UNITED COLLEGE FUND OPENS NEW HEADQUARTERS

NEW YORK — The new national headquarters of the United Negro College Fund will be a five story building located at 22 East Fifty-Fourth Street, it was announced recently by Wm. J. Trent, Jr. Executive Director of the Fund. Acquisition of the building was made possible by a special anonymous grant designated for the purpose of aiding the Fund in establishing permanent headquarters adequate to its needs.

For the present officers and personnel of the Fund will occupy the two top floors of the building. The need for larger working quarters has resulted from the Fund's expanded program to help its member colleges and universities meet current operating expenses, Mr. Trent stated. In 1944, when the Fund conducted its first campaign on behalf of private accredited Negro colleges, appeals were made in only 33 cities. Each year more communities were included in the Fund's nation-wide appeal, until in 1948, in its fifth year, formal campaigns were conducted in 60 major cities through the country.

The pressing financial needs of the Fund's member institutions made more urgent by rising costs of operation and swollen enrollment, call for an ever increasing effort on their behalf by the Fund, Mr. Trent said.

Production of flue-cured tobacco in the State in 1948 totaled 746,300,000 pounds, 17% per cent below 1947 but 14 per cent above the 1937-46 average.

CASWELL COUNTY

BY W. W. STRUDWICK
CCTs PROGRAM

Caswell County Training School closed for the holiday last week with an open air program featuring the annual meeting and election of J. D. Deanes. The public address system was put to use for the first time and the talented student body rendered several choice selections. Miss Mary Lou Hall recited "How St. Nicholas Was Borne." Miss Jo Anne Bard read "Into the Old Angel Shed." "The Story of Christmas," Charles Lea, Sandra Neal, Frances Graves, Virginia French Classes, Christmas Carols and then "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Night Before Christmas," Bernice Graves and Minnie Eagelow; "Every Jones," French Classes; Dickens Christmas Carol, Jean Richmond; Band, "O Come All Ye Faithful," "Beautiful Savior," Selection, White Christmas," mixed group; "Silent Night," Band. Presentation of Presents to Messrs. M. L. Dillard, M. B. McNair, J. Deprano by Harvey Chandler on behalf of the members of the band; Remarks, Mr. Dillard, stressing the Safe Christmas. Mistress of ceremonies, Mary Hedrick.

COME FAT DAYS OR LEAN — THESE SAID I WILL —

Miss Jennie B. Foster to James E. Love on Christmas Eve. She is the daughter of Jim Foster. The couple were entwined by Rev. Smith of Danville, Va.

HAPPY HOLIDAY

To D. C. — Misses Willie and Mahalie Poteat to visit cousins. Also, Miss Annie M. Florence and Alease Hargrove.

To Norfolk, Va. Town editor — Gloria Swann.

This week's slave saint, Brown hailed with his brother in D. C.

At Home With Mother — Misses Marie and Ruby Simpson, former Caswellites.

Here in D. C. — David Corbett, pioneers of CCTs.

Spent Noel with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Corbett of Virginia.

WEDDING RECEPTION

Georgia Watkins of Branch, N. C. was given recent Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Robert Watkins and Miss Virginia Slade Watkins, Mrs. Edward Burke and Mrs. Lawrence Lipscomb assisted in the serving. The couple cut four decorated cakes and then all were served Ham and potato salad, hot chocolate, variety of cakes, Ice Cream, fruits and nuts. A wonderful time was had by all.

MARK SILVER WEDDING

Christmas day was twice blessed for the Reverend and Mrs. C. P. Love this year. In addition to the observance of the anniversary of the Advent Gift — it was for them the fifth year of married bliss.

Surrounded by friends, relatives and friends from miles around the beloved couple were taken through the ceremony on the occasion of their Silver Anniversary by the Rev. C. P. Williamson. After introductory remarks were made by N. E. Dillard, principal of Caswell County Training School, the Reverend and Mrs. J. R. Bridges acted as host and hostess.

