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Shown in the palms at the Lord Calvert Hotel in Miami is glamorous Joyce Bryant, who is singing at the new, fabulous Algiers Hotel.

SHAW PLAYS HOST IN SATURDAY EVENT

THE CAROLINIAN

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Would Make Shrine Of Birthplace

Student Honors Listed



TERRIERS OF THE HARDWOOD — Shown above are five seniors of the Hillside Hornets basketball squad that captured two trophies and made a strong bid for the third. These Hornets captured the Bull City Tourney for the fifth straight year, and the Raleigh-Durham Center of the Eastern Division of the North Carolina High School Athletic Association. The Hillside Hornets were nosed out by the Atkins High of Winston-Salem in a strong bid for the Triple "A" championship.

"Perpetual Motion" No. 22, Winifred Martin, sparked his team to a 29-7 season record and to hit the home stretch with 14 wins of their last 16 games played. Clark "Crack" Witherspoon, No. 25, used his same driving force in basketball that earned him a berth on the Hillside football team. No. 99 Arthur, the 6'4" pivot man of Captain James "Douglass" McThe Hornets, was a key cog in the five-spoke wheel of the hardwood. He dumped in 562 points for an average of 25.5 in 25 games. He accounted for 30 points against Atkins and 24 rebounds in an unsuccessful bid for the state crown. No. 29, Marshall Brown, a 6'2 1/2" guard that made early season history with his "Gose Tatum" hook shot that kept the crowd on their toes. Lomax Wilson, No. 11, the 5'9 1/2" set-shot ace, was as deadly as a cobra to the enemy on the hardwood. Wilson is one of the most feared long distance men in scholastic basketball. With Wilson as a set-shot act, McArthur as the one-hand push shot artist, Martin the masterful ball handler, Witherspoon's drive and Brown's hook, the Hornets of Hillside became the TERRIERS OF THE HARDWOOD in North Carolina. Their coach, the PHTHOSOMICAL SPRAYING EVANGELIST, Nelson Bessie, is shown kneeling adding a bit of humor and reminding the boys of a tap secret that won them the SPORES-MANDED AWARDS in the State Finals. "It takes a cool head to win a hot game."

Trades, Arts Students May Vie For Scholarships

HAMPTON, Va. — The National Industrial Arts Awards and Trades Competition of Hampton Institute is now open for entries to compete for \$900 in scholarships. Twenty-two schools from Delaware, Mississippi, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Ohio and Virginia by April 1 had indicated interest in preparing entries.

R. C. Cutchfield, chairman of the Department of Trade Education, announced that all entries should reach Hampton Institute no later than April 27th.

Any high school student who is enrolled in a vocational trade course may compete in the Trades Skills Competition. Entrants for the Industrial Arts Awards must be enrolled in a junior or senior high school industrial arts program.

Three scholarships, valued at \$300 each, will be awarded the winners: one in the Department of Architecture, Engineering and Building; one in the Department of Industrial Arts Education; and one in the Department of Trades Education.

The winners will be announced at the annual open house of the Hampton Institute Division of Technology on April 30 and May 2.

In the Industrial Arts entries, the project submitted must be one made during the current school year in an industrial arts class. Each contestant may submit as many as three entries providing each entry represents different industrial arts areas, such as metal, wood, leather, and plastics.

Students interested in competing in the skills competition must be at Hampton Institute on May 2. Selected tests will be administered and each contestant will be required to perform certain jobs or operations in accordance with specific criteria and within certain time limits.

Tests in elementary problems of drafting will be given in the Architecture, Engineering and Building; in the Department of Construction division on May 2 also.

Pre-College Counseling Will Spark Shaw Event

RALEIGH — President Strasser announced that the first annual Senior High School Day will be observed at Shaw University, Saturday, April 11. This occasion is the outgrowth of the co-educational pre-college counseling program of the University to acquaint high school seniors through North Carolina with Shaw University and its offerings.

