

# News And Views

BY J. B. HARREN

## NAACP HONORS NEGRO OFFICIALS

DURHAM—Something new was added at the close of the 26th Annual North Carolina NAACP Conference meeting in the Durham Hotel-Motel when 200 NAACP members and associated friends paid ten dollars (\$10) each to dine and do honors to ninety-seven (97) elected and appointed Negro officials of Tarheelia. Forty-seven of the total were present. The names of some officials failed to reach state NAACP officials.

Heading the list of colored officials (which did not include policeman) was Howard Lee, mayor of Chapel Hill, who made history when he became the first Negro to be elected titular head of a predominantly White community in Tarheelia, Mayor W. Ray Mathewson of Princeville (across the Tar River from Tarboro), an all-Negro community until recent years, has an all-Negro town and police force.

Thebaud Jeffers is mayor pro-tem of Gastonia, where the 1970 N. C. NAACP meets.

Hon. Henry E. Frye is Greensboro's contribution to the State Legislature, the first Negro there in this century, who got his first bill passed. District judges honored were Mrs. Elreta Alexander, Greensboro; and Clifton Johnson, Charlotte. The list comprises 35 city councilmen, 16 on boards of education, 4 county commissioners, 28 deputy sheriffs and 37 assorted officials from model cities programs to election judges. City Councilmen honored were: Rev. J. Abernathy, and Rev. Clarence Carr of East Spencer; Jimmie L. Barber, Greensboro; C. L. Beatty, Salisbury; C. Elwood Boulevard, Durham; Vance H. Chavis, Greensboro; James Curtis, Vandemere; Atty. Reuben J. Dalley, Asheville; Braxton Foushee, Carrboro; David Ghist Nashville; Marion G. George, Fayetteville; Clarence E. Lightner, Raleigh; Rev. Cecil H. Marcellus, Jr., Reidsville; Henry Marsh, Ahoskie, Rev. Thurman Murphy, Laurinburg; Joseph McClain, Davidson; Dr. J. C. Owens, Roxboro; Hilton Oxendine, Lumberton; Dr. Moses A. Ray, Tarboro; Cleveland Roberts, Speed; Chas. C. Ross, Jr., Winston-Salem; Jacob Ruffin, Murfreesboro; Carl H. Russell, Winston-Salem; Mack Sowell, Selma; John S. Stewart, Durham; Dr. E. Burns Turner, Lumberton; Rev. John B. Woodhouse, Elizabeth City; J. Eley Reid, Winton; R. L. Smith, Chapel Hill; Chas. W. Bryant, Madison; E. V. Wilkins, Roper; and Dr. J. Jasper Johnson of Fairmont.

Those on boards of education were: Dr. T. R. Speigner, chairman, Durham; Mrs. Marie J. Speigner, Durham; Mrs. Elizabeth B. Coffield, Raleigh; Dr. Herbert Vick, Fayetteville; Mrs. Annie Shepard, Fayetteville; Dr. Lillian Lewis, Winston-Salem; Allen Fullwood, Morganton; Thurman Anderson, Robeson County; Howard Hunter, Hertford County; Dr. John P. Holt, Asheville; T. B. Bass, Durham; Dr. George Evans, Greensboro; Mrs. Julia H. Hammonds, Tarboro; Percy Hill, Fairmont; Mrs. John H. Hayswood, Lumberton; Fred H. McNeill, Jr., Durham; and

## Rhankette News

BY MRS. LUCILLE ALSTON Sunday School opened at the Watts Chapel Baptist Church at 9:45 a.m. with Mr. Chester Deban, superintendent in charge. Rev. Frank B. Weaver was the 11 o'clock speaker. His chose his sermon from the Book of Isaiah, 55th chapter and 6th verse. His subject was "God's Giving And Our Surprise." All who heard the message were spiritually uplifted.

BTU was held at 6 p.m. Baptismal service was conducted at 7 p.m. Rev. Weaver read the church covenant. Candidates for baptism were Mrs. Corine Henry and Jackie E. Hemby. Holy Communion was distributed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS The 84th annual session of the Johnston District Missionary Baptist Association will be held at White Oak Hill Baptist Church in Middlesex on October 17 and 18.

Prayer meeting is held on Wednesday at 8 p.m. The City-wide Junior Ushers met on October 13 at the Fayetteville Street Baptist Church.

The Senior City-wide Ushers Association will meet on October 23 at Maple Temple at 8 p.m.

W. W. Holding classes are being held at Watts Chapel every Tuesday and Thursday at 7 p.m.

All Sunday School classes are asked to attend the St. John Fellowship night to be held October 19 at 7:30 p.m.

