

## W. I. Gibson Resigns As Public Relations Director At Bennett College

William I. (Bill) Gibson, director of public relations at Bennett College since 1954, has resigned as of August 1, moving to Baltimore, Maryland.

A graduate of Ohio State University where he also earned the master of arts degree and completed further work toward his doctorate, Mr. Gibson has had a long and varied career in the field of journalism.

He advanced from general assignment reporter on the Afro-American Newspapers, in Baltimore, Md., to the post of editor-in-chief. After two years as director of public relations and

professor of journalism at Morgan State College in Baltimore, he joined the staff of the Johnson Publishing Company in Chicago where he served successively as an associate editor of Ebony magazine and as managing editor of Tan before coming to Bennett.

At Bennett, in addition to handling the college's publicity, Mr. Gibson taught courses in journalism, was faculty adviser to the student newspaper and for the past 10 years directed the United Negro College Fund campaign each fall in Greensboro, Winston-Salem, High Point, Burlington and Reidsville.

## BETHEL A M E CHURCH NEWS

### Worship Service

The Minister of Bethel Church, Dr. Leon S. Penn, Sr., and members of the congregation will worship at Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church, Sunday, August 6, at 3 p. m. The combined choirs of Bethel will furnish the music. Dinner will be served to all visitors.

### Beach Trip

A bus will leave 901 Bluford Street, Saturday night, August 26, at 11 p. m. for Atlantic Beach, S. C. for a day at the beach. The bus will leave Atlantic Beach Sunday evening, August 27 at 6:00 p. m. Round trip tickets are available for only \$10.00. Reservations must be made not later than August 20. This activity is being sponsored by Mrs. Mamie Hooks, telephone 274-3772 and Mrs. Lydia Quick, telephone 273-4359. Call these ladies today and make reservations. First come, first served.

### Convocation

Make preparations now for the Convocation to be held at Kirtrell College, August 14-18, and remember to send in your name to the pastor right away.

### Recognition

Special recognition is given Mr. Richard Hargraves for his untiring effort to help make the States Rally held at Bethel Church recently a grand success. Mr. Hargraves was presented a token of appreciation by the governor of Florida, the winning group, at the States Rally Banquet held to celebrate accomplishments; and was highly commended for his interest and enthusiasm, and for his unstinting effort in raising and reporting \$345.00 of the \$763.00 reported by the group. Mr. Hargraves made a short but effective acceptance speech, and wished to thank all of his many friends for their contributions.

### Gratefulness

The Pastor is grateful to all who made the vacation possible last week through their contributions.

### Pastor's Aid Club

The Pastor's Aid Club will have charge of the service scheduled at 4:00 p. m. Sunday, August 20. Mrs. Eva Slappy is president of the group.

### Fellowship Service

The Rev. Mrs. M. Lucille Holman, ordained Minister in the A.M.E. Church, will be the guest speaker at a Fellowship service to be held Sunday, August 13, at 3:30 p. m. at Bethel Church. Rev. Mrs. Holman works beautifully in the Dickerson Chapel A.M.E. Church, Hillsborough, N. C., where her husband, The Rev. H. A. Holman serves as pastor. The Dickerson Chapel Choir and Ushers will accompany Rev. Mrs. Holman to Bethel Church and will take part in the service. All are cordially invited to attend. This service is being sponsored by Mrs. Aleece Faulkner for the Building Fund at Bethel Church.

### CAL IRVIN GETS TWO

#### IMPORTANT ASSIGNMENTS

Cal Irvin, head basketball coach at A&T State University, last week was appointed to two important committees.

Irvin was appointed to the Parks and Recreation Commission of the City of Greensboro. The appointment was announced by Forest L. Campbell, Mayor-Pro-Tem, upon authorization by Carson Bain, Mayor of the City.

Irvin was also named chairman of the Rules Recommendation Committee for District III. The appointment was announced by Press Maravich, head basketball coach at Louisiana State University, national chairman of the Rules Recommendation Committee of the National Association of Basketball Coaches.



**FOR OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO SOCIAL WELFARE**—Mrs. Naomi T. Gray, Field Director of Planned Parenthood-World Population, shows the National Conference on Social Welfare Distinguished Service Award presented to her by New York State Social Welfare Commissioner George K. Wyman. The presentation, which honored the U.S. voluntary birth control organization for "pioneering efforts and courageous leadership in the area of family planning," was made at the Conference's 94th Annual Forum in Dallas recently. The citation, signed by Whitney M. Young, Jr., Conference president, and Joe R. Hoffer, Executive Secretary, saluted Planned Parenthood "for dedicated service toward the goal of improving the quality of life for all children by means of 'responsible parenthood.'"

