

ROCKY MOUNT

News—AND— Views

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ABERDEEN NOTES

By L. THOMAS

ABERDEEN — Pvt. George E. Stone, RA-112-549, Fort Campbell, Ky., is visiting his parents and relatives on a ten-day leave. After his ten-day leave he will leave for Fort Dix, N. J., where he will take a medical course.

Earl Hemmingway, Sonny Thomas and Marilyn McLaughlin are sick with chicken pox. They are doing fine.

Mrs. Gus Thomas and children, Bettie Gebe and Floyd, motored to S. C. to see friends Saturday.

Jasper Ferguson as a member of the high school band and is very interested in it. He is a very fine boy.

80 TO ATTEND

HAMPTON, VA.—More than 80 persons, representing religious work departments at more than 60 colleges, have registered for meetings of the National Association of College and University Chaplains opening next Tuesday, April 17, Hampton Institute. One hundred persons are expected for the fourth annual conference of the interracial group, headed by William J. Faulkner, Dean of the Chapel at Fisk University.

Added to the list of speakers since the first announcement last month has been Jean Paul Mather, administrative assistant for the American Council on Education. Mather speaks Tuesday afternoon in Clarke Hall, conference headquarters, on "The Present Emergency in the College."

The conference schedule lists 9 a. m. Tuesday for the beginning of registration. Edwin E. Aubrey, professor of religion and head of the department at the University of Pennsylvania, speaks at 10:45 a. m. in the opening conference address. He will deliver the first of a series of three lectures on "Christianity and the University."

John Deschner, executive secretary of the United Student Christian Council, speaks at 2 p. m. the same day on "Religious Organizations Working with Students," and Mather's address follows.

(boto) is improving after a serious illness in a Philly hospital. William T. Armstrong, retired railroad employee of this city is recovering from a recent attack and able to get around.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank H. Avant were called to Winton, N. C., to attend funeral rites for Jesse Weaver, prominent business man and farmer of Hertford county, and father of Mrs. Avant. Mr. Weaver was for many years in the forefront of Winton community life, having been among the leaders of the Colored Agricultural Fair held there, it is said.

Presbyterian Church leaders, including Revs. W. D. Burgess, J. W. Barnett and Mrs. Nora Bailey and Mrs. Barnett attended a United Promotion meeting at Calvary Church in Wilson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harrison and Miss Addie Lawrence of Tarboro were Sunday guests of the J. B. Harrens recently.

Miss Arrington, office manager of Quigless Clinic is recovering from an attack of flu.

Mrs. Fields of Fields cafe is out after being hospitalized for several weeks. Mrs. "Doll" Staton, owner of the only colored ladies-wear store (Tarboro) in five counties, has been confined with flu. Mrs. Gladys Mathewson has conducted the business for Mrs. Staton's Main Street store.

NEW LAWYER HERE

According to columnist R. D. Armstrong of the local daily Rocky Mount will soon have a new Race barrister in the person of William Warner, native Atlantian and son-in-law of the C. C. Stokes. His wife, Norma and recently christened baby reside here. Attorney Warner a vet of four years in ETO studied at N. C. College Law School.

Most Reverend Lawrence Sheenan To Address Mass

WILSON, N. C.—News was released this week that The Most Reverend Lawrence J. Sheenan, D.D., V.G. Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Baltimore, Md., will deliver the sermon at the Pontifical Mass to be celebrated at the Laymen's State Convention in Wilson, N. C., April 29 at 10:30 a.m.

Bishop Sheenan will come to North Carolina to attend the 5th Annual Laymen's Convention thru an invitation from His Excellency. The Most Reverend Vincent S. Waller, D.D., Bishop of Raleigh and founder of the North Carolina Catholic Laymen's Association.

The sermon by Bishop Sheenan will be delivered during the Pontifical Field Mass which is to be offered on the school grounds of St. Therese's, Wilson. The Pontifical Mass will be offered by His Excellency, Bishop Waters, CATHEDRAL CHOIR TO SING.

It was also announced that the famed Raleigh Cathedral Choir will sing at the Pontifical Mass. The Choir will be under the direction of Father John Paul Bryon, Assistant at the Sacred Heart Cathedral, Raleigh. John Vaughan of Raleigh will be the accompanying organist.

