

### Jim Crow Gets Setback

WASHINGTON (ANP) — Jim Crow got a kick in the pants here last week when the Arlington Park Citizens association went on record as opposing the proposed amendment of the Arlington Civic Federation limiting membership to "members of the Caucasian race." The association instructed its delegates to the federation's vote against the amendment at the coming December meeting.

The importance of the stand realized when it is stated that many prohibitions based on color have their origin in civic association meetings. The presence of Negro members in civic associations is a preventative usually prove detrimental to the Negro groups living in the community in adjacent areas.

### House Body Refuses To Hear Opponents of Peace, NAACP Charges

Washington, D. C. — Protesting what it termed "an arbitrary and high-handed attempt to give only the Army and Navy a say as to whether there should be compulsory peace time military training," the NAACP asked Congressman Philip J. Philon (D. Mass.) and Charles R. Clason (R. Mass.), as members of the House Military Affairs Committee, to make every effort to extend hearings on the conscription bill so as to permit organizations opposed to this measure to testify. The bill referred to is H. R. 95, introduced by Congressman Andrew J. May (D. Ky.), chairman of the committee.

The NAACP charged that the vast majority of individuals and organizations that have been permitted by May to testify were those known to be favorable to peacetime conscription, and that more than 50 large membership organizations who are opposed will not be given a chance to express their views unless members of the Committee, other than May, take the initiative.

In telegrams to the liberal Massachusetts congressman, LaSalle Perry said that the NAACP wrote Chairman May on November 8, before the hearings began, and again on November 27 asking to be heard. "With hearings scheduled to be concluded in a few days," Perry said, "to date we have not been given even the courtesy of an acknowledgement."

### Hall Appointed To Farm Credit Board

COLUMBIA, S. C. — Claude T. Hall of Roxboro, N. C., has been reappointed as director of the Third District Farm Credit Board by I. W. Duggan, Governor of the Farm Credit Administration of Columbia.

Mr. Hall was first appointed to the Farm Credit Board in 1940. His new term is for three years, beginning January 1, 1946. As a member of the board he is automatically a director of the Federal Land Bank of Columbia, the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Columbia, the Production Credit Corporation of Columbia, and the Columbia Bank for Cooperatives — the four permanent units which make up the Farm Credit Administration of Columbia.

Mr. Hall is actively engaged in farming, his principal crops being tobacco, corn and wheat. In addition to farming he has been very active in the North Carolina Farm Bureau, the Farmers Mutual Exchange, the Graham Production Credit Association,



A. T. Taylor, National Field Director of Inter-Racial Service, Boy Scouts of America, will spend the week of December 17-22 in the promotion of Scouting for Negro boys in the eleven counties covered by the Council.

tion, of Graham, North Carolina, and numerous civic interests of his community.

The other members of the Farm Credit Board in the Third District are: E. Hervey Evans, Laurinburg, N. C.; George A. Ayerly, Winter Haven, Florida; Frank E. Cope, Cope, South Carolina; Harold S. Norman, Lake Wales, Florida; Will Stallings, Soperton, Georgia; and J. A. Nolan, of Rutledge, Georgia.

### Charges Billion Dollar Waste On TB Vets of World War I

Dr. Dublin, Health Authority, Charges "Previous" Vets Administration Muffed T. B. Program; Outlines Four-Point Procedure To Wipe Out T. B. In 15 to 20 Years

The billion dollars spent on World War I veterans who contracted tuberculosis was "largely wasted," Dr. Louis I. Dublin, nationally-known health authority, charges in a signed article in the current issue of Collier's Weekly, in championing a unified national program to wipe out tuberculosis.

"We can wipe out this disease as surely and as completely as we have eradicated smallpox," Dr. Dublin asserts. He estimates that the maximum cost would be a billion and a third dollars the first year, after which the expense would taper off, and that the dread disease could be virtually wiped out in 15 to 20 years.

He puts our present tuberculosis bill at about a billion dollars yearly, after reporting that the U. S. spent money "freely" in caring for most of the 200,000 World War I veterans who contracted tuberculosis. Dr. Dublin declares that "only three per cent of the patients left the hospital with their disease arrested, and the rest were discharged with little or no permanent benefit."

Dr. Dublin puts the blame for this failure on the "previous" Veterans

Administration, charging that the chief fault was that "the veterans were not subject to the discipline which is so necessary in the care of tuberculosis."

Dr. Dublin, who is second vice-president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, outlines the following four-point program to eradicate the dread disease:

1. Mass X-ray of the population.
  2. The building of additional sanatoriums.
  3. Financial aid to dependents of tuberculosis patients.
  4. Co-operative programs between sanatoriums and communities.
- It is asserted that the U. S. Public Health Service, state and local health departments, and the Tuberculosis Association have the machinery to run the proposed all-out campaign.
- Dr. Dublin points that the Negroes, Indians, Orientals and Mexicans in our population are most susceptible to the disease, and that the incidence of the disease among these people is highest where the living standards are lowest. The tubercle bacillus he says, must be stamped out everywhere if we are to get rid of the disease.

Lois Rainwater, home demonstration agent of the State College Extension Service in Wilson County, was recently elected president of the National Home Demonstration Agents' Association.

### Blind Man Shoots Burglar

ATLANTA (ANP) — Elijah Goolsby, right arm below the elbow. It was by a blind mind, was booked on a case of straight shooting for suspicion of shooting another man Goolsby.

last week. Sam Williams, 53, treated at Grady hospital for gun wounds, said Goolsby mistook him for a burglar and shot him in the State College on January 16.

An eight-weeks short course in animal production will begin at the State College on January 16.



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