KODAK SAFETY FILM

Cooking Is Fun

By FANNIEJOE REID

If you are a stickler for custom, and a hostess who makes the modest of holidays, you'll be observing Pancake Day Tuesday, and probably planning a pancake party.

For, you know, you need not stick to plain griddle cakes, no matter how delicious they are, if you feel something very fancy is in order.

WE HOWEVER, should start with a recipe for the griddle cakes, to be sure that we have a good base for the fancy touches.

One of the best of the variety is made with buttermilk and wheat flour.

Use a cup of sifted flour, four teaspoons of double-acting baking powder, a teaspoon salt, a cup of wheat meal, an egg, well beaten; two cups milk and a fourth cup shortening, melted.

Sift the flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt and sift again. Add wheat meal and mix well. Combine egg, milk and melted shortening. Add gradually to wheat meal mixture, stirring only until smooth.

Bake on hot griddle. Serve with butter and maple-blended syrup. Makes 15 to 18 three-inch griddle cakes.

Buttermilk wheat meal griddle cakes use the same recipe, substituting one teaspoon soda for two of the baking powder and 2½ cups buttermilk for two cups milk.

FOR AN all - purpose pancake, with which you can serve a variety of fillings, use this recipe.

Sift two cups cake flour once, measure and add 2½ teaspoons double - acting baking powder, one teaspoon salt, and sift again.

Combine one egg, slightly beaten, with a cup of milk. Add to flour, mix only until smooth. Add a half cup of milk and two tablespoons melted shortening.

Bake on hot griddle.

This may also be served with a syrup and butter, or a filling. Then, too, you might use these pancakes in roll - ups.

A very delicious meat roll-up is made by spreading each pancake with about two tablespoons of meat mixture made by mixing together one and a half cups ground meat or chicken, a half teaspoon salt,

Also a dash of pepper, a half teaspoon onion juice and a few drops of Worcestershire sauce.

Roll carefully and serve at once with gravy or a well seasoned white sauce to which a bouillion cube has been added.

Or you might spread lightly with fresh or canned cranberry sauce, fold and dust with powdered sugar.

SOME OTHER topping ideas for pancakes might include fruit sauce, raisin and nut sauce, butters made with honey or syrup into which butter has been worked until soft, but not melted, or fruit butters, and sausage with country gravy.

THEN TOO, pancakes need not always be a batter product. One of the most delicious vegetable pancake is made from broccoli.

You will need a bunch of broccoli, a large potato, cooked and mashed, salt and pepper, three eggs, well beaten, a tablespoon grated cheese and oil for frying.

Cook the broccoli, drain and chop. Mix in the mashed potato, egg and seasonings. Drop by tablespoons onto hot greased pan and brown on both sides.

TRICK OF the trade is to have a small bag filled with salt to rub the surface of the griddle before each pouring of batter. The pancakes will not burn, will come out a delicious brown, and there will be no smoke from the griddle.

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Breast exam movie free at Met Theatre

A movie showing how a self examination for cancer of the breast may be made will be shown at the Met Theatre, Saturday morning at 10 a.m.

The picture will be shown free to all women who wish to attend.

This picture is being shown by the American Society's educational program, and sponsored by a local committee.

ON THE COMMITTEE are Mesdames Jeanette Myers, Louis Harmon, Elizabeth Shipley, I. B. Higgins and Lula Patterson. The movie will be followed by talks by physicians, and a question period will be held.

The entire program, including the movie and lecture will be held in an hour.

YOUR SHROVE TUESDAY pancakes need not be utility items on that day's menu. They may be these French Pancakes, made with a regular pancake batter, filled with a glamorous sweet and topped with a fruit sauce.

Chicken in squash 'shells

With chicken at an economical price, and the market providing a plentiful supply of acorn squash, now is the time for a tasty new dish.

CHICKEN IN A corn Squash Shells require four acorn squash, one-fourth cup butter or margarine, one-fourth cup chopped onion, one-half cup canned sliced mushrooms, one-fourth cup flour, two tablespoons (6 teaspoons) golden brown prepared mustard.

One teaspoon salt, one-fourth teaspoon pepper, one cup chicken broth, one cup light cream, two cups cooked diced chicken, and grated cheese.

