COOKING IS FUN

Cookie making isn't just for the holiday seasons

By FANNIEJOE REID

I often wonder why homemakers confine their cookie-making to holidays . . . and then buy those tiny cake tidbits the remainder of the year?

Any day of the year a cookie and a tall glass of milk is just about the most satisfying snack for children or adult that can be thought up.

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RAISIN topped sugar cookies are an old fashioned favorite as popular today as years ago.

Cream together one - half cup butter or margarine, one cup sugar and two eggs. Sift and measure one and one - half cups all - purpose flour; sift again with one - half teaspoon salt and one teaspoon baking powder. Blend into creamed mixture, adding a tablespoon milk if dough is very stiff. Flavor to taste, using vanilla, grated lemon rind or almond extract.

Chill dough for easier handling, then roll about one-eighth inch thick, and cut with floured cutter — heart shaped, if they're for Valentine's day.

Place on lightly greased baking sheets and sprinkle with sugar. Decorate tops with raisins, pressing them lightly into the dough. Bake in a moderately hot oven until edges are lightly browned.

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A STEWING chicken makes a tasty dish when smothered with ripe olives. Cut the fowl in serving pieces, dip in seasoned flour, and brown lightly in a small amount of shortening.

Add the liquor from a No. 1 tall can of ripe olives, some chopped onion and salted water to barely cover. Cover, and simmer until tender. Add the olives, top with dumplings made with biscuit mix, cover, and steam 15 minutes.

Remove chicken and dumplings to a hot serving dish, thicken the gravy with a little flour and water paste, and serve up a wonderful dish!

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THE WINTER crop of thin-skinned emerald green Caribbean avocados is plentiful now in the markets and so reasonably priced. Try this "Crunchy Stuffed Avocado" which is a popular luncheon entree at a famous San Francisco hotel.

Flake a can of tuna and mix with one - half cup finely diced celery, two tablespoons mayonnaise, one teaspoon lemon juice and one teaspoon capers (about 16). Cut two Calavo avocados into halves lengthwise and hollow out slightly to make larger cavity for filling.

Sprinkle with fresh lime or lemon juice and salt. Add the extra avocado to the tuna mixture. Heap into a mound in avocado halves.

Spread with a thin layer of mayonnaise and sprinkle with crushed potato chips. Serve on a ruffle of lettuce with a whole spiced peach and ripe olives for garnish.

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SERVE HOT broccoli, Brussels sprouts, cauliflower or asparagus with a golden crumb crown.

Brown one - half cup soft bread crumbs in a tablespoon or so of butter. Stir in a tablespoon each chopped parsley or herbs and instant minced onion, and a chopped hard cooked egg. Spoon over the hot cooked vegetable.

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IF FISH dinners rate little enthusiasm at your house, you can change the situation by serving a good tartar sauce as an accompaniment.

Flavor mayonnaise with a little instant minced onion, add chopped pickle, a pinch of curry powder and plenty of meaty ripe olive wedges.

Garnish each fish serving with a pickle slice and a whole ripe olive on a pickle, and sprinkle with finely chopped parsley.

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FOR A delicious hot vegetable, prepare canned blue lake green beans with a sweet-sour dressing. Cook three strips bacon until crisp.

Remove bacon and keep warm. Blend a tablespoon flour into the drippings, and stir until smooth. Stir in two-thirds cup of the liquor from the beans, a tablespoon vinegar, and a teaspoon each sugar and prepared mustard.

Cook until smooth and thickened. Add well drained beans, and heat thoroughly. Just before serving sprinkle with the crumbled bacon.

