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Bennett College Announces Summer Session

The three areas of community problems, child health, and education workshop will be featured in the annual summer session of Bennett College to be held here June 1 to July 10. The General Education Board and the N. C. School Coordinating Service of the State Board of Health are cooperating in the sponsorship of the session.

A highlight of the session will be the two week seminar on drama and radio techniques for community service conducted by Dick Campbell, director of the Rose McLendon Players of New York and Founder of the Rose McLendon Workshop.

The seminar will be a two weeks comprehensive study of methods designed to project the work of community agencies and leaders through dramatization and radio. There will be a workshop and live broadcast participation in script writing, acting, directing and production.

The work in community problems will emphasize nursery school procedure, foods and nutrition, and community organization.

The child health institute is under the direction of Dr. Walter J. Hughes of the N. C. State Board of Health and will feature daily health inspections, and follow up procedures on the correction of defects.

Of special interest to in-service teachers and those who have been out of service and seek to qualify for renewal certificates as well as others who have special problems from their schools or communities is the Education Workshop.

The Bennett Nursery School and the Health/Camp will give opportunity for observation and laboratory experience with children.

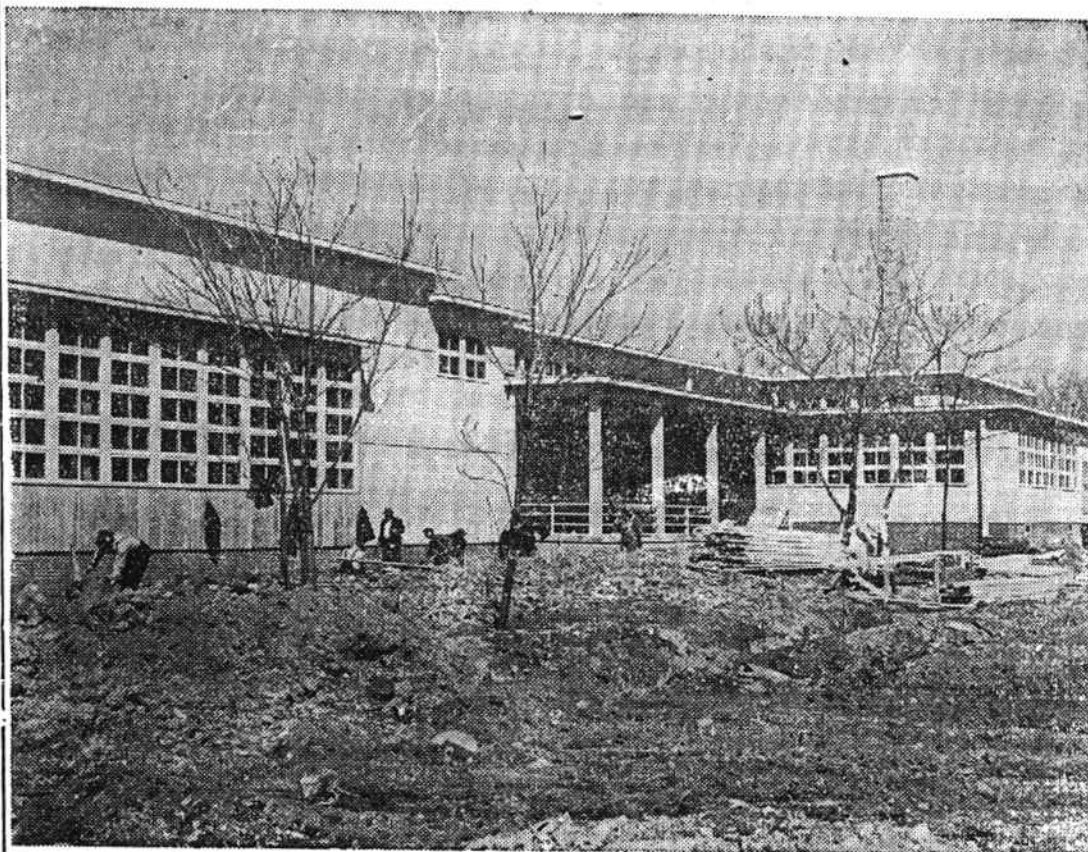
The annual high school seniors youth conference will be held at the college June 18 to June 25 with a select group of high school girls from North and South Carolina and Virginia attending.

"VEST POCKET" SCHOOL RECORD

As a means of enabling high school students to find their proper place in the Army (or war industry), there will soon be distributed to all high schools of the nation five million cards on which to list the school and job of each student.

These cards will make it possible for every boy or girl being graduated from or leaving high school to have in his or her possession a detailed "vest-pocket" record of his or her educational work experience, the War Department announced today.

New Dormitories Built for D. C. War Workers



One section of Wake and Midway Halls, new Government dormitories for Negro women war workers is shown a few days before completion by Samuel Plato, Negro contractor for the million-dollar job. Plato is the namesake of Samuel Carter, famous Negro slave-builder in the old South. Carter left his tools to one of his apprentices, James Plato, the father of the Negro contractor.