To prepare squash: Cut squash in half crosswise; remove seeds and sprinkle with salt. Turn upside down in a shallow pan. Add water to a depth of one-fourth inch. Bake in a moderate oven 375 degrees 45 minutes or until tender.

To prepare filling: Melt butter add onions and mushrooms and saute until onions are yellow. Sprinkle flour over mixture and blend well. Add golden brown prepared mustard, salt and pepper and blend well.

Gradually add chicken broth and cream and cook over medium heat until thick, stirring constantly. Add diced chicken. Fill squash with chicken mixture; top with grated cheese and bake in a moderate oven 350 degrees about 25 minutes.

Lumpy gravy your problem? try powdered cream way

Many a good cook bakes bread that's light as a feather; cooks vegetables with a delicate and delicious flavor, and meats that draw raves for their mouth - watering goodness. But how she shys away from the task of making gravy! She knows the anguish of trying to finish a meal and at the same time stir gravy to keep it smooth.

And on these brisk blustery days, gravy is essential when the man of the house wants hearty "meat and potato" meals. For a gravy that never lumps, we suggest one made with powdered cream. This recipe assures success and leaves your stirring hands free for any last minute touches that may arise. Here is the recipe and some delicious variations:

HAWAIIAN GRAVY Pour off all but 4 tbsp. fat from roasting pan. Add 1½ cups water and ½ cup pineapple juice to fat and drippings in pan. Mix 3 tbsp. flour with 6 tbsp. powdered cream. Sprinkle over water in pan. Cook and stir until mixture boils and is thickened. Add salt and pepper to taste.

TO MAKE Second - Helpings Beef Gravy. Pour off all but 4 tbsp. fat from roasting pan. Add 2 cups water to fat and drippings in pan. Mix 3 tbsp. flour and 4 tbsp. powdered cream. Sprinkle over water in pan. Cook and stir until mixture boils and is thickened. Add salt and pepper to taste.

ELEGANT HAM Gravy. Pour off all but 4 tbsp. fat from roasting pan. Add 1 tsp. prepared mustard, 1 tbsp. vinegar, 1 tbsp. brown sugar and 1½ cups water to fat and drippings in pan. Mix 2 tbsp. flour and 4 tbsp. powdered cream. Sprinkle over water in pan. Cook and stir until mixture boils and is thickened.

BAKED POTATOES De Luxe Select large baking potatoes. Scrub and grease. Bake in a moderate over (400 F.) until done. Cut a thin slice off potato lengthwise and scoop out inside. Mash, adding 1 tbsp. powdered cream, 2 tbsp. hot water, 1 tsp. butter or margarine. Pile into shell, return to oven. Bake 10 to 15 minutes longer or until lightly browned or until piping hot.

Makes eight servings.

Soft custard, meringue for delicate nourishing 'Island'

Floating Island, a delicate and nutritious dessert as simple as soft custard topped with a meringue.

But when served with sponge cup cakes it is truly a company dessert.

Here's how to make it.

Use three cups milk, fourth cup sugar, a fourth teaspoon salt, three eggs, a teaspoon vanilla and a dash of cinnamon or nutmeg, and two teaspoons cornstarch.

Heat the milk over boiling water. Mix sugar, cornstarch and salt. Add the hot milk and cook over boiling water, stirring constantly until mixture thickens. Cover and cook 15 minutes longer.

Gradually add the milk mixture to the beaten egg yolks. Cook over boiling water, stirring constantly for two or three minutes. Remove from water at once; cool and add vanilla.

Top each serving with a meringue made from the egg whites. Beat the whites with a few grains of salt until stiff, but not dry. Gradually add two tablespoons of sugar for each egg white, beating, well after each addition.

Pile lightly on a greased baking sheet in six large or 12 small mounds. Bake in a moderate oven (325 degrees F.) 15 or 15 minutes or until set and browned. Place on custard hot or cold.

Another way to cook the beaten egg white is to drop mounds of it on simmering water. Cover and cook 10 minutes or until set. Remove from water immediately.

Rice pudding

Old - fashioned rice pudding, where rice cooks in milk until each grain is puffy and soft, takes on new interest when golden cling peach slices are stirred in and a meringue is baked on top.

Cling peaches, the favorite canned fruit of most families, were first canned in California a century ago.

