

Omaha Branch NAACP to hold Election Sunday Dec. 13 3:30 pm.

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Huachuca Surrenders; WAACs Take Over

CALL MEETING FOR ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
All members of the NAACP are urged to be present at the election of Officers, Sunday, December 13th, 1942.

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THE OMAHA GUIDE

JUSTICE OF EQUALITY ALL THE NEWS WHILE IT IS NEWS HEW TO THE LINE

LARGEST ACCREDITED NEGRO NEWSPAPER WEST OF CHICAGO AND NORTH OF KANSAS CITY —MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED NEGRO PRESS
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Negroes Receive More than \$1,500,000 In Construction Work In Vital War Areas DEMAND FULL USE OF NEGRO MANPOWER

Negro workers have received more than \$1,500,000 in the construction of schools, hospitals, recreation buildings and other community facilities in vital war areas, according to a recent report to Major General Philip B. Fleming, Federal Works Administrator, by William J. Trent Jr., Racial Relations Officer. This amount represents payments to skilled and unskilled Negro labor employed on war public works during the first ten months of 1942.



"HE'S WILLING, HE'S CAPABLE, AND WE NEED HIM — USE HIM!!"

More than half of the total payrolls on projects in North and South Carolina was earned by Negro labor, more than a third in Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi and Virginia. In South Carolina Negro workers earned 23 percent of the skilled payroll; in Kentucky, 22 percent and in North Carolina, 16 percent.

LACK OF FUNDS FORCES CLOSING OF ALA. TRAINING CLASSES FOR NEGROES

Birmingham, Ala. (C)—Though skilled workers, approximately 20 the war industries of Alabama and of the State's 30 training classes all over the South are hungry for

Washington, D. C.—Declaring that "the Negro views the imminence of compulsory service with real alarm because it threatens to freeze him at his present employment level, which is substantially below his ability", Leslie Perry, administrative assistant of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, submitted this week a statement to the Pepper Sub Committee on Senate Resolution 291 providing for a full investigation of the man power resources of the nation and their most advantageous use in the war effort.

The NAACP expressed "deep and (Continued on page 2)

SCORE LUCKY STRIKE MAKERS FOR RACE SLUR

SEEK REDRESS FOR SENATE INSULT TO CLERGYMEN

Washington, D. C.—Seeking redress for discourtesies to A. Philip Randolph and several other New York Ministers by Capitol police on the day of the cloture vote on the anti-Poll tax bill, the Washington Bureau of the NAACP immediately requested that the victims issue affidavits so that charges might be filed and trial be had of the offending officers with adequate punishment for the guilty. The NAACP brought the case to the attention of Philip Levy, Secretary to Senator Robert Wagner of New York, who also called on Col. Chesley W. Jurney, Sergeant at Arms of the Senate for a full statement of the facts as a basis for subsequent action.

Pickets Stop Showing of "Birth of A Nation"

New York, N. Y.—Three hours after the NAACP had thrown a picket line around the 55th Street Playhouse on December 2nd, the infamous motion picture "Birth of a Nation" which was being shown at the Theatre was withdrawn from the screen and posters advertising "Abraham Lincoln" as the Theatre's next attraction went up.

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18 AND 19 YEAR OLDS SWORN INTO ARMY



NEW YORK—Beating the draft law, which embraces youths of their age class, here is a group of boys all from 18 to 20 years of age, being sworn into the United States Army by Captain Emil Fichter. The scene is Grand Central Palace, now the country's largest induction center. All the boys came armed with parents' consents for the enlistment.

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY!

December 24. Third, Men who reached their eighteenth birthdays in November or December, 1942 will register during the period beginning Saturday, December 26th and ending, December 31st.

YOUTHS AWAY FROM HOME WHO ARE SUBJECT TO THE DECEMBER OR SUBSEQUENT REGISTRATION ORDERS MAY REGISTER WHEREVER THEY ARE BY REPORTING TO THE LOCAL BOARD OFFICE HAVING JURISDICTION OVER THE AREA WHERE THEY ARE LOCATED.

Enlisted reservists and advanced ROTC students under government contract are not required to register. Local boards will add the names of December registrants to their records in order of age (oldest man first) immediately following the files of 18 and 19 year olds who registered in June. Order numbers for the new registrants will be assigned by age and therefore no national selective service lottery will be necessary for the December or subsequent registrations.

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NEW FLYERS COMMISSIONED AT TUSKAGEE—The young officers pictured above recently received their wings at Tuskegee Army Flying School. They are left to right: Nathaniel M. Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Hill, Washington, D. C.; William T. Mattison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mattison, of Conway, Arkansas; Dean E. Mohr, whose wife is the former Miss Louise Leonard, of Detroit, Michigan, and Melvin Thomas Jackson, of Warrenton, Oregon.

GOVT OF LIBERIA GIVES U. S. RIGHTS IN NEGRO REPUBLIC

The Government of Liberia has granted to the United States for the duration of the war the right to construct, control, operate and defend airports in Liberia and to assist also in the protection and defense of any part of the Republic which might be liable to attack during the present emergency. It was announced by the Department of State.

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