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Charles Foxx

Negro In Fla. Air Show

MIAMI, Fla. — Charles R. Foxx, Negro aviator from Norfolk, Va., will participate in the All-American Air Manoeuvres here, January 13-15, marking the first performance by a Negro in the 21-year history of the event.

Foxx, 31, one of top Negro aviators in the country, operates a flight service in Norfolk.

He was born and raised in West Palm Beach, Fla., and learned to fly at Tuskegee Institute, Ala., where he was graduated in 1940.

The Norfolk airman trained hundreds of Negro fliers at the Army Air Corps training school at Tuskegee, where he was a check pilot during World War II.

Foxx will fly a modified Boeing A-75, powered by a 300-horsepower engine, equipped with a smoke trail device. He specializes in low level stunting.

STATE TO FACE 2 SCHOOL SUITS

Plymouth, Wilson To Sue As Negro Unrest Mounts

Two more equal education suits were scheduled to be filed in U. S. District Courts by Negroes this week, the CAROLINA TIMES learned here Tuesday. It was also disclosed that there is much unrest brewing in other sections of the State where glaring inequalities exist in educational facilities provided for white and Negro citizens.

At Plymouth, Attorney P. W. Bell informed the TIMES that it was definite that he would file suit in the Eastern District Federal Court in behalf of George Smith and other parents of Negro children against the State Board of Education, State Superintendent W. A. Erwin, R. F. Lowry, Superintendent of Washington County Schools.

To Speak Here



Dr. Sidney E. Mead, associate professor of the History of American Christianity, the University of Chicago, preaches at White Rock Baptist Church Sunday, January 8, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The occasion will be the 17th Pastoral Anniversary of Miles Mark Fisher. Dr. Mead will address the chapel assembly of North Carolina College Monday noon. He will be the honored guest at the annual meeting of heads of Departments of White Rock Baptist Church at the parsonage on Monday night.

Three Return From Meetings In Profession

Three North Carolina College faculty members returned to Durham this week from professional meetings in New York City during the holidays.

Dr. Joseph S. Himes and Dr. Alvin W. Rose, professors in the Sociology department, attended sessions of the American Sociological Society December 26-29 inclusive. Prof. Earl W. Phillips of the Department of Commerce attended sessions of the American Economic Association and the Econometric Society at the Commodore Hotel in New York City.

Woman, Children And Husband Meet Death In Va. On Christmas Night

PETERSBURG, VA. — An apparent suicide which resulted in the death of a mother, her two children and her husband shocked the Virginia State College campus here this week.

The victim of what the Medical examiners termed murder and suicide are Edward David Yeatman, 35, associate professor of Spanish at Virginia State; his wife, Mrs. Muriel, 26, Virginia State student; and their two children, Judith 6 and Carol 6.

Dr. D. T. Mann, state medical examiner and I. E. Bowen of the Chesterfield County police, concurred in their beliefs that the suicide was planned by Mrs. Yeatman, but that the resultant deaths of her husband and children were not planned.

The investigation revealed that Mrs. Yeatman, who had been ill for some time, tried to commit suicide by turning on all the gas jets in the kitchen, even that of the oven. She then opened the living room door and went upstairs to the bathroom.

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NAACP In Active Role In 'Trenton Six' Retrial

CAMDEN, N. J.—In response to inquiries concerning the part the NAACP will play in the retrial of the famous "Trenton Six" case, Dr. U. S. Wiggins, president of the New Jersey State Conference of branches of the NAACP and a member of the NAACP national board of directors, announced today that the Association will give technical, research and other assistance to the counsel of record in the case.

"Our legal redress committee has always believed that a serious violation of civil rights occurred in this case," Doctor Wiggins stated, "for the reason that the confessions relied upon by the prosecution were in its opinion the products of public misconduct of the grossest type. In addition, it was of the opinion that the available evidence would not sustain a conviction. These were the points presented to the Supreme Court of New Jersey in the NAACP brief and they will be pressed at the retrial."

Dr. Wiggins indicated that Chief Counsel Thurgood Marshall has been designated as chief NAACP counsel at the retrial, to be assisted by J. Mercer Burrell of Newark "and as shall be recommended by the such other New Jersey counsel New Jersey State Conference for the purpose of giving such technical, research and other assistance as counsel of record may desire."

"The New Jersey State Conference," Dr. Wiggins continued, "has issued no statement approving the conduct of either the trial judge or prosecutor in the original trial. Any other statement issued by any NAACP official represented a personal opinion only and was not the official expression of the NAACP."

No Substitute For FEPC Is Supporters' Cry

WASHINGTON — That civil rights will be the big issue before the Congress in the opening days of the second session is generally conceded by political observers and commentators. Dramatizing the issue will be the presence here of delegates from more than twenty states attending the National Emergency Civil Rights Mobilization, January 15-17.

The Mobilization, initiated by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and sponsored by 50 national churches, labor, civic, fraternal and minority group organizations, has focused widespread attention on the impending fight for enactment of FEPC and other civil rights measures.

Efforts of Senator Kenneth S. Wherry, Republican floor leader, to sidetrack the bill for a Fair Employment Practice Commission, replacing it with an anti-lynching bill, will be opposed by the sponsors of the Mobilization, Roy Wilkins, chairman and acting NAACP secretary announced.

"The collaborating organizations have agreed upon top priority for FEPC," Mr. Wilkins said. "Discrimination in employment affects more people and more diverse groups than does lynching, the poll tax or any other evil for which congressional remedy is now being sought."

