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13 BILLION DOLLARS 2nd WAR BOND DRIVE

PALMETTO MEDICS MEET HERE APRIL 20-23

Conduct Seventh Annual Clinic

The forty-seventh annual session of the Palmetto Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Association and the Clinic which for the past 7 years has been conducted in connection with the sessions will begin in Columbia next Tuesday, April 20 and continue thru Friday, April 23.

The Palmetto Medical Clinic sponsored by the association and which began at Columbia seven years ago is now ranked next to the Tuskegee clinic. Visiting doctors from neighboring states with more than one hundred members of the association attend the clinics annually.

Scientific discussions and clinics will be held at the Good Samaritan-Waverley Hospital, Benedict College and Allen University.

The annual sessions get underway Tuesday night with the annual address by Dr. A. B. Johnson, physician and surgeon, president of the association. Clinics begin Wednesday morning.

At the public session Wednesday night in Allen University auditorium the principal address will be delivered by Dr. Ralph Schull, noted Syphilologist of Chicago.

Seven clinics are listed for the departments of the medical section. Dr. James Lowell Hall, an authority in the field of internal medicine who formerly was chairman of the entire department of medicine and supervisor of 11 clinics, Provident Hospital, Chicago and for the past two years professor of medicine, Howard Medical School, Washington.

Also for surgery Dr. Hartford Buwell, associate professor of surgery, Howard Medical School, chief of surgical staff, Freedmen's Hospital, Washington, D. C.

For Ophthalmology Dr. Claudius F. Forney, chairman of the department of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology, Provident Hospital, Chicago.

Syphilology, Dr. Ralph Schull, diplomat American Board of Dermatology and Syphilology, teaching staff Presbyterian Hospital Nurses School, Chicago.

Pediatrics, Dr. Walter Maddux, professor Pediatrics, Meharry Medical School, Nashville.

Neuropsychiatrist, Dr. Prince P. Barker, fellow of American Psychiatric Association, Major Medical Corps, U. S. A., Chief Acute Service, Veterans' Facility, Tuskegee.

Röntgenology, Dr. James L. Martin, Mercy Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

For the Dental section, clinicians are John A. Turner, S. B. D. D. S., M. A., assistant professor of Oral surgery, Howard Dental School, Washington, D. C.

Williams J. Madison, D. D. S., M. S., associate professor of Dentistry, Howard Dental College, Washington, D. C.

Clifton O. Dummett, A. B., D. D. S., M. D. S., head of the department of Periodontology, Meharry Dental School, Nashville.

D. H. Turpin, D. D. S., professor of Prosthetic Dentistry, Meharry Dental School, Nashville.

"Our husbands, son, and brothers are helping to fight this war. We want to help finance it," Mrs. Della Dement, President of the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs, told her members, in asking them to step up their bond buying during April in support of the Treasury's Second War Loan Drive.

"We are proud of our fighting men," said Mrs. Dement, "and we are proud to send our dollars to the fighting front in the form of tanks and guns and tools to back those brave men. Besides our payroll savings allotment and our regular lending to the government, let us all see if we can't manage to buy the gas masks or the first aid kits that save the life of someone you love. Or it may go toward a bomb that will help to finish the war a little sooner.

Harry Dental College, Nashville, and Dean D. I. Cooper head of the department of Pharmacy, Howard Medical School, Washington, D. C., essayist for the pharmaceutical section.

Social features during the session include a smoker Tuesday night. Registered members will be dinner guests of President S. R. Higgins at Allen University Thursday 1:30 p. m. Thursday night visiting doctors and members will be guests of the Omega Phi Psi Fraternity at a Spring Dance.

The Women's Auxiliary, who sponsor a day nursery in Columbia, will hold a meeting Thursday at Bishop's Memorial church.

Officers of the Palmetto Medical Association are: President A. B. Johnson, M. D., Columbia; President-elect B. A. Everett, M. D., Columbia; Secretary Durham Counts, Ph. C., Columbia; Treasurer C. C. Brevard, D. D. S., Camden.

