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ADDITIONS MADE TO NCC FACULTY

DURHAM, N. C. — The appointment of four additional faculty members at North Carolina College at Durham was recently announced.

Dr. Alvin W. Rose, University of Chicago Ph. D. degree-holder who received the A. B. degree from Lincoln University (Mo.) and the M. A. degree from the University of Iowa, will be professor of sociology at the college.

Mrs. Addie Scott Powell, recipient of the A. B. and M. A. degrees in English from Palne College and the University of Iowa, respectively, and of the B. S. degree in library science from the Atlanta University Library School, will join the library staff.

Substituting for Dr. Raleigh Morgan, French professor on leave for the 1949-50 term, will be Mrs. Estelle J. Himes, holder of the B. A. degree in Spanish and the M. A. degree in French from Ohio State University.

James W. Younge, who received the B. S. degree from Virginia State College and the M. S. degree from the University of Indiana, will serve as assistant football coach and will be instructor of physical education.

Freshman week activities begin at the college on September 13.

LINCOLN INCREASES SCHOLARSHIP FUND

LINCOLN UNIVERSITY, Pa. — Scholarships at Lincoln University will reach the unprecedented total of \$65,000 during the coming school year, it was announced today by Dr. Horace Mann Bond, President of Lincoln.

All scholarships in the college have been placed on a competitive basis, since admission is now based upon pre-admission aptitude tests. The sum of \$17,500 has been set aside to aid needy students with acceptable scholastic records in the upper classes. These awards are distributed at the beginning of each semester.

Upwards of \$40,000 will be distributed to Pennsylvania residents who were selected for appointment by their state Senators on this basis.

BURRINGTON TO HEAD HAMPTON AG. DEPARTMENT

HAMPTON, Va. — Appointment of W. D. Burrington as Director of the Division of Agriculture at Hampton Institute, beginning with the 1949 fall term, was announced by the college this week.

Along with the appointment of Mr. Burrington, who comes to Hampton from a position as associate professor of agriculture at the University of Massachusetts, came news of another appointment in agriculture, that of Charles A. Fountain, instructor in floriculture and landscaping and manager of the greenhouse, Mr. Fountain, a 1947 graduate of Hampton Institute, received his M. S. degree from Michigan State College last year.

Mr. Burrington, the new director, received both his B. S. and his

M. S. degrees at the University of Connecticut and has pursued further graduate studies at Michigan State College and the University of Illinois. He has been a teaching fellow at Connecticut and an extension dairyman at Michigan State, a statistician for the U. S. Department of Agriculture, in the Division of Crop and Livestock Estimates; a county agent, farmer, and manufacturer of ready-to-eat cereals.

The new agriculture head has published several articles in the form of college extension and experiment station bulletins, and has written for agricultural publications.

FIRE DANGERS LESS AT SCHOOL REPORT SHOWS

Rural youngsters returning to school this month may not appreciate it, but they have something special to be thankful for, County Agent W. C. Davenport of the State College Extension Service pointed out this week.

These children, according to Mr. Davenport, will be several times safer in school than in their own homes.

"If parents took the same precautions to prevent fire that are taken in our schools, thousands of children's lives could be saved every year," the county agent pointed out. He cited figures released by Fire Protection Institute, national fire safety organization, which show that more than 11,000 persons, many of them young children, lose their lives as a result of fire each year.

Conceding that not all schools have perfect fire prevention programs, the county agent declared that the average school is superior to the average home in fire prevention programs. He cited three specific factors:

YOUR CHARM

BY LOU SWARZ
WARDROBE SELECTION

The most Charm is attained by a woman who is really herself, and that goes for clothes as well because she must be smart about her choice of wardrobe whether it be for street, work, afternoon, or evening.

In choosing your wardrobe to consider: 1. your size, and the there are three important things line which will become a woman your size; 2. the colors which you can wear best, and 3. knowing the right clothes to wear for the various occasions. Now, let us go further into these three factors. Stout women should always consider wearing things which give the effect of the straight line, so that the hips, or the bulges will not be accentuated; while the thin woman may use the hoop skirt under certain dresses. Colors are gauged likewise with the more sombre colors being worn by those of the stylish stouts and the gay colors being worn by those who have less poundage. In wearing colors please

1. Schools conduct regular fire drills which minimize panic in the event of a small fire which could create mass hysteria.

2. From a fire safety viewpoint, schools are usually structurally superior to the average farm dwelling in that they have adequate exits.

3. Schools are well stocked with dependable first aid equipment in the form of Underwriters' approved extinguishers.

"Not every home can be built to be as fire-resistant as a school," the agent said, "but all parents can become more fire-conscious. They can conduct home fire drills and they can make sure that they have dependable Underwriters' approved equipment on every floor."

BAPTISTS FLAY KU KLUX KLAN

Ridgecrest — The Southern Service Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention views the resurgence of mob rule and violence by the Ku Klux Klan in the south with alarm.

The Convention closed its annual conference last Thursday on the subject "The Next Steps in Race Relations."

The following statement was issued by Hugh A. Brimm of Louisville, Ky., executive secretary of the Commission.

"We look with alarm upon the resurgence of mob rule and violence in our Southern regions. It can only be judged as anti-Christian, anti-democratic and therefore a subversive and insidious threat to the assurance of America's leadership in the cause for world peace.

