



John F. Potts, Grand Basileus of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity announced today that Wendell F. Alston (above) Brooklyn, New York, special representative of the Esso Standard Oil Company has been appointed Public Relations Director for the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity.

Mr. Alston is a graduate of Johnson C. Smith University and has done graduate work at New York University and City College in New York. Mr. Alston has served as special representative of the Esso Standard Oil Company Public Relations Department for the past twenty-five years.

He is a member of Kappa Omicron Chapter of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity in New York, First Vice-President of the newly organized National Association of Market Developers; member of the Board of Directors of the National Negro Business League; former Vice-President of the Tri-Esso Club, Esso Standard Oil Company; and member of the Johnson C. Smith Alumni Association. He is also a member of Kings County Jurors Association, Brooklyn, New York; a 32nd Degree Mason, Shriner, Elk, and Episcopalian. He is married to the former Helen Scott, Brooklyn school teacher.

A Word About Scouting

But maybe your boy isn't a Scout. Theoretically, there is no barrier to his being one—because Scouting is for all boys, of whatever race, color, creed, or economic status—but, actually, maybe he can't be a Scout because of the lack of adults to work with him.

Behind every Scout unit—Boy Scout Troops, Cub Scout Pack, or Explorer Post, Squadron, or Ship—there must be a number of adults, volunteers who serve on the Troop committee to organize and be responsible for the unit. There must be Scoutmasters, and Assistant Scoutmasters—those tireless men who, believing in boys, are glad to help them develop into young manhood ready to take their places as intelligent citizens, their action based on the ideals of the Scout Oath and Law.

The volunteer Scouter is a most important person, but he does not give entirely; he also benefits. He gains dividends of pleasure and satisfaction which come from working with the most precious material in the world—human hearts and

part in their development; dividends of joy in working with young people and catching some of their faith and idealism and energy and happiness. For the man who works with youth retains his own youth.

In the words of Lord Baden-Powell, founder of the movement, Scouting is "a game for boys, under the leadership of boys, in which elder brothers can give their younger brothers healthy environment and encourage them to healthy activities."

Is your boy—like most American boys—continually looking for action and adventure? He can find it with the Boy Scouts and, in the finding, also acquire citizenship and manhood.

CHARLOTTE NEWS

Mrs. Maradon Belton of East Second Street motored to Philadelphia, Pa. recently along with other relatives to attend the funeral of her cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Grant and children of New York City are visiting the parents of Mrs. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. White Blackwell in Jefferson, S. C. They also visited her aunts, Mrs. Mollie Duren and Mrs. Rosa Stratford in Charlotte, also J. W. Duren an uncle.

Rev. F. M. Allen, pastor of Gethsemane A.M.E. Zion Church has returned from Louisville, Ky., where he attended the General Sunday School Convention of the A.M.E. Zion Churches.

Eugene E. Potts, better known as "Genial Genial," disc-jockey of WGIV, is on vacation, visiting friends in New York City and

other parts of the East.

Mrs. Paishen Campbell of 905 E. Hill Street was visiting friends in Philadelphia and other surrounding cities. Mrs. Campbell return August 22.

ATTEND INSTALLATION
Members of Alpha Alpha and Alpha Beta Chapters of Alpha Gamma-Chi Sorority and escorts motored to Wadesboro to attend an installation ceremony of Alpha Eta Chapter after which Alpha Eta Chapter entertained the visiting chapters at McManus' Club. Mrs. Charlotte Hunter and Mrs. Lula White Brown, field secretaries; were in charge of the installation.

Mrs. Sarah Brown Kirkpatrick funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Kirkpatrick of 120 South Cherry Street, who died Aug. 17 at her home were conducted Friday, August 20 at Ebenezer Baptist Church. The Rev. A. J. Ryans, the pastor, officiated, and burial was in Cedar Grove Cemetery.

Surviving Mrs. Kirkpatrick are her husband, Commodore Kirkpatrick; her mother, Mrs. Sarah Hendersin Brown; a sister, Mrs. Amanda Ingram of New York City; and two brothers, Elbert Brown of Newberry, S. C., and Dewey Brown of Charlotte; three nieces; and four nephews.

Mrs. Mary Ann Shannon

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Last rites were held for Mrs. Mary Ann Shannon, who died at 1925 Baxter Street, at Antioch Baptist Church, Dr. D. F. Moore, the pastor, officiated and burial was in the church cemetery.

Serving as active pallbearers were the trustees of the church, and honorary pallbearers were the board of deacons.

Surviving Mrs. Shannon are four daughters, Mrs. Janie Sinclair Alexander, Mrs. Minnie Anderson and Mrs. Vista Billings of Charlotte, and Mrs. Bessie Elizabeth Moore of Detroit, Mich.; two sons, John Shannon and S. T. Shannon, Jr., of Charlotte; a sister, Mrs. Flora Drew of Chattanooga, Tenn.; 16 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Reverend J. H. Moore funeral services for the Rev. J. H. Moore, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Wilmington, who died Aug. 17 in a hospital there, was conducted at 1 p. m. at the First Baptist Church in Wilmington. Burial was in Pembroke.

The Rev. Mr. Moore was formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church on Church Street, Charlotte.

Holdup Men Get Only \$244 From Savings & Loan

NEW YORK
Carver Federal Savings and Loan Association Bank was held up at 9:15 Thursday morning by two daring robbers but the haul was only \$244. in pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters because mere minutes before, Carver's cashier deposited between \$50,000 and \$100,000 in Manufacturers Trust Company branch just two doors away.

The hold-up men, Negroes, appeared at the bank 15 minutes after the doors opened for business. One stationed himself at the door as lookout

while the other strode over to teller Oscar Whitfield's cage. He order Whitfield in quiet tones to hand over the two canvas money bags. Each robber took one and ran out of the bank, jumping into a waiting sedan.

The job was pulled off so quietly that bank manager Joseph Davis was unaware of anything wrong until Whitfield shouted he had been robbed. During the whole time Davis had been talking to a customer with his back to Whitfield's cage.

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