Ill are Mr. Robert Tucker, Mr. William Dennis, Mr. Delma Horton, Mrs. Bessie Burt, Mrs. Belina Hicks, Mrs. Alice Glenn, Mr. William Tucker and Mr. William McNeill. Let's pray for the sick and visit them. A THOUGHT

"Seek ye the Lord while He may be found. Call ye upon Him while He is near." Isaiah 55:6.

county commissioners Asa T. Spaulding, Durham; W. E. Bridges, David Pittman and David Tyson of Princeville.

The 28 deputy sheriffs are: Clarence Carlton, George Williams and Thomas Gillsple of Warsaw; George McNair, Mackey; Jonathan Norman, Roper; Ed Gwynn, Yanceyville; Edward Bass, Shelby; Charlie N. Barker and J. A. Foster, Mocksville; Bruce Steele and Corrie Simon, Asheville; Nathaniel McNeill, Pinehurst; A. Person, Carthage; Columbus Knight, Tarboro; Thomas Jones, Fairmont; Chas. A. Adams, Dallas; James Adams, Raeford; Eugene Hairston and Charles Dalton, Madison; W. C. Martin, Stoneville; James Lewis, Rowland; Parnell Baldwin, Troy; E. J. Underwood, Clinton; James Jefferson, Henderson; D. E. Aiston, Arcenure Griffin, Oliver Wheeler and Oscar Vaughan, Jr., Winston-Salem.

In the "other officials" category are: Mrs. Allene Johnson, Mrs. D. C. Glenn, Mrs. Betty Smith, Mrs. Nola Knuckles, J. E. Belton, Wayne Jackson, J. E. Holmes, L. H. McCord and Logan Delany on model cities planning, Asheville. Nathaniel Barber, ABC board, Gastonia; Alexander Parker, ABC board, Greensboro; Dr. Otis Michael, civil service board, Asheville; Dr. Ralph Wooten, deputy dir., OEO, Greensboro; Cecil Brown, draft board, Greensboro, Edw. W. Draughton is draft board member in Gastonia, while Mrs. Elsie Saunders and Mrs. Roberta Adams are election precinct judges there. Charles W. Costner is on welfare board, D. E. Wamsour, attorney, is on county hospital board, Gastonia Eugene Pallen, welfare board, Roper; Nell McLean and J. E. Batts serve urban renewal and housing in Tarboro; Felton J. Capel of Southern Pines is first Negro on the N. C. Conservation and Development Board, Mayor Richard Lee and Dr. W. L. Miller, Greensboro housing; with C. O. Williamson and Arthur Davis 3rd, assistants to city manager, Tarboro has five precinct judges; Mesdames Helen Knight, Janie Pettaway, Cleo Smith, Shirley Mays and Mazine Harrell, Gastonia has Mrs. Roberta Adams and Mrs. Elsie Saunders as registrars and Mrs. Carnell Biggers a precinct judge. C. A. Hayes and Zebulon Gordon so serve in Asheville and Southern Pines; and M. B. Graeber is a chairman, Greensboro. This does not include several too late for listing and honoring, the program of which will be expanded in 1970, say Kelly Alexander and Charles McLean, NAACP leaders for Tarheelia, who hope this will stimulate greater registration and voting in the state.

## Franklinton News

FRANKLINTON - The Cape Fear Presbyterian convened at the Cotton Memorial United Presbyterian Church, Henderson, Sunday, October 16. Attending were Mesdames Q. E. D. Hawkins, Peggy M. Kearney and Addie W. King.

MINISTERS' WIVES ALLIANCE The Interdenominational Ministers' Wives Alliance enjoyed a very brisk and enthusiastic meeting with Mrs. Cora Brodie in the September opening.

The installation of officers by the Rev. J. Enoch Kearney featured the session. Mrs. Cleo White of Wake Forest is the new president of the Franklinton Alliance, joining Mrs. White in her administrative duties are Mesdames Louise Cooke, Willie Morgan, Peggy Kearney, Eva Young, I. L. Holt, I. L. Mangrum, Mary Yarborough, Sadie Sult, Mary Hill and Cora Brodie.

Rev. Kearney congratulated the officers, after which the new president began presiding. The usual routine of business was followed. Mrs. Willie Morgan gave a very complete delegates report on the State meeting in Wilmington. Many ideas and suggestions were given for expanding the work of the Alliance, with emphasis on increasing the budget.

Mrs. Holt gave her usual unique devotional period. A delicious repast was served by the hostess.

