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When buying fabrics, here's a one-minute check list that will save you money, time and potential problems: (1) Is it color-fast? Such fabrics retain their colors for the washing life cycle and require no special handling in the laundering process. (2) Is it color-fast to light? If so, no need to worry about over-exposure to sunlight or fading for the normal wear-life of the fabric. (3) Is it pre-shrunk? Your clothes won't become tight after the first washing if you can check "yes" on this question.

Washington, D. C.—Newly-honored life members of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers are President and Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

The nation's first lady received special P.T.A. membership certificates for herself and President Eisenhower in a recent White House ceremony.

Mrs. James C. Parker, of Grand Rapids, Mich., president of the National Congress, said in presenting the honors to Mrs. Eisenhower that the life membership "express recognition by more than eleven million members of the P.T.A. of the inspiring concern you have shown for the welfare of the nation's children."

She pointed out that naming of President and Mrs. Eisenhower "who are known for their deep interest in children and the home" as honorary P.T.A. members was particularly appropriate at this time, because:

"Our new action program 'Strengthening the home, source of our nation's greatness,' which was launched at the National Congress convention in May.

Mrs. Eisenhower indicated that she plans to wear her membership pin "should I ever visit our grandchildren's school," and expressed for herself and the President "warmest appreciation to all the members" of the P.T.A.



Nation's First Lady receives her honorary life membership in the National Congress of Parents and Teachers from Mrs. James C. Parker, of Grand Rapids, Mich., National Congress president, in special White House ceremony. The nation's P.T.A.'s honored President and Mrs. Eisenhower "for their inspiring concern for the welfare of the nation's children," and interest in the aims of the P.T.A. action program, "Strengthening the home, source of our nation's greatness" launched at its 63rd annual convention in Denver, Colo., this week.

The National Congress is made up of more than 44,500 local parent-teacher associations in the fifty states, the District of Columbia, Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., will be held at Queens college, Charlotte, June 8-12.

Courses have been planned as follows: Church Extension, Mrs. W. W. McGinn, Charlotte; Organization and Program of Women of the Church, Miss Evelyn Green, Atlanta; Stewardship, Dr. James T. Womack, Jr., Lincoln; World Missions, the Rev. Eugene L. Daniel, Nashville, Tenn.; Presbyterian Belief, Dr. Henry Edward Russell, Memphis, Tenn.; Parliamentary Procedure, Mrs. H. C. Taylor, Jr., Huntington, W. Va.; and Bible Book Study, Dr. Manford G. Gutzke, Decatur, Ga.

A morning Bible study course will be based on the special Bible study for 1960. This will be taught by the Rev. William M. Boyce, Jr., Charlotte.

College facilities to be used by the school will be residence halls, classrooms, parlors and lounges, dining hall, and the recently completed Irwin-McKay infirmary. The college swimming pool in Owens physical education building and the snack bar will also be available.

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**Local Libraries' Circulation Totals Shown for 1958**

Circulation of books by Buncombe county public libraries averaged four books per county resident during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1958, and placed Buncombe well up among larger North Carolina counties in circulation figures.

Figures released Thursday by the N. C. State Library showed the following number of books circulated per county resident: Mecklenburg (Charlotte), 4.7; Buncombe, 4.0; Guilford (Greensboro, High Point), 4.0; Forsyth (Winston-Salem), 3.0; and Wake (Raleigh), 2.5.

The report shows Buncombe public libraries with an original circulation of 496,742 volumes and a current total income of \$134,831.51.

In Asheville, Pack Memorial library and city branch libraries circulated 371,240 volumes on an income of \$129,624.08. Other county libraries showed circulation and income figures as follows: Black Mountain, 19,028; \$2,099.34; Beech, 2,081; \$300; Sprinkle Memorial, Weaverville, 11,984; \$1,458.15; Swannanoa, 2,827; \$1,350.

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