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Discuss Problems On College Campuses

Educators from nine colleges and universities attended meeting of Institute for Student Personnel Workers at A&T State University last week. Discussion leaders included Dr. W. Harold Grant, director of NDEA in-

stitute; Mrs. Ruth Gore, director of counseling at A&T; and Dr. Margaret Ruth Smith, regional director of the institute.

Colleges Often Fail Students Says Speaker At A&T Meeting

Some of the unrest on college and university campuses is due to the fact that these institutions are failing their students in vital concerns, said a Michigan State University educator visiting in Greensboro last week.

Dr. W. Harold Grant, director of an NDEA Institute for Student Personnel Workers, made the remarks following a conference of the institute at A&T State University.

"The college is supposed to be an environment most conducive to human behavioral growth," said Dr. Grant, "but many times it is not."

Dr. Grant cited several evidences of the failures of communications on campus:

- Suicide is twice as high among college students as it is among non-college students.
- Emotional distress is also twice as high among college students as among non-college students.
- There seems to be no relationship between grades made in college and success after college.
- Only one in four persons who attends college, graduates in four years.

"We find little evidence," added Dr. Grant, "that attending college has any positive impact on the life of a student. The college, in many cases, is not doing what it says, and therefore, the students are de-

manding changes."

Dr. Grant said that social modeling is most important to the students. "You learn to talk by talking," he said, "not by enrolling in a course called Talking 101. We need more contact between the students and faculty that would allow students to see faculty behavior. This would make the campus a more relevant environment."

The three-day meeting at A&T was concluded with a meeting of the college personnel administrators, representing nine colleges and universities in the Southeast.

Assisting Dr. Grant in conducting the institute were Dr. Margaret Ruth Smith, regional director of the institute from Atlanta; and Mrs. Ruth Gore, director of counseling and testing services at A&T.

MR. JAMES W. THOMPSON

Mr. James W. Thompson died Thursday, Jan. 23, in Gibsonville, N. C. following a brief illness.

Graveside service was held Wednesday, Jan. 29, Locust Grove Baptist Cemetery. Rev. J. L. Foushee, Baptist evangelist officiated.

There are no immediate survivors.

Brown's Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

An Indianapolis veteran received the seven millionth GI home loan in December 1968.

Veterans Administration News

Erroneous information has been popping up all over North Carolina that the Veterans Administration is going to pay a special dividend to all veterans who ever held GI Insurance, according to W. R. Phillips, manager of the North Carolina VA Regional Office.

"Nothing could be further from the truth," Phillips said.

VA has received a deluge of applications from thousands of World War II veterans seeking the special dividend reported by the false rumors disseminated by word-of-mouth, letter, and stories in newspapers and magazines.

"We are deeply concerned," Phillips said, "that so many veterans entertain the false hope that they are in for an insurance dividend windfall. They are not."

A 1969 dividend will be paid—but only to those 185,000 World War I veterans and 4,100,000 World War II veterans who have GI insurance policies now in force, and who now pay premiums on the insurance.

No application for this dividend is necessary since it will be paid automatically on the anniversary date of the policy, Phillips pointed out.

The 1969 dividend is the result of savings and earnings on GI insurance trust funds.

About 20,000 home loans are guaranteed by the Veterans Administration each month.

Mafia and Underworld Taking Over America

By Ricardo Raffles

As long as we have laws with no teeth, we'll have a takeover of America by "termites" who have for years taken the youth of our land to derive their filthy buck from. They have used every evil method and means to infiltrate the minds and bodies of our youngsters, while our police and F.B.I. have their hands tied because our laws were made to benefit these gangsters and thugs and perpetrators of filth. Our laws have been made so lenient, they have been made so full of loopholes, that it now pays to break the law.

It is now an open season for the Mafia and the underworld and its shady characters to take over all of America. In the era of Al Capone and the Black-hand bangs and Mafia with their home base in Sicily, bootlegging and white slavery flourished, hundreds were killed in gang wars in Chicago, New York, Philly, Frisco, New Orleans and other metropolitan areas in order to see who would take over the syndicate of booze and flesh? A billion dollar prize as the payoff: payoffs were made to crooked police, judges, politicians running into the millions, which was a drop in the bucket from this lucrative hive of honey.

It will never be told of the millions of lives destroyed physically and mentally and financially because of these pushers of putrid filth. Bootlegging, one of the big money makers for the crime syndicate for years, fell by the wayside when whiskey became legal by the U. S. Government, so that killed that "gravy train" for the mob. So they had to get into something else besides prostitution, number rackets, gambling. A move was made towards the lush money maker of heroin, opium and narcotics—pushing all the way—the sky was the limit—find pushers, peddlers, get the young ones hooked from school, or that would be their prime baby for others being hooked and the bank would grow for the future.

Narcotics was a tough nut to crack, for the federal and state laws were rough on narcotics sources and pushers, it is still a big money maker for the Mafia and their henchmen. But now since they couldn't get around to breaking the law impudently, they looked for newer sources of going legitimate—use their reservoirs of money in businesses that could pass a screening test publicly. They found it. The Supreme Court had made it easy on the panderers of filth to take over once again the minds and bodies of the youth as well as the grownups through the media of dirty books with obscenity and four-letter words splashed over ev-

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S. JOSEPH SHAW

S. J. Shaw, acting dean of the School of Education at A&T State University, has completed requirements for Ph.D. degree in higher education administration at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

Education Dean At A&T Earns Doctorate At UNC

S. Joseph Shaw, acting dean of the School of Education at A&T State University, has completed requirements for the Ph.D. degree in higher education administration at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

Dr. Shaw, a native of Fayetteville, has been associated with A&T since 1956 when he joined the staff as director of teacher education. In 1961 he became director of the evening school and in 1963 he was appointed director of freshman studies.

Prior to his employment at A&T, Dr. Shaw was director of physical education and a teacher of social studies at J. C. Price Junior High School in Greensboro. He has also served as principal of a high school in Chatham County and coach and teacher at Perry High School, Roseboro.

Dr. Shaw received the bachelor's degree from Fayetteville State College and the master's degree in school administration from North Carolina College.

He is married to the former Lillian Powell of Chatham County. The Shaws have three children, Verna, a student at Guilford College; George, a student at Winston-Salem State and Rosalyn, a student at Dudley High School.

Dr. Shaw is a member of Kappa Delta Pi national honor society and Phi Delta Kappa.

