



Pictured above are members of the DeShazor Alumni Chapter Number Nine. The photo was taken at the regular monthly meeting of the group which was held Monday afternoon, February 7.

Seated, left to right, Mrs. Mollie Mitchell, Mrs. Iola Goss, Mrs. Elvira Flintall, Mrs. Zelma Adams, Mrs. Josephine Perry, Mrs. Callie Day, Mrs. Thelma Hill, Mrs. Pecola Jones, Miss Marie McCoy, Mrs. Mereline Johnson, Miss Bonnie Reide, Mrs. Classic Brown.

Standing, left to right, Miss Victoria Moore, Mrs. Early Grandy, Mrs. Willie Watkins, Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. Lennie Bruton, Mrs. Magnolia Leake, Mrs. Callie Ashford, Mrs. Evalee Ellison, Miss Montese Bates, Mrs. Fidela Brooks, Mrs. Margaret Harris, Mrs. Alice Lewis, Miss Rose Henderson, Mrs. Esther Bland, and Elveta Monroe.

SAYS ACCIDENTS MAJOR CAUSE OF CRIPPLING OF CHILDREN IN NORTH CAROLINA

RALEIGH — Accidents are a major cause of crippling of children in North Carolina, according to a study made by the Social Security Administration and released this week by the North Carolina State Board of Health.

The Federal Agency studied the 238,000 children receiving services from Crippled Children's Clinics in 52 U. S. states and territories and found that accidents caused the crippling of almost 13,000.

In 1952 in North Carolina, 8,315 children registered for clinic services; of this number, 634 sought aid in overcoming a handicap resulting from an accident. It was pointed out by a State Board of Health safety spokesman.

Fires were the most frequent type of accident in this state which resulted in a crippling condition. It was shown by the study which indicated that 23 per cent of all crippled children served had been burned.

"A total of almost eight per cent of all crippled children in the study in North Carolina had been involved in an accident prior to the development of

crippling condition," Dr. Charles Cameron, accident epidemiologist said.

"Only two other Southern states, Florida and Georgia had higher percentages of total crippling resulting from accidents. Virginia, South Carolina, and Tennessee all recorded fewer handicaps from accidents in childhood than did North Carolina.

"Accidents not only are the leading cause of death in

childhood, but as this study shows are a frequent cause of handicapping a child throughout life," Dr. Cameron said.

He emphasized that the study showed that crippling from burns and other accidents was one of the most expensive conditions to treat and that each dollar spent for accident prevention returns ten-fold in the prevention of death, suffering, and economic loss.

Discrimination Charges Filed Against School Board

TRENTON, N. J. — Charges that the New Jersey laws against discrimination have been violated were made here today against the Englewood, N. J. School Board in a brief filed with the New Jersey Department of Education, Division Against Discrimination.

The action was brought in the name of the New Jersey Attorney General and in behalf of two Negro parents and their children who charged the En-

glewood School Board with discriminating. It was filed by Deputy Attorney General Thomas P. Cook, NAACP Legal Defense attorneys, Constance Baker Motley and Jack Greenberg of New York, and attorney for the Trenton Branch of the NAACP, Leonard Williams.

In this brief, counsel for the Negroes pointed out for the first time in any legal school proceeding, that in drawing dis-

trict lines school boards have an affirmative duty to take into account the mental hazard of segregation. It is not enough, they urged, that lines be drawn with regard only to such physical hazards as crossing heavily traveled streets. This duty to promote desegregation, they charged, the Englewood Board has ignored.

The litigation specifically charged the Englewood School Board with discrimination against the Negro children by establishing school zone boundaries to include most of the city's Negro population in one zone and maintaining "without just cause" an all-Negro elementary and junior high school.

Garland Adult Farm Class Gets Advice On Loans

GARLAND — William Henry, of the Farmers Home Administration office in Clinton, spoke before 48 members of the Garland Adult Farm Class during its February meeting. He brought timely and useful information about the various loans that are available to farmers through his office. Some of the loans are Tenant Purchase, Building and Improvement, Farm Development, Soil and Water, and operating loans.

A recent survey made by the Garland Agriculture Department of better land use through soil testing, reveals that quite a few farmers have recognized the need of proper fertilization and liming of their crops in order to increase their yields. This is especially true in this period of decreased acreage and allotments on the major cash crops.

The following farmers have had their soil tested in order to increase their per acre yields: James Simpson, Isiah Herring, W. T. Thomas, Clarence Herring, Maldon Spearman, Margaret Spearman, W. A. Clifford, Walter Hill, Robie Hill, Owen Melvin, Eddie Brunson, Cive Vann, Ivey Lee Vann, Herman Vann, Ulysses Smith, Troy Smith, Utley Herring, J. H. Newkirk, Balie Melvin, Amos Carter, and Fletcher Manuel.



SNOW IN FLORIDA—When Tallahassee's first snow in more than four years: Caught frolicking in the swirling snowflakes were Florida A and M senior coeds Vernice Lone of Gainesville, Florida, (r) and Vivian Moore of Jacksonville.

Committee On Scholarships Sponsors Drive

North Carolina College's Scholarship Committee will sponsor its second benefit show in Duke Auditorium on April 6 when the music department faculty members and local singers appear in Gian Carlo Menotti's opera, "The Consul."

The cast includes: Mrs. Elna Spaulding, Mrs. Margaret Kennedy Goodwin, Mrs. Marian Spaulding, Mrs. Nell Hunter, Mrs. C. Ruth Edwards, Officer J. B. Samuels, J. B. McClinton, Atty. Stanley Hebert, and students William Eaton, David Reid, and Edward Hudson.

-NAACP Leader-

(Continued from Page Three) Court on May 17, he had the people of Whiteville, and Columbus County to understand that the only school system having a right to expect integration in the schools are those who have indicated that they wanted it. He further stated that if the other systems wanted integration, there should be some indications made now.

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Mrs. R. O. Everett, Attorney

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Notice of Administration
Having qualified as administratrix of the Estate of C. T. Willis, deceased, late of Durham County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned, at 3101 Fayetteville Rd., Durham, North Carolina, on or before the 15th day of January, 1956, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This the 15th day of January, 1955.
Virginia Willis, Administratrix
H. E. Beech, Attorney

Administrators Notice To Creditors
Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of James Edwin Dickson, Sr., late of Durham County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at 2710 Elgin Street, Durham, N. C., on or before the 1st day of February, 1956, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
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