



OBSERVATIONS

FROM THE SIDELINES

BY Kathryn Hall Bogle



Stephanie Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson, Jr. and her escort, David Solomon. (Photo: Richard J. Brown)

Making Today's History was the fifth Annual Cotillion given by the Portland Chapter of the Links, Incorporated on the evening of Valentine's Day at the Jantzen Beach Red Lion Inn.

Between 600 and 700 parents, assorted relatives and friends were on hand in the West ballroom of the hostelry to "ooh and ahh" over the beauty and accomplishments of the 14 young women who made their bows and deep curtsies to the community in a sweetheart setting. And sweethearts they were.

White presentation gowns were never lovelier, escorts were never handsomer as City Commissioner Charles Jordan on behalf of the Links, presented each deb and read the card listing her achievements scholastically, read of her involvement in helping this community become a better place to live, plus her ambitions for herself in college and beyond.

Leaving the runway on the arm of her escort for the evening each young woman made her obeisance to her parents kissed her mother, danced with her father, and waltzed in the arms of her escort with all the other debs and escorts circling around.

This culmination of weeks and months of preparation by debs, their parents and The Links was choreographed by Jeanne Hartzog,

Chairman of the Links Committee for Services to Youth and her co-chair, Rochell McElroy. Others on this hard-working committee were: Geneva Jones, June Brown, Mildred Reynolds, Jacquelyn Brown, Jewell Johns and Freddie Petett.

In the spotlight of the fifth Links Cotillion were: Kimberly Kay Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Anderson; her escort, Lauren Patton, Julia Black, daughter of Mrs. Janet Ashby and Mr. Decosta Ashby; her escort, Willie Hurst, April Michele Brown, daughter of Mrs. Alfreedia Brown and Mr. Jaye B. Brown, her escort, Shelton Mitchell, Cherie Burch, daughter of Retired M/Sgt Charles E. Burch and Mrs. Burch, her escort, Tracy Edward Stone, Renee Denise Harris, daughter of Mrs. Claudia R. Harris and Mr. James M. Harris, her escort, William Shamsud-Din, Robin Ladell Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Saul Kelly, Sr., her escort, Arlester Crain, Angela Denise Lagrone, daughter of Mrs. Lona Lagrone and Mr. Willie Lagrone, her escort, George Lagrone, Pamela Alzena Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Martin, her escort, John Kenyanjui, Pamela Mc Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Charles McWilliams Sr., her escort, Fenton Campbell, Tamara Lynn Moland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Clem Stewart, her escort, Christopher Holliday, Elizabeth A. Patton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Patton, her escort, Joseph Earnest Holden, Locynda Marie Ann Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Phillips, her escort, Andrew Lynn Brown, Stephanie Lynn Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson, Jr., her escort, David Michael Solomon, Cynthia Irene Watkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Watkins, her escort, Pierre G. White.

Backing up the Services to Youth Committee of The Links were other support committees involving every member of the chapter. Of major interest was the work of the Souvenir Program committee members whose chairman was Mildred Reynolds. They put out a handsome commemorative booklet featuring the debs and their activities and each guest at the affair received one at the registration table at arrival time. Mrs. Reynolds was assisted by Dr. Marva Graham, Rosemary Anderson, Bernice Mac Rae, Clem Guy, and Lydia Roy.

Other members on other committees drew in Lois Sayles, Carmen Walker, Yvonne Williams, Geraldine Christian, Addie Jean Haynes, Olga Talley, Fannie Chatman, Alda Ruth Monroe and Kathryn Hall Bogle.

President of the Portland Chapter of The Links is Johnnie Stokes.

Hatten joins Kaiser staff

The Kaiser-Permanente Medical Care Program has appointed Glendia Hatton, a registered nurse and family nurse practitioner, to the position of medical office administrator for its Salem facility.

For the past seven years, Ms. Hatton has been administrator for nursing and support services for the Orange-Chatham Comprehensive Health Center in Carrboro, North Carolina, which served approximately 16,000 people in each of three locations in and around Chapel Hill. Previously, she was director of nursing for Model Neighborhood Total Health Center, Detroit, a member of the Veterans Administration certification team in Southern California and a public health nurse for the Dept. of Human Resources, Washington, D.C.

Ms. Hatton has been active as a speaker in the Chapel Hill school system, a member of the public school health committee, and is a member of the board of directors for the Chapelo

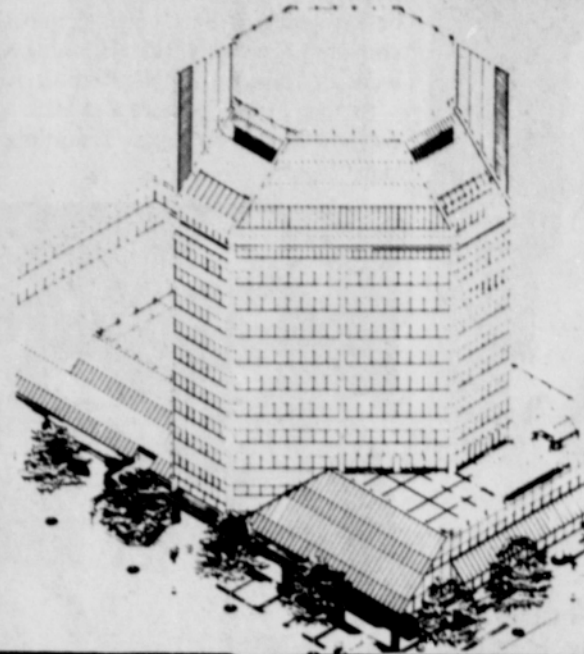
Hill home health agency. In 1979, she was appointed by Governor Hunt of North Carolina to the state commission for Health Maintenance Organizations.



GLENDIA HATTON



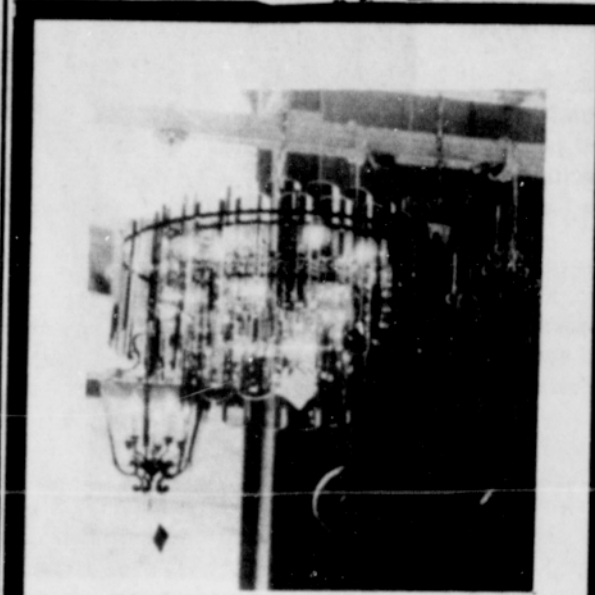
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by Tom Boothe

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2. Consider your Temperament or (mood), as it relates to the Temperament of others.
3. Consider your Personality, appearance and behavioral attitude; as it relates to the Personality of others.
4. Consider your Performance of true Ability to act upon your objectives or goals; as it relates to the performance or the ability of others and the reality of what you are proposing to do.

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