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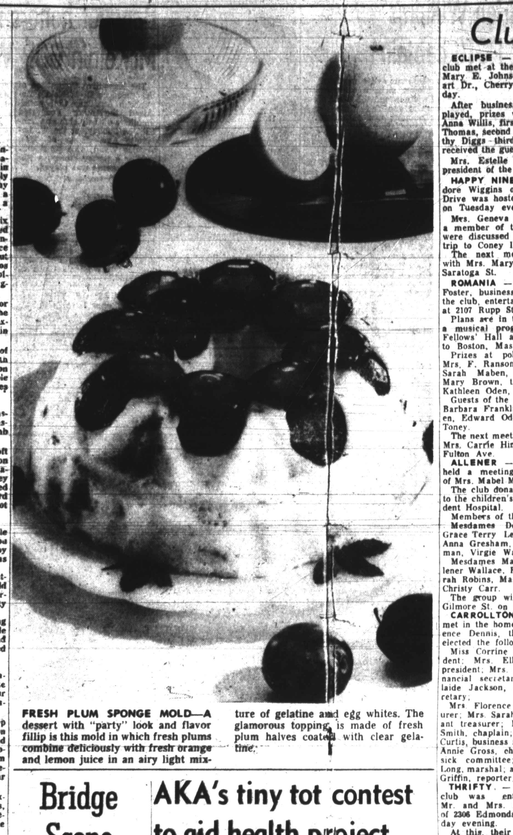
IS THERE anything that tastes better with a cup of coffee than a cinnamon bun, served warm from the oven and rich with caramel - nut topping? Here's one that you'll want to serve for breakfast, or when friends drop in for "a cup of coffee!"

Royal Pecan Ring is made with one - third cup pecan halves, one - fourth cup melted butter, or margarine, one-half cup brown sugar, one teaspoon cinnamon, two table spoons dark corn syrup, two cups biscuit mix, one - fourth cup sugar, two - thirds cup Pet Evaporated Milk.

Arrange pecans in bottom of well greased ring mold holding about five cups or eight-inch round cake pan. Mix butter, brown sugar, cinnamon and corn syrup and pour over pecans. In one and one-half qt. bowl, mix rest of ingredients just until biscuit mix is wet.

With two tablespoons, drop mounds of dough to cover brown sugar mixture in pan. Bake near center of 425 oven (very hot) about 15 min., or until toothpick comes out clean when inserted into ring.

Cool in pan for five minutes. Turn upside down on plate, leaving pan over pecan ring. Hand cool five minutes more. Lift pan off pecan ring. Serve warm.



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Bridge Scene

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Ten years ago, you would have had trouble trying to locate a fourth for a rubber game.

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THE DOUBLE Finesse Bridge Club (duplicate) is being congratulated all over the Eastern Seaboard for a highly successful tournament.

But the group is taking a ribbing for letting all the trophies escape to Washington.

What the detractors don't realize is that the Washington bridge players as a whole have been playing the tournament circuit for over 20 years, while most of the Baltimore players received their first taste of big-time tourney play at the home session.

Biggest upset of the tourney was the tremendous first - half play of Christian Moore and Cynthia Canaedy. This pair of charmers were 5½ points out in front of the pack at the completion of the afternoon session of play.

Then there was the team of Florence Dennis and Inez Bowyer, who were third in the afternoon session.

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FROM A nucleus of four fellows who used to get together on Monday nights for a few rubbers of bridge, the Double Finesses have now reached the place where a seven-table session is ordinary.

Last Monday at the Kleeco Club, eight full tables were in the fray competing for city points.

Interested players are still invited show up at the club 8:30 p.m. Mondays. Sessions are over by 11:30.

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FINAL STANDINGS of Baltimore players at the recent Regional tournament showed:

Paul Harris - Robert Matthews, 3rd; Joseph Lucas-Gerald (Duke) Venture, 4th; Inez Bowyer-Florence Dennis, 6th; Shirley Brown-Phillis Murphy, 7th;

Harold Seaborne - Delbert Harden, 8th; Alfred Woolridge-Carter Wood, 9th; Dorothea Merchant - Louise Cummings, 10th; Jean Williams - Ernest Hanson, 12th; Alice Rusk-Allegra Taylor, 13th; Christine Moore-Cynthia Cannaday, tied for 14th; Dallas Nicholas-S. Orlin Nixon, 16th; Faye Lee-Leroy Taylor, 19th;

Hillary Booker - Clem Venture, 20th; Charles Burns-Henry Parke, 21st; Ruperta Waters-Gertrude Norris, 24th.

