

# IMPRESSIONS IN BRONZE

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On a hot summer day in July, a meeting took place in an office located on a certain campus in Raleigh. This meeting took place between 6 poor people and 2 middle class Blacks concerning total community needs and educational facilities with the greater emphasis on the educational facilities.

Around the third week in July, a meeting was held at a church in the grass roots community. In this meeting, the context of total community planning needs was discussed, but what most poor Blacks tend to overlook is the fact that when middle class Blacks, who are users of the poor, have already planned what is to be said at such a meeting and what is to be used to get the poor to support their program, knowing all the while that they, (the users) are the one who will benefit. To give us poor Blacks an example of what type of tactic is used and what was used at this particular meeting: The users know from experience that poor Blacks are very concerned about housing, so the middle class users used Urban Renewal because the users know that when this project goes through the poor Blacks in the Southside would be put out. In order to pacify the poor Blacks, the

users fooled the Blacks into thinking they would not be put out into the street by elaborating about some kind of "off the wall" project called Air Rights, and let me tell you brothers and sisters, this middle class user really went all out to get this project across. He even had maps, books, pamphlets and pictures and he was trying to sell a boat to Heaven which would never get there. Do you know that the poor Blacks at that meeting were just eating that stuff up? The users of the campus in question knew the plan had worked so the users ended the meeting. They said that they would do anything that they could to help their people, but do you really think for one moment that the users would do anything to help poor Blacks if it didn't benefit the users of the campus in question?

Everyone will have to admit that the users do know a lot about the Southside problems, but when a Black family was put out of their home, where were the users' concern then? Isn't it funny how the users of the campus in question can buy houses around the campus community to make offices out of them. And the poor Blacks can't find houses to live in when they are put out into the cold. Where were the users then? They weren't here because they were not really concerned because the user did

not benefit, but the user was concerned when it came to providing office space for faculty members on the users' campus. Now the poor Black grass root people of the Southside and other areas are really starting to find out what is really happening, and that the users are really users of the poor Blacks because of this and other things that have happened in the past on this particular campus. The users of the campus in question have been psyching the Black people by setting up a lot of programs for poor Black people not to help them but to get all that money from the government because this money can help the campus a great deal. So now the main project is to get the Black people to go for the building of the community service and the psychology that is used is that the building will be used for and the help of the Black community because the campus can help the poor Black people at the same time. But from past experiences, black people know that the other programs weren't worth a bag of beans, in fact, the users didn't even want the Blacks on campus and the same thing is going to happen when the Community Service Building is built, because when poor Blacks were supposed to use the New Student Union Building, they were sometimes transferred to the Science Building or some other building and some of the buildings that the Blacks were transferred to the faculty didn't even want to use.

The same thing is going to happen after the Community Service Building is built. The poor Blacks will have to use another building for Community Service programs, so who do you think is going to get the most out of this project? You, the poor Blacks, or the users of the campus in question???



HEAD OPPOSING CIVIL WAR FORCES-London: Maj. Gen. Yakubu Gowon (L), chief of Nigerian Federal government, and Gen. Odumegwu Ojukwu, leader of secessionist Biafra, are graduates of Britain's prestigious Sandhurst military academy. They head up opposing forces in Nigerian civil war, bloodiest in black Africa's history. It appears now --after two years of fighting--that a clear cut victory for either side is out of the question. (UPI).

## Faculty-Staff Additions Are Announced At Shaw University

Dr. King V. Cheek, Jr., Shaw University President, recently announced 43 faculty and staff additions to various university programs.

New Faculty members are: Dr. Mark Atkinson, associate professor of education and director of Teacher Education; Mrs. Johnnie M. Cochran, economics instructor; Dr. Abdul Hafez Elkordy, associate professor of Urban Sciences; Dr. Aaron Favors, Jr., associate professor of Speech and Hearing; Mr. Norman Forer, assistant professor of Urban Sciences; Edward Leory Graves, assistant professor of Music; Dr. Fannie Lou Hamer, lecturer, African-Afro American studies; Mrs. Marguerite M. Jordan, instructor of Speech and Hearing; Mrs. Marjorie G. Kelley, assistant professor of Urban Sciences; Dr. Mahmoud Khatib, associate professor of Chemistry; David Landsburg, assistant professor of Communication; Miss Pearl C. Lee, assistant professor of Speech and Hearing; Larry Lewis, assistant professor of Mathematics; Norman T. Mitchell, instructor of Urban Sciences; Dr. Samuel Mitchell, professor of Urban Sciences; Dr. Lalla S. Russell, assistant professor of Urban Sciences; William J. Stembieda, assistant professor of Urban Sciences; Dr. Bertram Spector, professor of Educational Research; and Dr. Dorothy S. Williams, distinguished professor of Urban Sciences.

