

New Hope

(Continued from page one) day morning program were the welcome addresses from Supt W. Mayo of the Shiloh Sunday School and Rev. M. K. Hill, pastor of the church. These were followed by a response from Rev. J. R. Stanford. After remarks by President Allen the secretary enrolled the delegates and visitors were introduced. Next came the treasurer's report and the adoption of the program. Guests of the convocation for this initial session were Rev. M. W. Williams of Raleigh, author of "Who's Who Among Negro Baptists" and Rev. Moore of Wilmington.

President Spoke The afternoon session featured the annual address of President James A. Allen who discussed the "Personality and Character of the Sunday School Teacher." He outlined the purposes of the Sunday school as well as the qualifications of a good teacher. He stated: "There can be no successful Sunday School without good character among its teachers. They should be possessed with positive Christian religion. Speakers in the Leadership training were Rev. T. A. Grady, Rev. B. Wilson of Cedar Park Wm. Fuller.

The introductory sermon was preached Wednesday night by Rev. Baxter of Cedar Rock Church. Rev. C. E. Griffen came before the group to urge representation in the State Convention in Charlotte August 5-7.

President

(Continued from page one) along with schools and colleges to provide training for prospective agents and of putting into operation a system of health education embodying the discrimination of health literature, the coordination of every type of media like newspapers, motion pictures and radio and the employment of nurses was adopted. The report of the agency institute which recommended an increase in the prizes of the national essay contest for the adoption of a more effective contest along with recommendations for an agency institute to be held on three afternoons instead of one was referred to the executive committee. In the agency institute which was held Thursday afternoon, qualities of a successful agent were outlined by L. A. Dunmore, N. C. Mutual agent in Charleston, S. C.

Legal Training

(Continued from page one) Fraenkel, of the National Lawyers Guild. The student members are: Herbert O. Reid, Harvard Law School, John Killens, Terrell Law School, Curtis Mitchell, Howard Law School, Stan Geller, Harvard Law School, John Spencer, Terrell Law School, Francisco Corneiro, Howard Law School, and Laurence Sperber, President, Harvard Law School, ex officio member.

Realizing the importance of keeping opportunities for legal training open to all, and realizing also that so very few Negro students are seeking legal training, the purpose of this study is to ascertain the cause. It is felt that there is discrimination against Negroes on the basis of race, as against other minority groups. But a careful study is necessary to ascertain concrete facts and specific cases. Besides this open discrimination on the basis of race, there is another fact which accounts for these alarming statistics already secured by the committee. At Harvard Law School, only seven Negroes out of thirteen hundred students. At Yale, "not more than 2 or 3 applications from Negroes in the last ten years. During the last few years we have only had one Negro student." At Tufts Law School, "To my knowledge there have been no Negroes enrolled at least in the past four years." And at Stanford University, "as far as we know, no Negro student has ever applied for admittance."

The factor which explains this, is not the lack of mental ability or proper qualifications, as some would have us to believe, but the lack of financial assistance. Therefore the Council has under way plans to increase scholarship and financial assistance to Negroes in law schools.

This is such a worthy and timely project that the cooperation and response has been splendid. But for this study to be complete and serve its best purpose we must know the names, addresses, school graduated from, school applied to, and general average, of every Negro boy and girl who had made application to a law school for admittance to the 1941-42 session. All information should be directed to Herbert O. Reid, 32 Holden Street, Cambridge, Mass.

For that basic democratic right of equal educational opportunities for all, there is a fight in the southern states to open the doors for legal, as well as for other advanced training. In the other sections of the country, we must fight to keep the doors open. With your cooperation our study will be a success, it will enable us to complete what we believe will be an important service to the law schools and the legal profession of a democratic nation.

Biltmore Hotel Gets "A" Rating

(Continued from page one) of orchestras, baseball teams and other groups stopping in Durham and enroute to nearby cities consider it a haven in comparison with the service they receive in many so-called Negro hotels in the south.

