

# News & Views

BY MRS. J. B. HARREN

**ROLES OF LEADERSHIP**  
**ROCKY MOUNT** - There are those who are blind in the Negro race as those of our young people who are in the colleges - even seminaries - and the high schools, who persistently continue to demean themselves and the other 21,950,000 of us, (leaving 50,000 to go astray) by disgracing us with a wicked display of abysmal ignorance despite their advanced literary training, which we of the so-called lower rank have not gotten.

During all this turmoil people are asking "Where are the parents of these youths who are bent on tarring and feathering the instructors, police and all of the so-called 'establishment'?" No where do we hear of a parent going to the school and telling his or her child to either go straight and obey the rules of the school or come home and go to work and stop wasting my money if you can't do that! No, sir. Most of the parents seem to be afraid of their son or daughter and dare not say a word of admonishment, to say nothing of chastisement to them.

There lies the secret of the failure of parental guidance these days. There is hardly any such 'anima' anymore. If there is any 'chastisement' at all, it comes by the child giving ultimatums - and demands to the parent. "Shame, shame!" is Gomer Pyle would say. Its more than a shame. It's a disgrace, due to the neglect of parents.

Parents in particular have abdicated their role of leadership in the homes, churches, schools and communities; which cause the breakdown in the country, town, state and nation. Thus we are faced with a world catastrophe - beginning here at home - in America; then throughout the world, and nothing can stop it except a return to the Biblical teaching of the Jesus of Nazareth which our forefathers believed in and tried to live or at least respect.

Too many of our so-called leaders are patronizing when it comes to upholding long-cherished principles of democracy and striving to gain racial progress through reasonable, peaceful methods via the legal route. The few old-timers who try to point the legal NAACP method, which was proved good for sixty years, get ridiculed and harassed with charges of "Uncle Tommie". Thus, many don't try to stop what they "know in their hearts" is wrong and leading to death.

Negro youths had best take the advice of Kelly Alexander Jr., UNC NAACP chapter prexy rather than that of Howard Fuller's alleged statement urging Negroes to register the dead because Whitey won't know. We can't win elections nor friends that way, Mr. Fuller.

We do not agree with the quotation on the meeting release notice of a local community group which reads: "We belong first to the Black community, second to the American society. The community is a group of people who share values; a society takes care of goods and services."

We have always been under the impression that we are American, first and last; that we are of a given racial strain by accident because we were either born here through slavery, or adopted through migration. And, as Americans, we seek to speak to Americans of all races in as friendly a way as possible without surrendering our dignity, ever making ourselves capable of engaging in civic, religious and political debate with other racial groups in a manner to reflect credit rather than discredit upon ourselves as a race - as far too many Negro young people are now doing as they make so

Many rude demands, a social revolution can be gained on a relatively friendly basis by the use of plain common sense, even where advanced education is not prevalent. If education is not pre-empted by crying and bawling like an infant does to gain attention and its way to what it wants; or if we must use the tactics of 'a bull in a china shop' wrecking all that is civilized, we are resorting to law of the jungle and about to become a primitive race of people estranging ourselves from decent progressive society. And there will be nothing left for anyone. Remember the two goats which met on the foot-long and neither would back-up? Let's not destroy our Nation.

Far more has been gained for all American through around-the-conference-table methods than by wars which neither side really wins. Things gained by the violence route create too much hostility and say to the world that we (Negroes or Blacks) are void of reason and incapable to think and converse of a par with Whitey. Let's stop giving the world that image of Colored American! We can do better.

Void of a college education as this column is, we are willing to match our limited understanding of Americanism with most of Whitey's group on the race issue and take our chances reasoning it out rather than marching with sticks and stones, breaking windows, looting, shooting, obstructing traffic and such. These things disgrace us and alienate more Whites who would help, while saddening the Negroes who would follow intelligent action. Now you can go ahead, call us all the names you want to, but we've spent thirty years helping to keep the name of NAACP in our air and some others from being wiped out; and will continue to try to do so - to the end. Our personal end, that is.

## Franklinton

**FRANKLINTON** - The Franklinton Branch of the National Association of College Women worshipped at the Union Grove Baptist Church of Youngsville on Sunday, March 9.

The president, Mrs. M. L. Hodges, presented a check to the pastor from the Franklinton Branch of the National Association of College Women to be used for some worthy church project.

