



IN ARMY NURSE CORPS
— Misses Marilyn Wilder, left center, Goldboro, N. C., and Gloria Peacock, Benson, N. C. both senior students in the A. and T. College School of Nursing, were last week commissioned as second lieutenants in the U. S. Army Nurse Corps. At left is Mrs. Naomi Wynn,

dean of the school, and at right is Major Dests Casagat, U. S. Army Nurse Corps.

NCTA Official Speaks at Oxford

OXFORD — The need for having a strong program at the local level was advocated Monday, December 10, by Dr. Charles A. Lyons, Jr., Executive Secretary of the North Carolina Teachers Association in a speech here.

Fort McPherson, Ga., who conducted the oath ceremony.

Dr. Lyons stated that there should be positive objectives and a positive program at the local level as well as at the state level.

He was presented by F. D. McNeill, President of the Oxford City Unit of the North Carolina Teachers Association.

Prior to Dr. Lyons' speech a discussion group composed of Mrs. E. S. McNeill, Mrs. W. B. Gibson, Miss M. E. Venable, Mrs. R. C. Hunt, and Mrs. L. H. Miller discussed the importance of joining the NEA, NCTA, ATA, Oxford City Teachers Association and Unified membership.

The reason for the increase, as had been stated earlier by the Post Office was to prevent the service from becoming too burdened with debt.



PROMOTED — Technical Sergeant James J. Ware, supply supervisor and leadership training NCO at A. and T. College, was last week promoted to the rank of master sergeant. He completed with 528 other technical sergeants for one of the 38 openings in his grade.

N. C. Methodist Give \$7,000 to Bennett College

GREENSBORO — Churches of the North Carolina Methodist Conference (Central Jurisdiction) contributed \$7,015 to Bennett College at the annual "roll call" held in the Little Theatre at the college Tuesday.

Bishop Edgar A. Love, head of the Baltimore Area, who presided, received reports from the superintendents of the four conference districts.

Heading the lists was the Greensboro district for which the Rev. L. A. Brown reported \$2,335. The Rev. H. W. Phillips reported \$1,830 for the Western district and the Rev. J. J. Patterson reported \$1,450 for the Winston district. The Laurinburg district, headed by S. L. Townsend, reported \$1,300.

The contributions to Bennett ran roughly \$300 ahead of contributions made by this time last year. The conference reported a total of \$45,435.65 for all benevolences.

Bishop Love, in addressing the ministers, said that the great failing of religion has been its inability to "create a family of God," one in which all men view one another as brothers. President Willis B. Player who welcomed the visitors and thanked them for their generosity, later was hostess at a luncheon for ministers and their wives and a number of faculty and staff members in the dining center of the David D. Jones Student Union.

Postal Rates Going up Again On January 7

It will cost one whole nickel to mail a letter first class inside the United States after Jan. 7. The U. S. Post Office announced this week.

The Post office released this week its new rate schedule showing increases on all classes of mail except second class.

Most of the nation's huge newspaper and magazine publishing industry use second class mail to distribute their publications.

The new rate increases, the most noticeable of which is the one cent increase on first class mail per ounce, will affect millions of Americans. It will raise the cost of sending a letter from the current way which is now four cents to five cents.

The increase also affects third and fourth class mail and permit imprint fees.

Air-mail letters will cost eight cents per ounce instead of the present, seven cents per ounce rate.

A Post Card, once mailed for one penny, will now cost four cents.

The increase hikes the rates on third class mail from three cents for the first two ounces to four cent for the first two. It raises circulars postage rate from 16 cents per pound to 18 cents.

The rate increases were originally forecast last year by the Post Office. When they were announced a stir went up from habitual users for the mail. However, the Post Office stuck by its decision and went ahead with the hike.

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NEW HOLY CHURCH LEADER
The Rt. Rev. Oza T. Jones, of Philadelphia (spotted, second from left) newly elected leader of the Church of God in Christ, is shown here with other bishops of the church assembled during the 55th convocation of the church in Memphis, Tenn., recently, Bishop Jones, elected dur-

ing the convocation, replaces the late Bishop C. H. Mason who died last year. Pictured are, seated, left to right, bishops A. B. McEwan, Memphis; Jones, and J. O. Patterson, Memphis. Standing, left to right, are bishops L. H. Ford, Chicago; J. W. White, New Orleans; Wyoming Wells, Greensboro; John S. Bail-

ly, Detroit; C. E. Bennett, Gary, Ind.; and W. G. Shipman, Detroit.

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Sunday, December 30, 1962

9:30 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL

Superintendent Ruby Hargraves

11:00 A.M. MORNING WORSHIP

SERMON

The Minister

Music by the Senior Choir

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Sunday, December 30, 1962

9:30 SUNDAY SCHOOL

"When We are Disciples"
Miss Marie Faulk, Superintendent

11:00 A.M. MORNING WORSHIP

SERMON—"Where is He?"

MUSIC The Gospel Choir
Miss Ellen Warren, Organist

1:00 P.M. EVENING WORSHIP

SERMON by the Minister

MUSIC The Gospel Chorus
Miss Ellen Warren at the Console

ANNUAL WATCH MEETING, DECEMBER 31, 11 P. M.

FREE PARKING ON SAINT JOSEPH STREET

"A FRIENDLY CHURCH"

White Rock Baptist Church

WHITE ROCK SQUARE DURHAM, N. C.

Miles Mark Fisher, Pastor

Sunday, December 30, 1962

8:45 A.M. CALL TO WORSHIP Electronics

9:30 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

"God Comes to Us", John 1:1-18.
Review of Lesson by J. W. Carrington
Dr. Charles A. Ray, Superintendent

11:00 A.M. SERMON The Rev. J. M. Lightsey

Young Peoples Choir,
Mrs. V. W. Alston, Directress

6:30 P.M. BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

Mrs. Hattie F. Boykin, Leader

7:30 P.M. Program auspices Minerva Womack Circle

"When and How to Witness" The Pastor
Gospel Chorus
Miss Leana E. Roberson, Directress

Monday, December 31—10:00 P.M. Gladys Holloway McNeill
Watch Night Memorial for Deceased Church Members 1962,
A. T. Emmerence District with the Rev. Robert E. Page

Hampton Helps Neediest Families

HAMPTON, Va. — The 10 neediest families in the Hampton area, representing 63 children, were treated to an abundant Christmas by Hampton Institute students, faculty and staff.

Each floor of every dormitory on the campus has adopted a child for the occasion. Gifts of toys and clothing and candy will be purchased by the students and then be specially wrapped. Faculty and staff of the college will contribute funds for food and other necessities.

The project was started 10 years ago by A. B. Owens, maintenance superintendent at

Devane Elected To Mental Health Body In Raleigh

RALEIGH — Dr. Carl Devane of Shaw University has been elected to a four year term on the Board of Director of the Mental Health Center of Raleigh and Wake County.

He will succeed E. L. Ralford, YMCA Executive who has completed a similar term and who nominated Devane for the post.

Hampton Institute, and students volunteered to join with him last year.

New Season

GREENSBORO — The Theatre Guild at Bennett College opened its season with the presentation of three one-act plays in the Little Theatre on Friday and Saturday nights.

Miss Emma Watson, of Birmingham, Ala. gave a moving portrayal of the nagging wife in "Before Breakfast," a serious drama by Eugene O'Neil, about a marriage that failed. The other two plays were comedies "Here We Are" by Dorothy Parker and "Ovetones" by Alice Gerstenberg. Miss Paulette Grant, a freshman from Philadelphia, Pa., made an impressive debut as the bride in the Parker comedy and Leonard Spencer, as the husband, gave excellent support.

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