One happy note to the Baltimore player has ever finished last in any tourney the city has had representation.

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THE BRIDGE SCENE invites all bridge groups to send in any information or announcements they would like put in this column. We would like the names of the winners.

Just address all notices to Bridge Editor, AFRO - AMERICAN, 638 N. Eutaw St., Baltimore 1, Md.

AKA's tiny tot contest to aid health project

ANNAPOLIS, Md.—Delta Pi Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority is featuring tiny tots up to three years old in a Tiny Tot Contest, which culminates on February 15.

The money raised by these little cherubs will be used by the chapter to finance its health project. Sorors of the chapter are working in groups with the parents.

Contestants are:

Charles Coates Jr. of Pomonkey, Md.; Laura Colston, Cheltenham, Md.; Terrence Salisbury of Lothian, and Cheryl Diggs, Marva Harris, Taryn Johnson and Lyle Smith Jr., all of Annapolis.

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BIRTHDAYS MAY come and birthdays may go, but what fun youngsters have when they celebrate!

Deborah Ann Dyson celebrated her birthday recently at a lovely dinner party, given by her parents, the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. William Dyson in Paoli.

Deborah started off the fun by decorating the entertainment room with colorful balloons and streets which rose to ceiling.

Her mother, assisted by a sister, Drucilla, served a delightful three-course menu and Deborah's friends were gay and hilarious, having fun looking at movies and taking flash pictures.

Because the time was so near the holidays, the group sang carols, accompanied at the piano by the honoree. She received beautiful gifts.

Guests were Helen Fisher, Delaree Offer, Cecelia Dorsey of Dorsey Heights, James Jones, Robert Smith, Karl Phelps and Charles Blackstone.

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LITTLE Jacqueline Thompson was the center of attraction on last Saturday, when her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson, 129 Eastern Avenue, honored her on her tenth birthday.

The young boys and girls who came to help Jacqueline celebrate, enjoyed a delicious repast of macaroni and tuna fish salad, other food accompaniments, and ice cream and cake.

These were:

Linda Thompson, Rosalyn Thompson, Cynthia Crowdy, Barbara J. Ferguson, William Little, Harrison Little, Leanna Little, Angela Thompson, Joseph Ferguson, Ronald Booth, Clifford Colbert, James Crowdy Jr., Lynn Broxton, Jacqueline Parker, Deborah Kenard, Emma Smith, Helen Wallace, Roslyn Holton, Charles Hutton and Victor Thompson.

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MEMBERS OF the LaCamea Vacation Club again this year honored its husbands and friends at an afternoon dinner party in Sunday ago.

A delightful highlight of the evening was the exchanging of gifts.

The dinner, which was served buffet style, consisted of roast beef, tossed salad, celery sticks, olives and pickles, nuts and mints, and, of course, other delicacies to go with such a meal.

Cocktails and a variety of very pretty hors d'oeuvres were served before dinner.

Guests of the club were Mrs. Cecelia Green, Messrs. Albert Bice, Walter Booth, Clarence Blake, Alexander Crownover, Jr., Richard Jackson, Aaron Jackson, Samuel Wells Sr., Samuel Wells Jr., Leslie Nelson and Preston Vaughn Jr.

Officers and members are:

Mesdames Milford Norman, president; Christine Norman, vice president; Henrietta Paul, recording secretary; Alice Pinkney, assistant recording secretary; Eleanor Reese, financial secretary.

Also Mesdames Bertie Cromwell, assistant financial secretary; Mary Hamilton, treasurer; Elizabeth Wells, chaplain; Gertrude Simpson, Frances Owens, Edythe Crowner, Evelyn Brown, Zora Sisco, Catherine Gray, Edna Booth and Violet Johnson.

