

# St. Augustine's College Lists Plans For Commencement Here

Dr. James A. Bogen, president of St. Augustine's College has announced that the Honorable G. Mennen Williams, former Governor of Michigan, will deliver the Commencement Address and receive an honorary degree at St. Augustine's College, on May 22. Mr. Williams is now an Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs in the Kennedy Administration.

In an earlier release, it was announced that The Rt. Rev. Daniel Cossigan of the Home Department of the Protestant Episcopal Church would be the speaker, but due to other commitments, he will be unable to attend.

On Sunday, May 21, The Rev. Wilham Van Croft, Associate Rector of St. Luke's Episcopal Church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon in the college chapel at 5:00 p.m.

Mr. Williams will speak at 10:30 a.m. on the college quadrangle. This is the first time in the history of the college that honorary degrees are given.

Other prominent citizens will also receive honorary degrees.

## DEAR SALLY

**DEAR SALLY:** My husband's mother is coming to visit us for a weekend, and we have only one bedroom, a living room, and kitchen. He says we should use the sofa-bed in the living room and let her have our bedroom. I don't think so. After all, our things are all in the bedroom, and it would be terribly inconvenient going in and out constantly. Why shouldn't she sleep in the living room? Will you please settle this argument? **MARJORIE**

**DEAR MARJORIE:** Let's consider this sensibly, and with good taste in mind. Your mother-in-law will be your guest; she is an older woman; and surely you'll want her to be most comfortable. If the more comfortable spot is your bedroom, you could then bow gracefully to her wishes. But be considerate and suggest the bedroom first, you't you?

**DEAR SALLY:** I'm completely, desperately, head-over-heels in love with a girl who refuses to encourage me in any way, but simply ignores me purposely just to make me miserable. I know this for a fact, because she told a friend of mine that she was really in love with me, but liked to see me squirm. I don't know what to do—give her up or hold on a little longer in the hope that she will relent and give me some sign that she thinks well of me. She's a lovely girl with the most beautiful brown eyes you've ever seen. Will you

please help me? **SAM**

**DEAR SAM:** Those beautiful brown eyes can cry, too. If you want to find out for yourself just how she thinks of you, try playing up to some of the other girls. Maybe, if you stop "squirming" so much over her, she'll appreciate you more. And if your attentions to the other girls have no effect on her, then at least you'll know where you stand.

**DEAR SALLY:** We have a rather serious problem with a very dear friend of mine. She hires our 14-year-old daughter almost every Saturday or Sunday to baby-sit with her 3-year-old son, and some of these chores last as long as five hours—never less than two hours. My friend has never asked my daughter what she charges, but simply gives her 50 cents, and a couple of times gave her just a quarter. We know that most of the other girls in our neighborhood who baby-sit get 50 cents an hour, and some of the older women get more than this. My girl and I both feel she should be better compensated for this very responsible chore, but how can we handle it with my friend? **MOM**

**DEAR MOM:** As you say, baby-sitting is a very important job and the compensation for it should be at the current rates on a businesslike basis, even between friends. One suggestion is that your daughter print up a few business cards, stating

her fees, her times of availability, phone number, and other pertinent information—then hand one of these to your friend.

**DEAR SALLY:** My wife is forever getting into a neighborhood fuss. We have two children, ages 10 and 8, and our neighborhood is loaded with kids. Whenever one of our kids has a run-in with a playmate, my good woman has to stick her nose into it. She has gone to the parents of several of the youngsters "to straighten out matters," and then she gets involved in a battle of her own with the parents. The kids, of course, make up real quick, but my wife is on bad terms with three-fourths of the neighborhood. Advice? **PK**

**DEAR P. K.:** Any parent who repeatedly gets involved in the petty squabbles of her children is more childish than the kids. Parents should step in only under unusual circumstances. If I were you, I'd ask your wife to please wait until you get home before "anything is done"—and then, more often than not, the kids will usually have already done all the settling necessary.

**TO JILL:** This fellow sounds like bad news to me. Any man who would break off with a girl "for no good reason at all," and shy away from any later telephone discussions regarding it has proved himself of little or no principle.



**RECEPTION FOR SIERRA LEONEON**—A group of the Raleigh Deltas assembled at the home of Mrs. Alice Solomon in honor of Mrs. Alice Fitzjohn, a diplomat from Sierra Leone, Africa. Some of the persons present were, seated, left to right: Mesdames Rosalie Williams, Elnora Kee, Jimmie Bugg Middleton, a founder of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Mrs. Muriel Alice Fitzjohn, honored guest; Mrs. Gila Harris, chapter president, Mesdames Marguerite Exum, Vivian Sanson, and Alberta Livingston Standing, Dr. Wilmoth Carter, Mesdames Harveleigh White, Elizabeth Coefield, Margaret Purvis, Gladys White, Misses Carrie Harrison, Vivian Davis, Almena Nunn, Mesdames Daisy Nelson, Alice Solomon, Miss Margaret Bugg, Mrs. Etta Toole, Miss Gloria Lester, Mesdames Thelma T. Daley, May Weeks, chairman, and Mary Cullers.

## CP&L To Stress Farm Promotion

Carolina Power & Company announced recently an intensified agricultural development activity aimed at increasing farm income in the two Carolinas.

To direct the work, CP&L has obtained the full-time services of W. J. Ridout, Jr., publisher of Electricity on the Farm magazine and former extension specialist in the Carolinas. The project succeeds the finer-farms phase of CP&L program for "helping to build a Finer Carolina."

Ridout will assume the position of agricultural development. He also will coordinate CP&L's present agricultural development work carried out by agents Robert Thompson at Wilmington, Burwell Smith at Asheville and G. H. Stewart at Florence, S. C.

