

RESUME 1982

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Personal Data

Age: 58
Height: 6'
Married to Elizabeth Crampton Dix
One daughter, Jacqueline, '76 graduate, New Jersey
College of Medicine and Dentistry. (Rutgers University
Division). Currently doing residency at Beth Israel Hospital

Past Employment (10 years)

State Supervisor of Adult Basic and Adult High School Extension
Programs, State of Delaware, Department of Public Instruction,
Dover, Delaware 19901. Retired - 1976

Previous Employment

Consultant for Adult Education, University of Missouri, Kansas
City
Teacher, Virginia and New York School Systems
Teacher, Delaware School System.
Administrator, Delaware school system (Wm. C. Jason High
School)
Union craftsman (upholstry)
Shipbuilder (Newport News, Virginia shipyards)

Military

Commissioned Officer, World War II, ^{92nd} 92nd Division, Italian
Campaigns

Educational and Professional Training

Post Graduate study - Temple University, Philadelphia, Pa.
Graduate - M.A., New York University, 1947
Undergraduate - B.S., Hampton Institute, Hampton, Va., 1940.
Secondary - Diploma, St. Clair High School, Cambridge, Md.

Professional and Civic Involvements

- President, Board of Trustees, Del. State College 1980*
 Vice President, Board of Trustees, Delaware State College 1972
 Member, first Ad-Hoc Liaison Committee for Adult Education, appointed by Commissioner Worthington
 Member, (1975) Board of Directors, A.C.E.A.D. (Association for Continuing Education for Adults in Delaware)
 Member, first Town Committee for Interracial Affairs, Town of Bridgeville, Delaware
 Member (1971-76) National Advisory Committee for University of Texas, Adult Performance Learning Project
 Member and former Chairman, U.S.O.E. Region III Committee of State Directors for Regional Staff Development Project
 Member (1973) Governor's Select Task Force for State Public Education (appointed by Governor Peterson)
 Member, National Association of Secondary School Principals
 Member, Delaware Association for Public and Continuing Adult Education (N.A.P.C.A.E.)
 Former Chapter Vice-President, Omega Fraternity (National Black Fraternity Organization devoted to scholarship and civic betterment)
 Member, Mt. Calvary United Methodist Church

Significant Accomplishments

- Organized and taught first state-supported Basic Literacy Education classed in Sussex County, Delaware, for Black citizens (1940)
 Initiated first state-wide, state-approved and funded General Educational Development (G.E.D.) testing system in Delaware
 Initiated first state-wide computerized system of school drop-out identification for Adult Education purposes in U.S. (Monthly identification by name, address, county, school district, age, grade, curriculum, age, sex)
 Initiated first state-approved and funded system of instructional services to pregnant students in Delaware
 Initiated first county-wide N.Y.C. (Neighborhood Youth Corps) Sussex County
 Founded (1946) largest upholstery business concern in Sussex County
 Introduced Adult Performance Learning Concepts to Delaware (1976)
 Instituted first State Survey of Adult Performance Proficiency (1976)

Expanded first state-wide, fully state-supported system of Adult High Schools into an organization with six branches of 2,500 students that has graduated 6,000 Adults with Delaware Secondary Education. The Groves Adult system has been and still is the only state wide, state funded system of free Secondary Education for Adults in the U.S.

5. BRIEF RESUME OF DUTY ASSIGNMENTS:

1941 - Fort Bragg N.C.

1942 - O.C.S.

1942-43 - 187th F.A. Fort Custer Mich

1943-44 - 930th FA Camp Butler N.C

1944-46 - 597th FA Italy