



RALEIGH G. I. AT "SNOW STORM" — Three members of the 86th Transportation Truck company repair the engine of a vehicle for use during "Snow Storm," the Army's winter training exercise at Camp Drum, N. Y. Watching his buddies is PFC Clint Hunter, son of Mrs. Sadie Hunter of E-11 Washington Terrace, Raleigh, N. C. Kneeling on the fender and fixing the motor are PFC Phadous Hooker, left, whose mother, Mrs. Susie Smith, lives at 5124 Street, St. Louis, and whose wife, Sarah, lives at 700 Aberdeen Road, Hampton, Va.; and PFC Charles H. Griffin, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gibbs of 853 St. Nicholas Ave., New York City. (U. S. ARMY PHOTO)

Nat, Sarah, Billy And Record Show to Raleigh On Tuesday, April 14

RALEIGH—"The Record Show" which will play a one night date at the Raleigh Memorial Auditorium on Tuesday, April 14 is a record collector's dream come true. The first edition of "The Record Show," which is a follow-up of "The Biggest Show," co-stars the Great Nat King Cole; Billy May and his Orchestra; Sarah Vaughan, and the very funny Gil "the" Lamb. There is a strong top flight cast of supporting entertainers. The entire cast of "The Record Show" has one thing or another played the top houses throughout the nation. Cole, May and Sarah Vaughan have appeared in one or more of "The Biggest Shows."



SARAH VAUGHAN NAT COLE

Nat "King" Cole has thrilled millions with his hit records. When he does his stint on the stage of the Raleigh Memorial Auditorium all the robins' breasts will turn green with envy. The nightingale's telling will have nothing on the sweet swaying voice of Sarah Vaughan. And when Billy May and his wonderful orchestra strike all the swallows will surely return to Capistrano. Gil Lamb comedy routines were featured in such motion pictures



GALA RALEIGH SOCIAL EVENING — The Swan Arts Social Club formal was in full swing at the Bloodworth Street YMCA last Friday night when YMCA

COMMUNITY CHEST AGENCIES REPORT

TOT HAVEN NURSERY — Tot Haven Nursery, one of the 15 member agencies of the Raleigh Community Chest, is now beginning its fifth year of service to the Negro population of Raleigh. Tot Haven now has an enrollment of 38 pre-school age boys and girls, and during February it had an average attendance of 30. The Nursery, which recently moved to the new Recreation Building in Chavis Heights is equipped with all modern conveniences and comforts. It is maintained as a community project in order that children may be properly cared for during the day while their mothers are working to support the family.

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MENTAL HYGIENE — During February, the Mental Hygiene Clinic, one of the 15 agencies of the Raleigh Community Chest, treated a total of 68 patients, helping them to work out their mental and emotional problems. According to Lester Mann, psychologist in charge of the Clinic, the majority of the cases handled were children, many of them suffering from maladjustment which in turn resulted in poor grades and inability to get-along at school.

At the clinic, the psychologist and psychiatric social worker seek to diagnose the cause of the disturbance, and advise method of treatment. Referrals to the Clinic often come from the schools, other social agencies, private physicians, but most often parents themselves, realizing there is a problem, go to the clinic for help. In addition to children's problems, the Clinic also handles adult mental and emotional disturbances.

TUTTLE CENTER — In 1930, Tuttle Community Center was organized in East Raleigh to provide recreational activities for the Negro youth in that part of town. At that time the Center was privately financed, but in more recent years it has become a community project, deriving its main support from the Raleigh Community Chest. Since Tuttle's early beginnings, its services have been expanded to include Negroes of all age groups — from the infant who

activities at the nursery include day - modeling, drawing and coloring, cutting and pasting pictures, supervised games and dancing, morning devotions, meal - time, cap-time, and out-door play. The children also enjoy their story-telling and reading periods, and currently are working on plans for their annual spring "musical," which will be given in May. The Nursery has been allocated \$1,900 from the last Community Chest campaign to help it meet its needs during 1953. In addition, the Junior Woman's Club of Raleigh donates \$30 each month, and members of the club volunteer to work with Tot Haven's program. Support is also given by the Negro War Mothers and other civic groups.

BLOODWORTH YMCA — During February, a total of 8,271 young Negro boys and men participated in the activities at the Bloodworth Street YMCA. The Bloodworth Street YM is one of the 15 agencies of the Raleigh Community Chest. According to the monthly report filed with the Community Chest

Easter Monday Night Dance even though he had gone to additional expense to get Billy Ward on the fatted line. Doors will open at 8:15 with dancing, retiring under way at 9 PM sharp.