PEACH RICE PUDDING is made with 2½ cups milk, 1/3 cup uncooked rice, ½ teaspoon salt, 2 eggs, ½ cup sugar, ½ teaspoon vanilla, and 2 cups canned cling peach slices.

Scald milk. Stir in rice and salt, place over boiling water and cook 1 hour, stirring occasionally. Remove from heat. Separate eggs and beat yolks lightly. Slowly stir 1/4 cup sugar, vanilla and egg yolks into hot mixture.

Dice 1½ cups well - drained peach slices and stir into pudding mixture. Turn into baking dish. Beat egg whites until stiff, and gradually beat in remaining ¾ cup sugar.

Heap meringue over pudding. Bake in moderately slow oven (325 degrees F.) about 15 minutes, or until lightly browned. Serve warm or cold, topped with remaining peach slices.

Makes 6 servings.

Clubs

APOLLO — Mrs. Theresa Fonseca, 1111 Mosher St. entertained the whist club.

A business meeting was held after which cards were played and prizes awarded to Mrs. Mary Briscoe, Mrs. Gertrude Patterson and Mrs. Beatrice Dabney.

The guest prize went to Mrs. Lula Hudgins.

S. Baltimore Notes

By GEORGE W. E. HILL

An Annual Men's Day service was held Sunday at the Mt. Winans Methodist Church, Hollins Ferry Rd. and Annapolis Ave.

John F. Malloy presided at the 11 a.m. services at the Church.

The Rev. Mr. A. H. Hammond Jr., church pastor, introduced the principal speaker, Dr. Lowell B. Hazzard, a professor at the Westminster Theological Seminary.

Music was furnished by the Male Chorus.

The Rev. Richard N. Wallace was the speaker at the afternoon services. Music was provided by a male chorus from Catonsville, with Charles F. Parker presiding over the meeting.

THE REV. Herman Bagon, pastor of Mt. Pisgah CME Church, spoke at the night service. This program was presided over by William Ross Jr.

A highlight of the Mens Day program was the announcement that captains reported raising $437.47.

Officers elected were John F. Malloy, chairman, Cornelius Levi, secretary, and William Hutchinson, treasurer.

DANCING CLASSES at the Josiah Diggs Recreation Center (P.S. 103), Barre and Warner Sts., will be held every Thursday evening with interested school age boys and girls invited to participate.

Miss Madelyne Futch is in charge of the classes and Robert Coleman is director.

The Trustees and members of the Star of Bethlehem AME Church raised $109.98 at a rally Sunday morning to secure funds for remodeling the church basement. George Hill acted as chairman.

Other officials participating in the ceremony were Walter Hill, secretary; Roland Christian; Trilly Wicks, treasurer, and the Rev. T. B. McQueeg, church pastor.

THE STAR of Bethlehem Trustees Aid and Friendship Savings Club held its regular bi-monthly meeting Thursday at the home of William Polk, president.

Other officers of the group are Mrs. Charlotte Hill, vice president; Florence Christian, secretary, and Trilly Wicks, treasurer.

The Baltimore Singers were praised for a concert performance at Ft. Meade recently.

CONFERENCE HELD

COLLEGE PARK—A conference on the Women's Air Force-Cadetes ROTC program was held Tuesday at the armory on the University of Maryland College Park campus.

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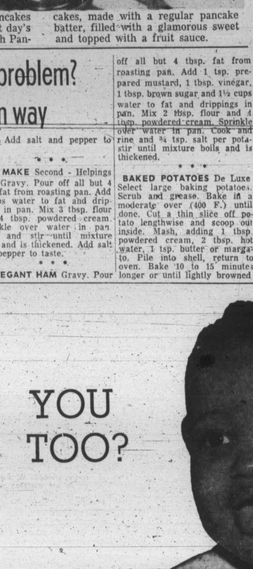

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Pickled peaches

Quick pickled peaches, made in 10 minutes from a can of cling peach halves, make an elegant garnish on a platter of sliced ham or turkey, or may be served as salad. When drained and topped with a slice of canned cranberry sauce, they add a festive touch to even a simple meal.

PICKLED PEACH SALAD is made with one (No. 2½) can cling peach halves, three-fourth cup brown sugar (packed), one-half cup vinegar, one tablespoon mixed pickling spices. Salad greens and one (1-pound) can jellied cranberry sauce.