## Cleveland Job Corps Director Defends Corps Before House Committee

Dr. Zelma George, executive director of the Cleveland Job Corps Center for Women made a strong defense of the Job Corps before the House Labor and Education Committee, Monday. She urged continued Congressional support for the program, which is providing basic education and vocational training for young people who failed their first chances to complete their schooling or to hold jobs.

In a 15-page statement, and in answers to questions by members of the committee, Dr. George emphasized that youth who are estranged from school, jobs and society are part of the same world movement of restless young people that created the peace Corps. She called it "A Youth Culture." The typical Job Corps enrollee has not accepted traditional ideas about work, education and society, but has not worked out his own answers.

The Job Corps is helping thousands of such young people reach useful adulthood by preparing them for employment and for living with others in an atmosphere of friendly concern.

Dr. George said the Cleveland center was the first established for women and has been in operation for two years. There are 345 girls enrolled from 46 states, including Indians direct from reservations, Hawaiians, whites, Negroes and many with Spanish speaking backgrounds.

The girls, all between 17 and 22 years of age, come to the

center with some motivation, Dr. George said, because the first step toward enrollment must be taken by each individual. They come bearing labels of failure, drop-out, slum-dweller, hardcore welfare case and others. One of the first jobs of the center, according to Dr. George, is to remove these labels.

She said the students express their felt needs in terms of vocational objectives which the center helps them achieve. The program includes on the job training and counselling. It also has programs in fine arts, crafts and home making. Several former enrollees have gone to college from the Cleveland center. Most go directly into employment.

The Cleveland center is operated by Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority, a predominantly Negro organization of 49,000 college trained women.

Present for Dr. George's testimony were Dr. Larzette Hale of Langston, Oklahoma, president, and Mrs. Carey B. Preston of Chicago, administrative officer of the sponsoring organization. Following her committee appearance, Dr. George was presented to several members of Congress by Dr. Hale at a reception (at the Sheraton-Carlton Hotel).

Guests included Senator and Mrs. A. S. Monroney of Oklahoma, Rep. Frances P. Bolton, Rep. John Steed, and Rep. Michael A. Feighan of Ohio, and Rep. James Smith of Oklahoma.

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## Greensboro Area Scouters At Philmont

Cimarron, N. M. — Greensboro area Scout leaders Clarence S. Maxwell, John Oehman, William Phifer, Jr., Daniel Kozlovsky, Marvin Scott, James Raleigh, Thomas A. Harris, Bill Lovette, Dr. William Wiseman, Roger Betsinger, Dwight Holland, Gilbert McCain, Wayburn O'Brien and Norman E. Annis are now leading 124 Scouts on a 12-day expedition over the trails of the Sangre de Cristo mountains at Philmont Scout Ranch and Explorer Base. Philmont is 214-square mile national camping area of the Boy Scouts of America.

Sampson Buie, Jr., tour master and assistant Scout Executive of the General Greene Council, BSA, will supervise the group of North Carolina Scouts.

While on the trail, the expedition will have opportunities to participate in such activities as horseback riding, gold panning and mining, burro handling, geology, archaeology and wilderness conservation.

After registration and shakedown, the leaders and their Scouts departed from Camping Headquarters to begin their trek. They will spend their first three days on the trail with a Philmont Ranger, after which the leaders will take over.

The group will return home via the West Coast and the Scouting World Jamboree, following their participation in the Philmont Awards Campfire.

Cimarron, N. M. — One hundred, twenty-four Scouts and their leaders, representing the 8,000 Scouts and leaders of the General Greene Council, Boy Scouts of America, have arrived at Philmont Scout Ranch and Explorer Base. Following registration and shakedown, they will begin a 10-day high adventure trek of the 137,000 acre ranch.

The Scouts are now in training at the "university of the great outdoors" for their 12-day high adventure expedition under the guidance of Philmont's ranger staff. The group's ranger is instructing them in wilderness cookery, backpacking, hiking techniques and compass and map orientation. After three days with their ranger, the expedition will continue following mountain trails on the 214-square mile ranch under their own adult leaders.

While on the trail, the Scouts will participate in program features offered in 26 camps by more than 400 staff members. These features include geology, earth science, gold panning and mining, archaeological study and digging, and mountaineering. This summer more than 15,000 Explorers and older Boy Scouts will take part in these and other

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