consolidated School, was the winner. The area Contest will be held at Rush Metropolitan AME Zion Church Sunday, April 24th, at 3 p. m.

Music for the occasion was furnished by the Elks Spirituals. Mr. Hugh Rouse was master of ceremonies.

Mrs. Sarah Wall, 412 Oakwood Ave. is confined at Wake Memorial. She has ideas of being home by the weekend.

Mrs. Annie Jackson, 1308 S. Bloodworth St., is a patient at Wake Memorial. She anticipates an early return home.

Mrs. Alice Carson, 18 S. Fisher St., is recuperating at Wake Memorial to the delight of her many friends.

Mr. Otha Giles, 324 Hill St.,

PERSONALS

is doing nicely at Wake Memorial. Mrs. Bessie Dudley, 621 W. South St., is showing tremendous improvement at Wake Memorial. Friends from Manly St. Christian Church showed their admiration last Sunday with gifts and flowers. She'll be back real soon.

ATTEND HOME, FOREIGN MISSION MEETING

Mrs. M. L. Chavis was the guest speaker at the District Home and Foreign Mission Meeting, which was held Sunday at the St. James Baptist Church, Dunn. She used as her subject, "Sharing the Light." Accompanying Mrs. Chavis to the meeting were Mrs. Carrie Laws, Mrs. Nora Sanders, Mrs. Pattie Smith, and Miss Ernestine Laws. Willie in Dunn, they also attended the morning worship service at St. James Baptist Church. They report having had an enjoyable day.

ATTEND 50TH ANNIVERSARY

Mrs. Mary D. Moore, Mrs. Millie D. Veasey, Mrs. Annie B. Dunn, Misses Lynette Moore, Eugenia Moore and Millie Dunn, all motored to Washington, D. C. over the weekend to attend the 50th anniversary of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. James Bridges. They had an enjoyable weekend.

ENJOY GAME BETWEEN THE INDIANS AND THE SENATORS Mr. L. W. Ligon, Mr. William W. Laws, and Mr. Richard Wall, attended the American League opener game on Easter Monday. The game was played between the Cleveland Indian and the Washington Senators.

SPEAKER AT THE HOUSE OF CORRECTION Mrs. Lillie Bialock, a member of the Manly Street Church, was the recent speaker at the House of Correction for Women here. She spoke on the subject, "What Will Be The Sign of Your Coming and the End of the World?" She took her text from the book of St. Matthew, the 24th chapter.

BABY CHRISTENED Little Miss Tracey Browning, the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Browning, Jr. was christened at the close of

the morning worship service at First Baptist Church, by the pastor, Rev. C. W. Ward, Sunday, April 17. Tracey is the granddaughter of Mrs. Marion Browning.

SHAW DAY WILL BE OBSERVED On Sunday, April 24th, Shaw Day will be observed at First Baptist Church, at the 11 a. m. services. The Shaw University Choral Society, consisting of 60 voices, under the direction of Mr. Harry Gilsmyth, will furnish the music. Rev. Dr. James Cheek, president of the University will deliver the sermon. The public is invited to attend the service.

SPENDS EASTER HOLIDAYS IN ELIZABETH CITY Mrs. Alma Harrison and Mrs. Geneva P. Brown spent the Easter holidays in Elizabeth City visiting Mrs. Brown's sister and brother.

BABY SHOWER The clubs and auxiliaries of St. Paul AME Church, gave a baby shower Sunday at the parsonage from 3 to 5 p. m. in the afternoon. Mrs. B. S. Foust received some beautiful and very useful gifts for the baby. The shower was well-attended by members and friends.

Mrs. Nellie Smith and Mrs. Bessie Wesley served punch. Mrs. Mamie Riddick and Mrs. Blanche Rivers was in charge of the gifts. Miss Mamie Riddick registered the guests, Mrs. Augusta Gray and Mrs. Geneva P. Brown received the guests.

WOMEN VOTER'S COUNCIL TO MEET The Raleigh Women Voter's Council will meet Saturday April 23rd at five o'clock at the East Raleigh Branch YWCA, 310 E. Davie St. House representative Samuel H. Johnson will be the guest speaker. All interested persons are cordially invited to attend.

Don't be a weekend wonder, says the North Carolina Heart Association. Spring is warm-up time, for nature and you, but tackle the easter chores at first; then you and your heart will be in better condition for the tough jobs.

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