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FOREWORD

WHO'S WHO IN COLORED AMERICA sets forth biographical data concerning prominent persons of African descent who were living at the time of compilation and whose position or record of achievement makes them of general interest. An exception will be made of persons who died since the last edition. They will be included once more to show the completion of that Life Story. One line will be placed at the bottom of their sketch showing the date of death. A Memoriam Page in the front of the book will show who they are.

It is our aim to publish these editions every two years. The First Edition was published in 1927. The Second (1928-1929). The Third (1930-1931-1932). The Fourth (1933-1937). The Fifth Edition (1938-1939-1940). And this Sixth Edition.

Eligibility has been based on achievement, due latitude being allowed those persons whose efforts show promise of future accomplishment or who, by reason of establishing a precedent in some particular work, make it arbitrary that a record be made of the fact.

It is doubtless true that the fitness of every name included will not be apparent to every user of this book. The artist, the possessor of literary tastes, the scientist, etc., may miss names of their certain professions. It is a fact that we use every endeavor to get this information to make the book useful in the highest degree. An invitation is extended for the suggestions of new names.

Realizing that a record like WHO'S WHO IN COLORED AMERICA would not be representative without the inclusion of some of the many persons who are achieving success, but are unknown, the Publisher personally traveled for many months, visiting many states, cities and towns, and interviewed many persons. From among these were selected outstanding characters whose sketches are herein included.

Criticism may be passed on the fact that more of the careers refer specifically to professional persons. This is answered by the statement that professional persons, having had the opportunity of interracial contact, realize the value of a record of this kind as a means to a better understanding between peoples, and are, therefore, not so reticent, when approached, as many others have shown themselves to be.

Reasons should be advanced for some of the omissions from this edition of sketches which were included in former editions. It is because repeated requests for revision and verification was not forthcoming, and present addresses could not be ascertained.

The sketches have been edited from an impartial point of view. No particular group, denominational, political, or otherwise, has in any way influenced the policy under which the work has been compiled. Not a single sketch has been paid for. No

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KEY TO ABBREVIATIONS

- Acad.**—Academy, academic.
Adv.—Advertising.
A.E.F.—American Expeditionary Forces.
Agri.—Agriculture.
AgriL.—Agricultural.
Ala.—Alabama.
Am.—American.
Am. Med. Assn.—American Medical Association.
A.M.E.—African Methodist Episcopal.
A.M.E.Z.—African Methodist Episcopal Zion.
Anat.—Anatomical.
Anthrop.—Anthropological.
Anti.—Antiquarian.
Apptd.—Appointed.
Archaeol.—Archaeological.
Archtl.—Architectural.
Ark.—Arkansas.
Assn.—Association.
Asso.—Associate, associated.
Asst.—Assistant.
Astron.—Astronomical.
Astrophys.—Astrophysical.
Atty.—Attorney.
Auth.—Author.
Ave.—Avenue.
- b.**—Born.
B.A. (also A.B.)—Bachelor of Arts.
B.Agr.—Bachelor of Agriculture.
Bapt.—Baptist.
Bd.—Board.
B.D.—Bachelor of Divinity.
B.F.A.—Bachelor of Fine Arts.
Biog.—Biographical.
Biol.—Biological.
B.L. (or Litt.B.)—Bachelor of Letters.
Bldg.—Building.
B.L.S.—Bachelor of Library Science.
B.Pd. (or Pd. B.)—Bachelor of Pedagogy.
B.S. (also S.B. or Sc.B.)—Bachelor of Science.
Bus.—Business.
B.W.I.—British West Indies.
- Cal.**—California.
Capt.—Captain.
c/o—Care of.
C.E.—Civil Engineer.
Ch.—Church.
Chem.—Chemical.
Chem.E.—Chemical Engineer.
Chirurg.—Chirurgical.
Chmn.—Chairman.
Clin.—Clinical.
C.M.—Master in Surgery.
C.M.E.—Colored Methodist Episcopal.
Co.—Company, County.
Coll.—College.
Colo.—Colorado.
Com. or Comm.—Committee, Commission.
Congl.—Congregationalist.
Contr.—Contributor.
Conn.—Connecticut.
Corp.—Corporation.
C.P.A.—Certified Public Accountant.
- d.**—Daughter.
D.C.—District of Columbia.
D.C.L.—Doctor of Civil Law.
D.D.—Doctor of Divinity.
D.D.S.—Doctor of Dental Surgery.
Dem.—Democrat.
- Dept.**—Department.
Dermatol.—Dermatological.
Dir.—Director.
Dist.—District.
D.Litt. (also L.H.D.)—Doctor of Literature.
D.Eco.—Doctor of Economics.
Dr.—Doctor.
- E.**—East.
Eccles.—Ecclesiastical.
Ed.—Editor.
Educ.—Education.
E.E.—Electrical Engineer.
Entomol.—Entomological.
Ethnol.—Ethnological.
Evan.—Evangelical.
- F. & A.M.**—Free and Accepted Order of Masons.
Fla.—Florida.
Frat.—Fraternity.
- Ga.**—Georgia.
G.A.R.—Grand Army of the Republic.
Geneal.—Genealogical.
Geod.—Geodetic.
Geog.—Geographical, geographic.
Geol.—Geological.
Gov.—Governor.
Govt.—Government.
G.U.O. of O.F.—Odd Fellows.
- Hon.**—Honorary, Honorable, Honorably.
Hort.—Horticultural.
Hosp.—Hospital.
- I.B.P.O.E. of W.**—Independent Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World.
I.O. St. Luke—Independent Order of St. Luke.
Ill.—Illinois.
Inc.—Incorporated.
Ind.—Industrial, Indiana.
Ins.—Insurance.
Int.—Intermediate.
Insp.—Inspector.
Inst.—Institute.
Instra.—Instruction.
Instr.—Instructor.
Ia.—Iowa.
- J.D. or J.S.D.**—Doctor of Jurisprudence.
Jour.—Journal.
Jud.—Judicial.
- K. of P.**—Knights of Pythias.
K.T.—Knights Templar.
Ky.—Kentucky.
- La.**—Louisiana.
Lab.—Laboratory.
Lang.—Language.
L.I.—Long Island.
Lit.—Literary, Literature.
Litt.B. (or B.L.)—Bachelor of Letters.
Litt.D.—Doctor of Letters.
LL.B.—Bachelor of Laws.
LL.D.—Doctor of Laws.
LL.M. (or M.L.)—Master of Laws.
- m.**—Married.
M.A. (or A.M.)—Master of Arts.
Maj.—Major.

Mass.—Massachusetts.
Math.—Mathematics.
M.B.—Bachelor of Medicine.
M.Cp.—Master of Chiropody.
Md.—Maryland.
M.D.—Doctor of Medicine.
M.E.—Methodist Episcopal.
Med.—Medical.
Med.R.C.—Medical Reserve Corps.
Mem.—Member.
Meth.—Methodist.
Metrol.—Meteorological.
Mgr.—Manager.
Mich.—Michigan.
Minn.—Minnesota.
Miss.—Mississippi.
M.L. (or LL.M.)—Master of Laws.
M.Litt.—Master of Literature.
Mlle.—Mademoiselle (Miss).
Mme.—Madame.
Mo.—Missouri.
M.P.—Methodist Protestant.
M.Pd.—Master of Pedagogy.
M.R.C.—Medical Reserve Corps.
M.S. (or M.Sc.)—Master of Science.
Mt.—Mount.
Mus.B.—Bachelor of Music.
Mus.D. (or Mus. Doc.)—Doctor of Music.

N.—North.
Nat.—National.
Nat. Med. Assn.—National Medical Association.
N.A.A.C.P.—National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.
N.C.—North Carolina.
N.E.—Northeast.
N.G.—National Guard.
N.J.—New Jersey.
N.Y.—New York.
Nor.—Normal.

Obstet.—Obstetrical.
O.E.S.—Order of Eastern Star.
Okla.—Oklahoma.
Ophthal.—Ophthalmological.
Ornithol.—Ornithological.
Otol.—Otological.

Path.—Pathological.
Pd.D.—Doctor of Pedagogy.
Pd.M.—Master of Pedagogy.
P.E.—Protestant Episcopal.
Penn.—Pennsylvania.
Pharm.—Pharmaceutical.
Pharm.D.—Doctor of Pharmacy.
Pharm.M.—Master of Pharmacy.
Ph.B.—Bachelor of Philosophy.
Ph.D.—Doctor of Philosophy.
Ph.G.—Graduate in Pharmacy.
Philol.—Philological.
Philos.—Philosophical.
Phys.—Physician, Physical.
Phys. and Surgs.—Physicians and Surgeons.
Physiol.—Physiological.
Pl.—Place.
P.O.—Post-office.
Pol.—Politics.
Poly.—Polytechnic.
Prep.—Preparatory.
Pres.—President.

Presby.—Presbyterian.
Prin.—Principal.
Prof.—Professor, Professional.
Propr.—Proprietor.
Pros. Atty.—Prosecuting Attorney.
Psychiat.—Psychiatrical.
Psychol.—Psychological.
Pub.—Public, publisher, publishing, published.
Publ.—Publication.

Rd.—Road.
Relig.—Religion.
R.F.D.—Rural Free Delivery.
Rep.—Republican.
Rev.—Reverend, Review.
Rhinol.—Rhinological.
R.I.—Rhode Island.
Ry.—Railway.
Rontgenol.—Rontgenological.
R.R.—Railroad.

s.—Son.
S.—South.
S.A.—South America.
S.B. (also B.S. or ScB.)—Bachelor of Science.
S.C.—South Carolina.
Sch.—School.
Sci.—Science, Scientific.
Sec.—Secretary.
Sem.—Seminary.
Soc.—Society.
Sociol.—Sociological.
S.S.—Sunday School.
St.—Saint, Street.
Sta.—Station.
Statis.—Statistical.
S.T.B.—Bachelor of Sacred Theology.
S.T.D.—Doctor of Sacred Theology.
S.T.L.—Licentiate in Sacred Theology.
Supt.—Superintendent.
Surg.—Surgical, Surgeon.

Tech.—Technical, Technology.
Technol.—Technological.
Tenn.—Tennessee.
Th.D.—Doctor of Theology.
Theol.—Theological.
Th.M.—Master of Theology.
Topog.—Topographical.
Tr.—Training.
Treas.—Treasurer.

U.B.F.—United Brotherhood of Friendship.
Univ.—University.
Urol.—Urological.
U.S.—United States.
U.S.A.—United States Army.
U.N.I.A.—Universal Negro Improvement Association.

Va.—Virginia.
Vet.—Veteran, Veterinary.
Vice-Pres.—Vice-President.
Vs.—Versus.

W.—West.
W.Va.—West Virginia.

Y.M.C.A.—Young Men's Christian Association.
Y.W.C.A.—Young Women's Christian Association.

BIOGRAPHICAL SECTION

Who's Who in Colored America

ABBOTT, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN—Clergyman.

b. Jan. 11, 1867, Lincoln Co., Mo.; s. Peter and Oris (Clark) Abbott; m. Stellar Bolar, March 6, 1893; one child, Carl Belmont, b. March 20, 1894; educ. Columbia (Mo.) High Sch.; D.D., George R. Smith Coll., Sedalia Mo.; Northwestern Univ., 1922-23; Clergyman, 1891-present; Pastor, Union Memorial Methodist Episcopal Ch., 25 years; Director, People's Finance Corp.; Director, People's Commercial Co.; mem. Y. M. C. A.; Advisor, Y. W. C. A.; Urban League; Provident Assn.; N. A. A. C. P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. M. E. Church; Address, 208 N. Leffingwell Ave.; Residence, 3212 Pine Blvd., St. Louis, Mo.

ABBOTT, ROBERT SENGSTACKE—Publisher-Editor.

b. Nov. 24, 1870, Savannah, Ga.; s. Thomas and Flora (Butler) Abbott; educ. Beach Inst., Savannah, Ga.; Claflin Univ., Orangeburg, S. C., and Hampton Inst.; Printers' Trade, 1892-96; Kent College of Law, 1897-1900; LL.B., 1900; LL.D. (Honorary), Morris Brown Univ., 1923; LL.D. (Honorary) Wilberforce Univ., 1924; m. Helen Thornton, Sept. 18, 1918; Founder and Publisher, Chicago Defender and Abbott's Monthly; Pres. and Treas., Robert S. Abbott Pub. Co., since 1905; Trustee, Y. M. C. A.; Mem. Gov. Frank O. Lowden's Race Relation Comm., 1919; Natl. Express, Hampton Alumni Assn.; Life Mem. Art Institute of Chicago; Chicago Historical Society; Field Museum of Chicago; Kappa Alpha Psi; Ancient Order of Foresters; Masons (33°); Appomattox Club; Lincoln Memorial Assn.; Donor to the Chicago Civic Opera; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 3435 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.; Residence, 4742 South Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

While attending Hampton Institute he sang in the Hampton Quartet which traveled extensively giving concerts.

He was appointed a member of the Race Relations Commission in 1919 by Gov. Frank Lowden of Illinois. This commission published the book, "The Negro in Chicago."

Traveled extensively through Europe, Hawaii and South America, visiting Brazil, Uruguay, Argentina, Chile and Peru.

Wrote two books, "My Trip Abroad," and "Travels Through South America."

Died. February 29, 1940.

ABNER, E. W. D.—Supreme Commander American Woodman.—See 4th Edition.
Died.

ADAMS, ALTON AUGUSTUS—Bandmaster.

b. Nov. 4, 1889, St. Thomas, Virgin Islands; s. Jacob Henry and Petrina Evangeline Adams; m. Ella Eugenie Joseph, June 6, 1917; eight children, Gwendolen Marie, b. April 12, 1918;

Merle Augusta, b. May 5, 1919; Hazel Augusta, b. June 11, 1920; Enid Augusta, b. Jan. 19, 1922; Olyve Valentine, b. Feb. 14, 1925; Althea Augusta, b. Aug. 20, 1926; Alton A., Jr., b. Nov. 8, 1928; Eleanor Evangeline, b. March 20, 1931; educ. Began the study of music at the age of nine; took up correspondence course in harmony with Dr. Hugh A. Clarke, Univ. of Pa., Philadelphia, Pa.; private teachers; Asst. Dir. Municipal Band, of St. Thomas; Bandmaster, U. S. Navy, St. Thomas, V. I.; Supervisor, Music, Public Schools of Virgin Islands; comp. "Governor's Own," March, Military Band and Orchestra; pub. Carl Fisher, New York; "Virgin Islands March," pub. Walter Jacobs, Inc., Boston, Mass.; "The Spirit of the U. S. N.," March, Military Band and Orchestra, pub. Cundy-Bettoney Co., Boston, Mass.; Ex-Dept. Editor Jacob's Band Monthly, Boston, Mass.; Dominant, Metronome, New York, N. Y., Musical Enterprise, Camden, N. J.; Army and Navy Musician, Elkhart, Ind., and other journals in the United States and West Indies; Bandmaster, U. S. Navy, 1917-present; Relig. Lutheran Church; Residence, P. O. Box 545, St. Thomas, Virgin Islands.

He helped organize and was assistant director of the Municipal Band of St. Thomas, and later organized and taught a Juvenile Band of colored boys ranging from eight to eighteen years of age.

The United States Government detailed Mr. Adams to organize two more such bands in the neighboring islands. These bands have now been consolidated with Bandmaster Adams still in complete charge, and has been recently transferred for duty to the naval station at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, as a result of the closing of the naval station at St. Thomas, Virgin Islands.

Toured the eastern states of the continent in 1924, and the British and French West Indies in 1930. Conducted the Goldman Band on the Mall at Central Park in 1924, in one of his own compositions.

Bandmaster Adams' march compositions are played by the leading military bands of Europe, Canada and the United States. "The Virgin Islands March" and the "The Governor's Own" have been played by famous bands. He has the distinction of being the first and only colored bandmaster in the United States Navy, serving in that capacity for over sixteen years.

ADAMS, EUGENE AVERY—Clergyman.

b. Feb. 7, 1886, Coxesbury, S. C.; s. Wesley and Lucy (Blackwell) Adams; m. Charity A. Nash, June 19, 1910; four children, C. Edna, Eugene Avery, Jr., Lucy Rose, John Hurst; educ. Biddle University, N. C.; A.B., Johnson Smith

Univ., 1910; B.D., Wilberforce Univ., 1916; A. M., Johnson C. Smith Univ., 1920; D.D. (Honorary), Allen Univ., 1926; Clergyman, 1910-present; Dean, Kittrell Coll., Kittrell, N. C., 1917-18; Chairman, Bd. of Directors, Good Samaritan Hosp., Columbia, S. C.; Founder, State High Sch., Clinton, S. C.; Presiding Elder, Columbia Dist., 2 years; Pastor, Bethel A. M. E. Church, 3 years; Presiding Elder, Newberry District, Columbia Conference, 1930-present; Dean, Allen Univ., Columbia, S. C., 1929-30; Ex-State Accountant, A. M. E. Conferences of South Carolina; mem. Masons; K of P.; Odd Fellows; Alpha Phi Alpha; Fin. Bd., A. M. E. Church; Pres., Victory Savings Bank, Columbia, S. C.; Trustee, Payne Theol. Sem., Wilberforce, O.; Trustee, Allen Univ.; Gen. Conference, A. M. E. Church, past six terms; President, N.A.A.C.P. (local branch); Negro Business League; Ex-Member, Exec. Bd., State (S. C.) Teachers' Assn.; Secretary of Education, A.M.E. Church; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Residence, 2113 Lady St., Columbia, S. C.

ADAMS, FRANK W.—Asst. U. S. Attorney.

b. Dec. 7, 1893, Charleston, S. C.; s. Frank W. and Rebecca (Locher) Adams; m. Sadie Rice, Sept. 3, 1925; educ. Dartmouth Coll., Hanover, N. H., 3 years; LL.B., Howard Univ., Law Sch., Washington, D. C., 1925; Lawyer, 1925-present; Clerk, Judge Cobb, Municipal Court, Washington, D. C., 1926-29; Asst. United States Attorney, Washington, D. C., 1929-present; Director, National Bar Assn.; mem. Masons, Alpha Phi Alpha; Relig. Congregational; Address, United States Attorney's Office; Residence, Apt. 43, 52 Quincy pl. N. W., Washington, D. C.

ADAMS, GEORGE CORNELIUS—Lawyer.

b. Feb. 3, 1889, Rayville, La.; s. Charles J. and Violet (Gibson) Adams; m. Minerva Lampton, Dec. 7, 1921; educ. Manuel Training High Sch., Muskogee, Okla., 1914; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1917; Lawyer, 1917-present; Clerk, Quartermaster's Dept., U. S. Army; Sec., National Grand Charity Dept., Masons, 1930-present; Grand Atty., Masons, State of Illinois; 1925-present; Grand Attorney, U. B. F. and S. M. T., States of Illinois, Wisconsin and Iowa, 1928-present; Admitted to practice in Supreme Court of United States, 1922; Candidate for Alderman, Chicago, Ill., 1923; Candidate, Legislature, State of Illinois, 1924-26; Candidate, Auditor of Public Accounts, State of Illinois, 1932; mem. Masons; (33°); U. B. F. and S. M. T.; N. A. A. C. P.; Urban League; Y. M. C. A.; Tau Delta Sigma; National Bar Assn.; Cook Co. Bar Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 35 S. Dearborn St.; Residence, 4439 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He instituted a suit in the Federal Courts in Chicago to enjoin the operation of the franchise granted in 1931 to the Illinois Bell Telephone Company by the City of Chicago. The suit seeks to recover for the City of Chicago the sum of \$15,000,000 which, it is claimed, the Company owes to the City of Chicago as additional compensation.

ADAMS, GEORGE WILLIAMS—Pathologist.

b. March 9, 1894, Washington, D. C.; s. George

William and Sarah (Cook) Adams; m. Adelaide Beverly, Sept. 22, 1920; three children; educ. B. S. Dartmouth Coll., 1915; M.D. Howard Univ., 1918; Rosenwald Fellow, Harvard Univ., 1920; Asst. Prof., Physiology and Physiologic Chemistry, Howard Univ., 1921-23; Pathologist, Freedmen's Hosp., 1923-present; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Chi Delta Mu; Relig. Baptist; Address, 518 U St., Washington, D. C.

ADAMS, JAMES B.—Clergyman.

b. Dec. 2, 1892, Montezuma, Ga.; s. (Rev.) Daniel A. and Adeline Adams; m. Carrie Leah Penn; two children; educ. Private Sch., Atlanta, Ga.; A.B. Atlanta Baptist Coll. (now Morehouse Coll.), 1915; Univ. of Chicago (two quarters); one term at Northwestern Univ.; Pastor, Concord Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., 1921-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 170 Halsey St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

ADAMS, OSCAR WILLIAM—Editor—Fraternal Officer.

b. Oct. 24, 1882, Gulf Crest, formerly Beaver Meadow, Ala.; s. Frank and Teanna (Williams) Adams; m. Ella Eaton, Aug. 30, 1922; two children, Oscar William, Jr.; Frank Eaton; educ. Beaver Meadow High Sch., Gulf Crest, Ala., 1900; A. and M. Coll., Normal, Ala., 1906; Founder and Editor, Birmingham Reporter, 1906-present; Grand Chancellor, Knights of Pythias, Alabama, 1931-present; Director, Acme Finance Corp., 1929-present; Regular feature writer, Birmingham News, 1915-present; Trustee, Lomax Hannon College, Greenville, Ala., 1918-present; mem. Executive Board, Tuggle Inst., Birmingham, Ala., 1932-present; mem. K. of P.; Masons, (33°); Elks; Odd Fellows; N. A. A. C. P.; Negro Press Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, 310 N. 18th St.; Residence, 601 9th Court, W., Birmingham, Ala.

The Birmingham Reporter, which he founded 27 years ago, has been published continuously ever since that time.

ADAMS, STANLEY HERBERT—University Registrar.

b. Oct. 12, 1896, Barbadoes, B. W. I.; s. Fitz Herbert and Rosa Frances (Turney) Adams; m. Marguerite Minor, June 9, 1926; educ. Harrison Coll., Barbadoes, B. W. I.; Codrington Coll.; B.A. 1917, M.A. 1927, Durham Univ., England; Diplomas, Univ. of Oxford and Cambridge; Asst. Principal, Berbice High Sch., British Guiana, S. A., 1918-22; Instructor, Latin and Greek, Johnson C. Smith Univ., 1922-23; Registrar and Sec. of Faculty, J. C. Smith Univ., 1923-present; mem. Am. Assn. of Collegiate Registrars; Nat. Assn. of Collegiate Deans and Registrars in Colored Schools; Nat. Teachers Assn.; N. Carolina Teachers Assn.; Omega Psi Phi, District Representative, N. and S. Carolina; Ancient Order of Foresters; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, c/o Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. Carolina.

He was an Island Scholar, Barbadoes, B. W. I., winning the scholarship at Codrington College.



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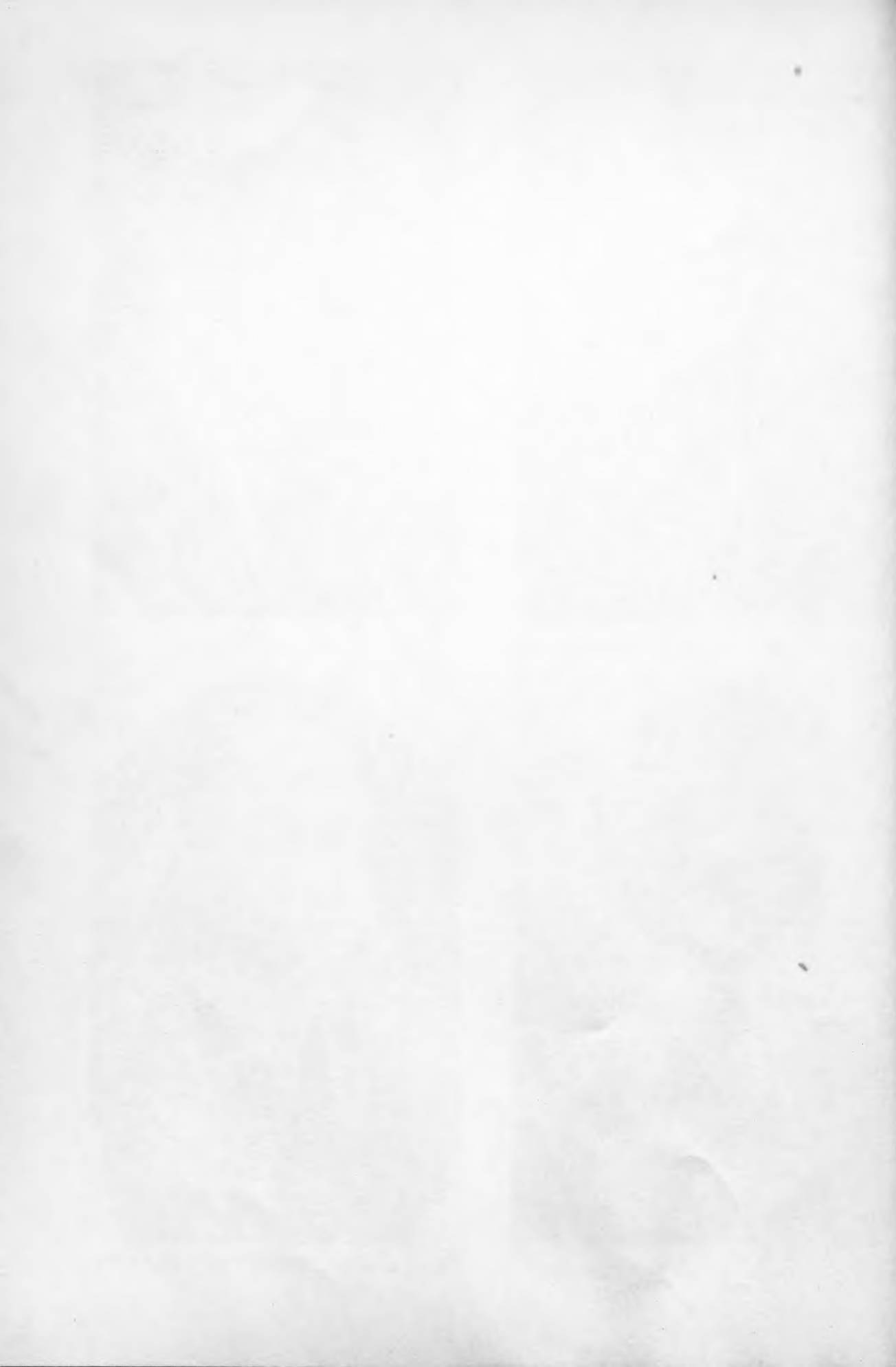
ALTON A. ADAMS



EUGENE A. ADAMS, B.A., M.A., B.D., D.D.



REV. CLARENCE L. AIKEN, A.B., A.M., S.T.B.



ADAMSON, GARLAND NORMAN—Physician and Surgeon.

b. Sept. 17, 1896, Benson (formerly Kowaliga), Ala.; s. Charlie and Katie (Seats) Adamson; m. Eunice Vivian Poe, June 1, 1925; one child, Norma Eleze, b. November 15, 1928; educ. A.B., Talladega Coll., 1918; M. D. Meharry Med. Coll., 1922; Interne, John A. Andrew Memorial Hospital, one year; Physician and Surgeon, 1923-present; Former Pres., Birmingham Dist. Med. Dent. and Phar. Assn.; (Ala.) State Vice Pres., Nat. Med. Assn.; Editor-in-chief, "Tee Cee," Vol. I, 1917; contributor to "For Health's Sake" column, Birmingham Reporter; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Shriner; K. of P.; American Woodmen; Woodmen of Union; Elks; John A. Andrew Clinical Soc.; Birmingham Dist. Med., Dent. and Phar. Soc.; Alabama Med., Dent. and Phar. Assn.; Trustee, Bethel A. M. E. Church, Ensley, Ala.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Address, Howard Univ., Wash. D. C.

ADDERLEY, QUINTON JEROME—High School Principal.

b. Sept. 13, 1903, Key West, Fla.; s. Daniel Campbell and Charlotte (Spatches) Adderley; educ. Florida Agricultural and Mechanical Coll., High Sch., Tallahassee, Fla., 1922; B.S., Summer School, 1926; New York Univ., New York City, N. Y., 1930; Asst. Principal, Gilmore's Acad., Mariana, Fla., 1927-28; Principal, Dunbar Junior High Sch., Apalachicola, Fla., 1928-present; mem. Florida State Teachers Assn.; Kappa Alpha Psi; Relig. Protestant Episcopal; Address, Dunbar Junior High School, Apalachicola, Fla.; Residence, 520 Church St., Lakeland, Fla.

AIKEN, CLARENCE LAYTON—Clergyman.

b. April 18, 1888, Milford, Del.; s. James and Adelaide Aiken; m. Estelle Wills, July 2, 1913; one child, Beulah Lovette, b. April 14, 1914; educ. Del. State Coll., 1905-08; Certificate, 1908; Downingtown Industrial Inst., Downingtown, Pa., 1908-09; Certificate, 1909; Lincoln Univ., Penn., 1910-17; A.B., 1914; S.T.B. and A.M., 1917; Dean of Theology, Guadalupe Coll., Seguin, Texas, 1917-20; Pastor, First Baptist Church, Charlottesville, Va., 1921-24; Pastor, Shiloh Baptist Church, Atlantic City, N. J., 1924-present; mem. Masons, Charter Member Nu Chapter Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Relig. Baptist; Address, Shiloh Baptist Church; Residence, 1716 Arctic Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.

AIKEN, MRS. CORA M.—School Principal.

b. Philadelphia, Pa.; m. J. B. Aiken; educ. State Coll., Dover, Del.; Virginia State Coll., Petersburg, Va.; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; B.A., University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa.; Principal, Colored Sch., Cheswold, Del.; Vice Pres., Board of Trustees, Industrial School for Colored Girls of Delaware, Marshallton, Del.; mem. National Education Assn.; Colored National Education Assn.; Kent County Colored Teachers' Assn.; Delaware State Teachers' Assn.; Phyllis Wheatly Club, Dover, Del.; Address, Dover, Del.

AKINS, MACK WILLIAM—High School Principal.

b. Jan. 7, 1898, Birmingham, Ala.; s. Prince and Dorcas (Clancy) Akins; m. Mattie Elizabeth

Dickson, June 14, 1923; one child, Mack William, Jr., b. April 1, 1924; educ. High School; Selma Univ., Selma, Ala., 1918; A.B., Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1923; B.S., 1927; Prof. Biology, Virginia Union Univ., 1923-25; Head of Dept. of Science, Teacher of Biology, Washington High Sch., Raleigh, N. C., 1925-29; Principal, Washington High Sch., 1929-present; mem. Interfraternal Alliance; Advisory Council, Boy Scouts; Wake Co. Council of Social Agencies; mem. Advisory Committee, Negro Affairs; Committee on Participation of Negroes in State and National Park Site; N. C. Negro Teachers Assn.; Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Relig. Baptist; Address, Washington High School; Residence, 1009 Fayetteville, St., Raleigh, N. C.

ALBERT, ALBERT PIERRE—Government Employee.— See 2nd Edition.
Died, May 10, 1931.

ALEXANDER, ERNEST R.—Physician.

b. Nashville, Tenn.; educ. Graduated from Fisk University in 1914; two years' medical work at the University of Minnesota; B.S., University of Minnesota; M.D., University of Vermont; Address, 234 W. 139th St., New York, N. Y.

He completed his medical course at the University of Vermont in 1919, the only colored student in the class, and had the distinction of taking all the honors in medicine offered by the University, being "Honor man in Medicine" and receiving First prize for "Special Merit in Medicine" and the Woodbury prize for "Clinical Proficiency in Medicine."

After five years' service as assistant in the skin department of Harlem Hospital of the Bellevue Allied Hospitals, he was appointed Chief of Clinic with the title Physician-in-Charge of the department of Dermatology and Syphilology.

ALEXANDER, LEVI—Contractor-BUILDER.

b. Palmer Springs, Va.; s. Levi and Cynthia (Dunson) Alexander; m. Flora Janette Horne, April 24, 1879; Contractor and Builder; Address, 501 W. Broadway, Ocala, Fla.

ALEXANDER, ROYAL C.—Dentist.

b. July 8, 1893, Petersburg, Va.; s. Dr. Charles R. and Grace (Clarke) Alexander; m. Esther L. Tildon, May 30, 1917; three children, Royal C., b. Feb. 23, 1918; John Wesley, b. March 14, 1919; Walter G., b. July 6, 1922; educ. Fisk Univ., 1914-16; A.B. Fisk Univ., 1916; Meharry Dental Coll., 1916-20; D.D.S. Meharry Dent. Coll., 1920; Dentist, 1920-present; mem. Chi Delta Mu, Omega Psi Phi; F. & A. M.; Elks; New Jersey Dental Society; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 52 Webster Pl., Orange, N. J.

ALEXANDER, RAYMOND PACE—Lawyer.

b. Oct. 13, 1897, Philadelphia, Pa.; s. Hilliard B. and Virginia (Pace) Alexander; m. Sadie Tan-

ner Mossell, Nov. 25, 1923; one child, Mary-Elizabeth Tanner, educ. B.S. in Economics, (with honors) Univ. of Penn., 1920; LL.B., Harvard Univ. Law Sch., 1923; Graduate Sch., Columbia Univ., New York, N. Y. 1923; Lawyer, 1923-present; Pres., National Bar Assn. 1929-30; Chairman, First Voters Committee, National Republican Committee, Colored Division, 1928; mem. Law Assn. of Phila., Harvard Club of Phila., Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Masons, (33°); Elks: Alpha Phi Phi Law Academy of Philadelphia; Philadelphia Bar Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Office, 1900 Chestnut St., Phila., Pa.; Residence, 1708 Jefferson St., Phila., Pa.

ALEXANDER, MRS SADIE TANNER MOSSELL—Lawyer.

b. Philadelphia, Pa.; d. Aaron A. and Mary Louise (Tanner) Mossell; m. Raymond Pace Alexander, Nov. 1923; one child, Mary Elizabeth Tanner, educ. University of Pennsylvania; B.S. in Ed., 1918; Graduate Sch., M.A. in Economics, 1919; Ph.D., Univ. of Pa., 1921; Law Sch., LL.B., 1927; admitted Phila. Bar, 1928; Asst. City Solicitor, Phila., 1928-present; Asst. Actuary, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, Durham, N. C., 1921-23; mem. Inter-Racial Committee of Philadelphia; Honorary President and Member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; auth. "Standard of Living Among 100 Negro Migrant Families in Philadelphia," American Academy of Political and Social Science, Nov., 1921; mem. Texas Centennial Commission, mem. Bd. of Directors, National Urban League; Address, 1900 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.; Residence, 1708 Jefferson St., Philadelphia, Pa.

She took Senior Honors on graduation from the University of Pennsylvania in 1918, was awarded a Graduate Scholarship for the year 1919-20 and the Francis Sargeant Pepper Fellowship in economics, 1920-21.

Was Associate Editor of the University of Pennsylvania Law Review, 1926-27.

ALEXANDER, WALTER GILBERT—Physician and Surgeon.

b. Dec. 3, 1880, Lynchburg, Va.; s. Royal and Amalia Henrica (Terry) Alexander; m. Lillian Holmes, of Richmond, Va.; educ. Public School, Lynchburg, Va.; Lincoln Univ., Pa. (College), 1895-99; A.B., Lincoln Univ., 1899; Coll. of Physicians and Surgeons, Boston, Mass., 1899-1903; M.D., Coll. of Phys. and Surg., 1903; Litt. D. (Honorary), Lincoln Univ., Chester, Pa., 1939; practiced medicine, Kimball, W. Va., 1903-04; Orange, N. J., 1904-present; Assemblyman, New Jersey, 1920; re-elected, 1921; State Vice-Pres., National Medical Assn, 1905-12; General Sec., National Medical Assn, 1908-36; Pres., National Medical Assn, 1925-26; one of Founders, Journal of the National Medical Assn, 1908; Business Manager, same, 1908-32; Asst. Editor, same, 1908-36; Pres., North Jersey Medical Soc., 1925-26; mem. William Pierson Medical Soc., Orange, N. J.; Essex Co. Medical Soc.; New Jersey Medical Soc.; American Medical Soc.; Organizer and Ex-Pres., Orange Community Chorus among

Negroes; mem. Executive Board, N. J. Urban League; National Urban League; Essex Co. Tuberculosis League; N. J. State Tuberculosis League; Inter-racial Committee, N. J. Council of Social Agencies; Pres., Negro Advisory Committee, Essex Co. Tuberculosis League; mem. Health Committee, Council of Special Agencies, Oranges and Maplewood; Legislative and Planning Committees, Chamber of Commerce; Vice-Pres., Inter-racial Committee, Oranges; mem. Republican Co. Committee, First Ward, Orange, N. J.; Asst. City Physician, Orange, N. J., 1935-present; Appointed mem. of many Honorary Committees by Mayors of Orange, N. J.; Graduate Manager, Athletics, Lincoln Univ., 1920-26; Pres., General Alumni Assn, Lincoln Univ., 1931-36; mem. Board of Trustees, Lincoln Univ., 1936-present; mem. Gov. Moore's Committee on Health and Welfare; Special Consultant, State Dept. of Health; mem. Medical Advisory Board, Orange, N. J.; Local Assistance Authority; mem. Medical Advisory Board, New York World's Fair; Appointed June 5, 1939, mem. State Board of Health, First Negro to be appointed; Address, 48 Webster Place, Orange, N. J.

Graduated from Lincoln University as first honor man and winner of the Bradley medal in Natural Sciences and Latin. Salutatorian of his class. Winner of first prize at College of Surgeons and Physicians for thesis, "Cerebral Localization," second prize for thesis on "Tuberculosis."

Was candidate for the legislature, Progressive Party, 1912, and candidate for City Commissioner of Orange, N. J., in 1914.

Elected to the Assembly of the State of New Jersey. While in the Legislature in 1921 he served as Speaker of the House.

He was the author of the Civil Rights Bill, which is now a law in the State of New Jersey. Was the exponent and principal defender of the Medical License Bill, which now governs the practice of medicine in the State of New Jersey. Was the proposer of the Marriage License Bill, requiring a medical examination of applicants for marriage.

He was elected Alternate-at-Large to the Republican Convention at Cleveland in 1924, and Delegate-at-Large, National Republican Convention, held at Kansas City, in 1928.

ALEXIS, LUCIEN V.—Principal High School.

b. July 8, 1892, New Orleans, La.; s. Louis Victor and Alice (Saucier) Alexis; m. Rita Holt, April 3, 1918; one child, Lucien V., Jr., b. July 23, 1921; educ. Phillips-Exeter Acad., 1914; A.B., Harvard Univ., 1918; auth. "Fundamentals in Physics and in Chemistry," vol. I, illustrated, New Orleans, La., 1929, which work was reviewed in United States, Italy, France; "Syllabus to Fundamentals in Physics and in Chemistry," 1928; "The Thermoelectric Formula," 1929; "The Riddle of the Magnetic Field," 1930; "An Empirical Disclosure of the Fallacies of Relativity," 1931; Principal, McDonogh 35 High Sch., 1926-present; First Lieutenant Adjutant, Second Battalion, 367th Infantry, A. E. F.,



RAYMOND PACE ALEXANDER, B.S., LL.



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NIMROD B. ALLEN, A.B., A.M., S.T.B.

June, 1917, to March, 1919; Social Service, War Camp Community Service, Community Service, 1919-21; Educational Administration, 1921-33. Orleans Parish School Board; State Committee Hi-Y Clubs; New Orleans Colored Teachers Assn.; Louisiana State Colored Teachers Assn.; National Geographic Soc.; Address, McDonogh 35 High School; Residence, 2427 Palmyra St., New Orleans, La.

ALLEN, CLEVELAND G.—Lecturer-Journalist. b. March, 1887, Greenville, S. C.; s. Sergeant and Rebecca (Anderson) Allen; educ. High Sch., Greenville and New York City; New York Univ.; Columbia Univ., 1920-23; Post Graduate work in Religious Education, Columbia Univ.; engaged in newspaper work for several years; member of staff of Home News, 9 years; contr. N. Y. Herald-Tribune; Musical America; Current History Magazine; Christian Science Monitor; The Zion Herald; Southwestern Christian Advocate; Opportunity; mem. Intercollegiate Association; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church; Address, 316 W. 138th Street, New York, N. Y.

He served for several years as a publicity man for the late Booker T. Washington. In 1911 he was the only Negro newspaperman present at the Ecumenical Methodist Conference, which met in Toronto, Can.

He leads a Pilgrimage every year to the Hall of Fame, New York University, in honor of the birthday anniversary of Harriett Beecher Stowe, and was the first colored man to arrange a service at the Hall of Fame.

ALLEN, MRS. CORA MURDOCK—Fraternity Officer.—See 5th Edition.
Died

ALLEN, ELIJAH HENRY—Physician.

b. Jan. 12, 1861, Camden, Ala.; s. Henry and Caroline Allen; m. Emma Russell, June 25, 1902; six children, Elijah Henry, Jr., b. Nov. 10, 1903; Lucile, (Mrs. Jesse Lewis), b. Oct. 26, 1905; Hilda Carolyn, b. Aug. 24, 1907; George Walker, b. Dec. 11, 1909; Emma Mae, b. April 3, 1913; Charles Hughes, b. May 9, 1916; educ. Public Sch., Camden, Ala.; Selma Univ., Selma, Ala.; 1890; M.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1894; Physician, 1894-present; Teacher, Public Sch., Wilcox Co., Ala., 1874-87; Clerk, Pension Office, Washington, D. C., 1890-95; Supreme Medical Director, American Woodmen, 1908-present; mem. Medical Soc. of District of Columbia; National Medical Assn.; Odd Fellows; N. A. A. C. P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1115 4th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

ALLEN, GRAVES MONROE—Lawyer.

b. Aug. 25, 1889, Halls, Tenn.; s. Arnold and Dixie (Soward) Allen; educ. High Sch., Halls, Tenn., 1903; B.S. Howe Baptist Coll., Memphis, Tenn., 1908; La Salle Univ. Extension; Private Tuition; Lawyer, 1918-present; Assemblyman, Missouri, 1929-31; Candidate, Assembly, 1932; Sec., Regular Republican Organization, 5th Ward St., Louis, Mo.; Grand Master, F. and A. A. Y. Masons, Missouri, 1926-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Mound City

Bar Assn.; Harlan State Assn.; National Bar Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2607 Franklin Ave., Residence, 819 N. 16th St., St. Louis, Mo.

He introduced a bill in the Legislature to create an Agricultural Farm so that the Colored people can be taught scientific agriculture. Another important bill he introduced added about 200 additional schools in the State of Missouri, with a provision that where the scholarship in any school district was less than 8, transportation must be provided by the district so the scholars could attend school.

He was instrumental in getting an appropriation passed by the Legislature to improve the sanitary conditions of the Colored Division, State Penitentiary, at Jefferson City, Mo. Another law was enacted in the Legislature to pay

ALLEN, NIMROD BOOKER—Social Worker.

b. Oct. 12, 1886, Girard, Ala.; s. George Wesley and Phoebe Allen; m. Clara Elberta Wilson, Sept. 6, 1916; one child, Phoebe Janet, b. May 8, 1924; educ. A.B., Wilberforce Univ., Ohio, 1910; A.M. (Honorary), 1920; S.T.B., Yale Univ., 3 years Training for Social Work Executive, 1915; Special Student, Economics, Ohio State Univ., Tr. Agent, Southern Christian Recorder, 1910-12; Student, 1912-15; Exec. Sec., Spring St. Br. Y. M. C. A., Columbus, Ohio, 1915-21; Exec. Sec., Columbus Urban League, 1921-present; mem. Executive Board, Columbus Council of Social Agencies; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; K. of P.; Masons; Business Men's Club; National Conference of Social Work; Pres., Ohio Conference of Social Work Among Negroes, five years; Treas., 1927-present; Founder Big Walnut Country Club; Founder, Colored Big Sisters of Columbus; Founder, Nut Club an Organization of Intelligent men for Self Advancement; Founder Frontiers of America the only National Colored Service Club; organizer, Friendly Service Bureau, crime Prevention of Police Dept. Columbus Founder and President, Columbus Industrial Mortgage Co.; Founder, President Clarod Service Company; mem. Executive Council Dunbar Mutual Benefit Insurance Co. auth. "East Long Street and Vicinity," pub. Crisis; "The Progress of Interracial Relations in Columbus," pub. Southern Workman; "Doing His Bit," pub. Opportunity; "The Negro Discovers the Marginal Power," Pol. Nominally Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Address, 107 N. Monroe Ave.; Home Address, 236 Lexington Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

While at Wilberforce University was founder of the Sodalion College paper, three years as business manager, one year as Editor; President of the Y. M. C. A.; manager of the football team, receiving Honorary W for management class orator and member of the debating team.

During his administration as Executive Secretary of the Spring Street Branch of the Columbus Y. M. C. A. the new building was erected at a cost of approximately \$150,000;

installed the first complete standard program of the colored Y. M. C. A.

ALLEN, WALTER OWEN—Physician.

See 5th Edition.

Died, September 25, 1934.

ALLEN, WILLARD W.—Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander Masons—Grand Master Masons.

b. May 3, 1888, Buckingham Co., Va.; s. George and Elizabeth Allen; m. Thekla Henson, (deceased) Oct. 14, 1914; second marriage, Gladys Rawlins, July 1, 1922; two children, Rosalind, b. Sept. 14, 1915; Elizabeth, b. Aug. 8, 1918; educ. Buckingham Co. High Sch., Va., 1903; La Salle Inst., Chicago, Ill.; Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, Masons; 1928-present; Grand Master, Masons, State of Maryland, 1922-present; Insurance and Real Estate, 1915-present; Zoning Commissioner, Baltimore, Md., 1927-30; Served on Baltimore and Federal Grand Jury.; Pres., Southern Life Ins. Co., Baltimore, Md., 1925-present; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1423 Pennsylvania Ave.; Residence, 1223 W. Lafayette Ave., Baltimore, Md.

He is the Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander of the United Supreme Council, A. & A. Scottish Rite of Freemasonry of the Southern Jurisdiction which includes 22 states. He is the only man in the United States serving as Grand Master and Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander. There are only two persons in the United States having this title.

While a member of the Grand Jury he conceived the idea of creating a home for feeble-minded children, and he was instrumental in the passage of a bill in the State Legislature in 1924 so that this might be accomplished.

ALLISON, ANDREW JACKSON—Alumni Secretary.

b. Sept. 2, 1892, Nashville, Tenn.; s. Andrew J. and Lillie (Jackson) Allison; m. Artis Thelma Whitaker, Sept. 2, 1925; two children, Elizabeth Whitaker, b. May 29, 1926; Andrew Jackson, Jr., b. June 3, 1927; educ. B.A., Fisk Univ., 1913; Harvard Univ. Law, 1920-21; Yale Univ. Law, 1921-22; Prin., Albany Normal Sch., Albany, Ga., 1913-18; Instructor, Mathematics, Georgia State Coll., Savannah, Ga., 1918-20; Industrial Sec., New York Urban League, 1922-25; Exec. Sec., Central Council Social Agencies (colored work), Hartford, Conn., 1925-27; Alumni Sec., Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1927-present; contr. *The World Tomorrow*, *Opportunity*, newspapers and periodicals; Scoutmaster, Scout Troop, New York, 1923-25; Community Chorus, Hartford, Conn., 1926; Pageant, Negro Board of Trade, Nashville, Tenn., 1928; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha, Hartford Racquet Club, Nashville Negro Board of Trade; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Fisk University; Residence, 923 18th Ave., N., Nashville, Tenn.

In 1918 he was Director of War Time Activities under the War Camp Community Service

in Norfolk, Va., and Nashville, Tenn. He studied law at Yale and Harvard Universities for two years, and was later a fellow of the National Urban League. He was the Industrial Secretary of the New York Urban League of New York engaged in organizing Negro workers and placing skilled and clerical help. While in this capacity he organized the Negro Motion Picture Operators of New York City and promoted organization among the elevator operators and laundry workers. He was the Negro representative and member of the Executive Committee of the first conference of youth organizations held in America.

In 1925 the Central Council of Social Agencies of Hartford, Conn., called Mr. Allison to Hartford to make a study of the living and working conditions among Negroes in that city. His findings resulted in the coordination of activities for the betterment of Negro conditions under the Hartford Community Chest, and he was appointed by the Community Chest as Director of Negro activities. Mr. Allison was made Alumni Secretary of Fisk University in 1927.

ALLISON, JAMES M.—Physician-Surgeon.

b. Aug. 6, 1889, Dayton, Ala.; s. (Rev.) James and Julia (Lawson) Allison; m. Ruth Mae Beam, Sept. 11, 1925; two children, James M., Jr., b. June 10, 1926; Rutherford H., b. Aug. 12, 1927; educ. Payne Univ.; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1915; post-graduate work, Harvard Med. Sch., Institute of Surgery; Laboratory of Surgical Technique; Physician and Surgeon, 1915-present; Associate Attending Gynecologist, Dailey Hosp. Sanitarium; Associate, Attending Surgeon, Provident Hosp.; mem. Am. Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Illinois Med. Assn.; Ex-Pres., Cook County Physicians' Assn.; 1st Lieut., Med. Reserve Corps, U. S. A.; Urban League, Y. M. C. A.; Mason (32°), K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E.; Office, 4255 Indiana Ave.; Residence, 4938 Vincennes Ave., Chicago, Ill.

ALSTON, J. HENRY—College Dean.

b. Aug. 24, 1894, Rocky Mount, N. C.; s. Joseph and Carrie J. (Eaton) Alston; m. Kathleen Ketchum, June 9, 1921; five children, Gwendolyn Berwyn, b. Dec. 27, 1922; Helen Juanita, b. July 1, 1924; J. Henry Alston, Jr., b. Aug. 29, 1925; Kathleen B. II., b. Feb. 21, 1927; Carol Cecil, b. Aug. 19, 1928; educ. Baltimore High Sch., 1911; Henderson Normal Institute, Henderson, N. C., 1911-13; B.A., Lincoln Univ., Pa., 1917; Clark Univ., Worcester, Mass.; Post Graduate Work in Psychology; M.A., 1920; auth. "Fusion of Cold and Warmth into Heat," *Scientific*; *American Journal of Psychology*, 1920; Orientation of Coll. Students; Proceedings of the National Assn. of Collegiate Deans and Registrars in Negro Schools, 1930; "Psychology of Race Prejudice"; Prin., High Sch. Dept., Paine College, Augusta, Ga., 1918-19; Prin., Lincoln High Sch., Paducah, Ky., 1922-24; Dean, A. & M. College,

Normal, Ala., 1924-25; Asst. Dean, A. & I. State College, Nashville, Ten., 1925-26; Dean, Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C., 1926-29; Asst. Dean, Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View, Tex., 1929-present; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Masons; Elks; National Assn. of Teachers in Negro Schools; Texas State Teachers Assn; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Prairie View State College, Prairie View, Tex.; Residence, 521 Bloom Street; Baltimore, Md.

In the summer, 1917, he entered the S. A. T. C., at Howard University, Washington, D. C., and served with distinction as Sergeant, first class, in the Quartermaster's Corps, from which he graduated Sept. 16. He held an appointment at Clark University, Worcester, Mass., as graduate scholar in psychology where he completed 45 semester hours of graduate work in psychology leading to the Doctor's degree.

During 1929-30 he served as President of the National Association of Collegiate Deans and Registrars in Negro Schools. He published the Proceedings of the Fisk Meeting, almost doubled the membership of the Association, and freed the Association of a heavy indebtedness that had accumulated over the four previous years and left a substantial balance in the bank. Because of his outstanding contribution to the Association he, together with Dean McKinney, the founder, was elected to membership on the Executive Committee.

ALSTON, MELVIN O.—Educator.

b. Oct. 7, 1911, Norfolk, Va.; s. Sonnie and Mary Elizabeth (Smith) Alston; educ. Washington High Sch., Norfolk, Va.; B.S., Virginia State Coll., Ettrick, Va., 1935; is now working on his masters Degree from Columbia Univ., New York City; Instructor, Mathematics, Washington High School, Norfolk, Va., 1934-present; Pres., Norfolk Teachers' Assn, 1937-present; Chairman Jr. Board of Directors, Hunton Branch Y.M.C.A.; Sec., Trustee Board, First Calvary Baptist Church; awarded two keys during graduation, one for excellence in Scholarship, and one for debating; mem. National Honor Soc.; Hi-Y Club; Delegate, National Y. M. C. A. Conference, Kinks Mountain, N. C.; Male Asst. Tutor in Mathematics, Virginia State Coll., 1935; Student Representative, National Conference on Fundamental Problems in Negro Education, Washington, D. C., held by Dept. of Interior; mem. Iota Lambda Honorary Soc.; Relig. Baptist; Address, Washington High School; Residence, 1510 O'Keefe St., Norfolk, Va.

AMES, JAMES W.—Physician.

b. Oct. 12, 1864, New Orleans, La.; s. Walter and Clarissa (Washington) Ames; m. Florence F. Cole, Sept., 23, 1897 (deceased); four children, Chester Coles, b. July 11, 1898; William Edley, b. Dec. 30, 1902; Marion Clarissa, b. July 7, 1904; Florence Frances, b. Mar., 1906; second marriage, Norma Alimbs; educ. Straight Coll.; M.D., Howard Univ., 1894; Physician and Surgeon, 1894-present; Ex-Director, Phyllis Wheatley House for Indigent Colored Women; Med. Director (Supt.), Dunbar Memorial Hosp.; Diagnostician, Bd. of Health, Detroit, 1901-15;

Board of Supervisors, Wayne Co., 1918-present; Member of State Legislature, 1901-02; Ex-Grand Sec. and Past Exalted Ruler, Wolverine Lodge No. 72 Elks; Organizer, Florence Ames Temple; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 985 Frederick Ave., Detroit, Mich.

AMOS, THOMAS HUNTER—Clergyman.

b. Aug. 8, 1866, Monrovia, Liberia, W. Africa; s. Thomas H. and Sarah (Hunter) Amos; m. Ida Brock, Nov. 3, 1891; eight children Thomas H. Amos, Jr., b. Aug. 15, 1892; Sadie B., b. Oct. 1, 1893; Selden J., b. July 12, 1895; Harold, b. Oct. 31, 1897; Emma, b. Dec. 18, 1901; Bernice, b. March 11, 1904; Fannie, b. March 3, 1906; Ruth, b. March 3, 1906; educ. Lincoln Univ., 1879-89; A.B., 1886; A.M., 1889; D.D., Biddle (now Johnson C. Smith Univ.), 1897; Founder and President of Harbison Coll., Abbeville, S. C., 1898-1906; Pastor of Presbyterian Churches since 1906; Pastor, Presbyterian Church, Hillburn, N. Y., 1925-30; Pastor, Calvary Presbyterian Church, Asbury Park, N. J., 1930-present; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 1300 Summerfield Ave., Asbury Park, N. J.

His father was a member of long standing in the Presbyterian Church, the first colored Missionary commissioned by that Church to go to Africa, and one of the first students to graduate from Lincoln University.

Rev. Thomas Hunter Amos founded the Harbison College at Abbeville, S. C., in 1898. He resigned in 1906. During his administration as President he was instrumental in raising over \$45,000 for the use and benefit of the institution.

He successfully closed a campaign to preserve the First Colored Presbyterian Church from dissolution and secured \$8,000 for that purpose. He has been the means of procuring many thousands of dollars for the development of his Church.

ANDERSON, MRS ALICE L. — Fraternal Worker. — See 4th Edition.

Died.

ANDERSON, BLANCHE WILLIAMS—School Principal.

b. March 25, Harrisburg, Pa.; d. Walter Wesley and Clara Gilmore (Toop) Williams; m. Matthew Anderson, June 14, 1920; educ. Harrisburg High Sch.; Harrisburg Commercial Coll.; Temple Univ.; Univ. of Pennsylvania; auth. Special Stories in Crisis; Principal, Berean School, Philadelphia, Pa., 1929-present; mem. N. A. A. C.P.; Women's Christian Union; Women's International League for Peace and Freedom; The American Inter-racial Peace Committee; Mask and Chancel Drama League; Philadelphia Chapter, National Assn. for the Study of the Negro; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 1926 S. College Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

ANDERSON, CHARLES WILLIAMS—Collector Internal Revenue. — See 5th Edition.

Died June 28, 1938.

ANDERSON, CHARLES W., Jr.—Lawyer—

Assemblyman.

b. May 26, 1907, Louisville, Ky.; s. Dr. Charles W. and Tabitha (Murphy) Anderson; m. Ann L. Rucker, Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 20, 1939; educ. Kentucky State Coll., Frankfurt, Ky., 1925; A.B., Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, Ohio, 1927; LL.B., Howard Univ. School of Law, Washington, D. C., 1930; LL.D., Wilberforce Univ. (Honorary), 1936; Clerk, Claim Division, U. S. Veterans Bureau, Washington, D. C., 1930 to 1932; Lawyer, 1933—present; Assemblyman, State of Kentucky, 1935—present; Pres., N. A. A. C. P., Louisville Branch, two terms; mem. Board, Family Welfare Service, Kentucky Home Soc. for Children; National Home Finding Soc. for Colored Children; Louisville Business League; American Academy of Political Science; American Legislators' Assn.; Elks; Masons; Anderson Republican Organization and Allied Clubs; Alpha Phi Alpha; Tau Delta Sigma Legal Fraternity; mem. Louisville and Jefferson Co. Republican Executive Committee; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 602 W. Walnut St., Louisville, Ky.

He is the first Colored man to become an Assemblyman of a Southern State since the Reconstruction Days. He sponsored and had a law enacted to provide graduate education for Colored students who were compelled to study outside of the State on account of the separate school laws of Kentucky. The Anderson-Mayer Act provides the sum of \$175 to Colored students for their tuition with an annual appropriation of \$7,500.00.

He also sponsored the repeal of Kentucky's 18 year old public hanging law. A bill to allow public School Teachers in Kentucky to marry and retain their teaching positions; a bill to provide rural high school educational facilities for all students of both Races and to require Counties without high schools to grant a sum not less than \$100 for tuition and transportation of students' to study in another County; sponsored a bill to prohibit discrimination on account of race in employment on public buildings, roads and work projects; fought and successfully defeated a bill to segregate white and Colored people on buses in Kentucky; aided to increase the appropriations for State Schools and general improvements of all Colored institutions.

The Kentucky Negro Educational Association awarded Mr. Anderson the Lincoln Institute Key for 1938-39 for making the greatest contribution towards the advancement of the Colored people in Kentucky.

He is at present serving his third term as Kentucky's first and only Negro legislator.

ANDERSON, CLARENCE R.—Lawyer,

— See 5th Edition.

ANDERSON, ELMO M.—Executive Secretary.

b. May 26, 1888, Pittsburgh, Pa.; s. John William and Frances (Moles) Anderson; m. Frances E. Harper; one child, Elmo Cornell, b. Sept. 21, 1923; educ. Pub. Sch., Pittsburgh, Pa.; Business Manager Our Colored Missions, published by The Catholic Board of Mission Work Among Colored People, 1920-present; Executive Secretary of same, 1922-present; Pres., St. Mark's Holy Name Society, 1922-present; Pres., Lorraine Club, 1922-present; Pres., Laymen's Union, 1927-present; 1st Vice-Pres., Nat'l Catholic Interracial Federation; 2nd Vice-Pres., Cardinal Gibbons Institute; K. of C., 4th degree; Catholic Order of Foresters; I. B. P. O. E. of W.; Phi Beta Sigma; Address, 154 Nassau St.; Residence, 2588 7th Ave., New York, N. Y.

ANDERSON, FOKREST B.—Lawyer.

b. April 1, 1884, Lafayette County, Mo.; s. William Henry and Minnie Minerva (Porter) Anderson; educ. Boston Grade Sch., Boston, Mass., 1905-07; Boston Evening High Sch., Boston, Mass., 1907-09; The Assn. of Inst. of the Y. M. C. A., Boston, Mass., 1909-11; Law School, Y. M. C. A. Assn. Inst., 1909-13; Pres.-Sec.; Waiters' Union, Local 183 of Boston; Associate Ed., Mixer and Server, the official magazine of the Hotel and Restaurant Employees' International Alliance and Bartenders' International League of America, A. F. of L., 1905-07; Hotel Waiter; Salesman; Practicing Lawyer, 1917-present; mem. Monrovia Club; Legal Advisor, National Association of Negro Musicians, Inc.; Legal Advisor, N. A. A. C. P., Kansas City Kans. Relig. Baptist; Pol. Republican; Address, Anderson Building, 512 State Ave., Kansas City, Kans.

Worked during the day as waiter in hotels and studied in the evening. He was at one time President of the Boston Waiters' Union.

Upon completing four year's law study at the Association Institute of the Y. M. C. A. in Boston, he went to Kansas City, Kan., and was admitted to the Kansas Bar in 1917.

ANDERSON, GEORGE HENRY—Dentist.

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A lecture and demonstration of lantern slides on "Estimation of Cardiac Area in Children," was given jointly by Paul C. Hedges, head of Roentgenology, at Chicago University, and Dr. Anthony, before the American Medical Association, which met at Milwaukee, Wis.

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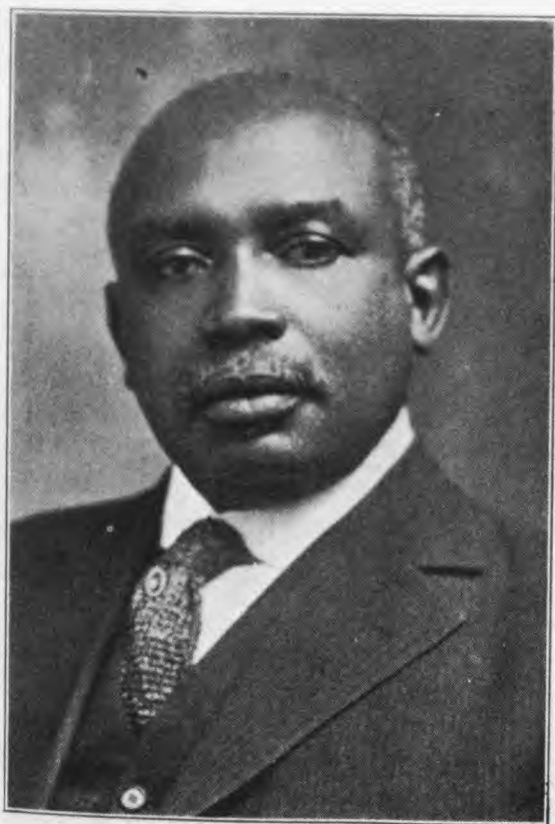
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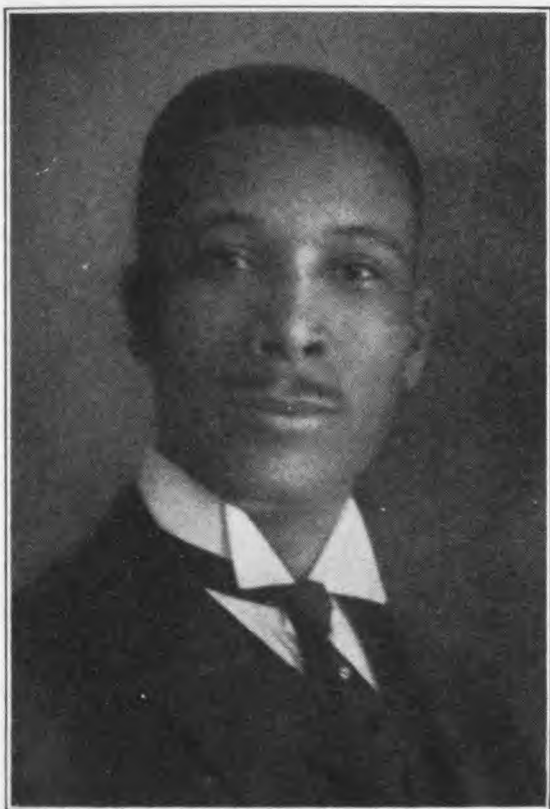
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ical Corp., 365th Infantry, U. S. Army, serving in France, being engaged in three battles, St. Die Sector, Argonne-Meuse and Marbache; Medical Examiner, Masons, Chicago, Ill.; Cook County Med. Assn.; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 412 E. 47th St.; Chicago, Ill.; Residence, 4849 Calumet Ave., Chicago, Ill.

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b. March 20, 1881, Belvoir P. O., Chatham Co., N. C.; s. Jay Haisy and Mary (Crutchfield) Baldwin; m. Vina A. Flood, Dec. 24, 1911; two children, J. Mae, Rosa B.; educ. Apex Normal and Industrial Inst.; Shaw Univ. and Leonard Med. Coll., 1905-10; M.D., Leonard Med. Coll., 1910; Teacher, Public Schools, 1897-1902; Private Waiter, 1902-05; Physician, 1910-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; St. Luke's; Elks; Trustee and Steward of Church; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Address, 155 Fayette St., Martinsville, Va.

Was commissioned First Lieutenant, M. R. C. in 1917, trained at Ft. Des Moines, Iowa, and served overseas for nine months Volunteer for service in the year 1917 and returned to the U. S., April 1, 1919, and active practice of medicine in Martinsville since that time.

In 1929 he constructed a modern business block, which building includes a theater, hotel, barber shop, pharmacy, billiard parlor, physicians offices, dental office, beauty parlor, and 27-bed hospital.

BALLARD, WILSON—Dentist.

b. June 17, 1877, Concordia Parish, La.; s. Isaiah and Patsy (Beverly) Ballard; m. Pearle E. Pinn, Feb. 12, 1912; educ. Pub. Sch., Natchez, Miss.; Howard Univ., 1897-98; Wilberforce Univ., 1899; D.D.S., Ohio State Univ., 1901-04; D.D.S., 1904; Dentist, 1904-present; Organizer Major Commander, Liberia Frontier Force, 1912-15; 1st Lieut., U. S. Volunteers, Spanish Am. War; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Kentucky State Med. Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Fall City Med. Assn.; N. A. A. C. P.; Boy Scouts of Am.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; K. of P.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopalian; Office, 601 Walnut St.; Residence, 2133 W. Chestnut St., Louisville, Ky.

He was commissioned 1st lieutenant in the U. S. Volunteers, serving in the Spanish-American War and later served for two years in the Philippines.

He organized and Was Major Commander of the Liberia Frontier Force from 1912 to 1915.

BALLOU, EDGAR SAMSON—Dentist.

b. Sept. 9; 1889, Jacksonville, Fla.; s. John H. and Carrie (Sampson) Ballou; m. Julia Mill, July 5, 1912; educ. Baltimore Normal Sch., Baltimore, Md.; Cookman Institute, Jacksonville, Fla., 1908; Howard Univ., Dental Sch., 1909-12; D.D.S., Howard Univ., 1912; Dentist, Montclair, N. J., 1913-present; Junior Warden, F. & A. M., New Jersey, 1924; Grand Senior Warden, 1924-present; Pres., N.A.A.C.P., (local branch) 1922-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; North Jersey Med. Society; Howard Alumni Club of North

Jersey; Relig. Union Baptist Church; Address, 50 Forest St., Montclair, N. J.

BANKETT, MRS. LELIA WILLIAMS—National Lecturer.

b. May 23, 1885, Goochland Co., Va.; d. George William, Jr., and Lelia (Shelton) Williams; m. John E. Bankett, Sept. 27, 1923; educ. Smith's Business Coll., Lynchburg, Va.; Hartshorn Memorial Coll., Richmond, Va.; taught stenography and typewriting, Armstrong Night Sch., Richmond, Va., four years; connected with the Independent Order of St. Luke, twenty-four years; National Lecturer, Nat. Ideal Benefit Society (fraternal organization), 1927-1928; Vice-Pres., Patronesses Club, Upsilon Omega Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Relig. Baptist; Address, 626 N. 4th St., Richmond, Va.

While Field Secretary for the Independent Order of St. Luke she was instrumental in securing 4,723 members for the Order and increasing the treasury by more than \$8,000. She was its field secretary for 18 months.

BANKS, GEORGE E. J.—Dentist.

b. June 9, 1899, New York; s. John Edgar and Emily T. (Jamison) Banks; educ. B.S., Wilberforce Univ., 1918-22; B.S., 1922; D.D.S. Howard Univ., 1926; Dentist, 1926-present; Sec., Westchester Academy of Med.; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 50 Winthrop Ave., New Rochelle, N. Y.

BANKS, MYRTLE ROSABELLA—Teacher-Social Worker.

b. Nov. 20, 1909, Albemarle, La.; d. Rev. Henry Benjamin and Rosabella (Hopes) Banks; educ. McDonogh, 35 Public Sch., New Orleans, La.; Normal School; Straight Coll., New Orleans, La.; A.B., New Orleans Univ., 1929; Dramatic Art and Music, Boston Conservatory; auth. "Book of Poems"; Teacher, Special Geography, Thomy Lafore's Platoon Sch.; First Teacher, Night High Sch. for Colored, New Orleans, La.; Past Pres., Marie LePage Spanish-American War Auxiliary, No. 9; Director, Sylvia Williams Community Center Forum, New Orleans, La.; Local Editor, Afro-American Newspaper, of Baltimore, Md.; Reporter, Louisiana State Teachers Journal; Sunday School Teacher, Israel Baptist Church, New Orleans, La.; Red Cross Worker; mem. National, State and City Teachers Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 3213 Carondelet St.; Residence, 3418 Erato St., New Orleans, La.

She was the Valedictorian in her high school class, in 1925. She also won the Valedictorian at the Teachers' Training School in 1927, and an award for a perfect, unbroken attendance.

As a member of the House of Delegates, of the City Teachers' Association, she has taught many demonstration lessons.

BANKS, OLIVER MACLIN—Physician-Surgeon.

b. May 5, 1886, Summit, Miss.; s. John B. (M.D.) and Sarah A. Banks; m. Eugene M. White, Sept. 30, 1924; educ. Union High Sch., Natchez, Miss., 1895-99; Natchez Coll., 1899-1903; Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1903-07; M.D., 1907;

Physician and Surgeon, 1907-present; mem. Woodmen, F. & A. M.; K. of P.; Elks; Odd Fellows; Nat. Med. Assn.; Arkansas State Med. Assn.; Director of Bush Memorial Hospital, Little Rock, Ark.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Address, Box 307; Residence, 211½ Towa St., Dermott, Ark.

BANKS, W. RUTHERFORD—Educator.

b. Aug. 8, 1881, Hartwell, Ga.; s. Jabe M. and Laura (McCurry) Banks; m. Virginia Perry, June 1, 1911; educ. Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1901-09; A.B. Atlanta Univ., 1909; M.A. Paul Quinn Coll., Waco, Texas, 1922; M.A., Atlanta Univ., 1928; Teacher at Ft. Valley Industrial Sch., Ga., 1909-12; Principal, Kowaliga Industrial Sch., Benson, Ala., 1912-15; President, Texas Coll. Tyler, Texas, 1915-26; Principal, Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View, Texas, 1926-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Relig. C. M. E. Church; Address, Prairie View State College, Prairie View, Texas.

Prairie View College is the largest Land Grant College in America for Negroes.

It has more than 168 employees, 3500 students annually and furnishes over 70% of the teachers for Texas.

BAPTISTE, LEWIS JOSEPH—Clergyman.

b. June 8, 1903, New Orleans, La.; s. Peter and Sarah (Washington) Baptiste; m. Evelyn Green, Feb. 2, 1933; educ. Berwn High Sch., Springfield, Ill., 1917; Wendell Phillips High Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1919; Crane Jr. Coll., Chicago, Ill., 1925; Chicago Univ., Chicago, Ill., 1928; Pacific Sch. of Religion, Manitou, Col., 1929; Pastor, First Congregational Church, Anniston, Ala., 1929-30; Pastor, Bethany Congregational Church, Thomasville, Ga., 1931-32; Pastor, First Congregational Church, Birmingham, Ala., 1933-present; Chaplain, Elks, 1928-29; mem. Elks; Phi Alpha Omega; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Urban League; Congregational Conference of Alabama; Pol. Independent; Relig. Congregational; Address, 619 15th St., N., Birmingham, Ala.

BARBER, JESSE BELMONT—Clergyman.

b. Nov. 2, 1893, Charlotte, N. C.; s. John and Cecelia (Lyles) Barber; m. Mae Valeria Fortune, Sept. 30, 1923; one child, Jesse Belmont, Jr., b. June 2, 1924; educ. A.B., Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Penn., 1915; S.T.B., 1918; A.M., 1918; studied Univ. of Washington, Seattle, Wash., 1920; Pastor, Seattle, Wash., 1918-22; S. S. Missionary, 1922-26; Pastor, Chattanooga, Tenn., 1926-present; Inter-racial Committee, State of Tenn.; Bd. of Management, Colored Y.M.C.A., Chattanooga, Tenn.; Principal, Newton Sch., 1926-32; Director, Newton Community Station, including Kindergarten, Nursery and Clinic, 1932-present; mem. Masons; O.E.S., Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Independent; Relig. Northern Presbyterian; Address, Leonard St. Presbyterian Ch.; Residence, 405 W. 10th St., Chattanooga, Tenn.

BARCUS, ROBERT B.—Lawyer-Special Counsel.

b. March 6, 1878, Charlottesville, Albemarle Co., Va.; s. William and Eliza (Walker) Barcus; m. Emma Mason, July 12, 1911; educ. Jefferson Graded Sch., Charlottesville, Va., 1896; Va. Nor-

mal & Collegiate Inst., Petersburg, Va., 1896-1901; A.B., Va. Normal & Collegiate Inst., 1901; Howard Univ. Law Sch., 1901-04; LL.B., Howard Univ., 1904; admitted to Ohio Bar, 1905; Dist. Court of U. S., Southern Dist. of Ohio, 1913; Lawyer, 1905-present; special counsel in the Attorney General's office of the State of Ohio, 1919-present; Pres. Normal and Industrial Dept., Wilberforce Univ., 1929-32; mem. Franklin County Bar Assn.; Ohio State Bar Assn.; Buckeye Republican Club of Columbus; Prosperity Lodge, K. of P.; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1342 E. Long Street, Columbus, Ohio.

He was the Founder, Organizer and first President of the Spring Street Young Men's Christian Association of Columbus, Ohio.

He was the first President of the People's Literary and Historical Association, which he organized. He was the Attorney and Legal Advisor for the Grand Lodge and Insurance Department of the Knights of Pythias of the State of Ohio for three consecutive terms and has been elected eight consecutive terms as Grand Chancellor of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, State of Ohio.

He planned the financing and construction of the new Pythian Temple, at Columbus, Ohio, at a cost of \$225,000, and the State Home for the Aged and Infirm members of the Order of Knights of Pythias and Court of Calanthe of the State of Ohio, located in Greene County, Ohio, near Exenia, at a cost of \$75,000.

He was appointed special counsel in the office of the Attorney General of the State of Ohio in 1919 and has served in that capacity since that time.

BARKSDALE, JAMES DRAYTON—Clergyman.
— See 4th Edition.

Died, March 24 1936

BARNES, MRS. MARGARET E.—Editor.

b. July 19, 1879, Monticello, Wayne Co., Ky.; d. James and Rebecca (Hopkins) Sallee; m. James D. Barnes, Aug. 24, 1904; five children, Katherine, b. 1905; James D., Jr., b. 1908; Margaret Ellen, b. 1911; Samuel Edward, b. 1915; Rebecca Frances, b. 1915; educ. Kentucky State Industrial Coll., Frankfort, Ky., 1900; LL.D. (Honorary) Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1938; Editor, *Girl's Guide*, 1933-present; Editor, *Queen's Gardens*, the official publication of the Ohio Federation of Colored Women's Clubs; Teacher, Public Schools, Ky., 8 years; Pres., Federation Colored Women, Ohio State, 1933-present; mem. Administrative Committee, National Assn. Colored Women; Field Representative, National Assn. Colored Women; mem. Eastern Star; W. C. T. U.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 221 N. Main Street, Oberlin, Ohio.

She has been active in promoting the best interests of the Race for many years. Recognizing her ability Wilberforce University has asked her to head a million

dollar drive for funds to add buildings and better the conditions of that University.

BARNES, W. HARRY—Physician-Specialist.

b. April 4, 1887, Philadelphia, Penn.; s. George W. and Eliza (Webb) Barnes; m. Mattie E. Thomas, Sept. 21, 1912; five children, W. Harry Barnes, Jr., b. June 30, 1913; Loyd Thomas, b. Jan. 21, 1915; Ralph Webb, b. Nov. 19, 1917; Leroy Theodore, b. July 16, 1919; Carl L., b. Aug. 6, 1931; educ. Univ. of Penn., 1908-12; M.D., 1912; Ear, Nose and Throat, 1920-21; O.R.L., 1921; University of Paris, France, 1924; University of Bordeaux, France, 1924; O.R.L., University of Bordeaux, 1924; Physician, 1912-21; Specialist in Diseases of Ear, Nose and Throat, 1921-present; auth. Numerous Monographs, Ear, Nose and Throat; various Medical Journals; Compend of Diseases of Ear, Nose and Throat (translated from the French), private printing, 1925; Candidate Assembly, Pennsylvania, 1932; Pres. Zoar Community Building Loan Assn., 1924-present; Lecturer, Bronchoscopy, Howard Univ. Medical Sch., Washington, D. C., 1931-present; American Board of Otolaryngology, 1927-present; Pres., President, National Med. Assn., 1910-12; mem. Elks; American Medical Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Masons; Odd Fellows; Alpha Phi Alpha; Nat. Med. Assn.; Phila. Academy of Medicine; Relig. Methodist; Pol. Republican; Address, 1315 N. 15th St., Philadelphia, Penn.

BARNETT, CLAUDE A.—Director, Associated Negro Press.

b. Sept. 16, 1889, Sanford, Fla.; s. William and Celena (Anderson) Barnett; educ. Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala.; Founder and Director, Associated Negro Press, which organization supplies newspapers throughout the United States with current news of the day, 1919-present; Director, Chicago Urban League; President Provident Hospital; Director, National Negro Business League; mem. Board of Trustees, Tuskegee Institute; mem. Board of Directors, Chicago Council of Social Agencies; mem. Board of Directors, Chicago Recreation Commission; mem. Masons; Pythians; Elks Woodmen; Address, 3511 S Parkway, Chicago, Illinois.

BARNETT, ETTA MOTEN—Singer—film and Radio Artist.

b. San Antonio, Tex.; d. Rev Freeman F. and Ida M. Moten; m. Claude A. Barnett; educ. Western Univ., Kansas City, Kans.; A.B., Music and Dramatic Art, Kansas Univ., Lawrence, Kans., 1931; Appearances in leading theatres of U. S. and South America; Concert Tours in principal Cities and Educational Institutions; appeared in R. K. O. film "Flying Down to Rio," "Gold Diggers of 1933," etc.; Staff Artist N. B. C., San Francisco, Calif.; mem. Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Address, 3507 So. Parkway; Residence, 3548 Vernon Ave., Chicago, Ill.

BARNETT, CONSTANTINE CLINTON—Physician.

b. Nov. 30, 1869, New Canton, Va.; s. Rev. Nelson and Bethenia (Woodson) Barnett; m. first wife Katherine Whiting, July, 1900; second wife Clara B. Matthews, Oct. 9, 1912; educ. High Sch. Ironton, Ohio.; Univ. of Mich., 1896; M.D. Howard Univ., 1899; Physician, Huntington, W. Va., 1901-15; Founder and Owner, Barnett Hospital and Nurse Training Sch., Huntington, W.



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ROBERT B. BARCUS, A.B., LL.D.



W. Harry Barnes, M.D.

Va.; Supt., The State Hospital for Colored Insane, Lakin, W. V., 1925-present; Alternate-at-Large, Nat. Republican Convention, Chicago, Ill., 1912 and 1920, receiving the largest vote of any candidate in 1920; mem. National Med. Assn.; Central Tri-State Medical Assn.; First Mental Hygiene Assn.; American Hospital Assn.; State Medical Assn.; K. of P.; Elks; Republican County Committeeman, 18 years; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1201 Seventh Ave., Huntington, W. Va.

After practicing medicine and surgery in Huntington, W. Va., for several years he established the Barnett Hospital and Nurse Training School which later became the largest and best equipped privately owned institution of its kind, and was later taken over by the City of Huntington as a hospital for both white and colored people.

BARNETT, MRS. IDA N. WELLS—Club and Fraternal Woman. — See 2nd Edition.

Died.

BARNETT, LEONARD—High-School Principal.

b. April 25, 1893, Fleming, Ohio; s. Ambrose J. and Amanda J. (Stevens) Barnett; m. Letitia N. Freeman, Aug. 19, 1925; two children, Cordelia Ann, b. Oct. 29, 1926; Elizabeth Leona, b. Dec. 31, 1929; educ. B.S. in Educ., Ohio Univ., Athens, Ohio, 1916; Kings Coll., Univ. of London, Eng., 1919; A.M., Ohio State Univ., 1924; Teacher, Kimball High Sch., Kimball, W. Va., 1916-17; U. S. Army, A.E.F., 1st Sergt., 1918-19; Teacher, Sumner High Sch., Parkersburg, W. Va., 1919-23; Teacher, West Va. Collegiate Inst., Institute, W. Va., 1924-25; Principal, Washington High Sch., London, W. Va., 1925-present; Chief Arbiter, West Virginia High School Athletic Union, 1931-present; Executive Sec., West Virginia Teachers' Assn.; Editor, West Virginia Teachers' Assn. Bulletin; Dept. Secondary School Principals; National Educational Assn.; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; National Assn. Teachers Colored Schools; Pol. Republican; Relig. Wesleyan Methodist; Address, Washington High School; Residence, London, W. Va.

BARNUM, JOHN L.—Undertaker.

b. Dec. 5, 1892, Lumpkin, Ga.; s. Dennis E. and Lorena M. (Robinson) Barnum; m. Mabel M. Elliott, Oct. 17, 1917; two children, Lois E., b. Oct. 16, 1921; John L. Barnum, Jr., b. Sept. 26, 1924; educ. Public Schools, Ga.; Masonic Orphan Home, Ga.; Morris Brown Univ.; A.B. Lincoln Univ., 1914; Undertaker and Embalmer, 1905-present; mem. Negro Business League; Alpha Phi Alpha; Elks; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 205 Forsyth St., Americus, Ga.

BARNWELL, HENRY STEPHEN—Clergyman.

b. Aug. 1, 1881, Charleston, S. C.; s. William and Mary (Weston) Barnwell; m. Augusta Lillian Bibb, Aug. 28, 1907; one child, Henry Bibb, b. Aug. 16, 1908; educ. Talladega Coll., 1906; Editor, The Amistad, Atlanta, Ga.; Prin., Fessenden Academy, Florida, 1916-20; Dist. Supt., Congregation Churches in the State of Alabama, Georgia, Tennessee and Kentucky, 1921-24; Post-

master, Fessenden Academy, Florida, 1916-20; Associate Sec., Southern Church Work, Am. Missionary Assn. Churches, 1924-26; Sec. Southern Congregational Churches, 1927-37; As. Soc. Super. 'dent, Southeast District, 1937-present; mem. Committee Church Cooperation; Bd. Managers of Y.M.C.A.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 250 Auburn Ave.; Residence, 400 Pine St., N. E., Atlanta, Ga.

BARRETT, MRS. JANIE P.—Educator:

Taught Community School, Georgia; m. Harris Barrett, 1889 (deceased, 1915); was State President, Colored Women's Clubs of Virginia; Founded Virginia Industrial School; mem. Commission on Interracial Cooperation; Address, Hampton, Va.

She received the 1929 Award in Education of the William E. Harmon Awards for Distinguished Achievement Among Negroes.

BARRIER, EDGAR W.—High School Principal

—b. Aug. 26, 1897, Orange, New Jersey; s. William and Laura Barrier; educ. Bluefield Institute High School, 1913-17; Ohio Univ., Columbus, Ohio, 1917-22; A.B. Ohio Univ., 1922; Instructor, High School, Kimball W. Va., 1921-22; Principal, High School, Kimball, W. Va., 1923-present; mem. President, Bluefield Inst. Alumni Assn.; President, McDowell Mercer Round Table; Sec. and Treas., Secondary Principals Conference of W. Va.; Society of App. Psychology; Nat. Education Assn.; Alpha Phi Alpha, Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Kimball, W. Va.

He was a graduate student at the Ohio State University during the summer quarters of 1923 to 1926.

BASKERVILLE, ERASMUS LAFAYETTE—Clergyman-Editor. See 5th Edition.

Died, June 12, 1937.

BATE, LANGSTON FAIRCHILD—Educator—

b. 1900, Danville, Ky.; John W. and Ida (White) Bate; educ. Ill. State Normal Univ., 1918-20; A.B. 1920; M.A. Univ. of Chicago, 1923; Ph.D. Univ. of Chicago, 1926; Teacher, Science, Ky. Normal and Industrial Inst., 1920-22; Head, Dept. of Chemistry, Lincoln Univ., Jefferson City, Mo., 1926-present; mem. Sigma Xi Society, Kappa Alpha Psi; American Chemical Society; Univ. of Missouri Chemical Society; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, Lincoln University, Jefferson City, Mo.

He was a winner of a scholarship at the University of Chicago and was elected to the Honorary Society of the Sigma Xi at this University. While a student, he was assistant in the department of Chemistry.

BATES, ALVA LILLISTONE—Lawyer.

b. Sept. 29, 1888, Barbados, B. W. I.; s. William Wentworth and Alice Maude (King) Bates; m. Georgia Bryant, Dec. 27, 1911; educ. Private Tutors, Barbados; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1914; Lawyer, 1915-present; Pres., Cook Co. Bar Assn.; ex-Treas., National Bar Assn.; ex-Legal Advisor, Lincoln State Bank; Attorney, for Receiver, Douglas National Bank; Asst. States' Attorney, Cook Co., 1920; mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Foresters;

Tau Delta Sigma; National Bar Assn.; Cook Co. Bar Assn.; Urban League; Appomattox Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 2 E. 31st St.; Residence, 4621 Calumet Ave., Chicago, Ill.

BATTIS, FORREST HUNTER—Physician.

b. July 2, 1884, Harrisburg, Pa.; s. Frisby and Hallie (Hoover) Battis; m. Fannie Boling, July 2, 1908; one child, Forresta, b. Jan. 25, 1911; educ. Harrisburg High Sch.; M.D., Howard Univ., 1907; Physician, 1907-present; Visiting Physician, Mercy Hospital; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 16 N. 36th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

BATTLE, SAMUEL J.—Police Lieutenant.

b. Jan. 16, 1883, Newbern, N. C.; s. Thomas C. and Annie V. (Delamar) Battle; m. Florence C. Carrington, June 28, 1905; three children, Jesse Earl, b. Jan. 23, 1906; Charline Elizabeth, b. Jan. 7, 1913; Carroll Henry, b. Nov. 10, 1916; Policeman, City of New York, 1911-present; promoted to the rank of Sergeant, 1926; Assigned to Detective Bureau; Lieutenant, Radio Gun Squad, 1932-present; mem. John Brown Memorial Assn.; Elks; Odd Fellows; Masons; Relig. Protestant; Address 229 W. 123d St.; Residence, 255 W. 138th St., New York City, N. Y.

He is the first Colored man to be appointed as a Policeman of the Police Department of the City of New York, and the first Colored Sergeant of Police not only of the City of New York, but the State of New York. He was then assigned to the Detective Bureau, and is now an acting Lieutenant in charge of the Radio Gun Squad, 6th Detective District.

BATTLE, WALLACE A.—Field Secretary, Am. Church Institute.

b. May 10, 1872, Hurstboro, Ala.; s. Augustus and Jeanetta (Redden) Battle; m. Effie Dean Threat. Sept. 9, 1903; four children, Thelma Erlene, b. July 23, 1904; Wallace A. Battle, Jr., b. May 13, 1906; Marie, b. Dec. 1, 1909; Madelon, b. Dec. 9, 1918; educ. Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala., 1889-98; Berea Coll., 1898-1901; A.B., 1901; M.A., 1909; Litt.D. (Honorary) Berea College, Berea, Ky., 1933; winter session, New York Univ., New York City; summer sessions at the Universities of Illinois and Wisconsin; auth. "The Mississippi Letter," a school paper, published by Okolona Industrial School, Okolona, Miss., 1910-27; Founder and President, Okolona Industrial Sch., Okolona, Miss., 1902-27; Field Sec., Am. Church Institute, 1927-present; Study of Race Relations in Brazil; Autobiography; mem. Twentieth Century Club, of Boston; Chairman, sub. Committee. Federal Council of the Churches in America; Pol. Socialist; Relig. Episcopalian; John Haynes Holmes Community Church, N. Y.; Baptist; Congregationalist (evidently meant to be a Critique on denominationalism; he retired as Field Secretary and Educational Advisor of the Protestant Episcopal Church in June, 1940. Address, Fern Rock, Chaplin, Conn.

Mr. Battle was President of the Mississippi State Teachers' Association for four years. He is the Founder and first President of the Welfare League of Okolona. He devoted

twenty-five years to the interests of the Okolona Industrial School and when he resigned he left a plant of 380 acres, 300 students, 12 buildings. The plant, equipment and endowment is valued at \$250,000 and free of debt.

In 1924 he was the annual Negro speaker at the Old South Forum in Boston, Mass. An invitation was extended to him and he addressed the sociology class of Yale University. Later he addressed the entire School of Commerce and Accounting of New York University, on which occasion he was introduced by the late Dr. Joseph French Johnson, then Dean.

Mr. Battle resigned from the presidency of the Okolona Industrial School in 1927 to become Field Secretary of the American Church Institute of the Episcopal Church, U. S. A. In this position, among other duties, he assists in supervising 9 schools and colleges fostered by the Episcopal Church in 8 Southern States. Dr. Battle thus has the distinction of being the first member of his race to become a general staff officer as a part of the national council of the Episcopal Church.

The American Church Institute for Negroes is an organized part of the Board of Missions of the Protestant Episcopal Church for educational work among the Negroes of the South. It has jurisdiction over the following schools: St. Augustine's College, Raleigh, N. C.; St. Paul Normal and Industrial School, Lawrenceville, Va.; Bishop Payne Divinity School, Petersburg, Va.; Fort Valley Normal and Industrial School, Fort Valley, Ga.; St. Mark's School, Birmingham, Ala.; Gailor Industrial School, Mason, Tenn.; Okolona Industrial School, Okolona, Miss.; Gaudet Normal and Industrial School, New Orleans, La.; Voorhees Normal and Industrial School, Denmark, S. C.

He was honored with a fellowship to study interracial conditions in Brazil, by the Julius Rosenwald Fund, returning Oct., 1933.

BAXTER, DANIEL MINORT.—Clergyman Business Manager.

b. Oct. 2, 1874, Charleston, S. C.; s. Aaron and Mary (Webb) Baxter; m. Laura Anna Alston, 1896; three children, Mae Evelyn; Irene Carrie; Daniel M. (deceased); educ. Simonton Junior High Sch., 1882-91; New York Preparatory, 1891-95; Howard Univ., Theology, 1900-04; B.D. Howard Univ., 1904; Blackstone Institute Law 1916-19; LL.B. Blackstone Inst., 1919; auth. pamphlets, "Christian Tradition and Heathen Mythology," 1908; and "Has the Negro Paid," 1925; "Richard Allen and His Spirit," religious, pub. A.M.E. Book Concern 1922; "Back to Methodism," religious, pub. A.M.E. Book Concern 1925; Clergyman, 1902-14; Presiding Elder, 1914-20; Business Manager of the A.M.E. Book Concern, 1920-present; mem. Board of Directors, Payne Theological Seminary and Wilberforce Univ.; mem. School Board, Ocala, Fla., 1907-10.

Delegate, A.M.E. General Conference since 1912; Ex-Trustee, Louisville Public Sch., Jacksonville, Fla.; Pres., Local Alumni Association, Howard Univ., Jacksonville, Fla., 8 years; Pres., Interdenomination Ministers' Union, 8 years; Treas., Edward Waters Coll., Jacksonville, Fla., 10 years; Treas., Masonic Benefit Association, Jacksonville, Fla., for 9 years; mem. Masons (33°); Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 1717 N. 11th St., Phila., Penn.

BEAM, THERESA C. BOSTON—Rural School Supervisor.

b. Oct. 2, 1892, Oviedo, Fla.; d. Prince Butler and Julia (Johnson) Boston; m. Dr. A. G. Beam, July 3, 1926; one child, Oscar Boston, b. Nov. 25, 1928; educ. Hungerford Normal Sch., Maitland, Fla., 1911; Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1916; Florida Agricultural and Mechanical Coll., Tallahassee, Fla., Summer Sch., 1916; Walker's Business Coll., Jacksonville, Fla., 1918; Kentucky State Coll., Frankfort, Ky., 1927; Summer Sch., Univ. of Cincinnati, 1926; Teachers Coll., Summer Sch., 1930; Teacher, High Sch. Mathematics, Hungerford Normal Sch., 1916-21; Teacher, High Sch. Mathematics, Florida Nor. and Industrial Inst., St. Augustine, Fla.; Principal, Public School, Oviedo, Fla., 1921-25; Teacher, Mathematics, Penn Sch., Frogmore, S. C., 1925-26; Supervisor, 43 Elementary Schools, Anson Co., N. C., 1929-present; Principal, Public Sch., Auburn, N. C., 1927-28; mem. N. C. Teachers' Assn.; Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 222; Residence, 309 Salisbury St., Wadesboro, N. C.

BEAMON, REGINALD EMMETT—Dentist.

b. Oct. 13, 1890, Newport News, Va.; s. Benjamin and Delia (Scott) Beamon; m. Vivian J. Jones, Aug. 28, 1925; educ. A.B. Howard Univ., Howard Academy, Washington, D. C., 1913; D. D.S., 1916; Dentist, 1918-present; Private, Medical Corp., Selfridge Field, Mich. Aviation Service, 1918-19; mem. Board of Management and Chairman, Boys' Work Committee, Y. M. C. A., 1922-present; mem. City Boys' Work Committee, Y. M. C. A., Cincinnati, 1927-present; Pres., Howard Alumni Assn. of Cincinnati, 1923-present; mem. Board of Directors, Shoemaker Center, 1926-present; Founder and Pres., Cincinnati Medical Assn., 1933-present; Chairman, Sixteenth Ward City Charter Committee, 1926-present; mem. Campaign Committee, City Charter, 1929-present; mem. Citizens' County Campaign Committee, Hamilton Co., 1929-present; Honorary mem. National Alliance of Postal Employees; mem. Masons, (32°); Elks; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; National Medical Assn.; Interstate Dental Soc.; N. A. A. C. P.; Y. M. C. A.; Urban League; Founder, Alpha Chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 438 W. 5th St.; Residence, 850 Rockdale St., Avondale, Cincinnati, O.

He was a member of the Howard University football team from 1911 to 1916, and Captain in 1915. During this entire time the football team suffered no defeat.

He is one of the donors who gave \$1,000 to Howard University School of Medicine in the year 1925.

BEANE, SAMUEL MILLER—Clergyman.

b. Jan. 7, 1882, Glades Spring, Va.; s. (Rev.) John

Miller and Isabella Rebecca Beane; educ. Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1901-04; Univ. of Southern California, Los Angeles, Cal., 1919-23; A.B. (cum laude, 1922); B.D. 1923, Univ. of Southern California; Methodist Episcopal Preacher, 1907-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Elks; Eastern Star; Tabors; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 18th and Naomi Aves.; Residence, 1920 Naomi Ave., Los Angeles, California.

BEARDEN, MRS. BESSYE J.—Journalist

b. North Carolina; d. George T. and Carrie G. Banks; m. R. Howard Bearden; one son, Romare; educ. Pub. Sch., Atlantic City, N. J.; attended Hartshorn Memorial Coll., Richmond, Va.; graduate Virginia Normal & Indus. Inst., Petersburg, Va.; special work, Journalism, Columbia Univ.; In Charge of New York office, E. C. Brown of Philadelphia, many years; New York Representative, Chicago Defender, 1927-present; mem. Utopia Neighborhood Club; New York Urban League; N. A. A. C. P.; Ex. Bd., Harlem Community Council (Head of Widow Pension Bureau); Ex. Bd., Citizens' Welfare Council; Chairman, Local No. 12, Board of Education, City of New York; I. O. St. Luke; Founder and President, Colored Women's Democratic League; honorary member, Phi Delta Kappa Sorority; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Congregationalist; Residence, 50 Morningside Ave., New York, N. Y.

She was the first colored woman elected on the Local School Board No. 15, Board of Education, New York City, receiving this appointment in 1922. She served as secretary of this Board for two and one-half years. Later the Board was changed to District No. 12 and she was elected chairman.

BEATON, WILLIAM—Physician.

b. Feb. 28, 1885, British Guiana, S. A.; s. John and Frances (Glasgow) Beaton; m. Katie Russ, Nov. 20, 1917; one child, William Francis, b. May 4, 1924; educ. Leonard Medical Coll., Raleigh, N. C.; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1915; Founder and owner of a compound which is new in the treatment of Lobar Pneumonia; Physician, 1916-present; mem. National Medical Assn.; Pan-Missouri Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Mound City Medical Forum; N. A. A. C. P.; ex-mem. Honorable Soc. of the Middle Temple, London, Eng.; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 2740 Franklin Ave.; Residence, 4009 W. Belle Pl., St. Louis, Mo.

BEAUBIAN, GEORGE H.—Asst. U. S. Attorney.

b. Sept. 24, 1897, New York, N. Y.; s. John W. and Eliza J. (Hunter) Beaubian; educ. Pub. Sch., New York, N. Y.; Freeport Pub. Sch. and Hempstead High Sch., 1916; Post Graduate work, Jamaica High Sch., 1916-17; Columbia Univ., S. A. T. C., 1918; Brooklyn Law Sch. of St. Lawrence Univ., Brooklyn, N. Y., 1919-23; LL.B., 1923; m. Hilda Pearsall; Asst. United States Attorney, Brooklyn, 1931-present; Past Master, Doric Lodge No. 53, F. & A. M. (Prince Hall), Hempstead, L. I.; Pres., Frank Graham Republican Club; mem. American Legion, Henry Morrison Post No. 781 of Freeport; Frank Graham Republican Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 49 Bennington Ave., Freeport, L. I., N. Y.

BECKER, CHARLES JUDSON—Artist-Penman.

b. Nov. 23, 1858, Fitchburg, Mass.; s. Martin Frederick and Caroline Elizabeth (Walker) Becker; m. Florence Anthony (deceased); second marriage, Annie Ellen Payne; June, 1892; two children, Leslie Earl, Carlton Hendrick; educ. Pub. Sch., Fitchburg, Mass.; Kendall's Nor. Writing Coll., Boston, Mass.; Teacher; Traveling Artist-Penman; Instructor, Penmanship in Parochial Schools, Academies, Bus. Coll.; member of Faculty, B. M. C., Durfee High School, Fall River, Mass., teaching day and evening classes; Inventor, Becker's Writing Device; auth. "Race Progress," 1903; mem. Elks of Newport, R. I., Trinity Lodge, No. 183, I.B.P.O.E. of W.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Free Thinker; Address, Box 319; Residence, 156 S. Main St., Fall River, Mass.

BECKETT, J. CAMPBELL—Clergyman.

b. Hagerstown, Md.; s. John and Katie (Campbell) Beckett; educ. A.B., Central High Sch., Phila., 1898; B.S., Univ. of Pennsylvania, 1902; B.D., Reform Episcopal Seminary, Phila., 1912; D.D., Wilberforce Univ., 1917; Clergyman, 1908-present; ordained Deacon 1908; Elder, 1909; Treas., Frederick Douglass Hosp., Phila.; mem. Trustee, Executive Bd. of Wilberforce Univ.; Union Mutual Assn., of Phila.; Kappa Alpha Psi; Relig. A. M. E. Ch.; Address Bethel Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

BECKFORD, SAMUEL McDONALD—Physician and Surgeon.

b. Sept. 12, 1886, Jamaica, B. W. I.; s. George and Julia (Green) Beckford; m. Georgianna Bowie, 1912; one child, Cora B. Davis (bv second marriage); educ. Sch., Jamaica, B. W. I.; Howard Univ., 1907-11; B.D., 1911; Boston Univ., 1913-17; M.D., 1917; Professor, Anatomy and assistant in Physiology, Shaw Univ., 1917-18; general practice of medicine, Henderson, N. C., 1919-22; post-graduate work in surgery, 1922; Surgeon and Chief Operator, The Jubilee Hospital, Henderson, N. C., 1922-present; mem. Masons, K. of P., Odd Fellows; Relig. U. P. Church; Address, 212 Montgomery St.; Residence, 723 Andrews Ave., Henderson, N. C.

BELFORD, REUBEN CHARLES—Financier.

b. July 10, 1883, Memphis, Tenn.; s. James and Mary (Frazier) Belford; m. Josephine E. Washington, Feb. 5, 1914; educ. Public Sch., Tunica, Miss.; Korchrecht High Sch., Memphis, Tenn.; Chicago Univ.; M.D., Harvey Medical Coll., Chicago, Ill., 1908; B. S. 1907; LL.B., La Salle Extension, 1923; Physician, 1908-present; Clerk Post Office Dept., Chicago, Ill., 1904-08; Field Representative, Standard Life Insurance Co., Atlanta, Ga., 1916-19; 1923-25; Real Estate, St. Louis, Mo., 1919-22; Manager, Peoples Finance Corp., St. Louis, Mo., 1931-present; Treas. and Member of Board, Hope Haven League, 1932-present; mem. Masons; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 11 N. Jefferson Ave.; Residence, 2524 N. Newstead Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

BELL, GEORGE E.—Physician.

b. Nov. 21, 1891, Lawrenceburg, Ky.; s. Levi and Emma (Davis) Bell; educ. Pub. Sch., Lawrence-

burg, Ky.; Louisville Central High School, Louisville, Ky., 1912; Howard Univ., Pre-Medical and Medical, 1913-20; M.D., Howard University, 1920; Interne, Freedman's Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1920-21; Physician, Orange, N. J., 1921-22; Montclair, N. J., 1922-present; Sec., North Jersey Med. Soc., 1926-present; Treas. Howard Alumni Club of North Jersey, 1927-present; Nat. Med. Assn.; Omega Psi Phi; Chi Delta Mu; Essex County Med. Soc.; Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; Gardner's; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, Cor. Elm and Elmwood Ave., Montclair, N. J.

BELL, JULIUS BERNARD—Dentist.

b. April 24, 1887, St. Louis, Mo.; s. Jackson and Felicia (Jackson) Bell; m. Adele Jenkins, Sept. 1913; one child, Julius Bernard, Jr., b. Sept. 21, 1923; educ. Sumner High Sch., St. Louis, Mo., 1910; D.D.S., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1913; Dentist, 1913-present; Dental Examiner, School Department, St. Louis, Mo., 1919-present; First Lieut., Dental Corp., U. S. Army, serving in France for over one year; Pol. Independent; Address, 146-a N. Sarah St.; Residence, 4157-a Cook Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

BELL, PERRY MARSHALL—Physician and Surgeon.

b. Sept. 22, 1889, Lexington, Ky.; s. Spencer M. and Precilla (Davis) Bell; m. Annabel Montgomery, June 28, 1916; educ. Public and High Schools, Lexington, Ky., 1904; Hampton Institute, 1904; Howard Univ., 1906-14; M.D., Howard Univ., 1914; Extern, Freedmen's Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1914; Resident Physician, General Hospital, Kansas City, Mo., 1915-16; Physician and Surgeon, Wichita, Kansas, 1914-present; County Physician of Sedgwick County, Kansas; mem. Sigma Pi Phi Boule; Chi Delta Mu Med. Fraternity; President, Excelsior Club; Scottish Rite Mason (32°); Shrine Emeth Temple, No. 30; Elks; American Woodmen; Pres., Kansas Med. Society; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Pol. Republican; Office, 601½ N. Main St.; Residence, 1025 Ohio Ave., Wichita, Kansas.

BELL, WILLIAM AUGUSTUS—College President.

b. Elbert Co., Ga.; s. Luther H. A. and Mary J. (Thompson) Bell; m. Helen Matile Caffey, Sept. 3, 1913; three children; William Augustus II; Helen Carrey; Eleanor S.; educ. Public Schools, Elberton, Ga.; Paine College, Augusta, Ga.; Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y.; Clerk U. S. Post Office, New York City, N. Y.; Instructor, Miles Memorial College, Birmingham, Ala.; Dean, Paine College, Augusta, Ga.; Executive Sec., Army Y. M. C. A. during World War; Sec., Interchurch World Movement for Georgia Negro Churches; Sec., Education of the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church; Pres., Miles Memorial College, Birmingham, Ala., 1936-present; mem. Kappa Boule of Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity of which he was Grand Sire Archon; mem. of several civic and social organizations; Executive Sec., After-the-War Institutes held by the National War Work Council; Chief Secretary of the General Conference C. E. Church, 1926-30; Relig. C. M. E.; Address, Miles Memorial College, Birmingham, Ala.

BELL, WILLIAM YANCY—Clergyman—Instructor—Bishop.

b. Feb. 23, 1887, Memphis, Tenn.; s. (Rev.) John



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SAMUEL McDONALD BECKFORD, B.D., M.D.



Henry and Cordelia (McCoy) Bell; m. Anna-belle Compton, June 26, 1913; three children, William Y., Jr., b. May 6, 1914; Bernice Marguerite, b. Nov. 6, 1920; Grace Cordelia, b. Jan. 31, 1924; educ. Lane Coll.; A.B., 1907; Northwestern Univ., Special and Theological; A.M., S.T.B., 1915; Yale Univ.; Ph.D., Yale Univ., 1923; Trustees Fellowship at Garrett Biblical Institute; Carroll Cutler Fellowship at Yale Univ.; Prof., Latin and Greek, Lane Coll., 1915-18; Chaplain, U. S. Army, 1918-19; Pastor, William Institutional C. M. E. Church, New York, N. Y., 1919-28; Professor, New Testament Interpretation, Gammon Theol. Seminary, Atlanta, Ga., 1928-present; auth. "Al-Mutawwakili of As-Suyuti," Arabic Manuscript; Nile Mission Press; Translation and Notes, Cairo, Egypt, 1926; mem. Am. Oriental Society; Relig. C. M. E. Church; Address, Cordell: Ga.

BELLAMY, P. H.—Grand Secretary Masons.

b. March 4, 1884, Austin, Texas; s. Alexander L. and Hattie (Harty) Bellamy; one child, P. H., Jr.; educ. Tillotson Coll., Austin, Tex.; Grand Sec., St. Joseph's Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M., 1929-present; Sec., Hill City Lodge, Odd Fellows; Keeper of Records and Seal, Douglas Lodge, K. of P., 1928-present; Messenger, T. H. Williams & Co., 24 years; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, P. O. Box 113; Residence, 1216 E. 7th St., Austin, Texas.

BEMBRY, HENRY CLINTON—Physician.

b. Jan. 8, 1885, Plymouth, N. C.; s. Thomas F. and Mary Alice Bembry; m. Carolyn A. Abner, Nov. 11, 1911; one child, Henry Clinton, Jr., b. Dec. 24, 1914; educ. Plymouth State Normal Sch., Plymouth, N. C., 1898; Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1905; M.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1910; Physician, 1911-present; Medical Examiner, Knights of Pythias, Evansville, Ind., 1915-18; Medical Examiner and Advisor, Elks, Reading, Pa., 1929; mem. Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 2310 N. 27th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

BENJAMIN, EDGAR P.—Bank President-Lawyer.

b. Dec. 22, 1871, Charleston, S. C.; s. Joseph and Eliza J. (Hopkins) Benjamin; educ. English High Sch., Boston, Mass., 1887-90; advanced course, 1891; Boston Univ., Law Sch., 1891-94; LL.B. (cum laude), 1894; President, South End Co-operative Bank, since founding in 1921; President, South End Board of Trade; first President of Sherwin School Assn.; Director, Boston Branch of Urban League, and Founder of "Haven of Rest Home"; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian (Vestryman, St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Jamaica Plain, Mass.) Address, 110 Tremont St.; Residence, 52 Fenwood Road, Roxbury, Mass.

BENNETT, STEPHEN A.—Lawyer.

b. Camden, Alabama; s. Frederick and Adeline (Smith) Bennett; educ. Ala. Normal & Industrial School, Montgomery Ala., Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala., 1893-1900; A.B., 1900 Howard Law Sch., 1901; Yale Univ., 1901-04; A.B., Yale Univ., 1904; Post Graduate work, Yale, Mathematics, 1905-06; New York Law Sch., 1907-08;

LL.B., 1908; passed New York Bar, admitted to practice April 10, 1911; Lawyer, 1911-present; was attorney and member of Westchester County Negro League (now non-existent); mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; Pol. Independent Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Office, 11 Palisade Ave.; Residence, 21 Park Hill Ave., Yonkers, N. Y.

Upon passing the New York Bar he opened an office for the practice of his profession in Yonkers, N. Y., being the first of his race, and to the present time the only one to practice in Westchester County.

Was appointed referee by Supreme Court Justice Bleakley, White Plains, N. Y., in a foreclosure action pending in the New York Supreme Court, to compute and report back to the court the amount justly due the plaintiff for which judgment should be entered.

As special counsel for the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, State of New York, in a suit brought against the Grand Lodge for alleged breach of contract, he secured a verdict from the Jury in favor of the Grand Lodge for about \$20,000.

BENSON, ULYSSES G.—Dentist.

b. May 29, 1892, Winsboro, S. C.; s. William and Annie (Gladden) Benson; m. Eunice Condé, Apr. 25, 1923; educ. Pvt. Inst., Winsboro, S. C.; Allen Univ., Columbia, S. C.; Brainard Inst., Chester, S. C., 1909; Atlanta Univ., 1909-10; A. B. Biddle, 1910-14; D.D.S. Howard Univ., 1918; Dentist, 1923-present; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; North Jersey Dental Soc.; Ch., Executive Bd., Business Men, Professional Men's Assn., 1928-30; F. & A. M.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 499 Jackson Ave., Jersey City N. J.

BENTLEY, CHARLES E.—Dentist.

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BERLACK, MISS THELMA E.—(Mrs. James C. Boozer)—Journalist.

b. Sept. 25, 1906, Ocala, Fla.; d. Leonard J. Berlack and Sallie A. Berlack Barnes; educ. Theodore Roosevelt High Sch., 1920-24; New York Univ., Journalism, 1924-28; B.C.S., 1928; Society Editor, Pittsburg Courier, 1924-26; Asst. Managing Editor, Amsterdam News, 1926-present; ex-mem. Bd. of Management, Hope Day Nursery, New York; mem. Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Pol. Democrat; Business Address, 2293 Seventh Ave.; Residence, 80 Edgecomb Ave., Apt. 43, New York, N. Y.

In 1924 she was awarded the first \$50 bonus and a \$20 first prize given by the New York World for its "Biggest News of the Week" Contest and in the same year she represented the Theodore Roosevelt High School in the National Oratorical Contest and awarded \$50.

Elected Editor-in-chief of The Ivy Leaf, official organ of the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, December, 1928, in Nashville at the eleventh

annual boulé, and since 1929 has been the Director of the North Atlantic Region for the same Sorority.

BERRY, JOSEPH A.—Physician-Surgeon.

b. Aug. 4, 1895, Charleston, S. C.; s. Joseph C. and Marie (Ross) Berry; m. Ernestine Siggers, March 12, 1926; educ. Avery Normal Inst., 1912-15; Fisk Univ., 1915-19; A.B., 1919; Univ. of Chicago, 1919-21; S.B., 1921; Rush Med. Coll., 1920-24; M.D., 1924; Physician and Surgeon, 1924-present; contr. "Current Med. Thought," National Medical Association Quarterly; mem. Y. M. C. A.; Urban League; Omega Psi Phi; Chicago Assembly, Garden City Lodge, 59, F. A. A. M.; Eastern Star; Chicago Med. Soc.; Illinois State Med. Soc.; Am. Med. Assn.; Physicians' Assn. of Cook Co.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 3736 S. Michigan Ave.; Residence, 6634 Evans Ave. Chicago, Ill.

He began the active practice of medicine as associate of Dr. U. G. Dailey of Chicago. Since the founding of the Dailey Hospital and Sanatorium he has been acting as Assistant Surgeon-in-Chief, member of the surgical and Röntgenological staffs of that hospital. He is a member of the surgical division of the Dailey Clinic.

BERRY, JOSEPH C.—High School Principal.

b. August 1864, Charleston, S. C., s. Moses and Charlotte (Small) Berry; m. Marie Ross (deceased), 1889; second marriage, Catherine Witsell, 1930; five children, Roslyn Beatrice, 1892; Joseph Alonzo, 1895; Oriole M., 1898; Marion M., 1901; educ. Avery Inst., Charleston, S. C., 1880; Welling Acad., 1881-83; studied law, Claflin Univ., Orangeburg, S. C., 1883-85; Manager, Benefit Insurance Co., 1896-1901; Teacher, Public Sch., 1881-1896; Principal, Shaw Memorial Sch., 14 years; Principal Burke Industrial High Sch., Charleston, S. C., 1933-present; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church; Address, Burke Industrial High School; Residence, 34 Morris St., Charleston, S. C.

His grandparent, Mary Anne Berry, was also a teacher in the schools in Charleston, S. C., during the days of slavery. Many of those who attended were children of free parentage. Many, who afterwards became ministers and workers in the M. E. Church, received their training under her.

The Burke Industrial High School, of which he is the Principal, has total valuation including real estate, building and furnishing of \$100,000. Retired in 1941.

BERRY, T. L.—Physician—b. October 17, 1892, Hopkinsville, Kentucky; s. Louis and Josephine Berry; educ. A.B. M. & F. College, Hopkinsville, 1910; Meharry Medical College, 1911-15, M.D.; Meharry Med. Coll., 1915, Ph.D. in 1915; General Practice of Medicine and Surgery; Practiced in Frankfort, 1915-24; Surgeon in Chief at Winnie Scott Hospital; on Staff of Mercy Hospital; Member, Cincinnati Medical Association; Address, 530 Mound Street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

BEST, ARTHUR G.—Parish Priest.

b. St. Johns, Antigua, B. W. I.; s. William and Evangeline (St. Clair) Best; m. Lila Henry, June 12, 1916; educ. Public Sch., New York City, N. Y.; High Sch., Battle Creek, Mich.; Battle Creek Missionary Coll., 1915; D., Bishop Payne Divinity Sch., Petersburg, Va., 1923; ordained to the diaconate by Bishop Arthur C. Thompson, Bishop Coadjutor of Southern Virginia; ordained to the Priesthood by the Rt. Rev. James Henry Darlington, Bishop of Harrisburg, Penna.; held charges Penscola, Fla.; Tallahassee, Fla.; Harrisburg, Pa.; Priest-in-charge, St. Luke's Mission, New York City; appointed missionary-in-charge, St. Davis's Church, the only Episcopal Church for Negroes in the Bronx, 1927, by Bishop Manning; Address, St. David's Church, 181 St. and Melrose Ave.; Residence, 580 St. Nicholas Ave., New York, N. Y.

BEST, WILLIAM E.—High-School Principal.

b. April 12, 1885, Bridgetown, Barbados, B. W. I.; s. William Edward and Evangeline Best; m. Evaline Artis, April 16, 1911; second marriage, Helen Taylor, Nov. 28, 1930; one child, Paul, Lois, b. Jan. 24, 1912; educ. Alfred Univ., Albion, N. Y., 1905-07; Cornell Univ., Ithaca, N. Y., 1907-08; A.B., Indiana State Coll., 1909-10; Principal, Booker Washington High Sch., Mt. Vernon, Ind., 1910-13; Principal, Lincoln High Sch., Evansville, Ind., 1913-present; Relig. African Methodist Episcopal; Address, Lincoln High Sch.; Residence, 658 Lincoln Ave., Evansville, Ind.

BETHEA, DENNIS ANDERSON—Physician.

b. Oct. 16, 1880, Dillon, S. C.; s. Dempsy and Rosa Ann Bethea; m. Alice B. McLeod, Nov. 11, 1907 (deceased, 1912); second marriage, Magdalene Broadus, June 25, 1925; two children, Willa Egberta, b. Jan. 25, 1910; Norma Mae, b. May 25, 1930; educ. Princess Anne Academy, Princess Anne, Md., 1895-99; Allegheny Coll., Meadville, Pa., 1900-03; Chicago Medical College, 1903-07; M.D., 1907; graduation work at Harvard Medical Sch., 1913; Teacher, Little Rock, S. C., 1889-1900; Physician, 1900-present; Chairman, Executive Bd., Hammond Progress League Secretary, Indiana State Medical and Pharm. Assn.; President, Laymen's Assn., Lexington Conference, M. E. Church, mem. N. A. A. C. P.; Masons, K. of P., Health Editor, Christian Recorder, pub. in Philadelphia; Southwestern Christian Advocate, New Orleans; Writer on Health Subjects in various publications; Health Editor, Gary American; Delegate, General Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, Kansas City and Columbus, Ohio; Delegate, Uniting Methodist Conference, Kansas City; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church, Address, 1021 Fields St., Hammond, Ind.

While a student at Allegheny College he won the Philomathean essay contest in 1903. He was the only colored student in the College.

BETHUNE, MRS. MARY McLEOD—College President.

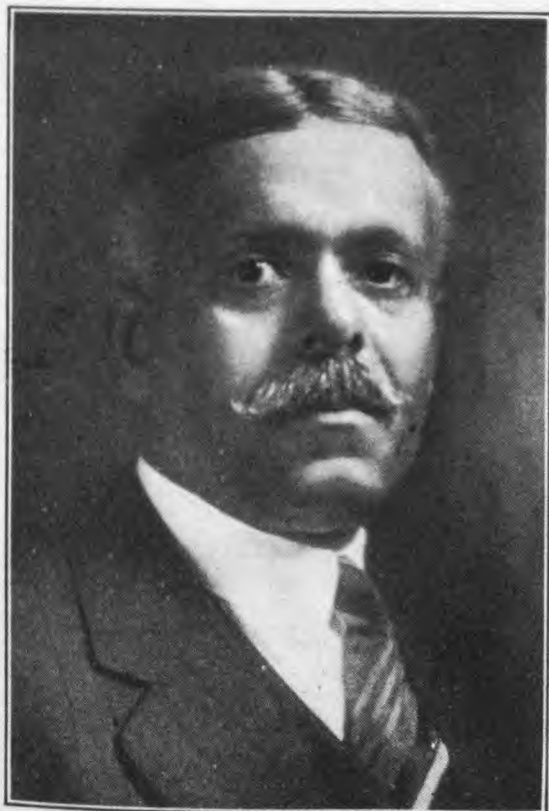
b. Mayesville, S. C.; d. Samuel and Patsy McLeod; m. Albert L. Bethune, May 2, 1898 (deceased, 1914); one child, Albert McLeod; educ. Scotia College, Concord, N. C., 1888.



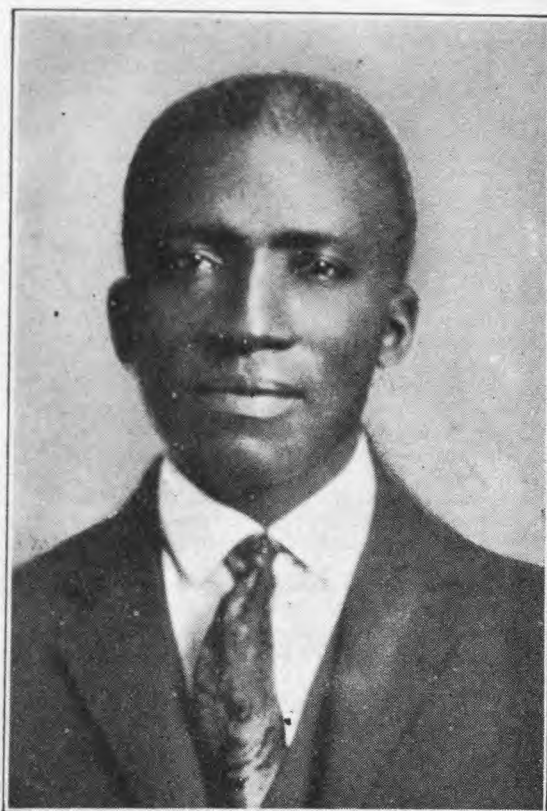
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a number of nationally known concerns purchased scholarships in this school. The National Labor Union also purchased a scholarship which they awarded on Labor Day, in 1917. The school has enrolled more than 9,700 students since its founding.

Up to the close of 1927 he secured positions for 528 of his graduates. During the World War he published a magazine known as The Peace Guide.

BIGGS, WALTER STARR—Dentist.

b. Nov. 29, 1885, Portsmouth, O.; s. Daniel and Harriett (Keith) Biggs; m. Clae Webb, Oct. 11, 1916; one child, Mariet Webb; educ. Portsmouth High Sch., Portsmouth, O., 1905; D.D.S., Howard Univ., Washington, D.C., 1919; Dentist, 1909-present; Treas., African Art Sponsors, 1929-present; mem. Board of Directors, Play House Settlement, Cleveland, O., 1930-present; Masons; N.A.A.C.P.; Sigma Phi Psi; Cleveland Dental Soc.; Ohio State Dental Soc.; American Dental Soc.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 2316 E. 55th St.; Residence, 10806 Earle Ave., Cleveland, O.

BILLUPS, POPE BARROW—Lawyer.

b. Oct. 11, 1889, Athens, Ga.; s. William D. and Elizabeth (Tucker) Billups; m. Edna Pierre Lartigue, April 4, 1919; one adopted child, William Pope Robinson; educ. Fla. Baptist Acad., 1904-10; Fla. A. & M. Coll., 1911-12; N. Y. Univ. Law Sch., 1913-16; LL.B., 1916; Stenographer, Jacksonville, Fla., 1908-14; member of editorial staff, Atlantic City Review, 1914-15; admitted to the bar, 1917; practicing lawyer since 1917; elected Member of Assembly, N. Y. State Legislature, Nov., 1924, and served for term of 1925; mem. Monarch Lodge No. 45, I. B. P. O. E. of W. (Exalted Ruler); K. of P. (Grand Lodge Atty.); I. B. P. O. of Moose (Supreme Lodge Atty.); J. R. McGill Lodge G. U. O. of O. F.; Clubmen's Beneficial League, Coachmen's Beneficial League, Sampson Lodge No. 65, F. & A. M.; Pres., 1927-Jan. 1929; Assn. of Trade and Commerce; Met. Museum of Art; Museum of Natural History; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Office, 206 Broadway; Residence, 26 W. 139th St., New York City.

BINFORD, LINWOOD THOMAS—School Principal, Orator, Lecturer, Writer.

b. June 12, 1908, Petersburg, Va.; s. George Thomas and Bessie Lillian (Anderson) Binford; m. Janie Elizabeth Quattlebaum, June 1, 1929; two children, Lynette Leatrice, b. April 28, 1930; Linwood Thomas, Jr., June 3, 1932; educ. Van De Vyver High School, Richmond, Va.; A.B., Virginia Seminary and College, Lynchburg, Va., (cum laude), 1927; A.M., residence work completed, Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1934; auth. "The Task of the Negro Teacher," Virginia Journal of Education, 1927; "The Principal and His Community Relationships," Virginia Teachers' Bulletin, 1936; Principal, Wakefield Sch., Wakefield, Va., 1927-28; Director, Dept. of Education, Seneca Jr. College, Seneca, S. C., 1928-30; Principal, Norton Colored High Sch., Norton, Va., 1929-33; Principal, Watson High Sch., Covington, Va., 1933-present; Advisor, Van Dyke Young Men's Uplift Club; Sec., Dept. of High School Principals and College Administrators;

mem. State Teachers' Assn.; Covington Teachers' Assn.; National Education Assn.; National Soc. for Study of Education; Young Men's Forum; P.T.A. Organization; mem. The National Geographic Society; The American Academy of Political and Social Science; The Progressive Education Assn.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, Watson High School, Covington, Va.; Residence, 317 N. 18th St., Richmond, Va.

When he became Principal of Watson High School there were 8 teachers and now there are 12. The Library was made larger and the number of books was increased over 500%. Over \$1,000 worth of science equipment was added to the Science Department. The School became fully accredited during his Administration.

He contributes many articles to newspapers. He has written extensively on both Social and educational subjects. His unpublished works are "Some Recent Developments in the Monroe Doctrine since 1890," "Negro Slavery during the Seventeenth Century" and "An Estimate of Clemenceau As War Premier of France." "The Economic Status of the Negro Since the Depression of 1929."

BIRNIE, CHARLES WAINRIGHT—Physician

b. May 15, 1874, Charleston, S. C.; s. Richard and Anna (Frost) Birnie; m. Ruth G. Harrison, Aug. 15, 1900; one child, Anna Louise, educ. Avery Institute, Charleston, S. C., 1891; Wesleyan Acad., Wilbraham, Mass., 1894; M.D., Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., 1898; auth. Special Articles, Med. Journals and Journal of Negro History; Physician, 1898-present; Med. Examiner, N. C. Mutual Ins. Co., Durham, N. C., 1910-present; ex-Pres. Palmetto Med. Assn.; mem. Masons; Elks; National Med. Assn.; N. A. A. C. P.; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 5 W. Liberty St.; Residence, 314 S. Sumter St., Sumter, S. C.

BIRNIE, RICHARD—Physician.

b. May, 1882, Charleston, S. C.; s. Richard and Anna (Frost) Birnie; m. Theresa Stubbs, June 24, 1914; one child, Theresa, b. July 25, 1916; educ. Harvard Coll., 1903-07; B.S., 1907; Harvard Med. Sch., 1907-11; M.D., 1911; Physician, 1911-present; mem. Masons; Kings County Med. Society; Provident Med. Society; Boulé (Sigma Pi Phi); Relig. Episcopal Church; Address, 416 Stuyvesant Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

BLACKBURN, S. MARCELLUS—Teacher-Principal.

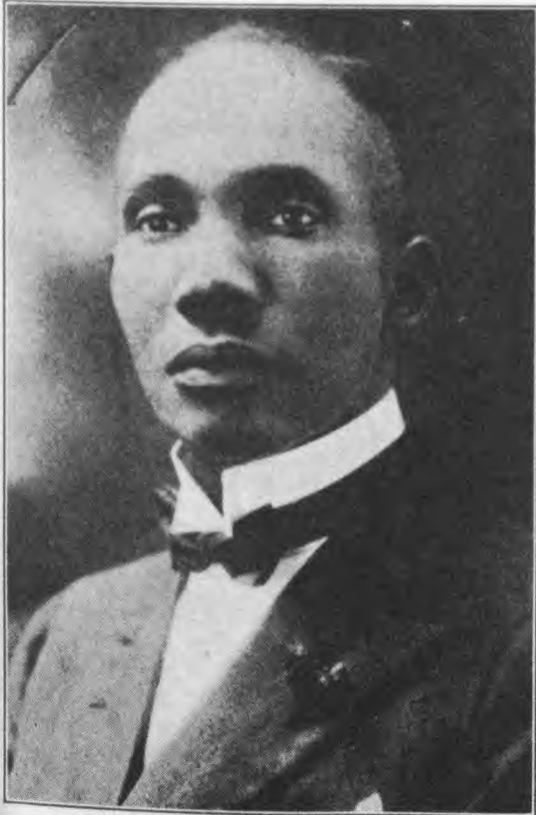
b. Jan. 17, 1883, Harpers Ferry, W. Va.; s. B. F. S. and Sadie (Conley) Blackburn; m. Blanche Edith McDaniel, July 13, 1919; educ. Armstrong High Sch., 1909-13; Howard Univ., 1913-17; B.S., 1917; Teacher in Delaware for seven years in West Chester, Pa., for one year; Principal of Booker T. Washington School, Dover, Del., since 1923; mem. State, County and National Teachers' Assn.; Vice-Pres., State Teachers' Assn. 1928-30; Vice-Pres., County Teachers' Assn.; Chairman, County P. T. A., Parent-Teachers' Assn.; Pres., State Colored Parent-Teachers' Assn., 1930-present; State Delegate



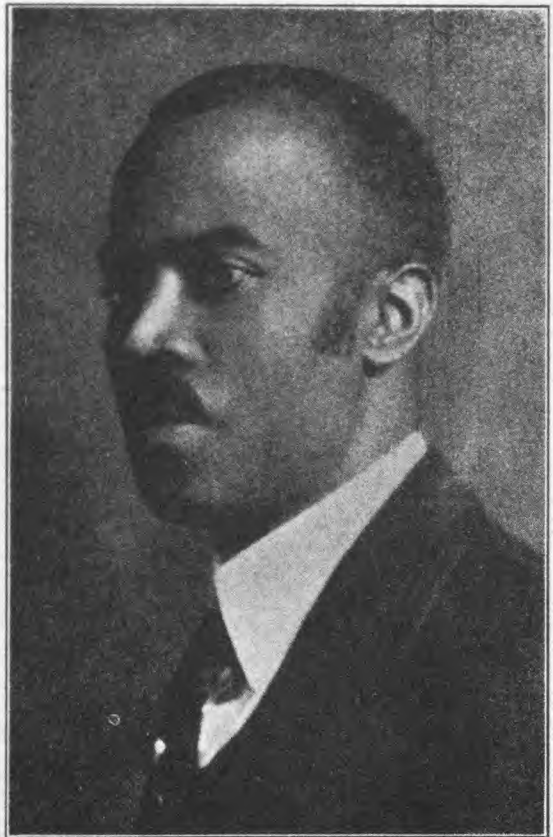
MRS. MARY McLEOD BETHUNE, A.B., A.M.



JOHN H. BIAS, B.S.D., A.B.



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JOHN O. BLANTON, A.B., M.A.

National Convention, Washington, D. C., 1931; Third Vice-Pres., National Congress, Colored Parent-Teachers' Assn., 1930-present; State Representative, National Meeting, 1930-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregational Church; Address, Box 374; Home Address, 45 S. Kirkwood St., Dover, Del.

During the World War, Mr. Blackburn served in the Army, commissioned Sergeant.

The Booker T. Washington School, of which he is Principal, was a gift of Pierre S. duPont.

BLACK, NARRIS LEHIGH—Printer-Fraternal Officer.

b. Feb. 16, 1869, Washington, Iowa; s. Eugene M. and Mary L. (Walker) Black; m. Ruth Annetta McKinzie, May 5, 1898; educ. Public schools and High School, Washington, Iowa; Washington Academy; Printer, 1886-present; eight years with Washington Democrat; part owner Daily Evening Journal, Washington, Iowa, and continued connection 1895-1911; Owner, N. L. Black Printery, 1911-28, now Frazier & Black; Delegate to District Conferences of A.M.E. Church; Delegate to Annual Conference, A. M. E. Church; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Court of Calanthe; Relig. A. M. E.; Pol. Republican; Address, 212 S. Iowa Ave.; Residence, 115 W. Jefferson St., Washington, Iowa.

BLACKISTON, HARRY S.—Educator.

b. April 29, 1897, Philadelphia, Pa.; s. Rev. James H. and Bertha E. (Spencer) Blackiston; m. Portia S. Spennie, Sept. 5, 1923; one child, Portia S., b. June 10, 1926; educ. Southern and Central High Sch., Philadelphia, Pa., 1913; A. B., Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., 1917; A.M., 1918; Ph.D., 1920, at age of 23; auth. "Study in the Ethics of the Early Romantic School of Germany"; Instructor, Latin and German, W. Virginia State Coll., Institute, W. Va., 1920-24; Instructor, Latin and German, Lincoln High Sch., Kansas City, Mo., 1924-29; Instructor, Latin and German, Lincoln Univ., Jefferson City, Mo.; Instructor, Latin and German, Stowe Teachers' Coll., St. Louis, Mo., 1930-present; active in promoting the various young peoples' organizations; Sponsor, University Club, St. Louis, Mo.; Sponsor, Junior Beau Brummell Club, Kansas City, Mo.; Winner, Mayor's Scholarship to Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., 1915-17; Winner, William P. Henzey Scholarship to the Univ. of Pennsylvania, 1913-17; Winner, Univ. of Pennsylvania Scholarship in German, 1917-18; Winner, Harrison Scholarship in German, 1918-19; Winner, Univ. of Pennsylvania Scholarship in German, 1919-20; Winner, George Schleicher prize in German, 1917; U. S. N. R. F., 1918-19; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; N. A. A. C. P.; Mid-West Classical Assn.; Missouri Branch, American Folk Lore Soc.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 4319 Enright Ave., St. Louis, Mo

BLACKMAN, EDSON ERWIN—Physician.

b. Nov. 5, 1890, Barbados, B. W. I.; s. Bispham and Mercie (Clark) Blackman; m. Gertrude McWilliams, April 23, 1919; two children, Edson Erwin, Jr.; George Ernest; educ. St. Augustine College, Raleigh, N. C., 1913; M.D., Meharry Medical College, Nashville, Tennessee,

1917; Interne, St. Agnes Hospital, Raleigh, N. C., 1917-18; Physician, 1918-present; Medical Examiner, N. C. Mutual Life Insurance Co., 1920-present; Pres., Old North State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn., 1929-32; Attending Surgeon and Sec. Staff, Good Samaritan Hospital, Charlotte, N. C., 1920-present; Treas., Assn. of Former Internes of St. Agnes Hospital, Raleigh, N. C., 1929-present; mem. Phi Beta Sigma; N. A. A. C. P.; National Medical Assn; John A. Andrews Clinical Soc.; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 235½ Brevard St.; Residence, 528 E. Boundary St.; Charlotte, N. C.

BLACKWELL, JR., JAMES HEYWARD—Physician.

b. March 22, 1887, Richmond, Va.; s. (Prof.) James Heyward and Annie Estelle (Jardon) Blackwell; m. Charlotte Virginia Jackson, Oct. 27, 1915; two children, Heyward Jordan, b. Oct. 18, 1917; Grace Virginia, b. Dec. 10, 1922; educ. Va. Union Univ., 1901-03; A.B., 1906; Lincoln Univ., 1903-06-07; A.B., A.M., 1907; Howard Univ., 1907-11; M.D., 1911; Physician, 1911-present; Secretary, Richmond Med. Society; Secretary, Old Dominion Med. Society; Asst. Sec., Nat. Med. Assn.; mem. Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows, Samaritans; Thursday Club; Alpha Phi Alpha; Young Men's Love and Union Club; Astoria Beneficial Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; 211 E. 18th St., Richmond, Va.

BLAKEMORE, ELIJAH P.—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 22, 1880, Crockett Co., Tenn.; s. Albert P. and Katherine Blakemore; m. Florence Rogan, Oct., 1898; second marriage, Mamie June, Sept. 23, 1911; one child, Rogan Lynk Maceo, b. July 6, 1899; educ. LL.B., Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1903; Lawyer, 1903-present; Grand Attorney, Knights of Pythias, Kansas, 1914-17; Legal Advisor, Arkansas Valley Interurban Railway Co., 1912-17; Corporation Counsel, Boley, Okla., 1906-08; Delegate, General Conference, A. M. E. Church, 1920-present; Vice Pres., Cook Co., Bar Assn.; mem K. of P.; Tennessee State Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 306 E. 43rd St.; Residence, 6434 Eberhardt Ave., Chicago, Ill.

BLANTON, JOHN OLIVER—Bank President.

b. Dec. 25, 1885, Versailles, Ky.; s. John O. and Eliza (Gates) Blanton; m. Carolyn Steward, Nov. 25, 1915; two children, Mamie O., b. March 17, 1917; John W., b. Jan. 25, 1922; educ. Simmons Academy, 1905; A.B., Simmons Coll., 1909; Armour Institute of Tech.; M.A., Brown Univ., 1913; Pres., Am. Mutual Savings Bank, 1926-present; Sec. and Director, Mammoth Bldg. and Loan Assn.; Prof., Mathematics, Central High Sch., 12 yrs.; Simmons Univ., 2 yrs.; Director, Urban League; mem. Nat. Negro Bankers Assn.; Y. M. C. A.; N. A. A. C. P.; Alpha Phi Alpha, Louisville Chapter; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Business Address, 614 Walnut St.; Residence, 621 S. Eighth St., Louisville, Ky.

BLANTON, JOSHUA ENOCH—Educator.

b. Aug. 10, 1880, Rice, Va.; s. Walker and Emily (Crowder) Blanton; m. Linnie N. Lumpkins, June 1, 1909; three children, Carol V., b. Jan. 10, 1911; Robert J., b. Jan. 28, 1912; Harold Curtis, b. July 4, 1913; educ. Hampton Institute (high school course), 1881-1902; (agriculture

course), 1902-05; Assistant Farm Manager and Teacher of Agriculture, Penn Sch., Frogmore, S. C., 1905-07; Govt. Farm Demonstration Agent for Beaufort County, S. C., 1907-12; Supt. of Penn Sch., 1912-22; Principal, Voorhees Sch., Denmark, S. C., 1922-present; mem. K. of P.; Masons; G. U. O. of O. F.; State Fair Committee of S. C.; G. L. of F. A. M. of S. C.; Pol. Republican; Address, Voorhees School, Denmark, S. C.

When the United States joined the Allies in the World War, Mr. Blanton was sent overseas as a "Y" worker. He, Dr. H. H. Proctor and Miss Helen Hagen composed what was known as the "Proctor Party," visiting 275,000 colored troops in various parts of France. They went over immediately after the Armistice and came back just about the time that all the colored troops were gotten out of France, September, 1919.

Subsequent to the work in France, Mr. Blanton visited Camps Dix, Meade, Lee, Green, Jackson, Sevier, Wadsworth, Gordon, Sheridan and Shelby, working with colored troops as a representative of the War Department.

His experience as Superintendent of the Penn School at Frogmore, S. C., for 10 years (1912-22) fitting him for the position of Principal of the Voorhees School, where he is now located. The course of study at Voorhees has been steadily improving in the last six years until it is now regarded as one of the standard high schools of South Carolina.

The School has an average enrollment of 650 students, and in 33 years of its existence has grown from a very small beginning to over 700 young men and women who get instruction there. The Faculty is composed of 34 men and women (all colored) and is drawn from reliable Schools and Colleges, both North and South. It owns 400 acres, 22 buildings, \$39,000 endowment, making an actual valuation of \$224,000.

BLAYTON, JESSE B.—Educator-Accountant.

b. Dec. 6, 1897, Fallis, Okla.; s. St. Lester B. and Mattie E. (Carter) Blayton; m. Willa Mae Daniels, Dec. 27, 1920; two children, Doris, b. Oct. 19, 1922; Jesse Bee, Jr., b. June 16, 1924; educ. High Sch., Meridian, Okla., 1914; Langston Univ., Langston, Okla., 1914-18; International Accountants Soc., 1919-22; Walton School of Commerce (advanced accounting, taxation), 1922-23; Univ. of Chicago, summers, 1930-35; LL.B., American Extension School of Law, 1936; C. P. A., State of Georgia, 1928; admitted to practice before U. S. Treasury Dept. and U. S. Board of Tax Appeals, 1929; Founder and President, Atlanta Negro Chamber of Commerce; Founder, Blayton, Adair Co., Accountants, 1928-present; Accountant and Auditor, Standard Life Insurance Co., 1923-25 and 1926; Auditor, Southern Insurance Co., 1925; Auditor, National Benefit Life Insurance Co., 1927-30; Professor of Accounting, Atlanta Univ. and Morehouse Coll., 1930-present; Executive Vice-President and Director, Citi-

zens Trust Company; 1934-present; Director, Atlanta Mutual Building Loan Assn.; Volunteer, U. S. Army, 1918, serving as Private, Corporal, Sergeant-Major, 365th Infantry, 183d Brigade, 92 Division, serving in France, May, 1918, to March, 1919, being slightly wounded while in service; mem. Board of Managers, 12th Street, Y.M.C.A., Washington, D. C.; "Keyman," Washington, D. C.; Community Chest; Omega Psi Phi; K. of P.; Elks; Odd Fellows; Shriner; won first prize Rosenwald Fund, Life Story in Business, 1935; Vice Pres. and Comptroller, National Negro Business League, 1937-present; Auditor, National Baptist Convention, U. S. A., Inc., 1938-present; Pres. National Soc. of Accountants, 1939-present; Pol. Independent-Relig. Missionary Baptist; Business Address, 212 Auburn Ave. Residence, 1235 Hunter Rd. Atlanta Ga.

He was the investigator, in conjunction with Attorney Alexander H. Martin, of Cleveland, Ohio, into the many transfers, and the squandering of the assets and business of the Standard Life Insurance Company, of Arkansas, and which resulted in the recovery to the policyholders of about \$500,000 in property, which was illegally held by a Southern white insurance company. This resulted also in the reclaiming of \$22,000,000 worth of life insurance, belonging to the Race.

BLEDSON, HAROLD HOWARD—Asst. Attorney General.

b. Aug. 26, 1896, Marshall, Tex.; William Felza and Mattie (Smith) Bledson; m. Mamie Geraldine Neal, June 14, 1924; three children, Cornelia Louise, b. June 5, 1924; Mamie Geraldine, b. Nov., 1927; William Felza, 3rd, b. Nov. 1929; educ. Lincoln High Sch., Kansas City, Mo., 1917; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1922; LL.B., Univ. of Detroit, Detroit Mich., 1925; Lawyer, 1925-present; Asst. Attorney General, State of Mich., 1934-present; Legal Adviser, Federal Home Loan Corp., 1934-present; Sergt., World War, 1919; Legal Adviser, Detroit N. A. A. C. P., 1930-present; War Committee, Democratic, 1930-present Pres. Michigan Democratic League, 1931-present; mem. Wayne County Democratic Committee; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Democratic; Relig. Baptist; Address, 911 Gratiot St.; Residence, 5107 Cooper Ave., Detroit Mich.

He is the first Colored man to become a member of the Wayne County Democratic Committee. He is also the first Colored man to be appointed to the outstanding position of Asst. Attorney General of the State of Michigan.

BLEDSON, JULIUS C.—Concert Singer.

b. Dec. 29, 1898, Waco, Texas; s. Henry and Jessie (Cobb) Bledson; educ. Central Texas Coll. acad. course, 1914-15; Bishop Coll., Marshall, Texas, 1914-18; A.B., Bishop, 1918; graduate study, Va. Union Sem., 1918-19; Medicine, Columbia Univ., 1920; Columbia Univ., Philosophy, Languages, Science, 1920-24; made his debut as Concert Singer, Aeolian Hall, New York City, April 20, 1924; member of cast, "Show Boat" Company, Zeigfield, 1927-29; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 80 Edgecombe Ave., New York, N. Y.

BLOUNT, McKINLEY—School Principal.

b. Feb. 4, 1901, Jefferson, Texas; s. John and Nannie (Burrow) Blount; educ. Jefferson High Sch., Jefferson, Texas, 1919; B.S., Prairie View Coll., Prairie View, Texas, 1927; Iowa State Coll., Ames, Iowa, 1929-30; Principal, Nacogdoches County Training Sch., Garrison, Texas, 1923-present; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; National Negro Business League; Colored Teachers Texas State Assn.; Boy Scouts; Alpha Phi Alpha; Relig. Presbyterian; Business Address, Box 321, Garrison, Texas; Residence, Nacogdoches, Texas.

He made a special economical and educational survey in Texas, Chicago, and Gary, Ind., in 1930, studying the school systems, problems and discipline. Also research work in educational administration and supervision in 1931 and 1932.

BLOUNT, WILLIAM MARSHALL—Physician and Surgeon—Assemblyman.

b. Sept. 29, 1888, Jasper Co., Tex.; s. Jason and Louise (Wood) Blount; m. Ollie May Clemons, Dec. 25, 1909; one child, Will Florence, b. Oct. 4, 1910; educ. Terrell High Sch., Terrell, Tex., 1903, Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1905; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1908; Interne, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill.; Physician and Surgeon, 1908-present; Assemblyman, State of Kans., 1928-present; Med. Examiner, Atlanta Life Ins. Co., 1927-present; ex-Pres., People's Finance Corp., Kansas City, Mo.; Pres., N.A.A.C.P., Kansas City, Kans., 1933-present; 1st Deputy Coroner, Kansas City, Kans., two years; Trustee, First Baptist Church; mem. Masons; Elks; Kappa Alpha Psi; National Med. Assn.; Wyandotte Co. Med. Soc.; Kansas State Med. Soc.; Pol. Republican. Relig. Baptist; Address, Wyandotte Building; Residence, 402 Quindaro Blvd., Kansas City, Kans.

He is the first Colored man to be appointed in the State of Kansas as a Deputy Coroner. Some of the bills he has enacted as an Assemblyman are of the utmost importance to the Race. Among these are the Free School Book Bill; the bill to regulate the elections in Wyandotte County; the bill to exempt the School for the Fairfax Airport; the law permitting the state taxes to be paid in installments. He was the Chairman of the Committee, and had passed a resolution to investigate the unfair or discriminatory treatment of the Negro student in the State University. He was also Chairman on Hygiene and Public Health, and Vice-Chairman, Committee on Flood Control and Drainage.

BLUE, THOMAS FOUNTAIN—Clergyman—Librarian.— See 4th Edition.

Died, November 10, 1935.

BLYTHE, OWEN K.—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 9, 1899, Yellow Springs, Ohio; s. William and Miami (King) Blythe; m. Amanda Pendleton, Oct. 29, 1922; educ. Franklin, Ohio, High Sch., 1913-17; A.B., LL.B., Ohio State Univ., 1924; Lawyer, 1924-present; mem. Lawyers

Club; Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Odd Fellows, Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 413 W. 5th St. Cincinnati, Ohio; Residence, Milford, Ohio.

BOMAR, CHARLES EUGENE—Dentist.

b. April 2, 1893, Spartanburg, S. C.; s. Charles G. and Nettie (Underwood) Bomar; m. Olida Belle Riddick, June 24, 1925; educ. B.S., Biddle Univ. (now Johnson C. Smith Univ.), Charlotte, N. C., 1910-16; D.D.S., Meharry Dental Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1920; Dentist, 1920-present; Pres., Meharry Alumni Assn of New Jersey; Pres., Commonwealth Dental Soc., State of New Jersey; Vice Pres., Johnson C. Smith Alumni Assn of New Jersey; Vice Pres., Trustee Board, 13th Avenue Presbyterian Church, Newark, N. J.; mem. Board of Management, Oakwood Branch Y. M. C. A., Orange, N. J.; mem. Order of St. Luke; Omega Psi Phi; American and National Dental Assn; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 227 Main st., Orange, N. J.; Residence, 356 Meeker st., S. Orange, N. J.

BOMAR, THOMAS P.—National Secretary, National Alliance of Postal Employees.

b. July 21, 1891, Spartanburg, S. C.; s. Charles Grant and Nettie (Underwood) Bomar; m. Louise Witherspoon (Deceased), May 1, 1916; second marriage, Jeanette Freeland, Aug. 1, 1932; two children, Ernestine Bomar McQuinn, b. March 25, 1919; Mabel, b. May 15, 1922; educ. Public Sch., Spartanburg, S. C., 1905; Harbison Coll., Irmo, S. C., 1905-06; Biddle Univ. (now Johnson C. Smith Univ.), Charlotte, N. C., 1906-11; LL.B., Howard Univ. Law Sch., Washington, D. C., 1926; auth. "A Brief Guide to Parliamentary Law," 1941; Letter Carrier, Augusta, Ga., 1912-17; Railway Postal Clerk, Augusta to Atlanta, Ga., 1917-22; Student, Howard Univ. Law Sch., 1922-26; Assoc. with Law Firm of Hayes & Davis, Washington, D. C., 1926-27; Private practice from 1927-present; became active in organization work of National Alliance of Postal Employees as organizer and attorney; elected National Secretary, 1939-present; mem. National Alliance of Postal Employees; Washington Bar Assn; National Bar Assn; Sec. Johnson C. Smith Local Alumni; Pol. Independent; Relig. Catholic; Address, 194 - 9th St., N. W.; Residence, 136 S St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

On January 22nd, 1940, he won the first prize in the "Abe Lincoln Double Contest" offered by the R.K.O. Theatres of Washington, D. C., at the Premiere showing of "Abe Lincoln in Illinois," for the person nearest resembling Abe Lincoln. He was the only Negro contestant, but won the prize. Of course it was not known at the time that he was a Negro. The Theatre barred Negroes from attending the Premiere, but the three prize winners were given complimentary tickets, he being the only Negro to attend the show.

BOND, HORACE MANN—Educator.

b. Nov. 8, 1904, Nashville, Tenn.; s. James and Jane (Browne) Bond; m. Julia Washington, Oct. 11, 1930; educ. Lincoln Inst., Lincoln Ridge, Ky., 1919; A.B., Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa., 1923; A.M., Univ. of Chicago Chicago, Ill., 1926;

Ph.D., Univ. of Chicago Chicago, Ill., 1936; Instructor, Education, Lincoln Univ., 1923-'24; Instructor, Education, Langston Univ., Langston Okla., 1924-'26; State Teachers Extension Work, Alabama State Teachers Coll., Montgomery, Ala., 1927-'28; Research Assistant, Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1928-'34; Research Assistant, Rosenwald Fund, 1929-'31; Dean, Dillard Univ., New Orleans, La., 1934-'38; Prof. of Education, Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1939; Pres., Ft. Valley State Coll., Ft. Valley, Ga., 1939-present; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; National Assn of Teachers in Colored Schools; Middle Tennessee State Teachers' Assn; Elks; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, Ft. Valley State College, Ft. Valley, Ga.

BOND, MRS. JANE—Teacher.

Graduate, Oberlin College, 1893; A.B.; W. C. T. U. President of Nashville Union, 1896-01; also Lecturer at Fisk University and State Lecturer of Kentucky W. C. T. U., 1912-'14; Principal, Teacher, Training School, Talladega College, 1914-'15; State Lecturer of W. C. T. U. of Kentucky; Teacher, Latin and French, Simmons University; Address, 2540 Magazine St., Louisville, Ky.

BOND, JOHN THOMAS—Presiding Elder.

b. Jan. 31, 1869, Darlington, Md.; s. William E. and Laura (Berry) Bond; m. Laura M. Smith (deceased) Aug. 25, 1892; second marriage, Nellie Mae Thomas, Jan. 1, 1934; five children, William R.; Laura V.; Rufus L.; Thomas R.; Aubrey C.; educ. Public Sch., Darlington, Md.; Engineer, Susquehanna Power and Paper Co., 1889-1902; Pastor, Butler Town A. M. E. Church, 1916-'23; Union Bethel Church, Cecilton, Md., 1924-'26; Pastor, Ebenezer A. M. E. Church, Hagerstown, Md., 1927-'35; Presiding Elder, Eastern Dist., 1932-'33; Presiding Elder, Baltimore Dist., 1934-present; Pres., Baltimore Preachers Meeting, 1934; Chairman, Topic Committee, A. M. E. Preachers' Meeting, 1935; Past Master, Masons, 10 years; Delegate, General Conference A. M. Church, 1928; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Y. M. C. A.; N. A. A. C. P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E.; Address, 735 George St., Baltimore, Md.

BOND, ROY SATOYIA—Lawyer.

b. Dec. 8, 1890, Forest Hill, Md.; s. Charles H. and Deborah (Johnson) Bond; m. Elvira Malson, Sept. 8, 1923; educ. Fairview High Sch., Harford Co., Md.; Howard Univ., Commercial Coll., 1911; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1914; Lawyer, 1914-present; Clerk, Congressional Library, Washington, D. C., 1911-'14; Pres., Satoyia Building and Loan Assn., 1928-present; Grand Esteemed Loyal Knight, Elks, 1931-present; Pres., Monumental Bar Assn., Baltimore, 1927-'29; Sec.-Treas., Banneker Building Co.; Trustee, Sharp Street Memorial M. E. Church; Grand Attorney, Knights of Pythias, State of Maryland, 1927-present; Pres., Commission on Civil Liberties, 1932-present; Past Exalted Ruler, Elks, Baltimore; Past District Deputy and Past grand Chairman, Publishing Board, Elks; Ex-Director, Y. M. C. A., Baltimore, Md.; Pres., Alpha Phi Alpha, 1930-'32; mem. Masons, K. of P.; Elks; N. A. A. C. P.; Relig. Methodist; Address, 14 E. Pleasant St.; Residence, 1517 Druid Hill Ave., Baltimore, Md.

He is considered an authority on Divorce procedure and conducts and wins more cases in the city of Baltimore and State of Maryland than any other attorney. On account of

his recognized ability he has been appointed by many of the Supreme Bench Judges to conduct many of the murder cases before them.

He was unanimously chosen by Howard University alumni throughout the country to present a portrait of the late Dean George William Cook to the University, and won the unstinted approval of the 750 auditors by his presentation speech.

As President of the Langston Debating Society, of Howard University, Washington, D. C., he was awarded a letter in consideration thereof.

BONDS, CASKA—Teacher of Voice.

b. Dec. 24, 1890, Laurens, S. C.; s. Anthony and Fannie (Templeton) Bonds; educ. Private instruction, London, England; studied method of voice production under Clara Novello Davies, London, 1915-'26; teacher, voice, New York City, 1926-present; Address, 288 West 137th St., New York, N. Y.

He was adopted by one of England's Peers at the age of nine and taken to England where he received his early education.

In 1915 Mme. Clara Novello Davies was attracted by his musical tendencies, engaging him as her Secretary. Later he became her Assistant in teaching voice and has since 1926 taught her method, with her approval, in New York, N. Y.

BONNER, CHARLOTTE DRUCILLA STOKES—Educator-Housewife.

b. July 12, 1878, New Haven, Conn.; d. Joseph LaCount and Elizabeth (Beulah) Stokes; m. Frederick Douglass Bonner, Aug. 1, 1897; four children, Gwendolyn Elizabeth, b. Jan. 27, 1903; Frederick Willis, b. March 21, 1907; Walter Wellington, b. May 2, 1911; Charles Douglass, b. May 1, 1917; educ. Public Sch., New Haven, Conn.; Teacher, High Sch., Iba, Zambales, Philippines; Teacher, Normal Sch., Iba; Teacher, English and Domestic Science, Masbate Provincial Sch.; Principal, Primary Sch., Subic, Philippines, several years; Principal, Intermediate Sch. Subic; Typist and Asst. in accountant's office, New Bedford, Mass.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 359 North St., New Bedford, Mass.

She has traveled three times around the World, stopping at such ports as China, Japan, Hawaii, Gibraltar, Spain, Italy, Malta, India, Singapore, Hong Kong, etc.

She was in the Philippines during the pioneer teaching period, from 1902 to 1914, and her work at all times was satisfactory.

BONNER, FREDERICK DOUGLASS—Public Accountant.

b. Jan. 26, 1878, New Haven, Conn.; s. Willis Method and Elizabeth (Young) Bonner; m. Charlotte Drucilla Stokes, Aug. 1, 1897; four children, Gwendolyn Elizabeth, b. Jan. 27, 1903; Frederick Willis, b. March 21, 1907; Walter Wellington, b. May 2, 1911; Charles Douglass, b. May 1, 1917; educ. New Haven High Sch., 1892-'96; Yale Univ., 1897-1901; B.A., 1901; School Super-



JULIUS BLEDSOE, A.B.



CHARLES EUGENE BOMAR, B.S., D.D.S.



Jane Browne Bond, A.B.



REV. THEODORE S. BOONE, A.B., LL.B.

visor in Philippine Islands, 1901-'14; Public Accountant, 1917-present; President, Burleigh Club of New Bedford, Mass., for five years; Organizer and President, Colored Business and Professional Men's Assn. of New Bedford, Mass., 1921-present; mem. Advisory Board, New Bedford Home for Aged; Trustee, James Bailey Fund; Auditor, New Bedford's business houses; mem. Masons; Pres., N. A. A. C. P., New Bedford, Mass., 1938-present; Nat. Geographic Soc. Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist, Address, 359 North St., New Bedford, Mass.

In 1901 he was sent as a member of the pioneer teaching force to the Philippine Islands as Supervisor of Public Schools in the Subic Bay district under the Bureau of Insular Affairs of the U. S. War Department. He also served as Postmaster of Subic for two years and was a member of the School committees and boards of health in his district.

His father, Willis M. Bonner, was long a Republican leader in the State of Connecticut. He took an active part in New Haven politics and was largely instrumental in breaking up separate schools there, and aided in securing the appointment of the first Colored teacher to be employed in the public Schools of that city, and the first Colored policeman on the New Haven force.

BOOKER, GEORGE EDWARD—Lawyer.

b. Dec. 2, 1899, Chicago, Ill.; s. John Fleming and Alice (Trent) Booker; educ. Lane Technical Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1922; Northwestern Univ., Chicago, Ill., 1925; Kent Law Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1927; LL.B., John Marshall Law Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1928; Lawyer, 1928-present; Legal Advisor, Ambassadors Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 3456 Indiana Ave., Residence, 645 S. 14th Ave., Chicago, Ill.

BOOKER, HENRY ARTHUR—Clergyman.

b. April 15, 1875, Amelia County, Va.; s. William and Julia (Hastings) Booker; m. Lulah J. Floyd, Feb. 17, 1895; three children, Henry Arthur, Jr., b. Dec. 10, 1895; Lulah Floyd, b. June 24, 1897; Julia Amelia, b. Oct. 24, 1900; educ. Pub. Sch., Amelia County, Va.; High Sch., Babylon, L. I.; College and Seminary Work, Colgate Coll., (Absentia.); mem. Masons; K. of P.; Clergyman; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Pastor, St. Paul Col. Baptist Ch. Inc.; Residence, 123 W. 120th St., New York, N. Y.

BOONE, ALEXANDER L.—Clergyman.

b. March 2, 1868, Washington Co., Tex.; s. Alexander and Catherine (McKetchen) Boone; m. Ida Lillian Chaney, 1886; three children, Theodore Sylvester; Nelson Napoleon; Fannie Theresa; educ. Smithville High Sch., Smithville, Tex.; Hearne Acad., Hearne, Tex., 1898; Bishop Coll., Marshall Tex., 1904; D.D. (Honorary), Arkansas Baptist Coll., Little Rock, Ark.; D.D. (Honorary), Roger Williams Univ., Nashville, Tenn.; LL.D., Texas College, Denison, Texas; Clergyman, 1892-present; Pastor, Corinthian Baptist Church, Lee Co., Tex., 1892-'94; Pastor, Smithville, Tex., 1892-'98 Pastor, First Baptist Church, Lockhart, Tex., 1894-'97; Pastor, Ebenezer Baptist Church, LaGrange, Tex., 1896-'98; Pastor, Mt. Rose Baptist

Church, Bastrop, Tex., 1898-'02; Pastor, Mt. Aria Baptist Church, Taylor, Tex., 1898-1904; Pastor, Bethel Baptist Church, Giddings, Tex., 1904-'06; Pastor, Springfield Baptist Church, Rockdale, Tex., 1904-'07; Pastor, Bethlehem Church, Terrell, Tex., 1907-'19; Pastor, Mt. Gilead Baptist Church, Fort Worth, Tex., 1919-'27; Pastor, Shiloh Baptist Church, Cleveland, O., 1927-present; Moderator, LaGrange Assn., 7 years; Moderator, Friendship Assn., 19 years; Pres., Baptist Missionary and Educational Convention, Tex., 11 years; Chairman, General Board of Education, Baptist Missionary and Educational Convention, 11 years; Chairman, Western Star Publishing Co., 11 years; Chairman, Orphan Home, Baptist Missionary and Educational Convention of Tex., 11 years; Vice-Chairman, Transportation Commission, National Baptist Convention, Inc.; Vice Pres., National Baptist Convention, U. S. A., Inc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Scovill Ave. and E. 55th St.; Residence, 2224 E. 81st St., Cleveland, Ohio.

BOONE, R. IRVING—School Principal.

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BOOZIER, NELSON NAPOLEON—Grand Master of Masons.

b. March 1, 1880, Coweta, Okla.; s. Nelson Napoleon and Alice (Coleman) Boozier; m. Marie Spencer, 1926; three children, Spencer; Henry Edward; Doris Marie; educ. Public Schools;

Grand Master, United Most Worshipful King Solomon Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M., Scottish Rite Masons, Texas, 1919-present; Imperial Grand Deputy, The Imperial Grand Council of A. A. O. of N. M. Shrine of North and South America; Most Eminent Grand Master, Knights Templar, U. S. A. and Canada; Deputy S. G. C. and Past Grand Secretary General, United Supreme Council of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Free Masonry; served in the 24th Infantry, one year; mem. Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 303 Lincoln Theatre Building; Residence, 2207 Stevens St., Houston, Texas.

BORDER, HENRY THOMAS—Clergyman.

b. August 27, 1886, Brookville, Mississippi; s. James S. and Mary (King) Border; m. Bertha C. Talbert, Nov., 1903; three children, Pansy L., b. Oct. 15, 1905; Eleo Hazel, b. 1907; Lila I.; educ. Sango Baptist Coll., 3 years; Arkansas Baptist Coll., 3 years; D.D. Roger Williams Coll., 1925; Clergyman, 1925-present; President, Civic Movement of Newark; Chairman, Transportation Committee, Eastern Division of Nat. Baptist Convention; Chairman, Usher Board; mem. Bd. of Managers, Nat. Baptist Convention; Bd. of Managers, New Jersey Baptist Convention; State Grand Master, St. John's Grand Lodge, Oklahoma; Grand Lecturer of K. of P., Okla., 5 years; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 11 Milton Street, Newark, N. J.

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b. Jan. 15, 1872, Elkton, Md.; s. (Rev.) Charles H. and Anna Elizabeth (Redding) Boulden; m. Eleanor Mae Dorsey, April 1, 1908; educ. Lincoln Univ., A.B., 1901; A.M. and S. T. B., 1905; Pastor, Galilee Union A.M.E. Ch., Avondale, Pa., 1899-1901; St. Luke's Union, A.M.E. Ch., Westchester, Pa., 1901-06; Mount Zion Union A.M.E. Ch., Newark, Del., 1906-08; Grace Memorial Union A.M.E. Ch., Phila., Pa., 1909-15; Dean of Union Theological School, Wilmington, Del., 1905-15; elected Bishop in Camden, N. J., Oct. 1914, to preside over conferences in Alabama, Mississippi, North Michigan and Ontario, Can.; founded Phila. Bible Inst., 1915; attended Ecumenical Conf., London, Eng., Sept., 1921; mem. Odd Fellows; I. O. of St. Luke; Pol. Republican; Relig. Union American M. E. Church; Address, 1932 Carpenter St., Philadelphia, Pa.

BOULDIN, SUSIE VERA, MRS.—Artist.

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Kansas City, Kans., 1924; special work under Artist John Patrick, 1922-26; Art Teacher, Summer Night Sch., Kansas City, Kans., 1924-32; Conducted Susie V. Bouldin Art Sch., Kansas City, Kans., 1927-30; Private Classes, Kansas City, Mo.; Atchison and Leavenworth, Kans.; Conducted Art Class, Kansas Vocational Sch., Topeka, Kans.; co-partner, Bouldin Cleaners and Dyers, 19 years; mem. National Chairman, Arts and Crafts Dept., National Assn. of Colored Women; 1933-present; Chairman, Arts and Craft Dept., Central Assn.; National Assn. of Colored Women, 1924-present; Chairman, Art Dept., Kansas Assn., 1923-33; Chairman, National Junior Arts and Crafts Dept., N.A.C.W., 2 years; Organizer, Wyandotte Co. Assn. of Colored Women, Kansas City., two years; Pres., 1928-33; Pres., Steward Supply Club, First A.M. E. Church; Chairman, Executive Board, Federation of A.M.E. Church Clubs, Kansas City and Vicinity; ex-mem. Board of Directors, Children's Home; mem. S.V.B. Lovers of Art Club; Citizens' Charity Club; Inter-City Dames Club; Douglass Hospital Bd.; Chicago Art League; Organizer, 57 Art, Literary, Business, Charity Professional, Dramatic and Home Economic Clubs; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 1924 N. 5th St.; Residence, 611 Parallel Ave., Kansas City, Kans.

The Arts and Crafts Dept. of the National Association of Colored Women, is one of the largest of that Association, and embraces almost every club throughout the Nation.

She is very active in all Charity, Civic, Educational, and Religious purposes, and has raised many thousands of dollars for these worthy causes.

BOURNE, JOHN STANHOPE RAY—Lawyer.

b. Oct. 8, 1873, Barbados, B. W. I.; s. John Edward and Mary Lucretia (Cox) Bourne; m. Ida May Sharp, July 21, 1906 (deceased March 6, 1912); two children, Aida May, b. March 8, 1910; Narka Cecile, b. March 14, 1911; educ. Combermere, Barbados, 1887-90; M.J.I., London, Eng., 1903; Northeastern Univ., Law, 1912-'16; LL.B. (cum laude), Northeastern Univ., 1916; Boston Univ. Law, 1925-26; LL.M., 1926; one of the Founders and First Editor, The Barbados Bulletin, 1891; Journalist on staffs of Daily Standard, British Guiana; Argosy, Demerara, 1893-'95; Lay Editor, Church and Colony, British Guiana, 1895; engaged in gold placer mining in South America, 1896; Acting Chief proofreader for Government Printing Office, Trinidad, 1899; Proofreader, British Government Imperial Dept. of Agriculture for B. W. I., 1900-'03; Contributor to various newspapers, 1895-1900; Compositor in Cambridge, Mass., 1904; in charge of Typographical Dept., Atlantic Monthly, 1905-'12; Lawyer, 1916-present; mem. Sec. and Treas. of the British Guiana Med. Practitioners' Assn., 1897; N. A. A. C. P., Odd Fellows (P. N. F.), Assistant Judge Advocate General, K. of P.; Galilean Fisherman; I. O. U. Mechanics (P. I. G.), Chairman of Management, Literary Societies; Chairman of Citizens' Committee for Reception of Convention, Nat. Assn. of Colored Graduate Nurses of the U. S. A., Boston, Mass., 1919; President of the Dr. M. A. N. Shaw Memorial Committee, 1924-'26; Attorney, South End Co-Operative Bank.



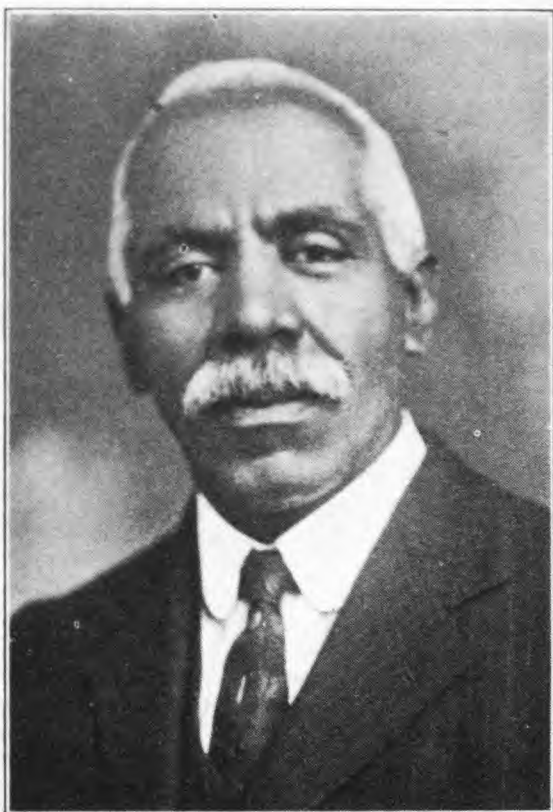
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CHARLES H. BOYER, A.B., M.A.



1921-present; Grand Attorney, K. of P., 1930-present; Author of Act passed by Mass. Legislature for employment of Colored conductors and motormen on Boston street car system, 1921; Chairman, Eastern New England Congress for Equal Opportunity, Boston, 1936 present; Director, South End Co-operative Bank, 1916-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. Catholic; Address, 231 Old South Bldg.; Residence, 508 Shawmut Ave., Boston, Mass.

Mr. Bourne's progenitors were of the polite tribes of Dahomey, Africa. His great-grandfather, London Bourne, founded the family in the West Indies, was a large land owner and acquired wealth in sugar plantations. A cousin, Hon. Arthur Barclay (whose mother was born Miss Sarah A. Bourne), was President of Liberia, 1904-11, and another relative is now President of Liberia, 1937. His family on the maternal side produced several musicians and successful educators.

Mr. Bourne was one of the group of three who founded the first daily newspaper in his native city which in a century of newspaper publishing had not had a daily paper.

BOUSFIELD, MRS. MAUELLE BROWN—
Educator—Principal.

b. June 1, 1885, St. Louis, Missouri; d. Charles H. and Arrena I. (Tanner) Brown; m. Midian O. Bousfield, M.D., Sept. 9, 1914; one child; Maudelle Brown, b. Oct. 22, 1915; educ. Public School, St. Louis, Missouri; Chas. Kunkel Conservatory of Music, St. Louis, Mo.; Univ of Illinois, 1903-'06; A.B. Univ of Illinois, 1906; graduate of Mendelssohn Conservatory of Music, 1920; graduate work in Univ. of Chicago, 1923-'24; 1925-'26; Teacher, Mathematics, Baltimore Colored High Sch., 1907-'14; Teacher, Mathematics, Sumner High School, St. Louis, Mo., March, 1914, June, 1914; Teacher, Mathematics, Phillips Senior High Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1922-'26; Dean of Girls, Phillips Senior High Sch., 1926-1928; Principal, Keith Sch., Chicago, Jan., 1928-'31; Principal, Stephen A. Douglass High Sch., 1931-present; mem. Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Nat. Assn. of Deans of Women; N.E.A.; Charter member, Nat. Negro Music Assn.; Ex-Board, Women's Auxil., Nat. Negro Business League; Central Assn. of Science and Mathematics Teachers; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal Church; Residence, 9323 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

She received her early education in the public schools of St. Louis, then entered the Charles Kunkel Conservatory of Music, of which she was the first colored pupil to be admitted. In 1903 she entered the University of Illinois, graduating in three years and being the first colored girl to graduate from that Institution.

She taught for eight years during which time she traveled extensively in this country and in Europe. She gave up teaching in 1914, and resumed the work in 1922 as teacher of Mathematics in the Phillips Senior High.

In March, 1926, she became the first colored Dean in the Chicago schools, and in January, 1928, she was assigned the first colored principal in Chicago.

BOUSFIELD, MIDIAN OTHELLO—Insurance Company President-Physician.

b. Aug. 22, 1885, Tipton, Mo.; s. Willard Haymen and Cornelia Catherine (Gilbert) Bousfield; m. Maudelle Tanner Brown, Sept. 9, 1914; one child, Maudelle Brown, b. Oct. 22, 1915; educ. State Univ. of Kansas, 1903-'07; A.B. State Univ. of Kansas, 1907; Northwestern Univ., School of Medicine, 1907-'09; M.D., 1909; Interne, Freedmen's Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1909-'10; Physician, Kansas City, Mo., 1910; prospecting in Brazil, S. A., 1911; Railroad Employee for one year; Physician, Chicago, 1914-present; School Health Officer and School Tuberculosis Physician, Chicago, Ill., 1914-'16; Sec., Railway Men's Assn., 1915-'20; Incorporator, Member of Board, Medical Examiner and Vice-Pres., Liberty Life Insurance Company, 1921-'25; President and Medical Director of same, 1925-'29; Chairman, Executive Committee, and First Vice Pres., Supreme-Liberty Life Insurance Co., 1929-present; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi.; Sigma Pi Phi; Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Board of Directors, Wabash Ave. Y.M.C.A.; Board of Directors, National Urban League; Appomattox Club; Mu-So-Lit Club, Washington, D. C.; Standard Club, St. Paul, Minn.; Fellow, Am. Med. Assn.; Illinois Med. Soc.; Chicago Med. Society; Cook County Physician's Assn.; President-elect, National Medical Assn., 1932; Acting Asst. Surgeon Public Health Service, 1918-'19; Fellow, American Public Health Assn.; American Association Advancement of Science; Vice-President, Chicago Mortgage and Credit Co.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopalian; Office, 3511 South Parkway; Residence, 9323 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

His father was a barber and the son took up the trade. Began to work at the age of eleven. Worked his way through University and the Medical School, sustaining himself and paying for his tuition by barbering and waiting on table.

After graduating from Northwestern University and his internship at the Freedmen's Hospital, he began to practice medicine in Kansas City, Mo. He was one of the first four colored men appointed to the staff of the Old General Hospital in that city.

Upon his return to the United States, after spending a year in Brazil, in 1911, he rail-roaded for a year in the capacity of barber, buffet porter, etc. He settled in Chicago, and there in 1915 accepted the position of Secretary of the Railway Men's Association. During the five years that he was Secretary the membership increased from 250 to 10,000 men in railway service all over the country.

He was one of the original incorporators of the Liberty Life Insurance Co., becoming its Vice-President in 1921. Upon the death of

Frank L. Gillespie, he was elected President and Medical Director.

BOUYER, HARSBA FLEMINSTER—Physician.

b. July 15, 1896, Sparta, Ga.; s. Hiram and Mattie (Simmons) Bouyer; educ. Gillespie Normal Sch., Cordelle, Ga., 1914; A.B. Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa., 1920; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.; M.D. Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1928; Interne, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1928-29; Physician, 1928-present; Corporal, United States Army, Battery E, 351st Field Artillery, serving in France for over one year; First Lieut. U. S. Medical Reserve, 1930-present; Staff, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., mem. Elks; American Woodman; N. A. A. C. P.; Omega Psi Phi; Cook Co. Medical Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 4256 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

BOWDEN, MISS ARTEMISIA—College President.

b. Jan. 1, 1884, Albany, Ga.; d. Miles and Mary Bowden; educ. St. Ananias Sch., Brunswick, Ga.; St. Augustine Normal and Collegiate Inst., Raleigh, N. C., 1900; attended Summer Session, Columbia Univ., New York City, 1903-05; New York Sch. of Soc. Work, 1918-24; Teacher, St. Stephen's Sch., Fayetteville, N. C., 1900-01; Domestic Sci and Arts, High Point Normal and Industrial Sch., High Point, N. C. 1901-02; Principal, St. Phillip's Normal and Industrial Sch., (for girls), San Antonio, Tex., 1902-27; Pres., St. Phillip's Junior Coll., San Antonio, Tex., 1927-present; mem. Woman's Progressive Club; Honorary Pres., City Federation; Honorary Pres., State Federation; Honorary Pres.; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; Honorary Mem.; Inter-racial Co-operation; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, St. Philip's, Junior Coll., San Antonio, Tex.

BOWEN, MARGARET DAVIS—Academy Principal.

b. Columbus, Ga.; d. Louis and Leila (Swanson) Davis; m. John Wesley Edward Bowen, Aug. 31, 1921; one child, John Wesley Edward, III, b. Oct. 3, 1926; educ. National German American Teachers' Seminary, Milwaukee, Wis., 1908-12; B.S., Univ. of Cincinnati, 1924; M.E., same, 1935; auth. "The Educational Work of a National Professional Sorority of Negro Coll. Women," unpublished; Teacher, Public Sch., Cincinnati, O., 19 years; Teacher, Douglas Public Sch., Cincinnati, O., 1912-19-25; Teacher, Stowe-Sherman Sch., Cincinnati, O., 1929-35; Principal, Gilbert Academy, (High Sch.), New Orleans, La., 1935-present; mem. Y. W. C. A.; National Assn. of Coll. Women; N. A. A. C. P.; National Assn. of Colored Women; National Assn. of Negro Musicians; National Assn. Teachers in Colored Sch., Alpha Kappa Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Gilbert Academy, 5318 St. Charles Ave., New Orleans, La.; 2831 Ashland Ave., Cincinnati, O.

She is the first Colored girl to enter the Teachers' Seminary in Milwaukee, Wis., and according to the school authorities, an outstanding student in the University of Cincinnati. As a teacher she ranks exceptionally high in the public Schools of Cincinnati.

BOWEN, JOHN WESLEY EDWARD—Educator-Theologian.

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BOWLES, DANIEL W.—Lawyer.

b. March 24, 1886, Ellsworth, Kan.; s. Frank S. and Margaret (McManning) Bowles; m. Ethel Robinson, July 28, 1920; three children, Jane, b. March 9, 1922; Margaret, b. Oct. 1, 1923; Daniel W., Jr., b. Oct. 5, 1925; educ. George R. Smith Coll., 1903; A. B., Howard Univ., 1908; L.L.B., Howard Univ., 1911; Lawyer, 1913-present; Ex-Pres., Mound City Bar Assn.; Director (colored division), Community Fund and Campaign; one of the Founders and Chairman, Finance Committee, and General Counsel, People's Finance Corp.; mem. Bd. of Management, Y.M.C.A.; Nat. Bar Assn.; N. A. A. C. P.; Alpha Phi Alpha; K. of P.; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. M. E. Church; Address, 11 N. Jefferson Ave.; Residence, 4218 Cook Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

BOWLES, EVA DEL VAKIA—Secretary Council on Colored Work, Nat. Board, Y.W.C.A.

b. Albany, Athens County, Ohio; d. John Hawes and Mary Jane Bowles; educ. Public Schools and Business Coll., Columbus, Ohio; Taught at Lexington, Ky.; Raleigh, N. C.; Lawrenceville, Va.; Sec., Colored Women's Branch, Y.W.C.A., New York City, Dec. 1906-'08; Case Worker, Associated Charities, Columbus, Ohio, 1908-'12; on staff of Nat. Board, Y.W.C.A., 1913-17; Administrator of Colored Work in Cities and Sec., Council on Colored Work on the Nat. Board, Y.W.C.A., 1917-present; mem. Commission on Inter-Racial Co-Operation, Atlanta, Ga.; Sec. Board of Directors, New York Urban League; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 600 Lexington Ave.; Residence, 2588 7th Ave., Apt. 20, New York City, N. Y.

In 1917, with the formation of the War Work Council, Miss Bowles was made executive of the Colored Work Committee of the Council. Her work in connection with the Hostess House at Camp Upton was commented on by the late Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States, and in the distribution of the sum of \$4,000, part of his Nobel Prize, he made the stipulation that Miss Bowles be consulted in the disbursement of that item.

BOWLES, GEORGE WILLIAM—Physician.

b. July 23, 1879, York, Penn.; s. Adolphus and Harriet (Bowie) Bowles; m. Helen Hunter Taylor, May, 9, 1917; educ. York High Sch., 1894-'98; Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1898-1902; A.B., 1902; Howard Univ.-Medical School, 1902-'06; M.D., 1906; Physician, 1906-present; appointed member of the Penn. Inter-Racial Commission by Gov. Pinchot of Penn. in 1924; mem. York Chamber of Commerce; Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; Omega Phi Psi; Chairman, Executive Board of the Nat. Med. Assn., 1925-present; Chairman, Executive Board, Penn. State Medical, Dental and Phar. Assn.; mem. of Phila. Acad. of Med.; Am. Med. Assn.; Penn.-State Med. Society; Chairman, Trustee, Board of A. M. E. Zion Church, York, Penn.; Relig. A. M. E.; Zion; Office, 112 W. King St.; Residence, 145 S. Duke St., York, Penn.

BOWLES, MATTHEW H.—School Principal.

b. Jan. 8, 1890, New Iberia, La.; s. Samuel and Betsy (Richard) Bowles; m. Genevieve Martin, Sept. 8, 1920; two children, Gloria Helen, b. Jan. 8, 1922;

Genevieve M., b. Nov. 24, 1930; educ. Howe Inst., 1900-06; A.B., Leland Univ., New Orleans, La., 1906-14; Southern Univ., Summer Courses, 1920; Practice Teacher and Summer School Instructor, Leland Univ., 1910-14; Principal, Thirteenth Dist. Acad., 1914-17; Principal, Acadia Parish Training Sch., 1918; U. S. Army, 1918; Instructor, High Sch., 1920; Supervising Principal, Marigny Elementary Sch., 1930-present; mem. Masons; K. of P.; National Education Assn. of the U. S.; Progressive Education Assn.; La. State Teachers Assn.; New Orleans Teachers' Assn.; Community Chest; Parent Teachers Assn.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1317 Marigny St., Residence, 2608 Robert St., New Orleans, La.

BOWLES, WILHELMENA—Physician.

b. May 15, 1889, Clarksville, Tenn.; d. Rev. Abraham and Rhoda (Neville) Wimberly; m. Edward J. Bowles, Nov. 29, 1906; educ. Englewood High Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1918; M.D. Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1922; Physician, 1922-present; Dean Women and College Physician, Langston Univ., Langston, Okla., 1929-'31; Pres. and Organizer, Meharry Auxiliary, Chicago Chapter; 2d Vice Pres., Home for Working Mothers with Children; Chairman, Entertainment Committee, Professional Women's Club; mem. Tennessee State Club; Foreresters; Elks; National Medical Assn.; Cook Co. Physician's Assn.; Alpha Kappa Alpha; Y. W. C. A.; N. A. A. C. P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 336 E. 43d St., Chicago, Ill.

BOWLEY, WILLIAM OLIVER—Tr. School Principal—b. Dec. 8, 1901, Taylor's Island, Md.; s. Martin Louis and Rachel Ann (Keene) Bowley; educ. Virginia Union Univ., 1918-22; Courses at New York Univ., 1923-26; m. Leonora Harvey, Sept. 24, 1926; Principal, Cumberland Training Sch., 1925-present; mem. Phi Beta Sigma. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; P.O. Address, 402 W. Marshall St., Cumberland, Va.

BOWMAN, CHARLES W.

b. Dec. 31, 1891, Clarksville, Tenn.; William and Mary (Harris) Bowman; educ. Pub. Sch., Clarksville, Tenn.; High Sch., St. Joseph, Mo.; m. Victoria Monterro, July 20, 1919; first Negro licensed to operate Motion Picture machine; Prop., Barber Shop, St. Johns, Ohio, 1913-19; also Los Angeles, Calif., 1919-'23; Head Waiter, Fall River Line, summer, 1923; organizer and Pres., The Chauffeurs, Cooks and Waiters Club of Montclair, N. J., 1927-present; mem. Elks; Masons, K. of P.; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, 105 Bloomfield St., Montclair, N. J.

BOWSER, OSWALD B. H.—Physician.

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BOYD, LAURENCE E.—School Principal.

