IN THE WOMEN'S WORLD

Buffalo Briefs

— By —

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MERRIWEATHER

Miss Harmony Of '73

Ms. Liz Webster of Chicago St. was recently crowned "Miss Harmony of '73" in the Mary Seaton Room, Kleinhans Music Hall, by Clyde Turner, star of the "Best of Broadway" show during a one-night stand here. Miss Webster excelled in fund-raising.

First runner-up was Ms. Brenda Battle, followed numerically in this order: Jeannette McCarter, 3rd; Florita McCoy, 4th; Brigette Booze, 5th; and Rhonda Wood, 6th.

Members of the Lit-Mus Club assisted the parents of the contestants in the fund-raising. The So-Re-Lit Girls' Group has presented a donation from the Benefit to the Lit-Mus Club to be applied to their Federation House Building Fund. Also, part of the net profit went to the Friendship VII Day Camp.

The Church Women United became a sponsor and assisted the Benefit sponsors in achieving a high degree of success.

Consultants were Child and Family Reach-Out staff.

WILLIAM-EMSLIE SENIOR CITIZENS TO SPONSOR—

Boat Cruise June 29th

The William-Emslie Senior Citizens, from the New Ellicott Neighborhood Facility at 608-20 William St. (Ellicott CAO Center), is sponsoring a Boat Cruise on June 29th from 2 to 5 p.m.

Jitney service is available from 608 William St. to the Harbor and back. There are 125 seats available. Space will be commodated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Tickets cost $3.00 per person and are available by contacting Mrs. Georgian Goodloe at the Ellicott Center, 856-8866.

ATTENDS KIN'S FUNERAL IN ARK.

Mrs. Susie Boyd has passed away in Dumas, Arkansas, and funeral services will be held May 17. Mrs. Lucille N. Parks of 305 Perry will attend the funeral of her aunt.

BAPTS. MEET IN DALLAS JUNE 17

The National Baptist Sunday School and BTU Congress will be held in Dallas, Texas June 17th thru 23rd.

For Women Your Body, Your Health

By DR. F. J. CLARK

Dr. Clark's column is prepared with the cooperation of the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists. Letters and questions should be sent to: Dr. John F. J. Clark, ACOG, 79 W. Monroe St., Chicago, Illinois 60603.

Most couples nowadays want to regulate the size of their families. Whatever number of children they want — two, three, four — when they have that number they don't want any more. Partly this is because they know that economically they can do more for fewer children; partly it may be because of all the talk of overpopulation.

Whatever the reason, it has led to much greater use of contraceptives, in particular, the Pill and the IUD (intrauterine device). Popular as they are, these methods of contraception have their drawbacks. The woman on the Pill may forget to take it. She may be afraid of possible side effects. Some women do not tolerate the IUD well, or they expel it.

In any case, often when a couple has com-

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HARD-WORKING CHURCH MEMBERS

This daughter-mother couple, Mrs. Bertha Davis and Mrs. Myrtle Billy Glenn, hard-working members of Evangelistic Temple Church of God in Christ, 701 Broadway, Rev. M. A. Bailey, pastor, posed for a Criterion photographer during a recent program and dinner held at the church. Since then, Mrs. Glenn (right) has suffered a stroke and has been hospitalized for a few weeks.

WOMEN'S DAY AT FIRST BAPTIST

The Annual Women's Day program for First Baptist Church, 320 Ingham Ave., has been scheduled for Sunday, May 20th.

The morning speaker, Mrs. H. B. Shaw, president of the Empire State Baptist Convention Ministers' Wives and Widows, and one of the senior women workers in this section of the nation. She is always an interesting and inspiring lecturer.

Mrs. Mary Thomas, wife of the host minister, Rev. James Thomas, is to discuss "The Bible and Its Symbols" at the 3 p.m. service. She also is program chairman, while Mrs. Pearl Mae Gilbert is general chairman and Mrs. Barbara Swygert, pianist.

