

**STUDENTS EQUIPPED TO BECOME HOMEMAKERS**—Students enrolled in the Home Economics Department at the new Ligon High School are being thoroughly equipped to do a creditable job in Home Making. This department is under the supervision of Mrs. A. M. Levisler and Mrs. E. E. Tooles. Large areas of space have been allocated to the Home Economics Department. There are two all purpose rooms and two complete home units. Home Making as taught at Ligon is divided into many areas. Among the subjects taught in

this department are: child care, family relationship, family economics, foods and materials, clothing and textiles, and housing and health. As evidence of the popularity of these courses boys are among the students in all the areas of instruction.

The kitchen, which is in full view of the diner is equipped with every type of modern kitchen equipment. The equipment is made of stainless steel and is so arranged as to facilitate the preparation of meals. In the kitchen are three large electric ovens and from

these ovens come hot roasts and muffins several times a week. In addition to the huge double kitchen refrigerator and a large separate deep freezer, the Ligon kitchen is equipped with the only walk in cooler and refrigerator in the Raleigh school system.

### Ligon's Athletic Program An Integral Part Of System

Athletics is an integral part of the physical education set up at the new Ligon High School. The athletic program at this school is conducted on an intramural basis as well as inter-school competition. This year it is hoped that in addition to football and basketball, a well rounded program of inter-school participation in baseball, track and field events can be arranged.

Athletic affairs at the Ligon High School are controlled and supervised by an athletic committee. This committee under the chairmanship of Mr. George Nowell, is composed of four teachers who represent the faculty and two students chosen by the student council as student representatives. Mr. Nowell also serves as business manager for the Athletic Board of Control.

In as much as students are not required to pay an athletic fee and no funds for these activities are provided for by the school board, the athletic program must depend entirely on extra receipts for its maintenance.

#### INTRAMURAL WINNERS GIVEN BANQUET

Winners in intramural sports ac-

tivities are given a banquet, the cost of which is paid from the athletic budget. These winners are also given trophies and mementoes. The Athletic Committee is hoping that this year inter-school football will prove popular in addition to basketball. The Athletic Committee will offer inter-school sports such as football and track events next spring.

The new Gymnasium at the Ligon school with a seating capacity of 1,200, centrally located and affording the maximum in safety, comfort and attractiveness for patrons and players, should of itself insure large turnouts for the basketball games.

The Athletic Committee, while fully aware of the potential drawbacks of the gymnasium is nevertheless confident that the new building will attract a large number of spectators. As an indication of that determination, an inter-sectional basketball game has already been arranged for the new gymnasium with the Armstrong Technical High School of Winston-Salem, N. C.

The football season has already gotten started and both from a



competitive and a financial standpoint, should the basketball receipts reach a comparable level, the Athletic Committee will offer inter-school sports such as football and track events next spring.

#### THREE AREAS IN MUSIC DEPARTMENT

The Ligon Junior-Senior High School Music Department has three areas, namely Band, Directed by Mr. J. Edwards; strings and orchestra, directed by Mr. R. Thompson; and vocal, directed by Mrs. E. M. Kelly. Music in the high school is very necessary in the making of well rounded citizens who will be more cultured and happier with less strain on their nerves. Music is a good leisure time filler.

The heel dairymen can greatly reduce their feed bill by including abundant high quality roughage in their livestock feeding program. Approximately 1,347,000 of the 2,000,000 North Carolinians live on farms.

The acreage population of tobacco fields can be reduced by one-fourth by turning the roots of this year's crop out to dry in time filler.

#### LOSS FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM

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Resignation of Dr. W. B. Watson as principal of Carver School is regrettable from the standpoint of the educational system of Forsyth County. However, an educator must go where he believes there is opportunity for greater service. Dr. Watson accepted the principalship of a new school in Raleigh.

Dr. Watson has been very creative in his leadership of Carver, perhaps the finest and most modern of consolidated schools for Negroes in the southeastern states. Those who have visited the school and have seen for themselves the facilities and the excellent staff and faculty of the institution recognize the extent to which Forsyth has gone in raising the physical and teaching standards of education in this community. To Dr. Watson the people of Winston-Salem and Forsyth owe much of the credit for the superior operation of that modern school plant.

Panama. And the most singular aspect of this fact is that the majority of these graduates belong to the most humble classes of the Republic.

"They came to Howard," Mr. Heintzmann said, "without any intention in their eagerness to earn a living in this great and noble university."

Of Dr. Johnson, the Ambassador said: "He has performed a task over one thousand times meritorious." Dr. Spratlin was cited as a "decided divider of Isthmian culture" and Professor Anzenne for giving "initial impulse" to the exchange program.



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#### ART EXHIBITS AT LIGON

The field of Art has not been neglected at the new Ligon High School. The Art Department is housed in a long studio like room, fitted with drawing boards, easels, modeling and moulding equipment, cutting and drawing tables and tools and equipment for sculpture and block printing. The Art room is quite appropriately designed and furnished from the standpoint of utility and beauty. Miss M. C. Bullock is the capable supervisor of the Art Department.

### Rank Of Knight Is Given Three Howard Officials

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Republic of Panama's highest honor for private citizens, the Order of Vasco Nunez de Balboa, was bestowed upon Dr. Mordecai W. Johnson, president of Howard University, and two professors in the University's College of Liberal Arts at ceremonies held here recently at the Panamanian Embassy, City of Panama, director of public relations at Howard, announced recently.

The awards, which were made by Panamanian President Jose Antonio Romero Barrantes, Ambassador to the United States, were for "efforts made in favor of Panamanian culture" and "their contribution to Isthmian education."

The faculty members upon whom the honor was bestowed are

Dr. Valere B. Spratlin, professor of Romance Languages, and Mr. Gustav Anzenne, associate professor of business administration. They along with Dr. Johnson, are now Knights of the Order of Balboa.

Speaking at the presentation ceremonies, Ambassador Heintzmann said that through the efforts of Howard University, and the three honorees in particular, a program of educational exchange between the University of Panama and Howard has been initiated and that the fruits of this program will be borne out in the near future.

"These are noble Panamanians who have been educated in the classrooms of Howard University," he said. "These graduates of this meritorious university are leaders

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**MRS. SANDERS, A CAPABLE MANAGER**—The Ligon school cafeteria is under the capable management of Mrs. W. A. Sanders, a home economics graduate with 14 years experience in handling food. Assisting Mrs. Sanders are five other workers, two of whom are cooks with many years of experience in that art.

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