Attendance included Mesdames Cora Brodie, Louise Cooke, Mary Hill, F. B. Holt, Peggy Kearney, Irene L. Mangrum, Willie Morgan, Sadie Sult, Mary Yarborough and Eva Young.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Louise Cooke on S. Main Street, Franklinton.

## Chavis Heights

BY MRS. C. J. MERRITT All families of the Chavis Heights area are in deep sympathy with the family of the late Mrs. Annie Robinson, who was funeralized last Friday from Fayetteville Street Baptist Church.

Mrs. Martha Jones continues on the sick and shut-in list. We wish her a rapid recovery. Happy birthday wishes are extended to Mrs. Coisy Turner, Mrs. Wilder Smith, Mrs. Thomas Rogers and little Miss Ren-

# Things You Should Know

## John Henry CONYERS

BORN IN SOUTH CAROLINA. HE WAS THE FIRST NEGRO EVER TO BE ADMITTED TO THE UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY AT ANNAPOLIS, MD. /--



— ADMITTED ON SEPT. 21, 1872!

## Chapel Hill's St. Paul AME Church Observes 105th Anniversary Next Wk.

CHAPEL HILL - The members of St. Paul's AME Church at Chapel Hill will observe their 105th Anniversary during the week of October 19th - 26th. Reverend J. Fredrick Epps and his congregation announce a night-long schedule of events in connection with their celebration. The Anniversary will be launched Sunday, October 19, by St. Mark's AME Zion Church of Durham. The Rev. L. A. Miller along with his choir and congregation will lead the services which start at 3 p.m. Reverend J. C. Burnett, pastor of The Church of God in Carboro, will hold the church services Monday night, October 20th. The 8 p.m. meeting will be hosted by the choir and church members of The Church of God.

Tuesday, October 21, at 8 p.m. The members, friends and choir of St. Joseph's CME Church will conduct the session. Rev. Thomas Hoyt, Jr., is the pastor of the Chapel Hill, church.

Raleigh's St. Matthew AME Church will be in charge of the Wednesday night religious observances Rev. D. Morrison, pastor, and his followers will be in attendance at the 8 p.m. event.

## Clinton News

BY MRS. H. M. JOHNSON CLINTON - Mrs. Sadie Talie and daughter of Newburgh, New York, spent several days here recently, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Gwendolyn McDougall and daughters, Gaynell and Shellie, spent last weekend here with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Johnson.

Homecoming was observed at Andrews Chapel Baptist Church last Sunday. The choir and part of the congregation from Bazzell Creek Baptist Church, Fuquay-Varina were the guests. Rev. Carraway is also the pastor of that church. This was also Rally Day for the members of Andrews Chapel. More than \$3,000.00 was raised during the day.

Lisbon Street Baptist Church will observe Homecoming on the fourth Sunday. They are expecting a high day. They invite the public to be their guests.

## Lockhart School News

IBM GIFT TO SCHOOL KNIGHTDALE - International Business Machines (IBM) recently announced that it had donated \$1,000 to the Lockhart Elementary School in Knightdale.

This year, she assumed the duties of bus driver when funds were not available for teacher's aides. She drives "trainable children" from their homes in the area to the Lockhart school in a '57 Chevy that was converted to a school bus by Wake County. The gift was given to the Lockhart Community Goodwill Fund.

Mrs. Witt who is serving as a co-chairman of the Fund

erietta Crowder.

Mrs. Liney Edwards, a member of the Capital City Temple 310 has been on the sick list recently. We wish her a rapid recovery.

Mrs. Louise Evans of Chavis Way was the house guest of her sister, Mrs. Rosa Delaine of Cabarrus Street during the weekend.

Mrs. Flonnie B. Jones of S. Boundary Street has been ill and confined to her home.

## Chapel Hill News

BY MRS. SUSIE WEAVER CHAPEL HILL - You are invited each Sunday at 9:45 a.m. to St. Paul AME Church School. Mrs. Eleanor Richardson is superintendent, Sunday at 11, the pastor, Rev. J. F. Epps, brought a great message from Psalms

St. Joseph CME Church, with pastor Rev. Thomas Hoyt, Jr., just closed a great revival. The Evangelist was the Rev. R. D. Langford of Winston-Salem. He is ninety-one years old.

The Ladies Aid Club of First Baptist Church where the Rev. J. R. Manly is pastor, just celebrated a very fine thirty-third anniversary. Music was furnished by First Baptist Male Chorus. Our guest speaker was Dr. E. H. Dorsey, minister of Tabernacle Baptist Church, Atlanta, Ga. He delivered a great soul-stirring message.

