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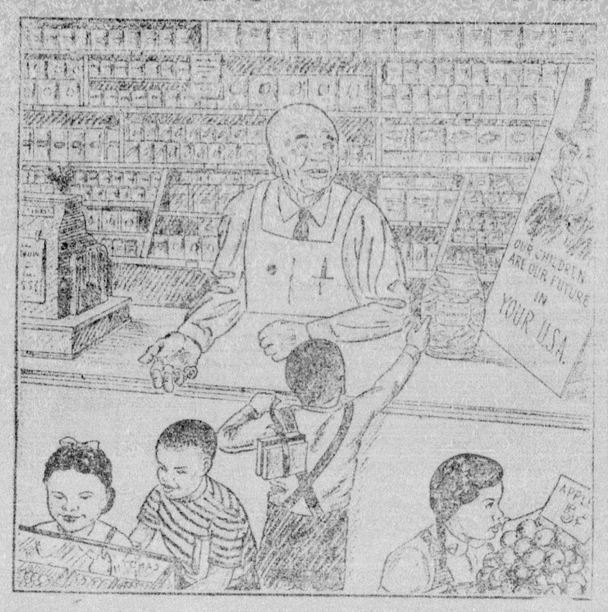

"These, too, should have their chance!"

VETERANS NOTES

Veterans enrolled under the G. I. Bill in on-the-job training courses or in schools below the college level who desire leave of absence should apply for it at the training establishment or school, the Veterans Administration said today.

In the past, these veterans were required to make application at the appropriate VA regional office. Now, they must obtain approval from their employer-trainer or school official before going on leave.

Advance leave is provided only in cases of emergency, such as the veteran's illness, illness in his immediate family, or any other compelling condition beyond his control — when denial of leave would result in undue hardship.

I was honorably discharged from the Army in 1946, but have not applied for readjustment allowance yet. How long will this benefit remain available to me?

Generally, this benefit must be claimed within two years from discharge or release from active service of two years from July 25, 1947, whichever is later.

As an honorably discharged veteran of World War II, I would like to know to what hospitalization I am entitled.?

If you have a service-connection disability, you have top priority for VA hospital care. If you suffer with a nonservice-connected disability, you may be hospitalized under existing law if beds are available and you say you cannot afford treatment elsewhere.

I am at present receiving compensation for 30 per cent disability. If I take a job carrying rural mail three hours a day, will my compensation be stopped?

Compensation is not reduced because of your employment. Reduction in compensation is made only if your disability has lessened in degree.

Early last year I received an adjustment check on my compensation from the Veterans Administration. Do I have to pay income tax on this payment?

No. By law, all payments made under laws relating to veterans are exempt from Federal income tax payments.

The American Legion's old age pension bill for veterans of both World Wars, as amended and recommended for passage by the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, now has the new number of H. R. 2681.

ARMY DAY QUIZ

CHANGES IN U. S. INFANTRYMEN'S UNIFORMS AND WEAPONS

Pictured here are the uniforms worn by the soldiers of the Third Infantry Regiment, oldest unit in the U. S. Army since its earliest service on the Indian frontier following the American Revolution. Can you pick out the uniforms of the various periods? Write the answers opposite the numbers above and when arranged in chronological order you will have: Frontier Wars (1784); War of 1812 (1812); Mexican War (1846); Civil War (1861); Spanish-American War (1898); World War I (1918); World War II (1944).

Answers on page four

ARMY QUARTERMASTER BUYS $31,000,000 PER MONTH FROM FARMERS' MARKET

When Uncle Sam goes to market to supply the Armed Forces with fresh foods he is the American farmer's best customer. During the past year his purchases averaged $31,000,000 a month.

Known as the Market Center System and operated by the Army Quartermaster Corps, this organization purchases, ships, stores, and supplies virtually all the perishable subsistence required by the Army, Air Force, Navy, and Marine Corps. In addition to the regular Armed Forces, the Market Center System supplies perishable foods for National Guard organizations while they are in camp, as well as for certain civilians who are entitled to buy from Army commissaries, and for use in the Greek aid program.

The Army defines perishable foods as those requiring refrigeration in shipment and storage. They include fresh meats, vegetables, fruits, fish and other water foods, dairy products, and frozen fruits and vegetables. Nearly 100 different kinds of food items aggregating about 150,000,000 pounds a month are regularly supplied.

