



FOREIGN STUDENTS OBSERVE AT A&T COLLEGE

5 Foreign Students Spend Week Observing At A & T

GREENSBORO — Five foreign students spent a full week of observation at A&T College last week as part of a four-month training program here in the United States.

Representatives from Thailand, Nepal and the British West Indies, included in a special Rural Youth Leadership Training course at the University of Minnesota, concluded the program with observation of the rural youth program sponsored by the college and through the A&T College Extension Service.

They arrived in the States last August and are returning home during the holidays. They have been studying under the Technical Cooperation Program, sponsored by the International Cooperation Administration in cooperation with the U. S. Department of Agriculture and Land-Grant Colleges.

Dr. W. E. Reed, dean of the School of Agriculture at A&T and in charge of local arrangements for the group, told reporters that the visitors are not only observing the agricultural training program underway at the college, but are making a series of field trips to several points within the State.

Included in the party are Chuan Bhonsuwan and Anek Suthavaj of Thailand; Kiran Dikshit, Nepal; Solomon Goodrich and Noel Walters of Jamaica, British West Indies.

The group, beautifully prepared and staged by Marjorie Stuart, John Blanton, Joseph Mack and Howard Good, incidental evening entertainments was conducted by Mrs. G. Stewart.

The general portion of the program brought the visitors to a dinner at the University. The curtain opened on the value of the Concert Choir, the band and jazz ensembles of mixed sizes and ages, and a total of eighty-five voices by members of the University Choir and music teachers from the Hanes Public School System.

The University Orchestra was enlarged to a total of 51 musicians and a total of 100-odd musicians performed in the Houston Symphony Orchestra and the Houston Youth Symphony Orchestra.

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Senior Dance Group Stages Yule Concert

HAMPTON, Va. — The Senior Dance Orchestra of Hampton Institute will present "The Yule of Notre Dame" in its annual Christmas concert on December 30, 7:15 P.M. in O'Quinn Hall.

Yule Vespers Attract 200

HOUSTON, Texas — An audience of nearly two thousand persons was attracted to the Texas Southern University Auditorium for the Ninth Annual Christmas Vespers presented by the University Division of Fine Arts.

Joy and Brotherhood was the theme carried out by a series of living tableaux depicting the scenes leading to the birth of Christ and the adoration of the Mass.

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May Ask Ike's Support Of Drive To Kill Filibuster

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower is expected to be asked this week to support the Senate drive to overthrow the controversial filibuster rule at the beginning of the 85th Congress.

The bipartisan group which is mapping an assault on the filibuster rule on the opening day of Congress, January 3, believes that the plan can succeed with the President's blessing.

Outlawing the filibuster by enacting a more liberal cloture rule is the first step toward clearing the way for civil rights legislation.

The existing Senate Rule 22 protects the rights of Senators to talk for unlimited periods.

When a civil rights bill is introduced, Southern Senators take turns for hours and even days talking on any subject to prevent action on the pending measure.

Those interested Senators have studied the election day gains made by the GOP among Negro voters. Both political parties are trying to make political capital out of their roles in the anti-filibuster drive.

Sen. Herbert Humphrey (D., Minn.), who is leading the drive, was asked on the Meet the Press television program Sunday if he was supporting the change of Rule 22 because he felt that it was morally right or because it

was good politics. The Minnesotan replied that when you can get legislation which is both morally right and good politics in the same package you are getting a good bargain.

Those supporting the rules change are Democratic Senators Humphrey, Paul Douglas (Ill.), Wayne Morse (Ore.), James Murray (Mont.), Pat McNamara (Mich.), Richard Neuberger (Ore.), and Joseph Clark (Pa.).

And Republican Senators Irving (N.Y.), Clifford Case (N.J.), and Thomas Kuchel (Calif.)

Appeal For 'Dimes' Drive Support Asked By Leaders

NEW YORK, N. Y. — "All Americans must help finish the job of conquering polio," it was stated by a group of national leaders issuing a joint appeal for March of Dimes support Jan. 2-13.

Prominent leaders in many fields joined in the endorsement of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis service program and fund-raising campaign, the 1957 March of Dimes.

Among those appealing to March of Dimes support are: Mrs. Osbeth Adams, Chicago, Ill., vice-president Jack and Ill. of America, Inc., T. Roosevelt Butler, Kansas City, Kans., secretary Prince Hall Masons of Kansas, Dean R. A. Carter, Alabama A&M College, Normal, Ala., G. W. Conroy, Tallahassee, Fla., national advisor, New Farmers of America, William H. Dennis, Jr., Albany, Ga., president Albany State College, Mrs. Gladys Dixon, Baltimore, Md., director of public relations, Daughters of Isis, James C. Gilliam, Clarksville, Miss., Grand Master Prince Hall Masons of Miss.

Also, Mrs. Charles B. Hayes, Niagara Falls, N. Y., president Women's Auxiliary of National

Medical Association; T. C. Jervay, Wilmington, N. C., president National Newspaper Publishers Association; Gilbert Lindsay, Los Angeles, Calif., deputy, County of Los Angeles; Mrs. Ruth Caston Ateller, Los Angeles, Calif.; National Council of Negro Women; Maurice Rabb, M.D., Louisville, Ky.; Seovel Richardson, Washington, D. C., chairman, United States Board of Parole; Lewis O. Swinler, Memphis, Tenn., executive secretary, Abe Scharff Y.M.C.A.; Bishop Luther Stewart, Hopkinsville, Ky.; Hobart Taylor Jr., Detroit, Mich., attorney; Frank R. Veal, Columbia, S. C., president, Allen University; John T. Williams, president Maryland State College at Princess Anne; William "Bill" Willis, Cleveland, Ohio, recreation supervisor; and Benjamin Wilson, Gary, Ind., attorney.



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