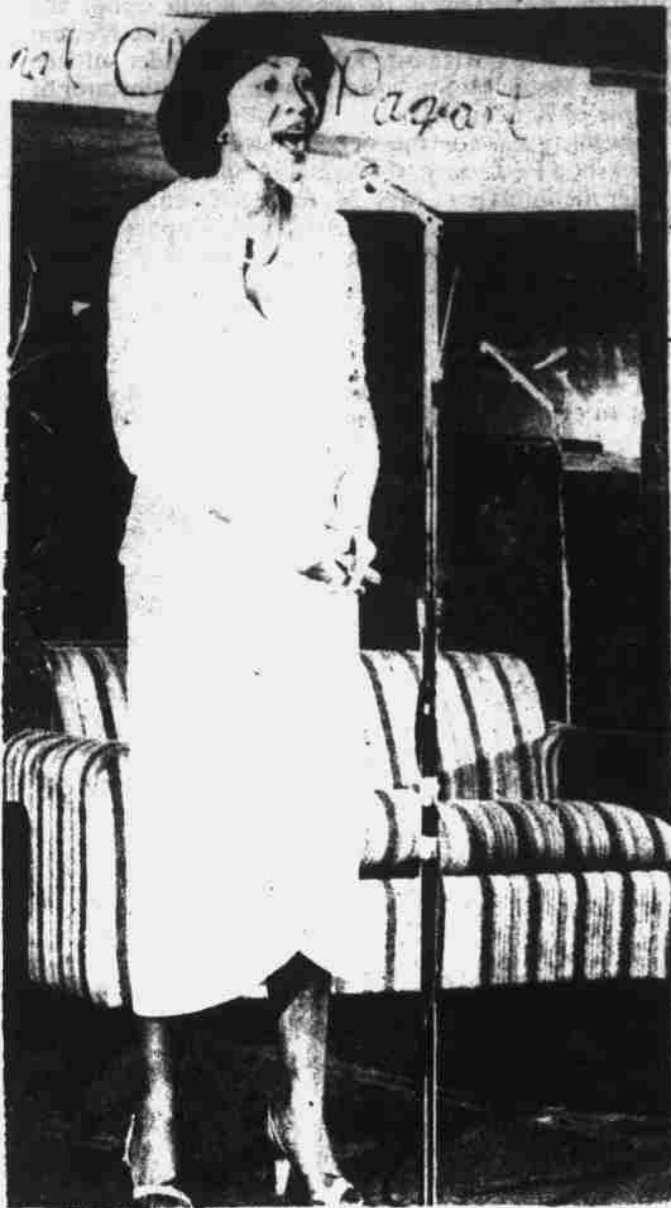


RJR To Help Promote Developing Administrative Grads



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GREENSBORO—The oil and gas industry is overlooking a valuable source of prospective professionals when it recruits solely from schools specializing in petroleum studies, the chief executive of Aminoil USA, Inc. told North Carolina A&T University educators recently.

Discussing petroleum career opportunities with A&T officials, George E. Trimble, who heads the energy unit of R.J. Reynolds Industries, Inc., said the meeting represented the beginning of an expanded Aminoil program to seek and assist in developing administrative and technical graduates from schools that do not specialize in petroleum studies.

"This visit is particularly significant to me since it represents Aminoil's initial step in an intensified effort to seek out prospective professionals at predominantly black schools which do not offer degrees in the petroleum disciplines," Trimble said. "I believe that the petroleum industry is overlooking a valuable source of potential administrative and technical talent when it recruits solely from those traditional institutions that focus on petroleum studies," he added.

A&T State University offers several degrees in engineering and business administration, although petroleum engineering is not among the university's areas of specialization, Trimble said his company's development program would enable non-petroleum technical degree graduates to "convert" to petroleum engineers. Trimble added that graduates holding business or finance degrees provide almost immediate value to a company since little additional formal training is required.

Trimble said that the current levels of oil and gas exploration and production activities, which peaked in the late 1970s, have placed a heavy burden on the pool of professionals available for careers in the oil industry.

He said minorities—blacks and women—currently represent a very small percentage of the industry's professional, particularly in the specialized fields of geology, geophysics and petroleum engineering.

Trimble said that his company's new program will make it possible to

take a person graduating with a mechanical engineering degree—such as that offered at A&T—and provide extensive training to prepare that person for a career in petroleum operations.

Aminoil, which is the nation's third largest independent oil company, is headquartered in Houston, Texas, and engages primarily in domestic exploration and production, although it also has foreign operations. In addition, Aminoil also processes and sells natural gas liquids; markets crude oil, natural gas and petroleum products; and develops and supplies geothermal steam.

Trimble said that the company's wide-ranging operations offer careers in an industry that has a relatively low potential for unemployment in the long term.

