

Fine Arts Festival At FSTC Hears State College Prof.

FAYETTEVILLE — The annual Fine Arts Festival at the Fayetteville State Teachers College, Fayetteville, N. C. sponsored by the Area of Music and Fine Arts began on Monday May 3 when an assembly lecture on the nature and place of art was given by Professor Duncan R. Stuart of the School of Painting and Design at the North Carolina State College at Raleigh, North Carolina. At the conclusion of his discourse, Mr. Stuart explained the origin and character of a number of his own prize-winning productions.

Wednesday saw the presentation of the dance group from the local E. E. Smith High School which featured such numbers as "Clair De Lune", "Jacob's Ladder", and "Slaughter on Tenth Avenue". On Wednesday evening came a program by the city and county schools of Fayetteville, and on Thursday, the students of music at the college appeared in recital. Senior Alva Chaplin sang "Ah, Love But A Day" and "The Answer", and Charles Richardson, a senior

recently returned from Korea, was heard in "Where'er You Wake" and "La Donna E Mobile".

The college Drama Guild, under the direction of Miss Lois P. Turner, staged on Friday evening its spring production, "Strange Bedfellows," a comedy in three acts, and the annual May Day exercise featuring the freshman young women's class in physical education and variety of campus talent came on Saturday.

The theme was "The Awakening of Spring." The May Day program was directed by Miss Lauretta Taylor, Director of Physical Education for women students.

A concert by the college choir in the college auditorium on Sunday concluded the festival. Miss Florence P. Eaton and Mrs. Helen T. Chick are instructors in Art and Miss Mary E. Terry is Chairman of the Area of Music and Fine Arts.

Bishop Gibbs, Dr. Bunche To Highlight FAMU Finals

TALLAHASSEE — One of the largest crowds ever to assemble in spacious Lee auditorium is expected to hear Dr. Ralph Johnson Bunche, internationally famous diplomat, deliver the commencement address at Florida A. and M. University, Monday morning, May 31 at nine o'clock.

Bishop Carey A. Gibbs, chancellor of Edward Waters College, and presiding bishop of the 11th District of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday afternoon, May 30 at two-thirty in Lee auditorium.

Dr. Bunche is presently serving as principal director of the Department of Trusteeship and Information for Non-Self Governing Territories, United Nations Secretariat, New York City.

However, there is currently a great deal of speculation in diplomatic circles that the will soon of Under-Secretary General of the U. N.—a position a "international troubleshooter."

The soft-spoken diplomat was awarded the 1950 Nobel Peace Prize for his settling of the Arab-Jewish dispute of 1948. And it is believed that his first assignment as U. N. under-secretary would again send him to the middle east.

The commencement season begins at FAMU on Friday, May 21 at ten A. M. with President George W. Gore, Jr., holding his annual conference with the seniors. Other activities for the day include the annual awards day program at noon and the Junior-Senior prom at nine p. m.

The remainder of the commencement program follows: Monday, May 24, granting of diplomas and vocational certificates, 12 noon; Thursday, May 27, senior class program, seven o'clock; Saturday, May 29, annual alumni meeting, nine a. m., annual alumni banquet, honoring the classes ending in "four" and alumni dance, ten p. m.; Sunday, May 30, senior consecration service, ten a. m.; Bishop Carey A. Gibbs—Baccalaureate speaker for Baccalaureate Services, two-thirty p. m.; President and Mrs. Gore's reception for seniors, parents, the Alumni, the faculty, and friends, six p. m.; Monday, May 31, Commencement Exercises, nine a. m., Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, speaker.

Grays Blank Nash County Nine

Spring Hope — The Raleigh Grays made it two in a row over the Nash County Ramblers recently, behind the three (3) hit pitching of Knuck Womack. Womack fanned 11 and issued two passes in the 6-0 shutout.

Rogers was the victim of the Grays' six hit attack. Cliff Satham, winner of the contest, playing 3B, paced the winners at the plate with a double and a single in three official trips. Blalock, Taplett, Battle, and LeSane each collected a safety.

The Grays scored 4 runs in the top of the 2nd on 4 walks and an error by Rambler keystoner, Eickert. They annexed 2 more in the 5th on a walk to Hennessee and successive singles by Blalock and Taplett.