NOTICE OF SALE!

North Carolina) Durham County)

Under by virtue of the power conferred upon the Trustee in a certain deed of trust dated February 25th, 1927, by L. M. Wilhoite and wife, Ethel T. Wilhoite, and duly recorded in Book of Mortgages 154 at page 253 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Durham County, default having been made in the payment of the same, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the courthouse door in Durham, North Carolina to the highest bidder for cash, on Thursday, July 24th, 1941, at 12 o'clock noon, the following land, to wit:

LYING in that portion of the City of Durham known as Hayti, on the North side of Umstead Street, and running thence with Umstead Street 71 feet and with Fayetteville Street 50 feet, and being Lot No. 4 fronting 50 feet on Fayetteville and having a depth from Fayetteville Street parallel with Umstead Street of 84 feet on the North side, it being the old Home Place of Miles McCoy, and the same that was conveyed by deed of Enterprise Land and Trust Company, on October 3rd, 1900, and said deed recorded in Deed Book 22 at page 401, in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Durham County.

Further reference is hereby made to deed from F. O. Winslow and Dora M. Winslow to his wife to L. W. Wilhoite and Ethel T. Wilhoite, his wife on September 2, 1921, said deed recorded in Deed Book 62 at page 123 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Durham County.

This Sale will remain open for ten days to receive increase bids as required by law.

This property is sold at the request of the holder of said note.

Dated this 23rd day of June, 1941. E. R. Merrick, Trustee. M. Hugh Thompson, Attorney. June 28, July 4-11, 18. ct.

Administrator's Notice

North Carolina) Durham County)

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Charlie Nevers, deceased, late of Durham County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at P. O. Box 1932, or 114 West Parrish Street, Durham, North Carolina on or before the 25th day of June 1942 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are asked to make immediate payment.

This 25th day of June, 1941. Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Administrator of the Estate of Charlie Nevers, Deceased. M. Hugh Thompson, Attorney. June 28, July 5-12-19. ct.



THOMAS N. ROBERTS appointed special assistant to the director of personnel in the U. S. Department of Agriculture with offices at Washington. Formerly in charge of the county-wide conservation and land utilization project at Tuskegee which attracted nationwide attention, Mr. Roberts has been working this year at the University of Wisconsin on his doctorate. His special field is economics and he will concentrate on securing and placement of trained young people for the department.

Pay Suits Filed In Three States

New York — New suits for the equalization of teachers' salaries are being fought in three states by the legal staff of the NAACP.

In Atlanta, Ga., plans were made last month by the Atlanta Citizens Committee on Equalization of Teachers' Salaries, Attorney A. T. Walden of Atlanta and Thurgood Marshall of New York special counsel for NAACP to petition the Atlanta School Board requesting equal pay for colored and white teachers.

The campaign for equalization in New Orleans, La., struck a temporary snag when the local school board refused Thurgood Marshall permission to appear in behalf of Joseph McKelvin in whose name the equalization fight is being made there. The board claimed their meeting was an executive session not open to the public. New Orleans citizens are continuing the fight. The differential there is reported to be \$275,000 a year.

Clarence B. Robinson, teacher in the public schools of Chattanooga, filed suit in the District Court of the Eastern District of Tennessee for equalization of salaries paid to Negro and white teachers there. He is represented locally by W. Henry Elmore, attorney for the Chattanooga branch NAACP.

Alphas Offer \$100 Scholarships

Washington, D.C., July 4.—The Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity will again offer scholarship in amount of \$100 each to eight deserving applicants for the coming school year of 1941-42 and will also offer one or more fellowship for the development and publication of creative work in some areas of significant character during the school year. Initial consideration was given to applications and inquiries last week by representatives of the Alpha Educational Foundation who met in Washington with president H. Council Trenholm of Alabma State Teachers college who is Director of Education for the Fraternity this year. Provision was made for the receipt of additional for the applications during this month of July preliminary to the announcement of the awards on August 15.

