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Ethical meeting

"Personal Values in a Functional Society" will be the topic of a talk by Dr. Benjamin Miller, associate leader of the New York Society for Ethical Culture, at the Sunday services of the Baltimore Ethical Society on Nov. 10.

The services and Sunday School will begin at 11 a.m. The meeting place is at 19 E. North Ave. The public is invited.

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Della Reese turns 'pop' finds her pot of gold

By J. D. WILLIAMS

From gospel singer to a popular artist with records of her voice scattered from Bangor to San Bernadino — that's the story of Della Reese, the current attraction at Baltimore's Comedy Club.

And even though it took songs in the pop field to bring her the fame she now enjoys, Della still remains faithful to her gospel background and her night club act often features the stirring rhythms of the old time gospel music.

A lady with an active mind, lovely Miss Reese believes that all types of music have their place in the general scheme of things, and this includes such diverse entertainment providers as Brahams and rock 'n' roll.

Mixing a bit of down to earth sociology with her reasoning, Della explains:

"Rock and roll is all right for the teenagers. It takes up their energy so they don't have any left to get into trouble with."

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TO EMPHASIZE her point, Miss Reese expounded further:

"If it wasn't for rock and roll you would have a lot more delinquents. Can you imagine a teenager doing nothing but listening to the 'cool school' of music without moving."

With the listener agreeing that such a state of affairs could not be imagined, Della turned her attention to telling, the story of how she started in the business of singing in her hometown of Detroit.

She was all of six years of age when she started singing gospel music, and this phase of her career took her up to the age of 21 when some changes were made.

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"I WAS working in a tavern as a hostess. It was the middle of the week and business was slow. I just started singing and the owner said he would give me $5 a night if I kept on."

This was the first step but there was still a long way to go.

The gentleman who stepped in to lend a helping hand was Al Hibbler, himself a singer of no mean note, and that is not a pun.

Al got the charming singer in touch with his manager and then things started breaking right for the one time gospel singer.

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THERE WERE a number of choice singing dates which came her way, nd then she cut a recording of the old standard, "In The Still of the Night," a little item which sold over 250,000 copies.

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LADY LUCK continued to smile at Della and one day, not too very long ago, she heard a record entitled "The Autumn Concerto" recorded in London by Matovani, sans words.

Lyrics were added and what do you know, there was "and That Reminds Me of You," which has already sold over a million copies.

Taking all this rather calmly, Della, who incidentally was christened Deloreese Taliaferro, still insists that her first love is the gospel field but she frankly admits that the success she has achieved in the pop field makes it unlikely that she will return to that world.

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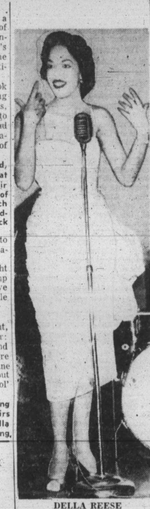
THE VITAL statistics on Della are height, five feet and eight inches; weight 135-140; hair, black; eyes dark brown.

Cooking is her hobby and as far as food is concerned she will eat anything but seafood and cucumbers.

Strong of voice Dell is a contralto.

Easy to view and delightful to listen to, Della, blessed by youth and talent, will probably be on the musical scene for many a year. — And who could ask for anything more.



DELLA REESE

—Dinah Washington

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and Bobby who is nine.

They attend P.S."90 and as lively youngsters would be expected to do, they give the housekeeper LaRue, "a fit" with their capers, and, mischief.

Said Dinah: "They both look just like me."

To prove it she took their baby pictures from her purse and proudly showed the two chubby little fellows when they were about 5 years ago.

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AT HOME on days between engagements Dinah says she and Eddie like to lounge in their oversized smoke gray bed and watch television westerns on the large screen set which is "right at the foot of the bed."

The radio, a wedding gift from Mrs. Theo Buford of Washington, is at the head of the bed and looks like an old-fashioned telephone.

