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Committee Will Study Veterans Housing Problems

RALEIGH — A comprehensive plan aimed at aiding veterans with their housing problems has been outlined by the National Department of the American Legion and State Commander William M. York has called on the more than 300 posts in the State to "co-operate wholeheartedly" with the program.

Commander York, who headed the State's delegation to the national Legion convention in San Francisco, sent details of the plan to Executive Vice - Commander Paul R. Younts from the California city. He also pointed out that the program, which will be pushed by the more than 15,000 Legion posts in the nation, has received the endorsement of Wilson W. Wyatt, Federal Housing Expediter, and J. D. Small, Civilian Production Administrator.

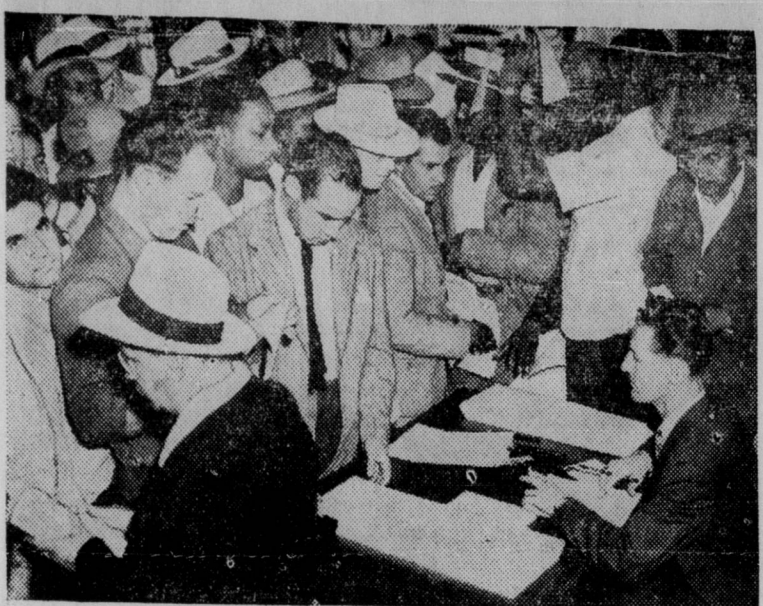
Formation by the post of a temporary housing committee. Incorporation by the post of a non-profit corporation with a permanent board of directors. Retention by the post of a local attorney and architect. A survey of local veteran home-seekers determining the site of the needed housing project, its type and establishing price brackets, size and approximate cost of each dwelling unit.

Selling veteran membership in the non-profit corporation with one share of stock with each membership. Arranging for each home-seeking veteran to select and purchase a specified home and lot and make initial payment agreement.

Board of directors to take up options on land, approve master plan and individual dwelling plans, let contracts for development of community, let all other contracts and approve mortgage procedure.

Board to determine and establish exact financial cost to each owner member, credit savings against purchase price and fix specific amount of the accrued payment.

In promoting new rental facilities the post should first determine the need for such development, the availability of good permanent renters and seek to interest investment agencies in such a project.



TERMINAL LEAVE SIGN-UP . . . Flood of 10,000 veterans at Los Angeles office to obtain the first terminal leave forms available in Southern California is shown in above photograph. This rush was typical of that to be found in nearly every city in the United States.

Society

MRS. F. H. RICHARDSON ENTERTAINS CLUB

The Woman's Club of Black Mountain met Wednesday, October 9, at the home of Mrs. F. H. Richardson. Mrs. William Hickey, Mrs. Frank Buckner, Mrs. A. V. Hemphill, Mrs. L. C. Jumper, Mrs. A. G. Callison, Mrs. Cyril Huffman, Mrs. A. M. McCoy, Mrs. C. R. Longcoy, Mrs. W. T. Wright, and Mrs. F. H. Richardson were assistant hostesses.

Miss Nannie Watkins of Montreat, was in charge of the program. Miss Margaret Hay gave a very interesting discussion on Paul Greene, and read several of his plays. She also spoke of the works of Thomas Dixon.