The purchases from all over the United States are made on the spot for specified amounts and at quoted prices. Payments are made promptly. And although savings to the taxpayers run high into the millions of dollars per year through this unification of purchases as compared with the local buying by all of the military services in competition with each other and without uniform standards, such as prevailed before the recent war, supplies are benefited by knowing the quantities and qualities desired, by greatly reduced rejections, and by the opportunity offered all who are interested to offer their products.

There are now ten Market Centers. They are situated at Columbia, South Carolina; Denver, Colorado; Fort Worth, Texas; San Francisco and Los Angeles, California; New Orleans, Louisiana; New York, New York; Richmond and Williamsburg, Virginia; and Seattle, Washington. Williamsburg is also the port for European shipments.

Direct contact with companies and individuals who have products for sale is maintained by a crew of field buyers who operate all over the country working out of their field offices. These are the experts who know fresh foods, who have specialized in certain lines, and who work face to face with the products and those who have them for sale. The field offices are in Boston, Massachusetts; Washington, D. C.; Jacksonville and Miami, Florida; Kansas City, Kansas; Idaho Falls, Idaho; San Diego and El Centro, California, and Mobile, Alabama.

VISITS COUSIN — Mrs. Martha Bennette, registered nurse of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of her cousins Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lewis, 518 Beal Street. Mrs. Bennette along with her nursing experience is also experienced in radio and stage singing, having appeared in the following Night Clubs in New York City: The Celebrity Club, Club 78 and the Apollo Club. She is a graduate of Kings County School of Nursing, Brooklyn, N. Y.

37 MAKE HONORS LIST AT LINCOLN

Led by Benjamin F. Helman of Bloomfield, New Jersey, who made Point Group in all of his courses, thirty-seven men achieved the Dean's List at Lincoln University (Pa.) for the first semester of the [illegible]

Fifteen seniors, 11 freshmen, 6 sophomores and 5 juniors had averages high enough to reach the coveted distinction. The freshmen on the Dean's List are: Simon O. Akwiwu of Nigeria, Kow N. Asante, Gold Coast, West Africa; Robert Francis, South Orange, N. J.; Donald Brokenburr, Philadelphia; Howard Hughes, Greensboro, N. C.; William Roy, Philadelphia; Theodore Moore, Ft. Edward, Pa.; Donald Reid, Middleton, Pa.; Sidney Rogers, Philadelphia, and Nolie Scrafley, Smithfield, Va.

Sophomores: Leroy Gibbs, Washington; Walter Hinsley and William Jones, Philadelphia; John O. Jackson, Altoona, Pa.; Eugene Tolliver, Washington, and Jacques Wilmore, Philadelphia.

Juniors: Theodore Ayers, Gold Coast, W. Africa; James G. Barrington, Roanoke, Va.; Albert H. Mitchell, Mamaroneck, N. J.; Frank Summerfield, Augusta, Ga., and George B. Thomas, McKees Rocks, Pa.

Seniors: Peter P. Gobbs, Washington; David C. Gatwood, Jamaica, N. Y.; Lonnie Cross, Bessemer, Ala.; Horace G. Dawson, Augusta, N. J.; William K. Hooks, Chicago, Ill.; George W. Harmon, Camden, Del.; Lenox D. Jackson, Wilmington, Del.; John A. Jones, York, Pa.; Zane G. Phoenix, Steelton, Pa.; Armstead Robinson, Plainfield, N. J.; Walter W. Smith and Andrew Wertz, Philadelphia; George F. Thomas, Macon, Ga.; Frank T. Wilson, Jr., Lincoln University, Pa., and Archie Young, Camden, N. J.

REVOLVING TRUST FUND IS SET UP FOR BETHUNE-COOKMAN

LOS ANGELES (ANP) — Preliminary plans for the establishment of a large revolving trust fund, to be created for the benefit of worthy students at Bethune-Cookman College, Daytona Beach, Fla., were drawn up here recently. Participants in the negotiations were: Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, founder and past president of Bethune-Cookman College; Dr. John Alexander Somerville, eminent Los Angeles dentist, and Lorrin L. Morrison, local publisher.

The fund will be financed solely from refunds gained by the publisher and Dr. Somerville from the sale of the latter's forthcoming book, "Man of Color," which is the autobiography of Dr. Somerville. The doctor has agreed to pay into the fund his full book royalties and the publisher has agreed to pay in an amount equal to the doctor's royalties. Mrs. Bethune accepted the offer for Bethune-Cookman College.