Dr. J. G. Stuart is general chairman of the Program Committee.



Graduate Administrative School WAAC



Fort Des Moines, Ia., April 5.—Auxiliary Vivian A. Mazyck of 118 Nesbitt St., Kinstree, S. C. is one of 58 Negro WAACs graduated from the Administrative Specialist School of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps at First WAAC Training Center School here on April 2. She is now at Fort Des Moines awaiting a job assignment.

Auxiliary Mazyck, whose grade is the WAAC equivalent of Private in the Army, received her administrative training at one of the downtown Des Moines hotels taken over by the WAAC.

In the Administrative Specialist School, she has been prepared for Army and WAAC office and company administrative work.

Negro Teachers Awarded Fellowships

Several fellowships are being awarded to Negro teachers in southern colleges and high schools in order that these teachers may have a chance to observe and study the instructional material and working procedures in two important educational projects in other sections of the country. The fellowships are awarded by the General Education Board. One group of teachers will participate in the Social Education Investigation at Stanford University. A second group will join other investigators in the teaching of science known as the Natural Science Project at Teachers College, Columbia University, New York City.

Both of these educational projects involve research in high school classrooms directed toward discovering and providing opportunities for pupils to understand and contribute to the solution of problems of living which have important social or sciences aspects. The investigations center around problems which pupils meet in their normal life in our present society.

At Stanford University, Dean Grayson Kefauver is directing the

American People Face Acid Test in Treasury's 2nd War Loan To Raise 13 Billion Dollars in Three Weeks

The Nation Dare Not Fail in This Greatest Financing Task in History—"They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money."

Washington, D. C.—Coming as it does upon the heels of income tax payments, the people of America will face an acid test this month when the Treasury's Second War Loan drive opens April 12 with an objective of thirteen billion dollars to be raised through sale of Government securities.

A substantial part of this huge financing, the most stupendous ever undertaken by any government in the world's history, must be loaned by people in ordinary walks of life.

High Government officials have pointed out that the nation must not fail in this duty to our men on the battle fronts who are now carrying the offensive to the enemy at every stage. It is obvious to every thinking man and woman that as the United Nations take this offensive against the dictators, the cost of war operations increases in proportion.

The American people must no longer think of war costs in terms of equipping a soldier, building a tank or plane or a ship. We must now think in terms of the cost of battles, invasions and new offensives. Attacking armies cost more money than equipping that army and we must meet that increased cost by buying more War Bonds and Second War Loan Securities.

It is not only necessary that the American people lend here at home in the war effort—it is an honor to do so for we here at home can do no less than attempt to approach the sacrifices of our brave men out on the fighting fronts to whom the last great measure of sacrifice is but a daily offering. They give their lives for we are asked only to lend our money.

And that is the theme of the Second War Loan—"They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money."

Financial experts who know monetary conditions in the nation point out that at the present time there is in liquid funds, cash and commercial bank deposits over and above taxes and present investment in Government Bonds, and over and

over what can be bought this year because of restrictions and rationing approximately 40 billion dollars which should go into Government Bonds.

It should be the objective of every American to invest these loose dollars, idle dollars, in Government securities, not only from a patriotic standpoint, but from the standpoint of their own financial security. There is available during the Second War Loan a type of security to fit every pocketbook.

Every dollar of these forty billions of dollars available, which is not invested in Government securities during this War Loan Drive is a "wild" dollar which, together with its taxes, will tend to increase inflation. Uncontrolled inflation might raise the cost of living to a point where the dollar is worthless. It can happen. It happened in Germany after the last war when the price of a loaf of bread cost more than an annual wage.

Invested in Government securities, your dollar will work for you. It will hold down inflation because it is harnessed in war work; it will help buy food, transportation, munitions for our boys on the front lines and it will be earning interest that, together with your original loan, will come back to you later to help you buy the things you cannot buy today to insure your peace of the future.

Remember those boys out there in Tunisia . . . in the South Pacific . . . They give their lives—You lend your money.