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Intelligence Officer, Southeastern Dept.; Personnel Officer, Meharry Medical Coll., S.A.T.C.; Science Director, Western Coll., Macon, Mo., 1919-'21; Academic Director, Bartlett Agricultural Inst., 1921-'23; Science Director, Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1923-'25; Science Director, Price High Sch., Salisbury, N. C.; Principal, Douglass High Sch., Leakesville, N. C., 1928-present; Deputy Commissioner, Cherokee Council, Boy Scouts of America; mem. Masons; Shriners; Elks; Illinois Academy of Science; National Colored Teachers Assn.; North Carolina State Teachers Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Non-Sectarian; Address, Douglass High School, Leakesville, N. C.; Residence, 519 S. Craig St., Salisbury, N. C.

BOYD, MILLER WILLIAMS—Teacher.

b. July 21, 1897, Abingdon, Va.; s. Washington and Della (Foster) Boyd; m. Mary Georgia Whitten, Sept. 12, 1928; one child, Marjorie Della, b. June, 17, 1930; educ. Morristown Coll. High Sch. Dept., Sept., 1917; A.B., Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa., 1921; Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., Summer, 1924; Western Reserve Univ.; Teacher, Morristown Coll., Morristown, Tenn., 1921-present; Pres., East Tennessee Teachers Assn., 1924; Delegate, National Colored Teachers Assn., 1925; Executive Committeeman, National Colored Teachers Assn., 1925-26; mem. Young Men's Business-Civic Club of Morristown; Organizer, Boy Scouts; Inter-Collegiate Debating Team; Founder, Delta Forensic Soc. of Lincoln; East Tennessee Student Inter-Racial Committee; Tennessee Inter-Racial Committee; Older Boys' Conference Committee of Y. M. C. A. for East Tennessee; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address Morristown College, Morristown, Tenn.

He is the only member of the graduating class of '24, of Lincoln University, to maintain an average of A for four years, and graduated with honor of Magna Cum Laude. Divided the Finney Prize with fellow student, which prize is given to student who best represents the ideals of the University. He also won prizes in English each year, and Mathematics two years.

BOYDEN, MRS. JOHN A.—Teacher.

b. Mooresville, N. C.; d. John and Lizzie (Armor) Feinister; m. (Rev. John A. Boyden, May 16, 1907 (deceased Oct. 11, 1926); educ. Scotia Seminary, Concord, N. C., 1902; Northwestern Univ., Chicago, 1903-'04; A.M. Swift Memorial Coll., Rogersville, Tenn.; Univ. of California, summer session, 1925; Teacher, Mathematics and Latin, Fee Memorial Inst., Camp Nelson, Ky., 1902-15; Teacher, Logan Inst., Danville, Ky., 1915-20; Teacher, Political Science; Swift Memorial Coll., 1922-'24; Teacher, 1924-present; mem. State Federation of Women's Clubs of Kentucky; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 200 Flint St., Charlotte, N. C.

BOYER, CHARLES HENRY—College Dean.

b. Nov. 12, 1869, Elkton, Md. s. Edward and Indiana (Clinton) Boyer; m. Alethea Amelia Chase, Sept. 22, 1897; eight children, Harriet Stewart, b. July 17, 1898; Clinton Caldwell, b.

Club; Coleridge-Taylor Soc.; Scholarship Winner, Avery Oratorical Contest, 1918; Life Mem., Nat. Educational Assn.; Mem. Department of Secondary School Principals; Missouri State Teachers Assn.; District Representative, Omega Phi Psi, 1928-30; Century Mem., Pine Street Y.M.C.A.; Berea Presbyterian Church; N.A.A.C.P.; Chairman, Educational Committee, Training Boy Scouts; contr. Bulletin of the Dept. of the Secondary School Principals; Associate Editor and contr., State of Missouri Assn. of Negro Teachers; mem. Executive Council, St. Louis Inter-racial Commission; mem. Executive Committee, St. Louis Youth Commission; St. Louis Chapter, American Folk Lore Soc.; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Sumner High School; Residence, 4001 Cook ave., St. Louis, Mo.

BRASFIELD, FRANKLIN CLENTON—Dentist.

b. Nov. 10, 1903, Birmingham, Ala.; s. Samuel N. and May (Richardson) Brasfield; m. Helen Casson, Aug. 8, 1927; two children, Delyght, b. June 4, 1931; Franklin Clenton, Jr., b. Sept. 6, 1932; educ. Industrial High Sch., Birmingham, Ala., 1921; D.D.S., Univ. of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1926; Dentist, 1926-present; mem. Executive Board, Local 71, American Federation of Musicians, 1931-present; mem. Masons; Elks; N.A.A.C.P.; National Medical Assn.; Penna. State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2227 Center Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

He is very active in the musical profession having organized several bands and connected with many others. One of these bands is composed entirely of dentists in Pittsburgh and is doing considerable radio broadcasting in that city.

BRAWLEY, RUTH MERRILL—Supervisor, Girls' Work.

b. Columbus, Ohio; d. Jas. W. and Sue (Brown) Merrill; m. George R. Brawley, Sept. 25, 1931; educ. Commerce High Sch., Columbus, O., 1924; Recreation Sch., Philadelphia, Pa., 1927; Ohio State Univ., Columbus, Ohio, 1930; Supervisor, Girls' Work, Douglass Community Center, Toledo, Ohio, 1928; Camp Supervisor, Godman Guild Settlement House, 1929-32; Swimming Supervisor, City of Columbus, O., 1930-31; Swimming Supervisor, Y.W.C.A., 1930-31; Supervisor, Girls' Work, Beatty Park Center, Columbus, Ohio., 1932-present; Founder and Pres., Young Women's Civic League; mem. Advisory Board, Y.W.C.A., 1929-31; Pres. Junior National Assn. of Negro Musicians, 1925-26; mem. National Red Cross Life Saving Corp., Sr.; National Playground Recreation Assn. of America; Social Agency; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Beatty Park Center, 247 N. Ohio Ave.; Residence, 441 N. Monroe Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

BRAY, JAMES A.—Presiding Bishop.

b. Franklin Co., Ga.; s. Andrew Jackson and Mary Frances (Webster) Bray; m. Mattie Beulah Davis, of Athens, Ga., April 23, 1902; second marriage, Martha Freeman Childs, Dec. 29, 1910; two children, Martha Frances; Ella Church; educ. A.B., Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1893; A.M., Atlanta, Univ., 1907; LL.D., Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, Ohio, 1909; did work in

Philosophy, Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass.; did work in Education, Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.; Principal, Athens High School, Athens Ga., 1896-1902; Pastor,

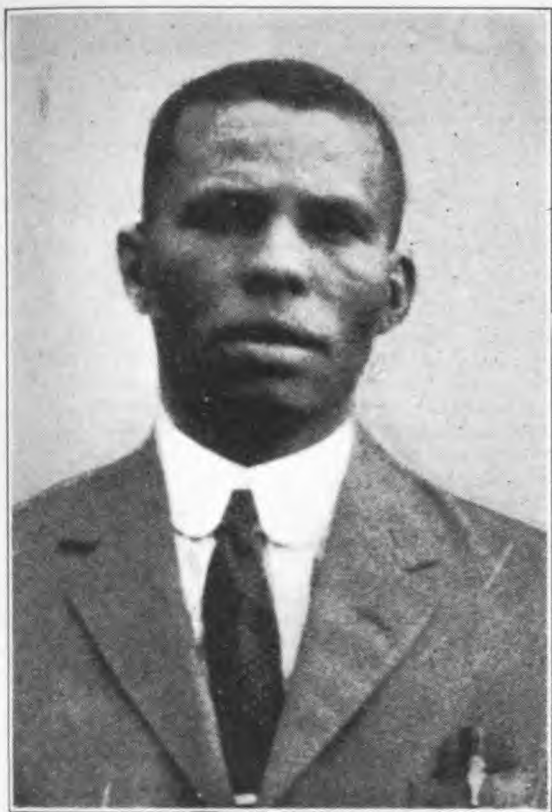
1902-03; Pres., Lane Coll., Jackson, Tenn., 1903-07; Pres., Miles Memorial Coll., Birmingham, Ala., 1907-12; Presiding Elder, 1912-14; Secretary of Education, Colored Methodist Church, 1914-34; Elected Bishop, Colored Methodist Church, 1934; mem. Chicago Church Federation; Urban League; Chicago Wabash Ave. Branch Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; mem. Advisory Committee on Health and Housing, State of Illinois; Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 4805 Forrestville Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He has a reputation as an outstanding preacher, educator, and an orator of unusual force and eloquence. He has represented his Church in National and International Conferences, among them being the Epworth League Conference in Denver, Colo., in 1908; the Ecumenical Conference in Toronto, Canada, 1911; Fraternal Messenger to the Afro Methodist Episcopal General Conference; the Methodist Episcopal General Conference, Columbus, Ohio, 1936; President, Board of Religious Education, C. M. E. Church; President, Board of Trustees, Collins Chapel Connectional Hospital, Memphis, Tenn., Secretary, College of Bishops, C. M. E. Church.

Bishop Bray now presides over what is known as the 6th Episcopal District of the Colored Methodist Church which comprises Michigan, Illinois, Southern Missouri, Arkansas, and Eastern Louisiana, including Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis, Little Rock, and New Orleans areas.

BREEDLOVE, JAMES THOMAS—Physician.

b. Dec. 20, 1880, Henry Tenn.; s. James Nelson and Eulalia (Howard) Breedlove; m. Helen Hudson (deceased), 1906; second marriage, Mabel Taylor, June, 1907; educ. Henry Co. Public Sch., Henry, Tenn.; Lane Coll., Jackson, Tenn., 1899; Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1912; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1912; Interne, Boyd's Hospital, Nashville, Tenn., 1912-13; Mayo Bros., Rochester, Minn., 1922; Univ. of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn., 1922; Post-Graduate, Royal Fellowship of Medicine, and the Central London Nose and Throat Coll., London, Eng., 1924; Physician, 1912-present; Specialist, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, 1922-present; Staff, City Hospital No. 2, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Dept., St. Louis, Mo., 1923-present; Staff, People's Hospital, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, 1927-present; Pres., Stewart Coll., Hughes, Tenn., 1899-1900; Teacher, Public Sch., Henry, Tenn., 1900-02; Asst. Principal, City High Sch., Paris, Tenn., 1903-05; Principal, City High Sch., Paris, Tenn., 1906-08; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; National Medical Assn.; Pan-Missouri Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Mound City Medical Forum; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address,



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BREEDLOVE, LENINE ROGER—Physician.

b. Feb. 9, 1896, Henry, Tenn.; s. Andrew and Alice (Muse) Breedlove; educ. Champaign, Ill., High Sch.; Univ. of Ill., 1914-15; Fisk Univ., 1916; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1920; Interne, Kansas City Gen. Hosp., 1921; Physician, 1922-present; Operating Surgeon, Evangeline Booth Hospital, 1926-present; Attending Surgeon, Surgical Clinics, Shoemaker Center, 1925-present; mem. Associate Visiting Staff, Surgical Dept., General Hospital, 1933-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Cincinnati Medical Assn.; Y.M.C.A.; ex-Director, Imperial Finance Corp.; ex-Director, Lancaster Mutual Casualty Co.; Odd Fellows; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Office, 612 W. 9th St.; Residence, 636 W. 9th St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

BRIGHT, JAMES B.—Lawyer.

b. April 6, 1892, Goldsboro, N. C.; s. Chester and Georgia Bright; educ. Hampton Institute, Hampton, Va.; Howard College, 1915-16; LL.B., Howard, 1920; Special course in New Jersey Law, 1920; Vice Pres., Hudson County Democratic Assn., 1926; mem. 351st Field Artillery, 92 Div., serving in France, 6 months; Legal Advisor, Triad Realty Co.; mem. Howard Alumni Club of New Jersey, N.A.A.C.P.; Address, 283 Fairmount Ave.; Residence, 17 Astor Pl., Jersey City, N. J.

BROKENBURR, ROBERT LEE—Lawyer—

State Senator.

b. Nov. 16, 1886, Phoebus, Va.; s. Benjamin F. and Mary Elizabeth (Baker) Brokenburr; m. Alice J. Glover, June 28, 1911; two children, Narissa Lee, b. March 22, 1913; Alice Olga, b. May 1, 1916; educ. Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1906; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1909; Lawyer, 1910-present; Asst. Manager, Madam C. J. Walker Manufacturing Co.; Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, Bond Forfeiture, Indianapolis, Ind., 1919-31; Delegate, Council of Social Agencies; Senator, Marion County, Indiana, 1941-present; Candidate, Legislature, 1912; 1932; Judge pro tem, Marion Circuit Court; Special Judge, Municipal Court, Marion Co., Ind.; Pres., Indianapolis Branch, N.A.A.C.P., 5 years; Chairman, Legal Redress Committee, State and Indianapolis Branch, N. A. A. C. P.; mem. Committee of Management, Colored Branch, Y. M. C. A.; Indiana State Committee, Y.M.C.A.; National Council, Y.M.C.A.; Building Committee, Y.W.C.A.; Worshipful Master, of Masons, (Prince Hall affiliation), Indiana; Grand Senior Warden, Grand Lodge F. & A. M.; Indiana mem. Budget Committee, Indianapolis, Community Fund; mem. Board of Directors, Tanner House; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 46 N. Pennsylvania St.; Residence, 2066 Highland Pl., Indianapolis, Ind.

One of the important cases in which he was successful was the contesting of the Constitutionality of Indianapolis Segregation Ordinance. Also successfully contesting the claim of white people for damages because of Colored persons purchasing and occupying property next to them.

BROCK, HOWARD F.—Physician.

Graduate of University of Pennsylvania and Howard Univ.; Former Pres. of the Westfield Urban League; Treas. of the Progressive Realty Co.; Auxiliary Staff Member of Muhlenberg Hospital, Plainfield; mem. North Jersey Medical Society; Union County Medical Society; National Medical Society; Director, People's Finance Corp., of N. J.; Address, Westfield, N. J.

BROOKES, E. LUTHER—Educator.

b. Jamaica, B. W. I.; s. (Prof) James M. and Martha Brookes; m. Stella Lucille Brewer, Nov. 28, 1928; educ. Private English Schools; Tuskegee Institute, 1915-18; Lincoln Univ., Pa., 1919-23; A.B. (magna cum laude) and valedictorian, Lincoln Univ., 1923; Graduate student, Northwestern Univ., summer of 1925; Columbia Univ., 1927-28; M.A. in Chemistry, Faculty of Pure Science, Columbia Univ., 1928; Graduate Student, Columbia Univ., second semester, 1932-33; 1933-34; co-auth. "A Syllabus for an Orientation Course in the Physical Science"; Head Dent. of Physics and Professor of Physics, Clark Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1923-27; Director, Sci Dept. and Professor of Chemistry, 1928-present; Acting Dean, Clark Univ., 1929-30; Professor, Alabama State Teachers College, summers, 1927-30; Professor, Chemistry, Florida A. and M. Coll., summer, 1926; Director, Birmingham Branch, Alabama State Teachers Coll., summers, 1931-present; Vice-Pres., Tuskegee General Alumni Assn., 1935; Board of Directors, Atlanta Tuberculosis Assn., 1932-present; mem. Board of Directors, The Pioneer Savings Assn.; mem. Executive Committee, Atlanta, N. A. A. C. P., 1936; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Elks; Graduate Club of Atlanta; American Chemical Soc.; Board of Directors, Atlanta Mutual Loan and Savings Association; Pres., Layman's Assn., Atlanta, Methodist Church, 1939; Treas., Southern Regional Conference, N.A.A.C.P., 1935-present; Pres., Atlanta Branch, N. A. A. C. P., 1939; N. A. T. C. S.; The 27 Club; Fine Arts Study Club; Address, Clark Univ., Atlanta Ga.

He was the highest ranking academic student of his class at Tuskegee, and Valedictorian of his class at Lincoln University, Pa. Reunion Speaker at the Tuskegee Institute Commencement in 1938. Actively interested, both officially and as a worker in civic and Church work.

BROOKES, STELLA LUCILLE BREWER—Educator.

b. Fannin, Tex.; d. John H. and Minnie (Mitchell) Brewer; m. E. Luther Brookes, Nov. 28, 1928; educ. Samuel Houston Coll., 1907-19; Wiley Coll., 1919-23; A.B., (magna cum laude), valedictorian, Wiley Coll., 1923; Graduate student, Columbia Univ., summer, 1925; M.A., Univ. of Michigan, 1930; Graduate Study, Univ. of Michigan, 1937-1938; auth. "New Frontiers for College Women", pub. Journal of the National Assn. of College Women, 1933-34; "The Teacher Writes the History of Negro Education in Georgia", pub. The Herald, official organ Georgia State Teachers and Educational Assn., 1935; "A Genetic Study of Shakespeare's Twelfth Night"; Instructor, English, Walden Coll., 1923-24; Professor, English, Clark Univ., Atlanta Ga., 1924-29; Head of English Dept., and Professor of English, Clark Univ., 1930-present; Professor, English, Alabama State Teachers Coll., Montgomery, Ala., summers, 1926-30;

Lynchburg, Va.; National Baptist Foreign Missionary Board of Philadelphia, Pa.; Relig. Baptist: Address, 19th and I Sts., N.W.; Residence, 1136 18th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

He was born a slave at Richmond, Va., in 1851 and remained such for fourteen years.

He united with the Ashman Presbyterian Church at Lincoln in 1868 and was made an elder in the church at Lincoln along with Mr. Archibald Grimke when the church was organized in 1868.

In 1873 he severed his connection with the Ashman Presbyterian Church at Lincoln and united by baptism in November, 1873, with the First African Baptist Church, Richmond, Va.

He was made Sunday School missionary for the State of Virginia by appointment of the American Baptist Publication Society of Philadelphia, Pa., and was fully ordained as a Baptist minister by his church December 24, 1876.

In Virginia Rev. Brooks was associated with John W. Cromwell and others in pushing the work of the Virginia Historical and Literary Society, of which Mr. Cromwell was the founder.

His activities as a temperance worker were recognized from the beginning of his ministry, and, in 1875, brought him into national prominence. He was appointed Chaplain of the Anti-Saloon League, of the District of Columbia, and is still a member of that body and one of its executive committee. He was a delegate from the body to the convention which formed the American National Anti-Saloon League with Hiram Price as its first president.

He has given fifty-one years of unbroken service to the Nineteenth Street Baptist Church, and has been engaged in the work of the Ministry for more than sixty years.

BROWDER, JOHN—Lawyer.

b. Aug. 26, 1883, Petersburg, Va.; s. (Rev.) W. Y. and Louisa (Robinson) Browder; m. Ruth Jones July 5, 1913; educ. Am. Institute, Petersburg, Va., 1898-99; LL.B., Howard Univ., 1909; Lawyer, 1909-present; ex-Deputy Prosecuting Atty., Marion Co., three years; Director, Gen. Counselor, Gibraltar Health and Accident Ins. Co.; mem. Lawyers Club of Indianapolis; Y.M.C.A.; Masons; Elks; Shriner; Am. Woodmen; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 152½ E. Court St.; Residence, 1648 Bellfountain St., Indianapolis, Ind.

BROWN, AARON—Editor.

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BROWN, AARON, Jr.—Supervisor Colored Schools.

b. Dec. 1, 1904, Pensacola, Fla.; s. Aaron and Alice (Lowe) Brown; m. Martha Ivory, July 4,

1930; three Children, Clotele; Marjorie; Karl; educ. A.B., Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala., 1928; A.M., Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1932; Chicago Univ., Chicago, Ill., Summers; Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., Summers; auth. "Extra Class Activities," Master's Thesis, 1932; Head of Science Dept., LeMoyne Coll., Memphis, Tenn., 1928-31; Dean, State Teachers' Coll., Forsyth, Ga., 1933-35; Supervisor, Athens Colored Schools, Athens, Ga., 1935-38; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Dean Fort Valley Nor. and Ind. School, 1938—present; Commissioner, Boy Scouts of America; Pres., Men's Civic Club; Organizer, Memphis Branch, N. A. A. C. P.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. A. M. E. Zion; Address, Fort Valley Nor. and Ind. School, Fort Valley, Ga.

BROWN, CALVIN SCOTT — Clergyman-Educator.

b. March 23, 1859, Salisbury, N. C.; s. Henry and Flora (Pon) Brown m. Amaza Jenette Drummond, Dec. 8, 1886; nine children, William D.; Flora B. Collins; Julia A. Delany, Calvin S., Jr.; Marie E.; Purcell T.; Enice H.; Schley; Christine; educ. Sch. conducted by Friends Assn. of Phila., at Salisbury, N. C.; Shaw Univ., 1879-86; A.B., 1886; Theological D.D., 1898; A.M., 1900; Founded and Principal, Waters Training Sch., Winton, N. C., 1886-present; head of Good Samaritan (fraternal) Order for a number of years; Grand Sec., Grand Lodge of Masons, for twenty-five years; District Grand Master, Odd Fellows of N. C., six years; President, Lott Cary Baptist Foreign Mission Convention of the United States, thirty years; delegate to the World's Sunday School Convention in Rome, 1896; to the World's Baptist Convention, Stockholm, Sweden, 1924; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Love and Charity; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Winton, N. C.

His father died when Calvin was a boy, leaving his mother dependent on him for support. When the civil war ceased, he was employed to look after the Federal Cemetery at Salisbury. He entered the first school opened by the Friends Association of Philadelphia, at Salisbury, N. C., receiving a first grade teacher's certificate in 1878. He entered Shaw University a year later. His cash capital was \$5. He worked his way through Shaw, and later was made private secretary to the President of that Institution.

In 1886 he founded Waters Training School of which he is still principal. The value of the school property is \$80,000 and in 1928 there were enrolled more than 450 students.

His work in connection with the Lott Gary Convention has given him the opportunity for travel abroad and in that respect has visited London, England, toured Europe five times, and made one trip to Africa. Has visited all the important islands in the Atlantic Ocean.

BROWN, DR. CHARLOTTE HAWKINS—Educator.

b. June 11, 1882, Henderson, N. C.; d. Edmund H. Hight and Carrie Frances Hawkins; m. Edward S. Brown, June 14, 1911; educ. Public Schools,

Cambridge, Mass.; State Normal School, Salem, Mass., 1901; Harvard Summer School 1901 and 1909; Simmons College, 1917; A.M. (Honorary degree) Livingstone College, 1921; LL.D. (Honorary), Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1932; Teacher; Founder and Principal of Palmer Memorial Institute, Sedalia, N. C., 1901-present; auth. "Mammy," a story of Negro Fidelity and and southern Neglect, Pilgrim Press, 1920; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, Palmer Memorial Institute, Sedalia, N. C.

After early schooling in Cambridge, Mass., and upon graduating from State Normal School, she came to a small village in N. C. in 1901, and out of the remnants of a Church congregation founded the Palmer Memorial Institute, named in memory of Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer of Cambridge, Mass., who befriended her in early life. This institution has grown from that small beginning to now where it has a property valuation of over \$1,000,000. In 1926 she succeeded in obtaining \$250,000 for a permanent endowment of the school, which is operating under the auspices of the American Missionary Association of New York City.

Mrs. Brown has lectured in many parts of the country, is Vice-President of the National Association of Women, and is a member of the Inter-Racial Committee of the South, formerly committee member of the National Board of Y. W. C. A.

She is President of the North Carolina Federation of Colored Women's Clubs, promoter and founder of the North Carolina Home for delinquent colored girls.

She is a member of the Federal Council of Churches; one of seven educators honored by the Board of Education of the State of North Carolina in its "Hall of Fame" at the Sesqui-Centennial, Philadelphia, Pa., in 1926.

In 1928 she was elected a member of the 20th Century Club of Boston, a distinction accorded no other Negro woman. This club included in its membership only persons who have achieved distinction in religion, education, art or science

BROWN, DANIEL CRAWFORD—Dentist.

b. Feb. 3, 1878, Ruthville, Va.; s. Robert Spencer and Sidney (Hunter) Brown; m. Kate Hall, Dec. 27, 1907; one child, Edna Hall, b. May 11, 1909; educ. Boston Latin Sch., Boston, Mass.; D.D.S., Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass., 1900; Dentist, 1900-present; Treas., Trustee Board, Madison Street Presbyterian Church, 1930-present; Sec., Finance Committee, Madison Street Presbyterian Church, 1926-present; was on Grand Jury, Baltimore, Md., May, 1930; mem. Inter-State Dental Assn; Y. M. C. A.; N. A. A. C. P.; Sigma Psi Phi; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 1311 Druid Hill Ave.; Residence, 416 Mosher St., Baltimore, Md.

BROWN, EDGAR G.—Athlete—Advertising Agent—Journalist—Government Official—Employees Representative.

b. March 2, 1898, Sandoval, Ill.; s. George W. Brown and Lucille J. (Pendergrast) Brown; m. Paris B. Toomer, 1926; two children, Edwourd Gerard, b. Dec. 10, 1926; Frederick Toomer McDuffie, b. Aug. 11, 1933, educ. Summer High Sch., St. Louis, Mo., 1913-17; Northwestern Univ., 1917-19; Publisher and Editor, Standard News, St. Louis, Mo., 1926-28; Founder and Pres., United Government Employees, 1717 Euclid St., N. W., Washington, D. C. was taught tennis by a professional coach in St. Louis; won St. Louis tennis championship while in High School; won National American Tennis Association title in 1922, 1923, 1928, 1929; won Roosevelt Bank trophy for victories in Chicago, 1922, 1923, 1925; won Bert Williams trophy in N. Y., 1922, 1923, 1925; Pres., National Lawn Tennis Asso., and under its auspices annual open grass court tennis championships of America are held in Washington Park, Chicago, Ill.; contr. Articles on Negro Church Conferences and Political Activities to Chicago Daily News, Chicago Tribune, Phila. Record; articles on "Modern Scientific Game of Tennis," to Chicago Defender, Afro-American, N. Y. News, Amsterdam News, Pittsburgh Courier, Boston Chronicle, St. Louis Argus, Kansas City Call, Los Angeles Eagle, Chicago Whip, Chicago Bee, Philadelphia Tribune, Indianapolis Recorder; Director, District of Columbia, Civil Liberties League, Elks; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Independent-Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1717 Euclid St., N. W. Washington, D. C.

The United Government Employees, under his leadership, won favorable Congressional action by securing more than a half million dollars in pay increases to approximately 5,000 low-paid men and women laborers in the federal service of the United States government, for the first time in the nation's history, bringing them from the basic pay of \$1,080 to a \$1,200 minimum annual wage. This organization secured legislation, in the 1939 U. S. National Defense Act and Civil Aeronautics Authority's Training Act, insuring equal benefits for Negro citizens desirous of becoming air pilots in the U. S. Army and as civilian flyers; U. S. Reserve Officers on active duty in the CCC and 150 colored college graduates who serve these camps as educational advisers, engineers and in other technical positions, in which program some 30,000 colored youths and war veterans, one-tenth on the total enrollment participate each year.

All this splendid work has been initiated during the period of his employment as Adviser on Negro Affairs to the CCC, to which position he was appointed by President Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

BROWN, EDWARD A.

b. June 24, 1887, Cumberland, Va.; s. Solomon and



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MRS. SUE M. BROWN



Bishop James W. Brown, A.B., A.M., D.D.



REV. RUSSELL S. BROWN, B.D.



Lucy (Nobles) Brown; m. Lena Harris, Oct. 14, 1913; educ. Pub. Sch., Orange, N. J.; Chauffeur for 13 years; Pres. and Owner, Fidelity Storage Company, Newark, N. J., 1925-present; one of the founders and director, Northeastern Life Insurance Company, Newark, N. J.; Pres. of Armstrong Bldg. & Loan Assn. for several years; Relig. Baptist; Address, 92 Howard St.; Residence, 194 Oakwood Pl., Orange, N. J.

BROWN, EDWARD M.—Physician

b. July 13, 1889, Evansville, Ind.; s. E. S. and Christine (Taylor) Brown; m. Etta Belle Gordon, Sept. 11, 1918; one child, Myrtle, b. May 15, 1919; educ. Clark High Sch., Evansville, Ind.; B.S., Howard Univ., 1914; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1919; Physician, 1919-present; ex-Sec., Mountain City Med. Soc.; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Volunteer State Med. Dental and Pharm. Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Business Men's League; Masons; Elks; K. of P.; American Woodmen; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, Tulsa, Okla..

BROWN, GEORGE H.—School Principal.

b. Aug. 19, 1877, Corydon, Ind.; s. William H. and Margaret A. (Lawes) Brown; m. Emma P. Terrell, June 1, 1905; three children, Leland G., b. June 7, 1907; Louis C., b. Dec. 12, 1909; Nellie V., b. June 3, 1917; educ. Indiana State Teachers Coll., 1904; A.B. Indiana Univ., 1917; A.M. Univ. of Chicago, 1926; auth. Thesis, "The Development of the Colored Elementary Schools of Louisville, Ky.," pub. 1926; Principal and Teacher of Corydon Colored High School, Corydon, Ind., 1904-08; Prin. Lincoln High School, Princeton, Ind., 1908-16; Prin. Douglass High School, Louisville, Ky., 1916-present; mem. Keystone Lodge, F. and A. M.; Kappa Alpha Psi; Memelek Club; Vice-Pres., Kentucky Negro Educational Assn.; Director of Louisville Sunday Schools and Men's Bible Classes; Relig. Quinn Chapel, A.M.E. Church; Address, 314 Pearl St., Louisville, Ky.

BROWN, HOWARD WASHINGTON — Educator.

b. Oct. 18, 1889, Lawnside, N. J.; s. George Washington and Lucy (Fussell) Brown; m. Estelle Irene Cornish, March 23, 1921; educ. Princess Anne Academy, Maryland, 1904-08; Howard Univ. Teachers' College, 1910-14; Teachers' Diploma in Education; A.B. (Cum Laude), Howard Univ., 1914; B.S., Harvard College, specialized in English, 1915-17; M.A., Harvard Univ. Graduate Sch., 1918; Special courses in Education at Univ. of Pa.; M.A., in Education, Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., 1930; Ph.D. in educ. Univ. of Pennsylvania, 1941; Principal of John G. Whittier Sch., Camden, N. J., 1919-present; In charge of courses in English, Summer Sch., Va.; Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1925; President, Young People's Forum of Camden, N. J., 1922-25; Chairman, Committee of Management of Hunton Branch, Y. M. C. A.; Organizer of Clarence Hill Post No. 1297, Veterans of Foreign Wars, 1924-26; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Charter member of Sigma Chapter at Harvard Univ.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, John G. Whittier School, Eighth and Chestnut Sts.; Residence, 1492 Bradley Ave., Camden, N. J.

He was in France for ten months during the World War, 1918-19, with the 807th Pioneer Infantry, Company M of the 3d Battalion.

Sergeant in charge of Educational work of the 3rd Battalion for six months after the Armistice was signed.

BROWN, JACOB TILESTON—Clergyman-Editor.

b. July 7, 1865, Hilton Head Island, S. C.; s. Prince and Mary Brown; m. Mattye Kilpatrick; two children, Jean; Tileston; Julius (by a former marriage); educ. Hampton Normal and Agricultural Inst.; A.B. 1891; S.T.B., A.M., D.D. Lincoln Univ.; Litt.D. (Honorary), Selma Univ., Ala.; Clergyman, 1891-present; contr. Baptist Sunday Sch. periodicals; auth. "Theological Kernels"; "The Cherubin"; "Financing the Kingdom"; "The Law and the Gospel"; "Seven Things Satan Has Taught the Negro Baptist Churches"; Fifteen Annual Commentaries on the International Uniform Sunday Sch. Lessons; "The Deacon Problem Solved"; Editor, Sunday Sch. Bd., Nashville, Tenn., 1923-present; Prof., Languages, Live Oak Academy, 1891-93; Pastor, First Baptist Ch., Fernandina, Fla., 1891-93; Pastor, Dexter Ave., Baptist Ch., 1896-98; Pastor, Providence Baptist Ch., Gonzales, Texas, 1898-1900; Pastor, Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Miami, 1912-16; Pastor, First Baptist Church, Columbus, Ga., 1916-19; Pastor, Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, Cairo, Illinois, 1919-20; Pastor, Spruce Street Baptist Church, Nashville, Tenn., 1920-22; Pastor, Metropolitan Baptist Church, Memphis, 1922-23; Contributor for the Baptist Sunday School Periodicals, 1897-present; Pres. and Founder, Baptist Academy, Jacksonville, Florida, 1893; Prof., Theology and Sacred Languages, Guadalupe Coll., Seuin, Texas, 1898-1900; State Conductor, Bible Inst., Gen. Baptist State Convention at Austin, 1900-12; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, Fourth and Cedar Sts., Nashville, Tenn.

BROWN, JAMES WALTER—Bishop.

b. July 19, 1872, Elizabeth City, N. C.; s. Jesse R. and Araminta (Griffin) Brown; m. Martha Hill, Oct., 1903; (deceased, 1928) second marriage, Andrades Lindsay, Aug., 1930; educ. Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1888-93; A.B., 1893; Lincoln Univ., Pa., 1900-03; S.T.B., 1903; A.M., Lincoln Univ.; D.D., Livingstone Coll.; Teacher, State Normal, Elizabeth City, N. C., 1893-99; Clergyman in Bethlehem, Pa., 1903-05; A. M. E. Zion Church, Rochester, N. Y., 1905-13; Mother A. M. E. Zion Church, N. Y. C., 1913-present; mem. Eureka Lodge No. 36, F. & A. M.; Monarch Lodge, No. 45, I. B. P. O. E. W.; Southern Beneficial League; Sons and Daughters of N. C.; Hamilton Lodge No. 710, Odd Fellows; Clubmen's Beneficial League; Ministerial Brotherhood; King David's Consistory No. 19, A. E. A.; Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of N. Y. C.; N. A. A. C. P.; Harlem League Church Federation; elected and ordained Bishop May 17 1936; Presiding Bishop 11th District; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Zion Church; Address, 151 W. 136th St., New York, N. Y.

In 1913 Dr. Brown was assigned to the pastorate of the Mother A. M. E. Zion Church, then located at West 89th St., New York City, In 1914 the church edifice at 151-3 West 136th St. was purchased. Improvements were made.

Later other property on 136th St. was purchased for a Brotherhood House and a parsonage. Other purchases of land and property were made until the total so invested was over \$100,000.

The New Mother Zion Church, 140-6 West 137th St., New York City, was dedicated on September 20, 1925. It is estimated that the investment of this edifice is more than \$450,000.

Died, Feb. 27, 1941.

BROWN, JOSEPH EDWARD—Physician.

b. Feb. 7, 1888, Rahway, N. J.; s. Ernest Linwood and Anna (Kelly) Brown; m. Hattie Mae Porch, Oct. 2, 1912; one child, Anna Mae, b. Dec. 1, 1914; educ. Rahway High Sch., 1904-07; Normal course, Kittrell Coll., 1907-09; Shaw Univ., Med. Sch., 1909-13; M.D., 1913; City Physician for Keystone, W. Va., 1914-18; Asst. Coroner and Health Officer for McDowell Co., W. Va., 1915-20; Examiner for Negro school children, County of McDowell; 1st. Lieut. M.R.C., 1917-23; President Keystone Branch, N.A.A.C.P.; ex-Pres., Flat Top Med. Society, W. Va.; mem. State Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Chi Delta Mu; K. of P.; A.F. & A.M.; I.B.P.O.E. of W.; American Legion; Pol. Republican, Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 286, Keystone, W. Va.

BROWN, JOSEPH KENT—Lawyer.

b. March 15, 1887, Westmoreland Co., Va.; s. Henry and Mary (Critchler) Brown; m. Eva Derry (deceased), 1909; two children, Maurice; Jerome; educ. LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1906; Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va.; Lawyer, 1909-present; Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, Marion Co., Indianapolis, Ind., 1911-15; Director and Legal Advisor, Gibraltar Life Insurance Co., 1922-present; Legal Advisor, Service Cab Co.; mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; National Bar Assn.; Indiana State Bar Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, Walker Building; Residence, 2149 Highland Pl., Indianapolis, Ind.

He has had some very big cases, among them the Shaw case. Shaw, a Colored man, was convicted and sentenced to death on a charge of having killed a white woman. On re-trial he and his associate attorneys succeeded in having their client acquitted. He also was victorious over the Government in the Lee Bunk case, a soldier's compensation claim of \$10,000, which later resulted in getting a judgment of \$8,000 for his client.

BROWN, LAWRENCE GREELEY—Physician.

b. Feb. 1, 1886, Hyman, S. C.; s. Ellison and Elizabeth (Eady) Brown; m. Lavinia Estelle Brown, Oct. 7, 1916; educ. Benedict Coll., Columbia, S. C., 1903-07; Howard Univ., 1907-14; M.D., 1914; Freedmen's Hosp., Washington, D. C., 1914-15; Columbia Univ., Post Grad. in Internal Medicine, 1924; Physician, 1915-present; mem. Am. Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Assn. of former Internes of Freedmen's Hosp.; Union Country Med. Society; North Jersey Med. Society; Alpha Lodge,

F. & A. M.; Lincoln Lodge, K. of P.; Elizabeth Chamber of Commerce; Life Member, Interstate Post Graduate Medical Assn. of North America; Organizer and Treas., Elizabeth Branch, N. A. A. C. P.; Pres. Staff, and Chief of Division of Medicine, Community Hospital, Newark, N. J.; Staff, Alexian Bros. Hospital, Elizabeth, N. J.; Staff, St. Elizabeth Hospital, Elizabeth, N. J.; Staff, Beth Israel Hospital, Newark, N. J.; Treas., Assn. of Former Internes, Freedmen's Hospital, Washington, D. C., 11 yrs.; Current Contr., Clinical Medicine and Surgery, Medical World; Medical Economics, Journal of the N. M. A., and Journal of the A. M. A.; Treas., Republican Progressive League of Union Co.; Pres., General Alumni Assn., Howard Univ., three years; appointed by State Legislature, mem. Negro Welfare Commission, to study the Economic and Social Conditions of Negroes of N. J., 1938; appointed by the Governor of New Jersey to serve on a sub-committee to study the Health conditions of the people of New Jersey, 1939; mem. Sigma Phi Fraternity, Zeta Boule; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 173 Madison Ave., Elizabeth, N. J.

Dr. Brown has devoted much time and effort to better Civic conditions in Elizabeth, N. J. In 1917 he organized and was President of the Colored Welfare League of Union County.

Through the influence of this organization, a wealthy Philanthropist (white) became interested in the housing conditions of colored people, and prior to his death made arrangements whereby considerable money was set aside for financing the erection of homes for colored people in Elizabeth, N. J.

In 1922 Dr. Brown was appointed a member of a Committee of 100 Leading Citizens, who planned a Civic Celebration for the city of Elizabeth. He was President of the Community Culture Club for three years, and a member of the Executive Committee of the League of Neighbors.

In 1926 he took a Post Graduate course in Surgery at the Laboratory of Surgical Technique, Chicago, Ill., and holds a Life membership in the Inter-State Post Graduate Assembly of North America.

He devised an instrument for the removal of tonsils, and a Double bell Stethoscope. Since 1936, Treasurer of the Union County Republican Club. Through his efforts many important Race appointment to office have been made.

BROWN, LUCIAN SOLOMON—Jr. College President.

b. Sept. 7, 1903, Charlotte, N. C.; s. James Alexander and Julia Anne (Jordan) Brown; m. Lilia Jeanette Brown, Sept. 8, 1928; one child, Lawrence Solomon, b. May 27, 1934; educ. A.B., Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C., 1927; LL.B., American Correspondence Sch., of Law, Chicago, Ill., 1930; A.M., Columbia Univ., New York City, 1933; Teacher, Brainerd Inst., Chester, S. C., five years; Teacher, Public Sch., Winston-Salem, N. C., one year; Pres., Brainerd, Jr., Coll., Chester, S. C., 1934-

present; mem. The Clinton Welfare Colored League of Chester, S. C.; Palmetto Teachers' Assn.; Assn. of Presidents, Deans and Registrars; Amer. Assn. of Junior Coll., Alpha Chapter, Amergo Psi Phi; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Protestant Presbyterian Elder; Address, Brainerd Institute, Chester, S. C.

BROWN, LEE L.—

b. June 29, 1880, Spring Station, Ky.; s. Edward and Lucy (Gaines) Brown; m. Etta C. Cooper, Dec. 29, 1919; educ. A.B., Eckstein Norton Inst., Coll. Course, 1901; Metropolitan Business Coll., Commercial Course, 1902; ex-Principal, Brown's Commercial School; Prop., Brown's Letter Shop; Rep. Associated Negro Press Assn. of Chicago; mem. Menelik Club; Nat. Commercial Assn.; K. of P.; Masons; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1012 W. Chestnut St., Louisville, Ky.

He was one of the organizers of the Louisville News and twice a candidate for the Legislature, State of Kentucky.

BROWN, ROBERT JUNIUS, JR.—Dentist.

b. Nov. 7, 1883, Norfolk, Va.; s. Robert J. and Addie L. (Parker) Brown; m. Pearl A. Jenkins, Dec. 26, 1917; one child, Robert Junius, 3rd, b. May 31, 1919; Educ. Norfolk Mission Coll., Norfolk, Va., 1901; A. and M., Coll., Normal, Ala., 1906; D.D.S., Meharry Dental Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1911; Dentist, 1911-present; Director, Metropolitan Bank and Trust Co., 1920-31; Pres., Phi Beta Sigma; Grand Deputy, Elks, Norfolk, Va.; Pres., Assembly Club; Pres., Norfolk People's Drug Co.; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Elks; Pres., Phi Beta Sigma; National Dental Assn.; Old Dominion Dental Assn.; Norfolk Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; N. A. A. C. P.; Y. M. C. A.; Aeolian Club; Acme Club; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, Metropolitan Bank and Trust Co. Building; Residence, 2436 Corpore Ave., Norfolk, Va.

BROWN, ROSCOE CONKLING—Dentist-Sanitarian.

b. Oct. 14, 1884, Washington, D. C.; s. John R. and Blanche L. (Maguire) Brown; m. Vivian Jeannette Kemp, June 4, 1921; two children, Roscoe Conkling, Jr., b. March 9, 1922; Portia Jeannette, b. Oct. 30, 1923; educ. M. St. (now Dunbar) High Sch., 1899-1903; Howard Univ. (Dental), 1903-06; D.D.S., Howard Univ., 1906; Dentist, Richmond, Va., 1907-15; in the office of Surgeon-General of U. S. Army, 1918-19; U. S. Public Health Service, 1932-present; contr. lectures and articles on health subjects; pamphlets; exhibits; mem. Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Muso-lit Club of Washington, D. C.; Masons; K. of P.; Elks; Nat. Med. Assn.; State and local organizations; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1121 Girard St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

BROWN, RUSSELL S.—Clergyman.

b. Aug. 31, 1889, London, Ky.; s. Bartlett and Alice Brown; m. Floy Zulema Smith, June 24, 1915; three children, Alice Elaine, b. April 2, 1916; Russell Brown, Jr., b. July 24, 1919; Charles Shelton, b. April 16, 1921; educ. Topeka High Sch., 1905-09; Payne Theol. Sem., several years; B.D., Payne Theol. Sem., 1915; Cleveland Coll., A.B., Western Reserve Univ.; Pastor in Butte, Montana, 1915-17; Pastor in Memphis, Tenn.,

1917-20; Pastor of the First Cong. Church, Atlanta, Ga., 1920-25; Pastor of the Mt. Zion Temple, Cleveland, O., 1925-33; Pastor, Shorter A. M. E. Church, Denver, Colo., 1933-present; City Club, Cleveland, O.; Exe-Committee, Federated Churches, Cleveland, O.; elected member, City Council of Cleveland, 1929; appointed by Gov. Cooper, Trustee, State Dept., Wilberforce Univ., five years; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Cuyahoga Lodge Elks; Progress F. & A. M.; Grand Boulé and Metropolitan Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Elected Moderator of Congregational Ministers of Greater Cleveland; Address, Leffingwell and Lawton Ave., St. Louis, Mo. Residence, 10308 South Boulevard Cleveland, Ohio.

BROWN, SAM ALBERT—Clergyman.

b. Nov. 9, 1870, Kingston, Tenn.; s. (Rev.) Albert and Sarah Brown; m. Geneva Shorter; five children, S. Albert, Jr.; Edith G., Robert H., Howard S., David Anderson; educ. Howard Univ., Rochester Academy, Boston University, School of Theology; Pastor, St. Mark's Congregational Church, Boston, 20 years; Sec., Y. M. C. A., Camp Dix, 1917-18; appointed Chaplain; Pastor, Carmel Presbyterian Church, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1923-present; mem. Odd Fellows, N. A. A. C. P. (Member, Executive Committee, local branch); President, Board of Trustees, Harriet Tubman House; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 655 Melish Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.

BROWN, S. JOE—Lawyer.

b. July 6, 1875, Keosauqua, Iowa; s. Lewis and Elizabeth A. Brown; m. Sue M. Wilson, Dec. 31, 1902; educ. Ottumwa (Iowa) High Sch.; Univ. of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, 1894-98; A.B., Univ. of Iowa, 1898; Univ. of Iowa, 1900-01; LL.B., Univ. of Iowa, 1901; A.M., Univ. of Iowa, 1902; Supt., Public Sch., Muchakinock, Iowa, 1898-99; Prof., Greek, Bishop Coll., Marshall, Tex., 1899-1900; Practice of Law, Albia, Iowa, June, 1901-02; Practice of Law, Des Moines, Iowa, 1902-present; auth. "A Constitutional View of the Recent Abridgement of the Rights of Negro Citizens by Certain of the Southern States of the Union," a Thesis for A.M. degree, Univ. of Iowa; "Cross and Crown," a ritual of Knight Templarism; "The Mitre," a ritual of the Order of the Past High Priesthood; mem. Pres., Des Moines Afro-Amer. Council, 1904-07; Pres., Iowa Afro-Amer. Council, 1907-09; Organized Des Moines Negro Lyceum, 1906; Pres., Inter-State Literary Assn., 1910; Organized Des Moines Branch, N.A.A.C.P., 1915; Pres., Iowa Negro Bar Assn., 1916-17; Organized 17th Provisional Regiment Lawyers' Assn.; Ft. Des Moines, Iowa, 1917; Organized Crocker St. Y. M. C. A., 1919; Vice-Chairman, Des Moines Inter-Racial Commission, 1924; Delegate to First Nat. Inter-Racial Conference, Cincinnati, Ohio, March, 1925; Vice Pres., Polk Co. Council of Religious Education, 1927-present; Kappa Alpha Psi; Past Grand Master, A. F. & A. M.; Past Grand Patron, O. E. S.; Past International Royal Advisor, Heroines of the Templar Crusades; Past Grand High Priest; R. A. M.; Past Grand Commander, Knights Templar; Asst. Sec., International Conference of R. A. M.; Treasurer, International Conference, Knights Templar, 1924-26; Pol. Republican; Relig. African Methodist; Office, 207 6th Ave.; Residence, 1058 Fifth Ave., Des Moines, Iowa.

Bruce, Resident Manager, Dunbar Apartments, New York, N. Y., 1927-present; contr. "Circumstantial Evidence" to Boston Univ. Law Review, Nov., 1924; "Bills and Notes," to Boston Univ. Law Review, April, 1925; "Workman's Compensation" to Boston Univ. Law Review, Nov., 1925; mem. Alpha Kappa Alpha, O. E. S.; Relig. Presbyterian; Residence, Dunbar Apartments, 150th St. and Seventh Ave., New York, N. Y.

BRUCE, JOHN EDWARD ("Grit")—newspaper Correspondent—b. Feb. 22, 1856, Piscataway, Md.; s. Robert and Martha Ellen (Clark) Bruce; educ. self-educated; m. F. A. Bishop, Sept. 10, 1895; established Sunday Item (weekly newspaper), Washington, D. C., 1881; established *The Argus*, 1884; mem. Lit. Bur. 1900; Am. Correspondent, *The African Times and Orient Review*, London, England; mem. Order of African Redemption (Liberia, Africa); African Soc., London; a Founder and Pres., Negro Society for Hist. Research; auth. (children's book); *The Blood Red Record*, 1905; *Biography of Eminent Negroes*, 1910; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 146 Warburton Ave., Yonkers, N. Y.

BRUCE, LEWIS C. — Social Worker.

b. Aug. 11, 1892, New York City, N. Y.; s. David J. and Estelle C. (Proctor) Bruce; m. Ethel E. Murray, June, 1913; one child, Elizabeth, b. Sept. 25, 1924; educ. A.B., City College, New York City, 1915; Boys Work Sec., Carlton Avenue Branch Y. M. C. A., Brooklyn, N. Y., 1922-28; Executive Director, Hudson Avenue Boys' Club, Brooklyn, 1928-35; Executive Sec., Albany Inter-Racial Council, affiliated with the National Urban League, 1935-present; mem. Board of Directors, Albany Branch N. A. A. C. P.; mem. Albany Housing Council; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 122 - 2nd st.; Residence, 156 Jefferson st., Albany, N. Y.

He was the organizer and director for six years of Camp Carlton, Staatsburg, N. Y., a boys camp purchased because of a recognition of the need for such a Camp. He also organized the Hudson Avenue Boys Club, Brooklyn, which was the first Colored boys club in Greater New York. Through the Urban League he worked with Police Commissioner Mulrooney in the establishment of the Police Athletic League.

He is Executive Secretary of the Albany Inter-Racial Council which maintains the Booker T. Washington Community Center, where an Educational and Recreational program of activities is carried on for an inter-racial group.

BRUSEAUX, SHERIDAN ALEXANDER—Principal of Detective Agency.

b. April 26, 1890, Little Rock, Ark.; s. Alexander and Nancy Bruseaux; m. Ethel Sewell, Nov. 7, 1923; educ. Union High Sch., Little Rock, Ark., 1905-'08; Arkansas Baptist Coll., Little Rock, Ark., 1908-'10; L.L.D. (Honorary), Univ. of Minnesota, 1914; Secret Service Operative for U. S. Government, in Europe, 1914-'19; Founder and Principal of Detective Agency, 1919-present; mem. Elks; Appomattox Club; Pol. Republi-

can; Relig. Baptist; Address, 64 W. Randolph St., Chicago, Ill.

During the World War he rendered the U. S. Government service in the Secret Service department.

In 1919 he founded the first Negro National detective agency. The Corporation of which he is Principal employs more than 85 operatives. Its connections are National.

He is retained as Chief Investigator to the Attorney-General of Illinois.

In 1928 he was retained by Mayor Floyd Williams of Gary, Ill., in the investigation resulting from racial differences in the Gary schools.

In 1927 he investigated Wilberforce University and saved to them many thousands of dollars by virtue of the investigation.

In 1928 he was appointed by the Attorney-General of the State of Illinois as the Chief Investigator for the Special Grand Jury to investigate the Granady Murder Case, the Election Terrorism, and the gambling and gang warfare.

He also investigated the famous Sanitary District cases.

BRYANT, J. EDMOND—Teacher.

b. Aug. 24, 1901, Page, N. D.; s. John W. and Margaret E. (Bowler) Bryant; m. Marjorie Brewer, June 17, 1929; educ. High Sch., Page, N. D.; B.S., Jamestown Coll., Jamestown, N. D., 1923; B.S., in Medicine, and M.S., in Physiology, Univ. of North Dakota, 1930; B.S., Medicine, Univ. of Northwestern, 1926; S.S., Univ. of Chicago, 1928; attended Summer Coaching Course, Notre Dame, under Rockne and Meanwell, 1925; auth. "Calcium Determinations in Sweat," 1931, a paper presented at meeting of American Physiological Soc., Montreal, Can.; Head of Science Department, Athletic Director, Cooperstown High Sch., Cooperstown, N. D., 1923-26; Head of Science Dept., Paine College, Augusta, Ga., 1928-29; Instructor in Physiology, Howard Medical Univ., Washington, D. C., 1930-present; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Residence, 163 U St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

BRYAN, JOHN L.—Missionary-Clergyman.

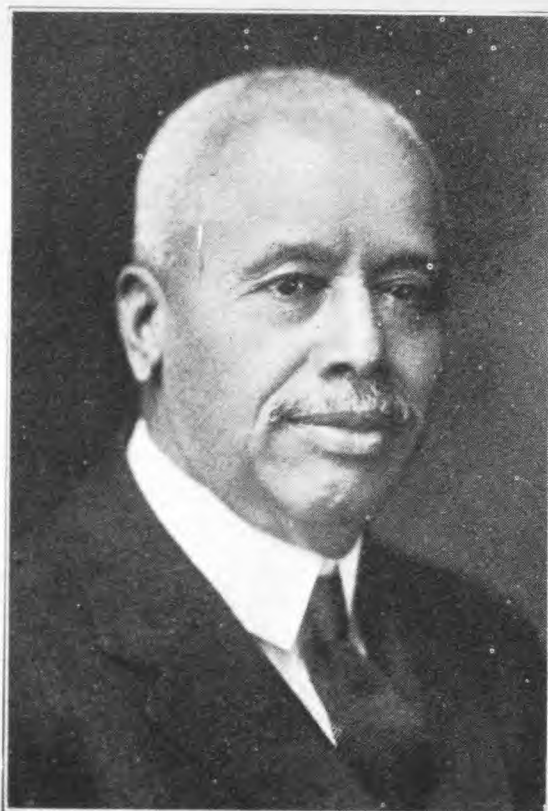
b. Jamaica, B.W.I.; s. Alfred and Beatrice Bryan; educ. Public Schools, New York City; National Bible Inst., N. Y. City; auth. Poems. "Dope," "Weary"; Missionary, New York Bible Society; New York City; Asst. Pastor, Grace Baptist Church, Mount Vernon, N. Y.; mem. Baptist Ministers Conference of Greater New York and Vicinity; Sec., Manhattan, Bronx and Westchester Assn.; Ind. Order of St. Luke; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 264 West 135th Street, New York City.

BRYANT, ROSCOE C.—Physician-Surgeon.

b. Oct. 11, 1896, Magnolia, Ark.; s. Pearson Simpson and Eula (Colins) Bryant; m. Curlie Marshall, Oct. 11, 1919; two children, Marshall, b. Feb. 27, 1924; Roscoe C., Jr., b. Oct. 2, 1921; educ. A.B. Risk Univ.; M.D., Meharry Medical



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HARRY T. BURLEIGH, A.M., MUS.D.

Coll.; Physician, 1922-present; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; National Negro Business League; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 308 N. Greenwood Street; Residence, 549 N. Detroit Street, Tulsa, Okla.

BRYANT, WILLIAM LOSTON—High School Principal.

m. Evelena Huger, Sept. 4, 1912 (deceased); second marriage, Lillian Gertrude Robinson, Apr. 30, 1922; two children, Lillian Wilhemina, b. Oct. 1, 1923; William L., b. July 20, 1925; educ. B.S., A. and M. State Coll., Orangeburg, S. C., 1918; Summer Courses, Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1919; Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1920; Univ. of Chicago, School of Divinity, last quarter Summer Sch., 1920; A. and M. Coll., S. C., 1921; Prin., Manning Tr. Sch., 1918-28; Prin., Macedonia Indus. Sch., Blackville, S. C., 1929; Prin. Dillon High Sch., Dillon, S. C., 1929-present; Member, Summer Sch. Faculty, A. and M. Coll., S. C., 1921; Director, Adult Summer Sch., Clarendon Co., Manning, S. C., 1924-26; Licensed to preach, Bethlehem Baptist Church, June, 1918; Ordained, Ebenezer Baptist Church, Manning, S. C., May 17, 1923; Pastor, St. John Baptist Church, Latta, S. C., 1932; Letter Carrier and Bank Messenger, 8 years; mem. State College Debating Team, 7 years; mem. Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; F. & A. M.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 406 Ninth Ave., Dillon, S. C.

While a student at the A. & M. College he won the silver medal, second prize, in the Senior Normal Oratorical Contest in May, 1914; delivered the Valedictory oration on Class Day, May, 1915, and was president of his class for six years.

He served as secretary of the athletic association for two years, was secretary of the students' council and editor-in-chief of the "State College Review," a monthly paper of the college.

BUCKNER, OTIS M.—Lawyer.

b. January 12, 1897, Monticello, Ga.; s. William and Alice (Sherman) Buckner; educ. Georgia State Industrial Coll., Savannah, Ga.; A.B., Northwestern Univ., Evanston, Ill., 1923; J.D., 1927; Lawyer, 1927-present; enlisted, S.A.T.C., U.S. Army, during World War; Four Years, R.O.T.C., Northwestern Univ.; admitted to practice law in Illinois, Michigan, and United States District Court of Northern Illinois; mem. Historian, Kappa Alpha Psi, 1925-present; General Counsel, Northside Community House and Good-Will Helping Hand Soc., 1927-present; mem. Cook Co. Bar Assn.; National Bar Assn.; Kappa Alpha Psi; Helping-Hand Soc.; N.A.A.C.P.; General Counsel, Morris Financial and Credit Assn.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 111 N. Dearborn St.; Residence, 5837 Calumet Ave., Chicago, Ill.

BUGG, GEORGE WASHINGTON—Physician.

b. June 22, 1874, Nashville, Tenn.; s. Wesley and Harriett (Childress) Bugg; m. Laura Lane, Aug. 5, 1900; second marriage, Mary J. Dunlap, Apr. 29, 1919; six children, George Washington, Jr., b. March 29, 1901; William Arthur, b. Nov. 7, 1902; Eva Colanthe, b. Dec. 1, 1904; Augustus

Haley, b. March 18, 1920; Lena C., b. Nov. 4, 1921; Quinetta E., b. Jan. 22, 1925; educ. Meigs High Sch., 1894; V.T.H., Roger William Univ., 1899; B.S., 1900; M.S., Roger Williams Univ., 1923; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1906; Physician, 1906-present; mem. Nashville Med. Assn.; State Med. Assn.; Medical Examiner for National Benefit Life Ins. Co.; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Morris Memorial Bldg.; Residence, 707 Twelfth Ave., S., Nashville, Tenn.

BULLOCK, CARRIE F.—Nurse.

b. St. Lawrence, S. C.; educ. St. Lawrence High Sch.; Scotia Seminary, Concord, N. C.; Provident Hospital Training, 1909; Visiting Nurse Association, 1909-present; Asst. Supervisor of Visiting Nurses' Association; Vice-Pres., Colored Nurses Assn.; Pres., Provident Hospital Alumni, 1922-23-24; Received Harriet McCormick scholarship as a delegate in the V. N. A.; mem. First District, Illinois State Assn. of Graduate Nurses; American Assn.; Address, 104 S. Michigan Ave., Room 830; Monroe Building, Chicago, Ill.

BULLOCK, CHARLES H.—Executive Secretary, Y.M.C.A.

b. March 5, 1875, Charlottesville, Va.; s. Burkley and Mary (Washington) Bullock; m. Lottie D. Lewis, April 3, 1901; six children, Robert K.; Charles H., Jr.; Mary O.; Virginia L.; Louise L.; Louis M.; educ. Jefferson Sch., Charlottesville, Va.; Teacher, Jefferson Sch., Charlottesville, Va.; Organized and was First Secretary, Brooklyn Y.M.C.A., Carlton Br., 1902-06; Y.M.C.A., Louisville, Ky., 1906-16; Sec., Y.M.C.A., Washington Br., Montclair, N. J., 1916-present; Sec. and Treas., Nat. Assn. of Colored Y.M.C.A. Secretaries, Oct. 21, 1925-30; mem. Executive Committee, Interracial Committee, 1929-present; Executive Committee, Montclair Branch, N.A.A.C.P., 1917-present; Children's Welfare Committee, Montclair, N. J.; Masons; Order of St. Luke; Relig. Baptist; Address, Y.M.C.A., 39 Washington St.; Residence, 137 Maple Avenue, Montclair, N. J.

While engaged in the work as Y.M.C.A. Secretary in Louisville, Ky., he was instrumental in having erected one of the first modern buildings to house Y.M.C.A. activities.

During the World War he was appointed State Captain, Director of Colored Division of the United War Work campaign in 1918 and served for the duration of the war.

He began the campaign for a new Y.M.C.A. building in Montclair, N. J. in 1924. The present building was dedicated Dec. 18, 1927. The value of the building and equipment is \$160,000.

BULLOCK, GEORGE OLIVER—Clergyman.

b. Nov. 19, 1872, Granville, Co., N. C.; s. Horace and Emma (Jones) Bullock; m. Rebecca S. Burgess, Dec. 23, 1902; eight children, Portia C., Wilhelmina E.; Frances E.; George S.; Veneta K.; William H.; Samuel C.; Joseph B.; educ. A.B., Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1901; B.Th., 1900; D.D. (Honorary), 1912; Clergyman, 1900-present; Missionary, State North Carolina, 1901-05; Pastor, Friendship Baptist Church, Char-

lotte, N. C., 1905-12; Pastor, First Baptist Ch., Winston-Salem, N. C., 1912-18; Pastor, Third Baptist Ch., Washington, D. C., 1918-present; Trustee, Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1912-present; Pres., Baptist North Carolina State Convention, 1916-18; Secretary, Executive Committee, Lock Cary Baptist Foreign Missionary Soc., 1929-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Phi Beta Sigma (Honorary); Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 408 T. Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.

BULLOCK, MATTHEW WASHINGTON—Lawyer.

b. Sept. 11, 1881, Dabney, N. C.; s. Jesse and Amanda (Sneed) Bullock; m. Katherine H. Wright, Sept. 21, 1910; two children, Matthew W. Bullock, Jr., b. April 4, 1920; Julia Amanda, b. Sept. 3, 1921; educ. Public Sch., Boston, Mass., 1890-94; Public and High Sch., Everett, Mass., 1894-1900; Dartmouth Coll., 1900-04; A.B., 1904; Harvard Univ. Law Sch., 1904-07; LL.B., 1907; Teacher of Latin, History and Social Sciences, Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1908-12; Lawyer, Atlanta, Ga., 1912-15; Dean, Alabama Agricultural and Mechanical Coll., Normal, Ala., 1915-17; Y. M. C. A. War work and Physical Director in France during World War, 1917-19; Executive Sec., Boston Urban League, 1919-21; Lawyer, Boston, Mass., 1921-present; Special Assistant Attorney General, Massachusetts, 1925-26; appt. Member, Mass. Board of Parole, 1927 mem. K. of P. (Past Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, Grand Lecturer); Masons; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Office, Old South Building, 294 Washington St.; Residence, 56 Windsor St., Boston, Mass.

While at Dartmouth he was a member of the football team for three years, track team for four years, Glee Club for four years. He was a member of the Aegis Board (Annual Sophomore publication), Paleopitus (Honorary Senior Society) and Executive, Class Day Committee.

After graduating from college he served as Football Coach at Massachusetts Agricultural College, 1904, 1907 and 1908; Football Coach at Malden (Mass.) High School, 1905 and 1906. He was Athletic Director and Coach at Morehouse College, 1908 to 1912.

During the World War Mr. Bullock served three months as Y.M.C.A. Educational Secretary at Camp Meade, Md., and for fifteen months was Physical Director with the troops in France, being attached to 369th U. S. Infantry (15th N. Y. Regiment) from July, 1918, to January, 1919. He was recommended for Croix de Guerre for service during the September-October offensive on Champagne front.

Because of his work overseas an invitation was extended to him to participate in the burial of the Unknown Soldier at Washington, D. C., as a guest of the nation.

BULLOCK, SAMUEL H.—Educator.

b. North Carolina; educ. Henderson Normal

Inst., Henderson, N. C., 1910; Knoxville, Coll., Knoxville, Tenn., 1914; Principal, Public Sch., Jellico, Tenn.; Principal, Public Sch., Newcomb, Tenn.; Principal, Public Sch., Athens, Tenn.; Principal, Public Sch., Ala.; Teacher, History, Colored High Sch., Knoxville, Tenn.; Teacher, History, Austin High Sch., Knoxville, Tenn.; Pres., Colored Teachers Assn., of Knoxville; Relig. Baptist; Address, Austin High School, Knoxville, Tenn.

BURDEN, WALTER RAYMOND—Social Worker.

b. Aug. 24, 1883, Pleasant Valley, Conn.; s. John Edmund and Jennie (Leighton) Burden; m. Frances Burden, June 11, 1912; three children, Phyllis Jeannette, b. March 19, 1913; Walter Raymond, Jr., b. Nov. 21, 1916; Dorothea Frances, b. Dec. 23, 1916; educ. Extein Norton Inst., 1903-06; Wilberforce Univ., 1907-10; Chesapeake Summer Sch., 1909-19 Brooklyn Training Sch., 1914-16; Newark Training Sch., 1916-17; Exec. Sec., Springfield, Ohio, Orange, N. J.; Boys' Work Sec., 1917-19, Phila., Pa.; Coll. Y.M.C.A. Pres., 1903-06; Extein Norton Inst., Coll. Y.M.C.A.; Pres., 1908-10, Wilberforce Univ.; Hog Island Shipyard Y.M.C.A., Harrisburg, Pa.; auth. "Boys' Five Rights"; mem. Harrisburg Welfare Fed. Finance Comm., Harrisburg Assn. Aid Society (Asso. Mem., Bd.); Alpha Music Study Club (Br. N.A.N.M.); Bd. Dir., Chesapeake Summer Sch.; Odd Fellows, K. of P.; Kappa Alpha Psi; F.A.M., Chosen Friends Lodge No. 43; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 644 Broad St.; Residence, 612 Briggs St., Harrisburg, Pa.

BURLEIGH, HENRY THACKER—Baritone Soloist-Composer.

b. Dec. 2, 1866, Erie, Pa.; s. Henry T. and Elizabeth (Waters) Burleigh; m. Louise Alston, Feb. 9, 1898; one child, Alston Waters, b. Aug. 18, 1899; studied at National Conservatory of Music, N. Y.; A.M. (Honorary), Atlanta Univ.; Mus.D. (Honorary), Howard Univ.; Baritone Soloist, St. George's Church, New York, since 1894; member of the choir of Temple Emanu-El, New York, since 1900; Musical Editor, G. Ricordi & Co., Inc., New York; composer "Deep River," "Jean," "Little Mother of Mine,"; and in all about two hundred compositions; Spingarn Medalist, 1917; Address, 823 E. 166th St., New York, N. Y.

He received the 1929 award in Music, and the Harmon Medal. For the past 37 years he has been the baritone soloist of the aristocratic St. George's Church, in New York City, the membership of which consists of many wealthy white people. The Temple Emanu-El, in New York City, the richest synagogue in America, also engaged him to sing for their services. He sings with amazing facility songs not only in his mother tongue, but also in German, French, Italian, Latin, Hebrew.

He is considered one of the greatest living Colored singers. The genius he has displayed by the compositions of several hundred masterful songs makes him one of the most remarkable musicians in the annals of music in America.



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BURNETTE, ALICE C.—International Organizer.

b. Jackson, Miss.; d. E. L. and Jane (Thompson) Erskine; m. William Hallback; second marriage, C. A. Burnette; two children; Blanche Edward Hallback; Aurelia Ida Hallback; educ. Pub. Sch., Jackson, Miss.; Tougaloo College; taught school in Jackson, Miss., until 1916; engaged by Madam C. J. Walker to travel in the interests of her manufacturing company; has traveled through forty State and Foreign countries; engaged as International Organizer, Madam C. J. Walker Mfg. Company; mem. Elks; Past Matron of Eastern Star City Lodge; Woodman of Union; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, c/o Madam C. J. Walker Mfg. Co., 617 N. West St., Indianapolis, Ind.; Residence, 1890 7th Ave., New York City, N. Y.

BURROUGHS, ASA MORRIS—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 26, 1893, Chicago, Ill.; s. Morris and Mary J. L. (Williams) Burroughs; m. Alma I. Rice, Jan. 7, 1915; four children, Morris; Leonard; Elmer; Irene Jane; educ. Crane Technical High Sch., 1911; Kent Law Coll., Chicago, Ill.; Lawyer, 1920-present; Attorney, Mid-South Finance Corp.; Attorney, A. B. C. Bond and Investment Co.; Attorney, John T. Wilson Medical Foundation; Attorney, South Park Bank Building Corp.; Attorney, Union Mason Temple; Attorney, Mid-South Side Property Owners' Assn.; Attorney, Mid-South Side Business League of Chicago; ex-Vice-Chairman, Camp Wabash Committee, Y. M. C. A.; Chairman, Board of Directors, Upsilon Sigma Chapter Phi Beta Sigma; Specializes in Real Estate and Probate Law; Closing Attorney, Home Owners' Loan Corp., 1934-present; Founder, Cook County Bar Assn. Law Library, 1928; Organizer and Pres., Chicago Democratic Lawyers' Club, 1932-present; mem. Executive Committee, Douglas Division, Boy Scouts; Directory and Chairman of the Committee on Recreation, South Central Community Council; Pres and Organizer, Fourth Ward Community Club; Sec. Cook Co. Bar Assn., 1924-26; Pres., 1928-39; mem. Masons; Appomattox Club; Relig. Methodist; Address, 188 W. Randolph St.; Residence, 4739 Champlain Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He planned and created the recreational program in Washington Park, Chicago, Ill., and which was adopted by the Park Commissions. This program includes swimming pools and a field house costing \$775,000.00. The request for funds is included in the budget presented to the Public Works Administration by the Park Commissioners.

BURRELL, J. MERCER—Lawyer-Assemblyman.

b. Nov. 21, 1899, Richmond, Va.; s. William P. and Marry E. (Carey) Burrell; educ. Public Sch., Washington, D. C.; Richmond, Va., and New York City, N. Y.; Wayland Acad., 1915; Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 2 years; Reserve Officers' Training Camp, Fort Des Moines, Iowa, 1917; LL.B., New Jersey Law Sch., 1922; Lieut. U. S. Army, 1917-19; City Editor, New Commoner, New York City, 1919-20; Lawyer, 1922-present; Editor, Newark Herald, 1931-32; mem. New Jersey legislature, 1933-36; Past Commander, Emmitt Guyton Post 152, American Legion; ex-Senior Vice-Commander, Veterans Alliance, Essex County; Past Senior Vice-Commander, Melvin Spitz Chapter, Disabled American Veterans of World War; Chairman, Vet-

erans Civil Service Committee; mem. Reserve Association, First Separate Battalion, N. J. State Militia; Officer Republican Veterans Association of N. J.; Commander, Colored Republican Veterans Association of Essex County; mem. Seventh Ward Republican Club of Newark; Officer, J. Mercer Burrell Republican Assn., of Essex Co.; Pres., N. J. Conference Colored Republicans; Pres., Eastern Conference Colored Republicans; Special Master in Chancery; Former Special Counsel, New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance, 1936-37; Chairman, Negro Achievement Commission of New Jersey, 1936-40; Special Title Attorney, Newark Housing Authority, 1939-40; mem. Pride of Newark Lodge 93, Elks; mem. P. E. R. Council No. 17; Grand Director of Junior Elks; District Deputy, Northern Dist. of N. J. Elks; Trinity Lodge 33, Free and Accepted Masons; mem. Mt. Joy Council, St. Luke; mem. Legal Redress Committee, Newark Branch, N.A.A.C.P.; Legal Adviser, Phi Delta Kappa Sorority; mem. N. J. State Bar Assn.; National Bar Assn.; Officer, Colored Bar Assn. of N. J.; mem. Negro Health Committee, Newark; Legal Adviser, National Beauty Culturists League; Legal Adviser, Modern Beauticians Assn. of N. J.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 23 Howard St., Newark, N. J.

BURROUGHS, MISS NANNIE H.—Training School President.

Founded National Training School for Women and Girls, in 1909; instrumental in raising over \$350,000 for the benefit of the School; Property vested in Board of Trustees; Secretary of the Woman's Convention Auxiliary to the National Baptist Convention; Address, Lincoln Heights, Washington, D. C.

BURT, ROBERT T.—Physician-Surgeon.

b. Nov. 25, 1873, Kosciusko, Miss.; s. Robert and Silvia A. Burt; m. Emma E. Williams, June 11, 1913; one child, Em Tecumseh, b. Feb. 14, 1915; educ. Kosciusko High Sch., 1884-87; Jackson Coll., Jackson, Miss., 1887-89; Walden Univ., 1889-92; Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1893-97; M.D., 1897; Post Graduate, Harvard Univ., 1901-04; Surgeon-in-Chief, Home Infirmary, Clarksville, Tenn., 1900-present; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Business Address, 122 N. Third St.; Residence, 20 Currant St., Clarksville, Tenn.

Dr. Robert T. Burt has, since 1906, conducted the Home Infirmary, a 32-room Hospital, of which he is the founder.

A high school, recently built by the city of Clarksville, has been named Burt High School.

BURWELL, JAMES MONROE—Dentist.

b. Nov. 11, 1895, Washington, D. C.; s. Henry D. and Emma (Stewart) Burwell; m. Mary Turner, June, 1916; two children, James Monroe, Jr.; Henry Turner; educ. Technical High Sch., Washington, D. C., 1913; D.D.S., Univ. of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1917; Post Graduate, Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., 1921; Dentist, 1917-present; mem. Board of Management, Y. M. C. A., 1925-29; mem. Board of Directors, Livingstone Memorial Hospital, 1920-30; mem. Board of Directors, Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Women, 1932-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Sigma Pi Phi; N. A. A. C. P.; Y. M. C.

A.; National Dental Assn.; Penna. State Odontological Soc.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, 1506 Wylie Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

He held the record for running 100 yards at University of Pittsburgh for many years running that distance in 1915 in 10 seconds. In the same year, and at the same meet, he ran 220 yards in 21 3/5 seconds, and the 440 yards in 50 3/5 seconds.

BURWELL, T. S.—Physician.

Graduate of Lincoln University, Penna., 1900; Jefferson Medical College, 1907; Connected with Jefferson and Douglass Hospitals; Member of Phila. Co. Med. and Am. Med. Assn.; local and State Medical Societies; Pres., Nat. Medical Assn., 1928-29; mem. Masons; Alpha Phi Alpha; Address, 2008 Fitzwater Street, Philadelphia, Penn.

BUSH, WILLIAM B.—Lawyer.

b. March 19, 1885, Cincinnati, Ohio.; s. W. H. and Sarah C. (Symmes) Bush; m. J. Madeline Gow of Cape Town, Africa, Jan. 7, 1907; four children, Gow Max, Vera C., Myron B., Carl B.; educ. Cincinnati Pub. Sch.; Wilberforce Univ.; LL.B., Howard Univ., 1905; LL.B., Univ. of New York, 1911; Univ. of Cincinnati; Taught, State Univ., Louisville, Ky.; Tuskegee Inst., Ala.; Wilberforce Univ., Ohio; Pub. Schs., Cincinnati, Ohio; Lawyer, 1912-present; admitted to practice in the United States Supreme Court, Washington, D. C., and all the State and Federal Courts of New York and Ohio; Supt., Bethel Sunday Sch.; Atty., Director, Colorgrams, Inc., Cincinnati; Pioneer Mutual Aid Assn., Cincinnati; ex-Atty. and Organizer of The Anchor Life and Accident Ins Co.; ex-Atty. and Director, Walnut Hills Enterprise Corp., Cincinnati, Ohio; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Office, 22 Temple Court; Address, 3051 Kerper Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.

BUTLER, HENRY RUTHERFORD—Physician— See 3rd Edition.

Died, Dec. 17, 1931.

BUTLER, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN—Florist.

b. Nov. 22, 1897, Brooklyn, N. Y.; s. Benjamin F. and Ella I. (Hill) Butler; m. Madalyn Ruth Miller, Dec. 9, 1919; two children, Carrie Edna, b. Dec. 19, 1920; Benjamin F., Jr., Nov. 18, 1928; educ. Pub. Sch., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Florist, 1919-present; Member of Police Reserve, 1925; one of the founders and Treas., Borough Civic Assn.; mem. K. of P.; Elks; Knights and Daughters of Africa; N. A. A. C. P.; Y. M. C. A.; Democratic County Committee; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1710 Fulton St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Borough Civic Association was organized Sept. 27, 1927, and is an association of representative citizens of Brooklyn and its aims and purposes are to better the Civic, Financial,

Business, Political and Social conditions of the colored population of Brooklyn.

He was a candidate for Councilman of New York City in the year 1937, and received one of the largest votes ever recorded for a Colored man. He would have been elected to the City Council if he had received 54 additional votes.

BUTLER, GEORGE ALSON—Pharmacist.

b. March 23, 1897, Burtville, La.; s. Lee and Addeen (Dollison) Butler; m. Constance Baham, Dec. 22, 1929; educ. Public Schools, New Orleans, La.; Private Tutor; Ph.G., 1930; auth. "Your Business and Mine," The Medical Journal, Feb., 1939; Pharmacist, 1930-present; Postmaster, Louise Street Branch Postoffice, 1935-present; Operator, Ideal Cafeteria, 1935-present; Director, Keystone Life Insurance Co., 1940-present; mem. Baton Rouge Colored Civic Assn., 1939-present; Group Captain, Boy Scouts; Chairman, Membership Board, N.A.A.C.P. of Baton Rouge; mem. Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Assn.; Southwest Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Assn.; State Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Assn.; Vice-Pres., Southern Division, National Medical and Pharmaceutical Assn.; Organizer and Sponsor, Junior Hustlers Association; Captain 6th Ward Republican Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1501 E. Boulevard; Residence, 960 Reddy St., Baton Rouge, La.

He is the owner and planned the modernized Butler Building in Baton Rouge which comprises the Ideal Drug Store, Ideal Cafeteria, Louise Street Branch Postoffice, and Blue Room Dance Hall, all of which he operates. The Ideal Drug Store is rated among the best and most completely stocked drug stores. He also owns the South End Drug Store in Baton Rouge. Through his civic pride, scrupulous business methods and influence, the South Section of Baton Rouge, principally a Colored Section, has received many improvements such as paved streets, electric lights, gas, sewerage system, recreation center, branch postoffice and police protection.

Because of his steady progress and outstanding success in business in 1940 he became the nominee by the Baton Rouge unit of the National Negro Business League for the C. C. Spaulding Award for success in business.

BUTLER, HENRY HANNIBAL—Clergyman-Educator.

b. Sept. 27, 1887, Barnwell, S. C.; s. Charles and Cornelia (Glover) Butler; m. Alice Lee Crossland, July 19, 1912; four children, Henry Hannibal Butler, Jr., b. July 2, 1914; Annie Lou, b. Dec. 20, 1915; Robert Carolina, b. June 27, 1916; Cornelia, b. Dec. 10, 1922; educ. Colored High Sch., Barnwell, S. C., 1895-1903; Benedict Coll., Columbia, S. C., 1905-09; A.B., 1909; A.M., 1918;

Principal Darlington County Training Sch., Hartsville, S. C., 1909-present; Pastor of Mt. Zion Chapel Baptist Ch., Hyman, S. C., and Savannah Grove Baptist Ch., Bannockburn, S. C.; Dist. Grand Sec., Dist. Grand Lodge No. 13, of S. C., G.U.O. of O.F., 1919-present; Sec. and Treas. of Endowment Dept., D.G.L. No. 13, G. U.O. of O.F., 1919-present; Sec. and Treas., Dist. Grand Household of Ruth, No. 22 of G.U.O. of O.F., 1924-present; mem. Masons, Odd Fellows, K. of P., Household of Ruth, Eastern Star; Director, Mutual Savings Bank, Charleston, S. C.; Grand Sec. and Treas., Grand Lodge Brothers and Sisters Grand Union; Grand Chaplain, Masonic Grand Lodge of South Carolina; President, Darlington County Teachers Assn.; Auditor, Palmetto State Teachers Assn. for Negro Teachers; Vice-Pres., Palmetto State Teachers Assn., 1928-present; Vice-Pres., Baptist State Convention (South Carolina), 1928-present; Nat. Grand Director, Odd Fellows of America, 1928-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Drawer 367; Residence, 1900 S. 6th St., Hartsville, S. C.

In 1918 he was called to the Savannah Grove Baptist Church and the Mt. Zion Chapel Baptist Church. He alternates between these two churches, the combined membership of which is about 2,400. Both churches belong to the Pee Dee Association, which is one of the leading associations in the State of South Carolina.

He was elected Principal of the Hartsville Colored Graded School in 1909. Then the faculty consisted of 2 teachers and an enrollment of 132 pupils. In 1918 the name was changed to the Darlington County Training School, which employed more than 18 teachers. Mr. Butler has been in charge of the school as Principal since 1909.

In 1928 there were 4,541 teachers who were members of the Palmetto State Teachers' Association.

It is estimated that there are about 300,000 Negro Baptists in South Carolina.

BUTLER, JOHN REUBEN—Executive Secretary Y. M. C. A.

b. March 27, 1904, Springfield, O.; s. Thomas and Ellen (Browning) Butler; m. Catherine Lewis, Nov. 14, 1928; educ. High Sch., Springfield, O., 1922; Wittenberg Coll., Springfield, O., 1926; Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1928; Director, Boy's Work, Y. M. C. A., Springfield, O., 1923-29; Director, Boy's Work, Y. M. C. A., Columbus, O., 1929-present; Executive Sec., Y. M. C. A., Columbus, O., 1932-present; Trustee, Centenary Church, 1932-present; mem. Royal Crescents; N. A. A. C. P.; Y. M. C. A.; Urban League; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Center St. Y.M.C.A., Springfield, Ohio.

BUTLER, LEROY—Funeral Director.

b. April 12, 1893, Talladega, Ala.; s. Rev. C. LeRoy and Elizabeth (Baker) Butler; m. Dorothy Westcott, Feb. 1, 1928; one child, Betty C., b. Nov. 13, 1928; educ. Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala.; John C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C.; New York City College; Downingtown Industrial Sch., Pa.; Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa.;

Renour Training Sch. for Embalmers; Funeral Director, 1926-present; Organizer and President, LeRoy Butler Funeral Home, 1928-present; Chairman Board of Directors, Four F. Social Club; mem. Metropolitan Funeral Directors Assn.; Funeral Directors Club; V. F. W.; Masons; Elks; Antelopes; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 177 W. 126th St., New York City, N. Y.

BYERS, JOHN H.—High School Principal.

b. Aug. 31, 1874, Greensboro, N. C.; s. Mitchell and Lucy Byers; m. Mary Hose, Feb. 18, 1915; two children, Leonora C., b. March 17, 1916; John H., b. July 4, 1917; educ. Public City Sch., Greensboro, N. C., 1881-89; High Sch., Biddle Univ., Charlotte, N. C., 1891-95; Lincoln Univ., Penn., 1897-1904; A.B. 1901; A.M., S.T.B. 1904; Teacher, Prin., Jonesboro Sch., Greensboro, N. C., 1904-07; Teacher of English, Harriman N. & I. Inst., Harriman, Tenn., 1907-08; Prin., City Public Sch., Big Stone Gap, Va., 1908-13; Prin., Langston High Sch., Johnson City, Tenn., 1914-present; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Langston High Sch.; Residence, 121 W. Chilhowie Ave., Johnson City, Tenn.

BYNOE, GEORGE THEOPHILUS—Physician.

b. May 29, 1883, Barbados, B.W.I.; s. Samuel and Mary (Walcott) Bynoe; m. Annie DeCousy, May 6, 1906; educ. Howard Med. Sch., 1907-11; M.D. 1911; Teacher, Public Schools, Barbados, B.W.I.; Pres., Chautauqua Club; Physician, 1911-present; mem. Nat. Medical Assn.; American Medical Assn.; Kings Co. Medical Soc.; N. A. A. C. P.; Phi Beta Sigma; Free Gardeners; Odd Fellows; Mechanics; Moses; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 505 Vanderbilt Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

BYRD, DAVID WELLINGTON—Physician-Pharmacist.

b. Nov. 1, 1868, Ashland, Ohio; s. James F. and Mary A. (Henderson) Byrd; m. Wilhelmina Mitchell, Aug. 15, 1899; two children, Wilhelmina; Florence; educ. Ashland (Ohio) High Sch.; A.B., A.M. Baldwin Univ., Berea, Ohio; Post Graduate work, Harvard Univ.; M.D. Meharry Med. Coll.; Ph.G. Meharry; Teacher, Ashland Pub. Sch. system, 2 years; Teacher, Latin and Greek, Rust Univ., Holly Springs, Miss., 4 years; Teacher, Greek, Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 10 years; Dean, Literary Dept., Walden Univ., 2 years; Teacher, Medical Chemistry, Meharry Med. Coll., Physician, 1904-present; Pres., Nat. Med. Assn., 1917-18; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Address, 517 Cumberland St., Norfolk, Va.

Dr. Byrd established a Public Clinic for the Control of Venereal Diseases in the year 1933. In 1938 he was made a Special Consultant to the United States Public Health Service and the Clinic has been accepted as an Approved Clinic with relation to the United States Marine Hospital at Norfolk, Va.

BYRD, FRANZ ALFRED—Athlete.

b. June 28, 1905, Rochester, N. Y.; s. William A. and Alice Asmond (Cloud) Byrd; educ. Lincoln High Sch., Jersey City, N. J.; A.B. Lincoln Univ.,

1925; M.A. Columbia Univ., 1926; Manager, Personnel Division, Apex Hair Co., and Editor of Apex News, 1929-present; Director, Athletics, Florida State Coll., Tallahassee, Fla., 1927-29; Coach, Football Team and Baseball Nine, Florida State Coll.; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Residence, 29 Bayview Ave., Jersey City, N. J.

He is better known by the sporting world as "Jazz" Byrd, and has the reputation of being one of the greatest half-backs ever produced in Colored Colleges, and is what is known as a "4" letter man in Athletics, being the winner of Scholastic and Athletic Medals. He is the holder of the track records in Colored Intercollegiate Athletic Association for "100 yard dash," "broad jump," and "high jump." He is also the winner of the New Jersey State High School Championship in "broad jump" and "high jump." In 1914 he was the anchor man in the World's Record Grammar School 440-Yard Relay Race.

CABELL, DELMO B.—Druggist.

b. June 11, 1895, Madisonville, Ky.; s. Peter R. and Lucy (Hyde) Cabell; educ. Atkinson Coll., 1908-12; Simmons Univ., College, 1912-13; Meharry Med. Coll., 1913; 1917, Pharmacy; Ph.C. 1917; Druggist 1917-present; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist, Address, 703 Dixon St., Providence, Ky.

CADE, JOHN BROTHER—Instructor.

b. Oct. 19, 1894, Danburg, Ga.; s. William Richard and Sarah Frances (Bradford) Cade; m. Jessie Mae Maben, June 4, 1923; one child, Jessie Lola Cade, b. Feb. 4, 1924; educ. A.B., Atlanta Univ., 1921; A.M., Univ. of Chicago, 1928; auth. "Twenty Months with Uncle Sam," 1929, pub. Robinson Cofer Co., Atlanta, Ga.; Instructor, Paine Coll., Augusta, Ga., 1921-29; Registrar, Paine Coll., 1922-present; Registrar, Southern Univ., Baton Rouge, La., 1929-30; Director of Teacher Training, Southern Univ., 1930-31; Registrar, Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View, Tex., 1931-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. C.M.E.; Address, Prairie View State College, Prairie View, Texas.

He volunteered for service in the 17th Provisional Training Camp at Des Moines, Iowa, June, 1917, commissioned second lieutenant, assigned for duty to Camp Dodge, Iowa, with Company F, 366th Infantry. Served overseas June 15, 1918, until February 22, 1919, being honorably discharged March 31, 1919.

CADENHEAD, EVERETT W.—Dentist.

b. Nov. 4, 1894, Dekalb, Miss.; s. Jacob H. and Janie (Houston) Cadenhead; m. Mildred Murphy, May 17, 1925; three children, Everett, Jr., b. Jan. 17, 1926; Edward, b. January 17, 1926; Maurice, b. Sept. 8, 1931; educ. Haven Teachers Coll., Meridian, Miss.; D. D. S. Meharry Med. Coll., 1918; Dentist 1918-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Chicago Dental Soc.; Am. Dental Assn.; Thirteen Club of Chicago; Omega Psi Phi; Masons; Knight Templers; Pol. Republican; Relig.

Methodist; Address, 5052 Indiana Ave.; Residence, 5943 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.

CAIN, HARRISON HILLIARD—Y. M. C. A. Secretary.

b. Jan. 18, 1889, Charleston, South Carolina; s. Edward Israel and Elizabeth (Bryant) Cain; m. Leola E. Buggs, Oct. 20, 1920; educ. Selden Inst., Brunswick, Ga., 1903-11; Lincoln Univ., 1911-15; A.B., 1915; Executive Sec., Y.M.C.A., Germantown, Phila., Pa., 1923-present; mem. N. A. A. C. P. (local Branch), Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Independent Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 132 W. Rittenhouse St.; Residence, 463 W. Coulter St., Germantown, Phila., Pa.

CALDWELL, JOSIAH S.—Bishop.

— See 4th Edition.

Died. April 5, 1935.

CALDWELL, JULIAN C.—Author-Clergyman-Editor.

b. Nov. 1, 1870, Chapel Hill, North C.; s. John and Mary Caldwell; m. Hattie M. Bell, Oct. 9, 1900 (deceased); second marriage, Mrs. Laura Polk Smith, Dec. 16, 1923; educ. Manual Training High Sch., Phila., Penn.; National Sch. of Oratory, Phila., Penn.; Wilberforce Univ., A.B. 1893, A.M. 1896, B.D. 1896, Wilberforce Univ.; D.D. Payne Theological Sem., 1908; auth. "Bible Manual," "Socials to Uplift," Pastor, Jefferson City, Mo., 1896-98; Springfield, Mo., 1898-1900; Lexington, Mo., 1901-02; Independence, Mo., 1903; St. Joseph, Mo., 1904-08; Pastor, Quinn Chapel, Louisville, Ky., 1928-32; General Sec., Allen C. E. League, 1908-20; Presiding Elder, 1920-24; Editor, Sunday Sch. Literature of the A. M. E. Church, 1924-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; life member of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, International Council of Religious Education; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Address, 1720 Scovel St., Nashville, Tenn.

CALIVER, AMBROSE—U. S. Education Specialist.

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with insurgents.

He was commissioned a 1st Lieut. in the World War, with Company I, 368th Infantry. He displayed extraordinary heroism in action near Binarville, France, rescuing a wounded runner across an open field swept by heavy enemy machine gun and shell fire. For this bravery he was promoted on the battle field to the grade of Captain, and received the Distinguished Service Cross and two Croix de Guerres. During this engagement he maintained an efficient liaison service within the Battalion at a great personal risk. Served as Adjutant, Liaison and Munitions Officer, 3rd Battalion, 368th Infantry, 92d Div.

He was detailed under War Dept. Special Order a Professor of Military Science and Tactics at A. and T. College, Greensboro, N. C., in 1919, and A. and M. Coll., Huntsville, Ala.

A Bronze Medal was presented to him for a model locomotive which he built and which was on display at the Atlanta Exposition, Atlanta, Ga., in 1895. He also invented a valve gear for a steam engine and has the patent rights, and holds U. S. Civil Service rating of 89.2 as a steam-electric-engineer.

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he could replace them. The Literary Digest and many of the leading daily newspapers throughout the country have had accounts of his remarkable feats.

He has done much for the advancement of the Race in Knoxville, helping to secure increased school facilities, playgrounds and libraries. A tablet in the beautiful Carnegie Library, in Knoxville, bears this inscription: "This tablet is erected by the City Commissioners of Knoxville in recognition of the faithful efforts of Charles W. Cansler, who first conceived the idea of this Library for his Race, and who helped materially in securing it."

Another honor conferred by the City of Knoxville was the naming of one of the leading streets of that city for his family.

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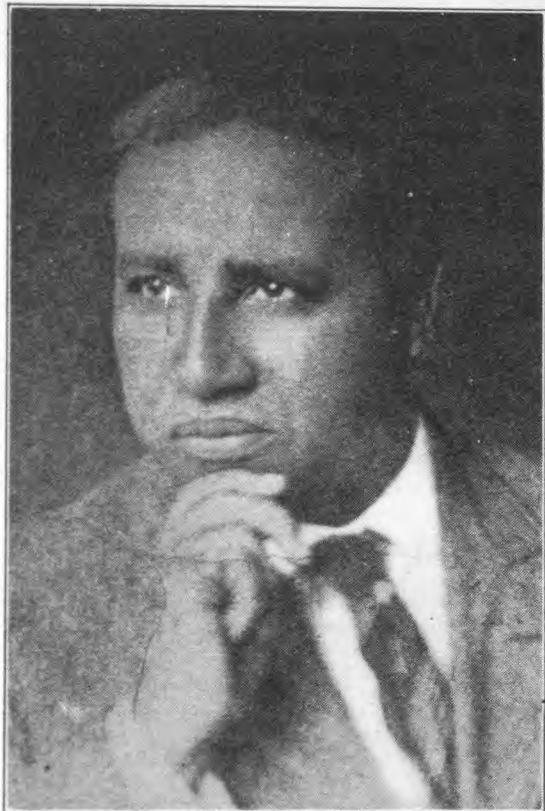
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b. Dec. 31, 1876, Washington, D. C.; s. Robert Howard and Henrietta (Wilson) Carroll; educ. Washington Public Sch., Washington, D. C.; M. Th., The American Univ., Chicago, Ill., 1911; Physician, 1911-present; Attending Physician, special cases, Freedman's Hospital, Washington, D. C.; Engineer, Engineering Division, District Supreme Court, 3 years; Resident Physician, for Justice W. H. Moody, of Haverhill, Mass., 1914-17; Clerk, Register Division, Postoffice, Washington, D. C., 1917; First Lt., First Separate Battalion, D. C. N. G.; Property Clerk, Gun Division, Ordinance Dept., Washington, D. C., three months war duty; mem. Howard Park Citizen's Assn.; Parent-Teachers Assn. of Garnet-Patterson School; Mason; Odd Fellows; Bancker Research Assn.; Asst. Sec. and Board of Stewards, Ashbur M.E. Church; Address, 510 T St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

CARROLL, SEYMOUR—Field Secretary—b. Feb. 14, 1894, Orangeburg County, S. C.; s. (Rev.)

Richard and Mary (Sims) Carroll; m. Bessie May Burley, June 24, 1930; educ. Benedict Coll., Columbia, S. C.; State Agricultural and Mechanical Coll. of S. C., Orangeburg, S. C.; Morris Coll., Sumter, S. C., graduated in 1918; Field Sec., Am. Humane Education Society, 1925-present; mem. K. of P., Good Samaritan of S. C.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 913 Oak St., Columbia, S. C.

Following his discharge from the army, he was appointed by the Southern division of the American Red Cross as an Assistant Associate Field Director of the hospital field service, and was stationed at the Base Hospital at Camp Jackson. Later Mr. Carroll was transferred to the U. S. General Hospital No. 42.

He was again transferred to U. S. Veterans

Hospital No. 26, Greenville S. C., where he served for four years.

He was a member of the speaker's bureau during the "Red Cross Roll Call" in 1919 and 1924.

Was appointed by the late President of the U. S., Warren G. Harding, as a member of the "Committee of 100 distinguished Citizens on the Near East Relief." He was the only colored member of the committee.

Appointed by Governor I. C. Blackwood and re-appointed by Governor John G. Richards as chairman of the South Carolina Natural Resources Commission. Editor, the Atlantic News Service, founder the Brookgreen Welfare Conference, Brookgreen Gardens, South Carolina.

CARROLL, W. H.—Clergyman.

b. Jan. 15, 1863, Palmer Springs, Va.; s. James A. and Maria (Jefferson) Carroll; m. Annie D. McNeill, April 10, 1905; educ. J. C. Smith Univ., 1892-96; A.B., 1896; Theology, 1896-99; A.M., 1904; Founder and Editor, Garvin Pioneer, 1908-12; Supt., Alice Lee Elliott Academy, Valliant, Okla., 1912-19; Supt., Monticello Academy, Monticello, Ark., 1919-present; Address, R 3, Box 3, Monticello, Ark.

CARSON, SIMEON L.—Surgeon.

b. Jan. 16, 1882, Marion, N. C.; s. Martin and Harriet Carson; m. Carol H. Carson, June, 21, 1905; two children, Carol G., b. Aug. 18, 1907; Simeon C., b. Aug. 18, 1907; educ. M. D. Univ. of Mich., 1903; Surgeon, 1903-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Med. Chir. Soc. of the Dist. of Columbia, Boule, Alpha Phi Alpha; Chi Delta Mu; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Residence, 1913 3rd St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Founded, owns and conducts a private hospital since Sept. 1, 1919. Was Asst. Surgeon at Freedman's Hospital from 1908 to 1918. Government Physician to Indians at Lower Brule, S. D., from 1903 to 1908.

CARTER, EDWARD ALBERT—Physician-Surgeon.

b. Apr. 11, 1882, Charlottesville, Va.; s. Charles Nelson and Patsy (Flannagan) Carter; m. Rose Etta Warren, June 30, 1908; three children, Marion, b. March 15, 1913; Edward Albert, Jr., b. Sept. 23, 1914 (deceased); Marjorie, b. July 17, 1919; educ. Oskaloosa, Ia., High Sch., 1899; B.Ph., Coll. of Liberal Arts, Univ. of Iowa, 1903; Coll. of Med., Univ. of Iowa, M.D., 1907; Physician and Surgeon, 1907-present; Local Surgeon, C. and N. W. Ry., 1907-19; Surgeon, Consolidation Coal Co., Buxton, Ia., 1907-19; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; A.M.A.; Wayne Co. Med. Soc.; Bd. Management, Y.M.C.A.; Mayor's Interracial Committee; Metropolitan Physical Committee; Masons; Wolverine Lodge of Elks, No. 72; Kappa Alpha Psi.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 911 Gratiot St.; Residence, 620 Chandler St., Detroit, Mich.

He was the first Negro to enter and graduate from the Medical College of the University of Iowa, where, for the entire eight years he worked his way as porter, bellboy, and waiter, earning sufficient money to meet his expenses. His Medical and State Board record was the highest in a class of fifty-five.

CARTER, EDWARD RANDOLPH—Clergyman.

b. March 15, 1858, Athens, Ga.; s. Thomas and Sybil Carter, m. Obelia Cecile, Oct. 6, 1876; four children, Raymond H.; James; Ernest; Lola; educ. D.D. Atlantic Baptist Coll. (Now Morehouse Coll.), 1884; Clergyman 1877-present; Founder, Carter Home for Old Colored People of Atlanta; Editor, Baptist International Sunday School Lesson Reflections; Vice-Pres., International Sunday Sch. Convention for Colored People, 5 years; Chairman, Trustees of the Baptist Theol. Seminary, Nashville, Tenn.; Sec., Bd. Trustees Morehouse Coll.; auth. "Black Side of Atlanta"; mem. Y.M.C.A.; Georgia Bd. of Missions; State Baptist Convention; Ex-Pres., Baptist Bd. Convention, State of Georgia; International Council of Religious Education; Uniform Lessons Committee; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, Friendship Baptist Church; Residence, 525 Tatnal St., S. W., Atlanta, Ga.

CARTER, ELMER ANDERSON—Editor.

b. July 19, 1890, Rochester, N. Y.; s. George Cook and Florence (Lucretia) Carter; m. Thelma Charles Johnson, June 7, 1927; educ. Pubic Sch., Auburn, N. Y. and Harvard Univ.; Executive Sec., Columbus Urban League 1919-; Exec. Sec., Urban League, Louisville, Ky., 1920-23; Exec. Sec., St. Paul and Minneapolis Urban League, 1923-28; Editor, Opportunity, 1928-38; on leave; mem. Unemployment Insurance Appeal Board, State of New York; Alpha Phi Alpha; Negro Actors' Guild of America; contributor to Women's Press; American Academy of Political and Social Science; The Listener, Pub. of Great Britain Broadcasting Co., Survey Graphic; Pol. Independent Democrat; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 1133 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

CARTER, MRS. EZELLA MATHIS—Hair Culturist. — See 4th Edition.

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CARTER, JAMES EDWARD—Dentist.

b. April 10, 1875, Gracewood, Ga.; s. Henry and Channie (Worthy) Carter; m. Emma E. Barnett, Nov. 23, 1898; three children, Mrs. Ethel Carter Robinson; Theodore (deceased); James Edward, Jr.; educ. Paine Coll., Augusta, Ga., 1900; Dentist, 1900-present; Deacon, Thankful Baptist Church, 1917-present; mem. Masons; Shriners; Templars; National Medical Assn.; Georgia State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; George Stoney Medical Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1241 Twelfth Street; Residence, 2347 Fitten St., Augusta, Ga.

CARTER, JAMES THOMAS—Lawyer-Banker-Insurance Company President.

b. February 13, 1874, Richmond, Va.; s. William Henry and Elsie (Russell) Carter; m. Mary Elizabeth Harper, Nov. 29, 1900; one child, Jas.

T. Carter, Jr., b. Jan. 6, 1905 (deceased); educ. Pub. Sch., Richmond, Va.; Business course under private instructors; studied law first by correspondence and for about 3½ years under guidance of lawyer; Stenographer, Typist, and Bookkeeper over 20 years with one concern; Passed Bar examination, Va., 1916; Lawyer, 1916-present; General Counsel, Southern Aid Society of Virginia, Inc., 1916-present; President, Southern Aid Society of Virginia, Inc.; Vice-Pres. and Director, Consolidated Bank & Trust Co., 1931-present; Grand Treas., Elks, 1913-28; mem. Masons; Phi Beta Sigma; N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Y.M.C.A.; Relig. Baptist; Address, Southern Aid Building; Residence, 515 St. James St., Richmond, Va.

He attended the public schools in Richmond, but due to financial reverses of his parents he had to leave before graduation. Obtained employment at 16 in a leading white law firm, as janitor and office boy. While thus employed, took a business course, specializing in shorthand, typewriting and bookkeeping. He was soon given the position of stenographer, typist and bookkeeper for this same firm, serving it in these capacities for more than twenty years. On taking the Bar Examination in 1916, out of a class of 59, of which only 27 successfully passed, he was one of the only 6 making more than the passing percentage on all subjects at the first trial and was commended as one of the honor men.

CARTER, RANDALL ALBERT—Bishop.

b. Jan. 1, 1867, Ft. Valley, Ga.; s. Tobias and Grace (Chivers) Carter; m. Janie Sarah Hooks, Apr. 22, 1891; one child, Mrs. Grace Cottrell (Carter) Cole, b. Feb. 26, 1899; educ. Paine Coll., Augusta, Ga., 1887-91; A.B., Paine Coll., 1891; A.M., 1900; D.D., 1901; Ordained in Colored M. E. Church, 1887; Pastor, Butler Street Station, Atlanta, Ga., 1892; Barnsville, Ga., 1893-94; Presiding Elder, 1894-98; Sec., Epworth League, 1898-1903; Presiding Elder, 1903-14; Bishop since May, 1914; auth. "Morning Meditations and Other Selections" (sermons and addresses), Foote & Davies Co., 1917; "Feeding Among the Lilies" (sermons and addresses), Caxton Press, 1923; "Canned Laughter" (anecdotes), Caxton Press, 1923; mem. Masons; Assn. for the Study of Negro Life and History; Pol. Republican; Relig. Colored M. E. Church; Address, 4408 Vincennes Ave., Chicago, Ill.

CARTER, WILLIAM—Physician.

b. Sept. 4, 1870, Memphis, Tenn.; s. Jesse C. and Sallie Washington (Cain) Carter; m. Ezella Mathis (deceased), Sept. 22, 1909; educ. Baptist Bible and Normal Sch., Memphis, Tenn., 1893; M.D., National Medical Univ., Chicago, Ill., 1904; Interne, National Medical and Emergency Hospital, 1905; Physician, 1905-present; mem. K. of P.; U. B. F.; N. A. A. C. P.; National Med. Assn.; Chicago, Medical Soc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 309 E. 47th St.; Residence, 4558 S. Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill.

CARTER, WILLIAM JUSTIN—Lawyer.

b. May 28, 1866, Richmond, Va.; s. Edmund and Elizabeth (Reeves) Carter; m. Elizabeth M.



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WILLIAM JUSTIN CARTER, LL.B.



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WILLIAM P. CARRINGTON



Allen, Feb. 17, 1894; three children, Harlan Allen, b. Nov. 25, 1894; William Justin Carter, Jr., b. Oct. 15, 1896; Thaddeus Stevens, b. Sept. 5, 1903; educ. Va. Normal and Coll. Inst., Petersburg, Va., 1883-84; Howard Univ., Elective, 1886-90; law, 1890-92; LL.B., 1892; Asst. Principal, Pub. Sch., Annapolis, Md., 1892-94; Lawyer, Harrisburg, Pa., July, 1894-present; mem. Chosen Friends Lodge, No. 43, F. & A. M.; St. James Commandery, Knight Templar, No. 18; Relig. Presbyterian; Pol. Republican; Office, 221 Market St.; Residence, 1831 Market St., Harrisburg, Penn.

Was Asst. District Attorney for Dauphin County Jan., 1893. He was President of Howard University General Alumni Assn. from June, 1923 to June, 1925, and since 1927 he has been an Alumni Trustee of Howard University. He was Secretary to Lieut. Governor Edward E. Beidleman from Feb., 1920 to Jan., 1923.

CARTER, W. PERCY—Physician.

b. February 14, 1878; s. Pleasant H. and Annie Louise (Brooks) Carter; m. Margaret Lee Millner (deceased), June 27, 1910; four children, Wilmoth Annette; Althea Louise; Marguerite Elizabeth; W. Percy, Jr.; educ. Washington High Sch., Reidsville, N. C.; Boardman High Sch., New Haven, Conn.; A. and T. College, Greensboro, N. C., 1903; M.D., Shaw University, Leonard Medical College, Raleigh, N. C., 1909; Interne Leonard Med. Coll., Raleigh, N. C., 1910; Physician, 1910-present; Medical Examiner, North Carolina Mutual Life Ins. Co., 1921-24; Medical Examiner, Standard Life Ins. Co., Atlanta, Ga., 1921-24; Director, True Reformer Society, 1930-32; Past Master, Masons; Past Chancellor, K. of P.; Past Noble Grand, Odd Fellows; Sec., Anti-Tuberculosis League, 1911-12; Past High Priest, Royal Arch Masons; Sec., Elks, 1916-17; Sec., Negro Division, Parks and Recreation, City of Charlotte; Sec. and Treas., Charlotte Medical Soc., 1930-31; mem. National Medical Assn.; North State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 417½ E. Second St.; Residence 126 Martin St., Charlotte, N. C.

CARTWRIGHT, WADE C.—Clergyman.

b. Feb. 2, 1880, Atlanta, Tex., s. Rev. Randal and Rosa (Powell) Cartwright; second marriage, Cleone Smitherman, Feb. 2, 1935; one child, Charles Cartwright, b. June 6, 1909; educ. Lincoln Univ., Lit., Jefferson City, Mo.; D.D., Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga.; 1915; Valedictorian of his class; Clergyman, 1912-present; Pastor, Deans Chapel, Muskogee, Okla., 1912-13; Pastor, Bethesda Baptist Church, Americus, Ga., 18 months; Theo. Chair, Americus Inst., Americus, Ga., 18 months; Pastor, Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, succeeding his father, Parsons, Kans., one and one-half years; Pastor Abenezzer Baptist Church, Athison, Kans., five years; Pastor, Compton Hill Baptist Church, St. Louis, Mo., 5 years; Pastor, Baptist Church, Phoenix, Ariz., Pastor, Baptist Church, Berkeley, Cal., 5 years; Pastor, Calvary Baptist Church, Coffeyville, Kans.; Pastor, New Hope Baptist Church, Wichita, Kans., Recording Sec., Missionary Baptist Convention of Kansas; re-elected Recording Sec.; Chairman, Political Committee, Square Deal Assn; mem. Mason; Pol. Republican; Relig.

Baptist; Address, 1001 Ohio St., Residence, 1237 Indiana Ave., Wichita, Kans.

His father was a Missionary Baptist Clergyman before him. He has an exceptional record as a Church builder starting the erection of a big Church in Parsons, Kans. He built a very fine Church in Atchison, Kans., raising the money and paying for same. He is now building a very fine Church in Wichita, where he is completing his sixth Church.

CARVER, GEORGE WASHINGTON—Educator

b. about 1864, near Diamond Grove, Missouri; s. Moses and Mary Carver; educ. Self-taught until ten years of age; studied while employed at Fort Scott, Kans.; High School, Minneapolis, Kans.; B.S. Agr., Iowa Agr. State Coll., Agr. and Mechanical Arts, 1894; M.S. Agr., 1896; Ph.D. Simpson College, Iowa, 1928; elected Member of Faculty, Iowa State Coll. of Agr. and Mechanics, in charge of Bacterial Laboratory Work in Systematic Botany; Teacher, Tuskegee Inst., since 1896; in Charge of Dept. of Research; Fellow of the Royal Society of Great Britain; Spingarn Medalist, 1922; Address, Tuskegee Inst., Ala.

Born of slave parents, he was carried away with his mother by a band of raiders in the last year of the Civil War. His master sent a rescuing party to buy their release, but when the searchers located them, Mary Carver, the mother, had disappeared and was never again heard from. George Washington was found ill with whooping cough and was brought back to Mr. Carver, his mother's master, who raised him.

His early education was obtained from a spelling book, until he was ten years of age. He then was able to attend a rural school for one year, working on neighboring farms meantime.

He made his way to Fort Scott, Kansas, and for nine years worked as a domestic servant, studying when he could and saving what money he was able to put aside after sustaining himself. He entered High School in Minneapolis, Kansas, and completed the courses. For three years he managed a laundry and accumulated sufficient money to pay his expenses in Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa, where he took literary work, art and music. Later entered Iowa State College, working his way by doing all sorts of work, whatever he could get to do.

Taking his Bachelor's and Master's degrees, he was graduated and placed in charge of a greenhouse, the bacteriological laboratory and the department of systematic botany.

While a member of the Faculty at the Iowa State College, he came to the attention of Booker T. Washington, who asked him to join his work at Tuskegee.

He took charge of the Chemical department in Agriculture and built it up to national renown.

He appeared before the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives in Washington, which was considering the imposition of a tariff on peanuts and spoke for forty-five minutes although the time limit for all speakers was five minutes, on the possibilities and use of this nut. He told the Committee of Congress of the one hundred and sixty-five products which had been created from it by him.

His research has discovered over a hundred products from the sweet potato, sixty articles of value from the pecan, in addition to the products from the peanut. He has extracted dyes from the Southern dyes.

He was made a Fellow of the Royal Society of Great Britain for his contribution to Science and in 1922 was presented with the Spingarn Medal for the most distinguished service by an American Negro of that year.

He was given the Roosevelt award for the outstanding achievement in the field of science. No American deserved the award more than the sage of the South, and the committee which selected him must be praised for so doing.

CARY, MRS. ALICE DUGGED—Librarian.

b. New London, Indiana; d. John Richmond and Josie A. (Gilliam) Dugged; m. Jefferson Alexander Cary, June 15, 1888; educ. High Sch., Marshall, Mich.; Wilberforce Univ., 1881; Chicago Univ.; Harvard Summer Sch.; Detroit Sch. of Expression, Detroit, Mich.; M.Pd., Wilberforce; A.M. Morris Brown Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; Taught in Public Sch., Kansas City, Kansas, one year; First Asst., Lincoln High Sch., Kansas City, Mo., four years; Prin. Public Sch., Atlanta, Ga., seven years; Instructor, Summer Schools of Georgia, eighteen summers, under State Sch. Commissioners; Director, Summer Playgrounds, Atlanta, Ga., seven summers; First Principal of Morris Brown Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1886; Chair of Education, Morris Brown Univ., four years; Chair of English, Morris Brown Univ., Ga., 1921; Professor Emeritus, Morris Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; President, Ga. Federation Colored Women's Clubs, eight years; Statistician, National Federation Colored Women's Clubs, four years; Auditor, two years V.W.C.A. Board, Atlanta, Ga., six years; Pres., Women's Home and Foreign Mission Society for North Ga.; Pres., State Temperance Union, two years; President Associate, Nat. Zeta Phi Beta Sorority; Pres., Epsilon Zeta Chapter, Zeta Phi Beta, Atlanta, Ga., 1925-26; Conference, A.M.E. Church, fourteen years; Pol. Republican; Religion, A.M.E. Church; Address, Morris Brown University, Atlanta, Ga.

For several years she engaged in civic work among her people enlisting the aid of influential club women of the white race and established Kindergartens and day nurseries for the

children, and better homes and living conditions for all. She secured playgrounds and was director seven years. Twelve years, consecutively she gave a sumptuous Christmas dinner at Bethel Church for those who might have otherwise been overlooked. As Probation Officer, she had many youthful offenders pardoned and was instrumental in having a modern Industrial School (Reformatory) built in Fulton County. She also placed children in good homes.

During the World War she was captain of the Canteen in Atlanta and head of the Red Cross. The last year of the war the U. S. Labor Department employed her as Traveling Advisor in Georgia. Since 1921 she has been Head Librarian of the Auburn Avenue Branch, Carnegie Library, Atlanta, Georgia.

CARY, JAMES L.—College Professor.

b. June 9, 1874, Thornton, Holmes County, Miss.; s. David and Julia (Bowers) Cary; m. Sallie Bonham, Sept. 7, 1905; five children, Clara Estella, b. Aug. 27, 1906; Lillian Hazel, b. Feb. 21, 1909; J. Leonard, b. Aug. 11, 1910; Edwin Lawrence, b. Sept. 4, 1914; Samuel Everett, b. Sept. 4, 1914; educ. Alcorn A. & M. Coll., Rodney, Miss., 1894-96; Knoxville Coll., Knoxville, Tenn., 1898-1904; A.B. 1904; Divinity Sch., 1909; A.B. Indiana Univ., 1918; M.A. Northwestern Univ., 1925; Taught Sch., Holmes Co., Miss., 1904-11; Head English Dept., Knoxville Coll., Knoxville, Tenn., 1915-present; Organized Student Inter-Racial Comm., East Tennessee; Pres., N. A. A. C. P. (local branch); member of State Inter-Racial Committee; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Knoxville College; Residence, 1665 College St., Knoxville, Tenn.

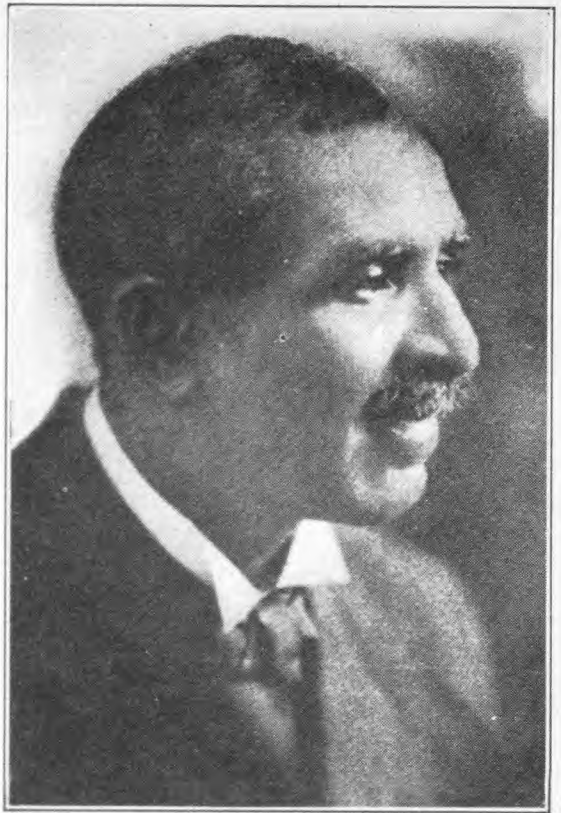
CASH, MRS. CHRISTINE BENTON—Training School Principal.

b. Aug. 9, 1889, Jefferson, Texas; d. James and Kizziah Lugenia (Dotson) Benton; m. Larrie Brown Cash, October 4, 1909; educ. Jefferson, Tex., 1898-1902; Bishop Coll., 1902-06; Hampton Inst., summers of 1919-1922-1923; Bishop Coll., 1925-26; B.A. Bishop Coll., 1926; Teacher, Pub. Sch. of Texas, 1906-present; Founder and Principal, (Camp County) Center Point Training School, Pittsburg, Texas, 1910-present; mem. Heroines of Jericho; Courts of Calanthe; Statistical Sec., Baptist Women's Missionary and Education Convention of Texas; Recording Sec., Northeast Texas Baptist Women's Convention; mem. Trustee Board, Bishop College, Marshall, Texas; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Pittsburg, Texas.

At the age of sixteen she was first Honor Graduate of both the Academic and Normal Courses of Bishop College. For five years she was a teacher of one-room rural schools. She founded the Center Point Training School, Pittsburg, Texas, and has been the Principal ever since. Seventeen years ago the value of the school plant was \$50.00. Today the value of the plant, equipment, etc., is about \$15,000. The personnel of the student body represents seven counties in Northeast Texas.



Christine B. Cash, A.B.



GEORGE W. CARVER, B.S.AGR., M.S.AGR.



MRS. ALICE DUGGED CARY, M.Pd., A.M.



Robert R. Church

CASSELLE, WALTER H.—Funeral Director.

b. Aug. 31, 1882, Washington, D. C.; s. Benjamin and Annie Casselle; m. Bessie, Jan., 1925; eight children; educ. Philadelphia Grammar School; Funeral Director, 1904-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Elks; Phila. Chamber of Commerce; South Phila. Business Men's Assn.; Benevolent Board, Cherry Memorial Baptist Church; Trustee, Uplift School for Boys; Nat. Funeral Directors Assn.; Magistrates Assn. of Phila.; I. O. of St. Luke's, Loyal Order of Haminites; Southern League Camp, No. 29, Sons of Veterans; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address 5811 Haverford Ave., Philadelphia, Penna.

CHAMBERS, FRANK L.—Dentist.

b. Mar. 27, 1869, Staunton, Va.; s. Oscar and Margaret (Davis) Chambers; two children, Frank L., Jr., b. Oct. 2, 1911; Loraine M., b. Dec. 3, 1892; educ. Coll. of City of N. Y., 1889-92; Columbia Univ., Med. Dept., 3 years; Ph.G., Coll. of Pharmacy, N. Y., 1895; D.D.S., Coll. of Dental and Oral Surgery, N. Y., 1909; Pharmacist, 1895-1909; Dentist, 1909-present; Instructor, Coll. of Dental and Oral Surg., 1907-21, Head Examiner, ten years; mem. Zeta Chapter, Sigma Pi Phi (Boule); Epsilon Sigma Chapter, Phi Beta Sigma; Masons; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Office, 1871 Seventh Ave., New York City, N. Y.; Residence, 121 S. Ninth Ave., Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

CHAPMAN, J. H.—School Principal.

b. Apr. 29, 1891, Pelzer, S. C.; s. Alexander and Dora (Marshall) Chapman; m. Beatrice R. Washington, June 11, 1930; educ. Seneca Inst., 1912; Morris Coll., 1915; B.S., State Coll., Orangeburg, S. C., Smith Hughes and Pre-Medical Courses, 1917; Principal, Chapman Grove Sch., Pelzer, S. C., 1921-present; Educational Dept., U. S. Army; volunteered Red Cross, during Flu Epidemic; mem. B.Y.P.U.; State Teachers Assn.; Parent-Teachers Assn.; Unity Friends of South Carolina; M.J.R.C.A.B. Soc.; Masons; Relig. Baptist; Address, R. F. D. 2, Box 40, Pelzer, S. C.

Without any land and without one penny to start with he succeeded in getting over two hundred acres of land, a school building, a building for high school, a vocational building, a brick veneer building for teachers, the first in the State.

CHAPMAN, WILLIAM PENN.—Clergyman.

b. Jan. 9, 1873, Montgomery, Ala.; s. George William and Anna (McKeever) Chapman; m. Martha Washington, Nov. 23, 1910; educ. Mt. Meigs Inst., Mt. Meigs, Ala.; Litt.B., Berea Coll., Berea, Ky., 1903; State Univ., Lansing Mich., 1904; Cincinnati Univ., Cincinnati, O.; Clergyman, 1907-present; Pastor, Second Baptist Church, Hamilton, O., 1907-08; Pastor First Baptist Church, Camp Dennison, O., 1909-10; Pastor, Second Baptist Church, Madisonville, O., 1911-13; Pastor, Pleasant Green Baptist Church, Portsmouth, O., 1914-16; Principal, Hamilton Co. Public Sch., 1917-20; Organizer, Ramah Baptist Church and Community Center; Organizer, Negro Newsboys Club, Cincinnati, O., 1931-present; Critic, Ministers Conference, Cincinnati, O.; mem. Ministers Alliance; National Baptist Convention of Amer.; Baptist General Assn. of Ohio; Western Union Baptist Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 518 W. 9th St., Cincinnati, O.

The Negro Newsboy Club, which he organized and of which he is the Superintendent, has for its purpose a place where the newsboys and their friends can meet, and where their betterments can be discussed and carried out. It is educational, cultural, table games, athletics, religious, etc.

CHARLTON, EMILY C.—Podiatrist.

b. New York, N. Y.; d. Paul L. and Anna Eva (Campbell) Charlton; educ. Pub. Sch., No. 48, New York City; attended Manual Training Sch.; graduate of Brooklyn High School; studied at Y.W.C.A., Brooklyn, and at College of City of New York; graduate from First Institute of Podiatry, 1920; M. Cp., 1920; Podiatrist, 1920-present; mem. ex-Vice-Pres., Treas. and Sec. of New York County Podic Society; Treas., Woman's Charity Club, Inc., of Brooklyn; Committee Woman, Kings County Republican Party; Women's Auxiliaries to Clubmen's and Coachmen's Beneficial Leagues; Pi Delta Mu Sorority; Pol. Republican; Relig. Protestant Episcopal Church; Address, 405 Cumberland St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

She graduated from Brooklyn High School and was the only one among 800 students to receive a twelve-count diploma.

She has the distinction of being the first and only colored woman honor graduate from the First Institute of Podiatry receiving 99% in Physiology.

CHARLTON, MELVILLE—Musician.

b. Aug. 26, 1880, New York, N. Y.; s. Paul L. and Eva (Campbell) Charlton; educ. studied piano under Mrs. Virginia Hunt Scott, later under E. B. Kinney (a Dvorak pupil), Organ and composition under Charles Heinroth at Nat. Conservatory of Music of Am., musical history under Henry T. Finck; College of the City of New York; Mus.D. conferred by Howard University, June, 1924; Passed examination of the American Guild of Organists, conducted by Horatio Parker of Yale University; Organist and Muscal Director of Jewish Temple of Covenant, 1914-24; Organist of the Jewish Temple, Hand in Hand; Organist of Union Theological Seminary, New York City, 1911-present; composer, "Poeme Erotique" for the piano, G. Schirmer, N. Y., 1911; Mem. Associate member of American Guild of Organists; Address, 405 Cumberland St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

In competitive examinations at the National Conservatory of Music of America, Dr. Charlton won a free scholarship in that Institution. He was the first Negro to pass the academic examination of the American Guild of Organists.

Howard conferred the Honorary degree of Doctor of Music on June 6, 1924.

He has the Distinction of being the Organist of the Religious School of Union Theological Seminary, the leading Seminary (white) in America, and has held that Chair since 1911.

He conducted the grand operas, "Il Trovatore" and "Martha" in the Grand Ball-room

of the Waldorf-Astoria, New York City, for the Verdi Club, April 9, 1919.

CHARLTON, JOHN H.—Clergyman.

b. Sept. 11, 1895, Summerton, S. C.; s. Rev. William and Henrietta (Scott) Charlton; m. Miss Yanekee, Nov. 10, 1915; two children, Fannie, (stepchild), b. July 10, 1912; Henrietta, b. Aug. 22, 1918; educ. Public Schools; Organizer and Pastor, First Baptist Holiness Church, BuckSPORT, S. C., 1925-27; Pastor, Baptist Holiness Church, Marion, S. C., 1927-present; mem. K. of P.; Relig. Holiness Baptist; Address, Conway, S. C.

CHEEKS, EUGENE FRANCIS—Editor.

b. Nov. 5, 1897, Abingdon, Va.; s. James R. Laura N. (Fowler) Cheeks; educ. Bolton Sch., 1916; Central High Sch., 1920; Western Reserve Univ., 1924-28; Owner and Manager Cheeks Print Shop, 1918-29; Editor, Cleveland Call and Post, 1929-31; Publisher, National Guide, monthly tabloid paper, later merged with Cleveland Call and Post, 1929; Editor and Publisher, Cleveland Guide, Cleveland, Ohio, 1931-present; awarded Honorary mem. Eugene Fields Soc.; auth. "Modern Proverbs"; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Methodist; Address, Cleveland Guide, 2279 E. 90th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

CHENEY, PERRY WADSWORTH—Physician

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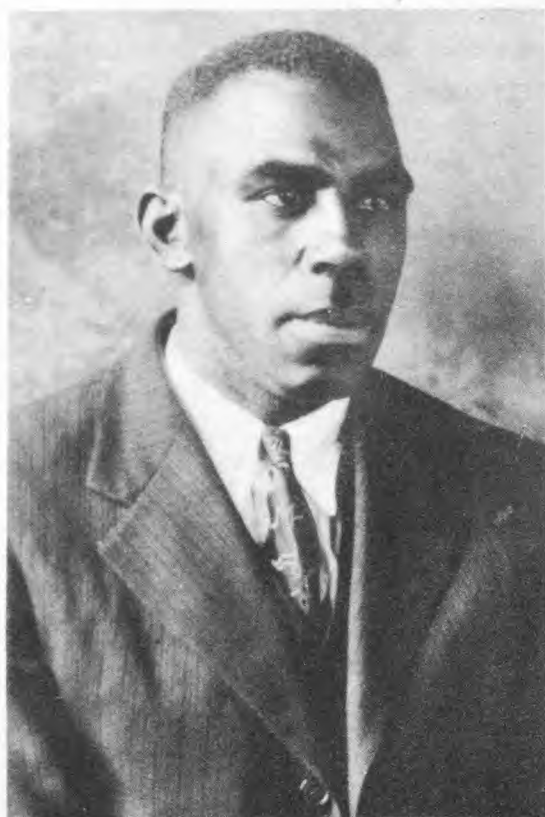
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He was chosen delegate from Tennessee to the Republican National Convention of 1912, 1916, 1920 and 1924. During the presidential campaign of 1920, Mr. Church had full charge of the Party's activities with regard to the colored electorate. And during the Coolidge campaign of 1924, he was a member of the advisory committee.

In 1922 he was requested by Secretary of State Hughes to go on a special mission to Haiti to study Industrial and Business Conditions, and make recommendations to State Department. Declined this appointment.

In 1924 he was appointed by President Coolidge as Chairman of Commission to study conditions in The Virgin Islands. Declined this appointment.

Mr. Church was selected as a member of the Board of Directors of the Roosevelt Memorial Association.

CHURN, C. H.—Clergyman.

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trict Superintendent, Washington, D. C., 1919-20; elected Bishop, 1920, and assigned to Monrovia, Liberia; General Conference, M.E. Church, 1904, 1916, 1920; Board of Educ. Republic of Liberia, appointed by President C. D. B. King; Trustee of Morgan College; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Address, Monrovia, Liberia.

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He has arranged and published many compositions. He also has made several studies of the status of music in the Negro Schools and Colleges, and at present is interested in rural music development. He organized The Burleigh Philharmonic Society at Fort Valley in 1936. The boys' glee club, under his direction, made a movie short in 1937, with President Roosevelt, for the Universal Newsreel at Warm Springs, Ga. A state wide Negro Folk Festival was organized by him and which is held at Fort

Valley State College each year. He has won wide acclaim as a conductor. He composed a Cantata, "The Prodigal Son in Babylon," from Weldon Johnson's "God's Trombones" for chorus and low voice.

CLARK, JOHN FRANCIS JAMES—High School Principal.

b. Oct. 16, 1880, Vinton, Ohio; s. Benjamin Franklin and Lucv Ann Clark; m. Sarah Brown, October 7, 1908 (deceased); second marriage, Hattie Elizabeth Peters, Dec. 25, 1916; three children, Lucille Elizabeth, b. Jan. 1, 1921; John Francis, b. Dec. 8, 1923; Harriet Mae, b. July 7, 1925; educ. Ohio Univ., 1902-06; Univ. of Chicago, 1910-19; (Spring and Summer sessions), 1910-19; A.B. 1919; Harvard Univ. (summer terms), 1920-24; Master of Ed. 1925; Teacher, Grade and High Sch., Charleston, W. Va., 1900-08; Principal, Garnett High Sch., Charleston, W. Va., 1908-present; Pres., West Virginia Teachers' Assn., 1918-20; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha, Alpha Zeta Chapter; K. of P., Capitol City Lodge No. 1; Masons; Wash. Lodge No. 60; Organizer and Pres., Co-operative Realty Co., 1920-present; Charleston Civic Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Garnett High Sch.; Residence, 1690 Washington St., Charleston, W. Va.

When he was made principal of Garnett High School, it was an unclassified school of about fifty pupils. It is now a first-class high school of five hundred pupils, the largest in West Virginia for Negro children.

In 1922 he organized the Charleston Civic Club. This club has been instrumental in bringing about better Inter-Racial relations, Negro representation in the various departments of the city where the colored population is large, and various civic improvements.

CLARK, JOHN THOMAS—Executive Secretary. Urban League.

b. July 21, 1883, Louisville, Ky.; s. John Richard and Sallie A. (Cutter) Clark; m. Patricia Ferguson, March 26, 1917; two children, Marion, b. July 20, 1918; John Thomas, Jr., b. May 18, 1921; educ. Ohio State Univ., 1901-06; A.B. Ohio State Univ., 1906; Contr. Articles, "Housing and Living Conditions among Negroes in Harlem," 1915; Instructor Central High Sch., Louisville, Ky., 1907-13; Housing and Housing Sec. in N. Y., 1913-16; Field Sec. of Nat. Urban League, 1916-17; Executive Sec. Urban League of Pittsburgh, 1917-26; Executive Sec. Urban League, St. Louis, 1926-present; 3d Vice Pres., Nat. Conference of Social Work; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Y.M.C.A.; Y.W.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Am. Soc. Workers' Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 3017 Delmar Blvd.; Residence, 4340 Enright Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

CLARK, JOSEPH SAMUEL—College President.

b. June 7, 1871, Sparta, Louisiana; s. Phillip and Jane Clark; m. Octavia Head, Dec. 29, 1901; one child, Felton Grandison, b. Oct. 13, 1903; educ. Public and Private Schools of Bienville Parish; High Sch.; Coleman Coll., preparatory; Bishop

Coll.; Leland Univ., 1896-1901; A.B., 1901; A.M., Selma Univ., 1913; Ph.D., Leland Univ., 1914; Ph.D., Arkansas Baptist Coll., 1921; Post-graduate work at Chicago and Harvard Univ.; Pres., Baton Rouge Coll., 1901-12; President, Southern Univ., 1913-present; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Elks; Trustee, Leland Univ. and Coleman Coll.; President of Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schs., 1916-17; Director, Peoples Life Insurance Company; Council of the American Geographical Society; Supt., Louisiana State Sch. for Colored Blind, Baton Rouge, La.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Southern University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

He is identified with the National Association of Colored Teachers, National Business League, National Urban League, the Inter-Racial Work, Land Grant College Presidents Association, and other enterprises. Reorganized the Louisiana State Colored Teachers Association, and served as president eight years.

He is the first colored man to serve as President of Southern University. Under his administration the school has grown from a small tract and two buildings valued at \$100,000 to a tract of 500 acres and thirty-five buildings valued at over a million dollars, with a faculty of 52 instructors and a student body numbering more than 1,000.

In 1928 he was appointed a member of the National Survey Committee, which committee was composed of 72 leading educators of America, 66 of which were white and six Colored. He held this position for one and one-half years. In 1930 he was appointed a member of President Hoover's White House Conference on Child's Welfare and Protection.

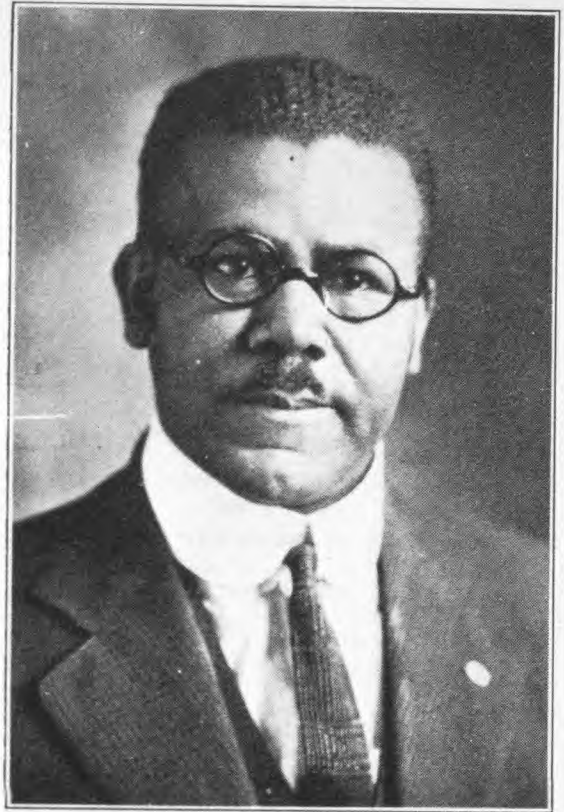
In 1930 he was offered the position of Minister of Liberia. This position was declined because of urgent desire to remain in America and do additional work in Southern University. In 1931 he was appointed by President Hoover as a member of the President's Conference on Home Buildings and Home Ownership. In 1932 he was appointed a member of the Inter-Racial Commission. He was made President of the New Capitol Insurance Company, of New Orleans, in 1932. He enjoys the good will of both races and is recognized as one of the leading educators.

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He purchased 2,000 acres of land in the State of Texas and sub-divided this land into small farms. These small farms are offered to Colored people so that they can get away from the larger cities, and where they can make a living for themselves.

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—Clergyman.

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He conducted a school of music in Waycross, Ga., for four years, and traveled with Rev. H. H. Coleman giving recitals in Detroit, Philadelphia, Tampa, Atlanta, Savannah, and Waycross, playing the piano and pipe-organ. He is also a skilled artist playing the cornet, tuba,

French-horn and as a baritone soloist.

Due to his musical ability he has made St. John famous which is now known as a "Musical Church, with a Musical Pastor." There was installed a pipe organ costing \$8,200 which included a full organ equipment.

CLIFFORD, J. R.—Lawyer.

First colored man to be admitted to practice in West Virginia, about forty years ago; published Pioneer Press for thirty-six years; Civil War veteran; Pres., The Nat. Independent Political League, two years; First Vice-Pres., American Negro Academy, three years; Lawyer; Address, Martinsburg, West Virginia.

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b. Oct. 5, 1888, Laurens, S. C.; s. Nathaniel and Laura (Hunter) Coasey; m. Mattie S. Beckett, June 28, 1914; educ. A.B. Allen Univ., Columbia, S. C., 1914; M.D. Meharry Med. Sch., 1918; Interne, Midgett Hosp., Phila., Pa.; Physician, 1919-present; Trustee, St. John's A.M.E. Ch.; Delegate to A.M.E. General Conference, 1928 session; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Maryland Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Adelpian Club; Masons (32°); Elks; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 753 George St., Baltimore, Md.

COBB, JAMES A.—Municipal Judge.

b. Jan. 29, 1876, Arcadia, La.; educ. Straight Univ.; Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn.; LL.M., LL.B. Howard Univ., 1900; Pd.B., 1902; Admitted to bar of D. C., 1901; Special Asst. U. S. Atty., November 11, 1907 to August 15, 1915; Delegate to Republican Nat. Conv., Chicago, 1920; Prof., Constitutional Law and Vice Dean, Howard Univ. Law School; appointed Municipal Judge of the District of Columbia, March 17, 1926; mem. Sigma Pi Phi; Counsel for N.A. A.C.P. (local branch); Office, 613 F. St. N. W.; Residence, 1925 13th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

COBB, ROBERT S.—Lawyer.

b. Feb. 2, 1888, Cape Girardeau, Missouri; s. John S. and Elizabeth Cobb; m. Bessie Mae Myers, Dec. 31, 1911 (deceased, 1923); three children, Mary Elizabeth, b. May 24, 1913; John Myers, b. May 19, 1915; Robert S., b. July 25, 1920; second marriage, Elizabeth Rhubotton, July 1, 1924; educ. Knoxville Coll., Knoxville, Tenn., 1903-08; Teacher, Missouri Schools, 1908-18; Army Y.M.C.A. Secretary, 1918-19; Executive Secretary, Missouri Negro Industrial Commission, 1919-27; Asst. Commissioner, Missouri Workmen's Compensation Commission, with offices in State Capitol, Jefferson, Mo., 1927-present; mem. Board of Management, State Grand Lodge, U.B.F. and S.M.T.; mem. Executive Committee, N.A.A.C.P.; mem. Trustee Board, Quinn Chapel, A.M.E. Church; mem. Lincoln Univ. Forum; admitted to the Missouri Bar, 1925; Treas., Local Branch, N.A.A.C.P.; Worthy Master U.B.F., Jefferson City, Mo.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 215 Jefferson St.; Residence, 902 E. Miller St., Jefferson City, Mo.

He has been instrumental as Secretary of the State Industrial Commission in having much

remedial legislation passed affecting the colored citizens of the State.

COBB, WILLIAM MONTAGUE—Anatomist—Physical Anthropologist.

b. Oct. 12, 1904, Washington, D. C.; s. William Elmer and Eliza (Montague) Cobb; m. Hilda Bradley Smith, June 26, 1929; two children, Carolyn Elizabeth, b. April 11, 1930; Hilda Amelia, b. May 1, 1939; educ. Dunbar High Sch., Washington, D. C., 1921; A.B., Amherst Coll., Amherst, Mass., 1925; M.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1929; Ph.D., in Anatomy and Physical Anthropology, Western Reserve Univ., 1932; Intern, Freedmen's Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1930; auth. "Human Materials in American Institutions Available for Anthropological Study"; "The Dentition of the Walrus, *Odobenus Obesus*"; "Cummatous Destruction of the Nose, Osteitis, and Permanent Dislocation of the Jaw in a Laboratory Cadaver"; "The Physical Constitution of the American Negro"; "Bony Gauges of Growth, Age and Diseases"; "Wolf Snout and Other Anomalies in Monozygotic Twins"; "Municipal History from Anatomical Records"; "What is Man? Synopses of Lectures on Human Anatomy"; "Race and Runners" and many others; Instructor, Embryology, Howard Univ., 1928-29; Asst. Prof., Anatomy, 1932; Assoc. Prof., Anatomy, 1934-present; Fellow, Anatomy, Western Reserve Univ., 1933-39; Recording Sec., Medico-Chirurgical Soc., District of Columbia, 1935-present; State Vice Pres., D. C., National Medical Assn., 1939-present; Consultant, Anatomy and Anthropology, Freedman's Hospital, 1934-37; Gamma Chapter, Omega Psi Phi, Boston, Mass., 1922; Basileus, Alpha Psi Chapter, 1923-25; Manager, Delta Big Five Basketball Team, 1926; Chairman, Young Memorial Committee, 1926; Chairman, National Scholarship Commission, 1938-present; Chairman, Advisory Board of Oracle, 1940-present; Kappa Pi, Howard Univ., 1928; Sec., 1929; Sigma Xi, Western Reserve, 1934; mem. American Assn. of Anatomists; Anatomical Soc. of Great Britain and Ireland; American Assn. for the Advancement of Science; American Anthropological Assn.; Medico-Chirurgical Soc. of the District of Columbia; Daniel Hale Williams Medical Reading Club; Assn. for the Study of Negro Life and History; Young Men's Christian Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Howard University; Residence, 1221 Girard St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

He was awarded the Blodgett Scholarship for proficiency in Biology from Amherst College to the Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole, Mass., in 1925. Also the General Education Board Fellowship for study in Anatomy for Howard University to the Western Reserve University in 1930 to 1932, and a Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science in 1937.

COCHRAN, ARTHUR MYRON—Clergyman—Director of Music—Composer.

b. Sept. 27, 1878, Charleston, S. C.; s. Thomas Izzard and Cornelia (Elfé) Cochran; m. Sarah J.

Bly, Apr. 17, 1903; four children, Myron Edward, b. May 23, 1905; Gwendolyn, b. Aug. 25, 1906; Morris Bartlett, b. June 19, 1910; Thomas Oliver Ridgeway, b. Mar. 5, 1913; educ. Avery Normal Institute, 1884-96; Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., College, 1896-1901; A.B., 1901; Fisk Univ., Music, 1896-1902; New York Univ., Summer Music School; Ordained, Deacon, Episcopal Ministry, 1918, Priest, 1920; Teacher of Music, Birmingham, Ala., 1902-03; Principal, St. Michael's Sch., Charlotte, N. C., 1903-17; Principal, Vicksburg Industrial Sch., Vicksburg, Miss., 1917-18; Organist and Curate, St. Simon's Church, Phila., Penn., 1918-20; Rector, St. Ambrose Church, Raleigh, N. C.; Teacher and Director of Music Dept., St. Augustine's Coll., 1920-28; Composer, "Communion Office in F Major" founded on Negro Spirituals, 1925, revised edition, 1926; Vicar, Church of the Holy Trinity, cor. 6th and Ewing Ave., S., Nashville, Tenn., 1928-present; mem. President, Ministerial Union, Raleigh, N. C., 1922-25; Pres., N.A.A.C.P. (local branch), 1925-28; Widow's Sons Masonic Lodge, Raleigh, N. C.; Pol. Independent-Republican; Relig. Protestant Episcopalian; Address, 6th and Ewing Aves., S.; Residence, 2408 Scovel St., Nashville, Tenn.

COCKBURN, JOSHUA—Real Estate Broker.

b. Jan. 10, 1877, Nassau, Bahamas, B. W. I.; s. Richard and Elizabeth (Bethel) Cockburn; m. Pauline Teresa Bethel, June 10, 1911; educ. Boy's Central Sch., Nassau, Bahamas; Ruggs Nautical Academy, London; in service of British Navy, enlisting in Africa, 1914-17; in employ of Elder Dempster Line, 1917-19; Real Estate and shipping agent, 1922-present; mem. Masons; Pol. Non-partisan; Relig. Protestant; Address, 2164 7th Ave.; Residence, 137 W. 127th St., New York, N. Y.

COFFEY, FREDERIC D.—Consulting Accountant.

b. Nov. 10, 1898, Wewoka, Okla.; s. Emmet L. and Appalona r. (Mitchell) Coffey; m. Lydia P. Gaskill; educ. Central Y.M.C.A. Preparatory Sch., Chicago, Ill.; B.C.S., Sch. of Commerce, Y. M.C.A., 1922; Ph.B., Univ. of Chicago, Sch. of Commerce, 1926; L.P.A., State of Illinois, 1927; Comptroller and Business Manager, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1927-present; Asst. to Pres., Binga State Bank, Chicago, Ill., 1926-27; Business Manager, Wabash Branch Y.M.C.A., Chicago, Ill., 1919-26; Second Lieut., U. S. Army, Camp Funston, Kansas, 1918; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; National Cost Accountants Assn.; Public Accountants Assn., State of Illinois, Address, 426 E. 51st St.; Residence, 5047 St. Lawrence Ave., Chicago, Ill.

COGGS, TANDY WASHINGTON—School Superintendent.

b. Feb. 17, 1887, Van Buren, Ark.; s. Tandy and Eliza (Williams) Coggs; m. Nannie Hinkle, Oct. 28, 1914; five children, Louis H., b. March 13, 1917; Tandy W., b. Nov. 20, 1919; Nanette Estelle, b. July 10, 1921; Eloise Aneta, b. Aug. 11, 1923; Granville Coleridge, b. Aug. 30, 1926; educ. A.B., Arkansas Baptist Coll., 1910; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., Trade Certificate, 1912; A.B., Arkansas State Coll., 1931; Teacher, Carpentry, Arkansas Baptist Coll., Little Rock, Ark., 1912-14; Mathematics, 1914-15; Director of Industries, Branch Normal Coll., 1915-23; Superin-

tendent, Negro Boys' Industrial Sch., Pine Bluff, Ark., 1923-present; Teacher of Trades to Soldiers during the World War; mem. Masons; Woodman of Union; Royal Circle of Friends; Negro Business Men's League; Arkansas Conference of Social Workers; Relig. Baptist; Address, Negro Boys' Industrial School, Wrightville, Ark.

COLE, ARTHUR A.—Chiropractor.

b. Aug. 16, 1895, Washington, D. C.; s. Henry C. and Annie (Edmonds) Cole; m. Vera Thompson; educ. High Sch., Orange, N. J.; Mecca Coll. of Chiropractic, Newark, N. J.; D.C. and Ph.C., 1923; Chiropractor, 1923-present; Pres., Interstate Chiropractic Assn., 1927-29; State Director, Humanitarian Soc.; Chairman Boy Scout Committee, New Rochelle, N. Y., Troop No. 16, 1927-28; Address, 196 S. 6th St., Newark, N. J.

COLE, C. P.—Clergyman.

b. March 20, 1873, Aiken, S. C.; s. John and Nancy (Bryer) Cole; m. Brittemore A. Tobias, Oct. 29, 1901; one child, Carfield Butler, b. Oct. 27, 1902; educ. A.B., Lincoln Univ., 1895; A.M., Lincoln Univ., 1898; S.T.D., Lincoln Univ., 1898; D.D. (honorary) Wilberforce Univ., 1906; D.D. (honorary) Lincoln Univ., 1914; Clergyman, 1896-present; Pastor, Lynn, Mass., 1898; Springfield, Mass., 1900; Pastor, Greenwich, Conn., 1901-05; Providence, R. I., 1905-07; New Bedford, Mass., 1907-11; Brooklyn, N. Y., 1911-present; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M. E. Church; Address, 250 Decatur St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

COLE, I. WILLIS—Publisher-Editor.

b. Jan. 22, 1887, Memphis, Tenn.; s. James Henry and Roberta (Rogers) Cole; m. Katherine Walker (deceased), March 5, 1913; second marriage, Rosa Evelyn Long, June 18, 1922; six children; Ruthlyn Roberta, b. Nov. 29, 1913; Katherine Louise, b. Apr. 14, 1915; I. Willis Cole, Jr., b. Nov. 12, 1916; Annie Malone, b. Aug. 30, 1918; Aaron Lattimore Walls, b. Mar. 11, 1923; Tella Marie, b. Jan. 24, 1925; educ. High Sch., Memphis, Tenn., 1899-1902; Le Moyne Junior Coll., Memphis, Tenn., 1902-06; Chicago Univ., Chicago, Ill., 1907; Publisher, Owner and Editor of Louisville Leader, 1917-present; Recording Sec., Nat. Press Assn.; Regional Director, Nat. Negro Business League; mem. Ex-Pres., Louisville Business Men's Assn.; Masons; K. of P.; Templar; U.B.F.; Woodman; Board of Management, Y.M.C.A., Louisville, Ky.; ex-Pres., N.A.A.C.P. (local branch); Pol. Republican; Relig. C.M.E. Church; Address, 930 W. Walnut St.; Residence, 2317 W. Walnut St., Louisville, Ky.

After graduating from Le Moyne Junior College, he entered Chicago University, preparatory to a medical career, but lack of money held up his plans. He later decided upon a Ministerial course at Northwestern University, but again a misfortune stopped him. Closing out five years as a representative of a Chicago religious publishing house he became interested in a printing and publishing establishment in Louisville, Ky., following six years as traveling representative for a Chicago religious pub-

lication house, and in 1917 he organized the I. Willis Cole Publishing Company and The Louisville Leader, a weekly newspaper, which has a circulation of over 20,000 and employs fifteen persons of the Race. The valuation of the plant equipment, and newspaper is well over \$50,000.

Mr. Cole was chairman of the Citizens' Committee which in 1917 gave the City of Louisville its greatest patriotic celebration when more than 1,000 colored men left for France. Was Chairman of the Citizens' Committee which secured Military police with a colored Commander in 1918. They patrolled the city during that year.

He is the official reporter for the National Laymen's League of the C.M.E. Church.

He was delegate to the Republican National Convention (in an honorary official capacity) in 1920, 1924, 1928, 1932, and was a candidate for the State Senate on the Lincoln Party ticket (a colored Organization) in 1921. He was National Director and State Publicity Chairman during the 1928 Republican campaign.

COLEMAN, ROGER WILLIAM—Clergyman.

b. Jan. 15, 1889, Orrville, Ala.; s. Madison and Mollie (Bell) Coleman; m. Vera Leigh Sales, Aug. 1923; one child, Muriel Amada; educ. Selma Univ., Selma, Ala., 1909; Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1912; A.B., McMaster Univ., Toronto, Can., 1919; B.Th., 1921 Matriculated, Oxford; Clergyman, 1923-present; Instructor, Greek and Latin, Selma Univ., Selma, Ala., 1921-22; Pastor, First African Baptist Church, Tuscaloosa, Ala., 1923-25; Missionary, Northeast Dist., Ala., 1925-26, having 600 Churches in that Dist.; Elected Cor. Sec., of Educational Board, National Baptist Convention, Detroit, Mich.; Office Birmingham, Ala., 1927-28; Pastor, First African Baptist Church, New Orleans, La., 1928-present; Pres., Emancipation League, New Orleans, La., 1933-present; Chairman, Educational Dept., N. A. A. C. P., 1933-present; Sec. and Instructor, Colored Baptist Seminary, New Orleans, La., 1934-present; mem. Board, Home Mission, National Baptist Convention; mem. N. A. A. C. P.; National Baptist Convention, Inc.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2216 3rd St.; Residence 2223 Soniat St., New Orleans, La.

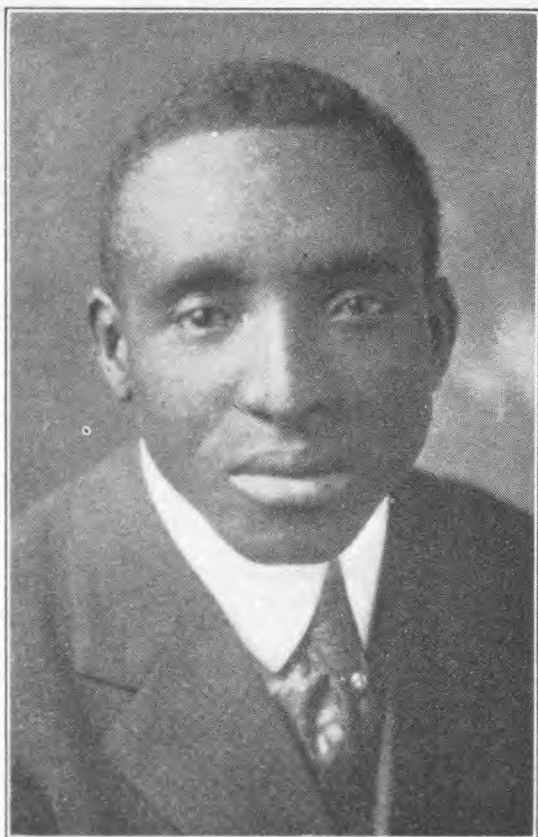
He was one of the delegates elected to the Fifth Baptist World Congress, held in Berlin, Germany, in August, 1934, at which Congress there were 60 nations represented. Of these there were 42 colored delegates present from the United States. At that time he visited many foreign countries including France, Austria, Italy, Egypt, and Palestine.

COLEMAN, WILLIAM ALBERT—Physician.

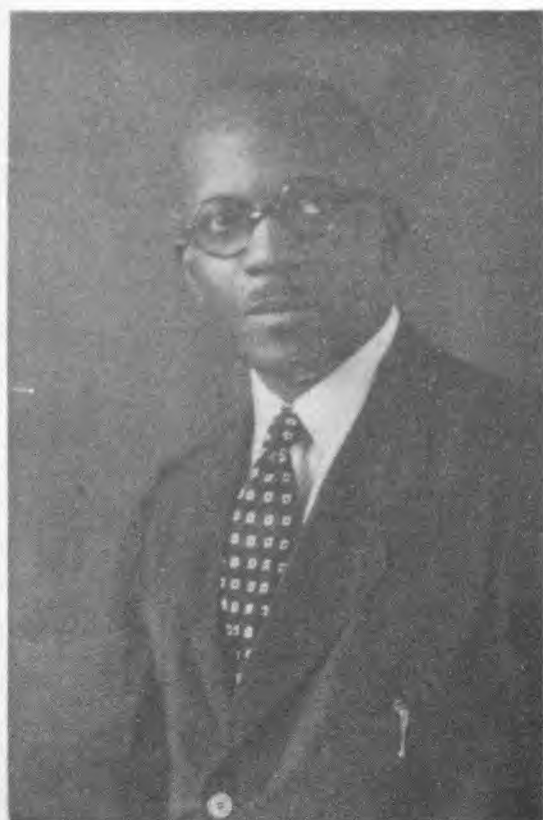
b. Dec. 26, 1877, Barbados, B.W.I.; s. Richard Thos. and Dorothy Ann (Gittens) Coleman; m. Isabella J. Spaulding, Oct. 27, 1912; educ. St. David's Boys Sch.; Cordes Academy, Barbados, B.W.I.; M.D. Howard Univ., 1910; Physician, 1910-present; Contr. Articles for State Medical



JAMES P. COLLINS



I. WILLIS COLE



Roger William Coleman, A.B., B.Th.



Emma J. Colyer

Nat. Y.M.C.A. Conference for Ex. Secretaries, at Chicago, 1929; mem. F. & A. M.; St. Cecile Lodge, No. 67; Knights of Pythias, Ben Hur Lodge, No. 25; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 405 Carlton Ave.; Residence, 637 McDonough St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

CONNERS, WILLIAM RANDALL—Executive Sec., Urban League—Negro Welfare Assn.

b. Oct. 4, 1876, Augusta, Ga.; s. Michael and Annie (Williams) Connors; m. Nellie Chesnut Henderson (deceased), Sept. 1901; second marriage, Nattie Mikell Jan. 31, 1914; two children, Laurette B. Nellie S.; educ. A.B., Biddle Univ. (now Johnson C. Smith Univ.), Charlotte, N. C., 1897; A.M., 1902; D.Pd., 1917; B.Pd., Westchester State Coll., Westchester, Pa., 1916; Post Graduate Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., 1915; Executive Sec., Urban League and Negro Welfare Assn., Cleveland, O., 1918-present; Vice Principal, State Normal Sch., Salisbury, N. C., 1897-1900; Teacher Mathematics and Education, Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1900-06; Principal, Gay Street Public Sch., Westchester, Pa., 1906-17; Industrial Sec., Urban League, New York City, N. Y., 1917-18; Elder, Presbyterian Church, 1915-present; Trustee, Presbyterian Union, Cleveland, O., 1924-present; Delegate General Assembly, Presbyterian Church, 1930; Interdenominational Alliance, Cleveland, O., 1919-present; ex-Grand Chancellor, K. of P., North Carolina; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Cleveland City Club; Council of Sociolity; American Acad. of Soc. Science; American Assn. of Social Workers; Board of Trustees, Cleveland Welfare Federation; Sec. Woodland Community Council; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 2554 E. 40th St.; Residence, 2241 E. 80th St., Cleveland, O.

CONNOR, MILES W.—Normal School Principal.

b. Jan., 1888, Portsmouth, Va.; s. Miles and Joanna (Watts) Connor; m. Mattie L. Martin, Dec., 1920; educ. A.B., Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1909; A.M., Howard University, Washington, D. C., 1912; D.Ped., Virginia Union Univ., 1929; A.M., Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., 1926; Post graduate student, Columbia Univ., 1927; Teacher, Virginia State Coll., 1913-14; Head of Dept. of Education, 1914-18; Head of Dept. of Education, Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1920-26; Principal, Coppin Normal Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1926-present; Director, Religious Education for Maryland Sunday Sch. Convention; mem. Schoolmasters Club; Principals Assn.; Baltimore Council of Religious Education; National Education Assn.; National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Sch.; Maryland State Teachers Assn.; Baltimore City Teachers Assn; Masons; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Lafayette and McCulloh Sts.; Residence, 2415 Madison Ave., Baltimore, Md.

CONRAD, GEORGE W. B.—Lawyer

b. Xenia, Ohio; m. Beatrice Cox, 1910; one child, Elizabeth; educ. Sch., Xenia, Ohio; Sch., Richmond, Ind.; Oberlin Coll.; graduated, Law Sch., Univ. of Michigan 1902; Messenger, Clerk, Stenographer and Telegraph Operator for Penn. R. R.; Secretary to a number of officials of the Penn. R.R.; Asst. in Bureau of Claims, 1903-present; Lawyer, 1903-present; admitted to bar in Michigan, Indiana and Ohio; Address, 612 W.

9th St.; Residence, 1311 Burdelle Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.

COOK, ARTHUR C.—Clergyman-Educator.

b. Sept. 9, 1892, Edwards, Miss.; s. Albert and Laura (Goff) Cook; m. Erie B. Tompkins, Feb. 26, 1921; two children, Laura B., b. Nov. 19, 1921; Arthur C., Jr., b. March 18, 1923; educ. S.T.A., Southern Christian Inst., 1912; B.S., Tougaloo Coll., Tougaloo, Miss., 1914; S.T.B., Princeton Univ., 1920; Asst., Grammar Sch., S. C., 1909-11; Principal, Graded Sch., Wilmot, Ark., 1912-14; Principal, Montrose Industrial Sch., Montrose, Ark., 1915-18; Principal, Marlboro Co. Training School, McColl, S. C., 1921-present; Presiding Elder, A.M.E. Zion Church, 1919-present; Pastor, A.M.E. Zion Church, Tralake, Miss.; Pastor, Delhi, La.; mem. General Conference, A.M.E. Zion Church; Annual Conference, A.M.E. Zion Church; Palmetto State Teachers' Assn.; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Grand State Master, United Sons of Abraham, 1927-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion Methodist; Bennettsville, S. C.; Residence, McColl, S. C.

COOK, MRS. CORALIE FRANKLIN.

b. Lexington, Va.; d. A. and Mary E. Franklin; m. George William Cook, Aug. 31, 1898; one child, George Will Cook, Jr.; educ. Storer Coll., Harper's Ferry, W. Va.; Emerson Coll.; Martha's Vineyard Summer Inst.; Shoemaker Sch. of Oratory; Taught school, Storer Coll., 1882-93; Supt., Washington Home, Destitute Colored Women and Children, Washington, D. C., 1893-98; Chair of Oratory, Howard Univ.; mem. Delta Sigma Theta (honorary); Red Cross; Juvenile Protective Society; Book Lovers Club; Board of Education, District of Columbia until 1926; Residence, 341 Bryant St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

COOK, JEAN LAWRENCE—Arranger and Recording Artist.

b. July 14, 1899, Athens, Tenn.; s. Jacob Lincoln and Zella (Lawrence) Cook; m. Edith Bascomb, Nov. 15, 1922; two children, Jean Lawrence, Jr., b. July 28, 1923; Annizella, b. Jan. 26, 1926; educ. Haines Inst., Augusta, Ga., 1914-19; Columbia Univ., 1926-27-28; Arranger and Recording Artist, The Q.R.S. Co., 1922-present; Arranged "All of God's Chilluns Got Wings"; two arrangements of "St. Louis Blues"; auth. "Scared Cat," "Cleopatra's Needle"; mem. Elks; Monarch Lodge, No. 45; Phi Beta Sigma, Alpha Delta Chapter; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Residence, 1113 Prospect Ave., New York, N. Y.

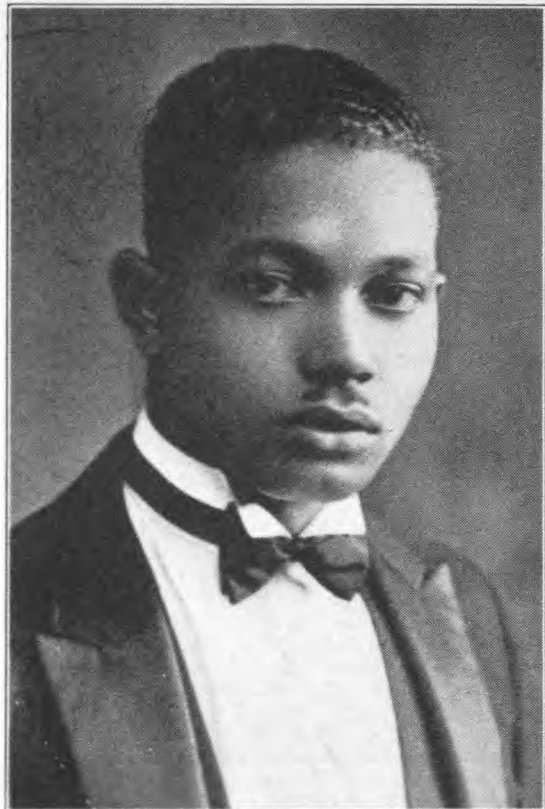
He is the son of the late Rev. J. L. Cook, who was the first colored principal of Henderson Normal and Industrial Institute of Henderson, N. C.

Jean Lawrence Cook is the first and to this date the only colored Arranger and Recording Artist for the Q.R.S. Music Company.

Organized the J.L.C. Song Service Studios, a school of modern popular music, that seeks to approach the subject seriously and from a new pedagogical angle, in May, 1930. Wrote



MRS. CORALIE FRANKLIN COOK



J. LAWRENCE COOK



William A. Cooper, D.D.



THOMAS SETTLE COOPER

and published J. Lawrence Cook's Collection of Modernistic Jazz Arrangements for Piano. Compiled a twenty-lesson correspondence course in refined popular piano playing, with player piano rolls to demonstrate the exercises included in lesson assignments. Scored a concert-jazz arrangement of St. Louis Blues for W. C. Handy, the composer and publisher, and released the manuscript to W. C. Handy for publication.

He is the author of an Advanced Treatise on Modern Popular Piano Playing, in two volumes.

He is the author of many lesson studies on Modern Piano Playing, and also wrote a so-called Concert-Jazz Arrangement of W. C. Handy's St. Louis Blues.

In May, 1938, he became vice-president of the Teddy Wilson School for Pianists, Inc., and is editor of the courses used in this institution.

COOPER, ALBERT BERRY—School Principal.

—b. May 17, 1872, Valdosta, Ga.; s. Daniel and Mary (Murray) Cooper; educ. Beach Univ., Savannah, Ga., 1884-90; Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1890-96; A.B. Atlanta Univ., 1896; Turner Theol. Sem., Atlanta, Ga., 1904-08; B.D. Turner Theol. Sem., 1908; M.A. (honorary), Morris Brown Univ., 1914; special study at Columbia Univ., summer, 1926; m. Julia Brown, Aug. 18, 1897; six children: Albert Berry Cooper, Jr., b. January 13, 1899; Clarence Brown, b. July 13, 1902; Julian Douglas, b. January 26, 1904; Edith Margurete, b. February 15, 1906; Henry Turner, b. May 5, 1911; Anna Brown, b. November 18, 1913; Principal, The Cartersville Pub. Sch., 1896-98; Principal, Eddy High Sch., Milledgeville, Ga., 1899-1905; Chair of Mathematics, Morris Brown Univ., 1905-08; Minister, assigned to Blakely Station, 1908-10; taught at Eddy High Sch., 1910; on work at Dawson Station, 1911 and 1912; appointed President of Payne College, Cuthbert, Ga., 1912-24; President, Edward Waters College, 1924-present; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Odd Fellows; Knights of Pythias; Supreme Circle, Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 912 Nassau St., Tampa, Fla.

He began teaching at the age of eighteen and has continued to do so until the present time. During these years he has been actively engaged in the ministry of the Gospel. He has been a member of four General Conferences of the African Methodist Episcopal Church.

During the World War he was appointed the District Organizer of the Third Congressional District of Georgia, composed of fifteen counties in the W.S.S. Campaign.

COOPER, MRS. ANNA J.—Teacher.

b. Raleigh, N. C.; d. George Washington and Hanna (Stanley) Haywood; m. Rev. G. A. C. Cooper; educ. St. Augustine N. and C. Inst., 1881; Oberlin Coll., 1881-84; B.A., 1884; M.A., 1887; Extension course, Columbia Univ., 1913 to 1916; studied Guilde Internationale, Paris, 1911-

12; Ph.D. Sorbonne Univ. of Paris, 1925; auth. "A Voice from the South," Aldine Printing House, Xenia, O., 1892; "Simon of Cyrene," Poem; "Christ's Church"; "Le Pelerinage de Charlemagne," Pub. A. LaHure, Imprimeur-Editor, Paris, France, 1925; "L'Attitude de la France a L'Egard de L'Esclavage," Paris, 1925; "The Social Settlement," from Oberlin Alumni Journal; "My Ten Years Stewardship," pub. Dec. Cat., Murray Bros.; "Personal Recollections of the Grimke Family"; "Life and Letters of Charlotte Fortin Grimke," Teacher, Oberlin Academy, 1882-84; French and German, Wilberforce Univ., 1884-85; Latin, Greek and Math., St. Augustine N. and C. Inst., 1885-87; taught summer schools in Cottage City, Mass.; Wilberforce, Ohio; Raleigh, N. C.; State Teachers Assn., Hampton, Va.; Jefferson City, Mo.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Wheeling, W. Va.; Principal of M St. High Sch., Washington, D. C., 1901-06; Professor, Languages, Ancient and Modern, Lincoln Univ., Mo., 1906-11; Supervisor, Colored Social Settlement, 1906-07; War Camp Community Service, 1911-17; Teacher, of Dunbar High School, Washington, D. C., 1911-30; retired June, 1930; mem. Southern Sociological Assn.; N.E.A.; Classical Assn. of the Atlantic States; Life Mem. Bd. of Directors, Y.W.C.A. (Washington, D. C.); for ten years, Special Organizer of Girls' Clubs; 1911-15, Colored Social Settlement; Member of the Executive Committee; Supervisor of Community Activities, 1901-07; Guardian Camp Fire Girls; Pres., Frelinghuysen Univ., 1930-40; Founder, Hannah Stanley Opportunity School; Address, 201 T St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

She is an intellectual, full, clean, strong, serviceful and forceful woman. At the age of six years she entered St. Augustine's Normal and Collegiate Institute, Raleigh, N. C. At eight years of age she was given certain classes to teach or coach, and the following year she was designated "Pupil Teacher." From that time on she has given her entire life to study and teaching, receiving her degree of Doctor of Philosophy from Sorbonne, University of Paris, in 1925.

The most significant fact perhaps, is her contribution to education in Washington, D. C., and the courageous revolt she waged against a special Colored curriculum for the M Street High School. A proposal was made by Congress to give the pupils of this school a course of study commensurate with their alleged inferior abilities. While the proposal looked innocent and benevolent, she stoutly maintained that her pupils should have equal opportunity to choose whatever subjects might be chosen if they were in one of the other high schools. In this contention she was supported by the two Colored members of the Board of Education, and she actually prepared pupils who passed with honor the entrance examinations for Harvard, Yale, Brown, Oberlin and others.

COOPER, IRA L.—Police Lieutenant.

b. May 17, 1873, New Florence, Mo.; s. Elijah J. and Rachel J. (Jenkins) Cooper; m. Mattie S.

Horton, Sept. 1, 1905; two children, Chauncey I., b. May 31, 1906; Lucana A., b. Oct. 21, 1910; educ. Garfield High Sch., Mexico, Mo.; Northwestern Univ., 1904; auth. "Smashing of the Inside Bank Robbery Gang", a detective story, Abbott's Monthly, Dec., 1930; "Three Bad Men"; "Oscar Shanklin Murder"; "The Chesterfield Bank Robbery"; "The Forty Thousand Dollar Terminal Railway Robbery"; "The Seventeen Thousand Dollar Robbery of the St. Louis Society Woman"; Practical Optician; Lieut. Detective, St. Louis, Mo., 1900-present; Coin Counter, United States Treasury Service, St. Louis, Mo., 1900-04; Teacher, Pub. Sch., Reidsville, Mo., 1898-99; mem. Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; St. Louis Police Relief Assn.; Advisory Board, Comptoo District, Provident Assn.; Relig. Methodist; Address, Police Department; Residence, 4404 Enright Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

He was made an Honorary Member of the Policemen's Association, of Washington, D. C. Only twenty such honorary memberships have ever been awarded, and are only given for extraordinary service rendered.

COOPER, THOMAS SETTLE—Training Sch. Principal.

b. Sept. 23, 1876, Windsor, North Carolina; s. Noah and Vina (Bond) Cooper; m. Roberta Overton, Nov. 23, 1904; two children, Russell Settle, b. Aug. 13, 1905; Henry D'Hart, b. Aug. 24, 1907; educ. State Normal Sch., Elizabeth City, N. C.; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Architecture, Armour Inst., Chicago, Ill.; Teacher; Principal, Gates Training School, Sunbury, N. C., 1919-present; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Sunbury, N. C.; Residence, Elizabeth City, N. C.

COOPER, WILLIAM MASON—Director of Extension.

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Committee, Virginia Interracial Commission; Pres., Virginia Conference of Extension Workers; Exec. Sec., Negro Organization Soc.; Pres., Virginia State Teachers Assn.; Regional Vice Pres., American Teachers Assn.; Sec.-Treas., Conference on Adult Ed. and the Negro; mem. Executive Board, Nat'l. Negro Business League; mem. National Advisory Council, Birth Control Federation of America; mem. Masons; Omega Psi Phi; Times-Dispatch Honor Roll 1937; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, Hampton Institute; Residence, 320 Willard Ave., Phoebus, Va.

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He has devoted his life to building and bettering Henderson Institute. In 1903, his first year, he had 13 students in the high school and one frame building. There are now seven brick buildings, with 315 students in the high school. The frame church building was replaced with a brick building with a membership

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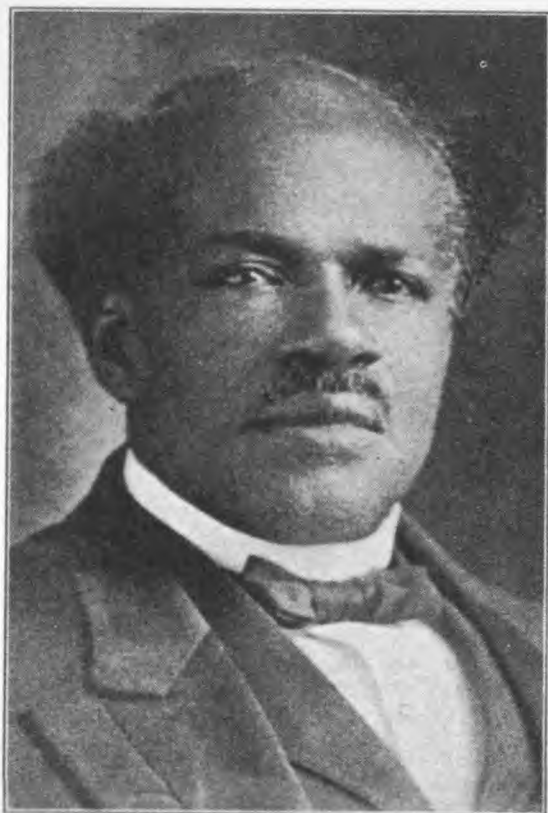
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She was the first Negro woman to go abroad when the United States entered the war, being selected as Y.M.C.A. Secretary in 1918. While in France, she was the only woman to have charge of a Leave Area at Chambrey.

Her last work overseas was with the 10,000 Negro soldiers who re-buried the dead in the burial grounds located at Romagne, France, where 26,000 American soldiers were buried. This is the largest American Cemetery in France.

In 1927 she presented to the children of Liberia the equipment for a playground, the erection of which she personally supervised. It is the only playground of its kind on the West Coast of Africa. On her return to New York in 1927, she brought four African children whom she is educating.

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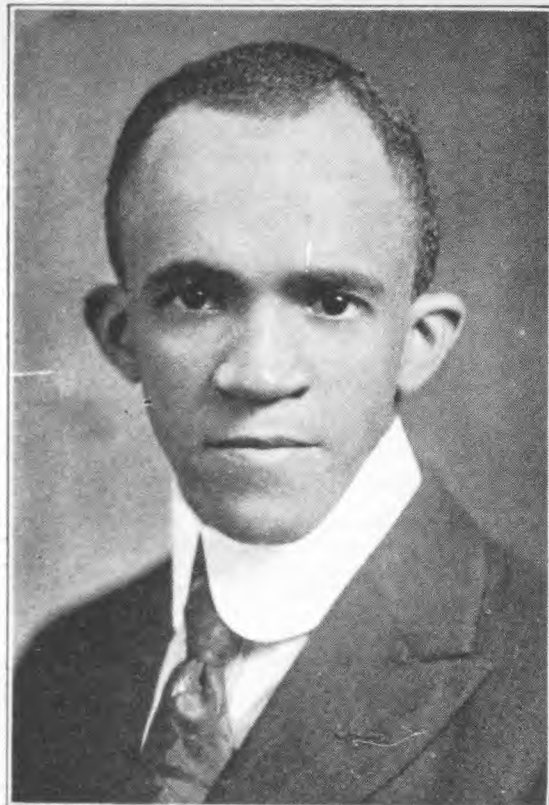
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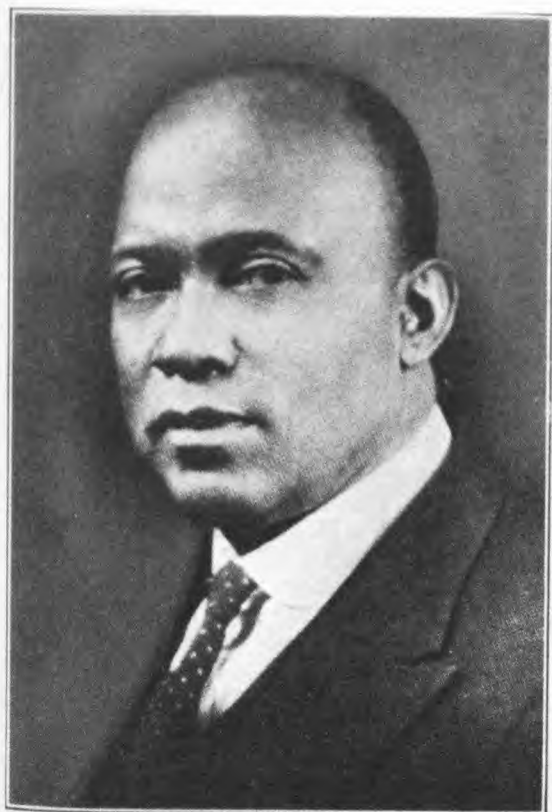
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CARRINGTON L. DAVIS, A.B., A.M.

Adaline Davidson; m. Lulu J. Davis, Feb. 16, 1899 (deceased); married, Elizabeth C. McClellan, Sept. 4, 1913; three children, Council Washington McClellan, b. Mar., 1900; Homer Campbell McClellan, b. July, 1902; James Fenimore McClellan, b. Sept., 1904; educ. Knox Acad., 1879-81; Selma Univ., Selma, Ala., 1887-88; Payne Univ., 1889-93; Teacher, Public Sch., 1880-1926; Pres., Organizer of Bibb Co. Sch., and Comm. Fair Assn.; Pres., County Farmers' Conference; Founder, Centreville Industrial Inst.; Prin of same, 1900-present; Lay Delegate to Gen. Conference A.M.E. Church; Supt., Sunday School; Pres., Assn. Principals of County Tr. Schs.; Pres., Alumni Association Payne Univ.; mem. Masons; K. of P.; K. & L. of Honor; Mosaics Templars; Woodmen of Union; auth. Catalogues and Reports of School Work, pub. A.M.E. S.S. Union, 1893; Bibb County Sentinel, a weekly newspaper, published in 1895-96-97-98; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, Bibb County Training School, Centreville, Ala.

DAVIS, A. PORTER—Physician.

b. Nov. 13, 1890, Palestine, Texas; s. Dr. W. W. and Louisa (Craven) Davis; m. Hazel White, Sept. 1, 1926; 3 children, Anita Paulina; Jacqueline Mazie; A. Portia; educ. Lincoln High Sch., Palestine, Texas; Sumner Junior Coll., Kansas City, Kan.; Kansas Univ., Lawrence, Kan.; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., 1913; Physician and Surgeon, Kansas City, Kan., 1913-present; mem. National Academy of Music; Society Applied Psychology; Holds Medical License in Kansas, Missouri and Tennessee; mem. Masons; Metropolitan Baptist Temple, Kansas City, Kan.; State Vice-President, National Medical Association; President, Aesculapian Medical Society, 1936-present; State Vice President, National Airmen's Association; Licensed pilot, C. A. A.; Founder and ex-President, Kansas Medical, Dental, and Pharm. Assn.; President, Pacific Movement, 1933-present; President, Citizens Advisory Council, 1941-present; mem. Board of Directors, Wyandotte Chamber of Commerce, 1940-present; Trouveur Club; Monrovia Club; Relig. Baptist; Pol. Republican; Address, 422 Minnesota Avenue; Residence, 852 Washington Blvd., Kansas City, Kansas.

Dr. Davis was appointed Assistant Health director of Kansas City, Kansas, and served from 1926-32, the first colored Doctor who was appointed in this section of the country. He is a member of the staff of Wheatly Provident Hospital, Kansas City, Missouri. He also entered the field of aviation, and was licensed as a pilot in 1928. His first flight in that year, by a member of our race was from Kansas City to Chicago. Dr. Davis is the winner of the Dwight H. Green trophy from the National Airmen's Association in 1939, and which was for the most outstanding contribution to aviation during that year. He made 296 consecutive daily flights, a record that still stands. He owns his own airplane, and holds the oldest pilot's license in the United States of America among Colored pilots. He was a 1st Lieutenant of

the Medical Reserve Corp, U. S. Army, 1917-1922. His hobby is aviation.

DAVIS, MRS. ARETHA RANDOLPH—Teacher.

educ. Armstrong Normal Sch., Normal Professional Certificate; Summer Schools of Virginia Union University and Virginia Normal Industrial Institute; Special Certificate in English, History, and Botany; m. Henry Davis; Principal; Teacher, Virginia Randolph Training High School, 1923-present; Home Economics, Summer Sch., Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1931; Relig. Baptist; Address, 814½ W. Marshall St., Richmond, Va.

DAVIS, MISS BELLE—Executive Secretary, National Health Circle for Colored People, Inc. b. May 15, 1886, Thomasville, Ga.; d. William and Sophia (Bean) Davis; educ. Allen Nor. Sch. (A.M.A.), Thomasville, Ga.; Fisk Univ., Normal Dept., 1903; Teacher, Cotton Valley Sch., Macon County, Ala. (A.M.A.), 1903-12; Bethune-Cookman Coll., Daytona, Fla., 1913-15; Lincoln High Sch., East St. Louis, Ill., 1915-16; Branch Normal Coll. (State Coll.), Pine Bluff, Ark., 1916-18; Solicited Funds, N. Y. City, for Palmer Memorial Inst., Sedalia, N. C., 1919; Exec. Sec., Circle for Negro Relief, Inc., formerly Circle for Negro War Relief, 1920; reorganized Circle for Negro Relief, Inc., into National Health Circle for Colored People, Inc., May, 1925-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 450 Seventh Ave.; Residence, 2588 Seventh Ave., New York, N. Y.

DAVIS, BENJAMIN JEFFERSON—Journalist.

b. May 27, 1870, Dawson, Ga.; s. Michael and Katherine Davis, m. Jimmie Willard Porter, Aug. 7, 1898; two children, Benjamin Jefferson, Jr., b. Sept. 8, 1903; Johnnie Katherine, b. Jan. 7, 1909; educ. Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1887-88; Bricklayer; School Teacher; Builder, Odd Fellows Block, Atlanta; Editor, Secretary, Odd Fellows; mem. sub-committee of Management, Odd Fellows; Chief Justice Supreme Court, Odd Fellows; Delegate, State-at-Large Republican National Convention 25 years; mem. Com. Resolutions and Platform, four times; Secretary, Republican Organization, State of Georgia, 10 years; National Republican Committeeman for Georgia until 1928; Director, Y.M.C.A.; Chairman, Big Gifts Committee, Atlanta Community Chest; President, Baptist Layman's League, State of Georgia; Journalist 1929; Editor, The Atlanta Independent, a weekly newspaper, established in 1903; mem. Odd Fellows; Masons; K. of P.; Knights of Tabor; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Savoy Hotel, Auburn Ave., N. E.; Atlanta, Ga.

DAVIS, BETTY WEBB—School Principal.

b. Georgetown, Ky.; d. Robert Franklin and Mary L. (Jackson) Webb; m. Edward B. Davis, Dec. 30, 1896; one child, Kate Mae Davis Moore; educ. Georgetown High School (now Ed. Davis High School); B.S. Kentucky State Coll., Frankfort, Ky. Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y.; Teachers Coll. Library Science, Atlanta, Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; established the Charles Steele Library, which is now a branch of the City Library, Georgetown, Ky.; established and taught Domestic Science,

Georgetown High School 1918-34; Principal, Ed Davis High Sch., Georgetown, Ky., to fill the place made vacant by her husband, the late Edward Benjamin Davis, 1934-40; mem. S.M.T. and O.E.S.; Chairman, Relief Work, Georgetown, Ky., Colored population; mem. State Federation of Women's Clubs; mem. City Interracial Committee; Scholarship Loan Fund Committee, Ky.; Educational Association; mem. Wesley Chapel, Methodist Episcopal Church; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Ed. Davis High School; Residence, Georgetown, Ky.

She has ever been interested in helping under-privileged girls and boys to further their education in College by soliciting from interested friends. For this purpose she established a Scholarship Loan Fund, which is known as the "Betty Webb Davis Scholarship Loan Fund" of the Ed Davis Alumni Association.

After thirty years of service to the Community of Georgetown, where she is held in the highest esteem by both White and Colored people, she retired as the principal of the school and her many other interests in Georgetown, at the close of the school year 1940, to live with her daughter, Kate Mae Davis Moore, who is connected with the Domestic Relations Court, and Son, Maurice Moore, who is the Purchasing Agent for Drugs and Chemicals for the City of New York.

DAVIS, EDWARD B.—High School Principal.
— See 4th Edition.

Died August 9, 1934.

