

THE FEMININE FRONT

By Rosalie Williams

The 32 ladies who took the recently completed Zeta-sponsored Western Tour of the United States returned with enthusiastic praise for the inestimable recreational and educational value of such a trip. They took the Southern Route to California and returned via the Northern Route with the usual tourist attractions as stops for rest and sightseeing.

Leaving Raleigh July 30 and returning August 27, the group lodged at a total of 19 different hotels or motels, 4 of which were Negro operated.

(The question of lodging at integrated places usually involves this in these times: If one stops at the integrated places, better accommodations are secured but Negro business is hurt and they likely will eventually be forced to close. So what to do? Accept the better accommodations and be comfortable, or accept inferior accommodations and thereby help Negro business?)

The well-planned and executed tour was arranged by Travelways Tourist Agency and the "hand picked" driver treated his passengers as if they were his own children, seeing to their every comfort and sparing no effort to assure his passengers freedom from embarrassment because of race in their stops for meals in questionable places.

Time and space do not permit naming all of the interesting places visited and toured. And different persons will have different ideas as to what were the highlights of the trip. But some of the most memorable ones according to persons with whom I talked included: the following: Atlanta, Ga.; Dallas, Texas; The Painted Desert, the Petrified Forest, the Grand Canyon, Hoover Dam, the Los Angeles tour of the homes of movie stars.

Memorable also about California were its lush citrus fruit and olive orchards and vineyards, a boat ride on the mighty Pacific Ocean, Yosemite Park.

In Los Angeles the 17 Zetas who made the trip attended their Boule with the usual accompanying enjoyable activities including balls and banquets.

En route back to Raleigh the

group stopped in the nation's smallest capital city, Carson City, Nevada; they visited the Great Salt Flats where they toured a salt factory and saw salt being made; they visited hard drinking and gambling Reno, Nevada (no one told me whether or not any of the ladies tried their luck there), and shortly thereafter felt the sharp contrast in straight-laced Mormon Salt Lake City.

They visited the Great Continental Divide which is so high in altitude that several ladies became slightly ill as a result of the rare atmosphere and required medication to bring them around.

Impressive also were the rolling farm lands and extensive cattle industry of Iowa, and they'll never forget the "melting pot" which the 2000-room YMCA Hotel where they stopped in Chicago seemed to be with its multiplicity of races.

Those making the trip were the following: From Raleigh — Mrs. Pauline Young, Miss Evelyn Pope, Miss Mary Ligon, Mrs. Nora Lockhart, Miss Ann Hawkins, Mrs. Lillie Ballentine, Mrs. Natalie P. Wimberley, Mrs. Eliza D. Holloway, Mrs. Bertha Edwards, Mrs. Pearl McDonald and Mrs. Mildred James.

Others were: Mrs. Esther Byers, Concord; Mrs. Theresita Braxton, Richmond; Miss Eva Thomas, Henderson; Mrs. M. T. Ezell, Salisbury; Miss Myrlyn Skinner, Wake Forest; Miss Leola Pitts, Winston-Salem; Miss Neterine McLean, Fayetteville; Mrs. Eldred K. Hughes, Fayetteville; Mrs. Dorothy Washington, Lumberton. Also Miss Mary Myhand, Durham; Miss Dottie Jones, Concord; Mrs. Leatha Nicholson, Salisbury; Mrs. Edna K. Hall, Salisbury; Mrs. Lina W. Stewart, New Jersey; Miss Violet L. Perry, Durham; Mrs. Ora K. Martin, High Point; Mrs. Carrie Simon, Fayetteville; Mrs. V. B. Bynum, Kinston; and Mrs. Ida P. Hinnant, Littleton.

NEW FAMILY IN CITY
Newcomers to Raleigh include the family of J. J. Sansom, vice-president of Mechanics and Farmers Bank. The family includes 4 children: 2 teen-agers, a pre-teen and an infant. The family has moved from Durham to a large com-

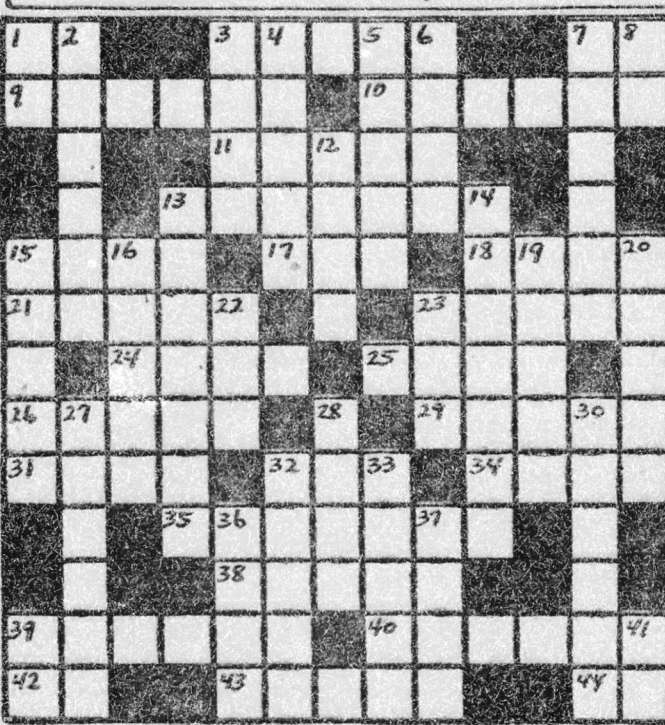


DISTINGUISHED GUESTS At the national convention of the National Association of Negro Musicians in St. Louis hold gold trophies presented to them by a citizens committee of the St. Louis



