

Negro Progress Shown In FWA Pamphlet

WASHINGTON — Negro participation in the program of the Federal Works Agency is graphically depicted in "Way of Progress," a 24 page illustrated pamphlet published by FWA for distribution at the American Negro Exposition in Chicago this summer.

The pamphlet presents a review in pictures of the Negro's role in each of the five agencies comprising the FWA, Work Projects Administration, United States Housing Authority, Public Buildings Administration, Public Roads Administration and Public Works Administration.

Depicting Government aid to Negro citizens in work relief, education, health and hospitals, and housing, "Way of Progress" reveals the wide scope of activities designed to improve conditions among the unemployed and low income groups throughout the Nation.

These activities are further depicted by a comprehensive exhibit at the Exposition. Like the pamphlet the exhibit sets forth the various phases of the FWA program into which Negroes have been integrated. These include professional, technical, skilled and unskilled employment expansion of low rent housing housing projects, health, hospital and recreational facilities; the training of youth for useful employment and elimination of illiteracy; and the construction of school buildings, libraries and community projects.

Chapel Hill

Mrs. Lizzie Gattis who has been seriously ill has shown very much improvement.

On July 28 the First Baptist church of which the Rev. M. M. Nunn is pastor gave a dinner for the widows and widowers of this community. Those judging the value of this dinner estimated it not less than \$50.00. The judges were Deacons S. M. Nunn, L. G. Webb, R. C. Walker, Brothers R. Gattis, Joe McCauley and H. G. Walker. After the dinner Rev. W. H. Bland of New Hill preached a wonderful sermon.

At the eleven o'clock services Rev. Nunn Baptised one candidate before the very inspiring sermon which was delivered by him. His subject being "Abide in Me and I in You." The visitors were Brother John B. King and wife and two sisters from Durham.

We are looking forward to the opening of our school Sept with Misses Benton and Caldwell as teachers.

Winston Salem

Mr. and Mrs. John Nash and children of 335 Dixie Broadway have returned from New York City, Washington and Baltimore where they spent a week of their vacation. While in New York they visited the World's Fair.

The City Union met Friday night at St. Paul church with a large number attending. A very interesting meeting was held with G. R. Derr, the president, presiding. The next meeting will be held August 16 at St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hines recently entertained at dinner the following persons: Mrs. Minnie Gray, Mrs. J. W. Cuthrell, Mrs. Louvenia Ritchey, Mrs. William Jones and others.

The Usher Board of Saint Andrews Methodist church met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Louvenia Ritchey on Bailey Street.

G. L. Brown, president of the Goler Memorial Usher Board is much improved. He can now have visitors.

Mrs. Francis Hearston, mother of Mrs. Ritchey is much improved now.

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their descendants was assured on the surrender grounds at Appomattox.

"In a real sense," he pointed out, "the story of the Negro in Virginia is also the story of the American Negro, for the roots of more Negro families were nurtured in Virginia than in any other State. It has been our air to tell impartially of the springs that watered those roots and of the droughts that withered them. It is, therefore, to the American Negro, and to those who seek to understand him, that this volume is offered as the written record of a people who have helped build America—a people who are perhaps the most widely discussed and the least understood, though by no means the least important, element in America's racial pot pourri."

The book was published by the New York firm of Hastings House.

