

IT HAPPENED IN NEW YORK

Dorothy Anderson, top designer and interior decorator for Gotham's elite, will enter Manhattan Eye and Throat hospital this week to undergo an operation. The New York University student has established herself as finished product and a decorator of note throughout New York and New England. She is the wife of Harold Anthony Anderson, veteran of World War II and owner of Esquire Men's shop located in the heart of Harlem.

N. Y. U. VARSITY

Negro athletes continue to shine on New York University's varsity football team. Those on the 1949 roster are Philip Cox, William Payne, Stanley Taylor, William Matthews and Richard White. Coach Edward E. Mylin is expecting these lads along with others of their teammates to put the purple and white on the map in college football.

AT AME CHAUTAUQUA

A three-day educational chautauqua was held at City College under the auspices of the African

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Hoodlums Jailed In Student Robberies

WASHINGTON (AP) — New York school authorities harassed with reports from irate parents that their are being robbed of their lunch money, cracked down on this practice last week by arresting three hoodlums.

Arraigned to the youth division of Felony court last week were Belton Thomas, Robert Coleman, and William Nelson, all 18. They were held on bail of \$1,000. These boys are accused by John Curran, Jr., of threatening him with knives for the past two months and taking his lunch money and carfare allowances. Curran is a student of the Metropolitan Vocational High School.

Similar shakedowns from other students are reported common at this school and other Harlem schools. This racket is considered only of several irregularities reported around many of Harlem's schools.

At a certain girls' school, students often battle in the streets while police "are not around." It is also reported that knives, zip guns and other deadly "childish" weapons are sold to teenagers. Then there are the stories of wine drinking and Reefer smoking.

Because of the backdrop of violence at the public schools many parents are reluctant to send their children to the schools in the Harlem area, schools which in recent years are as Jimcrow as any in Mississippi.

PITTSYLVANIA CO. ALUMNI CLUB FORMS

WINSTON-SALEM — An Alumni Club of the Winston-Salem Teachers College was organized in Pittsylvania County, Va., Thursday, September 29. The Club was organized by the Executive Secretary of the Winston-Salem Teachers College Alumni Association.

During the meeting, a homecoming movie and slides were shown. The meeting was held in the recreation building at Chaton, Va.

Officers of the new Club are Joseph Galloway, president; Miss Margaret Campbell, vice president; Miss Hattie Daniel, secretary; Thomas Shavers, treasurer; Miss Mary Lou Long, reporter. Persons present at the meeting were Mrs. Letitia B. Wharton, Miss Alene Allen, Miss Mildred Galloway, Miss Evelyn Jones and Mrs. Rachel Poole.

The Durham Show was sponsored by local business interests. The Wake delegation was accompanied by W. C. Davenport, Negro County Agent, and E. E. Evans, assistant Negro county agent, both of the State College Extension Service.

RACE RELATIONS PARLEY SLATED

CHICAGO (AP) — The Third National Conference on Intergroup Relations, a conference originally launched by the Rosenwald foundation, will be held at the Shoreland hotel here November 3-5, according to an announcement by the American Council on Race Relations and National Association of Intergroup Relations last week.

The later two organizations are the sponsors of the conference.

This annual meeting brings together executives and staff members of public and private agencies as well as citizen leadership in all organized efforts to improve intergroup relations through the United States and Canada.

At a general session on opening day, delegates will discuss "Where Do We Stand in Intergroup Relations?" This will be followed by agency meetings and concurrent round tables aimed at discussing civil rights, employment, community organization, education and housing.

The general session on the final day will evolve about the topic, "Toward an Integrated Intergroup Relations Program for the United States."

Politicos "Unaware" Of Negro Job Crisis

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Some 500 persons attending the recent Western Democrats convention at Fairmont hotel here, heard two leading party figures say that the Democrats have no plan for combating Negro unemployment. The speakers were Secretary of Labor Maurice E. Tobin and Economic Adviser Leon Keyserting.

Both said they were unaware that 30 to 40 per cent of Negro workers in the state were unemployed. Both expressed ignorance of the fact that out of the 4,000,000 unemployed persons in the country, 2,150,000 were colored.

More ladies would look spic in slacks if they didn't have quite so much span.

MOTLEY ARRESTED

CHICAGO (AP) — Willard Motley, 37, author of the popular novel "Knock On Any Door," was charged with disorderly conduct in the Chicago Avenue police court last week.

Motley spent an hour in the station lockup after being picked up by policemen who saw him standing on the street near his home after 2 o'clock in the morning. The policemen said that the author refused to identify himself and treated them with disrespect.

Motley said that the police officers were typical of the brutal type depicted in his book.

Judge Cecil C. Smith dismissed the charges when the case came to court the following day.

BIAS WEAKENING U. S. LEADERSHIP

NEW YORK (AP) — Racial discrimination in the U. S. helps cause distrust of American leadership among foreign peoples. This view was reported to the board of directors of the American Civil Liberties Union last week by Alfred A. Albert, white, a Boston lawyer.

As a representative of the American Civil Liberties Union, Mr. Albert recently returned from the world tour of America's Town Meeting of the Air.

Mr. Albert gave three major reasons why he felt that people abroad were not convinced that America is really a democratic nation. These were: "racism and discrimination here at home, our undemocratic procedures to suppress communism, and the support of imperialist European countries by the U. S." He said that every undemocratic act that occurs here is widely publicized in Communistic journals and in newspapers all over the world.

CHECKS COCOA MART

MONROVIA, Liberia (AP) — Dr. J. Leonard Schwarz, director of the American Cocoa Research Institute in Washington, D. C., visited Liberia during the week of Sept. 19 to observe the progress being made in cocoa development.

Schwarz held conference with the American Embassy legation, Liberian government and Liberian company officials and expressed himself well pleased with progress made to date in planting cocoa.



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