"The use of the sacred symbol of the Christian faith by the hooded promoters of race hatred and bigotry is a presumptuous sacrilege and a menace to the progress of world-wide evangelization to the Christian cause.

"We deplore the fact that some ministers of the Gospel and other church members have affiliated themselves with a movement so contrary to the ideals of human decency and the spirit of Christ as the Ku Klux Klan.

"We call upon the fellowship of Christians around the world to stand firm and without compromise for the processes of law and order."

Brimm said the conclusion of participants in the workshop sessions was that "We need in our local churches a positive and Christian study of the whole field of race relations."

"We took cognizance of the problem of segregation and further realized the necessity for working

have in mind what looks well with your complexion. Color harmony in accessories might be mentioned here too, so take heed. Last but not most important is to know when to wear what you do wear. Frilly frills must not be worn in the morning or at work unless there is a party in session. The school girl might take note of this also.

Those frilly frills can be worn in the afternoon for bridge, tea, the concert, etc. Afternoon and evening clothes come in a group by themselves and the wise woman will let her designer or her saleswoman give her the proper hints about colors styles.

Remember, never to over-dress and to make yourself look well at all times. Choose your clothes, including your shoes and accessories sensibly because you must be you at all times, at all affairs, as well as at home and at work.

Wardrobe selection is an interesting topic because what you wear will make those who see you look at you twice either with disapproval or approval.

DISEASE DANGER TO STOCK CITED

Farmers who exhibit livestock at fairs and shows were cautioned today by Dr. C. D. Grinnells, professor of veterinary science at State College, to make sure their animals do not bring disease hazards home with their blue ribbons.

"No matter what stringent sanitary measures have been taken at fairs, any animal show where large groups of other animals have been assembled should be handled as if it had been exposed to infection," Dr. Grinnells said.

The American Foundation for Animal Health recommends a minimum quarantine period of 30 days for all animals after fair exhibition, before they are permitted to join the home herds. The Foundation pointed out that while an animal may appear perfectly healthy, it can be harboring deadly disease germs contracted from an equally healthy-looking animal at a fair, show, or livestock sale.

Dr. Grinnells urged that all livestock returning from fairs be checked by a veterinarian. Such a procedure, he said, has a two-fold purpose if the animal is infected. First, special precautions can be taken to see that the disease does not spread to other animals in the herd. Second, treatment to save the animal's value can be instituted promptly.

"Such vigilance," he added, "insures that a win in the show ring will not be followed by a loss on the farm."

NAACP LAUNCHES TENN. VOTE DRIVE

JACKSON, Tenn. — A legislative and political action committee to conduct a registration drive for 200,000 voters in the State of Tennessee and to sponsor a get-out-the-vote campaign in state and federal elections was established at the third annual state conference of the Tennessee Branches of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, held here last week.

POLL TAX EXEMPTION

Part of the committee's responsibility, according to NAACP Director of Branches Gloster B. Current, will be to inform members of the branches of the voting records of members of Congress and the state legislature on measures supported or opposed by the NAACP. The committee will also conduct a campaign to urge all Negro veterans and women to take advantage of a recently-passed state law exempting them from payment of poll tax, and to inform all voters of another recent act providing for permanent registration of all voters through participation in each election.

Delegates to the conference also set up a state education committee to work with the legal redress committee in seeking, through the courts if necessary, the elimination of education inequalities in the state and the entrance of qualified Negro students into graduate schools which presently deny them admission.

within an unideal situation, while at the same time it was stressed that as Christians both in the expressions of our convictions and actions we must maintain a "creative" tension which moves toward the ideal.

Among other suggestions, which the group made for local churches, was the exchange of pulpits with Negro ministers, the observance of Race Relations Sunday and Brotherhood Week in the program of the local church.

During the fiscal year ended June 30, North Carolina farmers used 1,724,823 tons of commercial fertilizer.

NAACP ASKS FOR IMPARTIAL PROB OF UPSTATE RIOT

NEW YORK — An investigation by the New York State Attorney General or by an independent citizens' committee of the incident, mob violence which broke up scheduled concert by Paul Robeson near Peekskill last Saturday was urged of Governor Thomas Dewey this week by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

"It is our opinion that the city and local officers... cannot conduct an impartial investigation, determine all the facts," states R. Wilkins, acting secretary of the NAACP, in a telegram to the New York governor. Mr. Wilkins asserted that reports reaching the N. A. C. P. offices indicated that responsibility for the demonstration "may involve the inflammatory editorial policy of the Peekskill Star, issuance of permit by County authorities for mass demonstration in the immediate concert area, and failure of county and city law enforcement officers to give adequate protection to the desiring to attend the concert."

A member of the Peekskill branch of the NAACP reported that after he sent a letter to Peekskill Star protesting their flamed editorials preceding Robeson concert, he received numerous threats through anonymous telephone calls.

After the NAACP and scores of other organizations and individuals issued protests against the riot, Governor Dewey earlier this week ordered Westchester County authorities to submit a complete report on the incident. The Association had sent telegrams to the governor and to George M. Fanelli, district attorney of Westchester County and had also wired Westchester County Commanders of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and Catholic War Veterans urging investigation of reports that members of these groups played part in staging the demonstration against Mr. Robeson.

The 1949 series of 4-H Club Field Shows and Sales was open in Chatham County recently with 19 club members exhibited and sold 228 choice pullets.

A sale of purebred Duroc Jersey hogs will be held in Bangor on Saturday.

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