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Clubs

ECLIPSE — The pinochle club met at the home of Mrs. Mary E. Johnson, 2808 Bookert Dr., Cherry Hill, Wednesday.

After business, cards were played, prizes went to Mrs. Anna Willis, first; Mrs. Esther Thomas, second and Mrs. Dorothy Diggs third; Louis Grant received the guest prize.

Mrs. Estelle McKinney is president of the club.

HAPPY NINE — Mrs. Isadore Wiggins of 2815 Booker Drive was hostess to the club on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Geneva Smith became a member of the club. Plans were discussed for a summer trip to Coney Island.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Mary Floyd of 2024 Saratoga St.

ROMANIA — Mrs. Oreasha Foster, business manager of the club, entertained the group at 2107 Rupp St., this week.

Plans are in the making for a musical program at Odd Fellows' Hall and a bus trip to Boston, Mass.

Prizes at pokena went to Mrs. F. Ransom, first; Mrs. Sarah Maben, second; Mrs. Mary Brown, third and Mrs. Kathleen Oden, fourth.

Guests of the club were Mrs. Barbara Franklin, Hobie Maben, Edward Oden and Joseph Toney.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Carrie Hinton of 1903 N. Fulton Ave.

ALLENER — The art club held a meeting in the home of Mrs. Mabel Molton, recently.

The club donated 50 blankets to the children's ward of Provident Hospital.

Members of the club are:

Mesdames Della Giddings, Grace Terry, Lena Springs, Anna Gresham, Rosetta Tilghman, Virgie Waters;

Mesdames Mattie Smith, Allener Wallace, Rose Bruin, Sarah Robins, Marie Molton and Christy Carr.

The group will meet at 709 Gilmore St. on Feb. 16.

CARROLLTON — The club met in the home of Mrs. Florence Dennis, this week, and elected the following officers:

Miss Corrine Beckett, president; Mrs. Ella Coles, vice president; Mrs. Ida Beckett, financial secretary; Mrs. Adalaide Jackson, recording secretary.

Mrs Florence Dennis treasurer; Mrs. Sarah Jones, assistant treasurer; Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, chaplain, Mrs. Rosie Curtis, business manager; Mrs. Annie Gross, chairman of the sick committee; Mrs. Mabel Long, marshal; and Mrs. Alease Griffin, reporter.

THRIFTY — The savings club was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Perry of 2306 Edmondson Ave., Monday evening.

At this, their opening meeting, the group planned a benefit for the Anna Mae Hunter Home for the Blind.

At their closing session packages were sent to inmates of the Henryton Hospital thus making their year's ending as well as this year's opening aids to charities, which is their main project.

Attending the meeting were: Mesdames Josephine Pittman, Mary Pitts, Mary Sturdivant, Lorraine Garrett; Mr. and Mrs. Thelmon Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Wiggins.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Mary Pitts, president of the club, in the 2500 block of Arunah Ave.

Mrs. Madeline Perry is reporter for the club.

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Modern Modiste Club marks 6th anniversary with party

The Modern Modiste Club marked its sixth anniversary last Sunday with a dinner meeting and party at the Alto Rd. home of Mrs. Ernest Matthews.

This is the club which has two projects annually — the children at the Rosewood State Training School and needy families.

Club members are: Mrs. Violetta Wade, president; Mrs. Matthews, and Mesdames Ada News, Bernice Mitchell, Florence Kelley, Virginia Tabb, Minnie Cain, Althea Cook and Edna White.

Guests at the party included: Mesdames Susie Johnson, Louise Hernandez, Bernice Hall, Mae Spencer; Mrs. Daniels, Mr. Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Randolph, William Tabb, Wilbert White, Joshua Mitchell, Raymond Wade and Ernest Matthews.