NIGERIAN SCIENCE STUDENTS — Nigerians E. J. Esakama (left) and H. F. Osembo are among the many students from overseas lands currently being trained in science and engineering in British institutions of higher learning. They are shown testing epiclytic gears in the laboratory at Woodwick Polytechnic of Engineering and Science. When they finish their training, they will return to Nigeria as fully qualified technologists. (ANP PHOTO).

CROSSWORD ♦ ♦ ♦ By A. C. Gordon



- ACROSS**
- 1. Either
 - 2. Ethical
 - 3. Percent
 - 4. A part
 - 10. Usual
 - 11. Aims
 - 13. Round room
 - 15. Feller's
 - 17. Start of an entrance
 - 19. Year
 - 21. Model
 - 23. Mediterranean island
 - 24. Beverages
 - 25. Twofold
 - 26. Weird
 - 29. Fragment
 - 31. Powder
 - 32. Twice
 - 34. Summits
 - 35. Railroad worker
 - 36. Fleeting sounds
 - 39. Confines
 - 40. Distinctive garb
 - 42. Public notice
 - 43. Particle
 - 44. Thus
 - DOWN**
 - 1. Mystic word
 - 2. To recount
 - 3. Notation
 - 4. Declaim
 - 5. Concerning
 - 6. A master
 - 7. Source
 - 8. Boy's nickname
 - 12. Food fish
 - 13. Actuality
 - 14. To charge
 - 15. Affected
 - 16. Fenn
 - 18. Canker of lampreys
 - 20. Doctrine
 - 22. Sheltered side
 - 23. ... cake
 - 27. Proponent of geometry
 - 28. Top
 - 30. Smokers
 - 32. Thicket
 - 33. Facial expression
 - 36. Quarrelsome (abbr.)
 - 39. Biting
 - 41. Musical note
 - 41. Vc...

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER

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Music Association. Recipients for "achievement and service" are Robert McFerrin, first Negro with a contract at the Metropolitan Opera; Miss Etta Morton of the original Broadway "Porgy and Bess" cast; Dr. Roscoe C. Polin, president, NANM, and Mrs. W. C. Handy, who holds sealed container of water from the Mississippi River. The awards were presented during a gigantic festival honoring the late Mr. Handy on the riverfront, by William G. Porter, right, chairman of the committee and assistant to the vice-president, marketing, Anheuser-Busch, Inc., which sponsored the awards. (ANP PHOTO).

FOR WOMEN

BY BETTY COOK
(For Associated Negro Press)
MAPLE "MAKE YOUR OWN" IDEAS
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syrup is by itself—you may, for the sake of variety, like to use it in making simple fruit sauces such as Maple-Banana or the fresh red cherry one listed here. These sauces are excellent served on breakfast pancakes or waffles, or on squares of warm cake fresh from the oven... and, of course, they are perfect ice cream sauces!

Another "different" topping for hot waffle or pancakes is the Coconut Cream Cheese mixture on this page. Try it on baked apples, on hot ginger-bread or on store-bought shortcakes... and pass the maple-blended syrup for that extra delicious "pour on".

And since this story is about pancakes and waffles and some new toppings for them, we are including two new and easy recipes: a Banana pancake and an Orange waffle. Treat the family to one or the other next Sunday morning... and, should you have left-overs, cool, wrap and freeze them. They will make good bases for ice cream and maple-blended syrup!

MAPLE CHERRY SAUCE
1 cup maple-blended syrup
1-1/4 cups fresh red sour cherries, pitted, or frozen red sour pitted cherries, thawed and drain (substitute ground cherries for the whole cherries, if desired).
Place syrup and cherries in a saucepan. Bring to a boil and simmer 2 minutes. Makes 2 cups.

COCONUT CREAM CHEESE
1/2 cup flaked coconut
1 cup (8-ounce package) softened cream cheese

Dash of salt
2 tablespoons maple-blended syrup.
Place the ingredients in a bowl and mix thoroughly. Makes about 1-1/4 cups.

ORANGE WAFFLES
2 cups sifted cake flour
2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder
1/4 teaspoon salt
1-1/4 teaspoons grated orange rind
2 eggs, well beaten
1 cup milk
3 tablespoons melted shortening.
Measure sifted flour, and baking powder and salt, and sift again. Add orange rind. Combine egg and milk. Add to flour mixture add shortening, then mix only until smooth. Bake in hot waffle iron. Makes 4 seven-inch waffles.

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