A very impressive Lenten Service, with the administering of Holy Communion, was enjoyed by all.

At the close of worship service, the members of the NACW were invited by the hostesses, Mesdames A. T. Taborn, G. P. Davis and F. B. Holt to the Pineview Country Club, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Taborn. After a brief business session, dinner was served. The menu consisted of oven fried chicken, creamed potatoes, garden peas, lettuce and tomato salad, pickles, horrolls, butter, coffee and pie a la mode.

We had as our dinner guests the pastor and his wife, the Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson, Rev. F. B. Holt and Mrs. Queen E. Dye.

The Christian Harmony League Club of the United Church of Christ, held its regular monthly meeting in the fellowship hall of the church Tuesday evening, March 11 at 7:30, with the president, Mrs. Irene Mangrum, presiding.

Taking part on the program and the devotions were Mrs. Annetta Kearney, Mrs. Vivian Harris, Mrs. Barbara Jones and Mrs. Catherine Johnson.

The serving table was covered with a white linen tablecloth decorated with green streamers carrying out the St. Patrick's Day theme of green and white. There were four members whose birthdays come during the month of March. They are Miss Nellie M. Brodie, Mrs. Barbara Jones, Mr. G. J. Bussey and Rev. J. P. Mangrum. Each of these members was presented a gift by the hostess, assisted by little Miss Belinda Bussey.

After a brief business session, the hostesses served delicious refreshments which were enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Barbara Jones and Mrs. Catherine Johnson were co-hostesses for the occasion.

Thanks for hospitality given was extended by Mrs. Lucy Bussey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilder have returned home after attending the funeral of Mrs. Wilder's brother, Mr. Wrenchie Perry. Her son, and daughter-in-law, Sgt. and Mrs. Danny Wilder, are here now after returning from Toxoma, Washington.

Mrs. Wilbert Jeffrey's wife is home now after a short stay in the hospital in Louisburg.

# Things You Should Know

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## Clinton News

**CLINTON** - Mrs. Louise Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Sampson, Mrs. Annie Ruth Faison and Mr. Leslie Sampson motored to Washington, D. C. to attend the wedding of Miss Carrie Dean Dize and Mr. Charles Boykin on Saturday, March 15.

While there, Mrs. Faison was the house guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Faison, III.

Mrs. Louise Williams Best was called home from Fort Devens, Massachusetts to attend the funeral of her brother, Mr. George Roland Williams, who was killed Wednesday night in an automobile accident.

**OBITUARY**  
 Mr. George Roland Williams was killed in an automobile accident on Wednesday, March 13.

Funeral services were conducted from Cedar Point Disciple Church, Sunday, March 16, at 2 p.m. with the pastor, Rev. E. V. George, officiating.

Surviving are a son, Vincent, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams; one sister, Mrs. Louise Best, Fort Devens, Mass.; one nephew, Jeffery Williams; four aunts, eleven uncles and a host of other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Johnson and daughter, Joyce, motored to Greensboro last Saturday and spent the day with their family.

Mrs. Callie Kirby is a patient at Sampson Memorial Hospital. She is much improved.

Mrs. Pauline Solice was hostess to the Friendly Garden Club on Friday night, March 14.

Mrs. Irene Hill, president, presided over the business session. The hostess served ice cream and cookies.

The Clinton Chapter, No. 58, of the N. C. Beauticians and Cosmetologists Association enjoyed the celebration of their fifth anniversary at the Olivet Institute Baptist Church, Clinton.

The highlight of the event was a message given by Mrs. Deloris Hayes of Goldsboro. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Shaw of Burgaw and the niece of the late Rev. R. H. Walker, the founder of the Olivet Institute Baptist Church, and is the wife of Dr. L. M. Hayes.

Mrs. Hayes used as a subject, "Beauty." She asserted

## Chavis Heights

**BY MRS. C. J. MERRITT**  
 Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnes, who were married last Saturday at the bride's home. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. C. W. Ward, pastor of the First Baptist Church. The bride is the former Miss Charlotte Stallings. We wish them every happiness.

Mrs. Thomas McCullon of Holly Springs visited friends here.

Mrs. Julia Brown of Oakwood Avenue is spending her vacation in Florida with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dupree.

Happy birthday greetings were extended to Miss Michelle Jamagin, who celebrated her 9th birthday last week. She received many useful gifts and a lovely cake with candles.

