

Fashions Create Much Excitement

CHICAGO — With scores of performances and thousands of miles of travel already behind it, the "Ebony Fashion Fair" is creating excitement with its "convention" pieces by Paris, Rome, and American designers.

The 120-minute fashion production, scheduled for 30 U. S. cities in all, includes fashion imports from Europe's famous names: Rome's Fontana, Greco and Luciano; Paris' Pierre Eschard and Lanvin and America's Oleg Cassini, Hannah Troy, and Cecil Chantman are representative of the designers whose creations are featured in the "Fashion Fair."

The six-city production, staged in each city by an organization for an established charity, shows the very short skirts to the much longer lines, as evidenced in Paris.

At most Paris salons created by Mr. and Mrs. John H. Johnson, publisher of Ebony Magazine, which stages the show, and Mrs. Fred DeKnight, who directs many of the ballroom shows that led the theme but the show also proved that it is here to stay in every conceivable version. Wardrobe varied from the high under-the-bosom empire to low on the hips.

Rome also visited to obtain fashions for the show, advocates the relaxed line, yet each designer has created his own version. From the long, torso line through double hem to the exciting "regional" look of Scholastic Italy's fashion show is one of great controversy.

Some of the fashions worn in the "Ebony Fashion Fair" are pictured in the current issue of Ebony Magazine. The pictures were all taken in Paris and Rome fashion salons.

Future participants of the "Ebony Fashion Fair" include: Atlanta, Nov. 9; Miami, Nov. 12; Jacksonville, Nov. 14; Montgomery, Nov. 15; Birmingham, Nov. 16; Dallas, Nov. 18; Cincinnati, Nov. 21; Kansas City, Nov. 23; St. Louis, Nov. 25; Chicago, Nov. 26; Detroit, Nov. 28; Dayton, Nov. 30; Los Angeles, Dec. 1; and San Francisco, Dec. 10.



MISS HOMECOMING — Miss Rachel Cherry, a native of Lewislin, N. C., was chosen Homecoming Queen to reign over the Homecoming activities at Fayetteville State Teachers College, November 8. Miss Cherry attended the Charles G. White School, Powersville. She is a member of the Y.W.C.A., the college choir and the Student Council.

Yes, We All Talk

By Marcus H. Boulware

SYMPOSIUM

QUESTION: Please explain to me the meaning of the form of discussion called the "symposium."

ANSWER: A symposium is a form of discussion consisting of a series of short public addresses. Each participant speaks on one phase of the general topic, and if the audience is permitted to participate, we call it a symposium forum. Unless good speakers are on the program, this can be a dull form of discussion. We therefore recommend the panel forum for experienced groups.

Usually on the stage, there is a speaker's stand for the speakers. But until the presiding officer calls upon each speaker, he is seated at a table. It is possible, however, for a symposium participant to remain seated and give his talk. This would be the more desirable method.

When the master of ceremonies wishes to invite the audience to participate following the symposium, he might say something like this:

"At this time, we are designating a period of fifteen minutes to entertain questions and opinions from the audience. We are requesting that all questions and opinions be addressed directly to the moderator. Please stand and announce your name before stating your question or opinion."

The members in the audience might wish to rise and say, "Mr. Moderator, I should like to ask the question if it thinks complete desegregation of schools and public facilities and jobs can be effected in 25 years?"

SUSPENDING RULES

The motion proposing that a club suspend the rules requires a two-thirds vote to carry.

Often a club has what is known as **STAND RULES** which may be applied only to the particular club in question. For example, a public speaking club may have a standing rule which reads:

"Any member who fails to appear on the platform when assigned shall be fined \$2.00."

Suppose, for example, that a member has serious sickness in the family, preventing his fulfillment of his speaking assignment. After giving the club a reason for his failure to speak on the program assigned, the group may want to suspend the rule in his particular case for this special program. Hence, a member might say:

"Mr. Chairman, I move that we suspend the rules fining a member \$2.00 for failure to appear on program as assigned since he had spent the rule. If two-thirds of the members vote for suspension of the standing rule, the particular member in question would not have to pay the fine."

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70 NC Counties To Participate In NCC Resource Use Ed. Confab

DURHAM — Dr. Theodoro R. Speigner, Director of the Division of Resource Use Education at North Carolina College, said recently 500 school heads in 70 counties have been invited to participate in the 12th annual Resource Use Education program at North Carolina College on November 13.

