



## Committee Is Appointed Clyde Malone Education

### R. Malone Named 1951 President

Wednesday, Feb. 28, a Clyde Malone education fund was officially established by the Urban League board of directors. The fund is to provide college training for any worthy student interested in race relations. The fund is established in honor of the former executive secretary of the league who died recently. A committee appointed to work out details of the fund will include Tom Pansing, chairman, Clayton Lewis, Mrs. Basilia Bell, Dr. M. F. Arnholt and Mrs. Helene Foe. A committee of interested citizens will be named to act in an advisory capacity with the board of directors committee.

A basketball game was held at the Urban League building Friday between the Omaha Lettermen and the Lincoln Silver Streaks. Proceeds went to the fund.

ROBERT T. MALONE was named president of the league board of directors for the coming year. Other officers elected were: Mrs. Roberta Molden, first vice president; Mrs. Helene Foe, second vice president; John Irving, recording secretary; Dr. M. F. Arnholt, treasurer. Financial committee include: Joseph Fenton, chairman, Mrs. Helene Foe, John Irving, B. G. Clark and Mrs. Ritha Banks.

A COMMITTEE appointed for the selection of a person for the position of executive secretary included Clayton Lewis, chairman, Judge Edward Fisher, Dale Weeks, Dr. M. F. Arnholt and Mrs. Basilia Bell.

MRS. SARAH WALKER was named by the board as acting executive secretary. She will also continue in her present position of group supervisor.

### Atlanta U. to Take Part In Education Program

ATLANTA. (ANP).—Atlanta university is slated to become the third Negro school to actively participate in the southern regional education program, according to "Regional Action in Higher Education," official publication of the Board of Control for Southern Regional Education.

Atlanta U.'s famed School of Social Work will in conjunction with the 13 southern states active in the educational plan and accept Negro students beginning in the 1951-52 school year.

Under the overall program 128 students of both races will attend regional schools. Of this number 53 Negroes will attend Atlanta. Each participating state will pay Atlanta U. \$750 for each student enrolled.

Under present plans, the following states will give \$39,750 for the education of 53 Negro students in social work:

Alabama 5; Arkansas, 5; Florida, 5; Louisiana, 3; Mississippi, 5; North Carolina, 10; South Carolina, 5; Tennessee, 5, and Virginia 10.

By joining in this program, Atlanta U. became the third Negro school to co-operate. Already Meharry Medical college is educating 47 dental and 108 medical students for \$220,875 under this program, and Tuskegee institute is teaching 27 students for \$20,250 in its veterinary school.

### Anderson To N.Y.

NEW YORK.—Marian Anderson, who is celebrating the tenth anniversary of her memorable return to America on Dec. 30, 1935, has just reached Portland, Ore., the mid-point of a tour of 50 North American and Canadian cities arranged by Impresario S. Hurok.

Miss Anderson, who has performed on three continents since last May, will return to New York via the midwest for her only Carnegie hall appearance this year on Sunday evening, March 25.

## Laase, Wright File For School Board Posts

When Lincoln citizens go to the polls for the primaries on April 3rd, they will be asked to vote for four people to fill as many vacancies on the Lincoln board of education. During the past week two able Lincoln citizens have announced their candidacy for the school board. They were Homer L. Wright, 436 So. 29th, president of the Elliott school Parent-Teacher association and Mrs. Leroy T. Laase, 743 So. 34th, wife of Dr. Leroy Laase, chairman of the Department of Speech at the University of Nebraska.

In a prepared statement, Wright declared that Lincoln has the resources to develop one of the nation's finest school systems and that the attainment of that goal requires the fullest confidence and co-operation of the entire community. His platform is based on four main points:

1. Foresight and judgement in a long-range building program.
2. Development of a salary schedule to insure high quality teaching.
3. Democratic exercise of policy-making without dissension.
4. Positive leadership in re-establishing wholesome working relationship within the school system.

In her statement, Mrs. Laase said, "I am not filing in order to run 'against' anyone. I am running 'for' the school board on the basis of my interest and qualifications. In a democracy, there should always be several interested candidates with somewhat different qualifications from among whom the citizens may choose." Her platform includes:

1. Favor of the building program to meet the educational needs of expanding enrollments.
2. A well-qualified staff of teachers and administrators working in harmony and with a sense of security.
3. An adequate, up-to-date curriculum.

