

"LEST WE FORGET"

In the Sept. 24th edition of the OMAHA GUIDE, we published a questionnaire submitted by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, to the Candidates for Presidency and Vice Presidency of the U. S. in the coming election. Has the Negro Political Leader in their respective communities asked the County Central Committee Chairman, the State Central Committee Chairman and your Congressman "who is asking you for support in your district, "What their nominee for President and Vice President says in regard to the answer, the questionnaire submitted by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People? It is the purpose of this Association to fight for the rights of every Negro citizen, and see that the Negro Problem is not evaded in this day of reconstruction as has been done in the past. There is a personal responsibility placed upon the heads of this nation, in their attitude regarding the injustices and intolerances heaped upon the Negroes of this Country. The National Association has asked for a plain declaration on the Negro problem in order to inform him how to cast his ballot in the coming election for the man who will stamp out racial segregation, promote higher education for Negroes, give them their pro-rata of employment, and see that the citizenship rights are protected, of every Negro throughout this land. Without any argument, every Negro in Politics, and every Negro Newspaper in the U. S. are aware of this fact: That the N.A.A.C.P. is the only organization in the U. S. that no paid political propaganda which tends to deceive or mislead the Negroes of our Country, will be accepted by the officials of this organization. Every Negro Newspaper and every Negro Political Leader should without hesitation, demand an answer from the Republican and Democratic Nominees in the coming election. No Negro Political Leader and no Negro Newspaper can rightfully say they are in a better position to know who their friends are in a National Political Campaign than the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People; an organization that is active 365 days a year in the interest of Black America. In our opinion regardless of our Local Political connections, the nominee who refuses to answer this questionnaire should not get any consideration whatsoever from any Negro Newspaper or Negro Political Leader. The Nominee will not get consideration from any one who has red blood flowing through their veins, regardless of any cash agreement, or positions that may be offered by the Nominee through their campaign manager.

NAACP. Questionnaire

Submitted for Political Office Seekers
SUBMIT QUESTIONNAIRE TO END POLITICAL
EVASION ON RIGHTS OF THE NEGRO

New York, Sept. 16—Asserting that heretofore the demands of the Negro had been "EVADED IN AN AMERICAN POLITICAL DISCUSSION WHEN THEY HAVE NOT BEEN REGALATED TO THE HATE-INSPIRING DIATRIBES OF DEMAGOGUES", the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has submitted to President Hoover and Franklin D. Roosevelt, a questionnaire calling for "PLAIN AND UNEQUIVOCAL DECLARATION ON THE SUBJECT OF RACE RELATIONS."

In its letters to both candidates the Association states that it is asking the questions to provide Negroes with a "competent and authoritative basis in determining their choice of candidates in the coming election." No questionnaire is being sent the Socialist or Communist party candidates, inasmuch as these parties have adequately declared themselves on the issues involved. The questions to which replies as full and as direct as possible are asked from the leaders of the two main political parties, are as follows:

"1. To what extent will you as head of your party, personally assume responsibility for ending the attitude of intolerance to Negro participation in politics in the South, manifested in schemes to prevent Negroes from qualifying as voters, tricks of lily-whiteism, and in devices to bar Negroes from Primary elections?"

"2. Will you seek to eliminate racial considerations from appointments and promotions under civil service, for example by substituting finger prints for the photographs now required for identification purposes?"

"3. Will you, if elected, appoint Negroes to office in proportion to their numerical strength in your party, including in your appointments, diplomatic and consular posts?"

"4. Will you endeavor to stamp out entirely all forms of racial segregation in the government service,

particularly in Washington?

"5. Will you take steps to open to Negroes opportunities for training and service without regard to race in the armed forces of the United States, including the academies at West Point, Annapolis, and New London, the air service and other branches?"

"6. Will you maintain a cordial and constructive interest in the federal-supported institution for higher education for Negroes—Howard University?"

"7. Will you favor enactment of a federal anti-lynching law and will you sign such a bill if enacted in Congress?"

"8. Will you protect the self-government and independence of the Republic of Liberia, and will you restore to self-government the black Republic of Haiti now dominated in fiscal matters by the United States government in the interest of American bankers?"

"9. Will you personally order that there be no color discrimination on relief and public works projects financed wholly or in part with federal funds and that Negroes be given a fair share of work on such jobs?"

"10. Will you personally order that in any expenditure of federal funds for educational purposes, there be adequate safeguards against race discrimination in the expenditure of such funds by the federal government or locally through states?"

"11. Will you in word and deed, so far as in your power lies, procure the recognition and observance of the full citizenship rights of the Negro in the United States?"

Everybody's going Where? To the Calloway Cabaret Benefit Dance for the Unemployed Married Men's Council.

The following statement was issued today by the Executive Committee of the Unemployed Married Men's Council of Omaha: "The Unemployed Married

Men's Council has confidence in Omaha. Many of us who compose it were born and have lived here all our lives. Some of us came here from other sections of the State or nation, but after our arrival became a part of the community. Recently conditions, over which we have no control, have resulted in our being out of

work and in many instances without money.

"We want work not charity, in consequence, we have banded together not only to create work but to make it possible for many who have unfilled wants to supply them without the actual organization representatives of all skilled trades as well as common labor. We can do anything from cutting the lawn to repairing the intricate machinery of a watch lay of cash. We have in our or- or clock.

"We have many wants, such as shoes, clothing, food, coats, etc., and you have many unneeded articles and odd jobs, so let's get together and swap. We charge for our services a reasonable fee payable in cash or goods. We will have an appraiser value your goods and we will give you its value in labor.

"We believe much more constructive work can be accomplished by helping each other than by complaining about conditions.

"We believe that we can have no stable prosperity unless industry receives a reasonable profit after paying to its employees a purchasing wage, instead of bare living wage. In this rich country people should be able to live instead of merely existing.

"Let us begin to build for a new and better prosperity by helping each other."

Signed: George E. Redding, former Live Stock and Commercial Trucker; Roy C. Sweet, Sec'y, and Treas., former telegraph operator, Chicago, Northwestern;

Robert Gabriel, Vice Pres., former switchman, Union Pacific. Executive Committee, Al Samler, former compositor; Frank Conrad, carpenter; James Victor former shipper clerk.

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HOME LOAN BANK BILL
 When President Hoover signed the Home Loan Bank Bill, he put forth an effort to save the small home owners from losing their life's savings, but like many other efforts that he has sponsored during his time as chief executive of this great government, he has only put the water in the trough.
 Last week the Omaha Guide extended to its readers the opportunity of registering at the Guide Office for a loan to pay off past mortgages and taxes on their homes. Not one,—yes, just one man has registered up to this time. What is it? The same old story! Are we truly like the bunch of mules, just got to have a little white horse lead us to the slaughter pen? Every Negro and white man who lives in this so-called prescribed district knows that he cannot get one dime loan from any financial institution in our city. Remember there is just a specific amount set aside in the Home Loan Bank Bill for the protection of home owners' property. Are you going to sit idly by and see the amount set aside for this purpose by the Home Loan Bill exhausted, and then holler for help. A well organized plan has been perfected by the Omaha Guide Publishing Company to help you save your home. It is to your interest to register today for your application blank. We know from given authority of what we speak. Today is the proper time to act!

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