In attendance at the initial conference last week with Director H. Council Trenholm were Dr. Rayford W. Logan Dr. Charles H. Wesley, Dr. Charles H. Wesley, Dr. Charles H. Wesley and Dr. Howard H. Long.

PHOSPHATE

Just add lime and phosphate to get rid of broom sedge in pastures, advises R. H. Crouse, Yancey county farm agent of the N. C. Extension Service.

U. S. Steel plans to build \$50,000 additions to plant.

Bankers Conclude Annual Conference; Agree On Today's Important Questions

Washington — Ending one of their most successful conventions the National Negro Bankers association meeting in Washington, heard some of the finest discussions and reports the organization has yet had.

With the eight member banks and three non-member banks reporting total assets of nearly \$4000,000, the delegates were of the opinion that Negro banks were on a solid basis and these 11 survivors would push forward to new achievements in the future.

At the morning session, held at the Garnett-Paterson school, M. R. R. Wright, Sr., of Philadelphia presided and called the meeting to order. Registration and roll call of members and delegates followed and then an address was delivered by William L. Houston, special assistant, attorney general.

M. C. Martin, cashier of the Danville Saving Bank and Trust company of Danville, Va., read report; C. C. Spaulding, who is president of the strong Mechanics and Farmers Bank of Durham, North Carolina, was not present to read his report, but it was handled by one of his associates.

Jesse H. Lewis, head of the department of finance and accounting at Howard university, read an address, "The Responsibilities of Banks to their Communities."

The meeting adjourned for luncheon at Harrison's with the Industrial bank of Washington, D. C., Jesse Mitchell, president, as hosts.

At the afternoon session, Warren R. Forster vice president of the Hamilton National bank of this city was the principal speaker and his talk was on "Bonds."

Mr. Forster stressed the opportunity of colored banks to serve Negroes in financing mortgages for building through the F.H.A. He indicated that the insurance companies, which had been the largest purchasers of these bonds and avoided colored people and their needs for homes. When questioned on this, Mr. Forster said it was a matter for the insurance companies themselves to answer, but he felt that as most of the companies were northern companies, they were unaware of the situation and their failure was due to ignorance.

R. L. McDougald, of the Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Durham, North Carolina then told Mr. Forster that his experience had taught that colored mortgages were better risks than most of the white borrowers and that the insurance companies nor the F.H.A. could say the Negroes were poor risks.

Mr. McDougald cited instances showing that his bank had had fewer cases of non payment from colored borrowers than from whites. Again Mr. Forster stated his position and said the Negroes could do themselves justice in this particular field by looking into the matter of purchasing these bonds which had the government backing with them.

Richard Wright Says Race Must Fight More

Houston, Tex. — Richard Wright told the overflow audience at the 32nd NAACP conference last week that "We are not fighting for enough in a world for the healthy condition of

teeth and gums. Serve peaches fresh, canned, dried, steamed stewed or cooked in combination with other foods," she suggests. Mrs. Cornelia C. Morris, Extension canning specialist, points out that recipes for making preserves and peach pickles are contained in Extension Circular No. 113, "Jelly, Preserves, Jam, and Pickle." This publication is available free upon request to the Agricultural Editor, N. C. State College, Raleigh.

Defense Bond Quiz Q. What is a U. S. Defense Savings Bond? A. This Bond is proof that you have loaned money to the United States Government for national defense. Your Bond bears interest at the rate of 2.9 percent a year, if held to maturity (ten years).

Q. Why should I buy Defense Bonds? A. Because money talks. To dictators it speaks defiance. To friends of freedom, it says, "Here's my hand!"

New Magazine

(Continued from page one) The capitalization of the Corporation is \$10,000 consisting of 200 preferred stocks and 1,600 common stocks. Officers: Jas. L. Brown, President; Rodney Louis Curtis, Vice - President; Doris Barrington, Secretary; Robert Thomas, Treasurer. Board of Directors: Ridley A. Lewis, Stanley Bethune, James Clarke, Mabel Peschier, Robert Thomas, William Clarke, Jas. L. Brown, Rodney Curtis, and Doris Barrington.