At Columbia University, Dr. R. E. Powers is directing the Natural Science Project. Both projects consist of a group of cooperating high schools, which have participated in the project for several years in an effort to improve their classroom offerings.

The Secondary School Study, with headquarters at Atlanta University and directed by W. A. Robinson, is sponsoring the fellowships of the South with the kinds of help to Negro teachers in connection with its efforts to provide schools they consider important to the task of providing adequate educational experiences for southern youth.

Fellowships for Stanford University to begin on April first have been granted to B. A. Jones, Barber Scotia College, Concord, N. C.; Newell D. Eason, Shaw University, Raleigh, N. C. and R. E. Cureton, Booker T. Washington High School in Atlanta, Ga. Fellowships in the Columbia University project have been granted to Dr. James Hazard, Southern University, Scottslandville, La.; Dr. S. M. Nabrit, Atlanta University, Atlanta, Ga.; and James N. Bernice, South Carolina State College, Orangeburg, S. C. Several other awards are pending.

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ANP News Shorts

Released Wednesday, April 11

New York—Suggestion that a qualified Negro be given consideration for the chairmanship of the FEPC was made in a letter dated April 8, to Maspower czar Paul V. McNutt from St. Clair Bourne, well-known New York Negro newspaperman. Bourne sent the letter to McNutt following revelation that Oscar Chapman, assistant secretary of the interior, had refused an offer of the FEPC chairmanship. The letter suggested that apparent confinement of the search for a chairman thus far to members of the white race could be viewed as discriminatory in itself; further expressed the opinion that a qualified Negro could function in the position as well as anyone else.

New York—Political, religious and trade union leaders of the British West Indian island of Jamaica have joined in unanimous approval of the proposals for constitutional reform of the island's government and legislature accord-

ing to a cable received by British information services from Kingston, Jamaica.

Raleigh, N. C.—Miss Theodora R. Boyd, professor of French at St. Augustine's college, has been awarded the doctor of philosophy degree by Radcliffe college. Dr. Boyd's degree was earned in the department of romance languages where she won unusual distinction as a French scholar. Last year she was awarded the coveted Rebecca A. Green fellowship for study in French, in spite of the fact that she had practically completed the work for the Ph. D. degree before that time. Dr. Boyd had previously won both the bachelor's and the master's degrees from Radcliffe. While an undergraduate Dr. Boyd made a distinguished record as an athlete, especially in archery. For the past several years she has supervised women's physical education and intramural athletics at St. Augustine's.

Miami, Fla.—Sam B. Solomon, dynamic and civic minded leader of a possible 60,000 Negroes in greater Miami, Saturday qualified

as a candidate in the race for city commissioner in Miami. He paid his \$100 fee Monday. This is the first time in the history of Florida that a Negro has qualified as a candidate for the city commission. In so doing Solomon has made a step forward in trying to justify the necessity for Negroes of Miami to have sincere representation in the municipal government of this city.

Brooklyn—The School for Democracy has included in its curriculum a course "Life and Culture of the Negro People." It will survey the Negro people from their African background through the various periods of their life in America to the present day. Special attention will be paid to the role of the Negro people in the present war and the relationship between full freedom for them in America and the problem of oppressed people throughout the world. Gwendolyn Bennett and Charles Collins will conduct the course.

Washington—The resignation of Samuel B. Bledsoe from the department of agriculture removes one of the Negro best friends from a most important department. For merely serving under former secretary Wallace as chief of the press service, Mr. Bledsoe became an assistant secretary under Wickard. He was in charge of the agricultural program connected with the war. He leaves to enter the field of private business.

London, England—"Mud? I like it!" laughed Margaret Sims, mezzo-soprano who now wears the blue uniform of the American Red Cross. She doesn't mind splashing through knee-deep mud to reach an isolated station and sing Negro spirituals to the soldiers. Mrs. Sims, who works under the direction of Dwight D. Wiman, director of Red Cross entertainment in Britain, comes from Jacksonville, Florida, and is proud of being a southerner. Most successful concert in Britain, in the singer's opinion, was given the day she left a snug Red Cross club wearing a pair of G. I. boots borrowed from a soldier, and journeyed five miles, into the hinterland to give an open air concert.

