THE ASTRONETTE SOCIAL CLUB, meeting recently, inducted officers for the '69 season. Above from left, seated, are Mesdames Lauretta Winfrey, president; Rosetta Sands, Ella Stovall, Floretta Jones, treasurer; standing: Mesdames Julia Stovel, Leona Hobbs, corresponding secretary; Barbara Cassidy; Miss Barbara Allen, social chairman; Mesdames Frances Jolly, recording secretary; and Estelle Pinkett, vice president.

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in the Elegante Room. Music was by the Esteveans, an upcoming band, which impressed those who attended.

The Omegas will hold the conference at the Stalter-Hilton, April 11-13.

Off to Host Farm Resort Motel, Lancaster, Pa., last weekend, went members of the Baltimore City Bar Association, for their annual session of seminars and fun.

Among those there were Messrs. and Mesdames W. Emerson Brown, Jr., Milton B. Allen, Charles H. Dorsey, Jr., Charles Joseph Leroy Carroll, Jr., and James Bunday. The Bundays also took their daughters.

And, on the local front, Wednesday evening, the Monumental City Bar Association inducted officers at cocktails and dinner at Maceo's Lounge.

Installed were Charles P. Howard, Jr., president; Solomon Baylor, vice-president; Charles Williams, Secretary; and William Toadvine, treasurer.

Mr. Howard, who had completed the term of Judge Harry C. Cole, as president of the Association, presided.

In keeping with their continued interest in and intent to become more knowledgeable regarding art, what makes a painting great, and what the artis is saying, the Pierians will be engaged in a series of morning seminars during that month, March and April.

The seminars are a cooperative venture by the Baltimore Museum of Art and the Pierians.

On Saturday they will study the Lowell Nesbitt exhibition; on March 8th, 17th and 18th Century paintings; and on April 12th, Primitives.

The committee, which arranged the seminars, is headed by Hazel Fleming, and includes Gwendolyn Tarter, Louise Lamb, Verda Welcome, Elizabeth Jenkins, Catherine Wilson, Hilda Higgins, Jackie Lewis and Lula Mackay.

The seminars will be followed by lunch in the Museum's Cafeteria.

Last Friday night, Baltimore Epicureans climbed aboard the "S.O.S. Rawlings" (Anabel) and took an improvised cruise with all the trimmings.

It began with a lal for each member and a bag with the necessary items for life saving and activities aboard ship. Following a hilarious talent show each member doing what she could do least, as assigned by the hostess), the group convened to another room for the surprise of the evening.

Carroll Harrison presented a scene from the Arena Players' "The best Man" with the original cast (Remember the voles of Mary Miller, Joyce Smith and Nancy Barrick? To speak nothing of the incomparable Reporters!)

Dinner followed the theatre with a menu that defied description. The evening ended and progressed into the morning hours as the group moved into the Casino. There, the Eppos came aboard and conducted the games, from poker to black jack, with thousands of dollars in play money! It was a night to remember!

On board and ready to take to the waters were:

Doris Wallace, Bernardine Harrison, Sadie Jenkins, Phyllis Diggs, Merita Stokes, Gwen Parker, Barbara Bennett, Dot Johnston, Bettye Morton, Elise Clarke, Sylvia Henry, Audrey Pinderhughes, Gladys Daniels and Eva Edwards.

Mrs. Garnie (Kathleen) Newsome was hostess to the Herbert M. Frisby Historical Society, Tuesday evening, in the Roof-Top Dining Room of the Roland View Towers.

Mrs. Lena K. Lee presided, and at the conclusion of a most delicious dinner Mrs. John C. Strawhorn introduced the guest speaker, Miss Mary Carter-Roberts.

Miss Roberts, a career consultant in the Maryland Department of Economic Development at Annapolis elaborated on Suggestive Guidelines for an Historical Society, pointing out what the Society could do to make Baltimore City's historical resources known and attractive to tourists. Miss Carter urged that members first acquaint themselve with the city's historical treasure and then inform cab drivers and bus drivers of these historic high lights, so that they can direct visitors intelligently to paces of real interest other than the downtown stores and restaurants.

Members present included Mesdames Charles Anderson, Douglass Camper, Herbert M. Frisby, H. Henchen, Alex Jefferson, L'emue Lewis, Walter Mapp, Lena K. Lee, Garnie Newsome.

Mesdames Hubert Suellman, John C. Strawhorn, Haywood Strother, Julius Taylor, S. Leroy Taylor, William Turks, Emerson Walden, George White, Edward Wilkins, Charles Misses Lota Howard, Ruth Russell; and Dr. Herbert Woodford, George Rosedom:

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After the meeting, the members of the society lingered to view a most beautiful spectacle of their city at night, from a setting 15 stories up from the ground. For a benediction, Dr. Frisby recited a gem from the Carl Murphy Collection of Graces and Benedictions.

How I wish someone could pin Mrs. James (Yvette) Murphy down to putting the directions for making her delicacies on paper and into a published book . . . but that seems farthest from her intentions. So the best one can do is to go on enjoying her

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Classes scheduled at Central YWCA

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FEBRUARY 12

An important art exhibition entitled "Retrospective for a Critic: Duncan Phillips" will open in the Tawes Fine Art Gallery at the University of Maryland in College Park.

FEBRUARY 29

The Baltimore Chapter of the Federal Government Accountants Association meets at 6 p.m. in the Skyline Room of the Roland View Towers, 3838 Roland Ave.

