



Views of the Paul E. Johnson Therapeutic Light Factory, the remarkable manufacturing establishment built up in Chicago by Paul E. Johnson, where he gives employment to many persons of both groups and makes physiotherapy lighting units which are being used by the leading physicians and hospitals of the country.

BUILDS GREAT FACTORY IN CHICAGO

Chicago.—Starting at the age of 15, a little more than 19 years ago, Paul E. Johnson has become one of the largest manufacturers of therapeutic lamps in the world. His line includes incandescent, carbon, and a special heat or infra-red lamps, made in different types and styles. The year 1925 showed cash receipts of \$139,564.

This indomitable Georgia boy has succeeded in the face of the stiffest opposition, the prejudiced competition of big white interests in a field which has been thought to be the special prerogative of the white race.

A few months ago the American Medical Association went on record as endorsing light therapy. Physicians all over the world have acclaimed the value of light in relieving pain, for the treatment of tuberculosis, ulcers, amnesia and nervousness. Johnson's lamps are also used in the industrial field. Sears-Roebuck & Co. has installed them in its women's rest rooms, finding that the use of them adds thousands of unit hours to the time of the female employees. The lamps are used for innumerable purposes.

Of course, it might have been expected that when this young colored man began to exploit this market, he should have met the studied, obstinate resistance of the General Electric Co., the only manufacturers in America of quartz burners Johnson needed in his products. He fought this company for years until he finally outwitted them by inventing a better substitute. He now makes lamps that give the energy desired from quartz burners and in superior form.

His products find wide sale in America, especially among physicians located in the south (strangely enough), and are in use in the health department of the city of Chicago, at the University of Chicago, Northwestern university, Cook County hospital, the North Chicago hospital, Baylor university, Dallas, Tex.; Washington university, St. Louis, Mo.; Western Reserve university, Cleveland, O.; the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance company and at institutions and hospitals of smaller rank throughout the country.

Johnson's plant runs from Albert street in Chicago back to an alley, on the edge of the West Side manufacturing district of the city. It furnishes adequate space for perhaps 200 per cent more business than he is now doing, although he has increased his business more than 600 per cent in the last five years. The personnel of the plant is selected according to merit and consists of workmen of Polish, Jewish, Negro, Swedish, German, and Irish extraction. His factory equipment consists of punch-presses, drill-presses, screw machines, die casting department, copper and nickel-plating department, japanning and tool making department in the south half of the building. In the north half are the offices, show room, stock, assembly and shipping rooms. In July, 1907, Johnson started in

with Charles H. Killough as an office boy and porter at \$4 a week. Killough's business was the sale of new and second-hand furniture and instruments for physicians' use. When he left Killough five years later he had charge of the shipping room, repair work, installation of new equipment and sold goods whenever the manager was out to lunch, out of town, on vacation, or when he was busy with another customer. That's the way Johnson learned the game. He did not go to school, but pinched his knowledge during an unsuspecting apprenticeship.

Even in those days his color, or race worked against him and bred within him the desire to make good for himself in the line, or profession he was learning. The factory which bears his name today is the fruit of that early desire. Leaders have been telling Negroes that they must get out of the consuming class into the class which produces. Johnson has done that.

COMMUNITY CHEST MAKING PLANS FOR FALL CAMPAIGN

Organization of the Community Chest for the fall campaign and the work of the coming year will be completed soon with the election of the board of governors. This group, representing various races, creeds, nationalities and business and social interests, will be able to speak for the whole city in the administration of the thirty charity and social welfare agencies that co-operate in the Chest.

A. H. Richardson, president of the Chest, already has the budget committee and the executive committee at work, and the chairman for the fall drive, J. E. Davidson is working upon the preliminary organization of the campaign when \$430,000 will be asked for the 1927 work of the chest.

