

INTERRACIAL COMMITTEE OF GEORGIA MEETS

Plans Campaign for Anti-lynching Law, Educational Advantages and Justice to All in Courts

Atlanta, Ga., March 26.—Enactment of an effective anti-lynching law, provision of a state institution for de-

linquent colored girls, survey of housing condition, and the securing for colored people of more adequate educational advantages, better conditions of travel, and justice in the courts, were among the immediate objectives set by the Georgia Committee on Interracial Cooperation at its recent annual meeting in this city. Sixty members of the committee were present from all sections of the state, both

whites being represented by leading ministers, educators, business and professional men, social workers and club women.

It was unanimously agreed that the effort for more effective legislation against lynching should be kept up. To this end the executive committee was instructed to have a suitable bill drafted and to work for its passage. Unfair discrimination in the distri-

bution of school funds was brought to attention of the committee by Dr. T. J. Woolter, Jr., of the interracial staff, and the executive committee was instructed to give the facts to the public in pamphlet form and through the press. The need of better housing conditions was repeatedly emphasized and a study of these conditions was ordered, in order that they may be brought to the attention of

the authorities and the public.

Bishop F. F. Reese of Savannah is chairman of the committee and Clark Foreman of Atlanta is the executive secretary. Rev. P. J. Bryant and Mrs. H. R. Butler, of Atlanta, head the colored sections of the committee. New committees have recently been organized in Augusta, Columbus and Macon.

PAGEANT WINS PLAUDITS

Kansas City, Kan., March 26.—Freedom is a new triumph in Wichita, Kansas, Miss Ada Croghan, has contracted to direct her pageant. "Mile-Douglas hospital. The pageant, produced in Wichita March 5 to an audience of 4,200, drew unprecedented newspaper publicity and commendation.

LINCOLN NEWS AND COMMENT

Last week's news was received too late for publication.—Editor Monitor.

Mrs. Anna Christman entertained the Utopian Art Club at her home last Thursday night. Quite a few members were present. The meeting was a profitable one.

Rev. H. W. Botts spent last week's end with his brother in Omaha.

A ten days' meetings are in progress at the Newman M. E. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. C. Stith were called to Omaha Monday on account of serious illness of their sister, Mrs. Mays.

Rev. M. C. Knight accompanied Bishop Carey to Omaha last Tuesday on business.

Bishop Carey of Chicago, who has charge of the A. M. E. churches of this district, visited with Rev. M. C. Knight and his church Sunday and Monday of last week. The woman's day program was scheduled for the day, and Bishop Carey was principal speaker, and his presence brought immense crowds to each service, and his preaching and words of encouragement were well taken by all. A banquet was given in honor of Bishop Carey in the basement of the church Monday night, which was the occasion of a large crowd, who whiled away the time in festivities and speech. Bishop Carey enjoyed his visit here, he said.

The Troubadours gave their play entitled "Return to Africa Under Marcus Garvey" in Masonic hall last Friday night, which is said to have had a splendid audience, and the play was creditable.

Mrs. Marie Copeland and her assistants had an abundant success with a banquet in the dining room of Mt. Zion Baptist church last Friday night.

There are numerous persons confined with illness: Mrs. Katie Graves since returning from California recently; Mrs. Jennie Johnson, Mrs. Evelyn Johnson, Mrs. M. Lovin, Mrs. M. Wilford, Mrs. Wm. Burden, Jas. O'Donnell and others. Ye correspondent is on the mend since two weeks' confinement with illness at home.

All churches held regular services Sunday. The pastors had good audiences with all regular auxiliaries.

SARAH RECTOR PAYS INCOME TAX SHORTAGE

(Associated Negro Press) Kansas City, Mo., March 26.—Sarah Rector Campbell, the wealthy oil heiress, has agreed to pay \$411 shortage in her income tax for 1923. Mrs. Campbell appeared at the revenue office last week following the statement of government officials to the daily papers that she had repeatedly refused to discuss the matter.

PURGE SCHOOL BOOKS

Cambridge, Mass.—All public school books containing the word "Nigger" and extreme Negro dialect were ordered withdrawn by school authorities at the representation of the Equal Rights League.

MISSOURI NEGRO INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

Washington, D. C., March 20.—(Columbian Press Bureau)—The Third Biennial Report of the Missouri Negro Industrial Commission, compiled by its secretary, Robert S. Cobb, portrays a picture of absorbing interest concerning Missouri's quarter million of colored people. Agricultural, industrial, and health conditions have been brought to light in Mr. Cobb's report; and if no other service had been rendered by the commission than the tabulation of such significant facts, as are shown in the report, the commission would have rendered valuable assistance to the state of Missouri and the public officials who are charged with directing the welfare of the state. The report reveals that cotton acreage, cultivated by Negro cotton hands, is increasing rapidly in southeast Missouri, and that incoming Negro migrants have shown interest in farming and agricultural opportunities offered by the state of Missouri.

It is rumored in the east that democratic members of the Missouri legislature intend to strike out the appropriation allotted to the Negro Commission, and thereby cause its functions to lapse. It is doubted, though, that public-spirited citizens of Missouri, regardless of their political alliances, will permit the work of the commission to be ruthlessly dissolved.

HOLD COL. YOUNG MEMORIAL

Kansas City, Mo., March 26.—(By the Associated Negro Press.)—Memorial services for Colonel Chas. Young were held here Sunday afternoon by the Beta Omega chapter of the Omega Psi Phi fraternity. The service was unique in that all the speakers on the program knew Colonel Young personally and intimately. They were the Rev. William H. Peck, and Dr. T. C. Chapman, students at Wilberforce under Colonel Young; Dr. William Love and Bishop W. T. Vernon.

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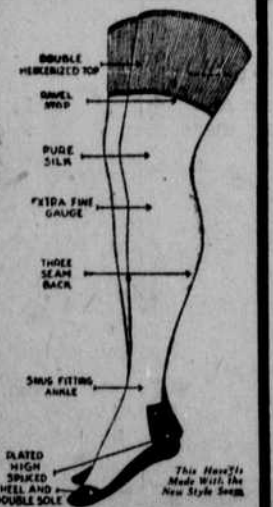
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