The Grays will face the Nashville Tigers, from Nashville, Tenn., Friday night, May 14, at 8:15 PM in Chavis Park. The Tigers are currently sporting a perfect record of 8 wins and no losses for the season and is expected to offer some tough competition. Cicero Warren is slated to start for the Grays.



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RECEIVES POPE'S BLESSINGS — Catholics from all over the world recently gathered at St. Peter's, Rome, to receive the first blessing of Pope Pius XII since he was stricken by illness. An American GI was among the thousands who heard the Catholic church head pray for banishment of atomic, biological and chemical weapons, excepting for defense. (Newspress Photo.)

Green Bay Packers Name Six Negro Grid Players

GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP) — Snatching a little space from baseball, track and summer sports, pro football roars its head and roars from the Wisconsin wilds where the Green Bay Packers maintain headquarters.

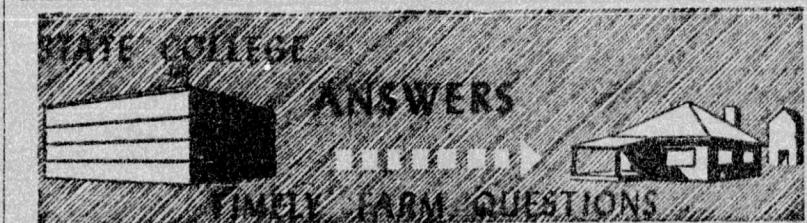
They are proud of the colored football stars signed and general manager Vorne Lowellen, one time Packer star, names them. Of course old timer Bob Mann, a 175 pound crackerjack who made history at Michigan playing with the Cleveland Browns' giant Len Ford.

This year, Bob has plenty of company in camp. Big contender for his job is Emory Barnes, former captain at Oregon. He stands 6-5 and scales 220. Another end is Hosean Sims, 6 footer from Marquette, who weighs 192, and tackles Sam Marshall, 6-2, 240-pounder from Florida A&M, and Bill Buford, 6-1 from Morgan State.

Speedy Veryl Switzer, 5-11, 190 pounder from Kansas State is the only tan back on the squad, but coach Lisle Blackburn, starting his first year with the Packers, knows about Switzer. Veryl starred in the East-West Shrine Game at San Francisco's Kozar Stadium last winter.

Fresh from Marquette University where he enjoyed great success, "Lis" as Blackburn is called, will be assisted by Tom Heardon, Ray McLean, former Bear speedster, and Lou Rymkus, a Cleveland Brown stalwart who played tackle at Notre Dame.

The state's oat crop made very good improvement in all areas. The bulk of the reports show the crop to be in good condition in all areas of the state. Several reports of "very good" condition were received for the first time—these being fairly well scattered over the state.



QUESTION: Can tea be grown successfully in North Carolina?

ANSWER: The tea plant can be grown in North Carolina but the state is certainly on the edge of its survival range. It will prob-

ably survive, but not grow very well. In general one might say that where camellias grow, tea can grow also. The prospect of marketing North Carolina grown tea would seem to be slim. Attempting to grow tea in an area where it is not ideally suited, and then trying to market it in competition with cheaply produced Oriental teas would not be practical.

QUESTION: Is the nitrogen content of the soil directly related to yields of corn?

ANSWER: Yes. Southern soils are generally low in nitrogen. Many researchers have found that nitrogen is the first limiting factor in corn production.

QUESTION: What is a pre-emergence treatment in regard to treating corn with a chemical weed killer?

ANSWER: A pre-emergence treatment is a spray applied to the soil after the corn is planted and before it emerges. This treatment may be considered an "insurance" that weeds will not over-grow seedling corn, particularly in bottomland during a wet season. At recommended rates, the chemical 2, 4-D will not control established perennial grasses such as Johnson grass, Bermuda grass and quackgrass. While present in the soil 2, 4-D will destroy most germinating seeds, including crabgrass.

Scores Highest Mark In Army Exams

FAYETTEVILLE — Private Majolin B. Hunter, a first string Bronco guard on the basketball team, before he entered the service, recently received a letter of commendation from his Commanding Officer at the Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Aberdeen, Maryland, for his making the highest score on the Physical Training Test. For his achievement, he was given a three-day

pass. The letter read "I wish to congratulate you at this time on your average score of 465 in the P.T. test. This score is the highest attained out of a company of over 240 men, which makes it especially excellent."

Private Hunter is a sophomore and hails from Newark, New Jersey.

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