

# Baptists Boost The Lott Carey Funds \$172,865 For Missions

WASHINGTON — Dollars for Lott Carey Baptist Foreign Missions increased from \$16,000 in 1946 to \$172,865 for the year 1961-62, according to a recent audit.

Growth over the 20-year period shows an increase in missionary funds from 10 to 105 in various fields in Africa and Asia, also in Haiti.

Today, there are 54 churches in seven states and the District of Columbia, each contributing \$1,000 or more annually to the work of Lott Carey.

Total contributions represent 16 states and the District of Columbia, where the independent missionary society maintains headquarters at 1501 Eleventh Street, N. W.

Dr. W. C. Somerville, Executive Secretary, said in a pre-convention statement that the goal for the new fiscal year is \$200,000.

Last fiscal year showed an in-

crease of \$25,000 over the previous year, he said, also a gain of 10 churches making individual contributions of \$1,000 or more.

The increase, he said, indicates that Negro Baptists are "meeting the challenge of emerging Africa" and are endeavoring to rekindle the spirit of Christianity in Western Civilization.

Lott Carey Baptist Foreign Mission Convention will meet here Aug. 27 at Vermont Avenue Baptist church, the Rev. C. T. Murray, pastor, and at Metropolitan Baptist, the Rev. E. C. Smith, pastor.

Over 2,000 delegates are expected for the five-day meeting that will bring together the Woman's Auxiliary, Lott Carey Layman's League and the Junior Young People's Department.

A state breakdown of churches giving \$1,000 or more shows 7 in

the District of Columbia, 9 in Maryland, 2 in New Jersey, 1 in New York, 10 in North Carolina, 2 in Ohio, 6 in Pennsylvania and 17 in Virginia.

Dr. Somerville is the first full-time executive secretary employed by Lott Carey. He came to the post in 1940, succeeding the late Dr. J. Harvey Randolph of Washington, who carried on the work as part-time executive for several years.

The society was organized in 1897 in Shiloh Baptist Church here. It was named for the Rev. Lott Carey, who lived near Richmond and who was credited with being the first American missionary to go to Africa in 1821, though born a slave.

For the role he has played in the growth of Lott Carey, Dr. Somerville received the Doctor of Law Degree conferred upon him by Howard University in 1960.

Convention officers are Dr. E. A. Farham, president, Columbus, Ohio; Dr. J. C. Hairston, first vice-president, Pittsburgh; and Dr. M. L. Wilson, second vice-president, New York City.

Mrs. Mary M. Ransome of Richmond serves as president of the Woman's Auxiliary, R. L. Holloman, Norfolk, president of the Layman's League, and Robinson Horne, Richmond, president of the Young People's Department.



**CARNATION CUP AND RECEPTION** — Dr. Rosa L. Gragg, 2nd from left 1st photo, national president, National Association of Colored Women's Clubs, expresses approval upon receiving Carnation Cup donated cup, designated The Presidential Cup, during recent 66th anniversary session of NACWC at Sheraton-Park Hotel, Washington, D. C. Los Angeles based milk firm also hosted President's and Leaders Reception, right scene during the week-long convention. At left Mrs. Gragg is seen with, from left, Les Ledbetter, associate, The Moss H. Kendrix Organization, Norman W. Besseque, president, American Tropics, Inc., and Mrs. Rosalie Digs Swain, M-H-KO associate. The beautiful trophy bearing the signature of Dr. Gragg, was awarded by the Detroit leader to her President's Committee of One Hundred for its outstanding leadership in drive which retired mortgage on Association House, the stately head-



quarters of NACWC on 16th Street in the Nation's Capital. In right photo, Moss H. Kendrix, whose PR firm represents Carnation Company, "plays" Carnation maitre 'd' at reception for 1000-member delegation from throughout the United States and the District of Columbia. From left, leaders of the Association are Cherie Vonne Lauer, Junior Girls Division, from San Angelo, Texas; Mrs. Mammie Reese, NACWC 1st vice president, Albany, Ga.; Mrs. Delle Alexander, NACWC 2nd vice president, Atlanta, Ga.; and Mrs. Lillian M. Taylor, president of one of the District of Columbia host clubs, American Tropics and the Kendrix Organization contributed plaques on which will be listed the names of the Committee of One Hundred. The two aforementioned firms also furnished a large number of the plaques given NACWC to its various honorees.

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Well over a million men and women are employed in the factories which make clothing for the Nation's population. This industry in retail sales, office and warehouse operations.

As of June 1, 12 southern states had nearly 40 million acres of "tree farms" — two thirds of the nation's total. "Tree farming" is a term for good forest management.

## A&T Asks \$6 Million For Improvements

**GREENSBORO** — Permanent improvements for A&T College in excess of six million dollars, to be spent during the next biennium, have been received by the North Carolina Advisory Budget Commission.

The requests, totaling \$6,404,500, were presented by Dr. L. C. Dowdy, acting president of the College, as the budget group made its recent visit to the campus. The group was headed by David S. Coltrane, chairman.

Included in the requests, also, are six new buildings: biology building, \$885,000; dormitory for women, \$550,000; mathematics and business building, \$700,000; student union building, \$1,040,000; dormitory for men, \$1,100,000; and health and physical education building, \$1,030,000.

Other improvements requested, include: heating plant equipment, \$120,000; campus lights, walks and roads, \$55,000; renovation to Graham Building, \$160,000; music and art equipment, \$25,000; Technical Institute equipment, \$130,000; library equipment, \$180,000; farm and dairy additions, \$39,500; and purchase of Lutheran College prop-

## Library Furnishings Cost To Be Studied

A committee on libraries was instructed Friday to "shop around" for something a little more economical than the \$25 ware receptacles and the \$30 sand urns proposed for the new library in the Kress building.

The City Council Committee on finance and law informed a committee of Olivia Raney Library trustees that bids on those items should be thrown out and something new found.

The Law and Finance Committee was assigned the task last Monday of going over the bids by Raleigh's Mayor William G. Enloe, who questioned the cost of some items of furnishings for the library.

City Councilman Paul Hoover,

chairman of the Law and Finance committee said Friday, "We would like to take a low bid on all items unless there is a question of quality."

W. H. Carper, city manager of Raleigh, said "Would quality include such things as comfort and appearance?"

"I'm afraid not," Hoover replied. It had been recommended by the group that 100 stack chairs be purchased from National Art Interiors at a cost of \$1,500. Alfred Williams Company had submitted a low bid of \$1,250.

After much deliberation on comparative comfort, during which time Councilmen W. L. McLaurin and Travis Tomlinson sat in the various chairs being discussed, McLaurin moved that the low bid be accepted.

The committee also recommended that the low bid be accepted on reading chairs. The low was \$1,853 submitted by Alfred Williams and Company, but the library group had recommended that a bid of \$2,992 from National Art Interiors be accepted.

The councilmen approved also, based on quality, a bid of \$2,827.80 for 24 tables from Southeastern Equipment Company over a low bid of \$1,783.74 submitted by Raleigh Office Supply.



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