Miss Annie Woods celebrated her 14th birthday. A group of her friends attended her party and wished her many happy returns.

The public is invited to attend. Sunday School will open at 10 a.m. at the church and worship services are held at 11. The pastor is Rev. Otha Kearney.

Miss Evelyn Grace Cotton will celebrate her 15th birthday March 21. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cotton, Jr. of Smithfield. She is a student at Smithfield High School, a rising freshman. Evelyn is also a member of the Green Chapel Church.

that internal beauty should be just as important as external beauty. We should have a theme and use three keys, "thank you," "excuse me," and "if you please." She further asserted the three questions we should ask ourselves as we sail: "What flag are we sailing under?" "What cargo are you carrying?" and "What is your destination?"

The out-of-town guests were Mrs. Ruth Washington, Mrs. Inez Godwin, Mrs. Belvia Jones, Mrs. Laura Sinclair, Mrs. George Owens, Miss Shirley Grace and Mrs. Melrose Miller and husband, all of Fayetteville; Mrs. Mary Lowrie of Wallace; Mrs. Queen Costen, Mrs. Geraldine Wooten and Mrs. Elouise Davis and daughter of Willard and Mrs. Hattie M. Carlton of Kenansville.

Dr. J. F. McLaurin of Elizabethton, Rev. K. P. Battle, pastor of Olivet Institute and Rev. Jesse Graham also worshipped with us.

## Louisburg News

**BY MRS. WYNELLA MOORE**  
**LOUISBURG** - The program sponsored by the Clifton Sisters on March 9 at the Mt. Moriah Baptist Church was a huge success.

The program held at the new Liberty Baptist Church Sunday, March 9, by the Sampson Harmonizers of Louisburg, was also a fine one.

The Sampson Harmonizers will soon be heard on a local radio station here.

Funeral services for Sgt. John Willie Thomas, Jr., were held March 9 at 2 p.m. at the South Main Street Baptist Church in Louisburg. Rev. O. H. Broadie, officiated. He was the son of the late Willie P. Thomas and Mattie Thomas. He was a native of Franklin County, born June 7, 1948 and departed this life February 22, 1968, while serving his country in Vietnam.

Survivors are his mother, Mrs. Mattie Thomas of the home; a son, Leon of Louisburg; two sisters, Shirley Jean and Maxine, both of the home; a brother, Douglas Peters of Staton, Ga.

## Rhamkette News

**BY MRS. LUCILLE ALSTON**  
 Sunday School opened at St. John AME Church at 9:45 a.m. with Mr. George Tucker, supt. presiding. Rev. E. E. Worthy was our 11 o'clock speaker. His text was from Psalm and entitled "You Know Nothing." He left us with some uplifting words.

Rev. Earl Wilson, Jr., was our 7:30 p.m. speaker. He spoke from St. John on "Holy Power." We were happy to welcome Rev. Wilson and hope that he will address us again.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
 The Junior Missionary Society will meet at Mrs. Rosa Hunt's home on March 22 at 3:30 p.m. All juniors are urged to be present.

The senior and junior choirs of St. John AME Church will appear on a program at Juniper Level Baptist Church Sunday, March 31, at 5 p.m.

The senior, junior and primary children will present their Easter program April 6 at 6 p.m.

We are glad that Mr. E. Sills is home from the hospital and wish him a rapid recovery.

Mr. William Tucker and Mr. William McNeil are on our shut-in list.

Cub Scout Pack No. 182 gave David Arrington a birthday party last Saturday afternoon. He is one of the members.

NATO ambassador will stay till May.

McCarthy gives up key committee post.

## Henderson

BY L. E. RUSSELL

**HENDERSON** - Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Royster of 2056 Julia Avenue, were happy to have their oldest daughter, Mrs. Martha B. Blakely, her husband and daughter, Beinda, to stop and visit them while they were enroute to Blocksherrra, Ga. to visit her husband's father and mother, Rev. and Mrs. Robert Blakely. On the way back, they will stop to see their other brother and sister in Washington, D. C. and New York City.