Drain syrup from peaches. Combine with sugar and vinegar, and spices tied in square of cheesecloth. Boil 5 minutes. Add peach halves and simmer gently 5 minutes.

Remove spices. Let fruit stand in syrup several hours or overnight. Arrange chilled peaches in circle on salad greens. Top each with a slice of canned cranberry sauce. Serve as relish or salad.

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BROTHERHOOD AWARD — New York City Civil Service Commissioner George Gregory Jr., received the 1957 Brotherhood Achievement Award of the New York County Council Jewish War Veterans of the United States of America last Wednesday at the East 51st Street Synagogue. Making the presentation was Colonel Emanuel Targum, County Commander, and looking on were Judge Samuel DiFalco, the Rev. Shelton Hale Bishop, and Milton Rosenberg, chairman of the Brotherhood awards committee. Commissioner Gregory is former director of the Bronx Forrest Neighborhood House.

NAACP is domiciled in Carolina

RALEIGH, N.C.—A legal spat instigated by the segregationists Patriots of North Carolina ended here last week when the NAACP filed as a foreign corporation doing business in this state.

C. O. Pearson of Durham, counsel for the NAACP, pointed out that as a result of the filing of the papers a nonsuit would be taken in a lawsuit the NAACP filed recently against Thad Eure, secretary of state.

THAT SUIT was filed late in 1955 after Eure had told the organization it had failed to comply with state law by not registering under the so - called "Gray Bill" and not "domesticating" as required of foreign corporations.

The NAACP held that it was not a foreign corporation and asked the court for a declaratory judgment.

When the case came up in Superior Court, the attorney general filed a motion that the issues in the suit were wrongly joined. Judge Hamilton Hobgood agreed and, subsequently, so did the State Supreme Court.

BOTH COURTS held that noncompliance cited by Mr. Eure as the first requirement was a criminal offense and the latter a civil offense. "No cause of action" was found as to the Gray Bill.

Thus the only issue involved after the attorney general's motion prevailed was whether or not the NAACP was a foreign corporation. The answer to that question was yes, the NAACP when it filed last week as such.

Secretary of State Eure made the announcement that the organization had "complied with the law as to foreign corporations." Adding that he had already received the filing fee of $45.

THE ORGANIZATION listed its officers and directors, gave its NYC office address and named Kelly Alexander of Charlotte, president of the state conference of branches, as process agent. No membership list is required.

Attorney General Patton said his office "has a standing request that they (the NAACP) will comply with provisions of the Gray Bill, which has not been done.

Asked if the NAACP intended doing so, Mr. Pearson replied: "You don't ask somebody to put you in jail." Contesting a court test of the Gray Bill's provisions if the attorney general attempts to force compliance.

Ft. Sill troops arrive in Germany for 36-mo. tour

BREMERHAVEN, Germany —After a pretty heetig and stormy nine days of crossing the Atlantic and the English Channel, the USNS "Gen. Maurice Rose" arrived here on Friday. The ship left the Brooklyn Army Terminal on the 7th, and it was not until two days before arriving here that "signs of land" were seen.

The trip was made with more than 1,500 enlisted men and officers, in addition to their dependents, for a normal Europe tour of duty for the next 36 months.

THERE WERE two Gyroscope Field Artillery Battalions, that are replacing two other units that have already completed their 36 months of duty here in Germany.

The battalions, both completely integrated as to enlisted personnel, formerly were at Fort Sill, Okla., the artillery center of the world.

After a few hours lay - over here in Bremerhaven, the battalions will entrain for their respective "European" homes for the next 36 months.

One of the highest ranking non-white non-commissioned officers is Master Sergeant Rocco Dudley of San Francisco, Calif., battalion sergeant major of the 534th AFA Bn.

A career soldier of 15 years service, Sergeant Dudley is making his second European tour of duty since World War II.

Rev. Abernathy to launch Urban League unit drive

BROOKLYN, N.Y.—The Rev. Ralph Abernathy, vice president of the Montgomery (Ala.) Improvement Association, will be the keynote speaker at the Urban League's 1957 membership campaign dinner here Saturday.