"Meeting the Challenge of the Space Age through Resource Use Education" is the theme of this year's program.

Dr. Catherine T. Dennis, State Supervisor of Home Economics Education, State Department of Public Instruction, Raleigh, will deliver the keynote address at 9:00 a. m. on November 13 in Duke Auditorium.

Seniors from several state high schools will conduct a panel on "Using Natural Resources to Meet the Challenge of the Space Age." Dr. Stanley A. Cain, Chairman of the Department of Conservation, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, will give the day's main address at 2:00 p. m. Dr. Cain is

Brothers Who Raped Girl Go To Prison

CHICAGO (AP)—Two brothers who were charged with raping a 17-year-old girl last August were sent to prison, Wednesday.

Leonard Pleasant, 39, and his brother Richard, 32, were sentenced to the penitentiary for raping the teenage girl in their auto near an elevated structure on August 5.

during the session. Two educators will be chosen for distinguished awards on the basis of their contribution to resource use activities in their areas during the year.

Additional recognition will be given to county and city teacher units for sponsoring Resource Use activities to improve the quality of living for all citizens in their community.

Dr. J. D. Taylor, a specialist in the field of geographic education, will have charge of the geography workshop. Associated with him will be Dr. R. M. Williamson, Department of Physics, Duke University, who will serve as a resource person.

Five resource use clinics will be provided for teachers at all grade levels in reading, computation, mental physical-social health, homemaking, and music.

The Principals - Supervisors clinic will conduct its work from last year.

Several awards and citations will be given individuals and groups

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Labor Executive Is Dean Of Tan Leaders

CHICAGO — Asa Phillip Randolph, president of the Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters, and an AFL-CIO vice president, is the number one leader of the nation's 17 million Negroes, according to an article in the November issue of Ebony Magazine.

Randolph's stature as the leader of Negroes can be measured by the honor of being selected as lead-off spokesman by three other members of the Negro delegation that met with President Eisenhower at the White House on June 23.

The delegation included NAACP Executive Secretary Roy Wilkins, National Urban League Executive Director Lester B. Granger and Southern Leadership Conference President the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

The labor leader, in the article by Ebony editor A. H. H. Morrison, has worked for nearly 40 years to "hasten the process of peaceful advancement toward equality of citizenship for all Americans" as an editor, orator, labor organizer and spokesman.

Of the four U. S. Presidents with whom he has met, Randolph says: "Truman did a very good job on civil rights... had convictions but he had to be moved to do something about them." Eisenhower left me with the feeling that he would do the right thing. "Roosevelt was neither pro nor con on the Negro problem," and "Coolidge didn't say a word. He just sat there listening."

Although he never met with him, he says of Herbert Hoover, "He took no significant action in protection of the Negro's rights."

It required Randolph, says Phony, 30 years to win recognition as an equal from U. S. labor leaders, and to be given a vice-president's place on the Executive

State College Answers

QUESTION: What should I do with the soybeans I am now harvesting?

ANSWER: It may be advisable to hold them until after the harvest glut, but it is not advisable to hold them beyond the first of the year without government loan protection. Soybean supplies are 17 per cent greater than last year, and 28 per cent above 1947-56 average. Demand for soybeans will probably be up some because of more livestock, but not as much as supplies. Harvest prices this year began at \$1.95 to \$1.97 per bushel in Eastern North Carolina as compared with starting prices of about \$2.12 last year. This year's support price for North Carolina soybeans is \$2.04 per bushel.

QUESTION: What is the trend in farm land and building values in North Carolina?

ANSWER: Up! The market value of farm land and buildings in North Carolina rose 4 per cent during the year ending July 1, 1958. This compares with a nationwide rise in farm values of 5 per cent. Farm real estate reporters estimate that sale prices for mortgages on dirt roads would range from 2 to 11 per cent higher, depending on the area, if they were located on gravel or hard-surface roads.

QUESTION: Where is the major research work being done on wildflower?

ANSWER: At the Roper Bell Tobacco Research Station at Whiteville, which is in the heart of the infested area. A greenhouse and laboratory is being erected at the station. Work is also being done at a rented farm at nearby Elizabeth.

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