MISS KUNG PU-SHENG, SPEAKS AT A. AND T.

"The Japanese aggressors in China, contrary to their often repeated assertions that they are interested in saving Asia for the Asiatics and in liberating the Chinese from their centuries-old shackles, are primarily concerned with the subjugation and exploitation of a peace-loving nation," Miss Kung Pu-Sheng, former national student secretary of the Young Women's Christian association in China, said in an address in Richard B. Harrison auditorium at A. and T. college Wednesday.

The speaker pointed out the difficulties which Chinese students labor for an education. Colleges have been moved from the seacoast to the interior, disrupting one of the most sacred Chinese institutions, the family and Buddhist temples have been converted into classrooms and dormitories, and frequently as many as 100 persons have living quarters in one room, she said.

Miss Kung, now a Student Christian Movement exchange fellow studying in this country, was chairman of the Chinese delegation to the World Conference of Christian Youth held in Amsterdam in July, 1939. While in Europe she also attended the third assembly of the World Student association in Paris.

A graduate of Yenching university in Peiping, Miss Kung was in college during Japan's repeated encroachments in North

A. and T. College Conducts Tests

The A and T. College Agronomy Department under Dr. C. L. Spellman is cooperating with the State Experiment Station in crop improvement and fertility investigations. It is conducting variety tests on 13 varieties of hybrid corn and 22 varieties of soybeans, including 10 edible varieties. The present fertility investigation deals with the effects of boron, a trace element, on alfalfa production and the effects of boron on field corn production.

The Agronomy Department is also expanding its curriculum by offering a major in this field for the first time beginning next fall. Special work will be provided in the field of soil conservation. This is a field which has been undeveloped in most Negro Colleges.

The Government's conservation and simplification program in the manufacture of men's, women's, and children's hosiery is expected to save 14,800,000 pounds annually of cotton, rayon, and wool yarns.

China and was a leader in student demonstrations of that period.

She came to the United States in the fall of 1941 to study at the Union Theological seminary and is now on a tour to speak of her country's resistance and its hope for reconstruction.

PING PONG FINALS HELD AT CENTER

Frank Crews was named winner of the first ping pong tournament which terminated Monday night at Windsor Community Center.

Crews, who defeated R. Anderson in the semi-finals, played his final match with Bobby Wright, who came through the semi-finals by a forfeit. In the championship match scores ran as follows: 21-10, 21-15, 10-4.

Other senior participants who were earlier eliminated in the tourney were Anderson, Viltz, Moore, Robinson, London, Hutton, Watkins, Scott, Rankin, McNair, Britain, Dunn, Wright, L. McNair, Arledge and Allen.

The four-night tournament for juniors and seniors was sponsored by S. A. Penn and F. B. Morris, athletic directors at the Center.

MITCHELL "THE STORE OF VALUE"

A new store of value has been opened up on East Market street. If you wish to shop for bargains, why not stop in at Mitchell's, the store of value located at 331 East Market street, opposite Dick's Laundry. You will find there just what you need.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell carry a complete line of dry goods for men, women, and children. You can make your dollar stretch by shopping for bargains there.

Negro Soldiers In London Have Fine Red Cross Club

Harry K. Parker, author of this story, who is now program director of the Red Cross' Duchess Street club, London, England, a club for American Negro soldiers, is formerly of Greensboro. He served for five years as assistant director of the city recreation department, in charge of Windsor Community center. Before that he was professor of physical education and athletic coach at A. and T. college.

By HARRY K. PARKER

London, May 8.—"Her Grace, the Duchess!" That's what I have named her — the newly-opened Duchess Street Service club of the American Red Cross in London. It was Christmas eve, if my recollections are correct, that we brought a new radio into an empty, but beautiful building known to its users as "The Duchess."

The Duchess was once an American Red Cross Officers club before it was turned over to enlisted men, and during the transition, all staff moved out except the housekeeper, a grand little British lady, and a petite secretary—also British. A few weeks before Christmas, Sidney Williams of Cleveland and I got the thrill of our lives when the chief, Ott Romney, director of American Red Cross club operations in Great Britain, assigned the two of us to the new London club. What a thrill it was! We jumped for joy when we learned we would be the first Negro staff to be assigned to a grand club in the world's largest city; but never mind our thrills or what-have-you.... let's talk about Her Grace, the Duchess.

Yes, it was Christmas eve, and you should have seen us—the housekeeper, the secretary, Sidney, and your truly—cutting up holly branches and hanging them in the hall of Duchess Street club. We were determined to have a bit of Christmas cheer, despite wartime, and the hall of the Duchess was decorated with green holly with bright berries, a little Christmas tree—a baby pine, on the little table in the corner, draped with a curl of gold tinsel—and a sprout of intriguing mistletoe hanging from the arch.—Reprinted from the Greensboro News.

NO QUOTA ON USED TRUCK TIRES

An eligible truck operator who is unable to get rationing certificates for new tires because his rationing board has exhausted its quota can obtain certificates for used tires instead, according to OPA. Local boards in the state have been authorized to issue used truck tire certificates without regard to quota restrictions.