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SMITH RADIO DEPARTMENT GAINS WIDE RECOGNITION. This program has gained wide acclaim from the public as well as the studio directors. This program is operated the year round. The Department of Radio is under the direction of Edgar Ward assisted by Winona Lee, Robert Richardson, Sandy McIntyre and Professor David E. Carroll of the Department of Music.

RALEIGH VOTERS NOMINATE FOURTEEN CANDIDATES

Hobson L. Gattis, druggist; John F. Danielson, contractor; Alfred Williams, businessman; Joe S. Carrell, business; Roy M. Banks, realtor; R. W. Kennison, engineer; S. Linton Smith, insurance man; J. C. Jittle, Jr., lawyer; Fred J. Carnage, lawyer; Joseph W. Nordan, banker. From the fourteen candidates selected to run in the election on May 6, the citizens seem to have declared their intention to have persons to run the governmental affairs of Raleigh who are acquainted with leaders in the field of business, law, civic affairs, and engineering. Another pertinent fact is that the trend is to have on the City Council a lady and a Negro. For the Raleigh Times says, "The selection of F. ed J. Carnage, high-type representative of the Negro race, is another matter of significance in pointing the way toward continued harmonious race relations which have long existed at the Capital City."

Carnage is truly a representative of the people, because of the 1929 votes he received, 835 were received in precincts 10, 15, and 16; whereas 1,094 were picked up in the other 15 precincts.

Next Tuesday the polls will be open for the election from 6:30 a. m. until 6:30 p. m. There will be 14 nominees on the ballot, but the voters will not mark but seven.

DR. SHEPARD IN WTTB BROADCAST

ties in America to deny the Negro the right to exercise the ballot as a free citizen, the right to work and receive therefor a living wage, the right to have good schools, good teachers and good housing.

WILLIE FRANCIS TO TAKE 2ND TRIP TO ELECTRIC CHAIR

He was given the last rites of the Catholic church. He was given his last meal. At noon, May 3 he was marched to the electrocution chamber where he was placed in the electric chair. The connecting apparatus was firmly fixed to his body. He was strapped to the chair and a hood placed over his eyes. He was asked if he had anything to say before he died. He was given the final blessings by his priest in the presence of official witnesses.

On a given signal the current was applied and then reapplied to his body. Francis' lips pulled out and he groaned and jumped so that the electric chair rocked on the floor.

When it was evident that the electricity was not bringing death to him, the electric switch was turned off and Francis was taken from the chair.

INTRARACIAL BODILY REPORTS ON 'TEST TRIP' TO SOUTH

Both Negroes and whites, at Petersburg, Amherst and Culpeper, Va., and at Durham, Chapel Hill and Asheville.

At Durham there were three arrests, but the men were released without a charge being filed. At Asheville two men were arrested, tried and finally sentenced to 30 days under the North Carolina Jim Crow Law, but an appeal will be heard June 19. Trials in the other

cases will be held later this month, with appeals planned in cases of adverse decisions.

The Supreme Court decision banning racial segregation in interstate transportation was handed down in June, 1946.

NAVY, COAST GUARD APPROVE BILL TO END SEGREGATION

the budget has indicated that there is no objection. "My bill is complete in that it will abolish separate quarters, separate mess halls or otherwise."

With regard to the army, Powell continued, "It is regrettable that the army is so far behind the navy, as to disapprove with the navy, and treasury departments. The army continues to rely upon its whitewashed Gillem report, which is a masterpiece of double talk and double meaning. Today there are only 48 commissioned Negro officers on active duty out of over 20,000."

RITES HELD FOR MRS. WILLIAMSON

RALEIGH — Final rites for Mrs. Melissa Williamson of 410 Bledsoe Avenue, were conducted from the Providence Holy Church here Monday afternoon with the Rev. James A. Forbes, pastor, officiating. Mrs. Williamson who died at her home Friday after a brief illness, is survived by a granddaughter, two grandchildren and five nieces. Interment was in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

INDIANA MAN HEADS MASONS

TULSA, Okla. (NPPA) — Grand Master Cornelius R. Richardson of Indiana was elected president of the Grand Masters Conference of Prince Hall Masons last Thursday at the closing session of a three-day meeting here. Grand Master Richardson had been serving as acting president since the death last August of Grand Master John L. Webb of Arkansas.

The conference which met here as the guest of Grand Master Amos T. Hall of Oklahoma, second vice president, voted to change its name from The International Conference of Grand Masters, Grand Secretaries, and so forth, to the Grand Masters Conference of Prince Hall Masons. This change was made to establish definitely its identity with Prince Hall Masons, and out of deference to the recent victory of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Massachusetts.

This recent recognition of the Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Massachusetts by the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts (white), definitely establishes all Prince Hall Masons as the only legitimate Masons among colored people in the United States.

Grand Master J. Wesley Dobbs of Georgia, conference secretary, reported the following grand lodges represented: Arkansas, Delaware, District of Columbia, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Missouri, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Texas, Virginia, West Virginia and Wisconsin.

