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Dr. M. S. Noble Is Honored At A and T. College

Various Dignitaries of State Join College In Birthday Celebration

A and T. College called time out for the examinations last week to honor Dr. M. S. Noble, a member of the A and T. board of trustees for 45 years and its chairman for 35 years.

Various dignitaries of the state joined in the college's celebration of the 87th birthday of the friend of the institution in a program held in Richard B. Harrison auditorium.

The program was formed around the unveiling of a portrait of Dr. Noble by Prof. H. Clinton Taylor, director of art at the college, who did the painting. "In appreciation of the interest Dr. Noble has shown in the college and in the advancement of Negro education."

Professor Taylor, in presenting the portrait, said: "Great men have many admirers. Your long, eventful life of unselfish service has won a niche in the hearts of the people of North Carolina. Your proven sincere interest in Negro education will be held as a monument to a truly democratic spirit. Your life itself will surely perpetuate your memory for years to come."

Dr. Noble was introduced by President F. D. Bluford, who said, "We have come this morning to honor a great friend of this institution, whom we all know and love. The success of this college has been, in a large measure, due to his vision, wisdom and effort. He has given to this institution the golden years of a long, rich and fruitful life."

Dr. Noble, whom the years had failed to bend, accepted the portrait with highest praise for the work of the artist. He paid tribute to former President James B. Dudley and requested the college choir, which he commended, to sing the former president's favorite song: "I Ain't Gonna Study, War No More." He thanked

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Reckless Cycle Riders Warned At High Point

When an automobile and a bicycle collide the automobile doesn't suffer to any great extent.

That is the latest approach Chief of Police W. G. Friddle, of High Point, takes in a warning to bicyclists, who are daily becoming more numerous and flooding downtown High Point streets and congested areas.

Chief Friddle says bicyclists are flagrantly violating laws and that in doing so they are endangering their own lives and those of pedestrians crossing streets. Disregarding stop lights is the worst abused traffic regulation, according to the chief, who also points out that it is illegal for two persons to ride wheels abreast, for more than one person to ride a bicycle at the same time, and for owners not to equip their vehicles with lights for night riding.

Friddle stated he may have to start mobile stations to cope with the situation.

In production at a wide variety of civilian plants and service arsenals are anti-aircraft guns of three principal sizes, ranging from the 50 caliber machine gun to the navy's great 16-inch gun.

UNVEILING--87TH BIRTHDAY



A and T. College honored Dr. M. C. S. Noble, chairman of the A and T. board of trustees for 45 years on occasion of his 87th birthday with a special program which was held in Harrison auditorium last week. The program was formed around the unveiling of a portrait of Dr. Noble by Professor H. Clinton Taylor, director of art at the college, who did the painting "in appreciation of the interest Dr. Noble has shown in the college and in advancement of Negro education." Reading from left to right are: Dr. F. D. Bluford, president of the college; Dr. Noble and Professor Taylor.

New Farmers of America Hold Meet In Nashville, Tenn.

Participating Are National Officers of Various States

The national board of trustees of New Farmers of America will hold its semi-annual board meeting at the A and T. college, Nashville, Tenn., March 29 to April 1. The meeting will be presided over by Henry Revels, national president, Southern university, Scotlandville, La. The purpose of the meeting will be to perfect plans for the annual convention of the farm youth organization which will be held at the State Agricultural and Mechanical college, Orangeburg, S. C., in August. This information is released by the national reporter, Stufin McGhee.

One of the highlights of the board meeting will be that of conferring the honorary superior degree on Dr. C. E. Spaulding, president of the North Carolina Mutual Insurance company. The president of the insurance company has been a staunch supporter of this farm organization of some 73,000 members, from the date of its beginning.

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Marines To Occupy Brick Barracks At New River Soon

Twelve barracks and three mess halls at the new permanent marine barracks at New River will be ready for the first regiment of Marines April 1, it was learned from Lieutenant Commander Madison Nichols, resident naval officer in charge of construction of this \$35,000,000 post.

Since their arrival last fall, the marines have been quartered in temporary tents and huts near Jacksonville and Verona. Construction of the permanent, brick, veneer, strip steel barracks at Hadnot Point has been under way for a number of months, and work has been rushed even more rapidly since the declaration of war.

COULD BE A UNIFORM

Seniors of South Gate, Calif. local high school are looking for some garment to replace the long-standing "class sweater" tradition. Reason: The shortage of wool.

Week's Halt In Sugar Sales Is Ordered

All sugar sales in the United States will be halted at midnight April 27, for approximately one week, government officials announced today after they had set six days in April and May for the nationwide sugar rationing registration.

John E. Hamm, acting chief of the office of price administration, reported that sugar would be off the market on April 28 and would not be available to buyers again until about May 5.

Hamm explained that the ban was ordered as a step preparatory to sales under rationing, which will go into effect as soon as the moratorium on sales ends.