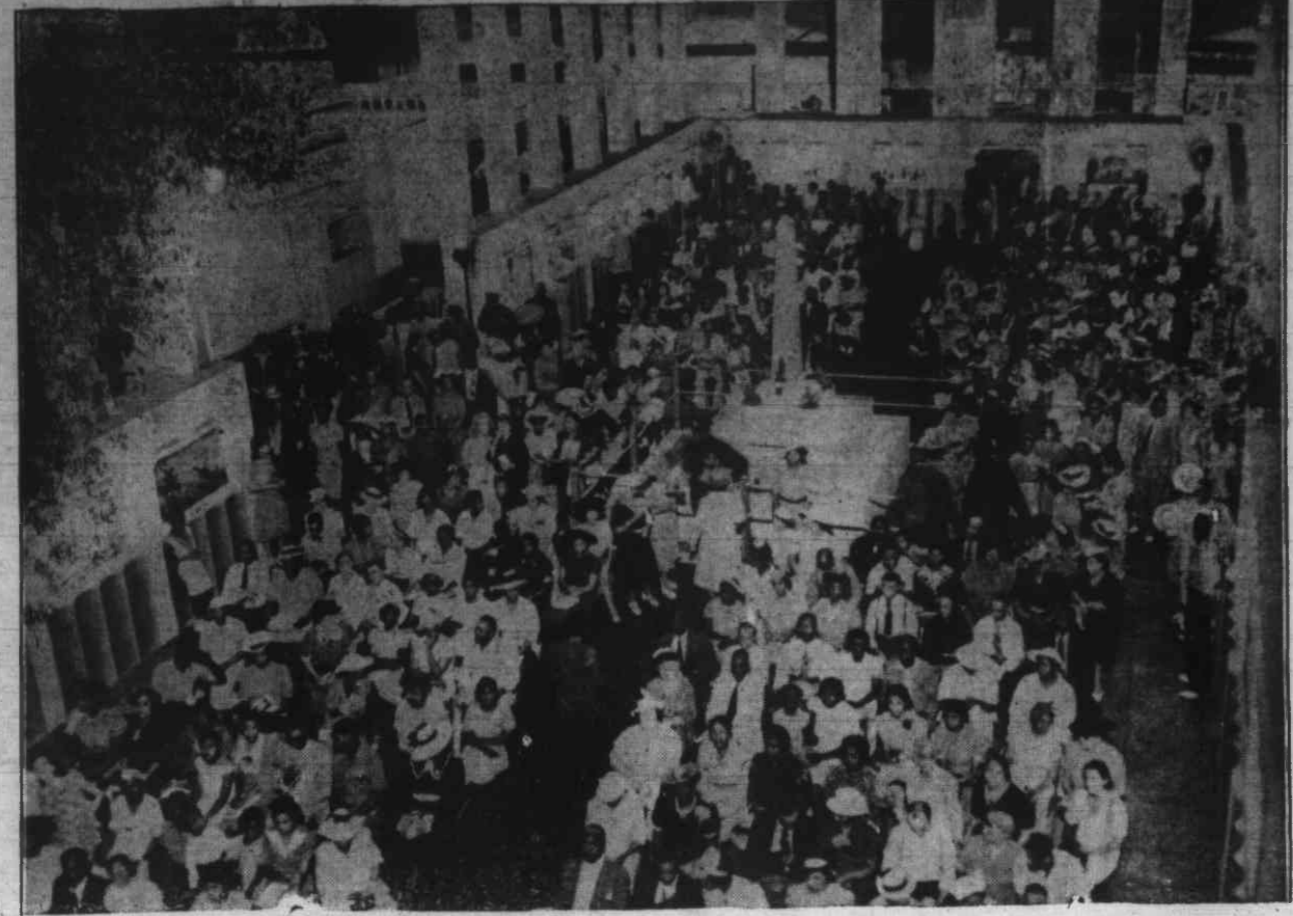
FASHION REVIEW



Have you tried stripes for slimming effects? The above model on the left uses them in three different directions, which is enough for any one dress. It is a new version of the good old stand by, the shirtmaker. The back is slightly bloused, which is a new feature as are the long sleeves. Smooth over the hips and clipping at the bottom makes for an interesting skirt.

On the right, the slimming effect is used, but instead of stripes pleats are used. Notice how the lines are square—very new and smkt, and the yokes—They are an important detail.

These frocks are just a little hint of the interesting ways materials did design are going to be linked together to give Madam smart and not to say the least, slim lines. The tailored dress needs no trimming but relies wholly on the accessories. Color combinations can again run riot with such lovely shades coming up for the fall.



A view of the Court of Dioramas in the exact center of the Chicago Coliseum where the American Negro Exposition is being held. The people assembled here are listening to one of the special programs held daily in the Court of Dioramas honoring some state or organization. After the event ends, the seats are removed. Quite often program may be taking place simultaneously in the Exposition Auditorium, located in the North Hall. The above photograph was taken on "Kentucky Day" last Wednesday, while another event was going on in the Auditorium in connection with Catholic Week observance.