MAN SLAIN

NEW BERN — Nathan Roberts was killed Saturday night when he was shot with a rifle by an unknown assailant through an open door in the rear of his home here. Police are seeking to trace identity of a man with whom Roberts is reported to have had trouble earlier in the evening.



MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR DEPARTED COMRADES DURHAM — Pictured above is President C. C. Spaulding placing a wreath on the grave of John Merrick, founder and first President of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, during a memorial service held Easter Sunday morning at Beachwood Cemetery. A similar wreath was placed on the grave of Dr. A. M. Moore, who was associated

with Mr. Merrick in the founding of the institution and who served as the company's Medical Director and later as President. Wreaths were also placed on the graves of Mr. J. M. Avery, former Secretary; Mr. W. D. Hill, former Assistant Secretary-Comptroller; Mr. R. L. McDougald, former

Vice President; and Mr. J. W. Harris, former Chief Clerk of the Agency Department. In addition to representatives of the North Carolina Planning Committee, sponsors of the Memorial Service, officials and members of the home office staff were present and participated therein.

SS DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES JOB OPENINGS

WASHINGTON — The Social Security Administration has issued an announcement of examinations for the positions of Tabulating Equipment Operators, Calculating Machine Operators, and Alphabetic Card Punch Operators. Copies of these announcements may be obtained in the Post Office or by writing to the Executive Secretary, Board of United States Civil Service Examiners, Social Security Administration, Baltimore, Md. Information regarding these announcements may also be obtained at the State Employment Office. All persons who wish to apply must file their applications in time to be received in Baltimore not later than May 4, 1947. The Federal Security Administration announced these examinations on April 4, but the number of applications received were not large enough to meet the needs of the government agencies which are recruiting this type of personnel. The announcement therefore had to be made again.

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SMITH HOLDS SPRING FORUM

CHARLOTTE — The student body of Johnson C. Smith University held its Annual Spring Forum Friday, April 25 in the Hartley Woods Gymnasium and the Biddle Memorial Auditorium. Because of the size of the student body the Forum was held synonomous in the two locations.

Guest speakers for the sessions were, Miss Nell Morion, Secretary of Fellowship of Southern Churches; and Dr. Peter V. F. Shih, Executive Secretary of the Chungking, Young Men's Christian Association and Chairman of the Chungking Christian Delegation to Japan and America.

Your support in my behalf at the polls Tuesday, April 28 was gratifying and I sincerely thank you.

YOUR VOTE FOR



F. J. CARNAGE WILL BE APPRECIATED TUES. MAY 6

If elected to the City Council of Raleigh, I will do all in my power to serve the citizens with honesty and sincerity.

NEGRO BOOK CLUB SELECTS 'CHEQUER BOARD'

NEW YORK (AP) — The Negro Book Club has chosen "The Chequer Board" by Nevil Shute for its May selection. S. W. Garlington, director announced this week. "An Englishman looks at racial prejudice" is the theme, and Mr. Shute, who is one of the finest of all English writers today, has with

skill and understanding written a beautiful novel about the post-war re-education of three Englishmen and an American Negro. Not concerned primarily with Negro-white relations — but more with the colored people all over the world and their relations to whites — NBC has chosen this volume for its unique manner in approaching race relations. NBC feels that anyone concerned with the present barriers between black and white will enjoy Mr. Shute's latest novel.

Advertisement for American Express Travelers Cheques. Includes text: 'As important as your ticket', 'AMERICAN EXPRESS TRAVELERS CHEQUES', 'It's a great risk to carry cash on a trip...', and 'Mechanics & Farmers Bank DURHAM-RALEIGH Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.'

Large advertisement for Rhodes Annual May Sale. Features a 'MASSIVE MODERN BEDROOM SUITE' for \$149.95. Includes images of a bed, dresser, and vanity. Text: 'RHODES Annual MAY SALE', 'Functional modern bedroom with genuine walnut surfaces...', 'Rhodes-Collins FURNITURE COMPANY', 'WILMINGTON STREET AT MARTIN, RALEIGH'.

Advertisement for W. T. Grant Co. featuring the 'Lyn-Ball PEN'. Text: 'GRANTS. KNOWN FOR VALUES. GRANTS DOES IT AGAIN!', 'FIRST WITH THE IMPROVED, PRECISION-BUILT Lyn-Ball PEN 59¢', 'BETTER than 17 other ball-point pens tested by an independent laboratory!', 'W. T. GRANT CO. 215 FAYETTEVILLE ST.'

Advertisement for Blackwood's Motor Oil. Text: '20 30 and 40 wt. "Bull's Head" MOTOR OIL Reduced To Less Than 12 1-2¢ Per QUART IN 2 GALLON GANS! Regular \$1.49 NOW 98¢', '2 Gallon Can', 'You get a Better Buy at BLACKWOOD'S CAROLINA'S LARGEST INDEPENDENT TIRE DEALER', '404 HILLSBORO ST. DIAL 2-0571 Free Parking For Blackwood Customers'.