"Man of Color" is the story of Dr. Somerville's life from the time he was 19 years old. It covers a period of nearly a half century, in which he has developed into one of the nation's most outstanding Negro leaders.

The theme of Dr. Somerville's book is based on the present Tolerance [illegible] "Man is blood, bone and sinew." All people, regardless of creed or color, must be tolerant of the other as the first step in meeting on common ground. With that tolerance gained then ignorance must be overcome. The only tools with which ignorance can be dissolved are textbooks and teachers, therefore, he relates, Americans must develop both pupils and teachers so they are to every man a complete freedom.

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THE WEEK IN GOLDSBORO

By E. A. THORNTON

DILLARD DRAMATIC CLUB PRESENTS PLAY "JANE EYRE"

A large and appreciative audience was present Friday night at Dillard High School to see the Dillard Dramatic Club under the direction of Miss J. M. Bonner and John H. Wesley, present Jane Eyre, a romantic play [illegible] in the school auditorium.

Members of the cast were: Bill Roberts, Ernestine McCoy, Thelma Pulliam, Annie L. Jerry, Frankie Moore, Paul Warren, Willie [illegible] Edwards, Sue M. Sherrod, Louise Foster, Bessie Jean Taylor, Frank Rhodes, Edward Morris, Robert McDuffy and Leon Lewis. Stage crew, make up and property staff included: Leslie Parks, Willie Wiggins, Ozzie Murphy, Daniel Lane, Mary Hooker, James Williams, Yvonne Martin and Dottie Thomas. Mr. C. Wilson was faculty advisor.

The Goldsboro and Raleigh Disciple Assembly, Disciples of Christ, closed a two day session of a very successful Bible Institute which was held at the East Elm Street Christian Church, corner of Edge and Elm Street, in Goldsboro. The session was presided over by Rev. H. D. Davis. Lectures were given by Dr. Emmett Dickson, National Secretary of Religious Education and Dr. W. M. Wickizer (white) Director of the board of Church Extension of Indianapolis, Ind. With an enrollment of 46 students, much emphasis were placed on consecrating for Christ. Other ministers present were: C. C. Ware, D. J. M. Warters, Prof. C. H. Hamlin, Atlantic Christian College, D. and Mrs. H. Glenn Haney, Mrs. H. H. Wilkins of Greenville, and Mrs. Mildred Roberts of Washington, N. C. The visiting friends reported a very fine day in Goldsboro. The meeting opened on Tuesday, March 8, through Friday March 11.

The people of Goldsboro were concerned with the presence of the Fayetteville State Teachers College Choir in a concert Sunday, March 6, at Dillard High School, under the direction of George Van Hoy Collins, with Cora Saunders, accompanist. The choir with 60 or more voices was well received and enjoyed by all. Mr. Collins is a former director of music at Dillard High School.

"DOUBLE DOOR" IS SUCCESS

Between 300 and 500 people were present at Dillard High School Monday night to see "Double Door," a three act melodrama which was presented by the Little Theatre, Inc. directed by J. D. Middleton, Jr. with Miss Elizabeth Moore, Mrs. M. B. Smith, John Sale, A. B. Reid, and Mrs. E. Lane in playing the leading roles.

Members of the cast were: Avery, Velma Foster; Telson, George Williams; Lonia, Mattie Belle Best; William, Louis E. Thompson; Carl, Van Bret Eloise Larkin; Victoria, Van Bret; Mary Leigh B. Smith; Mr. Chase, Jimmy D. Middleton, Jr.; Martimer Neff, Henry Beasley; W. Johnson, Rip Van Bret; John W. Stitt; Dr. John Sully, A. B. Reid; Lamont, Francis L. Lucas.

The production staff included: Costumes, Evelyn Lane, Selma Timothy Parks, Earl Glenn, E. A. Thornton; lighting effect, John T. Lane; Ushers, Lucile Saton, Laura Foster, Gertrude Lewis, Aletha Whitfield, David Daniels, Edward Moore, Levon Knight and Paul Warren.

The group wishes to thank all patrons and friends who helped make the play "Double Door" a success. E. A. Thornton is president of the group.

