

### Name Delegates to Detroit Conference

Representing the local Chamber of Commerce at the National Businessmen's Conference on urban problems will be Harris O. Machus, Clarence Vlast and Charles Mortensen, executive secretary of the chamber.

Called by the U. S. Chamber of

Commerce, the conference will be held Sept. 13-14 in Detroit.

The four major phases of the meeting will cover planning the development of a smaller community, parking and truck loading problems, city streets and modern transportation, and planning for the redevelopment of the larger community.

### Cranbrook Institute Has Received El Dorado Relics

Gold ornaments, incense burners and carvings of almost endless variety are prominent in the collection of once-buried treasure which the Cranbrook Institute of Science has just received as the gift of William R. Angell of Detroit.

Much of the collection, which comes from an extinct culture unrepresented in other Michigan museums, was placed on view recently at the Institute's Museum of Science, and can be seen any afternoon from 2 to 5.

**Spartan Artisans**

These objects are from the Tainona people whose Columbus found living between the mountains and the sea in the Santa Maria district of northeastern Colombia. The Tainona were a local development of the advanced civilization of the Andes, but they were unable to withstand the enslavement and diseases of the Spaniards and soon became extinct.

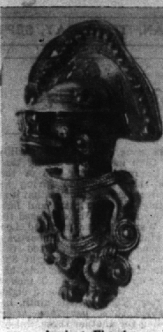
Today about the only things which show us what kind of people they were, are objects made of stone, pottery, shell and metal. There are beads of carnelian, limestone, quartz, shell and agate, and unpainted black pottery with delicately incised designs. Their baskets, cloth, wood, and other perishable objects are unknown.

They were great workers. They were great warriors. They were superb artisans working in gold and copper. The legend of El Dorado, a great chief who sprinkled himself with gold powder, springs from them and their neighbors.

Angell, who is president of the Continental Aircraft Corporation, made this collection with William M. Sutherland in Boston, during excavations in Colombia some years ago. Some objects were obtained by purchase.

**Burial Jar**

Among the displayed objects is



Ancient Figurine

a large urn with a conventionalized human figure applied to it. This was a burial jar, and in it were several treasures that had been interred with the deceased.

There are so many little clay whistles and ocarinas, often in the shape of animals, that it seems probable every man, woman and child carried one.

Many of the stone objects are utilitarian, such as axes and pestles but others, such as large winged pendants and ceremonial batons, were the creation of artists. In the working of agate and jade they exhibited great skill, performing work which modern equipment can not easily duplicate.

Over 50 articles of gold were obtained by Angell and Sutherland, much of which had a high copper content. At soldering, annealing and plating, the Tainona

were skilled. The larger pieces were made to hang from a necklace or from the nose. Some of the most interesting are small gold bells, made in the form of toads or with the faces of men.

**Shrunken Heads**

With the Tainona collection came several fine smaller ones from the Indians of Columbia, Ecuador, Brazil and Panama, including bright feather headdresses, weaving, musical instruments and hunting equipment.

From the Jivaro, wild headhunters of eastern Ecuador, came two remarkable trophies—the heads of a young man and a young woman, shrunken to the size of an apple. They are said to be a runaway couple, punished by the girl's father.

At one time, this practice of making shrunken heads from one's enemies was common in western South America, today only a few wild tribes of the upper Amazon rain forest continue the custom.

### BIRMINGHAM VETERAN NEWS

Compiled from Various State and National Veterans Information Centers

A limited number of internships in Veterans Administration hospitals will be offered qualified medical graduates, VA announced today.

The internships will be limited to the 18 VA hospitals in the country. They will be further limited to those hospitals which have bachelor quarters available on the station grounds. A survey is in progress to determine what housing is available.

Two types of internships will be available.

(1) "Straight", for surgery, general medicine and other "straight" subjects and

(2) "Rotating", in which interns study, under a rotating schedule, surgery, general medicine and other related subjects. Arrangements will be made for affiliated training in other than VA hospitals for obstetrics and pediatrics.

G. I. insurance still is available to World War veterans who served between October 8, 1940 and Sept. 2, 1945, despite the fact they did not have this type of insurance while in service, insurance officials at the Veterans Administration, Columbus (O.), Branch office announce.

All that is necessary is the completion of physical examination and the payment of one monthly premium. These veterans have the choice of any of the six permanent plans of insurance, as well as the five-year term plan. The amount of insurance for which veterans may apply ranges from \$1,000 to \$10,000 in multiples of \$500.

Application for a free insurance medical examination may be made at any VA facility where a full-time physician is employed. If more convenient, the medical examination may be made by any licensed physician at the veteran's own expense.

Faced with draft registration and possible induction scores of young men were flocking to the Grosse Ile naval air station, Capt. Walker said.

The announcement was made following a notice that many Regular Navy recruiting stations were turning men away because of files.

"We still have over a hundred openings at Grosse Ile," Walker said, "and Naval Reservists on full-time active duty have the advantage of being permanently stationed here at Grosse Ile."

Examinations for the selection of candidates for appointment to the grade of Lieutenant (Junior Grade) in the Medical Corps of the regular Navy will be held at Naval Hospitals in continental United States during the period October 4 to 8, 1948.

Graduates of approved medical schools in the United States or Canada who have completed intern training in accredited hospitals or who will complete such training within four months of the date of the examination, and who are physically and otherwise qualified, are eligible to take the examination.

Candidates, who must be less

than 32 years of age at the time of appointment, will be required to appear before boards of medical examiners and Supervisory Naval Examining Boards at the Naval Hospital nearest their place of residence to demonstrate their physical and professional qualifications for appointment.

Detailed information concerning the form and procedure of application may be obtained from the Office of Naval Officer Procurement, 949 Book Building, Detroit.

Increased rates of compensation now are being paid to veterans with service-connected disabilities which were incurred in peacetime service, Veterans Administration announces.

The increases were authorized in Public Law 876, which specifies that peacetime rates for compensation shall equal 50 per cent of the comparable rates for wartime service. Under the old law, the peacetime rates averaged about 75 per cent of the wartime rates.

Compensation rates are based on the percentage of disability suffered by the veteran, from 10 per cent to total in degrees in multiples of 10, plus additional allowances for amputations, blindness, etc.

Wartime monthly rates range from \$18.80 for 10 per cent disability to a maximum of \$360. The new law raises the peacetime rate for 10 per cent disability from \$10.35 to \$11.04, and the maximum from \$270 to \$288, with comparable increases throughout the scale.

The increases are being made automatically and veterans entitled to them need not apply or write to VA offices.

Veterans Administration today advised veterans to give their National Service Life Insurance policies to beneficiaries.

The "three-way check" should cover VA hospitals and veterans entitled to them need not apply or write to VA offices.

Changes in family status or family income often require a veteran to change the method of NSLI settlement. He may elect to have his NSLI proceeds paid to his beneficiary in a lump sum or in equal monthly installments ranging from \$5 to lifetime income.

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