Ebony lamps hand - carved in Africa, are on each side of the bed, she disclosed, and the color scheme of the room is smoke gray and black.

The enchanting new Dinah who has been singing to capacity mixed audiences each night at the Tijuana has all the usual feminine characteristics including an uncontrollable love for clothes.

She says she has 300 pairs of shoes, 150 gowns — and 10 fur coats, six of which are mink.

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HERE'S THE list: a black diamond full length mink, a ranch mink, a mink stole, a breath of spring mink jacket, a silver blue mink jacket, and a white mink scarf.

Plus — stole martin scarves, two Persian lamb coats and one Vicuna (a $500-beige sport coat).

As an example of the kind of shoes she wears, Dinah showed me her newest pair of silver mesh, the long-toed kind, and told me the price — $150 per pair.

Definitely the champagne type, Dinah says she never drinks anything else and prefers Cordon Rouge — 1949.

She has her own jeweler from a New York firm to fashion her jewels and she gives him the specific design she wants.

Following all the way through on truly modern feminine tastes, Dinah like to hear Sinatra "sing just anything" and the musician who ranks second to her husband on her list is Ray Charles, the blues singer.

THE SONG she sings best according to audience applause is "I'll Close My Eyes" and that one happens to be the one she likes best.

To add a final note to the new Dinah, she told me a little about the Dinah she has always been.

She is superstitious and says:

"When my left eye jumps, I know something will happen to make me angry.

"When my right hand itches, I always get money and if its my left hand, I know I'll get a letter."

EDDIE CHAMBLEE
He's Dinah's hubby

LOCAL MAN ATTENDS BUSINESS SCHOOL CONFAB

Garfield F. Childs, head of the Smith-Madden School of Business, is one of 300 independent business school educators attending the annual convention of the National Association and Council of Business Schools in Cincinnati, Ohio.

'Pastures' star in N.C. recital

ELIZABETH CITY, N.C. — Elizabeth Ray Williamson, talented artist of the modern dance who appeared on the Hallmark Hall of Fame television program, "Green Pastures," will be presented in recital at the Elizabeth City State College, Monday evening.

The artist will be sponsored by Zeta Kappa Omega Chapter of the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority as a contribution to the general culture and entertainment of the community.

Proceeds from the recital will be used for scholarship assistance to worthy students and the furtherance of service projects through which children in the city schools will benefit.

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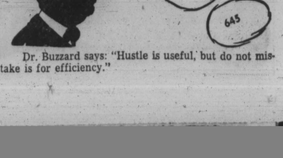
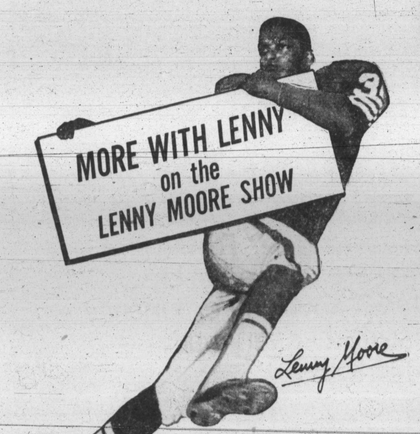


Dr. Buzzard says: "Hustle is useful, but do not mistake is for efficiency."

MORE WITH LENNY on the LENNY MOORE SHOW



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WHERE'D YA GET THAT HAT? — Philadelphia Sphas guard Harvey Babitch seems more fascinated by the hat Harlem Globetrotter Meadowlark Lemon has suddenly acquired than he is in the impish center's next move. Trotters and Sphas appear here Sunday night at the Coliseum.

Greller operator lucky pix winner

"I looked in the paper and saw the circle around my head. I could not believe it was me. It is the first time I have ever won anything. It does not happen to everyone. I am planning to use the money to buy a Savings Bond for my daughter."