DAVIS, CARRINGTON LEWIS—High School Principal

b. Aug. 27, 1879, Garrison, Md.; s. Jarrett Weaver and Mary Alice Davis; m. Erma Bruce, Sept. 8, 1915; educ. Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1894-1901; Harvard Univ., 1902-04; A.B. Morgan Coll., 1901 and B.A., Harvard Univ., 1904; Columbia Univ., N.Y.C. (summers) 1909-13; A.M. (honoris causa) Morgan Coll., 1916; Head, Dept. of Greek, Morgan Coll. Balt., Md., 1904-07; Teacher of Latin and German, Douglass High Sch., Balt., Md., 1907-10; Head of Dept. Foreign Languages, Douglass High Sch., Balt., Md., 1910-17; Vice-Prin., Douglass High Sch., 1917-34; Principal, Dunbar High Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1931-present; auth. "Transformation of Educational Ideals." Morgan Coll. Press. 1907; "Education for Culture," "Educational Situation in Maryland," "The Diamond Jubilee," "The Negro in American Literature," mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Big Brothers; Sigma Pi Phi; Douglass City Club; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Dunbar High Sch.; Residence, 1821 McCulloh St., Baltimore, Md.

DAVIS, CHARLES A.—Physician.

b. Knoxville, Tenn.; married; two children; educ. Public Sch., Knoxville, Tenn.; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn.; Physician, one of organizers and Trustee, Knoxville Colored

Orphanage; Address, 201½ W. Vine Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.

DAVIS, MRS. ELIZABETH LINDSEY.

b. Peoria, Ill. d. Thomas H. and Sophia Jane Lindsey; m. William H. Davis; educ. Bureau County High Sch., Princeton, Ill.; Psychology, Racial History and Social Science; auth. "Story of the Illinois Federation of Colored Women's Clubs from 1900 to 1922"; Editor, Chicago and Northern District Federation; mem. Nat. Assn. of Colored Women since organization, 1896; National Organizer, nine years; State Organizer, six years; State President, 1910-12; National and State Historian, 1925-present; Organizer of Phillis Wheatley Women's Club and President, 1896-1929; Women's City Club; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church; Address, 3710 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.

She is the founder of the Phillis Wheatley Home for Girls.

DAVIS, GEORGE EDWARD—Supervisor School Buildings.

b. March 24, 1864, Wilmington, N. C.; s. Edward Alexander and Hester Ann (Price) Davis; m. Maria Elizabeth Gaston, Sept. 19, 1890; six children, Fannie C.; Hattie G.; Gaston A.; Gladys E.; Celeste C.; George Edward, Jr.; educ. A.B., Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C.; A.M., 1892; Ph.D., 1906; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.; Prof. of Latin, Johnson C. Smith Univ., 1886-1900; Prof. Natural Science, 1906-20; Dean, Johnson C. Smith Univ.; Supervisor, Rosenwald School Buildings, North Carolina, State Dept. of Education, 1920-present; Pres., The State Negro Teachers Assn., 1930-31; mem. North Carolina Interracial Commission; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, State Dept. of Education, Raleigh, N. C.; Residence, Johnson C. Smith University, Charlotte, N. C.

DAVIS, HARRY E.—Lawyer.

Member, Civil Service Commission. Was for four terms member of Ohio Legislature; Elected, Member of Civil Service Commission, Cleveland, Ohio 1928-present; Director, N.A.A.C.P.; mem. Masons; Elks; Sigma Pi Phi; The City Club of Cleveland; auth. "The Prince Hall Sodality" an historical sketch of Negro Masonry (in manuscript); Address, 202 Engineers Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio.

DAVIS, HENRY CLAY—Insurance Manager.

b. June 8, 1893, Atlanta, Ga.; s. Robert Tony and Dora (Chelsea) Davis; m. Mabel B. Cooper, June 27, 1928; educ. Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1913; Officers' Training Sch., Des Moines, Iowa, 1917; 1st Lieut. 365th Infantry, World War, serving in France, 1918-19; Inspector and Chief Road Auditor, Atlanta Life Insurance Co., 1919-25; Chief Inspector, North Carolina Mutual Life Ins. Co., 1926-29; Manager, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co. Norfolk, Va., 1929-32; Manager, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co., Birmingham, Ala., 1932-present; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationist; Address, 715 Masonic Temple; Residence, 1113 13th Ave., N. Birmingham, Ala.

DAVIS, JACKSON LEE—Dentist.

b. Jan. 18, 1890, Mansfield, La.; s. Joseph and Lucy (Brown) Davis; m. Cicely Diggs, (deceased), July 2, 1914; two children, Lucile, b. Feb. 2, 1917; Jackson Lee, Jr., b. Feb. 23, 1922; A.B., New Orleans Univ., New Orleans, La., 1910; Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1916; D.D.S., 1923; Lawyer, 1917; Dentist, 1923-present; Teacher, Mathematics, New Orleans Univ., New Orleans, La., 1910-12; Clerk, Bureau of Census, United States Government, Washington, D. C., 1912-20; Instructor, Dentistry, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1928-present; Treas., Robert T. Freeman Dental Soc., 1929-present; mem. Masons; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Inter-State Dental Assn.; Derby Club; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 1219 Q St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

DAVIS, JAMES EUGENE—Insurance Representative.

b. June 25, 1878, Hempstead, Texas; s. Henry L. and Sarah L. Davis; m. Lujetta K. Morris, Oct. 22, 1909; seven children, Olenka E., b. Aug. 3, 1910; James E., b. Apr. 13, 1912; Lawrence K., b. Aug. 16, 1913; Henry L., b. Nov. 13, 1915; J. H. Morris, b. May 8, 1917; Emma Louise, b. Oct. 30, 1920; Moses C., b. Mar. 24, 1922; educ. Prairie View N. & I. Coll., Texas 1896-1903; A.B., 1903; Teacher and Principal, 1896-1918; Conductor, State Summer Sch., 1902-03-06-10-14; Religious Sec., Y.M.C.A., 1918-19; Life Insurance Representative, 1919-present; mem. Masons; American Woodmen; Grand United Order of Odd Fellows; U. B. of Friendship; Chairman of Civic League, 1903-12; Committeeman, Civic League, 1912-18; Vice Pres., Civic League, 1925-26; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Residence, 3630 Dunbar St., Dallas, Texas.

DAVIS, JOHN ALBERT—Lawyer.

b. Oct. 31, 1895, Navasota, Texas; s. Manuel and Almata (Love) Davis; educ. Dallas High Sch., 1909-13; Howard Univ., 1913-21; A.B., LL.B., Howard Univ.; Lawyer, 1922-present; member of the Missouri State Legislature, 1927-29; Pres., Young People's Fellowship Club; Pres., Sixth Ward Republican League Club; Pres., Mound City Bar Assn.; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Elks, Masons, K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 11 N. Jefferson St.; Residence, Pine St. Y.M.C.A., St. Louis, Mo.

DAVIS, JOHN WARREN—College President.

b. Feb. 11, 1888, Milledgeville, Ga.; s. Robert Marion and Katie (Mann) Davis; m. Bessie Rucker, Aug. 24, 1916 (deceased); second marriage, Ethel McGhee, Sept. 2, 1932; three children, Constance Rucker; Dorothy Long; Caroline Florence; educ. Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1911; A.M., Morehouse Coll., 1920; studied Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill., 1911-13; D.Litt., State Coll., Orangeburg, S. C., 1931; LL.D., Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, Ohio, 1939; LL.D. (Honorary) Howard Univ., 1940; Teacher, Morehouse Coll., 1911-15; Registrar, Morehouse Coll., 1914-17; Executive Sec., 12th Street Branch Y. M. C. A., Washington, D. C., 1917-19; Pres., West Virginia State Coll., Institute, W. Va., 1919-present; mem. President Hoover's Organization on Unemployment Relief; National Advisory Committee on Education of Negroes; National Land Grant College Survey Staff, 1928; National Advisory Committee on Education,

1929-31; mem. Commission on Institutions of Higher Education of North Central Assn of Colleges, 1936-present; mem. National Educational Assn; National Assn of Teachers in Colored Schools; Pres., 1928; Sigma Pi Phi; Harmon Award winner in Education, 1926; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, West Virginia State College, Institute, W. Va.

DAVIS, MILES HENRY—Dentist.

b. March 1, 1900, Noble's Lake, Ark.; s. Miles Dewey and Mary (Luster) Davis; m. Cloots Mae Henry, June 16, 1924; three children, Dorothy Mae, b. May 10, 1925; Miles Dewey, III, b. May 26, 1926; Vernon Napoleon, b. Nov. 3, 1929; educ. Arkansas State Normal Sch., Pine Bluff, Ark.; B.S., Arkansas Baptist Coll., Little Rock, Ark., 1919; Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa.; D.D.S., Northwestern Univ., Chicago, Ill., 1924; Dentist, 1924-present; State Educational Director, Elks, 1930-present; mem. Elks; Masons; K. of P.; American Woodmen; Omega Psi Phi; N.A.A.C.P.; National Medical Assn.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 3 N. 15th St., East St. Louis, Ill.

DAVIS, PRIMAS D.—Fraternal Officer.

b. Mar. 13, 1882, Mt. Meigs, Ala.; s. Primas D. and Elizabeth (Barch) Davis; m. Mary E. Carter, June 9, 1906; nine children; Rosa M.; Mary A.; Lillian B.; Primas D., Jr.; Elizabeth E.; Catherine E.; Marcus M.; Virginia E.; Edith C.; educ. Mt. Meigs Inst., 1897; Grand Secretary, Masonic Grand Lodge of Ala., 5 years; auth. "Co-Operation in Business;" "Masonic Corner Stone and Burial Ceremony;" Founder and Pres., Birmingham Civic and Commercial Assn.; Pres., Alabama State Bus. League; Dis. Pres., B.Y.P.U. Convention; mem. Bd. of Trustees, Spelman Coll. of Atlanta, Ga.; ex-Trustee of Tuggle Inst., Birmingham, Ala.; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist (Deacon); Address, 1630 N. 4th Ave.; Residence, 1210 Charles St., Birmingham, Ala.

DAVIS, THOMAS RUSSELL—High School Principal.

b. June 7, 1890, Fort Smith, Ark.; s. Chall and Sallie (Bailey) Davis; m. Susie Williams, Dec. 30, 1920; one child, Harriet Anne, b. Dec. 23, 1930; educ. Elem. sch., Fort Smith, Ark.; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1914; A.M., Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill., 1920; auth. "Negro Indentured Servitude in the United States," pub. The Associated Publishers, Washington, D. C., 1923; Professor, Sociology and History, Philander Smith Coll., Little Rock, Ark., 1916-22; Sergeant and Company Clerk, U. S. Army, 1918; Pres., Walden Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1922-26; Pres., Samuel Huston Coll., Austin, Tex., 1926-30; Professor, Sociology and History, Tennessee A. and I. State Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1930-31; Principal, Austin High Sch., Knoxville, Tenn., 1931-present; mem. National Assn. of Secondary School Principals; National Education Assn.; National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Sch.; American Sociological Society; Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Austin High School; Residence, 603 Payne Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.

DAVIS, WILLIAM ALLISON—Teacher.

b. Oct. 14, 1902, Washington, D. C.; s. John A. and Gabrielle (Beale) Davis; educ. William Coll., 1920-'24; A.B., 1924; Harvard Univ., 1924-'25;

A.M., 1925; Teacher of English, College Dept. of Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1925-present; mem. Phi Beta Kappa; Omega Psi Phi; auth. Essays in College and Fraternal publications; Address, 5835 Kimbark Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He was Valedictorian of his class on graduating from Williams College, received the degree A.B. (Summa cum laude), elected to Phi Beta Kappa and was the highest prize winner in English.

DAVIS, WILLIAM LEONARD—School Principal.

b. Jan. 6, 1875, Hallettsville, Lavaca Co., Tex.; s. James and Leathy (Burt) Davis; m. Emma Roselle Sampson, July 1, 1906; educ. Paul Quinn Coll.; B.S., Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View, Tex., 1928; Principal, Gregory Elementary Sch., and Principal, Harper Junior High Night Sch., Houston, Texas; Grand Master, United Brothers of Friendship and Sisters of Mysterious Ten, of Texas; Deacon, Antioch Baptist Church; Supt., Antioch Baptist Sunday Sch.; Secretary, Texas Baptist Sunday School Convention; Auditor, Colored Teachers State Assn. of Texas; mem. Inter-Racial Commission; N.A.A.C.P.; mem. Masons; Pilgrims; American Woodmen; U.B.F. and S.M.T.; W.O.W.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 419½ Milam St.; Residence, 1504 Dowling St., Houston, Texas.

DAWSON, WILLIAM LEVI—Director of Music.

b. Sept. 23, 1898, Anniston, Ala.; s. George W. and Eliza M. Dawson; m. Cornella D. Lampton, May, 1927 (deceased); educ. Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala., 1914-'21; Washburn Coll., Topeka, Kansas, 1921-'22; Chicago Musical Coll., Chicago, Ill.; Horner Inst. of Fine Arts, Kansas City, Mo. 1922-'25; Mus.B. Horner Inst., 1925; Mus.M., American Conservatory, 1927; Studied with Dr. Carl Busch, Kansas City, Missouri; traveled with Tuskegee Inst. Singers, five years; Tenor Singer and Trombonist Soloist, Redpath Chautauqua, June, 1921-Sept., 1921; Director of Music, Kansas Vocational Coll., Topeka, Kansas, Sept. 1921-'22; Director of Music, Lincoln High Sch., Kansas City, Mo., 1922-1926; Conductor, Ebenezer's A.M.E. Church Choir; mem. Chicago Civic Orchestra, 1927-'30; comp. "Forever Thine," "I Couldn't Hear Nobody Pray," pub. H. T. Fitzsimmons, Chicago, Ill., 1921; "Jump Back Honey, Jump Back," pub. H. T. Fitzsimmons, 1922; "Go to Sleep"; "King Jesus Is Listening"; "My Lord What a Mourning"; "Talk About a Child That Do Love Jesus, Here Is One," pub. H. T. Fitzsimmons, 1925; "The Mongrel Yank," male chorus; "Out on the Fields," "You Got to Reap Just What You Sow," "Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley," "Break, Break, Break," "My Heart's Aflame," "Lover's Plighted," pub. Gamble Hinged Music Co., Chicago; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, Tuskegee Institute, Ala.

He entered Tuskegee at the age of fifteen. He was soon admitted to the Band and Orchestra of that Institution, and then given an appointment as Music Librarian. While in that department he learned to play all the instru-

ments in the band and orchestra. Won two prizes in his piano work. Began to write musical compositions at the age of sixteen.

On August 27, 1929, he conducted a band of sixty-one musicians and a Capella Choir, in the World's Fair Band contest which was sponsored by the Chicago Daily News. He was chosen to be one of the World's Fair Conductors. He also served as a judge in the final contest.

DEAN, WATSON R.—Dentist.

b. March 14, 1898, Sag Harbor, L. I.; s. Demar and Mary (Roscoe) Dean; educ. Coll. of Dental and Oral Surgery; D.D.S., 1922; mem. Sigma Tau Sigma; Relig. Baptist; Office, 1934 Fulton St.; Residence, 594 Herkimer St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

DEARMAN, CLARENCE—Manufacturer-Clergyman.

b. March 23, 1875, Caldwell, Texas; s. Jackson and Isabella (Johnson) Dearman; m. Myra Allen, Nov. 14, 1905; educ. Rural School; Clergyman, Inventor; Manufacturer; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 183; Residence, 1748 N. Norfolk St., Tulsa, Okla.

DeBERRY, WILLIAM NELSON—Clergyman.

b. Aug. 29, 1870, Nashville, Tenn.; s. Cass and Charlotte (Mayfield) DeBerry; m. Amanda McKissack, Sept. 6, 1899; two children, Charlotte Pearl; Anna Mae; educ. Fisk Univ., 1886-1896; B.S. Fisk Univ., 1896; Oberlin Theol. Sem., 1896-'99; B.D., 1899; D.D. Lincoln Univ., 1914; Pastor, St. John's Congregational Church, Springfield, Mass., 1899-1930; Trustee, Fisk Univ., 1914-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregational; Address, 643 Union St., Springfield, Mass.

In October, 1919, he was elected 2nd Asst. Moderator of the National Council of Congregational Churches in the United States, and in October, 1925, he was elected Recording Secretary of the American Missionary Association.

In January, 1928, awarded first prize by the Harmon Foundation of New York City for distinguished religious service.

In May, 1928, awarded the William Pynchon medal by the Springfield Publicity Club for distinguished service rendered as a citizen of Springfield, Mass.

In April, 1931, appointed by Governor Joseph B. Ely, of Massachusetts to represent the Governor and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts at the celebration of the fiftieth Anniversary of the Founding of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institution by Booker T. Washington at Tuskegee, Ala.

DE COURNEY SOLOMAN.

b. Oct. 10, 1849, Baltimore, Md.; s. Solomon and Mary (Miller) DeCourney; m. Jane Nicholas Lewis, Oct. 10, 1888; educ. Pvt. Sch.; Barber for 50 years; Retired; mem. Masons; Pol. Inde-



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pendent; Relig. St. James P.E. Ch.; Senior Warden and member of Building Committee; Pres., Maryland Home for Colored Children, 6 years; Residence, Baltimore, Md.

DEHAVEN, BURRELL BEARD—Dentist.

b. Jan. 25, 1882, Hardinsburg, Ky.; s. Solomon and Rebecca (Petty) DeHaven; m. Helen Puckett, Mar. 9, 1918; two children, Burrell B., Jr., b. July 21, 1921; Beverly J., b. Jan. 26, 1928; educ. Kentucky Normal and Industrial Inst., 1907; D.D.S. Howard Univ., 1912; Dentist, 1912-present; Captain in the World War; now Capt. Officers Reserve Corp, State of Ohio; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Ohio Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Founder and ex-Pres., Capitol City Med. and Dental Assn.; Founder and ex-Pres., Capitol City Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; mem. Masons; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Office, 700 E. Long St.; Residence, 198 S. 21st St., Columbus, Ohio.

He was the only colored dentist from Columbus to serve in the Dental Corp during the World War.

DELANEY, FRANK S.—Clergyman.

b. Feb. 4, 1880, Van Wert, Ohio; s. Isaac B. and Josephine (Wilson) Delaney; m. Leila S. Clarke, April 27, 1910; educ. Ohio State Univ., Columbus, O.; Univ. of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Gammon Theo. Sem., Atlanta, Ga., 1910; Oberlin, Social Ministry of Jesus and Applied Psychology; Pastor, College Hill and Madisonville Circuit, Cincinnati, O.; Pastor, Rush M.E. Church, Oberlin, O.; Pastor, Scott M.E. Church, Maysville, Ky., 1917; mem. (Director, Leadership Classes in Relig. Educ., Sunday School Bd., M.E. Church, Lexington Conference, including Indiana, Kentucky, Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, and Wisconsin; Inter-Racial Commission; National Playground Assn.; National Fed. Settlements; Gary Noonday Business Club; The Nat. Yard and Garden Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Central Dist. Assn. of Gary; Y.M.C.A.; Big Brothers Movement and Disaster; Com. of Red Cross for Gary District; Mason; Eastern Star; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Settlement House, 1507 Massachusetts St., Gary, Ind.

In 1920 he began with a small group in a rented store front, with an indebtedness of \$1,000, and developed what is now known as the Trinity M.E. Church and John Stewart Memorial Settlement House, located at 15th Ave. and Massachusetts St., Gary, Ind. In ten years this church and social center have been developed having a present valuation of \$150,000, fully paid for, and serving 35 different community organizations, and has a visitation of 100,000 yearly.

His practical experience and achievements in the field of religion and social service have the respect and admiration of all who know him and his work.

DEMBY, EDWARD THOMAS—Bishop.

b. Feb. 13, 1869, Wilmington, Del.; s. Thomas and Mary F. Demby; m. Nettie M. Ricks, Sept. 17, 1902; educ. Pub. Sch. of Wilmington, Del.,

and Phila., Penn.; Institute for Colored Youth, Phila., Penn.; The Century Biblical Institute (now Morgan Coll.), Baltimore, Md.; Lincoln Univ., Howard Univ., 1892-'93; continued the classic under private tutorship for two years; studied Roman Catholic Theology and the Ethics of the Holy Sacraments; B.D. Wilberforce Univ., 1893; S.T.D. University of Chicago, 1894; graduate of Matthew's Hall, Denver, Colo., 1896; special work in Hebrew, Philosophy and Psychology; D.D. Paul Quinn Coll., Waco, Texas, 1919; Litt.D. Selma Univ., 1925; Teacher in Delaware, Texas, British America and Tenn.; Deacon, 1898; Priest, 1899; P.E. Ch.; Rector St. Paul's Ch., Mason, Tenn., 1899-1900, St. Augustine's Ch., Kansas City, Mo., 1900-'02, St. Michael's Ch., Cairo, Ill., 1903; St. Peter's Ch., Key West, Fla., 1903-'07; Emmanuel Ch., Memphis, Tenn., 1907-'15; Archdeacon, 1912; Suffragan Bishop of Colored Race in Ark. and other dioceses in Province of the Southwest since Sept. 29, 1918; first Colored Bishop of Am. Ch., with jurisdiction, in U. S.; was Dean and Prof. Physical Science and Philosophy, Paul Quinn College; conducted a private academy in Denver, Colo., re-established Hoffman-St. Mary's Industrial Inst., Keeling, Tenn., and Principal, 1912-'18; Editor of two parish papers; established Christ Church, Parochial and Industrial Sch., Forest City, Ark., 1923; mem. Sigma Pi Phi; Y.M.C.A.; Residence, 1852 Cross St., Little Rock, Ark.

DENT, JESSIE COVINGTON—Pianist.

b. May 19, 1904, Houston, Texas; d. Benjamin and Jennie (Murphy) Covington; m. Albert Walter Dent, June, 1931; one child, Thomas Covington, b. March, 1932; educ. Houston Colored High Sch., 1916-'20; Oberlin Conservatory of Music, Oberlin, Ohio, 1920-'24; Mus. B., Oberlin Conservatory, 1924; Awarded four Juilliard Musical Foundation Fellowships; Piano instruction under Olga Samaroff and James Friskin, 1924-'28; Private Studio, Houston, Texas, 1928; Teacher, Bishop College, 1929-'31; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2425 Louisiana Ave., New Orleans, La.

DePRIEST, OSCAR—Congressman-Realtor.

b. March 9, 1871, Florence, Ala.; s. Alexander R. and Mary (Karsner) DePriest; m. Jessie Williams, Feb. 23, 1898; one child, Oscar Stanton; b. May 24, 1906; educ. Salina, Kansas High Sch.; Co. Nor. Sch.; came to Chicago in 1889, conducting a painting and decorating business until 1904; served as County Commissioner, Cook County, 1894-1904; real estate business, 1909-present; first Negro member of City Council, 1916-'17; Commissioner under Mayor W. H. Thompson, 1912-'22; Alderman; Delegate to three Nat. Republican Conventions; Asst. Commerce Commission of Illinois; Committeeman, Third Ward, Chicago, Ill.; Member of U. S. Congress, 1928-present; mem. Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 3439 S. State St.; Residence, 4538 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

DE REEF, GEORGE H.—Lawyer.

b. Sept. 5, 1869, Charleston, S. C.; s. Joseph Moulton Francis De Reef and Georgianna Oldfield Heriot; m. Ida Eudora Mitchell, July 10, 1917; educ. Howard Univ., 1893-1905; A.B., LL.B.; Clerk, Municipal Court, 1909-'13; Lawyer, 1913-present; admitted to practice Law, Supreme Court, D. C., 1905; Court of Appeals,

1908; Supreme Court, U. S., 1912; Supreme Court of Wisconsin, 1913; President, Columbia Bldg. & Loan Assn., Milwaukee; Director, Milwaukee Urban League, Vice-Pres.; Vice-Pres., Milwaukee Business League; mem. F. & A.M.; K.T. (32°); K. of P.; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Office, 217 Browning Bldg.; Residence, 774 Hubbard St., Milwaukee, Wis.

DES VERNEY, MRS. BERTHA WHEELER—Teacher of Voice and Piano.

b. Dallas, Texas; d. Sam and Sarah J. (Spence) Wheeler; m. Broughum C. Des Verney; educ. Pub. Sch., Dallas, Texas; graduate, Prairie View State Nor. and Indus. Coll., Prairie View, Tex.; graduate, A. Smythe Music Conservatory, Oak Cliff, Texas; studied Public School Music C. C. N. Y.; scholarship New York Sch. of Social Work Administration, and Music in Settlement Schools; Teacher, Vocal Music and Elementary Subjects, Pub. Sch., Dallas, Texas; Teacher, Vocal Sight Reading and Piano, New York City, 1915-present; Teacher, Piano Classes and Glee Club, Utopia Children's House; Director of Music, Junior Groups, Mother Zion Church; mem. Pres., Volunteer Club, New York City, 5 years; New York Charity Bureau, New York City Mis.; Recreational and Choral; Organist and Choral Director, Glee Clubs of Invincible Temple and Eureka Temple; Elks; Professional and Business Women's Club; Relig. A. M. E. Zion; Address, 100 West 119th St., New York, N. Y.

Her mother was a teacher and began to train her child in music at an early age. Started singing at five years, winning many first prizes as a Juvenile soloist. Later she won a gold medal at the Texas State Fair in a singing contest.

She entered the theatrical profession in Chicago, coming to New York in 1912, and for a number of years worked as a pianist with various orchestras.

She specializes in the organization of Junior groups.

DETT, ROBERT NATHANIEL—Composer.

b. Oct. 11, 1882, Drummondville, Ont.; s. Robert Tue and Charlotte (Johnson) Dett; m. Helen Elise Smith, Dec. 27, 1916; educ. Oliver Willis Conservatory of Music, Lockport, N. Y., 1901-'03; Mus.B. Oberlin Conservatory of Music, Oberlin, Ohio, 1908; studied Columbia Univ., N. Y.; Univ. of Penn.; Am. Conservatory of Music (Chicago); Harvard Univ.; Mus.D. (Honorary), Howard Univ., 1924; Mus.D. (Honorary), Oberlin Coll., 1926; Church and social pianist, Niagara Falls, N. Y., 1898-1902; Dir. of Music, Lane Coll., Jackson, Tenn., 1908-'11; Lincoln Inst., Jefferson City, Mo., 1911-'13; Hampton, Va., Inst., since 1913; Director, Hampton Choral Union; mem. N.E.A., Nat. Assn. Teachers of Colored Schools, National Assn. of Negro Musicians (chmn. Advisory Board since 1919); President, National Association of Negro Musicians, 1925 and 1926; Treasurer, 1926-present; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Elks; comp. "Album of a Heart" (verse), 1911; "The Magnolia Suite" (piano); "In the Bottoms" (suite for piano); "Listen to the Lambs," "The Chariot Jubilee" (motets); "America the Beautiful" (chorus); "Enchantment Suite" (for piano); also anthems, songs, etc.; Bowdoin prize, Harv-

ard, 1920, for essay, "The Emancipation of Negro Music"; Francis Boott prize, Harvard, 1920, for Motet on a Negro Motive, "Don't Be Weary, Traveler"; "Cinnamon Grove" (a sonatina); Address, Bennett College, Greensboro, N. C.

In 1919 he organized the Musical Art Society in Hampton Institute, Virginia.

In 1924 he was summoned by his home town, Niagara Falls, N. Y., to be its guest artist for the inauguration of the celebration of Music Week, at which time a chorus of one hundred voices, all white people, was placed at his disposal, to interpret his compositions. He has the distinction of being the only colored man so honored.

He is the author and editor of "Religious Folk Songs of the Negro" as sung at Hampton Institute.

On December 17, 1926, he conducted the Hampton Institute Choir of eighty voices in an unaccompanied program of ancient and modern church music, including a number of his own compositions in a recital in the Music Hall of the Library of Congress, under the auspices of the Elizabeth Sprague Coolidge Foundation.

He received the Harmon Award for Creative Achievement in Music for 1928. Was appointed Director, School of Music, Hampton Institute, 1928.

In 1929 he was in Paris, France, the pupil of Mme. Boulanger, of the Fountainebleau School of Music.

In 1930, he made a tour with the Hampton Institute Choir, to seven countries in Europe in a program of classic, modern and Negro music. In December of the same year he conducted the Hampton Glee Club in a dramatized scene, "Then and Now," which he created, winning for his organization the gold medal, the certificate of highest award, and the cash prize.

DIBBLE, E. H.—Physician.

Graduate of Atlanta University and Howard University, 1915-1919; Specializes in surgery; Medical Director, J. A. Andrew Mem. Hosp.; Formerly Chief of Surg. Sect., U. S. Veterans Hospital No. 91; mem. Masons; Alpha Phi Alpha; U. S. Army Reserve; Address, Tuskegee Institute, Ala.

DIBBLE, JOSEPH EDGAR—Physician and Surgeon.

b. Houston, Tex.; s. Rev. Elias and Malicia (Daett) Dibble; m. Sally M. Diamond, July, 1912; educ. Gregory Acad., Houston, Tex.; B.S., Wiley Coll., Marshall, Tex., 1892; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1895; Post Graduate Work, Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., 1899-1900; Physician and Surgeon, 1895-present; Surgical Staff, Wheatley Provident Hospital; Surgical Staff, General Hospital No. 2, Kansas City, Mo.; Surgical Staff, Kansas City Southern Hospital; U. S. Government Staff of Designated Surgeons; Physician Kansas City Southern Railway Co., 1916-present; Asst. Surgeon, U. S. Army Foreign Ser., 1916-pres-

ent; U. S. Government Physician and Surgeon, 7th Dist., 1925-present; 1st Lieut. Med. Corp. U. S. Army, 1917-present; Med. Examiner, Southern Security Life Ins. Co., 1924-present; mem. Research Club to encourage, foster and promote Research by Surveys, Studies and Discussions; mem. Masons; Shriners; Elks; Kappa Alpha Psi; Chi Delta Mu; Missouri Pan Med. Soc.; Kansas City Med. Soc.; Y. M. C. A.; Pres. Urban League, Kansas City, Mo., 1919-present; Address, 1518 E. 18th St.; Residence, 2208 E. 25th St., Kansas City, Mo.

DICKENS, HARVEY HORACE—Dentist.

b. Oct. 22, 1888, News Ferry, Va.; s. Eli and Susan (Ragsdale) Dickens; m. Dec. 27, 1924; one child, Harvey Horace, Jr.; educ. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1907-'13; Howard Univ., Dental Sch., 1913-'16; D.D.S. Howard Univ.; Dentist, 1916-present; mem. Citizens' League, N. Philadelphia: Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1532 W. Butler St., Philadelphia, Pa.

DICKERSON, EARL BURRUS—Asst. Attorney General.

b. June 22 1891, Canton, Miss.; s. Edward and Emma (Garrett) Dickerson; m. Kathryn Kennedy, June 14, 1930; educ. Evanston Acad., Evanston, Ill., 1909; Northwestern Univ., Evanston, Ill., 1909-'10; A.B. Univ. of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, Ill., 1914; J.D., Univ. of Chicago, Law Sch., 1920; Lawyer, 1920-present; Teacher, English, Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala., 1914; Principal, High Sch., Vincennes, Ind., 1915; First Lieut., U. S. Army, A.E.F., serving in France, 1918; General Counsel, Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Co., 1921-present; Asst. Corporation Counsel, Chicago, Ill., 1923-'27; Asst. Attorney General, State of Illinois, 1933-present; Pres., Kappa Alpha Psi, 1925-'27; Chairman, Legal Redress Committee, and Director, N.A.A. C.P., Chicago Branch; Vice Pres. and Director, Chicago Urban League; Regional Director, Democratic National Campaign, 1928; mem. Masons; National Bar Assn.; Cook County Bar Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Democrat; Address, 3501 South Parkway; Residence, 4634 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

DICKERSON, MRS. ADDIE W.—Real Estate Broker.

b. Wilmington, N. C.; d. John H. and Hester (Leonard) Whiteman; m. G. Edward Dickerson; one child, Edmund Whiteman, b. May 25, 1914 (deceased); educ. Gregory Institute; Scotia Woman's College; Temple Univ., University of Penn.; Real Estate Broker; mem. Advisory Board, Frederick Douglass Home; Advisory Board, Alice Palmer Memorial Institute; Advisory Board of Bethume-Cookman College; Vice President, International Council of Women of Darker Races; Statistician, Federation of Colored Women; Phila. Chamber of Commerce; Chairman, International Council of Church Women; National Council of Women; International League of Peace and Freedom; International Council of Women; auth. "Anti-Slavery Women," "Status of Negro Women in America." Represented National Association at International Council of Women, 1924; Represented American Women in Fourth Pan-African Conference, 1927; Co-Organizer of Y.W.C.A., Phila., Pa.; Delegate, Pres. Hoover's Conferences at White House, Washington, D. C., 1931; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Office, 16th and

Bainbridge Sts.; Residence, 4800 Chester Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

DICKERSON, G. EDWARD—Lawyer.

b. April 24, 1873, Chase City, Va.; s. Edmund and Margaret (Purvey) Dickerson; educ. Thyne Institute, Chase City, Va., 1891; Temple Univ., Phila., Pa., 1897-1902; LL.B. Temple Univ., 1902; Lawyer, 1902-present; Asst. Solicitor, City of Philadelphia, 1928-present; mem. Trustee, Bethume-Cookman College; Phila. Chamber of Commerce; Philadelphia Board of Trade; Academy of Political and Social Science; Citizens' Republican Club; Regional Director, National Bar Assn.; President, John M. Langston Bar Assn.; Law Academy of Philadelphia; National Assn. for the Advancement of Colored People; Pol. Republican; Relig. Union Baptist; Office, 16th and Bainbridge Sts.; Residence, 4800 Chester Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

DICKERSON, NOY JASPER—School Principal

b. Sept. 17, 1892, Elkhorn, W. Va.; s. Rev. Charles M. and Maria (Higginbotham) Dickerson; m. Elizabeth Moore, 1921; educ. Bluefield W. Va.; Bluefield State Teachers Coll., Bluefield, W. Va.; North Carolina A. and T. Coll., Greensboro, N. C.; Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md.; Univ. of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Univ. of Michigan, auth. "Original Poetry," 1927; "A Scrap Book," 1931; "Who's Who in Bluefield, W. Va." 1941; Principal, Mora Sch., McComas, W. Va., 1923-'24; Teacher, Pageton Sch., Pageton, W. Va., 1925-'26; Teacher, Social Science, Anawalt Jr. High Sch., Anawalt, W. Va., 1927-'30; Principal, Filbert Sch., Filbert, W. Va., 1930-31; Principal, Jenkin Jones, W. Va., 1931-37; Instructor, Dept. of Vocational Education, Mer. Co. Schools, 1937-present; served ten months with 802d Infantry Regiment, U.S.A., in France and England; mem. National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; West Virginia State Teachers' Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Christian; Address, Box 83, Bluefield, W. Va.

DIGGS, CHARLES COLES—Deputy Pardons Commission—Funeral Director.

b. Jan 2, 1894 Tallula, Miss.; s. James Horace and Lillian A. (Grandison) Diggs; m. Mayme F. Jones, June 19, 1919; one child, Charles Coles, Jr., b. Dec. 2, 1923; educ. Alcorn Coll., Alcorn, Miss., 1911; Eckels Coll. of Embalming, Philadelphia, Pa., 1919; Funeral Director, Detroit, Mich., 1919-present; Publisher, Detroit Telegram, Detroit, Mich., 1926-27; Organizer and Founder, Detroit Memorial Park Cemetery; one of the first directors, Y. M. C. A. Detroit, Mich., ex-Pres. and one of Organizers and Founders; U. S. National Auto Club; Past Exalted Ruler, Elks; Deputy Commissioner Pardons and Paroles, State of Michigan, 1933-present; ex-Commander, Woodman, Detroit, Mich.; Organizer and one of Founders, Michigan Democratic League; Trustee, Calvary Baptist Church; mem. Elks; Woodmen; Y. M. C. A.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 689 Mack Ave., Detroit, Mich.

He is the first Colored man to be appointed on the Commission of Pardons and Paroles in the State of Michigan.

He is the organizer and founder of many of the Colored enterprises in the City of Detroit.

DIGGS, JAMES DANIEL—Realtor.

b. Jan. 10, 1894, Sumter Co., S. C.; s. James

Grantham and Clara (Howard) Diggs; m. Emily Virginia Watts; educ. Lincoln High Sch., Sumter, S. C.; Agricultural and Mechanical Coll., Orangeburg, S. C.; City College, New York City, N. Y.; Pres., J. Daniel Diggs Realty Co.; Real Estate and Ins. Broker, 1923-present; Notary Public; mem. Masons; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 341 Halsey St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

DIGGS, OLIVE MYRL—Newspaper Business Manager.

b. April 22, 1907, Mound City, Ill.; d. Charles G. and Blanche (Chambers) Diggs; educ. High Sch., Danville, Ill.; Illinois State Normal, Normal, Ill., 1925-'26; Univ. of Illinois, 1926-'29; Graduate Northwestern Univ., 1937; Survey of Negro in Industry, Ft. Wayne, Ind., 1927; Auditor, Chicago Bee Newspaper, 1929-'30; Business Manager, Chicago Bee, 1930-34; Editor, Chicago Bee, 1934-present; mem. Iota Phi Lambda Sorority; Literary Guild; Pol. Independent; Relig. Christian Science; Address, 3653 S. State St.; Residence, 4635 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

DILLARD, ALLEN—Funeral Director.

b. Dec. 4, 1862, Gatesville, N. C.; s. James and Caroline (Dildy) Dillard; m. first wife, Lorina Ballard, April, 1884; second wife, Lillian C. Sharp, Nov. 22, 1922; five children, Nolvena, Mazie, Warren, Della, Alice; educ. Public Sch., Gatesville, N. C.; Funeral Director, 1901-present; Deacon and Trustee, Holy Trinity Baptist Ch., Brooklyn, N.Y.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 468 Franklin Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y.

DILLARD, MRS. LILLIAN C.—Funeral Director.

b. May 4, 1887, Leakesville, N. C.; d. Robert and Lucy (Sharp) Cutter; m. Allen Dillard, Oct. 4, 1921; educ. Pub Sch., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Ingle-side Sem., Burkeville, Va.; Funeral Director, 1924-present; Relig. Seventh Day Adventist; Address, 468 Franklin Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

DILLON, MRS. NELLIE SCOTT BISHOP—Teacher.

b. March 28, 1900, Chicago, Ill.; d. Harry and Lizzie (Scott) Bishop; m. M. A. Dillon, Aug. 8, 1918; two children, Augustus, b. April 19, 1920; Harrold, b. March 25, 1921; educ. Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala., 1915-19; Diploma, 1919; Home Economics Teacher Trainer, Prairie View Coll., Prairie View, Tex.; mem. Women's Club Work; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, Box 126, Prairie View College, Prairie View, Texas.

DINKINS, WILLIAM HOVER—University President.

b. June 28, 1890, Marion Ala.; s. Charles Spencer and Pauline Elizabeth (Fears) Dinkins; m. Almedia Lavinia Burwell, Sept. 24, 1919; three children, Charles Laconia, b. Oct. 14, 1920; Pauline Lavinia, b. March 10, 1922; William Burwell, b. Dec. 1, 1925; educ. Selma Univ., Selma, Ala., Normal Dept., 1904; A. B., Brown Univ., Providence, R. I., 1912; La Salle Extension Univ., Chicago, Ill., Diploma in Accounting, 1919; Univ. of Chicago, Graduate Dept. Education Summer Term, 1920; A.M., Columbia Univ., New York City, Teachers Coll., 1931; auth. "Taxation and Health," an article in Taxation Quarterly, Jan., 1928; Teacher, Selma Univ., Ala., 1912-17; 1919-present; Dean, Selma Univ., 1914-17; 1919-32; Acting President, 1929-30;

Executive Officer, 1932-present; Pres., 1935-present; 1st Lieut., 366th Infantry, U. S. Army, 1917-19; Deacon, Tabernacle Baptist Church, Selma, Ala., mem. Alabama State Teachers' Assn.; Phi Beta Kappa; Pol. Single Tax; Relig. Baptist; Address, Selma Univ.; Residence, 700 Small Ave., Selma, Ala.

DISMOND, H. BINGA—Physician.

b. Dec. 27, 1891, Richmond, Va.; s. Dr. Samuel Henry and Jessie (Cornelia) Binga; educ. Pub. Sch., Richmond, Va.; Virginia Union Univ.; Howard Univ.; B.S., Univ. of Chicago, 1917; M.D., Rush Med. Coll., 1921; m. Geraldyn Hodges, Dec. 15, 1917; Interne, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill.; Physician, specializing in electrotherapy and X-ray, 1922-present; mem. Medical Staff, Harlem Hospital; Alpha Phi Alpha; Past Exalted Rulers, Council of Elks; Masons; K. of P.; Buffalos; Foresters; Mechanics; New York Sons and Daughters of Virginia; 1931, organized the Emergency Industrial Service (registered), the only Workmen's Compensation Clinic in Harlem; Relig. Baptist; Address, 245 West 139th St., New York, N. Y.

He won his "C" and for three years was Western Inter-Collegiate Conference Champion for the quarter-mile sprint. His record for this distance is 47:2/5 seconds, made in 1916, equals the world's record and is still standing.

During the World War he served as First Lieutenant, overseas with 370th Infantry U.S. N.G. (The Old Eighth Illinois) and actively engaged in the service for eighteen months.

He was elected President, Society American Friends of Haiti, and was decorated February 23, 1938, by the Republic of Haiti to the grade of Chevalier of the National Order of Honor and Merit for services rendered following the Haitian-Dominican Massacres in 1937.

DITON, CARL ROSSINI—Musician-Composer.

b. Oct. 30, 1886, Philadelphia, Penn.; s. Samuel James and Phoebe W. (Harvey) Diton; m. Effie Annelda Jackson, June 8, 1914; educ. Institute for Colored Youth, Phila., Penn., 1898-'02; Central High School, Phila., Penn., 1902-'05; B.S. 1905-'07; Music at Univ. of Penn.; college, 1907-'09; Conductor, 1910; Pianist and Teacher, 1910-'12; Composer, 1914; Baritone, 1925; mem. Nat. Organizer, Nat. Assn. of Negro Musicians, Inc.; Chairman, Composition Advisory Board; President, Nat. Assn. Negro Musicians, Inc., 1926-'28; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Fisk Univ. Club of Phila., Penn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Residence, 1975 7th Ave., New York, N. Y.

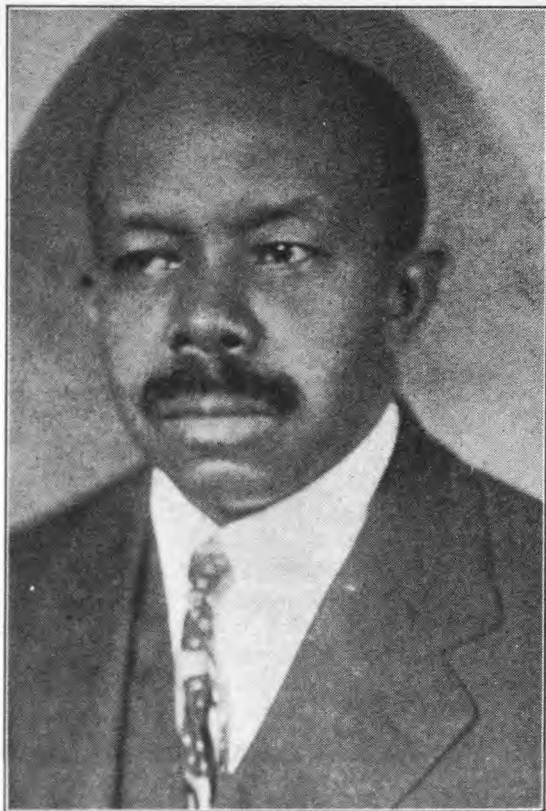
The first transcontinental tour by a Negro pianist was made by Mr. Diton, 1909-1910. Upon his return East he went to Munich, Germany for further study, and returning in 1911, was Director of Music at Paine College, Augusta, Ga., from 1911 to 1914.

In 1914 he won the first prize in a National Negro Music Composition contest.

After being Director of Music at Wiley Col-



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H. BINGA DISMOND, M.D.

tables, 1922-present; contr. Articles to Crusader Magazine; "Private Property a Pillar of Prejudice"; "What are we—Negroes or Colored People?" "Capitalism, the Mother of Colonialism"; Essay, "Attitude of Negroes towards Socialism"; Editor, The Negro World, 1918-'19; Contributing Editor, Messenger Magazine; Founded Emancipator (Weekly newspaper); Pol. Socialist; Address, 267 W. 113th St., New York, N. Y.

DONNELL, CLYDE—Physician.

b. Aug. 4, 1890, Greensboro, N. C.; s. Smith and Lulu (Ingold) Donnell; m. Martha Merrick, Dec. 10, 1919; educ. A. and T. Coll., Greensboro, N. C., 1907; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1911; M.D., Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass., 1915; Post-Graduate, X-ray and Physiotherapy, Harvard Univ., 1922-'24-'26; Physician and Surgeon, 1915-present; Medical Director, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co., Durham, N. C., 1920-present; Vice Pres., Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Durham, N. C., and Raleigh, N. C., 1921-present; Vice Pres., Mutual Building and Loan Assn., 1921-present; Vice Pres., Mortgage Co., 1921-present; Pres., Durham Academy of Medicine, 1919-present; Sec. and Treas., Old North State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; ex-General Sec. and Business Manager, National Medical Assn; Visiting Physician, Lincoln Hospital, Durham, N. C., 1931-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; N.A.A.C.P.; Inter-Racial Commission; Urban League; National Negro Business League; Address, Mutual Building, 106 Parrish St.; Residence, 506 Fayetteville St., Durham, N. C.

DORSEY, JOSEPH—Editor.

b. May 30, 1863, Baltimore, Md.; s. Charles and Airy (Baker) Dorsey; m. Mary Norriss, June 1, 1891; four children, Walter J.; Charles M.; Josephine; Margaret; Editor, Crusader; attended 11 National Republican Conventions; National Republican Committeeman, 25 years; knowing personally many of the more prominent men of his party such as President Harrison, President McKinley, Sen. Mark Hanna, Sen. Foraker, Sen. Penrose, General James S. Clarkson, General T. Coleman DuPont; Relig. Methodist; Address, 1344 N. Stricker St., Baltimore, Md.

DOTY, EDWARD S.—School Principal.

b. July 16, 1866, Caddo Parish, La.; s. David and Agnes (Sheppard) Doty; m. Amelia Anne Overton, March 13, 1892; seven children, Gertrude A., b. Nov. 16, 1892; Ernestine E., b. April 29, 1894; David M., b. Feb. 18, 1896; Inez, b. March 8, 1898; Lyda, b. Jan. 19, 1901; Alice, b. Nov. 27, 1902; Virgil E., b. Oct. 12, 1904; educ. Prairie View State Normal Sch., Prairie View, Tex., 1888; Teacher, 1888-present; Principal, Douglass High Sch., McKinney, Tex., —present; Pres., McKinney Humane Soc.; Supt., St. James Chapel Sunday Sch., 1906-present; mem. Parent-Teachers' Assn.; Mason; Relig. C.M.E. Church; Address, McKinney, Texas.

DOUGLASS, JOSEPH H.—Concert Violinist.

b. 1871, Washington, D. C.; s. Charles R. and Mary Elizabeth Douglass; m. Fannie Howard, 1907; two children, Blanche E., b. 1908; Frederick Douglass III, b. 1914; educ. High Sch., Washington, D. C.; studied at New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, Mass.; Washington, D. C.;

Boston Conservatory of Music, Boston, Mass.; private instruction in Europe; Director, Violin Department, Howard Univ., Conservatory of Music; Solo Violinist and Director of Violin Department, Music Sch. Settlement, New York, N. Y., 1911-14; Director and Member of Musical Art Club, Washington, D. C.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 1320 U Street, Washington, D. C.

DOUGLAS, AARON—Art Teacher-Artist.

b. May 26, 1898, Topeka, Kansas; s. Aaron and Elizabeth (Demoss) Douglas; educ. Topeka High Sch., 1914-'18; Univ. of Nebraska, 1918-'22; B.F.A., 1922; Winold Reiss Art Sch., Painting and Designing, 1925-26; Art Teacher, Lincoln High Sch., Kansas City, Mo., 1923-'25; Drawing for New Negro Vanity Fair, Theatre Arts, Crisis, Opportunity, New York Sun, Boston Transcript, American Mercury; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Residence, 409 Edgcombe Ave., New York, N. Y.

DOUGLAS, FREDERICK—Clergyman.

b. Feb. 19, 1932, Edwardsville, Ill.; s. Arnold and Henrietta (Samuels) Douglas; m. Mamie A. Randell, May 8, 1894; educ. Edwardsville High Sch., Edwardsville, Ill.; Clergyman, 1895-present; Pastor, Edith Chapel, Pulaski County, Ill., 1905-'06; Pastor, A.M.E. Church, Harrisburg, Ill., 1906-'11; Pastor, A.M.E. Church, Marion, Ill., 1911-'16; Principal, Douglass High Sch., Marion, Ill., 1911-'16; Pastor, Ward Chapel, Cairo, Ill., 1916-'20; Pastor, Bethel A.M.E. Church, Baltimore, Md., 1920-'25; Organizer and Pastor, Cosmopolitan Community Church, Baltimore, Md., 1925-present; Pres., Annual Council of Community Churches of America, 1931-present; mem. Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Non-Denominational; Address, 1327 Madison Ave.; Residence 1325 Madison Ave., Baltimore, Md.

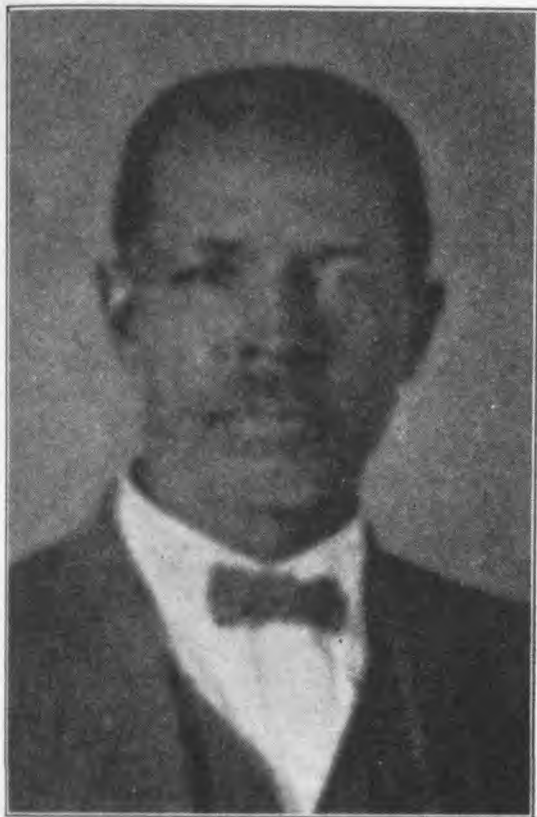
DOUGLAS, SAMUEL BYRD—Educator-Fraternal Deputy.

b. Huntsville, Ala.; s. Samuel and Mathilda (Penny) Douglas. m. Mathilda Rigney, 1910; educ. A. and M. Coll., Normal, Ala.; Teacher, Carmel Sch., Chase, Ala., 15 years; Teacher, Brandon Sch., Huntsville, Ala., 1 year; Teacher, Rosenwald Sch., Leighton, Ala., 1 year; Teacher, Public Sch., Minrock, Ala., 2 years; Teacher, Pub Sch., Scottsboro, Ala., 1 year; Supervising Deputy, American Woodman, 13 years; Ruling Elder, Presbyterian Church; mem. American Woodman; N.A.A.C.P.; Inter-Racial Commission; Y.M.C.A.; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 428½ E. 9th St., Chattanooga, Tenn.

DOUGLAS, STANLEY MORELAND—Lawyer.

b. April 30, 1898, Danville, Va.; s. Dan and Cora (Price) Douglas; m. Margaret Catherine Smith; educ. Howard Univ. 1916-'20; A.B., 1920; Fordham Univ., 1920-23, LL.B., 1923; Lawyer, 1924-present; mem. Mem. Board of Managers, Carlton Ave. Branch, Y.M.C.A.; Pres., Brooklyn N. A.A.C.P., 1929-31; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Democratic; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 198 Broadway; Residence, 516 Halsey St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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DOUGLAS, WINSTON—High School Principal.

b. June 13, 1895, Danville, Va.; s. Doctor and Cora Douglass; m. Nellie Alexander; two children, Winston; Cromwell; educ. A.B., Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa.; A.M., Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y.; Dean, St. Paul Nor. Sch., Norfolk, Va.; Principal, Norfolk High School, Norfolk, Va.; Chairman Board, Y.M.C.A.; Deputy Commissioner, Boy Scouts; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Independent; Relig. Protestant Episcopal; Address, Norfolk High School; Residence, 860 Rugby St., Norfolk, Va.

DOVE, MRS. LILLIAN SINGLETON—Physician.

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He enlisted in the World War and was stationed at Camp Zachary, Taylor, Ky., serving

as mess Sergeant with Co. 65, Depot Brigade, and conducting a night school. Later he was transferred to Camp Upton, New York, from which point he sailed on the ship Olympic for France. After the signing of the Armistice he returned to the United States on the steamer Celtic, returning to Camp Zachary Taylor, Ky., where he received his honorable discharge.

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DREW, HOWARD—Lawyer.

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His service as an engineer has been with the Pennsylvania Railroad, the Missouri Pacific Railroad, the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad, and George W. Jackson, Inc., tunnel builders. He served as special representative and expert for George W. Jackson, Inc., during the investigation by the municipality of the contractor's work. He was designing engineer in the Bridge Division of the City of Chicago, for the Local Transportation Commission of the City of Chicago during the subway investigation, and for the Sanitary District. In 1921, he was appointed member of the Chicago Zoning Commission where he gave special attention to zoning problems as they affected members of his race in the City of Chicago.

By examination, he was commissioned a structural engineer under the laws of the State of Illinois and entered the independent practice of that profession in 1922. From that time, he has been engaged principally in the design and construction of buildings.

He served for over three years as a member of the Eighth Regiment, Illinois National Guard, serving one year as a private and two years as first lieutenant, during which time he saw service on the Mexican border in 1916 and acted as engineer officer for his regiment.

DUMAS, A. W.—Physician.

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The Detroit Y. M. C. A. Building represents an investment of over half a million dollars. The personnel consists of thirty-seven persons.

In 1926 Mr. Dunbar attended the World's Conference of the Young Men's Christian Association, held in Helsingfors, Finland.

DUNCAN, EDWARD T.—Principal.

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DUNJEE, ROSCOE—Publisher, Editor.

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One of Organizers and Sec., Oklahoma Commission on Inter-racial Cooperation, five years; mem. Executive Committee National Negro Business League; 1922-present; Regional Director, Elk's Oratorical Contest, 2 years. his entry receiving \$1,000 Scholarship at the Philadelphia meeting in 1930. elected mem. Executive Council, Assn. for the Study of Negro Life and History. 1938; Pres., N. A. A. C. P., Oklahoma State organizing 25 active branches in the State during his term as President; mem. National Board of Directors, N. A. A. C. P.; Pol. Democrat; Address, 324 East 2nd St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

Editor Dunjee prepared himself for his newspaper career by writing and working for and with every newspaper venture started in Oklahoma City. He wrote news copy and later editorials for a period of more than 10 years so that at the time he started to publish the Black Dispatch in November, 1915, he was prepared to carry on his life work.

Aside from his newspaper activities he interested himself in every factor for the betterment of the Race. He organized the Negro Business League of the State, the State Commission on Interracial Cooperation and the N. A. A. C. P., being given the Merit Award by the latter organization for outstanding service. This award was made in St. Louis in 1935 before more than 3,000 people.

Although a militant and vigorous fighter for Race rights, he has a host of white friends. He has been asked to appear before classes at Oklahoma Universities many times in the past ten years. He also delivered addresses in white churches in Oklahoma City and State on Inter-racial matters.

During the World War he was named by Gov. R. L. Williams of Oklahoma, as an election Commissioner to hold an election for the Negro soldiers then encamped at Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa. He was also named Chairman of the County Council of Defense, Oklahoma County, Okla., during the World War and had charge of everything having to do with Colored soldiers in this county.

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DWIGGINS, HORACE G.—Physician and Surgeon.

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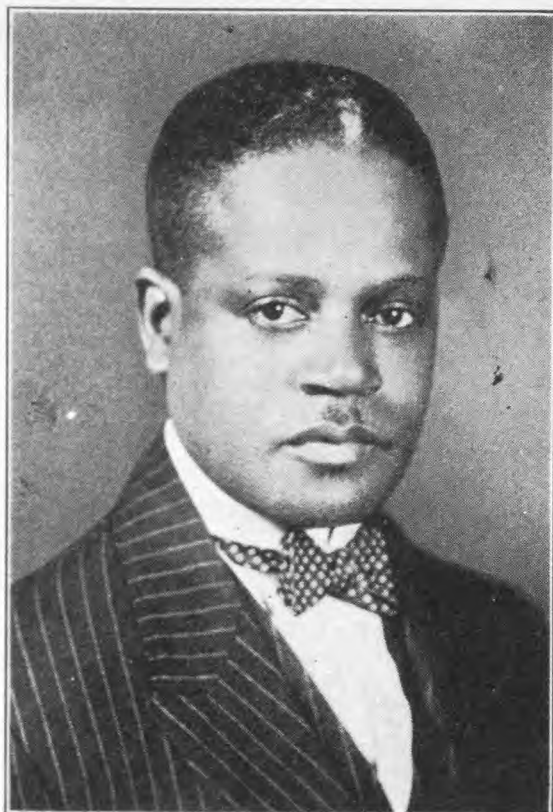
b. Jan. 31, 1890, Port-Au-Spain, Trinidad, B.W.I.; s. Joseph and Laura (Graves) Dyer; m. Elestine B. Thomas, Dec. 15, 1924; one child, Estizer L.; educ. Tranquility Boys High Sch., Trinidad; Howard Univ.; Meharry Med. Coll., 1911-15; M.D., 1915; Phy., 1915-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Sec. Executive Bd., Georgia State Med. Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Treas., Macon Acad. of Med., Dentistry and Phar.; Director, Middle Georgia Savings and Investment Corp.; Masons; Exalted Ruler, Elks, Macon, Ga.; K. of P.; St. Luke; Address, 117 Tatnal St., Macon, Ga.

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b. Apr. 10, 1889, London, Tenn.; s. Joseph and Sarah Edgington; m. Della Mae Reid, May 30, 1923; two children, Maria Aleese; Arthur Reid; educ. A. B., Swift Mem. Coll., 1906; A.M., S.T.B., Lincoln Univ., 1915; Instructor, Mathematics and Martin Foundation Chair of English Bible, Swift Memorial Coll., 1915-26; Dean, Swift Memorial Coll., 1916-26; Principal, High Sch., Sweetwater, Tenn., 1926-present; President, East Tennessee Teachers' Association, 1920; Chairman, Nat. Mission Presbyterian Church, U.S.A.; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Address, Sweetwater, Tenn.

EDINGTON, WILLARD DORONDO—Clergyman.

b. May 13, 1879, Loudon, Tenn.; s. Joseph A. and Sarah A. (Lenoir) Edington; m. Swannye Mae Brown, July 24, 1928; educ. Freedmans Normal Inst., 1894-98; College and Teachers Course, 1899-1900; B.S., Butler College, 1899-1901; D.D., University of Edinburgh, 1912; Summer Work, Chicago University; Editor, Cumberland Flag; Pastor, First Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Sweetwater, Tenn.; Sunday School Missionary and Director Young People's Work in Christian Education; mem. Board of Missions, Cumberland Presbyterian Denomination; Young Men's Immediate Relief; Grand Chaplain, Grand Lodge Masons; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Cumberland Presbyterian; Address, 206 Ferry Street, Loudon, Tenn.

EDMEAD, JEDEDIAH—Clergyman.

b. Oct. 3, 1855, St. Kitts, B.W.A.; s. Edward and Maria (Willett) Edmead; m. Fannie Brvan, May 11, 1880; seven children, Lemona, Wilfred, Harold, Arthur, Reginald, Helen, Lillian; educ. Public Schools, St. Kitts, B.W.I.; studied for the ministry at Sisters of Bethany, Topeka, Kans., 1912-16; Clerk in shipping office; planter in B.W.I., for twenty-five years; came to U. S., in 1906; charge of missionary work among colored people, Oklahoma City Okla., 1916; ordained, 1916; Priest-in-Charge, Church of the Crucifixion, New York, 1916-present; mem. Masons; Address, 205 W. 142nd St., New York, N. Y.

EDWARDS, DENNIS—Real Estate Operator.

b. 1893, Barbados, B.W.I.; s. William and Evangeline (Bellamy) Edwards; m. Gladys Wilson, Dec. 19, 1917; two children, Ralph, b. Oct. 11, 1919; Dennis, Jr., b. Aug. 23, 1922; educ. Public and High Schools, Barbados, B.W.I.; Rhodes Prep. School, New York City; Northwestern Univ., Evanston, Ill.; Real Estate Operator, 1924-present; Sec., C. E. E. Realty Company, 1927-present; Sec., Uptown Real Estate Board of Brokers; Sec.-Treas., 207-209 West 115th St. Holding Corp., 1928-present; was Secretary of Wadsworth Republican Club; Trustee, Manhattan Lodge of Elks, 1929; Address, 60 West 127th Street, New York, N. Y.

EDWARDS, GASTON ALONZO—High School Principal.

b. April 12, 1875, Belvoir, N. C.; s. William G. and Mary E. (Edwards) Edwards; m. Catherine Ruth Norris, Sept. 1, 1909; four children, Ruth Norris;

Melba Hines; Hazel Lily; Gerald Alonza; educ. B.S., Agri. and Mech. Coll., 1901; M.S., Cornell Univ., 1909; President, Kittrell Coll., 1917-29; Principal, Hillside Park High Sch., Durham, N. C., 1929-present; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 1208 Fayetteville St., Durham, N. C.

EDWARDS, GEORGE W., JR.—High School Principal.

b. March 9, 1898, Houston, Texas; s. George W. and Fannie Edwards; m. Edna E. Jones, Nov. 22, 1914; one child, Annie Mae, b. April 17, 1916; educ. Gonzales High Sch., Gonzales, Texas, 1911; Prairie View State Normal and Industrial Coll., Prairie View, Texas, Diploma, 1913; A.B., Gaudalupe Coll., Seguin, Texas, 1930; B.S., Prairie View Coll., 1930; Teacher, Public Schools, eighteen years; Principal, Gonzales Colored High Sch., Gonzales, Texas, 1919-present; Minister, 1914-present; Pres., South Texas Teachers Assn.; 1929-31; mem. Masons; Texas State Teachers Assn.; Amer. Woodmen; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 484, Gonzales, Texas.

EDWARD, NAPOLEON BONAPARTE—Educator.

b. Gonzales, Texas; s. George Washington and Ellen (Matthews) Edward; educ. Colored High Sch., Gonzales, Texas; Prairie View State Nor. and Ind. Coll., Prairie View, Texas; Tuskegee Inst., Ala.; B.S., Western Univ., Kansas City, Kans., 1923; Principal, Guadalupe County Tr. Sch., for several years; Prof., English, Grant Junior High Sch., San Antonio, Texas, 1923-24; Editor, Prairie Standard, Prairie View, Texas; Executive Sec., Prairie View Nor. and Ind. Coll.; Organized the first recognized colored rural high school in Texas, 1910; Sec., Alumni Assn., Prairie View State Normal and Ind. Coll.; Committeeman National Negro Press Assn.; Address, Prairie View, Texas; Residence, 2202 Nevada St., San Antonio, Texas.

EDWARDS, THYRA J.—Social Worker.

b. Dec. 25, 1897; d. Horace F. and Anna Bell (Johnson) Edwards; educ. Houston Public Schools; Chicago School of Civics and Philanthropy, 1920; Kent Coll. of Law, 1925; Teacher, Houston Public Schools, 1915-19; Family Visitor, Houston Social Service Bureau, 1919-20; Teacher, Physical Education, Gary Public Schools, 1920-21; Juvenile Probation Officer of Lake County Juvenile Court, 1920-25; Agent, Board of Children's Guardians of Lake Co., 1925-present; Organizer and Pres. of Business and Professional Women's Club; Sec. of Community Council; Past First Vice-Pres., City Welfare Assn.; assisted State Senator Holmes in organizing the First Inter-Racial Commission in Lake County, in 1924; General Sec. of Commission until 1929; during the past ten years lectured on Negro education, race relations, Negro migration; instigated and developed Home for Dependent Children, 1927; Pol. Independent; Relig. Protestant; Address, Superior Court Building, Gary, Ind.; Residence, 1985 Massachusetts St., Gary, Ind.

EICHELBERGER, JAMES WILLIAM, JR.—Secretary Religious Education.

b. Aug. 30, 1886, Columbia, S. C.; s. James Washington and Josephine (Myers) Eichelberger; m. Hattie Belle Miller, Aug. 30, 1911; one child,

James William, 3d, b. Dec. 29, 1925; educ. Allen Univ., 1896-1902; Livingstone Coll., 1902-04; B.A., 1904; Northwestern Univ., Religious Education, 1921-23; M.A., 1923; M.A. (honorary) Livingstone Coll., 1918; LL.D. (honorary) Allen Univ., 1925; auth. "A Survey and Evaluation of the Overhead Sunday School Organization of the A.M.E. Zion, A.M.E. and C.M.E. Churches"; "The Religious Education of the Negro"; "What is Christian Brotherhood?"; "The Work of Overhead Religious Education Agencies Among Negroes in the United States"; Teacher, Clinton Institute, Rock Hill, S. C., 1904-07; Manager of Printing Office, 1907-09; Principal, Walters Institute, Warren, Ark., 1909-21; General Supt. of Sunday Schools, A.M.E. Zion Church, 1916-24; Editor of Sunday School Bulletin, 1917-24; Director of Religious Education, A.M.E. Zion Church, and Editor of Church School Herald, 1924-32; member of the Gen. Conf. of A.M.E. Zion Church, beginning with the 1908 session; Sec., Christian Education, 1932-present; Trustee, United Christian Endeavor Society, 1925-present; mem. Executive Committee International Council of Religious Education, The International Education Com., 1928-present; Trustee, Chicago Church Federation, 1932-present; Chicago Interracial Committee, 1932-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion Church; Address, 460 East 40th St.; Residence, 128 E. 50th St., Chicago, Ill.

ELDER, ALFONSE—College Dean.

b. Feb. 26, 1898, Sandersville, Ga.; s. Thomas Jefferson and Lillian Elder; educ. Elem. and High Sch., Sandersville, Ga.; Atlanta Univ., 1914-21; A.B., 1921; Columbia Univ., 1923-24; M.A., 1924; Post Graduate Work, Chicago Univ., Chicago, Ill., 1930-31; Post Graduate Work, Univ. of Cambridge, England, 1928; Teacher, Mathematics, Bennett Coll., 1921-22; Teacher, Mathematics, State Normal, Elizabeth City, N. C., 1922-23; Instructor of Mathematics and director of boys, Durham State Normal School, 1924-25; Instructor, Mathematics and Acting Dean, North Carolina College for Negroes, 1925-present; contributor of articles to North Carolina Teacher; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Address, North Carolina College for Negroes, Durham, N. C.

ELDRIDGE, SCHUYLER THOMAS—Clergyman.

b. July 31, 1881, London Co., Tenn.; s. Albert and Vienna S. Eldridge; m. Mattie K. —, Aug. 20, 1902; three children, Edna M. V.; Kenneth C.; Schuyler Thomas, Jr.; educ. Freedman Normal Inst., Maryville, Tenn., 1901; Knoxville Coll., Knoxville, Tenn., 1905-11; D.D., Virginia Theol. Sem. and Coll., Lynchburg, Va., 1919; Clergyman, 1905-present; Pastor, Rogers Memorial Baptist Church, Knoxville, Tenn., 1905-11; Pastor, Ebenezer Baptist Church, Charlotte, N. C., 1911-16; Pastor, First Baptist Church, Petersburg, Va., 1916-21; Pastor, Shiloh Baptist Church, Hartford, Conn., 1921-27; Pastor, Berean Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., 1927-present; First Vice-Pres., Baptist State Convention of Tenn., 1909-11; Moderator, Knoxville District Assn., 1910-12; Raised the funds to save the Colored Reform School, State of North Carolina, 1915; Conducted campaign for Women's League, Hartford, Conn., raising over \$1,100 in four days, and was presented Silver Cup by League, 1926; Delegate, National Baptist Convention, 25 years,

and was one of the convention preachers for two years; on program as one of the prominent persons, Golden Jubilee Session, National Baptist Convention, 1930; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1641 Bergen St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

ELLINGTON, WILLIAM SINGLETON, JR.—Dentist.

b. Feb. 18, 1899, Memphis, Tenn.; s. (Rev.) Wm. S. and Henna W. (Webb) Ellington; m. Mary K. Davis, July 11, 1923; one child, William S. III, b. Mar. 24, 1924; educ. A.B., Fisk Univ., 1921; D.D.S., Meharry Med. Coll., 1925; Dentist, 1925-present, ex-Instructor, Biology, Tenn. Agri. and Industrial State Coll.; Athletic Director, Y.M.C.A. at Powder Plant, Nashville, Tenn.; Director, Chorus, Nat. Baptist Sunday School (200 voices); mem. Tenn. State Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Masons; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 419 4th Ave.; Residence, 409 Gay St., N., Nashville, Tenn.

ELLIOT, FRANK G.—Physician.

b. Jan. 25, 1878, Portsmouth, Va.; s. Frank G. and Alice V. (Williams) Elliot; m. Laura E. Carr, Oct. 9, 1912; three children, Frank G. III, b. Aug. 22, 1913; Louise A. and Laura R., b. Jan. 20, 1918; educ. Norfolk Mission Coll., 1896; M.D., Leonard Medical Coll., 1903; Interne, Frederick Douglass Memorial Hospital, 1903-04; Physician, 1903-present; ex-Pres., Tidewater Med. Assn.; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Old Dominion Med. Soc.; Masons; ex-Pres., Beta Sigma Chap., Phi Beta Sigma; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 401 S. Green St.; Residence, 610 Richmond Ave., Portsmouth, Va.

ELLISON, ALEXANDER—Clergyman.

b. Oct. 18, 1898, Macon Co., Ala.; s. Alexander and Bessie (Chambliss) Ellison; m. Mary Smith, Dec. 15, 1919; one child, Rosa V.; educ. Nor. and Industrial Sch., Dinwiddie, Va.; A.B., Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C.; Clergyman, 1920-present; Presiding Elder, two years; Pastor, Butler Chapel, A. M. E. Zion Church, New Canaan, Ont., Canada; Pastor, Mt. Zion Circuit, Brunswick Co., and Courtland Circuit, Courtland, Va.; Pastor, Norwood Station Church, Norwood, N. C.; Pastor, Kesler Chapel Station, Wadesboro, N. C.; Pastor, Mt. Pisgah Station, Rockingham, N. C.; Pastor, Soldier's Memorial Station, Salisbury, N. C.; Pastor, Big Zion A. M. E. Zion Church, Mobile, Ala.; Sec. Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance; Chairman of Committee, Health and Sanitation; Editor, "The Colored News"; mem. Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Zion; Address, 110 S. Bayou St., Mobile, Ala.

ELLISON, GEORGE FERNIE—Clergyman.

b. Nov. 26, 1885, Beaufort, N. C.; s. Capt. Frank and Rosana Ellison; m. Ethel Urline Harrison, Apr. 27, 1911; four children, Miriam Lois, b. May 27, 1913; Marechal-Neil Veora, b. Sept. 12, 1915; Gladys Rosana, b. Jan. 8, 1920; George Fernie, Jr., b. Jan. 17, 1930; educ. Washburn Sem., 1891-1902; Albion Academy, 1902-03; Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Penn., 1903-10; A.B., 1907; A.M., 1910; S.T.B., 1910; D.D., 1927; Pastor, Laura St. Presbyterian Church, Jacksonville, Fla., 1910-12; Pastor, Mt. Vernon Presbyterian Church, 1912-21; Pastor, Reeve Memorial Presbyterian Church, Phila., Penn., 1921-present; Capt., U.S.R., Chap-

lain, 1918-26; Owner and Publisher, Palatka Advocate, Palatka, Fla., 1914-21; elected Commissioner, General Assembly, Rochester, N. Y., 1915; San Francisco, Calif., 1927; Examining Board, Philadelphia Presbytery, 7 terms; Lloyd Committee of 100, and Mayor's Committee of 9, on Unemployment, City of Philadelphia; mem. Advisory Committee, Board of National Missions, Presbyterian Church, U. S. A.; Vice Pres., Philadelphia Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance; Director, Philadelphia Federation of Churches; Chairman, Committee of the Interracial Popular Meetings of the General Assembly, Presbyterian Church, U. S. A.; Reeve Memorial Church, pastored by him for 18 years, is one of the few self-supporting Churches, Colored, in the denomination; mem. American Legion; American Woodman; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 4921 Aspen Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

ELLISON, JOHN MARIJS—Editor—Clergyman.

b. Feb. 2, 1893, Richmond, Va.; s. Robert J. and Maggie J. Ellison; m. Elizabeth Balfour; three children, Mabel Constance, Geraldine McWilliams, and John Marcus; educ. A.B., in Education, Virginia Union Univ., 1925; A.M., in Religious Education and Philosophy of Religion, Oberlin Coll., 1927; graduate student, Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., 1930-31; Union Theological Seminary, New York City, 1931-32; Ph.D., Drew Univ., 1933; auth. "Negro Organizations and Leadership in Relation to Rural Life in Virginia," pub. Virginia Agricultural Experiment Sta., Blacksburg, Va.; co-author with Dr. C. Horace Hamilton, "Negro Church in Rural Virginia," pub. Virginia Agricultural Sta., Blacksburg, Va.; co-author with Dr. William E. Garnett, "Negro Life in Rural Virginia, 1865-1934," same pub.; auth. "Emotionalism and Education: the Negro church; Pastor, Shiloh Baptist Church, Northumberland Co., Va., 1917-26; Principal, Northern Neck Industrial Acad., Ivondale, Va., 1917-18; Founder and Principal, Northumberland Co., High Sch., Reedville, Va., 1918-26 Moderator, Northern Neck Baptist Assn., 1918-26; Pastor, First Baptist Church, South Orange, N. J., 1931-33; Chaplain and Professor of Sociology, Virginia State College, Petersburg, Va., 1927-34; Asst. in Rural Sociological Research, Virginia Polytechnic Inst., Blacksburg, Va., 1928-34; Pastor, Zion Baptist Church, Washington, D. C.; Instructor in Religious Education Sch., of Religion, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.; Professor of Sociology, Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1936-present; appointed by U. S. Government to study social and economic conditions in Michigan, 1936; Address, Va. Union University, Richmond, Va.

ELZY, ROBERT J.—Executive Secretary, Brooklyn Urban League.

b. Dec. 31, 1884, Fayette County, Lexington, Ky.; s. James Henry and Margaret (Hawkins) Elzy; m. Louise King Voorhees, Feb. 23, 1918; educ. Pub. Sch., Lexington, Ky.; Fisk Univ., 1905-1909; B.S., Fisk Univ., 1909; Chicago Univ., Summer Sch., 1916; studied at Columbia Univ., 1926; Teacher, Joseph K. Brick School, Bricks, N. C., eight years; Teacher, State Normal Sch., Frankfort, Ky., one year; Executive Sec., Brooklyn Urban League, 1918-present; Chairman, Colored Case Committee, Bedford and Ft. Green Districts of the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities; mem. Bd. of Directors, Brooklyn Bureau of Charities;

Treas., Brooklyn Social Service League, 1926-present; ex-Committee Brooklyn Boys' Work Council; Hudson Ave. Boys' Club; Nat. Conference of Social Work; Welfare Council of New York City; Vice-Pres. Comos Club, 1926-27; Treas., Negro Experimental Theatre Group; Director, Snyder Avenue Boys' Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 105 Fleet Place; Residence, 428 Lewis Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Brooklyn Urban League is a branch of the National Urban League of New York City. In 1920 it formed a partial merger with the Lincoln Settlement Association and in February, 1927, the two organizations were incorporated as the Brooklyn Urban League-Lincoln Settlement, Inc.

EMANUEL, JONAH—Chiropodist.

b. Sept. 9, 1858, Bibb County, Ga.; s. Benjamin and Millie (Paul) Emanuel; m. Susie Johnson, 1888 (deceased); second marriage, Louise Dyer, 1899 (deceased); three children, Gussie, Blanche, Viola; third marriage, Bertha Hooper, 1909 (deceased); fourth marriage, Ella Blanch Berry, Oct. 30, 1926; educ. Pub. Sch., Arkansas; Night High Sch., New York, N. Y.; Private Instruction; farm hand in Bedford, N. Y., 1880; general work on farms in Newburgh, N. Y., and Stamford, Ct.; Bellboy, Hotel Windsor, New York, N. Y.; in the office of Chiropodist; Chiropodist, 1883-present; mem. Masons; Relig. St. Mark's Episcopal Church; Address, 252 W. 130th St., New York, N. Y.

He was born a slave. His grandfather had hired his time and his son, although a free man until twenty-one years of age, worked for his master until Emancipation. His family moved to Arkansas from Georgia, and later came North, settling in Bedford, New York.

Young Emanuel hired out as a farm hand in Bedford in 1880 at \$1.50 per day. Later, he worked at various jobs until he came to New York City, where he found employment as a bellboy in the Hotel Windsor. While so employed he served in the office of a chiropodist, who taught him the profession. He later bought out the business of his employer. He is the only colored charter member of the New York State Pedic Society, having joined in 1896. He is one of the oldest chiropodists in New York City.

EMBDEN, HUBERT McMAYHON—Physician.

b. Mar. 17, 1889, Jamaica, B.W.I.; s. Samuel Robinson and Mary (Charlton) Embden; m. Constance McKay; June 5, 1926; one child, Hubert McMAYHON, b. May 13, 1927; educ. Bethany Sch., Manchester, Jamaica, B.W.I.; Mico Tr. Coll., 1911; Howard Univ., 1919-22; B.S., 1922; M.D., 1925; Manual Tr. Instructor, Brownstone Government Sch., St. Anns, B.W.I., 1912-1913; Taught Sch., Clarkstown, Stoney Hill Indus. Sch., St. Andrews, 1913-14; Principal, Port Royal

Sch., 1914-17; Head Master, Spanishtown Government Sch., 1917-19; during that time a catechist in Episcopal Church; Attendance Officer, Port Royal, B.W.I.; Physician, 1925-present; Asst. Physician, Out-Patient Dept., Harlem Hospital, 1927-30; Passed the City and Guilds, London Institute Examination, Manual Work, and was Manual Training Instructor at Brownstone and Spanishtown, Jamaica, B.W.I.; mem. North Harlem Med. Soc.; Phi Beta Sigma; Ch. Bd. of Directors, British Jamaicans Benefit Assn., 1928; Address, 2340 Seventh Ave., New York, N. Y.

EPPEs, CHARLES MONTGOMERY—School Supervising Principal.

b. Dec. 25, 1858, Halifax, N. C.; s. Rev. and Senator Henry and Lavinia Eppes; m. Sarah E. Hobbs, April 1, 1887; second marriage, Anna Lee Enos, Dec. 2, 1903; educ. Shaw Collegiate Inst., (now Shaw University), Raleigh, N. C., 5 years; Summer Schools; Correspondence Courses; ex-City Editor, Carolina Enterprise, published by Dr. E. E. Smith, Goldsboro and Fayetteville, N. C.; ex-Supt., State Normal Sch., Plymouth, N. C.; Supervising Principal, Public Schools, Greenville, N. C., 30 years; Teacher, Public Schools, 1874-1900; Appointed by Gov. Lock Craig to the Des Moines Educational Congress, 1915; mem. Civic League; Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Good Samaritans; Royal Knights of King Solomon; Knights of Gideon; N. C. Teachers' Assn., for 50 years; General Conference, A. M. E. Zion Church; Pol. Independent Republican; Inter-Racial Commission; Relig. A. M. E. Zion; Address, 1207 W. 5th St., Greenville, N. C.

His father, Rev. Henry Eppes, was for twenty years a State Senator of North Carolina. Every movement that has been started for the betterment of the Race has had his endorsement and co-operation. He was a member of the War Work Council that convened in Atlanta, Ga., after the World War. He was appointed by ex-Gov. Max Gardner a Re-employment Commissioner during the term from 1929 to 1931.

ESTERS, MARGUERITE A.—Probation Officer.

d. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Esters; educ. Roosevelt High Sch.; A.B., Drake Univ.; Probation Officer of Polk Co., appointed by Judge Joseph E. Myers; Pres., Delta Chapter, and State organizer Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; Pres., Cosmopolitan Club at Drake University; Chairman, Inter-Racial Committee, Youth's Conference; ex-Teacher, Playgrounds; Address, 1423 Center St., Des Moines, Iowa.

ETTER, ELEGY ALFONSO—Physician.

b. June 26, 1885, Jacksonville, Texas; s. Richard and Susan L. (Bolling) Etter; m. Sarah Cecilia Wilkins, Dec. 28, 1917; two children, Louis A., b. Sept. 1, 1919; Elgy Leon, b. Oct. 15, 1921; educ. Bishop Coll., Marshall, Texas; Wiley Coll.; Univ. West Tennessee; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1927; Interne, James Terrell Baptist Hosp., Memphis, Tenn., 1918; Physician, 1917-present; Pres., Lone Star State Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn., 1928-29; auth. special article on Urology, National Medical Journal, 1924; Specialist, Urologist and Venereal Diseases; Organizer National Business League, Galveston Branch; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows;

Elks; National Med. Assn.; Lone Star State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2505½ D St.; Residence, 908 35th St., Galveston, Texas.

EUROPE, MARY LORRAINE — Teacher of Music.

b. Mobile, Alabama; d. Harry J. and Lorraine (Sacon) Europe; educ. Elementary Sch., Washington, D. C.; M St. High Sch., Washington, D. C., 1896-1900; Miner Normal Sch., 1900-02; Howard Univ., 1902-03; 1922-23; Columbia Univ., summer sessions, 1913-1919; A.B. Howard Univ., 1923; Teacher of Music, Elementary and Dunbar High Sch., Washington, D.C.; mem. Zeta Phi Beta, Alpha Chapter; Y.M.C.A.; Sterling Relief; S. Coleridge-Taylor Choral Society; Director of Lincoln Temple Choir; Pol. Republican; Address, Dunbar High School; Residence, 1008 S St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

EVANS, JR., GEORGE MAYNARD—Physician.

b. Nov. 16, 1878, Charlotte, N. C.; s. George Maynard and Jennie (Wheeler) Evans; educ. Lincoln Univ., Penn., 1894-98; A.B. Lincoln Univ., 1898; Yale Univ., Theol. ad Phil. (mid-year), 1901-02; Meharry Med. School, M.D., 1906; Long Island College Hospital, Oct., 1907-Jan., 1908; First De Facto to interne in Harlem Hospital (colored); this was a privilege given after a duration of illness at that hospital; Practicing Physician, 1908-present; mem. Pathological Soc.; Academy of Medicine; Vice-Pres., Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity (Nu Sigma Chapter of Philadelphia); Masons; Progressive of Atlanta, Ga.; Medical Examiner, Draft Board 13, Phila., Pa.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 1908 Bainbridge St., Philadelphia, Pa.

His father when alive was an active member of the Central Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, and one of the first caterers of color in that city, coming to Philadelphia in the late seventies.

EVANS, HOLMAN WADSWORTH — Clergyman.

b. March 10, 1891, Pell City, Ala.; s. Thornton W. and Alice (Jacobs) Evans; m. Annie Thomas, April 26, 1922; two children, Holman Wadsworth, Jr., b. April 11, 1923; Katialice, b. April 10, 1925; educ. Miles Memorial Coll., Birmingham, Ala., 1912; A.B., Paine Coll., Augusta, Ga., 1917; B.D., 1918; D.D. (Honorary), Lane Coll., Jackson, Tenn., 1931; Clergyman, 1907-present; Pastor, C.M.E. Church, Attalla, Ala., 1910-11; Pastor, C.M.E. Church, Gate City, Ala., 1911-12; Pastor, Hodges Chapel, Fairfax, S. C., 1913-16; Pastor, Colman Chapel, Johnston, S. C., 1916-18; Pastor, Butler Street C.M.E. Church, Atlanta, Ga., 1918-22; Pastor, Lane Tabernacle, St. Louis, Mo., 1922-28; Pastor, Scruggs Memorial Church, St. Louis, Mo., 1928-30; Pastor, Lane Metropolitan Church, Cleveland, O., 1930-present; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; American Woodman; Y.M.C.A.; mem. Committee of Transportation, General Conference; mem. Counseling Commission, Y.M.C.A.; mem. Committee on Constitution, General Conference; Interdenominational Ministers Alliance; Pol. Republican; Relig. C. M. E.; Address 6110 Ebenhardt Ave., Chicago, Ill.

EVANS, JOSEPH MEAKIN—Clergyman.

b. Dec. 17, 1872, Richwood Union Co., Ohio; s. Thomas Skidmore and Emily Ann (Harris) Evans; two children, Joseph Wellington, b. June 28, 1908; Lawrence Edward, b. Sept. 22, 1911; educ. Pub. Sch., Ohio and Mich.; M.Litt., Oskaloosa Christian Coll., Oskaloosa Iowa, 1908; D. D. (Honorary), Morris Brown Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1919; D.D. (Honorary), Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1919; Home Correspondence Sch., Springfield, Mass., 1909; auth. Special Articles and Pamphlets, Poems, pub. Christian Recorder, and Abbott's Monthly; Pastor, 1898-present; Pastor, Brown's Chapel, Detroit, Mich., 1898-1901; Pastor, Day Circuit, Cass Co., Michigan, 1902; Pastor A.M.E. Church, Benton Harbor, Mich., 1902-05; Pastor, Arnett Chapel, Grand Rapids, Mich., 1905-10; Pastor, A. M. E. Church, South Bend, Ind., 1910-11; Pastor, Bethel A. M. E. Church, Detroit, Michigan, 1912-17; Pastor, Bethel Church, Scranton, Pa., 1917-19; Pastor, St. James Church, Cleveland, O., 1919-26; Pastor, St. James A.M.E. Church, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1926-27; Pastor, Metropolitan Com. Ch. Detroit, Mich., 1927-30; Pastor, Metropolitan Community Church, Chicago, Ill., 1930-present; Vice-Pres., Annual Council, Peoples' Church of Christ and Community Centers; Pres., Community Ministers Alliance of Chicago and Vicinity; Chaplain, Ishmael Gardens; Sec., Michigan Annual Conference A.M.E. Church, 1902-15; mem. Masons; Elks; United Brothers; Pol. Independent; Relig. Orthodox Protestant; Address, 4108 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

EVANS, ORRIN CROMWELL—Editor.

b. Sept. 5, 1902, Steelton, Pa.; s. George Jefferson and F. Maude (Wilson) Evans; m. Florence E. Baugh, Oct. 5, 1929; educ. West Philadelphia High Sch., Philadelphia, Pa.; Drexel Inst., Philadelphia, Pa.; City Editor, Philadelphia Tribune, Philadelphia, Pa., 6 years; Managing Editor, General Manager, Philadelphia Independent, Philadelphia, Pa., a weekly tabloid newspaper; mem. Elks; Masons; Pol. Socialist; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 1708 Lombard St.; Residence, 3211 Summer St., Philadelphia, Pa.

EVANS, WALTER P.—Merchant.

b. Jan. 19, 1863, Wilmington, N. C.; s. Allen and Charlotte (Mackey) Evans; m. Josephine Mears, 1884; (deceased); six children; second marriage, Annie Daytonia Clark, Oct., 1922; one child, Charity Daytonia, b. Aug. 10, 1925; educ. Gregory Inst., Wilmington, N. C.; Merchant, General Store, 1885-present; was Justice of Peace; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Laurinburg, N. C.

He began business with \$300. He now owns his own building and carries a general merchandise stock of more than \$35,000. He is the oldest merchant in Laurinburg.

EVANS, WILLIAM L.—Executive Sec. Urban League.

b. Oct. 12, 1886, Louisville, Ky.; s. David F. and Suella (Pickett) Evans; m. Beatrice F. Flanders; two children, Evelyn Marie, b. April 23, 1913; William L., Jr., b. Nov. 19, 1914; educ. B.A. Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1909; Columbia Univ., New York City, 1910-11; M.A., Sociology, Univ. of Buffalo, Buffalo, N. Y., 1930; Industrial Sec. Chicago Urban League; Executive Sec., Urban League, Buffalo

and Erie Co., 1927-present; mem. Alpha Psi Alpha; American Assn., Social Workers; Chairman, Niagara Frontier Chapter, State of New York Conference, Negro Welfare; Buffalo Planning Board; Pol. Independent; Relig. A. M. E.; Address, 155 Cedar St., Buffalo, N. Y.

He specialized in Architecture and construction of churches, lodges, buildings, and schools in the States of Indiana, Ohio, and Kentucky some of the buildings costing in excess of \$200,000.

EVANS, WILSON LOVETT—Electrical Engineer.

b. June 3, 1889, Winchester, Va.; s. William C. and Mary V. (Lovett) Evans; m. Amelia Wolfe, Oct. 1, 1913; educ. Riverview Military Academy, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., 1902-04; Mass. Inst. of Technology, Boston, Mass., 1904-08; S.B., E.E., Mass. Inst. of Tech., 1908; Electrical Engineer, 1908-present; Prop., "Evans Live Wire Service," Atlantic City, N. J., 1920-present; mem. Masons; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 9 N. Indiana Ave.; Residence, 700 Indiana Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.

FADUMA, ORISHATUKEH—Educator.

b. 1860, British Guiana, S. A.; s. John and Omofofi Faduma; m. Henrietta Rebecca Adams, Sept. 25, 1895; two children, Jowo, b. 1902; DuBois, b. 1922; educ. High Sch., Freetown Sierra Leone, W. Africa; Wesleyan (now Queens) Coll., Taunton, England, 1882-83; London Univ., England, 1883-85; Int. B.A. London Univ., 1885; Yale Divinity Sch., 1891-94; Yale Post Graduate (Scholarship) study of Philosophy of Religion, 1894-95; Senior Master, High Sch., Sierra Leone, W. Africa, 1885-91; Principal, Peabody Academy, Troy, N. C. 1895-1914; Principal, U.M.S. Collegiate Sch., Sierra Leone, 1916-18; Inspector of Schools, Officer-in-Charge, of Model School and Instructor, Sierra Leone, 1918-23; Instructor in Latin, Ancient and Modern History and English Literature, Lincoln Academy, Kings Mount, N. C., 1924-present; auth. *The Pastoral Epistles: Exegesis in A.M.E. Review*, 1892; "The African Movement," pub. African Mail, London, Eng., 1914 and 1915; "The Man of Dreams," pub. Sierra Outlook, 1916; "Psychology of Heathen African Religion," published Sierra Weekly News, 1917; "Khalil's Mohammedan Code," translated from the French of N. Seignette, pub. Sierra Weekly News, 1923; "Christianity and Islam," pub. in Missionary Review of the World, N. Y., 1925; "The Christian Minister's Attitude Toward Science and Religion," pub. Southern News, Atlanta, Ga., 1926, and other articles in various periodicals; mem. Masons; African National Congress; Pol. Independent; Relig. Congregationalist; Residence, 630 East High St., High Point, N. C.

His parents were born in Yoruba land in Nigeria, West Central Africa. They were rescued from a Portuguese slave ship by British cruisers and taken to British Guiana, S. A., where they were indentured and trained in the protection of the British Government. Orishatukeh was born here. His parents returned to Africa when he was seven years old.

He won first place in a competitive scholar-

ship examination in nine subjects, and was sent to Queens College, England, in 1892.

He was the first West African to successfully pass the Intermediate B.A. at London University, England, in 1885.

He came to the United States (on leave) in 1891, entered Yale Divinity School, graduating with honors in 1894. He won a \$400. Scholarship at Yale in that year, and took up a Post Graduate course at the University.

He became a missionary of the American Missionary Association and served as Pastor and Principal of Peabody Academy at Troy, N. C., for seventeen years.

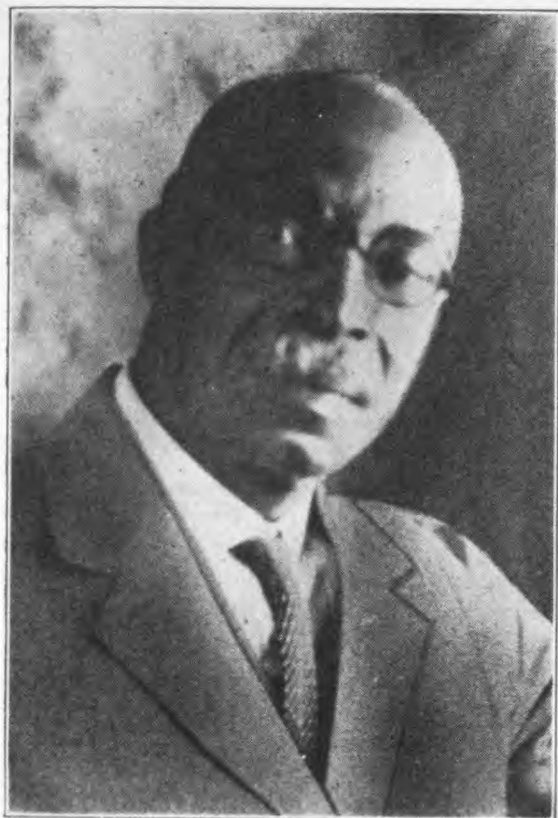
The British Government, in recognition of his services, granted him in 1923 the sum of \$500, in addition to his salary.

FAIRFAX, AARON GRANT—Physician.

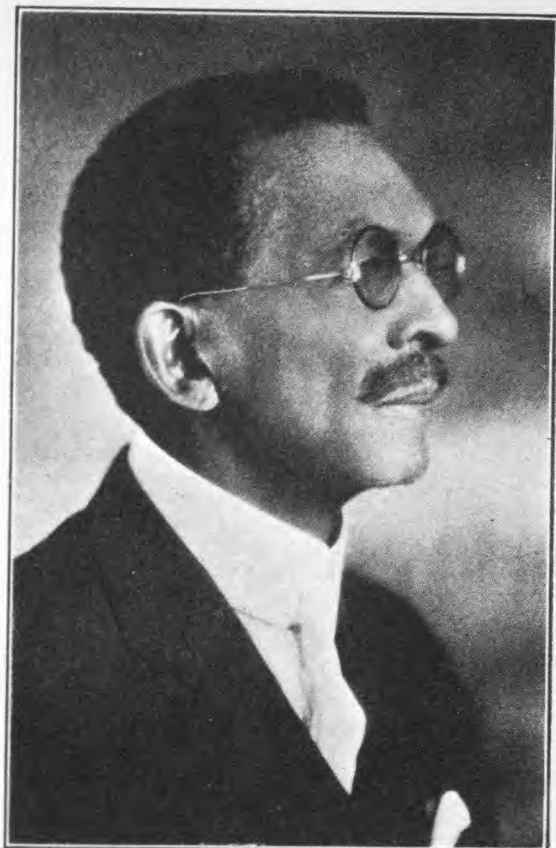
b. March 29, 1879, Montgomery County, Va.; s. Lewis and Ann (Patterson) Fairfax; m. Pearl Banks, Aug. 12, 1916; three children; Heywood G.; Aaron Grant, Jr.; Lucy May; educ. Christianburg, Ind. Inst., Cambria, Va., 1890-94; Knoxville Coll., 1897-1902; A.B., Knoxville Coll., 1902; Illinois Coll., Medicine, 1906-10; M.D., 1910; served as physician to Chicago M.T.S. for three years; City Health Officer, Chicago, Ill., one year; Chairman, City Health Committee of the North Side; Physician, 1910-present; Trustee, Boy Scouts, Haywood, Ill.; Executive Council, Butler Community Center; Pres., Ex. Board, Maywood Improvement Club; Judge of Elections; mem. Bd. of West Park Commissioners; Pres., North Side Men and Women's Civic Club; Chicago Historical Society; Chicago Urban League; North Side Republican Club; Masons; Odd Fellows; H. H. of Ruth; Eastern Star Chapter; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 111 W. Chicago Ave., Chicago, Ill.; Residence, 437 S. 12th St., Maywood, Ill.

FALLS, ARTHUR GRAND PRE—Physician.

b. Dec. 25, 1901, Chicago, Ill.; s. William Arthur and Santalia Angelica (Grand Pre) Falls; m. Lillian Steele Proctor, Dec. 6, 1928; one child, Arthur G., Jr., b. Oct. 19, 1929; educ. Crane Junior Coll., 1918-20; B.S. in medicine, 1924; Northwestern Univ., Med. Sch., 1920-24; M.D. 1925; Interne, Kansas City (Mo) General Hospital, 1924-25; auth. "The Use of Ammonium Chloride and Novasurol as a Diuretic". "Protein (Milk) Therapy of Pelvic Inflammations; Report of First Hundred Cases", Medical Economics: "As a Beginner Figures it Out"; "You're Wrong, Mr. Swink", "Both Wrong and Right, Mr. Swink", published in Journal of National Medical Assn.; "The Danger of Typhoid", "Op-tochin Base in the Treatment of Lobar Pneumonia", numerous short articles and editorials, Bulletin of the Cook Co. Physicians' Assn.; Physician and Surgeon, 1924-present; Y.M.C.A. Professional Men's Class; Junior Surgical Staff, Wilson Hospital; Dispensary, Surgical Staff, Provident Hospital; one of the founders, De-Saible Club, Chicago Urban League, 1928; Sec., 1928-29; Pres., 1930-present; one of the founders and Director, Illinois Personal Finance Co., 1930-present; editor, The Bulletin, a monthly publication, Cook Co. Physicians' Assn., 1930-



ORISHATUKEH FADUMA, INT.B.A.



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REV. M. M. FISHER, A.B., B.D., A.M.

present; mem Kappa Alpha Psi; Catholic Order of Foresters; Young Men's Catholic Club; Ill. State Med. Assn.; Chicago Med. Society; Am. Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Cook County Physicians Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Catholic; Address, 239 E. 51st St.; Residence, 5917 S. Throop St., Chicago, Ill.

FALLS, JOSEPH W.—School Principal.

b. Aug. 14, 1892, Williston, Tenn.; s. Emma Falls; m. Montee Norman, Aug. 27, 1917; three children, Mildred; Phyllis Wheatley; Joseph W., Jr.; educ. LeMoyne Inst., Memphis, Tenn.; Agricultural and Mechanical Coll., Normal, Ala.; A.B., Rust Coll., Holly Springs, Miss., 1929; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn.; Agricultural and Industrial State Coll., Nashville, Tenn.; Brick Contractor, 1913-16; Principal, Geeter High Sch., White Haven, Tenn., 1921-present; Teacher, Fayette Co. Training Sch., Somerville, Tenn., 1916-17; mem. County Teachers' Assn.; State Teachers' Assn.; National Teachers' Assn.; School Parent-Teachers' Assn.; Masons; I Sa Fraternity; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E.; Address, Geeter High School; Residence, Whitehaven, Tenn.

When Prof. Falls started with Geeter School it had one building with four rooms, four teachers, about 200 children, 8 grades, and a teachers cottage. Through his hard work this has grown into what is now one of the outstanding school's of the State, there being five buildings, 15 teachers, 12 grades, and nearly 700 children.

FARMER, WALTER MORAN—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 16, 1867, Brunswick, Mo.; s. Asa and Lucretia (Ford) Farmer; m. Lillian E. Johnson, Dec. 30, 1915; educ. Lincoln Univ., 1881-84; Washington Univ., St. Louis, Mo.; 1887-89; LL.B. 1889; Taught school 1884-87; Lawyer, 1889-present; Lecturer, LaSalle Extension University, Chicago, Ill.; mem. Elks; Royal Circle of Friends; United Brother of Friendship; Y. M. C. A.; Apomattox Club; Am. Academy of Political and Social Science; N. A. A. C. P.; Alumni Assn. of Washington Univ., and of Lincoln Univ.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Metropolitan Community Centre, non-sectarian; Address, 35 S. Dearborn St.; Residence, 4751 Champlain Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He was the first colored person to enter and graduate, (cum laude) from Washington University, Law Dept., in 1889.

Was appointed Special Commissioner to try cases in the Circuit Court of St. Louis, while practicing in that city.

FARROW, WILLIAM McKNIGHT—Artist.

b. April 13, 1885, Dayton, Ohio; s. James Clayton and Ella M. (Hill) Farrow; m. Delores Johnson, Dec. 4, 1912; two children, William McKnight, Jr., b. June 15, 1918; Betty Doris, b. June 7, 1920; educ. Pub. Sch., Dayton, Ohio; graduate of Shortridge High Sch., Indianapolis, Ind., 1904; Art Institute of Chicago, 1908-13; 1914-17; employee, Chicago Post Office, 1906-14; employee, Art Institute of Chicago, clerical, 1915-17; Asst. to Curator of temporary exhibitions, 1917-22; in charge of labels for Art Institute paintings and

sculpture, 1922-25; in charge of Art Institute printing shop, 1925-26; in charge of labels and rearranging Egyptian collection, 1926-present; editor, "Art in the Home" column, Chicago Defender, 1925; articles for Art World, magazine of the Chicago Evening Post; Crisis; Opportunity; American Life Magazine; "Christmas Eve," Women's Club, Western Springs, Ill.; "Mother Nature's Mirror," Phillips Junior High Sch., Chicago; portrait of Abraham Lincoln, Stewart Community House, Gary, Ind.; Paul Laurence Dunbar, Dunbar High Sch., Dayton, O.; "Aida," Roosevelt High Sch., Gary, Ind.; Phillis Wheatley, Wiley Coll., Marshall, Tex.; "Dunbar the Poet," Schoop School, Chicago, Ill.; "Daniel Hale Williams," Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill.; "Brig. Gen. S. C. Dickerson," private; auth. "Easy Steps to Commercial Art"; Pres., Chicago Art League, 1923-present; mem. All-Illinois Society of Fine Arts; Art Institute Alumni Assn.; Y. M. C. A.; Chicago Urban League, N. A. A. C. P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Art Institute of Chicago; Residence, 6038 S. Racine Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He has made paintings and illustrations for Crisis Magazine, The Homesteader, Scenic paintings for Blackstone Theatre, Plymouth Congregational Church, Better Homes Exhibition, First Presbyterian Church, Chicago; mural decorations for home of Charles Ringling, Sarasota, Florida; various posters for Pathe Phonograph Company of New York, Kimball Piano Company, Grace Presbyterian Church, the Art Institute of Chicago, and the First Presbyterian Church of Chicago.

He was awarded two prizes in the Lincoln Jubilee exhibition at the Coliseum of Chicago, also Eames MacVeagh prize, 1928, and Charles S. Peterson prizes, 1929, in Chicago Art League exhibitions. His work has been shown at the Art Institute, All-Illinois Society of Fine Arts, Independent Society of Artists, Chicago Art League, Chicago; New York and Boston Public Libraries; Washington, D. C., Hampton Industrial Institute, Tuskegee Institute, Montgomery County Art Association of Dayton, Ohio, Fine Arts Gallery, San Diego, Cali. and the Marmon Traveling Exhibitions of the past three years.

FAULKNER, JOHN WILLIAM—Clergyman.

University Dean

b. Nov. 16, 1891, Society Hill, S. C.; s. Lawrence and Hannah J. Faulkner; m. Elizabeth Abele Cook, 1917; three children, William J., Jr.; Josephine Elizabeth; Marie L.; educ. Mayesville Educational and Industrial Inst., Mayesville, S. C., 1911; Bachelor of Humanities, Y.M.C.A. College, Springfield, Mass., 1914; Licensed Baptist Minister, 1914; Ordained, 1918; Director of Instruction, and Boy's Work Secretary, South West Branch Y.M.C.A., Philadelphia, Pa., 1914-16; established first Y.M.C.A. camp for Colored boys in Philadelphia; Placement Secretary, Department of Colored Men, National War Work Council of Y.M.C.A., Washington, D. C., 1917-18; Post War Work Secretary Y.M.C.A., Re-

turned War Veterans, Washington, D. C., 1919; Director, Physical and Boy's Department, Butler Street Branch Y.M.C.A., Atlanta, Ga., 1920-22; established first Y.M.C.A. Boy's Camp in South for Colored boys; Partner, Aiken & Faulkner, Building Contractors and Real Estate, Atlanta, Ga., 1922-31; erected many beautiful residences, apartments, three large Churches and fire proof school buildings; Preacher and Lecturer; Pastor, The First Congregational Church, Institutional, the largest Colored Congregational Church in the South, 1926-; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Vice Moderator, General Convention, Congregational Churches of Georgia; mem. Faculty King's Mountain, N. C., Congregational Conference; Dean, Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn.; Pastor, Fisk Union Church; Relig. Congregational; Address, Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn.

FENNEL, EMORY EMMETT—College Dean.

b. Dec. 11, 1878, Seaboard, N. C.; s. Adam and Avie Fennell; educ. Public Sch., Seaboard, N. C.; Morgan Coll., 1892-99; A.B. 1899; Columbia Univ., 1919-20 and 1922-23; summer sessions, 1918-23; M.A. 1920; Instructor, Math. and English, Morgan Annex, Lynchburg, Va., 1900-01; Instructor, Greek and Astronomy, Va. Seminary and Coll., Lynchburg, Va., 1901-03; Instructor, Math. and Physics, N. T. Sch., Durham, N. C., 1910-13; Prin., Public Sch., Durham, N. C. 1913-19; Prin., Public Sch., Topeka, Kansas, 1920-22; Dean, Sch. Education, Va. Seminary and Coll., Lynchburg, Va., 1923-present; Relig. Baptist; Residence, Va. Seminary and College, Lynchburg, Va.

FERGUSON, HENRY W.—Taxi Operator.

b. July 31, 1895, Alcorn College, Alcorn, Miss.; s. Henry Clay and Camille (Campbell) Ferguson; m. Lulu Belle Wilson, May 3, 1921; one child, Mary Louise, b. Mar. 10, 1934; educ. B.S., Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1916; 2nd Lieut., U. S. Army; Instructor, Officers' Training Sch., Camp Funston, Kans., and Camp Pike, Ark.; Operator, filling station and garages, Cincinnati, O., 15 years; Operator, Lincoln Ave. Super Service Station, Cincinnati, O., 1932-present; Operator, Ferguson Cab Service, Cincinnati, O.; Owner, Ferguson Building, Cincinnati, O.; Chairman, Executive Committee, Imperial Finance Corp., Cincinnati, O.; mem. Elks; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Independent Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, Alms Pl., at Lincoln Ave.; Residence, 3229 Rammelsburg, Cincinnati, O.

He began operating the Ferguson Taxi Service in 1932 with 10 taxis, and is now operating 55 taxis and employs more than 70 people. The Ferguson Building in Cincinnati has a valuation in excess of \$30,000.

FERGUSON, THOMAS LAFAYETTE—Clergyman.

b. Richmond, Va.; s. Samuel and Eliza (Empy) Ferguson; m. Josephine Wilkinson; second marriage, Anna May Bell, March 20, 1912; two children, Georgianna; Martha Jane; educ. High Sch., Randolph Co., Ind.; Liber Coll., Ind.; Liber, Ind. 1885; Pastor, Cleaves, O., and Rising Sun, Ind., 1886-89; Pastor, North Vernon, Ind., 1890; Pastor, Jeffersonville, Ind., 1891-92; Pastor, Indianapolis, Ind., 1893-94; Presiding Elder, Bowling Green, Ky., District, 1895; Pastor, Louisville, Ky., 1896-97; Presiding Elder, Ohio Dist., 1897-1903; Pastor, Springfield, O., 1903-08; Pastor, Cincinnati, O.,

1908-12; Pastor, Lexington, Ky., 1913; Pastor, Covington, Ky., 1913-16; Pastor, Paris, Ky., 1916-20; Pastor, Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, O., 1920-22; Dist., Superintendent, Columbus, O., Dist., 1922-28; Pastor, Springfield, O., 1928-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 524 Harvard Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

While pastor in Springfield, O., he built the Wiley Methodist Episcopal Church which is valued at \$30,000.

FERGUSON, THOMAS JEFFERSON—Bank Official.

b. Jan. 3, 1877, Richmond, Tex.; s. Henry Clay and Silvia (Johnson) Ferguson; m. Gertrude May Scott, July 21, 1903; educ. Gregory Inst., Houston, Tex., 1893; Prairie View Coll., Prairie View, Tex., 1896; Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.; Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y.; Asst. Clerk of Court, Richmond, Tex., 1890-93; Asst. to Treas., Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala., 1907-20; Treas., Standard Life Insurance Co., Atlanta, Ga., 1920-27; Asst. Sec. and General Manager, Standard Life Division, National Benefit and Life Insurance Co., 1927-31; Founder, and Vice Pres. and General Manager, Pioneer Savings Assn., Atlanta, Ga., 1931-present; Director, Atlanta Building and Loan Assn., 1925-present; Director and Vice Pres., Citizens Trust Co., 1921-26; mem. Masons; Elks; Alpha Phi Alpha; Registrar, National Negro Business League, 1923-present; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A., Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 160 Auburn Ave.; Residence, 87 Ashly St., S.W., Atlanta, Ga.

FERNANDIS, MRS. SARAH COLLINS—Social Worker.

b. March 8, 1863, Port De Poset, Md.; d. Caleb and Mary Jane Collins; m. John A. Fernandis, June 3, 1902; educ. Hampton Inst., 1882; New York Sch. of Social Work; Teacher in schools of Tennessee, Florida, Hampton Inst., and Public Schools of Baltimore; Social Service Work, Woman's Home Missionary Soc. of Boston; Organized Co-operative Civic League, Baltimore, Md.; Social Service Work among Negroes, 1903-present; auth. "Vision", a book of poems, pub. Gorham Press, Boston, 1925; Address, Room 810 Municipal Bldg.; Residence, 1427 Madison Ave., Baltimore, Md.

FAUSET, JESSIE REDMON—Teacher.

b. Philadelphia, Pa.; educ. Phila. Pub. Sch.; A.B. Cornell Univ.; studied at Univ. of Penn.; also at Sorbonne, Paris; Teacher, French and Latin, Dunbar High Sch., Washington, 1920-26; Literary Editor, Crisis, 1926-27; Teacher, New York Pub. Sch. System, 1927-present; auth. "Gift of Laughter," "There is Confusion," a novel, pub. Boni & Liveright, 1924; Address, c/o Crisis, 69 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y.

FERRIS, WILLIAM H.—Author-Lecturer-Editor.

b. July 20, 1874, New Haven, Conn.; s. David Henry and Sarah A. (Jefferson) Ferris; educ. Hillhouse High Sch., New Haven, Conn.; 1887-91; Yale Univ. (Coll.), 1891-95; (Graduate Sch.), 1895-97; A.M., Yale Univ., 1899; Harvard Univ. (Divinity Sch.), 1897-99; (Graduate Sch.), 1899-1900; A.M., Harvard Univ., 1900; teacher, lecturer, preacher and writer for various newspapers, 1900-03; Associate Editor, The Cham-

pion, Chicago, Ill., 1916-17; General Literary Assistant, A.M.E. Book Concern, Phila., Pa., 1917-19; Literary Editor, *Negro World*, 1919-23; Literary Editor, *The Spokesman*, 1925-27; Research Work, Washington, D. C., 1927-present; auth. Special article on Negro Religion in the *Literary Digest*, 1904; Special article on the Jacksonville Fire in the *Boston Transcript*, 1901; "Roosevelt and Carlyle's Doctrine of the Great Man" in *The Springfield Republican*, 1912; "The African Abroad" in two volumes, pub. Tuttle, Morehouse & Taylor, New Haven, Conn., 1913; contributor to many newspapers; mem. American Negro Academy; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 422 S. 6th St., Louisville, Ky.

Died, September, 1941.

FIELDS, WILLIAM HENRY—Lawyer.

b. July 29, 1893, Warrensville, O.; s. William Henry and Elizabeth (McConico) Fields; m. Cleo M. Scurlock, Dec. 20, 1930; educ. Central High Sch., Cleveland, O.; A.B., Baldwin Wallace Univ., Berea, O., 1917; LL.B., 1921; John Marshall Law Sch. Chicago, Ill.; Lawyer, 1921-present; Deputy United States Marshall, Chicago, Ill., 1927-28; Legal Advisor, Boys' General Assembly, 1930-present; mem. Cook Co. Bar Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Christian Science; Address, 1953 W. Lake St.; Residence, 2748 Maypole, St., Chicago, Ill.

FINLEY, JOHN RUDOLPH—Physician and Surgeon.

b. March 4, 1893, Dayton, Ohio; s. Preston E. and Laura (Fields) Finley; m. Rhea Elnora Gray, June 8, 1918; educ. Steele High Sch., Dayton, O.; M.D. Ohio State Univ., Columbus, O., 1916; Post Course in Surgery, Chicago Inst. of Surgical Technique, 1917; Interne, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1917-18; Physician and Surgeon, 1916-present; Adjunct Asst. Visiting Surgeon, Harlem Hospital, 1930-present; Asst. Surgeon to Out Patients, Harlem Hospital; First Lieut., Medical Corp., U. S. A., located at Hospital Camp Stanley, Leon Springs, Tex., and at Marshall, Texas; Examining Physician, Draft Board, U. S. A., at Chicago, Ill., 1917; mem. National Medical Assn.; American Medical Assn.; New York County Medical Soc.; New York State Medical Soc.; Manhattan Medical Soc.; Elks; Mason; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2400 7th Ave., New York City, N. Y.

FISHER, BENJAMIN H.—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 26, 1886, Toledo, Ohio; s. Robert B. and Annie Fisher; m. Blanche E. Cooper, March 26, 1910; three children. Harriett E.; Virginia Mae; Betty Jane; educ. High School, Toledo, O., 1903-07; Univ. of Michigan, 1907-11; Lawyer, 1911-present; Past, Pres. and District Organizer for N.A.A.C.P.; ex-Clerk in the Dept. of Public Service, Toledo, Ohio; Captain, Co. H., 372nd Infantry, Ohio Nat. Guard; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Epsilon Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 31½ N. Erie St.; Residence, 940 Indiana Ave., Toledo, Ohio.

FISHER, MILES MARK—Educator-Clergyman-Author.

b. October 29, 1899, Atlanta, Georgia; s. Elijah and Florida (Neeley) Fisher; educ. Chicago Pub-

lic Schools and High Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1904-14; Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1914-18; A.B. 1918; Northern Baptist Theol. Sem., Chicago, Ill., 1919-22; B.D. 1922; Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill., 1921-22; A.M. 1922; Y. M. C. A. Secretary, Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio, 1918-19; Lecturer Anti-Saloon League, summer of 1920; Pastor, Zion Baptist Church, Racine, Wisc., 1920-22; Pres., Baptist State Convention of Wisconsin, 1921-22; Instructor, English, Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1922-23; Professor, Ecclesiastical History, Richmond, Va., 1923-28; Assist. Pastor, Fourth Baptist Church, Richmond, Va., 1924-1927; Pastor, Sixteenth St. Baptist Church, Huntington, W. Va., 1927-present; auth. "Life of Lott Cary," centennial biography, Foreign Mission Bd., National Baptist Convention, 1922, reprinted in *The Journal of Negro History*, vol. vii; "The Master's Slave—Elijah Fisher," biography of father, Judson Press, Phila., Penn., 1922; "The Negro and the World War," research essay, *The Journal of Religion* (Univ. of Chicago), vol. v, Sept., 1925; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Huntington, West Va.

FISHER, RUDOLPH—Physician-Writer.

See 4th Edition.

Died.

FITZGERALD, CORNELIUS A.—Lawyer.

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Died.

FITZGERALD, WILLIAM L.—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 14, 1872, Jonesboro, Tenn.; s. Joseph M. and Mary A. (Ford) Fitzgerald; m. Lucille Wilson, Nov. 26, 1913; one child, Jessie A., b. Oct. 15, 1916; educ. Pub. Sch., and Am. Missionary Sch., Jonesboro, Tenn.; Biddle Univ. (now Johnson C. Smith Univ.), Charlotte, N. C., 1891-95; Howard Law Sch., 1895-98; LL.B. 1898; Lawyer, 1899-present; Real Estate Operator; mem. Y. M. C. A., Inter-racial Commission, (appointed by the Governor of Maryland); Assn. for promotion of Negro Business, Baltimore, Md.; Masons (33°); K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Elks; Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Pol. Democrat; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Address, 1206 Druid Hill Ave.; Residence, 1208 Druid Hill Ave., Baltimore, Md.

He settled in Baltimore in 1896, being the first colored man to take a written examination before the State Board of Law Examiners. He passed with high honors and began actual practice soon thereafter.

In 1919, he was nominated by an overwhelming majority of voters of his ward for the position of City Councilman, and in the General Election was elected.

FLANAGAN, THOMAS JEFFERSON—Poet.

b. April 7, 1890, Stewart Co., Ga.; s. Munro and Fannie (Franklin) Flanagan; m. Willie Maud Bales, Nov. 9, 1912; six children, Ruby Le Clesta; William Henry; Thomas Jefferson; Harold Sterling; Carrie Nell; Robert Bales; educ. Public Sch., Bluff Springs, Ga.; Payne High Sch., Cuthbert, Ga.; Morris Brown Coll., Atlanta, Ga.; A. B., Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; D.Ph., (Honorary), Paul Quinn Coll., Waco, Tex.; auth. "Pine

Bruce, Jr., b. Dec. 25, 1925; George William Oliver, b. March 23, 1928; educ. Pub. Sch., New Rochelle, N. Y.; Pugilist, 1924-present; colored lightweight champion; first Negro lightweight to have ever fought at Madison Sq. Garden, New York City, Jan. 27, 1928; mem. Elks; Relig. Baptist; Address, 28 Winthrop Ave., New Rochelle, N. Y.

FLOYD, HENRY C.—Physician.

b. Jan. 4, 1895, Kittrell, N. C.; s. T. F. and Julia (Richardson) Floyd; m. Irene McMurray, June 7, 1926; educ. M.D. Meharry Med. Coll., 1917; Interne, Hale Hospital, 1918; Physician, 1918-present; Assistant Professor in Practice of Medicine of Meharry Med. Coll.; Pres. Nashville Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; 1st Lieut. in the Med. Reserve, World War; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Volunteer State Dental and Pharm. Assn.; N. A. A. C. P.; Masons; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 208 Morris Memorial Bldg.; Residence, 663 Bass St., Nashville, Tenn.

FORD, CORNELIUS EVERETT—Live Stock Commission Broker.

b. Sept. 5, 1870, Jonesboro, Tenn.; s. Martin and Engeline Ford; m. Martha A. Thompson, 1911; One child, Cornelius E., b. June 24, 1917; educ. Warner Inst., Jonesboro, Tenn., 1887; Private Tutor; Shipper of Live Stock, State of Mich., 1900-06; Live Stock Commission Broker, Buffalo, N. Y., 1907-present; Director, Urban League, Buffalo, N. Y.; Director, N. A. A. C. P.; Director, Y. M. C. A.; mem. Masons; Appomattox Club; Live Stock Exchange, Buffalo, N. Y.; National Live Stock Exchange, Chicago, Ill.; Lieut., Police Reserve, City of Buffalo; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address, Live Stock Exchange; Residence, 18 Taft Pl., Buffalo, N. Y.

He is the only Colored man in the United States engaged in the buying and selling of live stock, and which business he followed for the past 27 years. In this capacity he is the buyer of live stock for such firms as Armour & Co., Chiefetz & Greenberger, Mayer Hornblum & Son, and many other of the leading firms in New York City, Boston, Albany, etc. Appraiser of crippled and dead live stock for The Canadian Ins. Co. He is considered one of the leading Colored men of the Middle West and lives in a very pretentious residence.

FOREMAN, WILLIAM WADSWORTH—Lawyer.

b. Aug. 29, 1884, Greenville, N. C.; s. Daniel A. and Addie Ann (Randolph) Foreman; m. Eulalie Jernigan, April 25, 1916; educ. Tar River Inst., Greenville, N. C., 1907; Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1912; LL.B., American Technical Society, Law Dept., Chicago, Ill., 1922; Lawyer, 1923-present; Director, Metropolitan Bank and Trust Co., 1928-present; Director, Norfolk Community Hospital; Legal Advisor, Elks, Norfolk, Va., 1923-present; Legal Advisor, W. F. Shivers & Co., Inc., Smithfield Va.; mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; Gideons; Fisherman; N. A. A. C. P.; Y. M. C. A.; National Bar Assn.; Twin City Bar Assn.; Tau Delta Sigma; Inter-racial Commission; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1008 Church St.; Residence, 1814 Bruce St., Norfolk, Va.

FORNEY, CLAUDIUS LANGDON—Physician.

b. Sept. 12, 1898, Columbus, O.; s. George Smith and Elizabeth (Ball) Forney; m. Netha Benson, Nov. 3, 1927; educ. Columbus North High Sch., Columbus, O., 1917; A.B., Ohio State Univ., Columbus, O., 1923; M.D., 1925; Interne, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1925; Interne, Cook Co. Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1927; Physician, 1925-present; Medical Examiner, Cook Co. Bureau of Public Welfare, 1927-present; Director, Dept. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, John Andrews Clinics, Tuskegee, Ala., 1932-present; Staff, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1927-present; Granted Fellowship in Ophthalmology, Univ. of Chicago, 1931-present; Charter Member, National Negro Musicians and Artists Assn.; Pres., Snakes Club; mem. Medical Unit, R. O. T. C.; Past Grand Kappa Alpha Psi; Attending Ophthalmologist, Illinois Eye and Ear Infirmary, Chicago, Ill.; Elected, Diplomat of the American Board of Ophthalmology, 1936, at the annual meeting of the American Medical Assn.; 1st Lieut., Medical Corps, Eighth Regiment, Illinois National Guard; mem. Assn. of Military Surgeons of the United States; mem. Masons; Shriner; Elks; National Medical Assn.; Cook Co., Physicians Assn.; American Medical Assn.; N. A. A. C. P.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 363 E. 51st St.; Residence, Rosenwald Apts., 47th and Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He performed a miraculous operation at the Andrews Hospital Clinic, Tuskegee, Ala., on the eyes of George Owens, of Louisville, Ala., 103 years old. He was a Colored Confederate Veteran, and was blind for 30 years. He removed cataracts from both his eyes, and a few hours after the operation the aged veteran was able to see again. He also removed cataracts from the eyes of other patients while at the clinic, and has many other major operations to his credit.

He worked his way through college as a musician playing many instruments among them being the piano, cornet, trombone, cello, and metaphone. He was a member in such famous orchestras as Fletcher Henderson, of New York City; Sammy Stewart, of Chicago, Ill., and Parker's Popular Players, of Cleveland, Toledo and Detroit.

FORTUNE, FREDERICK W.—Physician.

b. June 21, 1891, Brooklyn, N. Y.; s. T. Thomas and Carrie C. (Smiley) Fortune; m. Anna B. Thomas, Aug. 20, 1917; educ. Shaw Univ., 1910-14; L. I. Coll. Hosp., 1915-19; M.D., 1919; Physician, 1919-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Sec., Penna. State Med., Dent., and Pharm. Assn.; Elks; Masons; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 770 N. 18th St., Phila., Pa.

FOUNTAIN, BELLE GRAVES—Social Worker.

b. May 7, 1874, Chicago, Ill.; d. Robert and Sarah (Diggs) Harper; m. Rev. Horace S. Graves (deceased), Jan. 29, 1896; second marriage, Samuel J. Fountain, Aug. 29, 1916; one child, Horace S. Graves, b. Nov. 29, 1897; educ. Twenty-sixth Street High Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1893; Special Tutors; Pres., Chicago and Northern

District Assn. of Colored Women, 1931-32; Sec., Eastern Star, 1931-32; Sec., Household of Ruth, 1928-present; Director, Urban League, Chicago, Ill., 1927-present; Financial Sec., Y. W. C. A., Chicago, Ill., 1927-31; Pres., Missionary Conference Branch, A. M. E. Church, 1906-13; National Chairman, Forestry, National Assn. of Colored Women, 1911-12; Pres., Iowa State Federation of Colored Women, 1902-04; mem. Eastern Star; Household of Ruth; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E.; Address, 3336 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Died, May 4, 1940.

FOUNTAIN, WILLIAM ALFRED—Bishop.

b. Oct. 29, 1870, Elberton, Georgia; s. Richard and Virginia Fountain; m. Julia Allen, Oct. 24, 1899; educ. Allen Univ., Columbia, S. C., 1892; A.B. Morris Brown Univ., Atlanta, Georgia, 1901; B.D. Turner Theol. Sem., Atlanta, 1902; M. A. Northwestern Univ., 1920; D.D. Wilberforce, 1920; studied, Univ. of Chicago; ordained ministry of the A. M. E. Church, 1894; pastorates in Georgia and Wilmington, N. C.; presiding Elder, Athens, Georgia District; President, Morris Brown Univ., 1911-20; elected bishop, 1920, and assigned to 18th and part of 13th districts, from California to West Indies and South America; mem. Trustee, Wilberforce Univ.; Morris Brown Univ.; Sigma Pi Phi; Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Residence, 242 Boulevard, N.E., Atlanta, Ga.

FOWLER, JAMES C. G.—Physician.

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FOWLER, MADELINE HUNTON—Executive Secretary Y. W. C. A.

b. Detroit, Mich.; d. Wendell Phillip and Ida (Wilson) Hunton; m. William Clinton Fowler, 1917; educ. Eastern High Sch., Detroit, Mich., 1909; Michigan Conservatory of Music, Detroit, Mich., 1909; Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y.; Executive Sec., Lucy Thurman Branch, Y. W. C. A., Detroit, Mich., 1926-present; Director, Music, Phyllis Wheatley Assn., Cleveland, O., 1920-25; Organist, St. Matthews Episcopal Church, Detroit, Mich., 1910-17; Organist, St. Andrews Episcopal Church, Cleveland, O.; Sec. Detroit Council of Social Workers; mem. N. A. A. C. P.; National Businessmen's League; Detroit Social Workers Club; National Employed Officers Assn.; Relig. Episcopalian; Business Address, Elizabeth and St. Antoine Sts.; Residence, 3311 McGraw Ave., Detroit, Mich.

FOWLER, R. M.—Physician.

Graduate of Lincoln University, 1908; University of Pittsburgh, 1913; General practice; on staff of Mercy Hospital, Philadelphia; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; State and National Medical societies; Amer. Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Address, 112 North Indiana Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.

FOWLER, STEPHEN HAMILTON—Y. M. C. A. Secretary.

b. May 6, 1881, Fort Worth, Texas; s. George and Asa (Walker) Fowler; m. Manet Harrison, July 28, 1915; four children, Manet Helen, b. May 26, 1916; Stephen Hamilton, b. Jan. 4, 1918; Geo. Harrison, b. May 27, 1920; Carroll Lacy, b. Mar. 4, 1924; educ. Prairie View State Normal Sch.,

Texas, 1899-1901, and 1907; Chicago Univ., Chicago, Ill., 1916; Chesapeake Y. M. C. A., Summer Sch., July, 1920; Prin., Birdville Sch., Tarrant Co., 1901-02; Grade Teacher, 9th St. Sch., Ft. Worth, Texas, 1902-06; Asst. Prin., Southside Grammar Sch., 1907-13; Head of Dept. History, I. M. Terrell High Sch., 1913-17; Prin., Rosen Heights Elementary Sch., 1917-19; Executive Sec., Y. M. C. A., Colored Branch, 1919-present; member Texas Commission on Inter-Racial Cooperation; Editor, "Western Star," 1922; auth. "Manual Grade Y Club," Guide for Boys' Clubs, pub. Masonic Printing Co., 1925; mem. State Public Health Board, Colored Dept.; Asst. Sec., Laymen's Division, Nat. Baptist Convention; Pres., B. Y. P. U., Mt. Gilthead Baptist Church for 17 years; Church Clerk, 23 years; Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 809 E. 2nd St.; Residence, 1009 Humboldt St., Fort Worth, Texas.

He was Chairman of the Colored Division in the Diamond Jubilee celebration, held by Fort Worth in 1925.

FOX, ALFONSO RICHARD—Clergyman.

b. Sept. 8, 1892, Hannibal, Mo.; s. Aaron W. and Anna (Saunders) Fox; m. Sadie Alston, Jan. 22, 1916; two children Walter A., b. Nov. 14, 1917; Alfonso Richard, Jr., b. Nov. 30, 1919; educ. Douglas High Sch., Hannibal, Mo., 1910; B.D. Wilberforce, Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1915; D.D. (Honorary), 1924; Clergyman, 1915-present; Pastor, Bethel A. M. E. Church, Palmyra, Mo., 1916-17; Pastor, Bethel Church, Macon, Mo., 1918-21; Pastor, Bethel Church, Portland, Ore., 1921-25; Pastor, Bethel Church, Nashville, Tenn., 1926-27; Pastor, St. James Church, Covington, Ky., 1928-29; Pastor, Young's Chapel, Huntington, W. Va., 1930; Pastor, St. John's Church, Xenia, O., 1931-32; Pastor, Trinity Church, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1933-present; Delegate, General Conference, 1924, 1928; Pres., N. A. A. C. P., Portland, Ore., 1922; mem. K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E.; Address, 2704 Wylie Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

While Pastor in Portland, Ore., he built Bethel A. M. E. Church which property, including building, real estate and fixtures, is valued in excess of \$75,000.

FOX, J. T.—College Dean.

b. Hannibal, Mo.; educ. Public Sch., Hannibal, Mo.; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.; Principal, Night Sch., Washington, D. C., three years; Educational Director, Y. M. C. A., Kansas City, Mo., two years; Educational Director, Army Y. M. C. A., Camps Travis and Pike; Teacher, History, Dallas High Sch., Dallas, Tex., ten years; Coach, Football Team during same term; Teacher, Public Sch., Kansas City, Mo.; Principal, High Sch., Cairo, Ill.; Principal, High Sch., Metropolis, Ill.; Principal, Boggs Academy, Waskom, Texas; Teacher, Brenham and Conroe Colleges; Director, Wiley Extension School; Dean, Houston Junior College, Houston, Texas; Address, Houston Junior College, Houston, Texas.

FOX, WICKLIFFE CARL—Information Clerk.

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G. HAMILTON FRANCIS, M.D.



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becca (Wickliffe) Fox; m. Ida Mary Tanner, June 3, 1908; educ. Monroe High Sch., Monroe, Mich., 1900; High Sch., Ann Arbor, Mich., 1902; Information Clerk, Toledo Edison Co., Toledo, O., 1911-present; One of Founders and Treas., Frederick Douglas Community Center Assn., Toledo, O., 1920-present; Past Pres., N. A. A. C. P., Toledo, O., One of Founders and Treas., Commonwealth Club, 1932-present; mem. Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; Utopia Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Business Address, Jefferson and Superior Sts.; Residence, 742 Avondale Ave., Toledo, O.

FRANCIS, G. HAMILTON—Physician.

b. Nov. 29, 1885, St. Christopher, B.W.I.; s. Barnabus and Mary C. (Hamilton) Francis; m. Nevada C. Burrows, Mar. 5, 1913; two children, Alois, b. June 14, 1914; Gratia, b. June 29, 1920; educ. Wesleyan Sch., St. Christopher, B.W.I.; Berkeley Inst., Hamilton, Bermuda; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn.; Physician, 1911-present; Chairman, Executive Board, Norfolk Colored Social Agencies; Merit Badges, Counsellor, Boy Scouts of America; Highest Honors, Obstetrics; awarded the W. H. Baskett prize at Meharry Medical Coll.; first Interne, Hubbard Hospital, Nashville, Tenn.; ex-Pres. Old Dominion Medical Soc.; ex-Pres. Tidewater Medical Soc.; ex-Asst. Sec., National Medical Assn.; Executive Board, National Medical Assn.; Pres. National Medical Assn., 1933; studied Tropical Medicine in the West Indies; mem. Masons; Shriner; Elks; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 903 E. Liberty St.; Residence, 521 E. Berkley Ave., Norfolk, Va.

FRANCIS, WILLIAM TREYANNE—Lawyer.
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FORSTER, MRS. ESTELLE ANCRUM—Musician-Director of Music School.

b. March 20, 1887, Wilmington, N. C.; d. Edward and Leah (Greene) Ancrum; m. Charles W. Forster, June 11, 1908; educ. Bennett Coll., (Normal, Academic, Music), 1901-05; Diplomas, 1905; New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, Mass., (Piano, Organ), 1907-20; Music Teacher, 1905-present; Founder and Director, The Ancrum School of Music, Boston, Mass., 1922-present; auth. "Piano Composition," pub. Theo. Presser, Boston, Mass., 1926; "Ancrum School Course in Sight Singing," pub. Theo. Presser, 1926, "A Dream of Enchantment," a musical play in three acts, Theo. Presser, 1926; mem. Women's Business League; The Durant, Inc.; Nat. Assn. of Negro Musicians; Relig. Roman Catholic; Address, 74 W. Rutland Sq., Boston, Mass.

She has the distinction of holding diplomas for two major subjects, Organ and Piano, from the New England Conservatory of Music, in addition to being well versed in eleven supplementary subjects.

FOSTER, A. L.—Executive Secretary, Urban League.

b. 1894, Springfield, Mo.; educ. Salt Lake City, Utah; Albuquerque, New-Mexico; High Sch., Wichita, Kans.; Wilberforce Univ.; Ohio State Coll.; Extension course, Chicago Univ.; Teacher,

Latin and mathematics, Lincoln High Sch., Springfield, Mo., 1916-17; Principal, Lincoln High Sch., 1917-18; attended Central Officers' Tr. Sch., Little Rock, Ark., commissionee Lieut., Infantry; served with A.E.F.; Ed. Sec., Spring St. Br., Y.M.C.A., Columbus, Ohio, 1919; Ed. Sec. and Supervisor of Boys Work for four years; mem. Executive Comm., Columbus (Ohio) Br., N.A.A.C.P.; Ex. Committee, Columbus (Ohio) Br., Nat. Assn. of Negro Musicians; at one time, Ex. Sec., Canton Urban League; with G. A. Steward organized and was first secretary of Adelphi Building Loan and Savings Company; Ex. Sec., Chicago Urban League, 1926-present; Address, Chicago Urban League, 3031 Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill

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b. Montclair, N. J.; d. Charles Wesley and Sarah (Turner) Hooe; m. Walter Howard Foster, June 15, 1911; educ. Montclair High Sch., 1894; A.B. Howard Univ., 1898; Teacher, Marshall Village, Ga., 1900-02; Chairman, Auxiliary, Y. M. C. A., 1903-12; Pres., Y. W. C. A., Bd. of Management, Montclair, N. J., 1912-22; Executive Sec., Y. W. C. A. (Colored Women) Montclair, N. J., 1922-present; mem. Ex. Committee, Howard Alumni Club of North Jersey; Nat. Coll. Women's Club; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church; Address, 159 Glen Ridge Ave.; Residence, 415 Bloomfield Ave., Montclair, N. J.

Died, December 4, 1940.

FOSTER, WILLIAM CLARENCE, JR.—Educator.

b. Jan. 27, 1905, Providence, R. I.; s. William Clarence and Ida Louise (Smith) Foster; m. Gertrude Clarke Hedges, June 27, 1930; educ. Ph.B. Brown Univ., 1929; M.A. Brown Univ., 1930; Scholarship Student Biological Laboratory, Cold Spring Harbor, L. I.; Laboratory Assistant, Biology Dept., Brown Univ., 1929-30; first Negro to be photographed as a member of Brown Univ., Faculty; Instructor, Dept. of Biology Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1930-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, Morehouse College, Atlanta, Ga.; Residence, 71 Benevolent St., Providence, R. I.

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b. Feb. 21, 1892, Meridian, Miss.; s. Wm. Thomas and Alvina (Lewis) Foster; m. Mary Eleanor Booth, Sept. 20, 1920; four children, William Harris, b. Feb. 26, 1922; Gloria Beatrice, b. Oct. 28, 1924; Paul B., b. April 16, 1927; Carol J., b. June 12, 1928; educ. Lincoln Sch., Meridian, Miss., 1898-1909; Tougaloo Univ., Tougaloo, Miss., 1909-13; Howard Univ., 1915-18; D.D.S. 1918; enlisted Med. Reserve Corp., 1918; Clerk, U. S. Dept. Labor, Statistics, 1919; Spec. Agent, Dept. Labor Statistics, 1919; licensed to practice Dentistry, State Maryland, Dec., 1919; practice Dentistry, District of Columbia Jan. 1920-present; Clerk, Civil Service Commission, 1920; Section Supervisor, Census Bureau, June, 1920-Nov., 1920; mem. Masons (32°); Royal Arch Mason; Shriner; Robt. T. Freeman Dental Society of Washington, D. C.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 1901 Seventh St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

FRANCIS, JOHN RICHARD—Dentist.

b. April 29, Washington, D. C.; s. John Richard Betty G. (Cox) Francis; m. Alice K. Wormley, Nov. 10, 1906; four children, Genevieve, b. Nov. 21, 1907; John Richard, Jr., b. Feb. 19, 1912; Betty G., b. July 3, 1917; Minton, b. Dec. 24, 1922; educ. M Street High Sch. (now Dunbar High Sch.), Washington, D. C., 1903; D.D.S., Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., 1906; Interne, Blockley Hospital, 1906-07; Dentist, 1906-present; Teacher, Dental Sch., Howard Univ., 1908-14; Dental Inspector, Public Sch., Washington, D. C., 1909-15; Visiting Dentist on Staff, Freedman's Hospital, 1909-15; Dental Dispensary, Shiloh Baptist Church, Washington, D. C., 1928-present; Dental Clinician, Montgomery Co., Md., 1928-31; mem. Alumni Soc., Univ. of Pennsylvania; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1924 13th St., N.W.; Residence, 1921 2nd St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

He was the organizer of the football team and athletics in the Colored public schools of Washington, D. C. It will be very interesting to many to learn just how the school colors of Red and Black of the Washington schools were adopted. The sweaters that were purchased for the first game that was to be played were of that color, and a flag was then made by Miss Mineola Kirkland, who is now Supervisor, to match the sweaters.

FRANCIS, ROBERT COLEMAN—Economist.

b. Sept. 11, 1903, San Francisco, Calif.; s. Joseph Smallwood and Laura Virginia (Clarke) Francis; m. Beatrice Frances Galbreth, Dec. 13, 1929; one child, Robert C., b. Feb. 28, 1931; educ. A.B. Univ. of California, Berkeley, Calif., 1926; A.M., 1928; Ph.D., 1934; auth. "A History of Labor on the San Francisco Water Front," Univ. of California Press, 1934; (considered authority on Labor, Pacific Coast); Articles on Labor, San Francisco Labor Clarion; Asst., Dept. of Economics, Univ. of California, 1928-34; Professor, Economics and Sociology, Lincoln Univ., Jefferson City, Mo., 1934-present; Mail Clerk, San Francisco Chronicle, 1919-26; Coach, Athletics, California, 1926-33; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Omicron Delta Gamma; American Economics Assn.; Odd Fellows, Royal Economic Soc. (England); National Economics Honor Soc.; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 14 Marie St., Sausalito, Calif.

He is the first Colored man to earn letters in two major sports at the University of California—football and track. He is also the only Colored man to receive the Degree of Ph.D. from the University of California, and to assist in an academic department.

FRANKLIN, CHESTER ARTHUR—Editor.

b. June 7, 1880, Denison, Texas; s. George Francis and Clara Belle (Williams) Franklin; m. Ada Crogman, July 15, 1925; educ. High Sch., Omaha, Neb.; Nebraska Univ., 1896-98; Editor and Publisher, The Denver Star, Denver, Colorado, 1899-1913; Editor and Publisher, The Call, 1919-present; mem. Masons; Pythians; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 1715 E. 18th St.; Residence, 2447 Montgall Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

The Kansas City Call is considered one of the leading newspapers in the Race and has fearlessly championed the cause for better housing, safety from police brutality, participation in jury service and better schools. Starting in 1919, except for two years, he has been the sole owner and Editor. In June, 1931, a corporation of \$100,000 was formed, full paid, no stock being held by outsiders. The shares held were donated to some of the older employees for their faithful service rendered to the paper. It is the largest employer of Colored labor in Kansas City judged by pay roll.

FRANKLIN, MRS. LAURA CROFTON—Teacher and Matron.

b. Oct., 1854, Concord, N. C.; d. Delia Holmes; m. Rev. W. H. Franklin, Dec. 26, 1894; educ. Scotia Seminary; Taught school, Concord, N. C.; Matron, Swift Mem. College, 1893-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Swift Memorial College, Rogersville, Tenn.

FRÁZIER, CHARLES R.—Bank Cashier.

b. Aug. 3, 1879, Auburn, Ala.; s. Edmund and Estelle (Mitchell) Frazier; m. Daisy Christian, Sept. 7, 1907; two children, Charles R. b. Oct. 8, 1916; Eva H., b. Oct. 18, 1920; educ. A.B., Shaw Univ., 1900; Brown Univ., Providence, R. I., 1902; A.B., Univ. Chicago, 1907; Professor, Foreign Languages, Shaw Univ., 1902-11; Dean, Shaw Univ., 1911-21; Cashier of Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Raleigh, N. C., 1921-present; Vice-Pres., Raleigh Br., Negro Business League; Chairman, Finance Committee of the Negro Welfare Chest; Director, Mechanics and Farmers Bank; Treas., Capital Bldg. and Loan Assn.; Treas., Baptist Sunday School Convention; mem. K. of P.; Phi Beta Sigma; Nat. Teachers Assn.; N. C. Teachers Assn.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 13 E. Hargett St.; Residence, 121 E. South St., Raleigh, N. C.

FRAZIER, MARTIN F.—Clergyman.

b. June 19, 1864, Winchester, Ky.; s. Alfred and Sallie Frazier; m. Elizabeth Webb; one child, Sallie; educ. Public Schools, Winchester; Pastor of Christian Church, Corinth, Kentucky; three years, Richmond, Kentucky; three years pastor of Maple Street Church (Christian), Lockland, Ohio; two years, College Hill, Cedar Avenue Christian Church; five years pastor of Oxford Christian Church, Oxford, Ohio; seven years John Street Christian Church, Cincinnati, O.; Pastor, Wehrman Christian Church; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1241 Lincoln Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.

FRAZIER, EDWARD FRANKLIN—Educator-Sociologist—Author.

b. Sept. 24, 1894, Baltimore, Md.; s. James Edward and Mary (Clark) Frazier; m. Marie Ellen Brown, Sept. 14, 1922; educ. Howard Univ., 1912-16; A.B., Howard Univ., 1916; Clark University, Worcester, Mass., Sociology, Psychology, 1919-20; A.M. Clark Univ., 1920; N. Y. Sch. of Social Work, Research Fellowship, 1920-21; Univ. of Copenhagen, Denmark, Social Science, 1921-22; Research assistant, Department of Sociology, University of Chicago, 1927-29; Ph.D. University



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EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER, A.B., A.M.

of Chicago, 1931; Teacher, Math, Tuskegee Inst., 1916-17; Teacher, English and History, St. Paul's Sch., Lawrenceville, Va., 1917-18; Teacher, Math. and French, Baltimore High Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1918-19; Director, Summer Sch., Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1922; Prof. of Sociology, Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1922-24; Director, Atlanta School of Social Work, Atlanta, Ga., 1922-27; Professor of Sociology, Fisk University, 1931; author: "The Negro Family In Chicago," The University of Chicago Press, 1932; "The Pathology of Race Prejudice," The Forum, June, 1927; "A Negro Industrial Group," Howard University Review, 1924; "Psychological Factors in Negro Health," Jour. of Social Forces, 1925; "Social Equality," Opportunity, 1925; "Durham: Capital of the Black Middle Class," in the New Negro, 1925; "Garvey: A Mass Leader" in The Nation, Aug. 18, 1926; various articles in the American Journal of Sociology, The Nation, Crisis, Opportunity, The Messenger, The Southern Workman, The Journal of Social Forces, Howard Review; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; American Sociological Society; Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Address, Howard University, Washington, D. C.

FRAZIER, SOLOMON S.—Clergyman.

b. Jan. 16, 1886; New Iberia, La.; s. Nathan and Peggy (Jarvis) Frazier; m. Effie B. Brown, Apr. 27, 1917; one child, Landry Clemons, b. Oct. 5, 1906, (Step-child); educ. Howe Institute, New Iberia, La.; A.B., Leland Univ.; D.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.; auth. special articles, Christian Recorder and Dallas Express; Clergyman, 1911-present in various parts of Texas, attending Conferences under Bishop Johnson and Bishop Brooks; Teacher, Public Schools, Texas, 1911-26; Deputy, National Benevolent Ins. Soc., Kansas City, Mo.; Sec., Cameron District Conference and Central Texas Conference, Texas; Trustee, Paul Quinn Coll., Waco, Texas; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Rockdale; Residence, 2511 N. Washington Ave., Dallas, Texas.

FREDERICK, NATHANIEL JEROME—Lawyer.

b. Nov. 18, 1877, Orangeburg, S. C.; s. Benjamin Corinn and Henrietta (Baxter) Frederick; m. Corinne Rebecca Carroll, Sept., 1904; four children, Carroll G. and Raymond B. (twins) b. July 21, 1905; Catherine May, b. Nov. 30, 1907; Natalie Corinne, b. Jan. 6, 1909; educ. Claflin Univ., Classical, A.B., Claflin Univ., 1899; Univ. of Wisconsin, 1899-1901; A.B., 1901; A.M., Claflin Univ.; A.M., Benedict Coll.; Principal, Columbia City (S. C.) Schools (Colored) for 16 years; practicing Attorney, 1913-present; mem. Legal Staff, N.A.A.C.P.; Delegate, National Republican Convention, 1920, 1924, 1932; Masons; Elks; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 1119 Washington St.; Residence, 1416 Park St., Columbia, S. C.

He was the defense counsel for the Lomans, Aiken, S. C., in 1926. On the second trial one of the three defendants was acquitted. On that very night, fearing the acquittal of the other two defendants, one being a woman, the three were taken from jail and lynched.

In 1928 he was counsel for Ben Bess, who had served 12 years in the Penitentiary on a con-

viction of rape, on afterwards admitted perjury testimony. He was pardoned by the Governor of the State. Later the alleged victim repudiated her statement. The Governor then revoked the pardon and the man was again sent to the Penitentiary. The case then went into the various Courts with the final result that the Supreme Court of South Carolina freed him.

FREDERICK, RIVERS—Physician and Surgeon. b. May 22, 1874, Point Coupee, La.; s. George S. and Armitine (Dalcourt) Frederick; m. Arcina Boris, May 20, 1906; two children, Pearl, b. June 18, 1907; Lolita, b. June 27, 1911; educ. Straight Coll., New Orleans, La.; New Orleans Univ.; M.D., Univ. of Illinois, College of Medicine, Chicago, Ill., 1897; John B. Murphy's Clinic, Chicago, Ill., 4 years; Physician and Surgeon, 1897-present; Chief Surgeon, Flint Goodridge Hospital, Dillard Univ., New Orleans, La., 1931-present; Surgeon-in-Chief, Government Hospital, El-Roitán, Spanish Honduras, C. A., 4 years; Instructor, Surgery, Flint Medical Coll., New Orleans, La., 4 years; Surgeon, Southern Pacific Railway, New Orleans, La., 20 years; Treas., Vice Pres. and Director, La. Industrial Life Ins. Co., New Orleans, La.; 1st. Vice-Pres., National Medical Assn., 1934-present; mem. National Medical Assn.; La. Medical, Dental and Pharm. Ass.; Phi Beta Sigma; Pol. Independent; Relig. Catholic; Address, 2107 Dryades St., Residence 2708 Cadiz St., New Orleans, La.

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b. Sept. 2, 1894, Philadelphia, Pa.; s. Douglas A. and Laura E. (Goodwin) Freelon; m. Marie Julia Cuyjet, Sept. 4, 1918; one child, Allan Randall, Jr., b. March 13, 1925; educ. Public Sch., Philadelphia, Pa.; Philadelphia Sch. of Pedagogy; Pennsylvania Museum and Sch. of Ind. Art; B.S., Univ. of Pennsylvania, 1925; Barnes Foundation, 1927-28-29; Student of Painting and Etching under Hugh H. Breckenridge, A.N.A., and Earl Horte; Served in the United States Army, 1917-19 as Second Lieut., Infantry, assigned instructor and Administrative Officer in Third Officer's Training Sch., Camp Pike, Ark.; Teacher, Public Schools, Philadelphia; Assist. Director Art Education, Philadelphia Public Sch., 1921-present, being first Negro to be appointed to Dept. of Superintendence in Philadelphia Sch.; mem. The North Shore Arts Assn. of Gloucester, Mass.; The Gloucester Society of Artists; The American Federation of Arts; American Artists Professional League; Philadelphia Art Teachers Assn.; Alpha Phi Alpha; listed in "Who's Who in American Art"; Relig. Catholic; Address, Art Dept., Administration Building, Philadelphia Public Schools; Residence, 2220 Catherine St., Philadelphia, Pa.; Summer Residence, 12 Plum St., Gloucester, Mass.

He won a four year scholarship to the Art School where he received many prizes. His first Painting was on exhibition at the Albright Gallery, Buffalo, N. Y., and after that he completed many Paintings and his work has been favorably reviewed in most of the Eastern newspapers, one Painting being reproduced in the

American Magazine Arts, June, 1930, Southern Workman, Nov., 1929, April, 1930. The *La Revue Moderne*, Paris, France, Jan., 1930, also reviewed his work with two illustrations. Owing to his outstanding achievements he was given inclusion in "Who's Who in American Art." Paintings owned by private collectors as far west as Indiana, and in Jay Cooke High School, Phila., Pa., two paintings "Gloucester Harbor" 30"x36". "Bass Rocks" 30"x36", Gloucester (N.J.) High School, one painting, Eugene Field School, Phila., Pa. "The Wave" 30"x36", Etchings widely distributed, including Jamaica, B. W.I.

FRENCH, LELAND DICKERSON — Mortician.
b. April 22, 1897, Cleveland, O.; s. Neptune W. and Mary (Bradley) French; m. Agnes Burns, Nov. 3, 1917; educ. Central High Sch., Cleveland, O., 1913; Columbus Sch. of Embalming, Columbus, O., 1919; Mortician, 1919-present; Students' Army Training Corp, Wilberforce, O., 1918; Past Master, William T. Boyd Lodge, Masons, 1928; Past Chancellor, K. of P., 1921; Trustee, Shiloh Baptist Church, Cleveland, O., 1922-present; Sec., Cleveland Funeral Directors Assn., 1925-present; Past Commander, Knight Templars, 1929; Pres., Buckeye State Funeral Directors Assn., 1931-present; Charter Member, Benedict Club; Grand Standard Bearer, United Supreme Council of Scottish Rite Masons, 33°; mem. Masons; Shriner; Knight Templar; Elks; K. of P.; American Woodman; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; American Legion; Independent Funeral Directors Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2118 E. 46th St., Cleveland, O.

FRENCH, MRS. MARY LOUISE.

b. Dec. 24, 1894, Colorado Springs, Col.; d. Fred A. and Julia M. Reid; m. William French, June 5, 1912; educ. Public Schools of Colorado Springs; studied music at Oberlin Coll., Oberlin, Ohio; auth. "There Never Fell a Night So Dark," fiction, pub. Crisis, 1925; mem. Du Bois Study Club; Progressive Woman's Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal Church; Address, 518 N. Pine St., Colorado Springs, Col.

FULLER, OSCAR ANDERSON, Sr.—College Dean. — See 4th Edition.
Died.

FULLER, SOLOMON CARTER — Neurologist-Psychiatrist.

b. Aug. 11, 1872, Monrovia, Liberia; s. Solomon Carter and Anna Ursilla (James) Fuller; m. Meta Vaux Warrick, Feb. 9, 1909; three children, Solomon Carter, William Thomas, Perry James; educ. Liberia College; Livingstone College, Salisbury, N. C., A.B. 1893; Boston University, Boston, Mass., M.D. 1897; post-grad. study, Univ. of Munich, Germany; Interne, Asst. Path., Path., Director, Psychiatry, Westborough, Mass., State Hosp., 1897-1920; Lecturer, Neuro-Path., Assoc. Prof., Neur., Boston Univ., 1909-25; auth. "Special Studies on the Histopath. of the Brain Cortex," Domestic and Foreign Jour., "Nervous and Mental Diseases," mem. Boston Soc. Psychiatry and Neurol.; Mass. Psychiatric Soc.; N.E. Psychiatric Soc.; Am. Psychiatric Soc.; Am.

Med. Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Protestant; Address, 220 Clarendon St.; Residence, 31 Warren Road, Framingham, Mass.

FURLOW, CHARLES HENRY MADISON—Fraternal Organization Secretary.

b. Nov. 2, 1888, Independence, Texas; s. Napoleon and Sarah (Graves) Furlow; m. Juella Evelyn Newman, July 9, 1918; educ. Prairie View State Normal Sch., Tex., 1903-06; Atlanta Univ., 1907-12; A.B. Atlanta Univ., 1912; Teller, Farmers Improvement Bank, Waco, Texas, 1912-13; Assistant Cashier of same, 1913-16; Grand Secretary, Farmers' Improvement Society, 1916-present; Grand Secretary, Independent Order of Tabor of America, 1924-present; Pres., Farmers Improvement Bank, 1929-present; mem. Elks; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Masons; Woodmen; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 109 Bridge St., Waco, Texas; Residence, 1216 N. 6th St., Waco, Texas.

In 1913 he organized the Y. M. C. A. in Waco, Texas.

He organized the Young Men's Commercial Club and the School of Opportunity (a night school) during 1920. He became Associate Editor of the Waco Clarion in 1923.

The Independent Order, Knights and Daughters of Tabor of American was organized in 1924 and of this Order he was one of the organizers.

FURNISS, SUMNER ALEXANDER—Physician.

b. Jan. 30, 1874, Jackson, Mississippi; s. William H. and Elizabeth (Williams) Furniss; m. Lillian M. Morris; educ. Lincoln Coll.; M.D. Indiana Univ. (Medical Dept.), 1894; Physician, 1894-present; elected Councilman-at-large for the city of Indianapolis, 1918-22; Delegate-at-Large, Republican National Convention, Chicago, Ill.; mem. State Executive Committee, Republican, 1930-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Masons; Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander of Scottish Rite Masons for Northern Masonic Jurisdiction; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 401 N. Senate Ave.; Residence, 834 N. West St., Indianapolis, Ind.

GAINES, ABRAHAM LINCOLN — Bishop-Educator. — See 3rd Edition.

Died, August 22, 1931.

GAINES, HARRIS BARNETT—Lawyer.

b. April 6, 1888, Henderson, Ky.; s. William Thomas and Mamie (Newcomb) Gaines. m. Irene McCoy, Oct. 8, 1916; two children, Harris Barnett, Jr., b. May 25, 1922; Charles Ellis, b. Jan. 16, 1924; educ. LL.B. DePaul Univ., 1914; Post Graduate course, John Marshall Law Sch., Univ. of Chicago; member, firm of Gaines & Co., contractors, 1912-14; Real Estate operator, 1914-17; Lawyer, 1914-present; was Asst. State's Attorney, Cook County, Ill., 1925-28; member of Illinois State Legislature, 1928-present; Neighborhood Improvement Assn.; Chicago Urban League; National Bar Assn.; Cook Co. Bar Assn.; Municipal Ownership League; Lakeside Civil Improvement Assn.; Men's Civil Club; Masons; Odd Fellows; Foresters; Elks; Pol. Re-

publican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 3458 S. State St.; Residence, 3262 Vernon Ave., Chicago, Ill.

GAINES, IRENE McCOY—Club Woman.

b. Ocala, Fla.; educ. Fisk Univ.; Univ. of Chicago; Cook County Juvenile Court, 4½ years; won several gold medals and diamond prizes for developing literary art; affiliated with U. S. Dept. of Labor for one year; industrial secretary of the Y.W.C.A., three and a half years; served as departmental head of organization and surveys with the War Camp Community Service; Vice Pres., Federation of Colored Women's Clubs; mem. Women's City Club; Pres. Women Voters' League, Ill.; Committeewoman, 1st Cong. Dist., 1928-29; mem. Pres. Hoover's Conference on Home Building and Home Ownership, 1931; mem. Planning Board for Colored Voters, Republican National Committee, 1932; Address, 3262 Vernon Ave., Chicago, Ill.

GALLOWAY, LILLIAN (Mrs. William E. Elmor)—Manager.

b. April 2, 1900, Winston-Salem, N. C.; d. O. R. and Martha (Haston) Galloway; m. William E. Elmore, Dec. 4, 1930; educ. High Sch., Philadelphia, Pa.; Gaffey's Business Sch., New York City; Braithwaite Business Sch., New York City; Columbia Univ.; Manager, Clef Club, New York City, 1924-present; ex-Manager, Printing Dept., U.N.I.A.; mem. Y.W.C.A.; Professional and Business Women's Club; Clef Club; Pol. Democrat; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, 137 W. 53d St.; Residence, 18 St. Nicholas Pl., New York City, N. Y.

The Clef Club was founded and incorporated about twenty years ago by the late Lt. James Reese Europe, its first President. Among its membership are many of the leading entertainers, the Club supplying Orchestras and talent for practically all kinds of amusement.

GANDY, J. M.—College President.

b. Oct. 31, 1870, Starkville, Miss.; s. Horace and Mary Ann (Gooden) Gandy; m. Carrie Senora Brown, July 17, 1901; four children, Theodore Irving, b. April 16, 1902; Horace, b. Sept. 21, 1903 (deceased); Marion E., b. May 29, 1906; John M. Gandy, Jr., b. March 3, 1918; educ. Jackson Coll., 1889-91; Oberlin Academy, 1892-94; Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1894-98; A.B. 1898; Columbia Univ. (summer school), 1902-17; A.M. Fisk Univ., 1901; Illinois Wesleyan Univ., non-resident, 1902-10; Ph.D. (honorary) Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1920; LL.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C. 1937; Teacher-Professor of Latin and Greek, Virginia State College, 1898-1901; Professor of Education, Virginia State College, 1902-14; President, Virginia State Coll., 1914-present; Special Representative, War Camp Community Service, 1916-18; Pres., Va. State Teachers Association, 1905-06; 1925-present; Member of American Academy of Political and Social Science, 1901; Executive Secretary, Negro Organization Society, 1912-27; Pres., Nat. Assn., Teachers in Col. Schools, 1919-20; Pres., Conference, Land Grant College Presidents, 1923-26; Promoter, Virginia's Older Boys Conference; Member, Board Trustees, Va. Union University and Franklin N. and I. Institute; contr. Southern Workman, Virginia State Col-

lege Gazette; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; National Committee Religion and Welfare Recovery; Pi Gamma Mu; National Social Science Honor Society; Virginia Illiteracy Commission; National Council, Y.M.C.A.; National Advisory Committee, Education of Negroes; Executive Board for Better Homes in America; Va. Commission on Interracial Cooperation; Recipient, Harmon Award for Educational Service, 1928; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Virginia State College, Ettrick, Va.

Virginia State College has a staff of 131 persons while the total number of students registered in 1939-40 was 3,249. It is a four year standard class "A" College and rated as such by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools; the Virginia State Board of Education; the Higher Educational Division, State Department of Education, University of the State of New York, and the American Medical Association. Virginia State College is the fourth largest Negro college in America, according to the most recent ranking.

In 1939, the College owned 356 acres and received during the fiscal year, 1938-1939, the sum of \$509,886 from all sources for operating purposes. Work on the graduate level leading to the M. A. and M. S. degrees has been offered at the College since the summer of 1937.

GAINEY, JOHN D.—Railway Mail Clerk.

— See 2nd Edition.
Died.

GARDINER, THEODORE MOMOLU—Bishop.

b. Jan. 30, 1870, Dearlah, Cape Mount, Liberia; s. Momolu Fiker and Guanyar (Tarweh) Gardiner; m. Miss F. R. Neal, May 3, 1897; second marriage, Danieleette F. Wilson, May 13, 1903; educ. Cuttington Collegiate and Divinity Sch., Cape Palmas, Liberia, 1892; B.D. Liberia Coll., 1912; D.D. 1916; Dean, 1896; Priest, 1906, of the Protestant Episcopal Church; Professor, History and Asst. Tutor in Theology, Cuttington Collegiate and Divinity Sch.; Rector, Mount Vaughan Church, Cape Palmas, 1902-13; served as Asst. Curate, Saint Mark's Church, Harper Cape Palmas, 1896-1905, and as Asst. Secretary and Secretary, General Convention Missionary District of Liberia, at Church of the Incarnation, New York City, June 23, 1921; President, Council of Advice, 1911-21, District of Liberia; Knight Commander, African Redemption, 1918; Address, Harper, Cape Palmas, Liberia, Africa; Residence, Bishop's Lodge, West Africa.

GARLAND, CORNELIUS N.—Physician.

b. Alabama; educ. Pub. School, Tuscaloosa; Livingstone College, Salisbury, N. C., 1897; M.D. Shaw University, 1901; post-graduate course, London University, England; Physician, Boston, Mass., 1903-present; Founder and Pres., Plymouth Hospital and Nurses Training School, 1908; mem. National Medical Assn.; Address, 225 West Canton St., Boston, Mass.

GARNER, SILAS E.—Asst. Attorney General.

b. Feb. 15, 1881, Brookhaven, Miss.; s. Silas and Mary (Wallace) Garner; m. Annie Russell, one child, Harold; educ. Alcorn Agricultural and Mechanical Coll., Alcorn, Miss., 1903; LL.B., Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1908; Lawyer, 1908-present; Instructor, Topisaw Public Sch., Miss., 1903-06; Chairman, Colored Division, Community Fund, St. Louis, Mo., 1929-present; Pres., St. Louis Civic Club, 1929-present; Pres., Epsilon Lambda Chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha, 1930-31; Delegate, Alpha Phi Alpha Convention, 1926, 1929, 1930; Special Asst. Attorney General, State of Missouri, 1931-present; Was appointed Receiver in many important cases; Legal Advisor, Calumet Cab Co., St. Louis, Mo., 1925-present; Legal Advisor and Committeeman, 6th Ward Republican Club, St. Louis, Mo., 1930-present; ex-Pres., Harlan State Bar Assn.; ex-Pres., Mound City Car Assn.; Chairman, Colored Division, Boy Scouts, St. Louis, Mo., 1931-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. M.E.; Address, 11 N. Jefferson Ave.; Residence, 4239 Enright Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

GARNETT, GEORGE JACOB—Clergyman.

b. July 1, 1883, Spottsylvania Co., Va.; s. George and Emma (Woods) Garnett; m. Dorothy Ellis, Oct. 9, 1905; one child, Dorothy L., b. Mar. 29, 1925; educ. B.T.H., Clayton Williams Univ., Baltimore, Md., 1916; Clergyman, 1914-present; Pastor, Mount Joy Baptist Church, Baltimore, Md., 1914-18; Pastor, St. Paul Baptist Church, Baltimore, Md., 1919; Pastor, Union Baptist Church, Sparrows Point, Md., 1922-24; Pastor, Morning Star Baptist Church, Baltimore, Md., 1924-present; Vice Pres., Baptist Ministers Conference, Baltimore, Md., 1924-25; mem. Baptist State Convention of Maryland; New England Baptist Convention; National Baptist Convention, Inc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 621 N. Carrollton Ave., Baltimore Md.

GARNETT, JAMES HENRY—Clergyman-Teacher.

b. 1847, Carter Plantation, Gordon Co., Ga.; s. James K. and Levinia (Carter) Garnett; m. Ida Lee Drake, Aug. 15, 1888; two children, Ida D., b. July 19, 1892; James Malcolm, b. Dec. 31, 1896; educ. A.B. Oberlin Coll., 1883; B.D. Univ. of Chicago, 1886; A.M. Oberlin Coll., 1887; B.D. Morman Pk. Ill., Theol. Course, 1886; D.D. Selma Univ., 1891; LL.D. Ark. Baptist Coll., 1926; Pres., Ark. Baptist Coll., Little Rock, Ark., 1886-87; Pres. and Co-Founder, Guadalupe Coll., Seguin, Tex., 1887-91; Pres., State Univ. (now Simmons), Louisville, Ky., 1891-95; Chair of Languages, Lincoln Univ., Jefferson City, Mo., nine years; Pres., Western Coll., Macon, Mo., for 10 years; Pres., Houston Coll., Houston, Tex., 1895-99; In Business, Gary, Ind., until 1922; Dean of Theol. and Chaplain, Kansas Industrial and Educational Inst., Topeka, Kansas, 1922-25; Teacher, Systematic Theol. and New Testament Greek, Am. Baptist Theol. Sem., East Nashville, Tenn., 1924-present; Dean, American Baptist Theol. Sem., Nashville, Tenn., 1922-present; mem. Dove Lodge; A.F.&A.M., Jefferson City, Mo.; mem. Abyssinian Baptist Church, New York, N. Y. 1874-present; Mosaic Templars of Amer.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Amer. Baptist Theol. Sem., Nashville, Tenn.; Residence, 2300 Adams St., Gary, Ind.

Mr. Garnett was born a slave on the Carter plantation, Gordon County, Georgia. He joined Sherman's march to the sea at Milledgeville, Ga., and remained with marching army until it reached Savannah, Ga. From Savannah, Ga., he went home with Capt. John F. Anderson who lived at Callicoon, New York City.

On February 22, 1865, at Middletown, he enlisted in the Infantry of New York Volunteers, and was sent to a camp of mobilization at Hart's Island, N. Y. In March, 1865, together with 1,100 other soldiers, he was sent to South Carolina. On a stormy voyage of 7 days, he had his feet frozen. On this journey several froze to death and were buried in deep sea. While at a hospital in Beaufort, S. C., the war ended.

At the close of the war he was honorably discharged and sent back to New York City. Here he found himself without home, kindred or friends. A raw boy, among strangers in a great metropolitan city is likely to encounter some strange vicissitudes. He worked at odd jobs and attended night school.

GARRETT, JOHN OSCAR—Contracting Engineer.

b. Nov. 5, 1898, Plaquemine, La.; s. John H. and Dora (Williams) Garrett; m. Alma Marshall (divorced), Oct. 29, 1924; two children, Pauline P., b. March 18, 1922; Margaret, b. Sept. 4, 1923; educ. Southern Univ., Scotlandville, La.; B.S. in Civil Engineering, Univ. of Glasgow, Scotland, 1916; Diploma in Marine Engineering, Polytechnic Inst., Brooklyn, N. Y., 1923; auth. "Propulsion and Propellers," 1924; Chief Marine Engineer, U. S. Shipping Board, 1918-26; General Building Contractor, New York City, N. Y., 1927-present; Pres. J. O. Garrett & Co., Inc., Contracting Engineers, which incorporation reconstructed over 150 houses in New York City; Pres., Garrett Hotel Corp., operating a chain of 6 Hotels for Colored having over 500 rooms, New York City; Trustee, Elks Lodge, New York City; Vice Pres. Burrow's Democratic Assn.; 1938-present; Vice Pres., National Colored Hotel Assn., 1938-present; Lieut. Canadian Navy, World's War, 1916-18; mem. Elks; Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Assn. of Friends of Haiti; Po. Democrat; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 19-21 W. 135th St.; Residence 32 W. 130th St., New York City.

The Garrett Hotel Corporation, of which he is president, owns and operates a chain of Hotels in New York City having over 500 rooms and employing 65 people. Among them are the Hotel Martha, Elk Hotel, Garrett House, Press House and Hotel El-Melrah, Maceo Hotel.

The J. O. Garrett & Co., Inc., Contracting Engineers, own and operate many buildings in New York City and employ 30 persons on construction of building.



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REV. JAMES H. GARNETT, D.D., LL.D.



JOHN O. GARRETT, B.S.

GARROTT, ALVA CURTIS—Dentist.

b. Sept. 18, 1866, Marion, Ala.; s. Curtis and Mary Jane (Pleasant) Garrett; m. Lillie de Jarnette, Sept. 5, 1893; three children, Alva Curtis, Miriam Hall, Robert Wilson; second marriage, Dr. Alice Watkins, Sept. 8, 1919; educ. State Normal Inst., Marion, Ala., 1879-83; Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala., 1883-86; Howard Univ., 1890-92 and 1896-99; Phar.D. Howard Univ., 1895 and D.D.S. Howard Univ., 1899; Teacher, Henderson and Carlisle, Texas, 1886-90; Government Clerk, Pension Bureau, Washington, D. C., 1890-1901; Dentist, Los Angeles, Cal., 1901-present; mem. Ancient Order of Foresters; Sigma Pi Phi; Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce; Y.M.C.A.; Supt. of Sabbath Sch.; Pres., Unity Finance Co.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Seventh Day Adventist; Address, 424 S. Broadway; Residence, 1126 S. Serrano Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

He was a pioneer dentist in Southern California, and the second to practice on the Pacific Coast. He has practiced in Los Angeles, Cal., continuously for twenty-five years.

GARVIN, CHARLES HERBERT—Physician-Surgeon.

b. Oct. 27, 1890, Jacksonville, Fla.; s. Charles Edward and Theresa (De Courcy) Garvin; m. Rosalind West, June 30, 1920; two children, Charles West, b. June 29, 1921; Harry Clark, b. June 26, 1928; educ. Pub. Sch., Jacksonville, Fla.; Pub. Sch., New York, N. Y., 1903-04; Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga., Academic, 1904-08; Howard Univ., 1908-11; A.B., Howard Univ., 1911; Howard Med. Sch., Howard Univ., 1911-15; M.D., 1915; Interne, Freedman's Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1915-16; Phy. and Sur., 1911-present; auth. Med. essays in Jour. of Nat. Med. Assn., Vol. viii, No. 4, 1921; Vol. xiv, No. 3, 1922; Vol. xv, No. 1, 1923; Vol. xvii, No. 3, 1925; "Immunity to Disease Among Dark Skinned Peoples," Opportunity, Aug., 1926; "Chronic Prostatitis," Ohio State Medical Journal, Aug., 1928; "Chronic Infections of Prostate and Seminal Vesicles," Medical Journal and Record, Aug. 15, 1928; "White Plague and Black Folk," Opportunity, Aug., 1913; "Sterility in the Male," and "Fibro-Plastic Diasthesis," Journal of National Medical Assn.; mem. Cleveland City Club; Cleveland Academy of Medicine; Am. Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Metropolitan Club; Sec. 1910-11, Pres. 1911-13 of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity; Order of Moose; Elks; Trustee, Mt. Zion Congregational Church; Treas., Cleveland Peoples Finance Corp., 1924-present; Advisory Director, Empire Savings and Loan Co., 1925-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 2321 E. 55th St.; Residence, 1114 Wade Park Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

He has, since 1920, been a member of the Staff of the Genito-Urinary Department of the Lakeside Hospital and Dispensary of the Western Reserve University.

He served as a member on a committee of 100 which welcomed the Republican National Convention at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1923.

During the World War he was Captain in the Medical Corps, U. S. Army, attached to the 367th Infantry and Commanding Officer of

the 368th Ambulance Company in service during the entire duration of the war and was overseas for eleven months.

GAUL, JEANNETTE—Organist.

b. Barbados, Brit. W. I.; d. Fred and Angelina (Babb) Edwards; m. Ethelridge Gaul, June 12, 1924; two children, Woodley, b. June 1, 1926; Robert, b. Nov. 23, 1927; educ. Pub. Sch. Barbados, B. W. I.; High Sch., Brooklyn, N. Y.; studied Organ under Louis Taggart; Gerald Hudson, A.R.C.O.; London, Eng.; Melville Charlton, Mus. D., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Teacher, Piano and Organ; mem. American Guild of Organists; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 75 Bainbridge St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

She is a successful teacher of music and Church Organ recitalist.

GEDDES, JOSEPH P.—Funeral Director.

b. New Orleans, La.; s. George D. and Julia (Robinson) Geddes; m. Naomi Gorham; three children, Mrs. Inez Geddes Jones; Gladys N.; Naomi V.; educ. Public Sch., New Orleans La.; Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala.; Funeral Director, New Orleans, La., Associated with Father to 1916; Pres., Geddes Undertaking Co., 1916-33; Owner, Joseph P. Geddes Funeral Home, 1934-present; mem. Board of Directors, Unity Industrial Life Ins. Co.; Mem. Board of Directors, Y. M. C. A.; Knights of Peter Claver Holy Name Soc., National Negro Business League; Original Illinois Club; Autofrat Club; Independent National Funeral Directors Assn.; Pres., Louisiana State Funeral Directors Assn.; Chairman, State Committee of National Funeral Code, FERA; Pol. Republican; Relig. Catholic; Address, 2901 Danneal St.; Residence, 2303 Louisiana Ave., New Orleans, La.

His funeral home is rated second among funeral establishments in Louisiana. It is modern in every detail and fully equipped, and is operated on a purely cash basis. He became the Chairman of the city wide drive to raise funds for the establishment of the Dillard University and the Flint-Goodrich Hospital which is connected with the Dillard University.

GENERETTE, MACKIE CLARENCE—Dentist.

b. Oct. 4, 1892, New London, Conn.; s. Samuel and Charlotte Generette; m. Juanita Jackson, Jan. 20, 1923 (divorced); one child, Mackie C., Jr.; educ. New Haven High Sch., 1911-12; D.D.S. Univ. of Penna., Phila. Dental, 1917; Dentist, 1918-present; mem. Am. Dental Assn.; Toledo Dental Soc.; Ohio State Dental Soc.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Ohio Dental Soc.; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 5 N. Michigan St.; Residence, 424 Indiana Ave., Toledo, Ohio.

GEORGE, ALBERT BAILEY—Board of Pardons and Paroles.

b. Oct. 23, 1873, Washington, D. C.; s. William M. and Dellaphine (Brown) George; m. Maude J. Roberts, March 27, 1918; one child, Albert Roberts, b. Dec. 28, 1918; educ. Miner High School, Washington, D. C.; Spencerian Business Coll., Washington, D. C.; Northwestern Univ., Chicago, Ill., 1896-97; LL.B. Northwestern Univ., 1897; Worked on Colored American, Washington, D. C., 1893-94; worked in Law Office, Al-

toona, Penn., 1894; Clerk for James B. Raymond, Alderman, Altoona, Penn.; Lawyer, Chicago, Ill., 1897-Dec., 1924; Associate Judge of Municipal Court, Chicago, Ill., 1924-31; mem. Board of Pardons and Paroles, Illinois, 1931-present; ex-Sec., Chicago Urban League; Sec., Board of Trustees, Provident Hospital, 1916-present; Master, Finance, Hannibal Lodge No. 6, K. of P.; Supreme Lodge, K. of P., for sixteen years; Oriental Lodge No. 68; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 3231 Vernon Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He served with Edward E. Cooper on his paper *The Colored American* when it was established in 1894. A year later he went to Altoona, Penn., and there read Law in the office of Nicholas P. Merevine while serving as Clerk for his brother-in-law, James B. Raymond, then Alderman from the 7th Ward of that city.

In 1896 he came to Chicago, and in one year was able to pass the examinations at Northwestern University, taking the degree of LL.B. in 1897. Began the general practice of law soon thereafter and continued, until elected an Associate Judge of the Municipal Court of Chicago, in Nov., 1924, for a six-year term. He received 445,780 votes, of which not more than 65,000 were the votes of colored people.

Judge George is active in social service, Secretary of the Urban League since its organization in 1916, Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Provident Hospital and as Master of Finance of sixteen years' standing for the Hannibal Lodge No. 6, K. of P. he was of general social service to its six hundred or more members.

Prior to election he was Attorney for the *Chicago Defender*, (a weekly) published in Chicago.

Appointed by Governor Emmerson, of Illinois, member of the Board of Pardons and Paroles, January 29, 1931.

Died March 23, 1940.

GEORGE, MAUDE ROBERTS—Musician.

b. Jersey City, N. J.; d. Joseph H. and Alice (Johnson) Roberts; m. Albert B. George, March 27, 1918; one child, Albert Roberts, b. Dec. 28, 1918; educ. South Division High Sch., Chicago, Ill.; Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1907; Bryant-Stratton Business Coll., Chicago, Ill., 1908; Musical, Private Instruction, Artistic, Herman Devries; Soloist, giving recitals at many Colleges and in many Cities; Teacher, Commercial and Music, Walden Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1909-11; Teacher, Commercial and Music, Lane Coll., Jackson, Tenn., 1911-13; Pres., Chicago Music Assn., 1932; Director, National Assn. of Negro Musicians, Inc., 1929-present; Chairman, Publicity, 1925-present; Music Critic, *Chicago Defender*, 1922-present; Pres., Douglass Sch. Parent-Teachers Assn.; mem. Housing Committee, Governor's Joint Emergency Relief of Illinois; Director, Sunshine Haven for Women; Chair-

man, Music, Chicago Northern District Assn.; Illinois State Assn. of Colored Women; Director, Cook Co. League of Women Voters; Vice Chairman, Executive Board, Colored Women's Illinois Republican Clubs; Treasurer, Women's Auxiliary Board, Provident Hospital, 1922-present; Life Member, Chicago Art Inst.; Life Member, Fields Museum; Chairman, S. Parkway Branch, Y.W.C.A., Chicago, Ill., 1923-30; Music Chairman, Negro in Art Committee; Program Chairman Young People's Lyceum, Grace Presbyterian Church, Chicago, Ill., 1917-30; Vice Chairman, Women's Inter-Racial Committee, Chicago Church Federation; mem. Douglass League of Women Voters; National Republican Women's Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 3231 Vernon Ave., Chicago, Ill.

GEORGE, ARTHUR HENRY—Clergyman.

b. Camden, S. C.; s. Henry and Elvira (Beckham) George; m. Minnie B. Jones, July 12, 1922; three children, Arthur Allen, b. March 13, 1923; Henry Hamilton, b. Feb. 13, 1925; Bryant, b. Nov. 19, 1927; educ. A.B. Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C., 1917; S.T.B. 1920; S.T.M. Western Theological Sem., Pittsburgh, Pa., 1921; Post Graduate Student, Auburn Sch. of Religious Education, 1926 and 1929; Pastor, Calvary Presbyterian Church, Wilson, N. C., 1921-30; Pastor, Shiloh Presbyterian Church, Knoxville, Tenn., 1930-present; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 1101 E. Main Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.

GEORGE, CLAYBORNE—Attorney-Councilman.

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In his examination for admission as Junior Physician to the Chicago Municipal Tubercular Sanitarium in 1916 he was at the head of a civil service list of two hundred and fifty applicants.

He was appointed Associate attending surgeon of the Provident Hospital in 1916, serving in that capacity until 1925 when he was made attending surgeon.

* Fellow of the Julius Rosenwald Fund and the University of Chicago for foreign study in Europe 1930-31. While in Vienna was elected a member of the executive committee of the

American Medical Association of Vienna; was also a librarian and a member of the orientation committee of the American Medical Association of Vienna.

On November 2, 1938, he was certified as a Diplomat of the American Board of Surgery, the first one of his Race to attain this distinction.

Since his return from Europe he has attended the University of Chicago regularly, taking several post-graduate courses, and doing special work in bone pathology under the direction of Dr. Dallas B. Phemister. He has been Chairman of the Special Liaison Committee of the National Medical Association, since 1938, and has been successful in obtaining many reforms for the Negro in organized medicine as well as inclusion of Negro medical officers in the United States Army.

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While the President of Haygood College, at Pine Bluff, Ark., he raised the standard of the institution from an unclassified elementary school to a recognized institution granting State Certificates. He erected an administration building valued with equipment at \$70,000.

Since his presidency at Texas College began he has raised the institution from a junior college to a senior college, accredited by the State Department of Education of Texas and other State Departments of Education throughout the nation. He has attained a rating by the Association of Colleges of Southern States, membership in the Association of American Colleges, and various other recognitions for Texas College.

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GOIN, EDWARD FRANKLIN—Clergyman.

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When engaged in doing missionary work in Bermuda he was elected Secretary of the First Interdenominational Alliance, being the first colored man to hold this position in that country.

He was instrumental in building the New Bethel Church of the A.M.E. connection, costing approximately \$300,000.

He visited Europe in the Summer of 1930, representing the A.M.E. Church at the World's Convention of Young People at Berlin, Germany.

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While a student at Princess Anne, she won a number of prizes and later received a four year scholarship to Morgan College and the Hargis Gold Medal for the best English Oration.

In the Junior year at Morgan College she was elected Undergraduate Representative of the Y.W.C.A. and was sent to the Conference at Talladega College, Ala., and there was elected a member of the National council and was sent to the conference in Eagles Mere, Penn., where the colleges from six states were represented.

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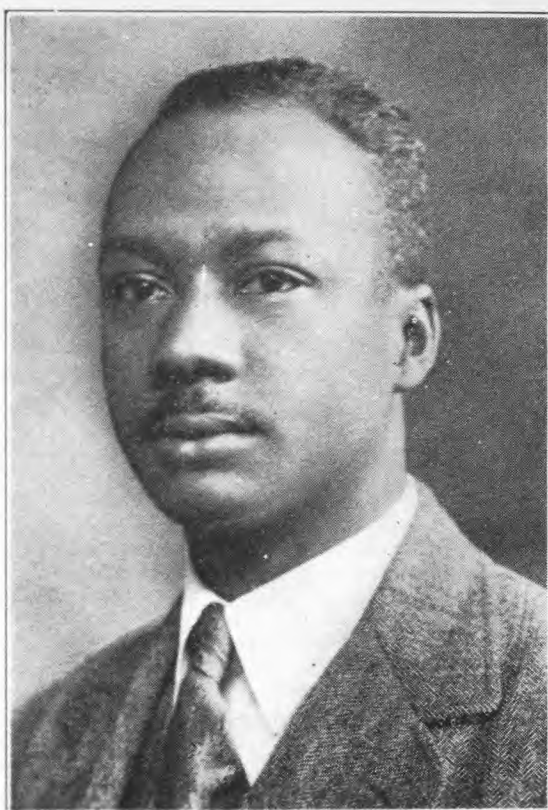
b. Nov. 23, 1890, Oviedo, Fla.; s. Elijah and Lillian (Burk) Gordon; m. Edythe Mae Chapman, Jan. 10, 1916; educ. Graded Schools, Hawkinsville, Ga.; Howard Univ. Academy and Coll., 1910-17; Attended Officers' Training Camps, Des Moines, Ia., and Camp Upton; Took special courses, Boston Univ., 1921-22-23; Reporter on Boston Post, May-July, 1919; Feature Dept., editing copy, 1919-present; since 1923, Editor of short stories and serials in Daily Post; contributor of editorials to Sunday Post and occasionally to Daily Post; has written on Negro press for various publications, including Fourth Estate and American Mercury; Articles and Essays of Satirical nature in Am. Mercury, Scribner's, Plain Talk, and Illustrated Feature Section of Negro Press; mem. Communist Party of Am.; Address, Boston Post, Boston, Mass.; Residence, 32 Copley St., Cambridge, Mass.