His home and church the target of one of the recent bombings, the Rev. Mr. Abernathy is one of the leaders of passive resistance campaign to desegregate city buses in Montgomery.

More than 1,000 persons are expected to hear the pastor speak at the dinner at Concord Baptist Church which will kick off the Brooklyn branch's drive for 1,500 new members.

DR. GARDNER C. TAYLOR, pastor of the church and chairman of the League's Brooklyn Advisory Committee, will introduce the speaker. The dinner begins at 6:30 p.m.

Mrs. Dolly Lowther Robinson, former secretary of the New York State Department of Labor, will serve as mistress of ceremonies. Edward J. Robeson, mortician, is dinner committee chairman.

CHAIRMAN OF the borough membership campaign is Austin Henry. Other dinner committemen are Mrs. Robinson, Howard Fogel, Harold Goldberg, Paul O'Brien, Dr. Lloyd Tomas, David Hodge.

Also Mesdames Mayme Kingsland, Rubina Sales, Catherine Alexander, Edna Cameron, Gladys Foster, Elsie Suller, Maude B. Richardson, Pauline Schwartz, Sybil Holmes and Rose Sealy.

5 new agents named in Dixie

WASHINGTON

A spokesman for the Rural Development Program last week announced that five colored farm and home agents have been added to county extension staffs in Georgia, Mississippi and South Carolina.

Two agents have been assigned to Berkeley County, S.C., and one each to Meriwether County, Ga., and Covington and Holmes Counties, Miss.

THE MAIN objective of the program is to mobilize private organizations — farm, business and civic leaders and government agencies — in a cooperative effort to promote balanced economic growth.

Rural Development programs are under way in 49 pilot counties and eight areas in 24 states where there is a substantial number of unemployed people in both farm and nonfarm categories.

Form advisory committee to push 'Freedom Fight'

NEW YORK — The church, business, the theatre, the professions and organized labor are represented among prominent citizens of both races who have agreed to serve on the NAACP National Advisory committee under the leadership of Jackie Robinson, chairman of the association's 1957 Fight for Freedom Fund campaign.

Among them are:

Bishop Edgar A. Love of the Methodist Church; George Beavers, chairman of the board of the Golden State Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Los Angeles; Dr. Alf E. Thomas, Detroit physician; the Rev. Earnest S. Estell, pastor of St. Johns Baptist Church, Dallas;

Walter Reuther, president United Automobile Workers; Miss Lena Horne, singer and screen star; Mrs. Bessie Buchanan, member of the New York State Assembly; Dr. C. B. Powell, NYC physician-businessman; Oscar Hammerstein 2nd, composer-producer; Dr. John E. Walker, physician-businessman Memphis;

CHARLES D. MAHONEY, Detroit businessman; Rev. Charles C. Diggs Jr., Detroit; Earl Dickerson, president, Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Co., Chicago; Charles Zimmerman, vice president, International Ladies Garment Workers Union; Edward R. Merrick, Durham, N.C. businessman;

Archibald Carey, clergyman-attorney, Chicago; S. Ralph Harlow, retired educator, Owa Bluffs, Mass.; Mrs. Ruth Whitehead Whaley, secretary, NYC City Board of Estimates and Dr. Marguerite Cartwright, educator and journalist.

The committee is seeking a fund of $1,000,000 in 1957 to enable the NAACP to carry on its organized efforts to end racial discrimination and segregation.

The association has set Jan. 1, 1963, the centennial of Abraham Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation, as the target date for the elimination of all legal restrictions based upon race or color.

Mau Mau chief hanged by British

NAIROBI, Kenya—The British, Monday, hanged Dedan Kimathi, 34, alleged terrorist leader and field marshal of the African Liberation movement, at Nairobi Prison.

Kimathi was educated at government schools, but became prominent part in spreading Mau Mau propaganda and was one of the first Mau Mau leaders to take to the forests to organize terrorist gangs.

Before he was captured, he was deserted by the remnants of the movement he had created, and he allegedly was unpopular with the Mau Mau rank and file.

Wins Protestant Council award

NEW YORK — The Rev. O. Clay Maxwell, pastor of Mt. Olivet Baptist Church here, last week became the first of his race to receive the distinguished service award of the Protestant Council of NYC.

Dr. Maxwell was cited by the council for "a years of leadership toward interdenominational unity."

