FAYETTEVILLE

YOUR SCRIBE

By FREDRICK L. BURNS

A few days ago Senator Frank Graham named a Negro as alternate to West Point.

We have no idea that Leroy Jones, of Kinston will ever have the opportunity to enter West Point but a lot of praise should go to Senator Graham for having the courage to become the first Southern Senator to name a member of our race to that institution, even as second alternate.

Instead of some criticism from other senators and politicians, they too should be proud to have in their midst a man who has the courage to stand by his convictions. In other words they should be proud to have a man.

Too long these politicians have sought the Negro vote, and with tongue in their cheeks have promised nearly everything to the race, and forgot the promise after winning the election.

We read an article which stated that Dr. Graham had signed his political death warrant when he named this young man as alternate, another said he had rather Senator Graham named Jones than he.

This only reflects the attitude of most southern congressmen toward the race. It gives the impression that most of the racial hatred comes from the persons we send to congress to represent ALL of the people.

they are only concerned about re-

After winning a seat in congress, maining there.

I am reminded of one of our congressmen who likes to remind his fellowmen that he had a "black mammy," how he would make him mind, how she would prepare his food, take him by the hand and take him to school. How he loved his "black mammy." How he understood his Negro race. He is a great orator and at times held the place spellbound.

These Black Mammys have passed their descendants and we are noted away and in their places are to be fooled by such political talk.

What have they done for the descendants? They are in a position to stage a true fight for the descendant of their black mamys to live life human beings. They fought against it.

They had an opportunity to show the world that they would repay that debt of loyalty by appointing of my stenographers or clerks from the Negro race.

Yes, they muffed the chances because they had no idea of giving anything to the Negro race but lip service.

The blame is not entirely on their shoulders, we as a race must share a part of it. For year after year we continue to cast our few votes to that type.

I still contend that we should organize a state Political Action Committee spend a few of our dollars, register more and more of our people, place on solid vote for what happens. There is where the the man of your choice. Then see Negro's power lies.

Again Dr. Graham has woven himself around the hearts of our people, and despite the criticisms of some newspaper men and radio announcers, Senator Graham has stuck to his guns.

We only wish that a few other southern states could produce another Senator Graham.

subsidized, will discuss the format of his former Butpers giant.

Some will feeringly paint him a modern day "Cyclops," sort of an evil-eyed Frankenstein who strides the world in seven-league-boots fitted in the workshop of Stalin and the Marxists. Others will thunder forth in matchless oratory the sincerity of Robeson's fight, linking it in many respects, with that of such Negro freedom fighters as Frederick Douglas, Phyllis Wheatley, Nat Turner and Sojourner Truth to name but a small few. But I think unequivocally that all in tomorrow's bright dawning will meet common ground to say that a puetao peaoid uaeq sei ɟ: mun shadow of a doubt Robeson plots to overthrow the country, he has the right to "speak freely" and most certainly against to cruel social patterns all fair-minded Americans desire to see wiped out.

Robeson should be proved a pawn of the Soviet or he should be apologized to for what occurred at Peekskill, N. Y., in AMERICA, U. S. A.

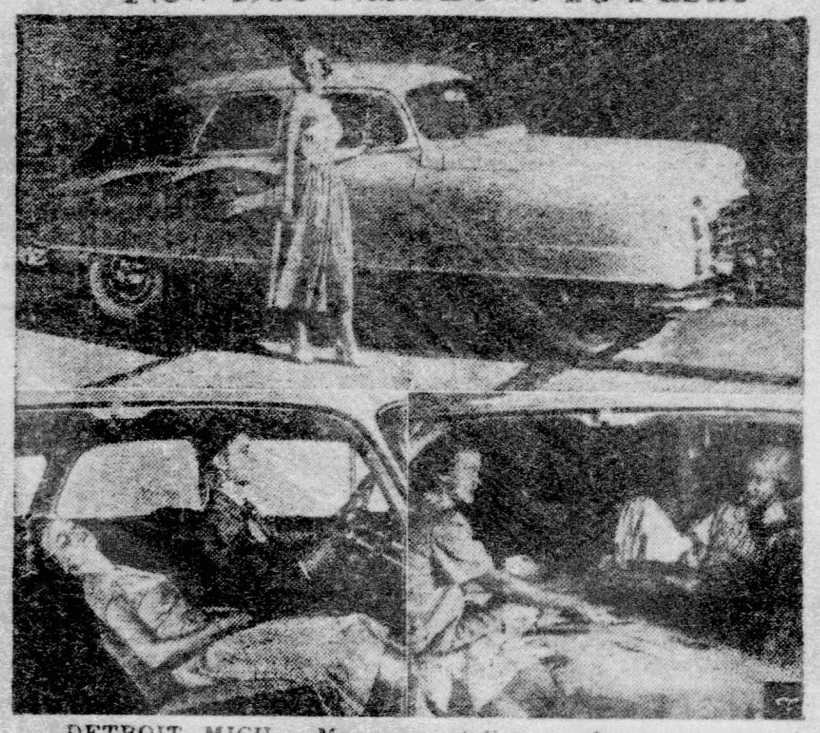
ELKS TO SPONSOR TOUR OF MEXICO

Columbus, O. (ANP) — A 19 day Ohio Elks party tour through southwestern states to the Republic of Mexico will be the crowning feature of th National Grand Lodge of Elks annual convention next year, according to H. E. Brady, chairman of the Ohio Transportation committee, he