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He volunteered in the World War, enlisting in the 8th Illinois Regiment, National Guard, and which later became the 370th Regiment, A.E.F., attached throughout its Foreign service to the 59th French Division, and which was known as the "Blue Devils." He was cited for meritorious service and decorated with the Croix de Guerre, with Diploma.

The Industrial School is a corrective institution, and with the hospital for Colored insane, covers a site of 1,300 acres.

GORDON, TAYLOR—Concert Singer.

b. Apr. 29, 1893, White Sulphur Springs, Montana; s. John F. and Anna (Goodlow) Gordon; educ. Public Sch., White Sulphur Springs, Montana; Auto Mechanic, 1909-1911; Silk Designer, 1918-19; Chef, 1914-15; Deportation Attendant, 1915-16; B. F. Keith (Vaudeville), 1919-22; Concert Singer, 1924-present; Residence, 110 W. 106th St., New York, N. Y.

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b. July 11, 1901; Nashville, Tenn.; s. Rev. George W. and Emma (Hambrick) Gore; m. Pearl Winrow, Sept. 4, 1927; one child, Pearl Mayo; educ. Pearl High Sch., Nashville, Tenn., 1919; A.B., De Pauw Univ., Greencastle, Ind., 1923; Univ. of Chicago, Ill., 1924; Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass., 1925; Ed.M., 1928; Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., 1932-33; auth. "Negro Journalism," Journalism Press, Greencastle, Ind., 1922; Sec., Y.M.C.A., Marion, Ind., 1923; Teacher, English, A. and I. State Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1923-27; Dean, 1927-present; Sec., National Assn. Collegiate Deans and Registrars, 1928-present; Executive Sec., Tennessee State Assn. of Teachers in Colored Sch., 1923-present; mem. K. of P.; Alpha Phi Alpha; National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Sch.; American Assn. of Collegiate Registrars; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, A. and I. State Coll.; Residence, 2808 Centennial Blvd., Nashville, Tenn.

He won a scholarship given by Edward Rector to De Pauw University in 1920 to 1923. The Journalism Prize for the best work in Journalism by De Pauw University in 1922. A scholarship to Harvard University given by the General Education Board of New York City in 1927 and 1928, and a scholarship given

by the Rosenwald Fund, for Doctor's work, at Columbia University, New York City, in 1932 and 1933.

GRAHAM, ARCHIE ALLEN—Clergyman.

b. Feb. 9, 1873, Fulton Co., Ga.; s. Wade Monroe and Elizabeth Graham; m. Florence Evelyn Isham, Sept. 18, 1901; five children, Archie Alvah, b. Nov. 14, 1902; William Wade, b. April 2, 1905; Flora Elizabeth, b. Nov. 15, 1906; James Isham, b. Nov. 15, 1907; Charles Sanford, b. Dec. 18, 1913; educ. Knoxville Coll., 1888-95; Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1898-1900; B.D., 1900; D.D. (honorary), 1911; Teacher, 1895-1906; Pastor, Zion Baptist Church, Phoebus, Va., 1900-present; Corres. Sec. of the Lott-Carey Baptist Foreign Society, Inc., U.S.A., 1919-present; auth. "The Negro's Own View," Social and Political condition of the Negro in America, and a "Diary on Travel," 1904; mem. Phi Beta Sigma; St. Luke's; Chairman Negro Organization Society of Virginia; Trustee, Va. Union Univ.; Chairman of the Alumni Assn. of Va., Union Univ.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1501 11th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

Rev. A. A. Graham was the Moderator of the Norfolk Union Baptist Association for fourteen years and Secretary of the Baptist General Association of Virginia for fifteen years.

The Lott-Carey Baptist Foreign Mission Society, Inc., U. S. A., of which Dr. Graham has been corresponding Secretary for seven years, is devoted exclusively to Foreign Mission Work. It has workers in Africa, Haiti, Russia and India. Has established the only industrial plant in Liberia, except the Firestone interests.

GRAHAM, JESSE M. H.—Clerk, Civil Service Dept.

b. Feb. 8, 1869, Clarksville, Tennessee; s. James Monroe and Mahala (Mahan) Graham; educ. Fisk Univ.; Clerk, Federal Civil Service; Editor and Publisher, Clarksville Enterprise, 1895-98; Taught school in Kentucky and Tennessee; elected to Legislature, from Montgomery Co., Tenn., 1896-97; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Elks; United Spanish War Veterans; American Legion; Army and Navy Union; Pol. Independent; Relig. Christian Scientist; Address, 1527 Q St. N.W., Washington, D. C.

He enlisted in the regular army for service in the Spanish-American War and served in the Philippine Islands. Later he became a clerk in the Insular Bureau of Audits of the Philippine Islands, serving from 1902-1917.

Attended the Officers' Training camp at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, was commissioned Second Lieut. in the World War and was assigned to the 317th Engineer Regiment.

At present Dept. Commander, Dept. of The Potomac, U. S. Spanish War Veterans and past Commander, James Reese Europe Post No. 5, American Legion.

GRANDISON, HENRY HARRY—Business Sec. Y. M. C. A.

b. April, 24, 1881, Cincinnati, O.; s. Henry Harry and Elizabeth Ann (Miles) Grandison; m. Myrtle Munn, Dec. 27, 1905; educ. Woodward High Sch., Cincinnati, O., 1908; Chemical Compounder, Alex Fries & Bro., Cincinnati, O., 1900-17; Chemical Compounder, Fries & Fries, Cincinnati, O., 1917-21; Clerk, Sterling Hotel, 1922-23; Agent, Insurance, 1924-26; Business Sec., Y.M.C.A., Cincinnati, O., 1926-present; ex-Master, U.B.F.; Worshipful Master, Masons, Cincinnati, O., 1913-14; Most Excellent High Priest, Prince White Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, 1914-15; Grand-Sec., King Solomon's Consistory, 1924-30; Treas., True American and St. John Masonic Building Co., 1918-present; Treas., Southern Ohio K. of P. and Court of Calanthe Building Co., 1925-present; Treas., Union Baptist Church., 1912-present; Chairman, House Committee, New Orphan Asylum for Colored Children., 1929-present; Treas., Union Baptist Cemetery, 1927-present; one of Founders and First Pres., Argus Club; Sec., Foreign Work Committee Y.M.C.A., 1930-present; mem. Masons, (33°); Shriner; Knight Templar; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 636 W. 9th St.; Residence, 3019 Lavinia Ave., Cincinnati, O.

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b. Nov. 18, 1892, Guthrie, Okla.; s. William Randolph and Mary Louise (Turpin) Granger; m. Katherine Shelton Harris, April 25, 1917; two children, Richard Augustus, b. Dec. 22, 1918; Shelton Beverly, b. Feb. 21, 1921; educ. D.D.S., Univ. of Penna., 1916; Dentist, 1917-present; member of Dental Staff, Public Schools, Harrisburg, Pa., 1927-present; mem. Elks; Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Pol. Republican; Relig. Holy Cross Episcopal Church; Address, 628 Boas St., Harrisburg, Pa.

GRANGER, CARL V.—Physician.

b. Feb. 12, 1902, Newport News, Va.; s. William Randolph and Mary Louise (Turpin) Granger; m. Marie C. Henson, Oct. 14, 1927; one child, b. Nov. 26, 1928; educ. High Sch., Newark, N. J.; Dartmouth Coll., 1919-23; A.B. 1923; New York Univ. and Bellevue Hosp. Med. Sch., 1924-26; M.D. 1926; Physician, 1926-present; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Address, 417 Quincy St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

GRANGER, LEO—Physician.

b. Sept. 28, 1894, Guthrie, Okla.; s. William Richard Randolph and Mary Louise (Turpin) Granger; m. Ethel Jordan, 1919; one child, Leo, b. March 17, 1920; educ. B.S., Dartmouth Coll., 1916; M.D., Columbia Univ., 1918; Vanderbilt Clinic, 1918-20; Physician, 1920-present; mem. Essex County Med. Soc.; North Jersey Med. Assn.; Address, 309 Bank St.; Residence, 28 Richmond St., Newark, N. J.

GRANGER, LESTER B.—Social Worker.

b. Sept. 16, 1896, Newport News, Va.; s. William Randolph and Mary Louise (Turpin) Granger; m. Harriet F. Lane, Aug. 11, 1923; educ. Barringer High School, Newark, N. J.; Dartmouth Coll., 1914-18; A.B., Dartmouth Coll., 1918; New York University, 1921-22; New York School of Social Work, 1925; Teacher, History and English, Slater Normal Sch., North Carolina, 1919-20; St. Augustine Coll., North Carolina, 1920-21;

Extension Worker, Bordentown School, N. J., 1922-30; Executive Secretary, Los Angeles Urban League, 1930-31; Extension Worker, Bordentown School, 1931-present; 2nd Lieut., Field Artillery A.E.F.; Pres., N. J. Colored Teachers Organization, 1925-30; Pres., N. J. Tennis Association, 1923-30; Theta Sigma and Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternities; Masons; Elks; American Legion; American Association of Social Workers; Amer. Acad. Pol. & Soc. Sci.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 1133 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

He was one of six brothers, all of whom excelled in athletics, and ran on high school and college track and cross country squads. On graduating from Dartmouth he enlisted at Camp Devens, was commissioned second lieutenant in the field artillery, and served with the A.E.F. 167th F.A. Brigade.

As extension worker at Bordentown he inaugurated the N. J. Choir Contests, the State Amateur Basketball Tournaments, the State Boy's Conferences, and various other statewide movements. He served the Los Angeles Urban League under leave of absence from Bordentown and returned the following year.

GRANGER, LLOYD M.—Dentist.

b. Aug. 25, 1898, Newport News, Va.; s. William Randolph and Mary Louise (Turpin) Granger; m. Marjorie A. Scott, Jan. 14, 1928; one child, Lloyd Maceo, b. Feb. 22, 1929; educ. Pub. and High Sch., Newark, N. J., 1916; Dartmouth Coll., 1916-17; Univ. of Penn., Dental, 1917-21; D.D.S., 1921; Dentist, Newark, N. J., 1921-24; Trenton, N. J., 1924-28; Newark, N. J., 1928-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Elks; North Jersey Dental Soc.; Address, 309-11 Bank St., Newark, N. J.

GRANGER, WILLIAM RICHARD RANDOLPH—Physician.

b. Dec. 22, 1890, Little Rock, Arkansas; s. William Richard Randolph and Mary Louise (Turpin) Granger; m. Isabella Vandervall, M.D., March 7, 1917; educ. Dartmouth Coll., 1911-15; Science, B.S. Dartmouth, 1915; Columbia Coll., 1915-17; M.D., 1917; Interne, Freedmen's Hospital, 1917-18; Asst. Clinic Phys. N.Y.T.B. Clinics, 1919-26; Physician, Brooklyn Hos. Disp., 1926; Physician, 1917-present; mem. Board of Directors, Lincoln Settlement, Theta Sigma Fraternity; Kings County and N. Y. State Med. Societies; Am. Med. Assn.; Relig. Free Thinker; Pol. Socialist; Address, 398 Stuyvesant Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

In 1891 Granger's father moved with his family from Little Rock, to Guthrie, Okla. There the older Granger not only practiced medicine but was Registrar of Deeds and joined in one or two "gold rushes" while the mother taught school. Four years later the family crossed the Mississippi and settled at Newport News, Va., where the elder Granger practiced medicine for the next thirteen years. Later the family settled first in East Orange, and then in Newark, N. J., where the six boys received most of their training. While in Dart-

mouth, W. R. Granger, Jr., distinguished himself on the track team.

GRANNUM, STANLEY E.—College President.

b. Oct. 17, 1891, New York, N. Y.; s. William H. and Sarah Grannum; m. Gertrude Harper, 1920; educ. DeWitt Clinton High Sch., New York, N. Y.; A.B. Wesleyan Univ., Middletown, Conn. (Phi Beta Kappa); S.T.B. Boston Univ., Sch. of Theology; Boston Univ. Graduate Sch.; Harvard Univ. Graduate Sch.; Asst. Pastor, St. Mark's M.E. Church, New York City, two years; Pastor, Church of All Nations, Boston, Mass., three years; Pastor, Mt. Zion M. E. Church, Cincinnati, Ohio, four years; Pastor Cory M. E. Church, Cleveland, Ohio; Pres., Samuel Houston Coll., Austin, Tex., 1933-present; Secretary-Treasurer, Covington Area Council M.E. Church; Promotional Secretary for Methodist Centenary Movement; mem. Book Committee, Methodist Episcopal Church; mem. Commons Club; Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; K. of P.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Samuel Houston College, Austin, Texas.

GRAY, WILLIAM H. Jr.—Institute President.

b. Set. 25, 1911, Richmond, Va.; s. Rev. William H. and Mary (Smith) Gray; m. Hazel Yates, May, 1936; two children, Marion, age 4; William, III.; educ. St. Paul Nor. and Industrial Sch., Lawrenceville, Va., Diploma, 1929; B. S. in Educ., Bluefield State Teachers Coll., Bluefield, W. Va., Majoring Mathematics; Minors, Chemistry and English, 1933; M. S. in Educ., University of Pennsylvania, 1934, Chemistry and Education; Ph. D. in Educ., Univ. of Pennsylvania, 1942; auth. "Geography of North America and Louisiana," 1936, Pnb. Ramies-Jones; "Private Secondary Schools of Louisiana," Journal of Negro Education, Oct. 1939; "Status of Negro Teachers in Iberia and Jackson Parishes, Louisiana," accepted for publication, Journal of Negro Education; "Trends in the Control of Private Negro Colleges," Journal of Negro Education, 1942; "Administrative" Provisions for Personal Work in Negro Colleges; Contr. to the Louisiana Colored Teachers Journal and the Sphinx Magazine; Ph. D. Thesis "Needs of Negro High School Graduates and the Recognition Accorded Them in College Programs"; Sports Editor and Reporter, Philadelphia Independent, 1933-34; Demonstration High Sch., Southern Univ., Scotlandville, La., 1924-35; Director Kentwood Summer Nor. Sch., Kentwood, La., Summer, 1935; Itinerant Teacher, Extension Division, Southern Univ., Education, Psychology, Geography, 1935-36; Sports Editor, Baltimore Afro-American, Summer, 1936; Field Director, Extension Division, Southern Univ., 1936-37; Prof. of Education, Southern Univ., 1937-38; Director, Monroe and Alexandria Extension Centers, Southern Univ., 1938-39; Director, Homer Summer Normal Sch., Homer, La., 1939; Organizer and Pres., Louisiana Interscholastic Athletic and Literary Assn, 1938-39; Chairman, Southern Univ. State High School Rally; Instructor, Berean Business Coll., Vaux Junior High Evening Sch., Philadelphia, Pa.; Varsity Baseball, Basketball, Dramatic and Debating Teams, St. Paul Sch.; Captain, Football, Baseball, Basketball, Tennis and Debating Teams, Bluefield, W. Va.; Editor, Bluefieldian (College Publication); Class Pres., Sophomore, Junior and Senior years; mem. Honor Soc.; Glee Club; Y. M. C. A.; Pres., Florida Normal and Ind. Inst., St. Augustine, Fla.; Address, Florida Normal and Industrial Institute, St. Augustine,

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b. 1888, Lincoln, Pa.; m. Corolynne Wilson, 1917; one child, Corolynne, b. Nov. 10, 1918; educ. M. St. High Sch., 1908; Amherst Coll., 1908-09; M.D. Howard Univ., 1913; Interne, Kansas General Hospital, 1913-14; Physician, 1914-present; Chief of Staff, Mercy Hosp.; President, Model Drug Co.; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons (32°); Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church; Address 3005 Walter Ave., Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, Ohio.

GRAY, EMMA CATHERINE WARE—Dean of Women.

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The dramatic spectacle "Marching On" was produced as a part of the celebration of the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Founding of Paine College. It was also produced ten times in other parts of the South by members of the Paine College Faculty and student Group. She traveled extensively in Europe during the Summer of 1937.

GRAYE, MYTROLENE L.—School Principal.

b. Nov. 28, 1906, Jackson, Tenn.; d. Zackery C. and Frances (Hanby) Graye; educ. Lane Coll., Jackson, Tenn., 1924, majoring in Educ., French and Nat. Sci.; Teacher and Librarian, Fairview Elementary Sch., High Point, N. C., 1924-31; Principal, 1931-present; Principal Adult Night Sch.; Pianist, Books Memorial M. E. Church; Community Worker, giving piano lessons and appearing at special musical programs; mem. Executive Board, Girls Reserve; mem. Executive Board, Anderson's Community Library; N. A. A. C. P.; Schoolmaster's Club; Tusrgani Bridge Club; Relig. C. M. E.; Address, 612 Fairview St.; Residence, 208 Vail St., High Point, N. C.

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She started her musical career in the Juvenile Choir of the A.M.E. Church, when a child. After which she studied music under the leading instructors in her home city for more than eight years.

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GREEN, DONORELL R.—Physician.

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GREEN, DORSEY—Lawyer.

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Masons; Past Grand Master, Odd Fellows; Kappa Alpha Psi; ex-President Lincoln Day Club; N.A.A.C.P.; Trustee of Western Univ., 1921-present; Chairman, Legal Redress Committee of the N.A.A.C.P.; Civic League, Kansas City, Kan.; Board of Directors, People's Mercantile Co., 1920; Trustee, First A.M.E. Church, twenty years; Pres., Kansas Political State League; Past Master, Masons; Prudence Lodge; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 516 Minnesota Ave.; Residence, 1407 N. 8th St., Kansas City, Kan.

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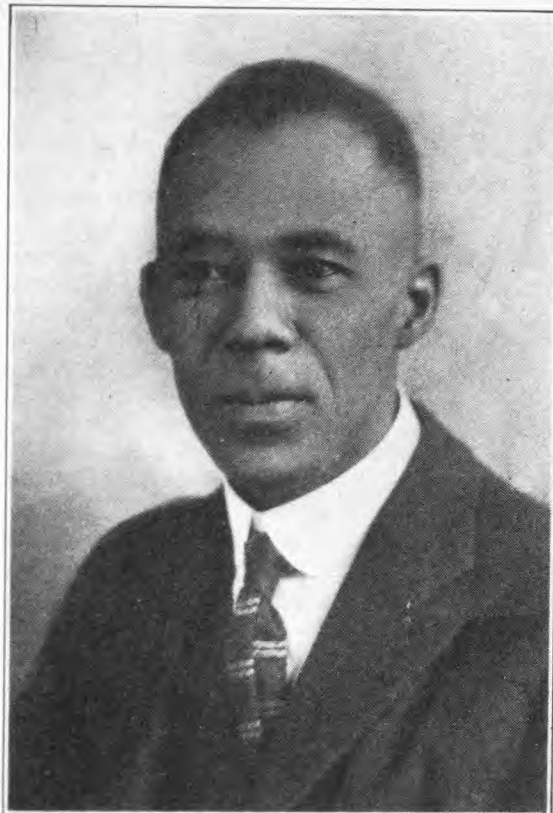
GREEN, JOHN PATTERSON—Lawyer-Author.

b. April 2, 1845, New Bern, N. C.; s. John Rice and Temperance (Durden) Green; m. Annie Walker, Dec. 23, 1869; (deceased, Jan. 15, 1912); six children, John R., b. Sept. 10, 1870; William R., b. Nov. 10, 1872; Theodore B., b. March 17, 1877 (deceased Aug. 16, 1917); Truman H. b. Jan. 1, 1879; Jessie B., b. Feb. 11, 1880; Clara A., b. Nov. 5, 1884; second marriage, Mrs. Lottie E. Richardson, Sept. 6, 1912; educ. Cleveland High Sch., Cleveland, Ohio, 1866-69; Ohio Union Law Sch., Cleveland, Ohio, 1869-70; LL.B. Ohio Union Law Sch., 1870; LL.B. (Honorary), Wilberforce Univ., 1890; LL.B. (Honorary), Kentucky Central Coll., 1911; Justice of Peace by election, Cleveland, Ohio, 1873-82; member of the General Assembly of Ohio, 1882-84; 1890-91; Ohio Senate, 1892-93; (25th Senatorial District, including Cleveland), U. S. Postage Stamp Agent, at Washington, D. C., 1897-1906, de facto, Acting Supt. of Finance, P. O. Dept., Washington, D.C., 1905 and 1906, in actual service, by virtue of position of Postage Stamp Agent; Lawyer, 1870-present; auth. "Essays on Miscellaneous Subjects," 1866; "Recollections of the Carolinas," 1881; "Fact, Stranger than Fiction," 1920; mem. Cleveland Bar Assn., Early Settlers Assn.; Excelsior Lodge, Masons. (discontinued); Honorary member of 123rd O.V.I.; Col. O. H. Payne, Union Veterans' Union of Ohio; Elks; Senior Warden of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 1426 West 3rd St.; Residence, 614 E. 107th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

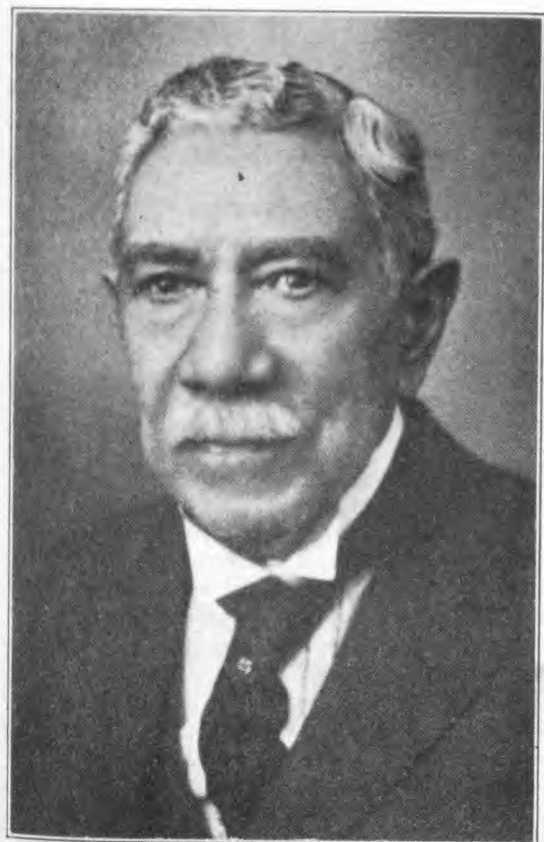
He was a member of the General Assembly of Ohio, in 1890 and was instrumental in securing an appropriation of \$16,000 which laid the foundation of the present industrial department of Wilberforce University. In recognition of this good office, the honorary degree of LL.D. was conferred upon him by Wilberforce in 1890. It is a matter of record that Mr. Green argued five hours and the better part of an



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In 1926 he was elected President of Howard University, being the first Negro to be so elected. He did not, however, accept the post.

GREGORY, JAMES MAYHEW—Dentist-Lawyer.

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b. Aug. 31, 1887, Washington, D. C.; s. James Monroe and Fannie Emma (Hagan) Gregory; m. Hugh Ella Hancock, May 29, 1917; five children, Yvonne Gregory, b. June 5, 1919; Montgomery Gregory, Jr., b. Sept. 18, 1921; Hugh Hancock, b. Nov. 1, 1922; Eugene Chandler, b. Feb. 4, 1924; Mignon, b. Aug. 30, 1927; educ. Williston Academy, 1902-06; Harvard University, 1906-10; A.B., Howard Univ., 1910; Columbia Univ., sum. sch., 1912-16; Professor of Public Speaking and Director of Dramatic Arts, Howard Univ., 1910-24; Supervisor of Colored Schools, Atlantic City, N. J., 1924-present; Prin-

cipal, New Jersey Ave., School, 1927-present; auth. Monograph on Income Taxes, Harvard University, 1910; Negro Drama ("The New Negro"), Alain Locke, Editor, A. & C. Boni, New York City, 1925; Literary Reviews, Opportunity; Editor with Alain Locke, "Plays of Negro Plays," 1928; mem. Sigma Pi Phi (Boule); Delta Sigma Rho, Hon. Soc.; Oracle Club; American Negro Academy; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 507 North Ohio Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.

He was for fourteen years Professor of Public Speaking and Director of Dramatics at Howard University, Washington, D. C. Organized the Howard Players as an experimental Negro Theatre. Chairman of Intercollegiate Committee that led the campaign for Officers Training Camp at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, at opening of World War. Commissioned First Lieutenant Inf., October, 1917. Assigned 349th Field Artillery at Camp Dix, N. J., later transferred as Adjutant to Mayor Spingarn, Bureau of Military Intelligence, War Department, Washington, D. C.; Instructor S. A. T. C., Howard University. Honorably discharged at Camp Dodge, Iowa, with Commission in Reserve Corps.

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When he first became identified with the A. and I. Normal School there were only a few frame buildings, and through his efforts there has been a continuous expansion so that now the Agricultural and Industrial State College has 15 buildings and 200 acres of land. The present building program includes a building

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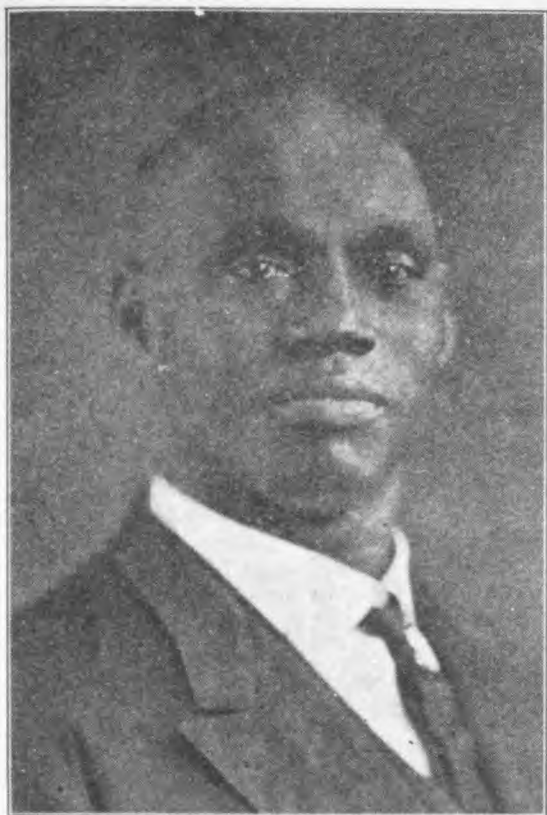
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While in Panama he held services at Leper Colony, located at Palo Seco, Canal Zone.

In Kentucky he was made General Missionary to the Colored People, Diocese of Lexington. He also taught languages in Chandler Normal School, Lexington, Kentucky.

St. Mark's Episcopal Church, of which he is priest-in-charge, began its existence in 1903 and became an Organized Mission and received its status as a Diocesan Mission in 1914. He was instrumental in the building of St. Augustine's Episcopal Church, which was dedicated in 1927.

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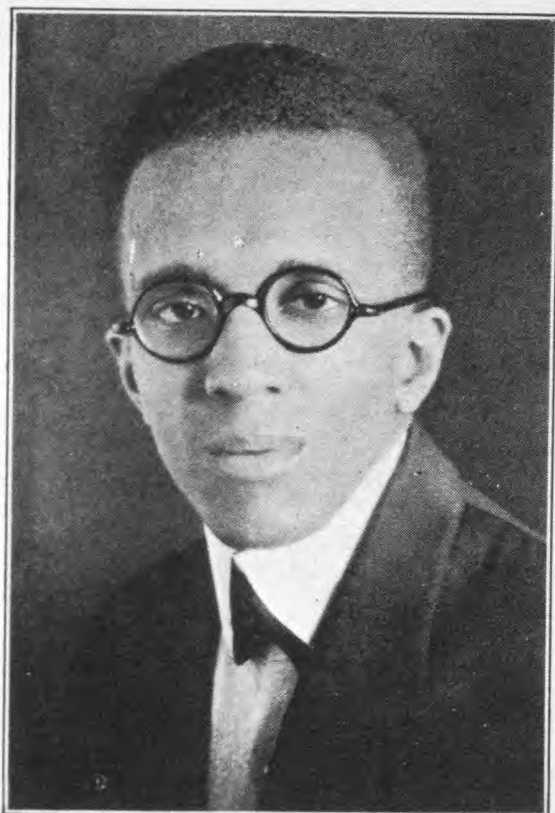
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b. June 23, 1884, Ninety-six, South Carolina; s. Robert Wiley and Anna (Mark) Hancock; m. Florence Marie Dickson, Dec. 14, 1911; educ. Benedict Coll., 1904-11; A.B. 1911; B.D. 1912; Colgate Univ., 1918-20; A.B. 1919; B.D. 1920; Harvard Univ., 1920-21; A.M. 1921; D.D. Benedict Coll., 1925; Principal, Seneca Institute, Seneca, S. C., 1911-18; Professor, Economics and Sociology, Virginia Union Univ., 1921-present; auth. "Statistics Negro Baptists U. S. A.," National Bap. Pub. Bd., 1916; "Three Elements African Culture," Journal Negro Hist., 1923; "The Commercial Advertisement and Social Pathology," published Journal Social Forces, 1926; "Between the Lines", a column appearing in the Norfolk Journal since 1928; "Our Coming Captivity", Southern Workman, 1930; elected Statistician, Nat. Baptist Convention, 1911-17; lectured before classes in Sociology, Univ. of Richmond, 1925; Lecturer, Race Relation Series, Columbia Univ. 1931; Lecturer, Randolph-Macon Woman's College (white), 1932, to classes in Economics, Sociology, and History of Civilization; Addressed Randolph-Macon College for men (white), 1933; Addressed Westhampton College for women (white), 1933; Addressed, Social Sci. Assn. of Va. (white), 1930; Lectured Race Relation Classes, State Teachers Coll. (white) Farmville, Va., 1924-1935; Lectured, Sch. of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University, 1934; Founder Torrance Sch. of Race Relations in Virginia Union Univ., 1929; mem. Pi Gamma Mu Fraternity; National Economic League; mem. Masons; Omega Psi Phi; American Sociology Society; Amer. Economic Assn.; American Academic Political and Social Science; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va.

HANDY, ELISHA S.—Training School Principal.

b. 1883, Snow Hill, Ala.; s. Adolphus and Eliza Handy; m. Georgia T. Johnson, (deceased), 1906; second marriage, Essie Jones, 1918; eight children, C. C., b. May 1907; Macie, b. May, 1909; Elizabeth, b. Feb., 1911; Knightingale, b. Sept., 1913; R. M., b. 1919; Hattie, b. 1921; Jewell, b. 1923; Antionette, b. 1925; educ. American Sch., Chicago, Ill.; Columbian Coll., Washington, D. C.; Lawrence Scientific Sch., Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass.; Harvard Engineering Sch.; Harvard Graduate Sch. of Education; Asst. Observer, U. S. Weather Bureau, Pensacola, Fla., 1909; Teacher, Mathematics, Snow Hill Inst., 1912-16; Director, Academic Dept., Snow Hill Inst., 1917-19; Director, Surveying and Draining Snow Hill Inst., 1920-21; Teacher, Mathematics, National Training Sch., Durham, N. C., 1922-23;

Principal, Chambers Co. Training Sch., LaFayette, Ala., 1925-present; mem. Alabama State Teachers' Assn.; The National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; The National Council of Teachers of Mathematics of New York City; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, Chambers Co. Training School, LaFayette, Ala.

HANDY, WILLIAM CHRISTOPHER—Musician-Composer-Music Publisher.

b. Nov. 16, 1873, Florence, Ala.; s. Charles Bernard and Elizabeth (Brewer) Handy; m. Elizabeth Virginia Price, July 19, 1898; six children, Lucile Marie, b. June 29, 1900; Katherine Eugene, b. June 20, 1902; William Price, b. Aug. 15, 1904; Florence, b. July 9, 1908; Elizabeth Virginia, b. Nov. 17, 1910; Wyer Owens, b. Jan. 12, 1915; educ. District Sch., Florence, Ala.; self-taught; Teacher, Director of Band, Composer, Musician, Music Publisher; Founder, Pace and Handy Music Co., Inc., 1913-21; Treas., Handy Bros. Music Co., Inc., 1921-present; composer, "Memphis Blues," "St. Louis Blues," "Beale Street Blues," "Loveless Love," and over 150 compositions published either by Pace and Handy Music Co., Inc., or Handy Brothers Music Co., Inc.; also "Atra-american Hymn" and a book "A Collection of Negro Spirituals," Edited, "Blues" Anthology "Father of the Blues," 1921; "Anthology of Blues," a book, pub. A. & C. Boni, New York, N. Y., 1926; mem. Masons, Treas., Negro Actors' Guild of America, Inc.; Music Publishers' Protective Assn.; American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers; American Federation of Musicians, Local No. 802; Nat. Assn. of Negro Mus.; Song Writers' Protective Assn.; Negro Actors' Guild, Inc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 1587 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

He has appeared on many programs in the best theatres and auditoriums in New York City for various charitable organizations wherein celebrities of the Stage, Screen and Radio were presented. His works bring substantial royalties not only from American reproduction and use, but from Foreign lands where he is ably represented by such firms as Francis, Day & Hunter, Ltd., London and Paris, who remit for England and her possessions and Continental Europe; Ralph B. Todd from the continent of South America; D. Davis & Co. Pty. Ltd., of Australia and the Far East.

In 1893 he organized a quartette and until 1900 traveled with one band or another, giving concerts all over the United States. From 1900 to 1903 he was teacher of music at the Agricultural and Mechanical College, Normal, Ala. In 1905 he went to Memphis, Tennessee, giving individual instruction and in the meantime taught the Colored Pythian Band. In 1909, during a political campaign, he composed and brought out "Mr. Crump," which later he re-named "Memphis Blues."

On March 29, 1931, the City of Memphis dedicated and named a park on Beale Avenue

in his honor and which is known as Handy Square.

On April 27th, 1928, he gave and directed a concert, "History of Music," at Carnegie Hall, New York, employing artists of his race to portray the development of Negro Music from the days of the rhythms peculiar to the Africans imported to this country as slaves to present day Spirituals and Jazz.

HARDIN, RUFUS F.—School Principal.

b. Aug. 24, 1859, Kaufman Co., Tex.; s. Willie Henson and Phoebe (Turner) Hardin; m. Mary J. Vasher (first wife), 1885; Mary J. Lasater (second wife); 1905; educ. Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View, Tex.; Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn.; Samuel Houston Coll., Austin, Tex.; Teacher, 1878-pres.; Teacher, Canton, Vansandt Co., Tex., 1878, his first sch.; Principal, Brownwood Public School, 1896-present; real estate broker and owner; mem. Masons, 1896-present; Knights of Tabor; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Box 311; Residence, 706 Cordell St., Brownwood, Tex.

HARDY, ERNEST MAURICE—Dentist.

b. Nov. 1, 1898, Washington, D. C.; s. William H. and Emma (Jackson) Hardy; m. Addie M. Solomon, Dec. 31, 1927; educ. Armstrong Technical High Sch.; D.D.S. Howard Univ., 1913; Dentist, 1914-present; Clinical Instructor, Howard Univ.; 1st Lieut., Dental Corp., doing duty at Cristobal Hosp., Panama; was 1st Lieut., Dental Reserve Corp during World War; mem. Nat. Medical Assn.; Robt. Freeman Dental Soc.; Masons; Elks; American Legion; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 1346 U St., N.W.; Residence, 315 R St. N.W., Washington, D. C.

HARGRAVE, FRANK S.—Physician and Surgeon.

b. Lexington, N. C.; s. Henry M. and Laura Hargrave; m. Bessie E. Parker, 1907; educ. Pub. Sch., Lexington, N. C.; State Normal Sch., Salisbury, N. C.; Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C.; M.D., Shaw Univ., 1901; Physician and Surgeon, Winston-Salem, N. C., 1901-03; Wilson, N. C., 1903-24; Orange, N. J., 1924-present; Pres., North Carolina Med., Den. and Pharm. Assn., 1912; Member, Ex. Com., Nat. Med. Assn., 1913-14; Pres., Nat. Med. Assn., 1914-15; Chairman, Com. on Medical Education, Nat. Med. Assn.; 1927-present; Ex. Com., N. C. Baptist S. C. Convention, Wilson, N. C., 11 years; Pres., Lincoln Benefit Soc., Wilson, N. C., 6 years; Founder and Medical Director, Wilson Hospital and Tubercular Home, Wilson, N. C., 1913-23; Assemblyman, State of New Jersey, 1930-31; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 227 Main St.; Residence, 83 Kenilsworth Pl., Orange, N. J.

Dr. Hargrave was elected to the legislature of New Jersey in 1929-30-33-35-37 and 1918. He is the author of a bill creating a battalion of Colored men in the State Militia, and a bill creating the Migrant Welfare Commission of which he was appointed Chairman by Governor Morgan F. Larson.

HARGRAVE, HARRY MONROE—Physician.

b. Nov. 17, 1871, Cadiz, Ohio; s. Cary S. and Charlotte (Pollard) Hargrave; m. Jeanette Smith, Sept. 28, 1910; two children, Audrey Armada, b. Nov. 8, 1911; Meredith Rexford, b. Oct. 19, 1913; educ. Cadiz Grammar and High Sch., Cadiz, Ohio, 1886-90; Wilberforce Univ., 1890-93; Howard Univ., Medical Dept., Washington, D. C.; 1898-1902; M.D. 1902; Clerk, Med. Dept., Bureau of Pensions, Wash., D. C., 1902-04; Practicing Physician, 1904-present; mem. Masons; Elks; Loendi Social and Literary Club; National Medical Assn.; Penna. State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Pittsburgh Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Homestead Medical Soc.; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 125 E. 8th Ave., Homestead, Penn.

He has held the position of Country physician for the Homestead district since 1921.

HARPER, CLAUDE HEZEKIAH—Professor.

b. Aug. 17, 1887, Marcellus, Mich.; s. George Wesley and Ellen Jane (Jackson) Harper; m. Vida Bernice Honesty, Sept. 2, 1925; two children, Ruth Evangeline, b. June 16, 1926; Claude Hezekiah, Jr., b. Sept. 22, 1927; educ. Univ. of Michigan, Literary, A.B., 1911; Harvard Univ., Education, A.M., 1916; Teacher, Gilbert Academy, Baldwin, La., 1911-12; Teacher, Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1912-15; Teacher, Teachers' Coll., Winston-Salem, N. C., 1916-17; Teacher and Dean, Teachers' Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1917-27; Head Asst. Teacher, Vashon High Sch., St. Louis, Mo. 1927-29; Associate Professor, Stowe Teachers' Coll., St. Louis, Mo., 1929-present; mem. Epsilon Lambda Chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, Stowe Teachers College; Residence, 6133 Colorado Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

HARPER, WILLIAM BURT—School Principal.

b. April 30, 1904, Corfu, N. Y.; s. William and Mary (Burt) Harper; m. Lucie Elizabeth Williams, June 15, 1929; one child, William Burt, Jr., b. Sept. 1, 1930; educ. Corfu High Sch., Corfu, N. Y.; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1928; Principal, West Southern Pines High Sch., Southern Pines, N. C., 1928-29; Asst. Principal, Lincoln Heights High Sch., Wilkesboro, N. C., 1929-30; Principal, 1930-31; 2nd Lieut., United States Officers' Reserve Corps; mem. Phi Beta Sigma; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Box 222, Wilkesboro, N. C.; Residence, Box 45, Corfu, N. Y.

HARRELD, KEMPER—Concert Violinist.

b. Jan. 31, 1885, Muncie, Ind.; s. Felix and Ella (Hedgepath) Harreld; m. Claudia White, June 11, 1913; one child, Josephine, b. Dec. 11, 1914; educ. Chicago Musical Coll.; Sterns Conservatory, Berlin, Germany, 1914; Fredericksen Violin Sch., Chicago, Ill.; Concert Violinist; Head of Music Department, Morehouse Coll., Spelman Coll., Atlanta, Ga.; Director of Morehouse Coll. Orchestra; Chairman of Committee on Employment and a Member of the Nat. Assn. of Negro Musicians; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Sigma Pi Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. First Presbyterian Ch., Muncie, Ind. and Freindship Baptist Ch., Atlanta, Ga.; Address, Morehouse College; Residence, 459 Tatnall St., S.W., Atlanta, Ga.

On May 4, 1926, he directed the Cantata,



GORDON B. HANCOCK, A.B., B.D., A.M., D.D.



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FRANK S. HARGRAVE, M.D.



HARRY MONROE HARGRAVE, M.D.

"Hiawatha," Coleridge-Taylor, of fifty voices and sixty instruments, held in Atlanta, Ga., as part of the National Music Week program.

HARRIS, ABRAM LINCOLN, Jr. — Social Worker.

b. Jan. 17, 1899, Richmond, Va.; s. Abram Lincoln and Mary E. Harris; m. Callie McQuinn, June 6, 1925; educ. Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1918-22; B.S. Va. Union Univ., 1922; The N. Y. Sch. Social Work, N. Y. C. (summer sch.), 1922; N. Y. Univ., N. Y. C., graduate school, 1923; The Univ. of Pittsburgh, 1923-24; M.A., 1924; Assistant in Dept. of Research, Nat. Urban League, 1922-23; Prof., Social Economy, West Va. Collegiate Inst., Institute, Va., 1924-25; Executive Sec., Minneapolis Urban League, 1925-26; auth. "The Migrations of Negroes Northward," pub. Current History Magazine; "Schools of Race Leadership," pub. Current History Magazine, June 1923; "The Negro and Economic Radicalism," pub. The Modern Quarterly, Feb., 1925, "A Black and White World in American Labor and Politics," pub. Journal of Social Forces, December, 1925; contr. to Opportunity and the Crisis; Pol. Independent; Relig. Unitarian; Address, 253 W. 143rd St., New York City.

HARRIS, ALPHONZO JEREMYER TIMOTHY—Government Dept. Chief.

b. Washington, D. C.; s. James Timothy and Rachel (Jordan) Harris; m. Mary Emily DeVille, educ. Pub. Sch., Wash., D. C.; Howard Univ., Spencerian Business Coll., Wash., D. C.; Howard Med. Sch., (Pharm.); Phar.D., Washington Coll. of Pharmacy; Post Graduate Course, Univ. of Pittsburgh; Chief of Division, Office of Register of Treasury, 1922-present; Partner, Harris Bros. Drug Store, Balt., Md.; in charge of Drug Store, Middle West Ass'n in Library of Congress, in charge of Gazetteers, Foreign Countries; Clerk, Copyright Office; Pres., Washington and Suburban Realty Co., Wash., D. C.; Completed Course in Personnel Management, Personal Administration Dept. of Agriculture Graduate School; Supply Clerk in charge of Colored Employees for the Conference on the Limitation of Armaments, State Department; Manager and Personnel Man for one of Washington's largest wholesale and retail Junk Business; Sec., to a U. S. Congressman; Chairman, Board of Trustees, Negro University; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Elks; O. F.; Glenarden Citizen's Ass'n; Glenarden Parent Teachers Ass'n; Phi Beta Sigma; Pol. Independent; Relig. A. M. E.; Address, Office of Register of Treasury, Washington, D. C.; City Residence, 1905 2nd St., N.W., Wash., D. C.; Bonafide Residence, Ardmore, Glenarden, Maryland.

HARRIS, BERNARD—Physician.

b. Dec. 2, 1897, Baltimore Md.; s. Robert H. and Margaret (Cooper) Harris; m. Ethel M. Travers, Nov., 1920; four children, Elise, b. May, 1922; Bernedine, b. Oct., 1924; Bernard, Jr., b. August 5, 1925; Robert H., b. April 8, 1930; educ. Douglas High Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1914; B.S., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1918; M.D., 1923; Interne, Provident Hospital, Baltimore, Md., 1924-25; Physician, 1923-present; Instructor Surgical Technique, Chicago, Ill., 1927; Chief Surgeon, Provident Hospital, Baltimore, Md., 1930-present; State Vice Pres., National Medical Assn.; Enlisted, Medical Corp., Baltimore, Md.; mem. Masons; N.A.A.C.P.; Phi Beta Sigma;

Maryland Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, Provident Hospital; Residence, 1207 N. Carolina St., Baltimore, Md.

HARRIS, CHARLES WILBERT—School Principal.

b. Jan. 12, 1883, Baltimore, Md.; s. Joseph Henry and Hattie A. (Moore) Harris; m. Genevieve Holland, Dec., 1924; educ. Douglass High Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1903; Teachers Training Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1905; Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md.; Teacher, Baltimore Sch., 1905-25; Principal, Baltimore Sch., 1925-present; Supt., Centennial Methodist Episcopal Church, 1905-07; Sec., Trustee Board, Centennial Methodist Episcopal Ch.; Life Member, National Educational Assn.; mem. Maryland State Colored Teachers Assn.; National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; Balti. Col. Teachers Assn.; Masons; Adelphean Club; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, School 114, Caroline near Lombard St.; Residence, 2032 Madison Ave., Baltimore, Md.

HARRIS, ERNEST L.—Druggist.

b. Nov. 14, 1874, Marion, Ala.; s. Benjamin F. and Cordelia A. (Barefield) Harris; m. Beulah A. G. Patterson, Oct. 15, 1892; two children, Ernest L., Jr. Beulah P.; educ. Summer High, St. Louis, Mo.; Ph.G., St. Louis Coll. of Pharm., 1897; Druggist, 1900-present; Treas., Peoples Finance Corp., 1922-present; mem. Pan-Missouri Med. Soc.; Y.M.C.A.; Nat. Business League; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 15 N. Jefferson St.; Residence, 2814 St. Louis Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

HARRIS, GEORGE WESLEY—Editor-Publisher.

b. Aug. 1, 1884, Topeka, Kansas; s. William and Laura Ellen (Bryant) Harris; m. Agnes Herbert, June 5, 1912; (divorced); second marriage, Florence E. Flannagan, June 28, 1918; educ. Topeka Public Sch.; High Sch., Topeka, Kansas; Tufts Coll., Boston, Mass., 1902-04; Harvard Coll., 1904-07; Harvard Law Sch., 1907-08; A.B. Harvard Coll.; Editor, Amsterdam News, New York City, 1910-13; Editor and Publisher, New York News, New York City, 1913-present; mem. Masons; Elks; Pol. Republican; Address, 2151 7th Ave.; Residence, 458 Mott Ave., New York, N. Y.

Mr. Harris was an Alderman, City of New York, during the term from 1920 to 1924.

In the 1928 campaign he was appointed Chairman of the Speakers' Bureau of the National Republican Committee.

HARRIS, HARRY C.—Physician.

b. Aug. 10, 1897, Birmingham, Ala.; s. Harry C. and Mary Alice (Lane) Harris; m. Helen L. Harris, Jan. 21, 1924; three children, John Banks, b. Aug. 26, 1925; Harry C., b. Mar. 6, 1926; Margaret Alice, b. Jan. 6, 1930; educ. Evanston Academy, 1917; B.S. Northwestern Univ., 1921; M.D. Univ. of Illinois, 1926; Physician, 1927-present; Interne, Staff of Research and Educational Hos., 1926-27; Instructor, Dept. Genito-Urinary Diseases, Univ. of Illinois, 1926-27; mem. Cook County Med. Assn.; Masons; Shriner (32°); Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 4703 S. Parkway; Residence, 4759 Champlain Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He is the first and only Colored Physician to be appointed by the Coroner in Cook County.

He was awarded a Fellowship from the Roscnwald Foundation, of Chicago, to study Urology at Billings Hospital of the University of Chicago.

HARRIS, JOHN WESLEY — Deputy Co. Recorder.

b. July 24, 1884, Piketon, Ohio; s. John Wesley and Lucy (Blake) Harris; m. Caroline Cooper, July 2, 1914; educ. Piketon, O., Sch., 1901; Deputy County Recorder 1920-present; Grand Keeper of Records and Seals of K. of P. 25 years; Shriners; K. of P.; Court of Calanthe; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 1243 E. Long St., Columbus, Ohio.

HARRIS, MRS. JUDIA C. JACKSON—Educator-Author.

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She is the Organizer of land Clubs started in 1901, through which a Negro Community was developed and Negroes came in possession of more than two thousand acres of land for homes.

The object of the organization was to improve Negro home life and to establish a substantial school that should be the center of all activities.

HARRIS, MARQUIS LAFAYETTE—College President.

b. Mar. 8, 1907, Armstrong, Macon Co., Ala.; s. William Eugene and Estelle Marie (Glen) Harris; m. Geneva Magnolia Nelson, Sept. 6, 1931; B.S., Clark Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1928; B.D., Gammon Theol. Seminary, Atlanta, Ga., 1929; Special work Harvard Univ., 1929-30; A.M. Boston Univ., Boston, Mass., 1930; Special work, Psychology and Education, Western Reserve Univ., Summers, 1928, 1930; Ph. D., Ohio State Univ., 1933; Honorary Fellow, Soc. Sci., Ohio State Univ., 1933; auth. "Four Typical Cosmologies—Development of a Cosmology from the data of Mathematics, Natural, Physical, and Social Science", Ohio State Univ., Press, 1934. (Now being revised for publication as Text in Philosophy by Macmillan Co.); Instructor, Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics, Clark Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1927-29; Instructor, Physics and Religion, Claflin Coll., 1930-31; Clergyman, Pennsylvania Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, Columbus, O., 1932-33; Dean and Professor of Sociology, Samuel Huston Coll., Austin, Tex., 1933-36; Pres., Philander Smith College, Little Rock, Ark., 1936-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha;

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HARRIS, MAYO ADRIN—Physician.

b. July 20, 1895, Sedalia, Mo.; s. Dr. Joseph M. and Catherine (Curtis) Harris; m. Rebecca Martin, June 30, 1926; one child, Catherine Jane, b. July 2, 1927; educ. George R. Smith Coll., Sedalia, Mo., 1909-13; A.B. Baker Univ., Baldwin City, Kansas, 1917; M.D. Meharry Med. Coll., 1921; Interne, City Hosp., St. Louis, Mo.; Physician, 1921-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Utopian Club; K. of P.; Am. Woodman; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 1060½ City Park Ave.; Residence, 830 Indiana Ave., Toledo, Ohio.

HARRIS, NELSON HERBERT—Teacher.

b. Feb. 24, 1902, Richmond, Va.; s. John and Sophie (Austin) Harris; m. Gila B. Swayne, Sept. 1925; one child, Nelson H., Jr., b. Oct. 11, 1928; educ. Wayland Acad., Virginia Union Univ., 1916-20; A.B., Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1920-24; A.M., Univ. of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich., 1925-27; auth. "The Negro Ministers in Detroit." "The Detroit Bureau of Governmental Research." Contributor, to Journal of Negro History; Asst., Director, study made of general conditions of Negroes in Detroit, 1926; Teacher, Warren County Training Sch., Wise, N. C., 1924-25; Teacher, Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1927-29; Teacher, Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1929-present; Teacher, Summer Sch., Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C.; Wilberforce Univ.; Prairie View State Coll., Texas; mem. Assn. for the Study of Negro Life; North Carolina Teachers' Assn.; Negro National Teachers' Assn.; Omega Psi Phi; Pi Gamma Mu, Honorary Sociological Fraternity; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Shaw University; Residence, 713 S. Blount St., Raleigh, N. C.

HARRIS, ROBERT McCANTS—Druggist.

b. June 4, 1891, Spata, Ga.; s. George Eugene and Elizabeth Harris; m. Susie Sharpe, Sept. 11, 1911; one child, Robert M. Harris, Jr., b. Aug. 8, 1915; educ. Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1907-11; Leonard Coll. of Pharmacy, Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1912-14; Phar.C., Shaw Univ., 1914; passed Tennessee Board of Pharmacy, 1914; Druggist and Pharmaceutical Chemist, Waycross, Ga., 1916-present; Founder and Pres., "The Union Mercantile Corp."; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 618-622 Oak St.; Residence, 613 Oak St., Waycross, Ga.

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In a national contest conducted by the Madam C. Walker Mfg. Co., Inc., he was the winner of a trip around the world. This was a voting contest held in 1926 and he received 2,167,270 votes, taking second prize.

HARRISON, COLUMBUS WILLIAM—Physician-Surgeon.

b. March 22, 1881, Tarboro, North Carolina; s. William and Emily Harrison; m. Emily E. Cloyd; two children, Cloyd William, b. Nov. 2, 1910; Dorothy Elizabeth, b. May 25, 1913; educ. Brimmer Gram. Sch., 1896; Boston Eng. High Sch., Boston, Mass., 1899; Tufts Medical Coll., Boston, Mass., 1902-06; M.D. 1906; Physician, 1906-present; Asst. Surgeon, Plymouth Hospital, Boston, Mass., for 10 years; mem. Massachusetts Medical Soc.; American Medical Assn.; National Medical Assn.; Twentieth Century Club, of Boston; Wm. G. Butler Lodge of Masons; Pocahontas Lodge, 129 of Elks; Mass. Lodge 8612, Odd Fellows; Mapledale Country Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address 85 Chandler St., Boston, Mass.

HARRISON, G. LAMAR—College Professor.

b. June 3, 1899, Terrell, Tex.; s. General Price and Caroline (Dewberry) Harrison; m. Dorothy Marie Penman, June 20 1932; one child, Gerald Lamar, b. Oct. 20, 1934; educ. Lincoln High Sch., Kansas City, Mo., 1922; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1926; Teaching Fellow, Univ. of Cincinnati, 1926-27; B.E., Univ. of Cincinnati, 1927; A.M., Univ. of Cincinnati, 1929; Ph. D., Ohio State Univ., 1935; auth. "The Negro Rural Teacher of Texas", Texas Standard, April, 1934; "Teacher Training in Negro Land—Grant Colleges", Univ. of Cincinnati Library, 1929; Director two Surveys; College Professor; Acting Head, Dept. of Education, Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1927-28; Professor and Director of Elementary Teacher Training, West Virginia State Coll., Institute, W. Va., 1928-32; Head Dept. of Education and Director Teacher Training, Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View, Tex., 1932-present; mem. Board of Trustees, State Dept., Wilberforce, O., by Appointment of Governor of Ohio, for the term of 1932-37; Supervisor, Coll. Honorary Soc., Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View Tex.; 1st Lieut., U. S. Army, Reserve Status, 4th Corp.; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Texas State Teachers Assn.; National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Sch.; National Education Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, Prairie View State College, Prairie View, Tex.; Residence, 878 Beecher St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

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HARRISON, SADIE D.—Superintendent.

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Sch., for Colored Girls, Marshallton, Del., 1930-present; Address, Industrial School for Colored Girls, Marshallton, Del.

HARRISON, WILLIAM—Lawyer.

b. Clay Co., Miss.; s. William and Caroline (Young) Harrison; m. Idella B. Carmichael; two children, Wilhelmina Alexander, b. Mar. 14, 1901; William Alfred, b. Aug. 20, 1906; educ. A.B. Roger Williams Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1897; A.M., 1901; LL.B., Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1902; LL.D. (Honorary) 1921; Post Graduate Work, Chicago Univ., 1898-99; Instructor, Mathematics, Roger Williams Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 4 years; Lawyer, 1902-present; Asst. Atty. General, State of Illinois, 1925-28; ex-Special Judge of Superior Court of Oklahoma Co., Okla.; ex-Mem., Board of Pardons and Paroles, State of Illinois; mem. Cook Co. Bar Assn.; National Bar Assn.; ex-Grand Chancellor, K. of P., State of Oklahoma; Kappa Alpha Psi; Deacon and Supt., Sunday Sch., Olivet Baptist Ch.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 417 E. 47th St.; Residence, 4353 Vincennes Ave. Chicago, Ill.

HART, TERRY MITCHELL—Dentist.

b. Americus, Ga.; s. James Matthew and Viola (Mitchell) Hart; m. Laura E. Greenwood (deceased), June, 1916; educ. Americus Inst., Americus, Ga., 1906; A.B., Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa., 1910; D.D.S., Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., 1913; Special Work in Oral Surgery, Philadelphia Hospital, 1912-14; Dentist, 1914-present; mem. Masons; Elks; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 822-A N. Jefferson Ave.; Residence, 1427-A N. Pendleton Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

HARTLEY, RICHARD EUGENE—Real Estate Operator.

b. July 4, 1871, Crawford Co., Ga.; s. John and Caroline Hartley; m. Mary Eliza Wood, Dec. 24, 1895 (deceased); one child, Richard E., Jr., b. April 24, 1901; second marriage, Ruth Price, June 17, 1917; educ. Pub. Sch., Pulaski, Ga.; Pres., Liberty Savings and Real Estate Corp.; Pres., Cent. City Undertaking Co.; Delegate, Georgia State Con., 1924; mem. Nat. Funeral Directors Assn.; ex-Pres., Georgia State Negro Funeral Directors and Embalmers Assn.; Director, Peoples Insurance Co.; Deputy Grand Master, State of Georgia, Masons; Elks; K. of P.; American Woodmen; St. Luke; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 457 Cotton Ave.; Residence, 612 Spring St., Macon, Ga.

HARVEY, WILLIAM HENRY — Insurance Representative.

b. Feb. 6, 1879, Culloden, Ga.; s. Sandy H. and Antoinette (Lester) Harvey; m. Laura B. Perry, Dec. 18, 1907; three children, Gladys Perry, b. May 17, 1909; Wilfred Oscar, b. 1914; Kelly Miller, b. 1919; educ. Ballard Normal, Macon, Ga.; Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; President, Victory Savings Bank, 3 yrs.; Dist. Manager, North Carolina Mutual Life Ins. Co.; ex-Pres., Parent Teachers Assn. of Colored High Sch.; mem. N. A.A.C.P.; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M. E. Ch.; Address, 1001 Washington, St.; Residence, 1301 Heidt St., Columbia, S. C.

HARVEY, JR., WILLIAM JAMES—Physician.
— See 4th Edition.
Died.

HASKELL, ROSCOE CHESTER—Physician.

b. Sept. 12, 1881 St. Louis, Mo.; s. Anthony S. and Lulu J. (Lewis) Haskell; m. Ida Belle Hall, July 3, 1919; educ. Summer High Sch., St. Louis, 1902; Genner Med. Coll., Chicago, 1905-06; Howard Univ., 1908-10; M.D. Meharry Med. Coll., 1911; Interne, Mercy Hosp., Nashville, Tenn.; Interne, Kansas City General Hosp., 1911-12; Physician, 1912-present; Treas. and Member of Bd. of Managers, Pine Street Y.M.C.A.; Supt., City Hosp., St. Louis, 1918-26; Staff, St. Louis County Hospital, 1931-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Mound City Med. Assn.; Pan-Missouri Med. Assn.; Inter-Racial Commission of St. Louis; Member of the Session of Berea Presbyterian Church; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 822½ N. Jefferson Ave.; Residence, 4436 W. Bell Pl., St. Louis, Mo.

HASKINS, ALMA MARY (Mrs. James E. Allen)
Podiatrist.

b. July 7, 1894, Newport News, Va.; d. Benjamin and Eliza (Burkette) Haskins; m. James Egert Allen, Aug. 8, 1922; educ. Pub. Sch., Newport News; High Sch., Norfolk, Va., 1906-10; New York Univ., 1915-17; 1st Inst. of Podiatry, New York, 1919-21; M. Cp., 1921; Podiatrist, 1921-present; Teacher, Pub Sch., Newport News, Va., 3 years; Established Podiatry in Okolona Industrial Sch., Miss., 1921-22; Teacher, Braithwaite Business Sch., New York, 1922-26; Pres., New York Co., Pedic Soc., 1927-29; Founder, Pi Delta Mu Sorority; Vice Pres., Business and Professional Women's Club; mem. National Assn. of Chiropodists; Women's Federation; N.A.A.C.P.; St. Luke's; Pol. Republican; Relig. Catholic; Address, 16 St. Nicholas Pl., New York, N. Y.

She is one of two women practicing podiatry in the City of New York at this time.

HATCHETTE, MAE LOUISE—Teacher.

b. Aug. 20, 1898, Petersburg, Va.; educ. Peabody High Sch., Petersburg, Va., 1911-14; Va. N.&I. Inst., Petersburg, Va., 1914-16; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1916-20; B.S. Howard Univ., 1920; Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass., 1925; Ed.M. Harvard Univ., 1925; Instructor in High Sch., Biology, 1920-24; Prof., Coll. Biology, 1925-26; mem. Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Relig. Protestant Episcopal; Residence, 124 New St., Petersburg, Va.

HATHAWAY, ISAAC—Sculptor.

b. Lexington, Ky., April 4, 1874; s. Rev. Robert Elijah and Rachel (Scott) Hathaway; m. Ettie Pamplin, (deceased), March 15, 1912, second marriage, Mary V. Edmonds (divorced), Oct., 1915; third marriage, Umer G. Porter, March 10, 1926; one child, Elmer P.; educ. Chandler Normal Coll., formerly located at Lexington, Ky.; studied Art, Art Dept., New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, Mass., two years; Cincinnati Art Academy, Eden Park, Cincinnati, Ohio, two years; Pottery Making, Glazing, Firing, summer school, Pittsburg Normal Sch., Pittsburg, Kans.; has taken several educational extension courses; Head of Ceramic Dept., Arkansas State Coll.,

Pine Bluff, Ark.; Head of Depart., Art and Ceramics, Tuskegee Inst., Ala.; made an actual reproduction of a tract of land where a man's dead body was found, said to be the largest cast ever used in a litigation in the U. S., for Atty William Marshall Bullitt, Louisville, Ky., ex-United States Solicitor; was with Dr. J. W. Pryor, Lexington, Ky., Head of Dept. of Physiology, State Coll. (white), to illustrate anatomy for a text book, and also for class work, two years; made a miniature model of the main building of the institution to be sent to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St. Louis, Mo., for Dr. Burriss A. Jenkins, President of the old Transylvania Univ., (school formerly attended by Jefferson Davis), Lexington, Ky.; assisted Frank Mischa in modeling the Government exhibit for the Pan-American Exposition Museum, San Diego, Cali., under the direction of Dr. A. Hrdlicka, Curator of the Division of Physical Anthropology, New National Museum, Washington, D. C.; made a model in replica, two inches in height, of the Columbus Memorial which stands in front of the Union Station, Washington, D. C., for an industrial company, to be sold as a paper weight on Columbus Day; Assisted Giuseppe Moretti, Italian Sculptor, with one of his most important commissions; Teacher, Ceramics, State Sch., Pine Bluff, Ark., two years; Teacher, Correlated Art, Summer School, Georgia State Industrial Coll., Savannah, Ga., 1932; Teacher, Correlated Art, State Teachers' Coll., Montgomery, Ala.; Lecturer, Fine Arts, Bishop Coll., Marshall, Tex., 1935; Teacher, Art, Bishop Coll., 1935-36; Commissioned by Father Bruno Dresher, a Catholic Priest, of Chicago, Ill., 1938, to model and cast 100 statuettes, one foot high. Father Dresher wrote: "I do not believe that there is a sculptor in the U. S. who can excell you in producing a likeness." made reproductions in plaster of Beth Furnace Meteorite, and sold one to each to Field Columbian Museum, Chicago; Smithsonian Inst., Washington, D. C., and Ward's Collection, Rochester, N. Y.; Address, Tuskegee Institute, Ala.

His father was the slave of U. S. Senator Garret Davis of Bourbon Co., Ky.

It seems a paradox that, notwithstanding his avowed intention to devote his life to modeling busts and sculptures of Negro Life, his larger commissions, with the exception of two, have come from the white race. The list of names includes many of the most prominent in both white and colored groups. His lectures on Art subjects have been to both white and colored colleges. He has the only life-mask extant of Booker T. Washington, and was the first person to correct and make pottery of Tuskegee clays.

He has been commissioned by the National College Emblem Co., of Indianapolis, Ind., to model a relief plaque of Booker T. Washington to be copied in bronze.

HAUSER, PRATHER J.—Y.M.C.A. Secretary.

b. July 13, 1896, Yadkinville, N. C.; s. Alexander and Martha Hauser; educ. Graded Sch., Winston-Salem, N. C.; High Sch., Springfield, Ohio,



ISAAC HATHAWAY



MASON A. HAWKINS, A.B., M.A.



JOHN RUSSELL HAWKINS



JOHN CLIFFORD HAWKINS, LL.B., LL.M.

1914-18; Wilberforce Univ., 1918-22; A.B. 1922; Ohio State Univ., Ohio, 1924-25; M.S., 1925; Subject of Master's Thesis, Ohio State, "The Attitude of the Columbus Daily Newspapers Regarding Printing of Negro News;" Membership Sec. St. Louis, Mo., Y.M.C.A., Pine Street Dept., 1922-23; Boys' Work Director, Y.M.C.A., Spring St. Branch, Columbus, Ohio, 1923-25; Executive Sec. Emerson St. Branch Y.M.C.A., Evanston, Ill., 1925-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1014 Emerson St., Emerson Street Branch, Y.M.C.A., Evanston, Ill.

HAWKINS, JAMES ROBERT—Physician.

b. March 20, 1885, Winston-Salem, N. C.; s. John Milton and Catherine (Mebane) Hawkins; m. Cora V. Marable, Sept. 4, 1911; four children, Sarah Catherine; Cora L.; Martha; James Robert, Jr.; educ. M.D., Shaw Univ., Leonard Med. Sch., Raleigh, N. C., 1911; Phy., 1911-present; mem. Staff, L. Richardson Memorial Hospital; mem. Faculty, Nurse Training Sch., L. Richardson Memorial Hospital; Cor. Sec., and mem. Board of Directors, Greensboro Negro Civic League, 1932-present; 1st Lieut. Medical Reserve Corp., World War, 1918-19; mem. Masons; National Medical Assn.; North State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Piedmont Medical Soc.; Greensboro Medical Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 811 E. Market St.; Residence, 1800 E. Market St., Greensboro, N. C.

HAWKINS, JOHN CLIFFORD—Lawyer-Alderman.

b. March 29, 1879, Middleburg, N. C.; s. John and Sara Hawkins; m. Edith Marion Gilbert, Feb. 15, 1910; educ. Lincoln Univ., Pennsylvania, 1899-1903; B.A., Lincoln Univ., 1903; N. Y. Univ., Law Sch., 1910-12; LL.B., N. Y. Univ., 1912; LL.M., 1913; Lawyer, 1913-present; elected to Legislature, State of New York, 1918; re-elected 1919, 1920, served until 1921; Special Asst. U. S. Atty. for Southern Dist. and Eastern Dist., N. Y., and Dist. of N. J., 1922-27; Alderman, City of New York, Jan. 1, 1928-Dec. 31, 1929; Candidate for Judge of Municipal Court, New York City, N. Y., 1930; mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; I. O. St. Luke; Southern Beneficial League, Coachman Union League; Clubmen's Beneficial League; Star Venus Club; Alcadian Social Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 2313 Seventh Ave.; Residence, 228 W. 137th St., New York, N. Y.

His early life was spent on a farm in North Carolina. At the age of seventeen he taught at the County School. After graduating from Lincoln University in 1903 he came to New York City, entering the Postal Service as Clerk in the New York Postoffice, Registry Mail Division, and was so employed until 1910. In that year he entered New York University Law School, supporting himself and working his way through that institution. He began the active practice of his profession 1913. In 1918 he was nominated for the Legislature, assisted in this nomination by Mrs. Anne K. Lewis and the United Civic League. He served for three terms, being the second colored man

holding a seat in the Assembly in the State of New York.

He was an Alternate Delegate to the Republican National Convention at Chicago in 1920 and has been a delegate to every State Convention since 1920.

In 1922 he was appointed Special Assistant to the U. S. Attorney for the Southern and Eastern Districts of New York and the Eastern District of New Jersey and in that capacity was assigned as Assistant Counsel to the U. S. Shipping Board, serving for five years and five months until December 31st, 1927, when he resigned. While Assistant Counsel for U. S. Shipping Board he handled cases for the Government involving as high as \$1,000,000.

In 1927 he was nominated and elected Alderman in the City of New York from the 21st Alderman District, term to expire December 31, 1929.

He has for years been considered a powerful factor in matters effecting Colored People in the 21st Assembly District with regard to the regulation of its politics.

HAWKINS, JOHN RUSSELL—Denominational Secretary.

b. May 31, 1862, Warrenton, N. C.; s. Ossian and Christiana (Eaton) Hawkins; m. Lillian M. Kennedy, Dec. 28, 1892; two children, Esther K.; John R., Jr. (deceased); educ. High School, Warrenton; Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute; student, Y.M.C.A., Boston, Mass., 4 yrs.; grad., Howard Univ. School of Law, Washington, D. C., 1915; Teacher, public schools, Warren County, N. C. 1878-80; Principal, graded schools, Warrenton, 2 yrs.; in railway mail service, 1882-84; business manager and instructor, Kittrell College, 1887-90; Pres., 1890-96; commissioner of education for A.M.E. Connection, 1896-1912; financial secretary, A.M.E. Church since 1912; Trustee and Fiscal Agent, Kittrell College; Trustee and Fiscal Agent, Wilberforce Univ.; Trustee, Howard University, Washington, D. C.; Chairman, Colored Voters' Division, National Republican Committee, 1928; ex-President, Prudential Bank, Washington, D. C.; Pol. Republican; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Knights of Pythias; Elks; Address, 1541 14th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

Died.

HAWKINS, MASON A.—Educator.

b. Oct. 21, 1874, Charlottesville, Va.; s. Arthur Burnett and Edith (Southall) Hawkins; m. Margaret Briggs Gregory, Oct. 14, 1905; two children, Gregory, Attorney, b. Aug. 4, 1906; Mason Albert, Jr., b. Nov. 21, 1907; educ. Public Sch., Baltimore, Md.; Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1893-96; A.B., Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass., 1901; M.A., Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., 1910; Ph.D., Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., 1930; Principal, Douglas Senior-Junior High Sch., 1909-1934; auth.; inventor; Professor, Social Sci., Morgan Coll., 1934-present; mem. Board of Directors, Provident Hospital; mem. Sigma Pi Phi; Union Baptist Church; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1532 Druid Hill Ave., Baltimore, Md.

HAWKINS, THOMAS SOUTHWAL—Physician.

b. Dec. 14, 1869, Charlottesville, Va.; s. Arthur B. and Edith (Southawl) Hawkins; m. Emily B. Bradford, June 25, 1910; one child, Thomas B., b. July 14, 1912; educ. Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1896; M.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1900; Physician, 1900-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Knights of Pythias; Maryland Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Assn.; National Medical Assn.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1202 Druid Hill Ave., Baltimore, Md.

HAWKINS, WILLIAM ASHBIE—Lawyer.

b. Aug. 2, 1862, Lynchburg, Va.; s. (Rev.) Robert and Susan (Cobb) Hawkins; m. Ada M. Mechen, Mar. 14, 1885; two children, Aldina M. Haines, b. 1888; Roberta M. B. West, b. 1891; second marriage, Mary E. Sorrell, April 28, 1921; educ. Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md. (classical), 1880-85; A.M. (Honorary), Morgan Coll., 1918; Maryland Univ., Baltimore, Md., Law, 1889-91; Howard University, 1891-82; LL.B., 1892; Teacher, 1885-92; Editor, Cambridge Advance, 1887-89; Editor, Baltimore Spokesman, Baltimore, Md., 1893-95; Baltimore Lancet, Baltimore, Md., 1902-05; Lawyer, 1892-present; Trustee, Sharp St. Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church, Baltimore, Md., 1909-present; mem. Masons (33°); Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity; Supreme Chancellor, K. of P., Eastern and Western Hemisphere; Pol. Independent-Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church; Office, 14 E. Pleasant St.; Address, 929 Arlington Ave., Govans, Baltimore, Md.

William Ashbie Hawkins is the senior member of the law firm of Hawkins and Mechen, well-known attorneys in Baltimore, Md. As a practicing attorney since 1892, he has shared in and been identified with all litigation affecting the rights of his people in the Courts of Maryland.

He represented his conference as lay delegate to the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church on two occasions.

He was an Independent candidate for United States Senator in 1920.

HAWKINS, WILLIAM D.—Real Estate.

b. Feb. 5, 1872, Jasper, Tenn.; s. Carol and Ameline (Carter) Hawkins; m. Sarah Martin, June 21, 1905; six children, Emily C.; William D., Jr.; Lloyd W.; Mary E.; Aubrey M.; Nellie R.; educ. A.B. Walden Univ., 1900; LL.D. Walden Univ., 1903; ex-President, Peoples Bank & Trust Co.; Manager and Treas., Star Realty and Investment Co., 1912-present; Teacher, Pub. Sch.; taught school 1889; was instructor, Greek and Latin, Walden Univ.; ex-Pres., Negro Bd. of Trade of Nashville, Tenn.; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Knights of Tabor; Am. Woodmen; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 405 4th Ave., N.; Residence, 76 Wharf Ave., Nashville, Tenn.

HAYES, ARTHUR PHILIP—Teacher.

b. Feb. 17, 1896, Washington, D. C.; s. Jackson and Maria (Tackett) Hayes; educ. Dunbar High

Sch., Washington, D. C., 1917; Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala.; Lincoln Univ., Mo.; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1924; B.S., Columbia Univ., Teachers' Coll., New York, N. Y., 1932; A.M., 1933; Vocational Guidance Counselor, West 135th Street Y.M.C.A., New York City, 1932-33; Professor, Military Science and Tactics, Tuskegee Inst.; Professor, Military Science and Tactics, Prairie View State Coll., Texas; Dean of Men, Prairie View State Coll.; Professor, Military Science and Tactics, Lincoln Univ., Mo.; enlisted in Army, World War, and earned commission as 2d Lieut.; enlisted in 9th Cavalry, Philippines, 1919-26, serving at West Point, Tuskegee Inst. and Lincoln Univ., Mo.; mem. Boy's Work Committee, Y.M.C.A., West 135th St., New York City; Address, 500 Riverside Drive, New York, N. Y.

He was responsible for the establishment of training camps at Tuskegee Institute and at Lincoln University for the training of Colored officers who had not been called to active duty since the World War, and was in command of the camp at Lincoln University, Mo. He prepared plans for camps in the 4th, 7th and 8th Corps areas for the training of Colored Reserve Officers. He also submitted a proposal for the training of the Colored man power of the United States to the War Department at Washington, D. C.

He suggested to Congressman DePriest the necessity of making special provisions in the Reforestation Act for the inclusion of Colored boys.

HAYES, JOHN H.—Dentist.

b. Oct. 12, 1885, Danville, Va.; s. Charles and Hannah (Walker) Hayes; m. Margaret Brooks, Nov. 27, 1918; two children, John H., Jr., b. May 4, 1920; Virgie Childs, b. 1925; educ. Wayland Academy, Va. Union Univ.; B.A., Va. Union Univ., 1914; University of Indiana, 1914-15; D.D.S. Howard Univ., 1917; Dentist, 1917-present; President, New Jersey Dental Society; mem. Elks; Masons; Alpha Phi Alpha; Howard Alumni Club of North Jersey; Relig. Baptist; Pol. Republican; Address, 1019 Springfield Ave.; Residence, 1225 Bangs Ave., Asbury Park, N. J.

HAYES, ROBERT BENJAMIN—College Dean.

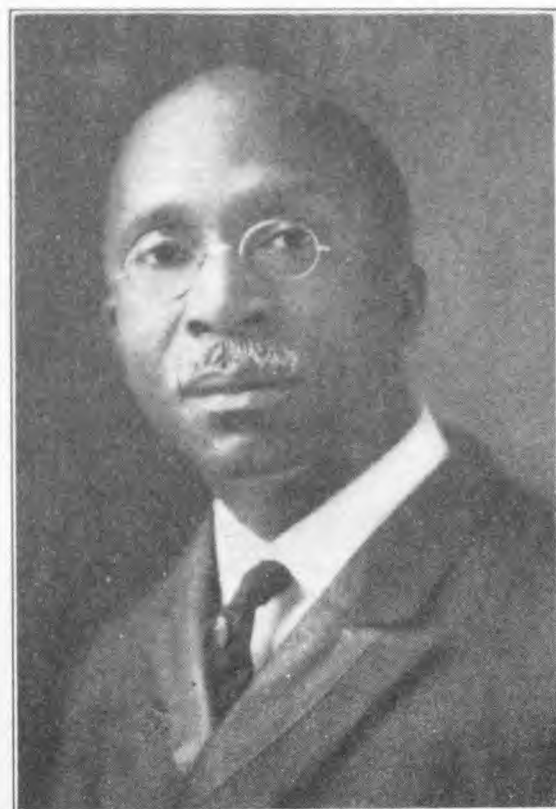
b. May 13, 1876, Navasota, Texas; s. Lucius and Laura (Clayton) Hayes; m. Hattie Pauline Melton, June 22, 1909; five children, Lucille Blanche, b. Feb. 18, 1910 (deceased); Baby, b. Oct. 10, 1912 (deceased); Robert Benjamin, Jr., b. Nov. 7, 1914 (deceased); Herbert Murlin, b. June 28, 1916; Lawrence Melton, b. June 24, 1921; educ. Grammar Sch., Chetopa, Kansas, 1882-90; High Sch., Guthrie, Okla., 1890-94; Baker Univ., 1897-1903; A.M., Ph.B., Baker Univ., 1903; Teacher, Natural Science, Philander Smith Coll., Little Rock, Ark., 1903-16; President, George R. Smith Coll., Sedalia, Mo., 1916-25; Dean, New Orleans Univ., 1925-present; mem. Masons; Royal Arch; Knight Templar; Shriner, Consistory (33°); Knights of Pythias; Odd Fellows; Heroines of Jericho; Eastern Star; Court of Calanthe; American Sociological Assn.; Southern Sociological



MRS. ELIZABETH ROSS HAYNES, A.B., A.M.



GEORGE EDMUND HAYNES, PH.D.



ROBERT B. HAYES, A.B., PH.B.



VERTIS HAYES

Assn.; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; mem. Inter-Racial Commission for the State of Louisiana, 1931; chosen Lay Delegate Louisiana Annual Conference to the General Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, Atlantic City, N. J., 1932; mem. Board of Trustees, Colored Juvenile Delinquent Rescue Association; auth. "Students' Guide in Morals and Learning," 1914; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church; Address, 5318 St. Charles Ave.; Residence, 1564 Valmont St., New Orleans, La.

His parents left Texas in 1879, settling in Ft. Scott, Kansas. They moved to Chetopa, Kansas, and later to Guthrie, Oklahoma. He was the first Negro boy to enter the High School of the Territory. Worked his way through Baker University, where he was President of the Science Club, Attorney and Critic of the Athenian Society, a member of two prize-winning debating teams, one of which was in an Inter-Collegiate contest. On graduation he won the A.M. and Ph.B. degrees at the same time.

While President of George R. Smith College, 1916-1925, under his guidance, his students gave a program before the Constitutional Convention of the State, when he was invited to address that body. He was chosen President of the Inter-State Literary Society of Kansas and the West.

He was transferred to New Orleans University, when a fire destroyed the main building at George R. Smith College, in 1925.

In 1926 he was chosen a member of the Board of Co-operative Workers for the Prevention of Juvenile delinquency.

He was a member of the International Y. M. C. A. Convention in 1907 and 1910.

In 1916 he represented the Little Rock Conference as lay representative to General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church meeting at Saratoga, N. Y.

In 1920 and 1924 he represented the Central Missouri Conference in the same capacity in the General Sessions meeting at Des Moines, Ia., and Springfield, Mass.

HAYES, ROLAND—Tenor.

b. Curryville, Ga., June 3, 1887; s. Fanny and William Hayes; educ. Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn., 4 years; First Music Teacher, Arthur Calhoun (a Negro), solfeggio and songs, Chattanooga, Tenn.; second music teacher, Miss Jennie A. Robinson (white); Went to Boston in 1911; became a pupil of the illustrious maestro, Arthur J. Hubbard of Boston; studied with him for eight and a half years; attended the Harvard Extension School; Conducted own concert tour in U. S. from 1916 to 1920; Went to Europe in April, 1920; studied and conducted concert tours; Professors: Miss Ira Aldridge, Mr. Victor Beigel, Sir George Henschel, Dr. Theo. Lierhammer; was honored, recognized; Command performance before King George V, April, 1921, at Buckingham Palace, London England, and before the Queen Mother of Spain, Maria Christina, at the

Royal Palace, Madrid, in April, 1925; Won Spingard Medal April, 1925; Was enthusiastically acclaimed in appearances in London, where he sang several times with orchestras at Queens Hall, Sir Henry J. Wood, Conductor; in Paris, with Orchestra Colonne, M. Gabriel Pierne, Conductor; also Vienna, Berlin, and all of the important musical centres of Europe; has toured all U. S. and sang with the Boston, Philadelphia, Detroit, and New York Symphony Orchestras; interpreter not only of the traditional Negro (spiritual) melodies, but of many of the most impressive lyrics of the masters; Address, Symphony Hall, Boston, Mass.; Residence, 58 Alerton St., Brookline, Mass.

HAYES, WILLIAM PRESTON—Clergyman.

b. Jan. 18, 1881, Bullocks, N. C.; s. William P. and Sarah Frances Hayes; m. Carolyn Amee, Nov. 16, 1910 (deceased); educ. Bennett Coll., Greensboro, N. C., 1895-99; Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1905-08; B.D., Union Univ., 1907; D.D., Selma Univ., 1912; D.D., Union Univ., 1923; Pastor, Mount Olivet Baptist Church, New York, N. Y., 1911-present; mem. Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; St. Luke's; Southern League; Banquet Beneficial League; Sons and Daughters of North Carolina; Board of Trustees, Va. Union Univ.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, Bethany Baptist Church, Newark, N. J.

He was instrumental in the purchase of a church at Lenox Ave. and 120th St., at a cost of \$450,000. This is said to be one of the finest Negro churches in the world.

HAYES, VERTIS—College Art Director.

b. May 20, 1911, Atlanta, Ga.; s. Lather T. and Willie Jose (Williams) Hayes; educ. Booker T. Washington High School, Atlanta, Ga.; private instruction with Jean Charlot, Chicago School of Fine and Applied Art, Chicago, Ill.; auth. Executed Illustrations for the Book "Mistress of the Delta Land," by Joseph Grand, pub. September, 1939; Staff Artist, Atlanta Tattler, Atlanta, Ga., 1928-29; Commercial Illustrations, Freelance, 1929-39; Asst. Artist, Mural Paintings, C. W. A., 1934-35; Master Artist, Mural Assignment in Nurses Residence, Harlem Hospital, which work was approved by the New York City Art Commission, 1935-36; Asst. LeMoyné Federal Art Center, Memphis, Tenn., 1938; Assoc. Director, LeMoyné Federal Art Center, Memphis, Tenn., and then Director of the Art Department, LeMoyné Coll., 1939-present; mem. Y.M.C.A.; LeMoyné Art Assn.; American Artists Congress; United American Artists, Inc.; Harlem Artists' Guild; New York Assn. of Southern Born Artists; Relig. African Methodist; Address, LeMoyné College, Memphis, Tenn.

In 1936 he was assigned to paint the Murals in the Theo. Roosevelt High School in New York City the theme for which was to have been the "Rough Riders," but was not completed.

His work has been shown in a number of galleries in and around New York City, Atlanta, Ga., Nashville, Tenn., New Orleans, La.; Chicago, Ill., and Memphis, Tenn.

HAYNES, CHARLES DAVIS—Instructor.

b. March 16, 1870, Bedford, Va.; s. John D. and Martha (Henry) Haynes; m. Ethelena May Spencer, Sept. 5, 1900; three children, Ariel I., b. Aug. 20, 1902; Bernice O., b. Aug. 2, 1904; Herbert S., b. Dec. 22, 1920; educ. Va. Nor. and Ind. Inst., Petersburg, Va., 1888-93; A.B. 1893; Univ. of Penn., Phila., Penn., 1906-07; Teacher, Bedford Sch., Bedford, Va., 1893-96; Teacher, Mathematics and Director, Dept. Natural Science, Va. Normal and Industrial Inst., Petersburg, Va., 1896-1918; Instructor, Mathematics and Natural Science, State Coll., Dover, Del., 1918-21; Instructor, Agricultural Dept., State Coll., Orangeburg, S. C., 1921-present; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, State Coll., Orangeburg, S. C.

HAYNES, MRS. ELIZABETH ROSS—Sociologist-Author.

b. Lowndes County, Alabama; d. Henry and Mary (Carnes) Ross; m. George Edmund Haynes, Dec. 14, 1910; one child, George Edmund Haynes, Jr., b. July 17, 1912; educ. State Normal School, Montgomery, Alabama, 1896-1900; Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn., 1900-03; A.B. Fisk Univ., 1903; studied in the Graduate Sch., Univ. of Chicago, summers of 1905, 1906, 1907; Columbia Univ., Sociology, 1922-23; A.M., Columbia Univ., 1923; Teacher, High Sch., Galveston, Tex., for two years; Negro Nat. Sec. for the Y.W.C.A. for about two and one half years; Volunteer Worker for Nat. Y.W.C.A., for about fifteen years to present time; auth. "Unsung Heroes," life story of most celebrated Negroes, pub. DuBois and Dill, 1921; "Negroes in Domestic Service in the United States," Thesis for Master's Degree at Columbia Univ., pub. Associated Publishers, Washington, D. C.; mem. Alpha Kappa Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2588 7th Ave., New York, N. Y.

She was chosen by the National Board of the Young Women's Christian Association as its first Negro National Secretary, with activities largely among the colleges, but also supervising whatever city work there was among Negroes. She was a paid worker for about two and one-half years.

After her marriage she resumed her work for the Y. W. C. A. as an active volunteer for more than 20 years.

In 1923 she was elected to membership on the National Board of the Y. W. C. A., and after two years service on the National Board of the Y. W. C. A., she was again elected to that Board for six years. At the expiration of that time she was elected a third time for two years. She is the first Colored member.

She is a member of the Commission on Race Relations of the Federal Council of Churches. Also the Secretary of the Board of Directors of the A. Clayton Home of the Aged.

During the World War she lived in Washington, D. C., and served as a Dollar a Year Woman for the Women's Bureau of the U. S. Dept. of Labor, and also assisted as a volunteer in the Division of Negro Economics of that department.

She is now Democratic woman leader of the 21st Assembly District of New York State. She is also an Executive Member of the Society of Tammany Hall, of New York City, and is a sponsor of Mayor LaGuardia's Commission on City Planning.

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HAYNES, GEO. EDMUND—Sociologist-Author.

b. May 11, 1880, Pine Bluff, Arkansas; m. Elizabeth Ross, Dec. 14, 1910; one child, George Edmund, Jr., b. July 17, 1912; educ. Fisk Univ., 1899-1903; A.B. Fisk Univ., 1903; Yale Univ., 1903-05; M.A. Yale Univ., 1904; Columbia Univ., 1908-10; Ph.D. Columbia Univ., 1912; Attended Summer Session, Chicago Univ., 1906-07; New York School of Social Work, 1903-09; Professional Graduate, 1909; Sec. Colored Men's Dept., International Committee Y.M.C.A., 1905-08; Professor, Social Science, Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1910-20; Leave of Absence to serve as Special Asst. to the Secretary of Labor with the title, Director of Negro Economics, U. S. Dept. of Labor, Washington, D. C., 1918-21; Founder and Formerly Executive Director, National Urban League for Social Service among Negroes; Special Advisor on Negro work, Interchurch World Movement of North America, 1920-21; Sec., Commission on Race Relations, Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, 1922-present; Amer. Academy Political and Social Science; Amer. Assn. of Social Work; Nat. Conference of Social Work; Executive Committee, American Missionary Assn.; Congregational Home Board; Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; Sometime Asst. Moderator, National Council of Congl. Churches; Regional Consultant for South Africa, 1930; International Survey of Y.M.C.A.'s and Y.W.C.A.'s; auth. "The Negro at Work in New York City," 1912; "The Negro Newcomer in Detroit, Mich.," 1917 (out of print); "The Trend of the Races," 1922; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 105 E. 22nd St.; Residence, 2588 7th Ave., New York, N. Y.

As Secretary of the Commission on Race Relations, Federal Council of Churches, he has guided the plans of white and Negro churches for good-will in race relations and directed the development of the William E. Harmon Awards for Distinguished Achievement offered by Harmon Foundation of New York to discover and bring to recognition Negroes who have done outstanding creative work of national significance in the fields of Literature, Music, Fine Arts, Industry, including Business, Science including Invention, Education, Religion—and Negroes or white persons in the field of Race Relations—as a stimulus to creative work and interracial appreciation and cooperation. As Regional Consultant in South Africa, traveled over Union studying relations of whites and

Natives. Also visited Congo and Angola to study missions.

HAYS, GEORGE W.

b. 1847, Louisiana; s. Joshua and Anna Hays; m. Mamie L. Forte, July, 1874; five children; educ. self-taught; some schooling in Cleveland, Ohio; served in Army during War, 1862-65; joined Surveying Party, United States Engineers; appointed Attache, United States Circuit and District Courts, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1871-1901; nominated and elected Member Seventy-fifth General Assembly, Ohio, served three terms; Trustee, Wilberforce Univ., a number of years; Trustee, Ohio Institute for the Blind, twelve years; Trustee, Orphans' Home for Colored Children, Cincinnati, several years; Trustee, Union Baptist Church; mem. Masons; (32°); District Grand Director, Odd Fellows; True Reformers; Relig. Baptist; Address, care Union Baptist Church, Cincinnati, Ohio.

He was the only colored man in the Seventy-fifth General Assembly. During his term he was appointed Chairman of the Blind School Committee.

HAYS, GEORGE W., Jr.—Deputy County Auditor.

b. Dec. 22, 1876, Cincinnati, Ohio; s. George W. and Mamie Hays; m. Maida Dunlap, 1913; educ. Public Schools, Cincinnati, Ohio; Clerk, office of the Clerk of District Court, Southern Ohio District fifteen years; Clerk, City Engineer's Office, three years; Deputy County Auditor, 1914-present; mem. Secretary, St. John's Lodge No. 3, F.&A.M.; K. of P. (member of the auditing committee for the last five years); representative of Garnet Lodge to Grand Lodge for the past four years; Pol. Republican; Address, 626 West Fourth St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

HAYWOOD, J. W.—Clergyman.

b. Central, S. C., May 23, 1882; m. Maggie Davis, 1910; educ. High Sch., Central, S. C., 1896; Benedict Coll., Columbia, S. C.; Morris Brown Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; D.D., Simmons Univ., 1918; Synthetic Bible Study, Moody Bible Inst., Chicago, Ill., 1921; Traveling Representative, Goodman Mfg. Machine Co., 8 years; Clergyman, 1914-present; Pastor and organizer, First Baptist Church, Wheeling, Ky., 1914; Missionary, during which time he organized sixteen congregations and built four churches in Kentucky; Pastor, Mount Zion Baptist Church, Knoxville, Tenn.; one of organizers of Friendship Club; organized, Universal Soul-Saving League; organizer, Young Men's Progressive Investment Assn.; Address, Mount Zion Baptist Church, Knoxville, Tenn.

HEARD, WILLIAM H.—Bishop.

— See 5th Edition.

Died, September, 1937.

HEDRICK, ROBERT MILTON—Chief Surgeon St. John Hospital.

b. July 29, 1898, Port Gibson, Miss.; s. Elias and Maggie Ann (Jones) Hedrick; m. Ruth Irene Lewis, Feb. 9, 1916; two children, Ruth Lewis, b. Aug. 11, 1918; Roberta Margarette, b. Aug. 25, 1921; educ. County and High Sch., Miss.,

B.S., Alcorn A. and M. Coll., Alcorn, Miss., 1912; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1918; Post Graduate, Chicago, Ill., 1912-14; Physician and Surgeon, 1918-present; began practice of Medicine, Greenville, Miss., 1919, being one of the first of the Colored Race to receive Reciprocity License from the State of Mississippi; began practice of Medicine, Gary, Ind., 1920; Chief Surgeon, McMitchell's Sanitarium, 1920-24; Surgeon, St. Mary's Hospital, Gary, Ind., 1924-25; ex-Pres., The Indiana State Medical Soc.; Ex-Pres., John A. Andrew Clinical Soc., Tuskegee, Ala. mem. National Medical Assn.; American Medical Assn.; Indiana State Medical Soc., Lake County Medical Soc., K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Elks; Kappa Alpha Psi; 32 degree Mason; Relig. African Methodist Episcopal; Address, 28 E. 22nd Ave., Gary, Ind.

There being no hospitals in which Colored Doctors could practice in Mississippi he went to Gary, Ind. He was Chief Surgeon in McMitchell's Sanitarium for four years and Surgeon in St. Mary's Mercy Hospital for two years. As the Hospital authorities closed its staff to the Colored Race he was forced to open a small hospital of his own called the Hedrick Hospital which was in continuous operation for five years. Requiring a larger Hospital he opened the St. John Hospital in 1929 and which has been in full operation ever since. He has performed many major operations with a mortality of less than one per cent.

For the past five years he was active in Supervising the Annual Clinics in Tuskegee Institute, Ala., in connection with the John A. Andrew Memorial Hospital.

HENDERSON, RANDOLPH RICHARD—Physician and Surgeon.

b. July 20, 1895, Mahaica, B. G.; s. William and Isadore B. (Lord) Henderson; m. Reilda Choykee, Aug. 28, 1923; educ. Christ Church Sch., Georgetown, B. G.; Providence Hospital, Sick Nurse and Dispenser, Providence, B. G.; Detroit Junior Coll., Detroit, Mich.; M.D. Dalhousie Univ., Halifax, N. S., 1924; Physician and Surgeon, 1924-present; Physician, Male Medical Out Patient Dept., Harlem Hospital, 1925-28; Asst. Gynaecologist, Out Patient Dept., Harlem Hospital, 1928-30; Provisional Adjunct Surgeon, Harlem Hospital, 1930-present; Assistant Visiting Surgeon, Harlem Hospital, New York City, 1931-33; mem. New York State Medical Soc.; New York Co. Medical Soc.; Odd Fellows; Mechanics; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Catholic; Address 214 W. 138th St., New York City, N. Y.

HENDRICKS, ALFRED HUDSON—Bank Cashier.

b. July 24, 1855, Muskogee, A. Ga.; s. Owen and Emily (Thomas) Hendricks; m. Elenora Jones, Nov. 27, 1880; two children, Sanglar G., b. Aug. 21, 1881; Alfred Hudson, Jr., b. Apr. 28, 1883; educ. Pub. Sch., Columbus, Ga.; Mitchell Sch., Columbus, Ga.; Cashier, Liberty Savings and Real Estate Corp., 1920-present; Clerk, Post Office, Columbus, Ga., 8 years; Postal Clerk,

Railway mail service, 38 years; mem. Nat. Bankers Assn.; Dele. Nat. Republican Convention, 2 terms; Republican State Central Committee, 20 years; Harrison-Morton Ratification Committee; Past Exalted Ruler, Elks (Macon, Ga.); Masons; K. of P.; Past Noble, Odd Fellows; Trustee in his church; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregational; Address, 429 Cotton Ave.; Residence, 221 Chestnut St., Macon, Ga.

HENDERSON, HENRY F.—Building and Contracting, Real Estate Broker.

b. March 10, 1892, Loudon County, Va.; s. Charles and Mary (Warner) Henderson; m. Elizabeth Hammond, May 27, 1918; educ. Pub. Sch., Va.; Automobile Mechanic, 1909-12; Building and Contracting, Real Estate, 1912-present; Prop., H. F. Henderson, Inc.; mem. Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A. C.P.; Elks; Bd. of Directors, Golden Rod Bldg. and Loan Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 109 Maple Ave., Montclair, N. J.; Residence, Rifle Camp Rd., W. Paterson, N. J.

HENDERSON, J. RAYMOND—Clergyman.

educ. A.B., Virginia Union Univ.; studied at Union Theol. Sem., New York, N. Y.; B.D., Oberlin Coll., 1927; founded Inter-State Oratorical Contest of Virginia; Asst. Pastor, Mt. Olivet Baptist Church, New York, N. Y.; Pastor, Penn Memorial Baptist Church, Phila., Pa.; mem. Delta Sigma Chi; Address, 127 Winagh Ave., New Rochelle, N. Y.

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HENRY, E. P.—Physician—Neuro-Psychiatrist. b. Feb. 17, 1899, Taft, Okla.; s. Thomas and Paralee (Hertt) Henry; m. Bessie Bruce, Nov. 5, 1925; child, adopted daughter, Bazzelene Bruce Henry; educ. Univ. of West Tennessee, Memphis, Tenn., 1916-17; M.D., Univ. of West Tennessee, 1921; Interne, Jane Terrell Baptist Hosp., Memphis, Tenn.; 1921-22; Woodmen Union Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark., 1927-28; auth. "High Lights on Mental Deficiency," pub. State Hospital for Negro Insane, June, 1939; Physician, 1921-present; Staff Surgeon, Hubbard Clinic, Tulsa, Okla., 1929-32; Staff Surgeon, Maurice Willow Hospital, Tulsa, Okla., 1923-25; Staff Surgeon, Morrison Sanatorium, Taft, Okla., 1924-25; Medical Supt., State Hospital for Negro Insane, Taft, Okla., 1937-present; mem. Lunacy Board, State of Oklahoma, 1936-present; Neuro-Psychiatrist, Municipal Hospital, No. 2, Tulsa, Okla., Neuro-Psychiatrist, Muskogee Provident Hospital, Muskogee, Okla.; Past Instructor of Nurses, Woodmen of the Union Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark., and Jane Terrell Baptist Hospital, Memphis, Tenn.; Observatory Experience, Central Oklahoma State Hospital, Norman, Okla.; Vice Chairman, Commission Neurology, National Medical Assn.; Chairman, Psychiatric Section, Oklahoma Medical and Dental Assn; mem. Muskogee Co. Medical Soc.; Oklahoma Medical and Dental Assn; National Medical Assn; American Psychiatric Assn; Elks; Mason; Pythian; Chairman, Pittsburg Co., Democratic Assn; Pol. Democratic; Relig. Methodist; Address, State Hospital, Taft, Okla.; Residence, 911 E. Adams St., McAlester, Okla.

The State Hospital for Negroes at Taft, Okla., is considered the largest hospital of its kind in the World. It has over 700 inmates and all of the treatments are of the latest to be had.

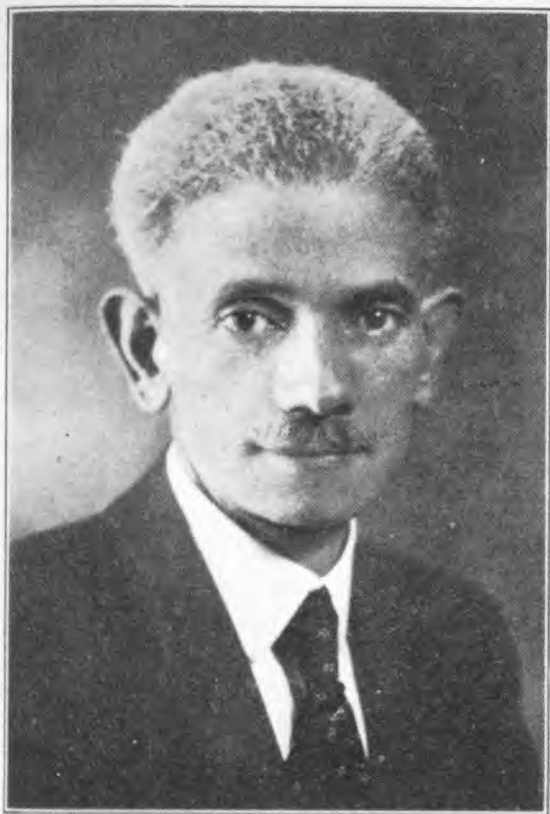
Dr. Henry was appointed Assistant Physician in 1934 and has been connected with it from the day of opening. Also the treating of the patients from the beginning.

HENRY, EDWARD W.—Magistrate.

b. March 5, 1873, Buffalo, N. Y.; s. James Augustus and Emma (Bloxson) Henry; m. Susan E. Colston, July, 1891; second marriage, Hattie Cambric, Jan. 14, 1907; three children, Emma; Edward W., Jr.; Charles S.; educ. High Sch., Buffalo, N. Y.; Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; LL.B., Howard Univ. Law Sch., Washington, D. C., 1896; LL.M., 1897; Magistrate, Philadelphia, Pa., 1925-present; Lawyer, Clarksburg, W. Va., 1900-06; Editor and Manager, Philadelphia American, 1910-20; Clerk, State Workmen's Insurance Fund Bureau 1921-24; Grand Treasurer, Elks, 1931-present; Exalted Ruler, Catto Lodge, Elks, Philadelphia, Pa.; Pres., Citizens Republican Club, Philadelphia, Pa., 1919-24; Director, Mercy Hospital and School for Nurses; Director, Armstrong Assn., Philadelphia, Pa.; Candidate for Congress 2d Congressional District, Philadelphia, Pa., 1932; mem. Masons (33°); Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 736 S. 20th St.; Residence, 758 S. Martin St., Philadelphia, Pa.

HENRY, JOSIAH F., Jr.—Lawyer.

b. Aug. 2, 1896, Cambridge, Md.; s. Josiah F. and Mary J. (Wheatley) Henry; m. M. Ethel Waters;



REV. WILLIAM PRESTON HAYES, D.D.



ROBERT MILTON HEDRICK, B.S., M.D.



JUDGE EDWARD W. HENRY, LL.B.



E. P. HENRY, M.D.

educ. Public Sch., Baltimore, Md.; Delaware State Coll., Dover Del.; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1918; B.S. and L.L.B., Univ. of Mich., Ann Arbor, Mich., 1923; Lawyer, 1923-present; Director, Civil Liberties Union; Director, Baltimore Branch Urban League; mem. Board of Directors, N. A. A. C. P.; Exalted Ruler, Monumental Lodge No. 3, five terms; Pres., Monumental City Bar Assn.; Vice-Pres., National Bar Assn., 1933-34; Post Commander, Walter Green Post, American Legion; ex-mem. Board of Directors, Y. M. C. A.; Pres., Maryland Colored Democracy; mem. Kappa Alpha Phi Fraternity; Colored Business Men's Exchange; Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Shriner; Galilean Fisherman; Assn., for the Handicapped; Knight Templar; National Assn. for Promotion of Negro Business; Pol. Independent; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Address, 22 St. Paul St.; Residence 2557 McCulloh St., Baltimore, Md.

He was the first Colored man to run on a Democratic ticket in the South for the Legislature.

He is rated very highly as a criminal lawyer and from September 15, 1935, to June 15, 1936, he received seven acquittals out of nine murder cases.

HENRY, ROBERT WILLIAM—Physician.

b. July 26, 1883, Natchez, Miss.; s. William and Mary A. Henry; m. Elizabeth B. Mason, April 19, 1911; three children, Mary E., b. Nov. 6, 1912; Robert W., Jr., b. Nov. 6, 1912; Myrtle A. M., b. Oct. 1, 1914; educ. Jackson Coll., 1900-03; Shaw Univ., 1903-07; Long Island Coll. Hospital, 1908; Physician, 1908-present; Chief, X-Ray Department, Frederick Douglass Hospital; Chief, Dermatological Department, Frederick Douglass Hospital; mem. Am. Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Philadelphia County Med. Soc.; Philadelphia Academy of Medicine and Allied Sciences; Clinical Pathological Society; Pennsylvania State Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Professional Club of Phila.; Citizens' Republican Club; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Masons; Elks; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. First African Baptist Church; Address, 768 S. 15th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

HENRY, THOMAS MILLARD—Writer.

b. Dec. 11, 1882, Stevensville, Va.; s. William and Adalaide (Hamilton) Henry; m. Margaret Campbell, April 4, 1923; educ. Hampton Inst., 1907; Harlem High Sch.; Writer and Lecturer; auth. "Spring in Virginia," "The First Black World Poet"; Supt., Sunday Sch. and Bible Classes; Vice Pres., U.N.I.A., Asbury Park, N. J.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 225 W. 18th St., New York, N. Y.

HENRY, WILLIAM S.—Lawyer.

b. Feb. 1, 1873, Halifax, Va.; s. Reuben Henry and Virginia (Dodson) Henry; m. Jesse Butler, Aug. 6, 1921; two children, Louise, b. April 10, 1922; Eleanor, b. Sept. 9, 1924; educ. Virginia Normal and Industrial Inst., Petersburg, Va., 1899; L.L.B., Internl. Sch. of Law, 1908; Sch. of Journalism, New York City, N. Y.; auth. "Out of Wedlock," novel, R. G. Badger, Boston, Mass., 1931; Lawyer, 1908-present; Claim Adjuster, Indianapolis, 1921-25; ex-Treas., National Bar Assn.; mem. Masons; Shriner; Elks; National Bar Assn.; Lawyers Club; Pol. Independent;

relig. Baptist; Address, 229 ½ Indiana Ave.; Residence, 1267 W. 26th St., Indianapolis, Ind.

John Thomas Shaw was convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to die, which conviction he appealed and a new trial ordered. The first trial after was 8 to 4 for acquittal, and the second was for acquittal.

HENSON, MATTHEW ALEXANDER—Explorer-Author.

b. Aug. 8, 1866, Charles County, Md.; s. Lemuel and Caroline (Gaines) Henson; m. Lucy Jane Ross, Sept. 5, 1907; educ. few years at N. St. Sch., Washington, D. C.; first and only Negro to reach the North Pole, April 6, 1909; Sub-clerical Correspondence Division, Collector of Customs, New York City, 1913-present; auth. "Negro Explorer at the North Pole," pub. Fred A. Stokes & Co., N. Y., 1912; various articles in Magazines; mem. Masons (Celestial Lodge No. 3); Southern Beneficial League; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, U. S. Custom House, New York, N. Y.; Residence, 246 W. 150th St., New York, N. Y.

Matthew Alexander Henson (affectionately called "Matt") was born less than three years after Emancipation, in Charles County, Md., of poor parents. Left an orphan at the age of eight years, he began a life of adventure at the age of nine as a cabin boy on the sailing vessel, Katie Hines, which made Eastern ports her destination.

At 21 years of age he met Robert Peary, the famous Explorer. They made several trips to South America, and were together on eight unsuccessful dashes to the North Pole. The last eventful trip was started July 8, 1908. The Pole was reached on April 6, 1909. Robert Peary died in 1920. Henson has been in the employ of the U. S. Government since 1913.

In the Liberty, a weekly magazine (white), on July 17, 1926, appeared an article on Mr. Henson's activities at the North Pole. The author of that article stated. "Few people realize that Matt Henson, Peary's Negro assistant was actually the first man to reach the Pole. Henson, the trailbreaker during the last lap of the expedition, was there forty-five minutes ahead of Peary.

The Honorary degree, Master of Science, was conferred on Mr. Henson by Morgan College, Baltimore, Md. June 5, 1924.

HERNANDEZ, MARION PETTIFORD—Supervisor of Nurses.

b. Aug. 6, 1900, New York City, N. Y.; d. John L. and Lena E. (Taylor) Pettiford; m. Ceferine Hernandez, Aug. 9, 1930; educ. Public Sch., New York City; Wadleigh High Sch., 1913-17; R.N., Lincoln Sch. for Nurses, 1920; State Diploma, 1920; Public Health Nursing, Teachers Coll., Columbia Univ., 1920-21; Certificate in Public Health, Hospital Social Service Bureau; Course in Personality Adjustments, New Sch. of Social Research, 1928-29; Personality Adjustments,

New York Univ., 1930; Staff Nurse, Henry Street Visiting Nurse Service, 1921-23; Senior Nurse, 1923-25; Asst. Supervisor of Nurses, 1925-27; Supervisor of Nurses, 1927-present; mem. Lincoln Sch. for Nurses Alumni Assn.; American Red Cross Nurse Assn.; American Nurses Assn.; Gamma Delta Sigma Sorority; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 108 W. 136th St.; Residence, 229 W. 128th St., New York, N. Y.

HEROD, HENRY LEWIS—Clergyman - Social Worker.— See 4th Edition.

Died, July 24, 1935.

HERRINGTON, BERTHA LEE—Social Worker.

b. Pittsburgh, Pa.; educ. Pub Sch., Columbus, Ohio; B.Sc., Social Administration, Ohio State Univ., 1924; Teacher, Sleighton Farm Sch. for Girls, Darlington, Pa.; Exec. Sec., Clark Memorial Community House, Homestead, Pa.; Exec. Sec., White Plains Welfare League for Colored People; White Plains Urban League; Address, White Plains, N. Y.

HERSHAW, LaFAYETTE McKEENE—Executive, Civil Service.

b. May 10, 1863, Clay County, N. C.; s. Abraham and Ann (McKeene) Hershaw; m. Charlotte Monroe, July 11, 1888; three children, Rosa, Cecile, Alice May, Fay M.; educ. Atlanta Univ., 1879-86; A.B., 1886; Howard Univ., 1890-92; LL.B. 1892; Principal Public Sch., 1886-90; Executive, Civil Service, 1890-present; mem. Sigma Pi Phi, Phi Beta Sigma, One of Founders of Niagara Movement; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, Interior Dept., U. S., Washington, D. C.; Residence, 2215 13th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

LaFayette M. Hershaw was one of the twenty-nine founders of the Niagara Movement, the forerunner of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

HESLIP, JESSE SOLOMON—Lawyer.

b. Ellisville, Miss.; s. Dennis and Mattie (Seals) Heslip; m. Constance Josephine Ridley, Aug. 23, 1927; educ. A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1917; LL.B., Harvard Law Sch., Harvard Univ. Cambridge, Mass., 1922; Lawyer, 1922-present; Pres., National Bar Assn., 1931-32; First Lieut., Machine Gun Co., 368th Infantry, 92d Div., U. S. Army; in active service in France; Attorney, N. A. A. C. P.; State of Ohio; mem. National Legal Committee of N. A. A. C. P.; Special Council, Attorney General of Ohio; mem. Sigma Pi Phi; Masons; Elks; Omega Psi Phi; Commonwealth Club; Utopian Club; Roosevelt Republican Club; Lucas County Bar Assn.; Toledo Bar Assn.; Judicial Committee of Toledo Bar Assn.; Ohio Bar Assn.; National Bar Assn.; appointed by Governor of Ohio in 1933 as a member of Farm and Home Owners Protective Committee of Lucas County; Address, 1731 Nicholas Building; Residence, 513 Belmont Ave., Toledo, O.

HESTER, B. H.—Clergyman.

b. August 31, 1895, Oxford, N. C.; s. John and Nancy Hester; m. Blanche Alexander, June 6, 1924; educ. Mary Potter Memorial Sch., Oxford, N. C., 1914; A.B., Johnson C. Smith (Biddle) Univ., Charlotte, N. C., 1918; B.D., Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1921; auth. "History of

the Shiloh Baptist Church (old site)," Fredericksburg, Va., pub. St. Luke Press, Richmond, Va.; Asst. Principal, Dunbar High Sch., Mayfield, Ky., 1921-22; Instructor and Principal, Normal and Industrial Inst., Fredericksburg, Va., 1922-35; Pastor, Shiloh Baptist Church, old site, Fredericksburg, Va., 1922-present; Pres., Y.M.C.A., Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1919-20; Delegate, Eighth International Convention of the Student Volunteer Movement for Foreign Missions, Des Moines, Iowa, 1919-20; mem. Mattaponi Baptist Assn. of Virginia; Baptist General Assn. of Virginia; Virginia State Baptist S. S. Convention; The Lott Carey Foreign Mission Soc.; Omega Psi Phi; Relig. Baptist; Address, 515 Amelia St., Fredericksburg, Va.

HICKS, EARL CLAUDIUS—Clergyman.

b. May 8, 1888, Fort Worth, Texas.; s. Neal and Elizabeth (Thomas) Hicks; m. Emma Patterson, Aug. 2, 1930; educ. Fort Worth High Sch., Fort Worth, Tex., 1908; B.D., Bishop Coll., Marshall Tex., 1912; Clergyman, 1905-present; Pastor, New Hope Baptist Church, Houston, Tex., 1905-10; Pastor, Second Baptist Church, Keyport, N. J., 1910-18; Pastor, Maryland Baptist Church, Baltimore, Md., 1918-30; Pastor, Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich., 1930-present; Trustee, Northern Univ., Long Branch, N. J., 1920-present; Vice Chairman, Evangelistic Bd., National Baptist Convention, Inc., 1919-present; mem. Odd Fellows; Y.M.C.A.; National Baptist Convention; Michigan State Baptist Convention; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1962 Madison Ave., Detroit, Mich.

HIGGINS, HENRY M.

b. April 14, 1864, Louisville, Ky.; s. Monroe and Sarah Higgins; m. Susie Johnson; one child, Henry M., Jr.; second marriage, Ida Liverpool, June 21, 1924; educ. Pub. Sch.; Assistant City Sealer; mem. Knights of Pythias; Odd Fellows; Elks; Trustee, Colored Orphan Asylum, twenty-seven years; Secretary, First Building and Loan Company in Hamilton County; Secretary, Civil Right League; Pythian Home Board; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 2807 Park Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.

HIGGINS, MRS MAMIE MASON—Teacher.

b. Aug. 23, 1893, Atlanta, Ga.; d. C. R. and Mary (Wright) Higgins; m. William Henry Higgins, Sept. 6, 1919; two children, Miriam Mason, b. June 22, 1920; William Henry, Jr., b. July 11, 1924; educ. Walnut Hills High Sch., Cincinnati, O.; A.B., Univ. of Cincinnati, 1913; A.M., Univ. of Chicago, 1917; Teacher, 1915-present; Founder and Director, Mason Private Sch.; ex-Pres., Young People's Work of the Women's Home Missionary Soc.; District Pres., Epworth League, Chicago District; Manager, Young People's Institute of Chicago; Critic Teacher, Normal Sch. of Sumner High Sch., St. Louis, Mo.; Teacher, Sumner Sch., St. Louis, Mo., 1915-19; Principal and Director, Mason Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1924-31; Executive Sec., South Parkway Branch, Y.W.C.A., Chicago, Ill., 1931-present; mem. Regional Director, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 4100 S. Parkway; Residence, 4406 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.

HIGGINS, WILLIAM HARVEY—Physician.

b. Dec. 14, 1873, Marion, N. C.; s. Alfred and



MATTHEW A. HENSON, M.S.



LAFAYETTE M. HERSHAW, A.B., LL.B.



SAMUEL WALKER HOUSTON



WAYNE L. HOPKINS B.A., M.A.

Clercey (Greenlee) Higgins; m. Bertha Grant DeLard, Sept. 28, 1898; one child, Prudence Camilla Amphetrite, b. Jan. 23, 1913; educ. Pub. Sch., Asheville, N. C.; A.B., Livingstone Coll., 1897; M.D., Shaw Univ., Med. Dept., 1902; Long Island Med. Coll., New York, 1903; Physician, 1903-present; elected, School Committee, City of Providence, R. I., 1920-22; elected, Providence City Committee, Oct., 1912, and served for twelve yrs.; mem. Rhode Island Med. Soc.; Providence Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Am. Med. Assn.; was Vice Pres., Nat. Med. Assn.; What Cheer Med. Assn.; Mem. House of Delegates; R. I. Med. Soc.; Masons; Odd Fellows; Alpha Gamma Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha; Republican Club of R. I.; Mapledale Country Golf Club of Stoneham, Mass.; Trustee, Livingstone College, Salisbury, N. C.; Chairman, Board of Directors, Odd Fellows; Building Committee; Trustee, A.M.E. Zion Church; Zone Director, ex-Pres., Nat. Med. Assn.; Past Grand Master, Grand Lodge of R. I.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion Church; Address, 312 Cranston St.; Residence, 50 Woodman St., Providence, R. I.

Died, May 23, 1938.

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As Director of the Industrial Relations Department of the National Urban League it is his business to endeavor to improve the economic and industrial conditions of the Race by increasing the number of business places employings Negroes and advancing the quality of service they render. In this work he travels all over the country.

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Podiatrist-Chiropractors, 1909-present; Sir Thomas Lipton was his prominent patients; one of the investigators organizing the Institute of Podiatry of New York City; inventor, Tarsal Arch Support; one of organizers of the Colored Democracy of the City of New York; appointed by Gov. Sulzer, of New York State, a member and Treas. of the Emancipation Proclamation Commission; represented the State of New York at the Emancipation Proclamation Conference, held at Atlantic City, N. J.; mem. National Assn. of Chiropractors; Pedic Soc. of State of New York; Mason; Pol Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 349 W. 122d St., New York City, N. Y.

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He attended the first International Foot Congress held in Paris, France, in 1929, at which time he gave a lecture and demonstration on how to treat patients who are suffering with sick feet by getting the bones into their proper places.

In the Summer of 1930 he visited Glasgow and Edinburgh, Scotland, and London, England, where he also gave lectures and demonstrations in the proper care of feet.

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At Albany, the Training school has grown from a few students to nearly six hundred; and the buildings have grown from one shack to more than \$500,000 worth of modern school property.

In the General Assembly, at Buffalo, N. Y. 1904 he took active part in the great debate on Union and Re-Union—the latter with the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

Dr. Holley has represented the Church several times at the Meeting of the Alliance of the Reformed Church throughout the world, holding the Presbyterian Form of Faith or System.

He was commissioned by the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church U. S. A., to attend an Inter-National Conference in the Belgian Congo, Africa, and to visit and investigate the Mission Stations of the Presbyterian Church in West Africa. He was elected Vice-President of the Conference, and served also as Chairman of the Committee on Religious Education. He was also commissioned and attended and spoke at the North American Conference on Foreign Missions, held in Detroit in 1928.

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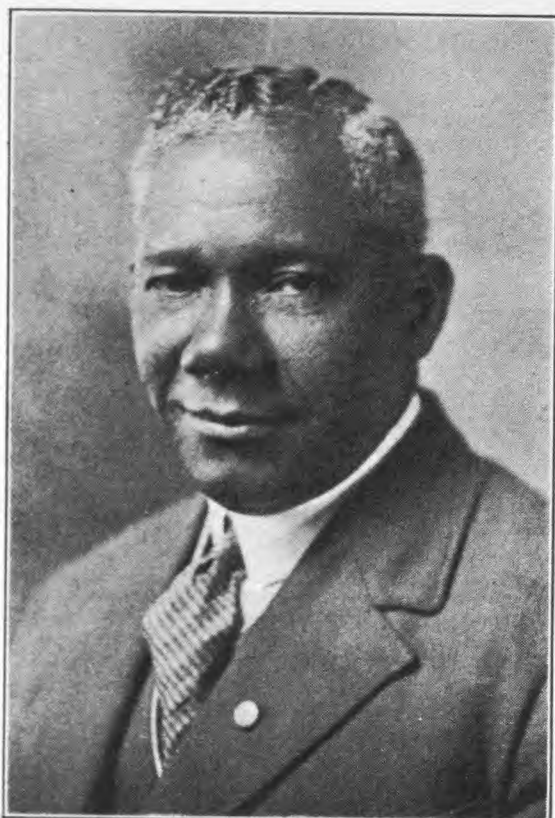
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Years of Howard University." (History) 1917-18; "The Evolution of Negro Colleges," 1934; Association of Negro Colleges, Pres., Association of Colleges for Negro Youth; ex-President, Schoolmasters Club, Baltimore; Baltimore Educational Association; General Alumni Association of Howard Univ.; mem. Pi Gamma Mu; Alpha Phi Alpha; Sigma Pi Phi; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address Morgan College, Baltimore, Md.

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b. March 28, 1895, Gallipolis, Ohio; s. Moses and Rose Emma (Whittington) Hopkins; m. Helen Beatrice Burkes, June 29, 1921; two children, Wayne Leslie, Jr.; Helen; educ. Graded and High Sch., Gallipolis, Ohio, 1909-13; Ohio State Univ., 1913-17; B.A. 1917; Ohio State University (summer sch.), Columbus, Ohio; Post Graduate work, Ohio State Univ., 1920-22; M.A. Ohio State Univ., 1922; taught Night Sch., Y.M.C.A.,

Columbus, Ohio, 1919-20; Instructor, English, Bluefield Inst., Bluefield, W. Va., 1922-25; Executive Sec., Linden Community Center, Dayton, Ohio, 1925-27; Asst. Director, Negro Survey, Detroit, 1926-27; Executive Sec., Armstrong Assn. of Philadelphia, 1927-present; mem. American Academy, Political and Social Science; mem. Board of Directors, Community Council of Philadelphia; Chairman, Interracial Committee, Philadelphia; Federation of Churches; Pres., Local Chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha, 1916-17; Masons (32°); Nat. Speakers Bureau; Am. Legion; Executive Committee, N.A.A.C.P. (local branch), Columbus, Ohio, 1919; Citizens Republican Club, Philadelphia; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1434 Lombard St., Philadelphia, Pa.

During the World War he entered the Officers' Training School at Des Moines, Iowa, 1917, was commissioned Second Lieutenant of infantry and assigned to the 83rd Division of Camp Sherman, Ohio, saw service overseas (in France) with the 367th Infantry, wounded at the front, returned to United States in March, 1919, and honorably discharged, April, 1919.

He was instrumental in securing the charter and served as Adjutant of Charles Bloce Post, No. 157, American Legion.

He served as Assistant Secretary of Personnel for the Centenary of the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1919.

At the twentieth session of the Pennsylvania Conference on Social Welfare in session at Scranton on February 10, 1928, he was elected a member of the executive committee. This is the first time in the history of the Conference that a colored person has been honored by membership on the executive committee of that body.

HORNE, FRANK S.—Educator—Optometrist.

b. Aug. 18, 1898, New York City, N. Y.; s. Edwin F. and Cora (Calhoun) Horne; m. Frankye Priestley Bunn, Aug. 19, 1930; educ. B.S. College of City of New York, 1921; Opt.D., Northern Illinois Coll. of Ophthalmology, 1923; Columbia Univ., 1929-30; auth. Poetry, in Opportunity, Crisis, and Carolina Magazines; "Caroling Dusk", Cullen; "Ebony and Topaz"; "Afrika Singt", German translation; Chemist, 1920-23; Optometrist, 1923-27; Director of Academic Dept., Fort Valley High and Industrial School, 1927-present; mem. Elks; Omega Psi Phi; Georgia Teachers and Educational Assn.; Address, Ft. Valley High and Industrial School, Ft. Valley, Ga.; Residence, 188 Chauncey St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Dept. giving courses for United States Rehalilitation students; Teacher, Ancient History, A. and T. Coll.; ex-Special Lecturer in Penmanship, all State Summer Schools in N. C.; Sec. Dental Class, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.; Sec. Old North State Dental Soc.; ex-Pres., Philharmonic Glee Club, Rocky Mount; ex-Pres., Dental Section, Old North State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Soc.; Sec. Weldon Civic Forum; mem. National Dental Assn.; 32° Mason; K. of P.; Elks; Pol. Independent; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, Weldon, N. C.

He has served the United States Public Health Service, and the North Carolina State Board of Health. In 1924 he conducted a special clinic for the North Carolina State Board of Health in Salisbury, N. C., before the Health Committee of the League of Nations while it was studying the health situation in the United States. During a stay with the Health Department of the City of Winston-Salem, N. C., for 7 months, representatives of Czechoslovakia visited several of his clinics under the direction of Dr. Carlton.

He was entrusted to do most of the technical papers and typing for the late Dr. E. E. Just, and did the manuscript upon which he was awarded the very first Spingarn Medal.

HOUSTON, CHARLES HAMILTON—Special Counsel N.A.A.C.P.,

b. Sept. 3, 1895, Washington, D. C.; s. William L. and Mary Ethel (Hamilton) Houston; m. Margaret Gladys Moran, Aug. 23, 1924; educ. B.A., Amherst Coll., Amherst, Mass., 1915; LL.B., Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass., 1922; S.J.D., 1923; Sheldon Fellow in Law, 1924; Instructor, English, Howard Univ., 1915-17; Lawyer, 1924-29; Instructor, Law, Howard Univ., 1924-29; Associate Professor, Law, Vice-Dean, School of Law, Howard Univ., 1929-1935; Special Counsel, N.A.A.C.P. New York 1936-present; mem. Phi Beta Kappa; Am. Law Institute; Am. Acad. of Pol. and Soc. Sci.; American Legion; Address, 65 Fifth Ave., Residence, 183 W. 135th St., New York, N. Y.

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the Bride of Lammermoor," Education, 1922; "Journalistic Tendencies of Defoe," "Weaknesses of the Negro College," Crisis, 1920; "Commercial Education for Colored Youth," "The Modern Educational Maze," "John Woolman's Efforts in Behalf of the Negro," Journal of Negro History, 1917; "A Negro Senator," and various other articles; mem. Harvard Teachers' Assn.; Nat. Educational Assn.; Sch. Club of Washington; Sigma Pi Phi; Omega Psi Phi; Mu-So-Lit Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Armstrong High School; Residence, 1758 T St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

He correlated academic and industrial work at Tuskegee Institute, where he was head of the department of English for three years.

He introduced the leaflet method of teaching English in Baltimore and the touch method of typing and speed tests when he was head of the department of Business Practice, in Washington, D. C.

HOUSTON, SAMUEL WALKER—Educator.

b. Huntsville, Texas; s. Joshua and Sylvester (Lee) Houston; m. Hope G. Harville, April 28, 1915; three children, Samuel W., b. May 9, 1916; Helen Hope, b. Aug. 25, 1917; Hazel Sylvester, b. Sept. 30, 1919; educ. Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; Howard Univ.; Supervisor Negro Sch., Independent Dist., Huntsville, Tex.; Government Clerk, Old Ford's Theatre Building, War, State, and Navy Dept., Washington, D. C., for five years; High Sch. Principal and Editor of local paper, 1902-07; Founder and Pres., Houstonian Normal and Industrial Inst., Huntsville, Texas, 1907-30; Field Sec., Texas Commission on Inter-Racial Cooperation; Congressional Chairman, Member State Executive Committee; Delegate to Nat. Republican Convention, Phila., Penn.; was a Member of Bethel Literary Society, Washington, D. C.; Orpheus Glee Club; mem. K. of P.; U.B.F.; Masons, State Inter-Racial Commission; Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; Vice-Pres. State Teachers Assn.; Southern Sociological Congress and Co-operative League; State Executive Committee, Y.M.C.A., Omega Psi Phi; Nat. Travel Club; Nat. Assn. of Applied Psychology; Advisory Committee, Nat. Republican Organization, 1928; mem. Negro Executive Committee and Director, Texas Centennial Exposition, Dallas, Texas; Chairman, Good Will Committee; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Huntsville, Texas.

HOWARD, JOSEPH HANNIBEL—Physician.

b. July 12, 1878, Florence, S. C.; s. Anthony and Sarah (Johnson) Howard; m. Alma O. McCall, June 5, 1914; three children, Joseph H., Jr., b. July 14, 1916; Hugo, b. Dec. 5, 1918; Edward McCall, b. Dec. 20, 1920; educ. Claflin Coll., 1900; M.D. Meharry Med. Coll., 1904; Physician, 1904-present; Pres., Cook County Physicians Assn.; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Chicago Med. Soc.; Am. Med Assn.; Bd. of Management, Wabash Branch, Y.M.C.A.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 3451 S. Michigan Ave.; Residence, 5729 Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

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He is a hard worker and travels over 200 miles each time he preaches as he is studying for his B.Th. degree from Virginia. He attributes much of his success as a minister to his dramatization of famous Biblical incidents.

HOWARD, PERRY WILBON—Lawyer.

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The Colored School of Sedalia, under the guidance of Mr. Hubbard, the Supervising Principal, and Mrs. Hubbard, Principal of the Ward School, have grown from an ordinary every day school, with six teachers, to its present place in the first class list of Accredited High Schools of the State of Missouri, and in the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. All the buildings which have been erected under his leadership, and their equipment, have a total valuation in excess of \$250,000. Eighteen teachers are employed.

Through his efforts, Mrs. Sarah E. Cotton, a wealthy white woman, of Sedalia, donated a forty acre track of land for a playground and park. She made a request to the City Council that the park be named Hubbard Park, in his honor. The City Council passed an ordinance unanimously naming it Hubbard Park. In July, 1927, the City Council voted \$500.00 for the erection of a grand stand at his suggestion.

During the World War he served as four minute man of the Committee of Public Information.

He was first appointed a member of the Negro Industrial Commission by Gov. Frederick D. Gardner in 1918, was re-appointed by Gov. Arthur M. Hyde and elected Chairman in 1922.

Prof. Hubbard has been re-appointed State Fair Commissioner-at-Large for the Missouri State Fair. This appointment he has now held for the past seven years.

In December 1941 he was elected President of the Beta Zeta Lambda Chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity located at Jefferson City, Missouri. He was also selected Chairman of the Capitol Division of the Boys Scouts which includes Pettis, Morgan, Cole, Moniteau and Saline Counties.

HUBBARD, JOHN E.—Councilman—Insurance.

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HUBBARD, DeHART—Athlete.

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The present A. & M. State School of which Mr. Hubbard is Superintendent, was founded by him in 1900, as a private school with seven pupils. Later its work gave it a place as a public school, then as a County Training School, and now as an Agricultural and Mechanical State School, with an enrollment of over seven hundred students.

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A.B. Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1909; B.S. Mass. Agricultural Coll., Amherst, Mass., 1912; Post Graduate Work at Univ. of Wisconsin and Univ. of Minnesota; Graduate Study, Harvard Univ., 1930-31; Chief of the Agricultural Dept., Tuskegee, Ala.; Pres., Ga. State Industrial Coll., 1926-present; Founder, Negro Country Life Center, 1932; Address, Georgia State Industrial College, Savannah, Ga.

He was director of agriculture and agricultural extension at the South Carolina State College from 1912 to 1920, and was the editor of the Palmetto Farm. During the War he was a member of the food administration board for the state of South Carolina and served in France as supervisor for agricultural training for colored troops in France.

He is the founder and Executive Secretary of the Association for Advancement of Negro Country Life.

HUBERT, CHARLES DuBOIS—Clergyman-Teacher.

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While a student at the University of Kansas he was elected Captain of the debating team for the scholastic year, 1903-4.

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HUFFSTEAD, PETER L.—Jeweller.

b. Oct. 25, 1888, Kingston, Jamaica, B.W.I.; s. John J. and Susan (Parchment) Huffstead; m. Josephine Barrows, March 16, 1909; two children, Doris; Lillian; educ. Public Sch., Kingston, Jamaica, B.W.I.; High Sch., New York City, N. Y.; Jeweller, 1904-present; Clerk, Panama Railroad, being official timekeeper. 1909-21; mem. Certified Watchmaker Horological Institute of American. Washington, D. C. 1937-present; Mechanics; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Wesleyan; Address 2456 7th Ave.; Residence, 167 W. 145th St., New York City, N. Y.

He owns and operates a high-class jewelry establishment at the above address, well stocked with the best grade of jewelry of all kinds, and is one of the few stores of this kind operated and owned by a Colored man.

HUGGS, JOHN A.—Employment Examiner.

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Died,

HUGGINS, ERROL A. E.—Physician.

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"Popo and Fifina", child's story of Haiti, written in collaboration with Arna Bontemps, pub. Macmillan, New York City, 1932; "The Ways of White Folks", stories, pub. Knopf, New York City, and Allen & Inwin, London, 1934; "Dear Lovely Death", Poems, 1931; "The Negro Mother", recitations, pub. Golden Stair Press, 1932; "Scottsboro Limited", a play and four poems, pub. Golden Stair Press, 1932; contributed poems and articles to Asia, Theatre Arts, Women's Home Companion, Travel, Nation, New Republic; Survey Graphic, Poetry, Vanity Fair, The Crisis, The World Tomorrow, Opportunity, Fire, Palms, Harlem, The Measure, Buccaneer, The Modern Quarterly, The Anvil, Labor Defender, Herald Tribune Books, Scribner's, Debate, American Mercury, New Yorker, The Daily Worker, Abbott's Monthly, Brooklyn Daily Eagle, The Oracle, New Masses, Esquire, Kosmo's and Nancy Cunard's Negro; Taught English in Mexico; awarded Opportunity Poetry Prize, 1925; Palms Intercollegiate Poetry Award, 1927; Harmon Award for Literature, 1931; selected by Dr. Charles Austin Beard as one of America's 25 most interesting personages with a socially conscious attitude, 1934; A Guggenheim Fellowship, 1935; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Address, c/o Alfred A. Knopf, Inc., 730 Fifth Ave., New York City, N. Y.

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His writing has been largely concerned with the depicting of Negro life in America. In 1931 and 1932 he lectured throughout the South at the Colored schools and colleges his main interest being the encouragement of literary ability among Colored writers and the development of American Colored literature.

In 1933 he assisted in the preparation of a scenario for a motion picture to be made in Moscow, Russia. His first play, "Mulatto", opened at the Vanderbilt Theatre in New York on October 24, 1935.

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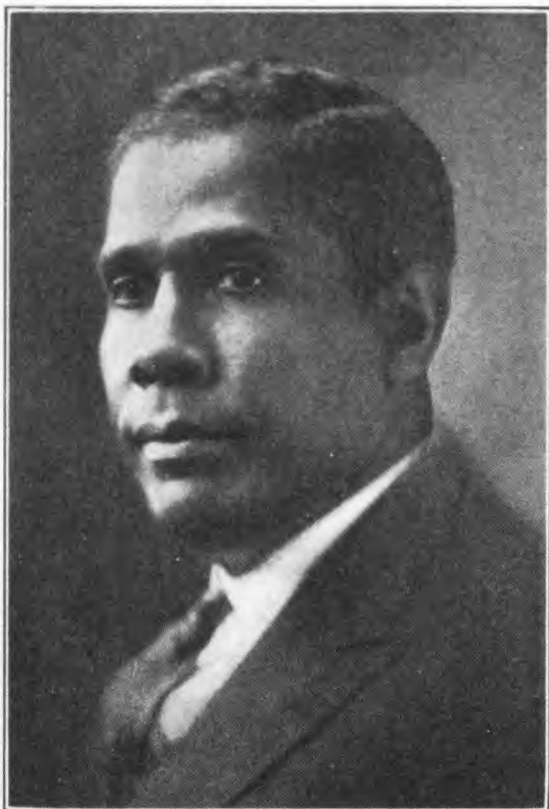
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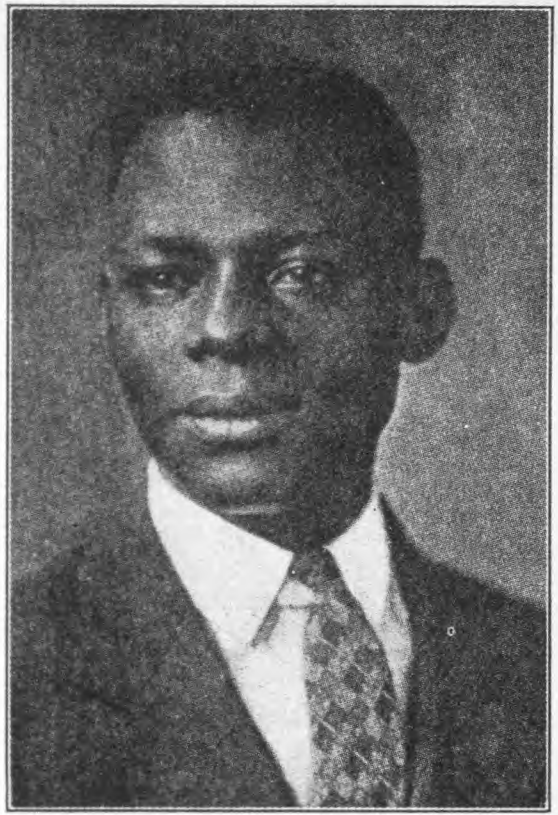
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tration and Railway Police Service; on staff, Bill-board, New York, 1919-25; Business Specialist, Special Agent, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, U. S. Dept. of Commerce, Washington, D. C., 1927-33; mem. Masons (33°); Grand Historian, United Supreme Council; Southern Jurisdiction; Past Exalted Ruler, I.B.P.O.E. of W. Great Lakes Lodge; National Fair Officials Assn.; Nat. Negro Business League; N.A.A.C.P.; Egilloc Club, N. Y.; Baltimore, Md., Business Men's Exchange; Honorary Member, Clef Club, New York; Red Caps Club, Chicago; Hiawatha Club, Los Angeles; Brotherhood of Dining Car Employees; Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters; Association of Special Agents; National Negro Press Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 1901 15th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

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b. Mar. 21, 1894, Washington, D. C.; s. Allen F. and Frances E. (Waters) Jackson; educ. High Sch., Washington, D. C., 1912; B.S. 1916; M.D. 1919; Howard Univ.; Interne, Freedmen's Hosp., 1919-20; Physician, 1920-present; Chief, Anesthetic Service, 1920-26; Resident Physician, Freedmen's Hosp., 1926-28; Lecturer in Anesthesia in Howard Med. Sch.; mem. Pres., Medico-Chirurgical Soc., D.C., 1928; Nat. Med. Assn.; John A. Andrew Clinical Assn.; Masons; Elks; Address, 243 Florida Ave., N.W.; Residence, 1614 Morris Rd., S.E., Washington, D. C.

JACKSON, PERRY BROOKS—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 27, 1896, Zanesville, O.; s. Brooks Cary and Ida May Jackson; educ. Public Sch., Zanesville, Ohio, 1902-14; Western Reserve Univ., Cleveland, Ohio, 1915-22; A.B. 1919; LL.B. 1922; admitted to bar, 1922; Lawyer, 1922-present; ex-Sec., Negro Business Assn. of Cleveland, Ohio; ex-Vice-Pres., 30th Ward Civic Assn.; mem. Phyllis Wheatley Assn.; Cleveland Bar Assn.; ex-Director, Peoples Realty Co.; ex-Director, Empire Savings and Loan Co.; N.A.A.C.P.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Sigma Pi Phi; Tau Delta Sigma; Phi Beta Kappa; Cuyahoga Co. Bar Assn.; National Bar Assn.; Harlan Club; Assemblyman, State of Ohio, 1929-30; Elks; Tabors; Masons; Asst. Supt., St. John's Sun. Sch.; Conservative Republican Voters League; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 309 Arcade Annex; Residence, 3227 E. 130th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

JACKSON, PETER—Merchant.

b. Dec. 23, 1877, Woodville, Ga.; s. George and Flora (Green) Jackson; m. Martha Stevens, Feb. 25, 1904; two children, George, b. Dec. 21, 1904; Peter Jackson, Jr., b. Oct. 20, 1906; educ. Cong. Sch., Woodville, Ga., 1887-93; Bell boy in Princeton, N. J., and Buffalo, N. Y., for five years; merchant, conducting a general store in Savannah, Ga., 1906-present; Pres., Parent-Teachers Union of Woodville School; Pres., Woodville Cemetery Assn.; Treas.; Chatham County Republican Party and Chairman, 8th Dist.; Pres., Golden Link D.A.S.C.; Pres. of St. Phillips B. N.A.; Trustee and Steward of Taylors A.M.E. Church; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, R.F.D. 1, Box 285, Savannah, Ga.

JACKSON, ROBERT LEE—Physician and Surgeon.

b. Oct. 31, 1894, Birmingham, Ala.; s. Robert Lee and Nineveh (Rogers) Jackson; m. Clara Cleveland, Oct., 1922; one child, Evelyn, b. Feb., 1924; educ. High Sch., Birmingham, Ala.; Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; B.S., Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1917; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1921; Physician and Surgeon, 1922-present; Resident Surgeon, Provident Hospital, Baltimore, Md., 1925-30; Consultant Surgeon, Provident Hospital, Baltimore, Md., 1930-present; Consultant Surgeon, Good Shepherd Hospital, Baltimore, Md., 1931-present; mem. Board of Supervisors, City Charities, Baltimore, Md.; mem. National Medical Assn.; Maryland Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Rock City Academy of Medicine; Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; Kappa Alpha Psi; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Adelpian Club; Pol. Democrat; Re-

lig. A.M.E. (Trustee Board); Address, 600 N. Arlington Ave., Baltimore, Md.

JACKSON, ROBERT R.—Alderman.

b. Sept. 1, 1870, Chicago, Ill.; educ. Pub Sch., Chicago; Post Office employee, twenty-one years; started a printing office known as the Fraternal Press; member of Illinois National Guard since 1888; advanced to rank of Major by the late Governor John R. Tanner; ex-Major General of the Col. Knights of Pythias of the World; elected State Representative from his District, 1912; re-elected, 1914, also 1916; elected Alderman from the Second Ward, 1918; re-elected to the City Council, 1920; elected Alderman, 3rd Ward, 1922-1924-1926-27-28; mem. Mason; K. of P.; Address, 3300 S. State St., Chicago, Ill.

JACKSON, ROBERTA TAYLOR—Jeanes Teacher.

b. April 17, 1890, Buda, Tex.; d. John W. and Sallie A. (Kavanaugh) Taylor; m. Douglas V. Jackson, Dec. 14, 1922; educ. Tillotson Coll., Austin, Tex., 1916-21, receiving diploma from Teachers Training Dept.; awarded two Scholarships from the State Department of Education to attend Tuskegee Inst., summer sch., 1922, 1928; Jeanes teacher and later Jeanes Supervisor, 1922-present; mem. State Teachers Assn.; Volunteer Health League; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Caldwell, Tex.

The County Board of Education supplied her with a well equipped office and a county wide circulating library, of which she is the librarian. She is now the supervisor of 32 rural schools.

JACKSON, THOMPSON—Insurance Representative.

b. April 1, 1882, Henderson, Ky.; s. Thompson and Lizzie B. (Hatchett) Jackson; m. Mildred Alexander, May 27, 1903; seven children, Lucile Thompson, Clarence Alexander, Cora Edna, James Robert, Elizabeth Frances, Paul Maurice, Theodore; educ. Pub. Sch., Henderson, Ky.; Organized Good Citizenship League, Mansfield, Ohio, 1924; Pres., Republican Club for Colored Voters, Mansfield, Ohio; Organized Y-Indus Club, Mansfield, Ohio, 1926; Organized and Scoutmaster of Scout Troop; Delegate, Nat. Republican Convention, 1924; Pres., Local branch, N.A.A.C.P., 1926-present; Asst. State Grand Sec., Odd Fellows; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, City Hall; Residence, 336 E. Second St., Mansfield, Ohio.

JACKSON, WILLIAM—School Principal.

b. April 5, 1898, Powell, Tex.; s. William and Catherine (Lambert) Jackson; educ. Central Texas Coll., Waco, Tex., 1920; A.B., Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1928; A.B., Roger Williams Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1925; A. and I. State Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1929-32; Principal, Fayetteville High Sch., Fayetteville, Tenn., 1930-present; Pres., Lincoln Co. Teachers' Assn.; mem. Fisk Quartette, 1927-28, touring Eastern and Middle Western States; mem. American Woodmen; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Tennessee State Teachers' Assn.; National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 418 W. Market St., Fayetteville, Tenn.

JACOBS, ALGERNON MANSON—Dentist.

b. April 2, 1894, Knoxville, Tenn.; s. Frederick M. and Laura E. (Lomax) Jacobs; m. Myrtle Bonner, Nov. 17, 1919; educ. Livingstone Coll., 1912-13; D.D.S., Meharry Dental Sch., 1919; N. Y. Coll. of Denistry. Dentist, 1924-present; District Leader 5th Assembly Colored Republican Club; mem. Elks; Moose; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, 77 Bainbridge St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

JACOBS, FREDERICK MILLER—Physician-Surgeon-Bishop.— See 3rd Edition.

Died, Dec. 30, 1931.

JAMES, FREDERICK WEISS—Physician.

b. May 26, 1880, Brunswick Co., Va.; s. Alfred and Eliza (Green) James; m. Olive V. Clark, Dec. 27, 1909; four children, Julia E., b. Oct. 4, 1910; Sarelida I., b. July 13, 1912; Frederick Warfield, b. Nov. 8, 1916; Sidney C., b. Nov. 8, 1916; educ. Virginia State Coll., Petersburg, Va., 1901; M.D., Shaw Univ., Leonard Medical Sch., Raleigh, N. C., 1906; General Surgery, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1916; Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Howard Univ., 1920; Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Chicago Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Coll., 1920; Physician, 1906-present; Specialist, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, 1920-present; Teacher, Public Sch., Brunswick Co., Va., 1901-02; Chief, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Dept., Norfolk Community Hospital, 1932-present; mem. Masons; National Medical Assn.; Old Dominion Medical Assn.; Tidewater Medical Assn.; Norfolk-Portsmouth Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 723 Church St.; Residence, 986 Washington Ave., Norfolk, Va.

JAMES, HARRY ELMER—Clergyman-Educator.

b. Nov. 18, 1884, Walkersville, Md.; s. Charles R. and Mary S. (Jones) James; educ. Steelton High Sch., Steelton, Pa., 1900-04; Lincoln Univ., Penn., 1912-15; A.B. Lincoln Univ., 1915; Sem., 1916-17; A.M. Swift Memorial Coll., 1926; m. Mary Katherine Orrick, Sept. 18, 1913; Public Sch. Teacher, 1904-11; Sunday Sch. Missionary (Presbyterian Church), 1919-22; Prof. of Science, St. Paul Nor. Sch., 1923-24; Pastor of Presbyterian Churches of Charlie Hope and Bracey, Va., 1924-present; Principal of Carter G. Woodson Jr. High Sch., Hopewell, Va., 1924-present; mem. Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Odd Fellows, Masons, Elks, Patriotic Order of St. Paul, Va. State Colored Teachers Assn., Nat. Colored Teachers Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 3 Ross Court, Petersburg, Va.

He was organizer of Beta Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity at Lincoln University, Pa., and was its first Basilens, Feb. 6, 1914.

He was principal of the Normal Dept. of Swift Memorial College, Rogersville, Tenn., 1918-19, resigning to accept the position of Sunday School missionary for the Presbyterian Church, with headquarters in Danville, Ky.

Elected Commissioner to the General As-

sembly, which convened in Tulsa, Oklahoma, in May, 1928, representing the Presbytery of So. Virginia.

JAMES, JOE H., Jr.—Real Estate Broker.

b. April 10, 1892, Pensacola, Fla.; s. Joe H. and Mary Ida (Cole) James; educ. Clark Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; Licensed Real Estate Broker; Pres., Matay Bottling Works, Inc.; Sec., Joe H. James & Son, Inc.; Chairman, Colored Division, Community Chest; Pres., Jacksonville Negro Welfare League; Chairman, Charity Agency Federation; Chairman, Republican Club of Seventh Ward; mem. Masons (33°); Shriner; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Grand Esteemed Loyal Knight of Elks; Head of the State Assn. of Elks; Order of Calanthe; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Ch.; Chairman, Trustee Board; Address, 800 Broad St.; Residence, 607 W. Emon St., Jacksonville, Fla.

JAMES, LEONIDAS SHEPARD—Pres. Teachers' College.

b. Aug. 20, 1892, Princess Anne, Md.; s. William H. and Mary Elizabeth (Morris) James; m. Pauline E. Daro, Oct. 9, 1918; educ. A.B., Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1913-17; A.M., Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., (Summer School Attendance), 1927-30; Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., 1932-34 (Completed residence requirements for Ph.D. degree); Principal, Elementary and High Sch., Cambridge, Md., one year; Supervisor, Talbot Co., Md., Easton, Md., three years; Principal, Maryland Normal and High Sch., Bowie, Md., 1921-38; President, State Teachers' College, Bowie, Md., 1938-present; mem. American Legion; National Congress of Colored Parent and Teachers; Kappa Alpha Psi; Country Life Assn. Rural Education Department of the National Education Assn.; National Education Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, State Teachers' College, Bowie, Md.

Under his direction the institution grew from a high school to a two year Normal School, a three year Normal School, and to the Maryland State Teachers College.

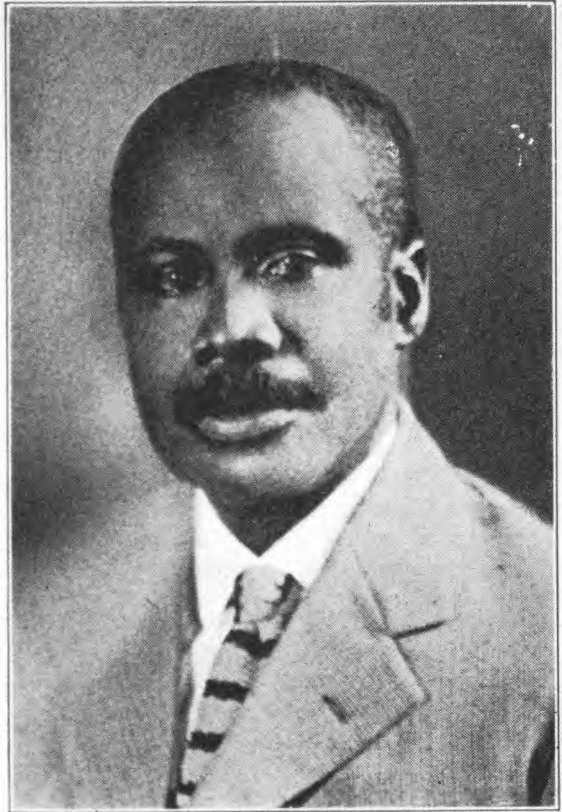
JAMISON, FRANCIS TREVANION—Dentist.

b. Oct. 16, 1892, Wrightsville, Penn.; s. Dr. James L. and Francenia (Baldwin) Jamison; m. Jeanette Stubbs, Dec. 31, 1917; two children, Francis T. Jamison, Jr., b. Nov. 2, 1918; Donald Stubbs, b. Jan. 31, 1920; educ. Lincoln Univ., Penn., 1909-13; A.B., 1913; Univ. of Penn., Dental School, 1914-17; D.D.S., 1917; Dentist, 1917-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Monday Club; West Side Tennis Club; Grand Masonic Lodge of Delaware (32°); Athletic Council of Lincoln University; Treas. of Peoples' Forum, Haven M.E. Church; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 1514 W. 6th St., Wilmington, Delaware.

Dr. Jamison has the distinction of being the first Negro holding the appointment of Dental Surgeon at the New Castle County Workhouse. This Institution houses more than five hundred convicts, men and women of both races.



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PETER JACKSON



Algernon M. Jacobs, D.D.S.



REV. HARRY ELMER JAMES, A.B., A.M.

JAMES, ROSA LUCILLE—Teacher.

b. July 11, 1903, Chicago, Ill.; d. William and Bessie (Webster) James; educ. Parker High Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1916-20; Chicago Normal Coll., 1920-22; Univ. of Chicago, 1926; auth. "Lyrics of Life"; Teacher, Forestville School, Chicago, Ill., 1922-present; Teacher, Piano and Dramatics, 1926-present; Class Poet Parker High Sch., 1922; Poet Laureate Chicago Normal Coll.; mem. Ancient Order of Forresters; Chicago Teachers Federation; Charter Mem. Older Girls and Younger Women's Conference; Relig. Methodist; Address, Forestville School, 4339 St. Lawrence Ave.; Residence, 6400 Eberhardt Ave., Chicago, Ill.

JEFFERS, BENJAMIN BUTLER—Physician.

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Died.

JEFFRIES, CHRISTINA ARMISTEAD—Asst. Executive Sec. Urban League.

b. Gallipolis, Ohio; d. Charles F. and Harriett (Clifton) Armistead; m. Edward Jeffries, Sept. 10, 1919; educ. Public Sch., Gallipolis, O.; Columbus Business Sch., Columbus, O., 1913; B.S., Univ. of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1930; Litt. M., Univ. of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1937; Sec. to Pres., Payne Univ., Selma, Ala., 1914-19; Bookkeeper, Urban League, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1920; Note Teller, Steel City Bank, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1920-24; Asst. Executive Sec. Urban League, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1924-present; Sec., Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Alpha Alpha Omega Chapter; mem. Executive Board, Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Women, 1931-present; mem. SoJourneyer Truth Council; Exec. Board, Industrial Committee, Y.W.C.A., 1930-present; Secretary, Women's Auxiliary, N.A.A.C.P.; mem. Advisory Committee, Social Service Exchange, Federation of Social Agencies; mem. Eastern Star; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.W.C.A.; Urban League; Golden Circle, Masons; Secretary, Women's Committee, Pittsburgh Branch, National Conference of Jews and Christians; mem. Assn. of Negro Social Workers; Allegheny Co. League of Women Voters; American Assn. of Social Workers; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, 1300 Fifth Ave.; Residence, 817 Anaheim St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JEFFRIES, LOUIS FREEMAN—Educator.

b. April 15, 1896, Jones, Tenn.; s. Overton Henry and Mary Elizabeth (Anthony) Jeffries; m. Ethel Charlotte Redding, Sept. 27, 1924; educ. A.B., Virginia Union Univ., 1922; B.S., Virginia Union Univ., 1926; M.S., Univ. of Chicago, 1930; auth. Thesis for M.S. degree "Molecular Weight of Potassium Copper Succinimide," to be published by the American Chemical Soc.; Teacher, Roger Williams Univ., 1922-25; Claflin Coll., 1925-27; Va. Union Univ., 1927-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Sigma Xi (an honorary scientific research fraternity); American Chemical Soc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va.

JENKINS, CHARLES JAMES—Lawyer.

b. Oct. 4, 1897, Austin, Texas; s. Samuel and Irene B. (Washington) Jenkins; m. Cynthia Flower, Sept. 27, 1921; one child, Charles James, Jr., b. Dec. 15, 1923; educ. Wendell Phillips High Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1914; B.S., Bishop Coll., Marshall, Tex., 1919; L.L.B., Chicago Kent Law Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1922; Lawyer, 1922-present; Pres., Texas Fellowship Club; Assemblyman, State of Illinois, 3d District, 1930-present; Asst. Corporation Counsel, Chicago, Ill., 1928; Sergt., Training Camp, U. S. Army, Marshall, Tex., 1918; Sec. Illinois Vocation Training School Committee, American Legion; Omega Psi Phi; National Bar Assn.; Cook Co. Bar Assn.; Illinois Law Inst.; Appomattox Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 155 N. Clark St.; Residence, 4127 Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He introduced and had enacted a law amending the riot act of the State of Illinois so that any one, regardless of Race, who is injured by a mob in a Public Park, or a Public Bathing Beach, can bring an action to recover damages up to the amount of \$10,000.

He also had a law enacted compelling a 30 day notice prior of forfeiture to any one who has purchased real estate on Contract, instead of taking the property without any notice whatsoever.

JENKINS, N. A.—Physician.

— See 4th Edition.

Died, Dec. 23, 1935.

JENKINS, WILLIAM M.—School Principal.

educ. Public Sch., Miller's Ferry, Tenn., 1918; Normal and Indus. Sch., Miller's Ferry, Tenn., two years; A.B., Knoxville Coll., Knoxville, Tenn., 1924; Post-Graduate Course, Univ. of Cincinnati, O., 1925; Principal, Benham Sch., Benham, Ky., three years; Principal, Heiskell Sch., Knoxville, Tenn.; Pres., Knoxville Coll. Alumni Assn.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 301 Exeter Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.

JERNAGIN, WILLIAM HENRY—Clergyman.

b. Oct. 13, 1869, near Macon, Miss.; s. Allen and Julia (Ruth) Jernagin; m. Willie A. Stennis, Oct. 15, 1889; four children, Lottie R.: Rosabell; Gertrude J.; Mattie (deceased); educ. Meridian Acad.; D.D. (honorary), Guadalupe Coll., Tex.; Jackson Coll.; Alcorn Coll.; Teacher, Public Schools, Miss., 5 years; Licensed to preach, Bush Fork Baptist Ch., 1890; ordained, 1892, pastor, New Prospect Baptist Ch., near Meridian, Miss., 4 years; Oktiba, Miss., 3 years; Scooba, Miss., 2 years; Business Manager, Alcorn Coll., 2 years; Pastor, Okolona, Miss.; Winona, Miss.; Mound Bayou, Miss.; Brandon, Miss.; organized and was Pres., Young People's Christian Educational Congress of Mississippi; Pastor, Oklahoma City, Okla., 8 years; was Pres., Oklahoma General Baptist Convention; Pres., State Constitutional League of Oklahoma; Pastor, Mt. Carmel Baptist Church, (Washington, D. C., 1912-present; Pres., National Peace Congress of America, 1916-present; Pres., General Convention of District Columbia; Vice-Pres., National Baptist Convention; President, National S.S.

and B.Y.P.U. Congress of America; Trustee, Va. Theol. Sem. & Coll., Lynchburg, Va.; Trustee, Baptist Old Folks' Home, Washington, D. C.; auth. "History of American Negro," Vol. 6, pub. Caldwell, Atlanta, Ga., 1922; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Eastern Star; St. Luke's; Mosaics; Elks; Moses, Supreme Order of Helpers; Address, 1341 Third St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

He was ordained to the ministry when nineteen years of age at Pine Grove Baptist Church, his first pastorate being the New Prospect Baptist Church, Meridian, Mississippi. He was the leading spirit in promoting and establishing the Winona-Grenada Baptist College, the Meridian Baptist Seminary, Meridian, Miss., and the Woman's Baptist College at Mound Bayou, Mississippi.

During the Peace Conference he preached to colored soldiers in camps in France and was sent by the National Race Congress to the Pan-African Conference that met in Paris, France; while the Peace Conference was in session, 1919. Was appointed a member of the committee which presented a Memorial to the Peace Conference.

The Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America appointed him one of the delegates to present a Memorial from the Federal Council to the Peace Conference. In 1921 he was host to President King of Liberia on his visit to Washington, D. C.

He has been President of the National Race Congress since its organization in 1916.

Was elected President of the Consolidated, National Equal Rights League and Race Congress, 1928.

Was Alternate delegate to Republican National Convention, Kansas City, Mo., 1928, from District of Columbia. A member of the Inaugural Committee of President-Elect Herbert Hoover.

In 1921 he visited six countries in Europe while attending the Pan-African Conference at London and Brest.

He represented the District of Columbia as a delegate in the Republican National Convention that met in Chicago in 1932, and secured an additional delegate for the District of Columbia through the Rules Committee.

In 1937 he was elected President of the Fraternal Council of Negro Churches in America, consisting of all denominations. He was also one of the speakers at the International Youth Conference of the Baptist World Alliance at Zurich, Switzerland.

JESSYE, MISS EVA—Director of Music-Writer.

b. Coffeyville, Kan.; educ. Western Univ., Kansas City, Kan.; State Univ. for Colored, Lang-

ston, Okla. Director of Music, Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1920; Editorial staff, Afro-American, Baltimore, Md., one year. Won prizes: Essay, Music, Poetry, Interstate Literary Society of Kan. and the West; Pres., Interstate Soc., 1924. Director of Music, first all-Negro moving picture, "Hallelujah," produced by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Corporation, directed by King Vidor, 1929. Creator, "Aunt Mamy's Chillun," sketches of Negro life, Radio Feature; also "Four Dusty Travellers," over Station WOR, New York City; Address, 230 W. 147th St., Apt. 3S, New York City, N. Y.

JETER, CLIFTON B.—School Principal.

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JOHNSON, ALBERT P.—Dentist.

b. June 10, 1897, Washington, D. C.; s. John and Mary (Andrews) Johnson; m. Ruth E. Proctor, April 4, 1920; two children, Amyle; Albert P., Jr.; educ. Dunbar High Sch., Washington, D. C., 1914-18; Howard Dental Sch., 1918-23; D.D.S., 1923; Dentist, 1926-present; mem. Westchester Academy of Medicine; Masons; Address, 48 W. 3rd St., Mount Vernon, N. Y.; Residence, 101 Lake Avenue, Tuckahoe, N. Y.

JOHNSON, MRS. BESSIE VIOLA—Artist-Composer.

b. Dec. 12, 1878, Burlington, Ia.; d. Thomas and Ira Belle Dyer; m. James Edward Johnson, Nov. 19, 1901; educ. Public Sch., Hawksworth Art Sch. for seven years; Artist, specializing in portraiture; comp. "Heart of the Middle West," song, pub. Bessie V. Johnson, 1916; "Clothes Don't Make a Man," song, pub. Bessie V. Johnson, 1916; "America's Victory, Sweet Liberty," song, pub. Bessie V. Johnson, 1918; articles in local paper, 1917; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Negro Business League; Chicago Art League; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 714 Spruce St., Burlington, Iowa.

JOHNSON, CHARLES SPURGEON—Sociologist-Author-Editor.

b. July 24, 1893, Bristol, Va.; s. Chas. Henry and Winifred (Branch) Johnson; m. Marie Antonette Burgette, Nov. 6, 1920; three children, Charles Spurgeon, Jr., b. Oct. 10, 1921; Robert Burgette, b. Sept. 23, 1922; Patricia Marie, b. Oct. 20, 1924; educ. Wayland Academy, 1909-13. A.B., Virginia Union Univ., 1917; Univ. of Chicago, 1918; Litt. D., Virginia Union Univ., (Honorary), 1928; Fellow in Sociology, Univ. of Chicago; auth. "The Negro in Chicago," Univ. of Chicago Press, 1922; "Ebony and Topaz," National Urban League, 1927; "The Negro in American Civilization," Henry Holt & Co., 1930; "Negro Housing," Volume VI, for the President's Conference on Home Ownership; "Annotated Bibliography of Books by and About the Negro," "Syllabus for the Study of the Negro," "Report of the International Commission on Slavery and Forced Labor and Slavery in Liberia," co-auth. Presented to the League of Nations, 1931; "Economic Statue of the Negro," Fisk University Press, 1933; "Race Relations," co-auth., D. C. Heath, 1934; Shadow of the Planta-



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tion", University of Chicago Press, 1934; "The Rise of the Negro Magazine", Journal of Negro History, 1928; "When the Negro Migrates North", World To-morrow, 1923; "Some Handicaps of the Negro", Missionary Review, 1926; Negro Workers and the Unions", Survey, 1928; "Negro Migration", an economic Interpretation", Modern Quarterly, 1925; "The Negro Enters Literature", Carolina Magazine, 1927; "Mental Measurement of Negro Groups", Howard Univ. Record, 1923; "How the Negro Fits in Northern Industries", Industrial Psychology, 1926; "City Jobs and Negroes", Survey, 1929; Black Workers and the City", 1925; "The Black Man's Burden", World Tomorrow, 1922; "Liberia's Struggle for Survival", Missionary Voice, 1931; "The Investigation of Racial Differences Prior to 1910", Journal of Negro Education, 1934; Director of Research Chicago Urban League; Investigator, Negro Migration for Carnegie Foundation Series of Economic Studies; Assoc. Execu. Sec. Chicago Commission of Race Relations; Director of Research, National Urban League, and Editor of "Opportunity", Journal of Negro Life; Director, Department of Soc. Sci., Fisk Univ. Chairman, Editorial Committee for volume on "The American Negro" of the Annals of the Acad. of Political and Social Sci.; Research Sec., National Inter-racial Conference; Executive Committee, American Sociology Soc.; Executive Committee, National Commission on Inter-racial Cooperation; mem. Execu. Committee, Southern Commission on the Study of Lynching; mem. Committee on Tuberculosis Among Negroes, National Tuberculosis Assn.; Consulting Editor, "Social Science Abstracts", Editorial Council, "The World Tomorrow"; Director of Institute of Race Relations held at Swathmore Coll., 1933-24; mem. Board of Trustees, Encyclopedia of the Negro; mem. Consultative Group, World Soc., and Economic Planning; mem. National Education Assn. Committee to Cooperate with the National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Sch.; Awarded Wm. E. Harmon Gold Award for Distinguished Achievement among Negroes in Sci., for the year 1930; mem. American Commission Appointed by League of Nations to investigate forced Labor in Liberia; Research Staff, Tenn. Valley Authority; mem. Board of Trustee, Julius Rosenwald Fund; mem. Committee in Minority Group in Economic Reconstruction; Relig. Baptist; Address, Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn.; Residence, 1611 Harding St., Nashville, Tenn.

JOHNSON, JAMES WELDON—Executive Secretary—Author.— See 5th Edition.

Died, June 26, 1938

JOHNSON, CHARLES WELDON—School Principal.

b. Oct. 30, 1904, Augusta, Ga.; s. Henry and Gertrude Johnson; educ. Walker Institute, 1934, Augusta, Ga.; A.B., Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1926; graduate work, Atlanta University, Atlanta, Ga.; Contr. Articles for Newspapers and Magazines; ex-Assist. Principal, Walker Inst.; Principal, Steed Sch., Augusta, Ga.; Principal, Augusta R. Johnson High Sch., Augusta, Ga., 1937-present; Supt., Harmony Baptist Church Sunday School; mem. Commission on Secondary Schools of the Assn. of Colleges and Sunday Schools for Negroes; Board of Directors, Sphinx Credit Union; Treas., Sunday School Convention; mem. Republican Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1106 Kent St., Augusta, Ga.

JOHNSON, EDWARD AUSTIN—Lawyer.

b. Nov. 23, 1860, Raleigh, N. C.; s. Columbus and Eliza A. Johnson; m. Lena Allen, Feb. 22, 1894; one child, Adelaide, b. June 21, 1895; educ. Washington Sch., Raleigh, N. C.; Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1879-83; Shaw Univ., 1888-91; LL.B., 1891; LL.D.; Principal, Mitchell St. Sch., Atlanta, Ga., 1883; Prin., Washington Sch., Raleigh, N. C., 1885-91; Instructor and Dean, Law Sch., Shaw Univ., Raleigh N. C., 1893-1906; Asst. U. S. District-Attorney's Office in eastern district of N. C., for 9 years; Chairman, fourth congressional district for Republican Party, N. C.; Delegate to National Conventions at Minneapolis, St. Louis and Philadelphia, Penn.; Alderman, two years, Raleigh, N. C.; Committeeman, Republican Party in 19th Assembly District, N. Y. C.; elected to Legislature in 19th Ass. Dist., N. Y. C., 1917; candidate for Congress, New York, 1928; mem. South. Beneficial League; Masons; Bd of Mgs., Y.M.C.A., 135th St. Branch, N. Y. C.; Harlem Board Trade and Commerce; Upper Harlem Taxpayers Assn.; auth. "History of Negro Race in America," "History of Negro Soldiers in Span.-Amer. War," "Light Ahead for the Negro," "Negro Almanac and Statistics"; "Adam vs. Ape-Man and Ethiopian"; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 17 West 132nd St., New York, N. Y.

Upon his graduating from Shaw University with the degree LL.B. he accepted a Professorship in the department of law in Shaw University. He was Alderman in the City of Raleigh at the time.

In 1907 he came to New York to practice law and becoming an active participant in political affairs of New York City, he was elected to the Assembly at Albany, N. Y., in 1917, being the first colored representative ever sent to Albany.

During his term in that branch of the Legislature four bills were passed, one of which was the "Civil Rights Bill," which was made to cover practically all civil privileges in schools, restaurants, hotels, amusements, etc.

He also secured the passage of a Bill establishing a free employment bureau which has an appropriation of \$30,000.

Mr. Johnson has been actively engaged in representing the interests of his clients in New York since 1907; joins with the younger element of the city in Y.M.C.A. activities, Church and Fraternal affairs, is a member of the Harlem Board of Trade and Commerce and Upper Tax Payers Association.

JOHNSON, ELIJAH LOVEJOY, Jr.—Lawyer.

b. Oct. 20, 1886, Tuskegee, Ala.; s. Elijah Lovejoy and Julia (Smith) Johnson; m. Lillian J. Jackson, May 18, 1919; two children, Julia L., b. May 18, 1921; Betsy Ruth, b. Dec. 29, 1923; educ. Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala., 1900; Special Course, Armstrong Manual Training Sch., Washington, D. C., 1902; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1915; Lawyer, 1915-present; Principal, Public Sch., Tuskegee, Ala., 1898-99; Principal, Public Sch., Meridian, Miss., 1901-03;

Railway Mail Clerk, 1903-08; United States Government Clerk, Treasury Dept., Washington, D. C., 1908-15; State Legal Advisor, Indiana, Elks, 1928-present; Legal Advisor, Triangle Bottling Co.; mem. Elks, Odd Fellows; National Bar Assn.; Marion Co. Lawyers Club; N.A.A.C.P.; Address, 152½ E. Court St.; Residence, 717 North West St., Indianapolis, Ind.

JOHNSON, JONAS EDWARD—School Superintendent.

b. May 7, 1879, Fernwood, Pike Co., Miss.; s. Charles James and Eva (Kaigler) Johnson; m. Bertha LaBranche, Aug. 3, 1904; three children, Alcee LaBranche, b. July 22, 1905; Onette Waldo, b. Aug. 2, 1907; Eva Clark, b. Sept. 12, 1910; educ. B.S., Alcorn A. and M. Coll., Alcorn, Miss., 1902; Co-Founder with wife, and Superintendent, Prentiss Normal and Industrial Inst., Prentiss, Miss.; Founder, Oak Park Vocational Sch., Laurel, Miss.; Chairman and Organizer, with Isiah T. Montgomery, Committee of One Hundred; Chairman, Negro Division, Mississippi Centennial Exposition, 1917; mem. Committee on Interracial Cooperation; mem. and Ex-Pres., Mississippi Ass'n of Teachers in Colored Schools; mem. Mason; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, Prentiss Normal and Industrial Institute, Prentiss, Miss.

JOHNSON, BERTHA LA BRANCHE—Educator.

b. Wesson, Miss.; d. Jule and Orrie (Smith) LaBranche; m. Jonas Edward Johnson, Aug. 3, 1904; three children, Alcee LaBranche, b. July 22, 1907; Onette Waldo, b. Aug. 2, 1907; Eva Clark, b. Sept. 12, 1910; educ. Graduate of Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala., 1902; M.S. (Honorary), Tuskegee Inst., 1941; auth. "Lifting As We Climb," 1940, work of Mississippi Federation of Colored Women's Clubs; Co-Founder, Prentiss Normal and Industrial Inst., Prentiss, Miss., and Oak Park Vocational Sch., Laurel, Miss.; Ex-Pres., Mississippi State Federation of Colored Women's Clubs, 6 years; Chairman, Art and Craft Department, 4 years; Vice-Pres., 10 years; Statistician, National Federation, 5 years; Chairman, Business Department; mem. Federation of Colored Women's Clubs; mem. Executive Council, Committee on Interracial Cooperation; Pres., Southeastern Federation; mem. Mississippi Ass'n of Teachers in Colored Schools; Pol. Independent; Relig. Church of Christ; Address, Normal and Industrial Institute, Prentiss, Miss.

JOHNSON, MRS. GEORGIA DOUGLAS—Housewife-Writer.

b. Sept. 10, 1886, Atlanta, Ga.; d. George and Laura (Jackson) Camp; m. Henry Lincoln Johnson, Sept. 28, 1903; two children, Henry Lincoln Johnson, Jr., b. June 21, 1904; Peter Douglas, b. Jan. 21, 1906; educ. Atlanta Univ.; Oberlin Conservatory of Music, Oberlin, Ohio; auth. "Heart of a Woman," poetry, pub. Cornhill, 1919; "Bronze," racial, pub. B. J. Brimmer Co., 1920; "An Autumn Love Cycle," verse, Harold Vinol, pub., 1929; "Blue Blood," a play, Appleton & Co., 1927; "Plumes," a play, French & Co., N. Y., 1928; "The Black Cabinet," a Biography of Henry Lincoln Johnson, 1931; mem. League of Neighbors; League for Abolition of

Capital Punishment; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 1461 S Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.

JOHNSON, HALL—Musical Director, Composer.

b. March 12, 1888, Athens, Ga.; s. William D. and Alice (Sansom) Johnson; educ. Knox Inst., Athens, Ga.; Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; Allen Univ., Columbia, S. C.; Univ. of Penn., musical course, 1910; Hahn Sch. of Music, Phila., Pa.; Institute of Musical Art, New York, N. Y., 1923; studied theory of music, violin, piano and other instruments; specialized in composition; made many transcriptions of Negro spirituals; organized "Hall Johnson Negro Choir," Dec. 1925; comp. "Coophered," an operetta, a Portrayal of Negro Life in the Southland; Address, 113 W. 57th St., New York, N. Y.

JOHNSON, JAMES EUGENE—Insurance Secretary.

b. Aug. 3, 1868, Independence, Mo.; s. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson; m. Willie Mae Poston, April 20, 1929; one child, Felice Thelma; educ. Public Sch.; Hobson Inst.; Kansas City Normal Sch.; Kansas State Univ., Extension Courses; auth. "Simplified Grammar"; "Character and Right Living", Editor, Parsons's Weekly Blade, several years; Teacher, Public Sch., 1899-1906; Principal, Public Sch., Otterville, Mo., and Muskogee, Okla.; Teacher, Normal Training, Parsons, Kans., 2 years; Teacher, Normal Training, U. S. Government, Okla., 6 years; Organizer, Cashier and Manager, Peoples' Bank & Tr., Co., Muskogee, Okla.; Organizer and Sec., Abraham Lincoln Life Ins. Co., Muskogee, Okla.; Sec. and Vice-Pres., Security Life Ins. Co., Muskogee, Okla., 10 years; equal partner Creek Grocery Co., Muskogee, Okla.; owner, printing office, 10 years; mem. Commercial Club; Young People's Advisory Club; Gun Club; Research Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Missionary Baptist; Address, 115 S. 2nd St.; Residence 729 Altamont St., Muskogee, Okla.

The People's Bank and Trust Co., of which he was the Cashier and Manager, was one of the leading institutions in that community, being both the City and County depository for four years. They had as corresponding banks the Mississippi Valley Trust Co., of St. Louis, Mo., and the City National Bank of New York City, N. Y. handling most of their collections in that territory.

JOHNSON, J. BERNARD—Lawyer.

b. Sept. 7, 1895, Gordonsville, Ga.; s. (Rev.) Jackson T. and Margaret (Armstrong) Johnson; m. Mayme Cooper, Nov. 12, 1921; two children, Marie, b. Feb. 1, 1923; J. Bernard, Jr., b. Sept. 27, 1927; educ. Pub. Sch., Washington, D. C.; Va. Union Univ., 1916; Univ. of Pittsburgh, 1916-18; Howard Univ. Law Sch., 1919-22; LL.B., 1922; Lawyer, Trenton, N. J., 1923-present; Exalted Ruler, Sunlight Lodge, No. 114, Elks, Trenton, N. J., Jan., 1928-present; Past Commander, Mitchell Davis Post, American Legion; Trenton, N. J.; mem. F.&A.M.; Batchelor Benedicts; Citizens' Club; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 222 N. Willow St.; Residence, 211 Spring St., Trenton, N. J.

He served as Quartermaster Sergeant, First Class, during the World War, and was in active service, overseas, for thirteen months.

JOHNSON, JOHN HAYDEN—Physician.

b. Feb. 17, 1875, Washington, D. C.; s. (Rev.) Robert and Martha Johnson; m. Minnie L. Crutchfield, June 17, 1903; two children, Maurice Eugene, b. Feb. 26, 1904; Hayden Crutchfield, b. April 2, 1908; educ. M St. High Sch., 1894; Pre-Medic Course, Howard Univ., 1894-1900; Certificate, Howard Univ., 1895; M.D., Howard Univ., 1900; Physician, 1900-present; mem. Board of Education, 1916-present; Committee of Management Y.M.C.A.; National Medical Assn.; Pres., Medico Clurical Soc., 1914; Masons; Odd Fellows; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1842 Vermont Ave., N.W., Washington, D. C.

JOHNSON, JOHN ROSAMOND—Musician-Composer.

b. Aug. 11, 1873, Jacksonville, Fla.; s. James and Helen Louise (Dillette) Johnson; m. Nora Ethel Floyd, July 3, 1913; educ. New England Conservatory of Music; studied in Europe; piano with Charles F. Dennee, and Mme Dietrich Strong, organ with George Whiting; harmony with Carl Riessman, and Davenport Kerrison, voice with William Dunham and Clarence B. Ashden; A.M., Atlanta Univ., 1917; Professional debut. Boston. 1894: Supervisor Music, public schools, Jacksonville, Fla., 1896-08; toured in vaudeville in U. S. and Europe; Director music, Hammerstein Opera House, London, 1912-13; School Settlement for Colored People, N. Y. City, 1914-18; Director singing orchestra for Mrs. Emelie Hapgood's Colored Players, Garden and Garrick Theatres, New York; served as Second Lieutenant, 15th Infantry, N. Y. National Guard, 1918; United Song Writers' Society America; mem. Masons; Civic Club; comp. Music for Cole and Johnson's Shoo-Fly Regiment, Red Moon, Bert Williams' "Mr. Load of Coal," also arrangements of Negro spirituals and over 300 popular songs. Joint composer of comic operas, Humpty Dumpty, Sleeping Beauty and the Beast; collaborated with Louis Hirsh in "Come Over Here," made Sub-Chief Iroquois Indian Tribe, 1921; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 201 W. 131st St., New York, N. Y.

JOHNSON, J. WILLIAM H.—Clergyman.

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JOHNSON, KATHRYN MAGNOLIA—Lecturer-Author—

b. Dec. 15, 1878, Darke County Colored Settlement near Greenville, Ohio; d. Walter and Lucinda Jane (McCown) Johnson; educ. Grade and High Sch., New Paris, Ohio; Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, Ohio, 1897-98 and 1901-02; Univ. N. Dakota, summer, 1908; Teacher, Public Sch., Ohio and Indiana, 1898-1901; Teacher, State Normal Sch., Elizabeth City, N. C., 1904-05; Dean of Women, Shorter Coll., Little Rock, Ark., 1906-07; Teacher, Summer High Sch., 1907-10; Worker, N.A.A.C.P., 1911-16; Y.M.C.A. Worker in France, 1917-19; Lecturer, 1921-present; co-auth. "Two Colored Women with the A.E.F.," pub. *Brooklyn Daily Eagle*, Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec., 1920; mem. Booklovers' Club, Independent Order of St. Luke; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; *Business Address*, 1538 Ninth St., N.W., Washington, D. C., c/o Associated Publishers; *Home Address*, 576 Greene Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

She was the first field worker for the N. A. A. C. P., organizing many branches in the South and West. After five years of this service, she became associate editor for the *Half Century Magazine* of Chicago, Ill., for one year.

During the World War she entered the service of the Y. M. C. A. and went to France with the colored soldiers, being one of three women who served there during the period of active warfare.

The book, "Two Colored Women with the A. E. F." treats of the experience of two colored women who served fifteen months in France. It is a brief history of Colored soldiers in the World War.

JOHNSON, LAWRENCE W.—School Principal.

b. Feb. 24, 1901, Clifton, Tenn.; s. Frank and Ida (Briggs) Johnson; educ. High Sch., 1924; B.S., Tennessee State Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1930; auth. "Negro Religion;" Teacher, Lebanon Sch., Lebanon, Tenn., 1926; Teacher and Director, Wilson Co. High School, Lebanon, Tenn.; Principal, Townsend Training Sch., Winchester, Tenn., 1930-present; Pres., Y.M.C.A., four years; mem. Middle Tennessee Progressive Principals' Club; Supreme Circle Club; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 18 Tenth Ave., Winchester, Tenn.; Residence, Eagleville, Tenn.

JOHNSON, MORDECAI W.—University President.

b. Jan. 12, 1890, Paris, Henry County, Tenn.; s. (Rev.) Wyatt J. and Carolyn (Freeman) Johnson; m. Anna Ethelyn Gardner, Dec. 25, 1916; five children, Carolyn Elizabeth, b. Dec. 3, 1917; Mordecai Wyatt, Jr., b. April 1, 1922; Archer Clement, b. Dec. 2, 1924; William Howard, b. Oct. 6, 1930; Anna Faith, b. April 8, 1932; educ. B. A., Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia, 1911; B. A., University of Chicago, 1913; graduate of Rochester Theological Seminary, Rochester, N. Y., 1919; B. D., Rochester Theol. Sem.; Graduate Scholar at Harvard Univ.; S.T.M., Harvard Univ., 1922; D.D., Howard Univ., 1923; D.D., Gammon Theol. Seminary, 1928; Professor of Economics and History, Morehouse Coll., 1911-13; Student Sec. of the International Committee of the Y.M.C.A.; Pastor, First Baptist Church, Charleston, W. Va.; President, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1926-present; Spingarn Medalist, 1929; mem. Commission for the Study and Review of Conditions in Haiti, 1930; President's Commission on Education in Haiti; Advisory Council, Virgin Islands; Advisory Council, National Youth Administration; National Advisory Council on Education; Relig. Baptist; Address, Howard University, Washington, D. C.

On June 20, 1926, Rev. Mordecai W. Johnson was unanimously elected President of Howard University, Washington, D. C. He has the distinction of being the first Colored man to be made President of this University.

Howard University was conceived at a meeting held in the First Congregational Church,

Washington, D. C., Nov. 20, 1866. Dr. D. B. Nichols proposed that it be named for General Oliver Otis Howard.

The Normal and Preparatory Department opened on May 1, 1867, in a rented frame building, with five students.

By 1872, it had expanded into Normal, Preparatory, Military, Musical, Industrial, Commercial, Collegiate, Law, and Medical Departments with a Library and a Museum. During these years the following served as President, or Acting President: Messrs. C. B. Boynton, Byron Sunderland, O. O. Howard, S. C. Pomeroy, Hiram Barber, J. M. Langston, E. P. Smith, G. Whipple, and F. W. Fairfield.

By the year 1873 the Trustees had received from the Freedmen's Bureau \$500,000.

Dr. W. W. Patton, the first president to give his undivided attention to the University, inaugurated a period of development. A financial agent was appointed. Individual donations began to come to the University. In 1881, a single gift of \$25,000 was received and in 1885 another of \$15,000.

President J. E. Rankin continued the policy of reorganization, uniting several departments. During his administration the President's Home was built and the Andrew Rankin Memorial Chapel erected.

In 1903, Dr. John Gordon, President of Tabor College, in Iowa, became President of Howard University. After a brief administration of a little more than two years he resigned.

