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CADET NURSE



Future Nurse . . .
Beulah Jean Ross, daughter of William M. Ross of Birmingham, Alabama, who is spending her summer vacation in Chicago with her brother, Wilbur L. Ross. Miss Ross is a student of Parker High school of Birmingham and upon her graduation next year, plans to return to Chicago to begin her Cadet Nurse Training at Provident Hospital. (PPNS).

HOW TO WRITE TO WAR PRISONERS

Recent changes in instruction for addressing communications to Douglas County servicemen held as prisoners of war are being sent this week to their relatives. Mrs. Fred Whitcomb, Chairman of the local Red Cross prisoners of war committee, announced.

New rulings for addressing prisoners held by Japan are as follows:—If the prisoner's camp address is known mail should be addressed directly to the individual prisoner in the particular camp, via New York City. If the camp address is unknown, mail should be addressed to the prisoner in care of Hurje Johokoyoku, New York City. In each case, the prisoner's full name, rank, prisoner of war number or service number, and the

FORT HUACHUCA MARRIAGE

WAC executive officer, SCU 1922, Fort Huachuca, Lt Violet W. Askins was recently married to Lt. Wil-

liam A. Hill of the 92nd Division Signal Corps. The two popular officers were joined in wedlock by the Chaplain George Bowser, assistant 92nd division chaplain.

initials of his service should precede the address. The communication should also be marked "United States Prisoner of War."

The Red Cross has also been instructed that persons wishing to send a legal document, such as a power of attorney or will, to a prisoner held by either Germany or Japan should correspond with the War Department Office of the Provost General, concerning the safest and most expeditious method of transmission.

Mrs. Whitcomb said that her committee has been informed that American officers in German camps are permitted to write three letters and four post cards a month; non-commissioned officers and enlisted men may write two letters and four cards a month. Sanitary personnel and Chaplains may write twice as many letters and cards a month as their corresponding ranks in the services are permitted to write.

Mrs. Whitcomb pointed out, that because activities in the European theatre are increasing and railroad centers are frequently targets for bombing, it is reasonable to expect that communications between prisoners and their families will be disrupted.

Detailed information regarding mail and packages for war prisoners may be obtained at the Douglas County Red Cross Chapter House, 208 South 33rd St. from the prisoners of war committee. Serving with Mrs. Whitcomb are Dr. Frederick W. Clayton, Rabbi David A. Goldstein, Miss Leota Norton, Director, and Mrs. Sarah Waechter, staff member of the Red Cross Home Service Department.

Metropolitan Utilities Granted National Security Award by OCD.

The Metropolitan Utilities District has been granted the National Security Award by the Office of Civilian Defense, Washington, DC.

Notification was made in a letter to the Board of Directors from C. H. Rhoades, Secretary-Coordinator, of Lincoln. Official presentation of the Award and security buttons is to be made at a public ceremony now being arranged.

The National Security Award is given in recognition of wartime public service and protection of company personnel, property and services from hazards which might impede the war effort.

erica, urged in his annual address before the Council that rural churches take a more active part in encouraging increased wartime food production.

He pointed out that the rural church has an excellent opportunity to offer effective support to the food production program so that our fighting men and our allies may continue to be well fed and kept in good fighting trim to carry the drive for victory to the enemy's door. Said he, "The soil building program of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency which has helped to maintain the fertility of the land at maximum production levels has been an important factor in assuring adequate supplies for our armed forces, and also in raising the standard of living of farm people. The continuation of the AAA program in the postwar era will go a long way toward assuring economic freedom for Negro farmers."

The fraternal Council has organized a program among the rural churches for promoting increased food production. Some of the churches are growing gardens, others have organized staffs of workers to assist farmers in their production efforts.

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DR. LEACH SUPERVISES ALL WHITE ORGANIZATION

FLINT MICH., July 26 (ANP)—The Genesee County Board of Health has just elected for its chairman, Dr. J. Leonidas Leach, widely known Michigan physician. Dr. Leach is a veteran member of the Genesee Coun-

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"CARELESS TALK — GOT THERE FIRST."

ty Board of Supervisors having received his first appointment in April 1929. During his period of service, he has headed many important committees but this is the first time that a colored physician has headed the entire board of health.

Dr. Leach has been practicing in Flint since May, 1920. He is a member of the Genesee County Medical Society, the Flint Medical Society, the Michigan State Medical Society, the American Medical Association, the Wolverine State Medical Society and the National Medical Association.

In 1932 Dr. Leach served as assistant city physician and a member of the city welfare department in Flint. He is a member of the staffs of the Jurley, St. Joseph and Woman's hospitals of Flint, a city which boasts the second largest manufacturing of automobiles in the country. Since the war began Genesee county and Flint have held government contracts worth a billion dollars. There is a payroll of a million dollars a month here and some 8,000 Negroes have shared in it.

Dr. Leach, in spite of the pressure of his practice and medical duties, finds time to devote to religion, political and fraternal affairs. Recently he was one of the seven lay delegates from the Michigan conference to the AME general conference in Philadelphia. He is a past grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of Michigan, a past noble father of the Odd Fellows of Michigan, past grand lodge officer of the Elks, commander of Baehr post, American Legion, president of the Michigan State association of NAACP branches and a member of the Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity.



"Hot Dog, Fred! I found the Wheaties."



FEPC GETS OUT PAMPHLETS

Washington, Aug. 1 (ANP)—The Fair Employment Practice Committee has just gotten out a pamphlet titled "FEPC—How it Operates", the agency announced last week. It was prepared by the division of review and analysis headed by John A. Davis, formerly with the Governor's Committee on Discrimination of New York.

The pamphlet tells of the establishment of FEPC, its duties and jurisdiction, and procedure. Something of the agency's record to date is also included as well as a reproduction of Executive Order 8802 and 9346.

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against this communicable disease problem during the war years, were outlined at the first meeting of the National Venereal Disease committee held here last week, Federal Security agency reported.

Attending the conference were Dr. T. K. Lawless, dermatologist and consultant, Provident Hospital, Chicago; Mrs. Mable K. Staupers, executive secretary, National Association of Colored Graduate Nurses; John A. Sengstacke, president, Negro Newspaper Publishers' association; Bishop R. R. Wright Jr., executive director, Fraternal Council of Negro Churches; and Dr. Mordecai Johnson, president, Howard university.

In announcing the results of the committee meeting, Paul V. McNutt, Federal Security administration, said that the efforts of the committee represent a further step in the VD control program that has been carried on jointly with the army, navy and FSA since the beginning of the defense period, and which has resulted in reducing army and navy VD rates to their lowest points in history despite a slight current increase.

Continued public interest and cooperation are necessary to avoid a psychological let-down, committee members said.

MEET ON VENEREAL DISEASE CONTROL

Washington, Aug. 1, (ANP) The need for community and national cooperation in venereal disease control, and ways to maintain during the demobilization period the gains made

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