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Career Day Held At Charles L. Coon High

May 6, was the annual Career Day for the students at Charles L. Coon High School in Wilson. This event is planned annually at the High School as an appropriate climax to a vocational guidance project in which all seniors participate.

Following the morning assembly, in which Reverend R. W. Bradshaw spoke on "Guides for a Successful Career", the seniors attended a discussion on the vocation of their choice. Approximately fifteen consultants were on hand to discuss these vocations with the students. After attending the discussion of their first choice, the consultants held a second session which the students could attend as a second choice vocation. R. Quillen Ward served as consultant for those students interested in the textile field.

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In the closing session, with the students assembled in the auditorium, Mrs. Jeannette M. Grainger, Manager of the Wilson Employment Office, addressed the class on "Job Opportunities in Wilson and North Carolina."

Tour Western N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stolzenberg have toured North Carolina extensively since establishing their residence in the state. A week in May they visited the scenic Western North Carolina and quoted below are the impressions of a Connecticutt Yankee upon seeing North Carolina as written by Mrs. Fred Stolzenberg.

A most versatile State, North Carolina-Atlantic Ocean on the east, then the Coastal Plains of tobacco and cotton and the mountainous West, via the Blue Ridge Parkway.

Scenic Beauty—everywhere—as you travel up, down and around the "roller-coaster" turns on the Parkway—a scenic mountain-top highway passing many spectacular water falls.

Breathtaking panoramas — as one views the crags and cliffs conquered by DeSoto in his quest for gold, as we travel on the crest of mountains, while on either side flowered ridges, like overlapping sea green waves.

Lakes—green blue jewels in a (See Tour Western N. C. Page Three)



Mr. Suessmuth is shown in the above picture in deep consultation with the chauffeur of the 1915 Hudson used to transport tourists to the exhibit of old automobiles of yesteryears at Silver Springs, Florida.

Vice President Suessmuth Vacations In Florida

Vice President E. H. Suessmuth and Mrs. Suessmuth recently returned from a vacation trip to Florida. While there they toured the entire state and were very enthusiastic about the many attractions and the lovely lush countryside. "The opportunity to see both the Atlantic Ocean on the east coast and the Gulf of Mexico on the west side, and even some lakes in the center of the state makes Florida ideal for vacationing", commented Mr. Suessmuth.

Their trip to Key West was particularly interesting and a stopover at Marathon Key was considered one of the highlights of the trip. It offers excellent accommodations; the Gulf of Mexico at the front door and the very wonderful food in a fine restaurant. This is truly a fisherman's

paradise.

Mr. and Mrs. Suessmuth stopped at Tampa, Florida, which they found to be a very interesting city. Mr. Suessmuth pointed out, "Here is a city within a city, for there are 40,000 Cubans in a section called Ybor, all engaged in the cigar industry. In this section of Tampa one hardly ever hears English. Here, also, is the wonderful Columbia Restaurant which specializes in Mexican Bean soup and if you have never tried this soup, you have missed something. Yellow Rice is also a specialty there and it is a very unusual and savory dish."

Visits to Cypress Gardens and Silver Springs were other highlights of the Suessmuth's tour of Florida. Silver Springs is most unusual in that 550 million gallons of water gush up out of the dozen or so springs to serve as the source of a river which flows at a speed of 4 miles per hour. Mr. Suessmuth said, "You can see fish by the millions and they will come right up to the surface and eat your bread bait. In fact, one very attractive young lady took her bread bait and was so optimistic as to think that she could lay it on top of the glass bottom of the boat and have the fish pick it up from there." In describing their trip to Cypress Gardens, Mr. Suessmuth said, "There is one stretch of road of about 60 miles from Winter Haven to Silver Springs, where Cypress Gardens is located, where there are masses of orange groves and that is really and truly a spectacular sight. You would actually have to see this spectacle to believe that it is possible for so many orange trees to be in existence, and this is by no means all of them."

Mr. Suessmuth recommends a trip to Florida for all who have never been in this really wonderful state, where it is no hotter, if as hot, as in other southern states, including North Carolina. He says he certainly intends to return for further exploration at an early date.

Brake Organizes Fire **Brigade At Caromount**

A Plant Fire Brigade has been organized under the supervision of David Brake of the Engineering Dept. as fire chief. The initial meeting was held during each shift on May 27, 1954. Four weekly meetings have been held with plans for monthly fire drills.

The fire brigade is made up of the following men: David Brake, chief; Clyde Evans, James Dozier, Garland Rose, Don Fisher, Tom Rolland, and Ed Creekmore —plant Lts. Weaving Dept.— Ralph Morris, Russel Langley, Earl Mosley, Herman Ezzell, Willie Harper, Herman Rose, Paul Bunn, J. P. Morgan, William Trevathan, Clyde Pridgen, Kenneth Edwards, and W. T. Barnes. Mending Dept. — Sidney Walker and Floyd Rowe. Shipping Dept. -C. W. Warren, Cleve Walker, and Elwood Moore. Final Examining Dept. — Charlie Luper, Frank Weaver, and Junior Joyner. Finishing Dept.—Sam Cockrell, Tom Brown, Lancey Winstead, Charles Lewis, John Ellis, and Larry Strickland. Dyeing Dept. - Mark Dickens, David Weaver, Spencer Hicks, Donald Cooper, Marvin Whitfield, and Marshall Rose. Engineering Dept. -Wiley Joyner, Roscoe Harrell, Johnny Russ, Robert Jeffreys, Jimmie Dixon, and Jeff Morris.

Vacation Message

The annual Mill vacation is just around the corner and I'm sure many of you are planning to take off to the beach or mountains.

Business has been somewhat slow this year to date, but we expect a very busy fall season. So, if you can possibly arrange to do so, by all means take a trip and get a change of scenery. You will feel all the more fit to come back to work.

I sincerely wish you all a very happy and enjoyable holiday.

E. H. Suessmuth, Vice President

Vacation pictures will be featured in the July issue of The Caromount News. Bring your vacation snapshots to the Personnel Office by July 15 in order that others may also enjoy your favorite vacation scenes.