O'Bryan's Chapel Church has closed a very fine revival. Miss Dorothea Headen was crowned queen for raising the highest amount. The second place winner was Miss Michelle Merritt. It was a nice service.

New Hope Baptist Church has just celebrated a fine Homecoming service.

Rev. Briley is pastor. His subject was "Come From the Valley Get On the Mountain Top."

Those celebrating birthdays are Mrs. Susie Webb, Chapel Hill, the Rev. R. O. Langford of Winston-Salem, 91.

Mrs. Allene Baldwin is home from the hospital.

Mrs. Norma Snipes is confined to Waits Hospital, Durham.

Mrs. Oliviva W. Edwards is in Memorial Hospital.

The Family Health Clinic is now open each Monday at 6:30 p.m. at the Multi-purpose Cen-

PERSONALS MR. CROSSLING, FAMILY VISIT

Mr. Bobby Gene Crossling, formerly of 722 S. Saunders Street, was in the city last weekend visiting his aunt, Mrs. Mary C. Norris, of Joe Louis Avenue. Mr. Crossling, a graduate of Washington High School here and Saint Augustines College, is now an official at the Crisfield High School in Crisfield, Maryland. He dropped in to see many of his old friends at the CAROLINIAN and around the city.

He is married to the former Miss Betha Mae Powell of South Hill, Va. They are the parents of two sons, Bobby, 7, and Tony, 22 months of age. His family accompanied him to Raleigh.

noted, "We have decided to spend \$350 for our urgent needs such as a TV set for special education classes, work books for history, art materials to paint a mural in the basement." She also added that money would be available to provide breakfast foods for those students who did not eat breakfast at home or whose homes were destitute.



CELEBRATE NINTH ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY-The ninth anniversary of the Pearly Gates will be observed in a two-part program. The first part will be held at the Sanders Grove Baptist Church, Highway 210, six miles from Smithfield, at 1 p.m. and at 7 p.m., the Raleigh Safety Club, Branch Street, will be the scene of the observance. Included on the program will be gospel singing groups from Richmond, Va., Charleston, S. C., Brooklyn, New York and many others from around this state. Front row, left to right, are: Miss Lucille Council, Evangelist Ethel Cooley and Alvin Gunter. Back row, from left: Robert Davis, Howard Thomas and Clifton Winston. C. J. McClain, disc jockey of Fuquay-Varina, will serve as master of ceremonies for the night program.

## Riley Hill News

RILEY HILL - The second Sunday was a high day at church. The Intermediate Choir, under the leadership of Mrs. Roy E. Hodge, rendered fitting music with Mrs. Naomi Horton as pianist.

Dr. G. S. Stokes, pastor, chose his text from the third chapter and 9th verse of the Book of Proverbs. The following points were stressed; give freely of your substance for the on-going of the church; read and study God's word; thank God for His goodness. The entire message was strengthening to spiritual growth.

Flowers were placed in the sanctuary in memory of the deceased members; Deacon Dorsey Holden, Deacon Walter L. Holden, Mrs. Ruth Rogers Mayo and Mr. George M. Rogers. These were given by the families. Mrs. Eunice R. Leach gave an inspiring report from the Capital Area Development concerning the achievements of the community. Mr. Walter M. Horton is the able president and Mrs. Leach, secretary.

There were many visitors from various churches and quite a few college students home for the weekend.

The senior choir, under the direction of Mr. Theo Hodge, held its Fall Rally Sunday night with many choirs rendering timely selections. They were Wake Chapel, Mount Pleasant, Malaby's Crossroad, New Bethel, Rolesville and the home choirs and gospel choruses. The junior choir was on the program at Mt. Zion Holiness Church, with Mrs. Alma D. Meeks as pianist.

Mrs. Grace P. Hodge has been elected to a high position in the Community Action Center in Zebulon. Mrs. Hodge is an efficient leader in youth endeavors. Her wise counseling has led our youth to continue in worthwhile projects in the church and community. May God's richest blessings shower on her in the field of helping those in need.

Mr. and Mrs. Clesiastes McCuller were the recipients of many useful gifts at a lovely wedding reception given in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Crews, Knightdale. Among the many guests were Mr. and Mrs. Farris of Bound Brook, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. Henderson McCullers, Mrs. Corrina Dunn and friends of the family enjoyed the hospitality.

The first Sunday was "Beginners Day." This rally was held by the beginners class, 3 year old to 6 years old. We were very proud to present to the church \$154.54.