New Administration and staff are: Edward R. Becken, Electronics Engineer, WSAH-FM, the University's educational radio station; Frank B. Belk, Jr., director of Career Placement; William McNeil Bell, Jr., dean of the Chapel; Charles Bialock, assistant to the Supervisor of WSAH-FM; Dr. John T. Blue, Jr., vice president for Development & University Relations; Miss Joyce R. Cooke, tutor-counselor; Mrs. Mildred C. Christmas, secretary to the University Counselor; George Frank Chunn, head of Men's Residence and assistant football coach; James L. Cochran, program assistant for Student

Activities: Miss Johnnie M. Douthis, coordinator of Communications Services; Dallas Foster, Sr., Career Placement Counselor; Mrs. Janet E. Jones, secretary to the Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds; Mrs. Ermastine L. McCoy, Nurse; Miss Mildred Mallett, Cataloger; Dr. Gerard Neptune, vice president for Academic Affairs; Alfred T. Newkirk, director of Admissions; Miss Alberta Pace, clerk-typ-

ist, Records and Registration; Miss Shelia A. Poole, secretary to the Director of Teacher Education; Mrs. Mildred E. Pretty, budget officer, University Extension; Edward Silvey, coordinator of Special Projects; George Stokes, assistant to the Vice President for Development; Mrs. Geneva K. Vick, secretary to the Director of the Learning Resources Center; and Joseph Whitaker, tutor-counselor.

## "We Face Hazards Of Defeating Our Own Purpose," Dr. L. Foster

TUSKEGEE INSTITUTE, Ala. -The president of Tuskegee Institute Sunday cautioned disadvantaged minorities that they "continually face the hazard of defeating their own purposes, laudable as their goals may be."

Dr. L. H. Foster, in his first address of the year to a joint convocation of faculty and students, called on minority groups to "find ways to relate themselves to the often silent but substantial and enduring bundle of decency in the masses of mankind."

He acknowledged the usefulness of the shock that may have been achieved by such activities as a reparations manifesto, but urged that minority

groups to "be honorable and skillful tacticians rather than blundering powerhouses if their fundamental objectives are to be achieved."

"There is just enough taunting of the civil rights forces through relaxed school guidelines, deferred welfare developments and curtailed federal student loan programs to precipitate a belligerent rather than a rational response on the part of minorities," President Foster declared.

Dr. Foster urged his audience to "get smart," explaining that they should "assess the facts and the dynamics of the situation before proceeding with dispatch to assemble those re-

## Arthur Perrys Celebrate Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary

ZEBULON-Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Robert Perry celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, August 17, with a Tea at their home, Route 3, Zebulon.

The courtesy was given by their children. The affair was catered by Peeble's Restaurant, Raleigh. The Harold Tayors' Florist furnished flower arrangements. Pictures were made by Hinto Photography, Raleigh.

The couple eight children, Mrs. Olave Horton, Raleigh; Mr. Roosevelt Perry, Mr. Benjamin Perry and Mr. George Perry all of Zebulon; Mrs. Geneva Ellison, Mrs. Irene High, both of Atlantic City, New Jersey; Mr. Alphonzo Perry, Passaic, New Jersey and Mrs. Anne Raeford, Chattanooga, Tennessee and the couples sons and daughters-in-law, Grandchildren and Great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends were present for the occasion.

A beautiful program was dedicated to the Honored couple with Dr. William R. Strassner, pastor of the Wakefield Baptist Church, Zebulon, as master of ceremonies.

The program was as follows: prayer, Dr. W. R. Strassner, Solo, "The Lords' Prayer," sung by Miss Rosalyn Winston; Welcome, Mrs. Olave Horton, Responsive, Mrs. Ruth H. Morgan.

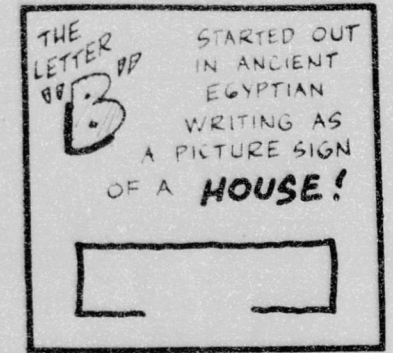
Expressions were made by Mr. R. Richardson and Mr. G. L. Crews - Reminiscences from the honored couple - Solo "I Love you Truly" sung by Miss Rosalyn Winston. Reading - "Life" done by Miss Rene Raeford, dedication selection "We've Come This Far By Faith" sung by Mrs. Bernice Dunn. Mrs. Jessie Vick and Mrs. Rochelle Malone and accompanied by Mrs. Ethel Hopkins. Closing prayer was offered by Rev. Charles E. Raeford son-in-law of the honored couple - Pastor of Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

The menu for the occasion was assorted sandwiches, cheese, ham and chicken, cheese straws, mints, nuts, party cake and punch.