Bishop Sheenan was ordained to the Sacred Priesthood on December 22, 1923 and was appointed Titular Bishop of Lydda and Aux-

iliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Baltimore, Md., on December 12, 1945. Besides his duties as Auxiliary Bishop, His Excellency is also Vice-General of the Archdiocese and pastor of St. Phil and James Church, Baltimore.

It is expected that the Solemn Pontifical Mass will attract visitors from all parts of Eastern North Carolina besides the guests and delegates from the various parts of the State.

Following the Pontifical Mass, there will be a luncheon served to all registered delegates and guests to the Convention. The luncheon will be served at the Moose Hall in Wilson.

ADDITION IS MADE TO FARM AGENTS' CORPS

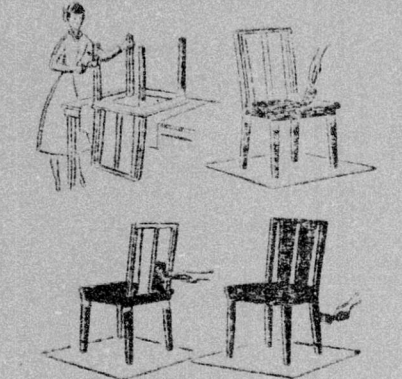
BY J. B. HARREN
TARBORO, N. C.—A recent addition to the staff of Negro Farm Agent F. D. Wharton of Edgecombe County is Harold McNeil, a graduate of A. and T. College and a son of a retired farm agent, McKay McNeil of Johnstone county. Mr. McNeil has a family and was formerly veterans agricultural teacher in his home county. McNeil succeeded Mr. Baldwin who was promoted to county agent in Franklin county last month.

Edgecombe County, under the leadership of Mr. Wharton who



TOKEN OF APPRECIATION — A Korean boy presents a bouquet of flowers to an American soldier. It is the lad's way of expressing his gratitude for the liberation of his native village from Communist invaders. Such incidents were frequent as the U. S. troops advanced toward the 38th parallel.

Your Home



I think the beginning of Spring is just about the busiest time of all at our house. We always clean the house, of course, but in addition we re-paint walls and woodwork and re-decorate the rooms with new colors for our walls, slipcovers and draperies. It's really amazing what a fresh new color scheme will do for the home, isn't it?

Another favorite trick of ours is painting furniture to accent our new color schemes. Our den, for instance, has a wall filled with sectional bookcases which we bought unfinished and have painted. Our kitchen table and chairs get a bright new color every Spring. Then, too, we're busy re-painting all of our porch and lawn furniture, getting set for the warmer months ahead. If you haven't yet tried painting furniture, do try it this season—it's very simple if you use a good grade of paint.

I got some painting tips from Hayes Quinn, the color consultant of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, which I thought you might be interested in—particularly for painting your tables and chairs. Place the piece upside down on a protected surface. Then paint from the leg ends downward, brushing the enamel lightly as you work. Next turn the piece upright and finish the sides. Do your chair backs and other broad surfaces. Table tops or chair seats should be painted last. It's really very simple if you paint this way. I always use a water-spar enamel for my painting because it doesn't water-spot and is practically chalk free—especially important for outdoor furniture. You can wash a hard enamel, too—keeping it fresh and bright. We think that painting is the easiest, most inexpensive way there is to re-decorate our home. Try it in yours, I'm sure that you'll agree with us!

has been here since 1925, is one of the few counties to have four Negro agents, three assistants to, both, the farm and home agents. Mrs. Hazel S. Parker is Home agent and Miss Drumwright is her assistant. Miss Lottie Brevard is office secretary to the agents.

During Wharton's administration colored curb markets have been established in Tarboro and Rocky Mount for several years. These markets show an annual sales volume which runs into several thousands of dollars for the farmers and affords fresh produce for city dwellers.

ANNUAL PTA DAY 4-H SUNDAY
Edgcombe annual Parent-Teacher Day will be celebrated with a county-wide meeting here April 22nd, through April 29th with 4-H groups gathering at the local Phillips High School for their programs.

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