

Apex News

BY MRS. LOUISE COLVIN

APEX - The First Baptist Church observed its second annual Woman's Day. The Gospel Chorus was on duty and had senior choir members who gave support. The service started at 11 o'clock as usual, with the presiding officer, Mrs. Louise Colvin, in charge. She made the call to worship. Mrs. Alberta Cotten gave the invocation; Mrs. Bernice Bullock



MRS. COLVIN read the scripture, from the Book of Proverbs, 31:10-31. The morning prayer was offered by Mrs. Frances Marrow. The mission offering prayer was given by Mrs. Ruth Hunter. Announcements followed. Mrs. Mattie Marrow and Mrs. Julia Lassiter gave the offertory prayer. Ladies in charge of the offering were Mesdames Sarah Byrd, Rosa Colvin and Isolene Byrd. The organist was Miss Floya Cotten. Recognition of visitors was by Mrs. E. H. Williams. The Woman's Day history was given by Mrs. S. Beasley. A solo was sung by Mrs. Docia Evans. Her accompanist at the piano was Mrs. E. H. Williams. The presentation of gifts to the oldest and youngest mothers present was done by Mrs. Zella Horton. The oldest mother was Mrs. Cora Pearson and the youngest was Mrs. Teresa C. Cofield.

Introduction of the speaker was made by Mrs. Louise Colvin who presented Mrs. Victoria M. Walters of Raleigh. The speaker graduated from Winston-Salem State College, has attended Hampton Institute and North Carolina College at Durham, from which she holds a Master's degree, and is widely known in religious and social circles in Raleigh and surrounding area. She is an Apex native, who has made a great contribution to helping others educationally and spiritually. Her theme was, "The Challenge To Women Under God's Order." The speaker named one text St. Mark 16:15, and in her discourse, many other passages of scripture were pointed out. It was a great address and all of the women left the service determined to be even greater mothers and women of the community. The attendance at this service was vast.

Among our worshippers were Mrs. Walters' husband, Mr. Joseph Walters, also an educator; Mrs. Pearl Marie Powers, an educator and a sister of Mrs. Walters; and her son, John Edward and daughter, Agnes of Danville, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Louis of Hampton, Va.; Mrs. Louise Mary Belle is an educator and the sister of Mrs. Walters; Mr. Walter P. McIver, brother of the speaker, also of Hampton, Va.; Mrs. Margaret Harrington of Hampton, Va. and Mr. and Mrs. Casper Brinkley, friends of Mrs. Walters, also of Hampton, Va.; Rev. Miss E. V. McIver of Spring Lake, the aunt of Mrs. Walters, Mr. John H. McIver, also of Spring Lake, a cousin and Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Smith, of Atryville; and Mrs. Minnie Jones, the aunt of Mrs. Walters. Others visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Evans of Durham, Mrs. Likie Jones of Longhorne, Pa., Mrs. Ann M. Harris and children of Washington, D. C.; Mr. Matthew Horton, Jr., and daughter of Longhorne, Pa.; Miss Jacqueline Williams, now a student at Hampton Institute and Attorney and Mrs. George R. Greene and family of Raleigh. Dinner was served to all of our guests and refreshments to all the members. This Woman's Day will be long remembered.

Sunday at 7:30 p.m., Dr. W. T. Bigelow, his choirs and congregation will render service at First Baptist Church. It will also be the ending of a baby contest. We invite our many friends to attend. We will have parents and their first born participating.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. James Lassiter, Mrs. Ethel Gibson, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McDonald recently attended their family reunion at the home of their cousin, Mr. Samuel Batchelor of Richmond, Va. Mr. and Mrs. Lassiter and sister, Mrs. Ethel Gibson, attended the Free Union Baptist Church of Lawrence, N. C. recently.

There will be a mass meeting of citizens of Western Wake for Community Action at the St. Mary's AME Church in Apex on Sunday, May 18, at 8 p.m.

Mr. Howard Fuller will be the featured speaker.

Feltonville News

BY MRS. MARY MOSS

Felton Grove Sunday School was opened at 10 o'clock with devotional service by the superintendent, Deacon Charles Baker. At 11 o'clock, worship services began. Rev. Sister Elyvin Scott of Raleigh was the guest speaker. Her texts were found in Eccl. 12 and St. Luke 4:19. Her subject was "Take Time To Serve the Lord." She preached a soul-stirring sermon.

