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Cash For Unemployed

At the next meeting of the State Federal Relief Committee, I will offer a resolution providing for the payment of relief in money as wages, instead of in grocery orders, as at present. There is plenty of public work to be done in Omaha. If the unemployed person is connected with a job he can feel, and the public can feel, that he is earning what he gets and is not accepting charity, even though he is paid from federal funds.

"I don't believe in grocery orders. I have come around to believe in cash instead of grocery orders if you are going to give relief."

Atty. John Adams On The Radio

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, grew out of a small committee organized in 1909, after the terrible race riot in Springfield, Illinois Carter Woodson, the historian, says, "It sprang from whites and blacks who believed that some good can be accomplished by publicity, by agitation and memorializing the state legislatures and Congress for a redress of grievances."

From a small committee in the last 25 years, it has to a nation wide organization. It has over 400 branches covering 44 states, with membership running into the millions. It has press release in over 200 Negro newspapers, and in a great number of white journals.

- 1. A vote for every Negro man and woman on the same terms as for white men and women.
- 2. An equal chance to acquire the kind of education that will enable the Negro every where wisely to use his vote.
- 3. A fair trial in the courts for all crimes of which he is accused, by judges in whose election he has participated, without discrimination because of race.
- 4. A right to sit upon the jury which passes judgment upon him.
- 5. Defense against lynching and burning at the hands of mobs.
- 6. Equal service on railroads and other public carriers.
- 7. Equal right to the use of public parks, libraries and other community services for which he is taxed.
- 8. An equal chance for a livelihood in public and private employment.
- 9. The abolition of color hyphe-nation, and the substitution of straight Americanism. In short we might say its purpose is as follows; in the words of William Pickens, one of the foremost orators of the country, and the field secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, "To emancipate America from caste prejudice, to set the Negro free from the barriers which now confront him, to open to America the large gifts of this great group of her population."

Scottsboro Mother To Be In Omaha Utility Ownership Turned Down By Ala.

Its methods used for the fulfillment of this platform are peaceful and within the law: first, the education of public opinion; second, the use of the courts; third, the legislatures; fourth, intelligent use of the ballot, and fifth, cultural and economic stimulus.

The minimum annual membership fee is one dollar. A membership with the Crisis Magazine is two dollars and fifty cents. The Crisis is the official organ of the Association. It is edited by Edward Du Bois, a novelist, poet and sociologist of distinction, and it is the ambition of the Omaha Branch to place this magazine in as many homes as possible in this city.

Horse Doper Gets Negro into Trouble

DETROIT—(CNS)—Horace Moore, Negro stable hand for the Audley Farm Stable was caught, last week, preparing to dope the filly Knights Gal at the Detroit Fair Grounds track.

THERE ARE SIGNS OF HOPE FOR NEGLECTED AFRICA

WASHINGTON—(CNS)— There are signs of hope for the future of the Dark Continent, Canon Anson Phelps Stokes of Washington Cathedral told an audience gathered at the First Congregational Church under auspices of the Committee on Race Relations of the Federation of Churches last week.

"Africa," he said, "has been neglected by Americans as compared with Europe and Asia. But since one tenth of the population of the United States is of African descent we should be more interested in that portion of the world than we have been. "The race problem is acute in only two places—the Union of South Africa and Kenya. Much good is being done by the Joint Councils which bring natives and whites together to face racial and social problems. "The native peoples of Africa have been backward, due to the slave trade and the climate. But they are peoples capable of great development under the right opportunities."

Virgin Island To Get From Uncle Sam \$360,000,000

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The sum of \$360,000 has been made available to the Virgin Islands to aid in various parts of its recovery program, Secretary Harold L. Ickes announced recently in a message to the Colonial Councils of St. Thomas and St. Croix.

Georgia Hit and Run Driver Gets Life

ATLANTA, Ga.—Cliff Butler, 35, of Griffin, Spalding County, has been sentenced to life imprisonment following conviction in Spalding County court on a charge of running over and fatally injuring Clarence Nelms, a young Negro boy.

Witnesses testified that the boy was riding a bicycle on the north side of the road, when Butler, driving on the south side, crossed the road and ran off the payment striking him, Butler then continued on toward Griffin with out stopping according to the testimony.

NEGRO PROVES 1933 'STEVE BRODIE' SEIZED ON WASHINGTON BRIDGE

NEW YORK CITY—(CNS)— Jasper Gay of 218 West 127th Street, found 'testing the wind currents' on the George Washington Bridge early Friday afternoon October 13th was nabbed by a bridge officer as he was preparing to dive into the Hudson River.