At the meeting of the Negro Library Interest Group at Thornton's Casino on Thursday, March 10, it was reported that the drive for [illegible] was coming along slowly but surely. $27 and some few cents were realized from the benefit basketball game sponsored by the American Legion on March 7, plus a check for $11.00 which came from Bryant Best Post No. 215 American Legion. Other donations reported bring the total up to around the $150.00 mark.

We are asking and urging all churches and clubs to please send in their donations at once. Send donations or checks to Mrs. Laura L. Foster, 17 West Elm Street, Goldsboro.

The annual Lincoln Homecoming will be held March 29 - 31 at the Community Center. All proceeds realized from this tournament will be given to the Library Fund. Schools and teams to participate in the tournament are: The Schoolgirl School Flashes, The Green Leaf School Blues, The East End School Juniors, and the Junior All-Stars. Sponsored by the American Legion. The winning team will be awarded a trophy and be named city champion.

THORNTON'S TEEN-AGE TOPICS

The Dillard High School Tigerettes basketball team will journey to Charlotte, Tuesday, March 15, to take in the basketball game between the Carolinian RIVERS, March 16, in Charlotte, N. C. Coach Lucas and his girls will be accompanied by a successful season and high records. Coach Lucas and his girls have won 17 games and lost only [illegible] games.

The American Legion All-State basketball team is looking forward to the climax of the season on Friday night, March 18, at which time the team and their parents will be honored at a banquet and dance at the Community Center at 7 p. m. Every member of the team will be awarded a gift. The American Legion All-State team is not yet for Monday, March 21, 7:30 p. m. at which time Goldsboro will play Rocky Mount in the opening game, and Wilson will play the winners from the first game at 9:30 p. m. for the championship. Dancing for one hour will be allowed between the end period of the final game.

Officials for the game will be R. Ennis, N. C. College and F. Ed Adams, P. College. A trophy will be awarded to the winning team, every member of the team of the All-State will make the report of the success of the team during the season. The All-Stars have won 17 games out of 22 play-offs during the season.

The Rev. J. H. Green will be the banquet speaker for the occasion.

The public is cordially invited to attend games on this game. Start at 7:30 p. m.

The United Organization, under the direction of its president, Rev. M. W. Murphy, are making every effort to see that every Negro citizen in Goldsboro and Wayne County gets his name on the registration books so as to be able to cast his vote in the coming city election in April.

At the meeting of the organization on Sunday it was reported that the workers are very busy in the direction of the city encouraging every citizen to register and vote. The organization is made up of all the church organizations and clubs of the City.

CERTIFIED SEED USE SUGGESTED

Only by purchasing certified seed can a farmer make certain that he is getting the best strain available, says Dr. R. P. Moore, director of the Agricultural Experiment Station at State College.

The Moore says seed [illegible] should have recently carried out a [illegible] from appearance alone, to determine in advance the type of [illegible] which [illegible] for seed [illegible] is necessary to avoid the [illegible] of the seed under the conditions under which they were grown.

In the production of hybrid corn, the plant breeder probably will know much about the performance of the proposed hybrid before it is actually produced. After it is produced it is put through a series of tests to determine how it performs compared with that of commonly grown varieties or hybrids.

This type of information, Dr. Moore points out, is accumulated, summarized, and made available for all growers who wish to take advantage of it. On open-formula hybrids, similar information is available to reveal what the hybrid is, what it will do, and what it will not do.

Farmers wishing to take advantage of this type of protection, says the Crop Improvement directors, are urged to make use of certified seed.

TO ROYAL ROOST

NEW YORK — By popular demand, saxophone star and band leader Lesley Young returned to the famous Broadway haven of hepcats, the Royal Roost, Wednesday for a four week engagement. It came directly from Roy Eldridge's engagement in Chicago that had to be terminated because of an [illegible] here at the Roost. Young's long, relaxed bop style in the tradition of Lester Young made him a popular and [illegible] exponent. Lester was an early jazz observer, recalling Red Dodd [illegible] and is in top form and this year he should expand the $100,000 he earned last season.

Under the shrewd management of Charlie Carpenter, Young has emerged as one of the top bandleaders after having two successful years back in '45 and '46. Last year he dropped five acts as LA's top jobber and already this year was given an award in Chicago by the students of Roosevelt College.

CHARMING JUNIOR — Miss Eleanor Newsome, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Newsome, 518 Wayne Avenue, Goldsboro, is a member of the Junior Class Dillard High School, member of the Glee Club, and a member of the Junior Choir at Mt. Calvary Baptist Church. Her charming personality has won her many friends. Her hobbies are music, reading and dancing.