The annual (eighth) award ceremony was held at a meeting in Central Presbyterian Church.

As a member of the board of the Greater New York Federation of Churches, now part of the Protestant Council, Dr. Maxwell played a major role in the organization of the council in 1950.

HE HAS served continuously since its creation as a member of the council's board and has given guidance and counsel in its interracial and intercultural affairs.

He has also served as official delegate of the NYC Baptist Society to the general assembly of the council and headed the department of evangelism.

The council adopted a budget of $875,000, a recent fund an increase of $162,000 over its 1956 budget. The annual report showed the organization had served 210,000 persons during 1956.

NYC bodies send gifts to Nkrumah

NEW YORK—A proclamation by the Mayor, a gift of a ship's compass from the National Maritime Union, and a citation of honor from the National Urban League were sent today to Dr. Kwame Nkrumah, who becomes Prime Minister of Ghana on its birth, March 6.

The three tributes were entrusted at a send-off luncheon at the Waldorf Astoria to Ted Kheel and Lester B. Granger, president and executive director of the National Urban League, who left last Thursday for Ghana.

Mayor Wanger's message in part:

"The citizens of the free City of New York, eight million strong, take this means of conveying to the people of Ghana, the world's newest free and independent nation, the warmest expressions of Brotherhood and our highest hopes for the contributions that you will make within the British Commonwealth of Nations toward peace and freedom for the Nations of the World."

IN AWARDING the ship's compass to Dr. Nkrumah, a former member of the National Maritime Union, NMU President Joseph Curran praised the African leader's interest in the trade union movement.

Dr. Nkrumah helped to pay his way through college in the United States during the years 1935 to 1945 by working as a member of the NMU on the shuttle between New York and Vera Cruz, Mexico.

MR. KHEEL and Mr. Granger will present the honorary membership card to Dr. Nkrumah when they arrive in Accra, capital of Ghana which until March sixth bears its current name of the Gold Coast.

They will also present him with a scroll on behalf of the National Urban League, inviting him to this country as guest of honor at a testimonial dinner to be tendered by the Urban League.

Philip Morris Co. has bumper year

RICHMOND

Philip Morris Inc. of Richmond, Va., and Louisville, Ky., last year made cigarette history when it became the first company to successfully introduce nationally five new brands within a 12-month span.

O. Parker McComas, president, announced that the company increased sales by 15 per cent as compared with "an estimated average industry dollar increase of four per cent.

He also reported at the 1956 annual meeting of stockholders that consolidated net sales amounted to $236,814,554 as compared with $203,218,646 for 1955, and net income amounted to $12,763,261.

THE LATTER figure represents what is equal to $4.06 a common share and an increase of 12 percent over the previous year.

In conclusion, Mr. McComas noted that based on present available figures, Philip Morris accounted for 36 per cent of the total industry increase in cigarette sales in 1956 over 1955.

Woodson lauded as integration pioneer

WASHINGTON (ANP) — The work in history launched by Dr. Carter G. Woodson with the establishment of the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History on Sept. 9, 1915, is seen by educators and social scientists as a bulwark for the integration of today.

The surveys by Dr. Woodson and others trained under his tutelage disclosed facts that prepared colored people for integration, and provided an opportunity to change the attitude of white people so that they can more easily accept integration.

Two hundred and forty-six years of slavery made it necessary for white historians, preachers, and other leaders to propagandize that colored people are inferior and had never been civilized as a means of justifying the system.

The celebration of Negro History Week since Feb. 7, 1926 and the publication of reports and leaflets on Negro history and the work of other organizations in this field in the past 25 years have helped tremendously to prepare for integration.

HOWARD University president, Dr. Mordecai W. Johnson, a Morehouse College alumnus, delivers the Founders Day address during the college's 90th anniversary celebration.

Morgan men commissioned in U.S. Army

BALTIMORE

Fifteen Morgan State College students were commissioned second lieutenants in the U.S. Army Reserve here last week in a special ceremony held in the office of Lt. Col. Willard C. Stewart, professor of military science and tactics at the college.

President Martin D. Jenkins awarded the letters of commission to the cadets, 13 of whom completed their requirements for graduation from the college the past semester.

