

Community and War Chest Agency Ask More Funds

(Continued From Page One) that since his employment in May, two Negro troops have been organized, 12 new leaders trained, and that twice as many Negro Scouts have camped at Camp Carlson this year than ever before in the history of Greensboro scouting. There are approximately 100 more Negro scouts now than there were at the beginning of 1944.

In 1944, the Boy Scouts received \$10,530 from the Community and War Chest and a special allocation of \$994.67 to cover the salary of the Negro executive for the six months of 1944. Their proposed budget for 1945 was presented as \$11,881.22. Appearing before the committee with Holderness and Thomason were Paul Smith who is assistant executive, and M. S. Hill, president of the Council.

Walter Bernstein, president, and Mrs. P. B. Whittington, Jr., executive secretary, presented the budget of the Travelers Aid and stated that they were requesting an increase of \$1,032.18 over their present budget of \$3,365.35. Bernstein pointed out that the budget committee authorized the Travelers Aid to secure an additional staff member in July, and made a special appropriation to cover the salary expense for the remainder of 1944. He explained that the budget increase for 1945 was primarily to cover this item. Mrs. Whittington stated that there was every indication that the tremendous increase in services rendered by the Travelers Aid in 1944 would be maintain-

ed, if not accelerated, in 1945. Col. Frank Page, president, appeared for the Medical and Hospitalization fund and stated that with approximately the same budget as they had last year, namely, \$12,247.25, this agency could do a good minimum job, and they were therefore not asking for an increase in budget. Miss Sue Sutherland, executive director, explained that the Medical and Hospitalization fund was set up to care for Greensboro's marginal income families and that since the Army Emergency Relief had been abolished, a large number of service dependents had become the responsibility of this agency. She pointed out, however, that only residents of Greensboro were eligible. Non-resident service dependents and residents whose allotments had been applied for but not received, were the responsibility of the Red Cross. Miss Sutherland stated that they now have five clinics for children and adults, two of which are for Negroes. She explained that services of all doctors attending these clinics are given without fee.

Members of the budget committee are: Oscar W. Burnett, chairman; Mrs. Montgomery K. Young, Clarence Cone, E. A. Morris, W. A. Balsley, J. Robert Team, R. A. McPheeters, C. E. Baxter, T. B. Bledsoe, Mrs. C. W. Causey, Jr., H. A. Yancey and J. Elwood Mitchell.

INDIA RED CROSS GIVES FAREWELL PARTY FOR SOLDIERS

(Continued From Page One) and organizer and leader of the CBI's topflight Negro orchestra, "The Jeeps," could hardly keep the tears from his eyes as he received a beer mug as a gift from the American Red Cross for his contribution to entertainment of the men both in the club and in other parts of the theater. He handed the band over to T/5 Ovie Allen of 2032 E. 16th St., Erie, Pa., who has been with the band since its inception.

Among the other speakers were Boyd Overton, American Red Cross club director from Cincinnati, Ohio, and Captain Anthony Ortenzie of Baltimore, their C. O.

The men were asked to re-



Released by U. S. War Department, Bureau of Public Relations. **PREPARES SEQUEL**—Mr. Carlton Moss, the first Negro script writer for radio presentations, who is author-actor-commentator of the War Department film, "The Negro Soldier," has arrived in the European Theater of Operations where he is supervising the making of a sequel to that motion picture. A native of Newark, N. J., Mr. Moss makes his home at 460 West 147th Street, New York City. (U. S. Army Photo.)

member that as returning American troops from the CBI theater of war, they had a grave responsibility in the formation of American public opinion.

The men who will reach home after 27 months have opened up for the United States Army two major ports (one man has helped open three). They have set a world record for unloading.

MRS. ANNIE BELL HARRIS GILREATH

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie Bell Harris Gilreath, 25, who was found dead in bed at her home, 1101 W. McCulloch Street, Friday morning, July 21, were conducted from the residence of her mother, 505 South Street, Monday, July 24, at 2:30 p. m. The Rev. Wyoming Wells officiated. Interment in Maplewood cemetery. Survivors include the husband, mother, father, one brother, and one sister.

MRS. MARGUERITE CALDWELL LEWIS

Funeral services for Mrs. Marguerite Caldwell Lewis, 26, who passed in Glendale, Md., Friday, July 21, 1944, after an illness of several months, were conducted Thursday, July 27, at the Institutional Baptist church. The pastor, Rev. C. W. Anderson, officiated. Burial in Maplewood cemetery.

Survivors include the father, Wallace Caldwell, mother, Mrs. Clara Hewlett, of Philadelphia, Pa.; two sisters, two brothers, and one aunt, Mrs. Weder Halstead, of Philadelphia, Pa.

THOMAS RAINEY GUY

Mr. Thomas Rainey Guy, aged 56, of 411 N. Beech Street, died suddenly Friday evening, July 28, at 7 o'clock, from the effects of being overheated. Fu-

neral was held Thursday, August 3, at 3 p. m., from Providence Baptist church, where he had been a member for several years. The pastor, Rev. J. W. Tynes, officiated.

Mr. Guy had been employed for more than 40 years at Proximity Manufacturing Company. He was the second child of the late Mr. and Mrs. Willie Guy of Elon College, N. C.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Elvira Guy, two sons, Ralph, student at Shaw University, Pvt. Herschel, of Camp Warren, Wyoming, three daughters, Miss Ella Guy, teacher of Buckingham County Training School in Virginia, Mrs. Julia Williams and Mrs. Gertrude Donnell, of Greensboro.

Burial was in Maplewood cemetery.

133 NEGRO SCHOOL BOYS HELP SAVE ALABAMA POTATO CROP

One hundred and thirty-three Negro high school boys with good scholastic records put down their books a few weeks ago and went into the Baldwin county, Alabama, Irish potato area to help save this year's crop.

Anxious to help assure food supplies for our fighting men, the boys followed in the wake of the digging machines, picking up and loading potatoes over hundreds of acres. Although none of the boys was experienced in farm work, it is said that they did an excellent job of helping to harvest the crop.

The school authorities in several counties surrounding Baldwin, arranged for such high school boys, white and Negro, as were well up with their school work to spend two weeks in the fields helping with the emergency war-time harvest.

Next week 120 Washington, D. C., youngsters will take jobs as victory farm volunteers on nearby Maryland farms, helping to harvest important truck crops.

PUBLICATION.

—In the Superior Court Greensboro Division. Pearl Fincher vs.

William T. Fincher. The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Guilford County, North Carolina, for divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and the defendant will take further notice that he is required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County at his office in Greensboro, North Carolina within twenty (20) days from the 29th day of July, 1944, and answer or demur to the complaint, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 29th day of June, 1944.
C. E. BILBRO,
Clerk of the Superior Court.
Guilford County, North Carolina.
E. Kermitt Hightower, Atty. for Pltiff.
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