

The appointment of Joseph F. Douglas, Jr. as chief of electrical engineers in the Rural Electrification Administration, gives the "Youngest" of the "Youngest" another job in the "Youngest."

If Judge Waring keeps on rendering decisions in favor of justice like he has done in the Negro vote cases in South Carolina, he is liable to foot around and find himself on the Supreme Court some day. (You're right, Judge, and we are for it, like you.)

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Who Collected Rent? CHI HUNTS OWNER OF 8 STORY FIRETRAP HOUSING 750 PERSONS

Chicago (ANP) — Pursuing its avowed intention of cracking down on slum tenements that endanger lives and health, the city has launched an extensive search for the owner of an eight-story tenement building, occupied by 750 persons, which has been condemned as a fire trap. Owner of the building, put up in 1880, is unknown, according to Building Commission last week. The south side dwelling has only one stairway, and Christiansen said that at least 500 of the occupants would be unable to escape in case

of serious fire. The building needs rat proofing, the stairway should be enclosed, exit signs installed and electric wiring repaired. Also being sought is Atty. Fred A. Smith, one of three landlords of a slum tenement in the same neighborhood. Smith failed to appear in court to answer charges of health nuisance v. SARLOU health and fire violations in the building which was declared "not fit for human beings to live in." He is joint owner of the property with Dan Gaines, reputed south side policy boss, and his bodyguard and rent collector, Wilbert McNeil.



NAACP PRESIDENT — George W. Frink, a local merchant, has been re-elected as president of the Brunswick County Branch of the NAACP. He is also participating at Fayetteville State Teachers College. The president declares that the Brunswick County Branch has had a very successful year in accomplishing all of its objectives. All dues and assessments have been paid to national office. In the mean time local causes have been helped by the association. The treasury has a considerable balance to begin the New Year. Plans have been made for the New Year to acquaint every community in the county with the work of the association. The National office has advised all branches to begin with the pastors of all the churches. The association believes this method will be a good start in the direction of informing more people of the program of the association.

BROOKLYN CIVIC WORKER DIES OF HEART SEIZURE

NEW YORK (ANP) — Funeral services were held for Mrs. Grace A. Wilson, widow of the late Matthew A. Wilson, and a prominent figure in the civic and community activities of Brooklyn at the Central Baptist Church here recently. Mrs. Wilson, who had recently had a heart attack in New York, was 69 years old and had participated in almost every civic movement connected with the Negro race in Brooklyn for the last few decades.

She was president of the Young Women's Union of the YWCA House, a member of the Daughters of the Southern Beneficial League, a member of the NAACP, and the president of the church. She is survived by two daughters, Anna and Margaret, a brother, the Rev. J. C. Diamond of Norfolk, Va., and a granddaughter, Alexine.

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PRaises DR. MORTON — Maj. Walter R. Brown, secretary of Hampton Institute, was principal speaker at the annual Morton memorial services held at Tuskegee Institute recently. Major Brown praised the late Dr. Robert H. Morton, who served as commandant at Hampton for many years and succeeded Booker T. Washington to the presidency of the college, as "being an untiring worker for the uplifting of his people." (ANP)

BULLETIN

Farm hints. QUESTION: Why is it that most turkeys are not good egg producers? ANSWER: Prof. R. S. Dear, head of the State College poultry department, says that for years the emphasis in turkey breeding has been toward type. However, at the Central Experiment Station, there is a Raleigh strain that has laid 100 eggs in a 12-month period. According to Professor Dear, the tests show that high egg production can be developed in turkeys through careful breeding practices. QUESTION: What kind of saw is best for pruning fruit trees? ANSWER: Any kind will do which is sharp enough to do the

work. It costs only a few dollars but will last a lifetime if given job. However, a swivel-bladed saw seems best suited to the proper care. QUESTION: What is meant by "germinal" cotton seed? ANSWER: Certification in North Carolina is a seed inspection plan sponsored by State College and carried out under the supervision of Dr. R. P. Moore, director of the Crop Improvement Association. On the one hand, farmers are assisted in the production of high quality planting seed, and on the other seed purchasers are urged to take advantage of this superior type of seed. The fields producing certified seed are inspected for purity of variety and for uniformity of size and seed characteristics. Special precautions are observed at the time of ginning to prevent mixing and heating. Germination must be 80 per cent or above. The purchaser of certified seed receives a grower's guarantee with each bag of seed purchased. "This feature," says Dr. Moore, "is certainly worthy of consideration by farmers who do not want to risk purchasing seed of questionable origin."

PARENTS REMINDED TO DEMAND SAFETY IN CHILDREN'S TOYS. New Christmas toys can be dangerous to young children with fragile fingers, the National Board of Fire Underwriters warns Christmas shoppers. Be sure they are safe. The fire authorities advise taking special care in choosing electric toys. Toys of inferior construction can cause severe burns or start fires. Use only Christmas trees and decorations approved by the authorities. Parents should inspect electric toys that children receive at Christmas and supervise their play with any electric toy. The children may get a severe shock from touching a conductor or other "ground" while handling electric toys. Have also general rules for safe toys: 1. Look for the Underwriters Laboratories Inc. markers on electric toys. 2. Don't buy toys using alcohol.

kerosene, or gasoline. They are hazardous in juvenile hands. 3. Don't place electric trains around base of the Christmas tree. 4. Parents should place and unplug electric Christmas lights, rather than let small children do it. Play with electric toys should be supervised.

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