Gay, a thirty one year old barber said he had been thinking over the stunt for some weeks past. He wore a red bathing suit under his street clothes, and carried in a suitcase his own special diving equipment, which included two footballs, a sort of pro-peller, shoulder pads, a balloon-like rubber cap, and a whistle on a string.

He told George DeForge, the bridge officer who nabbed him, that he had intended to adjust the footballs on his shoulders, the propeller on his head, put on the shoulder pads and blow up the rubber cap before he dived. The whistle, he added, was to be used after he was in the water in case he needed help.

SUGGEST NEW HOME FOR THE 'BRAIN TRUST'

NEW YORK CITY—(CNS)— A Kew Garden Long Island correspondent to the New York Herald Tribune writes as follows:

"In the long list of moneys lent by the R. F. C. is many a queer one which your correspondent as a humble forgotten woman taxpayer puzzles over. For instance, the sum loaned to the Arkansas Teachers College to buy a new dome. How about investing in a new one for the 'brain trust'? I'd subscribe to that myself."

POSTAL TELEGRAPH SETTLES DISCOURTESY IN NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

NORFOLK, Va.—Manager Charles H. Ashburn of the Postal Telegraph here has settled satisfactorily the complaint of discourtesy toward colored patrons after a protest had gone to the New York office of his company and a request had been sent the NAACP in New York not to use Postal service in communicating with Norfolk.

The people of Birmingham, Alabama, rejected municipal ownership of electric utilities October 9 by a substantial majority. The returns showed a vote of 6,923 for municipal ownership of electric light and power facilities and 9,696 votes against.

Four proposals were submitted to the voters. (1) to own and operate the electric utilities; (2) to acquire the domestic water supply system; (3) for municipal ownership of the street car system; (4) for the central steam heating plant. All four proposals lost by a great majority.

The plan of the proponents of municipal ownership of the electric utilities was to obtain electric energy from Muscle Shoals. The citizens opposing municipal ownership of the electric utilities encountered the claims of cheaper electric rates with arguments that there was no guarantee from municipal ownership promoters that electric rates would ever be reduced. If the municipal ownership plan had carried, the city would have had to vote 50 million dollars in bonds, thereby increasing taxes.

House Wife To Learn More About Electric Refrigeration

The Fall Electrical Festival, sponsored by the Omaha Electric Refrigeration Bureau, will be held four days next week. The novel plan of a "traveling Fall Festival" has been devised by the Bureau instead of sponsoring one big show down town which has been the practice in past years. Entertainment which promises to be exceedingly novel has been arranged for.

The first of the four shows will be held at the Florence Community Building for Florence residents, Tuesday, October 24. Benson will have the next show on Wednesday at the Benson Community Building. On Thursday the show will have move to West Leavenworth to the Nebraska Power Company's service building auditorium, 43 and Leavenworth Streets. South Omaha will have the fourth and last show in the Buther-Workmen's Auditorium, 25 and M Streets.

Talkies will be a feature of the program. Interesting talks for the homemakers have been arranged for. Dramatics and music will also take part of the program time. A cooking school will be held each afternoon the show is staged. The school will be conducted by a nationally known home economist and

from Southeastern, Texas, having been given the scholarship by the Beaumont Trade and Labor Assembly.

Miss Wells, who spent two years at Howard University, is a graduate of the Phyllis Wheatley High School of Houston, Texas, and became interested in labor conditions and labor problems through the intervention of Fredrick H. Robb of Chicago, student labor advisor in American colleges. She follows closely in the foot-steps of Miss Thyra J. Edwards of Chicago, who recently graduated from the Brookwood College where she won a six months' scholarship at the International People's College at Helmsford, Denmark. Miss Edwards, enroute of Denmark, sailed on the S. S. Lafayette, Saturday October 7 for London, England where she will lecture for short periods under the auspices of the Council of Friends on the subject of "Contemporary Social Forces in American Negro Life."

DEATHS FROM PELLAGRA DROP AS SOUTH GROWS MORE VEGETABLES

WASHINGTON—(CNS)— The business depression has been a stanch ally in the South's fight against pellagra, a disease caused by lack of fresh meat, fresh vegetables and milk, and one in which deaths among Negroes outnumber those among whites.