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APOLIS DINGS

By ELOISE RICHARDSON

Northwest St. YMCA drive opens Tuesday under leadership of Francis L. Noel; First Baptist Church Friendship Tea set for Sunday; Herb Hilliard back from Arkansas where he buried his mother; Mt. Moriah Club Day program Feb. 15; Brown Trio scores in Mt. Olive Church concert; Youth Fellowship holds annual banquet; Deltas hear Mrs. Beryl Williams.

The 1959 membership enrollment drive for the Northwest Street YMCA will be launched on Tuesday evening, February 10, with a kickoff dinner for campaign workers.

The drive will culminate on Tuesday, March 3. The goal is set for 300 active members and $1,500 in cash.

The YMCA program is considerably new in the community, and therefore not only serves the youth, but also serves to educate the public as to its great worth to any community.

Adults, who play a dual role in the YMCA's program, undoubtedly stay younger physically, mentally and spiritually because of their participation, including service to youth.

Too often it is assumed that the YMCA is interested only in male youth. This is incorrect for both sexes of all ages are found to be recipients of the "Y's" extensive programs.

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THIS YEAR'S campaign will be headed up by Francis L. Noel, principal of Adams Park Elementary School. Co - chairman is Hanson E. Brooks.

Mr. Noel, a new member of the committee of management, is confident that the ability of the YMCA and its members to achieve its goal in this drive is borne out by his conviction that the youth will and can be served through organized activities.

George Phelps Jr., chairman of the membership committee, stated that six teams of ten persons each will work in the forthcoming effort.

Team captains are Messrs. George Phelps Jr., Hanson E. Brooks, William H. Richardson, J. Alexander Wiseman, Francis L. Noel and Herbert L. Hilliard.

Membership fees will be used to supplement the allotment from the community chest of which the YMCA is a participating member.

It will also provide for program services to the youth of the community who are unable to pay the full cost of such services by the YMCA.

William J. Taylor is executive director; Mrs. Veola Johnson, program secretary, and J. Alexander Wiseman, chairman of the committee of management.

THIS IS the time of the year when teas are especially enjoyable and it is without a doubt that the one to be held at First Baptist Church on Sunday will be especially nice, for it will be a Friendship Tea.

It will be sponsored for the benefit of the church by the Pastor's Aid and the Flower Circle, and will be enhanced by an interesting musical and literary program.

There will be solos by Mrs. Joyce McManus, Mrs. Sophie Miller and Mrs. Clarice Pettigrew.

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MRS. WILLIAM H. RICHARDSON, children's librarian of the Annapolis and Anne Arundel County Public Library, will be the speaker. She will be presented by Mrs. Alfred Brown.

Readings will be given by Mrs. Mamie Glenn and Miss Martha Bowden. Mrs. Mae Hawkins and Misses Alethia Perry and Peggy McGowans will be in charge of the tea service.

Officers of the sponsoring group are:

Mrs. Alfred Brown, president; Mrs. Paul Haughton, first vice president; Mrs. J. L. Needham, second vice president; Mrs. J. B. Johnson, secretary; Mrs. Floyd Bundy, assistant secretary, and Mrs. Samuel Morris, treasurer. The Rev. Leroy Bowman is the pastor.

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HERBERT L. HILLIARD, principal of Bates Senior High School, has returned from Fort Smith, Ark., where he was called because of the death of his mother, Mrs. Minnie Lee Hilliard.

The widow of James Murray Hilliard, the couple had 51 years or married life, to which union six boys and seven girls were born. Mr. Hilliard died in 1956.

Seven of the children are now living, and are all college graduates, the result of the unshakable determination of their parents to provide sound education for them.

Most of the children are now serving in six different states as teachers, school administrators, medical technologists and doctors.

Mrs. Hilliard was one of Fort Smith's most loved and respected citizens.

For many years she served and led numerous organizations created to enhance her church, community, and the school and the community at large.