Approximately one thousand seniors from the high schools of North Carolina are planning to be in attendance on that day. The committee, under the direction of Dr. Nelson H. Harris, has planned an eventful day for the enjoyment, entertainment, and information of the students attending.

Among the several features for the day will be a special program in Spaulding Gymnasium at 10:30 a.m. A movie, "Shaw University in Acting," filmed by Dr. M. D. Williams, who is in charge of Radio-Visual Education, will be shown. The students will have an opportunity to see a regulation baseball game between Shaw University and North Carolina College at 2:30 p.m. in Chesapeake Park. They will make a tour of the east and west campus to see the various departments of the University. Lunch and dinner will be served at 1:00 p.m. and 3:30 p.m., respectively in University Dining Hall. A social session from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. will conclude the observance.

Greetings of behalf of the University will be extended by President William R. Strasser and John Rascoe, president of the Student Council.

Negro Baptist Leader Speaks To White Group



MRS. ELLEN ALSTON

Carolinian Staff Writer RALEIGH — Mrs. Ellen Alston, an outstanding figure in North Carolina Baptist circles, was the guest speaker Sunday evening, March 22, at the fifth meeting of the Pullen Memorial Baptist Church Mission Assembly.

The Pullen Mission Assembly, an annual affair, lasting six weeks with graded classes in mission study each Sunday preceding the dinner and assembly sessions, those as its topic for study this year "Africa, Its Peoples and Its Products."

Mrs. Alston was invited to appear as a guest speaker on the assembly's program because of the study she made of that continent during a visit there two years ago.

A captivating and very informative speaker, Mrs. Alston literally held her audience spellbound, while she spoke to them of the offering and hardships, the hinterland natives of that great continent daily undergo.

According to Mrs. Alston, Africa is a paradox, a land of many striking contrasts. Without question the riches of all the continents, millions of its native inhabitants exist in want and woe, while thousands more die each year from malnutrition and disease.

Mrs. Alston's visit was confined largely to Liberia, the only all-Negro republic in the world. Monrovia, the capital and largest city in Liberia, affords the visitor all of the comforts of most any typical American city. However, leaving Monrovia behind, one does not have to travel far to run into conditions as primitive and as bare of even a touch of comfort as we know it as exists any place in the world.

"Out in the 'bush,' a term used to describe the vast hinterland, living with human beings, Mrs. Alston said, out in the 'bush' is where Christianity and civilization must go to make God's word true that 'under me' everyone shall bow." The speaker told about her visit to the leper colony where, within an iron fence enclosure, thousands of human beings wait for death. She said women were there with their young babies in their arms, babies who could be saved if there were only some place where they could be cared for.

All of these conditions can be met and must be met and overcome by love, Christian love, the speaker declared. She deplored the apathy of the Christian church pointing out that Africa could be lost to Christianity because the Mohammedans were taking full advantage of the complacency of the Christian Church and had expounded that faith at work in the 'bush,' carrying the doctrine of Mohammed into the hinterland.

Mrs. Alston is president of the Women's Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary Convention of North Carolina. She is a trustee of Shaw University and is the only woman on the board of trustees of the Oxford Orphanage. A graduate of Shaw University, Mrs. Alston taught in the public schools of North Carolina for seven years.