WEED GROWERS TOLD TO PREPARE TO CONTROL MOLD

[illegible] who have not [illegible] to obtain [illegible] and equipment necessary for mold control in the future, Howard R. Garris, plant pathologist for the State College Agricultural Experiment Station, said today.

The [illegible] mold fungus [illegible] in the [illegible] in North Carolina [illegible] to answer of present. However, growers have plenty of time to plan ahead [illegible] mold control [illegible] Garris said.

The pathologist adds that the mold control [illegible] should be followed as a means of cutting the cost of production [illegible] that growers [illegible] a good supply of dust or spray material now and use it as a preventative rather than as a cure.

According to Garris, there are [illegible] trade-name materials recommended for controlling the disease in North Carolina. They are Fermate, Karmate (Black) and Dithane Z-78. Any of these will give excellent control when properly used. They may be used either as a dust or a spray. For spray treatments use the full-strength material. For dust, the amounts use 15 per cent Fermate or Karbam (Black) dust or 10 per cent Dithane Z-78 dust dusting mixed. Both are available [illegible] treatment.

For spraying, use two pounds of the Fermate or Karbam (Black) or 1½ pounds of Dithane Z-78 for [illegible] gallons of plant bed. Starting one week after plants are [illegible] apart [illegible] spray.

[illegible] information on blight [illegible] may be obtained from the local county agent or the Extension plant pathologist, State College.

VA Hospital libraries contain regularly 1,000,000 books, bound magazines and microfilms of books and magazines are being used on the average about seven times a month per patient.

EX-PREXY'S SON TO DELIVER FOUNDER'S DAY ADDRESS IN FLA.

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — Attorney [illegible] N. B. Young, the son of the late President N. B. Young, who served as president of Florida A. and M. College from 1901-1915, will deliver the Founder's Day Address at the College on March 19.

Young, who is a graduate of Howard University, Washington, D. C., and a member of the Florida Bar, is now a practicing attorney in Tallahassee.

Founder's Day week, March 12-19, is a time when the College pays tribute to its founders and benefactors.

Among the week's events will be a concert by the Florida A. and M. College Choir, a reception for the President, a tea given by the Women's Auxiliary to the College Wives, and a dance given by the Student Council.

Labor Migration Is School Problem

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Tens of thousands of [illegible] are denied adequate educational opportunities in the United States due to migratory labor practices, which [illegible] the nation's rural schools, which are in most instances not too well suited and equipped to meet the needs of their stable populations. In many cases, the rural school is not able to satisfy fully the needs of the boys and girls in their immediate locale. As a consequence, many migratory youth are unable to attend school at all.

The NEA feels that public education has a direct obligation to the children of migratory workers and the rural school districts which are imposed upon by this common labor practice. Since the vast majority of these laborers have to cross state lines in order of performing their services, the NEA believes the need of federal aid to education as a mandatory function of our government in meeting this [illegible] problem.

DISCUSS RESULTS OF POSSIBLE WONDER DRUG — If the new British drug, Antycedin, being experimented with in Africa proves successful, the scourge of sleeping sickness will be conquered and natives and animals will have a freer use. The major test, on a herd of 51 cattle, is taking place in a small settlement on the main Kampala-Mombasa road, an area infected by the tsetse fly, carrier of the disease. Here Dr. D. C. Davey (left) discusses the progress of a test with R. N. W. T. Finnes, senior veterinary officer of the British East African Veterinary organization. — (ANP)

FARM BUREAU

DURHAM — Dr. F. D. Bluford, president of A. and T. College, spoke to approximately 1,500 farmers at their first annual Farm Bureau meeting in the Richard B. Harison Auditorium, here Friday.

The national program of the Farm Bureau organization was outlined by Roger Fleming, representative of the national office in Washington, and Dr. J. H. Hilton of State College Station, Raleigh, gave stock information on the farming industry for 1949.

Also appearing on program was R. Blake Shaw, vice president and executive secretary of the North Carolina Farm Bureau Federation. Shaw presented highlights on initiating a state-wide program for Negroes.

EX-TENNESSEE SLAVE, 93

CHICAGO (ANP) — Mrs. Amanda Harris, 93-year-old former slave, died of a heart attack last week in her home here. She was born in Augusta, 1855, on a plantation near Memphis and lived there until after the Civil War.

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