It is significant to note that shortly before her death she was busily engaged in organizing her neighborhood for the purpose of bringing comfort and peace to its bereaved and afflicted.

In addition to the seven surviving children, Mrs. Hilliard leaves 18 grandchildren, 3 great - grandchildren, 4 daughters-in-law and 2 sons-in-law, several nieces and nephews.

MRS. SARAH M. RANDALL, recording secretary of the Mt. Moriah AME Church will sponsor a Club Day program in the interest of the Church and Woman's Day observance at the church on February 15 at 8 p.m.

The Rev. A. R. Powell, pastor, will be the speaker and music will be furnished by the senior choir.

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THERE IS nothing like a real cultural program of good music on an early Sunday evening.

The young people of Mt. Olive AME Church, with their sponsor, Mrs. Josephine Grant, presented the Brown Trio of Maryland State College at the church on Sunday evening.

The program was most stimulating and scintillating, and proved a real feast especially to those of us who must at some time during the year, have a cultural experience.

Members of the trio are Joseph Brown, Rolland Brown and Ernest Brown, all seniors at Maryland State. It is just a co-incident that all of their last names are the same for they are not related.

Rolland Brown, baritone, was dynamic in his interpretations of opera arias and spirituals. He was especially impressive when he sang Faust's "Cervantine," and the two spirituals, "Were You There?" and "I've Been in the Storm."

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JOSEPH BROWN, who also sang in a baritone range, was outstanding when he sang such secualr numbers as "Because" and "The Rosary." (Do you suppose he is in love?)

Ernest Brown proved to have very good technique as a pianist, has a sense of interpretation as an accompanist and much talent in improvising.

He gave an excellent opportunity to appreciate Rachmaninoff when he played "Prelude in C Minor," and when he played Debussy he brought out the wide range of oddity in the music of the French composer.

Both numbers, along with others he played, showed sings of potential concert artist tendencies.

The student group is to be congratulated for its fine presentation and is a real boost to Maryland State College—especially the Music Department.

Ernest, who is majoing in musical education, began his student teaching at Douglass High School at Upper Marlboro this spring, and Joseph went to Moton High at Easton. Rolland is majoring in applied arts.

Relatives of Joseph, his mother Mrs. Olive Brown of Washington, his grandmother, Mrs. Irene Honeemond of Hyattsville, Md., Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Broome and daughter, Deborah, and Joseph's sister, Justine, attended the program.

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THE SPONSORING groups for the concert, the Junior Ushers and the Vesper Choir, were presented during the intermission by Mrs. Grant. Miss Joyce Neal is president of the ushers, and Miss Helen Collins, president of the choir.

Approved choices shown to one of the parents for her aid to the sponsors when Miss Neal pinned a corsage on Mrs. James Collins. Remarks were also made by the pastor, the Rev. Joseph S. Grant.

Members are:

Mary Collins, Annette Grant, Eloise McFadden, Janice Sedgwick, Rosalee Wells, Shelia Williamson, Doreen Donnell, Eleanor Chambers, Brenda Downs, Donald Brown, Donald Sedgwick, Booker T. Gum, Beverly Jackson, Walter Queen, Cedric Williams, James Dobson, Ulysses Brooks, III, John Gunn and Robert Smith.

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THE YOUNG people at Asbury Methodist Church held their glory on Thursday night because the Methodist Youth Fellowship had its annual banquet, which the group sponsors and looks forward to each year.

The active young set of the church, which planned the project for the benefit of the church, were no less disappointed this year, in that there was a very large attendance and an excellent program.

Mrs. Henry Holland, a teacher of special education at Bates Senior High School was the speaker. She used as her subject, "Much Depends on You." She was introduced by Miss Sheila Parker.

A musical number, "Heavenly Father Hear Our Prayer," set to the tune of "Ave Maria," was sung by a newly organized chorus of girls. Soloists were Darlene Smith and Margo Snowden.