Earlier, dates were fixed for the national registration — biggest in the history of the United States and involving every man, woman and child in the country.

Frank Bane, field chief of the OPA, announced that individual or family consumers would register May 4, 5, 6 and 7, at public elementary schools, and that wholesalers, retailers, bakers, confectioners and other industrial users would register April 28 and 29 at high schools.

The periods for recording the data concerning 131,000,000 Americans were scheduled at a conference of rationing administrators from the 48 states.

Bane reported that it had not been determined finally whether the

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Chatham Brothers Use Coin To Settle Draft Problem

Rufus and John Hearne, of Tusnum, had an unusual problem.

They were both granted deferment from military service because of a dependent mother and brother. They were reclassified by the Chatham county selective service board and told that deferment would be granted to only one. The board gave them permission to decide which one should stay at home and which one go to the army.

Their mother refused to express a preference and the boys settled it by flipping a coin. Rufus is now keeping the home fires burning and John is in the army.

Dietians Registering For Defense

Demand for Foods Experts Beginning To Outrun Supply

Dietitians in North Carolina are registering this week for availability in both the state and national defense programs, where the demand is beginning to outrun the supply.

Persons eligible for registration are dietitians in the field, former dietitians who are now homemakers, home economics graduates with a major in foods and nutrition, and other foods workers who by their experience would be qualified to assume the duties of a hospital dietitian in an emergency appointment.

The registration is being made all over the country by the American dietetic association through local dietetic organizations. Jane Hanes Crow, of Salem college, Winston-Salem, is in charge of the North Carolina survey, and Mabel Swanson, of Woman's college, is in charge of registrations in the Greensboro area.

Registrants will be asked to state their professional interest, schools attended and position held. They will designate whether or not in case of an emergency they will be available for full or part time service in civilian or army hospitals, large group feeding, consultant work in nutrition and dietetics, teaching or other fields. Due to the scarcity of dietitians these registrations will be used in finding people who can substitute in civilian hospitals when the present dietitians are called to army appointments.

Miss Eleanor Watkins Gives Party At Home

Miss Eleanor Watkins gave a party at her home on Dudley street Tuesday, March 10. Dancing and cards were enjoyed by all. Around 11 o'clock a repast was served. Those present were Miss Louise Egan, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simmons, Edith Hunt, Eddie and Mable Arledge, Bessie Johnson, Ruby Thompson, Hubert Gaskins, Robert Debnam, Woody Jones, George Wilson, Fred Avery, Julian Hunt, Charles Horne and Gurney Watkins.

Halfway mark in the American Red Cross drive for \$50,000,000 has been passed. Montana has exceeded its state quota by 25 per cent.

Bennett Institute For Home-Makers Reaches Climax

Dr. Channing Tobias, New York City Delivers Address

The 18th annual home-making institute of Bennett College reached its climax Saturday, March 22, with an all-day conference of high school principals and teachers and students of home economics throughout the state. Several hundred delegates are expected to be present at the conference which opened in Henry Pfeiffer Science hall at 10 o'clock.

Dr. Channing H. Tobias, of New York city, delivered the keynote address, entitled "The Conservation of Human Values," following remarks by President David D. Jones, of Bennett, who presided. J. P. Bond, administrative assistant in the North Carolina NYA presented Dr. Tobias to the conference.

Talks by Beverly C. Moore and F. T. Hines of this city was the highlight of the afternoon sessions of the conference which also included a number of section meetings on "Conservation in the Home," a clothing review, followed by a tea for the conference members concluded the conference.

A striking feature of Saturday's program was showing of a series of exhibits on "The Home and Civilian Defense," theme of this year's home-making institute.

The exhibits, prepared under the

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One Company Ready for Raids Or To Fight Fire

Should bombs start dropping in Greensboro one local plant of 35 are trained to meet the emergency.

The Pepsi-Cola Bottling company, 106 eFaron street, has just completed organizing its employees into a defense crew and installing certain defense equipment, according to H. E. Flynt, manager. He reports that each employe has a station in case of emergency and knows exactly what to do.

Equipment includes a hand-operated pump holding 75 gallons of water which is kept filled. It is placed on a portable stand along with buckets of sand and shovels. There are buckets of dry sand, which are kept covered, on each corner of the plant roof, with shovels for each bucket. Flynt also said that the plant has first aid supplies on hand and that a member of the concern is now taking a first aid course. Upon completion he will instruct other employes and act as supervisor of a plant first aid station.

"Our company has figured out some way of taking care of the plant and the lives of the people within it. We are still trying to learn more and intend to add to equipment as we receive more instruction on what is needed, and how it should be used," Flynt said.

Mt. Pleasant Christian Church Now Building

The Mount Pleasant Christian church, located at the corner of Gray and South streets, is now under construction. The structure, when completed, will be 30 by 60 feet.

Rev. P. E. Carter, minister, also has charge of the construction.