Local club notes

By Michele L. McRae

Celebrating the bicentennial year last Sunday afternoon were members of the VAG's who presented the Ruth-J's Boutique in a fall and winter fashion showing at the Blue Crest North.

"Service is the rent you pay for the space you occupy on earth," is the motto of this group named after the late Mrs. Vivian Garth Allyne, a dedicated social worker, and an outstanding civic, political and fraternal leader, both locally and nationally.

In Mrs. Allyne's memory, the VAG's has contributed throughout the years to the AFRO Clean Block Campaign, AFRO's Mrs. Santa, American Cancer Society, Anna Mae Hunter Home for the Blind, Boy Scouts of America, Camp Farthest Out, Coppin State College and many other.

Officers of the club are: Elizabeth Spicer, president; Rose Lewis, vice president; Edna Walker, secretary; Gladys Knox, treasurer; Mildred Gambrill, financial secretary; Odell Payne, chaplain.

Members are: Gloria J. Barnes, Frances Bibbs, Esther Brown, Lillian Carter, Juanita Green, Eva W. Jeffreys, Fannie Lane, Queenie Lane, Shirley Manning;.

Ruth B. Murray, Elizabeth Parker, Odell Payne, Alberta Simons, Ida Swanson, and Mildred Williams.

Virginia Champ and Violet H. Whyte are honorary members.

Lambda Kappa Mu

Lambda Kappa Mu Sorority, Iota Chapter presented a display of various visual materials, artifacts and books at the Soro mundi Celebration held at the Madison Avenue YWCA. Jacqueline Fleming was the chairperson for this activity.

Iota Chapter members celebrated Thanksgiving together at their regular meeting. The Thanksgiving theme was "We Give Thanks." The program consisted of Thanksgiving songs, poems and inspirational thoughts. Several baskets of food were presented to the Anna Mae Hunter Home for the Blind. The program was prepared by Shirley Watkins, Alice Roberts, Elizabeth Day and Elaine Alexander.

The business meeting for the month consisted of reports from the various committees on the progress each is making with its perspective activities.

Iota sorors will be working whole heartedly towards the following community projects: Anna Mae Hunter Home for the Blind; AFRO Clean Block Campaign; AFRO Mrs. Santa Project; Girl Scouts of Maryland, (benefit of Minority Girl Scouts, Greenmount Recreation Center); Urban and YWCA Madison Avenue Branch.

Iota Sorors are truly and enthusiastically striving to fulfill its commitment to serve the community-city wide, statewide, and nationwide in a tangible way.

Baltimore Marketing Association

The Baltimore Marketing Association will honor a prominent black-owned business at its Annual Awards Dinner, December 10, at 7 p.m. at the Downtown Baltimore Hilton. The Baltimore Marketing Association each year honors a person or persons who have made outstanding contributions in community affairs.

This year's honorees include Ann and Bernard Lacewell, proprietors of La Cosmetique, a Fuller Products franchise, located at Metro Plaza. Mr. and Mrs. Lacewell are former managers of a Fuller Products disgributorship in New York. They moved to Baltimore in 1965. Through their distributorship in New employ 20 full and part-time self-contracted sales people. They also conduct cosmetology lectures and sales demonstrations. The Lacewells are members of the Business League of Baltimore and sit on the Advisory Board of Advance Federal Savings and Loan Association.

The guest speaker for the Awards Dinner will be Dempsey J. Travis, president of Travis Realty Company of Chicago, Ill. Travis Realty owns, manages, finances and develops several large properties in the State of Illinois. The company is one of the few real estate companies in the country with a large interest in commercial real estate.

WMAR-TV news reporter, Dwight Smith, will be toastmaster for the Awards Dinner.

Each year at the Awards Dinner, the Baltimore Marketing Association awards scholarships to minority students attending colleges and universities in Maryland. Proceeds will benefit the Scholarship Fund.

For further information, contact Zerita Thornton at 383-2402.

Du Bois Circle

Delegate Lena K. Lee was hostess when the Du Bois Circle met on last Tuesday evening at the Village of Cross Keys Inn.