Hollywood—Upon the return of his attorney, the noted Jerry Geisler last week, Bill Robinson, internationally famous "king of dancers," declared that he was ready to sue over a story that appeared in several publications a week ago. The story was to the effect that his all-colored starring vehicle, Fox's "Stormy Weather," would be remade to exclude him from a romantic role opposite Lena Horne. Highly indignant over the article, and which the studio also hurried to contradict to the Associated Negro Press, Bill had declared that he would enter suit for damage, up to \$100,000 as soon as Geisler, who was out of town, returned. Incidentally, this attorney is the man who forced Hollywood Legion stadium to break its 18 year color bar, and who more recently had successfully defended movie star Errol Flynn against allegedly trumped-up rape charges.

Nashville, Tenn.—Indignant Negro and white leaders here are cooperating to prevent the recurrence of such a disturbance, as took place in this city last Saturday night when a white military policeman attempted to arrest a drunken Negro soldier in the Manhattan cafe. When the soldier resisted arrest the MP summoned aid of other officers, while someone sent in a riot call to police headquarters. In view of the fact that the disturbance occurred on the eve of election the colored citizens here feel that their chances of getting colored policemen on the city force are good.

AT HAMPTON ANNIVERSARY



Above are shown two of the prominent visitors scheduled to appear at Hampton Institute last week, for the Seventy-fifth Anniversary and Commencement events at the college. Dr. Mordecai Johnson, President of Howard University, was to deliver the Anniversary-Baccalaureate address in Memorial church on Sunday, and Dr. Charles H. Wesley, President of Wilberforce University, was to speak at the 75th annual Commencement exercises of the college Monday afternoon.

—USDA PHOTO BY BUTZKO

Funeral Directors And Embalmers To Meet at Georgetown

The Colored Funeral Directors and Embalmers Association of South Carolina will be held at Georgetown, S. C., May 11-12th, 1943. All Funeral Directors and Embalmers are asked to make it possible to attend this meeting. Come to Georgetown. Make this convention a big success.

A. P. WILLIAMS, Pres.
MRS. JOHNIE M. ROBINSON, Secretary.

RICHLAND COUNTY COMMITTEE ON INTER-RACIAL COOPERATION TO HOLD APRIL MEETING TUESDAY

The April meeting of the Richland County on Interracial Cooperation will hold its April meeting on Tuesday afternoon at five o'clock in the auditorium of the Nurses' Home of the Columbia hospital, announces Dr. J. Heyward Gibbs, chairman. Important matters will be discussed and all interested are urged to attend.



"They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money"

ALLEN UNIV. ALUMNUS COMMISSIONED AT FORT BENNING

Fort Benning, Ga. (Special to The Palmetto Leader)—Willie Fred Harrison of Calhoun Falls, South Carolina, was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army of the United States April 8 upon successful completion of the Officer Candidate Course at the Infantry School at Fort Benning, Ga. Lieutenant Harrison is the adopted son of Mrs. Rosa Wiley, of Calhoun Falls. He was inducted into the Army August 26, 1942 and served with the BIRTC, Fort McClellan, Alabama. He held the rank of corporal before being commissioned. Lieutenant Harrison was graduated from the high school and the liberal arts college of Allen University. He was an honor student and participated in forensics and athletics.

CHARLESTONIAN PROMOTED FROM PRIVATE TO TECHNICIAN 5TH GRADE

Camp Claiborne, La. (Special to The Palmetto Leader)—James B. Lum, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lum of Charleston, S. C., from the rank of private to that of Technician 5th grade has been announced by Brigadier General John W. N. Schulz, commander of the promotion of Corporal Lum

DR. L. A. HOWELL

Of Tampa, Fla., chairman of the executive board of the National Dental Association, who is calling a special meeting of the board in Cleveland April 17-18 to complete plans for the 30th annual convention scheduled for the Ohio City August 9-13.—ANP



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