Stewart said, "The many-pronged program will have two ultimate objectives. One will be to stimulate increased farm income in the two states, and the other will be to encourage greater use of electricity on the farm."

Advised of the plan N. C. Gov. Terry Sanford commented: "I congratulate Carolina Power & Light Company upon its foresight

and in conceiving and getting underway an activity of this character. While North Carolina traditionally has been an agricultural state, it is obvious that our farm operations require constant scrutiny and modernization if they are to keep pace with our total economy."

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## In-Service Institute Provided By Science Grant At Saint Augustine's

Dr. James A. Bogen, president of St. Augustine's College has announced that the National Science Foundation has provided the College a grant to support an In-Service Institute in Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers and Supervisory Personnel, under the direction of Dr. Prezell R. Robinson, academic dean. The Institute is to begin September 23, 1961, and terminate May 29, 1962.

This program will enable the college to provide tuition-free grants, plus travel and a \$10.00 book allowance for thirty qualified elementary teachers and supervisors. The program will

be held on the college campus each Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The objectives of this program are: (1) To improve the subject-matter competence of the participating elementary school teachers and supervisory personnel.

(2) To provide members of the Institute an opportunity to study the subject-matter of Arithmetic, apart from the teaching of Arithmetic, so that they may better understand the underlined mathematical attitudes of Arithmetic.

(3) To familiarize the teachers with the subject-matter content of the more modern programs in

Arithmetic in the elementary schools, and to enhance their ability to understand these programs.

(4) To afford opportunity for the teachers to acquaint themselves with the use of a wider variety of source materials for motivating elementary pupils in the study of Arithmetic in the elementary school.

(5) To discuss, under expert guidance, current problems and trends in the elementary school Arithmetic curriculum.

During the first semester a course "Arithmetic," will be offered, along with a Seminar, entitled, "The Psychology of Teaching Arithmetic in the Elementary School." Beginning the second semester, the course, "New Horizons in Arithmetic," along with a Seminar, entitled, "Recent Trends in the Elementary School Curriculum," will be offered.

Teachers who are interested in this program should write to Dr. Prezell R. Robinson, dean, Saint Augustine's College, Raleigh, N. C., for an application and further information.

## VCLC Calls Off Sit-Ins For May 17

PETERSBURG, Va. — The Virginia Christian Leadership Conference, an affiliate of The Southern Christian Leadership Conference of Atlanta, Georgia, in a special meeting, called off plans for Congressional Sit-ins of Prince Edward County School Students in behalf of Free Public School Education. Having been made aware of the action of the United States Government toward the deprivation of schools in Prince Edward County, Dr. Milton A. Reid announced that our purpose in going to Washington, D. C. has been served.

The Virginia Christian Leadership Conference sparked nationwide attention on the slated plight of closed schools in Prince Edward County on January 2, 1961, with a pilgrimage for free public school education. It was at the first meeting of the Virginia Christian Leadership Conference that the group voted unanimously to take the problem of Prince Edward County to the Federal Government for action. Plans for the Congressional Sit-ins were endorsed by several national organizations including CIO-AFL, and The American Friends Service Committee.

It was being sponsored by the Southern Christian Leadership Conference of Atlanta, The Congress of Racial Equality of New York and The National Business Association with headquarters in Washington, D. C. The project was being coordinated by the Virginia Christian Leadership Conference. The Virginia Leadership Conference had been in communication with the Government Officials since early December 1960 in regards to Prince Edward County.

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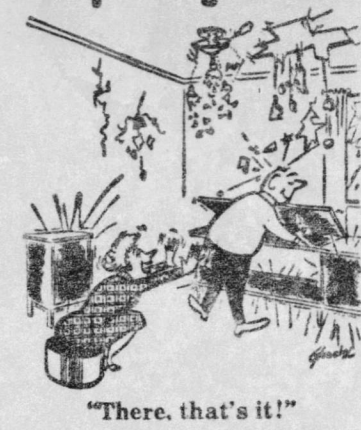


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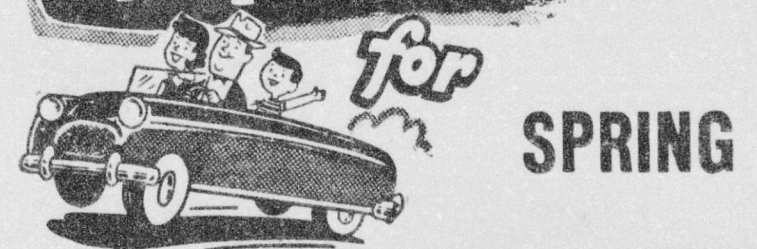
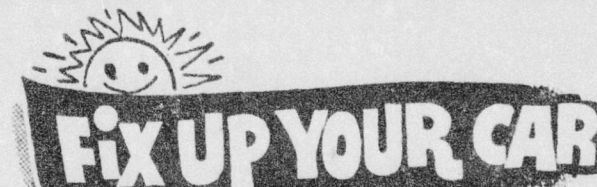
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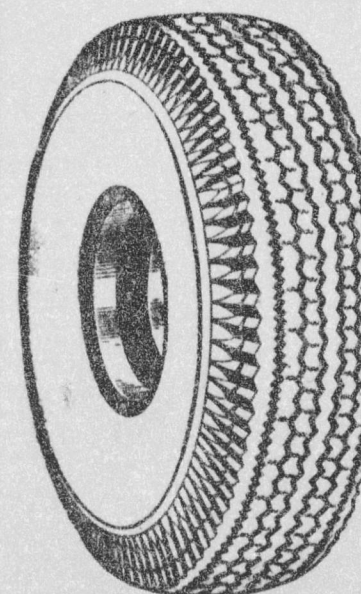
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