Mrs. Mattie Hawkins of Skenes Avenue left Saturday morning the 15th, from the Raleigh - Durham Airport for an extended trip to Flint, Michigan, where she will be visiting her daughter, Jacqueline and son-in-law, Zelton Johnson, Mr. Johnson is a graduate of Durham Business College and is making his home in Flint, Mich. Both he and his wife are working in the public school system and Dupont chemical plant, respectively. On her trip, Mrs. Hawkins is accompanied by Mrs. Gladys Lyons Hawkins, who is a member of the family and they both are enjoying the trip given them by Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, whose residence is 3446 Rangley Drive, Flint, Michigan. The friends and relatives of the Hawkins family wish for them a joyous trip and a safe return.

Mrs. Bessie Durham of West Rockspring Street left last weekend to visit her sons and daughters who live in Bronx, New York. Mrs. Durham stated that she knows she will enjoy her trip, because on previous occasions, she has always enjoyed every trip given her by her children.

Miss Susie Ashe of 1415 Raleigh Road has left the Maria Parham Hospital, where she was given treatment for an injury on her left knee caused by a fall had while playing basketball at Henderson Institute. She is doing nicely and soon will be back in school.

Mrs. Eliza Durham of the Drewry Community has been ill for some time and confined to the Maria Parham Hospital. Mrs. Durham is a faithful member of the Oakleaved United Christian Church and a leader in the missionary department of the church. She is recovering and expects to be released soon.

**OBITUARIES**  
 John Henry Williams, 70, a native of Warren County, died Wednesday in Brooklyn, N. Y. The body arrived here Saturday morning.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at 3 p.m. at Coley Spring Baptist Church, with the Rev. G. A. Gilchrist officiating.

Survivors are Mrs. Pattie Kearney, Mrs. Maggie Chavis, Mrs. Sarah Harper, all of Brooklyn, New York, and Mrs. Leslie Williams of Baltimore, Md.

Honorary pallbearers were Misses Gwendolyn Milon, Gladys Wilson, Linda Williams, Bettie Wilson, Vergie Davis and Gracie Solomon.

Named as active pallbearers were: Willis Judkins, Cornell Milon, David Judkins, James Milon, Joe Williams and Douglas Judkins.

Burial was in the church cemetery.

An aged widow who lived alone at her home in the Mansion community of Warren County, near the Vance County line, was found dead in the ruins after her house burned to the ground.

She was identified by authorities as Mrs. Emma Hanks Suit, age about 75. She was the widow of the late Benjamin Suit, who has been dead for a number of years. Surviving are several children and other relatives.

The body was carried to Williams Funeral Home in Henderson. Funeral home officials said arrangements for the last rites remained incomplete.

# On The NAACP Front

BY J. B. HARREN

**ATLANTA, Ga.** - NAACP Executive Director Roy Wilkins made it clear here to some 250 delegates attending a national conference on Church and Violence: "Violence as a weapon, as a technique, as a major instrument of social change" does not lead to success.

Wilkins added "Our political office-holders and, lately, our educators have been vying with one another in giving in to naked violence and acts of not only aggression, but of destruction. Even our churchmen, caught up in their religious tenets, have rationalized the bowing to a stick-up type of 'demand.' The popular excuse with all of these has been the umbrella contention of deprivation."

Wilkins declared the "capitulation" of these leaders to the

## Juniper Level

BY MISS MARY JONES

The Juniper Level Sunday School opened at 10 o'clock with the superintendent, Deacon Nathaniel McClain, in charge. The Sunday School devoted 45 minutes to the study of the lesson which was, "Question Of Authority." It was reviewed by our pastor, Rev. G. A. Jones. After Sunday School, morning worship services began with the junior choir singing, "We've Come This Far By Faith," as they marched in invocation was given by our pastor. He closed for his text Isaiah 24:5, from which he took his subject, "Remember Jesus?"

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
 On the first and third Sundays in each month, regular worship services are held. The youth are in charge on the third Sunday. The public is cordially invited.

**SICK AND SHUT-IN**  
 Deacon Robert Wilder, Mrs. Bessie Hood, Mrs. Lula Leach, Mrs. Lela Matthews, Mrs. Dorothy Jackson, Mrs. Jamie Penix, and Mrs. Lillie Dinning. We are asking your prayers for the sick and shut-ins.

