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### NATIONAL DENTAL ASSOCIATION\*

#### Robert T. Freeman Dental Society and the Faculty of Dentistry of Howard University Hosts to National Dental Association

The Twenty-fourth Annual Session of the National Dental Association will be held here August 10-13, 1937, and the Robert T. Freeman Dental Society and the Faculty of Dentistry of Howard University are to be the hosts of the convention.

Dr. M. D. Wiseman, chairman of the National program, announces that these bodies are pleased to entertain the annual gathering.

The headquarters of the Convention will be located at the Dental College Building, Fifth and W Streets, Northwest, which is adjacent to the Medical School and Freedmen's Hospital, all of which presents a unique set-up for the scientific and surgical program.

The Clinical Committee, headed by Dr. Russell A. Dixon, Dean of the Dental College, has prepared a program which will present all of the latest and practical ideas in Dentistry. These clinics will be presented by members of the Dental Faculty and other outstanding Clinicians. Washington, the seat of the Federal Government, presents many angles as a convention city, due to Public and Federal Buildings, which will afford Scientific and Educational enlightenment.

The Capital, also known as the City of Magnificent Distances, exemplifies its given name with its beautiful streets, parks and driveways. Through the courtesy of University authorities, arrangements have been made for those who desire, to stay at the University proper, in beautiful dormitories overlooking McMillan Lake and McMillan Park. These dormitories also furnish a commanding view of the entire city. Housing facilities have been arranged throughout the city for those desiring such accommodations.

The Entertainment Committee, Dr. W. T. Grady, chairman, and resident ladies of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Mrs. Blake B. Young, Chairman, have arranged whereby spare moments may be enjoyed in the social and hospitable atmosphere for which Washington is especially noted. These Committees have arranged for bridge parties, afternoon teas, a picnic in the spacious and beautiful Rock Creek Park, sight seeing parties to interesting places in the city and a Smoker for the men.

<sup>\*</sup> Note: These N.D.A. announcements come from the office of the National Program Committee Chairman. They have appeared in a number of our weekly papers and are repeated here for the benefit of those who may have missed the accounts by the press.

The Annual Dance will be held in the outdoor pavillion at Suburban Gardens. Special features of the social program will be the Alumni Dinners and Get-together reunions sponsored by University groups for the second evening of the Convention, where classmates and schoolmates may meet and greet one another. The tennis tournament will be staged on Thursday, 5 p. m., at which time the N.D.A. tennis trophy will be competed for. Golf will also be arranged for.

Dr. Wiseman and his committee also announce "our goal is to have 500 Dentists attend the NATIONAL DENTAL ASSOCIATION CONVENTION this year, so bring on your colleagues, classmates and friends in order that the Washington Meeting will be long remembered.

#### Ladies to Help Entertain National Dental Association in Annual Session

Resident ladies of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the National Dental Association, Mrs. Blake B. Young, chairman, are planning to entertain both formally and informally here during the Twenty-fourth Annual Dental Association Convention, August 10-13, 1937.

Among the social functions announced are: an informal reception Tuesday, 5 to 7 p. m., Sojourner Truth Hall, Howard University; public meeting, 8 p. m., Auditorium, Garnett-Paterson Junior High School.

Wednesday, 10 a. m. to 1 p. m., Annual Meeting National Ladies' Auxiliary; picnic, 2:00 p. m., Rock Creek Park; night: card parties, theatre parties, etc.

Thursday—1:00 p. m., luncheon, card party, lawn of Elks' Home—feature prizes; Evening, group get-together.

Friday—10 a. m., final session, National Ladies' Auxiliary; Evening—Dance, National Dental Association; Suburban Gardens pavillion.

The officers of the National Ladies' Auxiliary are: President, Mrs. A. M. Mackel, Monroe, Louisiana; Vice President, Mrs. R. E. Beamon, Cincinnati, Ohio; Secretary, Mrs. C. E. Hamilton, Chicago, Illinois; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. A. Jackson, Charlottesville, Virginia; Treasurer, Mrs. L. E. Payne, Cincinnati, Ohio; Publicity, East, Mrs. Gertrude Curtis Norris, New Jersey; West, Mrs. T. J. Banks, Cincinnati, Ohio.