The South Park Vocal Union and Eastern Wake County Union rendered music for the occasion. This was held in the spacious gymnasium of the Riley Hill Public School. Dinner was served in the dining hall of the church. It was a pleasure to see how the little ones marched up and put their donations in the offering plate. They had been taught to give cheerfully for every needy cause. Their teachers, Mrs. Hazel R. Jones and Miss Elaine Horton, instilled in their little minds, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." They sang two numbers, "Jesus Loves Me" and "I'll Give My

burg, all attended.

The community guests were Mrs. Christina King, Mrs. Alice Harvey and family, Mrs. Kenzie Mann and family, Mrs. Josephine Perry, Mrs. Ethel M. Fogg and Mrs. Mary Lee Johnson and family.

Members are Mrs. Evelyn Bibby, Mrs. Annie B. Jones, Mrs. Robert Jones, Mrs. Virginia Perry, Mrs. Annie Yarborough, Mrs. Cannady, Mr. and Mrs. James Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. James Bullock.

## Life On the Word Of God. A THOUGHT

"The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof. He giveth to the poor leanness to the Lord."

## ROLE OF CONTRACTOR IN HOME IMPROVEMENTS

A free 10-page guide on the practices and responsibilities of dealers and contractors under the property improvement loan insurance program of the Federal Housing Administration is available on request to the Community Relations Division, Office of Public Affairs, HUD, Washington, D. C. 20410.

## LEAFLET EXPLAINS RELOCATION HELP

A new leaflet, "What is Relocation All About," is now available free from the Community Relations Division, Office of Public Affairs, HUD, Washington, D. C. 20410.

## Go To Church Sunday

What is Relocation All About, is now available free from the Community Relations Division, Office of Public Affairs, HUD, Washington, D. C. 20410.

## Your Weekly Horoscope

by OLGA

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Take nothing for granted in week ahead, Aries. Explore all lest you be in for a rude awakening. Should situation arise where "guilt" is discussed, reflect. Only then admit your share, if you feel you must, but do not make a sacrificial lamb of yourself. To do so would be sheer folly. Besides, you're really not the type you know.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Week ahead is one for finishing, completing, winding up the old and preparing soil for the new. Conflict could arise, so be prepared. You can count on one thing for sure, Taurus, you are about to enter into a most fertile period. Give your all, and you will live to enjoy the fruits of your labor.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Energy should be high on first three days of week, Gem. Cash in. Send out feelers for new ideas or plans which you have been mulling over. Intellectually, you will be light years ahead of your associates. Don't let this bog you down. They will try to grasp if you persist. Good luck!

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Oh, Moonbaby, the first five days of week will be most productive. Your energy should be high, so do your thing, whatever it may be. Your emotional reactions will be deep. Your intuition keen. On last day of week, watch out for one who is a tease.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): First three days of week may be a bit maddening. Ideas will be stillborn. But don't fret, for things brighten on fourth day and continue to be rather jolly for rest of week. As far as your social life is concerned, Olga suggests you get off of your fanny and circulate. The time is excellent for romance, should you be so inclined.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Energy returns at last, Virgo. And it's about time. Intellectually, you will have great vitality. Use it to your own advantage, and forget about others. You owe yourself this. Zero in on your private goals.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Secret areas of your life are brought into focus in week ahead, Libra. If situation is one of mystery, Olga reminds you of Alexandre Dumas saying: "Cherchez la femme." Then after you find her, the whole series of events which will follow will be strictly up to you.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): If you are single Scorp, a love affair is on the way. If married, a domestic adjustment is in the works. Either way, Olga recommends you play it by ear. Your hunches will be unusually strong, so go ahead and "wing it," Baby.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): So far this year, Sag, you've had quite a good deal of activity. During week ahead, you may experience a feeling of depression coming on. Fight it. Get out of the routine and seek diversion. Use whatever method available.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Energy will be at low ebb during middle four days of week, Cap, so don't try to overdo. You'll only make existing situation worse. You may feel cool toward those around you, especially your family. However, there is a chance that one whose ruling planet is the warm, loving Venus (perhaps a Taurus) will melt you and then leave you stewing in an emotional puddle.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): There is a burden which has been annoying you. You can no longer ignore it. Time for action. If in the process you lose something, there will soon be a replacement. Remember, "Nature abhors a vacuum."

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): There is a time and place for everything, Pisces, and you know this. There is a time to laugh and a time to cry. In week ahead, you would do well to seriously consider a fade-out as far as an existing situation is concerned. Unless of course, you enjoy crying. And Olga has a hunch that you just might.