**A THOUGHT**  
 "He that believes shall be saved."

**Lincolnton**  
**BY CAROLYN BRASWELL**  
**ASBURY** - Sunday School opened at 9:45 a.m. with the supt., Mr. Charles Rogers, presiding. The opening hymn was "Down At the Cross." Prayer was offered in unison by the School. The scripture was chosen from St. Mark 12:7, 12:13-15 and the subject of the lesson was "This Matter Of Authority." Mrs. Bessie P. Hall, district supt., reviewed the lesson. The banner attendance and class banner went to Class No. 3, Mr. C. E. Rogers, instructor.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**  
 RAYC meeting was held after Sunday School.

District Conference will be held at Lincolnton this quarter.

**SICK**  
 Mrs. Elmirdie Rowe, Mr. Willie White, Mrs. Lessie Cotton, Mrs. Bessie Patterson and Mrs. Estelle Wright.

**A THOUGHT**  
 "All things are possible if we only believe."

## Cary News

BY MISS MAE N. HOPSON

**CARY** - Sunday School opened at Union Bethel AME Church at 10 o'clock with the supt., Mrs. Lucy Bell, presiding. Morning worship followed at 11 with the senior choir in charge of music. After devotion, the assistant pastor, Rev. B. L. Hemby, delivered his message from the Book of Job. His theme was "But None Perish the Move of God." The entire congregation was uplifted. Among the visitors was Mr. Marshall Brown of Lincolnton AME Church, Asbury.

During the afternoon, at 3 o'clock, the Rev. E. M. Jenerett, pastor, choir and congregation of St. Mary's AME Church rendered service. Rev. Jenerett delivered his message from the fourth chapter of St. John. His subject was "Give Me This Water." He pointed out that we must get the living water to live. This, too, was an another spiritual service. We enjoyed the selections which the choir sang. Many out-of-town visitors were present.

Church School began at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church at 10 a.m. Mrs. Daisy Ferrell, supt., was in charge. All teachers were at their posts with full classes.

Sunday School opened at the United Church of Christ at 10 o'clock with the supt., Mr. C. R. Jones, in charge. Morning worship services began at 11 with the youth choir in charge of music. The assistant pastor, Rev. Randolph Burrell, gave one's heart, chaff and grain

together. Knowing that the gentlest of hands will take and sift it; keep what is worth keeping, with breath of kindness, blow the rest away."

**BIRTH**  
 Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Lenell Walker, Jr. of 103 E. Johnson St., who are the parents of a baby boy, born March 11. Mrs. Walker is the former Miss Patricia Ferrell. A FRIEND

"A friend is one to whom one can pour out all the content of

whims of a small minority of extremists among the blacks is all the more notable when polls taken "Fortune, CBS, Harris, Gallup and Newsweek" have repeatedly shown that the overwhelming majority of the Negro population does not share the views of the few who ultra-extreme in their approach to improving the racial situation.

The Achilles' heel of the young black revolutionist, Wilkins said, is their miscalculation of "their chances of achieving their goals." They seem to forget that the Negroes in this country represent a minority, while in Africa or the West Indies the Blacks are in the majority by far. Thus, different tactics and different strategy must be used. The realities of the American scene, Wilkins said, "make it imperative that planning for effective ethnic advancement must plot a course which a minority so situated can perse-

He reminded "that a goodly portion of young people under 30 years believe that progress is being made and want to go on to better schools and better jobs, as well as live in better neighborhoods."

Recalling the long weary years of NAACP advancement through legal and persuasive negotiation - Wilkins reminded the old and informed the younger ones that in the struggle for freedom and equality, "Whatever has been gained has been through non-violence," a dedication to the inner conviction to hold the nation to the tenets of its own law of individual freedom for all humans.

Marvin Davies, NAACP field man in Florida, testified before a Senate Committee regarding the prevalence of starvation conditions in the Sunshine State, saying he believed the number of hungry people would reach 100,000.

**Chapel Hill**  
**BY MRS. SUSIE WEAVER**  
**CHAPEL HILL** - St. Paul AME Church School is held each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Church services begin at 11 o'clock. You are invited to attend.

The morning services were beautiful and inspiring Sunday. Sweet music was rendered with Mrs. Louis Taylor at the organ, playing "God Of Our Fathers." Prayer was offered by Rev. T. P. Duhart. The beginners choir sang, "Glory Hallelujah, His Truth Is Marching On." The pastor, Rev. J. F. Epps, brought a great message from the Book of Psalms, the junior choir, "I Need Thee Every Hour." The altar boys were Foushee and Matthews.