President Thirkield pursued a policy of material expansion. During his presidency, from 1906 to 1912, he secured from Congress \$675,700. With this income a Science Hall, an applied Science Building, and a central heating and lighting plant were added. Through his efforts also, Mr. Andrew Carnegie made the University a gift of a \$50,000 library building.

Dr. Stephen M. Newman was elected President upon the resignation of Dr. Thirkield to become a Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Dr. J. Stanley Durkee, of Brockton, Mass., was unanimously chosen President upon the resignation of Dr. Newman and began his administration on July 1, 1918. He retired in June, 1926. During his administration, the average student enrollment was about 2,000 students from 37 States and 13 Foreign countries.

At a round table conference of all the officers of the Government who had anything to do with Howard University, the House, Senate, the President's Bureau of the Budget of the Department of the In-

terior, and the Julius Rosenwald Fund, it was agreed to develop Howard University into a university of the first class, to cost \$15,000,000.00, the entire program to be provided by the Federal Government, said plan being endorsed by the United States Commissioner of Education, Secretary of the Interior, Board of Trustees of Howard University and commended to the Congress by the Appropriations Committee by the House of Representatives. This program involves a budget ranging from \$2,179,469.00 in 1931-32 to \$5,129,572.00 at the end of the tenth year.

JOHNSON, REGINALD A. NELSON—Executive Secretary, Urban League.

b. March 22, 1903, Minneapolis, Minn.; s. James Alver Nelson and Mildred L. (Taylor) Johnson; educ. Central High Sch., St. Paul, Minn.; A.B., Univ. of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn., 1928; two quarters graduate work in sociology, 1928; Part time member staff, St. Paul Public Library, 1918-28; Family Welfare Worker, St. Louis Provident Assn., 1928-30; Industrial Sec., Urban League, St. Louis, Mo., 1930-32; Executive Sec., Urban League, Atlanta, Ga., 1932-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; National Conference of Social Work; American Assn. of Social Workers; Georgia Conference of Social Workers; Pol. Independent; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 250 Auburn Ave; Residence, 130 Griffin St., Atlanta, Ga.

JOHNSON, ROBERT EARL—Athlete-Welfare Worker.

b. March 10, 1892, Harrisonburg, Va.; s. Robert P. and Mary T. (Harvey) Johnson; educ. Morgan Academy, preparatory, 1912; Morgan Coll. collegiate, 1916; A.B., Morgan Coll., 1916; Tutor in Mathematics, 1913-16; Y.M.C.A. Worker, 1918-19; Boys Worker, Morgan Community, 1919-20; Welfare Worker, Carnegie Steel Co., 1920-present; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Loendi Club Organizer, and Pres., E. T. Community Club for Men and Boys; Pol. Republican; Relig. M.E. Church, Harrisonburg, Va.; Address, c/o Carnegie Steel Co., Braddock, Pa.

JOHNSON, ROBERT GIBBS—Dentist.

b. Oct. 5, 1887, Brandon, Miss.; s. Robert L. and Birdie (McAllister) Johnson; m. Winifred Young, 1924; one child, Barbara, b. Aug. 28, 1925; educ. Alcorn Coll., Alcorn, Miss., 1906; D.D.S., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1910; Post Graduate, Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass.; Dentist, 1910-present; 1st Lieut. Dental Corp., U. S. Army, 1917-19; mem. Masons; Elks; National Medical Assn.; Lincoln Dental Assn.; Illinois Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 202 E. 35th St.; Residence, 6515 Vernon Ave., Chicago, Ill.

JOHNSON, ROLAND R.—Physician.

b. Oct. 29, 1881, Chatham, Canada; s. (Bishop) John A. and Minnie S. (Gooseley) Johnson; m. Alice E. Braxton, April 6, 1910; three children, Barrat, b. March 31, 1911; Katherine Louise, b. April 29, 1913; Alice E., b. Dec. 5, 1917; educ.



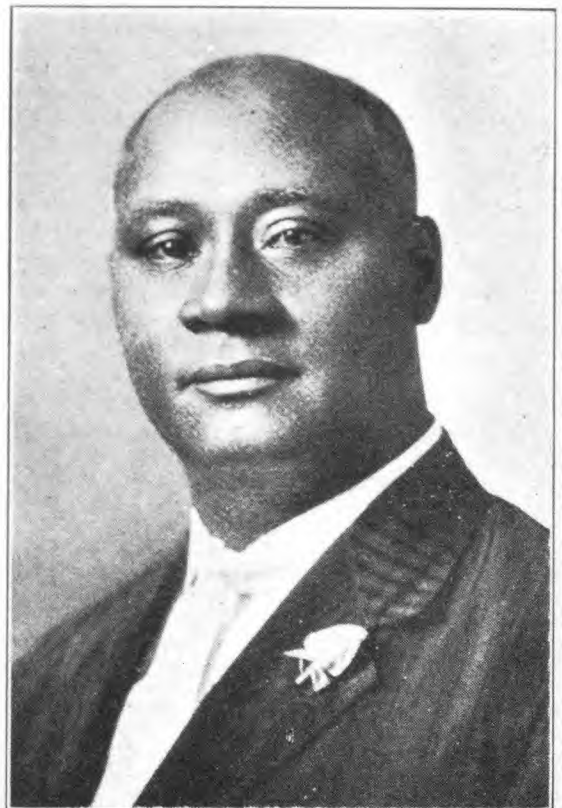
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JAMES EUGENE JOHNSON

Washington High Sch.; Phillip Exeter Academy, 1902-03; Long Island Coll. Hosp., 1903-07; Physician, 1907-present; Attending Physician, Aged Colored Home; Lecturer, Hygiene Dept., Y.M.C.A.; Asst. Surg. 15th N.Y. Nat. Guard (later, 369th Infantry) during World War; mem. Bd. of Directors, Lincoln Settlement House, Inc.; Urban League; N.A.A.C.P. (Brooklyn Br.); Kings Co. Med. Assn.; Am. Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Provident Med. & Dental Assn.; Past Right Eminent Grand Commander, Knights Templar; Grand Commandry, State of New York (Prince Hall); United Supreme Council of The Northern Jurisdiction of Scottish Rite Masons of the 33rd and last degree, Grand Esteemed lecturing Knight, and Grand Medical Director, Elks; Inspector Gen., Uniform Rank; K. of P.; Treas., Bd. of Directors, Alpha Lodge, 1381; Past Illustrious Potentate, Medina Temple; No. 19 Order of Mystic Shriners; Pol. Republican; Relig. Afro Methodist Episcopal Church; Address, 902 Lafayette Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

JOHNSON, SERGEANT—Artist.

First winner of prize, \$250, for terra cotta head of a Negro boy, "Sammy," in nation-wide exhibition of fine arts productions of Negroes, sponsored by Harmon Foundation in co-operation with the Commission on the Church and Race Relations of the Federal Council of Churches, New York, held January, 1928. Address, 2777 Park St., Berkeley, Calif.

JOHNSON, SOLOMON—U. S. Immigrant Inspector.

b. Jan. 12, 1871, Washington, D. C.; s. Solomon and Elizabeth (Cunningham) Johnson; m. Katherine Du Boyce, May 31, 1904; five children, Solomon, Jr.; Catherine, Charles, Margaret, Elizabeth; educ. Pub. Sch. and Minor High Sch., Washington, D. C.; Howard Univ., Pharmacy, 1895-97; Clerk, District Attorney's Office, Washington, D. C.; Clerk, U. S. Treasury Dept., Washington, D. C.; U. S. Immigrant Inspector and Interpreter, Ellis Island, New York City, 1904-present; Ch. and member Ex. Com., Republican Club, Harlem, N. Y.; mem. K. of P.; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 853 St. Nicholas Ave., New York, N. Y.

JOHNSON, WILLIAM N.—Lawyer.

b. Dec. 21, 1891, Lincoln, Nebraska; s. Jackson and Laura (Eades) Johnson; educ. A.B., University of Nebraska, 1909; LL.B., Univ. of Chicago, 1913; Lawyer, 1913-present; mem. Masons; Urban League; Am. Legion; Pol. Republican; Address, 184 W. Washington St., Chicago, Ill.

He was commissioned 2nd Lieut., 366 Inf.; was town mayor and interpreter for the 2nd Battalion, 366 Inf. in the A.E.F.; was interpreter for the American Legion, 2nd A.E.F. in 1927.

He was selected by Walter Camp to be the All-American left end for the University of Nebraska while a student at the University.

JONES, CHARLES EDWARD—Funeral Director.

b. Aug. 25, 1880, Covington, Ky.; s. Edward Lacy and Amanda (Jeffrey) Jones; m. Julia Delaney, June 10, 1903; educ. William Grant High Sch., Covington, Ky., 1901; Cincinnati College of Embalming, Cincinnati, O., 1902; Funeral Director, 1900-present; Pres., Jones & Crittenden, Inc., Funeral Directors, Cincinnati, O., 1926-present; Past Master, Masons; Past Grand Patron, Kenton Lodge 16, Covington, Ky.; Past Grand Commander, Knight Templars, State of Kentucky; Past Grand Patron, Order of Eastern Star, State of Kentucky; mem. Executive Committee, Independent National Funeral Directors Assn.; Treas., Ninth Street Methodist Episcopal Church; Pres., Covington Branch, N. A. A. C. P.; Century Mem., Y. M. C. A.; mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; ex-State and County Republican Committees; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 633 Scott Blvd.; Residence, 252 E. 10th St., Covington, Ky.

The Lincoln-Grant High School Auditorium is known as the Jones Auditorium and was named in his honor. This was in appreciation of the work he did in getting that school built, and which is considered one of the finest in the State of Kentucky. Exclusive owner of C. E. Jones Funeral Home, Covington, Ky.

JONES, CHARLES HENRY—Real Estate.

b. May 25, 1873, Morrisville, N. C.; s. John Henry and Jane (Smith) Jones; m. Hattie Isabelle Thornton (deceased), Oct. 15, 1900; second marriage, Savannah Webster, June 4, 1926; educ. Pub. Sch., Morrisville, N. C.; Real Estate Operator, 1903-present; one of Founders and Vice Pres., Forsythe Savings and Trust Co., 1913-25; mem. General Conference, A.M.E. Zion Church, St. Louis, Mo., 1929; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Elks; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, Jones Building, Church and Third Sts.; Residence, 9 E. 3d St., Winston-Salem, N. C.

He is considered one of the wealthiest Colored men in the State of North Carolina. His real estate holdings are enormous he being the owner of an office building, apartment houses, and 181 dwellings in Winston-Salem and vicinity. He also owns considerable acreage.

JONES, CLARENCE MARVIN—Pianist-Arranger.

b. Aug. 15, 1889, Wilmington, Ohio; m. E.A. Hundson, three children, Wesley H., (deceased), b. March 4, 1911; Clarence, Jr. (deceased), b. April 1, 1912; Vernon H., b. Aug. 26, 1916; educ. Public Schools, Wilmington, Ohio; Conservatory of Music, Cincinnati, Ohio; auth. "One Wonderful Night," for Film Play "One Wonderful Night;" "Tom Tom Dance Mid the Pyramid;" "Autumn Colors," pub. Carl Fisher, 1939; Orchestra Leader, Owl Theatre, Chicago, Ill., 1916-27; Orchestra Leader, Metropolitan Theatre; Organized The Southernaires Quartette in 1931 appearing over the National Broadcasting Co. Network; mem. American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Seventh Day Adventist; Address, 930 St. Nicholas Ave., New York, N. Y.

JONES, DAVID DALLAS—College President.

b. Nov. 7, 1887, Greensboro, N. C.; s. Sidney Dallas and Mary Jane (Holley) Jones; m. Susie P. Williams, June 15, 1915; four children, David Dallas, b. June 15, 1918; Frances Estelle, b. Aug. 22, 1919; Paul Maurice, b. May 18, 1926; Frank Sidney, b. Nov. 9, 1928; educ. B.A., Wesleyan Univ., 1911; M.A., Columbia University 1930; President, Bennett College, Greensboro N. C., 1926-present; Sec., International Committee, Y.M.C.A., 1911-14; Executive Sec., Pine Street Y.M.C.A., St. Louis, Mo., 1914-23; General Field Agent, Inter-Racial Co-operation, Atlanta, Ga., 1923-26; mem. Board of Education, Methodist Episcopal Church; Board of Trustees, Inter-Racial Commission, Atlanta, Ga.; National Boy's Work Council, Y.M.C.A.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Sigma Pi Phi; Phi Beta Kappa; Southern Education Foundation; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Bennett College for Women, Greensboro, N. C.

JONES, EDWARD F.—Dentist.

b. May 5, 1895, Sea Bright, N. J.; s. Royal E. and Henrietta (Price) Jones; educ. Chattle High Sch., Long Branch, N. J., 1908-12; Univ. of Pennsylvania, 1913-17; D.D.S., Univ. of Pennsylvania, 1917; Dentist, 1917-present; Examiner, U. S. Veterans' Bureau, 1920-22; Pres., N.A.A.C.P., Yonkers Br.; Chancellor Commander, K. of P., 1925-present; Pres., Westchester Academy of Medicine, 1928-29; Sec., 1932-present; mem. Clinico-Pathological Soc. of Phila.; Masons; Fishermen of Galilee; Alpha Phi Alpha; Alpha Physical Club; Round Table Twelve; Professional Club of Phila.; Harlem Dental Clinic of the Nat. Tuberculosis and Health. Assn.; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 45 Warburton Ave.; Residence, 366 Warburton Ave., Yonkers, N. Y.

He was a member of the High School and University of Pennsylvania Track Squads, Junior and Senior Metropolitan Broad Jump Champion, 1917; Junior National Broad Jump Champion, 1917; Second place, Senior National Broad Jump, 1917; Middle Atlantic Indoor Broad Jump Champion, 1918; member of the University of Pennsylvania Inter-Collegiate Broad Jumping team in 1916 and 1917.

He enlisted in the U. S. Army in 1917, connected with the Medical Dept. of the 24th Infantry, attended First Central Officers' Training School at Little Rock, Ark., commissioned 1st Lieut. in the Dental Corps, in 1918.

He is the only colored dentist in actual practice in Yonkers to this date.

JONES, EUGENE KINCKLE—Social Worker-Executive-Secretary.

b. July 30, 1885, Richmond, Va.; s. Joseph Endon Jones and Rosa (Kinckle) Jones; m. Blanche Ruby Watson, March 11, 1909; two children, Eugene Kinckle Jones, Jr., b. March 14, 1910; Adele Rosa Jones, b. July 22, 1911; educ. preparatory, Wayland Acad., 1899-1902; Virginia Union Univ., 1902-06; A.B., 1906; grad. study, Cornell Univ., 1906-08; M.A., Cornell Univ., 1908; LL.D., Virginia Union Univ., 1924; Instructor, State Univ., Louisville, Ky., 1908-09;

Instructor, High Sch., Louisville, Ky., 1909-11; Exex. Sec., Nat. Urban League, 1911-present; Member Board, National Conference of Social Work; Chairman, Flushing Educational Committee; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Southern Beneficial League; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1133 Broadway, New York, N. Y.; Residence, 43-11 162 Street, Flushing, L. I.

A group of liberal-minded New Yorkers, in 1910, recognizing the situation of the Negroes about them, drew up a tentative program for an organization that has become known as the National Urban League, and in April, 1911, he joined them as the field secretary.

The entire movement in 1911, required a budget of \$2,500. Since that date 43 cities have been organized, and in 1926 the budget had increased to nearly half a million dollars.

Under his general direction no less than 200,000 Negro workers have been placed in positions; forty-five Negro personnel workers placed in industrial plants, and thirty-seven Negro students trained and placed in social service positions.

In 1931 there were in addition to the National Urban League, forty-three organizations located in as many cities in the United States, governed by local executive boards made up of white and colored people.

JONES, FLEMING ADOLPHUS—Lawyer.

b. Oct. 10, 1895, Gaffney, S. C.; s. Felix and Amaline Jones; m. H. Preston Mills, June 15, 1921; one child, Marian Elaine, b. June 1, 1924; educ. Howard Univ., college, 1916-22; A.B., 1922; Law, 1922-23; LL.B., 1923; Prin., Excelsior High Sch., Excelsior, W. Va., 1923-25; Lawyer, 1925-present; mem. Phi Beta Sigma; Masons; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 996, Welch, West Va.

During the World War, Mr. Jones served in the 325th Field Signal Battalion as a non-commissioned officer. Overseas, in France for one year, and honorably discharged February, 1919.

JONES, GEORGE BROWNING—Attorney.

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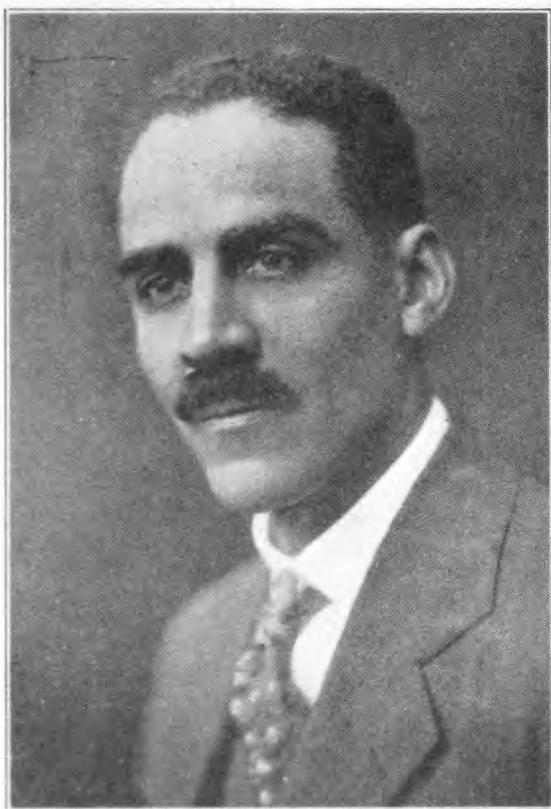
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JONES, GILBERT HAVEN—Educator.

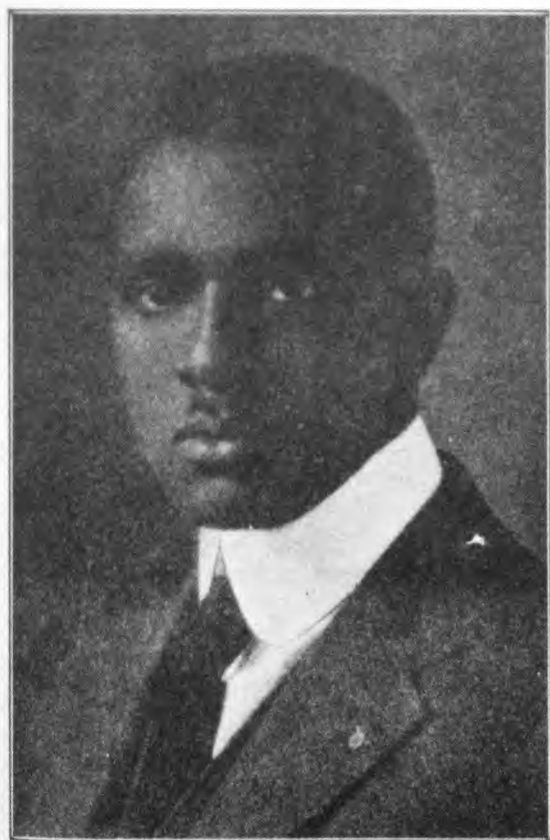
b. Aug. 23, 1883, Fort Mott, S. C.; s. (Bishop) Joshua H. and Lizzie (Martin) Jones; m. Rachel Gladys Coverdale, June 10, 1910; four children, Gladys Havena; Gilbert Haven, Jr.; Ruth Inez; Donald Coverdale; educ. Public Sch., Providence, R. I.; Pub. and High Sch., Columbus, Ohio; Ohio State Univ. (coll. of arts and sciences); A.B., Wilberforce Univ., 1902; B.Sc., 1903; Ph. B., Dickinson Coll., Carlisle, Penn., 1906; A.M., 1907; studied in the Univ. of Goettingen and Univ. of Jena, Germany; Ph.D., Univ. of Jena, 1909; LL.D. (honorary), Howard Univ., 1925; Principal, Lincoln



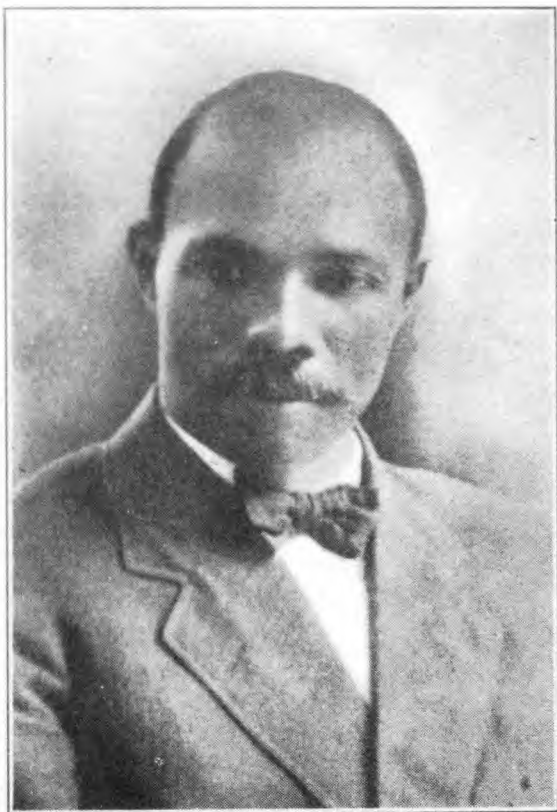
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EUGENE KINCKLE JONES, A.M., LL.D.



FLEMING A. JONES, A.B., LL.B.



GILBERT H. JONES, Ph.B., Ph.D., LL.D.

High Sch., Carlisle, Penn., 1903-05; Professor of Philosophy and Education, St. Augustine Collegiate Institute, Raleigh, N. C., 1909-10; Professor, Ancient Languages, Agri. and Normal Univ., Oklahoma, 1910-14; Dean, Coll. of Liberal Arts, Wilberforce Univ., 1914-24; President, Wilberforce Univ., 1924-1932; Professor, Politics and Government, 1932-present; mem. Advisory Board, Northeastern Life Insurance Co., New York City; ex-Treas. and member, Kappa Alpha Psi; auth. "Education in Theory and Practice," "Lotze und Bowne Eine Vergleichung ihrer philosophischen Arbeit," an inaugural dissertation in German; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, Wilberforce University, Ohio.

While at Carlisle, Gilbert H. Jones was campaign organizer of the Cumberland County, (Pa.), Republican Committee.

During 1919-24 he was Ohio State Superintendent of the A.C.E. League of the A.M.E.

His dissertation, "Lotze und Bowne Eine Vergleichung ihrer Philosophen Arbeit," found its way in the libraries of American Universities. Copies of it were sought from the author with the request that the department of philosophy of the graduate school of Boston University be allowed to translate it in the English for uses in the class room. Permission was granted and the work undertaken by a student of the department under the direction of Prof. Brightman of the Department of Philosophy.

JONES, H. W.—Clergyman.

b. Jan. 4, 1873, Knoxville, Tenn.; s. Abram and Eliza Jones; m. Mary Roberts, Dec. 9, 1897; five children, Henry, b. May 26, 1901; Sylvester, b. Sept. 5, 1903; William Augustus, b. May 29, 1907; Franklin F., b. Aug. 19, 1910; Carl M., b. Oct. 2, 1919; educ. Knoxville Coll., Knoxville, Tenn.; State Univ., Louisville, Ky., 1897; D.D. (Honorary) Selma Univ., Selma, Ala.; Clergyman, 1893-present; Pastor, Second Baptist Church, Owenton, Ky., 7 years; Clay Street Baptist Church, 3 years; Pastor, Second Baptist Church, Shelbyville, Ind., 4 years; Pastor, Pleasant Green Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky., 1 year; Pastor, Green Street Baptist Church, Louisville, Ky., 28 years; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Trustee, Simmons Univ., Louisville, Ky.; mem. General Association Ky. Baptists; mem. Publishing Board, National Baptist Convention; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 521 E. Gray St.; Residence, 519 E. Gray St., Louisville, Ky.

He built the Second Baptist Church, Owenton, Ky., and remodeled the Clay Street Church. Later he built the Green Street Baptist Church at a cost of \$125,000 more than \$100,000 having been paid on the debt. It is considered the most convenient and well equipped Church in the State of Kentucky. He has ordained 18 Preachers three of whom are his sons. He has held many Revival meetings in various cities.

JONES, MRS. IDA T.—Teacher.

b. Clinton, Iowa; d. Rev. Pinkney and Margaret (Bryant) Taylor; m. Albert W. Jones, July 19, 1922; one child, Albert W., Jr., b. Jan. 11, 1925; educ. Normal Coll., Chicago, Ill.; Ph.B., Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.; Teacher, Wendell Phillips Senior High Sch., 1920-present; mem. Urban League; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.W.C.A.; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 244 E. Pershing Rd.; Residence, 229 E. 50th St., Chicago, Ill.

JONES, JOSEPH H. N.—Physician.

b. Nov. 1, 1888, Richmond, Va.; s. Archer and Leanna (Woodson) Jones; educ. Plainfield High Sch., Plainfield, N. J.; A.B., Oberlin Coll., Oberlin, O., 1910; Univ. of Michigan, Medicine, 1910-12; Univ. of Chicago, 1914 and 1917; M.D., Univ. of Iowa, 1923; Physician, 1923-present; Chemist, Dodge Leather Factory, Waukegan, Ill., 1916-17; Medical Inspector, Dept. of Health, New York City, 1926-present; Lieut. of Infantry, Machine Gun, U. S. Army, 1917-19; Holder of Record, Oberlin Coll., 440 yard dash, 1909; mem. National Medical Assn.; American Medical Assn.; North Harlem Medical Soc.; N.A.A.C.P.; Masons; Elks; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 50 Morningside Ave., New York City, N. Y.

JONES, JACOB J.—Lawyer—b. Feb. 26, 1877, Live Oak, Florida; s. (Rev.) W. L. G. Jones and Hester (Hiner) Jones; educ. Tuskegee Institute (Normal and Agricultural Course), 1896-1901; Institute for Colored Youths, Business, 1902; Howard University, Law, 1903-06; LL.B. Howard Univ., 1906; m. Addie Searcy, Dec. 29, 1909; one child, Jacob J. Jones, Jr., b. April 11, 1911; Lawyer, 1906-present; President, Negro Business League; Chairman, Board of Managers of Colored Branch City Hospital; President, Farmers Conference, Muskogee County; Chairman, Citizens Comm. on Public Schools; mem. Masons, Wise-men, Elks, Woodman-of-Union; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Office, 228½ N. Second St., Muskogee, Oklahoma; Residence, 2116 Topeka Ave., Muskogee, Oklahoma.

His father, the Rev. W. L. G. Jones was a Minister of the A. M. E. Church for seventy years.

Jacob J. Jones began practice of law in Oklahoma in 1906 and at Muskogee since 1908. In 1910 he was appointed local attorney for the M. V. Railroad Company, and has kept that position since.

In an action brought before the Supreme Court of Oklahoma recently a judgement was handed down in his favor, wherein the school term for Colored Schools of Muskogee was changed from seven months to nine months and the teachers' contracts were increased to nine months.

He was instrumental in securing a hospital estimated to be worth \$50,000 from the City Council, to be used for the colored people of Muskogee.

He has been identified with many movements in the State of Oklahoma for the civic betterment of the race.

JONES, LAURENCE CLIFTON—Educator.

b. Nov. 21, 1884, St. Joseph, Mo.; s. John Q. and Lydia (Foster) Jones; m. Grace Morris Allen, June 29, 1912 (deceased); two children, Turner Harris, b. May 6, 1914; Lawrence Clifton Jones, Jr., b. Dec. 10, 1917; educ. Marshalltown High Sch., Marshalltown, Ia., 1903; Ph. B. State Univ. of Iowa, 1907; Founder and Principal of Pine Woods Country Life Sch., 1909-present; mem. Mississippi Assn. Teachers in Colored Schs.; Nat. Negro Press Assn.; Nat. Negro Business League; Kappa Alpha Psi State Executive Committee Negro Y.M.C.A. work; auth. "The Bottom Rail," pub. F. H. Revell, 1934 "Up Through Difficulties," 1910: "Piney Woods and Its Story," pub. Fleming H. Revell, 1923; "The Spirit of Pine Woods," pub. Fleming H. Revell, 1930; numerous articles on Race problems; Chautauqua Lecturer; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal Church; Address, Piney Woods, Miss.

During the World War, Mr. Jones was in charge of the thrift stamp campaign among colored people in Mississippi. He was chairman of the American Red Cross work for Rankin and Simpson counties, Miss. Was Asst. Director of the Armenian Relief campaign in Miss., and Negro Secretary of the First United War Work Drive of that State.

He founded the Piney Woods School with practically no funds. In 1930 the property value was over \$250,000, consisting of more than 1,500 acres of land, several large school buildings a well equipped plant, Railroad Stop Government Post office

The Piney Woods School is a co-educational institution and is located in the so-called Black Belt (Braxton, Mississippi) 20 miles from Jackson, Miss.

JONES, L. C.—High School Principal.

b. April 1, 1878, Scottsboro, Ala.; s. Louis and Agnes Jones; educ. A.B., A.M., Roger Williams Univ., Nashville, Tenn.; Southland Coll., Ark.; State Normal Sch., Ala.; Pres., Florida Memorial Coll., 1904-12; Dean, State Univ., Louisville, Ky., 1912-13; Principal, Jones High Sch., Orlando, Fla., 1916-present; Pres., Florida State Teachers' Assn., 1914-16; Pres., Teachers' County Inst.; mem. Business Men's League; Missionary Baptist Church; Woodman of America; Woodman of Union; Relig. Baptist; Address, Jones High School; Residence, 317 W. Jefferson St., Orlando, Fla.

Jones High School is the second largest Colored public school in the State of Florida, having 1500 students and 34 teachers.

JONES, LOUIA VAUGHN—Violinist.

b. March 2, 1895, Cleveland, O.; s. Louia S. and Vaughnie F. Jones; m. Grace Lomax; one child, Grace Louise; educ. Central High Sch., Cleveland, O., 1913; New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, Mass., graduated, 1918; studied with Monsieur Lucien Capet, 1921-22; Ecole Normal de Musique, Paris, France, 1921-22; studied violin, Monsieur Maurice Hayot,

Paris, 1923; Studied violin, with Sollaway, an artist-pupil of Jeno Hubay, Budapest, Hungary, 1924; Studied violin, Monsieur Marcel Darrieux, Paris, 1925; Asst. Band Leader, 807th Pioneer Infantry Band, American Expeditionary Forces, France, 10 months; Instructor, violin, Conservatory of Music, Howard Univ., Washington D. C., 1930-present; Address, Howard University, Washington, D. C.; Residence, 10296 Drexel Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

JONES, OSCAR DUNN—Dentist.

b. Feb. 29, 1888, Morehead City, N. C.; s. William H. and Emma (Shepherd) Jones; m. Ula Goodrick, 1910; one child, Oscar Dunn, Jr., b. Nov. 15, 1911; educ. St. Augustine Coll., 1902-07; D.D.S., Howard Univ., 1911; Interne, Freedmen's Hosp., 1910-11; Dentist, 1911-present; mem. Vice Pres. Nat. Med. Assn.; Maryland Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Civic League; Nat. Health Committee; Masons; Elks; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopalian; Office, 1405 Druid Hill Ave.; Residence, 1128 W. Lafayette Ave., Baltimore, Md.

JONES, PAUL LINCOLN—Physician.

b. Feb. 24, 1902, Brockton, Mass.; s. Henry H. and Lucy Elizabeth (Bedford) Jones; educ. High Sch., Brockton, Mass., 1921; Tufts Coll., Boston, Mass., 1923; M.D., Tufts Medical Sch., Boston, Mass., 1927; Interne, St. Agnes Hospital, Raleigh, N. C., 1928; Physician, 1928-present; O.D.P., Harlem Hospital, New York City, N. Y., 1929-present; mem. Board of Directors, Y.M.C.A., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Board of Directors, Brooklyn Branch Urban League; N.A.A.C.P.; Sec., Trustee Board, Holy Trinity Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y.; National Medical Assn.; Provident Medical and Dental Soc.; Chi Delta Mu; Omega Phi Si; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 126 Clifton Pl., Brooklyn, N. Y.

JONES, PHILIP JAMES—Deputy Attorney General.

b. Feb. 8, 1889, Caroline County, Va.; s. George Rafeid and Fannie L. (Ferral) Jones; m. Arline Ader, Oct. 11, 1922; educ. Harrisburg High Sch., 1908; Univ. of Penna., 1914; LL.B., St. Lawrence Univ.; Lawyer, 1918-present; Deputy Attorney General, State of New York, 1938-present; connected, Public Defender and Big Brother Movement; Y.M.C.A.; Omega Psi Phi; Sons of Virginia; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 425 Sumner Ave. Brooklyn, N. Y.

JONES, ROBERT LEANDER—Minister.

b. March 20, 1900, Atlanta, Ga.; s. Willis L. and Georgia Annette Jones; m. Myrtle Ellen Hummons, July 15, 1938; educ. A.B., Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1930; Th.B., Morehouse Coll., 1935; D.D., Edward Waters College, Jacksonville, Fla., 1939; Minister and Teacher, 1923-present; Christian Ministry, 1923-present; Teacher, Florida Seminary, 1934-present; Founded, Holy Land and Africa, 1934; Attended World Baptist Alliance, Berlin, Germany, 1934; Delegate, World Youth Conference, Zurich, Switzerland, 1937; Pres., Orlando Baptist Ministers' Conference, 1938-present; mem. Orlando Negro Business League; Phi Beta Sigma; Pol. Republican; Relig. Missionary Baptist; Address, 1111 Lincoln St., St. Augustine, Fla.



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JOHN A. KENNEY, M.D.



JONES, MRS. VERINA MORTON—Physician.
b. Jan. 28, 1865, Cleveland, Ohio; d. William D. and Kittie (Stanley) Harris; m. W. A. Morton, M.D., Aug. 15, 1890 (deceased 1895); one child, Franklin W., b. Nov. 27, 1892; second marriage, Emory Jones, Nov. 27, 1901 (deceased Feb. 8, 1927); educ. State Normal Sch., Columbia, S. C.; Woman's Med. Coll. of Penn., 1884-88; M. D., 1888; Social Worker, 1914-20; Head Worker, Lincoln Settlement; Physician, 1888-present; mem. Metropolitan Bd. of Directors, Y.W.C.A., Brooklyn, N. Y., 1924-29; Board of Directors, N.A.A.C.P., 1909-25; Com. Management, Ashland Pl. Br. Y.W.C.A., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Com., Brooklyn Bureau of Charities; Bd. of Directors, Urban League, Lincoln Settlement, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Brooklyn Mothers Club; Hon. member, Zeta Phi Beta, Epsilon Chapter; Kings County Med. Soc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 29 Grove St., Hempstead, L. I.; Residence, 20 Fleet St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

She is the oldest colored physician in Brooklyn in point of practice as well as age.

She was first woman admitted to practice medicine in the state of Mississippi and the first colored woman to practice in Nassau County, L. I.

JONES, WILLIAM NESBIT—Editor.

b. Aug. 2, 1882, Spartanburg, S. C.; s. Julius and Jane Jones; educ. A.B. Benedict Coll., Columbia, S. C., 1907; Managing Editor, Baltimore Afro-American; Pres., Century Club; Vice-Pres., Baltimore Urban League; State Central Committee, Progressive Party, Maryland; mem. Baltimore Boy Scout Council; K. of Adelphean Club; Relig. Baptist; Address, 62 Eutaw St.; Residence, 2523 McCulloh St., Baltimore, Md.
Died.

JORDAN, LAWRENCE VICTOR—Training School Principal.

b. Aug. 21, 1901, Washington, D. C.; s. Charles W. and Mamie (Walker) Jordan; educ. Adena High Sch., Adena, O., 1923; A.B., Ohio Univ., Athens, O., 1926; A.M., Columbia Univ., New York City, 1931; Teacher, Browns Creek District High Sch., Kimball, W. Va., 1927-32; Chairman, Language Dept., 1928-32; Dean, Kittrell Coll., Kittrell, N. C., 1932-24 Assistant to Curator, Schomburg Collection New York Public Library, 1930-32; Principal and Supervisor of Student Teaching, Teacher Training High Sch., West Virginia State Coll., Institute, W. Va., 1934-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; American Assn. of Teachers of French; West Va. State Teachers' Assn.; Secretary Treasurer and editor of Year Book, W. Va. High Sch. Principal Conference, Dept. of Secondary Principals; Nat. Education Assn.; Supervisors of Student Teaching; Assn. for the Study of Negro Life and History; mem. N.A.A.C.P., Address, West Virginia State College, Institute, W. Va.

JORDAN, SHERMAN S.—Physician.

b. 1868, Raleigh, N. C.; s. Daniel and Seatha (Sellers) Jordan; m. Maria Wilkes, 1899; one child, Wilkes, b. July 7, 1900; educ. M.D. Cleve-

land Medical Coll., 1893; Health Office, Rendville, O., 1892-94; Councilman, Rendville, O., 1892-94; mem. Grand Cancellor K. of P., 1906-07; State Y.M.C.A. Committee, 5 years; State Inter-Racial Committee; Sigma Pi Phi; Masons; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 623 S. Center St., Springfield, O.

JOSEY, JAIRUS ANTHONY—Editor-Publisher.

b. Jan. 6, 1876, Richmond County, Augusta, Ga.; s. Anthony and Patience Josey; m. Chestena M. Carmichael, Sept. 4, 1905; educ. Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.; Editor and Publisher, Wisconsin Enterprise-Blade, Milwaukee, Wis.; mem. Odd Fellows; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 622½ Walnut St.; Residence 114 N. Blount St., Madison, Wis.

JOYNER, W. L.—Physician.

b. Nov. 23, 1887, Tarboro, N. C.; s. Redmon and Annie (Garrett) Joyner; educ. Raleigh High Sch., Raleigh, N. C., 1903; Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1903; M.D., Leonard Medical Coll., 1911; Staff, Lincoln Hospital, Durham, N. C., 1923-27; Past Exalted Ruler, Elks, Durham, N. C.; Past Noble Father, Odd Fellows, Greenville, Tenn.; Asst. Medical Director, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co.; 2nd Vice Pres., North Carolina Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Treas., Durham Colored Academy of Medicine; First Lieut., U. S. Army Reserve; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 8618 Cedar Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

JUST, ERNEST EVERETT—Scientist-Biologist.

b. Charleston, S. C.; educ. Industrial School, State College, Orangeburg, N. C.; Kimball Academy, Meriden, N. H.; Dartmouth College, 1907; Ph.D., University of Chicago, 1916; Spingarn Medalist, 1915; Instructor, Biology, Howard University; Address, Howard University, Washington, D. C.

Since leaving Dartmouth, Dr. Just has taught at Howard University. He, with some of the best known scientists in the country, is author of a book on cytology, published 1924. He was chosen by leading biologists of Germany as the best fitted among the World's scholars to write a treatise on fertilization. He is one of authors of a large work on colloid chemistry.

Every summer for 20 years he has done research work at the Marine Biological Laboratory in Woods Hole, Mass.

He is an editor of the international journal, *Protoplasma*, and of the official organ of the Marine Biological Advancement of Science; the American Society of Zoologists, the American Naturalists, and a corresponding member La Societe des Science Naturelles et Mathematiques of France.

Died, November 3, 1941.

KEEN, MRS. M. C. P.

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b. April 22, 1894, Chattanooga, Tenn.; s. Thomas Lawrence and Sina (Starks) Kelley; m. Gladys Caution, (divorce), March 23, 1915; second marriage, Narcissa A. Garcia, April 12, 1932; one child, Sina Estelle, b. April 23, 1916; educ. Sch., Chattanooga, Tenn.; Austin High Sch., Knoxville, Tenn., 1909-12; Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, Ohio, 1912-13; Circulation Mgr., N. Y. News, 1913-15; Brooklyn Mgr., N. Y. Amsterdam News, 1916; Bus. Mgr., Champion Magazine, Chicago, Ill., 1917; Industrial Sec., Urban League, Chicago, Ill., 1917-18; Asst. Bus. Mgr., Pearson's Magazine, N. Y. C., 1919-21; Circulation Mgr., N. Y. Despatch, N. Y., 1921-22; Editor, The Amsterdam News, 1922-33; Editor, Daily Citizen; Pol. Independent Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 220 W. 135th St., New York, N. Y.

KELLUM, DAVID WILLIAM—Newspaper Reporter, Editor.

b. Aug. 25, 1903, Greenville, Miss.; s. David Crockett and Elizabeth (Houston) Kellum; educ. Greenville Pub. Sch. No. 2; Wendell Phillips High Sch., Chicago, Ill.; Northwestern Univ., Sch. of Journalism, 1927-present; Reporter, Chicago Defender; Editor, "Bud Billiken" Page; mem. Appomattox Club; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, 3435 Indiana Ave.; Residence, 5000 Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He was the first Negro to be appointed R. O.T.C. Cadet Major in Chicago, and the first to be commissioned Brevet Lieut., Illinois National Guard, by Gov. Len Small.

KELSEY, ANDREW ZADOCK—Principal.

b. Dec. 25, 1871, Millen, Ga.; s. (Rev.) Robert and Margaret Kelsey; m. Marie H. Jones, Feb. 20, 1906; two children, Andrew Z., b. Dec. 28, 1909; George D. S., b. July 24, 1911; educ. A.B. Morehouse Coll., 1903; Tuskegee Inst., 1904; Principal, Calvin Creek High Sch., Griffin, Ga.; Supt., Baptist Reformatory, Macon, Ga.; mem. Nat. Assn. of Colored Teachers in Pub. Sch.; Georgia State Teachers Assn.; ex-Sec., Y.M.C.A., Columbus, Ga.; Inter-racial Committee; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Griffin, Ga.

KEMP, THOMAS SOLOMON—Educator—Clergyman.

b. Sept. 6, 1886, Macon, Ga.; s. Caesar and Zilphia (Hall) Kemp; m. Bessie E. Gibson, Nov. 5, 1914; three children, Thomas Elmore Gibson, b. April 29, 1917; Walter Bernard, b. June 14, 1919; Boderick Gibson, b. June 14, 1921; educ. A.B., Talladega Coll.,

Talladega, Ala., 1908; Columbia Univ., New York City, 1922, 1926, 1928, specialized in Educ.; Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa. 1931, specialized in Educ.; winner, the Whiten Essay Prize Contest and the Oratorical and Rhetorical Prize; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.; Hampton Coll., Hampton, Va.; Manager, Industrial Orphanage Home, Columbia, S. C.; Teacher and Acad. Director, Voorhees Sch., Denmark, S. C., 1914-18; Executive Sec., Y. M. C. A., Birmingham, Ala., 1922-32; Pastor, Congregational Church, Columbia, S. C.; County Supervisor, Elementary Sch., Easton, Md.; Principal High School, Rockville, Md.; mem. Deacon Board, Congregational Church; College Debating Team; Football Team; State Teachers Assn.; Citizens' Civic League; Sunday Sch., Superintendent; Elks; Woodmen of the World; Belle Letters Club; Men's Soc. Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregational; Address, 622 3rd St., N.E., Washington, D. C.

KENNEY, JOHN ANDREW—Physician.

b. June 11, 1874, Albemarle Co., Va.; s. John and Caroline (Howard) Kenny; m. Alice Talbot (Deceased), Dec. 28, 1902; second marriage, Frieda Frances Armstrong, Oct. 29, 1913; four children, John Andrew, Jr.; Oscar Armstrong; Howard Washington; Harriette Elizabeth; educ. Student, Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1893-97; Student, Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1895-1901; M.D., Shaw Univ., 1901; D.Sc. (Honorary), Lincoln Univ., Oxford, Pa., 1934; LL.D. (Honorary), Shaw Univ., 1938; Interne, Freedmans' Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1901-02; Resident Physician and Director, Hospital and Nurses Training Sch., Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1902-24; Founded John A. Andrew Clinics, 1912; Personal Physician to late Booker T. Washington; Founder, Associate Editor and Business Manager, Journal of National Medical Assn., 1908-16; Editor-in-Chief since 1916; Publisher, "The Negro in Medicine," 1912; mem. John A. Andrew Clinical Soc. of Tuskegee Inst., Ala.; Essex County Medical Assn.; N. J. State Medical Society; American Medical Assn.; Academy of Medicine of Northern New Jersey; Sec., National Assn., 1904-12; Pres., 1912; North Jersey Medical Soc.; State Medical Soc. (Alabama); mem. Board of Trustees, Community Hospital, Newark, N. J.; Medical Director (on Leave of Absence), Community Hospital, Newark, N. J.; mem. Zeta Boule; at present Director of Hospital and Nurses Training Sch., John A. Andrew Memorial Hospital, Tuskegee Inst., Ala.; mem. Masons; Tuskegee Alumni Club; Relig. Baptist; Address, Tuskegee Institute, Ala.

After conducting the hospital privately for 7 years, he donated the hospital as a Christmas present to the community, deeded to Booker T. Washington Community Hospital Association, representing the colored people of New Jersey. He served as Medical Director and chief surgeon of same until November 1939, when he was granted a leave of Absence by the Board of Trustees of The Community Hospital to again assume the position of Medical Director of the John A. Andrew Memorial Hospital, Tuskegee Institute, Alabama.



JACOB J. JONES, L.L.B.



L. C. JONES, A.B., A.M.



JOSEPH H. N. JONES, A.B., M.D.



LAURENCE CLIFTON JONES, Ph.B.

JONES, R. FRANK—Physician.

b. Feb. 16, 1897, Washington, D. C.; s. Samuel L. and Mary (Payne) Jones; m. Esther A. Shackelford, Oct. 24, 1925; educ. B.S., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1919; M.D., 1922; Physician and Surgeon, 1922-present; Urologist, Howard Univ. Medical Faculty; Visiting Urologist, Freedmen's Hospital, Washington, D. C.; President, Medico-Chirurgical Soc., 1929-present; mem. National Medical Assn.; Elks; Alpha Phi Alpha; Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 717 Florida Ave., N.W.; Residence, 1721 T St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

JONES, RICHARD LEE—Department Store General Superintendent.

b. Dec. 21, 1893, Albany Ga.; s. Richard C. and Eliza (Brown) Jones; educ. Woodward High, Cincinnati, O., 1912; Univ. of Cincinnati, College of Commerce, Cincinnati, O.; Univ. of Illinois Champaign, Ill.; General Superintendent, South Center Department Store, Chicago, Ill., 1928-present; Business Manager, Chicago Defender, Chicago, Ill., 1922-27; Commanding Officer, Military Police, Louisville, Ky., 1917-19; Trustee, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1930-present; mem. Elks; Kappa Alpha Psi; N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Relig. Baptist; Address, 421 E. 47th St.; Residence, 4524 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

The South Center Department Store, of which he is the General Superintendent, has been in operation since March, 1928, and employs 190 persons, having 54 departments and a floor space of 90,000 square feet, covering three floors and basement.

He is the only Colored person holding the position of General Superintendent of a large Department Store.

JONES, ROBERT ELIJAH—Bishop.

b. Feb. 19, 1872, Greensboro, N. C.; s. Sidney Dallas and Mary Jane (Holley) Jones; m. Valena C. MacArthur, Jan. 2, 1901 (deceased Jan. 14, 1917); second marriage, H. Elizabeth Brown, Feb. 4, 1920; educ. A. B., Bennett Coll., Greensboro, N. C., 1895; A.M., 1898; B.D. Gammon Theol. Sem., Atlanta, Ga., 1897; D.D., New Orleans Univ., 1901; Gammon Theol. Sem., 1905; Wesleyan Univ., 1918; LL.D., Howard Univ., 1911; Pastor, Leaksville, N. C., 1891; ordained Methodist Episcopal ministry, Deacon, 1892, Elder 1896; Pastor, Lexington and Thomasville, N. C., 1892, Lexington, 1893, Reidsville, 1894; Assistant Manager, Southwestern Christian Advocate, 1897-1900; Field Secretary, Board of Sunday School M.E. Church, 1901-04; Editor, Southwestern Christian Advocate, 1904-20; Bishop, M.E. Church, since 1920; Member General Conference M.E. Church, 1904-08-12-16-20; President, Board of Trustees, Wiley Univ., Samuel Houston Coll., New Orleans Univ., Haven Inst. and Conservatory of Music; Chairman, Board Flint-Goodbridge Hospital and Training School; Trustee, Gammon Theol. Sem., Bennett College; mem. Council Association Study of Negro Life and History; Committee on Negro Churches of Federal Council Chs. of Christ; International Committee Y.M.C.A.; Inter-Racial Commission; Executive Committee

Board of Education for Negroes; President, Colored Y.M.C.A., New Orleans; Vice-President, International Y.M.C.A. Convention; Father and Son National Committee; President Gulfside Association; auth. "The Negro and the Challenge of the New Day"; Address, 631 Baronne St.; Residence, 5207 Constance St., New Orleans, La.

JONES, SAMUEL COBB—Physician.

b. April 8, 1880, Chapel Hill, N. C.; s. William and Minnie (Barber) Jones; m. Rina Barnett, Dec. 10, 1913; educ. Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C.; Bennett Coll., Greensboro, N. C.; Kittrell Coll., Kittrell, N. C.; M.D., Shaw Univ., Leonard Medical Coll., Raleigh, N. C., 1911; Physician, 1912-present; Teacher, Physical Culture, A. and T. Coll., Greensboro, N. C., 1915-16; Medical Examiner, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co., 1923-present; Treas., Mountain City Medical Soc., 1930-present; Sergeant-at-Arms, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, 1926-present; Chairman, Steward Board, St. Paul A.M.E. Church, 1928-present; mem. Masons; National Medical Assn.; Tennessee State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M.E.; Address, 124½ E. 9th St.; Residence, 518 E. 8th St., Chattanooga, Tenn.

JONES, THOMAS ADOLPHUS—Physician.

b. May 6, 1873, British Guiana, S. A.; s. Henry and Jane (Richardson) Jones; m. Jemima Evelyn, 1899; children, Evelyn, Charles, Egbert; educ. Howard Univ., Med. Sch., 1899-1900; Boston Coll. of Phys. and Surgs., Boston, Mass., 1901-03; M.D., 1903; McGill Univ., Canada, 1910-13; M.D.C.M. McGill Univ., 1913; Principal Public Sch., 1896-99; Prof. of Bacteriology and Chemistry, Flint Med. Coll., 1903-04; Clergyman, Protestant Episcopal Church, 1904; Physician, 1903-present; Medical Examiner, Bergen Lodge No. 43, K. of P. and St. Marks Lodge, Odd Fellows; Pres., Hudson County Physicians Assn.; Pol. Non-Partisan; Relig. Protestant Episcopal Church; Address, 85 Oak St., Jersey City, N. J.

He founded and was Medical Director of an Obstetrical School for Colored Students at Gonzales, Texas, in 1904. This school graduated the first four females and two males to pass the Texas State Board of Obstetricians.

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JONES, THOMAS EUGENE—Dentist.

b. May 3, 1894, Anderson, S. C.; s. Lawrence and Lulu (Thomas) Jones; m. Nora J. Hammond, Feb. 17, 1919; two children, Olive, b. Sept., 1920; Thomas Eugene, Jr., b. Mar., 1921; educ. M Street High Sch. (now Dunbar High Sch.), Washington, D. C., 1912; D.D.S., Howard

Univ., Washington, D. C., 1916; Dentist, 1916-present; mem. Masons; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 1631 W. Franklin St.; Residence, 1510 Pennsylvania Ave., Baltimore, Md.

JONES, THOMAS EDWARD—Surgeon-in-Chief Freedman Hospital.

b. May 26, 1880, Lynchburg, Va.; s. Campbell and Emma (Glenn) Jones; m. Leonie Sinkler, April 3, 1901; educ. Lynchburg High Sch., 1898; M.D., Howard Univ. School of Medicine, 1912; interned Freedman's Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1913; Physician and Surgeon, 1912-present; appointed Anesthetist, Freedman's Hospital, 1914-17; entered Medical Officers' Training Camp, 1917, and was discharged from Army March 9, 1919; Resident Asst. Surgeon, Freedman's Hospital, 1919-36; Surgeon-in-Chief, Freedman's Hospital, 1936-present; mem. National Medical Assn.; N. A. A. C. P.; Y. M. C. A.; Mason; Odd Fellows; Commander, James E. Walker Post, American Legion, District of Columbia, three terms; Past Department Surgeon, American Legion, District of Columbia; mem. Army and Navy Legion of Valor, of the United States; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Freedman's Hospital, 6th and Bryant Sts., Washington, D. C.; Residence, 1505 - 12th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

During the past fifteen years from the time he was appointed Asst. Chief Surgeon and later Chief Surgeon he has performed more than two thousand major operations. One of these was on April 7, 1927, when he successfully operated upon a human heart, and which received a great deal of favorable newspaper comment.

He served in the World's War in France with the 368th Infantry from 1917, as a First Lieut. in the Medical Corp., and served until the close of the war. During that time he served in one defensive and two major offensive campaigns. He displayed extraordinary heroism in action near Binerville, France, for which bravery he was promoted to Captaincy in the field for attending the wounded in open area while under machine gun fire. For this remarkable bravery he was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross and Croix de Guerre.

Freedmen's Hospital of which he is the Surgeon-in-Chief, is under the supervision of the Department of the Interior. It is a class "A" institution of 322 beds and 54 bassinets, maintaining an indoor and outdoor department; an emergency, ambulance, and social service. It has an interesting history dating back to March 3, 1865, at which time Congress passed "An act to establish a Bureau for the relief of Freedmen and Refugees."

A new Freedmen's Hospital was built on the site now occupied by the hospital. The service was organized on a modern basis with up-to-date equipment, placing within

reach of the young colored graduates and student nurses, as well as the physicians of Washington who constituted the visiting staff, the best possible scientific opportunities.

The Hospital is the largest operated by Colored in the United States and comprises an area of four city blocks in buildings and grounds. Provision is made for both indigent and pay patients. The visiting staff numbers 115 persons. The number of Indoor patients receiving treatment was 5,969, and the number of Outdoor patient visits was 53,518.

JONES, WILLIAM HENRY—College Dean.

b. March 3, 1896, Muscotah, Kan.; s. George W. and Huldah (Wilson) Jones; m. Rachel Cornelia Polk, September 4, 1924; two children, Wilhelmina Elaine, b. June 7, 1925; Gwendolyn Anita, b. Aug. 14, 1926; educ. A.B., Washburn Coll., 1918; A.M., Univ. of Chicago, 1919; B.D., 1921; Fellow, Blatchford Foundation, toward the Ph.D. Degree in Sociology, 1921-23; auth. "Recreation and Amusement Among Negroes in Washington, D. C.," Howard Univ. Press, 1927; "The Housing of Negroes in Washington, D. C." Howard Univ. Press, 1929; "The Young Negro", Professor and Head of Dept., History and Political Science, W. Virginia State Coll., 1923-24; Professor and Head of Dept. of Sociology, Howard Univ., 1924-28; Professor and Head of Dept. of Sociology and History, Va. Theological Sem. and Coll., 1929-30; Dean, Tillotson Women's Coll., 1930-present; mem. N.A. A.C.P.; American Assn. for the Advancement of Science; American Sociological Soc.; Soc. for Social Research; Texas State Teachers Assn.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, Tillotson Women's College, Austin, Texas.

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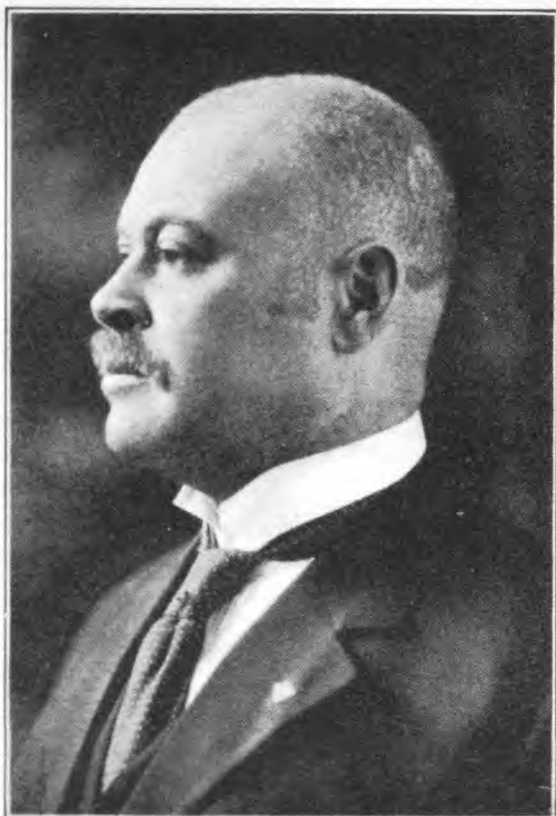
b. 1892, Holly Bluff, Miss.; s. Elijah and Florida (Ball) Jones; two children, William Lenard, Jr.; Florida Pearl; educ. Public Sch. and High Sch., Yazoo City, Vicksburg, Mound Bayou, Miss.; Clergyman, 1916-present; Pastor, East Holly Mission, Houses Chapel Station, Bethea Station, Miss.; Sergeant, Quartermaster's Dept., 1918; discharged Dec. 11, 1918; Commander-in-Chief, Southern Mississippi Division, National Assn. of Negro War Veterans, 1930-present; Pres., Duncan Precinct, Miss.; mem. North Mississippi Annual Conference, 1916-29; Mississippi Annual Conference, 1929-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 1925 Dinwiddie St., McComb, Miss.

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b. Nov. 28, 1878, near Winnsboro, S. C.; s. (Rev.) Frank and Sarah R. (Pool) Killingsworth; m. Laura A. Penn, M.D., Oct. 7, 1908; one child, Althea Stavelyn, b. June 3, 1912; educ. Livingstone College, 1894-99; A.B. State College, S. C., 1907; D.D. Livingstone College, 1921; Principal, Jefferson Graded Sch., York, S. C.; Academic Dept. Manassas Industrial Inst., Manassas, Va., 1907-17; Pastor, Lomax A.M.E. Zion Church, Arlington, Va., 1918-26; Pastor, Varick Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church, Philadelphia, Pa., 1927-29; Founder and Pastor, Kodesh Church of Immanuel, with headquarters in Philadelphia, Pa.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Kodesh Church of Immanuel, 51st and Brown Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.; Residence, 1509 S St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

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Loggins, May, 1885 (deceased Sept. 21, 1889); one child, Fernnie M.; second marriage, Jennie Loggins, Sept. 12, 1909; three children, Vernice A., b. June 2, 1910; Abraham J., b. Jan. 11, 1914; Geneva, b. Aug. 17, 1919; educ. Xenia, Ohio High Sch., 1880-83; Indiana Univ., 1893-96 and 1903-04; A.B., 1896; Indiana Med. Coll., Indianapolis, Ind., 1904-07; M.D., 1907; Teacher, Public Sch., Indiana, 1898-99; Prin. Mt. Vernon, Ind. High Sch., 1896-99; Principal, Bloomington, Ind., 1886-93; 1899-1902; Physician, 1907-present; auth. "School Organization," pub. The School Graphic, 1899; "Some Criticism and Thoughts," pub. The Student, May 12, 1896; member and ex-Treas., Indiana Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 866 W. 26th St., Indianapolis, Ind.

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KING, CLARENCE DOYLE—School President.

b. Feb. 23, 1893, Danville, Va.; s. William Henry and Isabella (Doyle) King; m. Blanche Fletcher Powell, June 2, 1917; one child; Constance Doyle, b. Apr. 3, 1919; educ. Union Univ., Rich., Va., 1916-18; Columbia Univ., Social Science, 1921-22; College of City of New York; Student Teacher, Union Univ., 1918; Charge, Henry Street Settlement, vocational classes, 1917-18; first colored assistant director, West Side Y.M.C.A., charge of evening classes, 1918-21; ex-Sec., Boys Welfare Assn., 1921-22; Dean of School of Christian Education, Y.M.C.A., 135th St. Branch, 1922-present; Real Estate and Insurance, 1922-present; Director, Boys' Club, Flushing, L. I.; Board of Managers, West 135th Street Branch, Y.M.C.A.; Chairman, Supervising Committee, Peoples' Credit Union; Pres., Hunton School of Christian Education, New York City, 1930-present; mem. Pres., Epsilon Chapter, Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity; special representative of Regional Vice Pres., Phi Beta Sigma; Masons; N. A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2371 Seventh Ave.; Residence, 574 St. Nicholas Ave., New York, N. Y.

KING, DUDLEY GARNETT—Dentist.

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Mass., 5 years; employed by H. Adolp. Howen, Funeral Director, for 10 years; Funeral Director, 1922-present; mem. Imperial Lodge, Elks; Odd Fellows; British Free Gardeners; Shepards; Forresters; Sons and Daughters of Barbados; Metropolitan Funeral Directors Assn.; Relig. Protestant Episcopal Church; Address, 89 W. 134th St., New York, N. Y.; Residence, 238 S. 9th Ave., Mount Vernon, N. Y.

KING, L. MELENDEZ—Lawyer—b. May 31, 1873, Amherst Co., Va.; s. Henry and Nancy King; educ. Pub. Sch., Amherst Co., Va.; Va. Normal and Coll. Inst., 1888-90; Law Dept., Univ. of Michigan, Ann Harbor, Mich.; Howard Univ.; LL.B. Howard Univ., LL.M. Howard Univ.; m. Anna E. Johnson, June 8, 1906; one child, Ruby Johnson, b. Aug. 11, 1915; practiced Law before District of Columbia Bar, 1898-present; Examiner in Chancery, appointed by Judges of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, 1911-present; established the John M. Langston Sch. of Law, 1915; mem. Trustee Board, Berean Baptist Church; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1907 13th St., Washington, D. C.

L. Melendez King, Examiner in Chancery and Dean of the John M. Langston School of Law of Frelinghuysen University, Washington, D. C., was born in Virginia and received his early education there.

He has practiced before the District of Columbia Bar for twenty-seven years. In 1911, he was appointed Examiner in Chancery by the Judges of the District. He is a member of all the courts of the District of Columbia, including the Court of Claims and the Supreme Court of the United States.

The John M. Langston School of Law, established by Mr. King in 1915 had in 1926 a faculty of ten and a student enrollment of fifty.

He founded the Order of the Malichites in 1914. He also assisted the late Dr. W. Bishop Johnson in founding the Afro-American School of Correspondence in 1909, which gave instructions to many clergymen.

KING, LORENZO HOUSTON—Bishop. b. Jan. 2, 1878, Macon, Mississippi; s. Houston Carlton and Leah (Frazier) King; educ. A.B. Clark Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1902; B.D. Gammon Theol. Sem., 1903; studied Teachers College, Columbia Univ., 1910-11; B.D. Union Theol. Sem., 1911; D.D. Wiley Univ., 1910; m. Louise Marie Watts, Dec. 13, 1903; ordained Ministry M.E. Ch., 1907; Pastor, Elberton, Ga., 1902; Covington, 1903-04; South Atlanta, 1905-08; Newnan, 1909-10; Central Church, Atlanta, Ga., 1912-20; Editor, Southwestern Christian Advocate, New Orleans, 1920-present; Professor, English, Clark Univ., 1911-12; elected Bishop, M. E. Church, 1940-present; mem. Trustee, Clark Univ.; Grand Secretary, Ga. Grand Lodge York Rite Masons, 1914-20; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Address, 49 Edgecomb Ave., New York, N. Y.

KING, WILLIAM E.—Lawyer—Assemblyman.

b. May 12, 1885, Morehouse Parish, La.; s. John Blevin and Selina (Jenkins) King; m. Blanche Hastings, June 30, 1919; one child, Blanche, b.

Aug., 1920; educ. Coleman Academy Gibsland, La.; A.B., Philander Smith Coll., Little Rock, Ark.; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.; LL.B., John Marshall Law Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1915; Lawyer, 1916-present; Asst. Corporation Counsel, Chicago, Ill., 1919; Asst. States Attorney, Cook Co., Illinois, 1923; Assemblyman, State of Illinois, 1924; 1928-present; Ward Committeeman, 2nd Ward, Chicago, Ill., 1932-present; mem. National Bar Assn.; Cook Co. Bar Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 35 S. Dearborn St.; Residence, 4046 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

He introduced and had passed a law which in a great measure prevented the operation of the Klu Klux Klan of Illinois from continuing in operation.

KING, WILLIS JEFFERSON—College President.

b. Oct. 1, 1886, Rose Hill, Harris County, Texas; s. Anderson W. and Emma (Blackshear) King; m. Permella J. Kelly, June 4, 1913; three children, Velma N., b. April 5, 1914; Eloise A., b. July 4, 1915; Grace E., b. Jan. 7, 1917; educ. Village Sch., Jasseroand, Trinity County, Texas; Wiley Coll., 1903-10; A.B. Wiley Coll., 1910; Boston Univ. (Sch. of Theol.), 1910-13; Graduate Sch., Boston Univ., 1913-15; S.T.B. Boston Univ., 1913; D.D. Wiley Coll., 1917; Ph.D. Boston Univ., 1921; Pastor in Boston and Texas Churches Assistant Pastor St. Marks M.E. Church, New York, 1908-18; Professor Old Testament and Sociology, Gammon Theol. Sem., Atlanta, Ga., 1918-30; Pres., Sam. Houston Coll., Austin, Tex., 1930-32; Pres., Gammon Theological Sem., Atlanta, Ga., 1932-present; auth. "The Negro in American History," mem. National Preaching Mission Staff, 1936-37; mem. Commission of Unification of Methodist Churches in America; mem. Board of Education, M. Episc. Church; mem. Atlanta School of Social Work, Pub. Methodist Book Concern, New York, 1926; mem. Omega Psi Phi, Boulé; American Sociological Society; Pol. Independent Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Gammon Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Ga.

President King represented Negro students at the World Student Christian Federation Conference held in Peking, China, 1922, was a member of the Methodist General Conference at Springfield, Mass., in 1924. He is a member of the Board of Education of that Church.

He studied in Oxford University, England, on a Rosenwald Fellowship, doing research work in the field of Hebrew metre, with a view to publishing a technical study on one of the Hebrew prophets. He spent several months in the Palestine studying Hebrew backgrounds.

He was elected President of Samuel Houston College, Austin, Texas, in August, 1930, where he remained for 2 years and then became the President of Gammon Theological Seminary in Atlanta, Ga.

In 1937 Doctor King was a delegate to the Oxford Conference on Life and Work which was held in Oxford, England.

KINGSLEY, HAROLD M.—Director of Negro Work.

b. March 1, 1887, Mobile, Alabama; m. Mattie Jackson, Dec. 25, 1911; three children, Harold M., b. March 15, 1914; Anne Marie, b. Dec. 31, 1916; Roy Edwards, b. Sept. 22, 1919; educ. Emerson Inst., Mobile, Ala., 1904; B.A. Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala., 1908; B.D. Yale Divinity Sch., 1911; Director, under Congregational Church Extension Boards, of Congl. Church Work among Colored People in the North; auth. "What the Negro Thinks of the White Man's Religion," *Miss. Rev. of Wld.*; "The Unchurched Negro," *The New York World*, Sept. 12, 1926; "Salvaging Abandoned Churches," *American Miss. Magazine*, Jan., 1927; mem. N.A.A.C.P. at organization. 1909; Alpha Phi Alpha; Sigma Pi Phi; Boule; Cuygoga No. 95, I.B.P.O.E.; Pol. Republican (preference); Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 5700 Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill.

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b. Pittsburgh, Pa.; d. Harry E. and Ella A. (Williams) Kinner; educ. Alleghany High Sch., Pittsburgh, Pa., 1911; Univ. of Pittsburgh, 1915; M.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1919; Interne, Mercy Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa., 1920; Physician, 1920-present; On Staff, Child Welfare Division, Public Health Nursing Assn., 1926-present; Consulting Physician, Birth Control League, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1931-present; mem. Alpha Kappa Alpha; N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Y.W.C.A.; National Medical Assn.; Penna. State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 1406 Boyle St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

KINNEY, T. EDWARD.

b. Jan. 6, 1881, Trenton, N. J.; s. Charles and Nancy (Vincent) Kinney; m. Florence Dillon, May 27, 1923; educ. Lincoln Pub. Sch., Trenton, N. J., 1898; Trenton State Normal Sch., 1898-1902; N. Y. Univ.; Columbia Univ.; Rutgers Coll.; Teacher, Salem County, N. J., 1902-12; Clerk, Patent Office, Washington, D. C.; Principal in charge of Lincoln, Nixon and Escher Public Schools, Trenton, N. J., 1912-23; Retired, 1923-28; Financial Sec., Sunlight Lodge, I.P.O. E. of W., 1928-present; Financial Sec., and Director, Dunbar Realty and Investment Co., 1928-present; Financial Sec. and General Mgr., Tee Kay Amusement Co., 1928-present; Justice of Peace; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, 23-44 Fowler St.; Residence, 97 Spring St., Trenton, N. J.

The Sunlight Lodge, Elks, of which he is the financial secretary, owns their building, valued at more than \$100,000. Its auditorium has a seating capacity of 700. The building was started in 1923 and through his instrumentality was completed Feb. 1, 1928.

KIRTON, THOMAS H.—Funeral Director.

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KNOX, L. AMASA—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 6, 1870, Greenville County, Va.; s. Africanus and Sallie Ann (Williams) Knox; m. Clara Tarquinia Chase, June 26, 1901; educ. Virginia

Normal and Collegiate Inst., (now Virginia State Coll.), Petersburg, Va., A.B., 1894; Howard Univ., LL.B. 1897; LL.M. 1898; Lawyer, 1898-present; mem. 55th General Assembly, State of Missouri; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Ivanhoe Club; Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1419 E. 18th St.; Residence, 1825 The Paseo, Kansas City, Mo.

KORNEGAY, MAUDE MATALENE—County Supervisor.

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KYLES, LYNWOOD WESTINGHOUSE — Bishop.

b. May 3, 1874, Ivy Depot, Albemarle Co., Va.; s. Burrell and Mary Kyles; m. Jenny Smith, 1897 (deceased); sec. marriage, Louella Marie Bryan, Dec. 18, 1908; educ. A.B. Lincoln Univ., Penn., 1901; graduate Theology Dept., Lincoln Univ., 1904; entered Ministry A.M.E. Zion Church, 1896; Editor and General Manager, A.M.E. Zion Church Review, 1908-16; Secretary and Treasurer, Ministerial Brotherhood and Relief Department; elected Bishop, May 16, 1916; Pres., Board of Trustees, Walters Institute, Warren, Ark.; Trustee, Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C.; National Trustee, World's Christian Endeavor Society; Chairman, Central Committee, and General Director Tercentenary Campaign for One Million Dollars; Delegate, Fourth Ecumenical Conference, London, 1921; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Address, 1612 E. 14th St., Winston-Salem, N. C.

Died, July 15, 1941.

LACEY, GEORGE WASHINGTON—Physician.

b. Feb. 22, 1871, LaFayette, Ind.; s. Austin and Julia (Barber) Lacey; m. Junice Mills, July 24, 1895; educ. Sch., La Fayette, Ind.; Ph.G., Purdue Univ., 1890; M.D. Meharry Med. Coll., 1904; Physician and Surgeon, 1904-present; mem. Elks; Relig. Methodist; Address, 3404 Calumet St., Chicago, Ill.

LACY, GEORGE CORINTH—Asst. Prosecuting Attorney.

b. June 7, 1898, Richmond, Va.; s. Hugh and Jennie (Mason) Lacy; m. Cleota Collins, Nov. 5, 1917; educ. M St. High Sch., Washington, D. C.; New York Univ., New York City; A.B., Ohio State Univ., Columbus, O., 1925; LL.B., 1928; LL.M., John Marshall Law Sch., Cleveland, O., 1929; Lawyer, 1928-present; Captain, 369th U. S. Infantry, Machine Guns, serving in France, 1918-19, Director, Y. M. C. A., Cedar Branch, 1931-present; Legal Advisor, Mid-West Agricultural Corp., 1920-present; Legal Advisor, Co-operative Industrial Assn., 1931-present; Legal Adviser, Dykes By-Products Corp., 1930-present; Asst. Prosecuting Attorney, Cleveland, O., 1932-present; Democrat Ward Leader, 17th Ward, Cleveland, O., 1930-present; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; National Bar Assn.; Cleveland Bar Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. A.M. E.; Address, 2319 E. 55th St.; Residence, 8116 Cedar Ave., Cleveland, O.

LAMB, WILSON—Concert Singer, Teacher of Voice.

b. Nov. 24, 1878, Norfolk, Va.; s. J. Gordan and Laura (Evans) Lamb; educ. Norfolk Mission Coll., Norfolk, Va., 1884-88; Pub. Sch. and English High Sch., Boston, Mass., 1896; Andover Academy, Andover, Mass., 1897; studied sight reading, N. E. Conservatory of Music, Boston, Mass.; Voice under Reuben Merrill, George Leach, Ivan Morawski and John Lane for twelve years; Teacher, Voice, New York City, Newark and Orange, N. J., 1911-present; contr. Voice Treatise, Musical Courier, 1925; articles on Negro Spirituals, Musical Courier, 1926; mem. Y.M.C.A., Oakwood Br., Orange, N. J.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, 310 Main St.; Residence, 84 S. Center St., Orange, N. J.

He was born of slave parents who died when he was ten years of age. In 1888 he was sent to Boston, Mass., and there adopted by Major and Mrs. William N. Whittier, who advanced his way through school. After one year at Andover Academy he began to study sight reading at the N. E. Conservatory of Music and Voice under private instructors.

He came to New York in 1911, making his debut at Aeolian Hall May, 1919, where he has since given three concerts. He has also appeared in Carnegie Hall and has given recitals in practically every large city in the United States. He organized the first one hundred voice chorus in the State of New Jersey, which has appeared in the Cantatas, "Haymakers," arranged by Fred Root; "Rose Maiden," by Frederick Cowen, and "Joan of Arc," by Gaul.

LAMPKIN, FOSTER ROBERT—Supervisor Colored Schools.

b. Hawkinsville, Georgia; s. Robert and Rosa (Larkin) Lampkin; m. Maurice Lee Cobb, Feb. 25, 1923; three children, Maurice Roselvryn, b. Jan. 27, 1924; Fostine Roberta (deceased Mar. 6, 1925); Cornelia Ellen, b. Sept. 30, 1926; educ. Public School, Hawkinsville, Ga., 1908; Ga. State Coll., 1908-17; A.B. Ga. State Coll., 1917; Boston Univ., 1917-19; A.B., 1919; Post Graduate course, Boston Univ., 1920; Post Graduate Work, Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass., 1930-31; Prof. of Psychology, Ga. State Coll., 1919-20; Director, Y.M.C.A., Ga. State Coll., 1921-22; Dean of Literary Dept., Ga. State Coll., 1922-26; Pres., Americus Inst., Americus, Ga., May 25, 1926-29; Rosenwald Field Agent for Georgia, 1929-30; Supervisor, Colored Schools, Columbus, Ga., 1930-present; Sec.-Vice-Pres., Georgia State Teachers' and Educational Association; mem. Sigma Chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha; Internat. Benevolence Society; A.F.&A.M.; Principal, Spencer High Sch.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, W. H. Spencer Vocational High Sch.; Residence, 445 Fifth Ave., Columbus, Ga.

In 1921 he was the leader of an organization for the celebration of President R. R. Wright's fiftieth anniversary as a teacher and his thirtieth anniversary as President of Georgia State College.

LANE, FRAYSER TITUS—Social Worker.

b. May 29, 1892, Memphis, Tenn.; s. William B. and Susie (Gunthrop) Lane; m. Lilian Margaret Lane, June 7, 1925; educ. Kortrecht High Sch., 1906-09; Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1910-16; A.B., 1916; Y.M.C.A. Coll., Social Service, 1916-17; Univ. of Chicago, graduate work, 1916-17; Activities Secretary, Chicago, Y.M.C.A., Oct. 1916-Jan., 1920; Director Research Dept., Chicago Urban League, Jan., 1920-August, 1920; Executive Secretary, Community Service, Urban League, Kansas City, Mo., Aug., 1920-present; Member of Executive Committee and Chairman of Race Relations Committee of Missouri State Conference for Social Welfare; Member of Board of Trustees of Council of Social Agencies, Kansas City, Mo.; Sen. mem. of American Assn. of Social Workers; Member of Mayor's Committee of 100 citizens who investigated civic problems; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; contr. to various newspapers and magazines on social and civic problems affecting Negroes; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1731 Lydia St.; Residence, 2147 East 24th St., Kansas City, Mo.

LANE, JAMES FRANKLIN—College President.

b. Feb. 18, 1874, Jackson, Tenn.; s. Isaac and Frances B. Lane; m. Mary Edna Johnson; educ. Lane Coll., High Sch., graduate of Normal Course, 1891; A.B. Walden Coll., 1895; Harvard Coll. 1897; A.M., Walden Coll., 1900-03; Ph.D., Walden Coll., 1903; auth. "My Second Trip Abroad"; "Much in Little"; Principles of School Administration at the College Level"; "Type of Education Most Needed"; Articles in various publications; Principal, Panola High Sch., Sardis, Miss., 1896; Teacher, Mathematics, and Head of Department of Education, Lane Coll.; Pres., Lane Coll., 1907-present; Pres., State Anti-Tuberculosis Assn; mem. State Inter-Racial

Commission; National Council, Y.M.C.A.; Beta Phi Chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Phi Kappa Nu; Mason; mem. American Assn of Teachers; Pol. Republican; Relig. Colored Methodist; Address, Lane College, Jackson, Tenn.

LANE, ISAAC—Bishop.

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Died, Dec. 6, 1937.

LANE, RUSSELL ADRIAN—High School Principal.

b. Sept. 12, 1897, Baltimore, Md.; s. George and Mattie (Nelson) Lane; m. Marie Antoinette Clark, June 25, 1921; educ. Ph. B., Brown Univ., 1921; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1921-23; Univ. of Heidelberg, Germany, 1923-24; LL.B., Univ. of Dayton, 1927; A.M., Indiana Univ., 1930; High School Principal and Teacher, 1921-present; Principal, Crispus Attucks High School, Indianapolis, Ind., 1930-present; mem. Y.M.C.A.; Masons; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Address, Crispus Attucks High School; Residence, 2916 Indianapolis Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

His early training and education was obtained in rural schools. He was called to the Ministry in 1902 and ordained in 1906. In 1909 he was transferred from Alabama to North Carolina, entered Biddle University and finished a regular course in Theology in 1912, when the degree S.T.B. was conferred upon him.

He has pastored in Greenville, S. C., Charlotte, N. C., Winston-Salem, N. C., St. Louis, Mo., Monroe, N. C., and Charlotte, N. C.

He is the General Director (1926) of all the Evangelists of the C. M. E. Church. During his administration six new Churches were organized and built.

LANGFORD, ROBERT OWENS—Clergyman—

b. Oct. 15, 1878, Huntsville, Madison County, Ala.; s. Nathan and Minerva (Harris) Langford; educ. State Normal of Huntsville, Ala., 1892-98; Biddle Univ. (now Johnson C. Smith Univ.), Charlotte, N. C., 1909-12; S.T.B. Biddle Univ., 1912; D.D. (Honorary) Paine Institute, 1918; Correspondence courses from several schools; m. Lucinda Sellers, 1899; one child, Alger Nathaniel, b. Sept. 23, 1901; second marriage, Helen Earnestine Hasty, 1912; Minister and General Sec. of Bureau of Evangelism; General Director of all the Evangelists of the C.M.E. Church, 1922-present; auth. Constitution of Bureau of Evangelism, pub. C.M.E. Pub. House, 1922; mem. Masons, Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Box 97, Monroe, N. C.; Residence, 300 Jackson St., Monroe, N. C.

LANGSTON, OSCAR WILLIAM—Dentist.

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1909; Dentist, 1904-present; Contr. Articles on Dentistry, Indianapolis Recorder, Indianapolis Review; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Ex-Sec., Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Appomattox Athletic Club; ex-Sec., Indianapolis Business Men's Club; Promoted Ethical Culture Soc.; ex-Pres., N.A.A.C.P. (Indianapolis Br.) 24 years; Soc. of Ethiopia; organized, Indianapolis Y.M.C.A.; Precinct Committeeman, Indianapolis; Masons; Odd Fellows; Shriners; Metropolitan Community Center; Pol. Republican; Address, 309 E. 47th St.; Residence, 412 E. 40th St., Chicago, Ill.

LANGSTON, THEOPHILUS STEWARD—Dentist.

b. Nov. 4, 1890; Bridgeton, N. J.; s. John O. and Elizabeth (Pierce) Langston; m. Clara A. Smith, Aug. 17, 1918; five children, Olive V.; Helen Y.; Theophilus Steward, Jr.; Wilbur T.; John Mercer; educ. Bank St. High Sch., Bridgeton, N. J., 1910; B.S., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1914; Eckels Embalming Sch., Philadelphia, Pa.; D.D.S., Temple Univ., Philadelphia, Pa., 1919; Dentist, 1919-present; Charter Member and Sec., Phi Beta Sigma; Medical Reserve Corp, United States Army, 1918-19; Dental Examiner, United Veterans Bureau, Johnstown, Pa., 1920-26; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Elks; Phi Beta Sigma; National Medical Assn.; State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Lincoln Dental Soc.; Relig. A. M. E.; Address, 4833 Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

LANKFORD, JOHN ANDERSON—Architect-Structural Engineer.

b. Dec. 4, 1874, Potosi, Mo.; s. Phillip Anderson and Nancy Ella (Johnson) Lankford; m. Charlotte Josephine Upshaw, Aug. 4, 1901; one child, Mrs. Nancy Josephine Johnson; educ. Public Sch., Potosi, Mo.; Lincoln Univ., Jefferson City, Mo., 1889-96; Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1896-98; Architectural Designing and Mechanical Engineering, Scranton, Pa.; Frelinghuysen Univ., Washington, D. C., Law, 1917-21; LL.B., 1920; LL.M., 1921; Teacher, A.&M. Coll. of Ala., Normal Ala., 1898-1900; Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1900-02; Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, Ohio, 1910-12; Edward Waters Coll., 1912-14; Frelinghuysen Univ., Wash., D. C.; Architect, 1921-present; Pres., Tuskegee Club, Washington, D. C.; Vice Pres. and Director, Musulit Club; Supervising Architect of the A.M.E. Church; auth. "Christian Art," 1916; mem. of Board of Directors, Y.M.C.A., Washington, D. C.; Trustee, Board, Frelinghuysen Univ.; Trustee, Metropolitan A.M.E. Church; Masons (33°); Elks; True Reformers; Citizens Golf Club; N.A.A.C.P.; Trustee Board, Wilberforce Univ., Vice-Pres., National Tech Assn.; mem. National Bar Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 1261 Irving St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

He is a Registered Architect in the District of Columbia and several States as well as having planned and designed churches and school buildings in West and South Africa and in Central and South America. He also qualified as an Architect and Supervisor of construction under the United States Government during the World War.

The degree of M. S. was conferred on him by Wilberforce University and Morris Brown College; M. M. S. conferred by A. & M. Col-

lege, Normal, Ala., and LL.D. by Allen University, Columbia, S. C.

LA PAGE, MARIE—Social Worker.

b. May 5, 1869, New Orleans, La.; d. Paul and Maisie Josephine (Seymour) Gillard; m. Joseph Goudine; second marriage, Joseph James Le Page, Feb. 10, 1897; two children, Joseph Gardine, b. May 13, 1881; James La Page, b. May 13, 1897; educ. Public Sch., New Orleans, La.; Southern Univ., New Orleans, La.; Red Cross Worker, New Orleans, La., 1917-19; Nurse, during the Influenza Epidemic in New Orleans, La., 1918-19; Organizer and ex-Pres., U. S. Spanish War Veterans, State of Louisiana, 1923-present; Delegate, Spanish War Veterans, 1923-30; Chairman, Veterans of Foreign Wars, La., 1923-present; Honorary Mother, Disabled Veterans of Foreign Wars, State of La., 1934-present; Rec. Sec., St. John Buchman Home for Colored Children; raised capital to erect 8 Catholic Churches in New Orleans, La.; mem. Ladies Soc., St. Ann Soc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Catholic; Address 2428 Rex Pl., New Orleans, La.

LAWLAH, JOHN WESLEY—Physician

—Radiologist.—Dean

b. August 12, 1904, Bessemer, Ala.; s. John Wesley and Mattie Mae (Lindsey) Lawlah; m. Leora Francis McCarroll, Feb., 1933; two children, Evelyn Francis, b. Jan. 12, 1934; John Wesley, III, b. Oct. 1, 1936; educ. Morehouse Academy, Atlanta, Ga., 1922; B.S., Morehouse Coll., 1925; M.S., Univ. of Wisconsin, 1929; M.D., Rush Medical Coll., Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill., 1931; Special Asst. in Roentgenology, Billings Hospital, Univ. of Chicago, 1931; Interned, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1931-32; Rosenwald Fellowship in Roentgenology, Billings Hospital, University of Chicago, 1932-33; auth. "Studies on the Physiology of the Accessory Glands of Reproduction of the Male Guinea Pig," Anatomical Record, 1930; "The Male Reproductive Tract of the Sciuridae," Am. Journal of Anatomy, 1932 "Roentgen Studies on the Fate of Calcium in the Bones of Retained Dead Rabbit Fetuses; an Evaluation of Decalcification as a Roentgenographic Diagnostic Criterion of Death of the Fetus in Utero," American Journal of Roent. and Rad., 1935; "Correlation of Roentgenologic with Gastroscopic Findings in 200 cases (joint publication); Radiology, 1941; Physician, 1932-present; Teacher, Mathematics, Morris Coll., Sumter, S. C., 1926; Prof. Biology, Morehouse and Spelman Colleges, Atlanta, Ga., 1928; Teacher, Morehouse-Spelman Summer Sch., 1928; Assist. Roentgenologist, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1933-35; Chairman, Division of Roentgenology, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1935; Asst. Medical Director, Provident Hospital, 1935-36; Acting Medical Director, Provident Hospital, 1936; Medical Director, Provident Hospital, 1936-41; Dean, Howard Univ. Medical Dept., 1941-present; mem. Sigma Sigma, Univ. of Wisconsin, 1929; Alpha Omega Alpha; Sigma Xi, University of Chicago, 1933; mem. National Medical Assn; Diplomate, American Board of Radiology, 1939; Sec.-Treas., National Conference of Hospital Administrators; Chairman, Health Advisory Committee, National Youth Administration; American Hospital Assn; Cook Co. Physicians' Assn; American Assn for the Advancement of Science; Chicago Medical Soc.; Illinois State Medical Soc.; Fellow, American Medical Assn; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Druid's Club of Chicago; The Original Fortv Club; Address, Howard University, Washington, D. C.

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Died, Oct. 9, 1929.

LAWRENCE, EUGENE C.—Clergyman.

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LAWRENCE, JUDSON COLEMAN—Educator.

b. Feb. 18, 1891, Sparta, Ga.; s. Jordan and Louise (Wynn) Lawrence; m. Olivia Adwin Denham; educ. Eddy High Sch., Milledgeville, Ga.; Morris Brown Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; A.D., 1913; A.M., 1921; D.D., 1924; Principal, High Sch., Palmetto, Ga., 1913-14; Prof., Edward Waters Coll., Jacksonville, Fla., 1914-16; Supt., Negro Schools, Monroe and Walton Counties, Ga., 1916-21; Pres., Central Park Coll., Savannah, Ga., 1921-present; mem. Y.M.C.A.; Boys' Club; Masons; K. of P.; American Woodmen; Mosaic Templars; Phi Beta Sigma; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, Central Park College, Savannah, Ga.

LAWRENCE, GEORGE WINSLOW—Lawyer.

b. Salters, S. C.; s. Frank W. and Sarah J. (Williams) Lawrence; m. Pauline Hugger Jackson, Oct. 4, 1930; educ. St. Lawrence Public Sch., Salters, S. C.; Kittrell Coll., Kittrell, N. C., 1915; A. B., Morris Brown Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1919; Columbia Univ., Sch. of Political Economy, 1919-20; LL.B., Columbia Univ., Law Sch., 1923; Univ. of Chicago, Sch. of Religious Education, summer 1926; Lawyer, 1923-present; Attorney, Religious Education Dept., A. M. E. Zion Church, 1928-32; Attorney, Christian Education Dept., A. M. E. Zion Church, 1932-present; City Director, Religious Education, A. M. E. Zion Church Sch., 1926-present; Campaign Manager, ex-Congressman Oscar DePriest, 1928-32; Founder and Pres., Third Ward Progressive Republican Organization, Inc., 1933-1937; Sec. Convention to Support the Constitution and Representative Government, Chicago, Ill., Sept. 28-29, 1935, with more than 5000 delegates attending; Organizer and Sec., Harlem Law Club, (now Harlem Lawyers' Assn.) New York City, 1922; Asst. Corporation Counsel, Chicago, Ill., 1927-31; Vice-Pres., Cook Co. Bar Assn., 1927-29; Treas., 1929-30; Asst. Sec., National Bar Assn., 1929-30; Sec., National Bar Assn. 1930-35; Pres., National Bar Assn, 1935-37; National Pres., Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, 1937-present; Sec., Sunset Hills Country Club, 1937-present; Keeper of Records and Seal, K. of P., Grayson Lodge, 1938-present; Sec., National Pan-Hellenic Council, 1938-present; Pres., The United Alumni Assns of Chicago, 1937-present; mem. Cook Co. Bar Assn; Seventh Judicial Assn of Bar Assns; National Bar Assn; Chicago Federal Council of Churches; A. F. and A. Masons; Y. M. C. A.; N. A. A. C. P.; Urban League; American Woodmen; High Binders Social Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Zion Church; Address, 412 E. 47th St.; Residence, 424 E. 46th St., Chicago, Ill.



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WILLIAM H. LAWSON, Opt.D.

He organized and was the first president of Zeta Chapter of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, which is the first Greek letter fraternity organized in any college south of Nashville, Tenn., at Morris Brown University, Atlanta, Ga., in 1919.

At Columbia University Law School he has the distinction of being the only Negro who began his legal training and completed his law course with the degree of LL.B., in two and one-half years.

He was valedictorian in high school, normal school, and college. He was a member of the All-American football team in Southern Schools in 1919.

LAWRENCE, PAULINE JACKSON—Decorating Contractor—Real Estate Management.

b. Mobile, Ala.; d. Lee and Susie Hugger Green; m. Rev. J. S. Jackson (deceased). 1919; second marriage, George W. Lawrence, Oct. 4, 1930; educ. Broad St., Acad., Mobile Ala.; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.; Teacher, Broad St. High Sch., Mobile Ala.; Organizer Business Clerks' Assn., Philadelphia, Pa., 1911; Pres., Y. W. C. A. Southwest Branch, Philadelphia, Pa., 1910-12; Founder and First Pres., Colored Y. W. C. A., Birmingham, Ala., 1914; Chairman Membership Committee, South Parkway Branch, Y. W. C. A., Chicago, Ill. 1932-35; Chairman, Budget Reviewing Committee, 1935-1936; Sec., Budget Reviewing Committee, 1936-present; Delegate, National Y. W. C. A. Convention, Philadelphia, Pa., 1934; Editor, Women's Section, "Missionary Seer", official missionary paper of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, 11 years; Delegate, World Christian Endeavor Convention, Berlin, Germany, 1930; Delegate, three quadrennial General Conferences, attended Ecumenical Conference; Urban Extension Worker, under United States Dept. of Agriculture, Birmingham, Ala., 1919-23; Placement Chairman, Women Four Minute Speakers, during World War; Chairman, Endowment Board for Ala., Order of Calanthe, 3 years; mem. Trustee Board, Tuggle Inst., Birmingham, Ala., 1915-22; Recording Sec., Southeastern Federation of Women's Clubs, 1920-24; Organizer and Sec., Social Workers Council, Birmingham, and Jefferson Co., Ala., 1917-22; Pres., Southern Women's Assn. of Chicago, Ill.; mem. National Assn. of Colored Women; N. A. A. C. P.; Woman's City Club; Race Relations Committee of the Church Federation; mem. National Committee, Review of Program and Budget, Young Women's Christian Assns of the U. S. A., 1938-present; Phyllis Wheatley Assn; Missionary Soc., A. M. E. Zion Church; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Zion; Office Address, 415 East 46th St.; Residence, 424 East 46th St., Chicago, Ill.

She reorganized the Southwest Branch of the Y. W. C. A., Philadelphia, Pa., having a membership roll of only 25, and, which was increased in a very short space of time to 400 members. She also established relationship with the Central Y. W. C. A., and interested many of the outstanding women of that city, who served on the Advisory Committee.

She organized the Mock Annual and General Conferences, a financial plan used by Churches for raising of educational and missionary funds.

She organized the Birmingham Y. W. C. A., with a thousand members which was the first colored association organized according to National Board Standards.

LAWSON, CLARENCE ALVERT—Secretary Urban League.

b. March 23, 1907, Opelousas, La.; s. Halley V. and Eugenia (Gradnigo) Lawson; m. Lillian M. Perrilliat, June 18, 1938; educ. Public Sch., Lake Charles, La.; A.B., Straight Coll., New Orleans, La., 1932; auth. "Evening Reveries," a poem, which was included in Negro Voices; Columnist, Louisiana Weekly, also New Orleans Sentinel, New Orleans, La.; Executive Secretary, Urban League, New Orleans, La., Nov. 1, 1938—present; Supt., Federal Transient Bureau, New Orleans, La., 1935-36; Compiled data on the Negro in Louisiana for Dillard University, New Orleans, 1936-1938; Asst. Editor and Sports Editor, Crimson Courier; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; National Business League; Executive Board, New Orleans Negro Board of Trade; N.Y.A. Advisory Committee, Orleans Parish, Boy Scouts; American Red Cross; Y.M.C.A.; National Committee on Housing Emergency, Inc.; Knights of Peter Clavers; Cossacks Club; American Woodman; ex-President, Athletic Ass'n of Straight Coll.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Catholic; Address, 1010 Dryades St.; Residence, 2819 Upperline St., New Orleans, La.

As Secretary of the Urban League in New Orleans, and acting many times on his own authority, he has performed services for the community that were very much needed. These were activities that would ordinarily fall within the scope of civic organizations. One of these was that he organized the truck operators of New Orleans into a Truck Owners Association in 1939, and which organization has done more than \$200,000 worth of drayage and service station business since that time. He also called the citizens together and organized a Committee of One Hundred which was successful in its six months' fight for a Negro personnel on all low rent housing projects designated for Negroes, although a white manager had already been named for one of the four projects.

LAWSON, WARNER—University Music Director.

b. Aug. 3, 1903, Hartford, Conn.; s. R. Augustus and Ida (Napier) Lawson; educ. High School, Hartford, Conn.; Williston Academy for Boys, Easthampton, Mass.; A.B., Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1926; Mus.B., Yale Univ., New Haven, Conn., 1929; Chairman, Music Faculty, Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn., 1933-present; Private Studios, Hartford, Conn. and New Haven, Conn.; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Independent; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 111 Adelaide St., Hartford, Conn.

During his Junior and Senior years at Fisk University he held a Julliard Scholarship for excellence in music. During the summer of 1930 he studied with Arthur Schnabel, the famous German pianist and teacher, in Berlin. His success is the result of the splendid teach-

ing of his father, who also is a teacher and piano player of note.

LAWSON, WILLIAM HIRAM—Optometrist.

b. May 27, 1891, Windsor, Can.; s. Edw. and Wilhelmina Beatrice Lawson; m. Florence A. Lewis, June 16, 1920; two children, Phyllis A., b. May 28, 1922; William Emmett, b. Nov. 24, 1924; educ. Windsor Collegiate Inst.; Detroit Business Univ.; Opt.D., Gitch Practical Inst. of Optometry; Optometrist and Optician, 1916-present; Chairman, Program Committee, Booker T. Washington Trade Assn. and Housewife's League; mem. Elks; K. of P.; American Woodman; N.A.A.C.P.; Michigan State Soc. of Optometrists; Am. Optical Assn.; mem. Wayne Co. Soc. of Optometrists; Optometrical Assn. of Ontario, Can.; Century Club; Masons; Odd Fellows; Beta Sigma Kappa; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 405 Gratiot St.; Residence, 6626 Firwood Ave., Detroit, Mich.

Received a Cup for being the first Colored student to be Registered as an Optometrist and Optician in the State of Michigan and Canada.

LAWRENCE, ARTHUR KELTON—Physician.

b. Oct. 12, 1876; s. Thomas and Martha (Hartway) Lawrence; m. Ruth Johnson, June 7, 1917; two children, Arthur Kelton, Jr., b. March 1, 1918; James Thomas, b. March 31, 1921; educ. Ph.G., Ohio State Univ., 1897; M.D., Ohio State Univ., 1907; Hospital Steward, 9th O.V.I. Div., Spanish-Amer. War, 1898-99; Physician, 1907-present; Pharmacist, Kansas City, Kans., 1899-1903; Asst. County Physician, Wichita, Kansas, 1907-21, being the first Race holding that position; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Board of Management Y.M.C.A.; Trustee, Old Folks Home; N.A.N. Musicians; Masons; Shriner; Sigma Phi Psi; Alpha Phi Alpha; Odd Fellows; Elks; K. of P.; Columbus Acad. of Med.; Ohio State Med. Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 681 E. Long St.; Residence, 233 N. Monroe Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

LATIMER, MRS. CATHERINE ALLEN—Reference Librarian.

b. Nashville, Tenn.; d. H. W. Allen (deceased) and Minta (Bosley) Trotman; m. Benton R. Latimer, 1921; educ. Pub. Sch., Bklyn, N. Y.; attended schools in Germany and France for two years; Howard Univ. (college and library training; Assistant Librarian, Tuskegee Inst. (Carnegie Library); one year; appointed Assistant, New York Public Library, 1920; Asst. Branch Reference Librarian in charge of Division of Negro Literature and History, New York Public Library, 135th St. Branch, New York, 1926-present; mem. Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Address, New York Public Library, 103 W. 135th St., New York City; Residence, 1023 Union St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

She has the distinction of being the first young colored woman to be appointed in New York Public Library, completing twenty years service.

The Division of Negro Literature and History at the 135th St. Branch was established in 1925

In this Division, which occupies one entire

floor in the library building, is housed the Arthur A. Schomburg collection of rare books, documents, pamphlets, prints and manuscripts, a collection of more than 10,000 books by and about the Negro. This collection was purchased in 1926 from Mr. Schomburg by the Carnegie Foundation and donated to the Public Library. It is considered the best collection of Africana and Negro Americana in this country.

LATIMER, JOHN NEWTON FRANKLIN—Physician.

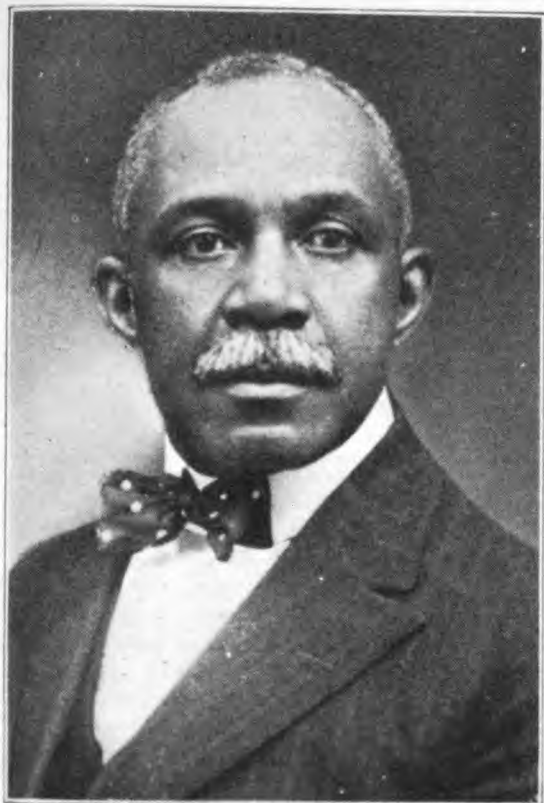
b. Dec. 28, 1871, Belton, S. C.; s. Christopher and Mary (Reynolds) Latimer; m. Helen Walker, June 19, 1911 (deceased Jan. 21, 1925); five children, Walden, b. Mar. 1, 1913; Ruth, b. Oct. 26, 1914; Berenice, b. Aug. 27, 1916; John Frank, b. Jan. 25, 1919; Theodore, b. June 26, 1921; second marriage, Troas Cedelia Lewis, Dec. 22, 1925; one child, Emma Belle, b. Sep. 24, 1926; educ. Public Sch., Anderson, S. C.; Benedict College, Columbia, S. C., 1897-1902; L.I., Benedict Coll., 1902; private instruction under L. A. Earle; M.D., Anderson, S. C.; Walden Univ., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1904-08; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1908; Physician. Pursuing Chronic work as a specialty; mem. Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 422 Mitchell St., S.W.; Residence, 227 Griffin St., N.W., Atlanta, Ga.

His parents were slaves and unable to give him an education. He worked on a farm until he was twenty-two years of age, studying at home and obtaining what information he could from visiting teachers and for a few months each year in the public schools.

He worked his way through Walden University and Meharry Medical College, and upon receiving his M.D. Degree in 1908, he came to Toccoa, Ga., and built up a good practice in many of the small towns throughout the State. He lived there for nineteen years and during that time gave much time to the advancement of educational and church work, as well as making many donations in the furtherance of this work.

LATTIMORE, JOHN A. C.—Physician.

b. June 23, 1876, Shelby, N. C.; s. John C. and Marcilla (Hambriek) Lattimore; m. Naomie Anthony, Aug. 11, 1928; educ. A.B., Bennett Coll., Greensboro, N. C., 1897; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1901; Post Graduate Course, Cook County Hosp.; Physician, 1901-present; Medical Examiner, Supreme Liberty Life Ins. Co.; Medical Examiner, Victory Life Ins. Co.; mem. ex-Vice-Pres. Nat. Med. Assn.; ex-Pres., Ken. State Med. Soc.; ex-Pres. and one of the organizers of Fall City Med. Soc.; One of organizers and director, N.A.A.C.P., Louisville Branch, 1910-present; one of organizers and director, Urban League, Louisville Branch, 1915-present; mem. Executive Bd., Inter-Racial Commission; Pres., Negro Health Committee, Community Chest; Chairman, Trustee Board, Broadway Temple, A.M.E. Zion Church; ex-Pres., Alpha Lambda chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; Elks; K. of P.; U.B.F.; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E.



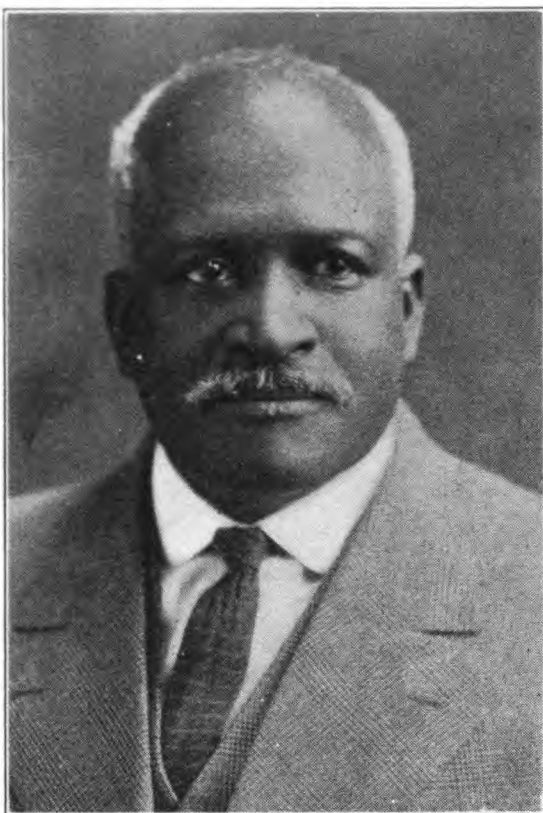
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MRS. MARIA COLES PERKINS LAWTON



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LAWTON, MRS. MARIA COLES PERKINS.

b. April 30, 1864, Lynchburg, Va.; d. Robert Alexander and Mildred Booker (Cabell) Perkins; m. (Rev.) William Rufus Lawton, May 7, 1886; seven children, Ethel James, b. Feb. 1, 1887; Mildred Irene, b. March 7, 1890; Eunice Hoffman, b. Feb. 24, 1892; Charles Cuthbert, b. July 11, 1897; Frank Ross, b. Nov. 30, 1899; Harry Mattix, b. Aug. 30, 1902; Robert Alexander, b. July 12, 1906; educ. Lynchburg High School, Lynchburg, Va.; Richmond Institute, Richmond, Va.; Howard University; Teacher, Lynchburg Pub. Schs.; Reporter, Staff of Standard Union, Brooklyn, N. Y. (a daily newspaper), for twenty years; Pres., Empire State Federation, Women's Clubs, 10 years; Chmn., Program and Literature, Nat. Assn. of Colored Women; Pol. Republican; Address, 544 Madison St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

She was designated by Governor Glynn of New York to represent the state at the Educational Congress held in Oklahoma. She was also appointed to represent the State of New York at the Educational Congress held in St. Louis, Missouri.

She was appointed Director of the Emancipation Celebration on its Fiftieth anniversary.

Represented the women of the state of New York at the Labor Conference of Women held in Washington, D. C., in 1924.

Was Director, Eastern division, Republican National Convention in the 1924 Presidential election.

LAWTON, WILLIAM RUFUS—Clergyman.

b. May 1, 1860, Charleston, S. C.; s. William Rufus and Elizabeth (Gilliard) Lawton; m. Maria Coles Perkins, May 7, 1886; seven children, Ethel James, b. Feb. 1, 1887; Mildred Irene, b. March 7, 1890; Eunice Hoffman, b. Feb. 24, 1892; Chas. Cuthbert, b. July 11, 1897; Frank Ross, b. Nov. 30, 1899; Harry Mattix, b. Aug. 30, 1902; Robert Alexander, b. July 12, 1906; educ. Lincoln Inst., Penn.; Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Penn.; A.B., Lincoln Univ., 1883; S.T.B., Lincoln Univ., 1886; A.M., Lincoln Univ., 1887; D.D., Lincoln Univ., 1916; Prof., Math., Lynchburg, Va., High Sch.; Prin., Beaufort N. and I. Acad., Beaufort, S. C.; Prof., History and Civil Policy, Jefferson City, Mo.; Pastor, Siloam Pres. Church, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Pastor, St. James Pres. Church, N. Y. C.; Pastor, Bethany Pres. Ch., Englewood, N. J.; Pastor, Lafayette Pres. Ch., Jersey City, N. J.; Pastor, Pres. Church, Hackensack, N. J.; Founder of the Rendall Memorial Pres. Church, N. Y. C.; Clerk in the Registrar's Office, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Clerk, Dist. Attorney's Office, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Clerk, Marriage License Bureau, Brooklyn, N. Y.; mem. K. of P.; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 544 Madison St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

LAYNE, RICHARD—Dentist.

b. Dec. 9, 1903, Pacific, Mo.; s. Elijah and Lama (Green) Layne; m. Mae Carter, Aug. 16, 1926; educ. Sumner High School, St. Louis, Mo., 1922; D.D.S., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn.,

1926; Dentist, 1926-present; mem. Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Phi Beta Sigma; Ohio State Dental Assn.; Mound City Dental Soc.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 4251a Easton Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

LEDBETTER, CAESER SYLVESTER—Clergyman.

b. Nov. 7, 1878, Noxubee County, Miss.; s. Benjamin and Jane Ledbetter; m. Marguerite Clemmen, May 29, 1904 (deceased July 5, 1911) three children, Annabel, b. May 25, 1907; Harold Russell, b. Sept. 1, 1908; Theodora Sylvester, b. Jan. 15, 1910; second marriage, Alberta Hadley, Sept. 1, 1914; educ. Clergyman, Tougaloo Coll., Tougaloo, Miss., 1898-1907; A.B., B.D., 1907; Studied at Chicago Univ., Chicago, Ill., 1911; Minister of Congl. Church, Galiad, Texas, 1907-10; Prin., Lincoln Normal Sch., (A.M.A.) Meriden, Miss., 1910-14; Minister, Congl. Church, Augusta, Ga., 1915-20; Min., Plymouth Congl. Ch., Charleston, S. C., 1920-present; Sec., Augusta Civic League, 1919-20; Chairman, Men's Group of the Inter-Racial Committee, Charleston, S. C.; Pres., Boys Club, Charleston, S. C.; Pres., Interdenominational Ministers Union; Chmn. Bd. of Trustees, Avery Normal Sch.; was Secretary N.A.A.C.P. (Local Br.); Treas., Nat. Convention, Congressional Workers Among Colored People, 1926-27; mem. K. of P.; Commission on Law Enforcement, of the Nat. Council of Congl. Churches in America; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 32 Bull St., Charleston, S. C.

LEE, ALBERT R.

b. June 26, 1874, on farm near Champaign, Ill.; s. William and Margaret Ann Lee; m. Maud McCurdy, Nov. 23, 1898; three children, Albert McCurdy, b. March 10, 1901; Maurice William, b. July 18, 1903; Bernice Genevieve, b. June 24, 1907; educ. Champaign High School, 1893; Univ. of Ill., 1897-98; studied privately for four years; Student, Success School of Shorthand, Chicago; Messenger, 1895-1906; Assistant Clerk, 1907-09; Clerk, 1909-19; Chief Clerk, 1920-present, in the President's office of the University of Illinois; Member of the Executive Committee, Twin Br., N.A.A.C.P., 1923-24; Sec., Inter-Racial Committee, Champaign Urbana, 1925-present; mem. Masons; Royal Arch Mason; Knights Templar, Shriner; Scottish Rite Mason; Eastern Star; Colonel and District Commander, American Boy Scouts; Treasurer, Champaign Township Republican Committee, 1908; District Supt. of A.M.E. Sunday Schools, Springfield, District of Illinois, for 20 years; Pres. of Choir, Bethel A.M.E. Ch., Champaign, past 15 years; Teacher of the Men's Baraca Bible Cl. Bethel A.M.E. S.S.; Teacher of Teacher Training Class, Bethel A.M.E. S.S., Champaign; Beta Chapter, Kappa Alpha Psi; Past Master; Lone Star Lodge No. 18, F.&A.M.; Past Grand High Priest, Royal Arch Mason of Illinois; Past Grand Com., Knights Templar, Illinois; Past Grand Patron, Order Eastern Star, Illinois; Past International Royal Advisor, Intl. Conf. Heroines, Templar Crusaders; Past Potentate, Sudan Temple, A.E.A.O.N. Mystic Shrine; Sec., Intl. Conf. Knights Templar, 1916-24; Pres., Intl. Conf. Knights Templar, 1924-26; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, University of Illinois; Residence, 605 N. Walnut St., Champaign, Ill.

LEE, GEORGE W.—Life Insurance Company Representative.

b. Jan. 4, 1894, Indianola, Miss.; s. George and Hattie (Stingfeller) Lee; educ. B.S., Alcorn A. & I. Coll.; Vice-Pres., Mississippi Life Insurance Co., 1922-24; Dist. Manager, Atlanta Life Insurance Co., 1924-27; Director, Universal Life Ins. Co., 1927-present; mem. Executive Committee, Nat. Ins. Assn., 1927; State Ex. Committeeman, American Legion; Pres., West Tennessee Civic and Political League; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Elks; Pol. Republican; Address, 392 Beale St.; Residence, 563 Stephens Pl., Memphis, Tenn.,

He has held the position of secretary of the County Republican Committee, Vice-Chairman of the Western District Republican Committee, being second in charge during the Coolidge campaign of 1924.

LEE, HYLAND GARNETT, JR.—Clergyman.

b. May 29, 1912, Baltimore, Md.; s. Hyland Garnett and Genevieve (Thomas) Lee; m. Cora Hackett, Nov. 25, 1935; educ. A.B., Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa., 1933; A.M., Same, 1935; S.T.B. Magna cum laude, Same, 1935; Pastor, Bethany Presbyterian, Oklahoma City, Okla., 1935-present; Moderator, Presbytery of Rendall, including all the Presbyterian Churches in Oklahoma, 1937-1938; Commissioner to General Assembly, and mem. Standing Committee on National Missions, with 42 members; Sec., Ministerial Alliance, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Sec.-Treas., Oklahoma Chapter, Lincoln Alumni Assn; Chairman, Committee on Social Education and Action of the Synod of Canadian; ex-Chaplain, Oklahoma Conference, Youth Councils of N. A. A. C. P.; Field Correspondent New Advance, Presbyterian Magazine; mem. Hi-Y Cabinet, Oklahoma City; Chairman, Committee on Social Education and Action, Presbytery of Rendall; mem. Oklahoma City Citizens League; Board of Trustees, Presbytery of Rendall; Cooperative Ministerial Alliance; Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity; Phi Lambda Sigma Honor Soc.; Zeta Sigma Alpha Philosophical Honor Soc.; Oklahoma Chapter Lincoln Alumni Assn; Pol. Democratic; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Bethany Presbyterian Church, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Residence, 1700 Druid Hill Ave., Baltimore, Md.

When he assumed his duties in Bethany Church there was nothing but a basement room 20 x 40 feet. To-day this Church is housed in a building valued at \$25,000, with an adjoining building and land valued at \$6,000 more. It is the largest Colored Presbyterian Church in the State of Oklahoma.

LEE, JOHN FRANCIS—Clergyman-Editor.

— See 3rd Edition.

Died, November, 1930.

LEE, J. R. E.—College President.

b. Jan. 26, 1870, Seguin, Texas; s. John and Mary (Mays) Lee; m. Ardelia Wilson, 1895; educ. Bishop Coll., 1885-89; A.B., 1889; Univ. of Chicago, summers of 1889, 1907, 1908 and 1911; M. A., Bishop Coll., 1904; Univ. of Wisconsin, education, summers of 1917 and 1918; LL.D., Wilberforce Univ., 1918; Teacher of Latin and His-

tory, Bishop Coll., 1889-99; Director, Academic Dept., Tuskegee Inst., 1899-1915; Principal, Lincoln High Sch., Kansas City, Mo., 1915-21; Extension Sec., National Urban League, 1921-24; President, Florida A. & M. College, 1924-present; Founded and Pres., Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools, 1904-09; Corresponding and Executive Secretary, 1909-17; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Eta Chapter of New York; Sunrise Club of New York; Am. Forestry Assn.; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Masons; Elks; Relig. Baptist; Address, Florida A. & M. Coll., Tallahassee, Fla.

LEE, JOHN WESLEY—Clergyman, Field Representative.

b. April 22, 1864, Harford County, Md.; s. Josiah and Jane Louisa (Turner) Lee; m. Mary Murdock, Oct. 6, 1906; educ. Pub. Sch., Harford County and Baltimore, Md.; Pittsburgh (Night) High Sch., Pittsburgh, Pa.; B.S., Lincoln Univ., Pennsylvania, 1895; A.M., 1898; D.D. (Honorary), 1908; Special Courses in Church History and Religious Sociology, Univ. of Pennsylvania, 1910-11; Ordained in the ministry of the Presbyterian Ch., June 9, 1898; Minister, Madison St. Presbyterian Ch., Baltimore, Md., 1898-99; Home Missionary of Colored Work of Presbyterian Ch. in Maryland, 1899-1901; Pastor, First African Presbyterian Ch., Phila., Pa., 1901-17; Field Representative, Colored Work of the Division of Missions, Presbyterian Ch., U.S.A., 1917-present; Ch. Freedmen's Committee of the Presbytery of Phila., 1908-16; Ch., Committee of Management, S. W. Br., Y.M.C.A., Phila., 1907-11; Pres., Africo-Am. Presbyterian Council, 1905-07; Pres., Lincoln Univ. Alumni Assn., 1907-11; mem. G.U.O.O.F.; Athenian Lodge, No. 24, F. & A. M. of Phila., Pa.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address 654 N. 57th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

After early schooling in Harford County, Md., he went to Baltimore, Md., and worked during the day time, attending the grammar school at night. In 1887 he left Baltimore and went to Pittsburgh, Pa., working during the day time for the Citizens Traction Company and attending night high school. He joined the Presbyterian Church in 1892, entered Lincoln University (Penn.) in 1893, taking the Junior and Senior College work, graduating with the B.S. degree in 1895.

He was ordained to the ministry of the Presbyterian Church June 9, 1898, and has been active in the work of the ministry since.

He has represented the Colored work of the Presbyterian Church in the General Assembly, which is the highest court in the church, in eleven sessions, 1916-27. During the last ten years, as Field Representative, he has organized Colored Presbyterian Missions and Churches in various cities in the United States.

LEE, MARGARET NAOMI—Dean Junior College.

b. Oct. 2, 1904, Columbus, Ohio.; d. Arthur A. and Nellie (Davis) Lee; educ. B.S. Ohio State Univ., 1925; A.M. 1928; Dean Mary Allen Semi-



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J. R. E. LEE, M.A., LL.D.



LILLIAN MORRIS LEMON, B.MUS.



nary, 1925-present; Director Physical Education, Mary Allen Seminary, 1925-present; mem. Theta Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Address, Mary Allen Seminary, Crockett, Texas; Residence, 156 N. 17th St., Columbus, Ohio.

LEE, RAYMOND EDWARD—Instructor.

b. Aug. 4, 1891, Delaware, O.; s. Charles S. A. and Dora (Perry) Lee; educ. Wesleyan Univ., Ohio; A.B. 1916; Ohio State University; post graduate work Ohio State Univ., summers of 1924-25; La Sorbonne, Paris, France, summer 1926; Instructor, Spanish and French, Straight College, New Orleans, La., 1919-present; Student, Sorbonne, France, 1931-32; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, Straight College, New Orleans, Louisiana.

LEE, ROSEAU FRANKLIN—Dentist.

b. May 30, 1897, Washington, D. C.; s. Joseph H. and F. Maury (Woodson) Lee; educ. Dunbar High Sch., 1911-15; Howard Univ., 1916-22; D. D.S., 1922; Dentist, 1922-present; Oral Surgeon, Freedmen's Hos., 1924-present; mem. Robt. T. Freeman Dental Soc.; Dental Reading Club; Elks; (Morning Star Lodge); Masons (Warren Lodge); Address, 543 Florida Ave., N.W.; Residence, 1142 21st St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

LeMON, MRS. LILLIAN MORRIS—Teacher of Piano.

b. Jan. 19, 1894, Chicago, Ill.; d. William H. and Ada Viola (Davis) Morris; m. Angel R. LeMon, Dec. 10, 1913; educ. Shortridge High Sch., 1907-11; College of Musical Art, (now Jordan Sch. of Music, affiliated with Butler College) 1907-17; Bachelor of Music; Post Graduate work, Public Sch. Music, Indiana University and Metropolitan Sch. of Music (Part of Jordan Sch. of Music); Teacher of Piano, 1912-present; Professional accompanist, 1917-present; Past Asst Sec., mem. Bd. of Directors, First Woman President and Vice-pres., National Assn of Negro Musicians, Inc.; Honorary Pres. Same; Founder and Pres., The Cosmopolitan Sch. of Music and Fine Arts, Inc.; Director and Accompanist, The Cosmopolitan School Quartette, and Trio; mem. Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Epistoleus, Lambda Omega Chapter; Pres., Indianapolis Music Promoters; Executive Secretary, The Indiana Association of Negro Musicians; Young Women's Christian Assn.; Elks; Relig. Protestant Episcopal Church; Address, 1036 North West St., Indianapolis, Ind.

She has been President of the Indianapolis Music Promoters each year with the exception of three terms since its organization in 1919. Appointed Chairman of all activities among colored people for National Music Week since 1923 by the Fine Arts Committee of the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce.

In her professional work she accompanied such well known celebrities as Lecretia Lawson Love, Florence Cole Talbert, Carl R. Diton, Viola Hill and Roberta Dodd Crawford.

LEMUS, RIENZI BROCK—President, Brotherhood of Dining Car Employees.

b. Jan. 8, 1881, Richmond, Va.; s. Charles H. and Mamie L. (Brock) Lemus; educ. Pub. Sch., Rich-

mond, Va.; Soldier, U.S.A., serving in 8th U. S. Vol. Immunes Infantry, Spanish American War, 1898; 25th U. S. Infantry, Philippine Insurrection, Aug. 1, 1899-Mar. 18, 1902; Pullman Porter, two and one-half years; Dining Car Waiter, twenty years; Led Organized Movement, dining car cooks-waiters, 1918; organized Brotherhood of Dining Car employees, 1919; Grand President, same, 1919-present; Columnist, Boston Chronicle; special correspondent, New York Age; mem. Masons; Elks; Pol. Independent Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address 204 W. 136th St., New York, N. Y.

Co-leader in movement effecting amalgamation of Brotherhood of Dining-Car Employees (New England Railroads and New York Central lines) and Dining Car Cooks and Waiters Association (Pennsylvania, and Lines west of the Hudson River centering on New York), in 1920.

He was instrumental in securing from the U. S. Railroad Administration for the first time the extension of the 8-hour-day (240-hour month) and overtime pay for all dining car cooks and waiters of the country in 1919 and made three successful presentations to the late U. S. Railroad Labor Board against effort of the Railroad managements to restore pre-War rates of pay and rules, 1921, 1924.

Through his efforts the first formal agreement on rules governing employment of dining car men of any class with New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad's General Manager, 1921.

He conducted negotiations in conference resulting in contracts on pay and rules with Boston and Albany, Boston and Maine, New Haven, New York Central, Pennsylvania railroads, 1921; Atlantic Coast Line, 1924; Southern Railway, 1925 and in superseding agreements on Boston and Albany, 1924, 1925, New York Central, 1925, and New Haven, 1926.

LEONARD, ROBERT DERYAS—Clergyman.

b. March 18, 1859, Jefferson Co., Ky.; s. Cain and Sarah (Pope) Leonard; m. Lee Ann Alexander, Sept. 24, 1884; one child, Mrs. Viola M. Wilson; educ. Public Schools, Indianapolis, Ind.; D.D. (Honorary), Simmons Univ., Louisville, Ky., 1918; Clergyman, 1892-present; Pastor, First Baptist Church, Edinburg, Ind., 1892-97; Pastor, Olivet Baptist Church, Indianapolis, Ind., 1892-1902; Pastor, Second Baptist Church, Shelbyville, Ind., 1902-1907; Pastor, Union Tabernacle, Indianapolis, Ind., 1907-12; Asst. Pastor, Zion Baptist Church, Connersville, Ind., 1913-19; Pastor, Second Baptist Church, Franklin, Ind., 1919-21; Pastor, Union Tabernacle, Indianapolis, Ind., 1922-present; Moderator, Indiana State Assn., 1915-22; Chairman of Board, State Mission and Promotion Board, 1929-31; Director, State Mission and Promotion Board, 1922-present; Chairman, Historical Committee, Baptist Assn.; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2119 Highland Pl., Indianapolis, Ind.

LEVY, ALLAN NATHANIEL—Physician.

b. Aug. 12, 1882, Cheraw, S. C.; s. Mathewson and Emma (Rogers) Levy; m. Marjorie Tansimore, July 26, 1923; one child, Allen Nathaniel, Jr., b. Apr. 13, 1927; educ. Claflin Univ., 1894; M.D., Howard Univ., 1904; Physician, 1904-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Allegheny Co. Med. Soc.; State Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Masons; Shriners; Elks; Alpha Phi Alpha; Order of Mechanics; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 1403 Wylie Ave.; Residence, 622 Collins Ave., N.E., Pittsburg, Pa.

LEWIE, JOHN BENJAMIN.

b. Aug. 10, 1873, Lexington, S. C.; s. Benjamin W. and Rhoda Mae (Counts) Lewie; m. Eunice B. McCampbell, Sept., 1899; six children; educ. B.S., Allen Univ.; mem. Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, K. of P. of S. C.; P. Sec., Richard Allen Lodge, G.U.O. of O.F. No. 1876; W. R. Household of Ruth No. 1832, G.U.O. of O.F.; Sec. and P.M. Capital City Lodge No. 47, Elks; Sons of Abraham; Eastern Star; Calanthe; F. & A.M.; Pres., Alumni Assn., Allen Univ.; Pol. Republican; Address, 701 Richland St., Columbia, S. C.

LEWIS, Jr., C. HENRI—Lawyer.

b. June 8, 1889, Munich, N. D.; s. Charles H. and Annie (Carraway) Lewis; m. Lillian Chandler, Aug. 28, 1916; educ. Armstrong High Sch., A.B., Virginia Union Univ., 1907; LL.B., Detroit Coll., 1912; Lawyer, 1912-present; mem. Bd. of Directors, Urban League; Detroit Museum of Art; Allied Political Club of Detroit; Detroit Auto Club; Past Exalted Ruler and Past Master of Masons; Past Grand Legal Advisor of Elks; Odd Fellows; Legal Advisor of the Michigan State Assn. of Elks; Judge Advocate of the State of Michigan, K. of P.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Sec., Michigan Peoples Finance Corp., 1922-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 607 E. Adams Ave.; Residence, 6190 Iroquois Ave., Detroit, Mich.

LEWIS, CHARLES L.—Dentist.

b. Oct. 3, 1885, Chicago, Ill.; s. Charles E. and Salena (Bolden) Lewis; m. Justine Weir, Sept. 22, 1921; educ. Wheaton Pub. Sch., Wheaton, Ill.; Univ. of Ill., Dental Dept., 1911; Dentist, 1911-present; Sec., Board of Directors, Home for Aged Colored People, Chicago, Ill., 1918-present; Grand Trustee and Treas., Masonic Home, Rock Island, Ill.; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 306 E. 43rd St., Chicago, Ill.; Residence, Glen Ellyn, Ill.

LEWIS, EDWARD SHAKESPEAR—Executive-Secretary.

b. Aug. 17, 1901, Platte City, Mo.; s. William T. and Belle Z. (Caldwell) Lewis; m. Marv Cecile Miller, June 5, 1926; two children, Raphael Orville, b. Aug. 19, 1928; Carol Jean, b. Jan. 17, 1932; educ. Sumner High Sch., Kansas City, Kans., 1921; Ph. B., Univ. of Chicago, Ill., 1925; Univ. of Kansas, Lawrence, Kans., 1930-31; auth. Special Articles, Urban League Pilot; Editor, Urban League Pilot, 1927-31; Executive Sec. Urban League, Kansas City, Mo., 1927-31; Executive Sec., Urban League, Baltimore, Md., 1931-present; Sec., Health Week Marathon, Baltimore, Md.; Delegate, University of Chicago,

1922; Delegate, National Student Conference, Louisville, Ky., 1923; mem. Masons; Y.M.C.A.; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pi Gamma Mu; American Assn. of Social Workers; National Conference of Social Work; Prof. Sociology, Morgan Coll. Baltimore, Md. 1934-present; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 1538 Division St.; Residence, 410 Overland Ave., Baltimore, Md.

He received the Honor Entrance Scholarship from Sumner High School, Kansas City, Kans., to the University of Chicago in 1921.

LEWIS, JOHN RANDOLPH—Clergyman.

b. June 25, 1887, Portsmouth, Va.; s. Rev. Ashley Hall and Josephine (Churchill) Lewis; m. Annie Fisher, Sept. 27, 1920; one child, Margarita, b. April 23, 1925; educ. Wayland Acad., Richmond, Va., 1906; Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1907; Bishop Payne Divinity Sch., Petersburg, Va., 1915; D.D., Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1925; Clergyman, 1915-present; Pastor, St. Timothy's Church, Athens, Ga., 1915-16; Pastor, Good Shepherd Ch., Hopkinsville, Ky., 1916-18; Pastor, St. Athanasius Church; Brunswick, Ga., 1918-22; Pastor, St. Peter's Ch., Key West, Fla., 1922-27; Pastor, St. Patrick's Church, West Palm Beach, Fla., 1927-30; Pastor, St. Cyprians Church, Detroit, Mich., 1930-present; mem. Elks; K. of P.; N.A.A.C.P.; Council of Social Agencies; Y.M.C.A.; Detroit Clerics; Catholic Club of Michigan; Con-Fraternity, Blessed Sacrament of Body and Blood of Christ; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 6108 28th St., Detroit, Mich.

LEWIS, JOHN W.—Physician.

b. Eddyville, Ia.; m. Lena V. Pickett, 1909; one child, John W., Jr., b. Dec. 5, 1914; educ. Pub. Sch., Eddyville, Ia.; grad. of High Sch., 1892; M. D., Bennett Coll. (now Loyola Univ.), Chicago, Ill., 1902; Physician, 1902-present; special work in Proctology; mem. Physicians', Pharmacists' and Dental Assn. (President-elect, 1923); Pres., Cook Co. Physicians Assn., 1923; National Medical Assn.; Pres., the Pathfinders' Club; Pres., Entre Nous Club; West Chicago G.U.O.O.F. 3969; Tyre Lodge No. 70, A.F. and A.M.; Chicago Alumni Chapter, Kappa Alpha Psi, and Princess Bernice Chapter No. 31; Address, 2001 W. Lake St., Chicago, Ill.

LEWIS, JULIAN H.—Scientist.

b. May 26, 1891, Shawneetown, Ill.; s. John C. and Cordelia O. (Scott) Lewis; m. Eva Overton, Sept. 12, 1918; three children, Gloria Julianne, b. May 10, 1920; Julian Herman, Jr., b. Aug. 23, 1921; John Overton, b. Dec. 5, 1928; educ. A.B., Univ. of Illinois, 1908-11; M.A., 1912; Ph.D., Univ. of Chicago, 1912-15; M.D., Rush Medical Coll., 1915-17; auth. Many Scientific Articles on Research Work; Assoc. Professor, Pathology, Univ. of Chicago, 1925-pres.; Coroner's Phy., 1930-present; John Simon Guggenheim For. Fel., 1926-27; mem. Society for Experimental Pathology; American Assn. of Pathologists and Bacteriologists; Chicago Pathological Soc.; Chicago Institute of Medicine; Chicago Soc. of Internal Medicine; National Tuberculosis Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Cook County Phy. Assn.; Amer. Assn. of Immunologist; Fel. Amer. Assn. for Advancement of Science; Illinois Academy of Science; Otho S. A. Sprague Memorial Inst.

for Medical Research; Alpha Omega Alpha; Sigma Xi; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Dept. of Pathology, University of Chicago; Residence, 5200 Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

LEWIS, KATIE C.—Retired School Principal.

b. Dec. 23, 1860, Warrenton, Va.; d. Robert R. and Mary J. (Brown) Lewis; educ. Washington High Sch., Washington, D. C.; Normal Training, Martha B. Briggs; Pd.B., Howard Univ., Teachers Coll., Washington, D. C., 1908; Teacher, John F. Cook Sch., 1878; Principal, Logan Sch., 1893; Teaching Principal, Jones Sch., 1894; Teaching Principal, Garnet Sch., 1898; Principal, Mott Sch., 1907; Administrative Principal, Garnet-Patterson Sch., with 35 classes, 1916; Administrative Principal, Bruce Sch., 1927; mem. Independent Order of St. Lukes; National Education Assn.; Columbia Educational Assn.; Parent-Teachers Assn.; National Assn. for Teachers in Colored Sch.; Teachers Annuity Assn. of Washington; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregational; Address, 2539 Georgia Ave., Washington, D. C.

After fifty-two years of inspiring and creative service in the Public Schools of Washington, D. C., she retired in June, 1930. Her first appointment was a teacher in September, 1878. She gained promotion through ability becoming Principal of various schools. In 1916 she became the Administrative Principal of the Garnet-Patterson-Phelps School which group involves the supervision of thirty-five classes.

LEWIS, MORRIS—Secretary to Congressman.

b. June 6, 1875, Chicago, Ill.; s. Martin Van Buren and Carrie (Evans) Lewis; m. Irene McClelland, June 10, 1896; educ. Public Sch., Chicago, Ill.; typist, office of Lorenzo L. Burke, renowned Court Reporter, Chicago, Ill.; stenographer and typist, office of Attorney Luther Lafin Mills, Chicago, Ill., 4 years; served under Ferdinand W. Peck, Commissioner General, United States Commission to the Paris Exposition, 1899; later became stenographer, and then became Secretary to the Commissioner General during the Exposition period in Paris, France; Secretary, Ferdinand W. Peck, 24 years; Secretary, Republican Ward Organization, Chicago, Ill., 16 years; first Secretary, Colored Y. M.C.A., Chicago, Ill.; Secretary, Chicago Branch, N.A.A.C.P.; Circulation Manager, Chicago Defender, 4 years; Private Secretary, Congressman DePriest, 1929-present; Commissioner of Conciliation; Deputy Coroner, Cook Co., Ill.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, University of Chicago; Residence 4720 Champlain Ave., Chicago, Ill.

LEWIS, MOTEA MELVIN—Physician.

b. Sept. 23, 1892, Richmond, Va.; s. John O. and Kate (Brown) Lewis; m. Ollie B. Jackson, Dec. 20, 1923; one child, Ollie Bernice, b. April 15, 1927; educ. Armstrong High Sch., Richmond, Va.; Kittrell Coll., Kittrell, N. C.; Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C.; M.D., Univ. of Tennessee, 1916; Physician, 1916-present; Asst Surgeon, Negro Baptist Hospital, Memphis, Tenn., 1915-16; 1st

Lieut., Medical Reserve Corp., World War, 1918; mem. Richmond Medical Soc.; National Medical Assn.; Love and Charity; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 412 E. Leigh St.; Residence, 524 N. 5th St., Richmond, Va.

LEWIS, STEPHEN J.—Dentist.

educ. Howard University, Washington, D. C., 1909; Founder and author, Interstate Free Lecture Course for Howard and Meharry Medical and Dental Colleges; Dental Editor, Journal Nat. Medical Assn.; mem. Amer. Dent. Assn.; Penna. State Dent. Assn.; Harrisburg Dent. Soc.; Interstate Dent. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Omega Psi Phi; Address, Masonic Temple, 100 U St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

LIGGINS, WENDELL T.—Clergyman.

b. Oct. 21, 1912, Xenia, Ohio; s. Rev. Frank M. and Aronia H. (Cowels) Liggins; educ. B.D., Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, Ohio, 1931; S.T.M., Wittenberg Univ.; Denver Univ., Denver, Colo., 1937-38, course leading to Th.B.; Clergyman, 1935-present; Salesmanager, Polk Furniture Co., Detroit, Mich., 1936; Pastor, Shiloh Baptist Church, Greenfield, Colo., 1935; Pastor, Mt. Zion Baptist Church, La Junta, Colo., 1936-present; Commissioner, Boy Scout Activities for Negroes of Colorado; Vice-Pres., Colored Civic League Associations, State of Colorado; Sec., Western Baptist State Convention of Colorado; mem. N. A. A. C. P.; National Goodfellow League; Phi Beta Sigma; State Chairman, Speakers Bureau for Negroes; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2311 High St., Denver, Colo.; Residence, 716 W. 2nd St., La Junta, Colo.

LIGHTFOOT, JAMES A.—Lawyer—b. Dec. 20, 1882, Richmond, Va.; s. Garland W. and Mary Ann (Newton) Lightfoot; educ. Pub. Sch., Richmond, Va., 1891; Pub. Sch., Cleveland, O., 1894; Pub. Sch., Richmond, Va., 1898; St. Paul Normal Sch., 1898-1901; Howard Univ., 1902-04; Howard Univ., Law Sch., 1904-07; LL.B. Howard Univ., 1907; m. Estelle V. Kennedy, Aug. 8, 1914; three children, Elfrida D., b. May 25, 1916; Betty E., b. Sept. 23, 1921; James Garland, b. July 3, 1925; Law Clerk with ex-Judge J. J. Crandall, 1910-12; admitted to Bar of New Jersey, June, 1912, as Attorney at Law; admitted as Counsellor, April, 1922; Lawyer, 1922-present; President of Northside Chamber of Commerce of Atlantic City, N. J.; mem. Elks, Masons, Alpha Phi Alpha, President of the University Club of Atlantic City, N. J.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Protestant Episcopal; Office 24 Atlantic Insurance Bldg., Atlantic City, N. J.; Residence, The Loretta Apartment, Atlantic City, N. J.

LIGHTNER, LAWRENCE H.—Official of Fraternal Organization—Editor.

b. Sept. 6, 1884, Hearne, Texas; s. Adolphus and Cora Jane (Ray) Lightner; m. Geraldine L. Troutman, June, 1915; educ. Marlin Pub. Sch., 1898-1902; Samuel Houston Coll., 1902-05; also 1909-10; A.M. Samuel Houston Coll., 1927; Ass. Prin., Waxahachie Public Sch., 1906-07; Sec. and Preceptor, Samuel Houston Coll., 1907-09; Teacher and Preceptor, Samuel Houston Coll., 1909-10; Supreme Clerk, American Woodmen, 1911-33; Supreme Commander, American Woodmen, 1933-present; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Trustee of Scott Methodist Episcopal Church; General Conference and the World Service Commission

of the M.E. Church; Masons; Editor Woodman Banner; National and Fraternal, pub. quarterly by Kable Bros.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist, Episcopal; Residence, 2534 Marion St., Denver, Colo.

In August, 1926, he was one of the party which represented the Y.M.C.A. at the World Conference held at Helsingfors, Finland.

LILLY, WILLIAM E.—Lawyer.

b. Sept. 9, 1872, Knoxville, Tenn.; s. Albert and Martha Lilly; m. Myrtle Tities, 1926; educ. Pub Sch., Knoxville, Tenn.; High Sch., Chattanooga, Tenn., 1906; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D.C., 1909; auth. "Life of Abram Lincoln," Farrar & Rinehart, pub., 1932; Lawyer, 1910-present; mem. Cook Co. Bar Assn.; Pol. Republican; Address, 417 E. 47th St.; Residence, 419 E. 48th Pl., Chicago, Ill.

LIPSCOMB, GEORGE DEWEY—College Professor—b. April 17, 1898, Freeport, Ill.; s. John James and Alice (Logan) Lipscomb; educ. A.B. Northwestern Univ., 1921; Professor of Languages and Literature; Director, Dept. of Expression, Wiley Coll., Marshall, Texas, 1924-present; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Relig. Episcopalian; P.O. Address, Wiley College, Marshall, Texas.

While a student at Freeport High School, he was a winner of first prize in the State oratorical contest, held at the University of Illinois and a scholarship to Northwestern University. From Northwestern he was graduated in 1921, with the distinction of having been the first sophomore to win the Kirk prize in oratory and subsequently represent Northwestern University in the Northern Oratorical League Contest. He was also winner of the Sargent prize in dramatic interpretation.

His one act play "Frances" won the First prize in the Literary contest conducted by *Opportunity*, in 1925.

LIPSCOMB, MRS. MARY E. SIGMAN—Teacher.

b. July 27, Rehoboth, Ala.; d. John W. and Sarah Ann (Morgan) Sigman; m. George S. Lipscomb, Sept. 1 1921 (deceased); educ. Public Schools of Birmingham, Ala., 1892-96; Barber Memorial Sem., Anniston, Ala., 1897-1900; Summer courses at Columbia Univ., English and Music, 1915 and 1920; A.B., Dillard Univ. New Orleans, La., 1937. Teacher in elementary schools, Birmingham, Ala., 1900-16; Instructor of English in High Sch., Birmingham, Ala., 1916-21; Teacher, High Sch., 1924-present; Organizer and sixth Vice-Pres., Parent Teachers' Assn. of High Schools in Alabama; mem. Cosmos Circle; Board of Management, Y.W.C.A.; Day Nursery and Social Settlement House, Past Matron, Mizpah Chapter, 194, O.E.S.; Treas. and Trustee of Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Ch., Birmingham, Ala., 1923; Life Member, W.H. & F.M. Society of the A.M.E. Zion Church; Life Member of the Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; Dist. Sec. of the Young Women's Missionary

Society of the A.M.E. Zion Church of Birmingham; Re-elected, First Recording Sec., Southeastern Federation; Pres., Barber Coll. Alumni Assn., Anniston, Ala., 1930; Relig. A.M.E. Zion Church; Address, Washington School; Residence, 704 9th Ave., N., Birmingham, Ala.

She came to Birmingham from a nearby mining town when eleven years of age. Upon finishing public school, she taught a private school for one year and then entered Barber Memorial Seminary on a scholarship given her by the Fidelis Circle. She graduated from Barber in 1900 with honors. Salutatorian of her class. Worked her way through College.

While at Columbia University she began a scientific collection of Negro Folk Lore and since then has added considerable data.

During the World War she was a Four Minute Speaker, 1917-19.

In 1920, Mrs. Mary E. Lipscomb, then Miss Mary E. Sigman, took the initiative in advocating "The equality of opportunity between men and women in the teaching profession."

She is pioneer in this movement. For seven years she led the women in the fight for this principle, and in 1927 engineered its final triumph which resulted in electing the first woman president of the Alabama State Teachers' Association.

LITTLEJOHN, FORREST W.—Asst. Prosecuting Attorney.

b. Jan. 20, 1884, Asbury Township, Union Co., S. C.; s. Nero and Tennessee A. (Dawkins) Littlejohn m. Lessie C. Haynes (divorced); second marriage, Kida May Scott (deceased); third marriage, Emma Sydnor; two children, Alma L., b. March 14, 1907; Charles E., b. April 5, 1908; educ. Claflin Univ., 1902-06; Howard Univ., 1911; LL.B., LaSalle Univ., Chicago, 1918; Lawyer, 1919-present; Worshipful Master, Masons, 1930-present; ex-Judge, pro tem, Marion Co. Superior Court; Pres., Marion Co. Lawyers' Club; Asst. Co. Chairman, Democratic County Central Committee, Marion Co., 1926; first Colored Lawyer appointed by Bank as Chief Counsel in a receivership case to act as a Receiver for a Corporation; Asst. Prosecuting Attorney, Bond Forfeiture Dept., Marion Co., Indiana, 1931-present; mem. Marion Co. Lawyers Club; N.A.A.C.P.; Masons (Scottish Rite) 33°; A.U.K. and D.A.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Methodist; Address, 46 N. Pennsylvania St.; Residence, 2832 Boulevard Pl., Indianapolis, Ind.

LIVERPOOL, G. WILLIAM—High School Principal.

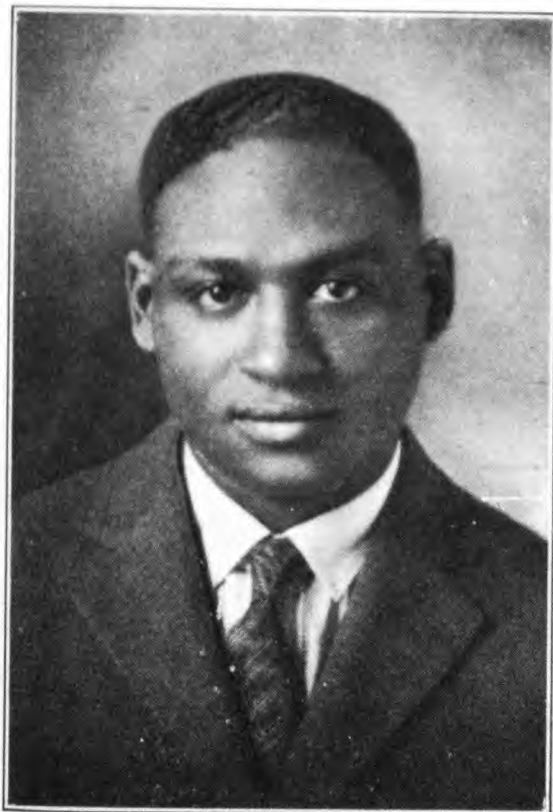
b. June 8, 1900, Mullica Hill, N. J.; s. William Anthony and Josephine (Robinson) Liverpool; m. A. Cecile McCray, Sept., 1928; educ. R. I. Acad., Ozeane, Va.; Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn.; A.B., Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1923; Chi. Univ.; Teacher, Sen. High Sch., N. C., 1923-26; Prin. Jr. High Sch., Pulaski, Va., 1928-present; assisted in educational survey of the Negro child, Essex Co., Va., 1927; Pres., Tahaka Civic Club, Philadelphia, Pa.; mem. Republican Club; Nat. Negro Organization Soc.; Nat. Assn.



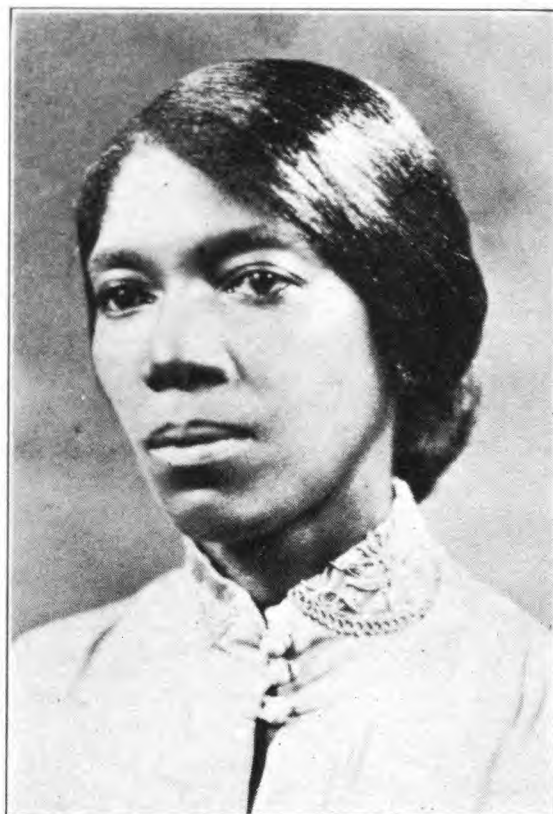
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LONGE, GEORGE—School Principal.

b. July 15, 1898, New Orleans, La.; s. Cherrie and Eugenie (Lacoste) Longe; m. Louise Folse, July 24, 1924; one child, George, Jr., b. Oct. 18, 1928; educ. B.S., Straight Coll., New Orleans, La., 1921; A.B., 1921, A.M., 1925; Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala., 1921; Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill., 1925; auth. "The Intelligence of the Colored Senior High School Pupils of the State of Louisiana", 1925; Teacher, High Sch., New Orleans, La., 1921; Principal, Public Sch., New Orleans, La., 1928; Principal, Albert Wicker, Jr., High Sch., New Orleans, La.,-present; General Chairman, New Orleans Community Chest, 1935; Chairman, Committee in Charge of Writing Negro History for all the Colored Elementary and High Schools in New Orleans; mem. Executive Committee, New Orleans Teachers' Assn.; Executive Sec., New Orleans Principals' Assn.; mem. Executive Committee, N. A. A. C. P.; mem. Executive Committee, Educational Alliance, which shapes educational policies for Negroes in New Orleans; Grand Orator, Supreme Council, Masons, State of La.; 33 degree Masons; Representative, National Emergency Advisory Council for Negroes, New Orleans Public Sch., mem. Board of Management, Dryades, Y. M. C. A.; Delegate, National Conference on the Fundamental Problems, Negro Education, Washington, D. C., 1934; Inter-racial Commission; mem. Executive Committee, Federated Civic League, 17 in number, New Orleans, La.; Sec., Omega Psi Phi; mem. Executive Committee, newly created Dillard Univ. Alumni Ass.; mem. Elk; K. of P.; Club, The Bunch; Pres. Louisiana State Colored Teachers' Assn., 1939-present; mem. Progressive Educational Assn.; New Orleans Principals' Assn.; Urban League; Third and Seventh Ward Civic Leagues; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregation-a list; Address, Albert Wicker Jr. High School, 2420 Canal St., Residence, 3500 Hamburg St., New Orleans, La.

The Albert Wicker, Jr., High School, of which he is the principal, has 27 teachers and 950 pupils. He was appointed by the Superintendent of the New Orleans Public Schools as Chairman in charge of writing a course in Negro History for all Colored elementary and high schools in New Orleans. He was also appointed Chairman of a Committee of Teachers and Principals to work out a course of study in Negro History for all the grades of the Colored elementary and high schools in the City of New Orleans.

LONG, HOWARD HALE—Educator.

b. March 4, 1888, News Ferry, Va.; s. Thomas and Annie (Vassar) Long; m. Ollie Mae Guerant, Dec. ??, 1917; educ. Wayland Acad., 1909-11; Howard Univ., education, 1911-15; B.S. and Bachelors Diploma in Education, Howard Univ., 1915; Clark Univ., Worcester, Mass., Experimental Psychology, 1915-16; A.M., 1916; Instructor in Psychology, Howard Univ., 1916-17; First Lieut., U. S. Army (overseas service) 1917-19; Dean, Paine College, Augusta, Ga., 1919-23; Dean, School of Education, Knoxville College, Knoxville, Tenn., 1923-24; Supervising Principal, Public Schools, Washington, D. C., 1924-June, 1925; Asst. Supt. in Charge of Research, 1925-present; auth. "An Analysis of Some Factors Influencing Alpha Scores by States," pub. Howard Review Co., June, 1924; "On Mental Tests and Racial Psychology—A

Critique," National Urban League, May, 1925; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. C.M.E. Church; Address, 2525 Georgia Ave., Washington, D. C.

LOOBY, Z. ALEXANDER—Lawyer.

b. April 8, 1899, Antigua, B.W.I.; s. John and Grace Elizabeth (Joseph) Looby; m. Grafta Mosby, 1934; educ. A.B., Howard Univ., 1922; I.L.B., Columbia Univ., New York City, 1925; S.J.D., New York University New York City 1926; Lawyer, 1928-present; Teacher, Business Administration, Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1926-28; Professor, Medical Jurisprudence, Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1926-27; and 1935-present; Teacher, Tennessee A. & I. State Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1932-37; mem. National Legal Committee, N.A.A.C.P.; Local Attorney N. C. Mutual Life Insurance Company, Atlanta Life Ins. Co., Universal Life Ins. Co.; Sunday School Union, A.M.E. Church; Chairman, Legal Redress Committee, Nashville Branch N. A.A.C.P., Founder and Dean, Kent Coll. of Law, Nashville, Tenn.; mem. Masons; Elks; Grand Basileus Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, 1941; Pol. Independent; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Address, 419 4th Ave., N.; Residence, 715 Shirley St., Nashville, Tenn.

LOOMIS, LLOYD A.—Lawyer.

b. Sept. 15, 1898, Detroit, Mich. s. John A. and Evangeline (Aray) Loomis; m. Katherine Quaker, Oct. 21, 1925; two children, Louise, b. May 23, 1926; Barbara, b. May 23, 1928; educ. Central High Sch., Detroit; L.L.B., Univ. of Mich., 1924; Assisting Prosecuting Atty., Wayne Co., Mich., 1927-present; Lawyer, 1924-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 509 Polus Hgts.; Residence, 5339 Vinewood Ave., Detroit, Mich.

LORICK, JAMES THOMPSON—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 14, 1893, Paterson, N. J.; s. Henry C. and Eva Della (Mitchell) Lorick; educ. A.B., Biddle Univ., 1912; Johnson C. Smith Univ.; Univ. of Chicago; J.D., Northwestern Law Sch., 1925; Lawyer, 1925-present; Non-Commissioned Officer, 8th Illinois Infantry, 1917-19; Legal Advisor, Nat. Embalming Assn.; mem. Nat. Bar Assn.; Cook Co. Bar Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Urban League; Masons; Shriners; Knight Templar; Elks; DeSabbriel Co. Urban League; Kappa Alpha Psi, Theta Chap.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 3451 S. Michigan Ave., Residence, 6608 Vincennes Ave., Residence, 4324 Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

LOUIS, JOE (Joseph Louis Barrow)—World's Heavyweight Champion Pugilist.

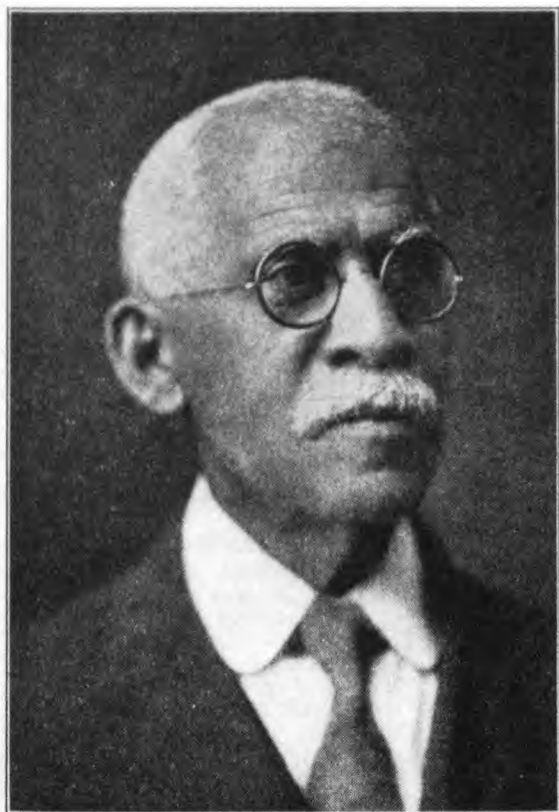
b. May 13, 1914, Lexington, Ala.; s. Munn and Lilly (Reese) Barrow; m. Marva Trotter, Sept 24, 1935; educ. Public Schools, LaFayette, Ala.; Public Sch., Detroit, Mich.; Amateur Boxer, in 54 bouts, of which 43 were knockouts, 7 decisions, and 4 losses; Professional Boxer, July 4, 1934-present; as a Professional he was in 30 contests of which 23 were knockouts, 4 decisions, and one loss; became World's Heavyweight Champion by defeating James Braddock at Chicago, Ill., June, 1937, and by defeating Max Schmeling, June 22, 1938, and



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WILLIAM HENRY LUCAS



J. GRAY LUCAS, A.B., LL.B.



many others since; Address, 4324 Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

LOVE, EDGAR AMOS—Clergyman.

b. Sept. 10, 1891, Harrisonburg, Va.; s. Julius C. and Susie (Carr) Love; m. Virgie Ross, June 16, 1923; educ. Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1905-09; Howard Univ., 1909-13; A.B., Howard Univ., 1913; Boston Univ., Boston, Mass., 1913-14; also 1916-17; S.T.B., Boston Univ., 1918; D.D. Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1935; Pastor, Fairmont Heights M.E. Ch., 1915-17; Chaplain, U. S. Army (overseas service), 1917-19; Prin., Academy, Morgan Coll., 1919-21; Pastor, Washington, Pa., 1921-24; Annapolis, 1924-27; Pastor, Wheeling, W. Va., 1927-30; Baltimore, Md., 1930-32; Pres., Inter-Denominational Ministers' Alliance, 1935-present; Superintendent, Washington District, Methodist Episcopal Church, 1933-present; mem. Board of Temperance, Methodist Church; Delegate, General Conference, Methodist Church, 1936; mem. Masons; American Woodmen; Elks; Omega Psi Phi; Am. Legion; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 1848 3rd St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Was one of the three founders of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity and its first Grand Basileus.

Entered the Officers' Training Camp at Ft. Des Moines, commissioned 1st Lieut. and assigned to the Machine Gun Company, 368th Inf., Camp Meade, Md. Transferred to the Chaplains' Corps and assigned Chaplain of the 368th Inf. Saw service overseas in the St. Die Sector and in the Meuse-Argonne Offensive. In January, 1919, transferred to the 809th Pioneer Inf.

Was a delegate to the First Convention of the American Legion at Minneapolis, Minn., representing Maryland.

LOWRY, ARTHUR ALEXANDER—Lawyer.

b. Before Feb. 24, 1878, Pontiac, Ill.; s. Howard and Lucy (McGhee) Lowry; m. Bertha L. Thomas, Oct. 25, 1909; educ. Pontiac City High Sch., Pontiac, Ill., 1890-94; Pontiac Township High Sch., 1895-97; Northern Illinois School of Law, Dixon, Ill., 1898-1900; LL.M., 1900; Passed Ill. State Bar Examination, 1901; Lawyer, 1901-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, 300 Sterry Block; Residence, 802 S. Locust St., Pontiac, Ill.

He was the first colored boy to graduate from the Pontiac City and Township High Schools. The first race member to play on the Northern Illinois College Football team.

LOWRY, JOHN HENRY.

b. March 17, 1868, Liberty, Va.; s. Mose and Mary (White) Lowry; m. May Woods, Oct. 16, 1889; one child, Avie, b. Sept. 10, 1890; educ. Liberty High School; President, The Anchor Life Insurance Company, 1926-present; Pres. and Treas., Velvet Brick Co., Massalon, Ohio; Pres., Anchor Life and Acc. Ins. Co.; mem. Chamber of Commerce, Massalon; Masons; Elks; Relig. Baptist; Address, 405 1st St., S.W., Massalon, Ohio.

LUCAS, A. L'AVNIRE—Physician and Surgeon.

b. April 1, 1889, Lucas, Miss.; s. Ira Warren and Sarah (Bridges) Lucas; m. Ella Ophelia Strange, May 21, 1912; three children, Ira Warren, b. Oct. 27, 1915; Annette Lolita, b. Oct. 31, 1925; A' L'Avnire, Jr., b. Oct. 28, 1927; educ. Lucas High Sch., Lucas, Miss., 1907; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1911; Interne, Hubbard Memorial Hospital, Nashville, Tenn., 1912; Physician and Surgeon, 1912-present; Staff, Medicine, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1930-present; Staff, Wilson Hospital, 1924-30; Medical Examiner, K. of P., Chicago, Ill., 1922-present; Medical Examiner, Masons, 1922-present; Pres., Meharry Alumni Assn., Chicago, Ill., 1931-32; mem. Masons; K. of P.; American Med. Assn.; National Medical Assn.; Illinois Medical Soc.; Cook Co. Physician's Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Y.M.C.A.; Phi Beta Sigma; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 5655 S. State St., Chicago, Ill.

LUCAS, IRA WARREN—Contractor-BUILDER.

b. Nov. 24, 1857, Silver Creek, Miss.; s. Parker and Jane (Bowen) Lucas; m. Sarah Bridges; two children, Mrs. Lulu Strange; A. L'Avnire; educ. Public Sch., Silver Creek, Miss.; Contractor, Builder, Farmer, Lucas, Miss., 1900-30; Organizer and supported the Lucas School, Lucas, Miss.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 5655 S. State St., Chicago, Ill.

He was a contractor and builder in the State of Mississippi and was honored by having a postoffice and village named after him.

LUCAS, J. GRAY—Asst. U. S. Attorney.

b. Marshall, Tex.; m. Olive Gulliver; two children, J. Gray, Jr., (deceased); Elaine Louise (now Mrs. Henderson); educ. Arkansas State Normal Coll., Pine Bluff, Ark.; Arkansas Industrial Univ.; A.B., LL.B., Boston Univ., Law Sch., Boston, Mass.; Asst. State's Attor., for Jefferson Co., Pine Bluff, Ark.; mem. State Assembly from Jefferson Co., Ark.; U. S. Commissioner, Ark.; Asst. Corporation Counsel, Chicago, Ill.; First Asst. Recorder of Deeds, Cook Co., Chicago, Ill.; Asst. U. S. Attor., State Illinois, 1934-present; admitted to the U. S. Supreme Court, 1906, where he has appeared four times; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 3646 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

He is the first Colored man to be appointed Commissioner U. S. Circuit Court, Eastern District, of Arkansas. He was the youngest member of the last Arkansas General Assembly to which Colored members were elected, and was the leader of the 13 Republican members and selected by them to make the speeches against the Australian Ballot Law, which disfranchised the Negro in that State, and the Separate Coach Bill.

He opposed the Republican leader in the State Convention to recommend the man to the U. S. District Judgeship who directed the State of Mississippi how to constitutionally disfranchise the Colored people, forcing the convention to adjourn twice and finally to name the man appointed by President Harrison.

LUCAS, STANLEY LEOPOLD—Physician.

b. May 22, 1881, Jamaica, B.W.I.; s. Michael and Roberta (Saunders) Lucas; m. Ethel Medley, Sept. 24, 1907; two children, Wilma, b. Dec. 23, 1908; Enid, b. Aug. 2, 1913; educ. Intermediate B.A., Cambridge Univ., England, 1900; M.D., C.M., Queens Univ., Canada, 1906; University of Bishop Coll., Montreal, Quebec, Canada; Post Graduate work, London Hospital; Edinburg, Scotland; France; Heidelberg; Physician and Surgeon, 1906-present; mem. Elks; Masons; Odd Fellows; Reindeers; Pol. Republican; Relig. Anglican; Address, 511 N. Indiana Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.

He was a David Medalist and Scholar at the University of Bishop College and also Prize man in Anatomy and Histology. He was for a number of years District Surgeon of the Union Pacific Railway at Portland, Oregon.

LUCAS, WILLIAM HENRY—Educator—Town Clerk.

b. September 28, 1850, Richmond, Va.; s. Josiah P. and Betty Bird (Bowman) Lucas; m. Carrie Veney, Oct. 23, 1873, (first wife); Sarah Ann Campbell, Dec. 29, 1884, (second wife); three children, Frederick William, b. Dec. 23, 1874; Joseph Payne, b. Feb. 16, 1877; Hattie B. Smith (Lucas) adopted, b. April 7, 1894; educ. Cadiz High Sch., 1873; Teacher and Principal, Dunbar Colored Sch., Cadiz, O., 1872-1922, 50 years, (retired because of age limit); Town Clerk, Cadiz, O., 1882-present; Supt. of Sunday Sch., A.M.E., and teacher, 1872-present; Steward, Trustee, and Elder, A.M.E. Church, 1872-present; mem. last charter member, Mystic Lodge No. 20, Masons, 1872-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, Town Clerk, Cadiz Council Chamber; Residence, 153 E. Warren St., Cadiz, Ohio.

Prof. Lucas is very highly regarded throughout the Cadiz community. He has the unusual honor of being elected Town Clerk for past 51 years, and having no opposition for re-election for more than twenty years. Was the first race pupil to attend and graduate from the high school in Cadiz, in which schools he holds the distinction of having taught longer in one school than any other Eastern Ohio teacher.

LYELLS, RUBY ELIZABETH (STUTTS)—Librarian.

b. Anding, Yazoo Co., Miss.; d. T. F. and Rossie A. (Cowan) Stutts; m. M. J. Lyells, Sept. 10, 1931; educ. B.S., Alcorn A. and M. Coll., Alcorn, Miss., 1929; B.S., Hampton Institute Library Sch., Hampton, Va., 1930; Univ. of Chicago, Ill., (expects to get A.M. Summer, 1941); auth. Contributor to the Mississippi Educational Journal; Acting Librarian, Auburn Branch, Carnegie Library, Atlanta, Ga., 1930; Librarian, Alcorn A. and M. Coll., Alcorn, Miss., 1930-present; Vice-Pres., Mississippi Federation of Colored Women's Clubs; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, Alcorn A. and M. College, Alcorn, Miss.

She graduated in three years from the High School of Utica Normal and Industrial Institute, Utica, Miss., and was Vale-

dictorian of the class of 1925. She also was Valedictorian of the class of 1929 of Alcorn A. and M. College, and received a Julius Rosenwald Fellowship to attend the Hampton Institute Library School. She also was offered University Scholarship at the University of Chicago.

LYLE, MRS. ETHEL HEDGEMAN—Teacher.

b. St. Louis, Mo.; d. Albert and Marie Alice (Hubbard) Hedgeman; m. George Lyle, June, 1911; one child, George Hedgeman, b. March 20, 1912; educ. Pub. Sch. St. Louis, Mo.; Howard Univ., Coll. of Arts and Sciences; A.B., 1909; Graduate School, Univ. of Penn.; Teacher of Music, Colored Schools, McIntosh Co., Okla., 1909-10; Teacher, Pub. Sch., Illinois, 1910-11; Teacher of English, Thomas Durham School, Philadelphia, Pa., 1921-present; Founder, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, 1908; Founder of Mothers' Club of Philadelphia; Charter Member of the West Phila. League of Women Voters; Member of Republican Women's Committee of Forty Word, Phila., in 1919; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, Durham School, 16th and Lombard Sts.; Residence, 415 N. 53rd St., Philadelphia, Pa.

She was the first graduate of Sumner High School to win a scholarship to Howard University. While at Howard she was President of the Y.P.S.E. and a member of the Choir.

She was the founder of the first sorority for Colored women in the world, the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, founded at Howard University in 1908.

LYNCH, AMOS L.—Physician.

b. Jan. 5, 1886, Roopville, Ga.; s. Hardy and Ann (Robinson) Lynch; educ. A.B., Morehouse Coll., 1916; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1925; Physician, 1925-present; mem. Ohio State Med., Dent., and Pharm. Assn.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 681 E. Long St., Columbus, Ohio.

LYNCH, JOHN ROY—Retired Army Officer.

b. Sept. 10, 1847, Concordia Parish, La.; s. Patrick and Catherine (White) Lynch; m. Ella W. Somerville, Dec. 18, 1884 (deceased); second marriage, Cora E. Williamson, Aug., 1911; educ. Common Sch., Education; Justice of Peace, Adams Co., Natchez, Miss., April, 1869; elected from Adam Co. to State Legislature for two years; re-elected 1871, serving last term as Speaker of Miss. House of Representatives; elected from 6th Miss. Dist. to 43rd Congress, 1872; re-elected to 44th Congress; elected to 47th Congress, 1880-83; Temporary Chairman, Nat. Republican Convention, 1884; Member of Republican Nat. Committee of Mississippi, 1884-88; Delegate to Nat. Republican Conv. from Miss., 1872, 1884, 1888, 1892, 1900; Chairman, Repub. Central Committee of Miss., 1881-89; admitted to Bar in Miss., 1896; Dist. of Columbia, 1897; Illinois, 1919; Paymaster in Regular Army, 1906-Sept. 10, 1911; auth. "The Facts of Reconstruction," pub. The Neal Pub. Co., 1914; "Some Historical Errors of James F. Rhodes," relative to Reconstruction, pub. Cornhill Pub. Co., 1922; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Protest-

ant Episcopal Ch.; Address, 4028 Grand Boulevard, Chicago, Ill.

He was auditor of the Treasury for the Navy department during the administration of President Harrison, which covered the period from 1889 to 1893.

He was appointed Major paymaster of the U. S. Volunteers, July, 1898, and served until he was appointed Captain and Paymaster in the regular United States Army, then promoted Major and Paymaster, Sept. 13, 1906. He was retired September 10, 1911.

Died, November, 1939

LYNK, MILES VANDAHURST—Physician—Author.

b. June 3, 1871, Brownsville, Tenn.; s. John Henry and Mary (Yancy) Link; m. Beebe Steven, April 12, 1893; educ. Meharry Med. Coll., 1891; M.S., Walden Univ., 1900; LL.B., Univ. of West Tenn., 1902; Physician, 1891-present; one of the Organizers of the "Nat. Assn. of Colored Physicians, Dentists and Pharmacists of the United States" (now Nat. Med. Assn.), 1895; Founder of the Univ. of West Tennessee, 1900; Founder and the Med. Director of "Lyn-Krest" Sanitarium; auth. "The Afro-American School Speaker and Gems of Literature," 1905; "The Black Troopers or Daring Deeds of the Negro Soldiers in the Spanish-American War," 1907; "The Negro Pictorial Review of the Great World War," 1918; "Lynk's Magazine," "The Negro Outlook"; Pol. Independent; Relig. C.M.E. Church; Address, 1328 N. Willett St., Memphis, Tenn.

LYON, ERNEST—Clergyman-Diplomatist.

— See 5th Edition.

Died, July 17, 1938.

McADAMS, J. C.—School Principal.

b. Oct. 14, 1860, Belfast, Tenn.; s. Isaac and Delilah (Williams) McAdams; m. Lizzie West, Sept. 1885; two children, Calvin, b. Aug. 22, 1901; Mrs. Joanna McDonald, b. Aug. 11, 1893; B.A., Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1883; M.A., 1886; auth. Poems, pub. in various papers; Sch. Prin., 1896-present; Professor, Mississippi State Sch., 8 years; Lawyer, admitted to practice before Supreme Court; United States Internal Revenue Officer, 16 years; Delegate, Republican National Convention, 1884; Executive Committeeman, Republican State Committee; Life Member, Republican County Executive Committee; Delegate, Knights of Pythias State Grand Lodge, 5 times; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist, Address, Shelbyville, Tenn.

McADAMS, OSCAR M.—Clergyman.

b. July 9, 1887, Due West, S. C.; s. Warren and Laura (Boyd) McAdams; m. Willie Lee Allen, Dec. 29, 1921; educ. Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C., 1910-15; A.B., 1915; Auburn Theol. Sem., Auburn, N. Y., 1915-18; Pastor, Mattoon Presbyterian Ch., Greenville, S. C., 1918-present; Founder and Pastor, Trinity Presbyterian Church, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Service to General Church, 5 years; State Clerk, Mc-

Clelland Presbytery; Moderator, McClelland Presbytery, one year; Commissioner, General Assembly, Presbyterian Church, one year; Moderator, Synod of Atlanta; mem. Tuscon Lodge No. 21, F. & A.M., of Greenville; Sons of Light Lodge; K. of P., of Greenwood, S. C.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, St. Petersburg, Fla.

McARTHUR, RUTHERFORD BENJAMIN—Physician.

b. July 9, 1884, Ridge Springs, N. C.; s. Eli H. and Hally (McEachin) McArthur; m. Willie Florence Hendricks, Jan. 6, 1913; two children, Lillian, b. Aug. 2, 1914; Ruth, b. Oct. 28, 1916; educ. A.B., Bennett Coll., Greensboro, N. C., 1908; Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1909; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1913; Post Graduate, Indiana University, Indianapolis, Ind., 1930; Physician and Surgeon, 1913-present; Specialist, Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat, 1921-present; Cor. Sec. Y.M.C.A., East Tennessee, 1916-26; mem. Inter-Racial Committee, Dist. of Tenn. and Virginia, 1919-24; Legal Advisory Board, U. S. Army, 1918-19; Food Administrator, Sullivan Co., Tennessee, 1918-19; Vice Pres., N.A. A.C.P.; Indianapolis Branch; mem. Executive Board, Escalopian Med. Soc.; ex-Pres., East Tennessee Med. Council; Director of Exhibits, Nat. Med. Assn.; Past Grand Organizer, Elks; mem. Masons; Shriner; Elks; K. of P.; Omega Psi Phi; Nat. Med. Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, N. West St. and Indiana Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

McCANE, CHARLES ANTHONY—Instructor.

b. Oct. 24, 1901, Jefferson, Texas; s. William Herbert and Sallie E. (Black) McCane; educ. A.B., Wiley Coll., 1922; Northwestern Univ., summer 1927-28-29; Instructor of Natural Science, Wiley Coll., 1922-28; Professor, Physics, Wiley Coll., 1929-present; mem. Phi Beta Sigma; Am. Chemical Soc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Wiley College, Marshall, Texas.

McCAULEY, LEWYN EUGENE—Physician.

b. Jan. 28, 1883, Wilmington, N. C.; s. Roger Eugene and Martha A. (Jenkins) McCauley; m. Mamie R. Roberts, Sept. 9, 1909; educ. St. Augustine's Coll., Raleigh, N. C.; Englewood High Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1894; Kittrell Coll., Kittrell, N. C., 1901; M.D., Shaw Univ., Medical Dept., Raleigh, N. C., 1905; Post Graduate, Philadelphia Poly., 1905; Post Graduate, Freedman's Hospital, Washington, D. C.; Observation Work, Philadelphia General Hospital; Observation Work, Harlem Hospital, New York City, N. Y.; Post Graduate Course, Medical Coll. of Virginia, 1933; Physician, 1906-present; Founder and Owner, McCauley Hospital, Raleigh, N. C., 1923-present; Director, Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Durham and Raleigh, N. C., 1927-present; ex-Pres., North Carolina Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; ex-Chairman, Surgical Dept., National Medical Assn.; Past Master, Masons; ex-Chancellor, K. of P.; Pres., Raleigh Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; ex-Pres., Phi Beta Sigma; mem. Executive Committee, Interracial Commission; mem. Inter Fraternal Alliance; Masons; K. of P.; Elks; Phi Beta

Sigma; National Medical Assn.; North Carolina State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; N.A. A.C.P.; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 117 E. Hargett St.; Residence, 8 N. Tarboro St., Raleigh, N. C.

He founded the McCauley Hospital in Raleigh in 1923, which has 12 beds and three bassinets.

McCLAIN, JULIUS S.—Social Worker.

b. March 5, 1898; Greenville, S. C.; s. James X. and Susie A. (Maxwell) McClain; educ. High Sch., Philadelphia, Pa.; Jackson Coll., Prep., 1916; B.A., Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa., 1922; Temple Univ., Philadelphia, Pa.; Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y.; Teacher, Industrial Arts, Public Sch., Philadelphia, Pa., 1923-29; Vocational Director, Wiscachickon Boys' Club, Philadelphia, Pa., 1928-29; Executive Director, Columbus Hill Community Center, New York City, N. Y., 1930-present; National Vice Pres., Omega Psi Phi, 1925-29; National Pres., Omega Psi Phi, 1927-29; mem. Elks; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 224 W. 63rd St.; Residence, 2588 7th Ave., New York, N. Y.

McCLAIN, RICHARD POLLARD—Physician.

b. Jan. 3, 1890, Nicholasville, Ky.; s. Meredith and Ellen (Hendren) McClain; m. Alice E. Martin, Aug. 29, 1918; educ. Cincinnati High Sch.; M.D., Howard Univ., 1913; Interne, Freedmen's Hosp., 1913-14; Physician, 1913-present; Director, Imperial Finance Corp.; Director and Sec., Model Drug Corp.; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Cincinnati Med. Assn.; Bd. of Managers, Y.M.C.A.; Masons; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 912 W. 7th St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

McCLELLAN, JAMES FENNIMORE—Newspaper Owner.

b. Sept. 25, 1904, Shelby, Ala.; s. James Fennimore and Elizabeth C. (Campbell) McClellan; m. Robbie Eloise Bell, Feb. 20, 1925; three children, James Fennimore, Jr.; Robbie Elizabeth; Porita E.; educ. Bibb Co. Training Sch., Centreville, Ala., 1920; Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala., 1923; A.B., Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1927; Tennessee State Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1928; Teacher, Science, Tennessee State Coll., 1929-31; Owner and Manager, Nashville Independent, Nashville, Tenn., 1931-present; District Route Manager, Nashville Tennessean, 1924-present; mem. Masons; Omega Psi Phi; Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 413½ 4th Ave., N.; Residence, 2405 Jefferson St., Nashville, Tenn.

McCLENDON, JAMES JULIUS—Physician.

b. March 16, 1898, Rome, Ga.; s. Benjamin and Louis (Buckner) McCleendon; m. Irene H. Scruggs, July 20, 1932; two children, Mariel Louise. b. 1935; Merle Elaine, b. 1937; educ. A.B., Atlanta, Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1921; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1926; Interne, Dunbar Memorial Hospital, Detroit, Mich., 1926-27; Physician, 1926-present; Sec. and part owner, Fairview Sanatorium, Detroit, Mich., 1930-present; Staff, Parkside Hospital, Detroit, Mich., 1927-present; Staff, Edith K. Thomas Memorial Hospital, Detroit, Mich.,

1930-present; ice Pres., U. S. National Automobile Club, 1930-present; Chairman, Membership Committee, Y.M.C.A., Detroit, Mich., 1931-present; mem. Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; Alpha Phi Alpha; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; National Medical Assn.; Wayne Co. Medical Soc.; American Medical Assn.; Michigan State Medical Soc.; Pres., Detroit Branch, N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 503 E. Warren St.; Residence, 320 Alger St., Detroit, Mich.

McCORNELL, JAMES ELLIOT—Physician.

b. June 23, 1877, Pontiac, Ill.; s. William L. and Julia (Tapley) McCornell; educ. High Sch., Gibson, Ill.; Northwestern Univ.; M.D., Loyola Univ., Medical Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1909; Physician, 1909-present; Postal Clerk, City Delivery Service, Chicago, Ill., 1900-18; Teacher, Sweet Home Public Sch., Sweet Home, Okla., 1898-99; mem. Illinois National Guard, 8th Regiment, 8 years; Nat. Med. Assn.; Illinois State Medical Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 3517 S. State St., Chicago, Ill.

McCORMICK, MAJOR HERBERT CUTTER—Superintendent, State Institutions.

b. Nov. 29, 1887, Shell, Ala.; s. Joe and Gertrude (Smallwood) McCormick; m. Abigail Barnet, Sept. 14, 1914; seven children, Jean, b. Aug. 12, 1915; Velma, b. Sept. 9, 1917; Herbert Cutter, Jr., b. Sept. 21, 1921; Alonzo, b. Oct. 18, 1923; Keith, b. Jan. 9, 1925; Voris, b. Oct. 10, 1931; Robert, b. Nov. 20, 1933; educ. Public Sch., Sac and Fox, Okla.; Langston Univ., Langston, Okla., 1906-08; Creek and Seminole Coll., Boley, Okla., 1909; Asst. Postmaster, Boley, Okla., 1908-13; Pullman Porter, 1913-15; Bookkeeper, Farmers' and Merchants Bank, Boley, Okla., 1916; Amer. Express Agent, 1917-20; Bookkeeper, First National Bank (the first, First National Bank ever organized in America by Negroes), 1921-23; Cashier and Director, First National Bank, Boley, Okla., 1923-28; elected Bookkeeper and Cashier, The Farmers' and Merchants Bank (upon consolidation of First National and Farmers' and Merchants Bank in 1928), 1928-32; Asst. Liquidating Agent, Farmers' and Merchant Bank, 1933-34; appointed by the Governor, through the State Board of Public Affairs; Supt. and Business Manager, State Hospital for Negro Insane; Business Manager, Deaf Blind and Orphans Institute, and State Training Sch., for Girls, Taft, Oklahoma, 1934-present; Clerk and Business Manager, Board of Education, Boley, Okla., 1919-35; Chamber of Commerce, Boley, Okla.; Vice-Pres., Parent-Teachers Club, Boley, Okla.; mem. Boy Scouts; Masons; Round Table Six Club; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, Taft Okla.; Residence, Boley, Okla.

He, as brevetted Major by former Gov. William H. Murray for having shown unusual bravery and self-sacrificing spirit in having killed George Birdell, a bank robber, in the latter's attempt with others to rob the bank at Boley, Okla., at which time Pres. D. J. Turner of the bank was shot and killed. Townsman then finished the job by getting the two other robbers.



R.L. McDOUGALD



LEWYN EUGENE MCCAULEY, M.D.



JOHN Q. McDOUGALD, M.D.



A. W. McDONALD

McCOY, ALEXANDER FRANCIS—Physician.

b. July 5, 1884, Centreville, Bourbon Co., Ky.; s. Jacob Horace and Mattie (Sparks) McCoy; m. Tina Estella Johnson, Sept. 21, 1910; educ. High School, Georgetown, Ky.; State Univ., Louisville, Ky.; M.D., Louisville National Medical Coll., Louisville, Ky., 1911; Physician, 1911-present; Specialist, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, 1920-present; Asst. Sec. Jessame Co. Republican Committee, Jessame, 1920; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Health Division, Urban League, Columbus, O.; Columbus Academy of Medicine; Ohio State Medical Soc.; Y.M.C.A.; Masons, (32°); Odd Fellows; K. of P.; American Woodman; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 700 E. Long St.; Residence, 402 Woodland Ave., Columbus, O.

McCRACKEN, FREDERICK DOUGLASS—

Real Estate and Insurance—b. Jan. 21, 1879, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa; s. Samuel H. and Pathenia (Hedgebeth) McCracken; educ. High Sch., Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, 1898; Mt. Pleasant Academy, Iowa, 1899; m. Nora E. Godette, Nov. 29, 1911; two children, Rebecca Laura, b. Oct. 29, 1912; Elizabeth Pathenia, b. May 8, 1921; Printer and Newspaperman, 1895-1900; Employed in the Law Office of Frederick C. Stevens, Member of Congress 1900-06; Private Sec. to F. C. Stevens at Wash., D. C., 1906-March 4, 1915; Real Estate and Insurance business in St. Paul, 1915-18; Chief of the Bureau for the Housing of Negro War Workers at Washington, D. C., under the U. S. Housing Corp., Dept. of Labor, 1918-March, 1919; Field Agent for the U. S. Housing Corp. to June, 1919; Town Manager and Special Disbursing Agent at Truxtun, Va., 1919-21; Real Estate and Insurance in St. Paul, Minn., 1921-present; mem. Pres., Sterling Club; Elks; K. of P.; Masons; Past C. C. of North Star Consistory No. 14, A.A.S.R.; Free Masonry, Minn.; Minn. State Republican Organization; Chairman of Executive Committee, local Negro Business League; Board of Directors of the local Urban League; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, Newton Bldg., St. Paul, Minn.; Residence, 852 Albemarle St., St. Paul, Minn.

In 1918 he was offered and accepted the position as Chief of the Bureau for the Housing of Negro War Workers at Washington, D. C.; under the United States Housing Corporation Department of Labor; in March, 1919, promoted to Field Agent of the United States Housing Corporation investigation housing conditions of Negroes throughout the country.

In July, 1919 was offered and accepted the position as Town Manager and Special Disbursing Agent of Truxtun, Virginia, a town built by the U. S. government for the housing of Negro war workers at the Norfolk-Portsmouth, Va., Navy yards. The town was complete, with paved streets, parks and playground, electric lighted and a school building of the most modern type; police and fire protection service. There were 250 modern homes with bath and running water in each. Commercial houses,

public library and a Post Office.

Under Mr. McCracken's management the town was considered and rated as one of the best projects operated by the U. S. Housing Corporation, by the government.

In 1921, Congress ordered the U. S. Housing Corporation to dispose of its housing projects and under Mr. McCracken's management the homes and real estate holdings of the government at Truxtun were sold to Negroes and the public utilities and school, were placed under the city government of Portsmouth, Va.

