

Announce Participants In NCC Marriage-Family Conference

Experts in marital, family, and related problems from many sections of the country will converge on North Carolina College next Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, April 21-23, to serve as consultants for the 11th annual Groves conference on Marriage and the Family.

Most of the sessions of the conference, which is placing emphasis on divorce and divorce reform laws, will be held in the N.C. College Library. Its general theme is "Marriage Specialist and Divorce."

Among the authorities on problems relating to marriage and the family who will participate in the conference are: Clifford Adams, Psychology professor, Penn. State; Jessie Bernard, Penn State Department of Psychology; Robert O. Blood, Jr., Merrill-Palmer school faculty, Detroit, Mich.; Muriel Brown, consultant in Family Life Education, U. S. Office of Education; H.T. Christensen, Purdue University; J. R. Crist, Florida State University; Laura Drummond, professor of Home Economics, Columbia University.

Also Winstoff Ehrman, professor and marriage counsellor, University of Florida; Rosemary Funderburg, Durham, Family Service worker; Eleanor Godfrey, University of Illinois Sociology department, Mowbrill Hill, Atlanta University; John Honigman, professor of Anthropology, University of North Carolina.

And John W. Hudson, Merrill-Palmer school faculty; Wesley Kemp, Drew University; Richard Kreckhoff, Merrill-Palmer School; Charles King, professor of Sociology, North Carolina College; Hylan Lewis, Atlanta University; David Mace, professor of Human Relations, Drew University; Mildred Morgan, professor of Home and



Robert E. Lee



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Dr. A. L. Turner

Family Life, Florida State University.

And Meyer Nimkoff, professor of Family Law, University of Chicago; Harry Roberts, Virginia State College; Leonard Robinson, professor of sociology, A. and T. College; Alvin Rose, professor of sociology, North Carolina College; H. A. Ryan,

Columbia University; Lyda G. Shivers, Woman's College, Greensboro, N. C.; Ralph Bridgman, Lucas County Domestic Relations Court, Toledo, Ohio; Ernest and Mary Osborne, Columbia University; Hornell Hart, Duke University; Merton Dwyer, Ohio State; and Robert Harper, Merrill-Palmer.

A. Moron Back At Hampton; To Take Up Duties After Rest

HAMPTON, VA. Alonzo G. Moron, president of Hampton Institute, returned to the campus here Thursday, April 10 after an absence of almost a year and received a royal welcome from staff and students at a special assembly just preceding the beginning of the Easter holidays.

For the time being, President Moron is returning not to his duties as president but simply to his home on the campus. This was explained in a statement from Dr. Channing H. Tobias, chairman of the Board of Trustees, which was read by Dr. Stephen J. Wright, Dean of Faculty.

Dr. Tobias's letter announced that the president had been discharged after almost a year of treatment and rest at a sanatorium in New York State, and added:

"The Medical staff... have not only reported to me regarding the excellent progress back to health which Dr. Moron has made to date, but have also indicated that he will shortly be able to assume the responsibilities of his office. That moment, however, has not arrived, and it is therefore incumbent upon all of us... to see to it that

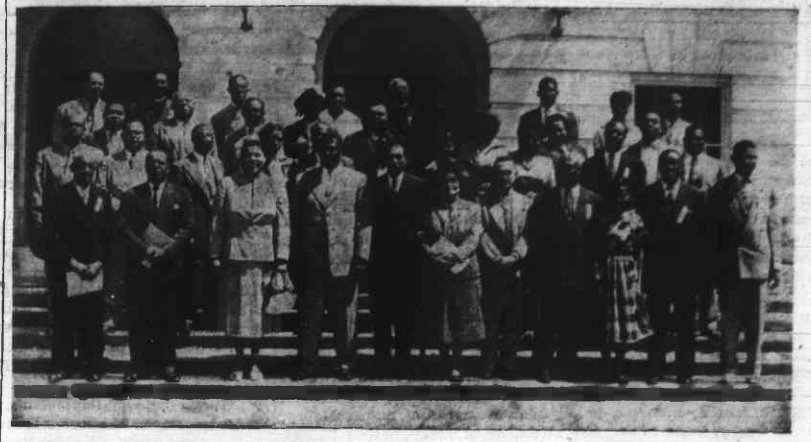
Dr. Moron shall continue to be relieved of any and all responsibilities, care or anxieties in order that his continuing progress shall be rapid and shall be furthered in very possible way.