Our sick and shut-ins are Mr. John Lee Cozart, Mr. James Percell, Rev. H. R. Smith and Mrs. Maelene Pearson. Our prayers go out for them.

Happy birthdays to Mr. Zollie Moss, Miss Yvonne Paige, little Sonya Wilson and others who celebrated birthdays in May.

Visitors during the past week were Mrs. Joan Baker, Mrs. Betty Burnette, Mrs. Walter Hayes who visited Mrs. Estelle Cozart, Mrs. Katherine Burnette, Mr. Bruce Michelle visited Mrs. Renna Baker, Mrs. Elyvin Moss, Mrs. Edna NeSmith, Mrs. Willa Mae Thorpe and Mrs. Louise Wilson. Also visiting were Mrs. Mary Moss, Mrs. Alice Petty, who was happy to have her daughter, who has been ill. All mothers of Feltonville wish to thank their children and friends for such nice gifts and other thoughtful expressions on Mother's Day.

The Feltonville Baseball Club had much fun at the party held at the Peables Hotel in Raleigh last Saturday. The Club is doing wonderfully this season.

Mrs. Mary L. Moore is happy to have her daughter with her for a few days. She is Miss Brenda Moore, who is attending Durham Business College.

Our special people this week are Mrs. Mary Mangum, Mrs. Ida Latimore and Mrs. Ray Herrington.

A THOUGHT
"You may have silver and gold. But if you don't have Jesus you don't have anything."

The following letters appeared in a recent issue of The Christian Science Monitor: "Referring to a recent Mirror of Opinion, it appears to me that the Dallas editorial was not written antisestablishmentarianistically, as was claimed, but merely pseudoantisestablishmentarianistically, to put it briefly." Flintshire, England.

**DEADLINE FOR
HOMETOWN
NEWS
MON.-12 NOON**



ROTC QUEENS-Army and Air Force ROTC queens were appropriately crowned by the professor of Military and Air Science during the recent annual ROTC Ball at Tuskegee Institute. Lt. Col. Robert W. Everett, (left), professor of military science, and Lt. Col. Herbert Carter (right), professor of air science, have the attention here of: Lyndia S. Brinson, a sophomore from Fort Valley, Ga., elected "Miss Army ROTC"; Bettye J. McGinnis, a freshman from Birmingham, "Miss ROTC"; and Beryl L. Williams, a freshman from Cairo, Ga., "Miss Air Force ROTC."

Entertainment HUES and CRIES

OTHER "BANANAS"

NEW YORK - Surrounding "Top Banana" Bill Cosby on the new half-hour comedy-drama "The Bill Cosby Show," which debuts over NBC television network on Sundays next fall will be Lee Weaver and Sid McCoy. Weaver, who will be cast in the role of Cosby's brother, was the star's next-door neighbor in the Noah's Ark sketch on the recent "Second Bill Cosby Special." McCoy is known for his many years as the head man of the "The Real McCoy" late-night record show aired from Chicago. He has since turned his talents to movies and television series.

JAZZ AND FOOD FESTS
NEW ORLEANS-The week of June 1-7 will see the spotlight of the world focused upon the Crescent city, for the week the city will simultaneously play host to Jazzfest 1969 and the International Food Festival 1969. Jazz musicians and singers from all over the world will offer their talents along with gastronomic delicacies during this second annual homecoming for jazz. Headliner for the event will be Sarah Vaughn, who will start in festivities with a "Soul Sunday" special. HIMES-DAVIS VENTURE

NEW YORK-Filming on location in Harlem, began last Monday of the Ossie Davis-directed "Cotton Comes to Harlem," a suspense comedy based on

Chester Himes' novel. Starring in the picture will be Godfrey Cambridge, Raymond St. Jacques, and Calvin Lockhart.

ENTERTAINERS' SCHOOL
PHILADELPHIA - A school for potential entertainers and show business personalities has been opened at the Germantown Carmen theatre by the United Veterans for Freedom. Aim of the UVF, organized by returning disabled veterans of the Vietnam fracas, is to develop young local talent for careers in entertainment and show business. The group is headed by Reuben L. Butler, a 15-year army veteran.

ELLINGTON SHOWCASE
NEW YORK-A rebroadcast of the highlights of the premiere of Duke Ellington's "Sacred Concert," will be presented by CBS News on "Something About Believing," Whit Sunday, May 25, over the CBS network. Among those participating in the concert, filmed

in the Cathedral of St. John The Divine are familiar Ellington sidemen, Harry Carney, Johnny Hodges and Cootie Williams.

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