

SALE OF REAL ESTATE FOR TAXES

At 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, June 7, 1948, at the Eastern Door of the Wake County Courthouse in the City of Raleigh, I will, by virtue of authority contained in Section 105-387 of the General Statutes of North Carolina 1943, sell at public outcry, to the highest bidder, for cash, certain lands on which the 1947 taxes due Wake County remain unpaid.

A list of the owners and the lands to be sold appears below, together with the amount of taxes due thereon with interest, penalty and cost of advertisement to be added.

This the 6th day of May, 1948. C. C. RICH Wake County Tax Collector.

Table listing real estate for sale with columns for owner name and amount. Includes entries like Adams, Geo., Church St. \$3.08; Adams, Gilbert, 603 S. West St. 15.84; Adcock, James, 110 Lee St. 9.05; etc.

UNCF Talent Show Is Heard Over ABC Chain

NEW YORK — Millions of listeners on the ABC network heard a talent show broadcast Monday night from 10:30 to 11 p. m. on the program devoted to help the fifth annual campaign of the United Negro College Fund.

Appearing in the broadcast were W. C. Handy of "St. Louis Blues" fame; Kenneth Spencer, baritone who has appeared in several stage shows and in concert work; Charles Magnum, top-rated accordionist; Jack Pearl and Cliff Hall, comedians of stage and radio, and the Deep River Boys.

The radio network donated the half hour of time for the benefit of the Fund, with the program being listed as a "Carnival of Stars." The Fund raises more than a million dollars each year to assist its 42 members accredited Negro colleges.

Interested also in the national broadcast were the 55 campaign cities of the Fund, each of which has its own local talent working out across the Fund's 1948 goal of raising \$1,400,000. This sum represents about ten per cent of the 32 schools' operating costs but, as Fund executives explain it, this ten per cent makes effective the other ninety per cent of the schools' four greatest wool-growing countries.

Bojangles Sees Truman

NEW YORK (AP) — Bill "Bojangles" Robinson, the 70-year-old dancing star, was all smiles here when he discussed his visit with President Harry Truman. He is being congratulated by his many friends on the awarding of his certificate by the National Health Assembly for his unstinting contribution to heart and cancer funds.

Robinson, who has been in Australia, British South Africa, Argentina and the U. S. are the four greatest wool-growing countries.

Vaughan To Try European Tour

NEW YORK — Sarah Vaughan, who is currently headlining on the Strand Theater in her Broadway theater appearance, may go to Europe for a series of international singing engagements in the fall, it was revealed this week by her husband and personal manager, George Trendwell, who is presently mulling several offers.

Miss Vaughan, winner of every major popularity poll, has the nation's No. 1 girl singer, has already received attractive propositions to appear in such countries as England, France and Sweden. Included were offers of \$5000 a week in a two-week engagement at the Music Hall in London and \$7,500 for a week's appearance in Paris.

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Trendwell declared that Miss Vaughan may cancel several engagements late in the summer and accept the European tour for two seasons. In so doing she would combine her singing engagements with a vacation trip to the continent, and in the event that the recording ban is still in effect in the United States at that time, she could also do a number of recordings for Musicraft with British musicians.

Big Town Gets New Disc Jock

NEW YORK — Leonard Feather, noted composer, musician and jazz authority, is the latest addition to the ranks of the nation's disc-jockeys with a new show that is heard every night, weekly from 10 to 10:30 p. m. via Radio Station WHN, 1600 on the dial.

On his new program, Feather will highlight the great jazz records of all times and will dig into his extensive personal record collection for many rare jazz items.

From time to time Feather will devote his entire program to the records and the history of a great jazz artist. The records and story of the great Count Basie will be featured on Thursday, May 13.

Quite appreciative, disc-jockey Feather is using Count Basie's "Jamboree" as his opening theme and Sarah Vaughan's Continental as "St. Louis, Oh" as his "sign-off."

Cops Charged With Sin-Spot Shakedown by Harlem Lawyer

NEW YORK (AP) — Working on the principle that law enforcement officers should not only enforce the law but keep it themselves, Attorney Sarah P. Ham Spinks, veteran Harlem lawyer, took another one of her digs at the law in justice world's court here last week by acting as the spokesman of shaking down Harlem night spots.

She told the court that the plain clothes officers were getting regular protection fees from Harlem night spots and that alcoholic beverages were being sold over the counter after stipulated hours.

It is reported that a large scale investigation has been launched by Commissioner McGuire and today there may be some changes in the West Harlem vice squad.

Kirkpatrick In Concert

CHICAGO — (AP) — Leon Kirkpatrick, the Illinois-born pianist under the management of Phil Ruth, Inc., made a triumphal return to Kimball hall here last week where he appeared for the second time before a packed house.

Demonstrating a well-polished mastery of the keys, his interpretation of the old masters and religious and spiritual numbers held his audience spellbound.

Born in DuQuoin, Ill., the artist completed his education through high school in that city. With an eye to becoming a music teacher, he attended the Southern Illinois university, Carbondale.

He first studied piano under T. Thomas Taylor, noted Chicago musician, and Jesse Merriweather.

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