

### Chapel Hill News

**BY MRS. SUSIE WEAVER**  
**CHAPEL HILL** - Sunday School began at St. Paul AME Church at 9:45 a.m. with Mrs. Eleanor Richardson, supt. in charge. Morning worship service began at 11 a.m. with the Rev. J. F. Epps delivering a very inspiring sermon from the Gospel of St. John. The mixed choir rendered music for the morning service. The first hymn was "Joy To The World" and "Where will I be When The First Trumpet Sounds? The altar boys were Wayne Matthews and Nelson Gattis Cotton, Jr. The visitors were introduced by Mrs. Eunice Taylor.

On Sunday, December 21, at 7:30 p.m. there will be a Christmas program at the St. John AME Church. The beginners choir will give away a portable television by drawing.

Mrs. Josephine Jones has returned home from New York after visiting her sister, Mrs. Eva Barnette.

The New Year service at First Baptist will be Jan 1st at 11 a.m. with the pastor, Rev. J. R. Manley.

The Obyants Chapel celebrated one of the most beautiful tree and Christmas dinners. Those present were Rev. V. R. Horton, Mrs. Gathia Lassiter, Mr. Artemus Degraffenreid, Mr. Alexander Farrar, Mr. Louis B. Alston, Mr. Robert Williams, Mrs. Julia Barnette McKay, Mrs. Doretta Kelly, Mr. William F. Trullinger, Mr. Eddie Sneed, Mrs. Marie Wright, Mr. Arthur Stroud, Mr. William C. Brown, Mr. John Minus, Mr. Clarence Farrow, Mr. P. Norwood, Mrs. Golden W. Tuck, Mrs. Susie Weaver, Mrs. Dillie Parker and Mrs. Virginia Wyatt was the leader.

The speaker at Obyrant Chapel Church was Mrs. Fiddiah P. Clark who spoke to the youth of the church. She said to the adults that you must use the youth or lose them. On Sunday afternoon the Pastor's Aid

Club of Second Baptist Church celebrated a program. Appearing on the program were church choirs, Weaver Singers and the Junior Male chorus of Hamlets Chapel. Rev. Brown gave a fine expression of appreciation.

On Sunday Dec. 21st the Weaver Gospel Singers will make their annual trip to McCann, N. C. Those wishing to go please see members of the Weaver Gospel Singers or Mrs. Grace Franklin.

**A THOUGHT**  
 "As we say Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to you. Let us think Have we given anything today, have we helped some needy Soul on the way? God help us to show a little kindness and overlook the blindness, let us throw out the life line; someone is drifting away, someone is sinking, someone's starving today. Christmas is harvest day, great, but the Labors are few. For unto you is born this day a Saviour which is Christ the Lord." Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

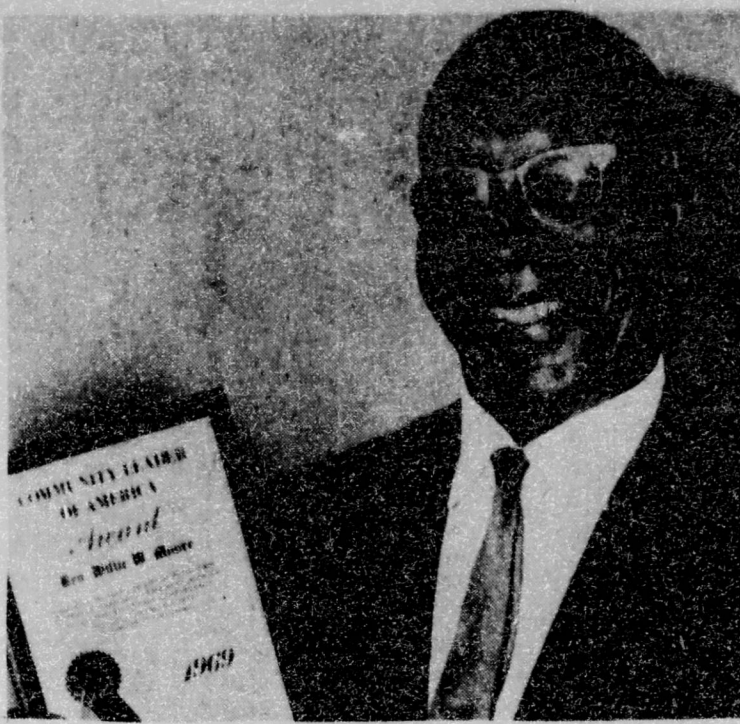


#### GOLDEN TOUCH OF HOSPITALITY

BY JANE ASHLEY  
 Flaming Dessert

This unusual dessert will make any holiday gathering a special occasion. Your guests will never guess that it was so quick and easy to prepare. Bring out your chafing dish to set a party mood. Follow the recipe and serve over ice cream.

**Flaming Fruit Dessert**  
 1 (10 to 12 ounce) package frozen strawberries or raspberries, thawed  
 1 (10 to 12 ounce) package frozen mixed fruit, thawed



**RECEIVES RECOGNITION** - Rev. Willie W. Moore has been selected to appear in the 1969 edition of Community Leaders of America in "recognition of past achievements and outstanding service to community and state." This award was presented by the Editorial Board of Community Leaders of America, a Division of News Publishing Company. Rev. Moore, who has served as pastor in area churches, is now engaged in evangelistic work. He and His wife, Linda,

2 tablespoons corn starch  
 3 tablespoons brandy or Cointreau

Mix small amount of juice from fruit into corn starch in chafing dish or saucepan. Add remaining fruit and juice. Stirring constantly, bring to boil and boil 1 minute. Keep hot. Heat liquor in small pan or cup. Do not boil. Pour hot liquor over hot fruit and carefully ignite immediately. Serve over ice cream. Makes 5 to 6 servings.