In 1928 deaths in the registration area from Pellagra were as follows: Males, white—1,112; Colored, 942. Females, white—1,877; Colored, 2,892. In a report to the American Public Health Association, Dr. W. H. Sebell of the Public Health Service says:

Janie Patterson, Mother of Heywood first of the nine Negro boys to be retried in Decatur last spring, will be in Omaha Monday and Tuesday of next week.

Mother Patterson after a long tour throughout the Western States, speaking for her son, is on her way east. With her are two very prominent figures. Lester Carter, white boy, eye witness to all that took place on the infamous freight train. Accompanies the Scottsboro Mother, Carter with Ruby Bates is a main defense witness for the boys.

To add zest to this speaking tour, the renowned Negro Orator, Richard B. Moore makes the third of this interesting trio. Moore for the past two years has been touring United States and Europe speaking in defense of the Scottsboro boys.

This meeting should draw a notable response from all Omaha citizens. We have heard and read much about Scottsboro, but at no time have we had such opportunity to hear the exact truth from principles of the case.

A meeting will be held in Council Bluffs the evening of the 23rd. The main Mass Meeting will be held in North Omaha at Dreamland Hall, 24th and Grant Streets, at 8 p. m., Tuesday evening the 24th.

The speakers come from Kansas City and will go from here to Sioux City. This tour is sponsored by the International Labor Defense, the organization in charge of the Scottsboro case.

By HELEN DeMARK, Organizer, The I.L.D. Omaha Branch

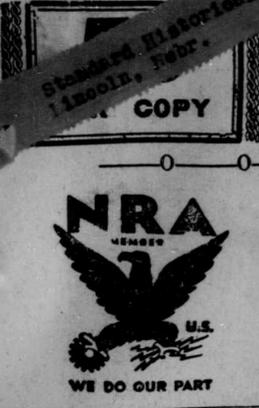
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Scottsboro Trial Set

The nine Scottsboro boys will go to trial in Decatur Ala. on Nov. 27th

GOES TO LABOR COLLEGE AS PROTEGE OF WHITE TRADE

AND LABOR ASSEMBLY WASHINGTON—(CNS)— Miss Jessie Wells, of Beaumont, Texas, a guest at the Phyllis Wheatley Y. W. C. A. during the week was enroute to the Brookwood Labor College at Katonah, Westchester County, New York, where she has matriculated for a two year study course in labor problems. Miss Wells is a comely young Miss under twenty has the distinction of being the youngest person to ever enter the Katonah labor institution, and also is the first person to be sent



By CLIFFORD C. MITCHELL

New Opportunities Opening Up. My readers, and especially our advertising managers, will be interested in the following letter:

"Dear Mr. Mitchell: "As we have been following your efforts through your various columns in the many colored publications for which you write we are offering to you and your readers something entirely new and which we sincerely believe has never before been offered to the general public.

"Out of the many creations I designed and developed at the Century Progress here, the new Fantasy Cape, the latest Hollywood Fad, is a practical and useful garment, made in five colors and designed for the use of both men and women. It is small and compact, using only a small space when not in use, extremely flexible, made of thin Gum Rubber. Special sizes are unnecessary and the cape is adaptable for use in rain or shine.

"We are introducing this cape to the general public and desire an energetic and hustling agent in each community of the country who will find this cape the fastest selling specialty on the market today.

"Incidentally this cape sells to the ultimate consumer for only one dollar, easily within the price reach of every pocketbook, and where we have no active agent on the job we will, on receipt of one dollar sent to us, the Consumers Raincoat Company, 456 Transportation Building, Chicago, forward a cape in any of the following standardized colors, green, red, blue, white or black. Our experience has been that each purchaser of a cape automatically becomes an active agent for the product sells on sight.

"I thank the Kuhn Remedy Company, 1857 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, for the little booklet of testimonials concerning their rheumatic remedy and when space permits I shall be glad to quote some of these testimonials for the benefit of the thousands of my readers who can use their product with much satisfaction to themselves and the company. Incidentally this firm also does active agents throughout the country.

BIRMINGHAM NAACP OFFERS \$100 REWARD FOR TUSCALOOSA LYNCHERS

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—The Birmingham branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has telegraphed Governor B. M. Miller offering \$100 reward in addition to the governor's \$400 reward for the arrest and conviction of the lynchers of Dennis Cross, Tuscaloosa paralytic, who was shot to death by a group of white men posing as officers.

MRS. MARY DAVIS SUES FOR DIVORCE

Mrs. Mary Davis of 2318 North 28th Avenue, is suing Mr. George Davis for divorce, on the grounds of cruelty and non-support.