Durham Social Happenings

Contest Begins At Ebenezer
A popularity contest began at the Ebenezer Baptist church Aug. 4 continuing through Aug 27th, sponsored by the WWC. The contestants are: Mrs. Addie Barbee, Misses Lucille Thomas, Jessie O'Neal, and Miss Pauline Barbee. Their managers are respectively: Messrs Arthur Stanley, James McNeil, John Barbee, George Tate and Miss Ploy Harris. A record of votes sold for each person will be found in the TIMES each week until the contest closes.

Week End Guest
Mrs. Cleo Berdus Frederick of Newark, N. J. was the guest of Eva Woody of 624 Price Street last week end.

In The City
Miss Elizabeth Patterson from Rockingham is visiting Miss Lucille Patterson of 624 Price Street.

Tours The States
Mrs. Mary B. Williams of West Palm Beach, Florida has returned home after visiting relatives in New York, Madison, New Jersey, Washington, and Durham. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Flossie E. Dunston of 716 Glenn street.

Picnic Held
The West End Charity Club sponsored a picnic Saturday afternoon July 27 in the vicinity of the Mt. Sinia Baptist Church, Orange County. The lunch was spread on the ground of the "Cool Spring" school. After eating lunch all enjoyed a play given at the school for the benefit of the benefit of the Mt. Sinia Church. Youngsters who attended were Misses Eva Jean Jones, Christine Jones, Helen Brown, Essie Lee Brown, Pauline Stroud, Hattie Lou McDonald, Margaret Bane, Helen Whitaker, Barbara Davis, Veleria McClinton, Messrs. Pital Stroud, Ivory Netter Bostie and James Allen. The grown ups were Mrs. Mattie McDonald,

President; Mrs. Mary Howell, Secretary; Miss Beatrice Chatman, Alf Lawrence, Jr. and Burch Coley.

Week End Guest
Miss Frances Cole, high school student of Chapel Hill was in the city the week of July 20th of Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Stanfield and Daughters.

Return North
Jessie Morrison, who has been in the city for two weeks visiting friends, left Monday, August 5, enroute to Ardmore, Pa. He expects to return here in the late fall.

Visits City
Mrs. Almenia Brown and little Samuel Jones of Laurinburg are spending a few days with her daughter, Miss Louise Kelly of this city.

Returns Home
Miss Alice Scott returned home Saturday morning after spending two weeks vacation in New York City.

Motors To New York
Miss Estelle Mitchell, R. N. who has spent two weeks of her vacation at home has left by motor for New York City with her sister, Miss Geraldine Booth. They are accompanied by Johnny Young and Fred H. Jones of New York City.

The Helping Hand Club met Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Nora Graham. The meeting was called to order by the president. After a brief business discussion the meeting closed and a delicious ice cream course with served the following: Misses Effie Smith, Beatrice Noel, Daisy Pennington, Annie Allen, Ida Mae Springfield, Lena Edwards, Arnetta Palmer, Edith Dolly, Mayzelle Harris, Sallie Mills, Anna Johnson, Anna Johnson, Thedosa Cotton and Mrs. Nora Graham hostess.

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Charlotte Has NAACP Branch

CHARLOTTE—A new advance step was made by the leading colored citizens here on last Friday night when a local branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People was formed.

Having the leading role in forming the branch here is Kelly Alexander, well known youth leader here, and son of the pioneer Charlottean, Zack Alexander local undertaker. He stated the purpose of the meeting and brought data, material and information to the large group assembled for the confab.

The meeting was held in the YMCA building, and was enthusiastic as well as interesting. All of the men present expressed themselves as willing and ready to work with the body, and it is expected that with the forming of the NAACP here there will come much benefit, especially from a racial uplift angle.

Temporary officers were selected and as soon as the quota for full membership is reached there will be held a session for the purpose of meeting permanent officers and various committee heads and members of each.

Young Mr. Alexander is to be congratulated in his thoughtfulness and has around him in the set up some of the leading men of the race such as Attorneys L. P. Harris, and J. S. Bowser, Drs. Rudolph M. Wyebe, J. D. Martin, Jr., Seifert C. Pyle, and others prominent in various circles of the city.

The body invites new memberships and Mr. Alexander states that there will be held another meeting in the same place on Friday night of this week beginning at 8 o'clock.

On Vacation
Mrs. Beatrice Thompson and daughter, Miss Dorothy Lee Thompson of Mason Street left the city Monday, August 5 for Georgetown, South Carolina where they will spend a weeks vacation with their grandmother.

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