Arthur W. George, 26, 1812 N. Caroline St., Greller operator for the parcel post system, was relating how he learned that he was Friday's AFRO lucky picture winner.

The Greller operator's picture was taken last week while he was operating the sorting machine, during the visit of Dr. Albert Morant, deputy secretary-general, Berne, Switzerland.

A NATIVE of Lakewood N.J., Mr. George was educated in the public schools of that city and attended Benedict College, Columbia, S.C., where he received the B. S. degree (physical education).

He was a corporal in the Army and served during the Korean War.

The operator is married to Mrs. Lillian George. They have a daughter Opal George, 18 months old.

In each edition of the AFRO, there is a circled picture worth $5 cash. In order to collect the $5 the person whose picture is encircled must call the AFRO office before of the next publication date.

Watch for the circle; you may be the lucky winner.

PRESENTED CERTIFICATE

FORT LEE, Va. — **Major Richard W. Spikes Jr.,** son of **Mrs. Agnes B. Spikes,** of Shelby, N.C., recently was presented with a certificate of achievement here in a formal ceremony in the office of the deputy commander for training, Quartermaster Training Command, Fort Lee.

Minor damages reported in fire

Minor damage was reported in a fire, believed to have started from the coal stove in the dining room at 644 Jasper St., the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison.

According to Mr. Harrison, his wife, had just left to visit her sister, Mrs. Martha Crawford, 400 West St., NW Washington at the time the fire broke out.

Engines from the Druid Hill Ave. - Eutaw St. fire house a half block away responded to the fire.

The Jasper St. residence is located in the rear of the AFRO offices.

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Omegas will honor Dr. Tilley

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The Maryland achievement medal will be awarded to Dr. Tilley in recognition and appreciation of his services rendered in the field of human relations.

The program is being sponsored by the Pi Omega Chapter of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. The chairman is Malachi T. Darkins.

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Board grants bar expansion over protest

The Board of Municipal and Zoning Appeals approved on Wednesday a request for construction of a one-story rear addition to a tavern and liquor store at 1303 N. Fulton Ave., over the protests of four residents of the block.

Samuel Fox, the owner, told the board he wished to enlarge his business establishment with a lounge and lavatory facilities in the proposed addition to the existing building, to re-open tavern facilities which had been closed for eight years.

The protestants identified themselves to board members as Mrs. Margaret Johnson and Miss Mary Johnson, of 1325 N. Fulton Ave.; Mrs. Marie Lewis, of 1323 N. Fulton Ave., and Mrs. Helen Byrd, of 1319 N. Fulton Avenue.

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THEY COMPLAINED that granting the permit for the addition to the building would draw more people to the place and create a disturbance. The protestants contended that they had protested a tavern at the location some years—previous before the Liquor Board.

Mr. Fox agreed that the liquor Board would not let him switch to serving colored patrons, prior to the board's directive two years ago, dropping the color bar for service in liquor-dispensing establishments.

Among the cases scheduled before the Zoning Appeals Board next week, are requests at the following locations:

1. 301 Carrollton Ave. - To erect two stores, and house three families.
2. 2327 W. North Ave. - To erect a display sign.
3. 431-37 Druid Hill Ave. - To erect two illuminated signs.
4. 210 E. 20th St. - To house three families.

Motorist hits two parked cars

A woman driver, who police say ran into two parked cars owned by one family at Arlington Ave., and Lanvale St., last Sunday, has been charged with reckless driving.

In addition, a charge of operating an automobile without a driver's permit was filed against Miss Mable B. Sharp, 39, of the 600 block Pitcher St.

Police said that while driving a late model automobile, Miss Sharp struck cars parked on the opposite side of the street which were owned by Bunyon Knight and Mrs. Ester Knight of the 800 block Arlington Ave.

William R. Demory of the 1000 block Harford Ave., owner of the car driven by Miss Sharp was charged with permitting an unauthorized person to use his automobile and while operating on a temporary registration permit.

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