

### Pat Johnson Leaves For Chicago To Study At Sherwood School

St. Augustine, Fla., June 15—Pat Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson leaves tonight for Chicago to accept a 1950 Summer Session Scholarship at the Sherwood School of Music. The scholarship award is based on Pat's record of tests sent to the school for grading and upon recommendation of his teacher, Miss Grace Rowley as to his talent, stability of character etc.

During the six week period, Pat will receive private instruction in piano from an artist teacher and he will participate in classes in harmony theory and history and literature of music. Pat will arrive in Chicago in time to attend the 55th commencement concert of the school given in the famous Orchestra Hall.

Pat is a popular member of the high school set of this city. He has been studying piano with Miss Grace Rowley for the past six years, and has been a member of the St. Augustine school band since its organization four years ago, playing cornet, in fact Pat

### MARSHALL SEES WIFE GET DEGREE



**SMILING PROUDLY**, Gen. George C. Marshall looks on as Mrs. Marshall is awarded an honorary degree of Doctor of Human Letters. Making the presentation at graduation exercises in Pittsburgh is Dr. Paul Anderson, president of the Pennsylvania College for Women. (International)

is considered one of the best musicians in the band. Pat has also been an active member of the St. Augustine choral club since its organization, and has been active in church choirs. In the past year Pat organized and conducted a dance orchestra of high school boys, which was a most successful undertaking and proved popular with the young people in the community, especially Teen-Town. In his spare time Pat has been employed in a local music store, for the past two years. Pat's musical ambition at the present time is to become a symphony conductor—which requires training in all phases of music. While in Chicago, Pat will attend every symphony

concert presented, and his many friends wish him a happy and musical summer.

Pat Johnson is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Davis, of Wilkesboro.

### New Small Grains Make Good Yields

Highly satisfactory yields are being reported by farmers harvesting the new small grain varieties recently released by the North Carolina Experiment Station, according to W. E. Colwell, head of the Station's agronomy department.

Colwell referred particularly to the new Atlas wheats and to Colonial barley, all of which were released to growers a year ago. G. K. Middleton and T. T. Hebert, plant breeders at the Station, developed and tested the new grains.

Atlas 50 and Atlas 66 are sister strains noted for their stiff straw and resistance to leaf diseases. Last year Atlas 50 yielded an average of 32 bushels per acre at nine locations. Redhart, the most widely grown variety in the State, averaged only 21 bushels per acre in the same tests.

Colonial barley has consistently outyielded other barley varieties, Colwell said. At the McCullers Branch Station near Raleigh it produced 10 bushels per acre more than Sunrise. Colonial barley also is noted for its disease resistance.

Colwell also praised the performance of Arlington oats, a new variety released recently by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. In eight variety tests in 1948 and 1949, Arlington yielded an average of 97 bushels per acre. Its nearest competitor was Staton variety, which averaged 80 bushels per acre.

Arlington not only yields high but also has a higher protein content. It averages 13.7 per cent protein, while the next highest protein-bearing barley is Lee variety with 10 per cent.

Enough certified seed of the new varieties will be available after harvest to enable more farmers to grow them.

### Enlist In Navy

Edgar Clayton Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes, of North Wilkesboro route three, enlisted in the navy here Thursday and has reported to Great Lakes, Ill., for training. Before enlisting Edgar attended Wilkesboro high school.

Hiram Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Cox, of North Wilkesboro, has enlisted in the navy here and has been sent to San Diego, California, for training. Hiram was a member of the June 1 graduating class of North Wilkesboro high school.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank each and every one for the many acts of sympathy and kindness shown us during the tragic death of my father; also for the beautiful floral tributes. May the Lord bless you.  
**WILMER BROWN and Family**

### Dellaplane News

(By RUTH LINNEY)

Mrs. Robert Harris, who had been critically ill since April, is much better and is able to sit up some now.

The cemetery at Oak Forest will be cleaned off a week from Friday, on June 30, beginning at nine o'clock.

A singing school will begin at Oak Forest July 8. Mr. Reavis will teach it.

Mrs. Grace Bell's Sunday School class at Oak Forest went on a picnic the 4th Sunday.

It is planned to have a home coming at Oak Forest during the summer or fall.

A meeting of R.E.A. members was held in the arbor in this locality last Thursday night.

There are 877 people in Antioch township, 196 houses and 142 farms.

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