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# **War Industries Drop Reference** To Race, Religion

Three war industires in the New York area, each holding government contracts, have agreed to delete references to race and religion from their application blank the President's Committee on Fair Employment Practice made known today.

The three firms are executing contracts for both the Navy department and the War department. At the request of the committee, the Navy and War departments issued directions to the companies to modify their application forms in keeping with the nationl policy of fair employment as stated in Executive order 8802.

The Pollak Manufacturing Company, 541 Devon Street, Arlington, N. J., dropped the reference to race on its application forms; it had no reference to religion.

The Tung-Sol Radio Tubes Division, 95 Eigth Aveune, Newark, N. J., agreed to drop its question on religion, it had no reference to race on its forms.

The Thomas A. Edison, Inc., West Orange, N. J., deleted references to both race and re-

In carrying out its duties to correct grievances growing out of discrimination against war workers because of their race, creed, color, national origin, or alienage the Committee on Fair Employment Practice has sought to eliminate references to race and religion on application forms as one step in overcoming arbitrary rejection of workers of certain racial and religious affiliations solely because of their race and creed.

#### THE A. & T. COLLEGE HONOR ROLL, FALL QUARTER, 1942

Dr. Bluford, president of the Agricultural and Technical college of Greensboro, North Carolina, announces the Fall Quarter Honor Roll. Those whose scholastic records average 2.50 or above, out of a maximum of 3.00 have earned the distinction of being "A" Honor Roll students, while those who made an average of 2.00 up to 2.49 are included on the "B" Honor Roll. The "class" ranking students are Ann Davis and Broadus Sawyer (Senior); Artelia Bright, Barbara Canada, and William Hinnant (Junior) — each having a perfect score of 3.00 - while Bette Simmons heads the Sophomore classes with a 2.95 average. and Julia Johnson leads the Freshman class with 2.90.

Due to its heavy contribution to the war effort, the total undergraduates enrollment at A. & T. College to date is now approximately 790.



MR. J. J. DONNELL

# J. J. Donnell Claimed by Death

Mr. Jerry J. Donnell, 243 W. Whittington St., died Jan. 16, 1943 at L. Richardson Memoria Hospital after a brief illness of three days.

He was born in the Goshen Community, Guilford County, October 2, 1864 and in 1896 was married to Mary Elizabeth Mc-Cormick unto which union 10 children were born.

Mr. Donnell worked as a drayman years ago but until June, 1942 he had been employed by the Proximity Manufacturing Company for about 13 years.

He was a faithful member of St. Matthews Church. Also, he was a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge.

Surviving are: wife, Mrs. J. J. Donnell, four daughters, Mrs. Eddie McBrayer, Greensboro, N. C., Mrs. Fred Wharton, Brooklyn, N. Y., Miss Mattie Donnell, Charlotte, N. C. and Miss Geraldine Donnell, Greensboroe, N. C. Five sons-Mr. Lacy Donnell, Mr. Glen Donnell, Mr. Troy Donnell, all of Greensboro. Mr. James Donnell, Langley Field, Va. and Mr. Ernest Donnell, Goldsboro, N. C. a sister, Mrs. Jessie Hopper, Pittsburgh, Pa., 12 grandchildren, a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held from St. Matthews Methodist Church, Tuesday, Jan. 19, 1943 at 2:30 P. M., Rev. J. E. Brower officiating. Mr. Donnell was a life-long citizen of Greensboro and had many friends of both races. He was a loyal member of St. Matthews Methodist Church. His body lay in state at the church from Tuesday noon until the funeral. Burial was in the cemetery at Goshen. Hargett Funeral Directors in

#### CORRECTION BY ERROR:

In the Future Outlook, Saturday, January 16, 1943 edition, which stated that Mrs. Della Allison was killed on railroad track instead of Miss Helen Davis. We hereby apologize to the family and friends.

### **Negro Teachers** In Fight Against Inflation

Recognition of the important role Negro teachers are playing in the fight against inflation is given in the recent issue of the Herald, official journal of the Georgia Teachers and Educational Association, devoted almost entirely to wartime consumer education.

Dr. Horace Mann Bond, editor of the Herald, declares that consumer education is vital to the future of the Negro people of America, as well as to winning the war. "This is a war," says Editor Bond, "where every consumer can, by the exercise of care, put that much less strain upon the productive energies of the nation."

