

SPORTING WORLD

Nine Championships To Feature National Bridge Tournament

New York (Associated Negro Press) — Nine championships will be the feature of the ninth annual contract bridge championships of the American Bridge Association to be held this year in Detroit from August 17 to 23. Executive secretary Arthur R. Curiel, in making the announcement this week, spoke with high praise of this year's hosts, the Gogginettes club, who report everything will be in readiness for what is expected to be the best tournament of the association's history.

Of outstanding importance and calculated to be a big attraction is the novice open pair championship, sponsored this year for the first time for the benefit of bridge players who do not feel themselves sufficiently capable of competing against the more expert players. The "Gogginette Trophy for Novice Open Pairs" will be awarded to the winner in the form of a replica.

The cream of the crop, however, will be locked in competition for the masters individual championship. Only top ranking players according to total master point holding are eligible for this event. Dr. A. M. Curtis of Paterson, New Jersey is last year's winner and will be entered again

in Detroit. Perhaps by far the largest number of entries will be in the two open pair championships for masters and for non-masters. This expectation is based upon the central location of the host city and reports of probable attendance from areas not heretofore represented in the nationals such as New Orleans, St. Louis, Montgomery and Los Angeles. The 1940 winner in the open pair were Miss Hazel Facey and L. A. Fields, of New York City.

Considered one of the favorite events is the mixed pair championships. In previous years this has been a strong puller of entries. The current champions are Mrs. Cassie Davis and G. F. Benoit of New York City.

Of course, tremendous interest will probably be shown by the weaker sex for the women's pair championships, won in 1940 by Mrs. Rosanna Johns and Mrs. Eloise Morris of New York. Because of the large female membership of the Gogginettes, besides event is destined to draw a considerable local turn out.

Letting Him Down
Harry: I heard everybody laughed when you were ice skating.

Dick: I didn't mind all that, but when the ice started making cracks that was too much.
1st Time

One Too Tall-The Other Not Called



Good news was received on N. C. Campus last week when word came the Downing (right) and Colbert stars on last season's basketball championship team of the CIAA would possibly return for school next year. Downing who stands six feet eleven inches in his socks, was too tall for Uncle Sam's army and Colbert is in a deferred class. It's just sad news for other teams throughout the CIAA circuit since both men are considered tops in their field of sports.

McDaniel Seeks Third U. S. Crown

Tuskegee — (Special to the TIMES) — Jimmie McDaniel, Xavier University, New Orleans, Louisiana, National Singles Champion of the American Tennis Association and National Intercollegiate Champion, Richard Cohen runner up in National singles play; Clifford Russell and Howard Minns, Tuskegee Institute, National Doubles Champions, will begin the long trail which they hope will lead to more glory and they will probably be placed at the top of the domestic seeded list for the Men's National Singles Tennis Championships which open on the morning of August 18th at Tuskegee Institute.

The Championship in which McDaniel will seek to add his third United States Crown will probably draw an entry list of over 90 players. Of these ninety players sixteen will be seeded on past and present seasons' records. Other players probably eligible for seeding are: Lloyd Scott of Prairie View State College; Harmon Fitch of Winston Salem, North Carolina; John Chandler of Farmwood, New Jersey; T. R. Lawson, Prairie View State College; Wilbur Clarke of Chicago, Royal Weaver of Pennsylvania, W. E. Jones of Baltimore, Maryland; Warren Weaver also of Baltimore, John L. McGriff, Jr., of Portsmouth, Virginia, and Tommie Walker of Chicago.

Mrs. Agnes Lawson of Prairie View, the Singles Queen of the United States, is going to have her hands full this year in making her bid for her second Championship. The women's singles bracket will have between sixty and seventy players. Of this number eight will probably be seeded. At the present time it would seem that the following are eligible: Margaret and Roumania Peters of Tuskegee; Flora Lomax of Detroit, Michigan (former National Champion) Lillian Birch of Detroit, Michigan; Francis Gittens of Brooklyn, New York, Juliette Harris and Miss Scott of Los Angeles, California; Mayme Stanley of Tuskegee Institute and Celestine Haekett of Tillotson College, who scored a sensational victory over the National Champion, Mrs. Agnes Lawson to win the Southwestern Championship in June this year.

Johnie Stevenson
Willie Alston
James Greene
Dallas Cole
Isaac Avery.