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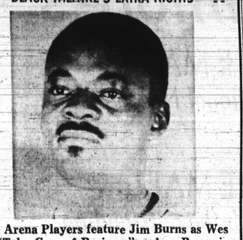

The Arena Players feature Jim Burns as Wes in "Take Care of Business" and as Roger in "How Do You Do" for three extra nights, Feb. 7-8-9. The Third play is "Clara's Ole Man." Tickets at the door — 406 Orchard Street. Curtain is 8:30. . .

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These comments were made by the AFRO's 'Solid American Citizen" of the week, Mrs. Ida Green, concerning the issues of today.

Mrs. Green, of 1502 N. Caroline St., is a member of Southern Baptist Church whose pastor is the Rev. Nathaniel Higgs. She is a deligent worker in the church as a member of the Senior Choir and the Early Morning Choir.

Most of her time is devoted to charitable and community work. In this she serves as president of the Busy Bee Charity group and is vice-president of the Royal Ladies Social-Savings Club which is sponsoring a vacation trip to the Bahamian Islands and Miami from June 30 through July 8 this summer.

Mrs. Green is fascinated by jet travel and has flown on the East Coast to Canada and through the West Coast to California.

She has been a resident in Baltimore for 20 years, was at home in Los Angeles, Calif. for 10 years, and was also a resident in New York City for 8 years. Born and reared in Daytona Beach, Fla., she was the daughter of the late John H. and Aurelia Wyms.

Her only child, John H. Dokes is a prominent mortician in Daytona Beach. Other family members are residents there.

Mrs. Green has two granddaughters whom she adores. They are: Mrs. Carol A. Young and Miss Tonia Yvonne Dokes, both of Daytona.

Mrs. Green has a secret (recipe, that is). She makes a plain pound cake (non-fattening) that "melts in your mouth."

Like most women, she has a green thumb with plants, specializing with numerous plants of the philodendron family.

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delicious foods.

Saturday night she entertained a few couples at dinner and served Soul Food . . . from Hush Puppies to collard greens, from pigs feet to chitterlings . . . in the most elegant settings you have ever seen, and with, of course, the champagne flowing.

Guests twitted her about serving the chitterlings in a huge sterling silver bowl, the "hoofers" on a long silver platter, the whole on an imported hand-embroidered tablecloth and in exquisite china.

I didn't fight Y over the hush acting. I was too busy trying to figure out what was in the black-eyed peas (seemed to have been a bit of red and green peppers, okra, I think, a smidgen of onion, and a mess of spices) served on rice.

The others seemed too busy to even figure. They just ate. About were Dr. and Mrs. Eugene Byrd, Dr. and Mrs. Ted Phifer, Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Harris Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Mackay and the hosts.

Newly elected officers of Charmettes and members of this civic-minded club are already at work on their '69 charity project, a Psychedelic Happening slated for May 30.

With Margaret Wilkins and Henrietta Bailey are president and vice-president respectively; other officers are Rosamond J. Diggs, secretary, Juliet Carpenter, corresponding secretary; Naomi Sullivan, financial secretary.

Serving as business managers are Victorine Adams and Delores Gregory. In charge of the sinking fund and sargeant-at-arms will be Daisy Wilkins and Marie Bowen.

The Colored Women's Democratic Campaign Committee of Maryland met on Wednesday evening at Wilson's Restaurant, for the monthly session, and discussed the formation of a Women's Guild to study the Government of Baltimore City. Mrs. R. T. Davis is chairman.

The group will, on this year's agenda, be visiting City Council meetings and have planned a visit to State Legislature with Woman Power.

The Council visit is planned for the 10th, when there will be a hearing on the acquisition of school property. They will go to Annapolis on the 24th. Mrs. Ethel Clay and Mrs. Ruby Anderson are co-chairmen of this project.

Other items on the calendar are trips to Congress, Latin Casino, Fort McHenry, Baltimore Harbor, City Hall, Police Department and courts; a membership cocktail party and a cabaret dance.

The Democratic Women have given an art scholarship for this year to Alton Holland of Durham Street. They plan to continue this scholarship to him as long as is necessary.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Padgett celebrated the 37th anniversary of their wedding, last Wednesday. They were hosts this week to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jenkins, of New York, their nephew and niece, who were here for the funeral services of their relative, Philip Taylor.

Howard H. Murphy will be off this week for Nassau and some days in the sun.

Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Adams, who vacationed in Florida the past couple of weeks, are back home.

FEBRUARY 17

A planning conference on communication for agencies working with aged clients will be held at the Social Security Administration in Woodlawn, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

FEBRUARY 19

PTA at Garrison Junior High School will be held at 7:30 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Margaret Paxson. Topic: "The Role of the School In Sex Education."

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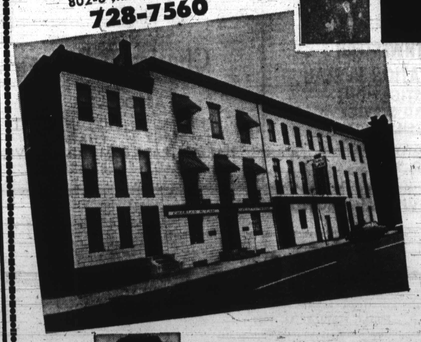

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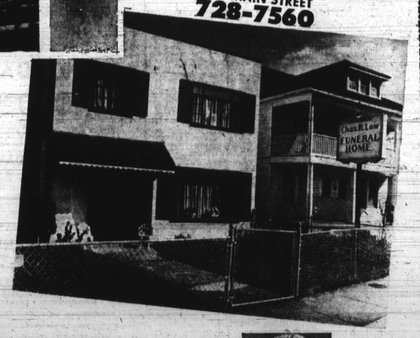

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