McCROREY, HENRY LAWRENCE—University President-Clergyman.

b. March 2, 1863; Fairfield County, South Carolina; s. James and Nancy (McCrorey) McCrorey; m. Karie Novela Huges, Dec. 27, 1897; (deceased, May 6, 1911); four children, Henry Lawrence McCrorey, Jr.; Novella Elizabeth; Madaline De Arona; Muriel Hughshine; second marriage, Mary Catherine Jackson, Sept. 19, 1916; educ. Willard Richardson School, Winnsboro, S. C.; Biddle (now Johnson C. Smith Univ.), prep. coll., and theol., 1886-95; A.B. Biddle, 1892; S.T.B. Biddle, 1895; Special Course in Hebrew, Univ. of Chicago, 1895-96; D.D. Biddle, 1902; LL.D. Lincoln Univ., 1924; Asst. Instructor, Biddle; Principal, Biddle High Sch. Dept., Teacher of Latin in College Dept., Hebrew, Greek and Dean, Theological Seminary, 1895-1907; President, Johnson C. Smith Univ., 1907-present; Editor, The Africo-American Presbyterian, a weekly Church paper; President, Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools, 1921-1922; Trustee, National Educational Assn. of Teachers in Colored Sch., 1932-present, mem. Masons (32°), Pi Gamma Mu; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, c/o Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C.

From early boyhood, Dr. McCrorey's ambition was to be in a position where he might help his fellow men and women. Step by step he rose in his favored calling until he was made President of Johnston C. Smith University, which institution, through his untiring efforts now enjoys a National reputation as well as an A rating in the list of Standard colleges.

He is considered an authority in the Hebrew language. The last four years devoted by him to the study of Hebrew was under Pres. William R. Harper of the University of Chicago, and Dr. McCrorey taught this language for 22 years.

He was ordained to the Gospel ministry by the Fairfield Presbyterian, Synod of Atlantic in April, 1895.

Appointed by Governor W. W. Kitchen of North Carolina, 1912, as delegate to the Educational Congress in St. Paul, Minn.; appointed by Governor Locke Craig in 1915 as delegate to the Southern Sociological Congress in Houston, Texas; twice commissioner to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the

U. S. A.; appointed three times by the Presbyterian General Assembly as Delegate to the Quadrennial meeting of the Alliance of Reformed Churches Throughout the World Holding the Presbyterian System.

He was again appointed the fourth time to attend the Conference which was held at Belfast, Ireland, on June 20, 1933.

Johnson C. Smith University, so named in 1921 (formerly called Biddle Univ.) by the Board of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., under whose auspices the school is operated, in recognition of the gifts made in that year by Mrs. Johnson C. Smith, a wealthy philanthropist of Pittsburgh, Pa., in memory of her husband. It was by the personal appeal of Dr. McCrorey to Mrs. Smith that her interest was aroused and gifts secured. In three years eight brick buildings have been built. Over a half Million Dollars for maintenance is included in her memorial gifts.

The late Mr. J. B. Duke, of Charlotte, N. C., made provision in his gift of forty Million Dollars to education and charity, whereby Johnson C. Smith University received 4% of thirty-four Millions of the funds, namely One Million three hundred and sixty thousand dollars (\$1,360,000.00).

The University has an average enrollment of 313 students, it owns 75 acres of land, 20 buildings, \$1,600,135.36 endowment, making an actual valuation of \$2,335,885.36.

MCCROREY, MARY JACKSON—Instructor.

b. Athens, Ga.; d. Alfred and Louisa Jackson; m. Henry Lawrence McCrorey, Sept. 19, 1916; educ. Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; Harvard Univ., Summer Sch.; Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.; Associate Principal, Haines Inst., Augusta, Ga., 1895-1916; Prin., Public Sch., Athens, Ga., four years; Instructor, State Summer Sch., N. C., 1921-26; taught Psychology, Education, English; Secretarial Work at Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C., 1917-present; Chairman, Managing Committee, Phyllis Wheatley Y.W.C.A., 1916-24; Pres., Associated Charity Auxiliary, 1916-20; Pres., Relief and Welfare Assn., 1920-present; Corres. Sec., International Council Women Darker Races, 1922-present; Commission of Inter-Racial Co-operation, 1920-present; Del., Pres. Hoover's Con. on Better Homes and Home Ownership, 1931; mem. Executive Committee, Negro State Teachers Assn. N. C.; National Teachers Assn.; Negro Citizens League, Charlotte, N. C.; Nat. Assn. of Col. Women, 1920-present; State Inter-Racial Committee, 1920-present; Advisory Board, State Welfare and Public Charity, 1924-present; Eastern Star; Federation Women's Clubs; Pres., Catawba Synodical Missionary Society of Board of National Missions and Board of Foreign Missions in U. S. A.; Chairman, International Relations on Executive Board of the National Council of Negro Women; Chairman, International Relations on Executive Board of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers; Pol.

Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Johnson C. Smith University, Charlotte, N. C.

MCDONALD, A. W.—Educator.

b. April 1, 1894, Mexia, Tex.; s. Rev. Ezekial Zion and Rachel (Allen) McDonald; m. Lizzie J. Greene, Oct. 25, 1919; educ. Mexia Public Sch., 1912; Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View, Tex., 1916; Prairie View Extension Sch.: B.S., Prairie View State Coll. Texas, 1934; Principal, Wortham Public Sch., 1916-17; Teacher, Galveston Public Sch., 1917-18; Principal, Italy High Sch., 1919-20; Instructor, General Science, Central High Sch., Galveston, Tex., 1921-present; Director, Colored Women's Civic League; President, Prairie View Alumni Assn., Galveston, Tex.; Grand Trustee, Auditor and Deputy District Master, United Brothers of Friendship and Sisters of Mysterious Ten; mem. Juvenile Parole Board, Gal. Co.; Past Chancellor, Island City Lodge, K. of P.; Vice-President, Black-shear Literary Soc., Prairie View State Coll.; World War Veteran, entering service at Camp Travis, Tex., May, 1918, serving in France as a non-commissioned officer, until July, 1919; National President, Prairie View Alumni Assn., 1924-25; President, Colored State Teachers Assn., 1931-32; Manager, Galveston Extension Sch., Prairie View State College, Texas; Leader, Texas State Teachers Assn.; Civic Leader, Texas and Galveston; Parliamentarian, Prairie View Alumni and ex-Student Assn.; Trustee Reedy Chapel A.M.E. Church; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 2627 Avenue M; Residence, 3403 Avenue N, Galveston, Tex.

MCDONALD, BERT—Deputy City Attorney.

b. Jan. 10, 1898, Los Angeles, Calif.; s. and Dora (Johnson) McDonald; m. Della Sullivan, July 4, 1932; educ. Public Sch., Los Angeles, Calif.; A.B., and J.D., Univ. of Southern Univ. of California; Lawyer, 1923-present; Deputy City Prosecutor, 1928-32; Deputy City Attorney, 1932-present; Vice President, Alpha Phi Alpha; mem. Masons; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. M. E. Methodist; Address, 260 City Hall; Residence, 319 E. 48th st., Los Angeles, Calif.

MCDONALD, EDWIN KENNETH—Physician.

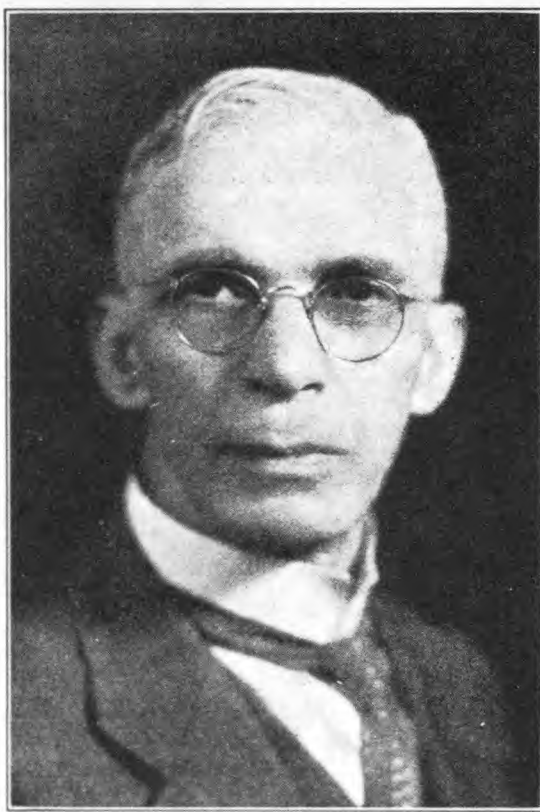
b. May 7, 1892, Birmingham, Ala.; s. John Henry and Ella (Johnson) McDonald; m. Joanna Calvina McAdams, June 17, 1920; four children, Natalie; Edwin Kenneth, Jr.; William Stanley; John Spence; educ. Miles Mem. Coll., Birmingham Ala.; A.B., Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1917; M.D., Northwestern Univ., Evanston, Ill., 1923; Phys., 1923-present; Medical Examiner, American Woodman, 1930-31; ex-Vice-Pres., Cook Co. Physicians Assn.; ex-Asst. Sec., Xi Lambda Chapter, Chicago, Ill., Alpha Phi Alpha; Staff, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1927-present; Fellowship from University of Chicago for advance study of Pediatrics at the Children's Memorial Hospital, Chicago, Ill.; mem. Elks; Cook Co. Physicians' Assn.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 5642 S. State St.; Chicago, Ill.

MCDUGALD, CORNELIUS W.—Lawyer.

b. May 1, 1879, Whiteville, N. C.; m. Gertrude Elise Johnson (divorced) two children. Cornelius, Elizabeth; second marriage, Josie E. Royster; educ. B.A., Lincoln Univ., 1904; LL.B.,



MRS. MARY JACKSON McCROREY



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Major Herbert Cutter McCormick



EMANUEL MONTEE McDUFFIE

New York Univ., 1907; admitted, New York Bar 1908; Lawyer, 1908-present; Asst. District Atty., five years; Special Asst. Attorney General, State of New York, 1923; mem. Commission on Defects in the laws of estates of New York State; Address, 209 W 125th St., New York, N. Y.

He was the second of his race to hold the position of Assistant District Attorney in New York County and the first of his race to receive the appointment of Special Assistant Attorney General in the State of New York.

McDOUGALD, JOHN Q.—Physician.

b. Sept. 28, 1872, Whiteville, N. C.; s. Richard and Mary (Peacock) McDougald; m.; one child, Edith Peacock; educ. Lincoln Univ., Howard Med. Sch.; Polyclinic; Interne, Douglass Memorial Hospital, Phila., Pa.; Physician, 1899-present; Surgical Gynecology, Douglass Memorial Hospital and Mercy Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.; Medical Director, Frederick Douglass Memorial Hospital, 1933-present; mem. Am. Med. Assn., Penn. State Medical Society, Philadelphia County Medical Society, Philadelphia Academy of Medicine; President, Pathological Society; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 1336 Lombard St., Philadelphia, Pa.

McDOUGALD, R. L.—Banker.

b. April 11, 1896, Whiteville, N. C.; s. Richard and Ida Virginia (Moore) McDougald; m. Dorothy Everett, Dec. 27, 1930; three children, Virginia; Arona; Dorothy; educ. Public Sch., New York City, N. Y.; North Carolina College for Negroes, Durham, N. C., 1918; Vice Pres. and Cashier, Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Durham, N. C., and Raleigh, N. C., 1922-present; Vice-Pres., North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co., Durham, N. C., 1927-present; Sec., Mortgage Company of Durham, 1930-present; Treas., Mutual Building Loan Assn., 1932-present; Treas., Union Realty and Insurance Co., 1927-present; Director, Bankers Fire Insurance Co., 1919-present; Director, Southern Fidelity Insurance Co., 1928-present; Served United States Naval Air Forces, World War, Pauliac, France; mem. National Negro Bankers Assn.; Omega Phi Si; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 114 Parrish St., Residence, 609 Fayetteville St., Durham, N. C.

McDUFFIE, EMANUEL MONTEE—Educator.

b. Dec. 24, 1883, Snow Hill, Ala.; s. Emanuel Montee and Emma Elizabeth (Lyde) McDuffie; m. Tinny Ethridge, May 1, 1904; seven children, Verdell Tanabee, b. Jan. 18, 1905; Musa Slater, b. Dec. 14, 1907; Iva Close, b. March 12, 1912; Emanuel Montee, b. March 22, 1914; Reginald Sylvester, b. April 10, 1916; Frank Howe, b. Aug. 9, 1918; Gwendolyn Tinny, b. July 3, 1921; educ. Snow Hill Normal and Industrial Inst., Snow Hill, Ala., 1898-1904; Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Inst., 1905; Principal and Founder, Laurinburg Nor. and Industrial Institution, Laurinburg, N. C., 1904-present; mem. K. of P.; Relig. Baptist; Address, Laurinburg Normal and Industrial Institute, Laurinburg, N. C.

In 1904 he came to Laurinburg and although he had no money, he decided to start a school and founded the Laurinburg Normal & Indus-

trial Institute. His faculty was one teacher. his enrollment seven students and his cash capital fifteen cents.

In 1929 the school employed twenty teachers, had an enrollment of seven hundred students and its property value was over \$250,000.

McEWEN, BEVERLY T.—Clergyman.

b. Mar. 14, 1875, Oxford, Mass.; s. Moses and Rebecca (Talbert) McEwen; m. Julia Clay, Dec. 30, 1908; eight children, Beverly Talbert, Jr.; Russell Clay; Homer Clyde; Harold Bernard; Mattie Rebecca; Velma T.; Walter R.; Edwin Hughes; educ. A.B., 1908; A.M., 1911; D.D. (Honorary), 1918, Rust Coll.; Clergyman, 1897-present; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Ch.; Address, 1504 6th Ave., N., Birmingham, Ala.

McEWEN, ROBERT ANDERSON—Dentist.

b. Aug. 28, 1894, Lexington, Miss.; s. (Rev.) Mack and Pressie (Williams) McEwen; m. Jeanette McCall, Apr. 1, 1918; two children, Robert A., Jr., b. Jan. 2, 1920; Raymond Earl, b. Dec. 16, 1922; educ. A.B., Rust Coll., 1918; D.D.S., Northwestern Univ., 1923; Dentist, 1923-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Am. Dental Assn.; Ill. Dental Assn.; Chicago Dental Assn.; Executive Bd. of Chicago Branch, N.A. A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pres., Lincoln Dental Soc.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Ch.; Address, 3457 S. Michigan Ave.; Residence, 5729 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Was commissioned Second Lieutenant, serving overseas for two years, during the World War.

McFADDEN, CLARENCE E.—Clergyman—

b. April 22, 1925, Sardinia, S. C.; s. Clarence Sidney and Dora McFadden; educ. Kendall Inst., 1900-09; Morris Coll., 1910-14; Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1914-18; B.A. Morehouse Coll., 1918; Rochester Theol. Sem., 1918-21; B.D. Rochester Theol. Sem., 1921; m. Cinda Ella McFadden, Dec. 21, 1921; two children, Ada Beatrice Elaine, b. Sept. 2, 1923; Clarence Frederick, b. June 5, 1925; Minister, Trinity Presbyterian Church, Rochester N. Y., during sch. term.; Minister, Second Baptist Church, Terre Haute, Ind., 1921-present; mem. Treasurer, B.Y.P.U.; State B.Y.P.U.; State Sunday Sch. and Western District Convention Executive Boards; Chairman, Educational Comm., State Sunday Sch. Convention; Recording Sec., Educational Comm. of the Indiana State Assn.; Second Vice-Pres., Vigo County Sunday Sch. Convention and Executive Council; served on Terre Haute Open Forum; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Residence, 1406 Oak St., Terre Haute, Ind.

While a student at Morris College he was a member of the baseball team, track team and sang in the chorus for three years. He traveled with the College Quartette for one year. Was a member of the Glee Club and Quartette at Morehouse College.

He is at present the only Negro to serve on the Terre Haute Open Forum.

McFALL, BENJAMIN JULIUS—Mortician.

b. Sept. 6, 1901, Valdosta, Ga.; s. Benjamin Julius and Mattie (Baker) McFall; educ. Magnolia High Sch., Valdosta, Ga., 1921; Georgia State Industrial Coll., Savannah, Ga., 1924; Worsham Coll. of Embalming, Chicago, Ill., 1926; Mortician, 1926-present; Sec. and Treas., McFall Brothers, Inc., 1925-present; Pres. Wolverine Funeral Directors Assn., Detroit Mich., 1930-present; First Vice-Pres., Independent National Funeral Directors Assn., 1932-present; Supreme Ruler, Brotherhood and Sisterhood of Unity, Inc., 1928-present; mem. Masons; Shriner; Elks; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Urban League; Phi Beta Sigma; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 714 E. Canfield St., Detroit, Mich.

McFall Brothers of which he is the Secretary and Treasurer, have three large undertaking establishments in Detroit and vicinity, and are reputed to do the largest business of this kind in the middle west.

McFALL, JAMES ARTHUR—Mortician.

b. June 27, 1897, Valdosta, Ga.; s. Benjamin Julius and Mattie (Baker) McFall; m. Nellie Scott, Nov. 24, 1924; one child, Vivian, b. Aug. 22, 1926; educ. Georgia State Industrial Coll., Savannah, Ga., 1920; Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn.; Univ. of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Mortician, 1924-present; Pres. McFall Brothers, Inc., 1925-present; mem. Elks; K. of P.; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Independent National Funeral Directors Assn.; Wolverine Funeral Directors Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 708 E. Canfield St., Detroit, Mich.

McFall Brothers, of which he is the President, have three large undertaking establishments in Detroit and vicinity, and are reputed to do the largest business of this kind in the middle West.

McGAVOCK, RANDALL HAUTON, JR.—Director Funeral Service.

b. Aug. 28, 1876, Nashville, Tenn.; s. Randall Hauton and Eliza (Silvers) McGavock; m. Laura M. Lewis, Oct. 25, 1906; six children, Leonard H., b. Aug. 30, 1907; Randall Hauton, Jr., b. Oct. 1, 1908; Ozella Fray, b. Nov. 8, 1911; Mercedes Pearl, b. Sept. 20, 1913; Gwendolyn Ula, b. Nov. 20, 1915; Naomia Ruth, b. March 18, 1918; educ. Louisville High Sch., Louisville, Ky., 1898; Louis National Medical Coll., Louisville, Ky., 1898-99; Molar Coll., Chicago, Ill., 1905; Worsham Sch. of Embalming, Chicago, Ill., 1915; Master Mechanic, Carpenter, Nashville, Tenn., six years; Director Funeral Service, Chicago, Ill., 1915-present; Director, Vice Pres. and Treas., Victory Life Insurance Co., Chicago, Ill., 1923-present; Organizer and Pres., R. H. McGavock Co., Inc., 1929-present; Organizer and Pres., Lincoln Funeral System Assn., Chicago, Ill., 1927-present; Ordained Elder, A.M.E. Church, 1920-present; Organizer and ex-President, Chicago Undertakers Assn.; mem. Masons; Shriners; Elks; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Forresters; American Woodman; N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 3823-25 S.

State St.; Residence, 4528 Forrestville Ave., Chicago, Ill.

McGEHEE, WINSTON T.—Lawyer.

b. July 11, 1894, Chicot Co., Arkansas; s. Leander and Nannie Smith (Anderson) McGehee; m. Ethel Davis, April 22, 1925; two children, Nan Elizabeth, b. March 27, 1927; Yolande b. June 27, 1930; educ. Arkansas Baptist Coll., 1907-16; A.B., 1916; Chicago Kent. Coll. of Law, 1917-20; LL.B., 1920; admitted to practice Law, Supreme Court of Ill., 1921; Lawyer, 1921-present; Senior Warden Masons, 1930-present; mem. Wabash Ave. Y.M.C.A.; Masons; Elks; Royal Circle of Friends of the World; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1309 E. 47th St.; Residence, 4923 Champlain Ave., Chicago, Ill.

McGILL, NATHAN KELLOGG—Lawyer.

b. Nov. 29, 1888, Quincy, Fla.; s. Nathan and Agnes (Zeigler) McGill; m. I. Thornton (divorced), 1917; second marriage, Beatrice H. Stiles Dec. 23 1933 three children, Nathan Kellogg, Jr., b. Oct. 11, 1918; Simuel Decatur, II, b. July 31, 1924; Winston Beecher, b. Nov. 20, 1934 educ. Cookman Inst., 1905-09; Boston Univ. 1909-12; LL.B., Boston Univ., 1912; Lawyer, 1912-present; United States Supreme Court, 1917; Supreme Court, State of Illinois, 1918; United States District Court of Northern District of Ill., 1925; Sec. and Counsel, Robert S. Abbott Publishing Co.; Publishers Chicago Defender, and Abbott's Monthly, April, 1925 to 34; Assistant States Attorney and special counsel for Cook County, Ill., April, 1925-1932; Asst. Attorney General, State of Illinois, 1929-33; Pres., N. K. McGill & Sons, Inc.; Founder and Pres., Metropolitan News, Chicago, Ill., 1930-present; Republican nominee for Circuit Judge, 1933; mem. Chicago Reconstruction Administration; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 3453 S. Michigan Ave., Residence, 4806 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

McGILL, SIMUEL DECATUR—Lawyer.

b. April 23, 1878, Quincy, Florida; s. Nathan Kellogg and Agnes (Zeigler) McGill; m. Rosa A. Brooks, Dec. 27, 1912; child; Ella Harriett, adopted daughter, 1912; educ. Edward Waters Coll.; Jacksonville, Fla.; Dummer Academy, South Byfield, Mass.; Harvard Univ.; Boston Univ., 1904-07; LL.B., 1907; Attorney, The Citizens Industrial Ins. Company, Jacksonville, Fla.; Attorney, Eleventh Episcopal Dist. of the A.M.E. Church, comprising the entire State of Fla.; Attorney, Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of Florida; Attorney, Grand Court Order of Calanthe of the State of Florida; Lawyer, practicing in Jacksonville, Fla., 1908-present; mem. Supreme Lodge, K. of P., Assistant Supreme Attorney of same, J. W. Davis Court No. 27, Court of Calanthe since 1917; Maseo Lodge, Elks; Trustee, St. Stephens A.M.E. Church, Jacksonville, Fla.; Sec. Nat. Negro Bar Assn.; Omega Psi Phi; member of the Rep. Central Committee of the State of Florida; Cor. Sec., Duval County Central Rep. Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 610 West Duval St.; Residence, 25 West Union St., Jacksonville, Fla.



N. K. MCGILL, LL.B.



SAMUEL DECATUR MCGILL, LL.B.



JULIUS AUGUSTUS MCMILLAN, B.S., M.D.



NORMAN LEROY MCGHEE, A.B., LL.B.

McGRUDER, CHARLES HOSEWELL—Fraternal Officer.

b. July 29, 1877, Ascension Parish, La.; s. Samuel and Harriet (White) McGruder; m. Nellie E. Donato, Sept. 29, 1902; five children, Helen Ruth; Irva Emily; Charles Hosewell, Jr.; Ewart George Dona Lolita, educ. A.B., Straight Coll., New Orleans, La., 1900; A. M., Bishop Coll., Marshall, Tex., 1908; Teacher, Straight Coll., 1900-02; Principal and Vocational Teacher, Victoria High Sch., Victoria, Tex., 1905-24; Grand Sec., Grand Lodge, United Brothers of Friendship, 1918-present; National Grand Sec., United Brothers of Friendship of the World, 1930-present; Pres., Laymen League Convention, Tex.; Auditor, Missionary General Baptist Convention, Tex.; Carpenter and Builder, New Orleans, La., 1901-02; Asst. Principal and Manuel Training Teacher, Victoria High Sch., 1902-05; Pres., Houston Negro Business Club; Pres., Houston Federation of Sunday Sch., Supt.; Supt., Mt. Corinth Sunday Sch., Chairman, Board of Deacons; Sec., Texas Fraternal Congress; Sec. Emancipation Park Board, by appointment of Mayor and City Council of Houston, Tex.; mem. Tex. Equal Rights League; Houston National Choir Assn.; Knights of Friendship; Mason; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Amer. Woodmen; Court of Calanthe; Eastern Star and Heroines of Jericho; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 419 Milam St., Residence, 1923 Stevens St., Houston, Tex.

McGUINN, WARNER T.—Lawyer.

b. Nov. 22, 1864, Goochland Co., Va., s. Jarrod and Fanny McGuinn; m. Anna L. Wallace, Feb. 25, 1892; one child, Alma Augusta; educ. B.A., Lincoln Univ., 1884; Howard Univ. Law Sch., Washington, D. C., 1884-5; LL.B., Yale, 1887; admitted to Connecticut Bar, 1887; Kansas City, 1887; practiced in Kansas City, Kan., 1887-90; in Baltimore, Md., 1890-present; Lawyer, 1887-present; edited *The American Citizen*, 1887-90; Sec., Liquor License Commissioners, Baltimore, Md., 1896-1900; Chairman of the committee on Highways Traffic and Bridges, 1927-31; mem. Law Firm of Cumings and McGuinn, 1893-95; Member of City Council of Baltimore, 1919-21; again elected, 1927-31; Delegate to Republican National Convention for the district in Maryland, 1920; Masons; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 215-17 St. Paul Place; Residence, 1911 Division St., Baltimore, Md.

McGHEE, NORMAN LEROY—Editor-Lawyer.

b. Nov. 1897, Austell, Ga.; s. (Rev.) Daniel J. and Maidee Moisselle Haywood McGhee; m. Marjorie Vashon, Oct. 7, 1925; educ. Howard Univ., 1914-22; A.B., Howard Univ., 1920; LL.B., Howard, 1922; Private Sec. to Sec.-Treas. of Howard Univ., 1919-23; Assistant, 1923-25; Lawyer, 1926-present; Pres., Cleveland Call Post, Cleveland, Ohio, 1925-present; mem. Nat. Sec., Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 2321 E. 55th St.; Residence, 2370 E. 85th St., Cleveland.

He is the son of Rev. Daniel J. McGhee, one of the pioneers of the African Methodist Episcopal church in Georgia and one of the first

trustees of the Morris Brown University in Atlanta.

For a number of years, he served as secretary to Dr. Emmett J. Scott, secretary-treasurer of Howard University, and was subsequently advanced to the position of assistant to the secretary-treasurer, which position he held until he resigned to take up the practice of law.

Has served as national secretary of the Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity which organization has some 56 chapters in all sections of the country and a total membership of nearly four thousand.

McINTOSH, EUGENE—Realtor.

b. July 4, 1881, Orange County, Va.; s. James Anthony and Sarah Jane (Johnson) McIntosh; m. Irene Lane, May 31, 1906 (deceased July 1, 1919); two children, Helen Virginia, b. Nov. 2, 1907; Eugene Earl, b. Sept. 10, 1912; educ. County Sch., Orange County, Va., for six years; private instruction at home and in night schools of New York City for four years; Pullman Porter, 1900-11; Process Server, District Attorney's Office, Bronx, 1914-present; County Leader (United Colored Democracy), Bronx, N. Y., 1916-present; Owner of Employment Agency, 1919-present; mem. Clubman's Beneficial League; Pol. Democratic; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 114 West 137th St.; Residence, 988 Morris Ave., New York, N. Y.

McKANE ALICE WOODBY—Physician-Author.

b. 1865, Bridgewater, Penn.; d. Charles and Elizabeth B. (Frazier) Woodby; m. Cornelius McKane, M.D., Feb. 2, 1893; three children, Alice Fanny, b. Aug. 23, 1898; Cornelius McKane, Jr., b. May 14, 1897; William Francis, b. Aug. 21, 1902; educ. pub. sch., Bridgewater, Pa.; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1883-86; Institute for Colored Youth, Phila., Pa., 1886-89; Women's Med. Coll. of Pa., 1889-92; M.D., Women's Med. Coll. of Pa. 1892; Teacher of Natural Sciences and Instructor of Nurses at Haines Inst., Augusta, Ga.; established first Training sch. for Nurses in South East Ga., Sept., 1893; Asst. U. S. Pension Med. Examiner for Civil War Veterans residing in Liberia; Co-organizer and in charge of Dept. Diseases of Women, Private Hosp., Monrovia, Liberia; established the McKane Hosp. for Women and Children and Training Sch. for Nurses, Oct., 1896, Savannah, Ga.; Physician 1892-present; Past and now Educational Director, Supreme Worthy Councillor of the Court of Calanthe, K. of P. of the Eastern and Western Hemispheres; mem. St. Mary's Chap. O.E.S., Okolona, Miss.; N.A.A.C.P.; Bus. and Prof. Women's Rep. Club of Boston; Rep. Women's Council of Mass.; auth. "The Fraternal Society Sick Book," care of the sick, pub. Boston, Mass., 1913; "Clover Leaves" (poems), Boston, 1914; articles and poems in various magazines and journals; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 3 Marble St., Boston, Mass.

Both parents died before she was 7 years of age. She suffered the total loss of her eyesight and remained blind for three years.

ard and Ritha Jane (James) McMillan; m. Elizabeth Beatrice Dogan, April 18, 1900; two children, Julius Augustus, Jr.; James Wilson; educ. Wiley Coll., Marshall, Tex., 1892; New Orleans Univ., New Orleans, La., 1893; B.S., Central Tennessee Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1898; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1904; Interne, Freedman Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1907; Physician, 1904-present; Surgeon, 1907-present; Instructor, Chemistry, Wiley Coll., Marshall, Tex., 1898-1901; Professor, Chemistry, Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1904-11; Professor, Gynecology, Meharry Medical Coll., 1912-present; Medical Director, Hubbard Hospital, Nashville, Tenn., 1925-present; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; National Medical Assn.; Tennessee State Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Meharry Medical College.; Residence, 1103 9th Ave., N. Nashville, Tenn.

Hubbard Hospital, of which he is the Medical Director, is a part of Meharry Medical College. The buildings, real estate and equipment is valued in excess of \$2,000,000.

McNEAL, BROOKLYN JAMES—Lawyer.

b. May 24, 1899, Guthrie, Okla.; s. George W. and Elizabeth (Johnson) McNeal; m. Myrtle E. Willis, Aug. 23, 1922; two children, Myrtle La Verne; educ. Favor High Sch., Guthrie, Okla., 1918; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.; Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.; LL.B., Chicago Law School., Chicago, Ill., 1926; Lawyer, 1926-present; Student, United States Army Corp., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1918; mem. Masons; National Bar Assn.; Cook Co. Bar Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 309 E. 47th St.; Residence, 11415 Woodland Ave., Chicago, Ill.

McPHERSON, CHARLES A. J.—Physician.

b. Nov. 9, 1881, Wehadkee, Ala.; s. John B. and China (McHenry) McPherson; educ. A.B., Clark University, Atlanta, Ga., 1909; Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., 1913; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1917; Physician and Surgeon, 1917-present; Medical Examiner, Atlanta Life Insurance Co., Atlanta, Ga., 1923-present; Sec. N.A.A.C.P., Birmingham Branch, 1918-present; mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; Y.M.C.A.; Omega Psi Phi; National Medical Assn.; Alabama State Medical Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, 1630 4th Ave. N.; Residence, 520 7th Ave. N., Birmingham, Ala.

He was awarded the 8th, and 1932, Madam C. J. Walker Gold Medal for exceptional courage and devotion to the case of Willie Peterson and the Scottsboro case.

McWILLIAMS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN—Clergyman.

s. George Washington and Lucretia McWilliams; m. Ellen Tillman, Nov. 21, 1900; one child, B. F. McWilliams, Jr., b. April 19, 1913; educ. Cincinnati High Sch., Cincinnati, Ohio;

Berea Coll., Berea, Ky.; Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1896-1900; Special study, Univ. of Mich., summer, 1904-05; B.A. and B.D., 1900; D.D., 1916; D.D., Selma Univ., 1916; Ph.D. and A.M., Wilberforce Univ., 1925; Pastor, Second Baptist Church, Ann Arbor, Mich., 1900-02; Prof., Elocution and Bible, Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1902-07; Prin., Corey Mem. Inst., Portsmouth, Va., 1907-11; Pastor, Third Bap. Church, Toledo, Ohio, 1911-present; Pres., Ohio Baptist General Assn., 1926; Pres., Church and Race Relations Dept. of the Toledo Council of Churches; auth. "Prisoners of Plenty," pub. The Virginia Baptist, 1905; "Pastor's Five Year Pocket Record," pub. B. F. M., 1920; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Toledo Council of Churches; Moose; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 639 Indiana Ave., Toledo, Ohio.

MacNEAL, ARTHUR CLEMENT—Editor.

b. May 17, 1891, New Orleans, La.; s. James and Pellimena Maria (Williams) MacNeal; educ. Straight Univ., 1910; A.B., Talladega Coll., 1913; A.B., Yale Univ., 1916; Talladega, Valedictorian; Yale, Second Division Honors; Bond Salesman, N. W. Halsey & Co., and National City Co., New York City, 1916-17; Clerk, Service Dept., Ford Motor Co., Montreal, Can.; Executive Secretary, N.A.A.C.P., Chicago, 1919-20; mem. Mason (32°); K. of P.; Elks; Alpha Phi Alpha; Yale Club; Appomattox Club; Pol. Independent; Address, 3456 S. State St.; Residence, 5350 Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

MAHONEY, CHARLES HENRY—Lawyer—

Insurance President—Labor Commissioner, b. May 29, 1886, Decatur, Mich.; s. Barney and Viera (Simpson) Mahoney; m. Lulu Simpson, April 3, 1922; educ. Decatur High Sch., Decatur, Mich., 1904; Olivet Coll., 1904-07; A.B., Fisk Univ., Tenn., 1907-08; LL.B., Univ. of Mich., Ann Arbor, Mich., 1908-11; Lawyer, 1911-present; Pres., Great Lakes Mutual Insurance Co., Detroit Mich., 1928-present; County Board of Supervisors, City Plan Commission, 1918-22; Republican Candidate for Congress, Detroit, Mich., 1932; mem. Eddie Tolan Home Coming Committee, 1932; Grand Attorney, K. of P.; Commissioner, Department of Labor and Industry, 1939-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Address, 301 E. Warren St.; Residence, 269 Josephine St., Detroit, Mich.

MAILIN, FREEMAN LENORE—Lawyer.

b. June 17, 1877, Irving College, Warren Co., Texas; s. James Monroe and Udora (Woodly) Mailin; m. Vandola Claudia Simmons, Oct. 15, 1929; one child, Ernestine Aline; educ. Lowell Tech., Inst., Lowell, Kans., 1897; LL.B., Univ. of Kansas, Lawrence, Kans., 1904-06; Candidate for Assembly, Missouri, 1932; Lawyer, 1904; Principal, Public Sch., Oswego, Kans., 1898-1900; Principal, Public Sch., Kansas City, Kans., 1904-06; mem. Masons (33°); Shriner; K. of P.; A.U.K. and D. of A.; Kappa Alpha Psi; Nat. Bar Assn.; Mound City Bar Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 11 N. Jefferson Ave.; Residence, 4122 Cook Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

MAJORS, MONROE ALPHEUS—Physician—Author.

b. October 12, 1864, Waco, Texas; s. Andrew Jackson and Jane (Barringer) Majors; m. May 22, 1889; two children, Mrs. Grace Boswell, b. Mar. 29, 1890; Margaret Jeanette, b. Mar. 3,



THOMAS THEODORE MCKINNEY, M.D.



Arenia Cornelia Mallory



CHARLES HENRY MAHONEY, A.B., LL.B.



MISS V. O. MARSH

1913; educ. Tillotson Coll. and Normal, 1881-83; Central Tennessee Coll.; 1883-86; Meharry Med. Coll., 1883-86; M.D., 1886; Physician, 1886-present; Lecturer, Writer, Poet; Edited, Texas Searchlight, 1893, 94, 95; Associate-Editor, The Indianapolis Freeman, 1898-99; Associate Editor, The Chicago Broad Ax; Edited, Chicago Conservator, 1908; was Vice-President and later President of First Colored Authors Assn.; was Vice-President of Colored People's Day, Chicago World's National Fair; Organizer of the Lone Star Med. Assn.; contr. to The Voice, The Colored American Magazine, The Peoples' Advocate; and newspapers for twenty years; auth. "Noted Negro Women," "Epic Poem on Frederick Douglass," 1917; "First Steps and Nursery Rhymes," first book for Colored children, 1921; "A Hundred Verse Epic on Dr. Booker T. Washington," 1926; mem. Odd Fellows; Masons (32°); U. B. of F.; Knights of Pythias; N.A.A.C.P.; The Nat. Business League; Texas Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. M.E. Church; Address, 1019 E. 28th St. Los Angeles, Calif.

In 1882 he was appointed Assistant mailing clerk in the U. S. Post Office. He entered Meharry Medical College in 1883 and graduated in 1886, Doctor of Medicine. While a student at Meharry he acted as Postmaster and news reporter for the college.

He located in Dallas, Texas, in 1886, and called together the colored doctors of the state of Texas, and organized the Lone Star Medical Association in the United States. The meeting was at Galveston, Texas.

This was the first Negro Medical Association organized in the United States.

In 1888 he located to practice in Los Angeles, California, and was the first and for some time the only colored physician on the Pacific Coast, or west of Denver, Colorado.

In 1890 he went to Waco, Texas, and while there advocated a Colored City Hospital and was its Superintendent in 1899 and 1900. He was active in politics in that State and was a member of the Board of Directors of the Texas Cotton Palace, and President of the local organization of colored directors.

He came to Chicago, in 1901, was active in the forming of a medical society in that city and was charter member of the society. In 1908, at the request of Dr. Booker T. Washington, he assumed the editorship of the Chicago Conservator.

He presided as National President of the National Negro Authors Association at Lincoln Centre, it being an adjunct to the program of The Half Century Exposition in Chicago, 1915.

His "First steps and Nursery Rhymes" is the first book for Colored Children. It was published in 1921.

MALLORY, ARENIA CORNELIA—School President.

b. Dec. 28, 1908, Jacksonville, Ill.; d. Edward J. and Maze (Brooks) Mallory; educ. Newton Baton Coll., Jacksonville, Ill.; Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.; Illinois Coll. for Women; Recreational Director, Butler Community Center, Chicago, Ill., 1923; Recreational Director, Lincoln Colored Home, Springfield, Ill.; Pres Industrial and Literary Sch., Lexington, Miss., 1926-present; Chairman, Committee of One Hundred, Holmes Co., Miss., 1937-present; Honorary President, City Federated Women's Club; mem. N. A. A. C. P.; Relig. Universalist; Address, 352W. 115th St., New York, N. Y.

She is the daughter of an affluent and accomplished family, her father being an outstanding merchant. Her mother Mrs. Maze Brooks Mallory a noted harpist her brother Frank held a transport license from Roosevelt Field, New York City until he crashed in Chicago. Another brother is the husband of Ethel Waters, noted Maestro.

In 1926 she visited Lexington, Miss., and when she saw the deplorable conditions of the Colored folks in that section she decided to cast her lot with the people of that section. Determined to accomplish something for the forgotten of the share-croppers she made a survey and found a little school erected on brick stilts, a few home made benches, a small group of children, and an unpaid note of several thousands of dollars. She took this over with less than \$10 in her purse.

Without the assistance of any foundation funds, endowments, or any definite source of income, she developed within the short space of eleven years an institution operating on 350 acres of land, buildings and equipment costing \$50,000, and employs 15 qualified teachers of various denominations. She also feeds, clothes and educates 400 boys and girls from the plantation area. There are 12 grades of study, a Home Economics Department, and is one of the few Colored schools of education with a class A standard. About 45 of the 400 students live in the school dormitories, the rest travel by mule, ox and foot daily. Only 12 can afford to pay tuition and the rest are accepted without pay. Mrs. Mallory clothes many of the students and their parents as well. During 1934, during a nation-wide tour, more than 25,000 garments were donated for the people of that community.

She has the distinction of being the first President of a Colored or white school in Mississippi to represent at the White House the interests of her work.

MALONE, ANNIE M. TURNBO—Manufacturer.

b. Metropolis, Ill., d. Robert and Isabella (Cook) Turnbo; educ. Pub. Sch., Metropolis, Ill.; High Sch., Peoria, Ill.; M.A. (Honorary), Kittrell Coll.; M.A. (Honorary), Western Coll.; founder and sole owner of Poro Coll.; Manu-

facturer of hair and toilet preparations, located at St. Louis, 1900-present; Chairman, Board of Directors, St. Louis Colored Orphans' Home; Ex-Pres., Colored Women's Federated Clubs of St. Louis; mem. Exec. Com., National Negro Business League, St. Louis Community Council, Commission on Inter-Racial Co-operation, Zeta Phi Beta (Honorary), Y.W.C.A., Relief Corps of G.A.R., Auxiliary Associated Business Club of Chicago (Honorary), Social Center, Quincy, Ill.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Poro College, 4427 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

Her father fought in the Civil War in the ranks of the Union forces. Her mother was forced to flee from Kentucky, taking with her two small children. She found refuge in Metropolis, where she was later joined by her husband. Annie was the second youngest in the family of eleven children. She lost both parents while yet a child. Under the care of her elder sisters and brothers she completed the public grade school of Metropolis. She attended high school at Peoria, Ill.

Her life has been devoted especially to the development of Poro College, through which she has influenced, culturally and economically, the lives of many Negro women.

Starting in 1900 in a rear room in a small frame building in Lovejoy, Ill., Mrs. Malone began the manufacture of a preparation to promote the growth of the hair. In 1902 she moved her business to St. Louis, locating at 2223 Market St.; in 1910 the business was removed to larger quarters at 3100 Pine St. In 1918 the building now known as Poro College Building was completed and occupied.

Poro College Building, Poro Annex Building and Poro Garage Building comprises the Poro plant which, with furnishings and equipment, represents an investment of over one million dollars. Religious, fraternal, civic and social organizations constantly employ its facilities. The officers of the National Negro Business League had their headquarters at Poro College in 1927. Following the St. Louis tornado disaster of 1927, as one of the principal relief units of the American Red Cross thousands of storm sufferers were sheltered, clothed and fed through Poro College.

In July, 1930, marking the further expansion of Poro College, the Institution was removed to Chicago to the location, Poro Block, 44th St. to 45th St. on South Parkway.

Mrs. Malone has given eight thousand dollars to the building fund of the Pine Street Y. M.C.A. of St. Louis, ten thousand dollars to the Howard University Medical Endowment Fund, twenty-five thousand dollars to the city-wide Young Men's Christian Association campaign at St. Louis, a ten thousand dollar building site and cash contribution of several thou-

sand dollars to the St. Louis Colored Orphans Building Fund, besides innumerable smaller gifts to educational, religious, social welfare Home institutions and organizations.

MALONE, ROBERT EMMICK — Insurance President.

b. April 25, 1885, Louisville, Kentucky; s. Edward Cornelius and Cora (Hansberry) Malone; m. Mattie F. Holmes, Sept. 4, 1912; two children; Cora May, b. 1913; Ethel Holmes, b. 1914; educ. Central High Sch., Louisville, Ky., 1903-06; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1906-09; summer courses in various schools; Cornell Univ., 1912; A.M., 1912; Teacher, Tuskegee Inst., 1910-12; Director of Agriculture, Topeka Inst., 1915-16; at Western Univ., 1912-16; Principal, Orange Co., Training Sch., 1915-18; Supervisor, State Bd. of Vocational Education, 1918-20; President, Agricultural, Mechanical, and Normal Sch., Pine Bluff, Ark., 1920; Pres., Southwestern Life Insurance Co., Pine Bluff, Ark.; auth. "A Study of 520 Rural Negro Homes in North Carolina," pub. State Bd. of Voc. Ed., N. C., 1920; "Smudging With Native Material in Alabama," 1926; mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; Phi Beta Sigma; Phi Gamma Mu; mem. Am. Country Life Assn.; Am. Sociological Society; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, Southwestern Life Insurance Co., Pine Bluff, Ark.

MALONE, THOMAS NATHAN—Dentist.

b. Aug. 7, 1892, West Point, Miss.; s. Thos. N. and Maria (Dixon) Malone; m. Velma Chandler, Sept. 27, 1918; two children, Thomas N., b. June 12, 1919; Maria; educ. Normal Sch., West Point, 1907; Campbell Coll., Jackson, Miss., 1907-09; B.S., Alcorn Coll., Alcorn, Miss., 1910-15; Howard Univ., 1915-18; D.D.S., 1918; Dentist. 1918-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Allied Med. Assn. of Mich.; Detroit Tennis Club; Y.M.C.A.; Kappa Alpha Psi; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregational; Address, 614 Gratiot St.; Residence, 6408 Sheridan Ave., Detroit, Mich.

MALONEY, ARNOLD HAMILTON — Clergyman-Lecturer-Writer.

b. July 4, 1888, Trinidad, B.W.I.; s. Lewis Albert and Estelle E. (Bonas) Maloney; m. Beatrice Pocahontas Johnston, Nov. 2, 1915; two children, Arnold Hamilton, b. July 20, 1916; Beatrice Louise, b. Dec. 2, 1918; educ. Napania College; Cambridge Univ., England; Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Penn.; Columbia Univ.; Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y.; General Theol. Sem. of the P.E. Church, New York; Indiana Univ., Ind.; Morris Brown Univ., Atlanta, Ga. (honorary); B.A., 1909; M.A., 1910; B.D., 1911; S.T.D., 1920; Clergyman, Episcopal Church, 1911-present; Educational Sec., Y.M.C.A., 1916-21; Prof., Philosophy and Psychology, Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, Ohio, 1922-25; auth. "The Essentials of Race Leadership," pub. The Aldine Co., 1924; Lecturer on Racial Issues; Conference Leader at Universities on Sociological Topics relative to the contact between the races; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Sigma Pi Phi, Boulé, Pi Gamma Mu (honor fraternity), Amer. Negro Academy, Amer.

Academy of Political Sciences, Nat. Geographical Society; St. Paul's Literary (Bermuda), Mystic Order Sword and Shield, Syn Merh Reckh (Egyptian honor fraternity), K. of P., Masons; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopal; Address, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.

MANSIFEE, WILLIAM HENRY—Physician-Surgeon.

b. July 4, 1868, Jefferson City, Mo.; m. Rosa L. Bradshaw, May 27, 1898; two children, Consuelo M.; Helen Louise; educ. Lincoln Univ., Jefferson City, Mo., 1885; M.D., Chicago Homeopathic Med. Coll., Chicago, Ill., 1889; College of Medicine, Univ. of Illinois, Chicago, Ill.; Post Graduate, Harvard Univ., Boston, Mass.; Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn.; Physician, 1889-present; Inspector Schools, Bd. of Educ., St. Louis, Mo., 1909-present; charter member, Mound City Med. Soc.; one of organizers, Peoples Hosp., St. Louis, Mo.; Staff, Visiting Surgeons, City Hosp., No. 2; mem. Masons; Elks; N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Nat. Med. Assn.; Mound City Medical Forum; Pan-Missouri Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 4065 W. Belle Pl.; Residence, 4473 Enright Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

MANSON, DAVID—Traffic Manager.

b. Feb. 4, 1877, Cleveland, Ohio; s. William and Lucy (Davis) Manson; educ. Brownell Pub. School; Euclid Ave. Business School; Elevator Boy; Stenographer; Traffic Manager, Ohio Iron & Metal Co.; Director, Ohio Iron & Metal Co.; Director, Liberty Life Ins. Co.; Director, Appomattox Club; mem. Y.M.C.A.; Urban League; Address, 5401 S. Michigan Blvd., Chicago, Ill.

MARGETSON, EDWARD HENRY—Composer-Pianist.

b. Dec. 31, 1891, St. Kitts, B.W.I.; s. Henry Francis and Marie Augusta (Thomas) Margetson; m. Rose Willoughby, Dec. 5, 1922; two children, Barbara Maxine, b. Aug. 15, 1924; Desmond Willoughby, b. May 2, 1926; educ. Gram. Sch., St. Kitts, B.W.I.; graduated with Cambridge Univ. Senior Local Certificate; Columbia Univ., Music, 1921-22, 1924-26; Teacher, Music, 1922-present; Director of Choir, Ch. of Crucifixion, New York, 1916-present; comp. "Ronda Caprice," for full orchestra; "echoes of the Caribbean," "Ballade Valse Serenade," for cello, and pieces for violin, piano, organ, etc.; mem. Elks; Relig. Episcopalian, member, Church of Crucifixion; Residence, 371 Edgecombe Ave., New York, N. Y.

MARKOE, RUPERT L.—Physician.

b. Sept. 26, 1898, St. Croix, Virgin Islands; s. George L. and Frances (McEvoy) Markoe; educ. Pvt. Sch., Virgin Islands; Univ. of Porto Rico, 1920; M.D., Univ. of Mich., 1924; Physician, 1924-present; Med. Examiner, Nat. Benefit Life Ins. Co., Washington, D. C.; Staff, Herman Keifer Hospital, Tuberculosis Division; Director and part owner, Fairview Sanatorium; Staff, Dunbar Hospital, Head Tuberculosis Division; Sec. International Research Soc.; mem. Wayne Co. Med. Soc.; Mich. State Med. Assn.; Amer. Med. Assn.; K. of P.; Order of St. Luke's; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 4102 Brush St.; Residence, 445 King Ave., Detroit, Mich.

MARSH, MRS. VIVIAN OSBORNE—Student.

b. Sept. 5, 1898, Houston, Texas; d. Benjamin J. and Alice (Estes) Osborne; m. Lt. Leon F. Marsh, Oct. 1, 1921; one child, Leon F. Marsh, Jr., b. July 28, 1922; educ. Grammar Sch., Houston, Texas; High Sch., Houston, Texas; High Sch., Berkeley, Cal., 1914; Univ. of California, 1916-21; A.B., 1920; A.M., 1921; conferred May, 1922; Grand Vice Pres., Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, 1923-present; Western Regional Pres., Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; Society Editor of The Oakland New Day Informer, a newspaper; mem. Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; N.A.A.C.P.; Scholarship Committee; Y.W.C.A.; Girl Reserve Committee; Berkeley Women's Civic Club; Forerunners; Education Committee; Sec., Elite Club; Pres., Phyllis Wheatley Club; Women's Council; Cosmopolitan Club; "Sage and Dunces" Club of Univ. of California; Asst. Director of Oakland Jr. N.A.A.C.P., 1927-28; Nat. Organizer, Young Women's Dept., Nat. Assn. of Colored Women's Clubs, 1926-30; Nat. Committee mem. Assn. Colored Girls, 1930-present; Sec., California State Fed. of Colored Women's Clubs, 1929-present; Awarded State Teacher's Credential, Univ. of Cal., Los Angeles, May, 1932; selected among 50 to take Librarian's course at the Univ. of Cal., Berkeley, for the years 1932-33; Sec., Sanobar Club, Oakland, Cal.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church; Address, 2838 Grant St., Berkeley, Cal.

She was the Organizer of the first National Organization in California. While a student at the University of California, she was a member of the Women's Council, on the finance committee of the Y.W.C.A. (white), local branch, and a member of the Cosmopolitan Club. She was granted four units, the highest number permissible, for the Thesis, "Origin and Distribution of Negro Folklore in America," and was admitted to a graduate Seminar in her Junior year by special grant because of scholastic standing.

She is the National Organizer of the Young Women's Department of the National Federation of Colored Women's Club; Director of Young Women's Department of State Federation of California. The only young woman in the State of California selected to speak at the National Convention of Federation of Colored Women's Clubs held in Oakland in 1926.

MARSHALL, CLARENCE—Teacher.

b. July 31, 1891, Greensburg, Ky.; s. Charles and Hattie (Hodgens) Marshall; m. Ethel Ainsley Reed, May 6, 1913; three children, Fern Evangeline, b. April 24, 1914; Enid Audrey, b. July 29, 1915; Vane Morelle, b. Jan. 12, 1918; educ. A.B., Indiana Univ., 1923; A.M., 1927; Principal, Public Sch., Franklin, Ind., 1915-18; Prin., Baneker Sch., Bloomington, Ind., 1918-23; Teacher, Indianapolis Pub. Sch., 1923-27; Instructor, Vashon High Sch., St. Louis, Mo., 1927-31; Instructor, Sumner High School, 1931-present; Active in Hi-Y work, Pine Street Y.M.C.A., St. Louis, Mo.; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Sumner High School; Residence, 6137 Colorado Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

MARSHALL, JOHN RANDOLPH—State Parole Agent.

b. March 15, 1859; s. John and Mary (Brent) Marshall; m. Louise Francis Brawner, Dec. 21, 1886; one child, Walter G. (deceased); reared a niece, Estelle Louise Arnold, a social service worker; educ. Pub. Sch., Va.; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Candidate, South Town Clerk, 1892; Alternate Delegate, Republican Nat. Conventions, five consecutive times; Organized, 8th Illinois, United States Volunteers, 1898, and was made the first Colored Colonel in the United States Army, doing service in Cuba during the Spanish-American War; re-organized regiment as a standing unit in Illinois Nat. Guard, and was Colonel of same for 20 years; secured appropriation to build Armory, 35th St. and Giles Ave., Chicago, Ill.; served on personal staff, Governor Richard Yates and Charles S. Deneen; one of founders Appomattox Club; Assisted Dr. Daniel H. Williams in building the first Provident Hospital; charter mem. K. of P.; founder Universal Lodge, Masons; Vice-Pres., Binga State Bank; Grand Trustee, Elks; mem. Hampton Inst. Club; Second Ward Regular Republican Organization, 48 years; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 608 S. Dearborn Ave.; Residence, 3630 Calumet Ave., Chicago, Ill.

MARSHALL, VEREEN MARION—Dentist.

b. Nov. 7, 1890, Cheraw, S. C.; s. Edward and Amanda (Williams) Marshall; m. Thelma Edwards, June 30, 1920; one child, William Horace, b. Aug. 19, 1924; educ. B.S., Claflin University, Orangeburg, S. C., 1909; D.D.S., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1914; Dentist, 1914-present; Teacher, French and Science, Claflin Coll., 1910; Teacher, Meharry Med. Coll., 1914-17; Vice Pres., Indiana Dental Soc., 1928-30; Minister of Music, Trinity M. E. Church, Stewart House, 1925-present; Director, Music, Meharry Med. Coll., 1912-17; Asst. Mgr., Claflin College Quartette, 1910-16; mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; Royal Circle of Friends; Nat. Med. Assn.; Indiana State Dental Soc.; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 1635 Broadway; Residence, 2301 Jefferson St., Gary, Ind.

MARSHBURN, RITA ECHOLS—School Supervisor.

b. June 26, 1884, Phoebus, Va.; d. John and Hester (Toliver) Armstead; m. George E. Echols (deceased), 1919; second marriage, Rev. J. D. Marshburn, Dec. 27, 1927; educ. Whittier Sch., Phoebus, Va.; Spillers Acad., Hampton, Va.; Va. State Coll., Petersburg, Va., 1926; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., Summers; Teacher, Newport News, Va., six years; Teacher, Waters Nor. Inst., Winston, N. C., 1920-24; Teacher, Laurinburg Inst., Summer Sch., Laurinburg, N. C., 1926; Jeans Supervisor, Currituck and Camden Cos., N. C., 1927-present; mem. Glee Club; Community Club; Currituck and Camden Cos., N. C.; North Carolina Parent-Teacher Assn.; North Carolina Teachers Assn.; Better Homes in America Assn.; Phoebus Tennis Club; Relig. Baptist; Address, Moyock, N. C.; Residence, 57 Fulton St., Phoebus, Va.

MARTIN, ALEXANDER HAMILTON—Lawyer.

b. Dec. 8, 1872, Ironton, Ohio; s. Jacob and Lydia

(Calloway) Martin; m. Mary Elizabeth Brown, Sept. 27, 1905; four children, Lydia Jane, b. May 19, 1907; Sarah Elizabeth, b. Dec. 12, 1909; Alexander Hamilton Martin, Jr., b. July 15, 1912; Stuart Brown, b. Oct. 16, 1915; educ. Ironton High Sch., 1885-87; Geneva Normal School, 1887-89; Adelbert Coll., Western Reserve Univ., 1891-95; L.B., Adelbert Coll., 1895; Law School of the Western Reserve Univ., 1895-98; LL.B., 1898; Lawyer, in general practice, 1897-present; Special Asst. to the Attorney General of the U. S. for one year; mem. Masons; K. of P.; ex-Chairman of the Inter-Racial Committee of the Federated Churches of Cleveland; ex-Pres., Cleveland People's Finance Corporation; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 122 Engineer's Bldg.; Residence, 2392 East 40th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

He worked during spare hours while a student at Adelbert College, graduating in 1895 with Phi Beta Kappa honors in College for scholarship and special honors in Public Speaking. He entered the Law School of Western Reserve University on a scholarship. He graduated in 1898, but was admitted to the bar in 1897, one year ahead of his class.

In 1924 he was appointed Special Assistant to the Attorney General of the U. S., which post he held for one year until the litigation in which he was engaged, ended.

MARTIN, ARTHUR QUINCEY—Funeral Director.

b. Jan. 4, 1875, Powhatan County, Va.; s. James and Mary (Chocolate) Martin; m. Harriett E. Bayne, June 23, 1910; educ. Pub. Sch., Virginia; Funeral Director, 1909-present; Chairman, Financial Committee, Carlton Ave. Y.M.C.A., 6 years; Republican Leader, 10th Assembly Dist.; County Committeeman; Member of Republican Standing Committee; mem. Ancient Order of Antelopes; Friendship Society; Society of Sons of Virginia; Elks; Fishermen; Ancient Order of Moses; Kings County Undertaker's Assn.; New York State Undertaker's Assn.; National Undertaker's Assn.; Masons; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 392 Carlton Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

MARTIN, MRS. GERTRUDE—Registrar of Music School.

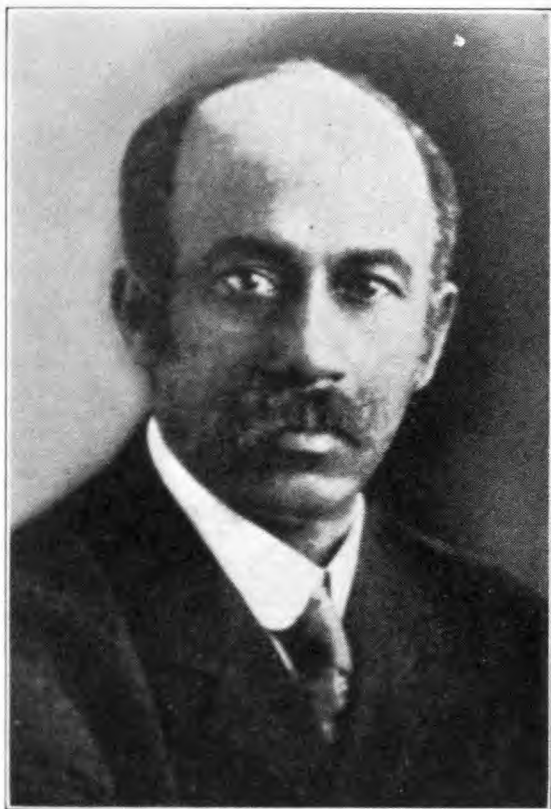
b. Chicago, Ill.; d. Eugene and Alice (Cunningham) Mars; m. David Martin, April 2, 1902 (deceased Aug. 28, 1923); three children, Eugene Mars, b. June 29, 1904 (deceased Dec. 23, 1926); David I., 2nd., b. Oct. 5, 1907; Gertrude, b. April 20, 1910; educ. Grammar Sch., Normal Coll. (Hunter Coll.) New York, N. Y., Business Coll., 1½ years; Assisted in organizing and connected with Martin-Smith Music Sch., 1912; Registrar, Martin Smith Music Sch., 1921-present; mem. (Charter member) Utopian Neighborhood Club (formerly vice-pres.); Bd. of Mgrs., Hope Day Nursery; Appomattox Club; Relig. St. Phillips Episcopalian; Address, 140 W. 111th St., New York, N. Y.

MARTIN, MRS. GOLDIE GUY—Pianist-Teacher.

b. Aug. 15, 1903, Kansas City, Mo.; d. Walter



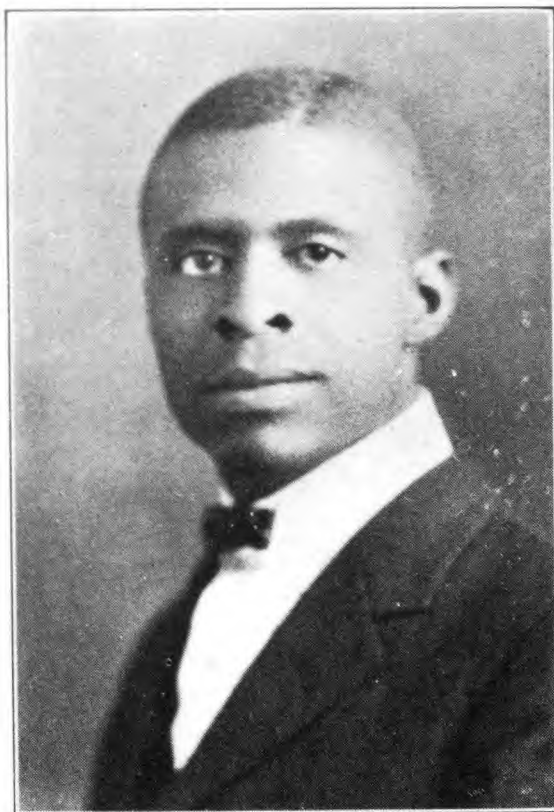
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JOHN FREDERICK MATHEUS, A.B., A.M.



EZEKIEL ZETHAN MATHEWS, A.M.



Guy; m. Theodore R. Martin, Sept. 1, 1926; one child, Goldie Guy; educ. School of Chicago; Crane Junior Coll., Mus. B., 1921; Pianist-Teacher of Piano; Teacher, Howard Univ., 1923-24; Pres., Zeta Zeta Chapter; Organist, St. Mark M.E. Ch.; mem. Zeta Phi Beta Sorority; Residence, 4446 Vincennes St., Chicago, Ill.

MARTIN, JAMES ARTHUR—Clergyman—b. Sept. 3, 1878, Greenville, Ga.; s. Isaac and Ann (Bell) Martin; educ. Paine Coll., Augusta, Ga., 1894-1901; D.D. Paine Coll., 1916; m. Eugenia A. Collier, July 12, 1908; Minister, 1906-26; Editor Sunday School Literature, C.M.E. Church, 1926-present; *contr.* "James A. Martin, D.D.," Paine College Bulletin, 1916; mem. 'resident, N.A. A.C.P. (Nashville Branch), K. of P., Agora Club in the City of Nashville, Tenn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. C.M.E. Church; Address, 123 14th Ave., Nashville, Tenn.

He acted as State Agent for Rosenwald Funds from 1919-22, and erected many "Rosenwald Schools" for the State of Georgia. He has been on Committees appearing before the Georgia State Legislature, asking for better schools and better pay for teachers.

He is also special Agent of Paine College, Augusta, Ga., acting as "Field Representative." His duty is to raise funds and to solicit students. He was fraternal messenger from the C. M. E. Church to the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church held in Saratoga Springs, New York, May, 1916. He wrote the chapter for the Colored Methodist Church for the "Hand Book" of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ, edited by D. Charles McFarland, in the year 1916.

MARTIN, ISAIAH H.—Physician.

b. May 23, 1883, Pulaski, Tenn.; s. Jesse and Addie Martin; m. Mary Ethel Hall, Sept. 10, 1919; educ. Central High Sch., Decatur, Ala., 1903; A.B., Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1910; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1912-14; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1916; Interne, Hubbell Hospital, Nashville, Tenn., 1916; on Medical Staff, Parkside Hospital, Detroit, Mich., 1929-present; examining Physician, Mutual Life Ins. Co., Detroit, Mich.; Director, Y. M. C. A.; mem. Elks; N. A. A. C. P.; National Med. Assn.; Allied Med. Assn.; Address, 2909 Hastings St., Residence, 4481 Harding Ave., Detroit, Mich.

MARTIN, JAMES L.—Physician.

b. Nov. 2, 1882, Jonesville, Va.; s. Alexander and Amanda (Allen) Martin; m. Martha Oliver, June 25, 1919; educ. Swift Memorial Coll., 1896-1902; B.S., Swift Memorial Coll.; Shaw Univ., 1902-06; M.D., Shaw Univ., 1906; Graduate School of Medicine, Univ. of Pa., specializing in X-Ray and Medicine, 1921-23; Physician, specializing in Radiology, 1906-present; Chief X-Ray Dept., Mercy Hospital; mem. Am. Med. Assn.; Phila. County Med. Soc.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Clinical Pathological Soc.; Academy of Med.; Elks; Pythians; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 2027 Catherine St., Philadelphia, Pa.

He was commissioned Captain of the Med-

ical Reserve Corps with the 92nd Division, serving from 1918 to 1919.

He is a staff member of the Graduate School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania and one of the authors on Experimental Studies of the combined effects of X-Ray and Ultra Violet rays on the skin.

MARTIN, MACEO CONRAD—Bank Cashier.

b. June 18, 1897, Whitmell, Pittsylvania County, Va.; s. Romey O. and Hattie Rosina (Inge) Martin; m. Lavinia Elaine Henderson, Nov. 25, 1920; three children, Hattie Irene, b. March 15, 1922; Maceo Conrad, Jr., b. July 15, 1923; Edwina Mae, b. Feb. 2, 1925; educ. Pub. Sch., 1910; Pittsylvania Inst., Gretna, Va., 1911-15; Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1914-17; Teacher, 1918-19; Clerk in Paymaster's Office, Badin, North Carolina, 1919; Asst. Cashier of Savings Bank of Danville, Va., 1919; Cashier of same, 1919-present; Sec., Progressive League; Sec., Nat. Assn. of Negro Bankers; Shriner; Masons (32°); Gd. Treas., Masons, Va.; Negro Organization Society; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 184; Home Address, 205 N. Ridge St., Danville, Va.

MARTIN, THADDEUS P.—Physician.

b. March 10, 1878, Charleston, S. C.; s. A. G. and Henrietta M. Martin; m. Louise Johnson, June 29, 1905; three children, Thaddeus P. Martin, Jr., b. March 29, 1906; Gladys Edwards, b. March 6, 1908; Eugene Lomax, b. Oct. 29, 1911; educ. St. Augustine Collegiate Sch., 1893-98; Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1898-1902; M.D., 1902; Interne, Freedmen's Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1902-03; Physician, 1902-present; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Kansas Med. Soc.; Shawnee Co. Med. Soc.; Kansas State Soc.; Polmarch Alumni Branch, Kappa Alpha Psi; K. of P.; A.F. & A.M.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 419 Kansas Ave.; Residence, 1026 Buchanan St., Topeka, Kansas.

MARTINEZ, PEDRO OLLARVIA—Physician.

b. Jan. 26, 1898, Aguadilla, Porto Rico; s. Pedro Ollarvia and Guillerma Martinez; educ. Public Sch., Porto Rico; Walden Univ.; Boston Univ.; M.D., Meharry Med. Univ., 1923; Interne, Provident Hosp., Chicago, Ill., 1924; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; F.A. & A.M.; Allied Med. Soc. of Wayne Co.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Free Thinker; Address, 3040 Hasting St., Detroit, Mich.

MASON, EDWARD STANLEY—Physician.

b. Feb. 15, 1888, Barbados, B.W.I.; s. John Edward and Dorothy (Lynton) Mason; educ. Harris Coll., Barbados, 1903-06; Howard Univ., 1907-10; M.D., 1910; Physician, 1910-present; mem. Masons; Elks; Forresters; Mechanics; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 314 W. 133rd St., New York, N. Y.

MASON, JAMES EDWARD—Clergyman.

b. March 30, 1859, Wilkes-Barre, Penn.; s. Sylvester L. and Elizabeth (Huff) Mason; m. Abbie Kelly Keene, Oct. 9, 1887; one child, Katherine L., b. Sept. 10, 1888; educ. High Sch., Wilkes-Barre, Penn., 1872-76; Private instruction in Theology in Wilkes-Barre, 1881-84; B.D., Livingstone Coll., 1895; D.D., 1897; Minister and

Pastor, 1877-94; Presiding Elder, Western New York Conference, 1894-96; Lecturer and Financial Sec. for Livingstone Coll., 1896-present; auth. "The Modern Amazon," Rochester Herald Pub. Co., 1917; "Then and Now," 1920; "Sounding the Alarm," "Spirit of Negro Soldiers," "Relation of Zion Methodism to the Future," 1920; "Zion Methodism at the Crossroads"; mem. Odd Fellows; Masons; K.T., Asiatic Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion Church; Address, Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C.; Residence, 502 S. Plain St., Ithaca, N. Y.

He received his early education in the public schools of his native city, from which he graduated in 1876. He continued his studies under private instructors in theology, and college course including the Chautauqua literary and scientific circle under Prof. Brown and Dr. Curtis, Syracuse University, 1880-84.

He joined the African-Episcopal Methodist Zion Church in 1876, the Western New York Conference, 1877 and ordained Elder in 1880.

He was Secretary and Historian of his conference for 10 years. Elected as presiding elder in 1894, he succeeded in organizing and establishing several societies.

He was fraternal representative to the General Conference of the Methodist-Episcopal church, Chicago, in 1900.

Upon the invitation of Prof. Dickey, he became identified with the temperance work and presented its claims in the light of Zion Methodism at the Negro Congress, Atlanta Exposition, 1895.

In 1897 he was elected Professor of Political Economy and Financial Secretary of Livingstone College.

Delegate to the Ecumenical Conference of Methodism, Toronto, Canada, 1911.

He was the first colored man to be a guest of the well-known Empire Club of Toronto, with his Eminence the Episcopal Bishop, Chief Justice Russell of the Supreme Court and Canon of St. James Cathedral present.

He traveled extensively in the United States under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association and lectured to large organizations. Upon the One Hundredth Anniversary of Cooperstown, he took part in the exercises and was a guest of his Eminence Bishop Codman Potter.

MASSEY, EDWARD O.—Dentist.

b. Jan. 3, 1893, Palestine, Texas; s. William Hall and Bettie Estelle Massey; m. Luberta M. Hill, Aug. 28, 1915; one child, Edwill O., b. July 29, 1916; educ. Meharry Dental Coll., 1911-15; D.D.S., Meharry Dental College, 1915; Dentist, 1915-present; mem. U. S. Veteran Bureau D.E.; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, Suite, 205 People's Finance Building; Residence, 1801 Goode Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

MATHEUS, JOHN FREDERICK—Educator—Author.

b. Sept. 10, 1887, Keyser, W. Va.; s. John Wm. and Mary (Brown) Matheus; m. Maude Roberts, Sept. 1, 1909; educ. Steubenville High Sch., 1905; Western Reserve Univ., 1906-10; A.B. (cum laude) Western Reserve Univ., 1910; Columbia Univ., A.M., Columbia, 1921; Summer course at the Sorbonne, Paris, France, 1925; Graduate Student, Univ. of Chicago, 1927; Research work in Haiti, 1928 (summer); Teacher of Languages, Fla. A. & M. College, Tallahassee, Fla., 1910-22; Professor of Romance Languages, West Va. Collegiate Inst., Institute, West Va., 1922-present; auth. "Fog" in the New Negro, edited by Alain Locke, pub. Albert & Chas. Boni, N. Y.; one act play "Cruiter" in "Plays of Negro Life," edited by Locke and Gregory; play, "Ti Yette"; play, "Black Damp"; articles in Opportunity, Steubenville Herald Star, The Progressive Thinker, Crisis; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; Modern Language Assn.; American Assn. of Teachers of Spanish; Pol. Independent; Address, Institute, West Va.

He won the first prize for the short story in the 1925 Prize Contest conducted by Opportunity. He won in the 1926 contest first prize for Personal Experience sketch, second prize for play, first honorable mention for the short story and honorable mention in the poetry section. His story "Fog" was put on the honor list in O'Brien's "The Best Short Stories of 1925" and was included in the list of stories ranking highest in the O. Henry Memorial Award Prize Stories of 1925.

He has studied the language and social customs of Havana, Cuba, and in addition to study at the Sorbonne in Paris, France, has traveled in Switzerland, Italy and southern France.

He spent six months in Liberia as Secretary to Dr. Charles S. Johnson, American member of the International Commission of Inquiry to Liberia to investigate charges of Slavery and Forced Labor.

MATHEWS, EZEKIEL ZETHAN—Co. Training School Principal.

b. March 1, 1886, Enterprise, Ala.; s. William M. and Amanda (Edwards) Mathews; m. Jessie Emma Steward, June 2, 1915; two children, Zethalyn Lenoir, b. April 13, 1916; Ezekiel Zethan, b. Jan. 29, 1930; educ. Rural Public School near Enterprise, Ala.; State A. and M. Coll., Normal, Ala., 1906-10; Graduate Work, University of Chicago; A.M., (honorary), Selma Univ., Selma, Ala.; B.S. in Educ., State Teacher's Coll., Montgomery, Ala.; Principal, Trenholm High Sch., Prin. Colored High Sch., Sheffield, Ala., 1920-36; Principal Randolph County Training Sch., Roanoke, Ala., 1936-present; Professor of Education, State Teacher's College, Montgomery, Ala., summer quarters, 1925-1930; Sec., Ala. State Teachers' Assn.; mem. Elks; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, P. O. Box 35, Roanoke, Ala.

MATTHEWS, WILLIAM BAXTER—Principal.

b. July 31, 1864, Powersville, Ga.; s. W. B. and

Annie (Head) Matthews; m. Josephine O. Beale, Jan. 1, 1896; one child, Florida Louise; educ. Lewis High School, Macon, Ga., 1883; A.B., Atlanta Univ., 1890; Columbia Univ., 1915; Prin., Central Colored High Sch., 1912-present; Prin., Houston Street Sch., Atlanta, Ga., 20 years; compiled Negro Business Directory of Atlanta, 1909; mem. Vice-Chmn., Bd., now Vice-Chmn., Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Bd. of Mgrs., Urban League; Chmn., Committee of Management, Plymouth Settlement House; Chairman, Colored Boy Scouts, Louisville, Ky.; Executive Committee, Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; Kentucky Negro Teachers Assn.; Masons; K. of P.; formerly Auditor, Grand Lodge, State of Georgia; Pol. Republican; Address, Central High School, 9th and Chestnut St.; Residence, 2121 W. Chestnut St., Louisville, Ky.

Died, March, 1940.

MATTHEWS, WILLIAM WALTER—Bishop.

b. 1876, Batesville, Miss.; s. Thomas Augustus and Eliza Caroline (Bobo) Matthews; m. Alice Johnson, 1908; six children, Nettie L., Jas. E., Elmer Julius, Willetta, Juanita; educ. Branch Normal College, 1888-90; New Orleans Univ., New Orleans, La., 1898-1901; D.D., 1928; D.D., Livingstone College, Salisbury, N. C., 1912; Clergyman, 1894-present; Gen. Correspondent, Sec., Dept. of Foreign Missions; Sec., Board of Foreign Missions, 1920-28; elected Bishop, A.M.E. Zion Church, 1928; Pastored Cooper A.M.E. Zion Church, Oakland, Cal.; Cherry St. Church, Pine Bluff, Ark.; First A.M.E. Zion Church, Portland, Ore.; First A.M.E. Zion Ch., San Francisco, Cal.; Zion Temple Church, McCloud, Cal.; "The Old Ship," Montgomery, Ala.; Editor, The Missionary Seer, pub. Board Foreign Mission, A.M.E. Zion Church, monthly, 1920-28; Assigned to West Coast of Africa, 1928-present; and Arkansas; mem. Free & Accepted Masons (32°); K. of P.; Woodmen of America; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion Church; Address, 9 Logan Circle, N.W., Washington, D. C.

He has given thirty-two years to the service of the A.M.E. Zion Church and in that time has pastored and been instrumental in financing and building fourteen churches, and four schools.

Since his elevation to the Bishopry there were erected four School Buildings in Liberia and the Gold Coast, and he organized the Liberia Conference with 11 native Pastors and with 2500 members.

MATTHIS, PAUL G.—Physician.

b. June 14, 1896, Jefferson, Texas; s. Paul and Angie C. (Bailey) Matthis; educ. Central High Sch., Jefferson, Texas, 1915; Prairie View State Coll., 1917; Univ. of Chicago, 1921; M.D., Northwestern Univ. Med. Sch., 1925; Interne, Kansas City General Hosp., 1925-26; Physician, 1926-present; mem. Cook Co. Med. Assn.; Am. Woodmen; Kappa Alpha Psi; Relig. Methodist; Address, 5052 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.

MAYS, BENJAMIN ELIJAH—College President.

b. Aug. 1, 1895, Greenwood Co., S.C.; s. Hezekiah and Louvenia (Carter) Mays; m. Ellen Harvin (deceased) July 31, 1920; second marriage, Sadie Gray, Aug. 9, 1926; educ. State College of S. C.; A.B., Bates Coll., 1920; A.M., Univ. of Chicago, 1925; Ph.D., Univ. of Chicago, 1935; co-Author, "The Negro's Church," Inst. of Social and Religious Research, New York, 1933; auth. "The Negro's God," pub. Chapman & Grimes, Boston, Mass., 1938; "After College, What?—for Negroes," The Crisis, V. 37, No. 12, Dec. 1930; "Realities in Race Relations," Christian Century, V. 48, Mar. 25, 1931; "Education of the Negro Ministry," Journal of Negro Education, V. 2, No. 3, July 1933; "The Color Line Around the World," Journal of Negro Education, V. 6, No. 2, April, 1937; "The Church Surveys World Problems," The Crisis, V. 44, October, 1937; "Christianity in a Changing World," The National Educational Outlook among Negroes, Dec. 1937, V. 1; "World Churchmen Score Prejudice," The Crisis, V. 44, Nov. 1937; "Oxford," The A.M.E. Zion Quarterly Review, July 1938; "The American Negro and the Christian Religion," Journal of Negro Education, July 1939; Series of Six Articles in the Norfolk Journal & Guide on India, Arabs, and Jews, May 8-June 12, 1937; Series of nine articles in the Norfolk Journal & Guide, Sept. 25-Nov. 20, 1937, on Oxford Conference and Hitler; Book Reviews: "The Negro Frontier," by George Arthur, Journal of Negro Education, V. 4, No. 2 April 1935; "A Catholic View of Race Relations," Interracial Justice, by John LaFarge, October, 1937, Journal of Negro Education, V. 6, No. 4; "Christ, Color, and Communism" by John T. Gillard, Journal of Negro Education, V. 7, No. 1, Jan. 1938; Pastor, Shiloh Baptist Church, Atlanta, Ga., 1922-25; Teacher, Mathematics, Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1921-24; Professor, S. C. State Coll., Orangeburg, S. C., 1925-26; Exec. Sec., Urban League, Tampa, Fla., 1926-28; National Student Secretary, National Y.M.C.A., 1928-30; Director, Study of Negro Church under auspices of Institute of Social and Religious Research, 1930-32; Dean, School of Religion, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1934-40; President, Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1940-present; mem. World Y.M.C.A. Conference, Mysore, India, 1937; mem. World's Committee Y.M.C.A.; mem. Commission on Church, Community and State, Oxford, England, 1937; represented Y.M.C.A. of America at Plenary Session, World Committee, Stockholm, Sweden, 1938; Leader, Youth Conference at Amsterdam, Holland, 1939; Kent Fellow, National Council on Religion in Higher Education; mem. Delta Theta Chi; Delta Sigma Rho; Phi Beta Kappa; Omega Psi Phi; Relig. Baptist; Address, Morehouse College, Atlanta, Ga.

Morehouse College, of which he is President, is one of the outstanding Negro colleges in the United States, having Class A rating by the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in the Southern States. Many of the leading Negroes of the country have graduated from Morehouse College. It was founded in 1867 by the American Baptist Home Mission Society and is now affiliated with Atlanta University and Spelman College in a University Center.

While Dean of the School of Religion at Howard University, Washington, D. C., the

school was rated Class A by the American Association of Theological Schools. The Graduate enrollment was increased by more than four hundred per cent in six years, and, when he left the School was beautifully and adequately housed, with 39,000 volume Library, making the School of Religion one of the best equipped libraries in the Country.

MAYS, SADIE GRAY—Social Worker.

b. Aug. 5, 1900, Jones Co., Ga.; d. James Seaman and Emma Frances (Blount) Gray; m. Benjamin E. Mays, Aug. 9, 1926; educ. High Sch., Paine Coll., Augusta, Ga., 1919; Ph.B., University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill., 1924; A.M., Univ. of Chicago, 1931; Case Worker, St. Louis Provident Assn., St. Louis, Mo., Summer, 1924; Teacher, Social Science and Local Y.W.C.A. Sec., South Carolina State Coll., Orangeburg, S. C., 1924-26; Case Worker, Urban League, Tampa, Fla., 1926-28; Case Worker, Georgia Study of Negro Child Welfare, 1928-29; Teacher and Supervisor, Atlanta Sch. of Social Work, Atlanta, Ga., 1929-34; Case Worker, Juvenile Protective Assn. (now Children Protective Assn.), Washington, D. C., 1935-36; Administrative Asst. in Charge of Negro Activities, National Youth Administration, Washington, D. C., 1936-41; Teacher, Dept. of Sociology (Social Work Division), Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1936-40; Teacher, part time, Spelman Coll., and Atlanta Sch. of Social Work, Atlanta, Ga., 1941-present; mem. Assn. of Colored Women; American Assn. of Social Workers; Readers' Research Club; Utopian Literary Club; Pol. Democrat; Relig. C. M. E. Church; Address, 820 Fair St., S. W., Atlanta, Ga.

As the wife of Pres. Benjamin E. Mays, of Morehouse College, she has adjusted herself wherever her husband's work called her. She has always found useful work in Social Service as a Field Worker, Supervisor, or Teacher. She became acquainted with some foreign Social conditions in 1937 when she and Dr. Mays traveled in England, Scotland, Holland, Germany, Switzerland and France.

MEACHAM, ALLEN S.—Educator.

b. Aug. 9, 1894, Morrilton, Ark.; s. Morgan and Amanda L. (Culp) Meacham; m. Wheatley Joanna Todd, Sept. 29, 1925; one child, Robert Allen, b. Nov. 21, 1926; educ. Morrilton Public School, 1904-11; Walters Inst., Warren, Ark., 1911-17; U. S. Army, 1st Sgt., 1918; Livingstone College, 1920-24; Theol. Dept., Livingstone Coll., 1924-25; Pres., Walters Inst., 1925-present; Pres., Y.M.C.A. Local Br.; Pres., V.C.E. Society, 4 yrs.; Mgr. of Athletics, Pres. of Lyceum; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, Walter's Institute, Warren, Ark.

MEADDOUGH, RAY JAMES—Dentist.

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April 16, 1908; educ. Public School, Cookman Inst., Jacksonville, Fla., 1882-86; Meharry Dental Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1897-1901; D.D.S., 1901; A.B., Geo. R. Smith Coll., Sedalia, Mo., 1919; Cigar Maker in Jacksonville, 1887-97; practice of Dentistry, 1901-present; contra. Nat. Med. Jour., 1923; Pres., Arkansas State Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn., 1933-34; mem. Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity; Masons; K. of P.; Treas., State St. Branch Y.M.C.A.; Trustee, Wesley Chapel M.E. Church; Trustee, Philander Smith College, Little Rock, Ark.; Treas., Colored Chamber of Commerce; Pres., Emancipation Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. M.E. Church; Address, 1100 Izard St., Little Rock, Ark.

On graduating from Meharry Dental College, Dr. Ray James Meaddough received the only two gold medals awarded the Class of 1901, that of the Singleton Medal for highest examination in Metallurgy and the Morrison Medal for excellency in Prosthetic Dentistry.

MEDFORD, HAMPTON THOMAS—Clergyman.

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tern Univ., 1927; Graduate work during summer, 1928; Teacher, Piano and School Music, Fisk Univ., 1927-28; Alabama State Normal School, Summer, 1929; Teacher of Music, Austin High School, Knoxville, Tenn., 1928-present; gave recitals in Chicago, Ill.; Evanston, Ill.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Louisville, Ky.; Nashville, Knoxville, Johnson City, Tenn.; Birmingham, Ala.; Montgomery, Ala.; Bennett College, Knoxville, Tenn.; State College, Alabama State College.; Pres., Music Dept., East Tennessee Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools, 1929-present; mem. Nat. Assn. of Negro Musicians; Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Austin High School, Knoxville, Tenn.; Residence, 1409 Finley St., Indianapolis, Ind.

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METCALFE, RALPH HAROLD—Olympic Sprinter.

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He is considered one of the fastest sprinters in the World, and was second to Eddie Tolen at the American Olympic, at Los Angeles, in 1932. He is at the present time the National A. A. U. Champion at 60 meters, 100 meters and 200 meters. He has also tied or bettered the World's records at 40 yards, 60 yards, 60 meters, 70 yards, 100 yards, 100 meters, 200 meters, and 220 meters.

METHOD, WILLIAM ARTHUR—Physician-Surgeon. — See 4th Edition.

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MEYZEEK, ALBERT ERNEST—Principal.

b. Nov. 5, 1872, Toledo, O.; s. John E. and Mary A. (Lott) Meyzeek; m. Pearl E. Hill, 1896; educ. Terre Haute High Sch.; Indiana State Normal Coll.; A.B., Indiana Univ.; A.M., Wilberforce, O., 1917; Prin., Booker T. Washington Junior High Sch.; Treas. and Director, Domestic Life Ins. Co.; Director, First Standard Bank; Director, Standard Building Loan Assn.; Chairman, Louisville Urban League; Chairman, Committee of Management, Y.M.C.A., 20 years; Pres., Kentucky Negro Educational Assn.; mem. one of the Organizers, Kappa Alpha Psi; Executive Committee, Inter-Racial Commission; Executive Committee, Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schs.; Organizer of Colored Br. Y.M.C.A.; Masons; Past Grand Dist. Deputy and Past Grand Senior Warden of Kentucky Jurisdiction; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal Ch.; Address, Jackson and Brick Sts.; Residence, 1701 W. Chestnut St., Louisville, Ky.

MICHEAUX, OSCAR—Motion Picture Producer.

b. Jan. 2, 1884, Metropolis, Ill.; s. Calvin and Belle (Willingham) Micheaux; m. Alice B. Russell, March 20, 1926; educ. Pub. Sch., Metropolis, Ill.; Pullman Porter, Farmer and Rancher, S. Dakota, 1913; Novelist, Publisher, 1913-18; Photoplay Producer, 1918-present; President, Micheaux Film Corp.; auth. "Conquest," "The Forged Note," "Homesteader," pub. Western Bk. Supply, Sioux City, Iowa; prod. "Homesteader," "The Brute," "The Gunsaulus Mystery," "Birthright," "The House Behind the Cedars," "The Spider's Web," "The Millionaire," "Thirty Years Later," "The Broken Violin," "A Fool's Errand," "A Daughter of the Congo," "Dark Princess"; Address, 40 Morningside Ave., New York, N. Y.

He made, directed and produced the first full length (8 reel) all colored cast photoplay, called the "Homesteader."

Out of a total of forty Negro photoplays produced in the United States, twenty-five of them have been directed and produced by him.

MIDDLETON, LOUIS R.—Surgeon Dentist.

b. Jan. 20, 1895, Savannah, Ga.; s. Louis G. and Amanda (Curley) Middleton; educ. Howard Univ., 1917; D.D.S., Univ. of Illinois, 1922; Dentist, 1922-present; Dental Surg., Bureau Child Hygiene, New York Health Dept., being the only Colored Dentist in Dental Dept. of New York City; First Lieut., 368th Infantry, American Expeditionary Forces; mem. North Harlem Dental Soc.; First District Dental Soc., New York City; Health Officers' Assn. Greater New York; Alpha Phi Alpha; Mason (32°); Elk; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 148 W. 118th St., New York City, N. Y.

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MILES, JOHN MARSHALL—Clergyman.

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MILLER, CLIFFORD L.—Clergyman.

b. Columbia, Tenn.; s. J. B. and Sarah (Frier-son) Miller; m. Grace A. Stevenson, April 5, 1915; one child, Natalya A., b. May 26, 1917; educ. Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1899-1904; B.A., 1904; Andover Theol. Sem., 1905-07; B.D., 1907; Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1918; M.A., 1918; Minister, Zion Congregational Ch., Haverhill, Mass., 1905-12; Union Congregational Ch., Newport, R. I., 1912-16; First Congregational Ch., Talladega, Ala., 1917-18; Army Chaplain (France), 1918-19; St. Mark's Church, Boston, Mass., 1920-27; Christ Community Ch., Jamaica, N. Y., 1927-present; auth. "The Haunting Voice," Book of Poetry, pub. Lavalle, 1924; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 210 W. 150th St., New York City, N. Y.

MILLER, GEORGE FRAZIER—Clergyman.

b. Nov. 28, 1864, Aiken, S. C.; s. Alfred Abram and Ellen Collins (De Reef) Miller; m. Ellen Matilda Bulkley, Nov. 2, 1893 (deceased Oct. 15, 1923); four children, Ralph Bulkley, b. Dec. 2, 1894 (deceased, Dec. 3, 1894); George Frazier Miller, Jr., b. May 30, 1898; Mabel Julia, b. June 22, 1900; Alfred Abram Bulkley; b. Oct. 23, 1905; educ. public sch., Charleston, S. C.; Howard Univ. (Academic), 1881-88; B.A., M.A., 1893; Gen. Theol. Sem., 1888-91; Graduate School of Philosophy, N. Y. Univ., 1901-02; D.D. (Honorary), Howard Univ., 1912; Missionary, Calvary Church, Charleston, S. C., 1891-94; Rector, St. Cyprian's Church, New Bern, N. C., 1894-96; Rector, St. Augustine's Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., 1896-present; auth. "Adventism Answered," treating of the Law of Days and the Basis of Moral Conduct, pub. Guide Pub. Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., 1905; various tracts, essays and magazine articles; mem. ex-Pres., Gen. Alumni Assn., Howard Univ.; ex-Pres., Nat. Equal Rights League; Pol. Socialist; Relig. Protestant Priest, Episcopal Church; Address, 700 Marcy Ave.; Residence, 452 Quincy St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

In the years 1798 and 1802, were born, respectively, in the City of Charleston, Richard Edward and Joseph, DeReef, boys of French and Indian extraction. About the year 1816, the elder brother, Richard Edward, was married to Isabella Fowler, the daughter of a

wealthy planter in St. John's Parish, South Carolina. As a wedding present, her father, Jonathan (?) Fowler, deeded to this daughter a plantation with sufficient hands to operate it. The young husband, through the means brought to him by his wife, became a prosperous merchant in Charleston.

Of this union were born seven children, two boys and five girls. The second daughter, Ellen Collins became the wife of Alfred Abram Miller.

In the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Just (the paternal grandparents of Dr. Ernest E. Just, of Howard University) in Aiken, S. C., George Frazier Miller, the sixth and last child of Alfred Abram Miller and Ellen Collins (nee DeReef), was born on November 28, 1864.

His thesis for the Master's degree (Master of Arts) conferred in 1893, was "The Evidential Value of the Moral Argument of Theism." This production was subjected to the critical eye of Dr. Philander K. Cady of the General Theological Seminary who spoke of it in high terms of commendation, before it was submitted to the University authorities.

Dr. Miller was a contributing editor to the Messenger Magazine, and wrote on economical and social questions during the World War.

It is interesting to note that The Charleston News and Courier, in its issue of May 18, 1907, containing an article featuring conditions in that city, in the year 1860, referred to the fact that Richard E. DeReef paid taxes on 14 slaves and \$23,000.00 of real property, quoting from "List of Taxpayers of the City of Charleston, 1860," published by Evans and Cogswell, in 1861.

MILLER, HERBERT TISE—Executive Sec., Y.M.C.A.

b. July 16, 1900, Ford, Ky.; s. Cyrus D. and Georgia (Hampton) Miller; m. Willie Belle Harper, Dec. 21, 1928; educ. Woodward High Sch., Cincinnati, Ohio, 1919; Univ. of Cincinnati, Ohio, 1923; Business Sec., Y.M.C.A., Cincinnati, Ohio, 1923-25; Membership Sec., Y.M.C.A., New York City, N. Y., 1926-28; Exec. Sec., Y.M.C.A., Toledo, Ohio, 1928-32; Exec. Sec., Y.M.C.A., Pittsburgh, Pa., 1932-37; Exec. Sec., Y.M.C.A., Philadelphia, Pa. 1937 present; mem. Board of Directors, Colored Industrial Sch., Cincinnati, O., 1924-27; Charter Member, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Univ. of Cincinnati; mem. K. of P.; Elks; Urban League; N.A.A.C.P.; Employed Officers Alliance; Retirement Fund Y.M.C.A.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 405 Carlton Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

While Executive Secretary of the Y.M.C.A. at Toledo, O., he built a splendid new building costing over \$200,000. and with Real estate and equipment has a total valuation in excess of \$250,000.

MILLER, JOHN ARTHUR—Physician.

b. May, 6, 1871, Portsmouth, Va.; s. Charles and Maria J. (Cosprew) Miller; m. Bessie H. Johnson, July 28, 1926; educ. Howard Univ., 1889-92; B.A., Williams Coll., Williamstown, Mass., 1892-96; University of Michigan, 1896-1900; M.D., 1900; Physician, 1900-present; mem. Wayne Co. Med. Assn.; Michigan State Med. Soc.; Bd. of Management of Y.M.C.A., St. Antoine Branch; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Office, 911 Gratiot St.; Residence, 2019 St. Aubin Ave., Detroit, Mich.

MILLER, KELLY—University Dean.

b. July 23, 1863, Winnsboro, S. C.; s. Kelly and Elizabeth Miller; m. Annie May Butler, July 17, 1894; educ. Howard Univ., 1886; A.M., 1901; LL.D., 1903; post-grad. work in Mathematics and Physics, Johns Hopkins, 1887-89; Entered Govt. Service while student, Howard Univ.; taught Math., Washington High Sch., 1889; Prof. Math. since 1890; now Dean (Coll. Arts and Sciences), Howard Univ.; lectures upon the Race Problem; mem. Acad. Political and Social Science; Amer. Social Science Assn., N.E.A.; Walt Whitman Internat. Fellowship; Am. Negro Acad.; N.A.A.C.P.; auth. Race Adjustment, 1908; Out of the House of Bondage; wrote chapter on "The Education of the Negro," in report U. S. Bureau of Education, 1901; contr. to periodicals, magazines, newspapers; Address, Howard University, Washington, D. C.

Died, Dec. 27, 1939.

MILLER, SAMUEL M.—Clergyman.

b. April 25, 1884, Pickens, S. C.; s. (Rev.) C. T. and Annie E. (Wood) Miller; m. Emma Love, Nov. 25, 1908; educ. State Agr. and Med. Coll., Orangeburg, S. C., 1908; B.Th., Friendship Coll., Rock Hill, S. C., 1918; Gammon Theol. Sem., South Atlanta; Tuskegee Inst., 1910-11; Clergyman, 1914-present; Pastor, Warren Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church; ex-Editor and Manager, District Herald, Gaffney, S. C., 2 yrs.; Statistical Sec., S. Carolina Conference, 6 yrs.; Treas. and Sec., Spartanburg District Conference, 8 yrs.; mem. Y.M.C.A.; Citizens Committee of the Urban League; Masons; K. of P.; Knights of Guardian Star of the East; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Ch.; Address, 335 Lea St., S.W., Atlanta, Ga.

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1932-present; Medical Examiner, Elks; Medical Examiner, Odd Fellows; Polemach, Kappa Alpha Psi; mem. Masons (32°); Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 106½ Parrish St.; Residence, 1211 Fayetteville St., Durham, N. C.

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Before leaving school, Mr. Minkins owned three newspaper routes, wrote a column daily in an afternoon paper, owned and edited The Tidewater Republican, a weekly, reported for the daily papers, was correspondent for the New York Press, and at 21, had charge of the first Federal collection of statistics of manufactures at Norfolk, Va.

MINTON, HENRY MCKEE—Physician.

b. Dec. 25, 1871, Columbia, S. C.; s. Theophilus J. and Martha Virginia McKee Minton; m. Edith G. Wormley, Dec. 24, 1902; educ. Pub. Sch., Washington, D. C.; Phillips Exeter Academy, 1887-91; Law Sch., Univ. of Penn., for one year; Phila. Coll., Pharmacy, 1892-95; Ph.G. Phila. Coll. of Pharm., 1895; Jefferson Med. Coll., 1902-06; M.D., 1906; Pharmacist, 1895-1903; Physician, 1906-present; Supt. of Mercy Hospital, 1921-present; Clinician, Henry Phipps Institute (Univ. of Pa.) 1910-present; Specialist, Tuberculosis since 1910; Supervisor, Negro Tuberculosis Bureau, Phila., 1923-present; auth. "Early History of Negroes in Business in Philadelphia" (pamphlet), 1913; "Causes and Prevention of Tuberculosis" (pamphlet), 1915, Medical articles in N. Y. Medical Journal, Hospital Social Service Magazine; National Med. Assn. Magazine, etc.; mem. Sigma Pi Phi; Alpha Phi Alpha; F. & A.M.; G.U.O.O.F.; American Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Board of Directors, Mercy Hospital; Downington Industrial School; Armstrong Association; Whittier Center; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1130 S 18th St., Philadelphia, Penn.

In 1897 he opened the first drug store operated by a Negro in Pennsylvania.

Was active in the founding of the Mercy Hos-

pital in 1907 and has been on its staff since its opening.

MITCHELL, ARTHUR W.—Congressman—Lawyer.

b. Dec. 22, 1883, Chambers Co., Ala.; m. Annie Harris; one child, Arthur W. Jr.; educ. Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala.; Columbia Univ., New York City; Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass.; LL.D. (Honorary) Wiberforce Univ., Wilberforce, Ohio.; School Teacher, Rural Sections of Alabama, many years; Founder and Pres., Armstrong Agricultural Sch., W. Butler, Ala.; Admitted to D. C. Bar and practiced law in Washington, D. C., 10 years; practiced law in Chicago, 1929-present; Congressman, First Illinois District, Chicago, Ill., 1935-present; mem. Phi Beta Sigma (National President 10 years); Pol. Democrat; Address, 417 E. 47th St., Chicago, Ill.

MITCHELL, JOHN W.—District School Agent.

b. May 6, 1885, Morehead City, N. C.; s. Duncan T. and Mary L. (Riddle) Mitchell; m. Lena Mae Brown, Feb. 23, 1910; seven children, Duncan T.; John W., Jr.; Rivera G.; Talmadge T.; Mae Fonville; Maxine; Audrey Lucile; educ. State Normal Sch., Fayetteville, N. C., 1905; B.S., A. and T. Coll., Greensboro, N. C., 1909; A.M. Central Univ., Ind., 1938; Asst. Principal, Fayetteville State Normal Sch., Fayetteville, N. C., 1910-16; Principal, Rosenwald Sch., Aberdeen, N. C., 1916-17; Farm Demonstration Agent, Columbus Co., 1917-1923; Farm Demonstration Agent, Pasquotank Co., 1923-1929; District Agent, Extension Serv., 1929-present; mem. Executive Committee, Parent-Teachers' Ass'n; mem. Executive Committee, Interracial Commission, and on lecture staff; Commissioned by Gov. of N. C. Represent State, National Federation of Colored Farmers, 1938; Represent State Negro Achievement, World's Fair, 1939; mem. Masons; Relig. A. M. E. Zion; Address, A. and T. College Residence, 1308 Lindsay St., Greensboro, N. C.

Since his appointment as Colored District Agent he has doubled the number of Negro County Agents in the State to the total of 32, and which is the largest number of such Agents in the Upper South. He also has secured the service of a Colored 4-H Club Specialist.

He was one of the two Colored speakers invited to the Southern Conference on Regional Development which was held at the University of North Carolina. His speech was quoted by many leading Daily Newspapers.

MITCHELL, T. B.—Prin. of County Tr. School.

b. Dec. 8, 1878, Columbus, Texas; s. Martin and Lydie (Missouri) Mitchell; married, Dec. 24, 1913; educ. Wiley Coll., 1903; Prin., County Training Sch., 1906-27; Pres., Southwest Texas Teachers Assn., two years; delegate to the Bishop's Council and annual Conference; G. L. of Colored Knights of Pythias; mem. F. & A.M.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church; Address, County Training School, Kenton, Texas.

MITCHELL, JOSEPH EVERETT—Editor and Publisher.

b. Aug. 1, 1876, Coosa Co., Ala.; s. Henry and Cassie (Parker) Mitchell; m. Mattie Thomas, Jan. 20, 1901; one child, J. Orvell, b. Sept., 1908; educ. Public Sch., Ala.; Y. M. C. A. Business Sch.; Douglass Univ., Law Sch., A.B. (Honorary), Douglass Univ.; soldier, 24th Infantry Regiment, Philippine Islands, 1901; Organized Western Union Relief Assn. Insurance Co., 1906; Editor and Publisher, St. Louis Argus, St. Louis, Mo., 1912-present; ex-Deputy Sheriff; mem. Board of Managers, Y. M. C. A.; Director, Colored Orphan's Home; mem. Executive Committee, St. Louis Branch, N. A. A. C. P.; mem. K. of P.; American Woodmen; Elks; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 2312 Market st., St. Louis, Mo.; Residence, 532 N. Elm ave.; Webster Grove, Mo.

When the St. Louis Argus was organized several others from St. Louis were his partners who sold their interests to Mr. Mitchell. In 1914 Mr. Mitchell and his brother William formed a corporation to which the ownership of the publication was conveyed. They own the building and plant where the paper is published.

He takes a lively interest in civic affairs of the community and Nation.

MITCHELL, JOSEPH SOLON—Lawyer

b. Aug. 25, 1891, Auburn, Ala.; s. Solon and Elizabeth (Switcher) Mitchell; m. Lucy Q. B. Miller, Sept. 8, 1923; two children, Laura Elizabeth, b. July 22, 1924; Joseph Solon, Jr., b. Aug. 26, 1925; educ. A. B. Talladega Coll.; Talladega, Ala., 1913; Harvard Law Sch., 1913-14; LL.B., Boston Univ., 1917; Lawyer, 1917-present; Director and Organizer, Colored Republican voters of Massachusetts under the auspices of the Massachusetts Republican State Committee; Ex-Pres. and mem. Roxbury Civic Club; Pres. Crispus Attucks Political League of Massachusetts; Worshipful Master, Union Lodge, Prince Hall Masons; Alpha Phi Alpha; Beccaria Law Club; Bach-Bens, Outer South End Planning Board of Boston; St. Mark's Congregational Church; mem. Committee on Program, Republican National Committee; Pol. Republican; Relig., Congregational; Business Address, 51 Cornhill, Boston, Mass.; Residence, 10 Waumbek St., Boston, Mass.

MITCHELL, ERNEST C.—Lawyer.

b. Oct. 11, 1895, British Guiana, S.A.; s. David N. and Caroline E. (Fraser) Mitchell; m. Linda A. Banks, March 4, 1921; two children, Elma Claire, b. Jan. 8, 1922; Gladys Estelle, b. June 6, 1923; educ. Queens Coll., British Guiana, 1912; Middle Temple (law), London, Eng., 1919; Lawyer, 1919-present; Sugar Planter at Sena Sugar, Sambesi, Portuguese E. Africa, 3 yrs.; Candidate, U. S. Congress, 1932; mem. Century Club; Y.M.C.A.; Caladonian Railway Lodge of Glasgow, Scotland; Pol. Independent; Relig. Congregational; Address, 4727 St. Antoine St., Detroit, Mich.

During the World War he was in the service with the Diesel Engine Works of Glasgow and later with Waring & Gillows, White City factory, Shepardsbush, London, England.



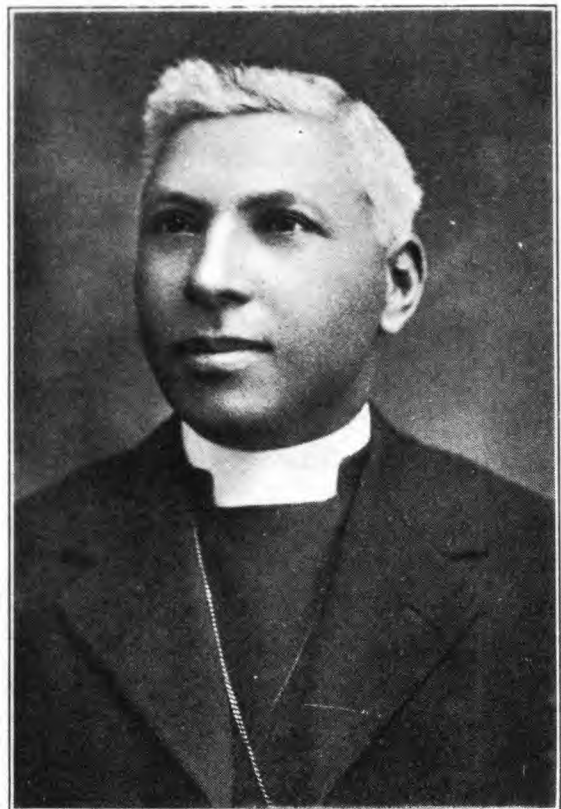
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REV. GEORGE FRAZIER MILLER, D.D.



Has traveled extensively, visiting in West Indies, England, Scotland, France, Italy, Morocco, Egypt, Arabia and Eastern Africa.

In 1928 he took over the law business of the late Robert C. Barnes, of the firm of Barnes and Stower.

MIZELLE, MRS. RALPH E. (Miss Jane M. Bolin)—Judge, Court of Domestic Relations. b. Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; d. Mr. and Mrs. Gaius C. Bolin; m. Ralph E. Mizelle, 1933; educ. Wellesley Coll., 1928; Yale Law Sch., 1931; Lawyer, 1932-present; Asst. Corporation Counsel, New York City, 1937-39; Judge, Court of Domestic Relations, New York City, New York, 1939-present; mem. Executive Board, New York Urban League; mem. Executive Board, N. A. A. C. P.; mem. Harlem Tuberculosis Committee; Legislative Committee, United Neighborhood Houses; ex-Vice Pres., Harlem's Lawyers' Assn.; New York County Lawyers' Assn.; Address, 35 West 110th St., New York City.

MIZELLE, RALPH EUGENE—Lawyer.—Asst. Postoffice Solicitor.

b. Dec. 1, 1893, Lake City, Fla.; s. York and Amanda (McCloud) Mizelle; educ. A. & M. Coll., Tallahassee, Fla.; Univ. of Illinois, 1917; LL.B., Fordham Law Sch., 1923; Prof. English, Agri. and Tech. Coll., Greensboro, N. C., 1923-24; Head, English Dept., State Coll., Orangeburg, S. C., 1924-25; Lawyer, 1925-present; Asst. Solicitor, Postoffice Dept., Wash., D. C.; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons (32°); Shriner; Y.M. C.A.; Civic Club of New York; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, Postoffice Dept., Washington, D.C. Residence, 35 W. 110th St., New York, N. Y.

While a student at the University of Illinois in 1917 he entered the R.O.T.C. at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, commissioned 2nd Lieut. and served in France as Intelligence Officer, 366th Inf., 92nd Division, for nine months.

On his return to the States he purchased and operated together with three other persons a grain farm in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, for one year. He was a member of the Lafayette Players for the season 1919-20. In 1926 he was appointed 1st Lieut. and Adjutant of the First Battalion in the 369th Infantry of the N. Y. Nat. Guard.

In July, 1928, he was appointed Regional Director of the East, by the National Democratic Committee for the Smith-For-President campaign among Colored Voters.

MOLETTE, LEMUEL SCOTT—Asst. State Supervisor.

b. Sept. 11, 1895, Yazoo County, Miss.; s. Castillo and Lucy Allison (Scott) Molette; m. Rossa G. Walker, June 27, 1927; educ. Normal Dept., Jackson Coll., Jackson, Miss., 1913-16; B.S.A., Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1927; Teacher, Holly Grove Sch., 1916-17; Yazoo City Sch., 1917-18; Tougaloo Coll., 1918-21; Georgia Normal and Agri. Coll., 1921-23; Fort Valley High and Ind. Sch., Fort Valley, Ga., 1923-30; Supervisor, Agricultural Education in Negro

Schools, Georgia, 1931-present; Auditor, State Parent-Teachers Assn.; mem. Georgia State Teachers and Education Assn.; Elks; Relig. A. M.E. Church; Address, Georgia State Industrial College, Industrial College, Ga.; Residence, Box 484, Fort Valley, Ga.

In 1930 he conducted a Superior Department of Vocational Agriculture at the Fort Valley High and Industrial School, where the boys have bought cooperatively, Austrian winter peas, commercial fertilizers, sweet potato slips and pure bred cotton seed, and have produced in carload lots co-operatively sweet potatoes, corn and cotton. These products were sold in car lots to leading firms in Georgia.

For several years the exhibit of project work at the Southeastern Fair, Atlanta, Ga., won first prizes, amounting to substantial sums in cash.

MOLLISON, IRVIN CHARLES—Lawyer.

b. Dec. 24, 1898, Vicksburg, Miss.; s. Willis Elbert and Ida (Welbourne) Mollison; educ. Oberlin Coll., 1916-17; Univ. of Chicago, 1917-1923; Oberlin Coll. and Univ. of Chicago, Coll. of Liberal Arts, 1916-20; Univ. of Chicago Law Sch., 1920-23; Ph.B., Univ. of Chicago, 1920; J.D., Univ. of Chicago, 1923; Phi Beta Kappa Society (Univ. of Chicago); Lawyer, 1923-present; mem. Urban League; Art Institute of Chicago; Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity; Appomattox Club of Chicago; Original Forty Club of Chicago; Cook County Bar Assn.; Nat. Bar Assn.; Elected Sec. of National Bar Assn., 1928-29; Pol. Republican; Relig. Colored Methodist Episcopal; Address, 179 W. Washington St.; Residence, 220 E. Garfield Blvd., Chicago, Ill.

MOORLAND, JESSE EDWARD—Clergyman.

b. Sept. 10, 1863, Coldwater, Ohio; educ. County Sch., Ohio; Northwestern Normal Univ.; Howard Univ.; m. Lucy Corbin Woodson; taught school; Missionary work in North Carolina and Virginia; Pastor of a church in South Boston, Va.; General Secretary of the Y.M.C.A. (colored), Washington, D. C., 1891; Pastor, Nashville, Tenn.; Cleveland, Ohio; Secretary, International Committee, Y.M.C.A., 1898 until 1924; retired; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha, Masons (33°), and many organizations and societies; Residence, 183 S. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

His grandparents came from Newbern, N. C. where his forebears were freemen for about two centuries.

He graduated from the theological department of Howard University, Valedictorian of his class. This University conferred the degree of Doctor of Divinity upon him in 1906, and in 1907 was elected a trustee. He was also elected a trustee of the Frederick Douglass Home Association, and is a member of the American Negro Academy.

In 1924 Oberlin conferred the honorary degree of D.D. on Dr. Moorland.

He gave Howard University a valuable collection of books, statues, pictures and pamphlets on slavery, The Negro and Africa. Scores of volumes in this collection not found in the Congressional Library.

Died, April 30, 1940.

MOORE, JOSEPH MOSES—Physician.

b. June 1, 1885, Reidsville, N. C., R.F.D. No. 1; s. Benjamin and Ellen (Wilson) Moore; m. Della Johnson, Jan. 1, 1922; educ. A.B., Johnson C. Smith Univ., 1913; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1923; Physician, 1923-present; mem. Masons; Johnson C. Smith Alumni Chapter of Chicago; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 3460 Cottage Grove, Chicago, Ill.

MOORE, LEMUEL B.—School Principal.

b. Feb. 2, 1880, Union Co., S. C.; s. Lemuel S. and Addeline (Gibson) Moore; m. Gertrude Elizabeth Smith, Oct. 30, 1907; three children, Lemuel B., Jr., b. Sept. 9, 1908; Robert Elliott, b. July 15, 1911; Alfred Dunton, b. Nov. 28, 1915; educ. Claflin Univ., Orangeburg, S. C., 1898-1902; B.S., South Carolina Agricultural and Mechanical Coll., Orangeburg, S. C., 1931; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Teacher, Public Sch., 1902-08; U. S. Rural Mail Service, 1908-15; Supervisor, U. S. Railway Postal Service, Weighing Dept., 1916; Principal, Rock Hill Colored Public Sch., Rock Hill, S. C., —present; Chairman, Red Cross Seals Drive, Rock Hill District; mem. Working Benevolent State Grand Lodge of South Carolina; Royal Knights of King David; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 831 Crawford St., Rock Hill, S. C.

He is best known as a School builder in his State, having built the first Rosenwald School building in Greenville Co., S. C. He also built the first Manuel Training School building, Teachers' Cottage, and first and only Dormitory for boarding students at a Public School from public funds in the State of South Carolina.

MOORE, PARLETT L.—High School Principal.

b. Sept. 17, 1907, Wetipquin, Md.; s. Noah H. and Maggie E. (Thomas) Moore; educ. Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1926; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1930; Lieut., Reserve Corps, U. S. A.; Principal, High School, Cambridge, Md., 1930-present; mem. Masons; Phi Beta Sigma; Maryland State Colored Teachers' Assn. Address, Colored High School, Cambridge, Md.; Residence, Wetipquin, Md.

MOORE, SAMUEL E.—Physician.

b. Oct. 6, 1887, Reidsville, N. C.; s. Benjamin and Ellen (Carmon) Moore; m. Rosa E. Bailey, Nov. 20, 1914; three children, Ernestine W., b. Feb. 8, 1916; Samuel E., Jr., b. May 5, 1919; Charlotte B., b. July 14, 1927; educ. Palmer Institute, Sedalia, N. C.; B.S., Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C.; M.D., Univ. of West Tenn., Memphis, 1914; Physician, 1914-present; Commander-in-chief, Scottish Rite Masons, 1926-28; ex-Asst. Med. Director, Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Missouri and its Masonic Jurisdiction; Attending Physician, Colored Old Folks Home, 1924-28; District Deputy Grand

Master of F. & A. M.; Missouri, 2 yrs.; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Mound City Med. Forum; Pan Missouri Med. Assn.; Y.M.C.A.; Masons; Odd Fellows; Mosaics; Phi Beta Sigma; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address 809-A N. Jefferson St.; Residence, 4271 North Market St., St. Louis, Mo.

MOORES, G. HAVEN—Physician.

b. Sept. 29, 1882, Mason, Tenn.; s. (Rev.) Littleton M. and Emma C. (Maxwell) Moores; educ. A.B., Walden Univ., 1902; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1909; Post Graduate Course, Cook County Hosp., Chicago, Ill.; Mayo's, Rochester, Minn.; Physician, 1909-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; ex-Pres., Mountain City Academy of Med. and Surgery; Volunteer State Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Masons; Shriner; Elks; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church; Address, 108½ E. 9th Street, Chattanooga, Tenn.

MORGAN, HARVEY FRANKLIN—President Bus Corporation.

b. Aug. 5, 1886, Kings Mountain, N. C.; s. Palmer and Jane (Johnson) Morgan; m. Maud Irene Brice, July 20, 1920; nine children, Louise Jane; Harvey Franklin, Jr.; Irene Joyce; Ray LeRoy; Maurice; Edward Reilly; Harold Brice; Betty Jean; Margaret A.; educ. Public Sch., Kings Mountain, N. C.; Part Owner, Wellman-Morgan Dairy, 1911-20; one of Founders and Owners, 1920-26; Pres., Safe Bus Corp., 1926-present; Treas., Winston-Salem Savings and Loan Assn., 1930-present; mem. Masons; Interracial Commission, State of North Carolina; mem. Advisory Committee, Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, P. O. Box 841; Residence, 1402 Slater St., Winston-Salem, N. C.

The Safe Bus Corporation, of which he is the President, began doing business with 33 buses, and this amount has been increased gradually to 49 buses. The total assets of this Corporation including buses and real estate is in excess of \$250,000. All these Buses are being operated and owned by Colored men, and under a Franchise granted by the City of Winston-Salem.

This is the only Bus Corporation in the United States being owned and operated entirely by Colored men.

MORGAN, JAMES CHRISTOPHER—Dentist.

b. April 23, 1894, Jamaica, B.W.I.; s. Thomas G. and Sarah S. Morgan; m. Ophelia T. Robinson, Dec. 17, 1924; one child, Geraldine C., b. Oct. 17, 1925; educ. McGill Prep Sch., Montreal, Canada; Howard Univ., 1916-21; D.D.S. (cum laude), Howard Univ., 1921; Dental Surgeon, 1921-present; Sec. and Treas., Washington Terrace Hospital Corp.; Supt., Presbyterian S. S.; Sec., Bynum Ice and Coal Co., Inc.; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Royal Knight of K. D.; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Box 119; Residence, 121 Underhill Ave., High Point, N. C.

MORGAN, MAXWELL—School Principal.

b. Sept. 6, 1902, Topeka, Kans.; s. Calvin and Paralee Maxwell; m. Karthryn McGowan; two children,

Kathryn Paralee, b. Sept. 21, 1926; Morgan, Jr., b. Aug. 25, 1928; education Kansas Junior Coll., Fort Scott, Kans., 1919-20; B.S., Univ. of Colorado, Boulder, Colo., 1920-23; also graduate work same; Kansas State Teachers' Coll., Pittsburg, Kans., 1923-24; Principal, Public Sch., Columbus, Kans., 1924-25; Teacher, Science, I. M. Terrel High Sch., Fort Worth, Tex., 1925-26; Principal, Public Sch., Okmulgee, Okla., 1926-27; Principal, Buchanan Sch., Topeka, Kans., 1928-present; Delegate, World's Fellowship Student Conference, Colo., 1924; Sec., Cosmopolitan Club, Univ. of Colorado, 1923-34; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Independent; Relig. A. M. E., Address, Buchanan School, Topeka, Kans.; Residence, 1125 Boswell St., Topeka, Kans.

MORRIS, EDWARD H.—Lawyer.

b. May 30, 1858, Flemingsburg, Ky.; s. Hezekiah and Elizabeth Morris; m. Jessica D. Montgomery, Dec. 16, 1896; educ. St. Anne's and St. Patrick's Coll., 1874-76; studied Law in office of Edward A. Fisher, Chicago, Ill. (deceased); Lawyer, 1879-present; served as Attorney for Cook County, in charge of Taxes, for one year; Member of Illinois Legislature, twice; Attorney for South Side of Chicago, called South Side; was a Member of the Election Court; was appointed Receiver, Binga State Bank; mem. Grand Master of the U.O. Odd Fellows, 1888-1903; re-elected, 1911-present; Pol. Republican; Address, 179 N. Wells St.; Residence, 3757 Vernon Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

As a member of the Illinois Legislature, he introduced the School Teacher's Pension Bill, which was passed and became a law. During his term a law was passed legalizing Slave marriages for the purpose of inheritance. The Civil Rights law of Illinois was amended.

He assisted in drafting the first Australian—so called—ballot election law and various Revenue bills, while a member of the Election Court.

Sustained the right of County to tax Insurance Companies and other tax questions while Cook County Attorney.

MORRIS, EDWARD PATRICK—Dentist.

b. Mar. 14, 1893, Greenville, N. C.; s. Edward P. and Sallie Morris; m. Dainie Mae Morris, June 23, 1921; one child, Edward P., Jr., b. Mar. 14, 1923; educ. B.S., Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1921; D.D.S., Howard Univ., 1926; Dentist, 1926-present; mem. Phi Beta Sigma; Chi Lambda Kappa; Pol. Republican; Address, 707½ Fayetteville St.; Residence, 816 Fayetteville St., Durham, N. C.

MORRIS, KELSO BRONSON—Chemist

b. Feb. 6, 1909, Beaumont, Tex.; s. Isaiah H. and Francis Elizabeth (Kelso) Morris; m. Talitha Long, Aug. 20, 1930; educ. B.S., Wiley Coll., Marshall, Tex.; 1930; M.S., Cornell Univ., Ithaca, N. Y., 1937; Ph.D., Cornell Univ., 1940; Teacher, Chemistry and Mathematics, Wiley College, 1930-36; Professor, Chemistry, Wiley College, 1937-present; auth. "The Balancing of Oxidation-Reduction Equations," Journal Chemical Education, 1938; mem. American Chemical Soc.; Sigma

Xi; Alpha Phi Alpha; Address, Wiley College, Marshall, Texas.

MORRIS, OTTAWAY OWENS—Exec. Sec., Y.M.C.A.

b. Dec. 18, 1892, Danville, Va.; s. William and Eliza (Green) Morris; m. Willie Kirkland, June 12, 1921; one child, Alice Yvonne, b. March 23, 1922; educ. St. Paul Normal and Industrial Sch., Lawrenceville, Va., 1914; A.B., Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1920; New York Sch. of Social Work, New York City, N. Y., 1919; Executive Sec., Y.M.C.A., Pine St., St. Louis, Mo., 1929-present; Boys Work Sec., 1927-29; Boys Work Sec., Y.M.C.A., Dayton, O., 1920-27; Vice-Pres., Interracial Commission of the Community Council, 1932-present; Second Lieut., 10th Training Battalion, U. S. Army, 1918-19; First Lieut., R.O.C., 1919-present; Teacher, Y. M. C. A., Summer Sch., Storer Coll., Harpers Ferry, W. Va., 1923; Teacher, Y.M.C.A. Summer Sch., Bordentown Manual Training Sch., Bordentown, N. J., 1924-25; mem. American Woodman; Alpha Phi Alpha; Y.M.C.A.; General Secretaries Assn.; Employed Officers Alliance; American Legion; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 2846 Pine Street; Residence 6116-A Colorado Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

MORRIS, SAMUEL SOLOMON—Clergyman.

b. Sept. 2, 1878, Portsmouth, Va.; s. Samuel and Lucinda Morris; m. Mamie Lawson, April 4, 1912; three children, William L.; Samuel M.; James M.; educ. Morris Brown Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; B.D., Gammon Theological Sem., Atlanta, Ga., 1902; D.D. (Honorary), Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1920; Garrett Biblical Inst., Chicago, Ill., 1930; Clergyman, 1903-present; Pastor, A.M.E. Church, Atlanta, Ga.; Pastor, Macedonia A.M.E. Church, Suffolk, Va., 1910-12; Pastor Bethel Church, Richmond, Va., 1912-16; Pastor, St. Johns Church, Norfolk, Va., 1916-20; General Sec., Allen Christian Endeavor League, Nashville, Tenn., 1920-present; Past Grand Master, Masons, Va.; Past Grand Master, True Reformers; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Alpha Phi Alpha; N.A.A.C.P.; Interracial Commission; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address 8th and Lea Aves.; Residence, 1107 2nd Ave., S., Nashville, Tenn.

He represented the Christian Endeavor League at International Convention held at Berlin, Germany, 1930.

MORRIS, WILLIAM RICHARD—Lawyer.

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Died.

MORRISON, E. D.—Physician.

Graduate of Louisville Nat. Med. Coll., 1906; post-graduate work at P. & S., 1914, Chicago, Ill. Specializes in Gynecology and Surgery. Owner and manager of Morrison Sanitarium and Taft Drug Co.; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; First Lieut., U. S. Army Reserve; Address, Taft, Okla.

MORSELL, SAMUEL R.—Y.M.C.A. Secretary.

b. March 3, 1874, Baltimore, Md.; s. John and Eliza Ann Morsell; m. Maud Lydia Wright, June 28, 1911; two children, John Albert, b. April 14, 1912; Frances Justine, b. Feb. 17, 1915;

educ. Baltimore High Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1892-96; Oberlin Acad. and Coll., Oberlin, Ohio, 1901-07; A.B., Oberlin Coll., 1907; Yale Divinity Sch., New Haven, Conn., 1907-10; B.D., Yale Divinity Sch., 1910; Teacher, School, Elicott City, Md., 1896-97; Teacher and Asst. Prin., Baltimore, Md., 1897-1901; Gen. Sec., Golfe St. Y.M.C.A., New Haven, Conn., 1907-10; Executive Sec., Centre Ave. Branch, Y.M.C.A., Pittsburgh, Penn., 1910-30; Executive Sec., Y.M.C.A., White Plains, N.Y., 1930-31; Executive Sec., Y.M.C.A., Baltimore, Md., 1931-present; Co-organizer and Sec., N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League of Pittsburgh, Penn.; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Foresters; Sons of Veterans; First Pres., Zeta Chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Yale Univ.; Grammateus; Rho Boule; Sigma Pi Phi; Pol. Independent Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 1619 Druid Hill Ave., Baltimore, Md.

In 1892, while a student at the Baltimore High School, he initiated a movement and succeeded in obtaining sufficient money with which to purchase a pole and a large American flag. This was the first flag to be flown from a Colored public school in the city of Baltimore. Of the color guard which raised the flag, he was the color bearer.

He was a member of the State Executive Committee, Y.M.C.A. of Pennsylvania for the term 1925 to 1929.

Was ordained an Elder in the A. M. E. Church at the Pennsylvania Conference held at Uniontown, Penn., November 7, 1926.

MORTON, FERDINAND Q.—Civil Service Commissioner.

b. Sept. 9, 1881, Macon, Miss.; s. Edward J. and Mattie (Shelton) Morton; educ. High Sch., Washington, D. C.; Phillips Exeter Academy; Harvard College; Boston University Law Sch.; Lawyer, admitted to the bar, 1910; Assistant District Attorney, New York County, 1916-21; Municipal Civil Service Commission; Leader, Tammany Hall, United Colored Democracy; Address, Municipal Bldg., New York, N. Y.

MORTON, FRANKLIN W.—Lawyer.

b. Nov. 27, 1892, Brooklyn, N. Y.; s. Dr. Walter A. and Dr. Verina M. (Harris) Morton; m. Inez Eloise Moore, Aug. 17, 1916; one child, Franklin W., b. May 17, 1920; educ. A.B., Livingstone Coll., 1913; Post Graduate in History, Columbia Univ., Summer School, 1913; LL.B., and J.D., New York Univ., 1916; Lawyer, 1922-present; mem. Elks; American Historical Assn.; New York State Bar Assn.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, 20 Fleet St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

MORTON-FINNEY, JOHN—Teacher— b. June, 25, 1889, Missouri; s. George Albert and Etta (Gordon) Morton-Finney; educ. Pd.B. Missouri State Normal Sch., 1916; A.B. State Univ. of Iowa, 1922; A.M. Indiana Univ., 1925; m. Pauline Angeline Ray, Sept. 10, 1921; one child, Gloria Ann, b. Oct. 8, 1924; Teacher of Foreign Languages, Lincoln Inst., Jefferson City, Mo., 1919-22; Teacher of History, Indianapolis Public Sch., 1922-present; mem. Masons; *contr. to School and*

Society, The American School Board Journal; Pol. Non-Partisan; Relig. Protestant Episcopal Church; Residence, 2918 Boulevard Pl., Indianapolis, Ind.

He served with the A. E. F. (overseas) in France, Sergeant of the 806 Pioneer Infantry. Took part in the Meuse-Argonne Major Offensive, October, 1918.

MOSBY, COTTRELL—School Principal.

b. Dec. 29, 1896, San Augustine, Tex.; s. David and Amanda (Tanner) Mosby; educ. Timpson Colored High Sch.; Prairie View State Normal Sch., Prairie View, Tex., 1920; B.S., Prairie View State Coll., 1929; International Sunday School Course, 1920; Finished first Scout Masters Course in Texas, 1929; served as Treasurer, Sunday School, Bible Training Class, Y.M.C.A., Senior Class; Principal, Norris Colored High School, Commerce, Tex.; Pres., Eastern Burial Assn.; mem. Masons; American Woodmen; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Box 54, Commerce, Tex.; Residence, Timpson, Tex.

MOSELEY, JAMES H.—College President.

b. March 6, 1875, Yazoo Co., Miss., s. Jerry and Mille (Hill) Moseley; m. Hattie L. Brown, Sept., 1908; one child, J. Orville B., b. Sept. 9, 1909; educ. B.S., Alcorn A. and M. Coll., Alcorn, Miss., 1902; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; M. Ped., Teachers' Professional Coll., Washington, D. C., 1930; Chair, History and Moral Philosophy, Alcorn Coll., 12 years; Builder and Principal, Bolivar Co. Training Sch., Mound Bayou, Miss., five years; Principal, Coahoma Co. Training Sch., Clarksdale, Miss., two years; President, Natchez Coll., Natchez, Miss., 1929-present; ex-President, Mississippi Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools, 1928-30; mem. National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; Relig. Baptist; Address, Natchez College, Natchez, Miss.

He graduated as salutatorian of his class at Alcorn College.

He resigned as a teacher from Alcorn College to build the largest Consolidated School for Negroes at Mound Bayou, Miss., at a cost of \$115,000.00, where the student enrollment grew from 193 to 874.

He was then called to the Presidency of Natchez College and for the past few years has worked hard to make that College one of the best equipped edifices in that section of the country.

MOSS, PATRICK HENRY—Field Secretary Religious Education.

b. June 25, 1880, Mississippi; s. Walter and Margaret (Williams) Moss; m. Anna Willingham, Nov. 28, 1906; one child, Walter Joseph, b. April 15, 1915; educ. Kansas State Normal Sch.; Boston Univ.; Mount Beulah Christian Coll.; Edwards, Miss., 1901; Clergyman, 1902-present; Pastor, Emporia Christian Church, Emporia, Kans.; State Evangelist of Kansas, 18 months; erected a Church Building, Parsons, Ky.; Teacher, 7 years, Bible Chair, Martinsville Christian Inst. (now Piedmont Christian Inst.), Martinsville, Va.; Pastor, Fayette Street Christian Church, 7 years, Martinsville, Va.;

and erected a Church while there; National Field Secretary Religious Education, 1914-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. Christian or Disciples of Christ; Address, 2045 N. 5th St., Kansas City, Kansas.

MOSS, RICHARD MAURICE—Executive Sec. Urban League.

b. Oct. 25, 1897, Danville, Va.; s. William and Phoebe (Davis) Moss; m. Winnifred Williams, May 16, 1924; two children, Richard Maurice, Jr., b. Aug. 23, 1925; Beverly Virginia, b. June 25, 1927; educ. Manuel High School, Brooklyn, N. Y., 1916; A.B., Columbia Univ., New York City, 1919; New York Sch. of Social Work, 1920; Director, Frederick Douglass Community Centre, Toledo, O., 1920-24; Special Asst., Dept. of Research and Investigation, National Urban League, 1924; Executive Sec., Urban League, Baltimore, Md., 1925; Executive Sec., Urban League, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1930-present; mem. Executive Committee, National Negro Health Movement; Penn. State Director of Education; Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Vice-Chairman, Community Executives Roundtable; Chairman, Recreation Committee and mem. Executive Board of Hill District Community Council; mem. Executive Committee, Joint Commission on Social Justice; mem. Executive Committee, Citizen's Committee on Public Education; mem. Western Penn. Advisory Committee on Child Welfare; Penn. Conference of Social Work; National Conference of Social Work; Asso. of Negro Social Workers; League for Social Justice; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 806 Wylie Avenue; Residence, 721 Anaheim Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

MOSSELL, NATHAN F.—Physician-Surgeon.

b. July 27, 1856, Hamilton, Canada; s. Aaron and Eliza (Bowers) Mossell; m. Gertrude E. H. Bustill, 1880; two children, Mary C.; Florence A.; educ. A.B., Lincoln Univ., 1879; M.A., 1882; Univ. of Penn., Medicine; M.D., 1882; Post-graduate course at Philadelphia Polyclinic and Guy's, Queens College and St. Thomas Hospitals, London, England; Practice of Medicine and Genito-Urinary Surgery, 1922-present; Founder, Medical Director, and Superintendent, Frederick Douglass Hospital and Training Sch., Phila., Penn.; auth. "Hospital Construction, Organization and Management," a pamphlet; mem. Phila. Chamber of Commerce; Phila. County Med. Society; Nat. Med. Assn.; Pol. Independent; Address, 1432 Lombard St.; Residence, 1725 Bainbridge St., Philadelphia, Pa.

He was a winner of the Bradley Medal for excellency in Natural Science, while a student at Lincoln University. Was No. 1 in second honors at the University of Pennsylvania, at graduation.

After post graduate work in London, he came to Philadelphia where he entered upon the work of his profession. He saw the need of a hospital and a training school and met with other interested persons on June 25, 1895, for the purpose of discussing the advisability of establishing such an institution in Philadelphia.

In August of that year, the Frederick Douglass Memorial Hospital and Training School

was founded and he was chosen Medical Director. A building at 1512 Lombard St., was leased. The State of Pennsylvania appropriated \$6,000 annually.

The new building including a Nurses' Home is valued at \$300,000.

Dr. Mossell has the distinction of being the first colored graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and the first colored member of the Philadelphia County Medical Society.

MONTGOMERY, CHARLES HENRY—College President.

b. July 18, 1887, Shelbyville, Texas; s. Elias and Joanna (Gardner) Montgomery; m. Mary Letitia Steptoe, Sept. 23, 1917; six children, Eulalie Virginia, b. July 2, 1918; Charles Henry, Jr., b. May 18, 1920; Rudolph V., b. April 19, 1922; Lorenzo C., and Loraine D. (twins), b. Aug. 20, 1924; Alphonso C., b. Aug. 26, 1927; educ. B.S., Bishop Coll., 1916; Teacher, La. Collegiate Inst., 1916-17; served in World War, 1918; Teacher, La. Collegiate Inst., 1919; Asst. Prin., Butler Coll., Tyler, Texas, 1920; Pres., La. Collegiate Inst., 1921-present; mem. football team, Bishop Coll., 4 years; Pres., Pierian Soc., a society for the college classes; Pres., Y.M.C.A.; represented Bishop College in the first conference held by the Colleges of Texas; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Phi Beta Sigma; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, La. Collegiate Inst., Shreveport, La.

Considerable progress has been made in the betterment of La. Collegiate Institute since he became President in 1921. Finding the quarters in the city limits of Shreveport too small, it was moved to a location outside of the City to a plot containing 120 acres where a number of new industries are being added, and the Institute now has a property valuation of more than \$60,000.

MONTIER, MRS. AGNES BERRY—Physician.

b. Philadelphia, Pa.; d. John M. and Louisa (Gray) Berry; m. Joseph A. Montier; educ. Girls High Sch.; Philadelphia Normal Sch.; M.D., Temple Univ., Phila., Pa.; Emerson Sch. of Oratory, Boston, Mass.; Physician; Contr. Articles, Pittsburgh Courier; A.N.P.; Pub. Sch. Health Work, Phila.; Med. Examiner for Elks on staff of Douglass Hosp.; mem. Alpha Kappa Alpha; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address 1512 Christian St., Phila., Pa.

MOORE, ANDREW D.—Clergyman.

b. Feb. 29, 1872, Coleraine, N. C.; s. David and Clara (Norris) Moore; m. Lottie Gettlen, Aug. 4, 1898; educ. Windsor Academy, Windsor, N. C.; Roanoke Inst., Elizabeth, N. C.; B.Th., 1914; D.D. (Honorary), Seguin Coll., Texas, 1916; Pastored in N. Carolina, Virginia, New Jersey; Pastor, Union Baptist Church, 1923-present; Address, 1086 E. Grand St., Elizabeth, N. J.

MOORE, BLAKE E.—High School Principal-Clergyman.

b. Dec. 26, 1888, Everette, N. C.; s. Rev. William

R. and Ora (Slade) Moore; educ. Bordentown Manual Training Sch., 1906-09; Wilberforce Univ., High Sch., Wilberforce, Ohio, 1909-14; A.B., Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa., 1915-19; B.D., Oberlin Coll., Sch. of Theology, 1919-22; Dean, Theological Dept., Western Baptist Coll., Kansas City, Mo., 1923-25; Director, High Sch. Dept., Parmelee Training Sch., Parmelee, N. C., 1925-27; Instructor, Summer Sch., State Normal Sch., Elizabeth City, N. C., 1925; Vice-Principal and Registrar, Kansas Vocational Sch., Topeka, Kans., 1927-30; Principal, Fred Douglass Sch., Columbia, Mo., 1930-present; Special Work in Education, Washburn Coll., Topeka, Kans.; men. Kappa Alpha Psi; K. of P.; Masons; Advisory Committee, Parent-Teachers' Assn., Columbia, Mo.; National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; Missouri State Teachers' Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 405 Park Ave., Columbia, Mo.

MOORE, EDWARD LOUIS—Lawyer.

b. April 17, 1884, Caddo Parish, La.; s. Noah and Lucy Anne (Washington) Moore; m. Bessie Beatrice Tharps, October 26, 1925; educ. Wendell Phillips High Sch., Chicago, Ill.; D. C.O., Illinois Coll. of Chiropody, Chicago, Ill., 1915; A.B., Oskaloosa Coll., Oskaloosa, Iowa, 1919; LL.B., Detroit Coll. of Law, 1923; LL.B., Indiana Law Sch., University of Indianapolis, 1928; Lawyer, 1923-present; Pres., Organizer and Chief Counsel, Community Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Indiana; Chief Counsel, Independent National Funeral Directors' Assn., Inc.; Teacher, English and Oratory, Nansemond Normal and Collegiate Inst., Suffolk, Va.; ex-Editor, Indianapolis Tribune; ex-Asst. Editor, Suffolk News (White) Daily; auth. Chiropodist Therapeutic Manual "of the treatment of the feet"; Wallace McCutcheon, The 16-Year-Old Negro Boy in the Death Cell at Michigan City, Ind., 1927; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 152½ E. Court St.; Residence, 639 W. 29th St., Indianapolis, Ind.

MOORE, FRED R.—Alderman-Editor-Publisher.

b. June 16, 1857; m. Ida Lawrence, 1879; eighteen children; educ. Washington, D. C.; was Messenger to five Secretaries of U. S. Treasury during Grant, Hayes, Arthur, and Cleveland administrations; employee, Western Nat. Bank, Washington, D. C., 1887; purchased Colored American Magazine, 1905; Deputy Collector, Internal Revenue, 2nd Dist., New York, for several months; National Organizer, Nat. Negro Business League, several years; purchased New York Age, 1907; Publisher and Editor of same, 1907-present; member of a number of Fraternal Organizations; mem. Board of Directors, Dunbar National Bank, New York, N. Y., 1929-present; elected Alderman, City of New York, 1928; Address, 230 West 135th St., New York, N. Y.

MOORE, JOHN EDWARD JEFFRESS—School Principal.

b. Richmond, Va.; Abraham Lincoln and Madeline (Lawson) Moore; m. Ada E. Scott; four children, Walter F. G.; Mrs. Myrtle B. Saunders;

Ada E. T.; J. E. J., Jr., (deceased); educ. Richmond High and Nor. Sch., hon. grad. and Valedictorian; Rochester Coll., Rochester, N. Y.; Columbia Univ., New York City; auth. "Colored America Refined," pub. 1903; Newspaper Columnist 10 years; teacher, elementary schools, King William Co., Va.; teacher private institutions, 7 years; Principal, City Public Sch., Va., 25 years; Principal, High Sch., Disputanta High Sch., 11 years; Organizer and Section Manager, Buena Vista Joint Stock Co., and Buena Vista Mercantile Co., Inc., 10 years; was selected delegate to the Convention which nominated President Harding; traveling representative, hiring agents, McBrady Co., Chicago, Ill., 11 summers; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Court of Calanthe; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 418 Sycamore Ave., Buena Vista, Va.

MOTEN, PIERCE S.—Physician.

b. July 28, 1878, Winchester, Texas; m. Eula Moore, July, 1907; three children, Effie G., b. Jan. 20, 1909; Alice E., b. Dec. 5, 1915; Emmett S., b. Apr. 20, 1917; educ. Tuskegee Inst., 1900; Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1902; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1906; Physician, 1906-present; Gen. Supt., Tuggle Hosp., Birmingham, Ala.; mem. ex-Vice-Pres., Ala. State Med. Dental and Pharm. Assn.; ex-Pres., Birmingham Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; K. of P.; Elks; Am. Woodmen; Grand Med. Director, Court of Calanthe; Relig. Missionary Baptist Ch.; Address 310 N. 18th St.; Residence, 818 S. 17th St., Birmingham, Ala.

MOTLEY, LAURA LOU HILL—Teacher.

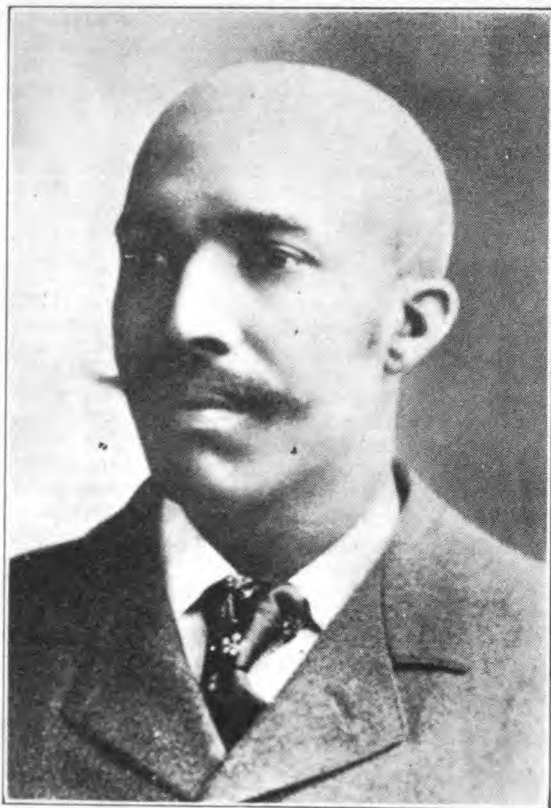
b. Sept. 20, 1884, Washington, Ark.; d. George and Amealie (Lonon) Kimble; m. Walter E. Hill, April 20, 1900; second marriage, William H. Motley, Oct. 27, 1922; four children, Gertrude, b. Aug. 15, 1904; Elihu, b. July 23, 1906; Cozia, b. Oct. 12, 1911; Gloria, b. July 5, 1915; educ. Shover Street Normal Sch., Hope, Ark.; Dallas Normal Sch., Dallas, Tex.; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y.; West Virginia State Coll., Institute, W. Va.; Bluefield Coll., Bluefield, W. Va.; Orr High Sch., Texarkana, Ark.; Teacher, Orr High Sch., Texarkana, Ark., 20 years; Principal, Jean St. Sch., Coalwood, W. Va., 1922-present; mem. State Teachers' Assn.; W. Va. and National Teachers' Assn.; Auxiliary of Luther Patterson Post No. 36, Kimball, W. Va.; N.A.A.C.P.; Sisters of the Mysterious Ten; Daughters of the Tabernacle; Independent Order of Calanthe, No. 285, Pythian Pride; Royal Circle Friends of the World No. 25; Pol. Republican; Relig. Catholic; Address, 835 Laurel St., E., Texarkana, Ark.

MOTON, ROBERT RUSSA—Principal Tuskegee Institute.

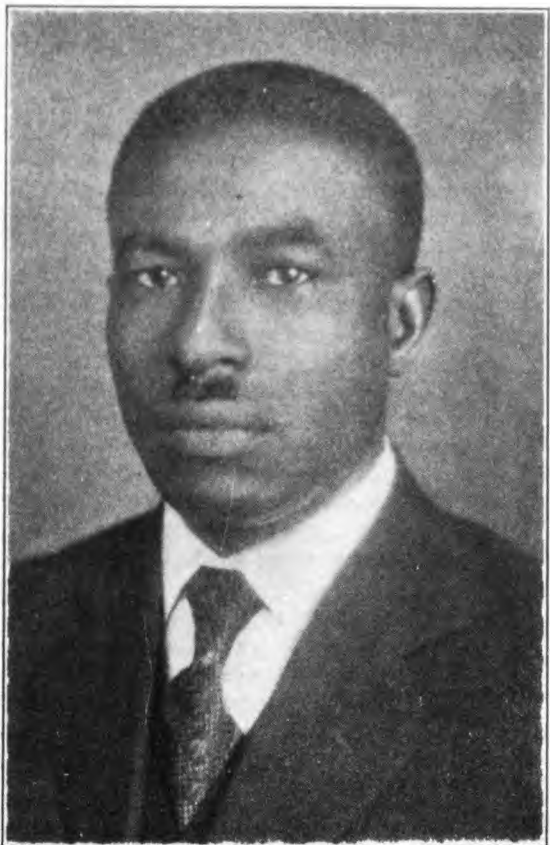
b. Aug. 26, 1867, Rice, Prince Edward Co., Va.; s. Booker and Emily (Brown) Moton; m. Elizabeth Hunt Harris, June 7, 1905 (deceased Aug., 1906); second marriage, Jennie Dee Booth, July 1, 1908; five children, Katherine; Charlotte; Robert; Allen; Jennie; educ. Hampton Inst., Va., 1890; LL.D., Va. Union U.; Wilberforce; Oberlin, 1916; Williams, 1920; Howard, 1930; Litt.D., Lincoln Univ., Penn., 1920; A.M., Harvard, 1929; Officer Hampton Inst., 1890-1915; suc. Booker T. Washington as Prin., Tuskegee Inst., Dec. 20, 1915; Sec., Negro Rural School Fund Board, since 1908; Organizer and First President. Vir-



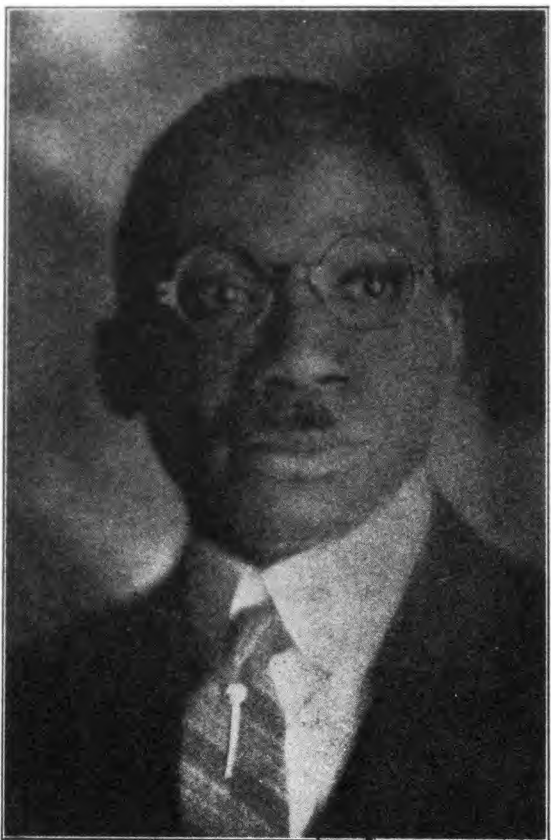
PETER MARSHALL MURRAY, A.B., M.D.



NATHAN F. MOSSELL, M.D.



ISAIAH M. A. MYERS, B.S.



JAMES CHRISTOPHER MORGAN, D.D.S.

ginia Organization Society, 1912-16; Trustee, Fisk University, Nashville, Tennessee; Director, American Bible Society, 1921; Commandant, Hampton Institute, 24 years; Trustee, People's Village Sch. (Mt. Meigs, Ala.); Industrial Home Sch. for Colored Girls (Peake, Va.); Negro Reform School for Boys (Hanover, Va.); Vice-Chairman, Nat. League on Urban Conditions Among Negroes; President, National Negro Business League since 1919; Chairman, Colored Advisory Commission, Mississippi Floods, 1927; Chairman, Commission on Education in Haiti, 1930; Chairman, Campaign Committee, Commission on Interracial cooperation, 1930; Director, Dunbar National Bank, N. Y. City; Chairman, U. S. Commission on Education in Haiti; Pres., Tuskegee Institute Savings Bank; Recipient, Harmon Award for contribution to better race relations, 1930; Spingarn Medal, 1932; auth. "Racial Good Will," 1916; "Finding A Way Out" (autobiography), 1920; "What the Negro Thinks," 1929; contr. to magazines; Pol. Independent Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Tuskegee Institute, Alabama.

Dr. Robert Russa Moton graduated from Hampton Normal & Agricultural Institute, Hampton, Va., in 1890. He finished post graduate work in 1895. He was Commandant of Cadets at Hampton Institute with rank of Major from 1890 until his appointment as Principal of Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute in 1915. He succeeded Dr. Booker T. Washington, the Founder of Tuskegee, who died in 1915.

Tuskegee Institute was founded in 1881. Two old buildings and thirty pupils started the career of this Institution. In 1928 it had grown to more than 2,500 acres of land, 120 buildings valued at \$2,201,536, employed more than 250 teachers and officers. Its student enrollment was over 1711. Its endowment fund more than \$5,000,000.

The Mechanical Industrial department for boys is composed of forty trades. The plant consists of five large fireproof buildings.

The Women's Industries consists of a number of courses. It offers training to those women who wish to become Domestic Science and Art Teachers.

The Agricultural department covers 2,000 acres of land; the courses train young men to be Farm Demonstrators, Teachers of Agriculture and Scientific Farmers.

In addition to these there are other Vocational courses.

Dr. Moton is also President of the National Negro Business League. In 1924 he was instrumental in organizing the National Negro Finance Corporation of which he is President. Headquarters are at Durham, North Carolina.

Died, May 31, 1940.

MURPHY, CARL—Pres. Publishing Corporation. b. Jan. 17, 1889, Baltimore, Md.; s. John and Martha E. Murphy; m. Vashti Turley, 1916; five children, Martha Elizabeth, b. Mar. 11, 1917; Ida Ann, b. Sept. 20, 1918; Carlita, b. Jan. 9, 1921; Vashti Turley Murphy II, b. Jan. 9, 1921; Frances Louise, b. Oct. 8, 1922; educ. Howard Univ., 1907-11; A.B. (cum laude), Howard Univ., 1911; A.M., Harvard Univ., 1913; Univ. of Jena, Germany, summer, 1913; Instructor of German, Howard Univ., 1913-15; Asst. Professor of German, Howard Univ., 1915-1918; Editor of the Afro American, 1918-present; President of Corporation controlling the Afro-American newspaper published in Baltimore, Philadelphia, Washington and Richmond, mem. Maryland State N. R. A. Commission; mem. Governor's Committee of Unemployment Insurance and Relief Maryland State Commission on Higher Education for Negroes mem. Maryland State Commission on Scholarship for Negroes; Trustee, Morgan State College; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 628 N. Eutaw St.; Residence, 2406 Overland Ave., Morgan Park, Baltimore, Md.

MURRAY, EDWARD WASHINGTON—Physician.

b. Dec. 8, 1879, Sumter, S. C.; s. George Washington and Ella (Reynolds) Murray; m. Louise Rosa Cohen, Mar. 25, 1908 (deceased); one child Louisa Rosa, b. May 17, 1910; second marriage, Thelma L. Stewart, 1925; educ. Biddle Univ., 1898; Meharry Med. Coll., 1900-04; M.D., 1904; Post Graduate Course, Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Hosp., New York, 1921; Physician, 1904-present; Specialist, Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat; mem. Staff, Provident Hosp.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Cooks County Physician Assn.; Norfolk-Portsmouth Med., Dental, and Pharm. Assn.; Shriner; Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Alpha Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 1042 Church St.; Residence, 832 Avenue C., Norfolk, Va.

MURRAY, PETER MARSHALL—Physician-Surgeon.

b. June 9, 1888, Houma, La.; m. Charlotte Wallace, 1917; one child, John Walker, b. 1921; educ. Public Schools, New Orleans; A.B., New Orleans Univ., 1910; M.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1914; Interne, Freedmen's Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1914-15; Asst. to Dean and Professor of Surgery, Howard Univ., Medical Sch., and Freedmen's Hospital, 1918; Medical Inspector, Public Schools, Washington, D. C., 1917-18; Clinical Instructor in Surgery, Howard Univ. Medical Sch., 1915-20; Asst. Surgeon-in-Chief, Freedmen's Hospital, 1918-20; Post Graduate work, Surgery and Gynecology, at New York Post Graduate School and Hospital, Columbia University, New York University; Bellevue Medical School.; Member of Staff, Newark Post Graduate Hospital; Dr. Wade's Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Associate Surgeon, Broad Street Hospital, New York City; Trustee, Howard University; Assistant Medical Director, Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Company, Chicago, Illinois; Member Surgical Staff, Harlem Hospital, New York City, 1925-30; President, North Harlem Medical Soc.,

1930; President, National Medical Association, 1930; auth. "Gastric and Duodenal Ulcer," National Med. Assn. Journal, 1918; "Torsion of Spermatic Cord," 1919; "Uterine Fibroids Complicating Pregnancy," 1926; "Transuterine Insufflation for Determination of Patency of Fallopian Tubes," 1927; "The Rational Management of Pelvic Infections," 1928; "Hospital Provision for the Negro Race; The Proceedings; Congress on Medical Education; Medical Licensure and Hospitals," Chicago, 1930; Hospitals in New York State and Harlem, 1930; Harlem's Health; Hospital Social Service, 1930; Address, 2588 Seventh Ave., New York City, N. Y.

MURRAY, VAN-HORNE—Sunday School Missionary.

b. Feb. 23, 1881, Danville, Kentucky; s. Daniel and Iva V. Murray; m. Minerva Helen Rice; five children, Lina Carter, b. Aug. 21, 1909; Helen Lucille, b. Sept. 28, 1918; Florence Vanetta, b. Feb. 5, 1922; Vivian Eillen, b. June 24, 1924; Edgar Johnston, b. Sept. 16, 1926; educ. Lincoln Univ., 1902-08; A.B., 1905, and S.T.B., 1908, Lincoln Univ.; engaged in Sabbath School Work for the Presbyterian Church in Mississippi, 1913-present; mem. Inter-Racial Committee for District; Masons; Odd Fellows; Woodmen; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, West Point, Miss.

MYERS, GOVAN ANDREW—Physician.

b. Dec. 25, 1895, Louisville, Ky.; s. Thomas Lawrence and Mary Ann (Parker) Myers; m. Charlotte Frances Kennedy, July 25, 1927; one child, Govan Andrew, Jr., b. May 23, 1931; educ. Langston High Sch., Hot Springs, Ark., 1913; A.B., Knoxville Coll., Knoxville, Tenn., 1917; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1923; Interne, Kansas City General Hospital, Kansas City, Mo., 1923-24; Physician, 1924-present; Resident Surgeon, Kansas City General Hospital, Kansas City, Mo., 1924-26; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; N.A.A.C.P.; National Medical Assn.; Academy of Medicine; Ohio State Medical Assn.; City Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 2270 E. 55th St., Residence, 9013 Parmelee Ave., Cleveland, O.

MYERS, ISIAH M. A.—Educator.

b. Calhoun County, S. C.; s. William and Harriet Myers; m. O. C. Logan, Dec. 18, 1906; one child, Ella C., b. June 18, 1908; educ. Rural Schools of South Carolina for seven years; Allen Univ., 1897-1907; B.S., 1907; B.Ped., 1924, Allen Univ.; Principal, Manning High Sch., 1908-1918; Principal, Howard Sch., Columbia, S. C., 1918-present; contr. and corres. for a daily paper, The Columbia State, in South Carolina; mem. Masons; Sec., Grand Lodge, K. of P., jurisdiction of South Carolina, having been elected in 1911; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 1309 Pine St., Columbia, S. C.

NABRIT, JAMES MADISON—Clergyman.

b. Sept. 17, 1877, Atlanta, Ga.; s. J. Clarke and Margaret (Knox Petty) Nabrit; m. Augusta G. West, May 5, 1899; eight children, James M., Jr.; Margaret; Samuel M.; Ann; Gertrude; Henry; Lois; Cecelia A.; educ. Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga.; A.B. and D.D., Va. Seminary; M.A., Morris Coll.; D.D., Chicago Univ.; Clergyman,

1902-present; Pastor, St. James Church, Forsyth, Ga., 1902-07; Bethesda Church, Americus, Ga., 1907-12; Springfield, Augusta, Ga., 1912-21; Pastor, Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Atlanta, Ga., 1921-present; Teacher, Central Coll., 1899-1907; Teacher, Americus Inst., 1907-12; Walker Inst., 1915-20; Supreme Prelate, K. of P.; Chairman of Board, Calanthes; Supreme Representative, Georgia District, K. of P.; Vice-Pres., N.A.A.C.P., Atlanta Branch; Trustee, Morehouse and Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; Gen. Sec., National Baptist Convention, Inc., 1931-present; Pres., Georgia Baptist Convention, 1922-present; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Calanthes; Stars; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 254 Harris St., N.E., Atlanta, Ga.

NABRIT, JAMES MADISON, JR.—Associate

Professor, Law—University Secretary.

b. Sept. 4, 1900, Atlanta, Ga.; s. Rev. J. M. and Gertrude (West) Nabrit; m. Norma Walton, Dec. 30, 1925; one child, James Madison 3rd, eight years old; educ. A.B., Morehouse Coll., 1923; J.D., Northwestern Univ., 1927, with honors, and elected to the Order of the Coif, highest legal scholarship fraternity; Teacher, Leland College, Baker, La., 1925-28; Dean, Arkansas State Coll., Pine Bluff, Ark., 1928-30; Lawyer, Houston, Texas, 1930-36; ex-Vice-Pres., National Association Deans and Registrars in Negro Schols; Assoc. Professor of Law, Howard Univ., 1936-present; Executive Sec. to President, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1938-39; Sec., Howard Univ., Washington, D.C., 1939-present; mem. Texas Bar, United States Supreme Court; National Lawyers' Guild; National Bar Assn.; N. A. A. C. P.; Elks; Omega Psi Phi; New Negro Alliance; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, Howard University; Residence, 654 Girard St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

NALL, CHARLES FISCHER—Physician.

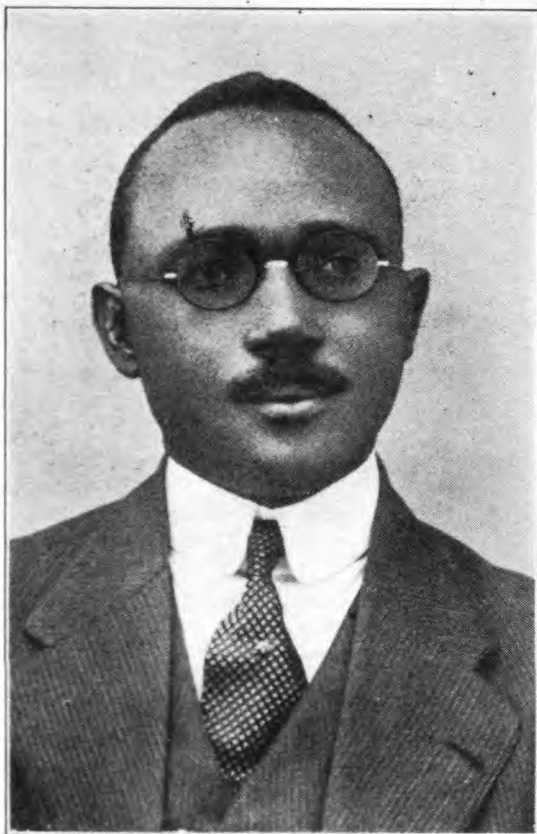
b. Jan. 30, 1892, Fayette, Ala.; s. James T. and Nancy (Hill) Nall; m. Anna Maude Holmes, Sept. 25, 1916; educ. Corona Normal and Industrial Inst., Corona, Ala., 1908; A. and M. College, Normal, Ala., 1910; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1918; Interne, John A. Andrews Memorial Hospital, Tuskegee, Ala., 1918-19; Physician, 1919-present; Deacon, Sixth Avenue Baptist Church, 1926-present; mem. Masons; K. of P.; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; National Medical Assn.; Sec., Alabama State Medical, Dental, and Pharm. Assn., 1928-present; Jefferson Co. Medical Soc.; John A. Andrews Clinical Soc.; Tuskegee Clinical Soc.; A. and M., Tallahassee, Fla., Clinical Soc.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 400 N. 17th St.; Residence, 1032 Charles St., Birmingham, Ala.

NAPPER, CLARENCE TEMPLE—High School Principal.

b. April 9, 1892, Salem, Va.; s. Henry and Bettie (Blaney) Napper; m. Christelle Boyd, Nov. 23, 1921; three children, Paul Brown; Guy Temple; Grafton Blaney; educ. Storer Coll., Harpers Ferry, W. Va., 1913; B.S.; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1917; West Virginia State Coll., 1930; Clerk, United States Treasury, 1917-18; Liaison Officer, United States Army, in France,



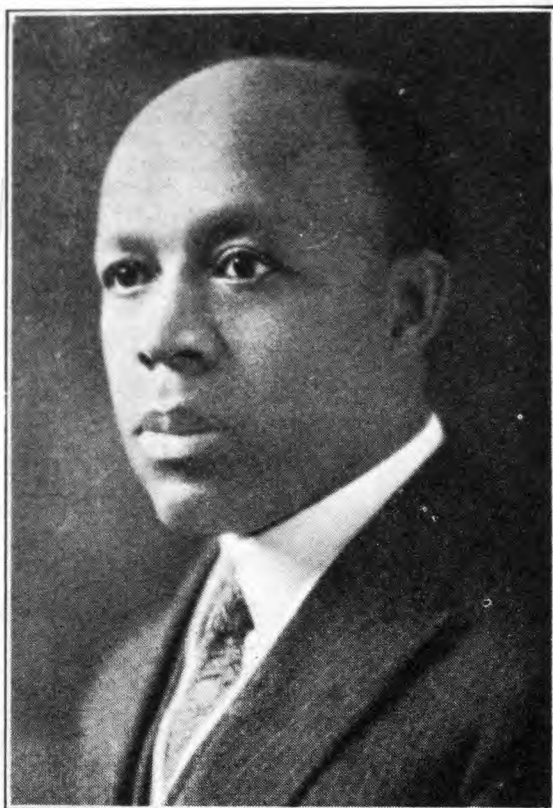
JAMES MADISON NABRIT, A.B., J.D.



T. T. NICHOLS, A.B., M.D.



Daisy Hill Northcross, A.B., M.D.



T. GILLIS NUTTER, LL.B.

1918-19; attended Officers Training Camp, Des Moines, Iowa, 1917; Principal, Public School, Piedmont, W. Va.; 1919-26; Principal, Garrison Junior High Sch., Grafton, W. Va., 1926-present; Pres., Storer Coll. Alumni Assn., 3 years; Vice-Pres., States Teachers Assn. of W. Va.; Deacon, Free Will Baptist Church, Harpers Ferry, W. Va.; mem. Masons; American Legion of West Virginia; Pol. Independent; Relig. Free Will Baptist; Address, Garrison Junior High School, Grafton, W. Va.; Residence, Harpers Ferry, W. Va.

NASH, THEODORE—Insurance Company Official.

b. Sept. 1, 1881, Portsmouth, Va.; s. Americus and Susan (Anderson) Nash; m. Willie M. Stephenson, Aug. 31, 1927; educ. Chestnut St. High Sch., Portsmouth, Va.; Supt., Richmond Beneficial Ins. Co., 20 years; auth. "Love and Vengeance, or Viola's Victory," pub. 1903; Director and Treas., Tidewater Bldg.; mem. K.O.F.; Buffaloes; Address, Tidewater Bldg.; Residence, 215 S. Green St., Portsmouth, Va.

He was a delegate to the National Republican Convention, held in Chicago in 1912 and in 1920. Was a candidate for Lieut. Governor for the State of Virginia.

NASH, W. E.—High School Principal.

b. July 10, 1889, Oral Oaks, Lunenburg Co., Va.; m. Willa Pierson, August 22, educ. Thvne Institute, Chase City, Va., 1905-14; B.S., Knoxville College, Knoxville, Tenn., 1917-21; Tennessee State Coll., Summerwork, 1924, '26, 1930; Univ. of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1933; Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn., 1938; auth. Annual address before the East Tennessee Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools, pub. "Broadcast," official journal Tennessee State Teachers Assn. in Colored Schools, Vol. 2, page 45, Jan., 1930; Teacher, Rural School, Va., 1914-17 Asst. Principal, Athens Acad., Athens, Tenn., 1921-25 Principal, J. L. Cook High Sch., Athens, Tenn., 1926 present; Asst. Sec.; Secretary; Vice-Pres., and Pres. East Tenn. Colored Teachers Assn.; 14 years; mem. Executive Committee and Vice-Pres., State Teachers Assn.; Delegate, Tennessee, to National Teachers Assn. in Colored Schools; Instructor, A. and I. State Coll., Nashville, Tenn., two Summers; mem. Executive Committee, Interracial League; mem. Past Master, Masons; Chaplain, Alpha Mu Lambda Chapter, Knoxville, Tenn.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Honorary Mem. Athens City Sch. Board; Pol. Progressive Republican; Relig. United Presbyterian. Ruling Elder, Address, 5 Cleveland Ave.; Residence, Athens, Tenn.

Under his administration as Principal of the J. L. Cook High School this school was increased from five teachers and only nine grades and 150 students to a State accredited Senior High School, 10 teachers and 370 students. The building is a modern 12 room brick with the latest equipment throughout. Also a manual arts building well equipped for the teaching of the manual arts, and two dwelling houses one for boys and one for girls who live off the Bus Route to live in and attend school

NEARON, LEO FITZ—Physician.

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cial High School, Cambridge, Md., 1929-present; mem. Masons; Relig. Methodist; Address Cambridge High School, Cambridge, Md.;

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Hour," poems, pub. 1923; Teacher, 1890-present; Pres., Wayman Inst., Herrodsburg, Ky., 1902-11; Principal, Bancker High Sch., 1912-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Tennessee State Interracial Commission; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 436 Penn St., Cynthia, Ky.

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b. Russell County, Ala.; s. George W. and Rachael (Taylor) Newsome; m. Susie E. Knox, Nov. 2, 1892 (deceased); second marriage, Mary Effie Lee, Aug. 4, 1920; six children, William G.; George W.; Mixon L.; Althea E.; Gainetta V.; Vernon L.; educ. D.D., Morris Brown Univ.; LL.D., Payne Univ.; M.A., Shorter Coll.; Clergyman, 1888-present; auth. "My Observations of Five European Countries," Travel and Study, 1921; Organized and was Pres., Safety Banking and Realty Co., Mobile, Ala.; Originator, Nat. Business Fair Project; Member of Gen Missionary Bd. of the A.M.E. Church; Representative of the A.M.E. Church in the Ecumenical Conference, London, England, 1921; F. & A. M.; K. of P.; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 712 W. 15th St., Birmingham, Ala.

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NICHOLS, THEODORE THEOPHILUS—Physician.

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He left his home in British Guiana in 1909 to come to America. He entered Lincoln University and while there was the Gold Medalist in 1909 and 1911. He graduated M.D. (cum laude) from Medico-Chirurgical College.

After a fifteen months' internship at the Kansas City General Hospital, he took a post graduate course at Dalhousie University in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Passed the Board of Nova Scotia examination and received a License, Medicine and Surgery.

He returned home in 1919, and after a short while in Government service, opened an office for general practice of medicine. He is active in Church, Fraternal circles and social uplift work.

NICKENS, SETH—Department Superintendent.

b. July 6, 1882, Selma, O.; s. William and Julia Ann (Ward) Nickens; m. Mary Francis Baldwin, May 26, 1914; educ. Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O.; Civil Engineer; Builder; Real Estate and Mortgages; Inspector, City Engineering Dept., Cleveland, O., 7 years; Supt. Garbage Collection Dept., Cleveland, O., 1930-present; mem. League of Republican Clubs; Glenville Civic Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 2430 Canal Road; Residence, 10727 Greenlawn Ave., Cleveland, O.

The Garbage Collection Department, of which Mr. Nickens was appointed the Superintendent, is one of the major units in the City of Cleveland Public Service Operation. The annual pay roll is in excess of \$600,000, and the equipment valued at more than \$1,000,000.

Since taking charge of this Department in May 16, 1930, the first Colored man being appointed to this important post, he has demonstrated conclusively that he could not only manage such a large undertaking, satisfactorily, but at a large saving to the taxpayers.

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b. Nov. 18, 1899, Wilmington, N. C.; s. John Owen and Jane (Otis) Nixon; educ. Peabody Graded Sch., Wilmington, N. C.; Gregory Nor. & Ind. Inst., Wilmington, N. C.; Studied History of Music and Italian at New York City

Coll., also Technic and Art of use of Technique, Virgil Sch.; two terms at Harlem Conservatory of Music, N. Y.; Printer, 3 years; Letter Carrier, P. O., Wilmington, N. C., 15 years; Teacher, Piano, Voice and Violin, 1910-present; in New York City, 1924-present; mem. Masons; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 206 W. 138th St., New York, N. Y.

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NORRIS, JAMES AUSTIN—Lawyer.

b. Aug. 24, 1893, Chambersburgh, Pa.; s. Frank and Jennie (Napper) Norris; educ. A.B., Lin-

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He was commissioned Lieutenant of Artillery, 351st Field Artillery, serving in France for eight months, and honorably discharged at Camp Dix in 1919.

NORTHCROSS, DAISY HILL—Physician.

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NORTHCROSS, JAMES ALBERT—Physician.

b. Jan. 3, 1890, Hickman, Ky.; s. William Henry and Nora (Jones) Northcross; educ. Trenton High Sch., Trenton, Tenn., 1912; Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1912; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1919; Post Course, Tuberculosis, Municipal Hospital, Chicago, Ill.; Physician, 1919-present; Medical Examiner, Pyramid Insurance Co., 1922-24; Medical Examiner, Bankers Insurance Co., 1922-28; Emergency Staff, Commonwealth Edison Electric Light Co., 1920-25; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; National Medical Assn.; Illinois Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Cook Co. Medical Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, 456 E. 47th St.; Residence, 4327 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

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NURSE, C. T. C.—Physician.

b. Dec. 3, 1879, British Guiana, S. A.; s. George Paris and Sarah (Campbell) Nurse; m. Edith Evans, Aug. 26, 1904; one child, Wilfred Meyer, b. April 18, 1915; educ. Pub. Sch. and Queens Coll., Canada; Queens Univ., Canada, 1904-08; M.D., C.M., Queens Univ., 1908; School Teacher, 1897-1900; Pharmacist, 1901-04; Physician, 1918-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Elks; K. of P.; Phi Beta Sigma; Fides Square Club; Citizens' Republican Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 749 S. 16th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

He graduated with honors from Queens University, being Medalist in Medicine, 1908.

NUTTER, ISAAC HENRY—Lawyer.

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NUTTER, T. GILLIS—Lawyer.

b. June 16, 1876, Princess Anne, Md.; s. William and Emma Nutter; m. Sarah N. Meriweather, Dec. 18, 1920; educ. Howard Univ., 1897-99; LL.B., 1899; Lawyer, 1903-present; Sec. Treas., Mutual Savings and Loan Co.; Pres., Pythian Mutual Investment Assn.; President, local branch, N.A.A.C.P.; Treas., Mattie V. Lee Industrial Home for Colored Girls; Member of Business League; Member of the House of Delegates, 1919-23; Land Clerk, State Auditor's Office for six years; mem. Grand Chancellor of K. of P., West Virginia; Supreme Master of Exchequer, K. of P.; Grand Exalted Ruler of Elks; Masons; Kappa Alpha Psi, Boulé; Pol. Republican; Address, 604½ Kanaha St.; Residence, 304 Elizabeth St., Charleston, W. Va.

During his term of the West Virginia legislature, he was author of a number of bills, one of which lead to the establishing of the West Virginia Colored Insane Asylum, Industrial School for Boys and Industrial Home for Girls. He served on the judiciary committee during his membership in the House of Delegates.

OATNEAL, JOHN T.—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 8, 1868, Franklin County, Va.; s. Thomas and Amy (Edwards) Oatneal; m. Victoria Johnson, April 17, 1898; one adopted son; educ. Va. Normal and Coll. Inst., Petersburg, Va., A.B. 1890; Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1890-93; LL.B. Shaw Univ., 1893; Pension Claim Attorney; Lawyer, 1893-present; mem. City Chamber of Commerce; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Masons; Kappa Gamma Chi; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Address, 114½ Fayette St.; Residence, 619 E. Temple St., Washington, C. H., Ohio.

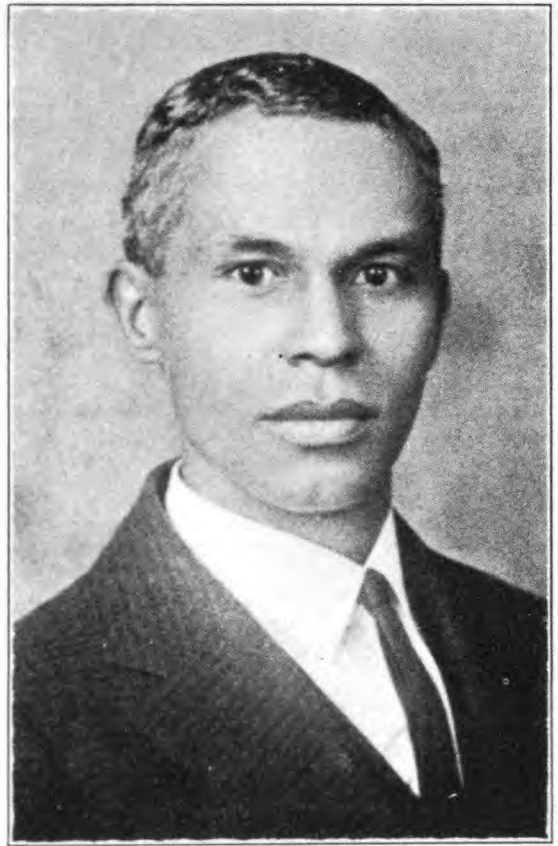
He held the position of Examiner in the United States Pension Bureau at one time.

OFFUTT, L. A.—Clergyman—Professor.

b. Jan. 12, 1879, Logan Co., Ky.; s. William and



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O'KELLY, PHYLLIS ATHEA STANCIL—

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Mrs. Oldfield graduated from Knox Academy, Valedictorian of her class. Later she taught school in Perry County, Alabama, for seven years, and then taught at the Booker T. Washington Industrial School in Chattanooga. This School was fostered by her late husband, J. J. J. Oldfield.

When Mr. Oldfield founded the Chattanooga Defender (a weekly) in 1916, she assisted him in this journalistic venture. After

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She was given a Scholarship by Prof. R. J. McIsaacs, of Geneva College.

OLE, MRS. ROBERTA CREDITT—Beautician.

b. Aug. 14, 1881, Richmond, Va.; d. William and Elizabeth (Gray) Scott; m. Daniel Credit, 1899; four children, Adelaide; Thelma; William; Roberta; educ. Baltimore High Sch., Parker Beauty Sch.; Burnham Beauty Sch.; Wentzel Beauty Sch.; Wilfred Beauty Sch.; Caye (French) Sch.; Beautician, 1904-present; Honorary mem. Nashville Fisk Alumni Club; Nat. Organizer and Instructress for Mme. C. J. Walker Mfg. Co., 1928-32; mem. Neighborhood Club, Chicago, Ill.; 5th Ward Civic Club, Chicago, Ill.; Women's Republican Council, Chicago, Ill.; Past Daughter Ruler, Past Fin. Sec., Martella, Daughter of Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Apex School of Beauty Culture, 47th St. and S. Parkway; Residence, 5822 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.

OLIVER, ALBERT MONROE—Post Office Clerk.

b. Jan. 12, 1881, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; s. James Lafayette and Jennie (Daugherty) Oliver; educ. Lincoln Grammar and High Sch., Cape Girardeau, Mo., graduating 1901; Employee of U. S. Post Office, Cape Girardeau, Mo., 1918-present; mem. Pres., Colored Men's Civic League, 1913-17; Pres., Negro Republican Club, 1908-12; Sec. of Cape Girardeau, N.A.A.C.P., 1918-20; K. of P.; Sec., Steward's Board of A.M.E. Church, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, Box 175; Residence, 515 North St., Cape Girardeau, Mo.

He was appointed a member of the Negro Industrial Commission from the 14th Congressional District, by Governor Sam A. Baker, to serve 1925-28. He is on the Race Relation, Health and Housing committee, and advisor to the Industrial Relation department of the National Urban League.

O'NEAL, EDMUND J.—Training School Prin.

b. 1886, Notasulga, Ala.; s. Reese and Sophronia O'Neal; m. Laura Hazel Barron, 1917; educ. Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1908-09; Snow Hill Inst., 1910-14; Comer's Coll., Boston, Mass., 1916-17; studied at Boston Univ., Harvard Coll., 1918 and summers 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1926, 1928, 1929-1932; B.A., Research Univ., Dist. of Columbia 1930; A.B. Central Univ., Indianapolis, Ind.; Summer Sch. Harvard Univ., 1934-1940; B.S. Teachers Coll., Univ. of Cincinnati; A.M., Same, 1939; summer school instructor at Teachers Coll., Montgomery, Ala., 1923-24; Conductor, Rural School Sectional Meeting in Alabama State Teachers Assn., Ten years; Academic Director, Snow Hill Institute three years; Principal, Montgomery Co., Training School, Waugh, Ala., 1923-present; Treas., Alabama State Teachers Association; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Relig. A. M. E. Zion; Address, Montgomery Co., Training Sch., Waugh, Ala.; Residence, 1400 Broad St., Selma, Ala.

The Montgomery County Training School, of which he is the Principal, was formerly a private institution. It came under the supervi-

sion of the State in 1923 at which time he became the Principal and the school was completely reorganized. It is now considered one of the leading rural high schools in Alabama and the South having an enrollment of over 400 pupils and 11 teachers. It has an accredited full four-year course of study.

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OSBY, WILLIAM CARL—Hospital Manager.

b. Dec. 1, 1873, Shipman, Ill.; s. Dennis and Susan (Morris) Osby; m. Mary L. Smith, June 25, 1903; one child, William Chester, b. Sept. 1, 1914; educ. Hill's Grove High Sch., Shipman, Ill., 1896; International Correspondence Sch., Scranton, Pa., 1900; Gen. Mgr., Dunbar Hosp., Detroit, Mich., 1918-present; Chief Engineer, Lenox, Madison and Lincoln Hotels, Detroit, Mich., 1902-present; Pres., Detroit Branch, N.A.A.C.P., 1911-16; Director, and one of Founders, Urban League, 1915-present; Trustee and Sec., Second Baptist Church, 1904-present; Chairman, Advisory Council, Central Community Center, 1932-present; Director, Great Lakes Mutual Insurance Co., 1927-present; Vice Pres., Citizens Civic League; mem. Michigan Conference of Social Work; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 230 Madison Ave.; Residence, 3437 Pennsylvania Ave., Detroit, Mich.

OTTLEY, JEROME P.—Real Estate Broker.

b. May 12, 1882, Grenada, B.W.I.; s. George W. and Elizabeth (Payne) Ottley; m. Beatrice Maud Brisbane, Oct. 9, 1904; two children, Vincent L., b. Aug. 2, 1906; Jerome P., Jr., b. Oct. 7, 1907; educ. Pub. Sch., Grenada, B.W.I.; Pub. High Sch., New York, N. Y.; Came to New York City in 1904 worked in various places; Real Estate Broker and Ins. Representative, 1916; Pres., Elks, Imperial Lodge, No. 127, New York City, 1923-present; Charter member, Director and Chairman, House Committee, Assn. of Trade and Commerce, 1926-28; County Committeeman, Republican Organization; member, Nat. Negro Business League, N. Y. Br.; 4th Vice Pres. and Director, The Acme Mutual Taxpayers Liability Insurance Co., Inc.; mem. Elks (Ch. of Bd.); Dir., Civic League; Manhattan Club, 21st Assembly District; Foresters, Gardeners, St. Luke, St. Johns, Moose, Winward Island Progressive League; Grenada Mutual and Beneficial Society; Pol. Republican; Relig. Catholic; Address., 2309 Seventh Ave.; Residence, 239 West 138th St., New York, N. Y.

OUTLAW, ELLIS SIMMONS—Lawyer.

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OVERTON, ANTHONY—Banker-Manufacturer.

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b. Feb. 8, 1891, Clarksville, Tenn.; s. Daniel H. and Katie (Dix) Overton; m. Valeria Annie Batson, Dec. 17, 1911; one child, Harold, b. August 31, 1912; educ. Tuskegee Institute, 1908; State Nor. Sch., Ala., 1909; State Nor. Sch., Nashville, 1916; Univ. of Cincinnati, 1920; Executive Sec., Y.M.C.A., Cincinnati, O., 1920-

40 Executive Sec., Y.M.C.A., Wilmington, Del., 1940-present; Contr. Articles to Opportunity and other Magazines; Teacher. Clarksville High School 3 years; Sec. Cincinnati Bureau for Colored Children; Pres. Bulletin Publishing Co., Publishers of Cincinnati Bulletin; Director, Industrial Savings & Loan Co.; Director, Negro Welfare Assn.; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; K. of P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 10th and Walnut St., Wilmington, Del

OWEN, JAMES ALEXANDER—Physician.

b. Sept. 6, 1891, Natchez, Miss.; s. Samuel Henry Clay and Sarah Josephine (Mazique) Owen; m. Marie E. Thomas, July 30, 1921; educ. A.B., Natchez Coll., Natchez, Miss., 1912; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1916; Interne, Kansas City Gen. Hosp., Kansas City, Mo., 1917; Physician, 1917-present; Capt., Med. Corp., United States Army, serving in France 9 months; Democratic Committeeman, 18th Ward, Cleveland, O., 1932-present; mem. Democratic County Executive Committee, Cuyahoga Co., 1932-present; State Director, Democratic National Campaign, 1928; Second Vice Pres., Nat. Med. Assn.; mem. Masons; Elks; Kappa Alpha Psi; N. A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Y.M.C.A.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Cleveland Med. Assn.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 296 Elliot Ave., Detroit, Mich.

OWENS, JESSE—Olympic Winner.

s. Mr and Mrs. Cleveland Owens; m. Ruth Owens; educ. Public Sch., Cleveland, O.; Univ. of Ohio, Columbus, O.; Athlete, fastest runner in the World; winner, Olympic 100 meter race, Berlin, Ger. 10.3 sec., equaling world and Olympic record; winner, 200 meter race, Olympic, 20.7 sec., breaking World and Olympic Record of 21.2 set by Eddie Tolan; winner Broad Jump, 26 ft. 5 21/64 inches, breaking Olympic record of 25 ft. 4 1/4 in.; winner with Ralph Metcalfe, of Wisconsin Univ., 400 meter relay; Address Cleveland, O.