Ushers were Mrs. Julia Guthrie, Mr. Joe Barbee, Mr. Joseph Webb and Mr. Jimmy Edwards. Visitors were introduced by Miss Eunice Atwater with our motto visitors are strangers but once. Flowers were given by Mrs. Margaret H. Epps and Mrs. Golden Webb. The men's chorus sang "Just A Little Talk With Jesus Makes It Right." Immediately after service, we had a very fine church meeting, with much understanding. Mr. Gillespie gave a nice talk, referring to the church school teachers.

The First Baptist Junior Missionaries presented a very fine plate dinner for the benefit of the Circle, followed by a beautiful candlelight march, under the direction of their leader, Mrs. Doris Foushee. The pastor is Rev. J. R. Manley. Funeral services for Mr. Samuel Howard, 80, were held at New Hope Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. Brierley officiating. Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Rachel M. Howard; two daughters, Mrs. Viola Davis and Mrs. Emma Taylor, both of Chapel Hill; two sons, Louis Howard of Chapel Hill; two step-sons, 19 grandchildren, 51 great grandchildren and three great, great grandchildren.

Enroute to the funeral on Sunday, a very bad accident took place. One car was hit by a speeding car. Those hurt are in Memorial Hospital here.

They are Mr. Samuel Davis, Mrs. Annie Davis and Mrs. Lorna Hargrove, all members of the family.

The Mother's Mission Club met at the home of Mr. Wadell Tuck on Columbia St. It was an enjoyable meeting. Remember the Family Health Meeting each Monday after the second and fourth Sundays at 7:30 p.m. Take your family.

**A THOUGHT**  
 "Since all have sinned and come short of God's blessing, and it may be later than we think, you not straighten up, look up and start walking up so that we can sing, 'I am on the right road now!'"

together. Knowing that the gentlest of hands will take and sift it; keep what is worth keeping, with breath of kindness, blow the rest away."

**SICK AND SHUT-IN**  
 Mrs. Catherine Lassiter is in the hospital and on the critical list.

Mrs. H. Elliott is in a Chapel Hill hospital. Mrs. Frances Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Thomlinson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holt, Mrs. Raynor, Donnie Jones and Emma Sanders are also ill.

Mrs. Dorothy Vinson and Barbara Ann Sanders left for Buffalo, N. Y. to visit her sister, Miss Thelma Sanders, who was involved in an accident and reportedly on the critical list.

Mr. Keith Matson was missed very much from his class when he was ill.

Miss Sandra Williams, a student at A&T State University, was home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tepar of Newport News, Va. visited Mrs. Sherlie Johnston last week.

Members of the Johnston Central High School Drama Club will present a three-act play entitled, "Oh, Promise Me," by Pete Williams; the characters are as follows: Seth Miller, lawyer; James Richardson Frisher, housekeeper; Betty Hunter, Barry Hollis, a young millionaire, Stephen Blake, Mrs. Sue Hollis his aunt, Winifred Bryant; June Hollis, his young sister; Elaine Matthews; Katherin, the cook, Willie Mae Walker; Ann Furber, a young actress; Avis Dodd; Patsie Linden, a dancer; Evelyn Sanders; Mrs. Linden, her mother; Wanda Nixon; Gladys Vance, a dream - girl; Lois Johnson; Ralph Saunders, a man with a purpose; Gary Bunch; Mrs. Jones, a young mother, Ester Watson.

In the play Barry Hollis has come into a fortune. His youthful escapades have won him a reputation as a playboy, but he is resolved to settle down. On the train back from Princeton University, he meets and falls immediately in love with Gladys Vance. He persuades his aunt to invite her for a visit. Another note goes to Patsie Linden, a hard boiled little dancer and an old flame of Barry's asking her to sent back his frat pin. Alas, the notes get mixed! Patsie arrives and threatens a breach of promise suit unless Barry marries her immediately. Then Barry has a bright idea. He couldn't possible marry Patsie if he had a wife and family already. So he gets Ann Furber, the housekeeper's daughter to pretend to be his wife and "borrow" a strange baby. Into this situation marches Gladys. Then, to top this, he is informed that his estate has dwindled to almost nothing, and all his girlfriends desert him --- that is, all but one. This play shall truly be an exciting one. The exact date of the production is uncertain. Director of this drama group is Miss F. R. Gadsden.

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