Peach Crop Is The Largest Since Season Of 1931

The peach crop now being harvested in North Carolina totals an estimated 2,430,000 bushels, and Lewis P. Watson, Extension horticulturist of N. C. State College, says it is the largest crop since 1931. The 1940 peach production in the State was 1,344,000 bushels.

"The peaches in the Sandhills section are of good quality for the most part," Watson declared, "and there will be no better fruit buy on the market this year than peaches. If the growers are to receive a fair price for their crop, it will be necessary for consumption of peaches to rise considerably over normal consumption. Before we ask people in other states to eat more peaches, we certainly should do our part at home."

The latest fruit situation report of the U. S. Department of Agriculture indicates a crop of 20,840,000 bushels in the ten "early" states, all of which will be selling peaches during the next six weeks. This is nearly 50 percent larger than last year's crop.

Miss Mary E. Thomas, Extension nutritionist, points out that peaches—either fresh or canned—supply certain food materials that the body requires for health and growth. "Fruits are an excellent source of sugar for energy needs of the body," she declared, "and they also stimulate the appetite and aid digestion."

"They are a principal source of Vitamin C, which protects against scurvy and is essential fighting for enough in a world for the healthy condition of

Growers Get Chance To Use Cotton



An opportunity for farm people to sleep "on and under" the cotton they have produced in past years is offered through the Supplementary Cotton Stamp Program, says Miss Pauline Gordon, Extension specialist of N. C. State College. Sheets and other bed linens, as pictured above, may be 'bought' with the cotton stamps which farmers receive for voluntarily reducing their cotton acreage this year below their AAA allotments. E. Y. Floyd, AAA executive officer of State College, says county officers are ready to start distribution of stamps to cooperators.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF MECHANICS AND FARMERS BANK

Of Durham and Raleigh in the State of North Carolina at the close of business on June 30, 1941.

ASSETS table with columns for asset type and amount. Includes Loans and discounts, United States Government obligations, Obligations of States and political subdivisions, Other bonds, notes, and debentures, Corporate stocks, Cash, balances with other banks, Bank premises owned, Real estate owned other than bank premises, Other Assets.

LIABILITIES table with columns for liability type and amount. Includes Demand deposits, Time deposits, Deposits of United States Government, Deposits of States and political subdivisions, Deposit of banks, Other deposits.

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS table with columns for account type and amount. Includes Capital, Surplus, Undivided profits, Reserves.

TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS table showing total amounts for ASSETS, LIABILITIES, and CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$1,542,887.86. This bank's capital consists of \$210,000.00 of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of \$96,000.00, total redeemable value \$96,000.00; and common stock with total par value of \$114,000.00.

MEMORANDA table with columns for item and amount. Includes Pledged assets, Secured and preferred liabilities.

(a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was \$121,394.00 (b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to 494,336.17

I, J. H. Wheeler, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. H. WHEELER. Correct.—Attest: R. L. McDUGALD, E. R. MERRICK, W. J. KENNEDY

(SEAL) State of North Carolina, County of Durham, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of July, 1941, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. ELNA B. PEMBERTON, Notary Public.

My commission expires July 10, 1943.

CAMEL THE CIGARETTE OF COSTLIER TOBACCOS advertisement featuring a camel and text: 'OF COURSE I SMOKE CAMELS, THEY'RE SO EASY ON MY THROAT—AND TASTE SO GRAND. WHAT'S MORE IN THE SMOKE OF CAMELS THERE'S LESS NICOTINE. THE SMOKE OF SLOWER-BURNING CAMELS CONTAINS 28% Less Nicotine than the average of the 4 other largest-selling cigarettes tested—less than any of them—according to independent scientific tests of the smoke itself. The smoke's the thing!'