

RALEIGH, N. C., SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1969

NC Native Is Va. State's Sgt. Major

PETERSBURG -- Staff Sergeant Major William D. Bohannon, a veteran of 25 years of active Army service, is the new Sergeant Major of the ROTC detachment at Virginia State College.

Prince George, who is serving in an overseas assignment. Bohannon is a native of Rural Hall, North Carolina. Before

coming to the college campus for duty with the Department of Military Science, he was Sergeant Major of an Army unit in Korea and has served as Sergeant Major of the First Battalion, QM School, Fort Lee, Virginia.

Bohannon is a member of Friendship Baptist Church, Hopewell, where he also serves as church clerk and as a member of the trustee board. He is a Pastmaster in Shiloh Lodge 33, 12th Masonic District and also holds membership in Pe-

tersburg Consistory 144 as a 32nd degree mason. He and his wife, Barbara, live on Route 2 in Prince George, Virginia.

It Pays To Advertise



GREENSBORO WOMAN HONORED FOR WORK-Mrs. Phillip D. Boone, a member of the Greensboro chapter of Guys and Dolls, reads citation honoring Mrs. William Alcorn for her educational services over the years to children of the city. Mrs. Alcorn was presented a plaque at the Guys and Dolls' Founders Day program at A&T State University last Sunday.

Lamb To Head Agency To Combat Racism, Poverty

CHICAGO, Ill. - Edward Lamb, a Toledo, Ohio industrialist, financier and attorney will be named chairman of the John XXIII International Institute, a major new ecumenical agency formed to combat racism and poverty and to promote world peace.

The new institute as a program service of the National Catholic Conference for Interracial Justice will be based in Chicago but operate nationwide under the sponsorship of all the major faiths. It will emphasize and carry through the late pontiff's call for justice in his "Pacem In Terris" or

Black Veterans Are Given 26Gs By Foundation

PRINCETON, N. J. -- The Graduate Information and Counseling Service for Black Veterans has been awarded \$25,000 by the Rockefeller Brothers Fund to expand its facilities for advising Black veterans on the graduate and professional school opportunities available to them. The Service, a program of the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation, is available without charge or obligation.

Prospective graduate students who register for the Service will, if eligible, be considered for the Foundation's own Martin Luther King, Jr. Fellowships for Black Veterans. They will also receive information on the increasing number of other graduate fellowships offered to Blacks and on the graduate and professional schools which have admissions policies favorable to members of minority groups. It is estimated that about 4,000 Black servicemen with college degrees are separated from the military each year.

The new Director of the Graduate Information and Counseling Service is Hugh C. Burroughs, who is also Assistant Director of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Fellowship Program. Veterans and those still in service who plan to attend graduate or professional schools in 1970 may register with the Service by writing to Hugh C. Burroughs, Director, Graduate Information and Counseling Service for Black Veterans, Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation, Box 642, Princeton, New Jersey 08540.

"Peace On Earth" Encyclical. The John XXIII International Institute will be launched formally in New York on Nov. 26 at a testimonial to Terence Cardinal Cooke. The occasion will feature a \$100 per plate dinner in the New York Hilton.

The dinner's main address will be given by U. S. Sen. Philip A. Hart (D., Mich.), NC-CJ Executive Director James T. Harris said Senator Hart is expected to deliver a major civil rights speech.

Lamb is chairman of the executive committee and principal owner of Setlon, Inc., a diversified company listed on the New York Stock Exchange, and of Lamb Communications, Inc., operator of television and cable-tv systems in Michigan, Pennsylvania, Ohio and elsewhere.

He is a director of the Nevada National Bank, Thomson International, Inc., First Bancorporation, Lockwood Corporation, and other companies. He formerly published the Erie (Pa.) Dispatch Herald.

He is a life-long worker for social justice. He was famed labor and civil liberties lawyer in the 1930's and 1940's. He successfully argued the landmark "Portal-to-Portal" case before the U. S. Supreme Court in 1946, the decision which put hundreds of millions of dollars in the payrolls of American industrial workers.

Lamb, 67, is a member of the board of trustees of the Center for the Study of Democratic Institutions, Santa Barbara, Calif., and of Wilberforce University, Wilberforce, Ohio, and is a trustee of the Martin Luther King, Jr., Memorial Center, Atlanta, Ga.

"Gasoline prices during the past 10 years have risen less than half as much as the average of all consumer goods... from 1959 through 1968," observes "Oil Facts," "...the average of all items in the Consumer Price Index of the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics went up 19.4 per cent. Milk, for example, was up 17 per cent; potatoes 30.4 per cent; shoes 28.17 per cent, and clothing and its upkeep 19.4 per cent. Housing costs rose 17.6 per cent and medical care 38.9 per cent. The price of gasoline today, excluding taxes, is only about one cent a gallon above the average price for the decade 1920-1929, although today's motor fuel is vastly superior."

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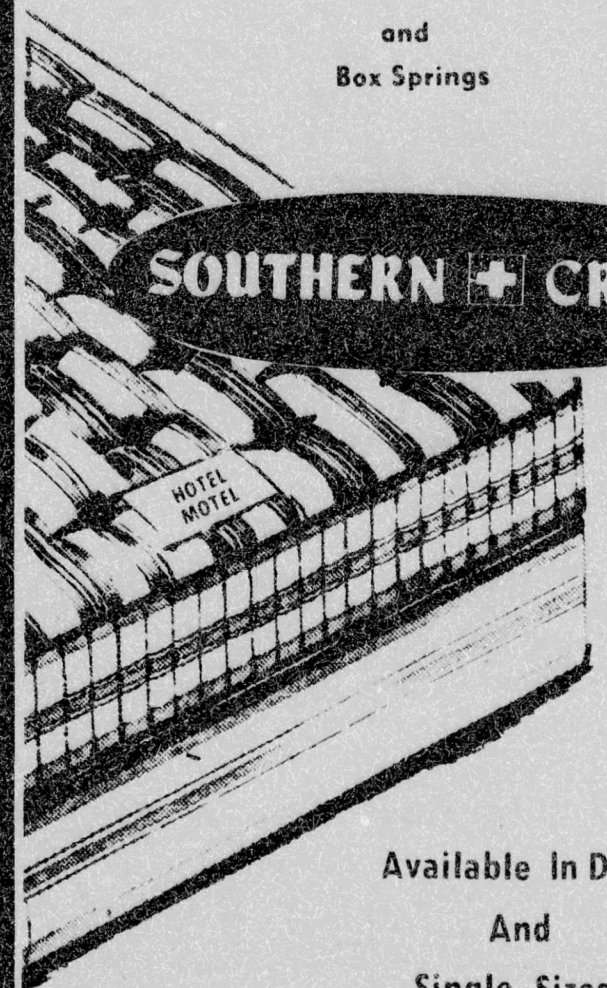
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