

# Preachers Are Going Out Into The Highways & Biways' To Get Them

NEW YORK (AP)—Religious leaders of all faiths, despite hecklers' jeers, are shouting their gospels these days from platforms on the street corners in the heart of New York City from the hurrying masses, reports John Wicklein in an Oct. 16 New York Times feature article.

Wicklein reports that many organized groups — Protestant, Catholic and Jewish—are beginning to hold street meetings in midtown New York. One of which is, a Negro Pentecostal group, The Refuge Temple, whose preachers often can be heard on Eighth Avenue at 42nd street, beside the Franklin Savings Bank.

"ALL FIRST COUSINS" Pointing to the white people in the audience, one of the Pentecostal brothers shouted out last week, "We are all first cousins, you and you and you and me. I'll go down to Alabama and tell that to the Governor there." Then he laughed

and said, "I couldn't catch the plane night are conservative Protestants and the essence of their message just enough."

Most of the street preachers on Times Square from noon to mid-afternoon in Jesus Christ."

## Bishop Hilliard Speaker At Clinton Chapel AMEZ Church For Woman's Day

CHARLOTTE —Bishop William A. Hilliard, who presides over the 12th Episcopal District, AMEZ Zion Church, was the guest speaker for the Woman's Day program, held at Clinton Chapel AMEZ Zion Church, Rev. K. Melvin Taylor pastor.

The day is an annual observance throughout the denomination and features sermons and talks on missionary work. Bishop Hilliard is in charge of the

mission work in Nigeria. He told of the needs of the work and called upon the denomination to restudy the work and make extensive plans to augment it.

Hespeke from the subject, "What time is it?" He told the audience that it was really getting late and that there was a need for an awakening to a true spiritual life in the world, with an eye singled toward mankind. He admonished his hearers that too many people centered their eyes on themselves, to the extent that they could not see the needs of the other fellow.

The speaker charged that church membership had not kept abreast with the growth in population and said that this was due to the fact that too many did not have the power, nor the influence, to constrain others to the cause of Christ. "There are 232 million people in Africa and only 41 million Christians. This is a challenge to Christians, the world over," he stated.

Bishop Hilliard was quite concerned over the threat of communism to the Christian religion and true democracy. He was mindful that communism had made inroads in certain countries due to the fact that many democratic countries, including the United States, made them skeptical by the way they administer their democracy.

The wife of the prelate, Mrs. Edra Hilliard, who supervises the missionary work of his district, addressed the women, at the afternoon session. She wore an African costume. The message was directed to the women and told of the habits and customs of the African people. She pointed out the sincerity by which they went about their work and how anxious they were to get information.

She charged that the mode of transportation and the high cost of same, could not be considered an aid to getting the work done. She had reference to the fact that the district extended over a wide area and that travel had to be by plane or car. The cost of either was prohibitive to a limited budget. The couple returned to America the early part of the year, after having studied the work and its needs. They reported that the money available was far too inadequate for them to do an effective job and therefore they thought it best to return to America and tour, in order to carry the message to every nook and corner, in the hope that it would fall on receptive ears.

The Rev. K. Melvin Taylor, the officers and members, expressed a deep appreciation to the couple and assured them that they would aid. They were greeted by many churchmen, during their visit. Dr. A. P. Morris, secretary, Brotherhood Pension and Ministerial Relief; Dr. W. R. Lovell, editor, Star of Zion; Dr. J. Van Catledge, editor, Church School Literature; all general officers, who live in Charlotte, along with Alexander Barnes, Director of Public Relations and Social Welfare, Durham, attended the service.

## Dr. King Urges JFK To Give Proclamation

ATLANTA, Ga.—Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., President of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) last week requested the Chief Executive to issue a "second" Emancipation Proclamation.

The Atlanta minister, following the hour-long conference with Mr. Kennedy, said the request seemed "reasonable" since it has been nearly one-hundred years when the first Emancipation Proclamation was signed by Abraham Lincoln. The new proclamation would outlaw all segregation throughout the nation.

Dr. King revealed that the conversation with Mr. Kennedy covered several specific areas in addition to the Proclamation request. The SCLC chief officer urged the President to use the influence of his office to seek new civil rights legislation with an special attempt to include Section III of previous legislation. This piece of legislation grants the Attorney General the power to initiate suits in all areas of segregation that are violative of the 14th Amendment.

## Thompson School News

Mrs. Peebles' six graders presented as their assembly program, "It's Always Breakfast Time Somewhere."

The purpose of the program was to teach boys and girls good personal food habits and to interest them in eating a good breakfast every morning.

Breakfasts from Australia, Egypt, Brazil, China, and Norway were introduced to show that all good breakfasts around the world are similar, although some may look and taste unlike our own. Members of the American family were Brenda Mason acting as Mother; Carl Williams, Father; Otis Allen, son and Rosalind Jones acted as Jane. The American family was introduced to the breakfasts of other lands.

Phyllis Jones, Ernestine Bullock and Stanley Partin represented the Australian group. This group sang an Australian song "Waltzing Matilda."