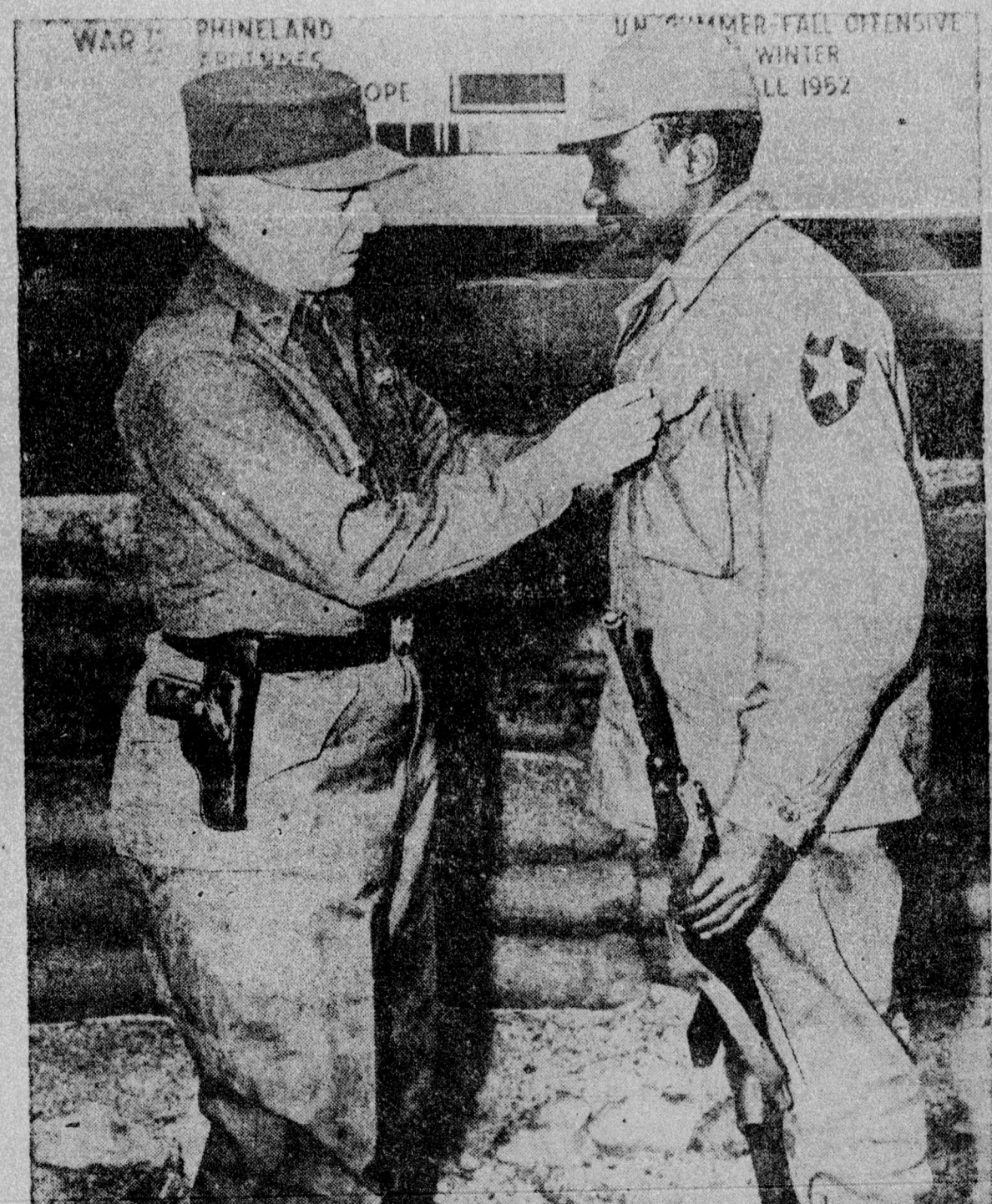
The Women's Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary Convention of North Carolina maintains a training school in Liberia supported jointly by the Lott Carey Missionary Baptist Convention. As many of the 'bush' country natives as can be cared for are educated and trained in this school. When they finish their training there, they invariably go back into the hinterland and spend their lives in rendering service to their people.

High School Artists All Set To Display Wares

PETERSBURG, Va. — The 17th Annual Exhibition of High School Art will open at Virginia State College on Friday, April 10 and will remain on display until April 25. It was announced today by Miss Anaza L. Meredith, head of the art department at VSC. The exhibition will include works of art by elementary school students as well as high school students.

Scholarships will be awarded the two students whose work will be judged the best by a judges' committee.