The Honored couple received many beautiful gifts and money. The family wishes to take this opportunity to thank each and every person who made this day a happy one for their parents.

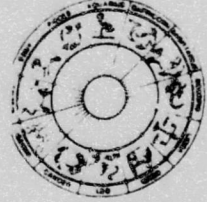
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## Your Weekly Horoscope

by OLGA



**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** Tidy up your romantic life, Aries. You may not be aware of it, but things are in somewhat of a mess. Emotional cobwebs are all over your heart. Get rid of them. This may take a bit of doing, but you'll be glad if you follow old Olga's advice.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** As you are advancing in life, Taurus, you are gaining a keener sense of the value of time. This is all to the good. Use your time in week ahead to solve an old problem. Go to the one you love and speak your heart.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** You may be tempted in week ahead, Gem, to speak only half the truth. And this in itself may create a serious situation. Tell all or lie boldly. One or the other.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22):** Try not to be so methodical, Moonchild. This tendency could if carried to excess, drive you out of your tree. Relax a bit more. This is a good week to consider yourself a "majority of one."

**LEO (July 23-August 22):** Joy, comfort and contentment are highlighted in week ahead, Leo. The fruit of love will ripen. Desire will stir within you. How lucky can you get?

**VIRGO (August 23-September 22):** You may find yourself a bit depressed in week ahead, Virgo. If so, get out and seek new and exciting surroundings. Fight against giving in to despair of any kind. It is a luxury you can ill afford.

**LIBRA (September 23-October 22):** You are going to get a second chance at happiness, Libra. Don't miff the deal. Don't look back. The past is a cancelled check. That you can bank on. Tomorrow holds nothing but goodies.

**SCORPIO (October 23-November 21):** In days ahead, Scorp, your memory will be excellent, but your judgment poor. Realize this and act accordingly. Don't allow your sweet memories to play too great a part in your day-to-day activities.

**SAGITTARIUS (November 22-December 21):** You have good sense, Sag, and few pretensions. In week ahead, judge from intuition. Thus you will avoid confusion. Turn a deaf ear to those who consider themselves more learned than you.

**CAPRICORN (December 22-January 19):** Try not to paint yourself into a corner in week ahead, Cap. Walk the straight and narrow for a change. The land of milk and honey is closer than you think. Trust Olga.

**AQUARIUS (January 20-February 18):** Watch your words in week ahead, Aquarius. Especially when around the one you love. Remember this: "The difference between the right word and the almost right word is the difference between lightning and the lightning bug."

**PISCES (February 19-March 20):** Do not regress in week ahead, Pisces. Move ahead, but always keep one eye on your rear-view mirror. As far as affair of the heart is concerned, use your mind to contrive and your tongue to persuade.

## Smith Coed Honored By State Dept.

CHARLOTTE - Mrs. Stella Morris Matthews, a 20-year-old junior at Johnson C. Smith University, has received a Superior Performance Award from the United States Treasury Department.

The award, which included a



MRS. S. M. MATTHEWS

Certificate of Appreciation and a \$50 cash prize was presented by E. Y. Poole of Greensboro, N. C., chief of the Audit Division of Internal Revenue Service for the Southeastern Region, "in recognition and appreciation for noteworthy contribution to the effective and efficient operation of the Treasury Department."

Mrs. Matthews, a native of Lillington, has been employed at the Charlotte Field Audit Branch of the Internal Revenue Service since November 1968. She describes her position as "a secretary-aid and 'Girl Friday.'" She got the job through the Placement Office at

## Middlesex News

BY MRS. BEULAH MEEKS  
MIDDLESEX - The Stokes Chapel Sunday School was called to order at 10 o'clock with the Supt. in charge. Subject of the lesson was, "A King Glory and Corruption." The scripture lesson was found in 1st Kings 4:20-21, 29-34, 9-11.

Morning worship began at 11:30 o'clock with the Mission sister in charges. Music was rendered by the Senior Choir, with Bro. William E. Meeks at the piano. At 12 o'clock, the pastor extended the right hand of fellowship to seven new members, who took on Christ in our revival services last week. The services were wonderful. Brother Odell Wright and Rev. James Cannady preached an inspiring sermon. His subject was, "A Christian Obligation." After this message, the Lord's supper was rendered to all.

We had a number of visitor to worship with us. Our pulpit guests were the two Merritt brothers of Philadelphia, Pa., Revs. Odell Merritt and Viles Merritt and their sister, Mrs. Mozell Merritt Hayes, all of Philadelphia, Pa.

Our sick and shut-ins are Mrs. Mattie Allen and Mrs. Flossie Wiggins both of Zebulon and a member of Stokes Chapel.

On Sunday, October 5th, Sunday School will open at 10 o'clock. Brother Andrew Jones is supt. and Rev. B. H. Closs is pastor.

Smith. The performance award is given annually to outstanding employees as an incentive to inspire other employees.

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