The terms of Robert C. Venner and Mrs. Roscoe Hill are expiring this year. Venner has already filed for reelection and Mrs. Hill is expected to be a candidate.

### Mrs. Sampson to Speak At Lincoln Convocation

Mrs. Edith Sampson, Alternate delegate to the U.N., will address a Nebraska University Convocation Friday morning at 11:00 A.M., at the Student Union, 12th and R Streets.

## .O.C. Week Is To Be Observed March 11-17th

Observance of the Vocational Opportunity Week will be held March 11 thru March 17 at the Urban League. Fifty-six affiliates of the National Urban League are participating in this program.

The main objectives of the Vocational Opportunity Campaign is to stimulate the Youth to train and prepare for jobs; it also seeks to equalization of opportunities for education and vocational training; full opportunity for job placement for all who are trained and qualified; to convince employers that it is to their advantage to hire workers according to their preparation and skills regardless of race, color, religion or national origin.

Friday, a group of Whittier Junior High and Lincoln High School students met with Mr. C. W. Holmes, General Chairman and formed a co-sponsoring organization to assist in stimulating interest in the Vocational Program.

Officers chosen are:  
Beverly Holcomb, Co-Chairman.  
Mattie Sue Nevels, Vice Chairman.  
Vonna M. Finley, Secretary.  
Emma White and Ida Adkins, Sgt. of Arms.

### Lincoln Jaycees Sponsor Forums

The Lincoln Junior Chamber of Commerce will sponsor this spring a series of forums on topics of local concern, according to an announcement Thursday by Lincoln Jaycee President, Pat Ash.

The Lincoln Forum series will be free to the public and through the cooperation of the Extension Division of the University of Nebraska and the Jaycees the "town hall" meetings will be held in the auditorium of Love Memorial Library at 8:15 on the evenings of March 13, April 11 and May 9.

The topic for discussion on Tuesday, March 13, will be: "Should Nebraska have a sales tax?" Ash said that the moderator and the members of the panel

for the first forum would be announced during the first week of March. The topics for debate in April and May will be, respectively, "What Will Lincoln Be Like in 1975?" and "How Can You Provide for An Adequate Education for Your Child?"

The series of forums will be broadcast by both radio stations KFOR and KOLN. The Lincoln Jaycees plan to conduct a series of similar forums each year, the Jaycee president said.

This marks the first time that a Negro has ever presented an award at the Academy Award program. It is also the first time that any person not connected in any way with the motion picture industry has ever awarded a glittering Oscar.

## Bunche to Present Academy Award to Best Movie of Year

By Harry Levette  
HOLLYWOOD, Calif. (ANP). Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, director of the United Nations trusteeship division and Nobel Peace prize winner, will present an academy award to Hollywood's top movie maker, March 29, at the Pantages theatre.

The Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, sponsors of this event, announced this week that Dr. Bunche had accepted the invitation to present the Oscar for the best motion picture of the year.

The president was very friendly with the group and accepted its program with some enthusiasm. He assured it he was already doing all he could to see that the things they suggested are being carried out.

On the question of an emergency FEPC established by Executive Order, the President assured the Negro leaders that they did not have to sell him on this idea. He said he had already committed himself on the matter.

In a press conference held at Carver hall immediately following the conference with the President, Walter White pointed out that the Negro voters had not asked for as much as had labor and farmers, but it is a known fact, he continued, that the Negroes in Illinois, Ohio and California elected the president to office.

When the President took credit for the integration of Negroes into the United States Navy and Air Corps, Mr. White, mentioned the tremendous discrimination which is now being practiced in Korea against Negroes in the army. He presented fixtures to the President's assistant, David Niles which had been revealed by the NAACP special counsel Thurgood Marshall regarding court martials against Negroes in the armed forces on the fighting front.

In addition to the prepared statement presented to the President by the group, Mrs. Bethune commented that this emergency is not only an American emergency but one of world interest.

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## Chicago Major Receiving the DFC



Maj. Charles E. McGee, 31, of Chicago, as he was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross at South Dogpatch Air Base in Korea for extraordinary achievement and heroism in action recently by Gen. Earl E. Partridge, the commanding general of the

Fifth Air Force in Korea. Maj. McGee, who is the son of the Rev. Lewis A. McGee, pastor of the Free Fellowship church in Chicago, is a graduate of the University of Illinois in Champaign. His wife and two children live in the campus town. (ANP).