

BOB MONTGOMERY
YOUNG PHILADELPHIA LIGHTWEIGHT WHO TAKES ON LEW JENKINS IN A NON-TITULAR FIGHT AUG. 19.

LEW JENKINS
LIGHTWEIGHT KING WHO GOES TO BAT AGAIN SOON. WHAT EFFECT WILL THE TERRIFIC TRUNCING HE TOOK FROM ARMSTRONG HAVE ON HIM?

ARMSTRONG'S GOT SIXTEEN FIRSTS NOW - AN HITTING ME WITH EM ALL - I SHOULD'VE STAYED IN TEXAS - THERE'S THE BELL - I SEE TWO ARMSTRONGS NOW --

LEW'S BEEN TROUBLED WITH NIGHTMARES LATELY

MEBBE I BETTER NOT FIGHT HIM - I GUESS - MIGHT BE ANOTHER ARMSTRONG - I HOPE NOT - I SUPPOSE - ETC.

I KINDA LIKE MONTGOMERY IN THIS ONE ON A LONG SHOT.

Week Aug. 17 NATIONAL FEATURES.

Regal Balcony To Open Soon

DURHAM — For the pleasure, comfort, and convenience of Durham fast growing colored population, the REGAL is being renovated from top to bottom.

For the convenience, a balcony has been built which will take care at all times the over flow no more standing. For comfort, a new and modern cooling system that rates with the best in the state has been installed. New seats, and a general electric water cooler. Always a plenty of ice water.

For the safety, extra exit doors have been added, more than is required by the State. Also fire escapes. No possible chance for a stampede.

For the beauty, the theatre is being painted from top to bottom and decorated. Every means and method has been employed to make the REGAL a first rate theatre in every respect. New contracts have been entered into with every major film exchange for the very best in pictures. The best of order will be maintained at all times. If it is a GOOD picture you want to see under the very favorable condition, it will be yours at the REGAL.

Negro Day Program

In connection with fourth season of Paul Green's **THE LOST COLONY** Manteo, Roanoke Island North Carolina

Friday, August 16th, 1940. Tentative Program

3:00-5:00 P. M. Music by Excelsior Band of Norfolk, Virginia.

5:00-8:30 Old fashioned Fish Fry at Fort Raleigh for invited guests.

Special music on the Hammond Organ during fish fry rendered by James Hart, Lost Colony organist.

8:45-9:00 Musical and speaking program on Lost Colony Stage.

Mrs. Nell Hunter, of Durham, will direct a chorus of forty voices, sing solos, and direct the entire audience in the singing of favorite spirituals.

Dr. C. C. Spaulding, of Durham, President of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, will deliver the principal address.

Prominent Negroes will be introduced to the audience.

8:15-10:30 The Lost Colony. Committee on Arrangements Dr. H. L. Trigg, President of Elizabeth City State Teachers College, General Chairman. Mrs. Nell Hunter, Musical Director of Program. D. B. Fearing, President of Roanoke Island Historical Association, and I. P. Davis, Co-operating Committee. Local Committee, John Pigford, Chairman; Joe Tillett, Lloyd Mackie, Genevieve Scott. Continued on Page Five

SWINGIN' ON OUT IN 'CHIM MES OF NORMANDY'



Increasing in favor week by week with Chicago audiences and visitors present to attend the American Negro Exposition is "Chimes of Normandy," amazing stage production which has made critics hunt new and more lavish words of praise. A swingtime version of an old French opera, the extravaganza features the hottest singing and dancing imaginable. Shown above are three fast stepping members of the cast of 85 in a typical jazz dance routine. Left to right, they are Clara Strick-

Plenty Room For Hard Workers In Hollywood

By William W. Stradwick (Special to the TIMES)

From an interview with Ralph Cooper here Thursday I gleaned that the bed of roses some imagine is not all there in HOLLYWOOD. Sepia stars and all the stars for that matter find the competition so keen, that it is more than necessary to work hard to keep up and then some.

"All fields in the picture industry are opening up now more than ever before," Mr. Cooper said. "The Supreme Picture Corp. will release a picture in the fall entitled, 'AM I GUILTY' which will be the first ALL COLORED picture to be made

land, Patty Bea Yancey and Willeta Brown further proof that "Chimes" is as good to see as it is to hear. A streamlined version was aired in a nation wide broadcast over the Mutual network last Thursday.

by a company that wasn't formed for the sole purpose of making colored pictures.

