

## SHORT QUOTES ABOUT THE NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION IN THE WASHINGTON COUNTY NEWS

### **July 16, 1936, Page 4**

Word has been received by the college office that NYA help will again be given students during the 1936-37 year. The exact amount has not been stated, but is expected to be at least equal to that of last year. This aid each year gives students considerable help in connection with their school expenses.

### **July 7, 1938, Page 1**

It is also planned to excavate the space south of the Elementary building and with N.Y.A. help to construct a basement storage room which is greatly need in this building.

### **August 4, 1938, Page 1**

There have been a great number of request for aid from the N.Y.A. and janitor funds at the school. The number of requests will necessitate rather a close supervision of the applicants' needs, it is reported. Surveys are being conducted to determine the needs of the students who are attending school, and a great number of those students will probably call at the college to discuss their courses in the near future.

Representatives of the faculty will take some of the catalogues to surrounding communities and discuss the college work of prospective students. The Student Help Committee at the school reports that there will be rather a substantial sum for student aid and that most of the deserving prospective students who make application, will be able to get some help in work projects during the winter.

### **January 12, 1939, Page 3**

Von Cottam, Mr. Prestwitch, Carol Cottam and Lenora Hafen of St. George spent Sunday at the home of Jas. F. Cottam. Mr. Prestwitch is helping Von get started in his work as N.Y.A. supervisor.

### **April 27, 1939, Page 1**

The Legion in cooperation with a request from the city officers, are taking the cemetery as their civic project. The NYA have a project set up for cemetery beautification which calls for several youths for several months work. Much improvement can be seen and more is planned, but the entire community is asked.

### **May 11, 1939, Page 7**

Mayor Gene Wadsworth and his town board desire to sell this point of interest to their neighbors in Washington county and to the tourist world. For this reason they have arranged for eight N.Y.A. youths to work at this spot until a parking area is made that will accommodate a number of cars in safety and comfort.

### **May 16, 1939, Page 6**

Work is being completed this week on the lighting of one of the college tennis courts. The work is being done by the Dixie Power company and the NYA students.

### **May 18, 1939, Page 4**

The following N.Y.A. employees from Enterprise attended the convention in St. George Saturday: Kleda Barlocker, Dorothy Emett, Ivena Terry, Leila Terry, Violet Terry, Claudia Hunt and Ellis Hunt.

### **June 22, 1939, Page 4**

The town has sponsored a project here under the N.Y.A. for the boys of this town. Rockville and Springdale to make a tennis court, which is now about completed.

### **August 31, 1939, Page 1**

It is understood there is also being provided a dormitory under the NYA to house boys coming to school in that setup, and that will be directed by Von B. Cottam, local supervisor.

### **September 7, 1939, Page 1**

This (Thursday) morning witnessed the beginning of work on the sidewalk paving district just opened in St. George. ... Using the cement mixing equipment belonging to C. A. Kemp and assisted by Mr. Kemp in getting the work started, the project will go forward rapidly. This work is being handled as an N.Y.A. project with Bob Seaman in charge. Forms were laid early this morning and the group of N.Y.A. workers set to with energy that promises early completion of the district.

### **September 21, 1939, Page 4**

Some of the young men from here [Virgin] are working on a N.Y.A. project in Hurricane.

### **September 28, 1939, Page 1**

The N.Y.A. dormitory for students doing resident project work has helped the housing situation, as has the dormitory for girls.

### **October 5, 1939, Page 6**

Clayton Hirschi left for St. George where he will attend school under the N.Y.A. plan.

### **October 5, 1939, Page 7**

Mrs. Walter Beatty and Mrs. Gladys Olds motored to St. George Wednesday evening bringing with them, Miss Shirley Olds, who will enter the Dixie junior college as an N.Y.A. resident enrollee. She will live at the dormitory.

**October 12, 1939, Page 1**

Asked for a statement as to the proposed paving projects in the city, present incumbent John H. Schmutz explained that the city will cooperate in paving in front of any property, preferring that full blocks be designated. They will use the N.Y.A. resident students in putting over the work wherever property owners so elect, the only cost being the furnishing of the cement or rock-asphalt, as per the preference of the citizens interested.

**October 12, 1939, Page 1**

The plan or project operates in this manner, states City Councilman John H. Schmutz. There is a large number of boys in St. George this winter on N.Y.A. Resident work and it is up to the community to furnish the work. The city already has a paved street supervisor and the N.Y.A. boys will gladly do the work if the materials are provided. There is positively no catch to the proposition and several have already made application for paving.

