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...APOLIS ...DINGS

By ELOISE RICHARDSON

Anne Arundel County NAACP to give testimonial for Father Croll; Eastport School PTA marks Founders Day; Xines of Alpha Mu Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa initiates; League of Women Voters sponsor trip to United Ntions for students; Miss Jabberwock Contest under way.

The Anne Arundel County Branch NAACP has plans underway for a testimonial dinner honoring Father David H. Croll, the vicar of St. Phillip's Episcopal Church, to be held on May 20 at Carvel Hall.

The testimonial committee headed by Joseph Walker of Bay Highlands, held its first meeting on Monday night.

Father Croll, a native of Jamaica, B.W.I., has served at St. Phillip's for over 25 years.

One of his greatest contributions in the interest of colored people in this state was the fight he waged in the securing of employment for more than 150 professional and non-professional colored people at Crownsville State Hospital.

In observance of its Founders' Day, the Eastport School PTA worshipped at the morning service of the Mt. Zion Methodist Church on Sunday.

The Rev. Clarence Davis, pastor, delivered a special sermon, using as his subject, "Whose Responsibility Is Your Child?" and special music was rendered by the church choir under the direction of Miss Henrietta Thompson.

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THE PROGRAM included the reading of the history of the organization, and a rededicatory and memorial service was conducted by George Brown of Washington, executive secretary of the Maryland Conference of Parents and Teachers.

This service was in memory of the late Gant Holt and William Howard, former principals of the school; the late Mrs. Elizabeth Gross and Mrs. Mary Gray, former teachers, and the late Mrs. Kate Thompson and James Crowdy, former PTA presidents.

Others who were honored at the services included Mrs. Adele Hynsort, a former principal; Mrs. Mary B. Thompson, a retired teacher; Mrs. Rheba Booth, Mrs. Beulah Diggs and Mr. Brown, former teachers, and A. Briscoe Koger, the attorney of Baltimore, a former principal.

Special recognition was given to parents of children who have completed their high school work and, in many instances, have furthered their education in institutions of higher learning.

Miss Hersell Simms is chairman of the program committee of the PTA and Elmer Thompson is president. George Diggs is the principal.

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THE XINES the National Sorority of Phi Delta Kappa, Alpha Mu Chapter, presented a most impressive program at the First Baptist Church on Sunday—following their initiation meeting on the week end.

The occasion was their initiation tea, when their sponsors, parents and friends had an opportunity to see "their" youth in action.

The ritualistic opening of the program was led by the president of the group, Carol Pindell, after which musical numbers were offered by Mervaline Wilson, a piano solo; Deborah Green, a solo; Josephine Powell, a piano solo, and Rosalyn Taylor, Barbara Thompson and Constance White, a clarinet trio.

Carol Pulley gave an interesting account of the initiation and those who were initiated and inspiring remarks of encouragement were given to the girls by the basileus of their sponsoring group, Mrs. Lois Carroll. The program was culminated with the ritualistic candlelight service.

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GIRLS WHO were initiated are:

Barbara Thompson, Deborah Greene, Roslyn Taylor, Sandra Chew, Mervaline Wilson, Barbara Gray, Jean Brown, Odessa Pinkney, Laura Woodridge and Constance McClure, Odessa Eldridge, Lucille Eldridge, Winifed Prann, Brice Spears, Constance White, Elene Randall, Brenda Carr, Gloria Brown and Mary Brooks.

Mary Grace McDade, Josephine Powell, Carol Pindell, Carol Pulley and Joyce Neal are old members.

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THE REV. LEROY BOWMAN, the pastor of First Baptist Church, was recently appointed by Mayor Arthur G. Ellington as a member of the Planning and Zoning Commission for the City of Annapolis.

The commission is responsible for the drawing up of master plans for the future extension and development of Annapolis.

The community is proud that the Mayor had such foresight in his choice of the Rev. Bowman, the only colored member of the commission.

Joseph W. Taylor, president of the Anne Arundel County Elementary Principals' Association, attended the National Association of Elementary and Secondary Principals' Convention in St. Louis, Mo., on March 26-30. His wife went along.

Other officers of the Association are Mrs. Helen M. Browne, vice president; Miss Dorothy W. Taylor, secretary, and George E. Diggs, treasurer.

The Taylors reside in Baltimore and Mr. Taylor is principal of the beautiful new Freetown School in Anne Arundel County at Glen Burnie.

It is always a rewarding feeling to note the achievements of our students when they bring honor to the community by their single contributions to the progress of the schools they attend and to their own well-being.

Miss Elsie Woodward, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Woodward of this city and a 1957 graduate of Bates High School, was named chairman of a student committee to assist in the welcoming of the Xines.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS AND COURT OF CALANTHEA members of the jurisdiction of Maryland and Delaware met Sunday for the anniversary Thanksgiving Service at John Wesley Methodist Church and are shown above resplendent in uniform, entering the church. Inset are officers, John C. Murray, Grand Chancellor Commander; E. Clarence Rice, Grand Keeper of Records and Seals; Williams G. Moore, Grand Vice Chancellor, Easton, Md.; and George Wallace, Grand Master at Arms, Royal Oak, Md. Not shown are Elanders English, Brig. General; Mrs. Mary Franson, grand matron.

the Severna Park High School.

Lecturer for the next meeting will be Dr. Merlon England from the University of Kentucky. His talk will center around the subject "The Influence of the Western Frontier on American Ideas and Institutions."

Students participating from Bates are Carole Pindell, Harry White, Estelle Owens, Pearl Brown, Nona Greene, Marjorie Mack, Ronald Jennings and Patricia Carroll.

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THE ANNAPOLIS Alumni Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority is currently sponsoring the "Miss Jabberwock Contest." Participants from Bates are Myra Bryan, Euphemia Brown, Joyce Pergerson, Joyce Pergerson, Joyce Neal, Vonzetta Pinkney, Barbara Wallace and Barbara Jean Gaither.

Proceeds from the contest, which is an annual affair, will go toward the sorority's scholarship fund. A scholarship will be awarded to the winner, who will be crowned "Miss Jabberwock" on April 29.

Mrs. Hattie Pierce and her sister, Mrs. Pearl Smith, attended the funeral of their brother in Philadelphia on Thursday.

Leroy and Alice Battle (the former Alice Holt of Lothian) are currently in the news often now because of that popular little heir of theirs, born March 17 at Freedmen's Hospital in Washington.

The two were happily surprised when a group of friends from Annapolis tendered their first born, little Lise-Patricia, with a shower on Friday evening.

The little darling received everything imaginable, for she was also feted before her arrival by the PTA of her mother's school (Mrs. Battle is principal at the Lula G. Scott School at Shadyside, Md.) before Christmas.

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THOSE WHO participated on the program were