The tour, sponsored by the Ohio Elks, has been approved by Grand Exalted Ruler J. Finley Wilson and Albert A. Reading, grand commissioner, as well as by local and state officers.

Delegates to the convention will leave by special train via Chicago to Mexico, stopping off at principal cities in Missouri, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas. On the return trip, stopovers will be made in New Orleans and Memphis.

New 1950 Nash Bows To Public



DETROIT, MICH. — Many new styling, comfort, economy and safety features keynote 1950 Nash Airflyte cars which were recently introduced to the public. The aerodynamically designed models, with all four wheels fully enclosed, massive bumpers and larger bumper guards, have luxuriously new "sky-lounge" interiors and completely redesigned instrument panels. Hydra-Matic "clutchless" shifting is now available on the Ambassador series, with automatic overdrive optional on both the Ambassador and Statesman models. Horsepower of both engines has been increased, with the Ambassador now 115 and the Statesman, 85. Other features include built-in twin beds and the reclining optional "airliner" seat.

LIVING ABOVE ONE'S MEANS

By William Henry Hull for ANP

I hate to see a friend or foe
Attempt to live beyond his means;
Such course will surely bring him low.
For he'll be like the bird that preens
All day while others scratch for food.
He does not lay a dollar by
Nor is he in a saving mood.
There is no use to ask him why.
He's like the dupe, the shallow fool
Who sits upon do-nothing's stool.

Classified ad in Montgomery Ala., ADVERTISER: "A small furnished apt. for rent. Suited to working couple, preferably married."

Why do you define a wolf as a modern dry cleaner?

Because he works fast and leaves no ring.

EDITH SAMPSON TO BE GUEST AT NOV. BANQUET

CHICAGO (ANP) — Atty. Edith S. Sampson, recently returned from the world tour of Town Meeting of the Air, will be presented at a lecture dinner here in November.

Sponsors of the dinner will be affiliates of the National Council of Negro Women, whom Mrs. Sampson represented on the tour, and other organizations interested in world affairs.

Mrs. Sampson is the wife of oJseph Clayton, Chicago criminal lawyer. She is chairman of the executive committee of the National Council of Negro Women.

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MARGIN FOR LOGIC

BY AL MOSES

SPRINGBOARD FOR AN AWARD (2)

NEW YORK (ANP) — That Ted Poston, reporter for the New York Post Home News, did an outstanding coverage of the trial of the Florida Negroes railroaded to jail (Taveres, Fla.) goes without question. Most certainly we think him and from where we type, the cov- deserving of some kind of award etd (but hard to get). "Pulitzer Prize" would fit snuggly into the den set apart by charming Mrs. Poston for her brilliant spouse. That he will be considered for same is more than I can say. Still, if letters like mine of my friends, Dick Campbell, husband of singer Muriel Rahn and Marguerite Martin, both of which appeared in the "Letter Section" of the Post go aoueqo aqq fuiaq uer 'SWEN power Ted's way, wear the crown.

"BLOOMER GIRLS" is well up among the best of the Paper Mill revivals along the world's main stem which correctly enough as you surmised, is New York's "Broadway." Unforgettable, to me at least, were the performances in that stage dilly of the late fat-and-sassy RICHARD HUEY, who played "Alexander," the superb work of "Casablanca's" Dooley Wilson (Sempey) and HUBERT DILWORTH, Mr. Broadway himself, in the acting-singing role of "Augustus". Down Milburn, N. J., way as we jot this down, Frank Carrington impressario of the Paper Mill playhouse, is responsible for the return of this play which opened on Broadway during the Autum of 1946 when Hitler and his madmen were driving the world frantice. Mr. Carrington has switched from the operettas of Franz Lehar, Victor Herbert, and etc., to an operetta by Harold Arlen.

WHEN ROBBER OF DIGNITY

Men of any color become much more than the hackneyed-word "Second class citizens." They disintegrate before one's eyes into slinking Zombries products of "Man's inhumanity to man." Long after Paul Roberson has been placed in the narrow-box into which each of us must drape ourselves, "Free Men," free in the sense that their ideals have not been tampered with nor their right of speech been

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