Mrs. Rosa Grant and Mrs. Mary Johnson are members of the program committee while Mrs. Barbara Swygert is also serving as treasurer and Mrs. Helena McGee, secretary.

Washington Trip Report

A bus load of adults and two of children left from Bethel AME Church April 27, for a weekend trip to Washington, D. C. The trip was sponsored by the Buffalo Region of the Empire State Federation of Women's Clubs, which includes Buffalo and Rochester.

The ride through Washington carried them by most of the government and other important buildings and the Arlington Cemetery, where they saw the Kennedy graves; a visit to the National home of Women's Clubs, a nicely furnished residence on 16th St. N.W., were some of the highlights of the trip.

The national president, Mrs. Juanita Brown, gave us a hearty welcome and served refreshments. We were disappointed because time would not permit a visit to the Frederick Douglass home. Several club members joined the trip as they passed through Rochester and were brought back on their return. Several members of Phyllis Wheatley Club went on the trip.

Mrs. Rhoda Townsend, president of Buffalo Region; Mrs. Carolyn Thomas, president of Lit-Mus Club.

COUPLE OBSERVES ANNIVERSARY

The Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Parks was April 22nd, but was celebrated May 6th at the Mickey Diner in Arcade, N. Y.

Mr. Parks' brother, Craven Parks, and nephew, Robert Parks from Olean, N. Y., joined the couple there.

Buffalo guests were: Mr. Parks' nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cleary; Mrs. T. Parks' sister and niece, Miss Bobby J. Norman and Lucretia Norman; and their friends, Mrs. Anna Foote and Mrs. Alice Taylor. They report a very enjoyable afternoon.

ES To Entertain

Paramount Chapter No. 57 OESPHA, will entertain the Worthy Grand Matron, Olive J. Campbell and Worthy Grand Patron, Harold S. Gonsalves, of Eureka Grand Chapter, OESPH, at the opening of its 78th Grand Session, Monday, June 4, in the Golden Ball Room of the Statler Hilton Hotel, at 6:30 p.m.

Grace B. Knox, is Worthy Matron; Minnie Gillette, Ball Chairman; and Geraldine V. Harris, Publicity Chairman.

RUMMAGE SALE SAT., JUNE 2nd

A rummage sale, sponsored by the Buffalo Chapter of Links, will be held Saturday June 2nd from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., according to an announcement by the publicity chairman, Mrs. Joanne Champion.

BENEFIT DINNER JULY 14

Cornerstone Church of God In Christ, 54 Rickert St., will hold a Benefit Dinner for their Building Fund drive at Hearthstone Manor July 14th.

The public is cordially invited.

International COGIC WOMEN'S MEET HELD

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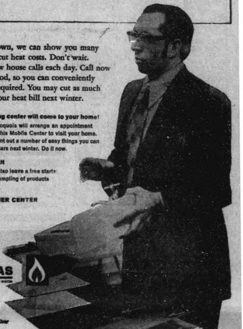

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WILLIAM-EMSLIE SENIOR CITIZENS TO SPONSOR—

Ontario Bus Trip July 14

The William-Emslie Senior Citizens will sponsor a bus trip to Ontario on July 14. The bus is being donated by the Community Action Organization of Erie County, Inc.

Departure time is 9 a.m. from the Ellicott Neighborhood Facility, 608-20 William Street.

All you have to do is take a lunch. There are only 40 seats and space will be made available on a first-come first-served basis.

Contact Georgian Goodloe at the Ellicott CAO Center for further information, 856-8866.

Back Again!

Remember last year when the Navy PTFs (fast patrol craft) were here? And you were disappointed because you did not get a ride on an authentic naval vessel?

Well, the Navy swift boats are returning to the Buffalo area. Three boats will arrive at the Navy and Marine Corps Reserve Center, 3 Porter Ave., Thursday, May 17.

The boats will be available for cruises and tours Thursday (17th) and Saturday (19th) only. Each PTF can carry 15 passengers.

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