Others who participated in the chorus were Sandra Snowden, Martha Snowden, Deborah Greene, Constance McClure, Sharon and Jacqueline Smith and Mary Brooks.

A prayer was read by Mary Brooks.

Remarks were also made by the minister, the Rev. Isaac H. Berry, and Mrs. George Ireland, superintendent of the Sunday School and a counselor to the group.

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GLORIA BROWN was chairman of the program and Sheila Holmes served as Mistress of Ceremonies.

Hostesses were Delores Suttell, Carolesse Redd, Marcella Howard and Gloria Brown. Mrs. Martha Snowden, Misses Betsy Brown and Delores Thorvon and Michael Simms assisted with the serving.

Officers are:

Mrs. Beverly Taylor, president; Lillian King, first vice president; Carole Pulle, second vice president; Mary Brooks, secretary; Marcella Howard, assistant secretary, and Patricia Taylor, treasurer.

Other counsellors are Mesdames Emma Stepney, Myrtle Watts and Misses Josephine Young and Helen Randall.

WHAT COULD be more unique than an afternoon dedicated to widows and widowers? That is just what happened at Mt. Moriah AME Church, and it was a benefit program sponsored in the interest of Woman's Day.

Originator of this project was Mrs. J. Burnette Browne, and she also served as her own Mistress of ceremonies. Mrs. Browne was successful in raising $63.

The program was quite enjoyable. Mrs. Lillian Pindell, "Little Mother," gave a story reading and Mrs. Mary Campbell Brown read a beautiful poem.

Mrs. Lovie Blackstone sang "My Task," and the Hawkins Brothers sang two very beautiful duets.

The welcome address was given by Mrs. Adele Barge and was responded to by Mrs. Mary B. Thompson. Prayer was offered by Mr. Russell Turner. Mrs. Louise Stewart read the scripture.

Mrs. Cecelia Greene, president of Woman's Day this year, and her vice president, Mrs. A. R. Powell, gave remarks, as well as the pastor, the Rev. A. R. Powell. Miss Josephine Powell was at the piano.

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THE ANNAPOLIS Alumni Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority held its Founder's Day observance by sharing a cultural and delightful program with its community this year.

Highlight of the program, which was held at Campbell's Hall, was a talk by Mrs. Beryl Williams of Baltimore as speaker.

A dynamo in religious and cultural affairs, Mrs. Williams is a member and officer of the Baltimore Alumni Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority and is on the faculty of Morgan State College.

Secretary of the Board of Christian Social Relations of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Washington Conference of the Methodist Church, she was recently made chairman of the Board of Managers of the Baltimore Methodist Leadership School.

Mrs. Williams is also president of the Maryland League of Women's Clubs, and is the wife of Dr. Roger K. Williams, head of the Department of Psychology of Morgan. She was presented by Mrs. Mary Campbell Brown.

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IN HER address, Mrs. Williams told of the potential of women in Maryland. She pointed out the sparsity of women as leaders in this state. She clarified the narrow margin of demarcation between leadership and followship.

She appealed to all women to find their places in the community, and then render a much needed service.

Mrs. Williams, in referring to the Maryland League of Women's Clubs, stated that the league can serve in a manifold manner, for everyone is faced with the same problems in their respective communities.

She told how members of this organization could cooperate and share their experiences for a common cause.

Mrs. Rose Wiseman read an original prayer entitled "Give Us Those for Today," which was centered around the ideals of the sorority. Mrs. Anna Goodwin, President of the local chapter, gave greetings.

A fellowship hour followed the program at which time refreshments were served.

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AMONG THE 55 WOMEN who attended the 15th annual luncheon meeting of the Women's City-Wide Committee of the Eastside Community to make plans for the 15th annual Blue Ribbon Tea were, left to right, Miss Katie Cyrus, Mrs. Obiedell Alston, Mrs. Laura Bouldin, Mrs. Mary McCallum, Mrs. Blanche Barnes, Mrs. Helen Washington, Mrs. Lillian Alston, Mrs. Mary Myers, Mrs. Sadie Maddox, Mrs. Mary Edgen, Mrs. Ina Spicer, Mrs. Dorothy Pritchett and Mrs. Helen D. Jones. The tea will be held Sunday, March 1 at 4p.m. at Dunbar High School.