Mrs. H. W. Baucom presided at the meeting and gave the club a report of the district meeting at Brevard held on September 20. Two new members were taken in at this meeting, Miss Elizabeth Hoyt of Montreat, and Mrs. Roy Wilson.

MRS. CHARLES GODFREY ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Charles Godfrey was hostess to her bridge club last Friday afternoon. Guests included: Mrs. J. L. Potter, Mrs. H. A. Kerlee, Mrs. Fred Wilson, Mrs. Dwain McDougle, Mrs. Geo. Wrenn, Mrs. Doss Dinwiddie, Mrs. A. J. Callison and Mrs. A. J. Hemphill. At the conclusion of the game Mrs. Potter won high score, Mrs. Wrenn low score, and Mrs. Wilson won the consolation prize.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY HOLDS OCTOBER MEETING

Circle 2 was hostess when the Women's Auxiliary of the Black Mountain Presbyterian church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Albert Kissling. It was the regular October meeting.

MRS. W. T. WRIGHT ENTERTAINS CIRCLE NO. 1

Circle No. 1 of the Methodist church met at 3:30 p. m., Tuesday at the home of Mrs. W. T. Wright. Devotion was led by Mrs. Mary Aleshire after which reports were made on the boxes for overseas mail which the Circle sends to the Methodist Center in Maryland for final processing. A social hour followed.

KERLEE BYPU ENTERTAINS

Members of the Intermediate BYPU class of the Kerlee Baptist church of Black Mountain, were guests of the MC league of the West Marion church on Saturday, October 12. The group was chaperoned by Mrs. Ray Burgin. Head of the MC league is Mrs. Irene Lytle.

A picnic lunch was prepared by all the young ladies. A social hour closed the day's activities.

DOCIA ELIZABETH BURGIN WEDS JOSEPH P. QUINN

Docia Elizabeth Burgin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy H. Burgin of Black Mountain was married to Joseph P. Quinn, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Quinn of Ridgecrest on September 7, in Asheville. The bride wore a light grey suit with blue accessories.

Mr. Quinn has served three years in the armed forces. He was stationed in the European Theater. The couple plan to make their home in Black Mountain.

Montreat Music Clubs Organize

The Montreat college and high school music clubs have selected the following officers for the present year: college, Helen Cassell, Roanoke, Va., president; Rachel Laney, West Palm Beach, Fla., vice-president; Gladys Goodman, Mooresville, N. C., secretary-treasurer.

High school: Nell Sugg, Goodwater, Ala., president; Mary Kathryn Schwenk, Beaver Falls, Pa., vice-president; Jane Holt, Montreat, N. C., secretary-treasurer.

Membership of the music clubs is composed of piano, voice, and violin pupils, as well as members of the orchestra, the college choir, and the high school glee club.

Montreat college is this year offering a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in music, which includes three years of theory and courses in music history and appreciation, public school music and ear training.

SWANNANOVA PTA MEETING WILL BE HELD THURSDAY

SWANNANOVA—Father's night will be observed by the Swannanoa Parent-Teacher association at its meeting at 7:30 p. m., Thursday in the school auditorium.

The program will be centered around the theme "Safety," and a motion picture on that subject will be shown.

Following the meeting a social hour will be held in the school lunchroom. Mrs. Arnold Powell, president of the Swannanoa group, will preside.

HOME FROM WASHINGTON

Wiza H. Holdway who has been employed in secretarial work at Washington, D. C., for some time is now visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Herman Holdway, of Black Mountain.

The regular weekly choir rehearsal of the Methodist church was held last night.

Father Dies In South Carolina

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Harper left Old Fort on Monday for Williamston, South Carolina, having been summoned there on account of the death of the former's father which occurred Monday at Williamston.

Mr. Harper whose home is in Greenville, South Carolina, is superintendent in charge of construction of rayon plant for Clearwater Manufacturing company at Old Fort.

Joseph S. Deutschie, veteran of both World Wars I and II, former editor of The Ohio Legion News, and aide to National Commander Milo J. Warner during 1940-41, has been appointed as the new department adjutant of the Ohio American Legion.

