

## Foundation Grants \$60,000 to ABC for Nationwide Alumni Program

BOSTON, MA - The Northwest Area Foundation of St. Paul, Minnesota has made a two-year grant of \$60,000 to ABC Alumni assisting the pilot program in the variety of activities each alumni group will develop.

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Twin Cities include Debra Carter McCray, a systems analyst with Northwest Bancorporation and Lenza McElrath, an attorney

with the Minneapolis law firm of Dorsey, Winthorts, Hannaford, Whitney and Halladay.

"This latest funding recognizes the importance of developing a nationwide Alumni Association to maintain contact with our graduates as resource people for future activities, recruitment programs and financial support," Boyd said. Northwest Area, one of the nation's largest private foundations, has designated this latest ABC grant to be applied to pilot alumni programs in Minneapolis/St. Paul, New York City and Washington, D. C.

Created in 1963 by a group of independent secondary schools committed to increasing the number of minority students on their campuses, ABC has placed more than 5,000 students and has graduated more than 3,400 students to date from independent day and boarding schools, as well as selected public secondary schools across the country.

With 123 member schools, ABC's efforts are aided by a network of volunteers and resource people in 10 regions and numerous chapter cities across the United States.

"The Twin Cities chapter has become one of the most active," Boyd noted. "Studies there and elsewhere show that our graduates have pursued a wide range of occupations, among them lawyers, doctors, economists, teachers, bankers and corporate managers. Their unique training will add to the



Television's finest dramatic hours of the past season on all the networks will be recalled when the ABC Television Network presents "The Television Annual 1978/79" at a gala party on Monday, May 14 (9:00-11:00 p.m., EDT), on WRAL-TV Channel 5.

Gala TV Party

Representing these many moving hours are (center background) Michael Learned (left — "The Waltons") and Georg Stanford Brown ("Roots") representing American Heritage; James Stephens (left) and John Houseman (center), both of "The Paper Chase;" Olivia Cole (r) of "Backstairs at the White House" representing "professions," and Cicely Tyson (left foreground) to speak of women's roles in drama.



New Family Play

Graham Brown and Barbara Montgomery are reflected in the mirror of his iron lung as they are featured in America's internationally acclaimed Negro Ensemble Company production of Steve Carter's "Nevis Mountain Dew" which will embark on a Southern States tour in February 1980. Leaving its home base in New York, the company under the artistic direction of co-founder Douglas Turner Ward is playing a six week run at Washington, D.C.'s Arena Stage. For information call: Southern Arts Federation (404) 577-7244 or The Negro Ensemble Company (212) 575-5860.

## SCS Student Accepted At High Energy Lab

ORANGEBURG, S.C.—Solomon Levy, a sophomore from Sumter majoring on physics at South Carolina State College, has been selected to participate in the Fermi National Accelerated Summer Training Program outside of Chicago. The laboratory is one of the leading high energy physics laboratories in the world.

The summer program is designed to interest minority students in pursuing careers in physics or related fields. At the laboratory, the students are assigned work with scientists doing experiments, operating the accelerator or carrying out other scientific work of the laboratory. The assignments are carefully