Commissioned were:

LEROY BARBER, Major P. Gladden, Bernard C. Gregory, Jesse W. Kent, Claude M. Ligon, Benjamin A. Randall and William M. Ransom, Baltimore; Walter Davis, Hagerstown, Md.; James E. Gladden, Cheltenham, Md.;

James I. Dixon Jr., Maywood, Va.; George A. Green, Arlington, Va.; Burleigh A. Hudson, Asbury Park, N.J.; Ansell Jeffries Jr., Riviera Beach, Fla.; Mervin O. McCoy, Norfolk, Va.; and Ronald P. Taylor, Philadelphia.

The seven branches of service into which the cadets were commissioned are Army Security, Artillery, Engineer, Infantry, Military Police Corps, Medical Service Corps and the Signal Corps.

Dr. Howard H. Long buried Wednesday

WASHINGTON

Dr. Howard H. Long, director of research in District schools for 24 years, was buried at Arlington National Cemetery, Wednesday.

Funeral services were held at McGuire Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Arthur Elmes officiated.

Heading the attendants' list were Dr. Charles Wesley, Garnett Wilson, Dr. Charles Thompson, Dr. Frank Coleman, Dr. James Saunders, Colonels West Hamilton, Campbell Johnson and more than 100 educators from all over the country.

Dr. Long died of coronary thrombosis in Wilberforce, Ohio, Feb. 21.

He had been dean of Central State College, Wilberforce, since shortly after his retirement from the District school system in 1948.

A native of News Ferry, Va., he matriculated at Virginia Union and graduated from Howard University in 1915, received his master's in psychology from Clark University in 1916 and the Ph.D. from Harvard in 1932.

After a year as psychology instructor at Howard University, Dr. Long served as lieutenant in the infantry in France during World War I. He also served as dean at Paine College and Knoxville College.

He was past vice president of the National Executive Council of the Young Men's Christian Association and a fellow of the American Psychology Association.

Two sisters, Mesdames Anna S. Travers and Henrietta Lacy, both of Philadelphia, and a brother, the Rev. Gundie Long of 717 E. St., NE, this city, are survivors.

Official delegates to Gold Coast fete

WASHINGTON — The formal delegates representing the United States at the Independence Day Celebration March 6, when Gold Coast takes on its new name of Ghana and becomes independent, have been selected.

Vice - President Nixon will head the delegation. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Nixon, but she will not be a delegate. The remainder of the group, which will consist of five persons, will be:

Mrs. Frances P. Bolton, member of Congress from Cleveland; Rep. Charles H. Diggs, member of Congress from Detroit; Gov. Walter Gordon of the Virgin Islands; and Mason Sears of the Trusteeship Division of the United Nations.

There have been a welter of published reports carrying nonsenous names but the AFRO is advised the above list is correct.

Doctor fingers for ½ hour for bullet in woman's heart

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — For nearly two hours last week Miss Bernice Harris, 22, of Foote, Miss., underwent surgery at Collins Hospital here while a doctor for 30 minutes probed with his finger for a bullet lodged in her heart.

The woman, critically wounded 11 days ago in a shooting near her home, was reported in satisfactory condition following the "blind probing" for the bullet. Her half brother, Willie Billups, is being held in Greenville, Miss.

According to the physician, the bullet is now in one of the smaller arteries of the woman's lungs. "We don' think it'll do any harm there," he said. "But if we do decide next week to go in and get it, it should not be much trouble to do so."

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PEOPLE

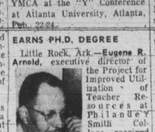
MISS SINGH — A. P. DEMPSEY

AT GA. YMCA PARLEY

FAYETTEVILLE, N.C. — **Joseph P. Dempsey,** student-minister at Fayetteville State Teachers College, here, represented the campus unit of the YMCA at the "Y" Conference at Atlanta University, Atlanta, Feb. 22-24.

EARNS PH.D. DEGREE

Little Rock, Ark.—**Eugene R. Arnold,** executive director of the Project for Improved Utilization of Resources at Philander Smith College, received the doctor of education degree from the University of Pittsburgh at its winter commencement exercises, Feb. 1, 1957.