Not All Southern Policemen Are Hopeless Says Paper

Atlanta, (Special) — So many reports of ill treatment by southern officers are chronicled that it is a welcome relief to remember that these do not represent every policeman. An editorial in the Atlantic Journal last week said:

"An automobile containing seven Negroes crashed through the side of a bridge and went into Yellow Jacket creek, four miles north of LaGrange, at 3:30 o'clock Sunday morning. Charlie Poythress was pinned between the wreck car and a post of the bridge. His fellow passengers could not release him. Along came two troopers of the Georgia State Patrol. They could not free him.

"One of the troopers, G. W. Goss, got into the water to support Poythress and save him from drowning while his partner, Lee Dillingham, went for help. For one hour and a half Trooper Goss stood in the torrent water up to his neck, holding up the head of the injured man. Eventually a truck equipped with chains pulled the car so the victim might be liberated. He died a few hours later from loss of blood.

"Trooper Goss told the LaGrange Daily News: 'I talked to him on every subject under the sun to try to take his mind off his injuries—I wish that Negro had lived. He had as much courage as any man I ever saw.'"

"There is only one Negro problem between the brave and the honest of the two races. That is the problem of mutual assistance in a dignified and sometimes cruel world."

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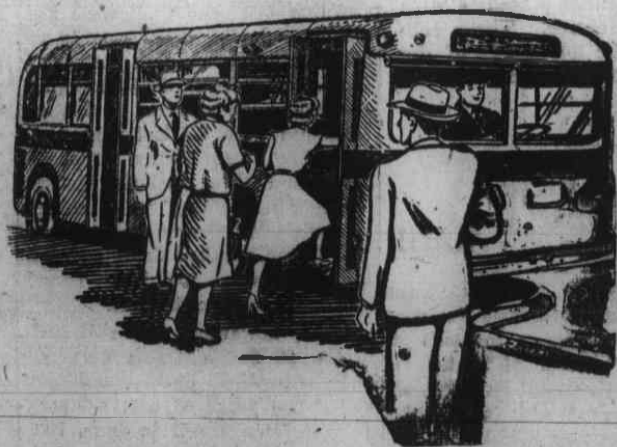
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Eight Negro Boys In Soap Box Derby Sunday, July 27th

Durham — As the final plans get under way for the annual soap box derby here Sunday afternoon, eight Negro boys are getting their sleek cars into top form for this event in which colored lads have finished near the top for the past three years. Under the supervision of W. H. Cole, Jr., most of the colored entrants shop using the manual training shop of Hillside Park High School for the building of their cars, while other prefer working in the secrecy of their own back yards.

The boys who have made known their intentions to enter the Derby are Warren Palmer, Robert Palmer, Rufus King, LeRoy Weaver, Thomas Hubbard, Ellis Underwood, Leon Gholston, Roosevelt Revels. The winner of first place in the local derby Sunday afternoon will be given a trip to Akron, Ohio, to take part in the national derby. More than 62 white entrants have registered at this writing.

There are, we regret to report, a few Americans who continue to favor a Hitler peace for the world.

The sporadic advertiser is like the man who took his medicine three days and then forgot all about it.

The year is more than half over but you can still help save lives by driving carefully on the highways.

BAKER SETS PACE IN BIKE CONTEST

Durham — At the end of the first week of the CAROLINA TIMES Annual newsboys bicycle contest, Claude Baker, winner of first prize in last year's contest, is ahead and is setting a rapid pace for his fellow contestants. Running a very close second to Baker is James Rogers who declares that he is out for the bicycle this year. Charles Tapp is third, while Cleveland Ray came in fourth.

Although the boys have sold papers for just one week in the contest, it is highly probable that the prize to be given at the end of the eighth week will go to one of those four. Attractive second and third prizes (to be announced later) will be awarded also.

The contest was launched with a get-together of 55 newsboys, Tuesday afternoon, July 15, at the Carolina Times Office. Circulation manager W. A. Tuck gave the contestants entrance blanks which they took home to fill out in the presence of their parents. The rules of the contest were also read and each contestant was given a copy of the rules. The get-together was climaxed with a gala watermelon slicing, after which the boys paraded to the Regal Theater to see a thrill-packed picture.

Help Your Favorite Newsboy Win The Bicycle
Here are the standings of the FIRST TEN contestants:

- Claude Baker, Jr.
- James Rogers
- Charles Tapp
- Cleveland Ray
- Benjamin Purefoy

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