The success with which the chest agencies have operated on a greatly reduced budget during the present year is pointed to as proving the general advantage of the economical organization of the charities under one supervision. With the general tendency toward restricting all expenditures, even those for charity during the last year the public has been saved from the repeated drives and tag days and lengthened personal solicitation which would have been forced upon the member agencies under the old, unorganized system. The chest members have strictly adhered to their pledge to make no request for money, except that asked for in the general campaign of the chest.

The tentative budget for next year—\$430,000—will demand a continuance of the policy of rigid economy. This sum is but \$28,000 more than was asked in the first chest drive four years ago, and yet it will be made to provide for the needs of all the original agencies except those eliminated for one reason or another, and in addition will provide for the finances of two great charity groups added last year, the Diocesan Catholic charities and the Jewish welfare services.

The chest, in other words, has demonstrated that it can save money over the former unbusinesslike methods. This is made possible because funds that were formerly spent in repeated drives, in the time of paid workers and for follow-up campaigns, can now be devoted entirely to the purposes of charity for which the donors intended them.

C. M. Wilhelm, chairman of the budget committee of the chest this year, is preparing to give hearings to all the individual agencies, so that his committee may finally compile the amount that will be absolutely necessary for charity and welfare work in 1927. The total will be the sum to be asked for in the fall campaign—but it will be very close to the \$430,000, which has been mentioned as the goal of that drive.

H. J. Pinkett, Attorney
NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL
In the County Court of Douglas
County, Nebraska.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROSIE McMILLAN, Deceased:

All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in said court, praying for the probate of a certain instrument now on file in said court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that a hearing will be had on said petition before said Court on the 5th day of September, 1926, and that if they fail to appear at said Court on the said 5th day of September, 1926, at 9 o'clock to contest the probate of said will, the court may allow and probate said will and grant administration of said estate to Dr. D. W. Gooden or some other suitable person, enter a decree of heirship, and proceed to a settlement thereof.

BRYCE CRAWFORD,
County Judge.

The Virgin islands, which were bought from Denmark were discovered by Columbus on his second voyage in the year of 1494.

Belgian Congo, Africa, which is owned by Belgium, is 909,654 square miles in area and 77 times as large as Belgium itself.

N. A. A. C. P. FORUM MEETS SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The N. A. A. C. P. forum will be held at Bethel A. M. E. church, Twenty-fourth and Franklin streets, Sunday afternoon at 4. Musical numbers will be furnished by the Boosters' quartet of St. John's A. M. E. church. Attorney A. P. Scruggs will give an address. Mrs. Carter will contribute a reading and a report on the recent conference will be given by the Rev. Russel Taylor. The program is in charge of Miss Gertrude Lucas.

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the Matter of the Estate of George H. Berkley, Deceased.

To all persons interested in the estate of George H. Berkley, deceased:

On the 21st day of July, 1926, Lula Berkley Williams, widow of George H. Berkley, deceased, filed her petition in the County Court of Douglas County, Nebraska, praying for an order dispensing with general administration. That said deceased, George H. Berkley, died in the city of Omaha on the 29th day of January, 1923, at which time he was a resident of Douglas County, Nebraska; that at the time of his death he had an interest through purchase on land contract in and to Lot 16, Block 1, Clarendon's Addition to the City of Omaha, Douglas County, Nebraska.

That the said Lula Berkley Williams in said petition set forth the following prayer: Wherefore, the petitioner prays that general administration may be dispensed with; that a decree may be entered herein fixing the time of death of George H. Berkley; naming the heirs-at-law of the said George H. Berkley and their degree of kinship to the deceased and the right of descent of the real property belonging to said deceased; that due and legal notice be given of the time and place of hearing on said petition, and that, thereupon, at the time fixed in said notice a hearing may be had and a decree of heirship entered, and that the petitioner may have such other and further relief as to the court may seem right and just.

That a hearing will be had on said petition before Honorable Bryce Crawford, County Judge of Douglas County, Nebraska, in the County Court House, Omaha, Nebraska, at the hour of 9 o'clock A. M., August 25th, 1926, unless continued by order of the court to determine whether or not the prayer of the petition shall be granted.

BRYCE CRAWFORD
County Judge.

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