Say You Saw It In The News

VISITS RELATIVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McAfee of Norfolk, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones of Blue Ridge, Ga., are in Black Mountain visiting relatives and friends.

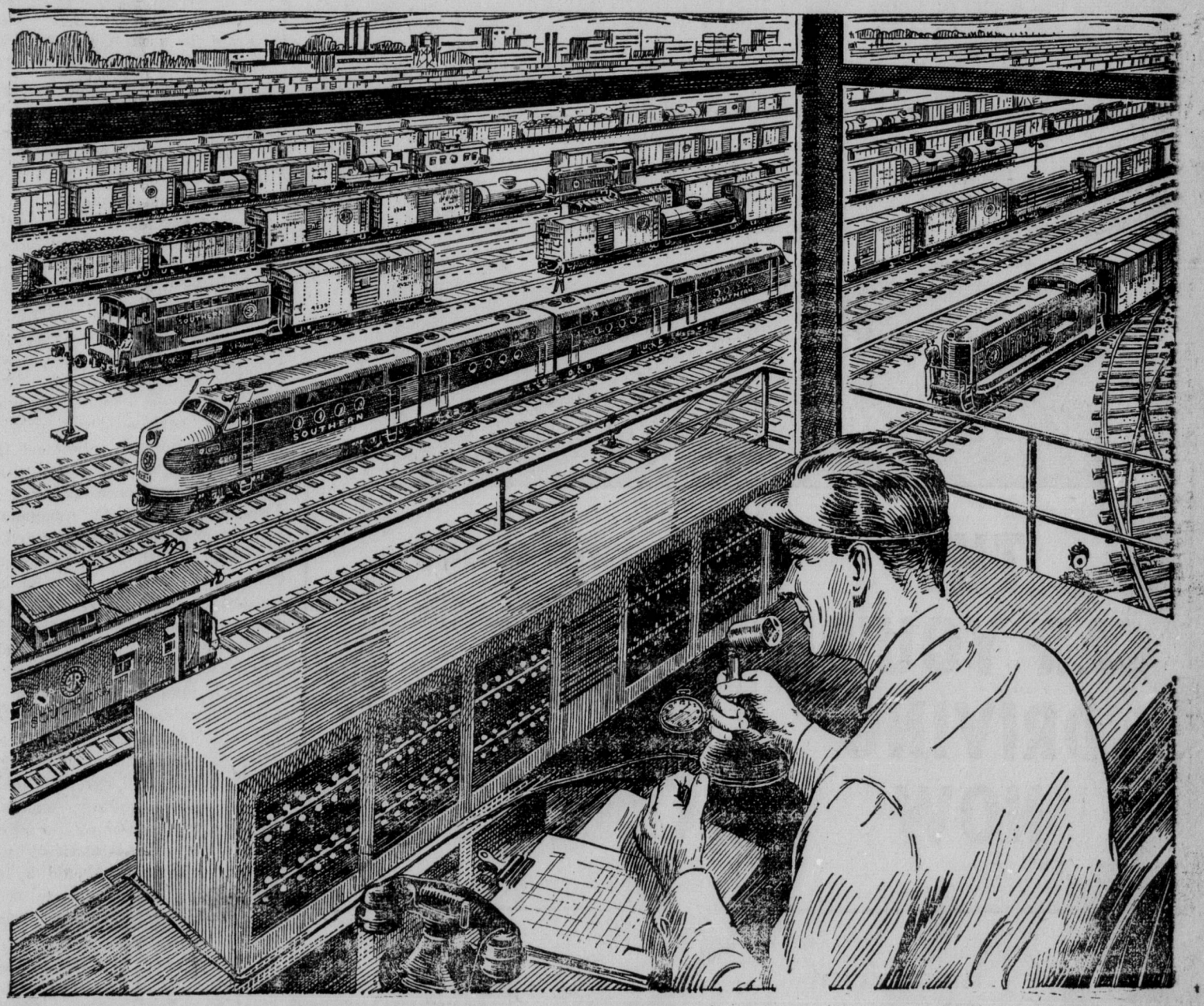
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