Speaker was Gaye Brown with the Office of Staff Development in the Baltimore city public schools. Under the year's club theme, "Agents of change in the Baltimore community,' Miss Brown discussed, 'TA-transactional analysis, how to change your personality.

Rose Kinney moderated the program which included audience participation. Emma Bright is club president.

Other members present: Ida Berry, Edna Brown, Edna O. Campbell, Leona Carpenter, Mabel Frisby, Helena Hariston, Patell Harris, Elizabeth Henderson, Viola Jackson;

Also, Estelle Lee, Josephine Lansey, Melissa Purdue, Priscilla Lansey, Beatrice Reesby, Gladys Reid, Jean Turpin, Courtney Valentiee, Edith Myers; Gladys Hawkins, Hilda Higgins, and Isabelle McConnell.

Guests included: Jewell Rawlings, Martha Allen, Carrie Johnson, Bettye Moss, Rosalie McGuire, Hermione Wharton, Gladys Derry, Mamie Woodford, Amy Billingsley, Hattie Tighman and Delores Hunt.

Maryland Vassar Club

On Friday evening, December 3, the Maryland Vassar Club will honor the college's seventh president, Dr. Alan Simpson, M.A., D. Phil. (Oxon.), at a black-tie dinner at the newly-renovated Belvedere Hotel. Following a 7:30 p.m. cocktail hour and dinner at 8:30 p.m., President Simpson will deliver an address, "Reflections on the Liberal Arts Tradition."

Among the honored guests joining Vassar alumnae and alumni in honoring President Simpson will be Dr. John L. Crew, superintendent of the Baltimore City Public Schools, and Mrs. Crew; Dr. Rhoda M. Dorsey, president of Goucher College; Sister Kathleen Feehly, president of the College of Notre Dame of Maryland; Dr. Otto F. Kraushaar, president emeritus, Goucher College; the Honorable Paul S. Sarbanes, member of Congress and Senator-elect, and Mrs. Sarbanes.

These guests and the Vassar Club officers will greet Dr. Simpson before the banquet at a cocktail party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Azrael, in Ruxton.

Vassar College, located on the Hudson River in Poughkeepsie, N.Y. is a four-year co-educational liberal arts institution. Activities of the Maryland Vassar Club include an annual pecan sale, which produces scholarship funds for needy Maryland Vassar students, and a state-wide recruitment program.

Officers of the Club are: Mrs. Steven M. Stanley, president; Mrs. Charles A. Haile, secretary; Mrs. David W. Barton, Jr., treasurer; Mrs. Susan A. McCurdy, pecan chairperson; Mrs. Richard T. Hale, publicity; Raymond L. Bank, recruiting; Ms. Ellyn L. Brown and Mrs. Bernard N. Jackson, hospitality.

For further information, contact: Mrs. Steven M. Stanley; 396-4102, 323-9155.

Hampton Alumni Association

The Hampton Alumni Association met at the Alpha House to conduct its first business of the season. Officers elected were: Henry Johnson, president; Errol Taylor Jr., first vice president; Jake Cox, second vice president; Mary Chapman, recording secretary; Phyllis Thompson, corresponding secretary; Malissa Perdue, treasurer; and Clarence Barber, chaplain.

Dr. Saul Perdue brought the members present up to date on "what's going on at Hampton." It was decided that Alphonso Knox, director of Alumni Affairs would be invited to the January meeting to further update alumni on the status of affairs at Hampton.

It was also decided that a joint membership drive begin immediately and a promise to have one hundred members at the December meeting was given by the Membership Committee of which Jake Cox, Phyllis Thompson and Errol Taylor are co-chairpersons.

The group voted to have a Hampton Night with the Arena Players. Proceeds will benefit the Hampton Institute. Catherine Adams will chair this committee.

Other members present included: Saul Perdue, Theodore Gross, Frank Wright, Clarence Barber, William Watkins, Phyllis Thompson, Errol Taylor Sr., Sharon Glen, Louisonia Jefferson, Mary Johnson, Erma Mecham, Carl White and Maurice Adams.