The Egyptian group was represented by Jo: Ann Benjamin, Gwendolyn Ferrel, Earl Dunston, and Edward Watson. The song for this group was, "Go Down, Moses." They did an interpretive dance to this music.

The Brazilian group included Rita Jones, Alice Guess, Roland Williams, and John Dickens. These Brazilians sang "Sambalele" and danced the "Samba."

Ruth Harris, and Clifford Brown accompanied them with musical instruments.

The members of the Chinese group were: Thelma Perry, Leon Jeffries, James Adair, and Henry Louis Jackson. The "Feng Yang Song" was sung and musical instruments were played by the group.

The Norwegian group was presented by Ella Smith, William Bridges, Barbara Smith, and Gloria Jeffries. This group danced the "Norwegian Mountain Dance."

Each group was dressed in costumes represented by their country.

Alfred Hunter, William Thompson, Charles Smith, and Harold Smith acted as stage managers. Shirley Montague acted as mistress of ceremony.

Parents present were: Mrs. Pearl Smith, Mrs. Lillian Jones, and Mrs. Lena Perrell.

**PTA OFF TO A GOOD START**

The organization of the PTA was completed recently as various committee chairmen reported names of members appointed to work with them for this school term. Also, the grade mothers elected officers for this school term.

Douglas Sanders was chosen to represent the PTA at the District Three Conference of the North Carolina Congress of Parents and Teachers. The meeting will be held on November 4, 1961 in Franklinton, N. C.

Mrs. Minetta B. Easton, principal, gave remarks. Among them, was the importance of preparing for shelter for our children in case of fallout. She thanked the parents and visitors for coming and urged them to continue to come to PTA meetings.

Hats were off to Mrs. Amelia Peebles, one of the sixth grade teachers for having the largest number of parents present. She was presented a trophy to keep in her classroom until the next PTA meeting. Mrs. Louise Flagg presented the trophy. She was the recipient previously.

## Clinic Set For FSTC

FAYETTEVILLE—The annual International Association of Affiliated Basketball Official's clinic will be held on the campus of Fayetteville State Teacher's College, Sunday, October 29, beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Dallas, Shirley, one of the nation's outstanding cage officials, will be the consultant for the men's division of the clinic and Mrs. L. Woodyard and Miss Dorothy Spangler of Duke University's physical education department will be the consultants for the girls.

According to Robert Koenig, executive secretary of the IAABO in the Carolinas, 300 officials and applicants from North and South Carolina and Virginia will converge on the campus for the one day event.

Athletic Directors, basketball coaches (male and female) in the Carolinas and Virginia have been extended invitations to attend the clinic, the only one of its kind in this area this year.

## Student Council Installed At Shaw University Here

The officers and class representatives of the student body of Shaw University were officially installed by President W. R. Strasser at installation services held in Greenleaf Auditorium Monday, Oct. 16.

President Strasser charged the officers and representatives as to their responsibilities to promote the highest ideals of the college, which he stated will involve understanding and interpretation of the philosophy of the institution. He also stressed that the duty of the Student Council is to set examples of good leadership, openmindedness and unselfishness.

David Forbes, the student council president, accepted his challenge by pledging wholeheartedly loyalty to the high ideals of Shaw University, and also to strive above mediocrity in this era of competition.

The following officers were installed: David Forbes of Raleigh, president; Edward R. Mason of Aberdeen, vice-president; Ruby Pinchback, Yanceyville, recording

secretary; Betty Ridley of Raleigh, assistant secretary; Judith Moore of Raleigh, office secretary; Frances Mullins of Lakeland, Florida, treasurer; Leroy Waters of Hendersonville, business manager; Winifred Golliday, St. Louis, Mo., parliamentarian; Rose Hawkins of Philadelphia, Pa.; assistant parliamentarian, William Coleman of Pittsburgh, sergeant-at-arms; Percy High of Raleigh, chaplain; Cynthia Williams of Newport News, editor, Shaw Journal.

Members-at-large are, Freshman Class: Ester Wilson and Eric Harding, Sophomore Class: Blanch Hines; Junior Class: William Harrisfield and Kayreitha High; Senior Class: Louis Powell, Pauline Watkins, Virginia Totten; School of Religion, Clyde Johnson and Leo Williams.

America's dairy cows produced 122.3 billion pounds of milk in 1960—a billion pounds more than the year before.

## Urban League Upholds Randolph

NEW YORK—The National Urban League went on record today as supporting the position of A. Philip Randolph, AFL-CIO vice president, regarding views he has expressed in relation to discriminatory practices in some areas of organized labor.

