

Junior High Teachers

Learning New Approach

Junior high teachers are learning a new approach to reading instruction by teaching students how to read in all subject areas.

This project involves the use of materials known as TRICA, Teaching Reading in Content Areas, developed by Dr. Harold Herber of Syracuse University. The project was incorporated into the federal Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) which provides reading labs in junior high schools. It was developed from the 1977-78 DART program (Directed Activities in Reading and Thinking) started in Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools to provide instruction in teaching content reading.

Teachers in subjects such as social studies, science and math learn how to teach reading along with the content, explains Jean Whitener, TRICA facilitator for the schools.

During the school year, 168 junior high teachers are being trained for the project.

Twenty-five teachers began training during the summer school at Harding High school. The training continues this fall in the evenings, on weekends and during inservice days when students are not at school. Each of the 21 junior high schools will have a TRICA center for training and curriculum development.

TRICA offers various techniques for teachers to apply in working with students who are in the same class but working on different achievement levels. This type of compensatory education will hold teachers with their goal for reaching all students according to their needs and abilities, explains Dr. Charles Hickman, assistant superintendent for curriculum.

The project will also help the school system achieve one of its objectives for the 1978-79 school year, that of improving the teaching of reading, he notes.

Generally, teachers are trained in content areas rather than in the processes to use in teaching. The TRICA training will help them develop certain methods to use in the classroom to enable students to develop the reading skills needed for a particular subject.

In teaching reading through content, the teacher must first analyze the material and determine what skills the student will need to read and understand it. To do this, the teacher writes down the thinking process involved for the student to follow. Such guides may be developed for various reading skills such as reasoning, comprehension and vocabulary.



SHRINE CLUB HONORS NINE

The Margaret Carothers Shrine Club was organized October 8, 1977 with only eight members. The Club now boasts twenty-nine members. Just recently the Shrine Club had nine daughters to receive honors at the Grand Lodge Convention in Atlanta, Georgia. The honorees were PGDRs Annie Law-

ence, Barbara Odom, Ethel Hines, Lucinda Blackmon, Millie King, Frances Mobley, Ella Bakes, Harriet Steele and Florence Burke. Carrie Grier received an honor from the Grand Lodge secretary's office and Thelma Ross received an honor from the Education Department.

Baking Without Sugar Is A Challenge!

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Ask any mother or wife of a diabetic. Ida Ellenson of Southeastern, Michigan J.D.F. has published a dessert cookbook especially for diabetics. Having cooked for dia-

betics for years, she has gathered into one cookbook her favorite tested recipes which have been broken down into exchange values through the courtesy of Mary Van Streain, R.N. of Wm. Beaumont Hospital.

The cookbook, "Just Delicious And Sugar-Free," contains 41 recipes for pie crusts and pies, cookies, cakes, bread and muffins, puddings, special vegetables and special desserts.

Crime Commission

by Sherleen McKoy
Post Staff Writer

The Mayor's Crime Commission has announced a series of seven community meetings to be held throughout Charlotte during October.

The forums called, "Is Crime on Your Mind?" will solicit the concerns of citizens and provide information on the incidence of neighborhood crime as compared with the entire city. Tips will also be offered on how to prevent crime prevalent in the area.

The meetings will be hosted by the 35-member Crime Commission and representatives of the Charlotte Police Department will be available to answer questions and discuss crime prevention techniques. Demonstrations, displays and the mobile crime prevention vans will be a part of each community meeting.

The Crime Commission was formed on February 27 of this year by Mayor Kenneth R. Harris to "encourage respect for law and order through public education and awareness and to encourage public dialogue on citizen concerns."

The meetings are scheduled as follows: Garinger High School Auditorium, 1100 Eastway Drive, District 4 on October 3 at 7:30 p.m.; First United Methodist Church, Fellowship Hall, 501 North Tryon Street, Elderly on October 5 at 2 p.m.; Belmont Regional Center, 700 Parkwood Avenue, District 1 on October 10 at 7:30

p.m.; Bethlehem Center, 2705 School Auditorium, 2219 Senior Drive, District 2 on October 12 at 7:30 p.m.; East Mecklenburg High School Auditorium, 6800 Monroe Road, District 5 on October 19 at 7:30 p.m.; Bethlehem Center, 2705 Baltimore Avenue, District 3 on October 24 at 7:30 p.m.; and Myers Park High School Auditorium, 2400 Colony Road, District 6&7 on October 26 at 7:30 p.m.

The results of the meeting will be compiled into a report to be presented to Mayor

7 Meetings

Harris for his consideration and implementation. The final report will also contain recommendations of the Crime Commission task force. The target date for the report submission is December 1, after which the Mayor will make recommendations to the Mecklenburg Legislative Delegation on criminal justice related legislation.

Dr. Barry Miller, a local dentist, serves as chairman of the Crime Commission and educator Joe Champion is vice-chairman.

Livingstone To Raise \$100,000

SALISBURY - Livingstone College has officially launched its 1978 United Negro College Fund Campaign, aimed at raising a goal \$100,000 in this area. September 10th through 16th has been designated as the official kickoff.

The United Negro College Fund was founded in 1944 and was America's first "community chest" campaign for higher education. Annual nationwide fund-raising campaigns to raise money for operating expenses for the predominantly black schools in the nation are conducted by U.N.C.F. at 41 member institutions.

A kick-off reception, in Walls Center-Hood Theologi-

cal Seminary was held Sunday on the Livingstone Campus.

Wiley I. Lash, owner-manager of Lash's Self Service Grocery, will serve as campaign chairman. Co-chairman will be Louis Harrison of Home Savings and Loan Association.

Wachovia Bank and Trust President, Mr. R. O. Everett, will serve as campaign treasurer and James F. Hurley, III of the Salisbury Post will be publicity chairman.

The Women's Division will be headed by Mrs. Marie Corpening of Granite Quarry, a teacher in the Rowan County school system.

Women will be conducting a door to door campaign to raise funds. The date of this drive will be announced later.

For a long time there were far too few educated blacks in prominent positions for other blacks to look up to. Maybe it was because, for most blacks, a college education was only a dream. But fortunately private contributions to the United Negro College Fund have enabled many blacks to follow that dream.



Dr. C. DuPont Rippy
...Wrote the proposal

JCSU Receives

NSF Award

Of \$185,000

Dr. Wilbert Greenfield, President of Johnson C. Smith University announced Tuesday the receipt of a National Science Foundation grant in the amount of \$185,000.

The award was made through the Foundation's Minority Institutions Science Improvement program (MISIP).

The project is under the direction of Dr. C. DePont Rippy, who wrote and submitted the proposal. Dr. Rippy is Head of the Social Science Division and Chairman of the Department of Sociology.

The grant will enable the recipient to establish a Social Science Laboratory, employ faculty replacement, employ several student assistants, employ innovative methods of teaching the social sciences, and in general, apply computer techniques to social science data.

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