DR. ARNOLD

JERNAGINS IN OHIO

CINCINNATI, Ohio—**Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Jernagin** of Washington, D.C., were among the leaders attending the seventy-fourth meeting of the National Council of the Churches of Christ in the U.S.A., Division of Christian Education, here, Feb. 8-15 inclusive.

While in Cincinnati, he spoke on "Tarrying With God," on an early morning television show, representing the Baptists and spoke in attendance at this ecumenical meeting.

PFC. HATCHER — E. SECHREST

LINCOLNITES AT SEMINAR

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. — The Missouri Methodist Student Movement held its first "Missouri State Christian Citizenship Seminar" here Sunday through Tuesday with headquarters at the Methodist Church.

Student representatives from Lincoln University were **James Scott,** president of the Wesley Foundation; **Samuel L. Johnson, Robert L. Wright** and **Marjorie Johnson.**

PEDIATRICS CLINICIAN

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — **Edward P. Crump,** professor and chairman of the department of pediatrics and chief of pediatrics services at Meharry Medical College, served as a clinician during the 28th annual meeting of the Florida A. and M. University Clinical Association.

VISITS ATLANTIC CITY

RALEIGH, N.C.—**Dr. P. R. Robinson,** dean of St. Augustine's College, attended the American Association of School Administrators convention recently held at Atlantic City, N.J.

BISHOP PROF UCF AIDE

MARSHALL, Texas—A member of the faculty at Bishop College has accepted a position with the United Negro College Fund. He is **Edward M. Carroll,** who is now Texas regional director for the campaign.

Caribbean group sets celebration

NEW YORK— Marking the 130th anniversary of the first colored newspaper, Freedom's Journal (N.Y. March 11, 1827), Caribbean League of America Inc. will honor its founder John S. Russwurm on March 10.

The West Indies Historical Observances, as the affair has been termed, is actually the public now of the Caribbean League, newly chartered to act as a liaison agency with West Indian Federations.

Tribute will be paid to Russwurm, — Alexander Hamilton, Denmark Vesey, Marcus Garvey and other famous West Indians at Russwurm Public School, 5th Ave. and 135th St., in Manhattan.

THE 130th anniversary is part of the Caribbean-American Friendship Week Celebration which will be observed March 10-16. Dr. F. Theodore Reid is chairman.

Dr. Reid has announced that Governor Harriman will issue an official proclamation hailing West Indian contributions to American History.

Dr. G. James Fleming, professor of political science and government at Morgan State College in Baltimore, will be the principal speaker at the March 10 celebration.

HONORARY chairmen are A. A. Austin, Lester B. Granger, Sen. James L. Watson, Assemblywoman Bessie Buchanan and Dr. Godfrey Nurse.

James L. Hicks, managing editor of a NYC weekly, will present a mounted reproduction of the first issue of Freedom's Journal to the Board of Education as a tribute to Russwurm.

A native of the West Indies, Russwurm graduated from Bowdoin College, Maine, in 1826 as the first colored university graduate in America.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Cards and letters were received in the mail asking that birthday greetings be sent out to four persons born on Feb. 29. Maybe the writers had a lapse in memory — there's no such date this year.

Among those who will be celebrating birthdays on Feb. 29, 1960, are Levithia J Charity of Charles City, Va., Lula Williams of Winchester, Va., Perry Knight of Winston-Salem, N.C., and Charles E. Summers of Washington.

And to the rest of you who were born between Feb. 27 and March 5, congratulations and sincere wishes for happiness.

All cards and letters to this column should be mailed to the AFRO-AMERICAN Newspapers, 628 N. Eutaw St., Baltimore 1, Md. two weeks in advance of publication date. Happy Birthday to:

FEB. 27

Bruce Hodge Jr., Baltimore.
Karen Briscoe, Baltimore.
William D. Parker, Takoma Park, Md.
Ellen Christmas, Baltimore.

FEB. 28

Mrs. Benie Shaw, Baltimore.
Mrs. Edith Cook, Baltimore.
Robert J. Friend, Washington.
Charles W. Greenlea, Atlanta.
Mary J. Smith, Westmoreland, Va.

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Thomas Lash, Rhodell, W. Va.
Mrs. Margaret Clark, Amigo, W. Va.
Alice Adams, Columbus, Ohio.
Frank S. Dickens, Summit, N.J.
Bessie Franklin, Washington.
Mrs