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MVC Marching Band Invited to Festival

Itta Bena—The 101-strong Mississippi Vocational College Marching Band has been invited to participate in the famed 500 Festival Parade in Indianapolis, Ind., May 28, it was announced recently by President J. H. White.

The Festival Parade serves as the prelude to the 500 Speedway Race with band participation limited to 33 of the top collegiate and prep bands. Five of the 33 bands are asked to remain to play during the 500 Race. The MVC band will be among the five and will also give a concert in downtown Indianapolis.

Each band participating in the parade receives an engraved plaque. Al G. Wright, Director of Bands at Purdue University, is chairman of the festival band committee.

Cosmopolitan in its makeup with members from all sections of Mississippi and such states as Georgia, Tennessee, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, Florida and Missouri, the MVC Band, under the direction of Russell Boone and his assistant Tyrone Tyler, in three years has blossomed into one of the nation's most respected and acclaimed units.

Listing personnel totaling 101

—80 players, 12 color guards, six majorettes, two twirlers and a drum major, the MVC Band has appeared in parades in Jackson, Greenwood, Indianola, Vicksburg and Columbus, Helena, Ark. and at the recent 24th Annual Blues Bowl in Memphis, Tenn.

Describing the invitation as a "coveted honor," President White announced the opening of a fund raising drive to underwrite the trip.

"We call upon all friends of the college and persons interested in cultural advancement to help the college and these talented young people take advantage of such a rare opportunity. Such a trip will cost approximately \$4,000, an expense not in our budget. All contributions will be appreciated and will help us honor our institution, state and nation," he stated.

Send all contributions to:
Band Trip
c/o President J. H. White
Mississippi Vocational College
Itta Bena, Miss.

REV. BOWMAN IS CALVARY PASTOR

Rev. S. L. Bowman of Jackson, has accepted pastorship of the Calvary Baptist Church. He was entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins Sunday, Feb. 17 with a Fellowship Dinner given by the Calvary Choir. This dinner was given in order that Rev. Bowman could get acquainted with the members of the choir.

JSC Defeats Arkansas 101-80

The Jackson State College basketball Tigers defeated the Arkansas AM&N Golden Lions in a breeze 101-80 Monday night in a Southwest Athletic Conference contest. The Tigers led 48-35 at intermission. The Lions had won a game played earlier on their home court 81-80.

Don Smith led the Tigers' offensive, hitting 30 points. Bob Frith was second with 22 points while Jerry Yarbrough scored 18 points.

James Allen led the Lions' scoring with 23 points, Ronald Taylor was second with 19.

The Tigers meet Texas Southern University Saturday, Feb. 16, and Prairie View College Monday, Feb. 18, at College Park Auditorium.

\$15,000 Grant Given JSC CEEP Fund

Continuation of the Jackson State College Continuing Education Enrichment Program (CEEP) was assured this week when the college received a grant of \$15,000 from the Field Foundation, Inc. A grant in the same amount was made to the college by the Foundation for the inauguration of the program in 1962. Notice of the grant came from Mr. Maxwell Hahn, Executive Vice-President of the Foundation.

The purposes of CEEP are to provide through a program of intellectual stimulation and enrichment, greater challenge and

interest in courses already existing, and to develop further the role of Jackson State College as a college center for aiding in the improvement of schools.

In the program, carefully-selected students in the ninth 10th and 11th grades receive an opportunity to widen their intellectual horizons in the areas of humanities, science and mathematics. Students participate in the college's public affairs forum, the telelecture series as well as other programs in addition to attending Saturday classes. A natural result of the program has been an intellectual stimulus for faculty and staff members of the college.

Mrs. Mabel Woods was confined to the Afro Hospital for several days. She is now back to her post of duties at the Afro-American office where she is employed as an office clerk.

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At the Close of Business December 31st, 1962

RESOURCES

Loans	\$ 3,923,096.88
Overdrafts	2,034.30
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta	36,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	25,001.00
Other Real Estate (Property Purchased for Future Expansion)	2.00
CASH RESOURCES	
Cash on hand, in Federal Reserve Bank and other banks	\$4,509,387.27
Demand loans secured by warehouse receipts on cotton	29,418.25
Government Cotton Loans Payable on Demand	1,316,225.44
U. S. Government Securities	3,930,423.40
State, County and Municipal Bonds	4,910,726.56
TOTAL	\$18,682,315.10

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock, Paid In	\$150,000.00	
Capital Stock, Earned	150,000.00	\$ 300,000.00
Surplus, Earned		900,000.00
Undivided Profits		74,997.81
Reserved for Contingencies		100,000.00
Unearned Interest		99,548.59
Bills Payable and Rediscounts		NONE
DEPOSITS		17,207,768.70
TOTAL		\$18,682,315.10

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