Girl Scout Troop Number 10 which holds weekly meetings at the Center, secured 10 new members during the past month. The

Dominoes To Play Raleigh Easter Monday Nite; N. C. Boy Featured With Group

RALEIGH — Promoter Joseph Winters announced this week that he has signed Billy Ward and his world famous entertaining Dominoes and Orchestra to play his Easter Monday dance date at the Raleigh Memorial Auditorium April 14. Mr. Winters stated that it was the many hard and painstaking effort that he was able to get Billy signed on the date. Billy, a personal friend of promoter Winters, wanted to wait until the fall of the year before he would go south. It is his desire to do a Big Package Show for a country tour at which time he wants to play only the key dates in the south. After many business calls on the part of Mr. Winters, Billy agreed to the Easter Monday date for

the rise of Billy Ward's Dominoes from obscurity to their present pre-eminent position among vocal groups in less than two years is almost unprecedented in show business annals.

The Dominoes' first big break, as with so many others, came at the Arthur Godfrey Talent Show in late 1950. On the strength of their triumph on this show they were signed to an exclusive contract by Federal Records. From this point on the fortunes of the Dominoes took a sharp turn upwards. One hit recording followed another until, at the end of 1951 they were acknowledged by the trade to be the leaders in the Rhythm and Blues field.

Their recording of "Sixty Minute Man," written by Billy Ward, sold more than a million copies and led the Billboard Magazine Hit Parade for 29 consecutive weeks. In 1951, too, the Dominoes received the Independent Press Service's annual Award of Achievement for "distinguished service" in the field of music at a special ceremony at the Apollo Theatre in New York. Just recently, they were the recipients of the biggest honor of all, designation as the nation's outstanding vocal group in the annual poll held by the Pittsburgh Courier. They received their award at a special concert at Carnegie Hall.

Wilson BOY FEATURED — David McNeil, bass singer with the Dominoes is a proud son of Wilson North Carolina. He is well liked by all Eastern Carolinians. McNeil is an outstanding performer and is well remembered for his time work throughout the state with local groups before joining up with Billy Ward and his Dominoes. David says that he plans to remain with the Dominoes. He believes that they have greater heights to reach. His hobby is baseball and he is an avid reader. A big homecoming is in the making for McNeil by many of his friends throughout eastern North Carolina. Promoter Winters stated at press time that there would be no increase in admission prices for this

Easter Monday Night
The **BILLY WARD** "SIXTY MINUTE MAN" AND HIS WORLD FAMOUS ENTERTAINING **DOMINOES**
"I CAN'T FERRY YOU"
"BELLS"
Raleigh Mem. Aud. **MON. NITE APRIL 6**
Advance Admission \$1.50

PICTURE HORIZONS

AN OPULENT EYEFUL — Mary Stutterin relaxes for our camera's view.

LOVE ME LOVE MY DOG — Patricia Ellinwood and her faithful dog, an English setter.

"WOMEN WORK TOO HARD!" — That's opinion of L. J. Sorensen, chief executive of Deepfreeze, nationally known manufacturers of home freezers, refrigerators and electric ranges. He says that lightening homemaker's burden is a continuing challenge to appliance industry.

NETTING A CATCH — Vacation plans are in the offing. A man's idea of perfect days of relaxation and play.

LAST CHANCE

TO ENROLL IN THE CONTEST FOR \$2800.00 IN CASH PRIZES

NINE PRIZES FOR INDIVIDUAL FARMERS IN THREE ACREAGE CLASSIFICATIONS!

April 1st is the deadline, so sign up NOW for the Finer Farms contest in the 1953 Finer Carolina Program! All Farm Owners and Tenant Farmers, operating in those counties served by the C. P. & L. Company, can enter. Here's your chance to win a cash prize and build a more profitable farm for your future.

All Finer Farms projects should be based on accepted Soil & Water Conservation practices. Three individual prizes will go to the winners in each of these 3 classifications: 50 Acres or less; 50 to 100 Acres; and, 100 Acres or more. Whether your farm is small or large, every one of you has a chance at the top prize! Additional prizes will go to the County with the greatest number of acres participating, and, the County with the greatest percentage of total acres entered. Either way, it's cash money in someone's pocket, and it could be yours!

NO PAPER WORK REQUIRED ON YOUR PART!

It's easy to enter the Finer Farms Contest! You can get full information and your entry blank from your County Soil Conservation Supervisor, or, your nearest C. P. & L. Co. Office. Just be sure to fill it in and return it to your Conservation Supervisor **BEFORE APRIL 1st!** That's all the paper work you have to do. So, sign up NOW, for a finer future for your children TOMORROW!

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