Featured articles in the quarterly publication include "The Schools and the Economic Home Front," by J. E. Greene, educational representative in the Atlanta region for the Office of Price Administration; "Stretching the Food Dollar," by Rufie Lee Williams, Georgia OPA representative; "Teachers Handbook on Wartime Economic program." by the staff of the Washington Educational Services branch; "The Role of the Schools on the Wartime Economic Front," and "Charting Wartime Consumer Education"; "Selected Bibliography on Wartime Consumer Problems"; and "The Negro School in the People's Fight Against Inflation" by Doxey A. Wilkerson, OPA edu-Continued on Page 8

# A. F. L. Invites **Negro Carpenters** Into the Fold

The Southern Representative of the American Federation of Labor has invited Local Negro Carpenter's Union 1960 in Savannah, Georgia, to sign and become a party to a closed shop agreement between the AFL, its affiliated bodies, and the MacEvoy Shipbuilding Corporation of Savannah, the Committee on Fair Employment Practices of the War Manpower Commission announced today. Official notification of this action was received by the Committee from the MacEvoy Corporation.

The invitation was issued by the AFL Southern Representative, George H. Googe, after the Committe had called his attention to reports from the Negro union that its members had been unable to secure fair employment with the MacEvoy Corporation, although the local was affiliated with the AFL and the Savannah Building Trades

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DRAFTED-Prince Gaetan de Bourbon Parma, 37, brother of former Empress Zita of Austria-Hungary and uncle of Archduke Otto, drafted into U. S. armed forces, in New York, as friendly alien. He was wounded six times serving with Generalissimo Franco's army in Spain. He has daughter, 11. in France

#### Small Homes To Get More Kerosene

The OPA announced today that occupants of the 1 1/2 million homes in the country depending on oil stoves or kerosense heaters for warmth, cooking and light, will benefit from simplification of the fuel coupons systems recently initiated.

Heretofore, these users of oil and kerosene, a large number of whom are Negroes, have found it necesary to fill out a new application form for cooking and light fuel every three months. Under the simplication the houesholder will have only to certify to his ration board that his requirements, in number of users and amount of equipment, have not changed.

In addition, families using kerosene and oil stoves for heating purposes and having a ration of less than 200 gallons for the season, will find under the new regulations that there will be no limit on the use of a coupon. Previously each coupon was good for one of the five rationing periods, and the amount of fuel oil obtainable during that period was set by rationing boards. Especially to benefit small consumers, the Office of Price Administration has now made it possible for users to turn in their coupons for heating fuel at any time the need arises.

The small consumer is also benefited by the fact that he can obtain 20 per cent more fuel for an oil or kerosene burning stove than users of a furnace can get. Regulations require that, in addition to filling out application number 1100, the consumer brings to the ration board measurements of the floor space to be heated, the lo-

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#### Captain Mulzac And Crew **Honored At** N. Y. Dinner

Captain Hugh N. Mulzac, the first Negro to command a Liberty Ship in American maritime history, and the crew of the S. S. Booker T. Washington, were honored Tuesday night in New York City at a dinner given by the Greater New York Industrial Council of the Congress of Industrial Organizations. Captain Bulzac recently brought the BOOKER T. WASHINGTON, a 10,500 ton Liberty Ship safely into port from her maiden voy-

The dinner, attended by more than twelve hundred persons, was held in a hall decorated with the flags of the United Nations and a large painting of the BOOKER T. WASHINGTON, with the inscription of the National Maritime Union, "Keep Em Sailing, Deliver The Goods."

Captain Mulzac commanded a crew that represented eighteen different nationalities about evenly divided between whites and Negroes. At the conclusion of the dinner, his crewmen presented him wth a gold watch, inscribed, "To a good skipper and a real shipmate."

Saul Mills, Secretary of the Greater New York Industrial Council, said of the BOOKER T. WASHINGTON:

"The eyes of the democratic world are watching the voyages of these courageous men who, comprising as they do eighteen different nationalities, are proving under fire that men of all colors and races can work together and live together for the common good.

"We honor tonight a master mariner. To Captain Mulzac has fallen the distinction of being the first Negro to command a merchant vessel in American maritime history. He wears his mantle well. The CIO, of which he is a member, is proud of him. The National Maritime Union, to which he belongs, takes pride in his membership. His people are proud of his achievements. Continued on Page 8

**Buried January 15** 

Funeral services were held at Bethel A. M. E. Church, Friday, Jan. 15, 1943 at 3 o'clock for Mrs. Della Allison. Mrs. Allison was a well-known and highly resepected citizen of Greensboro. Because of her cheery disposition, she cultivated quite a host of friends. She left to mourn her loss, three daughters; Mrs. Martha Smith, Mrs. Annie Avery and Mrs. Geraldine Rogers and one son, Mr. Frank Allison.