**October 12, 1939, Page 5**

Wilford G. Frischnecht and Irvin Hull, NYA state supervisors, spent Saturday with regional director, Von Cottam. They stated they were very pleased with the setup here.

**November 2, 1939, Page 5**

N.Y.A. students are at work repairing tennis courts, each court is to be lengthened six feet. Cash for these repairs if being provided by the college, some by the Dixie Educational association, owner of the courts and some by the tennis club. Elmer Pickett, president of the club, is in charge of the alterations, which started Saturday.

**November 16, 1939, Page 10**

Plans for a college dormitory have been announced by Pres. Glenn E. Snow. Purchase of the site has been made, and work by the NYA resident students soon will be started on the building.

**December 7, 1939, Page 12**

Karma Hirschi and Lowell Terry have gone to St. George to join the N.Y.A.

**February 15, 1940, Page 4**

A group of N.Y.A. fellows spent this week in a clean-up campaign around Hurricane High School.

**May 30, 1940, Page 6**

Harvey Dalton, supervisor of the N.Y.A. announces that the foundation for the new [Hurricane High] shop building in almost completed.

**July 18, 1940, Page 4**

Work began here Monday on a cement walk which is to front the chapel and library building. Harvey Dalton is the job foreman and the N.Y.A. boys are doing the construction work.

**August 22, 1940, Page 1**

[From an article about Albert E. Miller running for office]

"The WPA and NYA and other government departments have had a friend in me."

**November 28, 1940, Page 1**

[From an article about Winter Quarter at Dixie Jr. College]

A number of new students have already planned to enroll, including 16 girls who will live at a dormitory provided for the NYA resident aid program.

**April 17, 1941, Page 1**

[From an article about banning flowers at the Dixie Junior Prom]

Since many of the college boys are working on N.Y.A. or other self help programs, the Recreation Committee feels justified in following the example set at the University of Utah and other colleges to eliminate this "un-necessary" expense argument against attending the prom.

**April 17, 1941, Page 3**

[Under Dixie College News]

Rodney Ashby was in Kanab Monday on school business. He conferred with Superintendent Swallow of Kane County on problems in connection with NYA National Defense setup and, representing the education committee of the local Lion' club, conferred with the officers of the Kanab Lions in establishing two scholarships for Kanab high school graduates at Dixie College.

**May 8, 1941, Page 5**

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Empey, daughter Betty, and son Clair, of Provo, visited in St. George Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Empey is at present NYA area director for Utah, and located in Provo.

**May 15, 1941, Page 1**

Director Hull of the State NYA office and Mr. Sampson of the Southern Utah office were college visitors Tuesday. While here they talked to the students and showed a vocational film.

**July 31, 1941, Page 4**

Darwin Terry started work with the NYA Wednesday at Hurricane.

**September 4, 1941, Page 1**

[From an article about Dixie Junior College registration]

New plans received from the personnel of the NYA will make it possible for many more students to receive training and financial aid. Many of the restrictions of previous years have been removed, making it possible for many more people to participate. Projects will be set up in business and in all the trades. Those interested should inquire at the college office.

**September 4, 1941, Page 8**

Clair Stirling, LaRaine McArthur and Howard Morris left Tuesday for Provo, where Mr. Stirling will be stationed to work with the NYA. The latter two returned late Wednesday evening.

**September 18, 1941, Page 6**

[Under Dixie College News]

The NYA secretary pool has been organized this week at the college. Students who qualify will obtain \$19 per month and will be required to work 80 hours. They will be permitted to register for not to exceed 12 hours of college credit.

**October 30, 1941, Page 6**

[Under Dixie College News]

Time sheets for 31 members of the college NYA secretarial pool have been sent in. At approximately \$19 each for the first month's work, a total of nearly \$600 will be paid out to the students early next month.

**April 9, 1942, Page 1**

The NYA has started a class [at Dixie Junior College] in radio this week and a class in electrical welding is waiting official approval.

**April 16, 1942, Page 6**

[Under Dixie College News]

Cecil Bowman has been appointed as instructor in the NYA radio course now being given at the Dixie college. This course is open to out-of-school youth interested in this type of training. Those interested should contact Mr. Bowman or inquire at the Dixie college office. Mr. Bowman is well prepared to give this work, having had practical experience in the field for a number of years.

**October 28, 1943, Page 8**

[From a political ad]

A Man Who Gets Things Done!

Here are a few of the many things that were accomplished during the time that Albert E. Miller was Mayor of St. George:  
5.--- NYA sidewalk work established and 25 blocks completed.