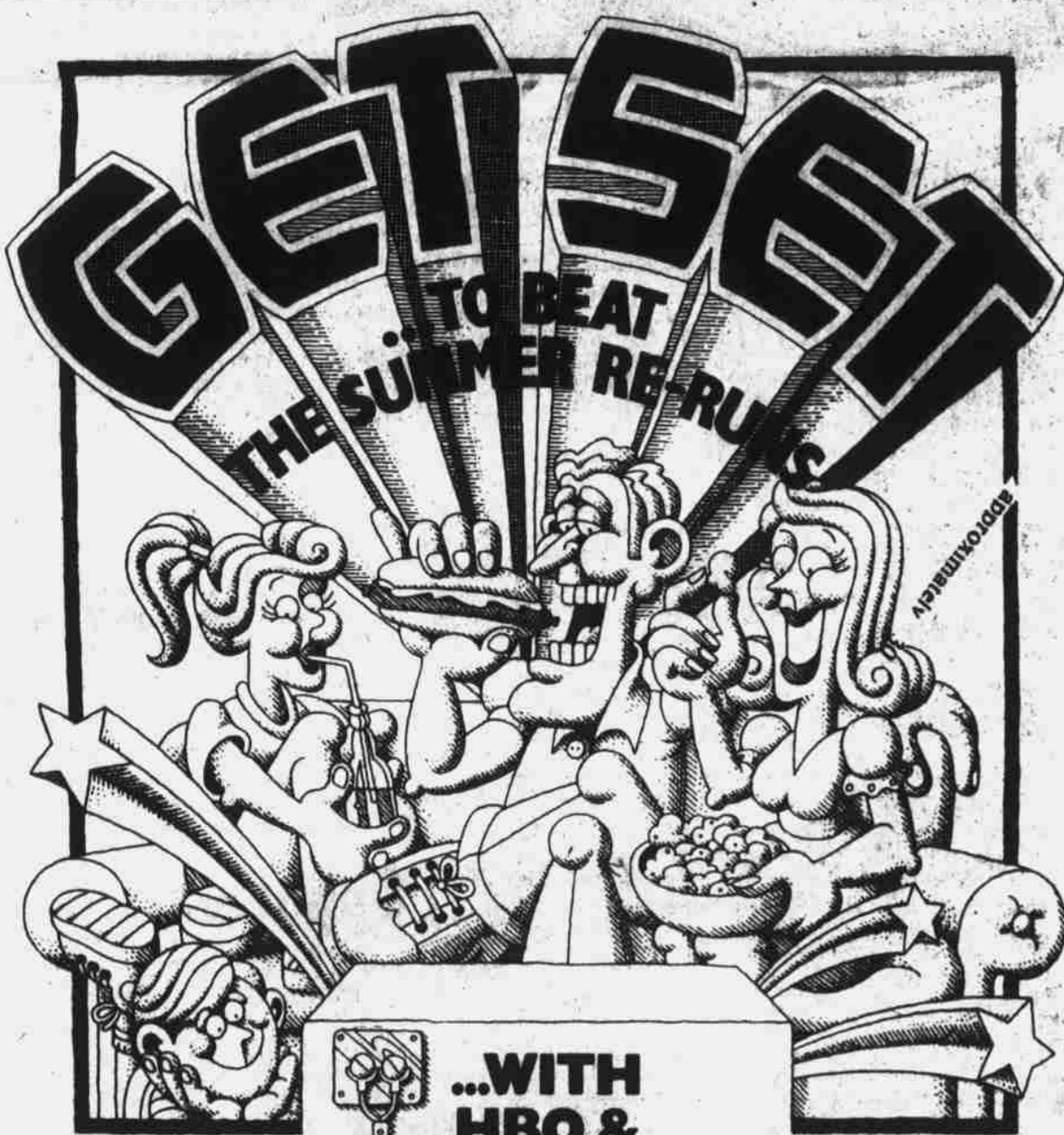
chosen for each student by the summer program committee, a group of laboratory scientists who also participate in selecting the students.

A series of lectures on scientific topics is also given as part of the program.

The laboratory operates a 400 billion electron volt (BeV) proton accelerator. Scientists from all over the United States and from many other nations to carry out the experiments studying the nature and properties of subatomic particles in the atomic nucleus. This pure research center supported by the United States Department of Energy, encompasses 6800 acres.

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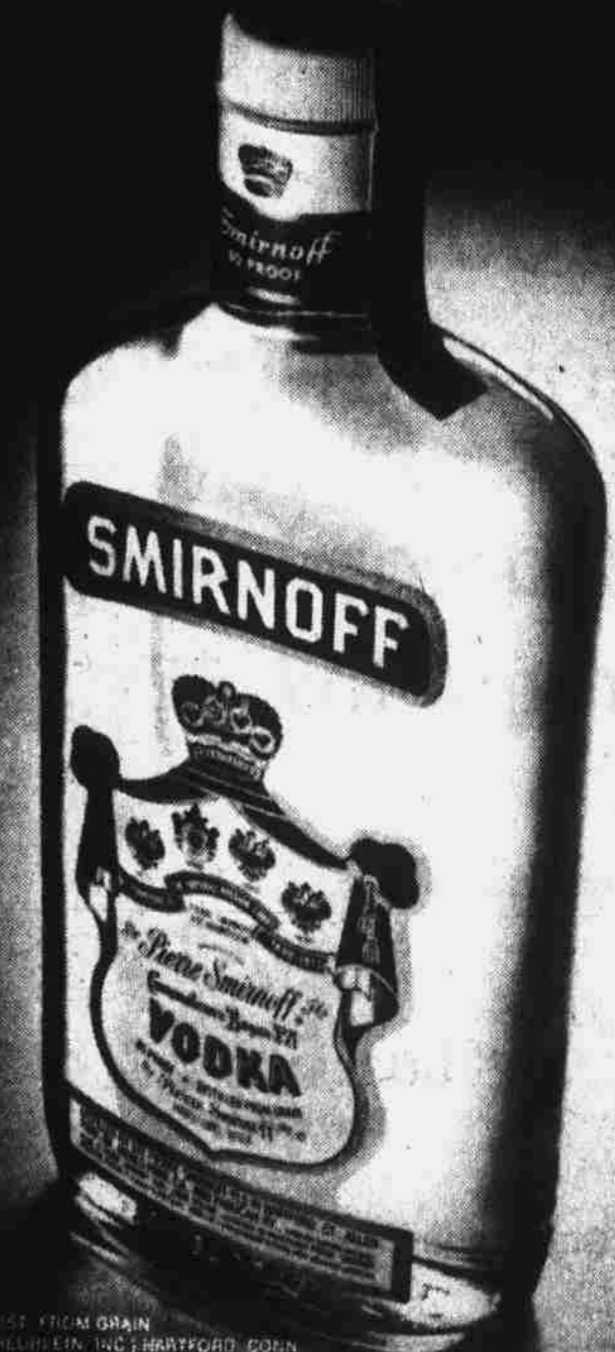
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