Among the Caswellites present were: Mrs. Kate Bowe, Mrs. Fannie Lea, Mrs. Mattie M. Lawnes, Mr. and Mrs. Olive Bradon, Rufus Mrs. Isabella Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. William Lea, Mrs. Julia Lea, The McLaurin Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Graves of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Virginia Williamson, Mrs. Lipscombe, Mrs. Percy Coleman, Mrs. Ross of Reidsville, Mr. and Mrs. Miles, Mrs. Crawley, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Graves, and James Williamson.

Refreshments were served and felicitations spoken by various members present. The color motif, charming white gown and the room was resplendent in the formal attire of the occasion. Many lovely tokens were given and the couple was an occasion Yanceyville will not remember.

A total of 2,714,000 chicks were produced by commercial hatcheries in the State during November. The figure compares with 1,499,000 hatched in November, 1947, and with a total of 1,605,000 hatches during November in the years 1942-46.

REGIONAL COMPACT HIT BY D.C. ATTORNEY IN ATLANTA SPEECH

ATLANTA, Ga. — Speaking at an Emancipation Day Celebration held here at noon Saturday, Attorney James M. Nabrit, Jr. of Washington D. C. denounced the Regional Education Compact as undemocratic, unconstitutional, contrary to trends in higher education in the South, and as an obvious attempt to achieve compliance with court decisions across state lines.

The principal mass meeting sponsored jointly by the Georgia Teachers and Education Association and the Atlanta Branch of the NAACP was held in Big Bethel AME Church, 220 Auburn Avenue. Attorney Nabrit said that Negroes would be fooling themselves if they accepted the plan since it would only perpetuate the evil system of separate and unequal facilities.

He explained that the "Grand Old Chance" is a foremost party slogan to dignify an illegitimate power, was Scandalous did not refer to by using a fine print to the period when he voted as requiring no educational test for registration.

"Only the gullible or those seeking selfish ends among Negroes could support this compact which is the child of those same people," he continued. "For 80 years these Southerners have promised much when driven by necessity . . . and delivered little."

Negroes did not have anything to do with developing this plan in framing its policies. When these same people give us this plan then Negroes are doubting and skeptical. West Virginia and Virginia have a regional plan for medical education and have not sought congressional approval. This is an obvious effort to circumvent those decisions of the U. S. Supreme Court which states that Negroes must be given equal education with whites now in the several states.

Attorney Nabrit emphasized the fact that the "equal protection" clause of the Constitution of the United States requires that equality in education be provided within a state, he points out that "this plan is plainly unconstitutional."

"Several of the sponsors of this Compact," he continued, "have only recently come out with a plan for Federal aid in retaining Negroes out of the South and replacing them with emigrants from Europe. Now how can anyone question the good faith of this Regional Plan under these circumstances?"

The speaker explained that the best segregated system of education in America is in Washington, D. C. and that the Strayer report disclosed recently that even in Washington the Negro schools are $27,000,000 behind the whites in equality in buildings and facilities alone.

KIN OF SCOTTSBORO JURIST TO FACE CHARGE OF MURDER

Montgomery, Ala. (ANP) — William E. Callahan, 17, grandson of one of the most prominent jurists in the numerous Scottsboro trials, will face charges of murder here next month.

Young Callahan is a grandson of the late Judge W. W. Callahan, famous for his "hurry up" actions in several of the Scottsboro cases.

The boy is accused of slaying his father, Travis Callahan, 47. charges against him was made last February. Decision to make after sanity tests had proved that he was in his right mind.

Spoilage of stored cottonseed is a serious problem to Southern cottonseed-oil millers. In some years it costs them millions of dollars.

YEAR'S END JOURNEY'S END — The above crash which occurred on the last day of 1948 brought death to Mrs. G. B. Cannady, white, when the car in which she was riding collided with a truck operated by Jessie Gill of Wake Forest, Route 2, at the corner of Bergett and Person Streets.