"Because of these circumstances and until the end of the present fiscal year, June 30, there will be no change from the plan of operation governing the affairs of Hampton which has been in effect during the past twelve months. The members of the president's staff will continue to carry the day to day administrative duties covering their respective areas of responsibility, and Mr. Robert Ogden Prues, vice chairman of the Board, will continue as acting president, carrying general administrative supervision for the college."

New Compound Found For Epilepsy

NEW YORK

A new anti-epileptic compound was described on Tuesday before the Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology, now in its



Delegates to the Fourth Annual Convention of the Florida State Negro Business League which convened at Florida A and M College April 2 and 3. —Jones Photo

annual meeting. Dr. Ben King Harned, of Lederle Laboratories where the new drug was developed, read the paper.

According to the report, the drug has shown best results against the grand mal, or grand seizure, type of epilepsy. This drug is generally referred to as Hibicon, or technically by its full name, Hibicon chloroethylphenamida.

Clinical tests at a number of hospitals and research centers show that the drug, which is administered orally, is well tolerated, and that it is effective in

cases where other established anti-convulsants have failed.

Dr. Harned emphasized that Hibicon is a new compound, with a chemical nucleus never used before in the treatment of epilepsy. While its full possibilities are not yet known, it has shown great potential in treating several types of epilepsy.

Another recent paper on this drug stated that a comparison of its action in a number of cases of epilepsy showed that its efficacy is of the same order as that of dilantin sodium, but that

Hibicon could be tolerated without unpleasant side effects.

The drug was synthesized by a research team under the direction of Drs. J. H. Williams and Samuel Kushner. The Pharmacology team was under the direction of Drs. Harned and Raymond Cunningham, and clinical testing was conducted by Dr. J. M. Rueggesser.

An Informal Glance At The W. D. Hill Recreation Center

BY MRS. M. H. JOHNSON

Bennie the Bunnie came merrily tripping through Durham this weekend, leaving for the kiddies the usual gay colored eggs, Easter baskets, and perhaps a new bonnet or piece of wearing apparel for the other family members. For all of us it was a weekend of great religious significance. Many who joined the Easter parade watched the skies anxiously for some sign from the weather man and were very happy when not too many showers appeared.

On Monday night, the Golden Agers ushered in the Easter activities here at Center with a visit to the Planetarium in Chapel Hill for its Easter program, "The Awakening". This was a very moving show telling of the Easter Story in pictures projected high up in the dome on several sides of the building. About forty seven club members from this Center and Walltown attended.

On Friday afternoon, the Model Mothers Club conducted an annual Easter Egg Hunt on the grounds behind and adjacent to the Center. Over a hundred twenty five youngsters attended. The affair was conducted in two divisions, so that the younger ones could hunt eggs separate from the older ones. There was a surplus of eggs, and everyone found them in large numbers.

On Friday night, the Junior

Mothers sponsored a highly enjoyed "Variety Show of '52" at the Center. A stage show was presented, and the guests enjoyed an evening of music, dancing emceed by both Frank Burnette and refreshments. The show and "Baby" Henderson, was composed of numbers, many of which were rendered by members of the club.

Soloists for the evening were Margaret Kennedy Goodwin, Margaret Barnett, and Leroy Bynum. Louvenia Wilson-Parker played "boogie woogie" and Grace Green Harris did an interpretive dance. Other music was furnished by the Destinaires Quartet, and a trio composed of

club members, Alma Wade, Constance Watts, and Margaret Barnett. Frank Burnett and "Baby" Henderson kept the show moving with their antics.

A special number by Lieutenant James Samuels of the Durham Police Department brought down the house.

It was a pantomime entitled "A woman preparing for a bed at night."

Music and decorations were by McCollum. "Lanky" Cole was accompanist for several numbers, and Guillermo Bright of North Carolina College played an interlude of music. Catering was directed by Mr. Jacobs of North Carolina College. The atmosphere was further enhanced by the presence of gorgeous cigarette girls who were attired in lights, and red, white and blue costumes. This affair was the subject of much conversation long after the last number had faded into the recesses of the building.

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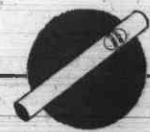
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