The exhibit will open concurrently with the 19th Annual State Music Festival and may be seen in the Art Studios of Virginia Hall.



HERO OF 'LITTLE GIBRALTAR' — Major General James C. Fry, commanding general of the Second Division, is shown pinning the Silver Star on Pvt. Courtney Stanley, of Mansfield, La., a Browning automatic rifleman with the 9th Infantry Regiment. Stanley was acclaimed for his heroism during the battle of 'Little Gibraltar,' when he straddled a trench in which his wounded commander lay helpless, and kept the Reds at bay until aid arrived. (Newspress Photo.)

Harriet Tubman's Home Should Be A Memorial

CHICAGO — The property of the famous Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad heroine, which she occupied as a home and office, she conducted a home for the aged in her later days, is located at Auburn, New York. It is on the same street as the home of Wm. H. Seward, Secretary of State under Abraham Lincoln, who was a personal friend of Harriet Tubman as were thousands of other prominent Americans in her day. In her life time, her home became a pilgrimage for celebrant visitors. By all odds, Harriet Tubman is the most famous woman of the race in the fight for freedom, and one of the most famous women of America for all time. Many books contain accounts of her life and exploits in the rescuing of 316 slaves to the land of freedom.

The Court House in Auburn, New York, has only one slab on its wall. It is a bronze plate with a story in miniature of Harriet Tubman's life and her noble deeds in which it calls her the Moses of her race. It was unveiled years ago in the ceremonies led by the governor of the state and Dr. Booker T. Washington with a great audience from several cities attending.

After her death in 1913, the eight persons in the old people's home that she left had died. There being no recruit and no one to conduct this home, it went standing and finally was deserted. Standing on 26 acres on the edge of the city, three doors from the home of Congressman Taber, U.S.



HARRIET TUBMAN, famous Underground Railroad heroine, known as the Moses of her people by leading over 300 Negroes from slavery to freedom.

NHA Plans Meeting At North Carolina College

DURHAM, N. C. — Mrs. Zelma P. Price of the United States Office of Education, Washington, D. C., will be the principal speaker at the annual meeting of the North Carolina College of Home-Makers of America here at North Carolina College on Saturday, April 18.

Some 5,481 girls representing 135 North Carolina chapters are expected to be represented at the meeting. Opening sessions will be held in NCC's Duke Auditorium following registration at 9:30 Saturday morning.

Shirley Ellis, Washington High School, Raleigh, president of the state-wide organization, will preside at the 10:30 a.m. session. Also participating in this session will be Frank Bullock, state president of the New Farmers of America and Dr. Alfonso Elder, president of NCC.

Other participants during the day's program include Naomi Berrill, Unity High School, state Sherrill Unity High School, state Tryon, who will sing; Josephine, historian and national treasurer; and Mrs. Connie Spicer, teacher delegate to the national convention.

The NCC Athletic Field will be the scene of the state-wide picnic luncheon during the noon hour. The afternoon session will open at 2 p.m. and continue through 2:15.

Highlights of the afternoon sessions will be reports from various chapters and the installation of new officers and advisers.

Congress, it was wrecked by nature and vandals and ordered torn down by the city.

As this property had been left in the custody of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church of which Harriet Tubman was a member, it was the duty of this organization to lead the country and its admirers of Harriet Tubman into its restoration and preservation.

There were two houses on the ground when she died, including her home house and the old people's home.

Bishop William J. Walls in charge of the New York area instructed the members and his disciples.

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WRIGHT'S CRUSADE CITED — The late Dr. Louis T. Wright was awarded the 1952 American Cancer Society medal posthumously, for his research in cancer, which he conducted for 33 years at Harlem Hospital before his death last year. He is the first Negro to be given the medal. Mrs. Louis T. Wright (left) accepted the award in New York recently from Dr. John C. A. Gerster, one of the founders of the N.Y.C. Cancer Committee. Her daughter, Dr. Jane C. Wright, is at right. (Newspress Photo.)

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