The National Urban League, in a statement issued by Whitney M. Young, Jr., executive director of the organization reminded the AFL-CIO of barriers that still exist against equal job opportunity within its ranks and offered its

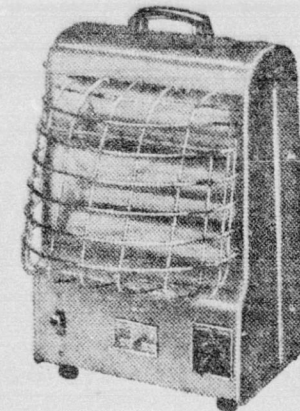
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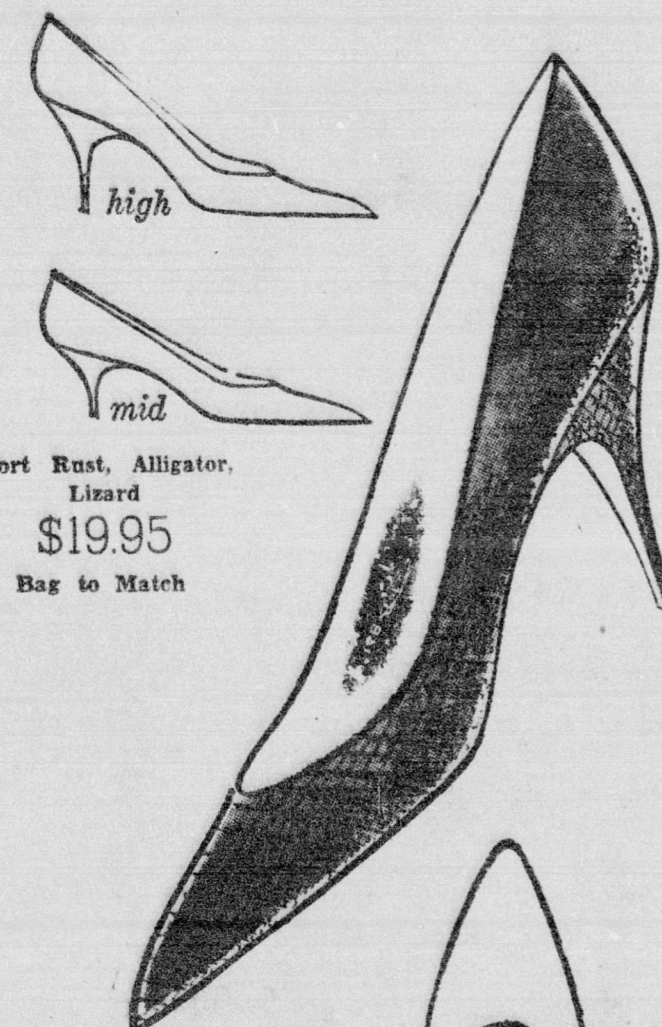
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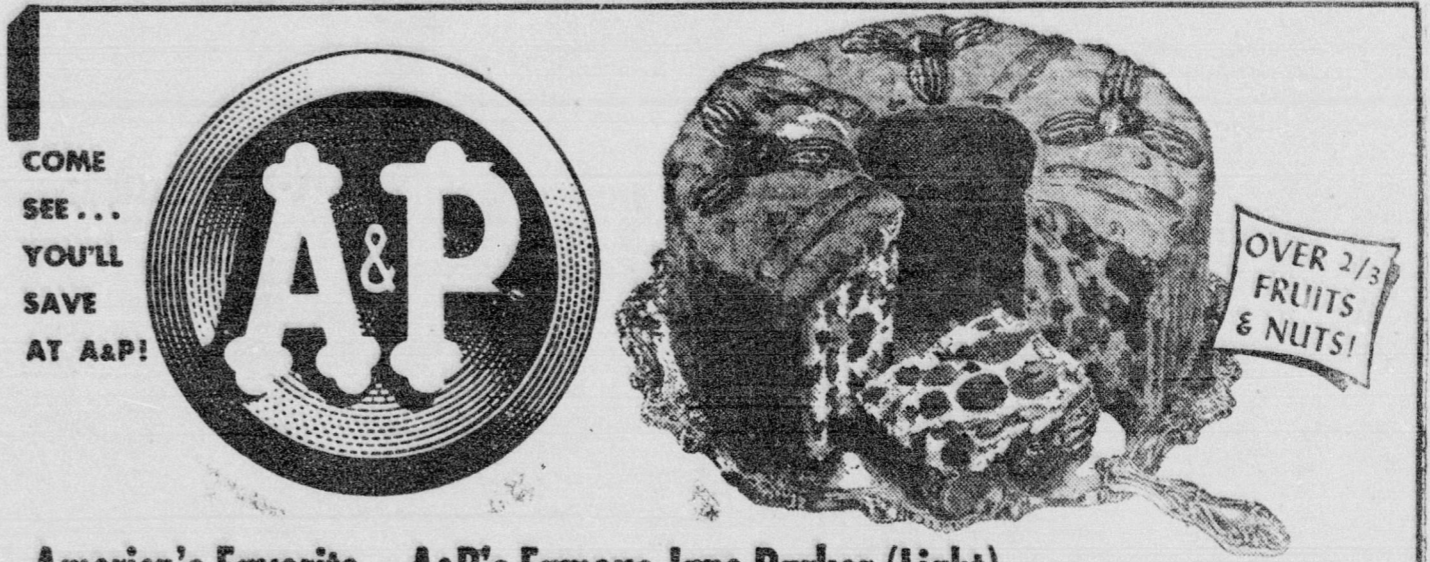


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