OWENS, THOMAS EDWARD—Teacher.

b. June 7, 1871, Baltimore, Md.; s. Richard W. and Elizabeth (Cook) Owens; m. Carrie C. Smith, Dec. 23, 1911; educ. St. Mary's Orphan Sch., Baltimore, Md.; Inst. for Colored Youth, Phila., Pa., 1888-89; Howard University., 1889-93; Brown Univ., 1893-97; B.A., 1897; Gen. Sec., Y.M.I., Asheville, N. C., 1897-1900; Teacher. Algebra, History and Latin, St. Paul's Normal and Industrial Sch., Lawrenceville, Va., 1900-01; Teacher, Mathematics and Physics, Bordentown, N. and I. Inst., Bordentown, N. J.; Teacher, Mathematics, Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1903-present; mem. 20th Century, Adelphi Club; Address, Tuskegee Institute, Ala.

He has devoted twenty-six years of his life to teaching at Tuskegee Institute.

OXLEY, EDMUND HARRISON—Clergyman.

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present; ordained Deacon, Episcopal Church, 1906; Priest, 1907; held Charges in Maryland, Diocese of Washington, 1909-12; Rector, St. Augustine's Church, Harrisburg, Pa.; Rector, St. Barnabas Church, Altoona, Pa.; Rector, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1912-present; mem. Bd. of Directors, Juvenile Protective Assn. of Cincinnati; Negro Civic Welfare Assn. of the Council of Social Agencies; Trustee, Evangeline Home for Colored Girls; Chairman of the campaigns for the Howard University Medical Endowment and School of Religion Extension and Building Funds; Cincinnati Clericus (Ministers of the Episcopal Church); Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons (32°); Address, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Cincinnati, Ohio.

He was the winner of Hebrew Prize and the Alpha Phi Alpha Prize Debate in Oratory, at Howard University in 1906.

Was the winner of the Billings Prize in Elocution and Pulpit Delivery at Harvard University, in 1909.

In his work as Rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, he has been instrumental in aiding the work of a nursery giving daytime care to the children of working mothers, and the St. Andrew's Branch of the Cincinnati Settlement School of Music.

The day nursery is one of the agencies of the Community Chest and participates in the benefits of the annual Community Chest drives.

OXLEY, LAWRENCE AUGUSTUS—Social Worker.

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OXLEY, THOMAS L. G.—Author.

s. Alberto L. and Dolores Oxley; educ. St. George's College, 1917-20; Osteopathic Physician, 1924-26; F.R.S.P. (Friend of the Royal Society of Poetry); Founder and President of the Colored Poetic League of the World; engaged in research work of Negro Literature in

Foreign countries; Editor of the Poet's Journal, a publication of the Colored Poetic League of the World; auth. "Poems by American Negroes, 1753-1926"; "Poems by Foreign Negroes"; Relig. Freethinker; Address, 179 Northampton St., Boston, Mass.

PACE, ARTHUR HARRY—Clergyman.

b. Dec. 8, 1885, Hiawatha, Kansas; s. John and Elizabeth (Taylor) Pace; m. Ruth V. Smallwood, Jan. 28, 1920; three children, Harriet Elizabeth, b. Jan. 7, 1921; Evelyn Henrietta, b. April 25, 1922; Miriam Eloise, b. March 5, 1924; educ. Country Sch., Nicodemus, Kansas; Kansas Indus. and Educ. Inst., Topeka, Kansas, 1915; Howard Univ., Sch. of Religion, 1915-18; B.D., 1918; Teacher; Y.M.C.A. Secretary; Pastor, served as Chaplain, House of Legislature, Wisconsin; Supt., Advisory Council, Detroit Baptist Union, 1924-31; Pastor, First Baptist Ch., Hamtramck, Mich., 1931-present; First Lieut., Chaplain's Reserve Corp., 1931-present; Address, 11799 Dequindre St., Hamtramck, Mich.

The Advisory Council of the Detroit Baptist Union is an interracial group composed of men of both races.

The object of the organization is to strengthen the church life of the colored people coming to Detroit. Rev. Pace is Superintendent of the Advisory Council, the department of Negro Work of the Detroit Baptist Union.

PACE, HARRY H.—Insurance Company President—Lawyer.

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PAEY, ANDREW LYMAN—Physician.

b. Oct. 20, 1874, Lexington, Ky.; s. Alexander and Ellen (Smith) Paey; m. Ida Bell Nugent, June 30, 1908; educ. Chandler Normal, Lexington, Ky., 1892; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1905; Physician, 1905-present; Teacher, Forks of Elkhorn, Ky., 2 years; Prin., Patterson St. Pub. Sch., Lexington, Ky.; was Asst. to Prof. of Histology and Bacteriology, Meharry Med. Coll., 1901-05; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Tidewater Med. Soc.; Old Dominion Med. Soc. and Physician Club; I.B.P.O.E. of W.; Aolean Club; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1036 Church St.; Residence, 1626 Church St., Norfolk, Va.

PAIGE, MYLES ANDERSON—Lawyer—Magistrate

b. Montgomery, Ala.; educ. Pub. and High Sch., Montgomery, Ala.; State Normal Sch., Ala., 1917; Fisk Univ.; Howard Univ., 1919-21; A.B., 1921; Graduate work, Columbia Univ.; Lawyer, 1924-present; Asst. Attorney General of N. Y. State, assigned to Labor Bureau, 1929-31; Magistrate, New York City, N. Y. 1913-present; mem. New York County Lawyers' Assn.; Lawyers Conference; Sec., Citizens' Welfare Council of New York; Sec., Citizens' Forum; Sec., Howard Univ. Alumni Assn. of New York; Vice Pres., Alpha Phi Alpha; Past-Commander, American Legion, Col. Chas. Young Post; Fisk Club of New York; Southern Beneficial League, Inc.;

Clubmen's Beneficial League; Sixty-six Non-pariel Americans; Knights of Columbus; Laymen's Union of New York; Manhattan Welfare Assn.; Intercollegiate Assn.; Pres., Interfraternity Council; Holy Name Society; Elks; Imperial Lodge, No. 127; Address, 474 McDonough St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

PAIGE, RICHARD G. L.—Lawyer.

b. May 16, 1885, Berkeley, Norfolk, Va.; s. (Atty.) R. G. L. and Lillie A. (Ruffin) Paige; m. Lillian M. Land, June 26, 1910; five children, Joycelyn W.; Richard G. L., Jr.; Kensvil Karmann; Dutrelle L.; Gwendel B.; educ. Hampton Normal and Ind. Inst., 1901-04; LL.B., Howard Univ., 1908; Lawyer, 1908-present; mem. Nat. Bar Assn.; Sec., Twin City Bar Assn.; Masons; Elks; Beavers; Pol. Independent; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 1008 Church St.; Residence, 1296 Bolton St., Norfolk, Va.

PAIR, CLARENCE QUINTON—Physician.

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PANNELL, M. NORVEL—Physician.

b. June 6, 1878, Danville, Va.; s. Preston and Louisa (Banks) Pannell; m. Earle Laurice Aurilia, May 28, 1924; educ. B.A., Lincoln Univ., 1900; M.D., College Physicians and Surgeons, Boston, 1906; Physician, 1908-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Phila. County Med. Soc.; State Med. Soc.; Academy of Medicine and Allied Sciences; Clinical Pathological Soc.; Masons (32°); K. of P.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1921 Dickerson St., Philadelphia, Pa.

PARKER, J. B.—Physician.

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PARKER, MARECHAL NATHANIEL—Court Clerk.

b. Oct. 2, 1896, Lake Village, Ark.; s. John A. and Frances (Alexander) Parker; m. Juanita Emanuel, Dec. 30, 1930; educ. Branch Normal Coll., Pine Bluff, Ark.; Pharm.D., Detroit Coll. of Pharmacy, Detroit, Mich., 1922; Detroit Coll. of Law; Detroit City Coll.; Founder and Editor, Owl, Detroit, Mich., 1928-present; Sergt., Artillery, United States Army, during World War,

serving in France 13 months; mem. Elks; Booker T. Washington Club; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Wayne Co. Building; Residence, 4002 Stockton St., Detroit, Mich.

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b. March 25, 1897, New London, N. C.; s. John and Darah (Melchor) Parker; m. Emilie M. Bird-sall, Aug. 26, 1930; two children, Evonne N., b. Aug. 7, 1931; Johnsie M., b. Dec. 2, 1934; educ. Public Schools, New London and Salisbury, N. C., A.B., Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1927; Ph.B., Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill., 1928; A.M., Columbia Univ., New York City, 1930; Advanced Study, Univ. of Chicago, 1934-35, and Ohio State Univ., Columbus, Ohio, 1940-41; auth. "Benjamin Brawley," *Crisis*, May, 1939; "Perspective for the Negro Teacher," *Outlook*, 1939; "The Place of the Gifted Student on the Negro College Campus," *The Quarterly Review of High Education Among Negroes*, 1940; "Current Debate Practices in Thirty Negro Colleges," *Journal of Negro Education*, 1940; "Problems Incident to the Higher education of Negroes," *Journal of Negro Education*, 1940; Prof. of English, Arkansas State Coll., Pine Bluff, Ark., 1930-31; Asst. Prof. of English, Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala., 1931-32; Dean of Administration, Arkansas State Coll., 1932-present; Sergeant, United States Army, 1918; mem. Omega Phi Psi Fraternity; National Assn Collegiate Deans and Registrars in Negro Schools; Assn of Language Teachers in Negro Colleges; Arkansas State Teachers Assn; American Teachers Assn; National Education Assn; American Assn School Administrators; National Council Teachers of English; mem. Executive Committee, National Assn Collegiate Deans and Registrars, 1938-40; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, Arkansas State College, Pine Bluff, Ark.

PARKER, THOMAS OLIVER—Insurance President.

b. April 11, 1886, Franklin, Va.; s. James H. and Celia (Carr) Parker; m. Bessie M. Page, 1917; educ. Pub. Sch., Norfolk, Va.; Pres., Provident Benefit Assn., Chicago, Ill., 1930-present; Gen. Manager, Canteen and Mess Hall, U. S. Army, Craddock, Va., 1918-19; Retail Grocer, Portsmouth, Va., 1917; Confectionery, Portsmouth, Va., 1925; Broker, Oysters, Norfolk, Va., 1909-16; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Sunset Hills Country Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address 304 E. 51st St., Chicago, Ill.

The Provident Benefit Assn. was Chartered by the State of Illinois, under the Insurance Laws, in the year 1927, and now has actual business in force of \$500,000.

PARKER, WALTER WILFRED—Lawyer.

b. June 2, 1884, Bahama Island, B.W.I.; s. Samuel and Sophia (Wilkinson) Parker; m. Ophelia E. Heath, June 1, 1927; educ. Pub. Sch., B.W.I.; Fla. Nor. & Ind. Inst., Jacksonville, Fla.; Chicago Law School, 1914-18; General Manager, Union Mutual Ins. Co., 1919-22; Pres., and Mgr., Citizens Industrial Insurance Co., 1922-present; Lawyer, 1920-present; mem. Odd Fellows, K. of P.; Masons; Elks; Good Samaritans; Woodmen of Union; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist;

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He came to Jacksonville, Fla., from the British West Indies in 1908 and upon graduating from the Florida Baptist College he began work as an insurance agent, took a law course with the Chicago Law School, graduated in 1918 and was admitted to the Florida Bar in October, 1920.

After serving in the capacity of General Manager of the Union Mutual Insurance Company for three years, he organized and founded the Citizens Industrial Insurance Company in February, 1922, becoming its President and Manager and has held that position since. This Company operates throughout the state of Florida and employs more than 150 persons.

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PARRISH, R. GOODWIN—High School Principal.

b. June 1, 1894, Calvert, Texas; s. Western and Julia (Harris) Parrish; m. Myrtle M. Woods, June 9, 1925; two children, Carl Goodwin, b. Jan. 8, 1927; Reta Talitha, b. March 9, 1928; educ. Cheatham High Sch., Clarksville, Tex.; Central Texas Coll., Academy Course, 1909-12; A.B., Central Texas Coll., 1920; Agricultural and Normal Univ., Langston, Okla., 1922; Univ. of Chicago, Summer Course, Chicago, Ill., 1923; Teacher, Mathematics and Science, Lincoln High Sch., 1922-25; Principal, Lincoln High School, Chickasha, Okla., 1925-present; served overseas with A.E.F. during the World War, conducting an opportunity school for soldiers unable to read at Chibres, France; Pres., Oklahoma Assn. of Negro Teachers; Founder, Spartan Club; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Oklahoma Assn. of Negro Principals; Community Welfare Club; Masons; K. of P.; Pol. Independent Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1328 Shepard St., Chickasha, Okla.

PATRICK, CLIFTON C. HARDNETT—Clergyman-School Principal.

b. Aug. 13, 1894, Leachapoka, Macon County, Ala.; s. Robert R. and Willie E. (Hardnett) Patrick; educ. Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga.; Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala.; A.B., Univ. of Colorado, Boulder, Col.; Principal, Chectaw Co. Training Sch., Lisman, Ala.; Pastor, First Baptist Church, Lisman, Ala.; Vice Moderator, The Gilfield Baptist Assn.; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Chectaw Co. Training School, Lisman, Ala.

PATTERSON, ADAM EDWARD—Lawyer.

b. Dec. 23, 1880, Walthall, Miss.; s. Zachariah and Catherine (Archer) Taylor; m. Nellie Maye Allen, Aug. 18, 1897; educ. Kansas State Univ., LL.B., 1900; Lawyer, 1900-present; Contr. Article, "The Possibilities of the American Negro," 1904; Asst. Corporation Counsel, Chicago, 1923-24; mem. Bd. of Request for Oklahoma State Inst., Taft; Appomattox Club; Kappa Alpha Psi; Elks; Pol. Democrat; Address, 417 E. 47th St.; Residence, 4528 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

Was commissioned Capt., Ft. Des Moines, Iowa, September, 1917. Served with A.E.F. in France. Commissioned while in France, Major and was Judge Advocate of the 92nd Division. Was the only colored man in the World War commissioned in the legal department of the army.

Was member of Board of Regents for an Oklahoma State Institution located at Taft, and was commissioned by Governor Chas. N. Haskell of Okla., a delegate to two Educational Conferences.

PATTERSON, FREDERICK DOUGLAS—Institute President.

b. Oct. 10, 1901, Washington, D. C.; s. William Ross and Mamie Lucille (Brooks) Patterson; m. Catherine Elizabeth Moton, June 12, 1935; educ. Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View, Tex., 1915-19; D.V.M., Iowa State Coll., Ames, Iowa, 1923; M.S., Iowa State Coll., 1927; Ph.D., Cornell Univ. Ithaca, N. Y., 1923; Instructor, Veterinary Sc., Virginia State Coll., Petersburg, Va., 1923-26; Director of Agriculture, Virginia State Coll., 1927-28; Head, Veterinary Division, Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Ala., 1928-33; Director, School of Agriculture, Tuskegee Inst., 1933-35; Pres., Tuskegee Inst., 1935-present; mem. Iowa Chapter, Veterinary Med. Soc.; National Honor Soc. of Phi Kappa Phi; John A. Andrew Clinical Soc.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Athenium Club, Tuskegee; mem. Presidents' Advisory Committee on Cotton Tenancy; Planning Committee, Children in the Democracy; Trustee, Calhoun Sch., Fisk Univ., Hampton Inst., Washington A. and I. Ind Inst., Liberia, Bethune-Cookman Coll. Relig. Methodist; Address, Tuskegee Institute, Ala.

PATTERSON, JAMES PERRY—Physician.

s. James P. and Anna Eliza (Sams) Patterson; m. Eloise Clark Martin, July 3, 1909; educ. Cookman Inst., Jacksonville, Fla.; Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn.; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., 1907; Physician, 1907-present; Asst. City Physician, Jacksonville, 1928; ex-Pres., Jacksonville Med., Dent. and Pharm. Assn.; Medical Examiner for several fraternal societies; ex-Asst. Surgeon, General Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias; Medical School Inspector, Jacksonville, Fla.; Sec., Endowment Bureau, K. of P., Jurisdiction of Florida; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Elks; American Woodmen; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church; Address, 425 Broad St., Jacksonville, Fla.

PATTON, GEORGE ANDREW—Physician.

b. June 3, 1888, Topeka, Kans.; s. George Andrew and Lillian (Willis) Patton; m. Annie Brandon (deceased), 1914; second marriage, Lillian Woodson Kelly, 1927; one child, Marion Louise, b. Sept. 21, 1916; educ. Topeka High Sch., Topeka, Kans.; Kansas Vocational Sch., Topeka, Kans., 1907; Washburn Coll., Topeka, Kans., 1910; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1918; Physician, 1918-present; Instructor, Public Sch., Watonga, Okla., 3 years; Instructor, State A. and M. Coll., Normal, Ala., 3 years; Asst. Co. Physician, Atchinson Co., 1933-present; Med. Examiner, Missouri Life Ins. Co., 3 years; Physician and Surgeon, Kerford Quarry Co., Atchinson, Kans., 15 years; ex-Sec. and Pres., Kansas State Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; mem. Staff, Atchinson Hospital, 1933-present; Med. Examiner, Masons; Med. Examiner, Sons and Daughters of Bethel; mem. Ma-

sons, 32 degree; Shriner; ex-Pres. N. A. A. C. P.; Atchinson Branch, National Med. Assn.; Atchinson County Med. Soc.; Kappa Alpha Psi; mem. State Speakers Bureau, Republican Party; Trustee, Ebenezer Baptist Church; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 413 Commercial St., Residence, 211 Division St., Atchinson, Kans.

PAYDEN, JOHN ELMORE—High School Principal.

b. July 25, 1901, Moore, S. C.; s. John H. and Susannah (Miller) Payden; educ. B.A., Claflin Univ., Orangeburg, S. C., 1920-29; Pres., Student Council, Claflin Univ., 1927-29; Class Pres., Claflin Univ., 4 years; Principal, Robert Small Graded and Junior High Sch., Cheraw, S. C., 1929-present; mem. Masons; Working Benevolent of S. C.; Phi Beta Sigma; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Robert Small Junior High School, 334 Huger St., Cheraw, S. C.; Residence, Roebuck, S. C.

PAYLOR, MOSES—Clergyman.

b. June 30, 1877, North Carolina; s. Major and Adelaide (Pullin) Paylor; m. Mary Bell Graves, 1896; four children, Malinda, b. 1897; Geo. W., b. 1898; Mary Addie, b. 1905; Albert D., b. 1909; educ. High Sch., White Plains, N. Y.; Polytech. Prep. Coll., Brooklyn, N. Y., 1918; D.D., Clayton Williams Univ., Baltimore, Md., 1923; Pastor, Antioch Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., 1918-present; Pastor, First Baptist Church, Bath Beach, N. Y., 3½ years; Pastor, First Baptist Church, Pleasantville, N. Y., 3½ years; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Elks; Relig. Missionary Baptist; Address, Antioch Baptist Church, 165 Duffield St.; Residence, 159 Gates Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

PAYNE, ARTHUR JEROME—Clergyman.

b. Nov. 27, 1894, Baltimore, Md.; s. James Henry and Maggie (Bonaparte) Payne; m. Elizabeth Welch, June 30, 1920; second marriage, Odell P. Watkins, Oct. 14, 33 one child, Arthur Jerome, Jr., b. May 31, 1931; educ. Douglass High Sch., Baltimore, Md.; Clayton Williams Univ., Baltimore, Md.; Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1916; New York City Coll., New York City, N. Y., 1922; A.B., Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1928; D.D. (Honorary), Va. Union Univ., 1936; A.M., Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., 1939; Clergyman, 1913-present; Pastor, Good Hope Baptist Church, Govans, Md., 1913; Pastor, Union Baptist Church, Elkridge, Md., 1915; Asst. Pastor, Abyssinian Baptist Church, New York City, N. Y., under Rev. A. Clayton Powell, 1920-23; Pastor, Enon Baptist Church, Baltimore, Md., 1923-present; Director, Department Store, Baltimore, Md.; Pres., United Baptist Convention, State of Maryland, 1929-present; Vice Pres., Nat. Baptist Conv., Inc., 1929-present; Trustee, Northern Univ., Long Branch, N. J.; mem. Board of Directors, Mt. Bethel Assn. of Maryland, District of Columbia and Virginia; Federal Council of Churches of America; Baptists World's Alliance; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Welfare Assn; Colored Baltimore Museum of Art; District Chairman, Monumental Area Council, National Boy Scouts of America; National Vocational Guidance Assn; Urban League; 33° Mason; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 709 Dolphin St., Baltimore, Md.



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PAYNE, FITZ-MELVIN CARRINGTON—Physician and Surgeon.

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PEARSON, JOSEPH PRICE—Dean of Institute.

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and Cathryn (Zilpha) Pearson; m. Lillie Mae Harlin, May 20, 1910; one child (former marriage), Alva Jean, b. Oct. 19, 1907; educ. Public School, Tallapoosa County, Ala., and Dadeville, Ala.; State Normal Sch., Montgomery, Ala., 1898-1902; summer sessions, Prairie View Nor. and Indus. Coll., Prairie View, Texas, 1921-22-23-24-26; B.S., Prairie View Nor. and Industrial Coll., 1926; also studied Medicine at Univ. of West Tennessee, 1914-16; taught, pub. sch. of Alabama, 1902-06; Principal, Camp Hill Pub. Sch., Camp Hill, Ala., 1906-09; Prin., LaFayette Dist. Sch., La Fayette, Ala., 1909-10; Asst., Lane Grammar Sch., Birmingham, Ala., 1910-11; Railway Mail Clerk, 1913-14; Prin., Navarro Co. Training School, Kerens, Texas, 1918-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Pilgrinus, Amer. Woodmen; Pol. Republican; Relig. Missionary Baptist; Address, Navarro County Training School, Kerens, Texas; Residence, 711 E. Seventh Ave., Corsicana, Texas.

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ship; Permanent Sec., Treas., Virginia Conference of College Science Teachers; Regional Director (South), National Assn. of College Women; mem. American Assn. for the Advancement of Science; American Assn. of University Professors; American Federation of Teachers; Elite Bridge Club; National Assn. of College Women; National Pi Lambda Theta Fraternity; Virginia Academy of Science; Virginia State Teachers' Assn.; Virginia Research Soc.; Virginia Conference of College Science Teachers; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, Hampton Institute, Hampton, Va.

In May 1939, she appeared on the seventeenth annual program of the Virginia Academy of Science, being the first Colored woman to present a research paper in any program of the Virginia Academy of Science. She was the only Colored person on the program of this particular meeting of the body. Her serious Work in her chosen field gives promise of distinction in a Virgin area for Colored women—the field of Science.

PEELER, A. H.—School Principal.

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b. Marion Co., near Peabody, Kans.; d. Albert C. and Georgia Ann (Hall) Davis; m. Otto O. Pembroke, Oct. 16, 1920; educ. Kansas State Teachers' Coll., Emporia, Kans.; Detroit Teachers' Coll., Detroit, Mich.; Univ. of Nebraska, Lincoln, Neb.; Univ. of Iowa; University of New York, (work toward Doctorate), New York City, N. Y.; B.S., Kansas State Tech. Coll.; M.S., same; auth. "The Reading for Fun Club," *The Oklahoman*, 1934; "Drama as an Interpretation of Life," *Epworth League Quarterly*, 1938; Teacher, Dunford Hill, Okla.; Teacher, Enfaula, Okla.; Teacher, Washington Sch., Tulsa, Okla., 1916-25; Teacher, Roosevelt Annex, Gary, Ind., 1925-27; Teacher, Douglass Sch., Bartlesville, Okla., 1934-35; Head English Dept., Lane Coll., Jackson, Tenn., 1935-present; Vice Pres., Southern Ass'n. of Dramatic and Speech Arts; Charter mem. and Past Epistoulas, Beta Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Pol. Republican; Relig. C. M. E.; Address, Lane College, Jackson, Tenn.; Residence, 109 S. State st., Emporia, Kans.

Her first employment as a teacher was in a school house which was made with

boards one foot wide and standing on end. There had been no school in that locality for ten years. There was nothing to begin with such as books, erasers, crayon, etc., and it was necessary for a patron who owned a horse to ride 18 miles to town to buy the books and supplies.

PENLAND, ELLEDGE RANDOLPH—Lawyer.

b. Sept. 13, 1887, Franklin, N. C.; s. Miles and Sylvia (Martin) Penland; educ. Benedict Coll., 1905-12; Univ. of Wash., 1919-23; LL.B. Univ. of Wash., 1923; m. Doris Marjorie Grose, Oct. 4, 1923; Lawyer, 1923-present; mem. Seattle Chamber of Commerce, Masons, Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 240 Central Bldg., Residence, 114 24th Ave., N. Seattle, Wash.

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PENNINGTON, JAMES WILLIAM—Clergyman.

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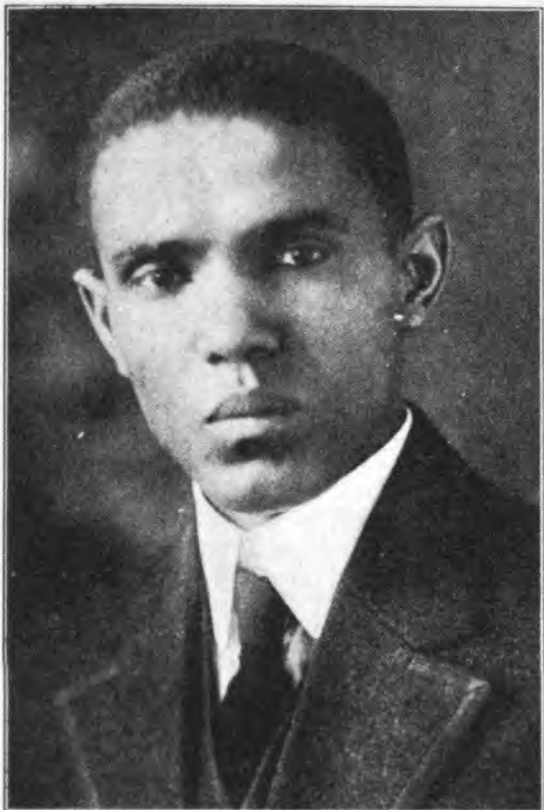


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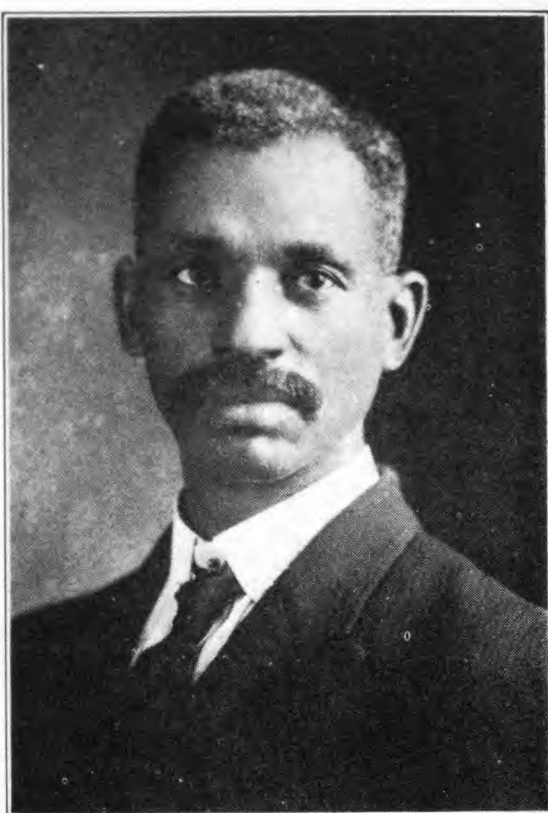
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Jane (Sadler) Perdue; m. Almeta Mary, Feb. 18, 1920; educ. Lincoln High School, Fort Smith, Ark.; Banks Normal College, Pine Bluff, Ark., 1904; Williams Industrial College, Little Rock, Ark., 1906; Ph.C., Meharry Medical College, Nashville, Tenn., 1911; M.D., 1916; Interne, Hubbard Memorial Hospital, Nashville, Tenn., 1917; Physician and Surgeon, 1917-present; Supt., City Hospital, St. Louis, Mo., 1926; Examining Physician, Masons, 1929-present; Dist. Deputy Elks, 1924-27; mem. Masons (33°); Shriner; Elks; K. of P.; A.U.K. and D. of A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Y.M.C.A.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Mound City Forum; Tri-State Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. C.M.E.; Address, 2746a Franklin Ave.; Residence, 4180 Enright Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

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b. Sept. 20, 1864, Island of Boa Vista, Cape Verde, Islands, Republic of Portugal; s. Joaquim Santos and Anna Maria (Fontes) Pereira; educ. self taught; m. Maria Ana Vargas, Jan. 26, 1891; six children, living; Lawyer, practicing in Hawaii; mem. American Collection Service, Detroit, Mich; National Co-operative Realty Ass'n., Washington, D. C.; P. O. Address, Box 211, Wailuku, Maui, Hawaii.

PERKINS, ARCHIE EBENEZER—Supervising School Principal.

b. June 21, 1879, Smithdale, Miss.; s. Mr. and Mrs. J. Perkins; m. Julia Ligon Hutchins, 1909; educ. B.S., Alcorn A. and M. Coll., Alcorn, Miss., 1906; Studied, Harvard Univ., 1913-14; A.M., New Orleans Univ., New Orleans, La., 1925; auth. "Sunday School Plans and Outlines?" religious, New Orleans, La., 1922; "Spirituals from the Far South," 1923; "Who is Who in Colored Louisiana," 1930; Principal, Biloxi Public Sch., 1906-11; Prof., Biological Sciences, Alcorn A. and M. Coll., Alcorn, Miss., 1911-18; Supervising Principal, New Orleans, La., 1918-present; Pres., Principals' Assn., New Orleans, La.; mem. La. State Teachers Assn.; New Orleans Teachers Assn.; National Assn. Teachers in Colored Schools; Masons; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 2911 Milan St., New Orleans, La.

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b. Jan. 19, 1879, Elizabeth City, N. C.; s. Julius and Edith Perkins; m. Camilla Bolton, April 19, 1921; two children, Camilla Bolton, b. March 6, 1922; Winnie Edith, b. Sept. 24, 1923; educ. Elizabeth City graded schools, 1885-89; High School, 1889-93; N. C. State Normal, 1893-97; Temple Univ., 1897-99; Shaw Univ., Law, 1899-1902; LL.B., 1902; Lawyer, 1902-present; permitted to practice before United States Supreme Court, 1933; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Elks; Samaritans, Mosaic Templars, Woodmen, Ruths, Eastern Star; Heroines; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 410 Broad St.; Residence, 1019 W. Beaver St., Jacksonville, Fla.

He practiced law in Knoxville, Tenn., for a number of years. He organized and served as chairman of the committee in the matter of litigation concerning the Disfranchisement Law,

and the Anti-Negro Lawyer Bill, which were not permitted to pass.

He is Secretary of the Business Men's League, Secretary of the Trustee Board of the Bethel Baptist Institutional Church.

Was President of the Afro-American Council for five years and Vice-President of the Civic League for two years. In 1925 he was a delegate to the Omega Psi Phi, conclave, at Tuskegee, Alabama.

During the World War he served in the Officers' Training School at Ft. Des Moines. He was a member of the Council of Defense and engaged in War work campaign, travelling the State of Florida.

PERKINS, LAMAR—Lawyer.

b. April 8, 1896, Savannah, Ga.; s. Robert Lee and Susan (Lamar) Perkins; educ. Sch. Savannah, Ga., 1902-10; Beach Inst., 1910-14; Lincoln Univ., 1914-18; A.B., 1918; served in the U. S. Army with the grade of Sgt., July to Dec., 1918; Harvard Univ., Law, 1919-22; LL.B., 1922; Admitted to practice before New York Bar, 1924; Special Deputy Atty. Gen. of State of New York for period of election, 1927; Assemblyman, State of New York, 21st Assembly Dist., 1930; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Harvard Law School Assn., Manhattan Republican Club, Webster Law Club of Harvard Law Sch., Nile Club of Harvard Univ.; Intercollegiate Assn.; I.B.O.P.E. of W.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 217 W. 125th St.; Residence, 90 Edgecomb Ave., New York City, N. Y.

As a member of the Legislature he fostered various bills for the racial improvement of New York City and of Harlem in particular, having succeeded in the enactment of the New Rent Law. He is keenly interested in the political progress of the American Negro, and especially the residents of Harlem.

PERRY, CHARLES E.—School Principal-Clergyman.

b. Jan. 23, 1891, Wake Forest, N. C.; s. William and Anna G. Perry; m. Emma Smith, Jan. 4, 1912; five children, Bessie Lee, b. May 18, 1914; Carol, b. Aug. 29, 1916; William Jefferson, b. Aug. 2, 1918; Ella Louise, b. June 19, 1920; Emma C., b. Aug. 18, 1924; educ. Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C.; St. Augustine Coll., Raleigh, N. C.; The Moody Bible Inst., Chicago, Ill.; State Normal School, Fayetteville, N. C.; Prin., Chas. E. Perry Junior High School, Kenansville, N. C., 1926-present; Minister, 1919-present; Teacher, 1920-present; Pres., Clinton District Union, The United Holy Church of America, Inc.; Pastor, Burning Bush Church, Faison, N. C.; Pastor, St. Delight Church, Mt. Olive, N. C.; Pastor, All Saints Church, Dudley, N. C.; Pastor, Holy Temple Church, Calypso, N. C.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. United Holy Church of America; Address, Box 113, Warsaw, N. C.; Residence, State Normal School, Fayetteville, N. C.

When Rev. Perry was sent to Kenansville

He found schooling conditions very bad, and a community disinterested in education. He immediately began organizing these people for the education of their children. In one year a Rosenwald Building was erected. They are now working, with Rosenwald aid, to erect a \$30,000 High School for their boys and girls. In honor to the work he has accomplished the Community voted to name it the Charles E. Perry Junior High School.

PERRY, GEORGE WILLIAM JACOB—Publisher-Editor.

b. March 9, 1891, Clarksville, Ark.; s. William Denton and Florence (Jimison) Perry; m. Jeanette Elizabeth Ewing, June 6, 1920; one child, George Udell, b. Aug. 2, 1921; educ. City High Sch.; Editor, Boley Progress, several years; Sec., Chamber of Commerce; Justice of Peace, 6th Dist., Okfuskee Co., Dec. 5, 1927-present; Corresponding Sec., Boley Republican Club; mem. Masons; No. 116 A.F. & A.M.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, First Nat. Bank Bldg.; Residence, Walnut and Lincoln Sts., Boley, Okla.

He served in France during the World War, promoted three times and honorably discharged as Regimental Sergeant Major, 805th Pioneer Inf.

Was appointed postmaster of Boley, Oklahoma, the largest colored town in the United States, and the only Third Class Post Office operated by colored people in the United States. He served from April 10, 1922 for four years and was succeeded by his wife, who was appointed April 13, 1926, for four years and serving at the present time.

The Boley Republican Club, largest political club in Oklahoma, was organized to secure the franchise of the people of Okfuskee County, and he was elected corresponding secretary and general manager winning the franchise after 3 years' litigation.

PERRY, J. E.—Physician and Surgeon.

b. April 2, 1870, Clarksville, Tex.; s. Anderson and Louise (White) Perry; m. Fredericka D. Sprague; one child, Dr. Eugene Boone, b. June 22, 1902; educ. Bishop Coll., Marshall, Tex., 1891; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1895; D.S., Bishop Coll., (Honorary), 1931; Clinics, various States; Post Graduate, Medical Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1898; Physician and Surgeon, 1895-present; Founder, Wheatley Provident Hospital, 1910; Supt., 20 years; Supt Emeritus, 1930-present; Chief, Surgical Staff, Municipal Hospital No. 2, Kansas City, Mo.; Surgeon, Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Co.; Surgeon, Kansas City Railway Co.; mem. Board of Curators, Lincoln Univ. Jefferson City, Mo.; ex-Pres., National Med. Assn.; 1st Lieut., 7th U. S. Infantry, war with Spain; Kansas City Clinical Soc.; Pan-Mo. and Kansas City Medical Soc.; Nat. Med. Assn.; mem. Board of Trustees, Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn.; Address, 1214 Vine Street, Kansas City, Mo.

Wheatley Provident Hospital, which he founded, contains 65 beds, and has a total valuation of in excess of \$150,000.

Municipal Hospital No. 2, of which he is the Chief of the Surgical Staff, being one of the first to be appointed on the Staff, in which capacity he has served for the past 23 years, has a total valuation of over \$500,000.

PERRY, MARION ROWLAND—Lawyer.

b. July 11, 1892, Pine Bluff, Ark.; s. Marion Rowland and Ida (Robinson) Perry; m. Mae Robinson, Aug. 27, 1927; educ. A.B., Lincoln Univ., 1912; LL.B., Univ. of Pittsburgh, 1924; Lawyer, 1924-present; Half Owner, Sec. and Treas., Perry and Co., Undertakers, Pine Bluff, Ark.; Organizer, Pres. and Treas., Olympic Life Insurance Co., Pine Bluff, Ark.; Vice Pres. and Gen. Counsel, Liberty Finance Corp., Helena, Ark.; Associate Counsel, Century Life Insurance Co., Hot Springs, Ark.; Director and Associate Counsel, Century Life Ins. Co.; also of Guaranty Security & Investment Co., 1926-28; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Woodmen of Union; Masons (32°); Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 511 W. 9th St.; Residence, 1922 Cross St., Little Rock, Ark.

PERRY, RUFUS LEWIS MILFORD HOPE—Lawyer. — See 3rd Edition.
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PERRY, THOMAS GILBERT—Veterinarian.

b. June 8, 1890, Higginsville, Mo.; s. Thomas Jefferson and Minnie (Perry) Perry; m. Alice Edna Wilson, Dec. 22, 1920; educ. Kansas State Agri. Coll., 1916-21; D.V.M., 1921; Practicing Veterinarian, 1921-present; mem. Chairman, Y. M.C.A.; Bd. of Management, Wichita Br.; Phi Beta Sigma; Gamma Sigma Delta (honorary Agricultural Fraternity); Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, 1325 Cleveland St., Wichita, Kansas.

PERRY, WILLIAM AUGUSTINE—Educator.

b. May 22, 1883, Tarboro, N. C.; s. (Rev.) John William and Mary Eliza (Pettipher) Perry; m. Susan Mabel James, Aug. 16, 1911; four children, Mabel Elizabeth, b. July 15, 1912; Ruth Augusta, b. Aug. 12, 1913; John William, 2nd, b. June 13, 1915; Ludwald Orren Pettipher, b. Nov. 26, 1923; educ. St. Luke's Episcopal Parochial Sch.; St. Augustine's Sch., Raleigh, N. C., 1898-1902; Hopkins Grammar Sch., New Haven, Conn., 1902-03; Yale Univ., 1903-07; A.B., 1907; Columbia Univ., summer sch., 1909-10; Harvard Univ., summer sch., 1922; Prin., Princeville Graded Sch., Tarboro, N. C., 1907-11; Prin., St. Athanasius Sch., Brunswick, Ga., 1911-22; Prin., Colored Memorial Sch., Brunswick, Ga., 1927-28; Prin., Waverly Sch., Columbia, S. C., 1928; Supervising Principal, for three schools, and instructor of directed observation and supervised teaching, Allen Univ., Columbia, S. C., 1928-present; taught Summer Sch., A. and T. College, Greensboro, N. C., 1911-12; taught Summer Sch., Ft. Valley, H. and I. Sch., Ft. Valley, Ga., 1920-21; Vestryman and Organist, St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Columbia, S. C.; Pres., Richland County Teachers Assn.; auth. "Victory," song, pub. Loomis Music Co., 1906; "Bred-ek-ek-ex,"



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months; Contr. Editor, Washington Daily Citizen, 1922; Associate Editor, Morgue, Howard Med. Sch., 1925; Clinical Reports Recorder, 1926-27; passed Bd. of Examiners, New York State, 1925; Interne, St. Agnes Hosp., Raleigh, N. C., 1925-26; Physician and Surgeon, 1926-present; apptd. Assistant Physician, Out Patient Dept., and Adjunct Visiting Officer, Harlem Hosp., New York City, 1926; appt. Examiner, Victory Life Ins. Co., 1927; Exec. Bd. Nat. Negro Business League in New York City, 1928-29; mem. Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity; Moses; Shepherds; Karma; American Med. Assn.; Odd Fellows; Foresters; Nat. Med. Assn.; New York County Med. Assn.; North Harlem Med. Soc.; Howard Med. Reading Club; Chmn., West India Committee of America; Founder, Lupetner Finance Corp., New York City; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Catholic; Address, 114 W. 131st St., New York, N. Y.

While a resident in Trinidad he founded and is a director of the Metropolitan Benefit Insurance Society, Ltd.; member of the Trinidad Building and Loan Association, Trinidad Fire Insurance Company; founder, director and Honorary Secretary of the Trinidad Co-operative Bank, Ltd. He also founded and was a delegate of the Inter-Colonial Literary League of the West India Islands; founder and President of the Model Ex-Pupils' Association; associate member of the Royal Victoria Institute; founder and was President of the Trinidad Phonographic Society; founded and was an officer of the Trinidad Theosophical Society.

For a time he was Government auditor for a number of fraternal societies in the West Indies, Vice-President of the United Friendly Societies of Trinidad, B.W.I., and acted as Government Reporter of Legislative Council of Trinidad and Official Reporter of the Supreme Court. In New York he founded and was the first President of the Trinidad Benevolent Society of New York, and Vice-President of the West Indies Societies Protective League.

PETTIGEN, ENOLIA VIRGINIA—Sch. Prin.

b. Oct. 20, 1904, Montgomery Co., Pa.; d. John and Elizabeth (Fortune) Pettigen; educ. A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1922-26; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., Summers, 1928-29; A.M., Columbia Univ., New York, N. Y., 33; Teacher, 1926-28; Principal, Pomonkey High Sch., 1928-present; mem. Maryland Fed. of Parent-Teacher Assns.; Maryland State Colored Teachers' Assn.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 3303 Hawkins Point Road, Baltimore, Md.

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Auxiliary, Chicago, Ill.; Director, Home Assn. for Working Mothers with Children; Teacher, boys, Sunday School, 25 years; Director, Phyllis Wheatley Home, 1914-17; mem. Am. Woodman; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregational; Address, 3810 Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill.

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On graduating from Douglass High School, she was Valedictorian of her Class, and on graduating from Howard University, she took the degree, B.S. (cum laude). She taught in the Euclid St. Orphan Orphans Home while a student at Howard.

She has the distinction of being the first woman appointed to the post of principal of Lincoln High School, Paducah, Kentucky.

In 1925 she was appointed by Mayor J. N. Bailey of Paducah to represent the city at the Negro Educational Congress which met at Kansas City, Mo., that year. She was appointed National Recording Secretary for the term expiring 1929, by the Congress.

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PICKENS, WILLIAM—Educator—Author.

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1936; Principal. Lincoln High Sch., Frederick, Md., 1936-1938; Sec.-Pres., Morgan Coll., Student "Y", Student Instructor, Mathematics; Awarded Balfour Good Citizenship Medal for Loyalty, Achievement and Scholarship, 1931; 1st Vice-Pres., Maryland State Colored Teachers' Assn., 1935-present; mem. Beta Kappa Chi Scientific Soc.; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; N. A. A. C. P.; Pol. Independent Relig. Non denominational; Address, 2520 Druid Hill Ave., Baltimore, Md.

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He served in the World War in France for one year as Quartermaster Corp., Sergeant and Company Clerk. He preached the Annual Sunday Morning Sermon in the National Baptist Sunday School and B.Y.P.U. Congress, U. S. A., Inc., at Brooklyn, N. Y., and delivered the Emancipation address in 1927, Atlanta, Ga.

PINN, JAMES LUTHER—Educator.

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While Pastor of the Bethany Baptist Church in Syracuse, N. Y., he was chosen Secretary of the Onondaga Baptist Assn., composed of twenty-two churches, one colored and twenty-one white. He held this position for eight years. In 1916 he was the Treasurer of the Syracuse Minister's Assn., composed of pastors of all the white Protestant churches of the city, he

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PITTS, EMMA L. (Mrs. Joseph Szeapanick).

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Mrs. Pitts has given dressmaking and millinery the study of a lifetime and during the course of her experience has visited Paris, exhibited at the Grand Central Palace in 1915 and many private exhibitions.

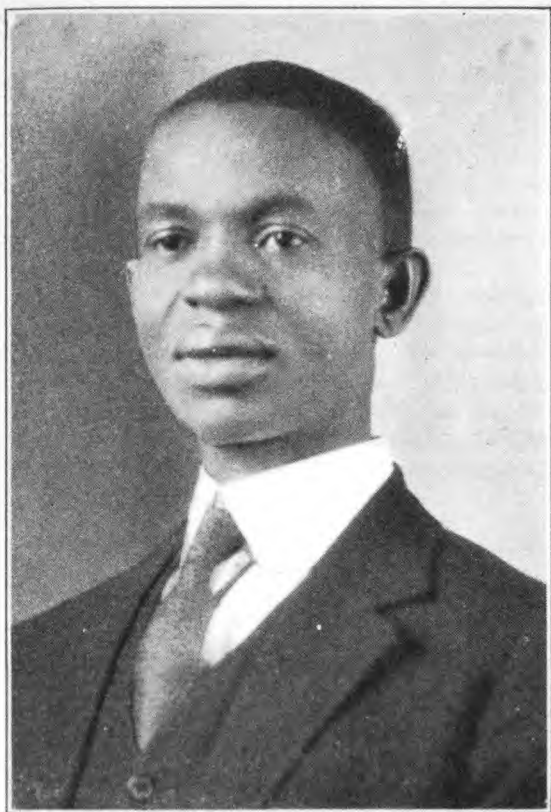
She has the distinction of being the oldest woman member of the National Negro Business League, attending and speaking at the second meeting of that league held in Chicago, Ill., in 1901, and in Atlanta, Georgia.

She organized The Vogue, a school for the purpose of training young women in the art of dressmaking and millinery, and beauty culture.

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b. May 19, 1880, Warrenton, N. C.; s. John S. and Maria J. (Owen) Plummer; m. Clementine Kay, Feb. 21, 1907; three children, Marie Kay, b. April 10, 1908; Owen York, b. June 15, 1915; John O'Kelby, b. Dec. 21, 1921; educ. Leonard Med. Sch., Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1900-04; Medical M.D., Leonard Med. Sch., 1904; Otolologist, Laryngologist, Rhinologist and Ophthalmologist to Lincoln Hospital, Durham, N. C., and Visiting Staff, St. Agnes Hospital, Raleigh, N. C.; Physician to State Deaf, Dumb, and Blind Inst., Raleigh, N. C., 1906-18; Physician, St. Augustine's Sch., Raleigh, N. C., 1905-1926; Physician and Specialist in Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, 1904-present; Pres., N. C. Med. Assn., 1915; Pres., Nat. Med. Assn., 1923-24; Graduate Mgr., Physical Training Dept., Shaw Univ., 1923-26; mem. Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity; Supt., Ambrose Prot. Episcopal Sunday Sch., 1925; Civic Business League of Raleigh, N. C.; Pol. Socialist; Relig. Protestant Episcopalian; Office, 10 E. Worth St.; Residence, 117 E. South St., Raleigh, N. C.

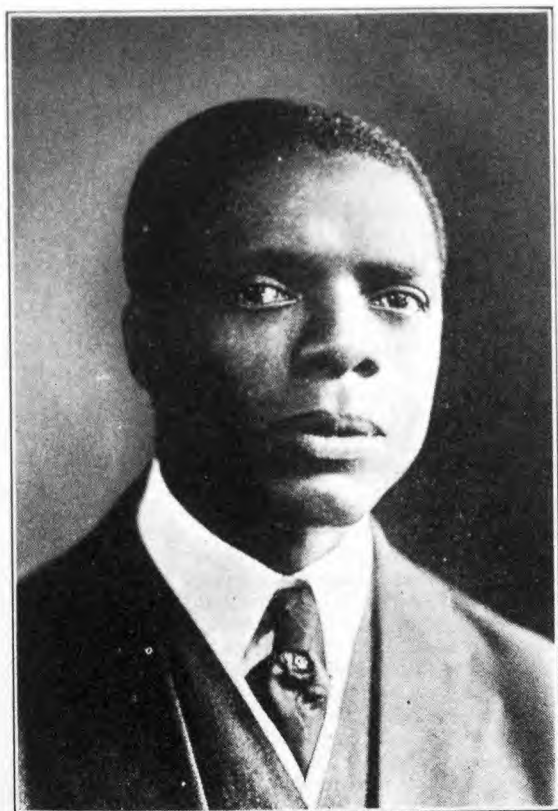
In 1910 he accepted the Chair of Anatomy at Leonard Med. School, which he held until 1913. He was Physician to the State Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institution of Raleigh, N. C., for twelve years, resigning to take care of his growing practice.



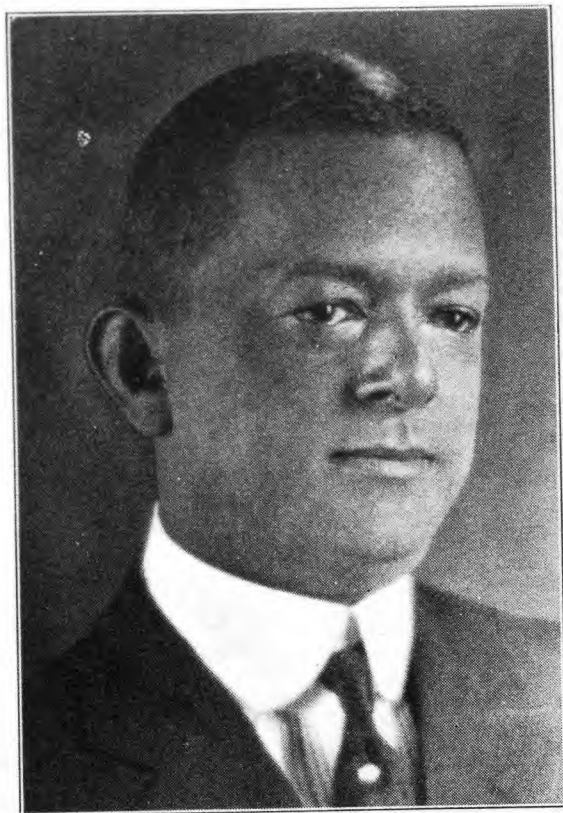
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He was Graduate Manager of Physical Training Department, Shaw Univ., 1923-26.

Dr. Plummer enjoys one of the largest, if not the largest practice of any Negro physician in the country as specialist in the diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and in conjunction with this work maintains a Patient's Home of twenty-five beds.

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Mrs. Poe is the first colored woman admitted to the Bar in the State of Virginia.

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sind"; "A thermoprecipitation reaction in Trypanosoma equiperdum infection in laboratory animals"; "Some studies on the etiology of Granuloma inguinale"; "A review of a previous article by Frank Jones and H. A. Poinexter"; "Acute anterior poliomyelitis"; "A further observation on the relation of certain carbohydrates to Trypanosoma equiperdum metabolism"; "The differential blood picture of a group of rural inhabitants of Alabama"; "Some observations on the nature of the thermoprecipitation reaction in Trypanosoma equiperdum infection"; "Some observations on the cutaneous response of animals infected with a particular strain of Trypanosoma equiperdum"; "Immunologic reactions in relation to blood groups"; "Some observations on the effects of environmental changes on the biology of Endameba histolytica"; "A consideration of the effects of focal infections on the susceptibility of certain endothelial lines cavities"; "Special health problems of Negroes in rural areas"; "Some opportunities for service among Negroes in Southern states"; "The four major handicaps in the normal growth and development of rural Negro children in the Southern states"; "Some observations on the infectious agents causing Leucorrhoea during the child-bearing period"; "A morbidity study of 271 Rural Negro families in the Mississippi Delta"; "Relationship of mononuclear response to resistance in experimental Trypanosomiasis"; Diplomat of the National Board, Boston, Mass., 1930; Asst. Prof., Bacteriology, Preventive Medicine and Public Health, Howard Univ., 1931-34; Assoc. Prof., 1934; Acting Head of Dept., 1933-34; Head of Dept., 1934-present; Prof., 1937-present; Fellow, Rockefeller Foundation; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Medico-Chirurgical Soc.; Amer. Public Health Assn.; Omega Psi Phi; Scottish Rite Mason, 32 degree; mem. Committee, Boy Scouts of America; Pol. Republican; Relig. Protestant; Address, Howard University, College of Medicine; Residence, 513-23rd Pl., N. E., Washington, D. C.

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POOLE, WILLIAM THOMAS—Funeral Dir.

b. Feb. 27, 1883, Montgomery Co., Ala.; s. Alfred and Ellen (Williams) Poole; m. Eva Louise Gayles, June 12, 1907; three children, William Thomas, Jr., b. Oct. 10, 1911; Marjorie Ellen, b. Aug. 28, 1913; Cecil Francis, b. July 25, 1915; educ. Ala. State Coll., Montgomery, Ala., 1901; Principal, Thomas Sch., Birmingham, Ala., 1902-12; Railway Mail Clerk, 1913; Funeral Dir., Birmingham, Ala., 1914-19; Funeral Director, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1919-present; Past Master, Masons; Past Illustrious Com.-in-Chief, Consistory; Past Illus. Potentate, Shriners; Active (33°)

Mason; Trustee and Treas., Ebenezer Baptist Church, 1920-present; Pres., Fifth Ward Civic League; Pres., Fed. of Colored Civic and Polit. Organization of Pittsburgh; mem. Committee of Management, and Exec. Com., Y.M.C.A., 1927-present; mem. Committee of Management, Urban League, 1928-present; mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; Alleghany Co. Funeral Directors' Assn.; Penna. State Funeral Directors' Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2161 Wylie Ave.; Residence, 2840 Center Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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She was a self supporting student from the 8th grade to the Master's degree, and was the Valedictorian of the Senior Class at Oberlin High School in 1919, receiving the P. D. Sherman prize for excellence in English Literature. She also held the men's (O.H.S.) for her basket ball prowess.

She was the Secretary of the Oberlin High School Literary Society, and belonged to the Oberlin College Latin Club in 1921 to 1923. She was also a member of Le Cercle Francais,

POPE, AIKEN AUGUSTUS—Lawyer.

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He invented a Combination Slide Board June, 1938, which was patented by the United States, January 30, 1940, and which is an educational device for teaching concretely and abstractly the primary number facts and combinations. Also an auxiliary formula in April, 1940, to generalize the age old formula for finding the sum of the numbers in the rows, columns and diagonals of magic squares. A formula for raising the imaginary unit to any desired power instantly November, 1934.

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He was the first to see the possibilities of 138th St., Harlem, New York City, as a centre for doing good in the community, and it was through his earnest efforts that a large plot of land was purchased there in 1920, and upon it was built a beautiful Church edifice and Com-

munity House at a cost of \$334,000.

Home for the Aged members purchased and furnished at a cost of \$40,000 in 1926. Mortgage paid off July 1, 1933.

The institution has a membership of more than 11,000 and has thirty-one workers on its payroll, including a Missionary at Suehn, Liberia, Africa, and a Chair of Religious Education at Virginia Union University.

He has lectured at Colgate University, Howard University, Fisk University, Virginia Seminary and College, and Hampton Normal and Industrial Institute.

POWELL, ROBERT J.—Physician.

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PRESCOTT, ANNABEL CAREY—Dean of Girls.

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He is a self made man working in various hotels and dining car service of Railroads to earn enough money to pay for his Education. He is the owner of considerable real estate in Knoxville, owning the Presnell Building, and

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He was the President of the Colored division of the East Tennessee Fair Association which Fair was discontinued for the sum of \$35,000. This sum was given by Knox County toward financing the \$175,000 Negro unit of the Knoxville General Hospital which is now a modern hospital housing Negro patients of both the County and City.

He is the Chairman of the Committee of the Beverly Hills Negro Sanatorium which cost \$50,000. This is the only Negro Tubercular Sanatorium in Tennessee.

PRESTON, W. A.—Clergyman-Editor.

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He is considered one of the outstanding men of Texas. He has a splendid record as a builder having completed the following: Antioch Baptist Church, Linden, Tex.; Judea Baptist Church, Jefferson, Tex.; Fair View County Training School, Linden, Tex.; and Bowie County Training School, Texarkana, Tex.

PRUETT, ROBERT BERDUS—Physician.

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PRICE, FLORENCE B.—Musician—Composer.

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She won numerous composition contests among them the Wanamaker Composition Con-

test, of which she won two. Her Symphony taking the \$500 award, and her piano sonata capturing the \$250 allotted to the piano group. She was also given honorable mentions in both groups. At the Century of Progress Exposition the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, Dr. Frederick Stock, conductor, played her winning symphony. During the same season her compositions were presented in an entire program by the Illinois Host House at the World's Fair. The following year The Chicago Women's Symphony Orchestra, Ebba Sundstrum, conductor, included in their program of women composers a concerto for piano and Orchestra written by her.

She has written in various forms from piano teaching pieces to works for full symphony orchestras, including string quartet, a piano quintet, organ sonata, piano sonata, etc. The Oxford Normal Course and the Robyn Method have both included some of her compositions in their regular courses

PRICE, MELVA LORINDA — Student and Teacher.

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After primary education in the public schools of Brooklyn, N. Y., she graduated from elementary school, Valedictorian of her class. She was highest honor student of the Class of 1920, at Bushwick High School, and was awarded State scholarship of \$400; graduated summa cum laude at Hunter College in 1924, and elected to Phi Beta Kappa, also awarded a gold medal for Latin and Greek, and a silver medal for pedagogical subjects. In her license examination she was highest among more than 1,000 who passed the teacher's examinations in 1924, her rating being 93.2%.

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He was a candidate for Alderman in 1927 and a member of the Speakers' Bureau of the Illionis State and Chicago Medical Society.

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PROCTOR, GEORGIA A.—Physician.

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On her return to the United States she completed a "Synthetic Bible Course" at the Moody School and two terms specializing at Drew Seminary, Madison, N. J.

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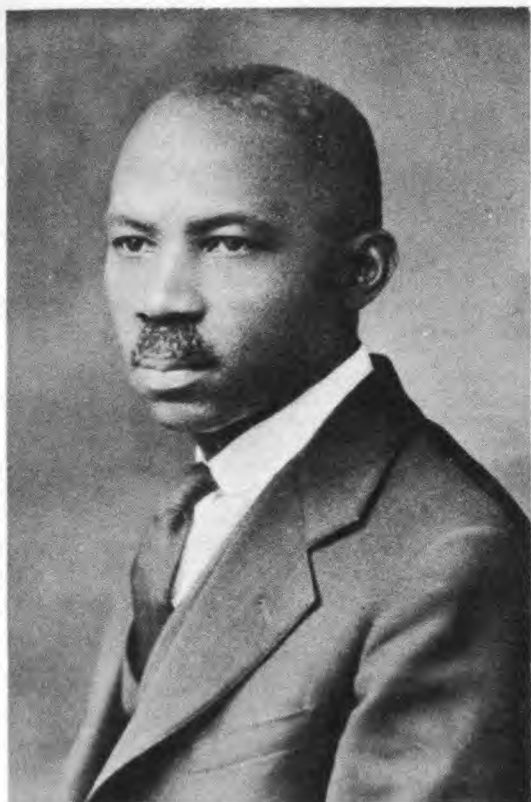
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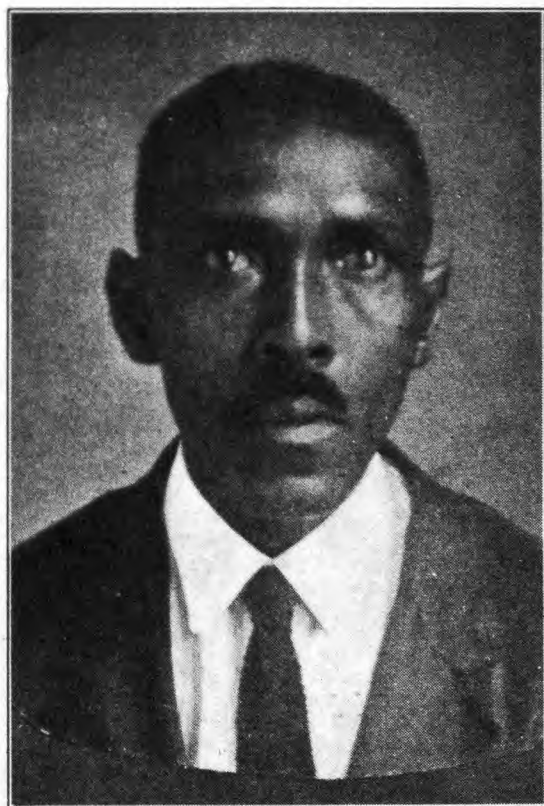
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ters' Conference, Richmond and vicinity, 1929-31; Pres., Baptist General Assn. of Virginia, 1926-31; Pres., Richmond Branch, N.A.A.C.P., 1930; Pastor, White Rock Baptist Church, Durham, N. C., 1931; Director, Ministers' Institute, Smithfield, N. C., 1931; Pastor, First Baptist Church, South Richmond, Va., 1932-present, Pres., Baptist Ministers' Conference, Richmond, Va., 1933; Instructor, Biblical Lit. and Philosophy, Virginia Union Univ., 1930-present; Chaplain, State Grand Lodge, Master Masons of Virginia; Special Deputy, 33rd and last degree, Scottish Rite Masons, Southern Jurisdiction U. S. A.; Sec., Education Board, National Baptist Convention, Inc.; Vice Chairman, Executive Board, Lott Carey Foreign Mission Soc. of America; Sec., Goodwill Baptist Convention of Virginia; mem. Y.M.C.A.; Phi Beta Sigma Soc.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1507 Decatur St., S. Richmond, Va.

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b. Garrard County, Ky.; s. Barney Ford and Mariah (Pollard) Reid; m. Claudia C. Ballew, 1919; educ. A.B., B.D., D.D., Simmons Univ.; A.M., Univ. of Cincinnati; Lane Seminary; Research Work, Hebrew Union Coll.; Pastor, Seymour, Ind.; Farmdale, Ky.; Taylorsville, Ky.; Portland, Louisville, Ky.; mem. of staff, Sunday School Pedagogy Simmons Univ.; on Theological Faculty, 2 years; organized, Co-operative Church Convention; Pres., First Organization of same, Louisville, Ky.; Pres. of similar organization, Cincinnati, O.; Pastor, Zion Baptist Ch., Cincinnati, O., 1928-present; Contributing Editor, Cincinnati Bulletin; Sunday Sch. Lecturer; Query Master, Ministers' Conference of Cincinnati and vicinity; Pres., Phi Beta Sigma; Address, 432 W. 9th St., Cincinnati, O.

While at Camp Zachary Taylor during the World War, he was promoted to Corporal, then Sergeant, and later was made principal of the Consolidated Army School.

During the years of 1929 and 1930, he conducted Daily Vacation Bible Schools, during the summer months, at Zion Baptist Church, which schools were reputed to be the largest in Southern Ohio. The registrations each year were 365 and 451 respectively.

The Cincinnati Theological Seminary, which was originally organized and conducted by the late Rev. L. H. Ingraham, consolidated with the Zion Baptist Church School, and in February, 1930, a well equipped school for religious training was opened at Zion Baptist Annex with Rev. Reid as Director and principal Instructor.

In 1934, Rev. Reid travelled very extensively in Europe, Africa and Palestine. He was a delegate to the Baptist World's Alliance in Berlin Germany.

He is now State Vice-President of the National Baptist Convention, Inc., State Vice-President of the National Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. Congress. Director of Religious Education in the State of Ohio and Dean of the Summer School of the Ohio Baptist General Association.

REID, CHARLES MARTIN — Physician-Surgeon.

b. April 1, 1882, Jamaica, B.W.I.; s. William J. and Anne (Finnegan) Reid; m. Cornelia Fountain, 1918; one child, Charles Kesley, b. 1919; educ. Pub. Sch., B.W.I.; Pub. Sch., Costa Rica, C. A.; Shaw Univ., 1903-04; Leonard Med. Sch., 1904-08; M.D., 1908; McGill Univ., Montreal, Canada, 1909-11; M.D., C.M., 1911; Post Graduate Work, Harvard Med. Sch., 1925; Physician and Surgeon, Exmore, Va., 1912-26; in Jamaica, L. I., 1926-present; mem. South Jamaica Property Owners Assn.; Organizer, N.A.A.C.P. (Jamaica Br.); Examining Physician, Victory Life Ins. Co.; Life Extension Inst. of New York; Trustee, Tidewater Inst., Cape Charles, Va.; Nat. Med. Assn.; North Harlem Med. Soc.; Queens County Med. Soc.; New York State



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REID, ERNEST MANOAH—Funeral Director.

b. May 15, 1883, Antigua, B.W.I.; s. William and Sarah Augusta (Payne) Reid; m. First Wife, Victoria Mills, June 30, 1908; Second Wife, Josephine Spence, Sept. 28, 1922; one child, Clement Apollo, b. Feb. 23, 1911; educ. St. Marks Public School, Antigua, B.W.I.; Cincinnati Coll. of Embalming, Home Training Course, 1921; Post Graduate Course, under Thomas Kirton, 1922-23; Funeral Director, 1921-present; Affiliated with B. Leon Estwick, New York City, 1923-28; mem. Metropolitan Funeral Directors Assn.; United Bro. and Sisters Friendly Soc. of Amer., Inc.; Victoria Ben. Assn.; Antigua Mutual Aid Soc.; Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 131 W. 135th St.; Residence, 68 W. 118th St., New York City, N. Y.

REID, IRA DeAUGUSTINE—Industrial Secretary.

b. July 2, 1897, Clifton Forge, Va.; s. D. Augustine and Willie Robertha Reid; m. Gladys Scott, Oct. 15, 1925; educ. Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1914-21; A.B. Morehouse Coll., 1921; Univ. of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Penn., 1924-25; A.M. 1925; Student Instructor in Public Speaking, 1919-20; Director of High Sch., Texas Coll., Tyler, Texas, 1921-22; Teacher, Douglass High Sch., Huntington, W. Va., 1922-24; Fellow, Pittsburgh Urban League, 1924-25; Industrial Secretary, N. Y. Urban League, 1925-present; auth. "A study of 200 Negro Prisoners in Western Penitentiary of Penn.," pub. Opportunity, June, 1925; mem. Omega Psi Phi, American Assn. of Social Workers, N.A.A.C.P., American Legion; Address, 200 W. 136th St.; Residence, 580 St. Nicholas Ave., New York, N. Y.

REID, O. RICHARD—Portrait Painter.

b. Feb. 27, 1898, Eaton, Ga.; s. Oliver and Hattie (Bozman) Reid; educ. Pub. Sch., Fernandina, Fla.; Academy of Fine Arts, Philadelphia, Pa.; Graphic Sketch Club, Philadelphia, Pa.; Portrait Painter, 1917-present; Relig. Methodist; Address, 37 Morningside Ave., New York, N. Y.

REID, THOMAS HARRIS—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 25, 1891, Portsmouth, Va.; s. William M. and Alice (Harris) Reid; m. Hazel Mae Wells, Nov. 26, 1923; one child, Thomas H., Jr., b. Feb. 7, 1924; educ. Hampton Inst.; LL.B., Howard Univ., 1915; Lawyer, 1917-present; Atty., Tidewater Bldg. Assn., Norfolk Home Bldg. and Loan Assn.; Vice Pres., Virginia Colored Bar Assn.; Grand Chancellor, Knights of Pythias, Virginia, 1929-present; Delegate, A.M.M. General Conference, Cleveland, O., 1932; National Bar Assn.; mem. Tidewater Bar Assn.; Masons; Elks; K. of P.; State Legal Advisor, Elks; Grand Vice Chancellor of K. of P.; Vice Pres., Phi Beta Sigma; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M. E.; Address, P. O. Box 87; Residence, 835 Glasgow St., Portsmouth, Va.

He instituted a mandamus proceeding before the Circuit Court in Portsmouth, Va., to require the election officials to permit Colored people to vote in the Democratic primaries,

and which resulted in a favorable decision permitting Colored voters to register their votes in the primaries.

REID, WALTER T.—Fraternal Officer.

b. May 25, 1865, Macon Ga.; s. Caswell and Mary A. (Bowen) Reid; m. Rosa J. Furcison, June 2, 1892; second marriage, Mary L. Jefferson, Mar. 10, 1927; five children, James C.; Walter T., Jr.; William E.; Rosa V.; Lillian M.; educ. Lewis High Sch., Macon, Ga.; Presbyterian Parochial Sch., Macon, Ga.; A.B. Johnson C. Smith Univ., 1889; Grand Chancellor of K. of P., State of Ga., 1922-present; Pres., Business League of Macon; Chairman, Bd. of Directors, Middle Georgia Savings and Investment Co.; Masons; Elks; St. Lukes; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 556 New St.; Residence, 104 New St., Macon, Ga.

He was a letter carrier in the city of Macon for thirty-one years.

RENFRO, ST. JULIAN—Funeral Director.

b. Aug. 30, 1882, Shreveport, La.; s. Rufus and Mary (Walker) Renfro; educ. Woodward High Sch., New Orleans Univ., Gilbert Indus. Coll., Baldwin, La., 1899; Cincinnati Coll. of Embalming, 1921; m. Inez Hamilton, Oct. 7, 1904; two children, Mary Etta, b. Oct. 9, 1910; Jenifer, b. May 16, 1916; Clerk in U. S. P. O. Service 18 years; Undertaker and Embalmer, 1921-present; mem. Treas., and Director, Imperial Finance Corp.; Treas. and Director, Bulletin Pub. Corp.; Director, Lancaster Mutual Life and Casualty Co.; Tri-State Funeral Directors' Assn.; Ex-Pres., Century Club, Y. M. C. A., Cincinnati, Ohio; Elks, Masons (32nd Degree), American Woodmen, Shriners, Odd Fellows, K. of P.; Mgr., Boys' Work Committee, Y. M. C. A.; Knights and Daughters of Tabor, Knights and Daughters of Honor; Ex-Pres., St. Andrews Men's Club, N. A. A. C. P.; Vice-Chairman, West End Division, Community Chest Campaign, 1928; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 752 W. Ninth St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

REYNOLDS, HOBSON RICHMOND—Undertaker.

b. Sept. 13, 1899, Winton, N. C.; s. Rufus H. and Julia (Keene) Reynolds; m. Evelyn C. Crawford, Dec. 22, 1927; educ. North Carolina State Normal Sch., Winton, N. C., 1916; New York Univ., New York City, N. Y., 1918; Eckels Coll. of Embalming and Sanitary Science, Philadelphia, Pa., 1919; Undertaker, 1919-present; Pres., North Philadelphia Business and Professional Assn., Philadelphia, Pa.; Adjutant General, Elks, 1923-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Citizens Republican Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist, Address, 2044 Ridge Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

REYNOLDS, MAUDE S.—Social Worker.

b. Oct. 1, 1887, Petersburg, Va.; d. John and Rebecca (Jackson) Reynolds; m. Samuel A. Jennings, Aug. 2, 1906; one child, Bessie L., b. June 9, 1907; educ. Roanoke City Pub. Sch., Roanoke, Va., 1900; Va. N. and Coll. Inst., Petersburg, Va., 1900-02; Hampton Inst. (summer sch.), 1903; Teacher, Pocahontas, Va., one year; Roanoke City Sch., Roanoke, Va., three years; Rural Supervising Industrial Teacher,

three years; Beauty Specialist, 1909-26; established Beauty Culture Sch., Roanoke, Va.; Organizer for Va. State Federation of Women's Club; engaged in Well Baby Clinic Work; establishing Neighborhood Clubs; Pres., Vivelore Beauty Sch. and Salon, 1932-present; District Manager, National Visiting Health Assn.; mem. Grand United Order of Moses; Colored Women's Civic Betterment Club; Pres., Woman's Community Improvement Club, 1910-20; Y.W. C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 301 Henry St.; Residence, 34 Wells Ave., N.W., Roanoke, Va.

RHETTA, BARNETT MILTON—Physician.

b. Calhoun, Ala.; m. Clara G. Brown, 1909; educ. Hampton Inst., 1902; M.D., Howard Univ., 1907; Physician, 1909-present; Pres., Alumni Assn., Howard Univ., 1928-29; First Lay President, Bd. of Trustees, Washington M.E. Conference, 1928; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Relig. M.E. Ch.; Pol. Republican; Address, 2139 Druid Hill Ave., Baltimore, Md.

RHINES, EDNA MARIE HOLMES—School Principal.

b. Aug. 22, 1902, Arlington, Va.; d. Dr. Sumner Garrison and Mamie (Perry) Holmes; educ. Dunbar High Sch., Washington, D. C., 1920; Myrtilla Minor Normal Sch., Washington, D. C., 1922; A.B. Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1927; A.M., Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., 1931; Teacher, Public Sch., Washington, D. C., 1922-24; Teacher, Garrison Demonstration Sch., Washington, D. C., 1925-27; Asst. to Director, Primary Instruction, Division X to XIII, 1927-29; Practice Teacher, Miner Teachers Coll., Washington, D. C., 1930-31; Administrative Principal, Grimke School, Washington, D. C., 1931-present; mem. National Educational Education Assn.; National Assn. of Colored Teachers; Columbian Education Assn.; Teachers Annuity Assn. of Washington; Coll. Alumnae Club of Washington, D. C.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregational; Address, Grimke School, Vt. Ave., bet T and U Sts., N.W.; Residence, 1011 6th St., S.W., Washington, D. C.

RHODES, EUGENE WASHINGTON—Editor-Lawyer.

b. Oct. 29, 1895, Camden, S. C.; s. Chas. and Laura (Boykin) Rhodes; m. Bertha Theresa Perry, June 22, 1923; educ. Benedict Coll., Columbia, S. C., 1912-15; Lincoln Univ., Chester County, Penn., 1917-21; A.B. (cum laude), Lincoln Univ., 1921; Univ. of Penn., Law Sch., 1921-23; Temple Univ., Phila., 1923-25; LL.B. Temple Univ., 1925; Editor, The Philadelphia Tribune, 1922-present; Trust Officer and Member of Bd. of Directors, Citizens and Southern Trust Co., 1926-present; Lawyer, 1925-present; Member of The State Inter-Racial Committee; Vice-Pres., Citizens Committee of Allied Organizations; Board of Directors, Douglass Hospital; Executive Committee, Sesqui-Centennial Exhibition; Pres., National Bar Assn., 1933-1935; mem. Elks; Masons; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 526 South 16th St.; Residence, 1319 South 51st St., Phila., Penn.

On May 5, 1926, he was appointed Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of

Penn. He has the distinction of being the first Negro to hold such a position in the State of Pennsylvania to the present time.

RICE, JOHN WYMAN—Teacher.

b. Dec. 29, 1892, Thomasville, Ga.; s. Charles and Sallie (Holsey) Rice; m. Jessie Terrell Morgan, Nov. 20, 1920; educ. Tilletson Coll.; A. B., Atlanta Univ., 1912; Editor, Dallas Express, 1920-28; contr. Editorials in Dallas Express; Teacher, Paul Quinn Coll., 1913-15; Dallas Colored High School, 1915-29; Principal, Booker T. Washington High Sch., Feb. 1929-present; Exec. Sec., Colored Teachers Assn., 5 years; mem. Executive Bd., Moorland Branch, Y.M.C.A.; Dallas Negro Welfare Bd.; Dallas Negro Housing Commission; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Ancient Order of Pilgrims; Dramatic Order of Omar; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 2600 Swiss Ave.; Residence, 3603 Dunbar St., Dallas, Texas.

RICE, RICHARD ANDERSON—Lawyer, Druggist.

b. Oct. 12, 1886, Russellville, Ky.; s. Calvin and Julia (Bearing) Rice; educ. Lincoln Univ. (Pa.), 1905-09; A.B., Lincoln Univ., 1909; Cornell Univ., 1909-13; LL.B., Cornell Univ., 1913; Lawyer in actual practice, 1917-present; Druggist, 1922-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha (Cornell) Fraternity; Elks; Progressive Lodge No. 35; G.U. O. of Antelopes of America, Inc.; Jersey Central Porters; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 629 Communipaw Ave., Jersey City, N. J.

He is attorney for the Jersey Central Porters, an organization composed of porters connected with the Jersey Central Railroad.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT—College President.

b. June 23, 1878, Halifax County, Va.; s. Leonard and Louise (Barksdale) Richardson; m. Ida Jane Rivers, Sept. 1, 1908; four children, Louise, b. Sept. 1, 1909; Ida Mae, b. July 1, 1911; Clementine, b. March 6, 1913; Evelyn A., b. Nov. 12, 1915; educ. Mt. Hermon, Mass., 1898-1902; Brown Univ., Providence, R. I., 1902-05; Harvard Univ., 1905-07; A.B. 1907; Univ. of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas, 1923; A.M. 1923; Head, English Dept., Morehouse Coll., 1907-08; Head, English Dept., Tuskegee, 1908-18; President, Lincoln Univ., Jefferson City, Mo., 1918-22; Pres., Western Coll., Kansas City, Mo., 1922-27; 1937-present; Pres., Kan. Voc. Sch., Topeka, Kan., 1927-1937; auth. "Extension Work of Tuskegee" (booklet), Tuskegee Press, 1912; "Cyclopedia of Colored Race," Nat. Pub. Co., 1917; articles in Southern Workman, Missionary Review of the World, Survey; "The Qualifications of the Teacher," 1926; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Masons (32°); K. of P.; K.C. Teachers Council Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, Western Coll., Kansas City, Mo.

Mr. Richardson was President of the Missouri State Teachers' Association in 1922. He is a member of the State Board of Charities and Founder of the Citizens Social Service League of Jefferson City, Mo. He is also a member of the Kansas State Board of Temperance Education and in the fall of 1928 he

was elected treasurer of the Kansas Baptist State Convention.

In the spring of 1927 Mr. Richardson had the distinction of holding the presidency of three institutions at once. He was re-elected to the presidency of Western College, over which he had presided for five years. He was re-elected president of Lincoln University, Jefferson City, over which he had been president four years; and was called to the principalship of the Kansas Vocational School at Topeka, Kansas.

Principal Richardson is a member of the Rocky Mountain Field Council of the Student Y.M.C.A., and a regular lecturer on the staff sponsored by this group to appear in the various colleges in the middlewest during the winter season.

RICHARDSON, CLIFTON FREDERICK — Editor.

b. Oct. 30, 1891, Marshall, Texas; s. Charles and Bettie (Jarrett) Richardson; m. Ruby Leola Rice, June 13, 1909; three children, Clifton Frederick, Jr., b. July 30, 1910; Leon Andrews, b. November 16, 1914; Robert Maurice, b. April 22, 1917; educ. Bishop College, Marshall, Tex., 1899-1909; Editor Publisher, The Houston Defender; First Vice-Pres., and director Houston Negro Chamber of Commerce; Pres., Houston Branch, N. A. A. C. P.; Second Vice-Pres., Texas Conference of N. A. A. C. P. Branches; Pres., Coleridge-Taylor Choral Club; Sec.-Treas., Independent Colored Voters League of Texas; Pres., Colored Voters League of Texas; Director, Colored Voters Division of Republican Party of Texas; Director, Houston Community Chest, 1925-26; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Relig. Missionary Baptist; Address, 1423 W. Dallas Ave.; Residence, 1509 Robin St., Houston, Texas.

RICHARDSON, HENRY J., Jr.—Lawyer.

b. June 21, 1902, Huntsville, Ala.; s. Henry J. and Louise Martha (Johnson) Richardson; educ. Shortridge High Sch., 1921; Univ. of Illinois, School of Commerce and Finance, 1922-24; LL.B., Indiana Law Sch., 1928; Lawyer, 1928-present; Served as Special Prosecutor; Appointed Judge pro tem, Superior Court, Room 3, Feb., 1931; Candidate, Indiana Legislature, 1930; Candidate, and elected Assemblyman, 1932, Indiana Legislature, receiving greatest vote ever cast in a Primary in Indiana for a Colored candidate; mem. National Bar Assn.; Marion Co. Bar Assn.; Marion Co. Lawyers' Club; Indiana Democratic Club (only Colored Member); mem. Speakers' Bureau, State Democratic Central Committee; Associate Attorney, Local Branch, N.A.A.C.P.; Pres., Young Democratic Protective Club, Inc.; Municipal Rights League of Indiana; Pol. Democratic; Relig. Baptist; Address, 229½ Indiana Ave.; Residence, 1019 N. West St., Indianapolis, Ind.

He is an active leader and fighter in Indiana for full citizenship and the rights guaranteed thereunder to the Colored Race in Indiana.

RICHARDSON, PERCY SCOTT — Physician, Surgeon. — See 5th Edition.
Died.

RICHARDSON, SCOVEL—Associate Law Professor.

b. Feb. 4, 1912, Nashville, Tenn.; s. Rev. M. Scovel and Capitola (Taylor) Richardson; m. G. Inez Williston, July 3, 1937; one child, Frances Elaine, b. Sept. 23, 1939; educ. Watkins Jr. High Sch., Nashville, Tenn.; Wendell Phillips High Sch., Chicago, Ill.; A.B., University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill., 1934; A.M., 1936; LL.B., Howard Univ. School of Law, Washington, D. C., 1937; Lawyer, 1938-present; mem. Law Firm of Lawrence & Richardson, Chicago, Ill., 1938-39; Assoc. Professor of Law, Lincoln Univ., St. Louis, Mo., 1939-present; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity; Polemarch, Beta Chapter, Vice Polemarch, North Central Province, and Junior Vice Grand Polemarch, Grand Chapter; Mason; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 4300 St. Ferdinand St., St. Louis, Mo.; Residence, 3824 Calumet Ave., Chicago, Ill.

RICHARDSON, WILLIS—Playwright.

b. Nov. 1889, Wilmington, N. C.; s. Willis Wilder and Agnes Ann (Harper) Richardson; m. Mary Ellen Jones, Sept. 1, 1914; three children, Jean Paula, b. Aug. 7, 1916; Shirley Antonella, b. Apr. 29, 1918; Noel Justine, b. Aug. 14, 1920; educ. Secondary Sch., Washington, D. C., 1899-1906; M. St. High Sch., Washington, D. C., 1906-10; Corres. Sch. Course in Poetry-Drama, 1916-18; U. S. Govt. Service, Clerk and Mechanic, 1911-present; auth. "The Hope of a Negro Drama," essay, The Crisis, Nov., 1919; "The Deacon's Awakening," a drama, 1921; four plays: "The Brownie's Book," 1921; "The Chip Woman's Fortune," drama, 1922; "Mortgaged," a drama, 1923; "Essays on Drama," Opportunity, 1925; "The Broken Banjo," a play, Crisis, 1926; "Compromise," a play, written for The New Negro, Alain Locke, Editor, published, A. & C. Boni, New York, 1926; Relig. Catholic; Address, 2023 13th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

His first play to be staged was "The Deacon's Awakening" at St. Paul, Minn. in 1921. This was followed by the "The Chip Woman's Fortune," which was produced by the Raymond O'Neil's Ethiopian Art Players in Chicago, Washington and on Broadway, New York, in 1922.

The play "Mortgaged" was staged by the Howard Players under the direction of Montgomery Gregory and Alain Locke at Howard University, in 1923. This play was also produced by the Dunbar Players at Plainfield, N. J. in 1924.

He was awarded the Amy Spingarn Prize in the contest conducted by the Crisis, in 1925, for his play, "The Broken Banjo," which was staged under the auspices of the Crisis.

Awarded Amy Spingarn Prize in 1926 for his drama in three acts, "Bootblack Lover."

RICKS, EDGAR ETHELRED—Clergyman.

b. Sept. 15, 1877, Raleigh, N. C.; s. Harry and Martha F. (Ricks) Ricks; m. Mrs. Lucie E. Robinson, June, 1901; one child, Helen E., b. Nov. 13, 1907; educ. St. Augustine's Episcopal Sch., Raleigh, N. C.; Pub. Sch., Washington, D. C.; Howard Univ. Sch. of Theology, 1901; Corres. Course, languages, La Salle Extension Univ., Chicago, Ill.; D.D. (Honorary), Clayton Williams Univ., Baltimore, Md.; Asst. to Pastor, 9th St. Baptist Ch., Washington, D. C., while student at Howard Univ.; ordained Baptist ministry, 1901; Pastor, St. Philips Ch., Chain Bridge, D. C., 1901-03; St. John's Ch., Arlington, Va., 1903-07; First Baptist Ch., West Washington, D. C., 1907-14; First Baptist Ch., Roanoke, Va., 1914-16; Bethany Baptist Ch., Newark, N. J., 1918-23; Pilgrim Baptist Ch., Newark, N. J., 1923-present; auth. various pamphlets; served as Pres., Alumni Assn., Howard Univ. (Sch. of Theology); Trustee, Stoddard Baptist Old Folks' Home; organized first Christian Endeavor Soc. among Colored Baptists in D. C.; Vice-Pres., D. C. Union Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor; Vice-Pres., Anti-Saloon League, D. C.; Alley Improvement Assn., Odd Fellows Hall Assn., Young Men's Protective League, Washington, D. C.; organized and was Pres., N. A.A.C.P. (Roanoke Branch), two years; Advisory Board, Phyllis Wheatley Y.W.C.A., Newark, N. J.; Vice-Pres. for New Jersey, Lott Carey Foreign Mission Convention; Trustee, Northern Univ.; Delegate, World's Baptist Alliance, Phila., Pa., 1914; Stockholm, Sweden, 1924; Toronto, Canada, 1928; mem. Masons (32°); Knights Templar; Odd Fellows; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 119 Littleton Ave., Newark, N. J.

RICKS, W. EDWARD—Principal of Academy.

b. Sept. 1, 1885, Portsmouth, Va.; s. Allen Grice and Maria (Arrington) Ricks; m. Launard Elizabeth Cobbs, Aug. 22, 1916; one child, Walter Edward Ricks, Jr., b. May 29, 1922; educ. Cappahosic High Sch., 1900-05; Talladega Coll., 1906-07; Oberlin High Sch. and Academy, 1908-10; How. Univ., 1910-16; A.B., 1914; B.D., 1916 How. Univ.; Theol. Sem., New York City, 1920-22; Assistant Pastor, St. John's Congregational Church, 1916-18; Pastor, Hope Congregational Church, 1916-20; Principal of Lincoln Academy, Kings Mountain, N. C., 1922-present; mem. Masons; Phi Beta Sigma; Relig. Congregational Church; Address, Lincoln Academy, Kings Mountain, N. C.

Lincoln Academy is one of the American Missionary Association secondary schools now in its 40th year.

The Y.M.C.A. student conference was organized there and has met here regularly for 13 years; the Y.W.C.A. Girls' Reserve conference, and the Kings Mountain Workers' Conference, a Congregational group, have met there annually since 1923.

RICKS, WILLIAM L.—Lawyer.

b. Apr. 8, 1880, Iowa Falls, Iowa; s. Thos C. and Nancy (Pope) Ricks; m. Mollie Harris, Sept. 18, 1911; one child, William Harris, b. Nov. 1, 1918; educ. Iowa Falls High Sch., 1895; A.B., Univ. of Minnesota, Minneapolis, 1903; LL.B.,

1905; Post Graduate, Coll. of Education, in Minneapolis, 1905-08; Post Graduate, Univ. of Cincinnati, 1911-13; Lawyer, 1907-present; contr. Articles in newspapers and magazines on Race conditions and education; Atty. and Director, Lawndale Rlty. Corp.; Resident Atty., Supreme Life Ins. Co.; Grand Atty., U.B.F., State of Ohio; mem. Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Ohio Bar Assn.; Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Pol. Independent; Relig. Congregational; Address, 612 W. 9th St., Cincinnati, Ohio; Residence, 315 Pendry Ave., Wyoming, Ohio.

RIDLEY, FLORIDA RUFFIN—Writer and Social Worker.

b. Boston, Mass.; d. George Lewis and Josephine (St. Pierre) Ruffin; m. Ulysses A. Ridley; two children, Constance J.; Ulysses A. Ridley, Jr.; educ. Boston Teachers Coll., Boston, Mass.; Boston Univ., Secretarial War Course; Teacher, Grant Sch., Boston, Mass.; Asst Editor, Woman's Era, pub. by J. St. P. Ruffin and F. R. Ridley, 1894-1900; Organizer and Pres., Assn. for Promotion of Child Training in the South; Maintained Kindergarten three years in Atlanta, Ga.; Volunteer Hostess, Camp Upton, L. I., 1917; Directed and conceived Exhibit of Negro Achievement and Abolition Memorials for Benefit L.W.C.S. in Public Library of Boston, Oct., 1923; Chairman, Dept. L.W.C.S.; Co-operative Committee doing social work among Colored people; Corres. Sec., Woman's Era Club, June, 1895; Corres. Sec., 1st Nat. Organization, Nat. Federation of Afro-Amer. Women; Pres., Student Aid Society; Brookline Equal Suffrage Assn., 1894-98; 20th Century Club, Boston, Mass., 1913-15; Women's City Club of Boston, 1913; Executive Sec., Soldiers' Comfort Unit, 1917-19; Board of Directors of Robert Gould Settlement House, 1913-25; Sec., League of Women for Community Service, until June, 1925; Pres., Society of Descendants, Early New England Negroes, 1931-present; Pol. Independent; Relig. Unitarian; Address, c/o U. A. Ridley, 184 Boylston St., Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Florida Ruffin Ridley has lived in and near Boston practically all her life and has been most active in matters affecting her people and her Race. While still a very young woman she was President of Student Aid Society and Corresponding Secretary of the Woman's Era Club at the time that the first convention of Colored Women was called in Boston, June, 1895. She was later appointed Corresponding Secretary of the first National organization, the National Federation of Afro-American Women.

During the years 1894 to 1900 she edited and published, in co-operation with her mother, Mrs. J. St. Pierre Ruffin, the Woman's Era, a monthly magazine devoted to the interests of women of the Race.

Recognizing the fact that the World War meant a great deal to her people, she took a Secretarial War Course at the Boston University in 1916, and on completing it, devoted the following three years to War activities, being Hostess at Camp Upton, situated on Long



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Island, and afterwards Executive Secretary of the Soldiers Comfort Unit, 1917 to 1919. This organization later was called the League of Women for Community Service. She became its Executive Secretary and retained that position until July, 1925.

During the Presidential campaign of 1924 she took up the Democratic side and worked for the Candidate, visiting and speaking in Atlantic City, Wilmington, Del., Trenton, N. J., and other cities in the East.

Won second prize in a literary contest conducted by Opportunity, a monthly magazine published in New York City, in the interests of the National Urban League.

Mrs. Ridley is (1929) Secretary of the Lewis Hayden Memorial Association.

She is a member of the Saturday Night Quill Club, and was first editor of the Social Service News, organ of the Co-operative Committee of Social agencies.

RIDLEY, JOHN R.—Banker.

b. Aug. 22, 1872, Louisburg, N. C.; s. William M. and Annett (Perry) Ridley; m. Mary Haywood, Oct., 1897; eight children, Johnsyemae; Evelyn; Julian; Hannibal; Peter; LeRoy; Walter; John H., Jr.; educ. Albion Acad., Franklinton, N. C.; Vice Pres., Crown Savings Bank, Newport News, Va., 1908-present; Cashier and Director, 1926-present; Director, Bankers Fire Insurance Co., Durham, N. C.; Director, Bay Shore Hotel Co., Old Point Comfort, Va., 1918-present; mem. Emergency Relief Committee, Newport News, Va., 1931-present; Grand Treas., K. of P., State of Virginia; Grand Sec., Grand United Order Knights and Daughters of Tabor; Sec. and Manager, Pythian Castle Assn.; mem. K. of P.; Elks; Masons; Knights and Daughters of Tabor; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 2411 Jefferson Ave.; Residence, 2404 Marshall Ave., Newport News, Va.

He donated a plot of ground to the Carver Memorial Presbyterian Church on which was erected a church costing \$32,000.

The Crown Bank, of which he is the Cashier, was permitted to open for business on the first day that all other sound State banks were opened. This bank has an authorized capitalization of \$100,000.

RIERAS, JOSEPH HARRISON—Architect.

b. Dec. 31, 1892, New Orleans, La.; s. Isidro and Caroline M. V. (Rogers); m. Beatrice D. Landix, Sept. 15, 1915; four children, Vera Montez, b. Aug. 24, 1917; Anita Rose, b. April 30, 1919; Joseph Harrison, b. March 30, 1921; Isidro, J. b. May 1, 1923; educ. A. and M. Coll., 1908; Southern Univ., 1910; Professional Teachers' Coll., Southern Univ., 1922; Wilson Engineering Corp.; Prof., Physics and Chemistry, St. Joseph's Coll., Montgomery, Ala., 1911-12; Junior Engineer, Kokosky & Co., 1912-14; Prof., Mechanical Drafting, Houston Senior High Sch., 1914-present; Architectural Engineer, 1920-pres-

ent; mem. American Technical Soc.; Business and Professional Men's Club; Urban League; N.A.A.C.P.; Nat. Builder's Conference; Kappa Alpha Psi; Elks; Knights of Peter Clavar; Pol. Republican; Relig. Catholic; Address, Yates Senior High School, 2322 Rice St., Houston, Texas.

RINGER, THOMAS TAZEWEEL—County Tr. Sch. Principal.

b. May 5, 1885, Troup County, Ga.; s. (Rev.) M. L. and Mollie (Philpot) Ringer; m. Cora Pearl McMillan, June 22, 1911; four children, Belle C. Ringer, b. Aug. 23, 1914; Thomas T. Ringer, Jr., b. April 8, 1916; Sadie E., b. Sept. 17, 1918; Clarence S., b. Nov. 12, 1920; educ. Snow Hill Inst., Ala., 1904-08; Hampton Inst., two years; also summer sch.; Director, Academic Dept., Laurinburg Inst., 1908-11; Supervisor, Colored Schs., Duplin County, N. C., 1913-17; Principal of County Training Schs., 1917-present; mem. Masons; Relig. Baptist; Address, Rocky Point, N. C.

RIVERS, FRANCIS ELLIS—Lawyer.

b. July 30, 1893, Kansas City, Kan.; s. David Foote and Silene (Gale) Rivers; m. Lucie Ellen Miller, May 27, 1918; educ. M. St. High Sch., Washington, D. C., 1905-10; Yale Coll., 1911-15; A.B. 1915; Harvard Law Sch., 1915-16; LL. B. Columbia Univ., 1922; Lawyer, 1922-present; Assemblyman, State of New York, 1930-32; 1st Lieut. 367th Infantry, Oct., 1917-May, 1919; mem. Assn. of the Bar of the City of New York; N. Y. County Lawyers' Assn.; Theta Sigma; Elks; Masons; Address, 233 Broadway; Residence, 13 St. Nicholas Pl., New York, N. Y.

He has the distinction of being the first man of his race to be elected to membership in the Association of the Bar of the City of New York.

He proved his outstanding ability as an Assemblyman in 1930 by having enacted into law The Rivers Court Bill which gave New York City the first two Colored Judges. Another law that he had enacted was the River Repair Bill which improved living conditions in apartment houses.

RIVERS, JOSEPH D. D.—Publisher.

b. 1858, Lowden County, Va.; s. Joseph and Mary Rivers; m. Richie Josephine Smith, 1893; one child, Vivian Greenwood, Nov. 20, 1894; educ. Hampton Inst., Va.; Publisher, Colorado Statesman, a weekly newspaper; was License Inspector, Commissioner of Supplies, House of Representatives and Sergt.-at-Arms; mem. Odd Fellows; Knights of Pythias; President and Treas., Western Loan & Investment Assn.; Executive Board, Denver Colored Civic Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Shorter Community Church; Address, 1824 Curtis St.; Residence, 224 West 11th Ave., Denver, Colo.

ROBERSON, ARTHUR WILLIAM—Physician.

b. Oct. 10, 1894, Fort Worth, Tex.; s. Stephen L. and Maria (Fry) Roberson; m. Essie Jordan, Sept. 4, 1920; educ. Wiley Univ., 1912-15; Meharry Med. Coll., 1915-19; M.D., 1919; Physician, 1919-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Cook Co. Med. Assn.; Elks; Po' Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 5301 S. State St., Chicago, Ill.

ROBERSON, JAMES W.—Real Estate Broker. b. March 28, 1868, Union, S. C.; s. Harvey and Mary (Nicholas) Roberson; m. Henrietta Brown, 1890 (deceased); three children, James W., Jr., b. 1891; Benjamin F., b. 1893; Clara, b. 1894; educ. Pub. Sch., Union S. C.; Benedict Coll.; worked on a farm in S. C., for 5 years; in a Banking Institution, Washington, D. C., 8 months; Buffet Man, Pullman Company, 2 yrs.; proprietor, cafe in Jersey City, N. J., 5 years; Real Estate Operator and Broker, 1908-present; mem. Bd. of Directors, Northeastern Life Ins. Co., Newark, N. J.; Bd. of Directors and Real Estate Manager, Ideal Investment Co., Jersey City, N. J.; Treas., A. F. & A. M.; King David Lodge No. 7, Jersey City, N. J., 1922-present; G.U.O. of Antelopes of America, Inc.; County Committeeman; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist (Bd. of Trustees since 1917); Address, 629 Communipaw Ave., Jersey City, N. J.

ROBERT, JOSEPH W.—Physician.

b. July 15, 1879, Blue Mount, Va.; s. Presley and Nellie (Weaver) Roberts; m. Blossie Hall, Jan. 28, 1913; one child, John Edward, b. Jan. 1, 1915; educ. B.S. Virginia Union Univ., 1900; M. D. Howard Univ., 1908; Interne Freedmen's Hosp., 1908; Physician, 1907-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; County and State Med. Assn.; Sherwood Rifle and Pistol Club, Phila.; Harrisburg and Phila. Sharpshooters Club; Masons; Elks; Kappa Alpha Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1426 N. 18th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

ROBERTS, ADELBERT N.—Lawyer.

b. Aug., 1864, Decatur, Mich.; educ. Lawrence, Mich., High Sch.; Univ. of Mich.; LL.B., Northwestern Univ.; appointed Clerk Municipal Ct. of Chicago, 1906; first Negro to be elected to State Senate of Ill.; served three terms in General Assembly of Ill.; mem. Xi Lambda; Alpha Phi Alpha; Appomattox Club; Masons; Odd Fellows; director, Binga State Bank; Address, 3432 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

ROBERTS, CARL GLENNIS—Surgeon.

b. Dec. 15, 1886, Roberts' Settlement, Hamilton County, Ind.; s. John A. and Nancy E. (Simpson) Roberts; m. Lucille Eleanor Williams, Jan. 1, 1908; two children, Beverly Yvonne, b. May 23, 1915; Carl G. Roberts, Jr., b. Sept. 8, 1919; educ. Fairmount High Sch. and Academy, 1901-05; Chicago Coll. of Med. and Surgery, Valparaiso Univ., 1907-11; M.D., 1911; ex-Interne German American Hosp., 1911; General practice, 1911-present; Gynecologist, Provident Hosp., 1916-30; German American Hosp., 1918-22; Senior Surgeon, Attending Staff, Chicago General Hosp., 1922-29; mem. Courtesy Staff, St. Elizabeth Hos., 1930-present; Commandant of Sanitary Corps, Chicago Chapter, American Red Cross, 1918-20; mem. Pres., Nat. Med. Assn., 1926-27; Am. Med. Assn.; Ill. Med. Assn.; Chicago Med. Soc.; Cook Co. Physicians Assn.; Tri-State Med. Soc., Chicago Pediatric Soc., John A. Andrew Clinical Soc., ex-President of Chicago P. D. & P. Assn.; Chicago Assembly; Hoosiers; Appomattox and Forty Club; Sigma Pi Phi; Kappa Alpha Psi; Masons; Foresters; Y.M.C.A.; ex-President of Chicago Branch N. A.A.C.P.; Board of Directors, Chicago Mortgage and Finance Co. and Chicago Radium Corp.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Protestant; Ad-

dress, 152 W. Division St.; Residence, 420 E. 50th St., Chicago, Ill.

Dr. Roberts was the first colored graduate of the Medical department of Valparaiso University.

During the World War he organized the first colored sanitary corps of Red Cross and was the first Commandant commissioned of the Race.

He served as a lecturer in Protestant Churches (white) on the subject of "Racial Relationship" when he was a member of the Inter-racial committee of Illinois.

He is a member of the Board of Governors of the Chicago Assembly.

ROBERTS, EUGENE P.—Physician.

b. Oct. 5, 1868, Louisburg, N. C.; m. Mollie Beatty, June 6, 1900 (deceased); second marriage, Ruth M. Logan, Dec. 14, 1917; educ. Pub. Sch., Louisburg, N. C.; A.B., Lincoln Univ., 1891; M.A., Lincoln Univ.; M.D., New York Homeopathic Med. Assn. and Flower Hosp., 1894; Physician, 1892-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn., New York County Med. Soc., New York Materia Med. Soc.; Medical-Chirurgical Soc.; Academy Pathological Science, Durham Med. Club, Med. Soc. of Inspectors of Greater New York; Inspector of Dept. of Health and Lecturer on Care of Babies in Public Schs. of New York City; Physician-in-Charge, St. Cyprian's Baby Clinic; Chairman, Y.M.C.A., 135th St. Br.; Exec. Bd., Nat. Urban League; Committee for Improving Industrial Conditions of Colored People of New York City; Nat. League for the Protection of Negro Women; Southern Beneficial Soc.; Hotel Bellman's Beneficial Assn.; was mem. Bd. of Education, City of New York; Pres., Lincoln Univ. Alumni Assn.; Trustee, Lincoln Univ., 1928-present; Address, 130 W. 130th St., New York, N. Y.

He has the distinction of being the first colored man to be elected to membership on the Board of Trustees of Lincoln University.

ROBERTS, IDA ENGINE—Preacher.

b. Jan. 29, 1867, Cleveland County, N. C.; d. (Rev.) Benjamin F. and Sophia Roberts; m. John Wesley Roberts, April 4, 1884; six children, Dathula Jane, b. March 4, 1887; Dilutha Pearl, b. July 28, 1889; Beebe Dacosta, b. Aug. 8, 1892; John Ida, b. April 4, 1901; Bannaka DeObay, b. March 3, 1906; Daeira Usea, b. Sept. 8, 1908; educ. Shelby (N. C.) Graded and High Sch.; self-taught; Teacher, public schools of N. C., thirty-six years; Music Teacher, schools and private homes for twenty-eight years; Pres., W. M. Soc. of the C.M. Church for twenty-three years; Licensed Preacher for thirty-four years; first woman ordained in the C.M.E. Ch., 1915; Pres., Civic League (Shelby, N. C.), 1910-14; Pres., Red Cross (Shelby, N. C.), 1916-19; mem. Eastern Star, Household of Ruth; Pol. Republican; Relig. C.M.E. Church; Address, R. 6, Box 2, Shelby, N. C.

ROBERTS, JOHN WESLEY—Clergyman.

b. Jan. 29, 1862, Cleveland County, N. C.; s.

George and Jane Roberts; m. Ida E. Roberts, April 4, 1884; six children, Dathula Jane, b. March 4, 1887; Dilutha Pearl, b. July 28, 1889; Beebe Dacosta, b. Aug. 8, 1892; John Ida, b. April 4, 1891; Bannaka DeObly, b. March 3, 1906; Dacira Usea, b. Sept. 8, 1908; educ. State Normal Sch., Fayetteville, N. C., 1877-81; Biddle Univ., Charlotte, N. C., 1889-91; Correspondence Sch., 1900-03; also 1910-16; B.S., 1916; D.D., Church Coll., 1917; Teacher public schools in North Carolina, 1881-1926; Preacher, 1885-present; ordained in the ministry of the C.M.E. Ch. in 1885; Publisher, Christian Sun, 1896-1900; Editor, Index-Herald, C.M.E. Church, 1922-26; Farmer, for the past thirty years; mem. Odd Fellows; A.F. & A.M.; Pol. Republican; Relig. C.M.E. Church; Address, R. 6, Box 2, Shelby, N. C.

ROBERTS, JOSEPH W.—Physician.

b. July 15, 1879, Blue Mount, Va.; s. Fresley and Nellie (Weaver) Roberts; m. Blossie Hall, Jan. 28, 1913; one child, John Edward, b. Jan. 1, 1915; educ. B.S., Virginia Union Univ., 1900; M. D., Howard Univ., 1903; Physician, 1907-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Am. Med. Assn.; County and State Med. Assn.; Sherwood Rifle and Pistol Club, of Philadelphia; Harrisburg and Phila. Sharpshooters' Club; Masons; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1126 N. 18th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

During the World War he was made Commissioner of National Council of Defense for the State of Maryland.

ROBERTSON, ANDREW GEORGE—Physician.

b. Nov. 22, 1878, Selma, Ala.; s. Henry G. and Henrietta (Kelly) Robertson; m. Wilma Pettiford, Apr. 26, 1911; three children, Pettiford, b. Jan. 15, 1912; Andrew G., Jr., b. Apr. 25, 1913; Walter, b. Dec. 30, 1914; educ. Selma Univ., 1901; M.D., Shaw Univ., 1905; Physician, 1905-present; ex-Supt. Virginia McCormick Hosp., Normal, Ala.; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; ex-Pres., Alabama Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Birmingham Dist. Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 606 Masonic Temple; Residence, 614 N. 16th St., Birmingham, Ala.

ROBERTSON, SAMUEL EDWARD—Physician.

b. Feb. 4, 1895, Newbury, S. C.; s. Charles and Ellen (Reese) Robertson; m. Blanche Thompson, June 12, 1926; educ. Newbury Graded Sch.; A.B. Lincoln Univ., 1916; M.D. Temple Univ., 1923; Physician, 1924-present; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; K. of P.; Elks; Academy of Med. and Allied Science; Nat. Med. Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 1801 W. Berks St., Phila., Pa.

ROBESON, PAUL—Actor-Concert Singer.

b. April 9, 1898, Princeton, N. J.; s. William D. and Lousa (Bustill) Robeson; m. Eslanda Cardoza Goode, Aug. 17, 1921; educ. Rutgers Coll., New Jersey, 1915-19; A.B., Rutgers Coll., 1919; Columbia Univ., Law Sch., 1920-23; LL.B. Columbia Univ., 1923; Actor, 1922-present; Concert Singer, April, 1925-present; in "Taboo," New York, 1922; England, 1922; "Emperor Jones," New York, 1923; "All God's Chillun,"

New York, 1923; "Emperor Jones," England, 1925; "Black Boy," New York, 1926; "Show Boat," London, England; mem. Phi Beta Kappa, Cap and Skull, Philoclean (Rutgers Coll.), Alpha Phi Alpha, Sigma Tau Sigma; Relig. Methodist; Address, c/o Ziegfeld's Show Boat, London, England.

He studied for a time at Lincoln University, Pennsylvania, and then entered Rutgers College in 1915. He was an honor man throughout his entire college career. One of the first of his class to win a Phi Beta Kappa key. He played football 4 years, baseball 3 years, basketball 2 years, and in his third year competed in track, thus winning the coveted title of "4 letter man." He won the freshman prize in oratory, and the sophomore and junior prizes in extempore speaking. He was a member of the glee club, of Philoclean, and the debating teams. He was chosen by Walter Camp for All-American football end in 1917 and 1918, and because of this and other honors was taken into the honorary Senior Society of Cap and Skull.

While in Law School at Columbia University he became interested in the theatre, and first appeared in an amateur production of "Simeon the Cyrenian." Following that he played the leading role in "Taboo," opposite Miss Margaret Wycherly in New York, and opposite Mrs. Patrick Campbell in England. Later he played the title role in Eugene O'Neill's "Emperor Jones," both in New York and in London. He concluded an engagement on Broadway, New York, in the "Black Boy," 1926.

In April, 1925, he and his associate, Lawrence Brown, gave the first concert of All-Negro music ever given by individual artists on the stage.

ROBINSON, BILL—Actor.

b. May 25, 1878, Richmond, Va.; s. Maxwell and Maria Robinson; m. Fannie S. Clay, Feb. 27, 1922; educ. Pub. Sch., Richmond, Va.; Dancer and Actor, 1885-present; Instructor, Master Dancers, New York City; Spanish-American War, 1898; World War, 1917-18; Honorary Member, Dancing Masters' Assn. of America; Honorary Member, The Grand Street Boys, New York City, N. Y.; Winner, First Prize, for dancing at the National Dancing Contests, given by the McFadden Dance Magazine, four seasons in succession, 1928-29-30-31; was presented with a solid gold revolver by the New York City Police Dept.; Special Deputy Sheriff, New York County, and was presented with a solid gold badge by the Sheriff; Appointed by Lieut.-Gov. Theodore W. Metcalf, State of Nebraska, Admiral of the Great Navy of the State of Nebraska; mem. Elks; Y.M.C.A.; Appomattox Club, Chicago, Ill.; The American Legion; Grand Street Boys Post, New York City; Metropolitan Assn.; Amateur Athletic Union, U. S.; New Jersey State Assn. Police Chiefs; Ill. Police Assn.; Honorary mem. New Jersey State

Police Dept.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Catholic; Address, 1564 Broadway; Residence, 2588 7th Ave., New York City, N. Y.

He is considered the dean of all American buck and wing dancers, and was the first to introduce stair dancing to vaudeville. He has appeared voluntarily and without pay at many charitable benefit performances.

Dancing, however, is not the only profession of which he is the leader. He holds the record for backward running having covered the distance of 75 yards in 8 1/5 seconds.

He starred in the following Musical Comedies, "Brown Buddies" and "Blackbirds of 1927," and is a Vaudeville headliner conducting his own Revues. He was also the Star in the moving picture "Harlem is Heaven," and the dancing star in the picture "Dixiana."

He was presented with an engraved Key to the City of Richmond in appreciation for a traffic light which he gave to the City. In passing this particular corner he noted that many school children were in danger of their lives on account of the continuous traffic and he asked the City of Richmond to accept the traffic light to protect their lives.

In the month of Feb. 1934, he was installed as "Mayor of Harlem" by the League of Locality Mayor's, Inc. Since then he has opened a playground at 150th St., and 7th Ave., New York City, that serves more than three hundred children daily. John D. Rockefeller Corp., gave him use of the ground, while the City Park Dept., installed the playground equipment, now known as the "Bill Robinson Playground." Mr. Robinson just completed four pictures, "Little Colonel", "In Old Kentucky", "Hooray for Love", and "The Big Broadcast of 1935." Other pictures are "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farms," "One Mile From Heaven," 1937; "Just Around the Corner," "Road Demon," and "Up the River," in 1938, for 20th Century Fox Studios.

He starred in the musical show "Hot Mikado" at the New York World's Fair during the year 1939, and later toured the United States with the same show lasting for 56 weeks.

ROBINSON, COLLINS HARVEY—Financial Agent.

b. Feb. 9, 1885, near Marianna, Fla.; s. Collins H. and Mary Eliza Robinson; m. Willie Calvin, Dec. 14, 1916; four children, Edwin Ariel, b. Sept. 17, 1917; Alfred Irving, b. Sept. 12, 1919; Ruselle Willie, b. Sept. 16, 1921; Collins Harvey, b. Oct. 19, 1923; educ. Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1905-10; Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala., 1912-15; Pastor, Woodbury Congregational Church, Lake Charles, La., 1915-19; Financial Agent, Tuskegee Inst., since March 1, 1919, in New

York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, with Headquarters in Rochester, N. Y.; mem. Western N. Y. Assn. of Congregational Churches; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 169 Mitchell St., Rochester, N. Y.

ROBINSON, EDWARD CLAY—Physician.

b. Feb. 19, 1879, Orangeburg, S. C.; s. Tony William and Amrintha (Thompson) Robinson; m. Corrine L. Johnson, Sept. 3, 1903; second marriage, Ruby Inez Thomas, Aug., 1925; one child, Edwin (deceased); educ. Claflin Univ., Orangeburg, S. C., 1897; M.D., Shaw Univ., Leonard Med. Coll., Raleigh, N. C., 1901; Physician, 1901-present; Med. Examiner, K. of P., 1905-present; Med. Examiner, Jonathan and David Lodges, 1929-present; Treas., Stoney Med. Soc., 1931-present; mem. Executive Committee, Georgia Med. Dental and Pharm. Assn., 1930-present; mem. K. of P.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Ga. State Med., Dental. Pharm. Assn.; Stoney Med. Soc.; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 1015 9th St.; Residence, 1506 Twigg St., Augusta, Ga.

ROBINSON, ERNEST AUGUSTUS—Physician.

b. Pee Dee, N. C.; s. D. C. and Charity E. (McNeill) Robinson; m. Adelaide Sears; educ. B.A., Livingstone Coll., 1911; M.D., Howard Med. Sch., 1915; Interne, Freedmen's Hosp.; Physician, 1915-present; Asst. Clinician in Ophthalmology, Freedmen's Hosp.; Vice-Pres., New Jersey Tennis Assn.; mem. Boy Scouts Troop committee, No. 44; Chairman, Trustee Bd., Asbury Park Tennis Club; N. Jersey Med. Soc.; F. and A. M. Lodge No. 48; Monmouth Lodge of Elks; K. of P.; Samuel W. Gordan Consistory No. 50; Pol. Republican; Address, 149 Atkin Ave., Asbury Park, N. J.

ROBINSON, MRS. LILLA B.

b. Feb. 19, 1879, Cokesburg, S. C.; d. M. M. and Charity A. (Nash) Mauce; educ. Hoge High Sch., Newberry, S. C.; Grand Worthy, Juvenile Matron of Order of Calanthe, K. of P., Jurisdiction of Fla., 1921-present; Rec. Sec., State Federation of C.W.C. (Fla.); 1st Pres., Parent Teachers Assn., Hillsboro County; Chairman, Exec. Bd., City Federation; C.W.C. (Tampa, Fla.), Ada Chapter, O.E.S.; Bay City Temple; Elks; Hermone Ct. No. 15, O.O.C.; Dist. Pres., A.C.E.L.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, Box 994; Residence, 1513 Pierce St., Tampa, Fla.

ROBINSON, PHILIP COOLEY—Dentist.

b. Aug. 20, 1892, Tottenville, S. I., N. Y.; s. Willis and Mary Louise Robinson; m. Genevieve N. Byrd, Oct. 1, 1925; educ. Commercial High Sch., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Townsend Harris Prep. Sch., Coll. of the City of N. Y.; D.M.D., Harvard Dental Sch.; Dentist, 1925-present; mem. Omega Phi Psi; Masons; Address 855 Fulton St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

ROBINSON, WILLIAM ALBERT—Educator.

b. June 12, 1890, Danville, Va.; s. Daniel Albert and Annie Watson (Day) Robinson; m. Mable Vernon Steele, Sept. 21, 1921; one child, William Albert, b. July 8, 1922; educ. Elementary Sch., Durham, N. C., 1904; Elementary Sch., Sewickley, Penn., 1904-05; A. and T. Coll., Greensboro, N. C., 1905-06; Atlanta Univ., At-



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lanta, Ga.; High Sch. and Coll., 1906-13; A.B. Atlanta Univ., 1913; B.S. Teachers Coll., Columbia Univ., N. Y. C., 1919-20; A.M. Teachers Coll., 1924; Teacher, Nat. Training Sch., Durham, N. C., 1913-15; Teacher, Central High Sch., Louisville, Ky., 1915-18; Army Sec., Y.M.C.A., 1918-19; Supervisor, High Sch. and Teacher Training, Division Negro Education, N. C. State Department of Education, Raleigh, N. C., 1921-28; Principal, Austin High Sch., Knoxville, Tenn., 1928-31; Principal, Atlanta Univ., Laboratory High Sch., 1931-present; Pres., Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schs., 1926-27; Chmn. Executive Committee, N.A.T.C.S., 1927-28; mem. Nat. Advisory Committee on Negro Education; Associated Editor, N.A.T.C.S. Bulletin, 1926-1938; mem. Masons; Alpha Phi Alpha; Relig. Protestant Episcopal Church; Address, Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga.

ROBINSON, WILLIAM JAMES — Publisher
Managing Editor.

b. Jan. 11, 1876, Williston, S. C.; s. Tenk and Julia Robinson; m. Hattie Gibbs, Oct. 3, 1906; one child, Hattie Robinson, b. May 9, 1917; educ. Pub. Sch., Cleveland, O.; Engaged in coal, insurance, banking, real estate business for twenty-one years; Founder and Managing Editor, Detroit Independent (weekly), 1922-present; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Masons; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 405 Gratiot St., Detroit, Mich.

RODDY, ROY J.—School Principal.

b. April 6, 1896, Harriman, Tenn.; s. Luke L. and Ivy Mae (Dickerson) Roddy; m. Theunis Doughty, June 8, 1919; educ. Agricultural and Industrial Coll., Nashville, Tenn.; Summer Course, Normal Dept.; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., Summer Course; Teacher, Vocational Agricultural, Shelby Co. Training Sch., Lucy, Tenn., 1920-present; Principal, Shelby Co. Training Sch., 1927-present; mem. Masons; King Frederick Consistory No. 38, Memphis, Tenn.; Shelby Co. Teachers' Assn.; Tenn. State Teachers' Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Shelby Co. Training School, Lucy, Tenn.

ROGERS, ELMER L.—Editor and Publisher.

b. Dec., 1877, Oxford, Miss.; s. Willis and Nancy (Threlkeld) Rogers; educ. Pub. Schs., Oxford, Miss.; studied law, private tutor, Springfield, Ill.; Business Coll., 8 months; first editor Oxford, Miss., Enterprise, 1898-99; Editor, The Forum, Springfield, Ill., 1905-18; Editor and Publisher, Ill. Conservator, Springfield, Ill., 1918-present; Stock Clerk, Dept. of Health, 1920-present; Civil Service; mem. Knights of Pythias; Knights of Honor; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 1006 E. Washington St.; Residence, 905 S. 14th St., Springfield, Ill.

ROGERS, GARFIELD DEVÖE—Undertaker-
Real Estate Broker.

b. Jan. 23, 1885, Upson County, Ga.; s. Raymond Shepard and Mary Isabell (Croffard) Rogers; m. Minnie Lee Thompson, Oct. 9, 1909; eight children, Louise Elizabeth, b. Oct. 25, 1910; Garfield DeVoe Rogers, Jr., b. July 25, 1916; Eleanor Earnestine, b. Feb. 18, 1918; Jonnie Marie, b. Dec. 30, 1920; Hallique, b. Jan. 18,

1922; William Calvin, b. Feb. 23, 1924; Medesta Alfrae, b. June 28, 1926; Samuel Joshua Kenneth, b. Sept. 8, 1930; Mary Isabell, b. Sept. 9, 1934; educ. Thomaston Pub. Sch., 1891-99; Correspondence course, Columbia Correspondence Coll., Washington, D. C., and correspondence course in Law, Am. Corr. Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1915-18; Real Estate Broker, Licensed Embalmer, 1924-present; Pres., Central Life Ins. Co., 1416 N. Boulevard, Tampa, Fla.; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Am. Workman; Pres. of the local Business League; Commission, Inter-Racial Committee; Supervisor of the schs. of Manatee County; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church; Address, 1416 N. Blvd., Tampa, Fla.; Residence, Cor. 10th Ave. and Third St., Bradenton, Fla.

ROGERS, JOEL AUGUSTUS—Author-Journalist.

b. Sept., 1883, Jamaica, B.W.I.; s. Samuel John and Emily (Johnstone) Rogers; educ. self-educated; Contributing Editor, The Messenger Magazine; auth. "From Superman to Man," published, 1917; "As Nature Leads," 1919; "The Approaching Storm," 1920; "The Maroons of the West Indies and South America," 1921; "The Ku Klux Klan, Past and Present," 1922; "This Mongrel World," a Study of Negro-Caucasian Mixing Throughout the Ages, and in All Countries, 1927; "World's Greatest Men of African Descent," 1931; all books published by the Author; Novels: "Blood Money," 1923; "The Golden Door," 1927; Articles in various newspapers throughout the country: "Impressions of Europe," "Impressions of Dixie," "Jazz at Home," pub. Survey Graphic and The New Negro Alain Locke, Editor, pub. A. & C. Boni, New York, 1925; "The British West Indies," Messenger, 1925; "The American Negro in Europe," American Mercury, May, 1930; various other articles on Race Subjects in newspapers and periodicals: "The Real Facts About Ethiopia," 1935; Served four years in the British Army, Royal Garrison, Heavy Artillery; (travelled extensively in European Countries); War Corres., Italo-Ethiopia War, 1935-36; mem. Société d'Anthropologie, Paris, France; Address, 37 Morningside Ave., New York, N. Y.

He was present at the Coronation of Emperor Haile Selassie I, of Abyssinia in 1930, and was entertained at luncheon by the Emperor.

He toured in Egypt and the Sudan.

His latest book is entitled "Sex and Race". It has created quite a sensation.

ROGERS, WILLIAM QUINCY—Clergyman.

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ROMAN, CHARLES LIGHTFOOT—Physician.

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He was the second Negro to be appointed Adjunct Gynecologist of the Harlem Hospital. Received the appointment in 1927. He has contributed several articles on Gynecological subjects. After finding segregation in the State Penal Institution for Girls, he was appointed by Governor Lehman to assist other members of the committee to make an investigation. The results of this investigation have caused a great change in the treatment of Negro girls in New York State Reform Schools.

He was appointed by the New York State Civil Service Commission as Physician for the New York County Prison. The oath of office was administered by Sheriff Daniel E. Finn, Jr., and this is the first time a Colored man has held such a position at the New York County Jail.

ROSS, MARTHA HALL—Educator.

b. Washington, Pa.; d. Bishop Isaacs Nelson and Mary (Fletcher) Ross; educ. Central High Sch., Columbus, O., 1900; Walnut Hills High Sch., Cincinnati, O., 1902; B. A., Univ. of Cincinnati, 1906; Graduate Student, Univ. of Cincinnati; Principal, Douglass Night Sch., Cincinnati, O., 1907-08; Teacher, Elementary Sch., 1908-20; Asst. Executive Sec., Negro Civic Welfare Assn., Community Chest, Cincinnati, O., 1920-25; Teacher, French, Latin and English, Douglass Jr. High Sch., 1928-31; Teacher-in-Charge, Douglas Colony, 1933-present; Past Vice Pres., Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Grand Chapter; Past Elected mem. Executive Committee, Nat. Assn. of Coll. Women; mem. Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; Federated Clubs; Fidelia Club; National Educational Assn.; Southwestern Ohio Teachers Assn.; Parliamentarian. Southwestern District Ohio Federation of Colored Women's Clubs; mem. Advisory Committee Metropolitan Housing Authority; Case Committee of Children's Home; mem. Executive Committee, Negro Welfare, Community Chest. Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E.; Address, 866 Buena Vista Pl., Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, O.



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He was given a license to preach in 1930, and ordained an Elder in 1934 in Houston, Texas. He volunteered in the World War and finished his military course at Howard University in Washington in 1918.

The Jasper Negro High School, of which he became principal, had at that time two small buildings and one acre of ground. Under his administration this has been increased to 11 acres and a \$30,000 high school unit, a fully accredited high school, up-to-date library, and a teachers' building.

ROWLETTE, CECIL LANGSTON—Lawyer.

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He is the first Colored man to have been elected to the Senate in the State of Michigan. His record as a Senator has been very good and among the laws that he introduced and had enacted was the Civil Rights Bill, giving the same rights to all Citizens. He also introduced a Resolution in the State Senate to prevent discrimination at the University of Michigan

and which has resulted with a better understanding ever since.

RUCKER, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN—Physician.—See 3rd Edition.
Died.**RUCKER, CLIFFORD E.**—Accountant, Finance Department, State of Minnesota.

Born, Boulder, Colorado; educated: Howard University, Washington, D. C., Minnesota College of Law; and University of Minnesota; Instructor, Tuskegee Institute, Ala. 5 years. Ex-Manager, Economy Market, Minneapolis; formerly Teacher for State Department of Education; formerly Clerk of Minnesota State Legislature 1936; State Accountant, Finance Department, State Capitol, 1937-present; Chairman, for Attorney-General Committee; Chairman, Minnesota Negro Council; Member, Roosevelt Club; Farmer-Labor Association; Sterling Club; Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity; Politics: Farmer-Labor. Address 1103 Lyndale Ave. North, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

RUCKER, J. L.—Clergyman.

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RUSH, MRS. GERTRUDE E.—Lawyer.

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In 1910 Mrs. Rush entered Des Moines College, and in 1914 received the degree of Bachelor of Arts from that institution. In 1908, she began the study of law with her husband as instructor.

In 1912, Mrs. Rush organized the Charity League, a welfare organization for colored people. Through this organization a colored probation officer was appointed in the Juvenile Court in Des Moines, Iowa; also, a case worker in the Associated Charities of the City. The League has also established a home where working girls can room for a small expense.

In 1918, she passed the examination and was admitted to the Iowa Bar, being the first colored woman admitted to practice law in the State of Iowa.

In 1920, she was appointed Chairman of the Citizenship Department of the Women's Auxiliary to the National Baptist Convention; and in 1924, she was elected attorney for the Women's Convention Auxiliary to the National Baptist Convention.

RUSSELL, AARON A.—Dentist.

b. Nov. 1, 1867, Baltimore, Md.; s. Aaron and Catherine (Jacobs) Russell; two children, Hilda, Aaron; educ. Spencerian Business Coll., Washington, D. C.; D.D.S., Howard Dental Sch., 1903; Dentist, 1903-present; ex-Pres., Parent Teachers' Assn.; Lecturer, Demonstrator and Examiner, Boy Scout and Scout Master, Troop 501; mem. Elks; Pol. Independent; Relig. Roman Catholic; Address, 1217 S St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

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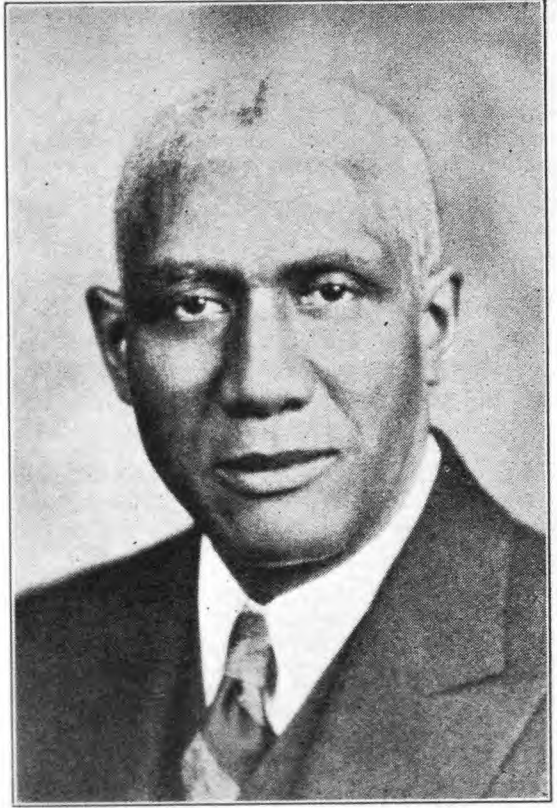
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SADLER, JAMES E. — Electrical Contractor-Realtor.

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SAMPSON, MILTON JACOB—Lawyer.

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He was the all-Southwestern Center in 1921, all-American in 1922, all-Southwestern in 1923-24, all-Southern, 1926. He also travelled all over the New England States with the Phils and Giants baseball teams.

SANDERS, WALTER R.—Res. U.S.A. Officer.

b. March 23, 1881, Charleston, S. C.; educ. Pub. Sch., Charleston, S. C., 1895; Entered the United States Lighthouse service, September 30, 1897, served on board the U.S.S. Wisteria (supply ship) and discharged October 30, 1899; Enlisted U.S.A., Oct. 2, 1900; served in Cuba; discharged Oct. 1, 1903; Re-enlisted Oct. 2, 1903; Appointed Corporal, Nov. 22, 1905; Sergeant, July 12, 1906; Served in Philippines, April 2, 1907-09; Qualified as Sharpshooter, Aug. 1909; also 1910; Served on Mexican Border, 1913-14; Qualified as Expert Rifleman and Pistol Expert, 1915; Served in Mexico, March 16, 1916-February 5, 1917; Student at Officers' Training School, Fort Des Moines, Iowa, June 5, 1917-July, 1917; selected as Instructor at School; Commissioned Captain, Infantry Reserve, October 15, 1917, assigned to 317th Engineers, Transferred to 365th Infantry, April 28, 1918; served in France as Captain, Company E, June 19, 1918-February, 1919; appointed Warrant Officer, U. S. A., December 22, 1920; served at Howard Univ.; Assigned to Duty, Division Headquarters, Philippine Islands, Feb., 1921; served in P.I. until 1923; in service at Headquarters, 1st Corps Area, Boston, Mass.; Passed examinations and commissioned Major, Inf. Res. U. S. Army, June 14, 1926; Retired from active duty, Dec. 12, 1928; Address, 105 Humboldt Ave., Roxbury, Mass.

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b. Oct. 16, 1874, Figgsboro, Henry County, Va.; s. Robert and Diana W. (Lester) Sanders; m. Lucinda P. Yancey, May 27, 1915; educ. Lincoln Univ., Pa., 1892-97; A.B., Lincoln Univ., 1900; S.T.B., 1900; A.M., 1900; Ph.D., Lincoln Univ., Chester Pa., 1933; Minister, 1900-09; Teacher, 1909-13; State Librarian, 1913-14; State Supervisor of Negro Schools, 1914-present; ex-Pres., Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Col. Schs.; mem. of N. E.A. Committees on relations between White and Negro Teachers of Amer.; auth. "Report on Negro Education in West Virginia," pub. Tribune Pub. Co., 1922; "Report on Negro Education in West Virginia," pub. Jarrett Pub. Co., 1926; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Golden Rule; St. Luke's; Kappa Alpha Psi, Boule; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 1034 Bridge Ave., Charleston, West Virginia.

While a student in the University, he was instructor of Greek. After graduation he spent 9 years in the ministry. Relinquishing his

ministerial charge in 1909, he associated himself with the McDowell Times of Keystone, W. Va., and besides his duties as reporter, he taught in the public schools.

Became State Librarian 1913 and in 1914 was appointed State Supervisor of Negro Schools, serving until 1933.

He has served as President of the National Association of Teachers in Colored Schools, and at the Louisville meeting he was made Executive Secretary in 1933, with permanent headquarters in Washington, D. C.

He is a member of one of the N.E.A. committees on relations between White and Negro teachers of America.

SAULTER, OSCAR C.—School Principal.

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SAUNDERS, WILLIAM AUSTIN—Cemetery President.

b. Sept. 28, 1878, Nashville, Tenn.; s. Nathan and Alice (Bass) Saunders; m. Alberta Tyree, (deceased), Nov. 14, 1898; second marriage, Alice Hoad, Dec., 1915; one child, Estelle; educ. Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1900; Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1904; Organizer and Pres., Rest-Vale Memorial Cemetery, Chicago, Ill., 1927-present; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Christian Science; Address, 3737 S. State St.; Residence, 5448 Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill.

SAVAGE, AUGUSTA (Mrs. Robert L. Poston)—Sculptor.

b. West Palm Beach, Fla.; d. Edward and Cornelia (Murphy) Fells; m. Robert L. Poston (deceased); educ. Pub. Sch., Fla.; State Normal, Tallahassee, Fla.; Cooper Union, New York, N. Y.; Woman's Art Sch., 3 years; Sculptor, 1921-present; Address, 165 W. 143rd St., New York, N. Y.

She has exhibited at the Sesqui-Centennial in Philadelphia, at the 135th St. Public Library

in New York City and offered the first exhibit by a member of her race at the Douglass High School in Baltimore, Md.

She also exhibited at Grande-Chaumiere, Salon D'Antoinne, Societe Des Artistes Francais, Le Salon, Grand Palais Des Champs Elysees Ave. Alexander, III, Paris, France.

She received the Julius Rosenwald Fellowship for three successive years, 1929, 1930 and 1931.

SAVORY, PHILIP M. H.—Physician-Surgeon.

b. Sept. 30, 1889, British Guiana, S. A.; s. Frederick Lee and Louisa (Henry) Savory; m. Gertrude Wilson, July 7; educ. Freeburg School; Rhodes Coll.; M.D., C.M., McGill Univ., 1919; Printer, Compositor; Physician and Surgeon, 1919-present; Chairman, Bd. of Directors, Victory Mutual Life Ins. Co.; Sec.-Treas., The New York Amsterdam News; Chairman, Bd. of Directors and Treas., Community Personal Finance Corp.; ex-Pres., Nat. Assn. of Life Ins. Med. Examiners; Sec., Brown Bomber Baking Co., Inc., mem. Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 119 W. 131st St., New York, N. Y.

SAVOY, SEVELON DAVIS—Dentist.

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Tomorrow, May, 1923; "The Negro Art Hokum," *The Nation*, June, 1924; "Southern Snapshots," *The New Masses*, Dec., 1926; "Racial Intermarriage in the U. S." *Little Blue Book* No. 1387; "The Stronghold of Prohibition," *The Debunker*, Nov., 1928; "A Negro Looks at Negroes," *The Debunker*, Sept., 1930; "Our Greatest Gift to America," in *The Anthology of Am. Negro Literature*; "Our White Folks," *Amer. Mercury*, Dec., 1927; "Keeping the Negro in His Place," *Am. Merc.*, Aug., 1929; "A Negro Looks Ahead," *American Mercury*, Feb., 1930; "Traveling Jim Crow," *Am. Merc.*, Aug., 1930; "Black Warriors," *Am. Mercury*, Nov., 1930; "Emancipated Women and the Negro," *The Modern Quarterly*, fall, 1929; "Black-No-More," a satirical novel, pub. by The Macaulay Co., Nov.; "Shafts and Darts," a column of satire, *The Messenger* (monthly) 1923-28; "Views and Reviews" column in the *Pittsburgh Courier* (weekly); Editor, *Illustrated Feature Sec. Middle Class Group*, (syndicated to 30 weekly Negro newspapers) Sept. 10, 1928-Feb. 1, 1929; Devotes entire time to writing, 1929-present; Address, 321 Edgecomb Ave., New York, N. Y.

SCOTT, DAVID MILLER—Physician.

b. Sept. 8, 1890, Augusta, Ga.; s. George J. and Mary E. (Ketch) Scott; m. Minnie Briggs Scott, Nov. 22, 1923; educ. Haines Normal & Inst., Augusta, Ga., 1895-1907; Lincoln Univ., Penn., 1907-10; A.B., Lincoln, 1910; Tufts Med. Sch., Boston, Mass., 1912-16; M.D., Tufts Med. Sch., 1916; Prof., Latin and Greek, Haines Nor. and Indust. Inst., 1911-12; Prof., Chemistry, 1917-18; licensed to practice medicine in Ga., 1917; Massachusetts, 1919; South Carolina, 1921; Physician, 1917-present; mem. Palmett Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Alpha Theta Alpha Fraternity; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1803 Richland Ave.; Residence, 1015 Fairfield St., Aiken, S. C.

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b. Sept. 6, 1870, Baltimore, Md.; s. Edward W. and Henrietta (Leakins) Scott; m. Bertha Watkins, Jan. 2, 1892; second marriage, Florence Brown, Dec. 4, 1927; educ. Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1891; M.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1895; Interne, Freedman's Hosp., Washington, D. C., 1896; Physician and Surgeon, 1895-present; Publisher, *The Educator*, Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md.; Supt., Provident Hospital, Baltimore, Md., 1914-16; Medical Examiner, Gallean Fisherman, 1917-20; Director, Y.M.C.A., 1919-20; mem. Masons; Elks; Nat. Med. Assn.; Maryland Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Sigma Phi Psi; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 254 W. Biddle St., Baltimore, Md.

SCOTT, EMMETT JAY—Author-Asst. Publicity Director (Racial), Republican National Con.

b. Feb. 13, 1873, Houston, Texas; s. Horace L. and Emma (Kyle) Scott; m. Eleonora J. Baker, April 14, 1897; educ. Wiley Univ., Marshall, Texas., 1887-90; A.M., Wiley Univ., 1901; LL.D., Wiley Univ., 1918; LL.D., Wilberforce Univ., 1918; associated Freeman (Negro), 1894-97; Sec., Nat. Negro Business League, 1902-22; Sec. to Booker T. Washington, 1897-1915; mem. of

American Commission to Liberia, 1909; Sec., International Conference on the Negro, 1912; Sec.-Treas., Howard Univ., 1919-33; Sec., 1933-present; auth. "Tuskegee and Its People" (with Booker T. Washington), 1910; "Booker T. Washington, Builder of a Civilization" (with Lyman Beecher Stowe), 1916; "The American Negro in the World War," 1919; "Negro Migration During the World War" (monograph study for Carnegie Endowment for International Peace), 1920; was mem., Advisory Committee, Republican National Committee, 1924; mem., Campaign Committee, Republican Nat. Committee, 1928; Asst. Publicity Director (Racial), Republican National Committee, 1939-present; one of Advisors, Chairman John Hamilton, Republican National Committee, on Racial matters, 1939-present; mem. National Council, Y.M.C.A., 1928-present; mem. Mu-So-Lit Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 1711 S St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

He was appointed a member of the American Commission to Liberia in 1909, by President William Howard Taft; was Secretary of the International Conference on the Negro held in 1912; and served as secretary of the National Negro Business League practically from its organization until May, 1922, when he resigned, after having been unanimously re-elected at the Atlanta session held in August, 1921.

During the World War, Doctor Scott served as Special Assistant to the Secretary of War, advising in matters affecting Colored troops and civilians. He was called on July 1, 1919, to serve as Secretary-Treasurer and Business Manager of Howard University, Washington, D. C., and holds this office at the present time.

SCOTT, E. T.—Physician.

Graduate of Biddle University, 1909; Leonard Medical College, 1913; Internship at Freedmen's Hospital, 1914; General practitioner; surgical staff, Mercy Hospital; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Elks; Alpha Phi Alpha, Co. Med. Soc., A.M.A., N.M.A., Mil. Surgeon of U. S., Med. Vet. of World War, Clin. Path. Soc.; Service in Meuse-Argonne Defensive Sector, France, serving as Surgeon, First Bat., 350th Field Art.; Capt., U. S. Army Reserve; Address, c/o Mercy Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Entered first Colored Training Camp at Des Moines, Iowa, in June, 1917, appointed First Lieut. in October of same year, one of special Officers sent to Howard University, Washington, D. C., to conduct S.A.T.C. Unit; later appointed Commanding Officer of Atlanta Uni-

versity and Morehouse College Units of S.A.T.C., Atlanta, Ga.; promoted Captain, U.S.A., Nov. 6, 1918.

First duty in Army was with the 349th Field Artillery, Camp Dix, N. J., where he served as Equitation Instructor for one year.

SCOTT, J. IRVING E.—School Principal.

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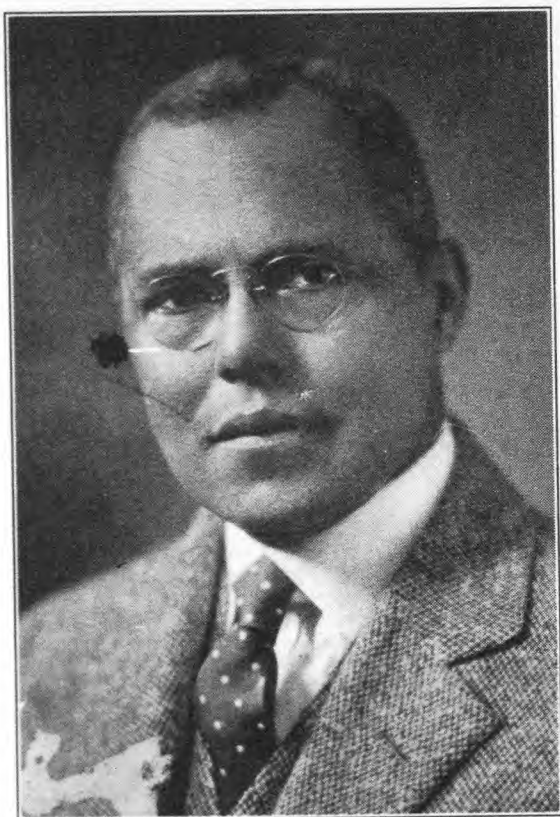
b. Nov. 13, 1872, Richmond, Va.; s. Robert Thomas and Fannie (Allen) Scott; m. Carrie Skidmore, June 10, 1912; educ. Richmond Normal Sch., Richmond, Va.; Deputy Circuit Clerk and Court Room Clerk, St. Louis, Mo., 1917-present; Chief Antler, Elks; Delegate, Republican Nat. Convention, Cleveland, Ohio., 1924; Sponsored and had erected the only bathing pool for colored people in the City of St. Louis, at Jefferson and Adams Sts.; First Colored Committeeman, Republican City Committee, 6th Ward, St. Louis, Mo., four successive terms, 1924-30; First Colored Clerk, Circuit Court, State of Missouri; mem. K. of P.; Elks; Civic League; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Room 305, Municipal Court Building; Residence, 2316 Walnut St., St. Louis, Mo.

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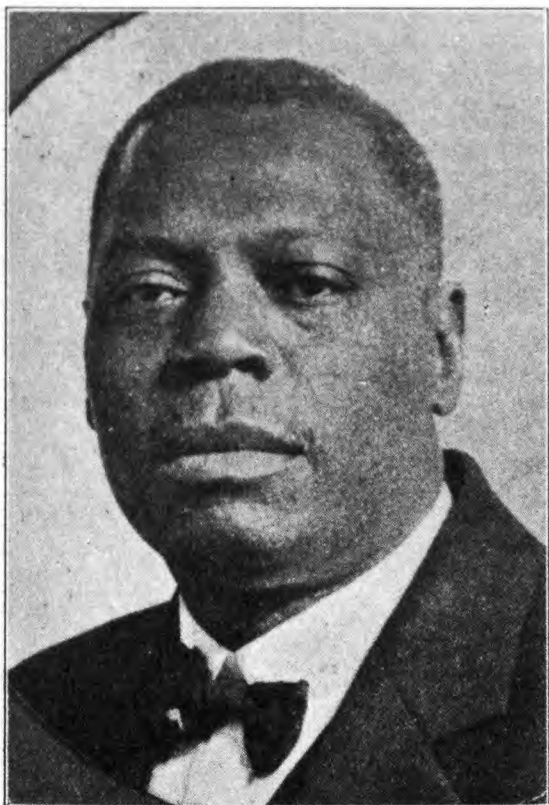
b. April 18, 1909, Houston, Tex.; s. Ernest J. and Cordie (Clark) Scott; m. Rosetta Weaver, June 24, 1935; educ. Lincoln High Sch., Kansas City, Mo., 1927; B.S., Howard Univ. Washington, D. C., 1931; M.D., Howard Univ., 1934 Physician, 1934-present; Dept. of Pediatrics, Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill.; General Education Fellow in Pediatrics, 1936-37; mem. Diplomate of National Board of Med. Examiners; Beta Kappa Chi National Scientific Soc.; Relig. Protestant; Address, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.



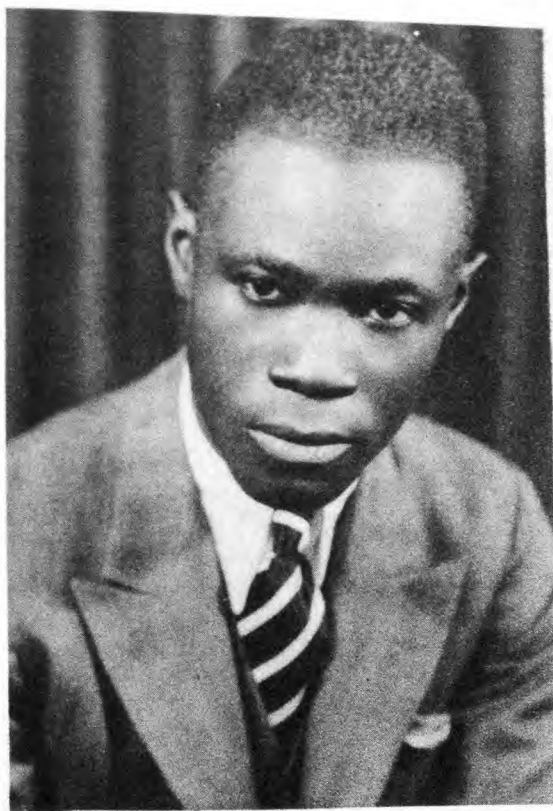
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SCOTT, WILLIAM EDWARD—Painter.

b. March 11, 1884, Indianapolis, Ind.; educ. High School, Indianapolis; Chicago Art Institute; won Prizes and Scholarship; took Magnus Grand Prize twice; studied in Paris at the Julian Academy and under Henry O. Tanner; three paintings accepted by the Salon de Beaux Arts; *La Pauvre Voisine*, a painting, purchased by the Argentine Republic; has completed Murad painting for public buildings in Evanston, Ill.; Chicago, Ill. and Indianapolis, Ind.; Address, *Indianapolis, Ind.

SCOTT, MINNIE MAE—Executive Secretary.

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SCULL, RALPH A.—Physician and Surgeon.

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He was granted a Rosenwald fellowship which enabled him to do additional study at New York University and Bellevue Hospital. On account of his sterling ability in the field of skin and social disease he was appointed as a Research Fellow in the Department of Dermatology at Rush College by the Board of Trustees of the University of Chicago.

He enlisted in the army as a non-commissioned officer and was promoted to the post of Commissioned Officer in the Infantry and Machine Gun service. He is now an officer in the Reserve Corps.

SEABROOK, JAMES WARD—Normal School President.

b. Nov. 6, 1886, Sumter, S. C.; Morris James and Lucy (Hadden) Seabrook m. Mayne Louise Worsham, Sept. 2, 1925, (deceased Dec. 12, 1926); second marriage, Mae Louise Hatchette, Sept. 29, 1928; educ. A.B., Johnson C. Smith Univ., (then Biddle Univ.) Charlotte, N. C., 1909; summer sessions, New York Univ., and Columbia Univ., New York City., and Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill., respectively, 1911, 1913, 1914, 1917, 1922, 1926, and 1928; matriculated for Ph.D., Columbia Univ., 1925; same, 1930; Pd.D., Johnson C. Smith Univ., 1935; Teacher, Slater State Normal Sch., Winston-Salem, N. C., 1910-12; Kittrell Coll., Kittrell, N. C., 1912-13; Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C., 1914-22; Dean, Fayetteville State Normal Sch., Fayetteville, N. C., 1922-33; Pres. 1933-present; U. S. Army, World War, 1918; Vice Pres., North Carolina Interracial Commission; President, N. C. Negro State Teachers Assn.; and N. C. Congress of Parents and Teachers; Chairman, N. C. Soc. for Research, Advisory Committee; U. S. Office of Education; Committee on Cooperation between N. E. A. and N. A. T. C. S.; President

Hoover's White House Conference; Survey Commission of Negro Coll., of the Methodist Churches; Advisory Committee, N. C., Dept. of Public Welfare; Trustee, Johnson C. Smith Univ.; Historian, Melvin-Elliott Post, American Legion; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address State Normal School, Fayetteville, N. C.

SEBASTIAN, SIMON POWELL—Physician-Surgeon.

b. Antigua, B.W.I.; s. John and Sarah Elizabeth (Roberts) Sebastian; m. Martha Josephine Oxford, Dec. 27, 1915; two children, Walter J., b. Nov. 27, 1916; Edward Powell, b. Dec. 2, 1920; educ. Mico Coll., St. John's, Antigua, B.W.I.; M.D., Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1912; Physician, 1912-present; was principal, Government School, Antigua, B.W.I.; was teacher, A. & T. College, Greensboro, N. C.; Founder and Med. Supt., L. Richardson Memorial Hosp., Greensboro, N. C.; A.A. Surg., U. S. Pub. Health Ser., 1920-23; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; North State Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Masons; Elks; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 905 E. Market St.; Residence, 1402 E. Washington St., Greensboro, N. C.

He is the founder and medical superintendent of the L. Richardson Memorial Hospital which has 60 beds and four bassinets. The property has a total valuation of over \$200,000. It was opened on May 18, 1927, and has since that time been fully approved by the American Medical Association and the American College of Surgeons. Connected with the Hospital is an "A" Grade School for nurses. It is one of the very few Hospitals where Internes are given a 5th Course in medicine and surgery.

SEWELL, ASTON L.—Real Estate Operator.

b. July 11, 1895, Jamaica, B.W.I.; s. James H. and Emily (Manning) Sewell; educ. Townsend Harris High Sch.; Coll. of the City of New York, 1919-21; New York Univ., 1921-24; B.C.S., 1924; Real Estate Operator, 1925-present; mem. Intercollegiate Assn.; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 2350 Seventh Ave., New York, N. Y.

SEYMOUR, EPHRIAM MELMUL—Clergyman.

b. Fayette Co., Tenn.; m. Lizzie B. Saunders, 1906; one child, Sadie B.; educ. Public Sch., Somersville, Tenn.; Baptist Coll., Memphis, Tenn., 1900; D.D., Roger Williams Univ., Nashville, Tenn.; Pastor, First Baptist Church, Franklin, Tenn., 2 years; Pastor, Shelbyville, Tenn., 1 year; Pastor, Mt. Olivet Baptist Church, Clarks-ville, Tenn., 5 years; Pastor, Holy Grove Baptist Church, Ripley, Tenn.; Pastor, Rogers Memorial Church, Knoxville, Tenn.; Relig. Baptist; Address, Rogers Memorial Church, Knoxville, Tenn.

SHACKELFORD, JANE DABNEY—Teacher—Author.

b. Logansport, Ind.; educ. Public Sch., Logansport, Ind.; A.B., Indiana State Teachers Coll., Terre Haute, Ind.; A.M., Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y.; auth. "The Child's Story of the Negro," pub. Associated Publishers, Inc., Washington, D. C., 1938; Teacher, Booker Washington Sch., Terre Haute, Ind.; mem. Advisory Board, "The Negro History Bulletin," mem. The

Association for the study of Negro Life and History; Organizer, Indiana Branch, The Association for the Study of Negro Life and History; mem. Advisory Board, Terre Haute Teachers' Mutual Benefit Assn, three years; mem. Terre Haute Teachers' Federation; Indiana State Teachers' Assn; National Education Assn; Assn. for Childhood Education; Terre Haute Girl Scout Leaders Assn; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Relig. Methodist; Address, 1324 Liberty ave., Terre Haute, Ind.

SHACKLEFORD, WM. HENRY — Churchman-Author.

b. Jan. 21, 1878, Selma, Ala.; s. Jacob and Alice (Phillips) Shackelford; m. Mary Belle Patton, May 18, 1904; two children, Alice Fannette, b. March 22, 1905; Marjorie Lee, b. July 22, 1912; educ. Payne Univ., Selma, Ala., 1890-94; Prop. Quino Beauty School, Mfg. Toilet Specialties; Sunday School Expert; Pres., Sunday School League Convention of the Tenn. Annual Conference; auth. "Pearls in Prose and Poetry," Nat. Pub. Bd., 1907; "Along the Highway" (fiction), A.M.E.S.S. Union, 1916; Sunday School Problems (religious), A.M.E.S.S. Union, 1925; mem. Board of Trade, Nashville, Tenn.; N.A. A.C.P., Nashville, Tenn.; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 815½ Fourth Ave., S.; Residence, 1008 Second Ave., S., Nashville, Tenn.

SHADD, MARION P.—Asst. Supt. of Schools.

b. Canada; d. Absalom and Fannie Shadd; educ. Pub. Schs. of Canada; Howard Univ.; Teacher, John F. Cook Sch., Washington, D. C., 1877; Principal, Lincoln Sch., 1892; Asst. Principal, Supt. of Schs. and Chief Examiner, Colored Schs., Washington, D. C., 1924; First woman in Washington (D. C.) Public Schools to be appointed Asst. Superintendent of Schools; Address, Franklin School Buiding, Washington, D. C.

SHAW, BENJAMIN GARLAND—Bishop.

b. Aug. 26, 1878, Pope, Miss.; s. Charles and Bridget (Jackson) Shaw; m. Garnett Wilkins, June, 1905; three children, Benjamin Garland, Jr.; Maxine Camille; Charles M.; educ. Philander Smith Coll., Little Rock, Ark., 1904; Louisville Medical Coll., Louisville, Ky., 1907; D.D., (Honorary), Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1911; Clergyman, 1898-1924; Bishop, 1924-present; Pastor, A.M.E. Zion Church, Cotton Plant, Miss., 1899; Pastor, Clinton Mission, Greenwood, Miss., 1900; Pastor, Payne Chapel, Little Rock, Ark., 1901-05; Pastor, Hood Temple, Evansville, Ind., 1905-10; Pastor, Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church, St. Louis, Mo., 1910-20; Dir., Bureau of Evangelism, 1920-24; Trustee, Johnson High Sch., Stover, Miss., 1931-present; Trustee, Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1924-present; Pres., Bureau of Evangelism 1924-present; mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; N.A.A. C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, 700 8th Ave., N., Birmingham, Ala.

While pastoring he built the Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church at St. Louis which property with buildings, and equipment, is valued at \$250,000.

He is considered one of the leading Evangelists in the Race.

SHAW, CHARLES AUGUSTUS — Insurance Executive.

b. Dec. 2, 1891, Brunswick, Ga.; s. Charles Augustus and Anna (White) Shaw; m. Hennie Mae Chaires, June 11, 1917; educ. Selden High Sch., 1906-10; Howard University, 1910-14; Alexander Hamilton Inst., 1915-17; LaSalle Extension Univ., 1919-20; Chicago Sch. of Commerce, 1925; Agency Sec., Standard Life Ins. Co., 1915; Director of Inspection, Standard Life Ins. Co., 1919-20; Asst. Sec. and Office Mgr., Standard Life Ins. Co., 1920-25; Asst. to Pres., Victory Life Ins., 1925-32; Sec., Watchtower MutLife Insurance Co., 1932-present; mem. Pres., Atlanta Negro Business League, 1923-24; Vice-Pres., Atlanta Anti-Tuberculosis Assn., 1922-25; Director, Leonard St. Orphans Home, 1920-25; Senior Warden, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 1922-25; Omega Psi Phi; "The 27 Club"; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, Watchtower Mutual Life Insurance Co., Pilgrim Building, Houston, Texas.

Upon graduating from Howard University he accepted a position with the Standard Life Insurance Company as Agency Secretary.

He received leave of absence to enter War activities. He was in charge of the Georgia contingent to the Officers Training Camp, Des Moines, Ia. He was commissioned 1st Lieut. Inf. and was assigned to Camp Dodge, Ia. Upon arriving in France he was ordered by General Ballou to report to Headquarters of the 92nd Division to assist in organizing the Liaison Dept.

SHAW, GEORGE CLAYTON—Clergyman.

b. June 19, 1863, Louisburg, N. C.; s. Matthew and Mary (Thomas) Shaw; m. Mary Elizabeth Lewis, May 14, 1890; educ. Lincoln Univ., 1881-86; A.B. 1886; D.D. 1904; A.M. 1918; Lincoln Univ.; Princeton Theol. Sem., 1886-87; Auburn Theol. Sem., Auburn, N. Y., 1887-1900; Princeton Coll. (special course), 1886-87; Founder and Principal of Mary Potter School, Oxford, N. C., 1890-present; mem. Masons; Inter-Racial Committee of North Carolina; Trustee, Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C.; Trustee, Scotia Sem., Concord, N. C.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Mary Potter School, Oxford, N. C.

The Mary Potter High School founded by Dr. Shaw 35 years ago is known throughout the South as maintaining high standards of scholarship and wholesome traditions. It is on the list of accredited schools in North Carolina—Group 1, Class A. Fifteen men and women of high character and scholarship compose the faculty. It belongs to the State Association in Athletics. It is a co-educational institute. The average yearly enrollment is 350. The property value is \$175,000.

SHAW, J. BEVERLY F.—Clergyman—Coll. President.

b. Abbeville, Miss.; s. Duncan P. and Maria (Petty) Shaw; m. Lizzie B. Shumpert, Sept. 5, 1906 (deceased June 26, 1925); second marriage, Effie Jean Owens, June 28, 1927; four children, Florine A., b. Sept. 7, 1907; Marie J., b. Dec. 14, 1912; Vivian R., b. May 31, 1931; educ. A.B., Rust Univ., Holly Springs, Miss., 1899; A.M., Rust Univ., 1902; Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill., 1903; Prof., Latin and Greek, Rust Univ., Holly Springs, Miss., 1900-05; Pres., Haven Teachers' Coll., Meridian, Miss., 1905-16; Pres., Central Ala. Coll., Birmingham, Ala., 1916-21; Pres., Haven Teachers' Coll., 1921-29; Delegate, Ecumenical Conference, London, England, 1921; Manager, Employment Bureau, California State Department of Industrial Relations; Supt. United States Employment Service; District Supervisor, Jackson, Miss., District, M.E. Church; Pi Gamma Mu; Masons; Academy of Political and Social Sciences; Classical Assn. of Middle West and South; Organizer, Sec., Treas., Douglass Mutual Life Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 957 E. 21st St., Los Angeles, Calif.

He was an apt Student earned a certificate to teach at the age of fourteen. He earned his way through high school and college by teaching during the summer months. Studied Hebrew in the University of Chicago, acquiring proficiency in six languages.

In 1915 he was delegated by the Board of Education for Negroes of the Methodist Episcopal Church to deliver addresses in the German language to German speaking congregations in the Middle West.

SHEAFE, LEWIS CHARLES—Clergyman.

b. Nov. 16, 1859, Baltimore, Md.; s. Joseph and Louise (Beaulette) Shaefe; m. Annie C. Howard, June 6, 1888; three children, Clara B.; Howard W.; Lewis C., Jr.; educ. Wayland Sem., Washington, D. C., 1888; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1911; Central Chiropractic Coll., Washington, D. C., 1923; Clergyman, 1888-present; Chiropractor, 1923-present; Pastor, Beulah Baptist Church, Alexandria, Va., 1888-90; Pastor, Pilgrim Baptist Church, St. Paul, Minn., 1890-94; Pastor, Mahoning Avenue Baptist Ch., Youngstown, O., 1894-97; Pastor, Jerusalem Baptist Church, Urbana, O., 1897-99; Seventh Adventist Ch., Battle Creek, Mich., and Mission Work, 25 years; Seventh Day Baptist Church, Washington, D. C., 7 years; Moderator, Washington Union Assn., Seventh Day Baptist, Washington, D. C.; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Seventh Day Baptist; Address, 1509 5th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

SHELTON, MRS. RUTH ADA GAINES

b. April 8, 1872, Glasgow, Mo.; d. (Rev.) George and Mary Elizabeth Gaines; m. William Obern Shelton, June 8, 1898; three children, George Washington, b. Feb. 2, 1900; Obern Archibald, b. Aug. 11, 1902; Mary Gloria, b. Mar. 3, 1904; educ. Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1891-95; Pub. Sch. Teacher, Montgomery, Mo., 1895-99; Writer of plays for Churches, Private Theatricals, 1899-present; auth. "Lord Earlington's

Broken Vow"; "Gena, the Lost Child," a gypsy play; "Mr. Church," a drama of Church life; "Parson Dewdrop's Bride"; "Aunt Hagar's Children," a drama; "The Church Mouse," a drama; "The Church Fight," and others; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 1523 Good Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

She finished the Normal course at Wilberforce University in four years, and after helping her father when he directed the building of the Old Bethel A.M.E. Church on Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill., in 1891, she began teaching school in Montgomery, Mo.

She started to write plays for Clubs, Schools, Churches about 1906 and has written and staged these plays for twenty years.

She won the 2nd prize for writing the play "The Church Fight" in the Amy Spingarn Contest conducted by the Crisis, April, 1926.

SHEPARD, CHARLES HADDON—Physician.
— See 4th Edition.

Died. May 15, 1935.

SHEPARD, JAMES EDWARD—Educator.

b. Nov. 3, 1875, Raleigh, N. C.; s. Augustus and Harriet F. (Whitted) Shepard; m. Annie Day Robinson, Nov. 7, 1895; two children, Marjorie A., b. July 29, 1897; Annie Day, b. Sept. 5, 1900; educ. Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1886-94; Ph. G. Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1886-94; Ph.G., Shaw Univ., 1894; Muskingum College, Ohio; Theology, D.D. Muskingum Coll., 1910; A.M., Selma Univ., Ala., 1912; Litt.D. Howard Univ., 1925; Comparer of Deeds, Recorder's Office, Washington, D. C., 1898 and 1900; Deputy Collector, U. S. Internal Revenue, Raleigh, N. C., 1899-1905; Field Supt., International Sunday Sch. Assn. (work among Negroes), 1905-09; President, Nat. Training Sch., Durham, N. C., 1910-23; Pres., Durham State Normal Sch., 1923-25; Pres., N. C. Coll. for Negroes, 1925-present; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Director, Mechanics and Farmers Bank; State Industrial Assn.; ex-Pres., N. C. Colored State Teachers Assn.; Pres., Interdenominational Sunday Sch. Convention, 1909-14; Trustee, Lincoln Hosp.; Past Grand Master, F. & A. Masons, 1920-present; Grand Patron of Eastern Star; Civic Club; National Arts; Executive Committee of the N. C. Agricultural Society; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1902 Fayetteville, St., Durham, N. C.

Dr. Shepard was the only Negro Speaker at the World Sunday School Convention held in Italy, 1910.

SHEPARD, MARSHALL LORENZO—Clergyman.

b. July 10, 1899, Oxford, N. C.; s. (Rev.) Robert and Pattie (Gilliam) Shepard; m. Willie Lucile Owens, June 20, 1923; one child, Marshall Lorenzo Shepard, Jr., b. June 16, 1924; educ. Slater State Normal School, Winston-Salem, N. C., 1912-16; Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1917-21; College of the City of New York, 1921; also studied at Union Theol. Sem., New York, N. Y.; Religious Work Sec., West 135th St. Branch Y.M.C.A., New York, N. Y., 1922-23;

Asst. Pastor, Abyssinian Baptist Church, 1923-26; Pastor, Mt. Olivet Tabernacle Baptist Ch., Phila., Penn., 1926-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; Relig. Baptist; Address, 42nd and Wallace Sts.; Residence, 5504 Wyalusing Ave., Phila., Penn.

SHERRILL, RICHARD W.

b. Dec. 6, 1888, Landis, N. C.; s. James and Rosa (Long) Sherrill; m. Josephine C. Price, Dec. 25, 1928; educ. A.B., Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1914; Gen. Mgr., A.M.E. Zion Publication House, Charlotte, N. C.; Sec., Army Y.M.C.A. during World War at Washington, D. C.; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, Box 117, Charlotte, N. C.

SHERWOOD, JOSE HENRY—Postoffice Supervisor.

b. Macon, Ga., June 25, 1875; m. Harriett V. Shepard, Sept. 22, 1898; educ. Grade Schools, Ga. and Ill., Lewis High Sch., Macon, Ga.; Haines Normal and Industrial Institute, Augusta, Ga.; Clerk, St. Paul Postoffice, 1902, and is now Supervisor St. Paul, Minn., Postoffice, -present; mem. United National Assn. Post Office Clerks, National Alliance of Postal Employees and National Assn. of Postal Supervisors; Past Commander, Leslie Lawrence Post, Amer. Legion; Post Delegate, Department Conventions, and Ramsey County Central Committee, 8 years; Delegate, Fourth District, Legion Convention, Paris, France, 1927; Grand Master, Masons, Minnesota, 1908-10; Deputy Imperial Potentate, Ancient Egyptian Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, 1910-12; Grand High Priest, Royal Arch Masons, Iowa, 1924; Grand Commander, Knights Templar, Missouri, 1918-19; Pres., International Conference, Knights Templar of the United States and Canada, 1922-24; following his recommendation this organization became known as the Grand Encampment, Knights Templar, Prince Hall Affiliation; Grand Master, Knights Templar, was the title bestowed on him for writing the entire Constitution and Uniform Regulations as Committee Chairman; "Active member, Supreme Council, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry (Prince Hall Affiliation) Northern Jurisdiction, U. S. A., Inc., and Deputy for Minnesota and Manitoba"; mem. St. Phillips Protestant Episcopal Church; Lay Reader for several years, and was in charge of the Church for eight months while they were without a Priest; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Episcopal; Address, St. Paul Postoffice; Residence, 971 St. Anthony Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

When war was declared against Germany, altho exempt, he volunteered for the Officers' Training Camp, at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, and was one of the six men chosen for the Camp from Minnesota. After 99 days he was discharged on a Surgeon's Certificate of Disability because of failing eyesight. Returning home he assisted in the formation of the 16th Battalion, Minnesota Home Guards, and as Captain of Company B had charge of the Battalion, and was later promoted to Major. It had seven units: Headquarters Co.; Drum Corps; Companies A and B, St. Paul, 58

piece band, and Companies C and D, Minneapolis. Many members of the Battalion were drawn for service in the National Army and each one was given a non-commission office rating at once.

SHIELDS, J. PIERCE—Clergyman.

b. 1887, Scotland Neck, N. C.; s. Andrew and Leathe (Evans) Shields; m. Daisey B. Hite, Dec., 1921; two children, Geraldine, b. Oct. 15, 1922; Wandel, b. April 29, 1928; educ. Pub. Schs., Scotland Neck, N. C., and New York City; National Bible Inst., New York City, N. Y.; Church of Christ Bible Inst.; Pastor, Refuge Church of Christ, Jamaica, L. I., 1928-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Refuge Church of Christ, 109-16 159th St.; Residence, 109-35 159th St., Jamaica, L. I.

SHIRLEY, F. G.—Dentist.

educ. Haines Normal Inst., 1915; D.D.S., Howard Univ., 1921; Dentist, 1923-present; mem. Phi Beta Sigma; Chi Delta Mu; North Jersey Dental Soc.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Elks; N.A.A.C.P.; Exec. Committee, Howard Alumni Club of New Jersey; Address, 207 Broad St., Elizabeth, N. J.

SHORES, CLARENCE E.—Physician.

b. Aug. 4, 1881, Stanton, Tenn.; s. F. Josephus and Mary N. (Collins) Shores; m. Lou Willa Baugh, Oct., 1912; two children, Russell M., b. Nov. 27, 1917; Ruth E., b. July 9, 1918; educ. Baptist Normal & Bible Inst., Memphis, Tenn., 1907; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1913; Physician, 1913-present; mem. K. of P.; Masons (33°); Elks; Royal Arch, Shriners; Knights Templar; Pol. Republican; Relig. Community Center Church; Address, 309 E. 47th St.; Residence, 4428 Evans Ave., Chicago, Ill.

SHUMAKER, SAMUEL H.

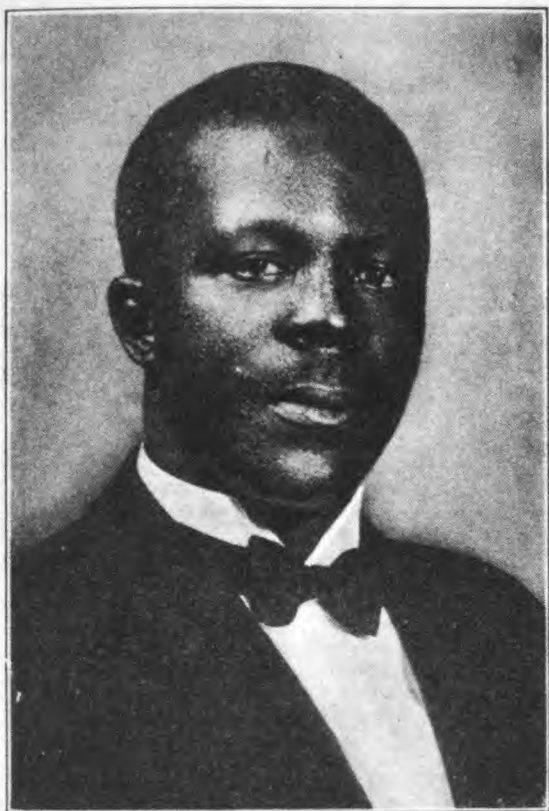
b. May 8, 1877, Leavenworth, Kan.; s. Thomas and Josephine Shumaker; m. Ruth Lee, June 18, 1924; educ. Business Coll., 1901; Editor and Publisher of Illinois Informer (now discontinued); Automobile Investigator for the State of Illinois, 1926-present; Notary Public, Adams County, 1923-31; Commanding Officer, Company K, 8th Inf. Illinois Nat. Guard; mem. Masons (32°); U.B. of F.; A.U.K. and Daughters of Africa; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2005 Spruce St., Quincy, Ill.

SIMINGTON, ALFRED DENNIS—Physician-Specialist.

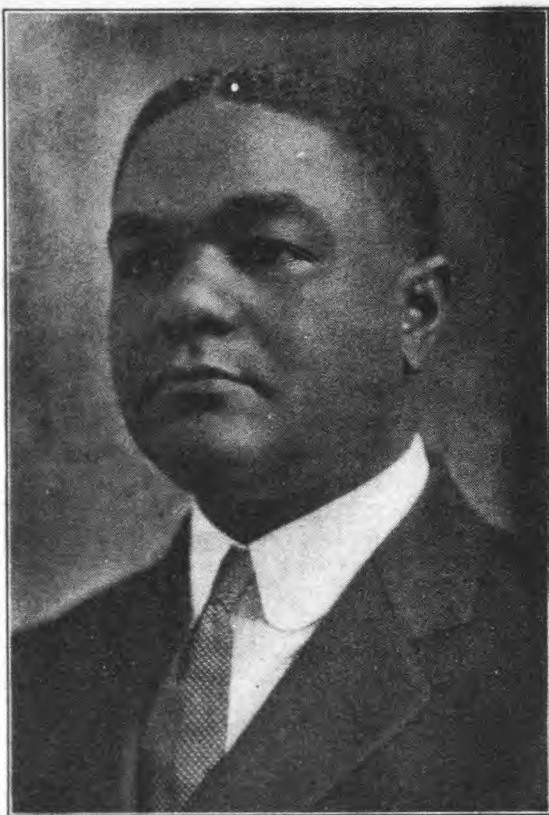
b. 1868, Marion, Ala.; s. Dennis and Clarisa Simington; m. Lena J. Polk, June 19, 1895; educ. Alabama State Normal School; Atlanta Univ.; Meharry Med. Coll., Pharmacy, 1894; Medicine, 1900; Tuberculosis Specialist, Chief, Med. Service, U.S.V.H. No. 91; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Elks; Masons; K. of P.; Relig. Protestant Episcopal Church; Address, United States Veteran Hospital No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala.

SIMMONS, CALLOWAY—Teacher.

b. July 21, 1897, Burkeville, Tex.; s. Charlie and Tilla (Blackshear) Simmons; m. Jannie Palmer, Dec. 28, 1925; two children, Aline Archie, b. March 12, 1927; Charline, b. Sept. 9, 1929; educ. B.S., Prairie View Coll., Prairie View, Tex., 1923; Teacher, Bleakwood, Tex., 1916-18; served



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JAMES EDWARD SHEPARD, LITT.D., D.D., A.M.



in U. S. Army, 1918-19; Teacher, Pub. Sch., Toledo, Tex.; Teacher, Newton Pub. Sch., Newton, Tex., 1925-present; Founder, The Agricultural Benevolence Assn. of Texas; Noble, Mystric Shrine, Siwah Temple 108, Austin, Tex.; Pol. Republican, Relig. Address, Box 66, Newton, Texas.

SIMS, DAVID HENRY Bishop.

b. July 18, 1889, Talladega, Ala.; s. Felix Rice and Emma Eveline (Griffin) Sims; m. Annie Mae Williams, Aug. 26, 1918; educ. Thebes Inst.; Georgia State Coll., 1900-05; Oberlin Coll., Oberlin, Ohio, 1905-09; A.B. Oberlin Coll., 1909; Oberlin Divinity Sch., 1909-12; B.D. Oberlin Divinity Sch., 1912; Univ. of Chicago, 1914-16; A. M. Univ. of Chicago, 1916; Special course in Yale; D.D. Morris Brown Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; LL.D. (Honorary) Wilberforce University, 1932; Ordained in Ministry of A.M.E. Church, Macon, Ga., 1909; Social Workers under Extension Dept. of the Divinity Sch., Oberlin Coll.; Pastor at Union Church, Painesville, O., 1910; Pastor, Narragansett Pier, R. I., 1911-12; University Chapel, Atlanta, Ga., 1912-17; Professor of German and Education, Morris Brown Coll., 1912-17; Vice Pres., Morris Brown Coll., 1914-17; Dean and Vice Pres., Allen Univ., 1918-23; Delegate to General Conferences, A.M.E. Ch., 1916 to 1940; Pastor, Mt. Pisgah A.M.E. Church, Greenwood, S. C., 1917-24; Presiding Elder, Laurens District, S. C., 1924-25; Pres., Allen Univ., 1924-1932; Bishop, A.M. Church, 1932-present; Appointed by Gov. McLeod, Negro Commission of Natural Resources for South Carolina; auth. "Religious Education in Negro Colleges and Universities," July, 1917; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Masons (33°); K. of P.; F.A. & A.M.; Board of Education of the A.M.E. Ch.; Inter-racial Committee of S. C.; Supreme Representative, K. of P., S. C.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 211 N. 53rd St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Dr. Sims' father, Rev. Felix Rice, was a well educated man of high standing in his community, and the son has kept the family traditions. While at Oberlin College he was noted for his ability as an athlete, playing on both the football and track teams. He was a winner of scholarships for four successive years at Oberlin College. He was elected treasurer of the Divinity Council while at Oberlin. He was elected by his class of several hundred white men and women to deliver "Mantle and Key" Oration at Commencement, on graduating from Oberlin Divinity School.

He was coach of the Football and Baseball teams at Morris Brown University 1912-1917 and at Allen University, 1917-1924. He was Football Official under auspices of the Rules Committee of which Walter Camp was President, 1918-24.

President Sims was appointed a special messenger representing the State of South Carolina to attend the National Educational gathering at Topeka, Kansas, by Governor McLeod, July, 1925.

Bishop Sims served as Bishop in South Africa for four years, and was offered a position as head of the National Native Church of South Africa, under the influence of the Union Government, with whom he stood in great favor. He made phenomenal success, not only in routine work, but as a Christian statesman. He was Bishop of Alabama for four years, 1936-1940, and is now the presiding Bishop of the First District, including Philadelphia and New York; a member of the Executive Committee of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, also the Pennsylvania and Philadelphia City Federation of Churches.

SKELTON, ROBERT ELMORE—Clergyman.

b. Dec. 28, 1892, Sharpsburg, Ky.; s. David E. and Georgia M. (Young) Skelton; m. Cleo Holland, July 18, 1917; four children, Mary, b. July 29, 1920; Robert E., b. Sept. 12, 1922; Georgian, b. Dec. 15, 1928; John Dee, b. April 25, 1930; educ. Shortridge High Sch., Indianapolis, Ind., 1912; A.B., Indiana Univ., Indianapolis, Ind., 1917; M.A., Ohio Wesleyan Univ., Delaware, O., 1922; B.D., Northwestern Univ., 1923; Post Graduate, Chicago Univ., 1922; Clergyman, 1920-present; Pastor, Methodist Episcopal Church, Delaware, O., 1920-21; Asst. Pastor, St. Marks Methodist Episcopal Church, Chicago, Ill., 1922-23; Pastor, Saulters M. E. Church, Terre Haute, Ind., 1924-25; Pastor, M. E. Church, Lexington, Ky., 1926-28; Pastor, St. Matthews M. E. Ch., Chicago, Ill., 1929; Pastor, Barnes M. E. Ch., Indianapolis, Ind., 1930-present; Investigator and Probation Officer, Marion Co. Criminal Court, 1931-present; Registrar, Lexington Conference M. E. Church, 1926-present; Director, Recreation and Social M. E. Church, Chicago, Ill., 1923; Instructor, Covington Area, School of Theology, St. Louis, Mo., 1926-28; National Speakers Bureau, Democrat, 1928; Sergeant, 372d Inf., U. S. Army, serving in France for 12 months, 10 months on fighting front; on return entire regiment was decorated by the French Government; mem. Masons; Shriner; Elks; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 2519 Northwestern Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

SIMS, GEORGE HENRY—Clergyman.

b. April 8, 1871, Cumberland, Va.; s. Turner and Molly Sims; m. Mary E. Davis, Sept. 25, 1895 (deceased); second marriage, Louise D. Russel; four children, Ethel, Edith Thelma, Geo. H., Ariel D.; educ. Pub. Schs. and private tutors; D. D., Guadalupe Coll., 1905; ordained Aug. 18, 1898; Pastor, Union Baptist Church, 1898-present; auth. "How to Keep Converts in the Church," "Spiritual Truth in Song," pamphlets; Vice-Pres., N. E. Baptist State Convention; Pres., Col. Baptist State Convention, 16 years; Trustee, Lynchburg Sem. and Coll. of Northern Univ., Rahway, N. J.; Grand Prelate, I.O. St. Luke's, 4 years; Masons (33°); Address, 240 W. 145th St.; Residence, 131 W. 131st St., New York, N. Y.

He organized the Union Baptist Church,

located at 204 W. 63rd St. in 1898. The congregation worshipped there until 1901 when the present edifice was erected.

SINGLETON, JOHN ANDREW — Dentist; Member State Legislature.

b. July 30, 1895, Omaha, Neb.; s. Millard Fillmore and Blanche Ellen (Braxton) Singleton; m. Daisy Madeline Goring, Sept., 1917; three children, Clyde Millard, John Andrew, Jr., Henrietta Ellen; educ. Central High Sch., Omaha, Neb.; D.D.S., Howard Den. Sch., 1918; Dentist, 1918-present; Deputy Register of Deeds, Douglas County, Neb.; Representative, 9th Dist.; Member, Nebraska Legislature, 1925-27; re-elected, 1927-29; Delegate, Republican State Convention; 1st Lieut., Dental Reserve Corps, U. S. A.; Board of Governors, Omaha Community Chest; Vice Pres., Inter-Racial Committee; Pres., Omaha Branch, N.A.A.C.P.; 1929-present; Executive Committee, Omaha Urban League; mem. American Legion; Chi Delta Mu Fraternity, Washington, D. C.; Masons (32°); Elks; Nebraska Dent. and Pharm. Soc.; Urban League; Ex. Committee, N.A.A.C.P., local Br.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 163-01 South Road, Jamaica, N. Y.

SMITH, ALFRED EDGAR—Administrative Assistant Relief Administration.

b. Dec. 2, 1903, Hot Spring Ark.; s. Jesse Rufus and Mamie Florence (Johnson) Smith; m. Leona Louise Dadson, Nov. 29, 1926; educ. Langston High Sch., Hot Springs, Ark.; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1928; A.M., same, 1932; auth. "World History of the Negro in a Thousand Words", Crisis; "Through the Windshield", Opportunity; "West Indian on the Campus", "Negro Labor and Unemployment Relief", Rural Negro and Rural Rehabilitation", Reasons for the Disproportionate Number of Negroes on the Relief Rolls, "Negro and Unemployment Relief, a Bibliography", the latter four being confidential studies for use of the Works Progress Administration; "Negro and Relief." included in monthly reports of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, March, 1936; Fellowship Teacher, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1931-32; Substitute Teacher, Dist. of Columbia Public Sch., 1932-33; Asst. to Director of Negro Work, FERA, 1933-34; Administrative Asst. and Staff Adviser, Federal Works Progress Administration, 1935-present; mem. Y. M. C. A.; N. A. A. C. P.; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Address, 1734 New York Ave., N.W.; Residence, 928 Barry Pl., N.W., Washington, D. C.

SMITH, ALONZO deGRATE—Physician.

b. July 29, 1890, East Orange, N. J.; s. Green and Mary (Baker) Smith; m. Marie A. Wright, June 18, 1928; educ. DeWitt Clinton High Sch., 1911; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1911-13; M.D., Long Island Coll. Hosp., 1919; B.S.S., College of the City of New York, 1923; Interne, General Hosp., Kansas City, Mo., 1919-20; Clinical Asst., Vanderbilt Clinic, 1922-26; Bellevue O.P.D., 1927-28; Asst. Attending Physician, Vanderbilt Clinic, 1926-27; Asst. Dept. Diseases of Children, Columbia Univ., 1925-28; Asst. O. P.D. Children's Dispensary, Mt. Sinai Hosp., 1923-25; Physician, Children's Dispensary, Harlem Hosp., 1926-present; Instructor, Diseases of Children, Harlem Hosp., 1926-present; Ad-

junct Asst. Visiting Pediatrician, 1927-28; Asst. Visiting Pediatrician and Chief of Children's Dispensary, Harlem Hosp., 1930-present; Pres., North Harlem Child Study Assn., 1928-present; mem. Speakers Bureau, Dept. of Health, New York City; New York Tuberculosis and Health Assn., 1923-present; American Med. Assn.; Manhattan Med. Assn.; County Medical Soc.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.

SMITH, AARON—Lawyer—U. S. Field Deputy Collector Internal Revenue.

b. Oct. 22, 1889, Enterprise, Fla.; s. James and Martha (Rollison) Smith; educ. Harlem Acad., Tampa, Fla., 1899-1907; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1911; Real Estate, Insurance and Debt Collections, New York City, 1911-18; enlisted in U. S. Army, June, 1918, 351st Machine Gun Battalion of the 92d Division, waging battle in the Meuse Argonne and Defensive Sectors, until March 22, 1919; Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue, 1923-present; Pres., Community Forum, Abyssinian Baptist Church, New York City; mem. Howard Univ. Alumni Assn.; Republican District Captain, 10 years; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, Custom House; Box 95 College Station, New York City, N. Y.

He is a recognized authority on Internal Revenue Laws, and distinguished for solving difficult tax problems, and rated as ranking Field Deputy in being United States lead off Deputy in Wall Street Area.

Over \$14,000,000 were collected during his term of office without error. These were not voluntary payments, but collections requiring tact, skill and competency in discovering hidden assets; concealed, insolvent and absconding taxpayers; overcoming the technicalities of the Wall Street Lawyers; discovery of assets of dissolved corporations in battles with stockholders, directors and officers of corporations and banks. He is well regarded by the banks and lawyers of the Wall Street Area.