Meetings are scheduled for every third Thursday of each month at the Alpha House.

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THE VAG'S — "Service is the rent you pay for the space you occupy on earth" is the motto of The VAG'S who presented a Bicentennial Luncheon last Sunday afternoon at the Blue Crest North. On hand to greet guests were from left: Elizabeth Spicer, president; Lillian Carter, luncheon chairperson and Queenie Lane, publicity chairperson.

Mrs. Dorothy Bennett setting new pace at Rosemont

Mrs. Dorothy F. Bennett celebrated American Education Week last week by starting a very special English program in her school.

"I am insisting every student here speak, write and read standard English well," said the principal of Rosemont Elementary School after just returning from the National Alliance of Black Educators Association (NABEA) convention held Nov. 10-14 in Miami, Fla.

"I'm starting with the older Rosemont students first," she said, "and I'm also having all pupils look for loaded words in their reading.

"I even had one pupil read her composition on American Education Week over the public address system," she continued.

Mrs. Bennett, who has been Rosemont's only principal, got the idea for the special emphasis on English and all forms of communication at the conventions where she was one of 3,000 persons who attended.

According to Mrs. Bennett, she had been invited to be a member of the multi culture-multi ethnic panel cosducted at the convention.

Although she said the reaction to the panel discussion was good, she stated she got the most out of the convention by talking to some of the persons who were there.

Mrs. Bennett said she ad a chance to hear such persons as Barbara Jordan, Maynard Jackson, Andrew Young, and Benjamin Hooks, new director of the NAACP.

Mrs. Bennett told the AFRO the convention concerned itself with building on the character of youth as the first priority of the educators.

She also said convention delegates within 15 minutes raised $10,000 in cash to help the NAACP.

A graduate of Dunbar High School and Coppin State College, and a native of Baltimore, Mrs. Bennett holds the distinction of being on the NABEA's general admissions board and the national chairperson of the Civil Rights on Education committee.

She has been in education for 29 years and owes some of her own success and inspiration to such famous Baltimore educators as Luther Mitchell and William Rollings. She also has developed a philosophy of her own.

"If you have a good self image and feel good about yourself then the people working with you will have

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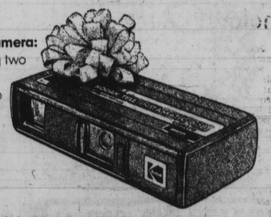

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Tasty desserts

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2-¼ cups Aunt Jemima Whole Wheat Pancake Mix
¾ cup milk
¼ cup butter or margarine, melted

For topping, melt butter in 8-inch square baking pan; coat bottom of pan evenly with butter. Sprinkle brown sugar over butter; arrange cranberries, apple and walnuts over brown sugar.

For cake, beat together eggs and sugar. Add pancake mix, milk and butter; mix well. Pour over topping. Bake in preheated moderate oven (350 degree F.) 35 to 40 minutes or until wooden pick inserted in center of cake comes out clean. Loosen cake from sides of pan; immediately invert onto serving plate. Serve warm with whipped cream, if desired. Makes 9-inch square cake.

Fruit Chiffon Pie

Corn Flake Crumb Crust:
1 cup corn flake crumbs
One third cup butter or margarine
3 tablespoons sugar
Brown sugar

Measure corn flake crumbs, butter and sugar in a 9-inch pie plate. Place in a 350 degree F. oven 5 minutes. Remove from oven and mix thoroughly. Press against bottom and sides of pan. Chill.

Filling:
2 envelopes unflavored gelatine
½ cup sugar
¼ teaspoon salt
One ½ cups cold water
1 can (6 ounces) frozen fruit punch concentrate, kept frozen
1 teaspoon almond extract
1 cup icy-cold evaporated milk

Sliced, well drained, fresh, frozen, or canned fruit (strawberries, peaches, raspberries, blueberries, etc).