TOURING TURNER STATION

Varied activities in spotlight in Turner

By E. S. McDANIEL

Among the visitors in the community over the week end, was Dr. Vernon Johns, dean of the Maryland Baptist Center and School.

He was the guest speaker for Rev. James A. Everett, pastor of New Shiloh Baptist Church. He gave an inspiring sermon on the subject, "The Main Things in Religion."

Dr. Johns, a native of Farmville, Va., has had a broad ministerial career serving in some of the important churches of the country. He is the former pastor of the Second Baptist Church, Los Angeles, Calif., Dexter Avenue Baptist Church, Montgomery, Ala., Court Street Baptist Church, Lynchburg, and teacher and later president of the Virginia Seminary in Lynchburg.

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THE Balmer - Sparrows Point Branch of the NAACP met at the Community Center on Thursday evening with the third vice president, Coleman Henry.

The meeting was well attended and enthusiasm was high as workers reported on the annual membership campaign now in progress.

Memberships were reported by those present. Each worker is trying to secure as many memberships as possible and it is hoped that many persons of the community as possible will see fit to spend $1 or more for such a worthy cause.

The future Nurses' Club of Sollers Point High School, and its Candle Light Service in the music room on Sunday evening under the sponsorship of the Women's Club, are being sponsored by Mrs. Ida Gwynn.

Guest speaker was Mrs. Agnes R. Williams, PHN who explained what is expected of a girl who will choose nursing as her life's career.

Music was furnished by the Sollers Point Choral Ensemble Green. Mrs. Gwynn was soloist. Refreshments were served.

Officers of the club are: Shirley Swann, president; Carolyn Brandon, vice president; Virginia Bivens, secretary; Lozzy Fayne, assistant secretary, and Mary Johnson, treasurer.

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THE ST. MATTHEW'S Methodist Church had as their guests on Sunday afternoon, the pastor of the New Shiloh Baptist Church, Rev. James A. Everett, the Young People's choir and many members of the congregation. This is an annual visitation.

Mrs. Estelle C. Flournoy, superintendent of the New Shiloh Baptist Church Sunday School, along with representatives of her group visited the Sunday School celebration at the Friendship Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon. The Rev. Doceny Thompson is the pastor.

On Sunday, February 15 the Senior Choir No. 1 of the New Shiloh Baptist Church will present a musical recital at 3:30 p.m. Save a place in your schedule on that day for this affair.

Visitors in the community over the week endwere Mr. and Mrs. William Smith and Mrs. Elizabeth Ferguson of Princeton, N.J. They are members of the Princeton Gospel Singers of Princeton.

The visitors are members of the First Baptist Church, Rev. W. T. Parker, pastor.

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CONGRATULATIONS TO W. C. Darden on his sixty-seventh birthday. He has been a deacon in the New Shiloh Baptist Church for many years. Mr. Darden is also known for his success as a business man of the community.

We regret to hear from Mr. Darden that his vision is beginning to fail.

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THERE ARE many people of the community who still like to read. I am not able to learn of all who are ill. I will appreciate it if you will pass on to me those names that I fail to learn about.

Mrs. Della Majett, teacher at the Sellers Point High School has returned to her home following her stay at the Provident Hospital.

Mrs. Andrea Lewis Woodfolk is convalescing at her home at 715 New Pittsburg Ave., following surgery at Sinai Hospital.

Louis Howell is a patient at the Johns Hopkins Hospital. Mrs. Ross Blanks is ill at her home at 104 Linden Court.

Mr. Ossie Knuckles has been ill at his home at 406 Maple Lane following an accident on the job.

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