### I Am Not Getting Old

A POEM DEDICATED TO A MOST DESERVING LADY MY MOTHER, Mrs. Maryland Simmons

BY WILBERT M. SANDERS

You tell me I am getting old,  
 I tell you that is not so;  
 The house I live in is most worn out;  
 And that, of course, I know.  
 It's been in use a long, long time and,  
 It's weathered many a gale;  
 I'm not really much surprised,  
 That you should think it frail.

The color's changing on the roof,  
 The windows getting dim;  
 The walls transparent looking,  
 They really do look thin.

The foundation not so steady now,  
 As once it used to be-----;  
 Yes my house is getting shabby,  
 But my house just isn't me.

My few short years cannot make me old,  
 I feel I'm in my youth;  
 Eternity lies just ahead, a life of joy and truth.

I'm going to live forever, there-----,  
 Life will go on just grand,  
 You tell me I'm getting old,  
 You just don't understand.

The dweller in my house is young,  
 And very bright and gay;  
 Just starting life to last through all eternity.

You only see the outside  
 That's all that most folk see;  
 You tell me I'm getting old,  
 You've mixed my house with me.

### Eastside Reminders

BY RUTH MOORE BETHEA  
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As we mingle with the Christmas crowds we watch the faces and can always tell where men, women and children dwell. It is wonderful when faces can represent sunshine, cheerfulness, love and friendships, for Mrs. BETHEA those who watch them unhappy, regardless of our tasks, which are many these days, wear that smile on the streets and everywhere so people will know you live on "Thanksgiving Street" instead of in "Grumble Corner."

Sadness again greeted us with the passing of Mr. Anderson James on December 12. He was funeralized Monday, December 15, from his church of many years, Davie Street United Presbyterian. His pastor, the Rev. John Bagby, presided. An appropriate service was conducted with fitting music.

He leaves a devoted wife, Mrs. Lucy Fuller James, a niece, Mrs. Emma Smith Fowler, a sister, Mrs. Evangeline Smith; and other relatives, including Miss Ann F. Ransom, who was reared in his home; Mrs. Ransom Hicks, who spent most of her childhood and early adult life in his home. Dr.

and Mrs. H. T. McFadden, Louisburg, Dr. Marguerite Frierson, Fayetteville, Mr. Newton Gregg, Greensboro, and Mr. Raymond James, Sumter County, South Carolina.

In the Hospitals we find Rev. Stroud of the Saint Paul AME Church, who is now on the road to recovery; and Mrs. Lillian W. Logan, who is also on the road to recovery. These persons are patients at Wake Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Emily May Morgan Kelly is still on the sick list at Rex Hospital.

Orchids to the Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority and the girls for their beautiful performance last Friday night at the Memorial Auditorium.

### NOTES and HALF NOTES

BY MRS. E. M. M. KELLY  
 Editor's Note: Although ill and confined to the cardiac Unit at Rex Hospital, Mrs. Kelly was determined to write her column. We wish for a very speedy and complete recovery.

This is not my thanks to all of you now who thought of me and called and said a prayer or sent a card or a message. But thanks, anyhow and I do appreciate knowing, that MRS. KELLY I do have friends. Yes, I've often said if I had to choose between a friend and money, I would choose a friend. Thank God for all of you. Thank God I am better, but still very sick.

I missed "The Sound of Pre-tzels," but it was a fine production and like a Broadway, N. Y. production; Book by Bud Schlesinger and Barrie Davis; A Musical Comedy in two Acts, directed by Jackie Schlesinger; Musical Direction by Nelle Kemp; produced by Bud Schlesinger; Choreography by Massey School of Dance at the Wake-ton School auditorium, Zebulon, Thursday and Friday, December, 5 and 6, at 8 o'clock in the evening, presented by the Zebulon Community Library. Many orchids to all.

Bill Morrison had a coverage of "Hallelujah Train" which I think strikes at the true roots. It is from another newspaper and appeared last week.

The music Carol sing was truly missed by me. I had to disappoint some of my friends, including the Dr. and Mrs. Freeman in their home, Mr. Raeford, Miss Geraldine Cate, Dr. Nell Herschburg and others. I had planned so to be there. I was, however, with you in spirit. I hope you will remember me next year-1970. Keep playing, keep singing, keep listening to and keep loving good music.



**BAND PRESENTS GIFT TO DIRECTOR** - Left: Joseph Bond Wiley, member of the Saint Augustine's College Band presents gift to Harold L. Jeffreys, director of the band. The presentation was made during the Christmas Concert on Sunday, December 14.

### Sends Blank Check

BOISE, Idaho-There was too much work involved so Ray Sander sent the state a blank check. When he was contacted, he said it was for everything he owed the state--that he didn't have time to do the bookkeeping required. The State Attorney

General's office suggested he hire an accountant.

The day will come when we will be considered foolish for giving so much of our time to the making of the money that permits us to live.

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