He said that Aminoil's ongoing affirmative action program has increased the company's utilization of minorities in job categories ranging from blue collar assignments at exploration and production sites to managerial positions at Aminoil facilities throughout the country.

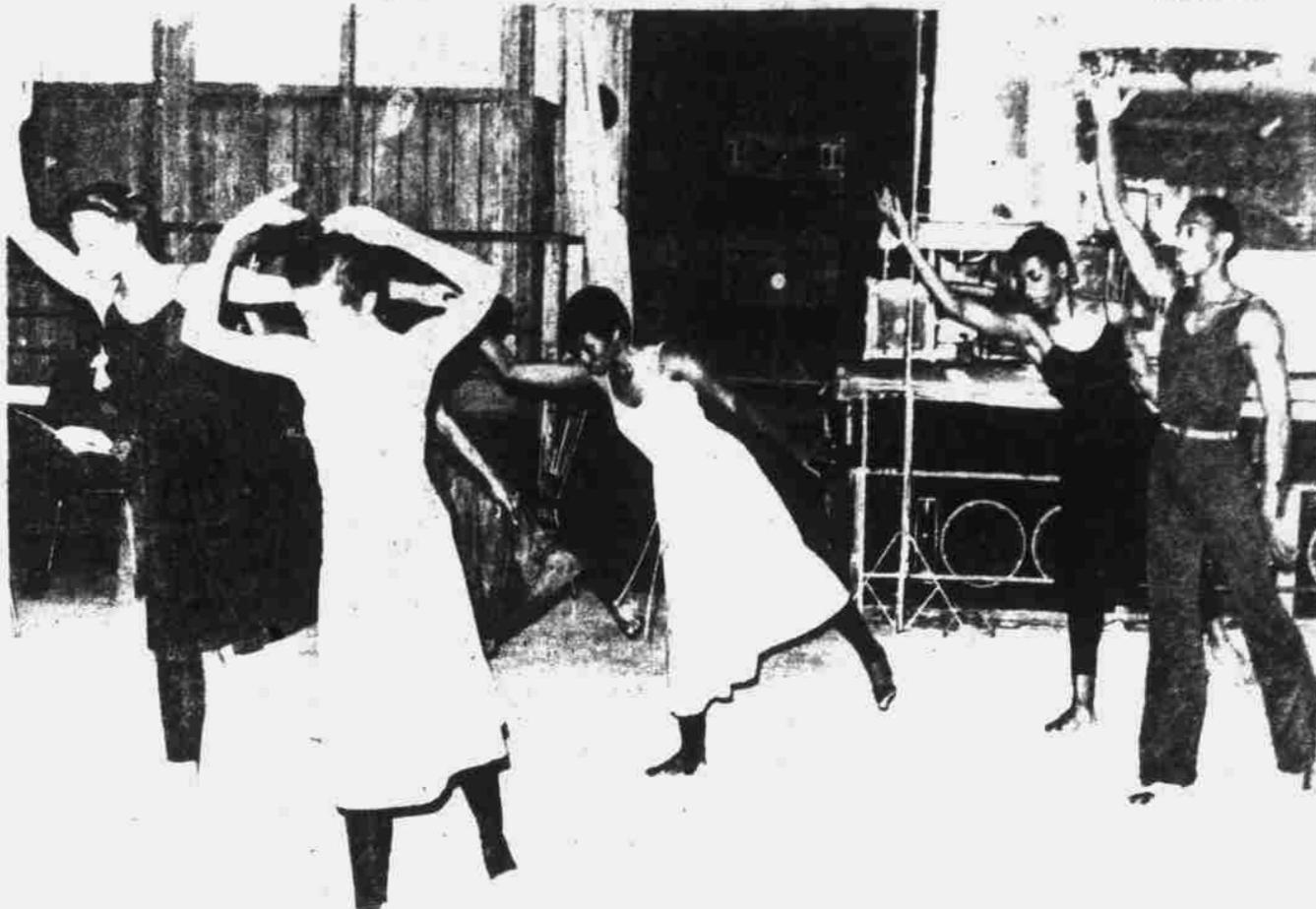
Trimble said that in addition to the intensified recruiting program,

Aminoil is providing minorities and women more opportunities to be exposed to the company's operations before graduating from college. Under a summer intern program, an individual may have the opportunity to work at onshore sites or

offshore platforms, possibly becoming an engineering aide, performing calculations and taking on an individual assignment. The intern program also provides opportunities for career development in financial and other business ad-

ministration positions. "This type training provides early exposure to the nature of our business and enables him or her to more smoothly plot a career path," Trimble said. R.J. Reynolds Industries, with headquarters in Winston-

Salem, is the parent company of R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co.; Del Monte Corp. (processed foods, beverages and fresh fruit); R.J. Reynolds Tobacco International, Inc.; Aminoil USA, Inc. (energy); Sea-Land Industries Investments.



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