NCC's Drs. Elder, Manley To Ohio For Deans' Meet

CINCINNATI, OHIO — President Alfonso Elder and Dean Albert E. Manley of North Carolina College at Durham are among the nation's top educators expected here Tuesday, January 9 for the sixth annual meeting of the American Conference of Academic Deans held in conjunction with the Meeting of the Association of American Colleges.

Meetings will be held at the Netherland Plaza Hotel following registration at 9 a. m. in the Hall of Mirrors.

Topics scheduled for discussion during the morning session include: The Liberal College and the Education of Women, led by President George Dinwiddie Stoddard, the University of Illinois; and Dean Elizabeth Eckhardt May, Hood College.

At the 11 o'clock discussion, the topic will be Future Plans and Programs of the Conference. Dean Frank Kille, Carleton College, and Dean Logan Wilson, Sophie Newcomb College, will be the discussants.

After the 2:30 business session, a panel on pre-professional education will be held.

AMA 2 Million Fight Against Health Plan Termed A 'Boomerang'

WASHINGTON — The American Medical Association's violent attacks on National Health Insurance were called a two million dollar propaganda boomerang yesterday by the Committee for the Nation's Health, a national group of doctors and laymen supporting the President's comprehensive health plan.

In its fourth annual report, the Committee declared that although the AMA has circulated 55 million leaflets violently attacking National Health Insurance, this stream of propaganda is making plain people everywhere realize that National Health Insurance offers them more medical care for less money than the limited service plans sponsored by the AMA.

The Committee for the Nation's Health was organized in 1946 to promote comprehensive national health insurance legislation. Its annual report was prepared by Dr. Channing Frothingham, General Chairman, and Michael M. Davis, Chairman of the Executive Committee.

Among the Vice-Chairmen and Board of Directors of the Committee are: Gov. Chester

Noted Historian Of Negro Slated To Speak At UNC

CHAPEL HILL — Dr. Herbert Aptheker, instructor in history at the Jefferson School of Social Science (New York) and prominent historian of the Negro people, will speak on the campus of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill on Wednesday, January 11, at 7:30 P. M. in Gerrard Hall, under the auspices of the Karl Marx Study Society. Dr. Aptheker's topic will be "The Roots of Negro Oppression."

Dr. Aptheker obtained his Ph. D. from Columbia University and was a Guggenheim Fellow in history, 1946-47. He is the author of several books, including American Negro Slave Revolts, first published by Columbia University Press, Essays in the History of the American Negro, The Negro People in America and To Be Free. His Documentary History of the

Well-Known Man Of High Point Dies

HIGH POINT — W. H. "Bill" Wilson died here at his home Monday afternoon of a stroke only a half hour after returning from Durham where he spent part of the Christmas holidays with relatives.

Mr. Wilson was reported in good spirits and feeling well upon leaving Durham about noon. He arrived here about two o'clock and died before 2:30.

The deceased was well-known in Durham where he was cashier at the Mechanics and Farmers Bank from 1920 to 1928. For 14 years prior to death, he was connected with the High Point Division of the State Employment Service. He was born in Durham some 58 years ago, son of William Henry and Mrs. Maima Wilson. He received his education in the public schools of Durham, Shaw University in Raleigh and North Carolina College at Durham.

Mr. Wilson was a member of First Baptist Church of High Point and the American Legion. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Fannie Raines Wilson, Shreveport, La.; four brothers: Egbert, Youngstown, Ohio; Har-



old, Philadelphia; Linwood, New York; and John Owen, New York; three sisters: Mrs. Dicey Nivens, Monroe; Miss Janie Wilson, Durham; and Miss Anna Bell Wilson, Brooklyn; three daughters: Mrs. Margaret Whisenton and Mrs. Lavenia Parker, Durham, and Miss Linnie Lois Wilson, Texas.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at White Rock Baptist Church in Durham.

TIMES, Citizens 'Taken' By 'Victim Of Vicious Georgia Slave System'

By CLATHAN ROSS — The TIMES, several sympathetic citizens, the pastor and congregation of a local church were taken for a proverbial ride by a man, claiming to be a victim of an overbearing, inhumane landlord on a Georgia farm.

Last week the TIMES carried a story across the top of the front page, headlined, "Escaper From Georgia Sharecropper System Finds Way Here." The pitiful and tear-jerking tale of a Negro, living with nine children and his wife on the farm of a white landlord near Milledgeville, Ga., who was abused by his landlord, denied pay for his year's work, beaten and chased off the farm.

This week the man faces a 12 month sentence on charges of soliciting under false pretenses, preferred by those who were moved to helping him by his convincing tale.

The man, who described himself as William Hunter, 43, was brought to the TIMES office Wednesday morning in a dishevelled condition and apparently suffering from fatigue, hunger and mental strain from his "long, 90 mile trek from Georgia."

The Hunter of last Wednesday was meek and docile, and wove a tale which savored of such genuine simplicity, seemed so pitiful and was so convincing that it evoked the sympathy of TIMES editor and publisher, I. E. Austin—in addition to that of this writer and the TIMES front office.

The Hunter at the trial in Recorder's Court Tuesday was cool, calm, and seemed a veteran at court proceedings. All semblances of a "meek, docile, hurt

"The Week's Lowest Stinker"
A college trained woman with a Ph.D. degree attached to her name swearing out loud in the street like a common alley rat because the driver of an automobile failed to hold out his hand to make a left turn. God Save Our Children!