Mix together gelatine, sugar and salt in a 2½-quart saucepan. Stir in water. Place over moderate heat, stirring constantly, until gelatin and sugar are dissolved, about 3 mintues. Remove from heat; stir in undiluted frozen concentrate and almond extract. Chill until mixture is the consistency of unbeaten egg white. Whip chilled evaporated milk in small bowl of electric mixer until soft peaks form, about 2 minutes. Fold into gelatine Mixture. Turn into crum crust; chill until firm. Chill at least one hour. Garnish with sliced fruit.

YIELD One 9-inch pie.

To chill evaporated milk, pour into ice tray and freeze until soft ice crystals form around edges, 10-15 minutes.

AFRO, others cited by Pi Omega Chapter

Pi Omega Chapter of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. has, in observance of its national achievement week, presented awards to a number of individuals, organizations and businesses including the AFRO-AMERICAN Newspapers.

During worship service ceremonies Sunday, Nov. 21 at the Morgan State University Christian Center, Wiley Daniels in a citation read while presenting the award to the AFRO observed, that the AFRO "has consistently championed those social, economic and political causes which benefit black America."

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Stating that the AFRO has been diligent in its coverage of issues and events of particular significance to the interest and welfare of black citizens, the citation said the paper provides "a vital complement to general media news coverage through its specific attention to the black community."

Other organizations receiving awards include the NAACP, the Baltimore Urban League, Morgan State University, Baltimore City Public School System.

Essay contest winners are Margaret Lynn Alston of Western High School who won first place; second place, Wade Beckwith of the CCB and Gerard N. Snowden also of CCB.

Other winners are Mary Wright, Joseph Riley and Jeffery Richardson.

Mrs. Bennett

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a good image of you and in turn they will feel good about themselves," she said.

To Mrs. Bennett the convention represents another feather in her education cap. She has already taken several courses in education at Morgan and Towson State Universities, holds a master's degree from New York University and has done vast graduate work at Columbia and Johns Hopkins Universities.

She also believes she has added to her education by establishing a tradition at Rosemont.

"We all work together here at Rosemont," said Mrs. Bennet referring to parents faculty, students and staff.

She told the AFRO every Tuesday she opens the doors to the parents so they might come into the school, look around and offer suggestions. She pointed out at the close of school last Wednesday 150 parents had taken part in the open house policy at the school.

"I also hold teacher representative meetings every Thursday to find out what is happening among the faculty," she said.

Beginning her sixth year at Rosemont, Mrs. Bennett told the AFRO her future plans are very definite. She stated she intends to stay at Rosemont.

QB Club to honor top scholar-athletes Wed.

The Quarterback Club of Baltimore will hold its annual Scholar — Athlete Awards Dinner on Wednesday, at Martins West.

Nearly 1,200 are expected to witness the presentation of awards to the high school "Player of the Year," the high school "Coach of the Year," the "Outstanding Colt" and the "Football Man of the Year."

The player of the year will receive a $1,000 scholarship to be used at the college of his choice, and the coach of the year will receive a $500 award to be used to promote football at his school.

Last years' winners were Mike Austin (Gilman) and Angie Micell (Calvert Hall), respectively.

Guest speaker for the evening will be former Colt Alex Hawkins.

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Featured at the head table will be outstanding former and present-day athletes and coaches such as: Lydell Mitchell, Lenny Moore, Bert Jones, John Unitas, Bobbie Williams, Jim Lacy, Ed Hargraden, Earl Banks, Joe Thomas and Robert Pascal.

The Quarterback Club of Baltimore, organized in 1[illegible] has [illegible] members who are interested in football and the promotion of the sport at all levels.

Among the goals of the organization are the fostering of good sportsmanship, the securing and dissemination of information regarding football generally and providing scholarships or other financial assistance to deserving individuals in the pursuit of their higher education.

PRINCETON, N.J. — Ernest G. Green, executive director of the Recruitment and Training Program in New York City, has been selected as a co-winner of a 1976 Rockefeller Public Service Award for his work in expansion of employment opportunities. It was announced last week by William G. Bowen, president of Princeton University.

The nationally-known awards program, sponsored by John D. Rockefeller 3rd and administered by the Princeton's Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, recognized seven individuals for their significant achievements in critical problem areas facing the nation.

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