Then, too, in this picture the players are given a chance for expression that they have not received before in the minor parts they've been given in the OFAY picture group. Nevertheless, those who do play those parts are not to be censured or criticized too severely, for it is from this group of players that the Negro will be able to give first class pictures to the theatre public.

We are still in a beginning stage, but with hard work and enthusiasm we can expect the best from Hollywood in the years to come."

DURHAM ITEMS OF INTEREST

WITH SISTER IN D. C.
Mrs. Nellie Taborn is spending two weeks in Washington, with her sister.

ATTENDS CONCLAVE
Miss Martha Evans returned to the city last Friday after spending a few days as delegate to the State Baptist Conclave in Raleigh.

ZEBULON CHOR WILL RENDER PROGRAM
Sunday is Missionary day at the United Congregational Christian church of which Rev. T. J. Moore is pastor. The program for this day, which is sponsored by the Missionary society of the church, will feature selections from leading choirs and quartettes of Durham and Zebulon. Instrumental and vocal choirs from Beaver Chapel Church of which Rev. Moore is also pastor, will sing.

At the 11 o'clock worship hour the Zebulon choirs will sing and at 2:30 there will be music from the choirs of Gethsemane Baptist church, the Mission Vocal choir, the Zebulon Vocal choir, the Morning Star Quartette, with other local talent participating.

The subject of Rev. Moore's Sunday morning sermon will be "Spiritual Ignorance Versus Spiritual Knowledge."

ENJOY OCEAN BREEZE
Mrs. Estelle Royal, accompanied by Miss Ethel Taylor, spent the past week in Hampton, Va. While there they enjoyed the cool breezes of Buckroe Beach and also went sight seeing in Suffolk and Newport News.

ENTERTAINED WITH LIVE PARTY
Miss Alice Stigall, who is visiting in Durham from Kentucky, was entertained Monday night at 716 Kent St. by Misses Willa Coward, Othelia Watson, Annie Bell Joyner, Anne Mae and Grace Roberts. The guests who shared the hospitalities of these young ladies at this very live party were:

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Winston, Miss Iris Pettiford, Miss Stigall, the guest of honor; Sidney James, William Tuck, Fred Jones, Herbert Tillery, Daye Reid, N. Bradshaw White, Walter "Kit" Swann, Rudolph Stanback, Milton Johnson, and Thomas Hill.

CONTEST
The popularly contested of the Ebenezer Baptist Church is moving along with rapid speed. The record is as follows:
Miss Lucille Thomas — 100

VISITS
Pete Joyner, formerly of this city but now residing in New York, visited his parents here last week.

VISITING SISTER
Mrs. Rosetta Southerland and her two little daughters Eva and Doris Ann Southerland are visiting her sister Mrs. Minerva

Mrs. M. C. Perry Succumbs

DURHAM — Mrs. Madge Cooke Perry succumbed after one day's illness at Duke Hospital, Tuesday morning, July 30. Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church of Winston Salem on Friday afternoon, August 3 at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Perry had lived in Winston for 18 years. She was born in Raleigh, N. C. on February 5, 1895, and moved to Winston in 1916. She attended the public schools in Raleigh, and was graduated from Shaw University in 1914, six months afterwards she was married to Millard Cobb of Winston Salem, and taught in the High school of Winston for a number of years.

After the death of her first husband she was married to J. P. Perry, of Raleigh. Surviving are: Her mother, Mrs. J. S. Cooke, husband, J. P. Perry; 4 sisters, Daisy Branch, Raleigh; Alice Stone, Durham; Elizabeth Gates, Chicago; and Mildred and Ocean Breeze Beach.

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REGAL

TUESDAY—SPECIAL—WEDNESDAY

Dorothy Lamour

... IN ...

Road To Singapore

SERIAL AND COMEDY

THURSDAY DIME DAY—FIVE AND TEN CENTS
2—FEATURES AND SHORT—2

Jackie Cooper

... IN ...

"THE CHAISEUR"
ALSO
DENNIS O'KEEFE in "NEW BOYS HOME"

WATCH FOR THE GRAND OPENING OF THE NEW ANNOUNCEMENT WILL BE MADE SOON