

General Race News

METHODISTS HOLD SUCCESSFUL CONFERENCE

Wichita, Kas., Oct. 14.—The Kansas conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Church was in session here from Wednesday, Sept. 27th, until Sunday, Oct. 1st. The next session will be held in Coffeyville. It was one of the most successful sessions ever held in the history of the conference during the 41 years of its existence.

Bishop H. Blanton Parks, D.D., of Chicago, presided over the conference and offered some good common sense advice to the ministers and the people.

There were some strong and able addresses delivered including the address on the state of the country read by Dr. J. R. Ransom, of Kansas City, Kas., which was an important document. Dr. Ransom is one of the best posted men in the conference. The ministers assigned to the Omaha District to pastorates in Nebraska are as follows:

J. C. Owens, presiding elder; St. John, Omaha, W. T. Osborne; Allen Chapel, Omaha, J. H. Nichols; Lincoln, J. S. Payne; Nebraska City, to be supplied; Beatrice, H. H. Dent.

CHICAGO COLORED WOMEN ORGANIZE HUGHES CLUB

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 14.—The Colored women of this city who are real politicians, are now fully organized and ready to do aggressive work for the election of Hughes and Fairbanks.

The officers of the organization are: Mrs. E. L. Davis, chairman; Mrs. Irene Goins, vice chairman; Mrs. Ada McKinley, secretary; Mrs. Ella G. Berry, organizer; Mrs. Fanny Barrier Williams, chairman of publicity; Mrs. Irene Lewis, clerk.

The organization is a part of the National Bureau and is making an effort to reach every Colored woman in the twelve suffrage states, urging them of the importance at this time of casting their vote for the republican candidate for president, Charles E. Hughes.

TEXANS LYNCH ANOTHER NEGRO

Body of Black Found Hanging in Tree After Duel With Constable.

Gilmer, Tex., Oct. 14.—The body of Will Spencer, a Negro, riddled with bullets, was hanging to a tree near Graceton, Upshur county, Friday Oct. 6th, as a result of a lynching. Spencer and Constable Ed Harrell of Graceton fought a duel, in which the constable was slightly wounded, while Spencer was shot twice. The lynching followed.

WHITMAN REVIEWS COLORED REGIMENT

New York, October 14.—New York's new Colored regiment was presented its colors by Governor Whitman Sunday, October 1. The colors were the gift of the Union League Club and the presentation took place in front of the club. Governor Whitman delivered an address lauding the work of Colored soldiers.

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ORGANIZE TO BOOST BUSINESS ENTERPRISES

Tuskegee Institute, Alabama, October.—One of the most important forward-looking steps taken by the Executive Committee of the National Negro Business League which met last August in Kansas City, Missouri, was the decision to inaugurate definite plans for directly assisting Negro merchants to increase their business and to extend their influence in the communities in which they operate. A number of plans were suggested and considered and considerable thought put into the matter in order that the best and most effective plan might be adopted.

"Trade Boosting Campaigns" similar to those recently conducted in Nashville, Tennessee, and Atlanta, Georgia, seem at this time to be the most practical and effective way to help the Colored business men in all parts of the country and it was unanimously decided by the officers of the National League to urge Local Negro Business Leagues in all parts of the country to arrange to conduct these campaigns in their communities.

In November, 1915, a Trade Boosting Campaign was held in the city of Atlantic, Georgia, and the Negro merchants who participated in the movement have expressed themselves as being highly pleased with the results. Some of the merchants realized as much as a sixty per cent increase in their business as a result of co-operative advertising plans.

CELEBRATES 15TH YEAR OF BUSINESS SUCCESS

Jacksonville, Fla.—From a bootblack to a banker, by way of the fish and oyster business, is the record made in this city during the past fifteen years, by Charles H. Anderson, treasurer of the National Negro Business League, owner of the largest fish and oyster business in Jacksonville, and president of the successful Negro bank conducted by Anderson, Tucker and Co., in this city.

Prior to the big fire here in 1907, Anderson was a bootblack, ice peddler and peanut dealer at Pablo Beach. In the winter he sold fish and oysters and attended a night school. On September 22, 1901, after the fire he opened a fish and oyster house at 132 Broad street, and has been there ever since.

He celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of his fish and oyster business on Friday, September 22, 1916, and he was greeted by hosts of friends, white and Colored, with best wishes for continued success.

YORK, PA., TO BEGIN RACE COMMUNITY WORK

York, Pa.—The establishment of a community house for work among Colored people in this city was assured when the property of the Warner estate located on the north side of Faith Presbyterian Church on North Duke street was purchased for that purpose, and passed into the hands of a joint committee of white and Colored people of this city under whose auspices it will be conducted. The price paid for the property was \$5,000 and it is estimated that \$2,000 more will have to be added to the purchase price to renovate the building and prepare it for the use it is intended.

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