Gill was released under $1,000 bond on charges of manslaughter.

Photo Courtesy Raleigh Times.

LEE BONNAPARTE LEFT SHOES LEAD TO JAILING OF 3

ELECTED TO HEAD RALEIGH CLUB

Lee Bonnaparte Lee been elected president of the Terpsi A. Chapel Club organization to serve for 1949, it was announced this week.

Other new officers are Lonnie Holden, vice president; Alfred Bertaglia, financial secretary; Fred Mitchell, recording secretary; Albert Robertson, treasurer and Henry Hall, business manager.

The club is now planning its annual Easter egg hunt for children of Raleigh.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 30 — Henry E. Shiflett, nineteen year old youth of Lake Landing, is being held in Washington on federal charges of selling a Canadian goose. It was reported by L. B. Tunnell, Hyde County game protector, today.

Young Shiflett was arrested Tuesday and was taken to Washington Wednesday where he was placed under $50 bond.

The youth allegedly sold the geese to Winfield Dorsat for $5 and was holding the money in his hand when he was placed under arrest by Tunnell and Doran of the education division of the Wildlife Resources Commission in Raleigh.

Three Raleigh youth were arrested Saturday with breaking and entering into a High Point cafeteria and taking three cases of canned goods on the night of December 15.

The three who are being held in default of $1,000 bond each were listed as Elery Thomas, 20, of 532 East Davie Street; George Baker, 18, of 815 East Hargett; and Leo Johnson, 18, of College View.

Detective Captain R. E. Goodwin reported that the shoes alleged stolen from the car of J. H. Deaton were recovered in a clump of bushes back of the 900 block of New Bern Avenue. All of the shoes were for the left foot.

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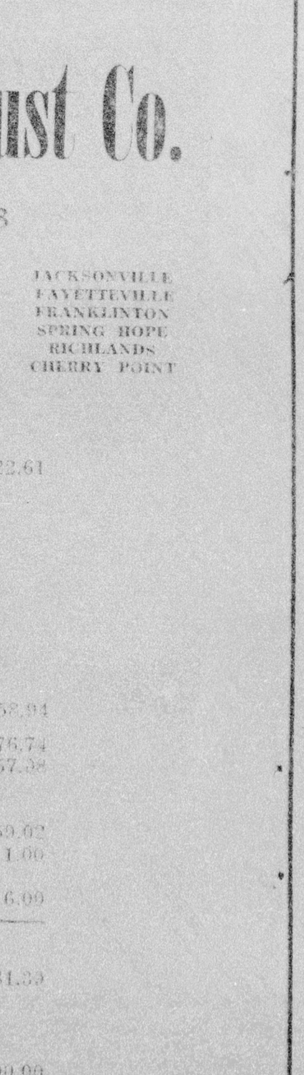

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RESOURCES

Cash in Vaults and Due from Banks		$ 31,262,122.61
U. S. Government Securities (Direct and Fully Guaranteed)	$46,544,372.46	
Federal Housing Authority Obligations, Federal Intermediate Credit Banks and Federal Home Loan Bank Debentures	6,862,366.16	
State Bonds	6,569,207.72	
Municipal Bonds	10,554,415.83	
Federal Land Bank Bonds and Other Marketable Securities	5,155,496.47	75,655,858.94
Accrued Interest		436,476.74
Loans and Discounts		39,362,757.38
Banking Houses, Furniture and Fixtures and Building Sites—Less Depreciation		571,059.62
Commercial Building Corporation (Cost $105,000.00—Carried at $1.00)		1.00
Other Assets		6.00
(6 Parcels of Real Estate Carried at $6.00, Appraised Value $16,500.00)		
		$147,288,281.30

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Preferred	$200,000.00	
Common	800,000.00	1,000,000.00
Surplus		4,500,000.00
Undivided Profits		232,225.87
Reserve a c Preferred Stock Retirement Fund		200,000.00
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