SMITH, BENJAMIN KENT, Jr.—Dentist.

b. May 24, 1895, Cleveland, O.; s. Rev. Benjamin Kent and Mary Sue (Board) Smith; m. Lena Bernard, June 17, 1922; two children, Benjamin Kent, III, b. Dec. 2, 1924; Albert Bernard, b. May 24, 1926; educ. Oberlin High Sch., Oberlin, O., 1913; East Technical High Sch., Cleveland, O., 1918; D.D.S., Western Reserve Univ., Cleveland, O., 1923; Dentist, 1923-present; Cor. Sec., Pi Chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha, 1921-22; Trustee, East Mt. Zion Baptist Church, 1923-25; Staff, Dental Dept., Huron Road Hospital, Cleveland, O., 1925-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Y.M.C.A.; Cleveland Dental Soc.; Ohio Dental Soc.; American Dental Soc.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2166 E. 93rd St., Cleveland, O.

SMITH, CLIFTON CONWAY—Dentist.

b. May 20, 1890, Level Land, S. C.; s. Enoch B. and Parry (Callahan) Smith; m. Inez P. Townsend, Oct. 20, 1920; two children, Clifton Conway Townsend, b. May 4, 1922; Henrietta Tamar, b. Nov. 9, 1926; educ. Seneca Inst., Seneca, S. C.,

1911; B.S., Benedict Coll., Columbia, S. C., 1913; D.D.S., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1918; Dentist, 1918-present; Charge Dental Clinic, Medical Corp., World War, Stationed Meharry Med. Coll., 1918-19; Instructor, Metallurgy, Meharry Med. Coll., 1918-19; mem. Masons (32°); National Med. Assn.; Cincinnati Med. Soc.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 910 Greenup St., Covington, Ky.; Residence, 3246 Beresford Ave., Cincinnati, O.

SMITH, DAVID C.—Physician.

b. April 2, 1883, Lowell, Ga.; s. William and Mollie (Chandler) Smith; m. Drucilla Middleton, Sept. 12, 1918; educ. A.B., Atlanta Univ., 1908; Univ. of Kansas, 1912; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1919; Teacher, Knox Inst., Athens, Ga.; Assistant Principal and Teacher, Albany, Normal & Ind. Inst., 1 year; Physician, 1919-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Wayne County Med. Soc.; Michigan State Med. Soc.; Am. Med. Assn.; Elks; Masons; Ancient Order of Mechanics; Odd Fellows; N.A.A.C.P.; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 3505 St. Antoine St., Detroit, Mich.

SMITH, FRANK BERNARD—Lawyer.

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Died.

SMITH, HARRY C.—Editor-Publisher.

b. West Virginia; educ. Pub. Schools, Cleveland, O.; Founder, Owner and Editor of The Gazette, a weekly newspaper, Aug. 25, 1883-present; First Afro-American to hold position of Deputy State Oil Inspector (for four years); elected a Member of Ohio State Legislature, 1893; re-elected, 1895 and 1899; Candidate for Secretary of State and Governor of Ohio; Address, The Gazette, Cleveland, O.

"The Ohio Mob Violence Act" was introduced by him, and made a law in 1896.

"The Ohio Civil Rights Law" was also introduced by him, and made a law in 1894.

SMITH, JAMES HOWARD LORENZO—Clergyman.

b. Jan. 23, 1886, Batesville, Ala.; s. Dock S. and Mary (Lucas) Smith; m. Annie Eugenie Johnson, Dec., 1910; five children, James; Naanan E.; Annie Luretha; Robert; Ulysses; educ. Eufaula Baptist Academy, Eufaula, Ala., 1900; B.Th., Selma Univ., Selma, Ala., 1904; Clergyman, 1904-present; Pastor, Sardis Baptist Church, Union Springs, Ala., 1906-10; Pastor, First Baptist Ch., Midway, Ala., 1906-10; Pastor, Lily Baptist Ch., Troy, Ala., 1910-14; Pastor, First Baptist Ch., Eufaula, Ala., 1914-23; Pastor, Tabernacle Baptist Ch., Birmingham, Ala., 1923-31; Pastor, Ebenezer Missionary Baptist Ch., Chicago, Ill., 1931-present; Principal, Union Springs High Sch., Union Springs, Ala., 1904-27; Sec., Alabama State Baptist Sunday Sch. Convention, 1913-32; Auditor, Ala. Baptist State Convention, 1924-30; mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; Woodman of America; Ancient Knights and Daughters of Africa; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Urban League; Foreign Mission Board of the National Baptist Convention; Chairman, Home Mission Board of the National Baptist Convention of America; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 4501 Vin-

cinnes Ave.; Residence, 4817 Forrestville, Ave., Chicago, Ill.

While Principal of the high school in Union Springs, Ala., he was instrumental in having erected a modern school building, also a teachers home. He has a record of building some very modern churches in the various cities in which he was located.

SMITH, JOHN EDGAR—Government Employee.

b. Sept. 12, 1875, Charlotte, N. C.; s. John T. and Maria (Jones) Smith; m. Cecelia Cantey, Nov. 27, 1901; educ. Pub. Sch., Charlotte, N. C.; Biddle (now Johnson C. Smith Univ.), 1891-97; A.B., 1897; A.M. (Honorary), 1901; Foreman, A.M.E. Zion Publication House, Charlotte, N. C., 1897-1900; printer and monotype typesetting machine operator, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., 1900-present; mem. National Guard, Washington, D. C., for twelve years; Ruling Elder, 15th St. Presbyterian Ch.; Sec., Bd. of Trustees, Johnson C. Smith Univ.; Past Grand Master, Masons, of the District of Columbia; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Government Printing Office; Residence, 1812 Ninth St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

While in college he learned the printer's trade and upon graduating from Biddle entered the publishing house of the A.M.E. Zion Church in Charlotte. Shortly after taking his residence in Washington he became a member of the National Guard, where he served for twelve years, rising from the rank of private to that of captain, this commission being awarded him while in the Federal Military Service on the Mexican Border prior to the World War.

SMITH, JOSEPHINE CARROLL—School Principal.

b. April 5, 1894, Washington, D. C.; d. Dennis and Alice (Morgan) Carroll; m. William H. Smith, June 14, 1918; educ. M Street High Sch. (now Dunbar High Sch.), Washington, D. C., 1912; Miner Normal Sch., Washington, D. C., 1914; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1930; Teacher, Washington Sch., 1915-30; Principal; Pub. Sch., Washington, D. C., 1930-present; Board of Examiners, representing the elementary sch., Washington, D. C., 1932-present; mem. National Educational Assn.; Columbia Educational Assn.; National Assn. for Teachers of Colored Schools; Teachers Benefit Assn. of America; Sterling Relief Assn.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 17th and M Sts., N.W.; Residence, 1948 2nd St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

She is the Principal of Magruder School for Cripples, one of the very few in the Race Solely for crippled children. There is a visiting staff consisting of a medical inspector, school nurse and orthopedic surgeon. A complete equipment has been installed including a foot and arm bath, shower, hydro-therapy tub, finger and wrist exerciser, infra-red, ultra violet ray, shoulder wheel, walker, ankle exerciser, rowing machine.

She was instrumental in establishing and is the Superintendent of a Normal Department in connection with Shiloh Baptist Church, of Washington, D. C.

LEE-SMITH, HUGHIE—Artist—Teacher.

b. Sept. 15, 1915.

s. Luther and Alice (Williams) Smith; educ. East Huntington Polytechnic Inst., Cleveland, Ohio; Cleveland School of Art, Portrait Dept., 3 years; Detroit Soc. of Arts and Crafts, Detroit, Mich.; Head of Dept. of Fine Arts, Claflin Univ., Orangeburg, S. C., 1939-present; in High School was Pres., Kennedien Art Club; Sec., Glee Club; mem. Cappella Club (an exclusive school singing organization); Gavel Club; Student Council; Track Team; National Honor Soc.; and Awarded a scholarship in a National competition sponsored by the Scholastic Magazine, to the Detroit Society of Arts and Crafts; Awarded scholarships by the Gilpin Players, Inc., to the Cleveland School of Art; Awarded two Honors in the 1938 May Show (Annual Exhibition of work by Cleveland Artists and Craftsmen); at the Cleveland Museum of Art; won Third Prize in Freehand Drawing, and Honorable Mention with a Block Print; Third prize in Lithograph in 1939 edition of May Show; Editor School Year Book at Cleveland School of Art and receiving an honorary Scholarship for graduate study; Associated with Gilpin Players, Cleveland, Ohio; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2244½ E. 103rd St., Cleveland, Ohio.

He exhibited in the following Museums and Galleries: The Cleveland Museum of Art; The Denver Art Museum; The Dayton Art Museum; Ohio Print Maker's Exhibition; The Society of Arts and Crafts, Detroit, Mich.; The Cleveland Public Library; Boromer-Brooks Studios, Cleveland, Ohio; Korner-Woods Galleries, Cleveland, Ohio; Colony Club, Detroit, Mich.; The Women's City Club, Cleveland, Ohio; The Carnegie Institute, Pittsburgh, Pa., (Scholastic Magazine Competition, 1933-34); The Oklahoma Art Center (First National Lithography Exhibition, 1939).

SMITH, LUCY HARTH—Elementary School Principal—Teacher—Lecturer.

b. Roanoke, Va.; d. Daniel Washington and Rachel Emma (Brockington) Harth; m. Paul Vernon Smith, June 1, 1910; five children, Vernon Cornelius, b. April 16, 1911; Alta Lucille, b. Sept. 21, 1913; Paul Vincent, b. April 28, 1915; Daniel Earl, b. Dec. 15, 1917; Edwin Milton, b. March 23, 1926; educ. Roanoke City Public Schools; Morgan Coll. Annex, Lynchburg, Va., 1902-03; Hampton Inst. (Normal), 1908; A.B., Kentucky State Coll., Magna Cum Laude, 1932; Candidate for Masters Degree, Univ. of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, O., 1941; Teacher, Roanoke City Schools, 1908-10; Teacher Lexington, Ky., City Schools, 1918-41; Asst. Prin., Booker T. Washington Sch., Lexington, Ky., 1918-35; Prin., same, 1935-present; Treas., Women's Improvement Club; Sec., Lexington Interracial Committee of the Y. W. C. A.; Past Pres., Lexington Teacher's Assn.; Sec., State Assn. of Colored Women; mem. Executive Committee, Kentucky State In-

terracial Council; National Supervisor, Assn. of Colored Girls; Past Fourth Regional Vice-Pres., American Teachers' Assn.; mem. Executive Committee, Ass'n for the Study of Negro Life and History; mem. National Council of Negro Women; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, Booker T. Washington City School; Residence, 258 E. 5th St., Lexington, Ky.

In addition to teaching she has lectured on Negro life and History in the public schools and to audiences in New York City, Washington, Detroit, Louisville, Cleveland, Chicago, Houston, Cincinnati, Memphis, and some of the largest Colleges.

Her greatest desire is to help young men and women of the Colored Race to be conscious of the Negro's Great Contribution to the welfare of the World as an inspiration for further service.

She was selected by Gov. Ruby Laffoon to represent Kentucky at the California Fair, and by the wife of Gov. Chandler, of Kentucky, to represent Kentucky at the World's Fair in New York City in 1939.

SMITH, PAUL VERNON—Vocational Teacher of Cabinet Making.

b. Madison, Ind.; s. William H. and Madge (Shannon) Smith; m. Lucy Cornelia Harth, June 1, 1910; five children, Vernon Cornelius, b. April 16, 1911; Alta Lucille, b. Sept. 21, 1913; Paul Vincent, b. April 28, 1915; Daniel Earle, b. Dec. 15, 1917; Edwin Milton, b. March 23, 1926; educ. Public Sch., Madison, Ind.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Berea Coll., Berea, Ky., 1902-03; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1904-09; Vocational Trade Course, 1908; Normal, 1909; A.B., Kentucky State Coll., Frankfort, Ky., 1934; Graduate Student, Cincinnati Univ., Cincinnati, Ohio; Manual Training Teacher, City Sch., Roanoke, Va., 1910-12; Principal, Gregory Sch., Roanoke, Va., 1912-16; Principal and Instructor Manual Training, Booker T. Washington Sch., Lexington, Ky., 1916-35; Head of Cabinet Making Dept., Dunbar Trade Sch., Lexington, Ky., 1935-present; Basket Ball Coach, Russell and Dunbar High Schools, 1918-22; Sec., Dunbar Athletic Council, 1927-34; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, Dunbar Trade School; Residence, 258 E. 5th St., Lexington, Ky.

He was Captain of Hampton Institute's Football Team for four years, 1906-07-08-09, during which time Hampton became known Nationally in football. He made Southern football trips with a squad of 19 men in the Fall of 1909, defeating Virginia Seminary, A. and T. College and Kittrell College on consecutive dates; Tuskegee Institute defeating us the same week-end, also Atlanta Baptist College at the State Fair in Augusta, Ga. With one week's rest they defeated Lincoln University of Penna. in their first meeting. He also piloted Hampton's team in the first meetings with Union, Shaw and Howard Universities.

He represented Hampton's Cabinet Making Department with an exhibit at the Jamestown Exposition in 1907.

Since the opening of the Dunbar Trade School, Sept., 1935, the cabinet making department, under his direction, has made enviable record in reproductions of period furniture, serving some of the best homes of the blue grass section. Several of his students are now holding responsible positions. He encourages his students to make their work an art as well as a trade.

SMITH, RUTH GWENDOLYN—Educator.

b. Feb. 16, 1902, Scranton, Pa.; d. Charles C. and Lulu (Lilly) Smith; educ. A.B., (cum laude), Syracuse Univ., Syracuse, N. Y., 1926; Columbia Univ., New York City, graduate study 1927; Wellesley Coll., Wellesley, Mass., graduate study, 1929-30; A.M., Columbia Univ., and Sorbonne, Univ. of Paris France, 1935-36; Professor, French, N. C. College for Negroes, Durham, N. C., 1926-29; Professor, French, Southern Univ., Baton Rouge, La., 1930-34; Professor, French, Florida Normal and Collegiate Inst., St. Augustine, Fla., 1934-35; Professor, French, N. C. College for Negroes, 1936-37; Professor of Romance Languages, A. and I. State College, Nashville, Tenn., 1937-present; Chairman, Scholarship Committee, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, 1933-present; Lambda Tau Rho, Honorary Romance Language Soc., of Syracuse Univ.; Graduate Club and Alliance Francaise of Wellesley Coll.; National Assn. and International Federation of Univ. Women; National Assn. of Coll. Women; American Assn. of Teachers of French; National Federation of Modern Language Teachers; Modern Language Assn. of America; National Assn. of Teachers of Colored Schools; Vice-Pres., Foreign Language Dept., N. C. Teachers Assn. 1928; Relig. Baptist Address. A. and I. State Coll., Nashville, Tenn. Residence, 100 N. Loveland Ave., Kingston, Pa.

She has the distinction of having been awarded a graduate scholarship in French at the exclusive and aristocratic New England institution of higher learning for women, Wellesley College for the academic year of 1929-30.

In 1936, when she attended the World-famed Sorbonne, University of Paris, France, she was one of 135 students in that group, composed of 12 Americans from Columbia University, and the others representing every nationality, were for the most part government scholarship awardees. She was awarded the Master of Arts Degree in French at the end of the Spring quarter, June 2, 1936.

SMITH, N. CLARK—Composer—Music Master.

— See 4th Edition.

Died, October 8, 1933.

SMITH, ROBERT LLOYD — Bank President—Educator.

b. Jan. 7, 1861, Charleston, S. C.; s. Francis A. and Mary H. (Talbot) Smith; m. Isabel Isaacs,

Oct. 30, 1890 (deceased Feb. 22, 1918); second marriage, Ruby L. Cobb, 1919; educ. Avery Normal Inst., 1871-75; S.C. Univ., 1875-77; Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1877-80; A.B. 1880; Founder and Teacher, Oakland Normal Sch., Texas, 1880-1902; Representative in Legislature, 1895-99; Deputy U. S. Marshal at Paris, Texas, 1902-09; Pres., Farmers' Imp. Bank, Waco, Tex., 1910-present; Pres., Farmers' Imp. Agriculture Sch., Wolfe City, Tex., 1906-present; mem. Founder of the Farmers' Improvement Society; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; U.B. of F.; Board of Trustees, Anna T. Jeanes Foundation; Commission on Inter-Racial Co-operation; Board Education, M. E. Church; Vice Pres., American Bible Soc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 109 Bridge St.; Residence, 817 N. 4th St., Waco, Tex.

SMITH, THOMAS MANUEL—Physician.

b. Sept. 7, 1891, Sedalia, Mo.; s. Thomas Manuel and Mamie (Braxton) Smith; m. Minnie S. Woodard, June 25, 1916; educ. George R. Smith Coll., 1909; Meharry Pharmaceutical Coll., Ph.C. 1912; Meharry Coll., M.D. 1915; mem. Staff of Provident Hospital, Chicago, Ill.; Y.M.C.A.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Am. Med. Assn.; Knights of Pythias; Masons; Chicago Med. Soc.; Pres., Cook Co. Physicians Assn.; Pres., Local Meharry Alumni Chap.; Pol. Republican; Relig. M.E. Ch.; Address, 5842 S. State St.; Residence, 4754 Champlain Ave., Chicago, Ill.

SMITH, T. PARKER—Business College President.— See 5th Edition.

Died.

SMITH, TROY—Physician.

b. June 10, 1891, Terre Haute, Ind.; s. Robert and Rebecca (Black) Smith; m. Jessye Willis, Dec. 15, 1920; educ. Indiana State Normal Sch., 1910-12; B.S., M.D., Indiana Univ. Med., 1917; Interne, Provident Hosp., 1918-19; Physician, 1917-present; Attending Staff of Provident Hosp.; 1st Lieut., Med. Reserve Corp., U.S.A., 1917; mem. Treas., Cook Co. Med. Soc.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Chicago Med. Soc.; Ill. State Med. Soc.; Am. Med. Assn.; Y.M.C.A.; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 5 E. 36th Pl.; Residence, 6744 St. Lawrence Ave., Chicago, Ill.

SMITH, WILLIAM HENRY—Physician.

b. Feb. 16, 1872, Louisville, Ky.; s. Henry and Mary (Davis) Smith; m. Alice Weathers, 1891; second marriage, Belle Wilson, Feb. 19, 1924; one child, Haywood; educ. Central High Sch., Louisville, Ky.; State Univ., Louisville, Ky.; M. D., Louisville Nat. Med. Coll., 1906; Interne, Central Ky. State Hosp., 1900-06; Physician, 1906-present; 1st Lieut., Med. Corp., World War; Camp Funston, Kans., 1917-18; Med. Examiner, K. of P.; Med. Examiner, Atlanta Life Ins. Co.; Med. Examiner, Court of Calanthe; Med. Examiner, Odd Fellows; Med. Examiner, Elks; Med. Examiner, Masons; mem. Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; American Woodmen; N. A.A.C.P.; Nat. Med. Assn.; State Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Fall City Med. Soc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 555 S. 10th St.; Residence, 2420 W. Madison St., Louisville, Ky.

SMITH-HYATT, MARY ELIZABETH—Physician.

b. Feb. 15, —, Estell Co., Ky.; d. Richard and Naney Jane (McCarley) Hyatt; m. William Tennyson Thomas, April 27, 1896 (deceased); one child, Fred Hyatt-Thomas, b. June 1, 1897; second marriage, Woodford Robert Milton Smith, May 18, 1900 (deceased); educ. Pub. Sch., Crawfordsville, Ind.; Marion Nor. Conservatory of Music, Marion, Ind.; Louisville Nat. Med. Coll., Louisville, Ky., 1895-1909; M.D., 1909; Teacher, High Sch., Crawfordsville, Ind.; Dressmaker and Milliner; Teacher, Voice, Music, Piano; Matron and Nurse, Nat. Relief hospital work in North Marion, Ind.; medical student, physician, specializing in women and children diseases; Lecturer, Eugenics, since 1909; mem. Court Calanthe; K. of P.; Household of Ruth; G.U.O.O.F.; Eastern Star, Ameranth Chapter; Daughter Elk; Rose Temple; A.N.K. & D. of A.; Masonic Band member; Charter Member of Mary B. Talbot Club; Aesulapian Med. Soc. of Ind.; contr. articles on medical matters to newspapers, magazines, etc.; has compiled book on poetry and health subjects; composed words and music, "My Little Hoosier Song" (march), "Consecration"; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 534 Indiana Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

SMOTHERS, JAMES WILLIAM—School Principal.

b. May 3, 1897, Mt. Meigs, Ala.; s. James Henry and Cornelia (Mitchell) Smothers; m. Alice Olenza Wingfield; three children, Dorphenia, b. Sept. 26, 1930; James William, Jr., b. Feb. 14, 1932; Benjamin Weldon, b. Feb. 1, 1934; Cliborne, b. April 1, 1935; educ. Public Sch., Mt. Meigs, Ala., 1915; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Diploma, 1921; B.S., Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View, Tex., 1934; Senior Captain, Hampton Inst., 1921; Vocational Agricultural Teacher, Samuel Houston Training Sch., Huntsville, Tex., 1921-23; Principal, The County Training Sch., of Washington Co., Tex., 1923-26; Principal, Henderson Co., Training Sch., Malakoff, Tex., 1925-present; General Director, Civic Betterment League, Malakoff, Tex.; mem. Masons Pol. Republican; Address, Henderson County Training School, Malakoff, Tex.

He enlisted as a private in the 366th Infantry, promoted to Sergeant and was sent to Camp Dodge, Iowa. In 1918 he entered the Officers Training School at Camp Dodge, Iowa, and commissioned as a Second Lieutenant of Infantry, U. S. A., at Camp Pike, Ark.

When he accepted the Principalship of the Henderson Co. Training School it was a little community school with one small school house, with practically no equipment. Under his administration the school has been elevated to a regular four years high school, and giving three year courses in Agriculture and Home Economics. The school is now one of the leading County Training Schools in Texas, being well equipped, and having a beautiful teachers' cottage, vocational building, girl's dormitory, electric lights, running water, etc., and is fully paid for. In connection with the school they own and operate the largest cannery of any Colored high school in the State of Texas, and owns a very large hatchery.

SNOWDEN, JOANNA CECILIA—Social Worker.

b. Feb. 14, 1864, Chicago, Ill.; d. Joseph Henry and Anna Elizabeth (Lewis) Hudlum; m. Samuel Ross Snowden, June 2, 1884; one child, Joseph Edward, b. Nov. 19, 1886; educ. Englewood High Sch., Chicago, Ill.; Bryant and Stratton Business Coll., Chicago, Ill.; Sch. of Civics and Philanthropy, Chicago, Ill.; Univ. of Chicago; Juvenile Probation Officer, 1905-15; One of Founders, Sec. and Director, Home for Aged and Infirm Colored People, 1898-1908; ex-Treas., Phyllis Wheatley Home for Colored Girls; Sec. and mem. of Commission, Middle State and Mississippi Valley Exposition, 1902; Organizer and Pres., Northwestern Federation of Colored Women's Clubs, comprising 24 States; Director, Northern District of Ill., and Director, Ill. Assn. of Colored Women; Organizer, National Assn. of Colored Women; ex-Pres. and Historian, Chicago Old Settlers Social Club; Deputy Recorder, Cook Co. Records Office, 1924-27; House Mother, State Training Sch., Geneva, Ill., 1929; Publicity Director, Shiloh S.D.A. Church, 1927-present; Editor, Church Bulletin, S.D.A., 1927-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. 7th Day Adventist; Address, 3302 Rhodes Ave., Chicago, Ill.

SNYDER, CHARLES WILLIAM—Physician.

b. Jan. 16, 1870, Hartford, Conn.; s. Charles H. and Sophia (Hensley) Snyder; m. Birdie Wills, Dec. 31, 1903; educ. Hartford, Conn., High Sch.; A.B., Fisk Univ., 1896; M.D., Yale Univ., 1900; Physician, 1900-present; Director and Med. Director, Domestic Life Ins. Co.; Precinct Captain in Louisville, Ky.; mem. Executive Board, Red Cross Hospital; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Med. Soc. of Negro Physicians, Pharmacists and Dentists Assn. of Ky.; N.A.A.C.P.; Phi Beta Sigma; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregational; Address, 601 W. Walnut St.; Residence, 2904 W. Walnut St., Louisville, Ky.

SOLOMON, SAMUEL B.—Funeral Director.

b. Jan. 9, 1902, Albany, Ga.; s. John and Carrie (Butler) Solomon; educ. Public Sch., Albany, Ga.; Georgia Normal and Agricultural Coll., Albany, Ga.; Publisher, *American Weekly, Albany, Ga.*, at the age of 15; Funeral Director, Miami, Fla., six years; Past Treas., Atlas Lodge, Elks, Miami; Founder, The 39ers, a business men's club, Miami; Special Agent and Representative Atlanta Life Insurance Co., 1929; Honorary mem. Business and Professional Women's Circle (only male mem.) Pres., Negro Citizens' Service League; mem. Florida Negro Funeral Directors and Embalmers Assn; Colored Funeral Directors Assn; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 223 N. W. 10th st., Miami, Fla.

As the president of the Negro Citizens' Service League of Miami he did everything in his power to get the Colored voters of that City to cast their ballot on the last election day with the result that great many more Colored citizens voted than had ever voted before. All this in spite of threats not to attempt to vote.

SPANN, JOHN WESLEY—College President.

b. April 14, 1887, near Pheba, Clay, Co., Miss.; s.



PAUL VERNON SMITH, A.B.



LUCY HARTH SMITH, A.B.



JOHN WESLEY SPANN, A.B.



C. C. SPAULDING

Alfred and Parthenie (Williams) Spann; m. Lillie Eloise Gillespie, Sept. 9, 1915; four children, John Wesley Spann, Jr., b. Oct. 3, 1917; Lois, b. Dec. 25, 1919; Clarice, b. Sept. 8, 1921; James Russell, b. Aug. 27, 1924; educ. Rural Schs. of Clay and Webster Cos., Miss.; Ministerial Inst. and Coll., West Point, Miss., 1904-06; Capitol Inst. (summer courses), 1906-10; Howard Univ., 1906-14; A.B. in Education, Howard Univ., 1914; Principal, Academic Dept., Okolona Industrial Sch., Okolona, Miss., 1914-16; Pres., Ministerial Institute and Coll., West Point, Miss., 1916-present; mem. Masons; Knights of Pythias; Woodmen of Union; Relig. Baptist; Address, West Point, Miss.

SPAULDING, CHARLES CLINTON — President of Insurance Company-Bank President.

b. Aug. 1, 1874. Clarkton, N. C.; s. Benjamin M. and Margaret (Moore) Spaulding; m. Fannie Jones, Sept. 26, 1900 (deceased Aug. 19, 1919); four children, Margaret Louise, b. July 29, 1901; Charles Clinton Spaulding, Jr., b. Nov. 10, 1907; John Aaron, b. May 10, 1909; Booker Benjamin, b. Oct. 29, 1915; second marriage, Charlotte Garner, Jan. 3, 1920; educ. Whitted Graded Sch., Durham, N. C., 1896-98; A.M. Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C.; LL.D. (Honorary), Shaw, 1936; Manager and helped organize North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, 1899; Pres. of the same since 1923; Pres. of Mechanics & Farmers Bank, Durham, N. C., since Jan. 12, 1922; Member of National Inter-Racial Commission; Chairman of Executive Committee and Treasurer, Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C.; Vice President, National Urban League; Deacon and Chairman Board of Trustees, White Rock Baptist Church, Durham, N. C.; Pres., Mutual Building and Loan Assn; Pres., Mortgage Co., Durham, N. C.; mem. Board of Trustees, Southern Education Foundation, Inc.; Chairman, National Emergency Advisory Council for Negroes; Treas. and Sec., N. C. Commission on Interracial Cooperation; Trustee, Colored Orphanage, Oxford, N. C.; mem. Planning Committee on Education of Negroes; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 201; mittee on Education of Negroes; Trustee and mem. Executive Committee, Howard University; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 201; Residence, 1006 Fayetteville St., Durham, N. C.

Charles Clinton Spaulding first entered Civic Life in Durham as an employee in a hotel and later worked for Judge R. W. Winston, attending school meantime.

Upon graduating from Whitted Graded School in 1898, he accepted a position as Manager of a grocery store, which position he held until called in by the organizers of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, that he might aid them in managing and developing that Company.

He has held the positions of Agent, General Inspector, General Manager, Secretary and Treasurer of the Company, and was elected President on April 29th, 1923. At that time the assets of the Company were \$1,945,522.00. At the close of business Dec. 31, 1940, assets were \$6,415,785.77. Its

operations cover nine Southern States from Pennsylvania to Alabama.

He was appointed by Gov. Clyde Hoey, of North Carolina, a Trustee of the North Carolina College for Negroes, of Durham, N. C., in 1937. In 1939 he was also appointed by the Governor a member of "A Commission of White and Negro Leaders to Study Employment Problems of the Negro."

He held the position of cashier of the Mechanics & Farmers Bank of Durham, N. C., for two years and has been President of that Institution since 1922; Vice-President of the Bankers Fire Insurance Company, which the only Negro Fire Insurance Co. in the United States, and is Treasurer of the National Negro Bankers Association, and President Emeritus of National Negro Business League.

In December, 1926, he was awarded the first prize of \$400 and a gold medal offered by the Harmon Foundation. This award was made in recognition for creative achievement in industry including business and was one of the awards offered by the Foundation and directed by The Commission on the Church and Race Relations, Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America.

SPEIGNER, THEODORE ROOSEVELT — Institute President.

b. March 31, 1906, Montgomery, Ala.; s. Edward and Sallie (Craig) Speigner; educ. Alabama State Teachers Coll., Montgomery, Ala., 1922-26; Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, Ohio, 1926-27; A.B., Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala., 1930; A.M., State University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, 1933; Graduate Student, Univ. of Iowa; Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass.; LL.D., (Honorary), Luther Coll., 1938; Univ. of Toronto, Can.; auth. "Economic Activities of the U. S. in Liberia, 1900-1930," Master's thesis of 1933, pub. Univ. of Iowa Press, Iowa City, Ia.; "Higher Education of Negroes in the U. S. since 1900"; Pres., Martin Luther Inst., Tuscaloosa, Ala., 1930-present; Pres., Alabama Lutheran Conference of the American Lutheran Church; Guest Speaker, "Wings Over Jordan," Broadcast, June 4, 1939; Guest Speaker, National Womens' Missionary Federation of the American Lutheran Church, 1928; Chairman, High Sch. Dept., Alabama State Teachers' Assn, 1935-39; mem. Alabama State Teachers Assn; American Historical Assn; Historical Club of the Univ. of Iowa; The Boy Scouts of America; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Lutheran; Address, Martin Luther Institute; Residence, 2939 - 18th St., Tuscaloosa, Ala.

SPENCER, FRANK ELLSWORTH—Officer.

b. Nov. 26, 1891, Brooklyn, N. Y.; s. Frank A. and Martha (Smith) Spencer; m. Hildah Peterson, Oct. 18, 1919; educ. Ithaca High Sch., Ithaca, N. Y. (general course), 1914; DeWitt Clinton High Sch., New York City, 1915; 2nd Corps Area Military School, Governor's Island (Military course), 1921-24; Military Clerk, Armory Board, City of New York, 1922-26; Commissioned 2nd

Lieut., U. S. Infantry, upon completion of Military Course, Sept. 29, 1923; Inspector of Elections, 1915, 4th Election and 13th Assembly District; mem. Manhattan Lodge No. 45, I.B.O.E. of W.; Antioch Lodge No. 66, F.&A.M.; Royal Arch Masons (32°); auth. "369th Inf. in France," Address, 24 West 131st St., New York, N. Y.

He was the first Colored soldier enlisted in the National Guard of New York State, June 29, 1916.

He is a member of the 369th Infantry, New York National Guard, commissioned Master Sergeant. Served in the World War, overseas, 1918-19; awarded fifteen medals and awards, among which were the United States Victory Medal with four battle bars, Croix de Guerre (French), Commemorative Cross and French Wound Bar; ten years Meritorious medal, sharpshooter medals for pistol, rifle and Machine gun; wounded at Sechault, France. The Association des Anciens Combattants de Verdun, an organization of officers and prominent citizens of Verdun, France, placed the name of Lieut. Frank Ellsworth Spencer upon its Livre d'Or (Book of Gold) and awarded him its Verdun medal in October, 1928.

Lieutenant Spencer, then a sergeant in the Fifteenth Infantry, when that regiment was a unit of the French army under Col. William Hayward, is one of the few Allied soldiers thus to be honored. With his name upon the scroll and the medal, he was given a certificate signifying membership in the French order. The medal is of bronze, with a ribbon striped with the French tri-Color. It bears the image of a soldier with his bayonet thrust forward and the famous inscription "They Shall Not Pass" in French.

SPENCER, JAMES OSCAR—High School Principal.

b. Mar. 7, 1879, Kentuckytown, Tex.; s. Anthony and Mittie Ann Spencer; m. Esther Olga, May 1904; educ. Lincoln Univ., Jefferson City, Mo., 1895-1900; B.S.D. 1900; M.A. 1919; Prin., High Sch., Chickasha, Indian Territory, 1900-04; Prin. of Pecan Creek Boarding Sch., Muskogee, Okla., 1904-07; Pres., Dawes Inst., 1907-09; Vice Pres. of Creek Seminole Coll., Boley, Okla.; Prin., Lincoln High Sch., Nowata, Okla., 1914-present; mem. Alpha Kappa Phi.; Odd Fellows; Pres., Okla. Assn. of Negro Teachers; Treas. of this Assn., 1925-present; District Grand Sec. of the Okla. Odd Fellows; U.B.F.; Nat. Geographical Soc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Lincoln High School; Residence, 228 N. Sycamore St., Nowata, Okla.

SPENCER, JAMES PRESTON—Teacher-School Builder.

b. June 15, 1888, Charlotte, Va.; s. William Henry and Bettie Reid (Henry) Spencer; m. Evie Lee Carpenter, July 10, 1922; two children, Emily Howland, b. May 11, 1923; Margaret Lee b. Apr. 18, 1925; educ. Va. Normal & Industrial Inst., Petersburg, Va., 1910, 1912, 1914 and 1917; Va. Union Univ., 1924 and 1926; Sergeant in World

War (overseas), 1917-19; Vocational Agricultural Teacher and Principal of Training Sch., 1921-25; formulated plans and supervised the erection of the Columbus County Training Sch. in North Carolina; Manager, Chesterfield County Colored Teachers Assn.; 1923-26; Delegate to Va. State Teachers Assn., 1923 and 1925; mem. Chairman, Membership Board, Chesterfield Co. Colored Fair Assn.; Chairman, Piedmont Sanitarium Fund for Colored Tuberculosis patients at Burkeville, Va., 1925-26; N.A.A.C.P.; Negro Organization Soc. of Va.; Editor, Chesterfield County Training Ed. Bulletin, 1925; auth. Y.M.C.A. Hand Book, pub. Mackey Printing Co., Petersburg, Va., 1921; Editor, Chesterfield Co. Teachers' School Review, 1924, A. B. Mackey Printing Company; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, R.F.D. No. 7, Box 599, So. Richmond, Va.

SPENCER, MRS. L. C. BACON—High School Principal.

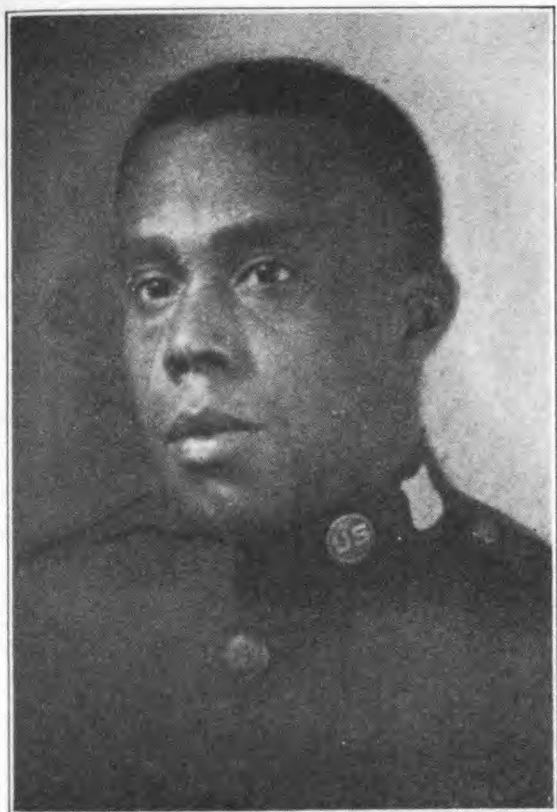
b. June 19, 1902, Paducah, Ky.; d. Benjamin and Mary Caldwell Bacon; m. Charles Lunderman (divorced); second marriage Benjamin T. Spencer, Dec. 26, 1934; one child, Charles, Jr., b. Dec. 26, 1922; educ. Lincoln High Sch., Paducah, Ky.; W. K. I. Coll., Paducah, Ky.; Lane Coll., Jackson, Tenn.; Southern Illinois Teachers' Univ., Carbondale, Ill.; Kentucky State Coll., Frankfort, Ky.; Teacher, Sanders Sch., McCracken Co., two years; Teacher Garfield Sch., Paducah, Ky., three years; Principal, Robersontown High Sch., three years; Principal, Ballard Co. High Sch., La Center, 1932-present; Pres., Negro Health Campaign of the Southside; Sec., Paducah Dist. Sunday Sch. Convention, six years; Pres., same, 10 years; Vice Pres., Woman's Board of Missions, 5 years; Sec., Sunday Sch., Recording Sec., C. M. E. Church; Chairman, High School Group, First District, Teachers' Assn. 1932-34; mem. Community League; Pro-Bi-So-Club; Relig. C. M. E.; Address, La Center, Ky. 109 Logan St., Frankfort, Ky.

Shortly after her election as Principal of the Ballard Co., High School the building was destroyed by fire causing a great loss. Through her indefatigable efforts she succeeded in having a modern building erected and fully equipped. The Slater Fund was very helpful in accomplishing this great work together with the Parent-Teachers Assn.

SPOTTS, J. MARIE—School Principal.

b. St. Louis, Mo.; d. George A. and Rhoda (Calloway) Spotts; educ. Michigan State Normal Coll., Ypsilanti, Mich.; Teachers Training Coll., Central Inst. for the Deaf, St. Louis, Mo.; West Virginia State Coll., Institute, W. Va.; Teacher, Turner Sch., St. Louis, Mo., 1 year; Secretary, Hutchins Inge, St. Louis, Mo.; Teacher, W. Virginia Schools for Colored Deaf and Blind, Institute, W. Va., 1933-35; Principal, same, 1935-present; mem. National Educational Assn.; Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf; West Virginia Teachers Assn.; Society of Progressive Oral Advocates; American Assn. to Promote the Teaching of Speech to the Deaf; Aldridge Players, a dramatic club of St. Louis, Mo.; Contract Bridge Club; The Junior League of Institute, W. Va.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address, Deaf and Blind School, Institute, W. Va.; Residence, 4311 W. Belle Pl., St. Louis, Mo.

She is the first and only Colored graduate of



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JAMES OSCAR SPENCER, M.A.



THEODORE R. SPEIGNER, A.B., A.M., LL.D.



I. W. ST. CLAIR, A.M.

the 2 year course at the Teachers Training College of Central Institute for the Deaf, a white college. During her training there she demonstrated, with three other mates, her work before the Rockefeller Foundation enabling the school to receive a donation of \$250,000. They were impressed with the idea of training teachers in the special field of teaching the deaf.

ST. CLAIR, IRVIN WEBSTER—Principal.

b. Dec. 2, 1899, Louisville, Ky.; s. Mitchell and Frances (Webster) St. Clair; m. Lucile E. Weaver, May 11, 1918; **second marriage**. Sadie Iola Daniel, 1938; one child, Irvin Emerson, b. May 19, 1919; educ. A. B., Fisk University, 1913; A.M., Indiana University, 1921; has the honor of being the first student of color, and as far as known, the only one to receive this degree from the Fine Arts Dept. of said school; Summer course in Education, Indiana Univ., 1922; Summer course in High School Administration, Columbia Univ., 1925; Summer course in Junior and Senior High Sch. Administration, Indiana Univ., 1926; entered U. S. Army July 20, 1918, and served as Battalion Sergeant Major, 159th Depot Brigade, Headquarters Company, Camp Zachary Taylor, Kentucky; Teacher, Science and History, Scribner High Sch., New Albany, Ind., 1915-21; Teacher, History and Drawing, Sumner High Sch., Kansas City, Kansas, 1921-23; Principal Wilson High Sch., Wilson, N. C., 1923-27; Principal Virginia Avenue Sch., Louisville, Ky., 1927-34; **Principal Western Sch., 1934-present**; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 2302 W. Chestnut St., Louisville, Ky.

STAFFORD, ISAAC SANFORD—Physician.

b. March 14, 1865, Valdosta, Ga.; s. Isaac and Annie (Lucas) Stafford; m. Leah C. Walker, Nov. 1, 1889; two children, Dr. Paul Milton H., b. April 6, 1890; Mrs. Maude J. White; educ. Cookman Inst., Jacksonville, Fla.; Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn.; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1897; Physician, Valdosta, Ga., 1897-1923; Detroit, Mich., 1923-present; ex-Overseer, Michigan Church of God in Christ, 1922-27; Pastor, Saints Temple, Church of God in Christ, Detroit, Mich., 1930-present; Pastor, Tabernacle Church of God in Christ, Valdosta, Ga., 1911-32; Worshipful Master, Masons, 1906-10; Principal, Pub. Sch., Morven, Ga., 1883-90; Principal, Pub. Sch., Moneola, Ga., 1883-90; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Med. Soc. of Mich.; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Church of God in Christ; Address, 4125 Hastings St.; Residence, 4867 Begole St., Detroit, Mich.

STALEY, FRANK MARCELLUS—Director of Agriculture.

b. Dec. 11, 1890, Americus, Ga.; s. Alfred Samuél and Ella (Jordan) Staley; m. Sarah Edith, Mar. 24, 1925; one child, Blanche Edythe, b. Feb. 24, 1927; educ. Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1908-12; A.B., 1912; Cornell Univ., 1912-15; B.S., 1915; Cornell Univ., Chemistry, Dairying, 1916-18-23-24; Education, Chemistry, Dairying, 1927-28; M. S., 1928; Teacher, Dairying, Agriculture, Chemistry, South Carolina, 1914-17; Teacher, same Tuskegee Inst., 1917-19; Itinerant Teacher-Trainer, Agriculture, 1919-25; Director of Agriculture, A. & T. Coll., Greensboro, N. C., 1925-present; mem. Masons: K. of P.; Omega Psi

Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, A. & T. Coll., Greensboro, N. C.

STALNAKER, CALVIN KERSEY—Clergyman-Social Worker.

b. Dec. 12, 1890, Edgefield, S. C.; s. Calvin and Amealie Stalnaker; m. Bashan Celeste Kibler, Dec. 26, 1918; five children, Calvin Spencer, b. March 4, 1920; Dorothy Celeste, b. Feb. 8, 1922; Gloria, b. Dec. 12, 1924; Leroy (adopted), b. Nov. 9, 1913; Nannette Fern, b. July 16, 1933; educ. Rural Sch., Edgefield, S. C.; Hodge Academy, Washington, Ga., 1909-11; Certificate, Hodge Academy, 1919; Benedict Coll., S. C., 1911-17; C.P. and A.B., Benedict Coll., 1915; Paine Coll., Augusta, Ga., 1920-21; and 1923-24; A.B. Paine Coll., Augusta, Ga., 1924; Chicago Univ., Chicago, Ill. (summer) 1923; Summer School, Playground and Recreation Assn. of America, 1923-25, Chicago, Ill.; Univ. of Toledo, (summer) 1931; Physical Director, Camp Hancock, Ga., 1918-19; ordained by Pastorial Conference of Augusta, Ga.; Pastor, Union Baptist Church, Augusta, Ga., 1919-24; Teacher, 1922-24; Executive Sec., Hamilton Community work at Washington Community Centre, Hamilton, O., July, 1924-26; Exec. Sec., Sylvania F. Williams Community Service, New Orleans, La., 1926-29; Exec. Dir., Frederick Douglass Community Assn., Toledo, O., 1929-33; Pastor, Third Bapt. Church; Sec. and Treas., Toledo Com. Club; Sec. Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance; mem. Hamilton Civic Welfare Assn.; Pres., Board of Directors of the Bethlehem House; Sec., Colored Branch of Community Service; Vice Pres., Y.M. C.A.; Member of Executive Board, Walker Baptist Inst.; Sec., Shiloah Orphanage; Director, playground during summer months; Director of Boys Work, Y.M.C.A.; Pinewood District Committee, Social Service Federation; Toledo Social Workers Club; N.A.A.C.P.; American Assn. of Social Workers; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 903 Ewing St., Toledo, O.

STARKS, HOBERT H.—Sanitary Engineer—

b. Feb. 2, 1887, Galesburg, Ill.; s. Harvey H. and Mary Louise (Nelson) Starks; educ. Public Sch., Galesburg, Ill.; Chicago and Duluth Business Coll., about 3 years; Sch. of Engineering, special course in Steam and Gas Engineering, about 3 years; Univ. of Wisconsin, special course, one year; Toledo Univ., one year; m. Addie Bryant, Feb. 15, 1915; Sanitary and Heating Engineer, 1920-present; mem. Director N.A.A.C.P. (Local Branch), Milwaukee branch of the Urban League, Milwaukee branch of the Nat. Negro Business League; Pol. Progressive Republican; Relig. Seventh Day Adventist; Business Address, 632 Jackson St., Milwaukee, Wis.

Hobert H. Starks is a graduate from the Chicago and Duluth Business college and has the distinction of being the first and up to 1926, the only Negro Sanitary Engineer in Wisconsin and vicinity.

STAMS, GEORGE ALLEN—Priest-Institute Principal.

b. Feb. 15, 1898, Memphis, Tenn.; s. William A. and Sarah E. (Carter) Stams; m. Thelma S. Black, June 22, 1927; two children, Antoinette Beverly; George Allen; educ. Hooks' Acad.; Le-

Moyne Junior Coll.; St. Augustine Coll.; B.D., Bishop Payne Divinity Sch., 1925; D.D., Lane Coll., 1929; Parish Priest, 1923-26; Prin., Hoffman-St. Mary Inst., Mason, Tenn., 1926-present; First Negro member of the "Bishop and Council of the Diocese of Tennessee"; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address, Box 4, Mason, Tenn.

STANLEY, JAMES L.—High School Principal.

b. July 16, 1895, Polk Co., Tex.; s. Frederick and Mittie (Mainer) Stanley; m. Cora J. Washington, June 16, 1922; educ. Groveton Negro High Sch., Groveton, Tex., 1913; Prairie View State Normal and Industrial Coll., Prairie View, Tex., 1918; Teacher, Moscow, Texas, 1918-20; Principal, Somerville High Sch., Somerville, Tex., 1920-22; Principal, Josseland Grammar School, Josseland, Tex., 1922-24; Principal, Groveton Negro High Sch., 1924-present; Dir., Tex. Negro Business and Laboring Men's Assn.; Director, East Texas Co-operative and Labor Assn.; won distinction as an orator; mem. Odd Fellows; East Texas Teachers Assn.; Colored State Teachers' Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Groveton Negro High School; Residence, Groveton, Texas.

STANTON, ROBERT L.—Dentist—Assemblyman.

b. April 15, 1903, Newport, Ark.; s. Henry and Cora (Wright) Stanton; educ. Shorter Coll., Little Rock, Ark., 1917-19; Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1920-22; B.S., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1925; D.D.S., 1929; Delivery Boy, Colored meat Market, 1914-17; Syrup mixer, Cocoa Cola Bottling Works, 1917-18; Shipping Clerk, 1919; Post Office Clerk, 1922-24; Ford Factory, 1925; Dentist, 1929-present; Assemblyman, State of Indiana, 1932-present; Lake County Dentist; mem. Better Government Democratic Political Club; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Democrat; Relig. African Methodist Episcopal; Address, 3624 Main St.; Residence, 3898 Pennsylvania Ave., East Chicago, Ind.

STARKS, J. J.—College President.

b. April 13, 1876, Greenwood, S. C.; s. Eli and Flora (Jones) Starks; m. Julia A. Sherard, May 25, 1897; educ. A.B., Morehouse Coll.; D.D., (honorary) Benedict Coll., 1909; LL.D., (honorary) A. and M. Coll., 1922; Founded Seneca Inst., Seneca, S. C., 1899, and was its President, 1899-1912; President, Morris Coll., 1912-30; President, Benedict Coll., Columbia, S. C., June 15, 1930-present; mem. Board of Trade, Sumter, S. C.; Hospital Staff, Sumter, S. C.; Masons; Odd Fellow; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Benedict College, Columbia, S. C.

He is the first Colored man that has served as President of Benedict College.

STEELE, ALGERNON ODELL—Cergyman-Teacher.

b. March 15, 1900; Macksville, N. C.; s. Daniel Forrest and Mary (Clement) Steele; educ. A.B., Johnson C. Smith Univ., 1924; B.D., Garrett Biblical Inst., 1929; A.M., Northwestern Univ., 1930; auth. Magazine Articles in Christian Advocate, 1929; "How the Negro Spiritual Helped the Slave"; Instructor, Lincoln Academy, Kings Mountain, N. C., 1925-26; Instructor, Mary Allen Seminary, Crockett, Tex., 1927-present; mem.

Omega Psi Phi; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Mary Allen Seminary, Crockett, Tex.; Residence, Macksville, N. C.

STEELE, JAVAN A.—Contractor.

b. Sept. 19, 1878, Barbados, B. W. I.; s. Thomas D. and Jane Ann (Ward) Steele; m. Florence A. Bailey, Aug. 18, 1903; three children, Frank E., Dorothy A., Harvey; educ. Public Schools, Barbados, B. W. I., 1895; Apprentice, plumbing, Barbados, 1895-1900; Journeyman, 1900-03; Charge of Plumbing Dept., Trinidad Shipping Co., Trinidad, B. W. I., for five years; in business for himself for a number of years; worked in Brazil, Barbados, and Trinidad; came to New York City, 1910; worked on the Colonial Line; Supt., apartment house; in business for himself, plumbing and steam fitting, 1913-present; Pres., Three Houses Realty Corp.; Pres., J. A. Steele Corp.; Treas., Imperial Lodge, No. 127, Elks; Treas., Elks Building; Treas., Harlem Life Insurance Corp., 1927-present; mem. Bd. of Directors, New York Urban League; Bd. of Directors, Y.M.C.A., 135th St. Br.; Bd. of Directors, Assn. Trade and Commerce; Pres., same, 1929-present; Bd. of Directors; Elks, Imperial Lodge, No. 127; Masons; Moose; Gardners; Sons and Daughters of Barbados; Forresters; Upper Harlem Taxpayers Assn.; Democratic County Committee, 19th District, 1927-present; Bd. of Trustees, Walker Memorial Baptist Church; Pol. Democrat (Tammany Hall); Relig. Baptist; Address, 41 E. 131st St.; Residence, 2068 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y.

STEPHENS, JAMES EDWARD—Assemblyman—Insurance.

b. Aug. 2, 1891, Steelton, Pa.; s. Sylvester Styles and Catherine (Washington) Stephens; m. Hattie Gibson, Dec. 25, 1919; educ. High Sch., Steelton, Pa.; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1911; LL.B., Brooklyn Law Sch., Brooklyn, N. Y., 1925; Real Estate and Insurance, 1924-present; Assemblyman, 1930-present; Lawyer, 1925-present; mem. Masons; Shriner; Elk; N. A. C. P.; Y. M. C. A.; Urban League; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 103 W. 137th St., New York City, N. Y.

During the session of the legislature in 1930 he drafted and had passed a law which is of great benefit to the Race. This law passed by the State of New York Legislature compels all public utilities (such as railroads, electric light companies, gas companies) with the State to give each and every citizen the same opportunity for employment without discrimination.

STEPHENS, WILLIAM BENJAMIN—Physician and Surgeon.

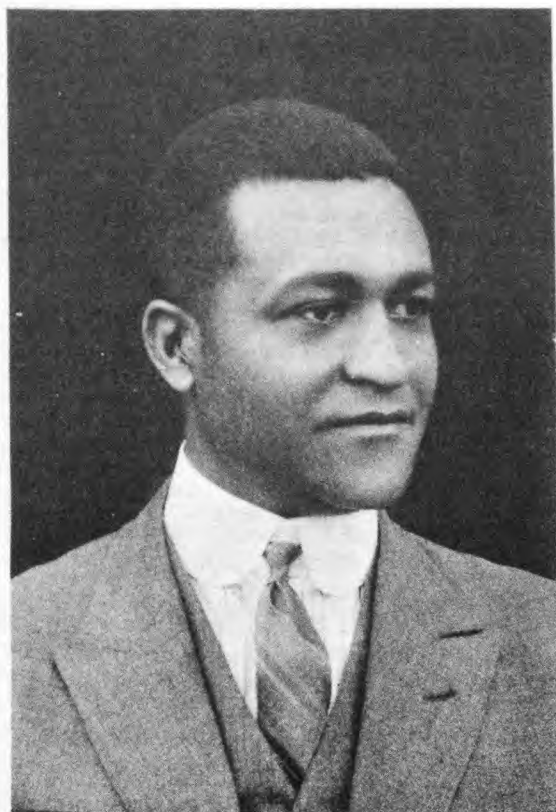
b. Mar. 11, 1893, Yazoo City, Miss.; s. Nelson Benjamin and Sarah Halda (Adams) Stephens; m. Fannis Killian, Set. 29, 1917; educ. Natchez Coll. Natchez, Miss., 1914; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1918; Interne, St. Joseph's Hospital, Lexington, Ky., 1919; Physician, 1919-present; city physician, Lexington, Ky., 1919-26; Pres., Blue Grass Med. Soc., Lexington, Ky., 1931; Sec. 1934; Pres., State Blue Grass-Mad. Dental and Pharm. Assn. 1932-32; mem. National Med. Assn.; Masons. Elks; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig.



WILLIE BELLE STEVENSON



CHAPLAIN MCCABE STEVENSON, M.D.



William Benjamin Stephen, M.D.



MRS. SALLIE W. STEWART

Methodist Episcopal; Address, 497 N. Upper St., Lexington, Ky.

He is the only Colored man who interned at the St. Joseph Hospital, in Lexington, Ky., and which is a white hospital.

STEVENS. ROBERT MORRIS—Lawyer.

See 3rd Edition.

Died.

STEVENSON, CHAPLAIN McCABE—Physician and Surgeon.

b. Lexington, Ky.; s. William Henry and Lucy (Allen) Stevenson; educ. Russell High Sch., Lexington, Ky., 1903; Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1906; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1923; Externe, Hubbard Hospital, Nashville, Tenn.; Externe, St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington, Ky.; Physician and Surgeon, 1923-present; Asst. Surgeon, Polk Infirmary, Lexington, Ky.; Teacher, Latin, Walden Univ., while student; Captain, Foot Ball Squad, Walden Univ.; Manager, Athletic Assn., Walden Univ.; Med. Examiner, Odd Fellows, American Woodman, Royal Honor, and S.M.T.; mem. Civic League; Young Men's Lyceum; Y.M.C.A.; Artists Club; National Negro Business League; Blue Grass Med. Soc.; mem. Kentucky State Medical Society; Kappa Alpha Psi; Mason; Elks; Odd Fellows; American Woodman; Royal Honor; Benevolent Soc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 359 E. 3rd St.; Residence, 822 S. Limestone St., Lexington, Ky.

STEVENSON, WILLIE BELLE—Pianist—Organist—Composer.

b. Lexington, Ky.; d. William Henry and Lucy (Allen) Stevenson; educ. Grammar Sch., Kentucky; Russel High Sch., Kentucky; Chandler Normal Sch., Kentucky; studied Music, instructed by Mother and later by teacher of the Amer. Missionary Assn.; Special Training in Pipe Organ; attended Chicago, Ill., Musical Coll., 1925; Private Studio (voice, piano and theory); ex-Supervisor of Vocal and Instrumental Music at Western High Sch., Paris, Ky.; Organist, and Director of Church Choirs; Composed Egyptian Music for Community Service League, 1924; Composer, number of spirituals, songs and poems; Sec., Stevenson-Gregory Co-operative Fire Insurance Co.; Pres., Harmonic Promoters Music Club; Sec., Y.W.C.A., Ch. of Music; mem. Eastern Star; Mosaic Templars; Phyllis Wheatley Branch Y.W.C.A.; mem. Literary Guild of America; Associate mem. Bozart Society, International Soc. of Fine Arts, 1940; District Chairman, Chicago Musical College Student Assn; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal Church; Address, 822 S. Limestone St., Lexington, Ky.

While a student at the Chicago Musical College, she studied piano under Percy Grainger and in piano contest, in which she was the only person of color among the contestants, she won a Percy Grainger Scholarship. In 1925 she received the Teachers Certificate from Chicago Musical College, first year.

She appeared (Ensemble Class) in a piano solo at the Chicago Musical School playing 3d piano with Mrs. Lothian of Boston and Percy

Grainger, of Australia.

She organized and is President of the Roland Hayes Choral Society, a branch of the National Association Negro Musicians.

Recently she won the First Honorable Mention in a song writing contest which was held in Hollywood, Cal. A scenario "Oriental Dream," was approved and selected for a Photo Play and was published by the Hollywood Review. Among other compositions are "Night and Day," "Prosperity March Song," "Take no Chances," Spiritual, "Goal of Man."

She was awarded a Prize for her poem "Golden Gate Anthropology" by the San Francisco International Exposition.

She won honorable mention and received a "Certificate of Participation" for a Poem exhibited at the World's Fair, New York, in the Panorama of International Poets on National Poetry Day. She also received Special Commendation from the Selective Committee and was among the Poet Laureate and Authors League of America.

She received a Scholarship to study Music in England as a progressive Piano teacher, and was selected by the Art Dept. of the University of Kentucky to pose as an Artist's Model as a "Spanish Model", which painted was exhibited abroad.

STEWART, CHARLES CONSTANTINE—Physician and Surgeon.

b. Sept. 8, 1885, Jamaica, B.W.I.; s. Charles Jackson and Agnes Bertha (Sangster) Stewart; m. Anna Bearden-Bullock, Nov. 26, 1914; educ. Manning's High Sch., Sav-La-Mar, Jamaica, B.W.I., 1905; Univ. of Cambridge, Cambridge, England, 1907; M.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1911; Interne, Freedman's Hosp., Washington, D. C., 1911-12; Physician and Surgeon, 1914-present; Sec. and Treas., Gate City Drug Co., 1923-25; Pres. Pioneer Building and Loan Assn., 5 years; Sec., Friendly Lake, Inc.; Med. Examiner, North Carolina Mutual Life Ins. Co., 1914-present; Med. Examiner, Winston Mutual Life Ins. Co., 1925-present; Med. Examiner, Nat. Benefit Ins. Co., 1914-30; Med. Examiner, Masons; Med. Examiner, Elks; Resident Physician, Bennett Coll. for Women; Resident Physician, Emanuel Lutheran Coll.; mem. Masons; Elks; Omega Psi Phi; Nat. Med. Assn.; ex-Pres., North State Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Piedmont Med. Soc.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, 803½ E. Market St.; Residence, 427 Bennett St., Greensboro, N. C.

STEWART, C. W.—Clergyman.

b. June 28, 1881, Lancaster Co., Pa.; s. John V. and Isabella (Greene) Stewart; m. Goldin T. Wilson, March 13, 1921; two children; educ. Milton Bible Assn., B.D., D.D.; Clergyman, 1912-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 2003 Bainbridge St., Philadelphia, Pa.

STEWART, DONALD LEONIDAS—Physician.

b. Ross Co., O.; s. William E. and Ella Stewart; m. Madolyn Vera Butler; one child, Betty Lou; educ. Columbus (Ohio) Grammar Sch., High Sch., Ohio State Univ., Boston Coll. of Physicians and Surgeons, Boston, Mass.; enrolled Kansas Univ. Post Graduate Med. Sch. each summer; Physician, practicing in Little Rock, Ark., one-half year; Nicodemus, Kan., 10 years; Atchison, Kan., 7 years; Specialist in Diabetes and Asthma; County Physician for Graham County, Kan.; Pres., Inter-State Literary Assn. of Kansas and West, 1931-present; mem. St. Joseph-Atchison Med. Soc.; Kansas Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Masons (33°); Kappa Alpha Psi; appointed by the Governor of Kansas Chairman, Board of Trustees, State Industrial Dept., Western University, Kansas City, Kans., 1937-present; Pol. Independent; Relig. A. M. E. Church; Address, 507 Commercial St.; Residence, 841 S. Fourth St., Atchison, Kans.

STEWART, H. E.—Clergyman.

b. New Albany, Ind.; educ. Graduate, Payne Seminary, Wilberforce Univ., Ohio; Pastored Churches in Terre Haute; Allen Chapel, Indianapolis; Institutional Church, Wayman Chapel, Ebenezer A.M.E. Church, Evanston, Ill.; Quinn Chapel, Chicago; Member of Educational Board A.M.E. Church; has served on the Extension Board and A.C.E. League Board; Pol. Republican; Address, 222 Rowan St., New Orleans, La.

In September, 1926, Rev. Stewart was selected as Presiding Elder of the West Chicago A.M.E. Conference. Most of the leading A.M.E. churches are in his district, including St. Stephen's, St. John's, Bethel, Hyde Park Chapel, Gaine's Chapel.

He also presides over the A.M.E. churches at Burlington, Iowa; Galesburg, Ill.; Monmouth and churches located in other cities and towns in his district.

STEWART, LOGAN HENRY—Real Estate Operator. — See 5th Edition.

Died, April 17, 1934.

STEWART, MRS. SALLIE WYATT—ex-President, National Association of Colored Women.

b. Jan. 4, 1881, Ensle, Tenn.; d. Armstead and Eliza (Jones) Wyatt; m. Logan H. Stewart, Nov. 30, 1911; educ. graduate, Evansville, Ind., High Sch., 1897; Evansville Normal Cadet Sch.; special course, one year Univ. of Chicago; Indiana University, B.S., Evansville, Ind. Coll.; Teacher, Pub. Schs., Evansville, 1898-1912, 1918-present; Organized and was Pres., City Federation of Colored Women, for ten years; Organized and was State Pres., Indiana Federation of Colored Women, five years; Chairman, Social Science (Nat. Assn.), six years; member of Exec. Bd. two years, and Vice-Pres., Nat. Assn. of Colored Women, four years; founder, Day Nursery and Boarding Home for Working Girls, City of Evansville; Sec., Evansville Inter-Racial Commission; Pres., Anti-Tuberculosis Auxiliary; mem. Zeta Phi Beta, Eastern Star; edited Hoosier Women, Indiana Federation of Colored Women's official organ; elected Pres., Nat. Assn. of Colored Women, Aug. 2, 1928-33; Pres., Lin-

coln (Mo.) Alumni Assn.; Trustee, Douglass Memorial and Historical Assn.; Trustee, Masonic and Eastern Star Home; Pres., Women's Auxiliary, Nat. Negro Business League; Relig. Baptist; Address, 800 Lincoln Ave., Evansville, Ind.

At the age of seventeen she began her career as a teacher in the public school system of the City of Evansville and has but for six years taught since 1898. While serving as Vice-President-at-Large of the National Association of Colored Women she was instrumental in raising nine thousand dollars for the building of the caretaker's cottage at the Douglass Home.

In the annual Convention held at Washington, D. C., in 1928 she was unanimously elected President of the National Association of Colored Women, succeeding Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune.

In 1930 she went as delegate representing the U. S. Council of Women to Vienna, and also visited seven countries of Europe at this time. She has given to the National Association of Colored Women much constructive legislation which caused the organization to drop thirty-eight departments and keep two: Mother, Home, and Child; and Negro Women in Industry. She founded the section of this organization known as the National Association of Colored Girls, and set up a Board of Control in charge of financial matters of the organization.

Mrs. Stewart, as executive secretary, is at present directing a drive for \$50,000 with which to pay the balance of the purchase price of the headquarters in Washington, D. C. and to endow the department work of the organization.

STEWART, THOMAS JENNINGS—Physician.

b. Mar. 12, 1876, Naptonville, Mo.; s. Wellington and Caroline (Woltskill) Stewart; m. Ernestine Dyer, Jan. 27, 1905; four children, John Wellington, b. Sept. 1, 1906; Alice Lee, b. Mar. 22, 1910; Alphonso, b. Dec. 22, 1914; Jesse, b. Jan. 20, 1918; educ. Lincoln Univ.; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1904; Physician, 1904-present; mem. Pan Missouri Med. Assn.; Mound City Med. Forum; Zoological Soc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 11 N. Jefferson St.; Residence, 4566 West Belle Pl., St. Louis, Mo.

STEWART, WILLIAM ELLIS—Life Insurance Secretary.

b. March 10, 1892, Columbus, Ind.; s. James E. and Sally (Gooden) Stewart; m. Cora Taylor Stewart, Oct. 7, 1915; one child, Frank Lehman, b. Aug. 26, 1925; educ. Univ. of Indiana, 1909-10; Univ. of Ill., 1917-20; B.S. in Insurance, Univ. of Ill., 1920; Sec., Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Co., Chicago, Ill., 1919-present; Vice Chairman, Committee of Management, Wabash Ave. Branch, Y. M. C. A.; Director, Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Co., Liberty Under-



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DONALD LEONIDAS STEWART, M.D.



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ELLA LOUISE STOKES

writers; Sec., Nat. Negro Insurance Assn.; Kappa Alpha Psi; K. of P.; Masons; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 3513 S. Parkway; Residence, 4524 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

STILL, WILLIAM GRANT — Composer-Arranger.

b. May 11, 1895, Woodville, Miss.; s. William Grant and Carrie L. (Fambro) Still; m. Grace Bundy, Oct. 4, 1915; four children, William Bundy, b. Nov. 1, 1916; Gail Lynton, b. Dec. 12, 1917; June Allen, b. Dec. 11, 1919; Carolyn Elaine, b. Sept. 26, 1924; educ. Wilberforce Univ., College, Wilberforce, Ohio, 1910-15; Oberlin Conservatory, Oberlin, Ohio, 1916-18; New England Conservatory, Boston, Mass., Composer, 1921-present; Arranger, 1921-present; Composer, "From the Land of Dreams," performed at Aeolian Hall, "Levee Land," Aeolian Hall, N. Y. C.; Arranger having orchestrated "Running Wild," and the 5th Edition of "Earl Carroll's Vanities"; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 108-15 172nd St., Jamaica, N. Y.

Mr. Still received a scholarship in composition at Oberlin for meritorious work in theory having accomplished a year's work in less than three months.

After having studied a year under the eminent composer, Varese, Mr. Still's "From The Land of Dreams," a composition for chamber orchestra and voices treated instrumentally was performed at Aeolian Hall, Vladimir Shavitch of the Syracuse Symphony Orchestra conducting.

In addition to his work as a composer of serious music Mr. Still is also an arranger, having orchestrated a number of successful musical shows. "Running Wild," "Dixie to Broadway" and the 5th Edition of "Earl Carroll's Vanities," are among these.

In 1926 Mr. Still was commissioned to write the music of a ballet ("La Guiblesses") of Martinique from a story by Ruth Page. Premiere Danseuse of the Adolph Bolm Ballet.

Received 2nd Award in Music in the Harmon Awards of 1927. In the same year his "Darker America" was performed by the Rochester Philharmonic under the direction of Dr. Howard Hanson. In 1928 "Log Cabin Ballads" performed by the Little Symphony Orchestra under the direction of George Barrere.

STOCKS, GILBERT THOMAS — Circulation Manager.

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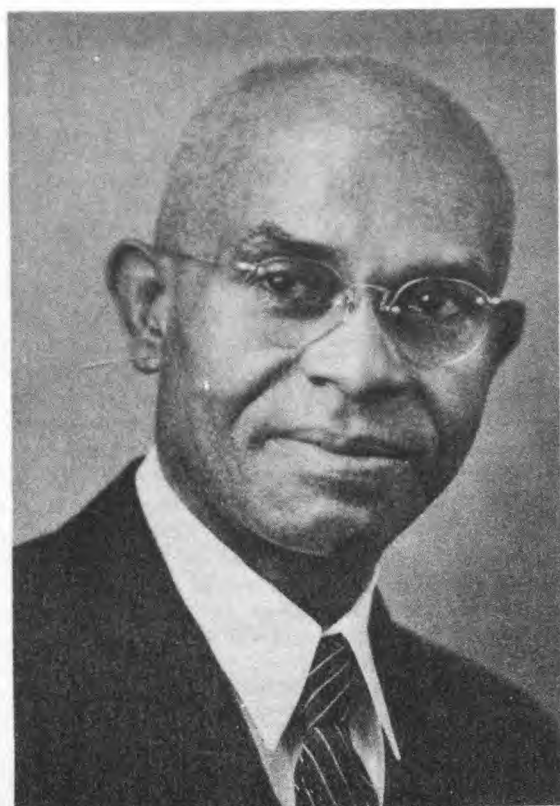
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b. Amelia Co., Va.; d. Isaiah and Georgiana (Booker) Jones; m. Rev. Junius L. Taylor, Apr. 12, 1926; educ. Ingleside Seminary, Burkeville, Va.; Hartshorn Coll., Richmond, Va.; Pres Imperial Order of King David; Pres., Fraternal Organization; mem. Courts of Calanthe; I. O. King David; I. O. St. Luke; Eastern Star; Tents; True Reformers; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 20 W. Leigh St., Richmond, Va.

TAYLOR, ALRUTHEUS AMBUSH—Educator.

b. Nov. 22, 1893, District of Columbia; s. Lewis and Lucy (Johnson) Taylor; educ. Pub. Sch., Washington, D. C.; A.B., Univ. of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich., 1916; A.M., Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass., 1923; studied at Harvard Univ., 1928-29, 1932-33; m. Harriet Ethel Wilson, 1919; teacher, Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1914-15; social worker, National Urban League and New York Urban League, 1917-19; Instructor, West Virginia Collegiate Inst., 1919-22; Associate Investigator, Association for the Study of Negro Life and History, Washington, D. C., 1922-25; Professor, History, Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1926-present; Dean of Men, Fisk Univ., 1927-28; Acting Dean of the College, 1929-30; Dean of the college, 1930-present; auth. "The Negro Congressman a Generation After" pub. in the Journal of Negro History, VII, No. 2, 1922;

"The Negro in South Carolina During the Reconstruction," The Asso. for the Study of Negro Life and History press, 1924; "The Negro in the Reconstruction of Virginia," The Asso. for the Study of Negro Life and History press, 1926; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity; American Historical Association; The Association for the Study of Negro Life and History; The American Academy of Political and Social Science; Nat. Association of Deans and Registrars in Negro Schools; Trustee, Kent Coll. of Law, Nashville, Tenn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn.

TAYLOR, MRS. BIRDIE SCOTT — Social Worker.

b. June 19, 1885, Topeka, Kan.; d. J. J. and Diana (Knott) Scott; m. Benjamin Taylor, Feb. 17, 1915; educ. The American Red Cross Training Sch., Topeka, Kan., 1919; Kansas Vocational Training Coll., East of Topeka, Kan.; Nurse, City Hospital, Topeka, Kan., 1917; Social Worker, 1918-present; mem. Monday P. M. Social Club; Dumas Art and Literary Club; The Municipal Welfare West Side Community Club; Rebecca Chapter No. 8, O.E.S.; Treasurer, Rebecca Chapter, Daughters of Isis, six years; House of Ruth No. 4604, G.V.O. of O.F.; Order of Calanthe; Knights of Pythias; Prince Albert Court, No. 1; Pearly Rose Tabernacle, International Order of Twelve, No. 77; Central Temple No. 273, Daughters of Elks; Daughters and Sons of Liberty; Sec., Aux. Board of Florence Crittenton Home, Topeka, Kansas; Municipal Welfare League; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1170 Lincoln St., Topeka, Kan.

TAYLOR, DANIEL BERNETTE—Athlete—Professor—Physician.

b. March 18, 1900, Phila., Penn.; s. Daniel and Henrietta (De Shields) Taylor; educ. Geo. W. Childs' Sch., Phila., Penn., 1906-10; Francis M. Drexel Sch., Phila., Penn., 1910-14; South Phila. High Sch., Phila., Penn., 1914-18; Penn. State College, 1918-22; B.S., Penn. State College, 1922; M.D., Howard Univ., 1930; Interne, Mercy Hosp., Phila., Pa., 1930-31; Physician, 1931-present; Surgical and Genito-Urinary Staff, Mercy Hosp., 1931-present; Prof. Agricultural Chemistry, Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Ala., 1922-24; Prof., Chemistry and Physics, A.&T. Coll., Greensboro, N. C., Sept., 1924-present; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Masons; Elks; American Chemical Soc.; Liebig Chemical Society (Penn. State); Varsity Club (Penn. State); Meadowbrook Club of Wanamaker since 1917; Charter Member of Nu Chapter at Penn. State College; Charter Member of Iota Omega Graduate Chapter at Tuskegee; appointed District Representative of the Grand Basileus, of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity for the Southern District, 1923; also 1924; Delegate Tau Omega Chapter, Greensboro, N. C., to convention in Washington, D. C., 1924; Grand Keeper of Finances, 1925; auth. "Chemistry in Its Relation to Agriculture," pointing out the necessity of a knowledge of chemistry in agricultural practice, pub. King's Agricultural Digest, Tuskegee, 1923; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 2239 Federal St.; Residence, 1911 W. Berks St., Philadelphia, Penn.

He was a member for three years of S. Philadelphia High School's track and cross-country teams, captain of cross-country 1918, captain of track team 1918. Twice Philadel-

phia High School cross-country champion. Third in American High School cross-country championships 1918. High point winner in 1918 H. S. Championship meet, winning and equalling H. S. 220 yd. dash. Member and captain of two winning relay teams at Penn. Univ. Member of team winning second place at National Championships in Chicago, together with now, Dr. Dewey Rogers, Phila., Penn.

He was inducted into the Students' Army Training Corps, September, 1918-December, 1918. Received Scholastic Athletic Scholarship, December, 1918 at Penn. State College. Member of Varsity cross-country, 1918 and 1920, competing in Intercollegiate at Yale, 1920. Member of Varsity track team for four years, winning at least ten points in all dual meets, and letter each year. Member of World's record holding Distance Medley Relay Team 1922, College Champion Medley Relay Team of America, 1920, National Sprint Relay champion Relay team, 1920, Pennsylvania (western) Quarter Mile Champion, 1922. Credited several times with 10 seconds in 100 yd. dash, 22 seconds in 220 yd. dash, and 50 seconds in 440 yd. dash.

He was a participant in the Inter-Collegiate Track Championships, 1920, at University of Pennsylvania in 1920 and Harvard University in 1922.

TAYLOR, DAVID EUGENE—Publisher—Editor.

b. Nov. 24, 1885, Richmond, Va.; s. J. Anderson and Annie E. (Holmes) Taylor; m. Bertha Bonds, 1903 (deceased); second marriage, Normal Henrietta Overall, 1908 (divorced, 1923); third marriage, Mildred Rogers, 1925 (deceased); two children, Isabelle E., b. Nov. 28, 1906; David Eugene, Jr., b. Sept. 17, 1926; educ. High Sch., Washington, D. C.; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1907; Publisher, The Atlantic City Advocate, Atlantic City, N. J., 1912-15; South American Representative, Smith-Jones Drug Co., 1915-17; United States Representative, 1917-19; Publisher, Washington Daily American, 1920-26; Publisher, Gary North American, Gary, Ind., 1926; Publisher, Kansas City American, 1927-30; Publisher, The California News, 1930-present; Built and Managed, Suburban Gardens, a Colored amusement park, Washington, D. C., 1922; Founder and Counselor, Matron's Civic League; mem. Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles, Cal.; Elks; Masons; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 3521 S. Central Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

He is the editor and publisher of The California News, which is recognized as the leading Colored Newspaper west of Kansas City, being a twelve page paper and having a large circulation.

From 1907 to 1912 he was the only Colored man playing organized Baseball, under Joe McGinity, at Newark, N. J. He also played in Cuba.

TAYLOR, EUGENE TIVOLI—Physician and Surgeon.

b. Sept. 7, 1882, La Vernia, Tex.; s. Tucker and Betty (Porter) Taylor; m. Dora Lena Sampson, Sept. 11, 1911; three children, Odessa De Artis, b. Aug. 15, 1916; Eulalie, b. Aug. 9, 1919; Eugene T., Jr., b. Oct. 10, 1922; educ. Guadalupe Coll., Seguin, Tex., 1906; A.B., Leland Univ., New Orleans, La., 1911; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1915; Interne Hubbard Memorial Hospital, Nashville, Tenn., 1915-16; Physician and Surgeon, 1916-present; Medical Examiner, Liberty Life Insurance Co., 1917-18; ex-Pres., Mound City Medical Forum; ex-Vice Pres., Pan Missouri Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Chairman, Trustee Board, First Baptist Ch.; mem. Board of Directors, and Staff, Peoples' Hospital, St. Louis, Mo.; Staff, City Hospital No. 2, St. Louis, Mo.; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Ki Delta Mu; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Urban League; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 3136 Chouteau Ave.; Residence, 4141 Enright Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

TAYLOR, HALLEY BLANTON—Clergyman.

b. July 11, 1879, New Bern, N. C.; s. Robert H. and Bettie M. (Dudley) Taylor; m. Marie Lucille Ravannah, June 9, 1909; five children, Bettie Sylvia, b. March 31, 1911; Marie Louise, b. Sept. 1, 1912; Robert Emile, b. Dec. 12, 1915; Halley Blanton, Jr., b. Aug. 8, 1917; Harold Herbert, b. Oct. 6, 1928; educ. Biddle Univ. (now Johnson C. Smith Univ.), Charlotte, N. C.; A.B., Biddle Univ., 1906; Theological course, Biddle, 1909; A.M., Biddle, 1915; D.D., Johnson C. Smith Univ., 1925; Pastor, Calvary Pres. Church, Wilson, N. C., 1908-20; Sec., Y.M.C.A., Religious Work, Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., 1918-19; Pastor, St. Augustine's Church, Paterson, N. J., 1920-25; Fifteenth St. Presbyterian Ch., Washington, D. C., 1925-present; Moderator, Cape Fear Presbytery, 1910-11; Represented Presbytery at General Assembly, 1913; Moderator, Synod at Catawba, 1914-15; Exec. Sec., Passaic Co. Negro Welfare League, N. J., 1923-25; Publicity Director, Presbyterian Union of Paterson, N. J., 1922-25 (only Colored Minister in the Union); Chmn., Exec. Comm., National Colored Republican Conference, 1924-25; Comm. from Washington City Presbytery to General Assembly, 1926; Chmn., Exc. Comm. Nat. Interdenominational Ministers Alliance; Sec.-Treas., Pres. Ministers Assn. of Washington and vicinity, 1927-30 (with only two Colored members); Pres., Interdenominational Ministers Alliance, 1928-29; Pres., Dunbar High School Parent-Teachers Assn., 1928-30; Commissioned First Lieut. Chaplain Reserve, U. S. Army, 1929; auth. Sundry articles in Religious and Secular Journals; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 1715 First St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

He delivered the funeral sermon of the late Mr. Aaron Russell, an employee of the House of Representatives, and which was requested to be published in the Congressional Record.

TAYLOR, HAROLD D.—Dentist.

b. Oct. 30, 1902, Depew, N. Y.; s. Edward I. and Frankie (Duncan) Taylor; educ. Fifth Avenue High Sch. (Honor), 1922; Swift Memorial Coll., Rogersville, Tenn.; D.D.S., Univ. of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1926; Dentist, 1926-present;

mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Knights of Pythian; Delta Pi Mu; Odontological Soc.; New York State Cadet; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, 1506 South St., Philadelphia, Pa.

TAYLOR, ISABELLE RACHEL—Y.W.C.A. Secretary.

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She was the first Colored Girl to graduate from the Hartford Theological Foundation School of Religious Education. Sent to Smith College as one of the delegates to the Student Volunteer Conference.

She is the youngest Colored General Secretary employed in the Metropolitan Young Women's Christian Association.

TAYLOR, JAMES AUGUSTIS—Dentist.

b. Dec. 15, 1899, Jeffersonville, Md.; s. Robert F. and Irena B. (Carpenter) Taylor; educ. Taylor High School, Jeffersonville, 1917; D.D.S., Ind., Dental Coll., 192; Dentist, 192 present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Fall City Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Masons; Shriners; Alpha Phi Alpha; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Pythian Building, Louisville, Ky.

TAYLOR, ROBERT L.—First Asst. Attorney, Election Commission.

b. May 7, 1868, Springfield, Ill.; s. William Sutherland and Hattie Adeline (Williams) Taylor; m. Minetta Belle James, June, 1905; two children, Orrin Carter, b. July 1906; Pinaker Austrian, b. Feb., 1911; educ. Grammar Sch., Springfield, Ill.; Bus. Coll., Omaha, Neb.; Extension Dept., Univ. of Chicago; Lake Forest Univ., Law Sch.; Record Writer, Board of Election Commissioners, 1894; became File Clerk, Tele. Opr., Information Clerk, Asst. Law Clerk, Law Clerk; First Asst. Attorney, Board of Election Commissioners, 1929-present; Elected Unanimously, General Counsel for Assn. of Election Commissioners of Illinois; mem. Sigma Phi Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Quaker; Address, Room 308 City Hall; Residence, 6652 Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He is generally regarded as an authority on Election Laws of the State of Illinois, and as an expert upon the technique of conducting elections, not only in Illinois but other States. He has been instrumental in including attacks upon election laws requiring the expenditure of unnecessary large sums of money, and in one case the savings amounted to \$640,000, and for which the City Council of Chicago voted him a bonus of \$1,000.

TAYLOR, OTHO B.—Physician.

b. April 28, 1885, Creedmoor, N. C.; s. Rev. Junius M. and Eliza J. (Allen) Taylor; m. Annie B. Orr, of Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 22, 1922; educ. Howe Collegiate Inst.; Rogers Williams Coll., Memphis, Tenn.; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1917; Instructor, Chemical Physiology, Meharry Medical Coll., 1917-19; Medical Inspector, City Schools of Knoxville, Tenn., 1936-present; First Lieut., Medical Section U. S. Army, 1918-23; mem. American School Health Assn; mem. Executive Board, National Medical Assn; mem. Board of Management, Cansler Branch, Y.M.C.A.; ex-Pres., Volunteer State Medical Assn; John Andrew Clinical Soc., Tuskegee, Ala.; Civic League of Knoxville Coll.; mem. Executive Board, Volunteer State Medical Assn; Medical Director, Douglass Fraternal Club; Medical Inspector, Morgan Green Camp, Boy Scouts of America; Staff Member, Negro Associated Press; Health Supervisor, Knoxville Branch, N.A.A.C.P.; mem. Post 80, American Legion; Chairman, Auditing Committee, National Medical Assn; Honorary Life Mem. Upper East Tennessee Medical Council; Co-Founder, Cansler Branch Y.M.C.A.; Co-Founder, East Tennessee Hospital Assn, which sponsored the building of the Negro unit to the Knoxville General Hospital; mem. National Hospital Assn; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 101½ W. Vine Ave.; Residence, 216 S. Kyle St., Knoxville, Tenn.

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TAYLOR, ST. ELMO—Physician.

b. Sept. 9, 1899, Barbados, B.W.I.; s. Clifford and Azubah (Ramsey) Taylor; educ. Boys High Sch., Brooklyn, N. Y.; College City of New York; M.D., and C.M., McGill Univ., Montreal, Can., 1926; Interne, Montreal General Hospital, 1926; Physician, 1926-present; mem. National Medical Assn.; American Medical Assn.; Kings County Medical Assn.; Sec., Provident Medical and Dental Assn., Brooklyn, N. Y.; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Omega Psi Phi; Relig. Baptist; Address, 54 Jefferson Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

TAYLOR, THELMA CHILES — Newspaper Manager.

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Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1925; Asst. Librarian, Virginia State Coll., Petersburg, Va., 1929; Editor and Publisher, Topeka Plaindealer, Topeka, Kans., 1929-present; mem. Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; Member Associated Negro Press; National Negro Press Ass.; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 1129 Kansas Ave.; Residence, 11th and Boswell Sts., Topeka, Kans.

TAYLOR, WALTER SCOTT—Physician.

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TAYLOR, WILLIAM ANDREW—Clergyman

b. July 21, 1872, Bertie Co., N. C.; s. Ned and Chanie (Baker) Taylor; m. Roberta Fortune Oct. 12, 1921; six children, William Edward, b. Aug. 10, 1884; Henry Clinton, b. July 27, 1898; Blanche, b. July 1, 1900; Julian, b. May 14, 1903; Robert, b. May 11, 1905; Percy, b. Dec. 25, 1912; educ. State Normal Sch., Plymouth, N. C., 1892; Shaw Univ., 1892-96; S.Th., Roanoke Collegiate Inst., 1906; D.D., Lynchburg Sem. and Coll., 1908; Clergyman, 1900-present; Vice Pres., New England Baptist Convention; Sunday Sch. Publishing Board of National Baptist Convention; Teacher, Heitford Academy; Tar River Inst.; Washington Baptist Sem.; N.A.A.C.P.; National Equal Rights League; Masons; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Florida Ave. Baptist Church; Residence, 2021 13th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

TEABEAU, RALPH BARTLETT—Dentist.

b. Nov. 7, 1893, Keokuk, Ia.; s. Charles Lewis and Emma (Bartlett) Teabeau; educ. Keokuk High Sch., Keokuk, Iowa, 1913; Univ. of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, 1914; D.D.S., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1917; Post Graduate, Los Angeles, 1926; Dentist, 1917-present; First Lieut., Dental Corp, U. S. Army, Camp Dodge, Iowa, 1917-18; Fort Wayne, Mich., May 12, 1918; Sept. 14, 1918; Dental Examiner, U. S. Veterans Bureau, 8th Distict, Chicago, Ill., 1921-23; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; Chi Delta Mu.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Catholic; Address, 823 N. Jefferson Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

He was the first and only Colored Commissioned Officer to be assigned at Fort Wayne, Detroit, Mich.

TENNANT, ALBERT ALONZO — Physician and Surgeon.— See 5th Edition.

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CHAPLAIN ALEXANDER THOMAS, A.B., S.T.B.



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REV. GEORGE JEFFERSON THOMAS, B.S., B.D.

TERRELL, MARY CHURCH—Lecturer-Writer.

b. Memphis, Tenn.; d. Robert R. and Louisa (Ayers) Church; m. Robert H. Terrell; educ. A. B., and A.M., Oberlin College, Ohio; study in France, Italy, Switzerland, Germany; Teacher, Wilberforce Univ., two years; Teacher of Languages, Col. High Sch., Wash., D. C., one year; Teacher in Washington, D. C., for a while; Lecturer, under management of Eastern Lyceum Bureau; First President and for three years re-elected, Nat. Assn. of Colored Women; Honorary President for Life of same; First Woman elected President of Bethel Literary and Hist. Assn., Washington, D. C.; Member of the Board of Education of the District of Columbia for eleven years; Address, 1615 S St. N.W., Washington, D. C.

Several years ago Congress by resolution granted power to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to appoint two women on the Board of Education for the Public and Mrs. Terrell was one of the women appointed. After serving on the Board for nearly six years, she resigned. Later the power to appoint members of the Board of Education was vested in the Judges of the District Supreme Court. They re-appointed her and she served an additional five years. She was the first Colored woman to serve on a Board of Education in the United States.

Mrs. Terrell was chosen one of the speakers at the International Congress of Women, which was held in Berlin, Germany, June, 1904.

In 1919, Mrs. Terrell was invited by the International League for Peace and Freedom to go as a delegate to Zurich, Switzerland, to attend a Congress, held there in May. Miss Jane Addams was president of the League.

Mrs. Terrell was unanimously chosen as the speaker to represent the United States at the first large meeting of the Congress, held in the old cathedral in which women had never been allowed to speak before. While Mrs. Terrell was abroad that year Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wells invited her to visit them at their home.

Her husband, the late Robert H. Terrell, was one of the Federal judges of the District of Columbia.

In May, 1929, her name appeared among the list of one hundred most famous alumni of Oberlin College. These names appeared in the HI-O-HI of 1929.

TERRY, CLIFFORD EDWARD—Physician.

b. July 27, 1886, Columbus, Ga.; s. William Edward and Celestia J. (Harris) Terry; m. Thelma Katherine Thomas, June 30, 1920; one child, Wesley Edward, b. Oct. 29, 1923; educ. Lincoln Univ., Chester County, Penn., 1904-08; B.A., Lincoln Univ., 1908; New York Med. Coll. and Flower Hospital, N. Y. C., 1909-13; M.D., N. Y. Med. Coll. and Flower Hospital, 1913; Associate Staff, St. Anthony's Hospital; General Practi-

tioner, Staff of St. Anthony's Hospital, Denver, Colo.; Staff, City and County Hospital, Denver, Colo., 1919-23; mem. Sigma Pi Phi (Boule-Nu); Alpha Phi Alpha; Board of Management, Y.M.C.A.; Civic and Commercial Assn.; Men's Club; Nat. Med. Assn.; Lincoln Alumni Assn. and Lincoln Old Guard; N.A.A.C.P.; Speakers Bur. of N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian, Vestryman Church of the Holy Redeemer; Address, 608 26th St., Suite 1; Residence, 2338 Downing St., Denver, Col.

TERRY, WILLIAM ANDREW—Clergyman.

b. Nov. 27, 1899, Talladega, Ala.; s. Hugh and Ann (Montgomery) Terry; m. Bertha Oliver, Oct. 20, 1920; three children, Alice, b. Oct. 17, 1922; Ann Ruth, b. June 2, 1925; Paul, b. Dec. 11, 1929; educ. Cleveland Bible Inst.; B.S.L., Butler Univ., Indianapolis, Ind., 1926; Pastor, Ricks Chapel, A.M.E. Zion, 1920-present; Pres., Democratic Club; mem. Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; K. of P.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Methodist; Address, 618 E. Rexford Ave., Centralia, Ill.

THOMAS, A. JACK—Bandmaster-Musical Director.

b. April 16, 1884, Pittsburgh, Pa.; s. Richard and Elizabeth (Grant) Thomas; m. Anita Woodland, March 20, 1920; two children, Helen, b. Feb., 1914; Yvonne, b. Nov., 1917; educ. Pittsburgh High Sch., 1899; Private Instruction in Music; graduated as Trumpet Soloist, Nat. Conservatory of Music, Manila, P. I.; B.M., Institute of Musical Art, 1914; Supervisor, Great Southern Music Publishing Co.; was appointed Bandmaster, 10th U. S. Cavalry in Manila; was the only colored candidate to receive a commission as 1st Lieutenant Bandmaster, A.E.F. (In France); Director of Music, Morgan College, 1924-27; mem. Civic League; Elks; Masons; American Federation of Musicians; Nat. Bandmaster of all Elk Bands; Bandmaster, City Band of Baltimore, Md.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 1418 Druid Hall Ave., Baltimore, Md.

THOMAS, ALEXANDER WAYMAN—Chaplain, U. S. Army.

b. Oct. 11, 1879, Newport, R. I.; s. (Rev.) William Henry and Christiana (Hasbrouck) Thomas; m. Frances Adelia Lee, July 20, 1912; one child, Francis Ashe, b. 1913; educ. Pub. Sch., Newport and Providence, R. I., 1896; Lincoln Univ., Penn., 1896-1900; A.B., (summa cum laude) Lincoln Univ., 1900; Boston Univ., 1900-03; Theol., S.T. B. Boston Univ., 1909; Univ. of Chicago, 1911 and 1912, Semetic Languages; Professor of Hebrew Language at Wilberforce Univ., 1903-17; Chaplain, Regular Army, assigned to 24th U. S. Infantry, Ft. Benning, Ga., Oct., 1917-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; Am. Academy of Political and Social Science; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, Fort Benning, Ga.; Residence, Wilberforce, Ohio.

His Father, Rev. W. H. Thomas, was a graduate of the class of 1869, Lincoln Univ., A.B., A.M., and D.D. from Lincoln University.

In 1906 and 1907 traveled in Germany,

Switzerland, Italy, France and England, and in South Africa 1907 and 1908.

University pastor at Wilberforce University 1914 to 1917.

First Lieutenant (Chaplain) Oct. 19, 1917, regular army.

Captain (Chaplain) temporary, May 18, 1919 to June 30, 1920.

Captain (Chaplain) regular army Oct. 19 1922.

Graduate of Chaplain's Special Service Sch., 1920, with high rating.

THOMAS, BENJAMIN F.—Business Man.

b. Feb. 10, 1874, Yemassee, S. C.; s. Benjamin F. and Annie (Bing) Thomas; m. Lillie Anderson, Sept. 11, 1901; educ. self taught; Restaurant and Hotel Proprietor, 1897-1921; Automobile Dealer; Prop., Broadway Automobile Sch., 1921-present; An Incorporator and Owner of Camp James J. Farley, consisting of 86 acres and various buildings; Inventor, Thomas Syphon Corrosion Eliminator, the Thomas Automobile Enclosure; and the Thomas Auto Theft Proof and Gasoline Saver; mem. Committee, calling on Gov. C. E. Hughes to organize the old 15th Regiment, which is now the 369th N. G., N. Y.; Charter member Y.M.C.A.; Masons; Bd. of Directors, Assn. of Trade & Commerce; one of the organizers and Pres., Acme Mutual Liability Insurance Co., 1928-present; Treas. and Trustee of St. Marks M. E. Church; one of the organizers of the New York Br. of the Nat. Negro Business League, 1909; member of Committee, Harlem Children Fresh Air Fund; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 217 W. 123rd St.; Residence, 241 W. 139th St., New York, N. Y.

The Hotel Maceo, located on 53rd Street, of which he was the owner and which he conducted for 14 years, was the rendezvous for the wealth and culture of the Negro race.

In 1910 he opened the Broadway Auto Sch., the first school of its kind to be conducted by any man of his race. During the 19 years of its existence the school has turned out more than 10,000 students who have qualified as chauffeurs or operators. In the same year he passed the civil service test and was appointed Examiner of Chauffeurs, N. Y. State.

In June, 1909, he won the second prize in the New York Automobile Carnival, in which 446 cars were entered. The late Theodore Roosevelt won the first prize.

He has devoted 34 years to business interests in his community.

THOMAS, CARLETTE CATHERINE — Teacher, Piano, Organ and Theory.

b. New York, N. Y.; d. Jonathan David and Emma Catherine (Thompson) Thomas; educ. Grammar and High Sch., New York, N. Y.; studied at Columbia Univ., languages and music, two years; studied piano at Chatauqua and Summer School under Arnest Hutcherson; studied

theory under Dr. Harry T. Burleigh, Philip James and Dr. T. Tertius Noble; organ under John Cushing and T. Tertius Noble; piano under Gordon Stanley; Teacher, Piano, Organ and Theory of Music; Organist, part time. Calvary P.E. Ch.; Address, 230 W. 136th St., New York.

On June 21st, 1928, she was made an associate of the American Guild of Organists, being the first Colored woman to pass the academic examination and become a member of this Guild.

THOMAS, ELLEN VIRGINIA—Piano Teacher

b. Wilmington, O.; d. Jeremiah and America V. (Taylor) Thomas; educ. Pub. Sch., Indianapolis, Ind.; Indianapolis Piano Coll., 1904-06; A.B., 1906; Progressive Series of Piano Lessons, St. Louis, Mo., 1924; Charter member, Nat. Assn. of Negro Musicians; Organizer and first Pres., Indianapolis Music Promoters (a branch of N. A.M.M.); Organizer and Pres., Indiana State Assn. of Negro Musicians; Organist, Allen Chapel, A.M.E. Ch., 1901-17; Address, 1614 Cornell Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

She is the only teacher of her race authorized to give instruction in the Progressive Series of Piano Lessons in Indianapolis.

She was a prize winner in the 1916 national contest conducted by the National Federation of women's Clubs. This Prize was given for her composition on Negro Folk Song.

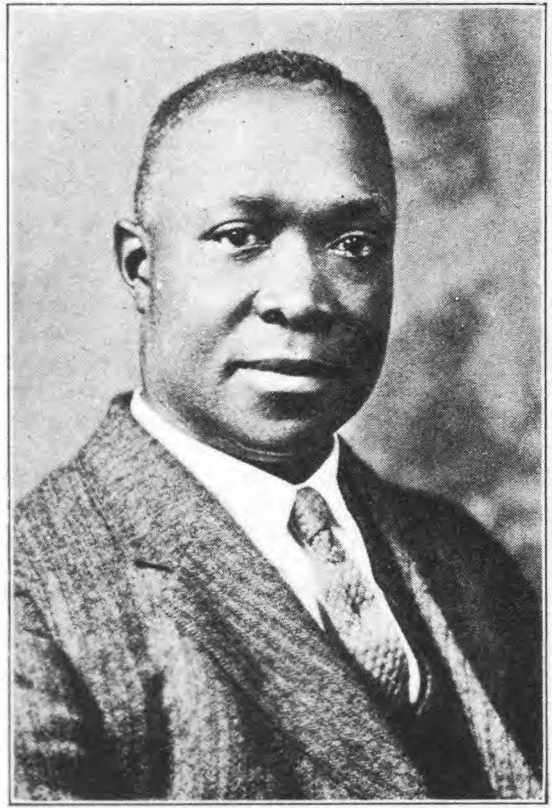
THOMAS, GEORGE JEFFERSON—Clergyman

b. Aug. 10, 1878, Dooly Co., Ga.; s. George Franklin and Moanny (Everette) Thomas; m. Winnie C. Wittaker, June 28, 1911; seven children, Portia Harriette; Winnie Cornelia; George Jefferson, b. Sept. 9, 1916; Edoina Thoolene, b. Dec. 3, 1918; Lottee Moaning, b. Mar. 28, 1919; Franklin Whitaker, b. Nov. 20, 1925; Frances, b. Nov. 20, 1925; educ. Knoxville Coll., Knoxville, Tenn., 1907-08; B.S., 1908; Atlanta Normal Sch., Atlanta, Ga., 1912-14; M.Ped., 1914; Talladega Coll. Seminary, 1917-19; B.D., 1919; Pastor, Rush Memorial Congregational Church, Atlanta, Ga., 1919-21; Supt., Congregational Churches, Ga. and the Carolinas, 1919-24; Pastor, Memorial Congregational Ch., Washington, D. C., 1925; Delegate, Nat. Council Congregational Churches, Grand Rapids, Mich., 1919; Boston, Mass., 1920; Los Angeles, Cal., 1922; Springfield, Ill., 1923; Washington, D. C., 1925; Omaha, Neb., 1927; Detroit, Mich., 1929; Pastor, Wentz Memorial Congregational Church, 1924-present; mem. K. of P.; American Woodmen; Masons; Member, Advisory Committee, Mol. Nat. Convention; Cong. Workers for Colored People; Moderator, State Conference; Pres., Alumni Assn. Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala.; mem. State Inter-Racial Commission; mem. Council of Seven Administering Funds for Negro Southern Church Work State of N. C.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 1420 Hattis Ave., Winston-Salem, N. C.

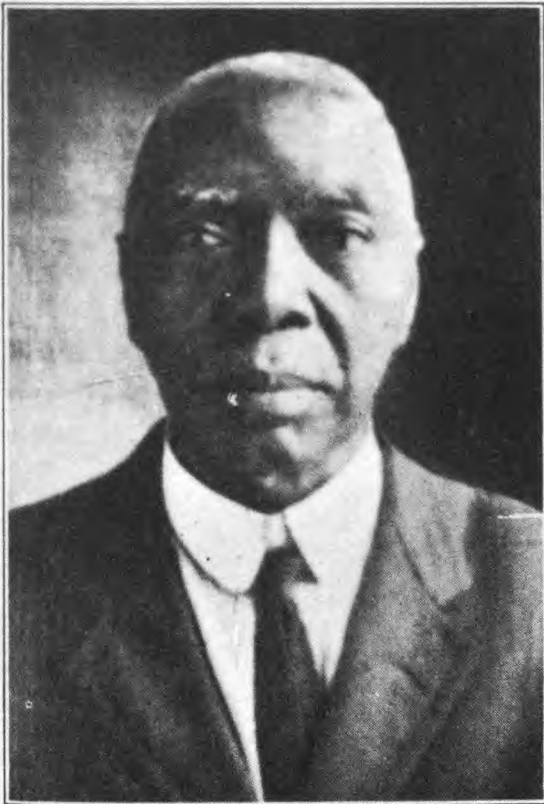
He was Official Delegate to the International Council, Congregational Churches, in Bournemouth, Eng., July 1 to 8, 1930, being the only Colored man from America. During the Coun-



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JESSE O. THOMAS



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cil he was asked to preach at the Broadstone Congregational Church, and he also spoke at the Council.

THOMAS, JAMES HARRISON—Music Instructor.

b. Sept. 29, 1905, Muskogee, Okla.; s. William and Luedia (Bates) Thomas; educ. Sumner High Sch., Kansas City, Kans., 1925; Mus.B., Kansas Univ., Lawrence, Kans., 1931; Instructor, Music, Public Schools, Atchinson, Kans., 1924-present; Instructor, Music, Studio, Kansas City Kans., 1928-present; Organist, Metropolitan Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kans., 1930-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Wyandotte Building; Residence, 2011 Lowell Ave., Kansas City, Kans.

THOMAS, JAMES C.—Lawyer.

b. April 26, 1889, New York, N. Y.; s. James C. and Ella (Rollins) Thomas; m. Laura May Harmon, Dec. 19, 1921; two children, James C., Jr., b. Jan. 1, 1923; Richard Harmon, b. Sept. 19, 1924; educ. Pub. Sch. No. 26, New York, N. Y.; High Sch. of Commerce, N. Y.; Coll. of the City of New York; Cornell Univ., Ithaca, N. C.; LL.B., Cornell Univ., 1912; Lawyer, 1912-present; Asst. U. S. Attorney for the Southern District, New York, 1921-27; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; F. & A.M.; Relig. Methodist; Address, 261 B way, Residence, 355 W. 145th St., New York, N. Y.

THOMAS, JAMES HENRY—Educator.

b. Sept. 11, 1877, Chatham, Pittsylvania County, Va.; s. Pratt and Ellen Thomas; m. Margaret N. Griffin, Oct. 12, 1904; four children, Ruth, Ellen, b. Sept. 19, 1905; James Hillard, b. Nov. 8, 1906; Bessie Pauline, b. Aug. 16, 1910; Gertrude Mae, b. Mar. 31, 1912; educ. Va. Nor. and Collegiate Inst., Petersburg, Va., 1893-98; B.A., V. Normal and Collegiate Inst., 1898; Founder and Prin., Piedmont Christian Inst., Martinsville, Va., 1900-present; Minister and Pastor, Fayette St. Christian Church, Martinsville, Va., 1904-07, and 1914-present; auth. "A Certain Great Man," pub. Christian Standard, 1912; "Village Patriarchs," a series of sketches, pub. The Christian Standard, 1913; "Clara," a short story, pub. The Christian Standard, 1917; "Making Democracy Safe for the World," an essay, pub. The Christian Evangelist, 1918; Pol. Independent; Relig. Disciples of Christ; Address, Martinsville, Va.

THOMAS, JESSE O.—Social Worker.

b. Dec. 21, 1883, McComb, Miss.; s. Jefferson and Amanda (Johnson) Thomas; educ. Pub. Sch., McComb, Miss.; Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1906-11; N. Y. Sch. Social Work, N. Y. C., 1919-20-23; Chicago Sch. of Research, Chicago, Ill., 1925; Field Sec., Tuskegee Inst., Ala., with Headquarters at Rochester, N. Y., 1912-16; Pres., Nat. Alumni Assn. of Tuskegee Inst.; Prin., Voorhees N. & I. Inst., Denmark, S. C., 1916-18; State Supervisor of Negro Economics of New York under the Dept. of Labor, 1918-19; Examiner in charge of the U. S. Employment Service, N. Y. C., 1918-19; Field Sec., Nat. Urban League, Oct., 1919-present; Transportation Commission, Nat. Negro Business League and Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schs.; Member, Bd. of Directors, Atlanta Sch. of Social Work; Delegate to First Session of International Conference of Social

Work, Paris, France, 1928; Committee on Economics and Industry of the National Conference on Social Work; mem. Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Organizer "27" Club of Atlanta, Ga.; Address, 293 Auburn Ave., Atlanta, Ga.

He delivered the student address at the Dedicatory exercises of Thompkins Hall in 1910, at Tuskegee Institute. This Hall has a seating capacity of 2,300.

After graduating from Tuskegee he was employed by that Institution, as Field Secretary, with offices in Rochester, New York.

He resigned this position to become principal of Voohees Normal & Industrial Institute, Denmark, S. C. During his administration many improvements were made at this institution, the curriculum was revised and new courses added. Graduates of this school are given licenses to teach without taking the State examinations.

He was instrumental in organizing the Atlanta School of Social Work. It is the only school of its kind in the United States, operated entirely by Negroes.

He was appointed a member of the Missis-

THOMAS, JOSEPH TURNER—Physician.

b. Dec. 25, 1874, Greenville, Ala.; s. James Westley and Ella Dora (Wilson) Thomas; m. Zenia Mae Norris, 1900; three children, Joseph Turner, Jr.; Helen Olga; Maceo M.; educ. Pensacola High Sch.; A. & M. Coll., Ala., 1896; M.D., Meharry Coll., 1905; Physician, 1905-28; auth. "A Plea for the Congo State," 1909; songs, "Come Back Sweet Heart," 1927; "Don't Cry Pickaninny"; "Old Black Mammy," 1913; "Plan to Lift the White Man's Burden"; "Grand Old Booker T."; mem. Nat. For. Trade Council; Nat. Negro Med. Assn.; Founder, Lincoln Hosp., Cleveland, Ohio; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 2406 E. 40th St., Cleveland, O.

THOMAS, JOSIAH CEPHUS—Funeral Director.

b. Jan. 27, 1884, Camden, Ark.; s. John and Fannie (McDowell) Thomas; m. Stella Phelps, Jan. 27, 1932; educ. Camden High Sch., Camden, Ark., 1900; A.B., Philander Smith Coll., Little Rock, Ark., 1904; Railway Postal Clerk, 1904-24; Funeral Director, 1924-present; Pres., St. Louis Negro Business League, 1931-present; Pres., J. C. Thomas Co., Inc., Funeral Directors; Pres., Citizens Relief Assn. of Missouri, 1928-present; Pres., Citizens Publishing Co.; Pres., Seventeenth Ward Progressive Republican Club; Pres. Mid City Civ. Assn., St. Louis, Mo.; Vice Pres. St. Louis Negro Republican Club; One of Organizers and charter member, National Alliance of Postal Employees; mem. Masons; Royal Circle of Friends of the World; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 3134 Lucas Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

THOMAS, JULIUS A., JR.—Executive Secretary Urban League.

b. Aug. 7, 1896, Greensboro, N. C.; s. Julius A.

and Georgia (Mason) Thomas; educ. Garnett High Sch., Charleston, W. Va., 1914; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1918; Columbia Univ., New York City, 1927-28; Clerk, Bureau War Risks Insurance, Washington, D. C., 1918-19; Sec. to Manager, Cleveland Alluminating Co., Cleveland, O., 1920-24; Clerk, Post Office Dept., Cleveland, O., 1922-24; Executive Sec., Urban League, Atlanta, Ga., 1925; Executive Sec., Urban League, Jacksonville, Fla., 1926-29; Executive Sec., Urban League, Louisville, Ky., 1929-present; Vice Chairman, Board of Directors, Y.M.C.A., 1930-present; Deputy Commissioner, Boy Scouts, 1929-present; District Representative, Omega Psi Phi, 1930-present; mem. Elks; Omega Psi Phi; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Urban League; National Conference of Social Work; American Assn. of Social Workers; Interracial Commission; Committee of Fifteen; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 606 W. Walnut St.; Residence, 2133 W. Chestnut St., Louisville, Ky.

He directed the Community Chest Fund in Jacksonville, Fla., for four years raising the full quota each year amounting to approximately \$60,000.

THOMAS, MACEO A.

b. May 22, 1897, Baltimore, Md.; s. Roderick and Manuela Thomas; m. Ruth Hall, Nov. 28, 1924; three children, Rhea, b. Oct. 24, 1925; Muriel, b. Nov. 24, 1926; Maceo A., Jr., b. Jan. 10, 1928; educ. Pub. and High Sch., Baltimore, Md.; Lincoln Univ., 1917-18; Cornell Univ., Agriculture, 1919-22; B.S., Cornell, 1922; Advanced work, Physics, Columbia Univ., 1924; Teacher, charge of Vocational Agriculture, Lane Coll., summer of 1922; Teacher, Tuskegee Inst., 1922-23; Teacher, Physics and Chemistry, Douglass High Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1923-25; Salesman, Exec. Manager, Dobbins Coal Co., N. Y. C., 1925-present; mem. Y.M.C.A., Baltimore, Md., for ten years; Men's Group, N. Y. Urban League, 1927-present; Alpha Phi Alpha (1918) Fraternity; St. Charles Borromeo Holy Name Soc.; Trustee, The Cardina Gibbons Institute; Relig. Roman Catholic; Address, 2306 Seventh Ave., New York, N. Y.

He enlisted in the U. S. Army, Signal Corps, 325th Battalion, in January, 1918, serving overseas and honorably discharged in 1919.

While teaching at Tuskegee he started the College Course of Agriculture under Director Benjamin Hubert, taught Biology and Bacteriology and had charge of Dairy Herd and Creamery, with special instruction in Poultry

THOMAS, WILLIAM GILLESPIE—Educator.

b. May 31, 1870, Evergreen, La.; s. (Rev.) Daniel and Fannie Thomas; m. Ellen Adams, July 29, 1903; six children, Robert Earl, b. May 21, 1904; Lillian August, b. April 26, 1906; Frank, b. Dec. 11, 1907; Mary Esther Oleina, b. June 3, 1910; Daniel Leroy, b. Sept. 8, 1912; Gladys Bernice, b. April 16, 1915; educ. Leland Univ., 1885-94; Univ. of Chicago, Extension Course, 1898-1911; Southside Academy, Chicago, Ill., 1899; Oskaloosa Col., Iowa; Ph.B., Oskaloosa Coll., 1917;

Special course in Oratory, North American Inst., Chicago, Ill., 1924; Prin. of Pub. Sch., Cottonfort; Principal of Roberts Academy, Cheyenneville, La., and Bunkie Academy, Bunkie, La.; mem. Scottish Rite, Masons; Tabernacle K. of H.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 407 N. Chestnut St., Bunkie, La.

THOMPSON, WILLIAM J.—Physician-Recorder of Deeds, D. C.

b. July 5, 1884, Jefferson City, Mo.; s. Marion and Eliza (Williams) Thompson; m. Jessie Floyd Embry, June 19, 1913; two children, Helen Yolande (Now Mrs. J. S. Simmons), b. Oct. 29, 1915; Marion Elizabeth, b. Nov. 17, 1927; educ. B.S., Lincoln Univ., Jefferson City, Mo.; Pre-Medical Training, Univ. of Colorado, Boulder, Colo.; M.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1905; Intern, Freedmen's Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1906; auth. Extensive writings for various Medical Journals and Newspapers; Housing and Tuberculosis Survey, Surveying 264 Cities in the United States; Physician, 1905-present; Superintendent, General Hospital No. 2, Kansas City, Mo., 16 years; mem. Surgical Staff; Asst. Commissioner of Health, Kansas City, Mo., 8 years; Recorder of Deeds, Washington, D. C., 1934-present; mem. Board of Curators, Lincoln Univ., Jefferson City, Mo.; ex-Vice Pres., National Medical Assn; ex-President, Midwest Life Insurance Co.; mem. Citizens' Joint Conference Committee, Civic Welfare and Educational Groups; Pres., National Colored Democratic Assn, Inc.; Past Grammateus, Sigma Phi Pi; Health Commissioner, Kansas City, Mo.; Mason 33°; mem. Elks; Mu-so-lit Club, Washington, D. C.; mem. Reserve Medical Corps, U. S. A.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Methodist; Address, 412 5th st., N. W.; Residence, 1721 S st., N. W., Washington, D. C.; 1306 Euclid Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

The Kansas City Hospital, of which he was Surgeon-in-Chief, is one of the best equipped and managed.

Dr. Thompson established the Kansas City American ten years ago and is its Editor. It has a wide circulation throughout the mid-West area.

He was appointed Recorder of Deeds in Washington, D. C., by President Roosevelt. There are about 150 persons on his official staff, divided about equally between the Races. He prepared and had installed the pictures of 12 or 13 Colored Recorders of Deeds who had held office before him. This is probably the only major public office where the portraits of Colored Officials decorate the walls.

In the campaign of 1932 he had charge of the Colored contingent for all States west of the Mississippi River. The National Negro Democratic Association, of which he was the President for eight years, consists of many clubs in Missouri, Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Iowa, California, and 29 other States.



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THOMPSON, MISS CLARA ANN—Author.

b. Rossmoyne, O.; d. John Henry and Clara Jane (Gray) Thompson; educ. Pub. Sch., Rossmoyne, O.; Private Instruction; taught school; gives readings from her own books; auth. "Songs From the Wayside," poems, pub. by the author, 1908; "What Means This Bleating Of The Sheep," poems, pub. by the author, 1921; second edition, 1923; "There Came Wise Men," poems, pub. by Author, 1923; "A Garland of Poems," pub. Christopher Pub. House, 1926; mem. Y.W. C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 17, Rossmoyne, Ohio.

THOMPSON, DAVID FREDERICK—Clergyman.

b. Dec. 5, 1880, Guthriesville, S. C.; s. David and Sarah (Crawford) Thompson; m. Bertha Williams, June 5, 1912; five children, Sarah A., b. Sept. 9, 1914; Rebecca T., b. Nov. 3, 1916; David Frederick, Jr., b. Oct. 13, 1918; Roscoe B., b. Feb. 4, 1920; R. Leroy, b. Sept. 22, 1924; educ. Friendship Inst., Rock Hill, S. C.; D.D., Benedict Inst., 1918; D.D., Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1928; Clergyman, 1908-present; Teacher, Friendship Coll., 1908-09; Morris Coll., 1911-12; mem. Ex. Bd., State Baptist Convention; Bd., Negro Child Welfare of the State of Georgia; Masons; K. of P.; Am. Woodman; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1530 6th Ave., N., Birmingham, Ala.

THOMPSON, ETHEL—School Principal.

b. Dec. 28, 1897, Richmond, Va.; d. Paul and Anna (Buckner) Thompson; educ. A.B., Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1926; A.M., Columbia Univ., New York City, 1932; Teacher, Richmond, Va., 1919-33; Social Worker, 1930-33; Principal, Elba Sch., Richmond, Va., 1933-present; Chairman, Industrial Committee, Y.W. C.A.; mem. Board of Management, Y.W.C.A.; Sec., Social Classes, Virginia Union Univ.; Pol. Democrat, Relig. Baptist; Address, Elba School, Richmond, Va.

She is the first Colored woman to be elected as a Principal in the school system of Richmond. This recognition has come to her as a result of her splendid record.

THOMPSON, ETHEL JEWELL—Librarian.

b. July 23, 1898, Chicago, Ill.; d. Leonard and Anna E. (Riley) Jewell; m. William R. Thompson, Aug. 10, 1921; educ. Pub. Schs., Chicago, Ill.; Chicago Univ., (Library Science); Branch Librarian, Chicago Public Library, Chicago, Ill.; Entered Library service as Cadet, 1917; became Senior Asst., Principal Asst.; Appointed charge of Forestville School Branch, 1923-present; Chairman, Committee on Literature, Federation of Colored Women's Clubs; mem. Club Home for Working Mothers; Your Bid Bridge Club; Urban League; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 4401 St. Lawrence Ave.; Residence, 6013 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

THOMPSON, FRANK F.—Physician.

b. Feb. 5, 1887, Scottsville, N. Y.; s. Albert and Molly (Turner) Thompson; m. Julia Ellen Ruffin, Sept. 21, 1915; educ. Scottsville High Sch., 1904; Ph.B., Univ. of Syracuse, 1909; M.D., How-

ard Medical Sch., 1912; Interne, Freedmen's Hospital, 1912-13; Physician, 1913-present; two children, Frank F., Jr., b. Oct. 23, 1916; Julia E., b. April 14, 1921; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; K. of P.; I.B.P.O.E. of W.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 18 Elmwood Ave., Montclair, N. J.

THOMPSON, HUGH—Lawyer.

b. May 3, 1897, Goldsboro, N. C.; s. Saul and Willie (Cogdell) Thompson; educ. Central High Sch., Newark, N. J.; A.B., Syracuse Univ., Syracuse, N. Y., 1917; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1923; Lawyer, 1923-present; 1st Lieut. U. S. Army, serving in France, 1918-19; General Counsel, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co., 1928-present; Legal Advisor, Bankers Fire Insurance Co., 1928-present; Legal Adv., Mech. and Farmers Bank, Durham, N. C. 1927-present; Incorporator and General Counsel, Mortgage Company of Durham, N. C., 1929-present; Chairman, Legal Redress Committee, Independent Voters' League of North Carolina, 1931-present; Pres., Brotherhood St. Joseph's A. M.E. Church; mem. Elks; National Bar Assn.; Pres., George H. White Bar Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; North Carolina Interracial Commission; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, Box 485; Residence, 601 Booker St., Durham, N. C.

THOMPSON, JAMES S.—Physician.

b. Jan. 19, 1892, Raleigh, N. C.; s. Moses and Mary E. (Burns) Thompson; m. Alma Hardee Walton, June 28, 1922; educ. Choir's High Sch., Raleigh, N. C., 1907; St. Augustine's Coll., Raleigh, N. C., 1910; M.D., Leonard Med. Sch., Raleigh, N. C., 1914; Interne, Leonard Hosp.; Physician, 1914-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; N. C. State Med. Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Durham Academy of Med.; Director, Bankers' Fire Ins. Co.; Director, Mutual Bldg. & Loan Assn.; Director, Peoples Bldg. & Loan Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Protestant Episcopal; Address, 707½ Fayetteville St.; Residence, 301 Umstead St., Durham, N. C.

THOMPSON, JOHN H.—Physician.

b. Salem, Ala.; s. (Dr.) John W. and Lula (Dunn) Thompson; m. Pauchita N. Valentine, 1890; two children, Inez; Emily; educ. Cookman Inst., Fla.; Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C.; M.D., Coll. of Physicians and Surgeons, Boston Univ., 1911; Physician and Surgeon, 1911-present; President, State Medical Assn.; Asst. City Physician, West Palm Beach, Fla., 1919-21; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Elks; Knights of Pythias; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, West Palm Beach, Fla.

THOMPSON, JOHN LAY—Lawyer.

b. May 28, 1869, Decatur County, Iowa; s. Andy and Catherine (Shepard) Thompson; m. Maud Olivia Watkins, Aug. 15, 1900; two children, Enola Vera, b. Feb. 2, 1903; John Nelson, b. Jan. 27, 1908; educ. Iowa Business Coll., 1896; B.A., Drake Univ., Law Dept., 1898; LL.B., 1898; admitted to practice Law by Iowa Supreme Court, May, 1898; admitted to practice Law in U. S. Cir. Court, May, 1898; Lawyer, 1898-present; Editor, Iowa State Bystander, 1894-1918; auth. "A Book History and Views of Ft.

Des Moines Officers Training Camp"; mem. Past Grand Master, Iowa Masonic Lodge, for four years; Past Grand High Priest of Hawkeye R.A.G.C. of Iowa; Worthy Master, U.B.F. Lodge; Treasurer, Union Congregational Ch.; Y.M.C.A.; Pres., International Conference of Grand Masters; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 202 Watrous Block; Residence, 1306 W. 20th St., Des Moines, Iowa.

He was File Clerk of Iowa State Senate in the 25th General Assembly, 1894, in the General Assembly, 1896, and in the Special Code Revision Session in 1897. Was deputy Clerk in the Hall of Archives Historical Bldg., 1911 to 1912, and Deputy County (Polk County) Treasurer, 1903 to 1908.

Was the first President of the International Conference of Grand Masters, Past Grand Masters and Secretaries (Masonic Order) and held that office for six years.

THOMPSON. NOAH DAVIS—Journalist.

See 3rd Edition.

Died. March 18. 1933.

THOMPSON, MISS PRISCILLA JANE—Public Reader.

b. Rossmoyne, O.; d. John Henry and Clara Jane (Gray) Thompson; educ. Pub. Sch. and Private Instruction; auth. "Ethiopia Lays," poems; "Gleanings of Quiet Hours," poems; Public Reader; Elocutionist; mem. Y.W.C.A.; N.A.A. C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 17, Rossmoyne, Ohio.

THOMPSON, SOLOMON HENRY—Physician and Surgeon.

b. Aug. 10, 1870, Charleston, W. Va.; s. Jasper and Dolly A. Thompson; m. Belle A., June 1, 1898; four children, Louise, b. June 19, 1901; Solomon H., b. Oct. 18, 1904; James Douglass, b. July 1, 1906; Isabel Marie, b. Dec. 23, 1908; educ. Pub. Sch., Charleston, W. Va.; Storer Coll., 1882-86; Howard Univ., 1889-92; M.D., 1892; Lecturer on Physiology and Hygiene, Western Univ.; Practice of Medicine and Surgery, Kansas City, Kansas, 1892-present; Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Kansas, two years; Grand Chancellor, K. of P., 1914-present; Surgeon-in-Chief, Douglass Hospital; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Sigma Pi Phi; Chi Delta Mu; Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Knights of Tabor; U.B.F.'s Mosaics; Wyandotte Med. Society, Kansas State; Am. Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Aesculapian; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 1512 N. 5th St.; Residence, 1321 N. 8th St., Kansas City, Kansas.

Founded the Douglass Hospital in Kansas City, Kansas. It is the only hospital owned and operated by the African Methodist Church. He has been its Surgeon-in-Chief since the day of its opening.

He is President of the Civic Club and a member of the Charities Board of the City of Kan-

THOMPSON. WATKIN—Bank President.

See 3rd Edition.

Died, Dec. 20, 1931.

THORNE, JOHN BRADSHAW—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 13, 1875, Barbados, B.W.I.; s. Samuel Athiel and Louisa Jane (Alleyne) Thorne; m. Virginia Jones, second wife, Feb. 29, 1916; four children, Samuel Emile, b. June 30, 1897; John Herbert, b. Aug. 6, 1898; Alfred Alexander, b. Feb. 6, 1900; Lucille May, b. May 28, 1902; educ. The Lodge, Barbados, B.W.I.; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1908-10; Missionary, 1896-1904; Agent, Panama Railroad Co., 1901-09; Postmaster, San Pable, C. Z., 1903-07; Municipal Inspector, Gorgma, C. Z., 1907-08; Chairman, Building Committee, St. James Presbyterian Church, 59-61 W. 137th St., New York City, and wrote all the documents in the Corner Stone except one; One of Founders, Randall Memorial Presbyterian Church now located on the site of St. James Church; assistant in the building of St. Elias Catholic Church, New York City; former organist, St. Joseph's Church, Barbados, B.W.I.; mem. Odd Fellows; Masons; Antelopes; Knights and Daughters of Africa; Pol. Republican; Relig. High Episcopal; Address, 101 W. 135th St.; Residence, 111½ W. 138th St., New York City, N. Y.

THORNTON, JAMES W.—Dentist.

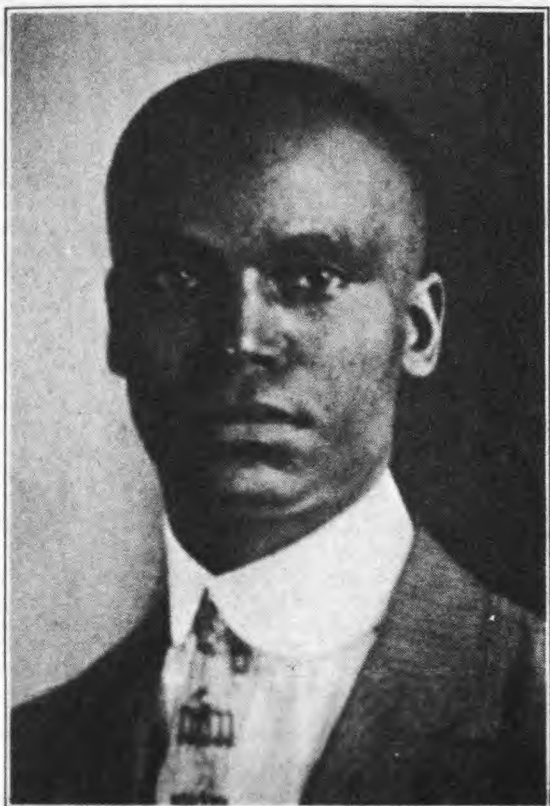
b. Feb. 15, 1890, Raleigh, N. C.; s. Frank and Kate (Winslow) Thornton; m. Gretchen May Ten Eyck, Dec. 23, 1919; three children, Bessie Carroll, b. June 15, 1922; James W., Jr., b. Sept. 30, 1925; Gretchen Blossom, b. May 15, 1929; educ. Pub. Sch.; St. Augustine Coll.; Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C.; Ph.C. Shaw Univ., 1914; D.D.S., Howard Univ., 1924; Univ., W. Tenn., Memphis, Tenn.; Dentist, 1924-present; mem. North Harlem Dental Assn.; Harlem Dental Assn.; Chi Delta Mu.; Elks; St. Lukes; Adelphi Bowling Club; Pol. Democrat; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, 1815 7th Ave., New York, N. Y.; Residence, 3149 102d St., Corona, N. Y.

While living in Raleigh, N. C., he was the proprietor of the Dunston Thornton Pharmacy. In 1917 he attended the Officers Training Camp at Des Moines, Iowa, was graduated as First Lieutenant and served overseas with the 367th Buffaloes for 18 months.

In 1925 he came to New York, took the Dental Board Examination. He was for a while Narcotic Inspector in the Internal Revenue department, stationed in Kansas City, Kansas, returning to New York City in 1926 when he began the practice of his profession.

THORNHILL, ARTHUR CONRAD—Physician.

b. June 26, 1896, Barbados, B.W.I.; s. Ernest F. and Frances (Wharton) Thornhill; m. Ella Helene Foggo, July 18, 1926; educ. Pub. Sch., Montclair, N. J., 1916; Howard Univ., 1916-18; Medical Sch., 1918-22; M.D., Howard Univ., 1922; Interne, Freedmen's Hosp., 1922-23; Physician, 1923-present; Specialist, Diseases of the heart and lungs; mem. Negro Advisory Committee of N. J. Tuberculosis League; Odd Fellows; Gardeners; Alpha Phi Alpha; North Jersey Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; N. J. State Med. Soc.; A. and F. M. of Scotland; Thistle Lodge No. 1014, S. C. of Bridgetown, Barbados; Pol. Democrat; Relig. M.E.; Address, 47 Forest St., Montclair, N. J.



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Was a member of special deputation of National Y.M.C.A. workers sent to Europe in 1921 to study the relief work and the regular Y.M.C.A. work in nearly all of the countries of Europe.

Attended the Pan-African Congress and the Methodist Ecumenical Conference in London, in 1921.

Has been a member of three General Conferences of the Colored Methodist Church.

Has been a lecturer at Chautauqua, N. Y., and at various national conferences and conventions of colored and white people in different parts of the country.

Was a member of the American delegation attending the World Conference of the Y.M.C.A. held at Helsingfors, Finland, in 1926.

Received Award in Religious Work, Harmon Awards for 1928.

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1923-24; Special Representative, Bureau Negro Welfare and Statistics, Charleston, W. Va.; Lawyer, Fairmont, W. Va., 1924-29; Committee Clerk, West Virginia Legislature, 1929 session; Law Clerk, State Auditor's Office, Charleston, W. Va., 1929-32; Deputy Recorder of Deeds, District of Columbia, 1931-present; Delegate, Republican National Convention, 1932; mem. Masons; Elks; Musolit Club; Nat. Bar Assn.; Sec., Mountain State Bar Assn.; Tau Delta Sigma; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 412 5th St., N.W.; Residence, 419 Q St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

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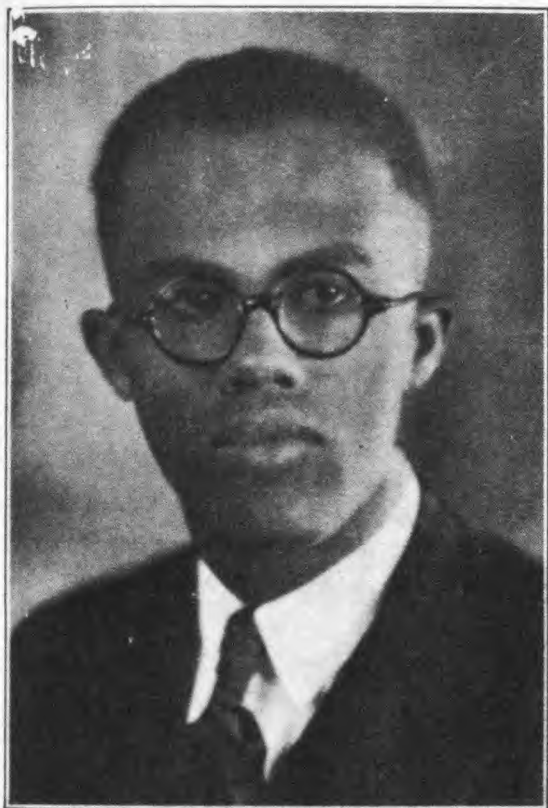
ginning in 1921 with a humble start he has enlarged his factory steadily ever since so that now he employs a large number of men and women continuously.

TOPPIN, HENRY ALLAN—Funeral Director.

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TRENHOLM, HARPER COUNCIL—Educator.

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1925; Teacher, State Normal Sch., Montgomery, Ala., 1921-25; Pres. of same, 1925-present; mem. Trustee of Selma Univ.; Treas., and a member of the Program Committee for the Alabama State Teachers Association; Life Member of the National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schs., and Chairman of High School Department; Nat. Education Assn.; Nat. Department of Superintendence; Alpha Phi Alpha; Elks; Woodmen of Union; Imperial Club; Pres., Delves Literary Club; Knights Templar and Royal Arch Chapter, A.F. & A.M.; Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 755, State Normal School; Residence, 611 Thurman St., Montgomery, Ala.

At Morehouse College, he was the youngest member of his class and a scholarship winner for three successive years. Served as First Sergeant in the S.A.T.C. in 1918 after his summer army training at Howard University. He travelled as a member of the Morehouse College Glee Club and Orchestra for two years and was auditor for the Athletic Association for two years.

He gave a great deal of his attention to student activities while a teacher at State Normal School. He served as Director of the Division of Extension Service which, during its seventh year (1927-28), gave systematic class instruction to 1287 teachers distributed in 34 of Alabama's 67 counties.

He has been responsible for the development and internal organization of the Summer Quarter at the State Normal which has enrolled 2,226 teachers during the summer of 1928, the largest summer school for Negro teachers in the United States.

The State Normal School was established at Marion by a Legislative Act of 1874. Prof. W. B. Paterson was president for 40 years culminating in his death in 1915. Professor J. W. Beverly, a graduate of Brown University, the first colored person to be an instructor at the State Normal School, an alumnus, was the second president and served from 1915 to 1920. Professor George W. Trenholm, the founder of the Trenholm High School at Tuscumbia, Ala., and a field worker on the staff of the Alabama State Department of Education was chosen president in 1920. Upon his death in August, 1925, Harper Council Trenholm, his son, was made President.

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President, Greenville Coll., Greenville, Tenn., 1899-1900; General Sec., Y.M.C.A., Asheville, N. C., 1900-11; Executive Secretary, Y.M.C.A., Atlanta, Ga., 1911-25; President, Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1925-present; mem. Omega, Boule; Masons; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion Church; Address, Livingstone Coll.; Residence, 928 W. Monroe St., Salisbury, N. C.

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He was Counsel for Walter Duberry, who was tried for murder at Elizabethtown, Ky., April, 1931. During the recess of Court during the trial he was set upon by a mob and would have been lynched if it had not been for the State Troops. This case is still pending in the Federal Courts.

TURFLEY, GEORGE GLASGO—Physician.

b. Oct. 9, 1855, Pittsburgh, Pa.; s. Matilda (Brooks) Turfley; m. Mary Bryans, Nov. 7, 1894; seven children, Zerbie Ella, b. Aug. 23, 1895; John Nathaniel, b. Dec. 12, 1897; Mary Elizabeth (deceased) b. Sept. 4, 1900; George Glasgo, b. Nov. 12, 1905; Lydia Melissa, b. Oct. 19, 1908; Alice Frances, b. Feb. 23, 1910; Richard Thomas, b. Mar. 29, 1912; educ. Central High Sch., 1876; M.D., Western Reserve Med. Coll., 1879; Physician, 1879-present; mem. Treas. and Member, Committee of Management, Y.M.C.A., Central Ave. Branch; Elder and Trustee, Grace Memorial Presbyterian Ch.; Urban League of Pittsburgh; Nat. Med. Assn.; Alleghany Med. Soc.; State Med., Dental, and Pharm. Assn.; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 2555 Centre Ave., Pittsburgh, Penn.

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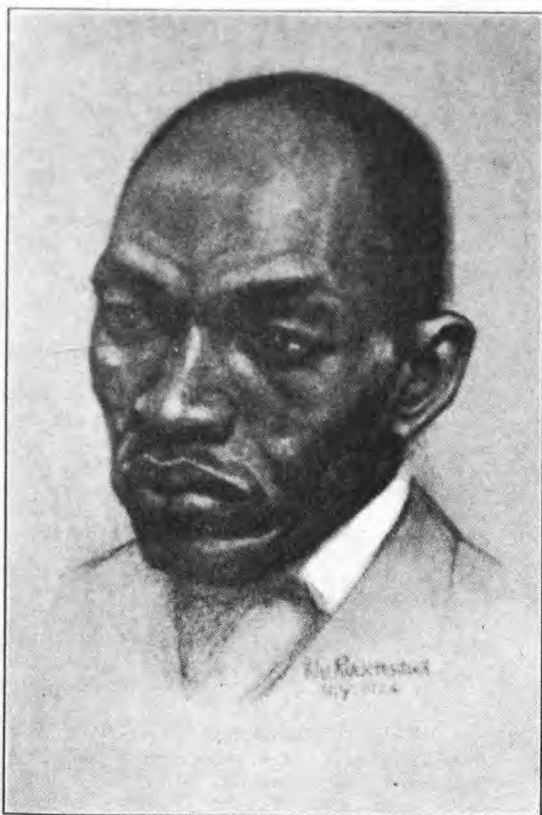
b. Jan. 11, 1885, Bristol, Tenn.; s. Willis and Carril (McIntyre) Turner; m. Ophelia Foote,



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A.B., Howard Univ., 1914; A.M., Harvard Univ., 1917; Ph.D., Univ. of Chicago, 1926; Professor and Head of English Dept., Howard Univ., 1917-28; Editor *Washington Sun*, 1928-29; Professor and Head of English Dept., Fisk Univ., 1929-

present; auth. "Anti-Slavery Sentiment in American Literature Prior to 1865," 1929; Joint-editor, "Readings from Negro Authors," 1931; "A Descriptive Grammar of the Gullah Dialect"; Address, Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn.

TURNER, MAMIE L.—Supervisor of Schools.

b. May 10, 1884, Powellsville, N. C.; d. Calvin and Penetta (Wynn) Sessoms; m. William A. Turner, Dec. 31, 1903; two children, William B., b. Feb. 28, 1905; Lois P., b. Dec. 31, 1906; educ. Elizabeth City State Normal Sch., 1898-1902; Vocational Sch., Avondale, Pa., 1917-18; eight summers, Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Teacher, Pasquotank and Bertie Counties, N. C., 1902-18; Teacher, Bertie Co. Training Sch., 1919-24; Jeanes Supervisor of Schools, Duplin Co., N. C., 1924-31; mem. National and State Parent-Teachers Assn.; County and State Negro Teachers Assn.; Relig. A.M.E. Zion Ch.; Address, Warsaw, N. C.

When she became Supervisor of Schools of Duplin County there were only 16 teachers who held standard certificates, no high school, and no library. Through her efforts there are now 108 teachers with standard certificates, three Standard High Schools, and five Junior High Schools, four Rosenwald schools have been built, and two more schools are being planned, with sufficient money ready to pay for them. Six schools have excellent libraries, and there is a traveling library which circulate among the schools that have no libraries.

TURNER, THOMAS WYATT—Educator.

b. March 16, 1877, Md.; s. Eli and Linnie (Gross) Turner; m. Laura Miller, Dec. 28, 1907; educ. Howard Univ., 1895-1901; A.B., 1901; A.M., 1905, Howard Univ.; Cornell Univ. (summer), 1916-21; Ph.D., Cornell Univ., 1921; Saturday and Evening Courses at John Hopkins Univ.; Columbia Univ.; Univ. of Rochester, Rochester, N. Y.; Cold Spring Harbor Biol. Laboratory; Teacher, Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1901-02; Teacher of Biology, Baltimore High Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1902-10; Teacher of Biology, St. Louis, Mo., High Sch., 1910-11; Teacher of Biology, Baltimore, Md., High Sch., 1911-14; Prof., Botany, Howard Univ., 1914-24; Special Investigator for U. S. D. A. in Maine during 1918; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Head of Botany Dept., 1924-present; auth. "Mineral Nutrition of Plants," pub. American Journal of Botany, 1922; "Ideals of Biological Laboratory," pub. Education, 1917 and Howard Univ. Record, 1924; "Mineral Nutrition of Plants," Pub. in Soil Science, Vol. 21, in 1926; mem. Amer. Assn. for Advance of Science; Botany Society of America; American Phytopathological Society; Va. Academy of Science; Address, Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.

TURPEAU, D. DEWITT—Clergyman.

b. Nov. 8, 1874, St. Martinville, La.; s. Michael and Belle (Reggies) Turpeau; m. Ila Marshall, Nov. 3, 1901; eight children, Anita B.; D. Dewitt, Jr.; Woodruff S.; Rossman D.; Augella L.; Florida M.; Leonteen; Michiel M.; educ. Mt. Kisco High Sch., 1896; Bennett Coll., Greensboro, N. C., 1898; Bible Inst. of Hudson River, 1899; Drew Theo. Seminary, 1900; Special Course, Yale Divinity Sch., 1902; Clergyman,

1900-present; Pastor in Baltimore, Washington, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati; mem. Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; ex-Supt., Colored Dept., Anti-Saloon League, 1912-15; ex-Supt., Washington Dist. of the Washington Conference of the M. C. Ch., 1920-25; Delaware Conference, 9 years; Masons; Odd Fellows; Elks; Good Samaritan; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 1566 John St., Cincinnati, O.

TYSON, MILTON KYLE—National Secretary of Association—b. Aug. 6, 1890, Carthage, N. C.; s. Morrison and Lettie Ann Tyson; educ. American Corres. Sch. of Law, Chicago, Ill.; LL.B. Amer. Corres. Sch. of Law, 1915; m. Alice—, Oct. 16, 1922; *contr.* to Piedmont Advocate, pub. by Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1911; City Editor, Greensboro, N. C., Herald, 1913-14; Asst. Health Officer, Greensboro, N. C., for one year; Organized Business Men's Club, Burlington, N. C.; Organized Negro Civic League, Burlington, N. C.; served as Chairman and Vice-President; Founded Nat. Assn. Negro Tailors, Dressmakers, Milliners, and Furriers, 1920; Nat. Sec. of same, 1920-present; Tailor, 1908-present; mem. Elks, K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M. Zion Church; P.O. Address, Box 168, Burlington, N. C.

UNDERWOOD, EDWARD E.—Physician.

b. June 7, 1864, Mt. Pleasant, O.; s. (Rev.) Johnson P. and Harriet (Clanton) Underwood; m. Sara J. Walker, July 3, 1895; two children, Ellsworth Walker, b. Aug. 26, 1896; Robert McPherson, b. May 19, 1900 (deceased Mar. 26, 1916); educ. Mt. Pleasant High Sch., Mt. Pleasant, O., 1881; Western Reserve Univ., Med. Dept., Cleveland, O., 1891; M.D., Western Reserve Univ., 1891; Teacher, Pub. Sch., Ohio, 1881-88; Practice of Medicine in Frankfort, Ky., since 1891; mem. City Council of Mt. Pleasant, O., 1886; Executive Sec., Anti-Separate Coach Committee in Ky.; Ky. Committee to Cotton State Exposition at Atlanta, Ga., 1895, also to Tenn. Centennial Exposition; Pres., Local Branch of N.A.A.C.P.; former Pres., State Med. Soc. of Ky.; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Chairman of local Inter-Racial Commission; State Committee of Inter-Racial Commission; Supreme Keeper of Records and Seal, Knights of Pythias, since 1913; Asst. City Physician, of Frankfort, Ky., for four years; Lay member of Annual Conference, A.M.E. Church; Lay Delegate to General Conference A.M.E. Church, 1920 and 1924; K. of P.; Masons; Odd Fellows; Pres., Board of Directors of the Pythian Mutual Ind. Assn. of Ky.; W.B.F. Nat. Pythian Temple and Sanitarium Comm.; auth. "History of Colored Churches of Frankfort, Ky.," pub. in 1906; author of several poems; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, Clinton and Washington Sts.; Residence, 310 Metro St., Frankfort, Ky.

UPSHUR, MRS. MARGUERITE KENNERLY—Instructor of Piano.

b. Aug. 2, 1902, Washington, D. C.; d. Eugene and Sallie (Thompson) Kennerly; m. Creed A. Upshur, Sept. 25, 1925; educ. Dunbar High Sch., 1916-20; Howard Univ., 1920-23; Mus.B., Howard Univ.; Instructor of Piano; mem. Sigma Alpha Mu; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 1947 Seventh Ave., New York, N. Y.

UPSHURE, LUKE THEODORE—Teacher of Pianoforte-Composer.

b. Dec. 28, 1885, New York City; s. Luke and Mary Elizabeth (West) Upshure; educ. De Witt Clinton High Sch., New York, N. Y.; Columbia Univ., Sociology, 1916-18; City College of New York, Short Story, Economics, Philosophy, 1919-21; Scholarship Student, Rand Sch. of Social Science, general course, 1921-23; Cooper Union, Music, Voice, under Dr. Frank Damrosch, 1915-21; *contr.* articles in various periodicals on sociological studies; comp. several compositions in manuscript; Teacher, Pianoforte, 1925-present; Address, 647 Broadway New York, N. Y.

In April, 1928, Arthur Lee, a well-known sculptor, unveiled a bronze bust which he made of Mr. Upshure. It is called "The Philosopher." Other famous artists who have made works of art of Upshure are Walter Von Ruckteschel, Munich, Germany, who in 1924, painted a portrait "Study In Abstract"; Augusta Savage, New York City, who made a bust called "The Fool"; H. L. Laussucq, of France, on staff of William R. Hearst, a painting, "The Composer"; Walter Carnelli, Austria, painting, "The Musician".

He is now devoting much of his time to composing piano lyrics and numbers for the orchestra. Some of his compositions are "Drops of Blood," "Remembrance," "Dance with Death," "Dance Fatigue," "Indian Echoes," "Shifting Sands," "Cynthia," "Prancing Nymphs," "Farewell," "Slow Grinding Mill," and others.

USSERY, FANNIE M. ANTOINETTE—Librarian.

b. Feb. 21, 1909, Seguin, Tex.; d. Rev. John N. and Ursula Amy (Miller) Ussery; educ. Dunbar Sch., Houston, Tex.; Anderson High Sch., Austin, Tex.; B.A., Tillotson Coll., Austin, Tex., 1929; B.S., Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1931; Librarian and Instructor of Latin, Tillotson Coll., Austin, Tex., 1929-30; Librarian, Tillotson Coll., 1931-present; Relig. Baptist; Address, Tillotson College, Residence, 1700 Chicon St., Austin, Tex.

She graduated from Anderson High School with the distinction of being the salutatory of her class. She became the letter girl at Tillotson College in 1927 for her good sportsmanship in playing basketball and tennis.

UTLEY, SAMUEL MARSHALL—Physician.

b. Sept. 20, 1868, Crest Plains, Tenn.; s. William Marshall and June (Tate) Utley; m. Mary F. McTissack, Oct. 28, 1891; educ. Meigs High Sch., Nashville, Tenn., 1890; A.B., Walden Univ., 1908; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1912; Post Graduate Cook Co. Hosp., 1921; Massachusetts Gen. Hosp., 1926; Physician, 1912-present; Teacher, Pulaski, Tenn., 4 years; Founder and Principal, Springfield, Tenn. High Sch., 7 yrs.; Pastor, Clark Chapel, McMinnville, Tenn., 3 yrs.; Presiding Elder and Dist. Supt., 10 yrs.; mem. Grand Sec., State of Tenn. F.&A.M.; Nat.

Med. Assn.; Volunteer Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Nashville Med., Dental and Pharm. Soc.; Negro Bd. of Trade; Treas., Zell Co.; was mem., Gen. Conferences, Methodist Episcopal Ch., 1908-1916-1928; Faculty, Meharry Med. Coll., specializing in Nervous and Mental Diseases and Radiology, 11 yrs.; Royal Arch Knights Templar; Consistory; Shriner; Masons (32°); ex-Member, State Executive Committee, K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 419 4th Ave., N.; Residence, 1205 Edge Hill, Nashville, Tenn.

VALENTINE, WILLIAM R.—Principal State School.

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"Ironsides Normal Institute" was founded by W. A. Rice, a colored Methodist minister, in 1886. It was taken over by the State in 1894, and since 1900 has been under control of the State Board of Education, the school's name having been changed to the "New Jersey Manual Training and Industrial School for Colored Youth." During its forty years of existence the school has had four principals, Mr. Rice, James M. Gregory, J. T. Caruthers, and W. R. Valentine, the present incumbent. "Iron sides" first occupied frame dwelling houses on West and Walnut Streets in Bordentown, then moved to the Parnell Estate on the outskirts of town in 1897. This estate had formerly been the home of Commodore Stewart, commander of "Old Ironsides," whence the school originally got its name. Bordentown has grown steadily since its inception, with a rapid growth of late years due to the influx of colored people from the South into the State, and the resultant demand for the instruction of their children in northern trades. There are at present about three hundred and fifty students enrolled, of whom two hundred and ten are boys. Tuition is furnished free by the State, but the students pay for their own board and clothing.

Students are given a high school education accredited by the State Department, at the same time required to master one of the several trades offered. The Plant is valued at \$1,500,000, consisting of 18 buildings, 400 acres of land, and registered live stock.

VAN BUREN, G. J.—School Superintendent.

b. April 1, 1891, Madison, Morgan Co., Ga.; s. William and Winnie (Bruce) Van Buren; m.

Cosdena Gideon, June 9, 1926; three children, William George, b. Mar. 28, 1929; John Dewey, b. Nov. 12; 1931 Retha Cosdena b. July 30, 1936; educ. A.B., Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1923; B.D., Oberlin Coll., Oberlin, O., 1926; Educational Pastor, First Baptist Church, Roanoke, Va., 1926; Dean, Florida Memorial Coll.; Supt., Jasper Co. Training Sch., Monticello, Ga., 1927-36; Supt., Cook Co. Training Sch., Adel, Ga., 1936-present; was active in athletics and won distinction as a mile runner; mem. State Teachers' Assn.; Interracial Commission; Mason; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Cook Co. Training School, Adel, Ga.

Murdered August 24, 1939.

VAN BUREN, H.—Physician.

b. Mar. 29, 1884, Sumter, S. C.; s. James and Harriet (Grantum) Van Buren; educ. Kendall Inst., Sumter, S. C.; A.B., John C. Smith Univ., 1902; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1907; M.D., College Physicians and Surgeons, Boston, Mass., 1910; Physician, 1911-present; mem. K. of P.; Masons; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 38 Elm St., Statesboro, Ga.

He is also owner of the Van Buren's Sanitarium and specializes in branch of surgery. The Sanitarium is well equipped for taking care of all diseases with the exception of contagious ones, and has been in operation since 1918.

VAN LOWE, J. MILTON—Lawyer.

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Died

VANN, ROBERT L.—Editor—Publisher.

b. 1887, Ahoskie, N. C.; m. Jessie Matthews, 1910; educ. Normal Course, Waters Normal Inst., Winton, N. C.; Virginia Union Univ., Academic Dept., Richmond, Va., 1903; A.B., Univ. of Pittsburgh, Pa., 1906; LL.D., 1909; LL.D. (Honorary), Wilberforce University, 1932; Lawyer, 1909-present; Asst. City Solicitor, Pittsburgh, 1917-21; Alternate Delegate-at-Large, State of Pennsylvania, to National Republican Convention, 1924; Publicity Director, Nat. Republican Campaign of Pres., Harding; Publicity Director, National Republican Campaign, of President Coolidge; Publicity Director, National Republican Campaign, President Hoover; one of Founders, The Pittsburgh Courier Publishing Co., Incorporated March 10, 1910; Editor, Pittsburgh Courier, 1912-present; Treasurer, Pittsburgh Courier, Publishing Co.; mem. Masons (33°); Alpha Phi Alpha; Sigma Pi Phi; Appointed, Gov. George H. Earle, mem. of the Constitutional Committee Revise the Constitution of State of Pennsylvania 1935; Pol. Democrat; Address, Pittsburgh Courier, Center Ave. and Francis St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

He was appointed Asst. United States Attorney General by President F. D. Roosevelt, being the first Colored man to receive such an appointment by the Democratic Party.

He was elected Vice President and General Counsel for the Associated Weekly Publishers,

which comprises the weekly newspapers of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, he being the only Colored man in the organization.

Died October 24, 1940.

VASS, RUFUS SAMUEL—Physician.

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VASS, SAMUEL NATHANIEL—Clergyman.

b. May 22, 1866, Raleigh, N. C.; s. William W. and Anna Victoria Vass; m. Mary Eliza Haywood, June 3, 1885; second marriage, Edna Earl Mitchell, Oct., 1920; six children, by first marriage, Mrs. Maude Lillian Bass; Rufus Samuel; Theodotia (deceased); Theodosious; Horace B.; educ. St. Augustine's Coll., Raleigh, N. C., 1882; A.B., Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1885; A.M., 1888; D.D. (Honorary), Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C.; Litt.D., Selma Univ., Selma, Ala., 1927; auth. "How to Study and Teach the Bible," 1922; "The Study of the Old Testament," "The Study of the New Testament," "Principals and Methods of Religious Education," pub. Sunday School Pub. Board, Nashville, Tenn., 1932; "Progress of the Negro Race," 1903; "Divine Message of the Hour," 1903; Teacher, Public Sch., Wake Co., 1880-82; Teacher, English, Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1883-85; Teacher, Classical Dept., 1886-93; Representative, American Baptist Publication Soc., Philadelphia, Pa., Virginia, District of Columbia and Maryland, 1893-95; Representative, American Baptist Publication Soc., Southern States, 1895-96; General Representative, United States, Colored Work, 1896-1920; Sec., Religious Education, National Baptist Convention, 1921-present; Editor, The Sunday School Teacher, National Baptist Convention, Inc., Nashville, Tenn., 1921-present; Statistician, 1896; Vice Pres., National Baptist Convention, Inc., 1919-present; Statistician, Young Peoples' Christian Educational Congress; Chairman, Committee of Organization, of the merged National Convention with the Foreign Mission Convention and Educational Convention, 1895; mem. Executive Committee, International Council of Religious Education; Educational Commission and Leadership Training Committee; Director, Lott Carey Foreign Mission Convention; ex-Lecturer, Religious Education, Benedict Coll., Columbia, S. C.; ex-Lecturer, Phelps Hall Bible Sch., Tuskegee Inst., Ala.; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Y. M.C.A.; North Carolina State Missionary and Educational Convention; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 300 E. South St., Raleigh, N. C.

VAUGHAN, MARY ELLEN—Editor—Principal Training School.

b. Montgomery, Ala.; d. Erastus and Rebecca Vaughan; educ. Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala.; Wallace Commercial Coll., Chicago, Ill.; B.S., A. and I. State Coll., Nashville, Tenn.; now

doing work during Summer months on her A.M. degree; Trained Nurse, Montgomery, Ala.; Teacher, Tuskegee Inst. and Montgomery, Ala.; Founder, Editor and Publisher, The Murfreesboro Union, a semi-monthly newspaper; Founder and Principal, Vaughan Training School, Murfreesboro, Tenn., 1933-present; Public Health Nurse, Murfreesboro, Tenn.; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 603 S. Highland ave., Murfreesboro, Tenn.

VERNON, WILLIAM TECUMSEH—Bishop.

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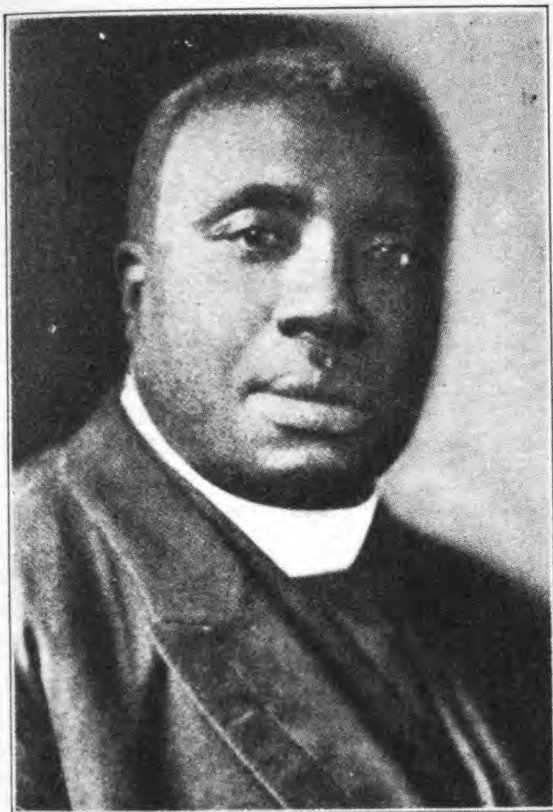
He entered Lincoln University (Mo.) in 1886 and after an early struggle common to poor youth of the Race, finished at the head of his class as Class Orator and Valedictorian.

He taught school for several years and then attended Wilberforce Univ., Ohio, for a time. He was called to the Presidency of Western University, at Quindaro, Kansas, then a struggling institution fostered by the African Methodist Episcopal Church. There was but one building with no more than twenty-five students. After ten years under his administration the Institution was known as one of the best west of the Mississippi River.

He had introduced and passed through the Kansas Legislature the bill creating the State Industrial Department, which brought to the school many thousands of dollars. He secured all told, as much as a quarter of a million dollars for the institution, and left in 1906 to assume the position in Washington of Registrar of the United States Treasury.

He was appointed to this office by the late President of the United States, Theodore Roosevelt, and served as Registrar from 1906 to 1910. One of his duties was that his signature appear on all Government bonds and on currency of the United States of America. He resigned this position to assume the Presidency of Campbell College in Jackson, Miss., one of the institutions of his church. From there he went to the pastorate of Avery Chapel in Memphis, Tenn.

He was a leader of his conference delegation to the General Conference that met in St. Louis,



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Mo., 1920. There he was elected Bishop by the greatest vote of any Bishop elected in the history of his church. He was assigned to the 17th Episcopal District, which embraces the work of his church in South Africa, covering Cape Colony, Transvaal, Orange Free State, Natal, and Basutoland.

Bishop Vernon made two trips to Africa accompanied by his wife, and was instrumental in erecting the Emily E. Vernon Mission school in Basutoland while there.

VICK, SAMUEL H.—Retired.

b. April 1, 1863, Castalia, N. C.; s. Samuel and Fannie Vick; m. Annie Mariah, May 20, 1893; six children, Elba Louise (Mrs. E. L. Valle); Daniel Lionel; Samuel H., Jr.; Robert Elliott; Doris; Annie Monte; educ. Lincoln Univ., 1880-84; A.M., Lincoln Univ., 1887; Prin., Wilson Graded Sch., Wilson, N. C., 1884-89; Postmaster, Wilson, N. C., 1889-1904; Retired; mem. Wilson County Sch., Board, 1896-98; Odd Fellows; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 584 East Nash St.; Residence, 622 E. Green St., Wilson, N. C.

VICTOR, WILLIAM VALMORE—School Orchestra Director.

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Died

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Phi Alpha (Boulé); Chairman, Trustee Bd., Wheat St. Baptist Church, Atlanta, Ga.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 205-7 Hopkins Bldg.; Residence, 524 Larkin St., S.W., Atlanta, Ga.

WALDEN, H.—Instructor.

b. Mar. 15, 1866, Markham, Va.; s. James Madison and Nancy (Gaskins) Walden; m. Mary L. Williams, Sept. 24, 1900; three children, Coburn Elder, b. Oct. 28, 1901; Edmonia Louise, b. Feb. 11, 1904; Marie Virginia, b. Jan. 27, 1910; educ. Wayland Sem. and Coll., 1886-93; Coburn Classical Inst., 1893-94; Colby Coll., 1894-98; A.B., 1898; A.M., 1919; Ph.D., 1923; Teacher, 1899-1926; Pres., West Va. Sem. and Coll., 1919-1928; Instructor, Latin and Science, Du Bois High Sch., Macdonald, West Va.; mem. Masons (32°); Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 6, Macdonald, West Va.

WALKER, ABRAHAM McCARTNEY—Educator.

b. June 3, 1886, Avalon, Northumberland Co., Va.; s. Robert M. and Lovey Weaver (Bee) Walker; m. Hanzie Pleston Johnson, Sept. 18, 1920; one child, Floretta Yvonne, b. Nov. 22, 1922; educ. Va. N. and I. Inst., 1904-07; Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1910-12; Howard Univ., 1912-16; A.B., 1916; Prin., Graded Sch., Lilian, Va., 1907-08; Prin., Graded Sch., Avalon, Va., 1908-10; Prin., Caroline County Training Sch., Bowling Green, Va., 1916-25; Prin., Christiansburg Industrial Inst., Cambria, Va., 1925-present; Conductor, Summer Inst., Gretna, Va., 1920; Vocational Instructor, Smith Hughes work, 1918-20; mem. Phi Beta Sigma; A.F.&A. M.; Pol. Socialist; Relig. Baptist; Address, Christiansburg Inst., Cambria, Va.

WALKER, DEMINT FRAZIER—School Principal.

b. Jan. 26, 1903, Scottsboro, Ala.; s. Abraham Lincoln and Flora I. Della (Little) Walker; educ. High Sch., Talladega Coll., 1925; A.B., Talladega Coll., Talladega, Ala., 1929; Principal, Northampton Co. Training Sch., 1929-present; Sec. Treas. College Sunday Sch., First Congregational Church, Talladega, Ala., 1923-27; Pres. Alabama State Sunday Sch. Conference, 1924-25; Special work, Sch. Administration and Supervising, A. and T. College, Greensboro and N. C., summer, 1930; Sec. Raleigh, N. C., District of High Sch. Principals Conference, 1930-present; Northampton Negro Teachers Conference; mem. Master Mason; Phoenix Club; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Congregational; Address, Box 33, Edenton, N. C.

WALKER, EDGAR D.—Physician.

b. May 15, 1885, Columbus, Ky.; s. George and Jennie (See) Walker; m. Bertha G. Buchanan, June 24, 1915; one child, Edgar D., Jr., b. Sept. 12, 1917; educ. High Sch., Columbus, Ky.; B.L. C.T. Coll., 1900; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1904; Pres., West Tenn., and West Ky., Med. and Dental Society; mem. Nat. Med. Soc.; Tri-State Med., Dental and Pharm. Soc.; Pres., Professional and Business Club; Pres., Union City Investing Co.; K. of P.; Masons; Odd Fellows; Trustee, Brown Chapel, A.M.E. Church; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 408 Main St.; Residence, 517 Grove St., Union City, Tenn.

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b. Philadelphia, Penn.; d. Robert and Anna Brown; m. (Rev.) J. Franklin Walker; two children, Helen; Breta; educ. Pub. and High Sch., Phila., Penn.; Temple Univ.; studied at Univ. of Cincinnati; Organized Inter-Denominational Ministers' Wives Assn.; Chairman of Education, Religious Committee, Y.W.C.A. (Cincinnati, O.); Librarian, Stowe Branch, Cincinnati Pub. Library, 1920-present; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 3240 Beresford Ave., Cincinnati, O.

She has the distinction of being the only colored person appointed Librarian at main library in the city of Cincinnati, O.

WALKER, HENRY H.—Physician.

b. Nashville, Tenn.; educ. A. B., Walden Univ.; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1913; Teacher, Anatomy, Minor and Orthopedic Surgery, Meharry Med. Sch., five years; Physician and Surgeon, 1913-present; mem. (32°) Mason (past Commander-in-Chief of J. A. Henry Consistory No. 8, Nashville, Tenn.); Kappa Alpha Psi; Pres., Roosevelt Republican Club; Grand Med. Director, K. of P.; Supreme Lodge; Pres., Nashville Negro Board of Trade; Chairman, Colored Division, Community Chest Fund, 1926; City Baby Clinic, Bethlehem Center; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, Morris Memorial Building, Nashville, Tenn.

He served in the World War as First Lieut., U. S. Medical Corps, later being promoted to the rank of Captain. He was given command of an Ambulance Company comprising five medical doctors and a personnel of 153 medical enlisted men. He led his company through the entire war, and through fitness was promoted to the rank of Major.

WALKER, JOSEPH EDISON—Physician—Insurance Co. President.

b. March 31, 1880, Tillman, Miss.; s. George and Patsy (Wheeler) Walker; m. Lelia O'Neal, Oct. 25, 1906; two children, Johnetta F., b. 1907; A. Meceo Walker, b. 1909; educ. B.S., Alcorn A. and M. Coll., Alcorn, Miss., 1903; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1906; Teacher, Summer Sch., 1900-06; Physician, Indianola, Miss., 1906-20; Pres., Delta Penny Savings Bank, Indianola, Miss., 1912-22; Pres., Mississippi Life Insurance Co., 1917-23; Pres., Universal Life Insurance Co., Memphis, Tenn., 1923-present; Pres., National Negro Business League, 1939-present; Chairman, Seminole Division, Boy Scouts, Memphis, Tenn.; mem. Executive Committee, Urban League; mem. Executive Committee, Y.M.C.A.; mem. Executive Committee, Community Welfare League; Chairman, Shelby County Colored Democratic Club; mem. Negro Chamber of Commerce, Memphis, Tenn.; Masons; Treas., National Convention of the Churches of Christ; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Christian Church (Disciples of Christ); Address, 234 Hernandez St.; Residence, 1109 Mississippi Blvd., Memphis, Tenn.

When the Delta Penny Savings Bank needed a new President, Dr. Walker was

selected. During his tenure of that bank the assets were doubled.

The Mississippi Life Insurance Company, which was a struggling organization, needed someone to guide its course and Dr. Walker was made President. When he became the President the assets were slightly in excess of \$60,000. Capital stock was about \$50,000, and business in force amounted approximately \$500,000. Six years later the assets were \$467,650, capital stock \$100,000, and business in force \$15,000,000. In 1926 the Universal Life Insurance Company bought this business.

WALKER, JOHN W.—Real Estate.

b. Laurens, S. C.; s. John W. and Phenie (Henderson) Walker; m. Mable Davis, Aug. 31, 1926; educ. Brewer Normal Sch., Greenwood, S. C., 1903; L. I. South Carolina State Coll., Orangeburg, S. C., 1904; Frelinghuysen Law Sch., Washington, D. C., (Common Law Course), 1919, City Coll., N. Y., (Investment Course), 1923; Columbia Univ., 1925; N. Y. Univ., 1927; Teacher, Pub. Schs., Henderson, N. C., and Brevard, N. C., 1905-07; Club Car porter in charge, Southern Railroad Dining Car Dept., Washington, D. C., 1907-16; Memograph Operator, War Dept. U. S. Government, 1919-21; Real Estate, 1921-present; mem. Assn. of Trade and Commerce of New York City; N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Rosasice Club; Phi Beta Sigma; Relig. Congregational; Address, 168 W. 135th St.; Residence, 137 W. 142nd St., New York City, N. Y.

WALKER, MRS. MAGGIE LENA—Banker—Editor.— See 4th Edition.

Died, December 15, 1934.

WALKER, SHERMAN LEWIS—Mortician Supervisor.

b. Sept. 4, 1892, Burnly, Va.; s. Charles L. and Birtie (Brock) Walker; m. Bessie L. Thompson, Aug. 4, 1920; three children: Dorothy, b. Dec. 7, 1927; Forest Eugene; and Paul Ray; educ. Alberman High Sch., Burly, Va., 1910; Buffalo School of Anatomy, 1924; Sergt., World War, serving in France, 1917-18; Electric Operator, Lackawanna Steel Co., 1920-22; Moulder, American Radiator Co., Buffalo, N. Y., 1922-26; Mortician, 1925-present; County Supervisor, Fifth Ward, Buffalo, N. Y., 1929-33; Clerk, Trinity Baptist Church, Buffalo, N. Y., 1922-present; Senior Warden, Masons, 1934-present; mem. Odd Fellows; Veterans of Foreign Wars; American Legion; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 384 Clinton St., Buffalo, N. Y.

He is the first Colored man to be elected to the office of County Supervisor in the City of Buffalo and the County of Erie, N. Y. The Board of Supervisors in every county in New York State are the governing body and vote all appropriations and what money is to be spent in that county.

WALKER, THADDEUS ADDISON—Physician.— See 3rd Edition.

Died.



Sherman Lewis Walker



THADDEUS ADDISON WALKER, M.D.



REV. THOMAS H. B. WALKER, D.D.



MRS. SADIE WARREN

WALKER, THEODORE ORVILLE—Physician.

b. Jan. 8, 1900, Columbia, S. C.; s. Simon and Mattie (Parker) Walker; m. Mamie Reynolds, July 4, 1929; one child, Theodore Orville, Jr., b. June 6, 1932; educ. Howard High Sch., Columbia, S. C., 1920; B.S., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1924; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1928; Interne, City Hospital No. 2, St. Louis, Mo., 1929; Physician, 1928-present; Sec., Cincinnati Med. Assn., 1929-32; Med. Examiner, National Benefit Insurance Co., 1929-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, 408 W. 5th St.; Residence, 148 College Hill, Cincinnati, O.

WALKER, THOMAS CALHOUN—Lawyer-Teacher.

b. June 16, 1862, Gloucester, Va.; s. Thomas and Grace (Herbert) Walker; m. Annie Williams, (deceased), Sept. 11, 1888; second marriage, Ellen N. Young, Sept. 19, 1914; three children, Eloise F., b. Feb. 23, 1891; Grace C., b. Sept. 23, 1893; Annie W., b. Aug. 26, 1895; educ. Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Lawyer, 1886-present; Rosenwald Agent, Virginia; Founder and Builder, Gloucester Co. Training Sch.; Supervising Principal, Gloucester Co. Training Sch.; Building Agent, Julius Rosenwald Fund Schs. in Virginia; Instrumental in building training Schs. in Virginia; one of organizers of State Board of Charities, now State Board of Pub. Welfare; Justice of Peace, 6 years; Member of Board of County Supervisors, 6 years; Collector of Customs, Tappahannock, 7 years; Organizer, Gloucester Land and Brick Co.; mem. Interracial Committee of Virginia; State Teachers' Assn.; Nat. Teachers' Assn.; Gloucester Bar Assn.; State Board of Public Welfare; Elks; Advisor Federal and Virginia State Negro Emergency Relief Committee, 1935-present; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address Gloucester, Va.

WALKER, THOMAS H. B.—Clergyman.

b. July 15, 1873, Tallahassee, Fla.; s. May and Elizabeth (Christy) Walker; m. Miss Luanna Jenkins, Dec. 20, 1893 (deceased); nine children, May, Elizabeth, Nat. Thomas, Wesley, Lucius, Bolyden, Georgia, William; second marriage, Rosie H. Glover, Oct. 16, 1918; educ. Pub. Sch., Tallahassee, Fla.; Cookman Inst., Daytona, Fla.; Gammon Theol. Sem., 1901-03; D.D., Coll. of West Africa, 1907; D.D. College of Liberia, 1926; Teacher, Pastor, while Student at Cookman Inst.; Founder of St. Joseph Aid Soc.; Pastor, Simpson Tabernacle, Jacksonville, Fla.; auth. "The Man Without a Blemish," pub. Hall & Bros.; "Pebbley," pub. Pepper Co.; "Presidents of Liberia," pub. Mentz Co.; "The Unknown Man," pub. Painter Co.; "History of Liberia," pub. Cornhill Co., Boston, Mass.; "Revelation in Epic"; "Egyptology"; mem. St. Joseph Aid Soc.; Omega Psi Phi; Masons; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Pol. Republican; Relig. M. E. Church; Address, 621-25 W. State St., Jacksonville, Fla.

Began to teach at the age of fifteen, entered the pulpit at sixteen and was instrumental in building a church at nineteen. He married a few years later, and upon being sent from the Daytona circuit to Jacksonville, Fla., he entered Cookman Institute.

While at the school he served as Pastor of one of the city churches and taught school.

In 1900 he went to Atlanta, entered Gammon Theological Seminary, graduating in 1903. While a student at the Seminary, he won a school prize in oratory and was editor of "The Church and Society World," the first colored magazine of importance in that city.

As Pastor of Simpson Tabernacle, he has done much good work among his people and has been instrumental in building a number of homes for his Parishioners.

He founded the St. Joseph's Aid Society. It now has a membership of over 150,000. Its principal office is in Jacksonville, Fla., and its branches are located among other cities, New York City, Detroit, Mich., Pittsburgh, Pa., Savannah, Ga., and Florence, S. C.

WALKER, TOWNSEND L.—Manager of Theatre.

b. April 18, 1899, New York, N. Y.; s. Wade and Annie Belle Walker; married; two children; educ. P. S. Sch., No. 144; St. Mary's Catholic Sch. and Townsend Harris High Sch., New York, N. Y.; was in the Tailoring Business; worked as Prop. man, Lafayette Theatre; Manager, Orpheum Theatre, Newark, N. J., 1926-present; mem. Elks; Pol. Democrat Relig. Catholic; Address, 385 Washington, St., Newark, N. J.

WALKER, WALTER SCOTT—Lawyer.

b. Aug. 22, 1895, Centreville, Tenn.; s. Joseph and Callie (Claggett) Walker; m. Cora Lee Maude Williams, July 15, 1916; educ. State Agricultural and Industrial Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1918; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1926; Boston Univ., Law Sch., Boston, Mass., 1927; Lawyer, 1926-present; Founder and Pres., Nashville Civic Welfare Assn., 1932-present; Executive Sec., Y.M.C.A., Nashville, Tenn., 1921-23; mem. Masons; N.A.A.C.P.; Interracial Commission; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, Morris Memorial Building; Residence, 921 Blank St., Nashville, Tenn.

WALKER, WILLIAM O.

b. Sept. 19, 1896, Selma, Ala.; s. John Alexander and Annie E. (Jones) Walker; m. Theresa I. Brooks, July 2, 1919; educ. Pub. and High Schs., Selma, Ala.; Wilberforce Univ., Business Administration, 1914-16; Oberlin Business Coll., Jan., 1918-Nov., 1918; Stenographer, Pittsburgh Urban League, Nov., 1918-19; City Editor, The Pittsburgh Courier, Jan., 1919-Nov., 1919; City Editor, The Norfolk Journal and Guide, 1920; Managing Editor, The Washington Tribune, May, 1921-29; Asst. Mgr., The Fair Dent. Store; Managing Editor, Cleveland Call-Post, Cleveland, Ohio, 1934-present; Elected mem. City Council of Cleveland, 1939; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, 2319 E. 55th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

WALKER, WILLIAM ROSCOE—Lawyer.

b. Aug. 18, 1884, Albemarle Co., Va.; s. Micajah and Ann (Slaughter) Walker; m. Lettie Fer-

guson, June 14, 1910; seven children, William R., Jr.; Thomas Ferguson; Robert Wendell; Walter F.; Phillip Scott; James L.; Mary Louise; educ. Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1904; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1907; Lawyer, 1907-present; Legal Advisor. Crown Savings Bank, 1920-present; Director, Civil Liberties of Elks, State of Virginia, 1933-present; Pres., Independent Voters' League, Newport News, Va.; mem. Masons' Elks: N.A.A.C.P.: Pol. Democrat; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Crown Savings Bank Building; Residence, 1703 Marshall Ave., Newport News, Va.

WALLACE, JOHN HOWARD—Physician.

b. Mar. 12, 1896, Wiltonville, Ala.; s. E. L. and Nammie (Robinson) Wallace; m. Lygia Kaufman, Dec. 25, 1923; one child, John Howard, Jr., b. Nov. 8, 1925; educ. B.S., Selma Univ., 1914; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1918; Interne, Hubbard Hosp., 1919; Physician, 1919-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Cincinnati Med. Assn.; Y.M.C.A.; Masons; Elks; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 612 W. 9th St.; Residence, 622 Maple St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

WALLER, CYRIL A.—Dentist.

b. Aug. 30, 1896, Sea Isles, N. J.; s. O. M. and Lillian (Ray) Waller; m. Florence Scottron, Dec. 10, 1918; one child, Audrey, b. May 22, 1921; educ. High Sch., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Coll. of Dental Oral Surgery, Columbia Univ.; Dentist, 1918-present; mem. Kings County Dental Soc.; Provident Med. and Dental Soc.; Sigma Tau Sigma; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 1814 Fulton St.; Residence, 348 McDonough St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

WALLER, OWEN MEREDITH—Physician.

b. Oct. 2, 1868, Eastville, Va.; s. John and Ellen (Nottingham) Waller; m. Lillian M. Ray, Jan. 31, 1893; four children, Ray B. P.; Owen M.; Cyril A.; Ellen C.; educ. Associate of Oxford Univ., England, 1887; Theological Sem., New York City, N. Y., 1892; M.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1903; auth. "Which is the Church of Christ"; "The Episcopal and the Colored People"; Physician, 1903-present; Rector, St. Thomas P. E. Church, Philadelphia, Pa., 1893-96; Rector, St. Luke's P. E. Church, Washington, D. C., 1896-1904; Director, Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Co., Chicago, Ill.; One of Founders and Director, N.A.A.C.P.; Captain, Reserve Surgeons, New York City Police Dept.; mem. Grand Orient of the Republic of Haiti; National Med. Assn.; Fellow, American Med. Assn.; Medical Soc. of Kings Co.; New York State Medical Soc.; Masons (33°); Elks; K. of P.; St. Luke's; Galilean Fisherman; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 762 Herkimer St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Died, Oct. 12, 1939.

WALLS, JOHN H.—Physician.

b. Sept. 15, 1889, Mason, Tenn.; s. Harry and Amanda (McCraw) Walls; m. Eleanor Barksdale, Dec. 27, 1922; educ. Pub. Schs., Mason, Tenn.; Walden Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1912; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1917; Physician, 1918-present; Pres., N.A.A.C.P., Louisville Branch, 1930-present; mem. Coordinating Committee of Louisville Health

Council; Local, State, and Nat. Med. Assn.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Menelik Social Club; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, 930 W. Walnut St.; Residence, 1631 W. Jefferson St., Louisville, Ky.

WALLS, W. J.—Bishop.

b. Chimney Rock, near Asheville, N. C.; educ. City Pub. Sch. and Allen Industrial Sch., Asheville, N. C.; graduated, Livingstone Coll.; A.B., Livingstone Coll., 1908; Hood Theol. Seminary at Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., B.D., 1913; A.M., Livingston Coll., 1915; D.D., Livingstone Coll., 1918; course in Philosophy and Journalism, Columbia Univ., 1922; Evangelist and Student, 1899-1905; Pastor, Cleveland, N. C., 1905-06; Landis, N. C., 1906-07; Lincolnton, N. C., 1908-10; Salisbury, N. C.; Soldiers' Memorial Church, 1910-14; Broadway Temple, Louisville, Ky., 1914-20; erected new Edifice and entertained the Quadrennial General Conference, 1916; elected Editor of the Star of Zion, official organ of the A.M.E. Zion Church, 1920-24; elected Bishop at Indianapolis, 1924-present; auth. "Visions for the Times," "What Youth Wants," "The Negro in Business and Religion"; Fraternal Delegate Methodist Episcopal General Conferences, Kansas City, Mo., 1928; Relig. A.M.E. Zion Church; Address, 4736 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

In May, 1918, he was sent by his church as Fraternal Messenger to the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Atlanta, Ga.

In 1921 he was sent as a delegate to the Ecumenical Methodist Conference, in London, England. While abroad he toured five countries.

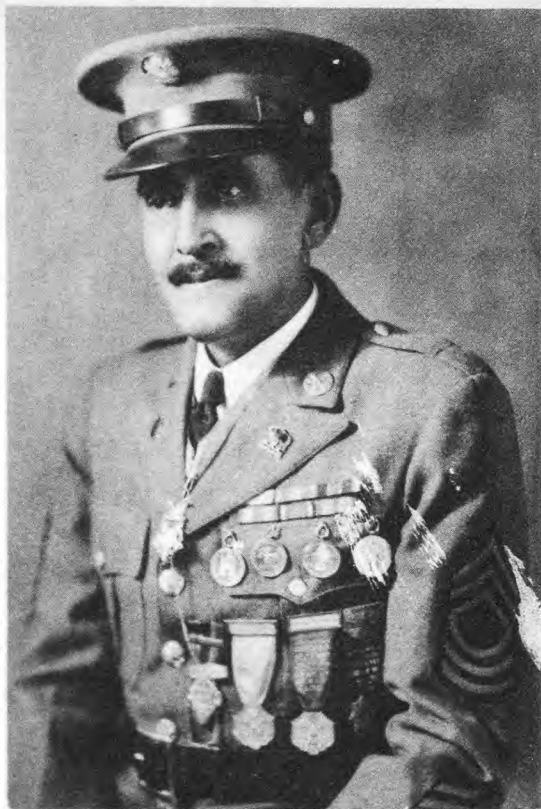
In 1931 he was again sent as a delegate to the Ecumenical Methodist Conference, that met in Atlanta, Ga., and made the only address in the full session made by a member of his race, responding on the Around the World Program of Welcome, for the six million Negro Methodists in the world.

He is at present Chairman of the Board of Religious Education and the Board of Publication of the A.M.E. Zion Church, Trustee of Livingstone College, Trustee of Gammon Theological Seminary, a member of the Race Relations Commission and of the Executive Committee of the Federal Council of Churches, and member of the National Commission of Relations of Y.M.C.A. and Churches and Chaplain of the National Negro Business League.

His education was completed through his own efforts as boy-evangelist when he travelled through all the states east of the Mississippi River. He was agent for Livingstone College during his student days, and one year during a vacation, raised \$200.00 for the college besides paying his tuition. He educated also, two of his sisters while he was securing his own training.



BISHOP W. J. WALLS, A.B., B.D., D.D.



George Wanton



Meta Vaux Warrick (Mrs. Solomon C. Fuller.)



FORRESTER B. WASHINGTON, A.B., A.M.

He was a delegate to the 12th World's Sunday School Convention in 1936, at Oslo, Norway, and delivered before it a scheduled address on the subject, "Christianity the Unturned Key."

WALTHAL, SOLOMON LEROY—Physician.

b. June 30, 1882, Campbell Co., Va.; s. Washington and Tula (Payne) Walthal; m. Mary Dickerson, May 15, 1917; one child, Georgia, b. Apr. 15, 1918; educ. Virginia Theol. Sem. and Coll., Lynchburg, Va., 1909; B.S., Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1914; M.D., Univ. of West Tenn., Memphis, Tenn., 1914; Post Graduate, Long Island Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Physician, 1914-present; Director, Peoples' Finance Corp., St. Louis, Mo., 1926-present; Past Master, Masons, Missouri; mem. Masons (33°); Shriner and Inspector; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; National Med. Assn.; Pan-Missouri Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Mound City Med. Forum; Phi Beta Sigma; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1001 N. Jefferson Ave.; Residence, 1807 Bellegrade Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

WANZO, ALVIN B.—Funeral Director.

b. Jan. 28, 1880, Rutland, O.; s. William and Lucy (Cook) Wanzo; m. Elizabeth Johnson, Mar. 4, 1914; two children, Elvin B., b. June 6, 1916; Muriel F., b. Jan. 6, 1918; educ. High Sch., Rutland, O.; Ohio State Univ., Columbus, O., 1910; Training Sch. for Embalmers; Funeral Director, 1911-present; Past Grand Master, Masons Past Grand Exalted Ruler, Elks; Trustee, K. of P.; Home Extension Ohio; mem. Nat. Funeral Directors Assn.; Trustee, Frederick Douglass Community Assn.; Trustee, Colored Working Girls Home; Undertakers of Toledo; Masons (33°); Elks; K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Address, 1210 Washington St.; Residence, 572 Nebraska Ave., Toledo, Ohio.

WALTON, DEWITT TALMAGE—Dentist.

b. Mar. 20, 1893, Boston, Ga.; s. Henry and Sarah (Anderson) Walton; educ. D.D.S., Howard Univ., 1926; Dentist, 1926-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Ga. State Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Macon Academy of Medicine, Dentistry and Pharmacy; Masons; Elks; St. Lukes; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 556 New St.; Residence, 122 Spring St., Macon, Ga.

WALTON, LESTER A.—Journalist.

b. April 20, 1882, St. Louis, Mo.; s. Benjamin A. and Ollie May Walton; m. Gladys F. Moore, June 29, 1912; two children, Marjorie Mae; Gladys Odile; educ. Pub. Sch., St. Louis, Mo.; M.A., (Honorary), Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa.; Reporter, St. Louis Globe-Democrat, St. Louis Democrat, St. Louis Post-Despatch, St. Louis Star; came to New York City, 1906; wrote Lyrics for "Rufus Rastus" Co.; Producer, 1906-08; Dramatic and Managing Editor, New York Age, several years; was Associate Lessee and Manager of Lafayette Theatre, 2 years; was appt. Member of Military, Entertainment Service during World War; Member of Staff, New York World; Editorial Writer, The New York Age; Director of Publicity, National Negro Business League; Director of Publicity, Negro Division, National Democratic Campaign Committee, 1924-1928; Minister resident and

Consul-General of U. S. at Monrovia, Liberia, 1935-present; Address, 2588 7th Ave. New York, N. Y.

WALTON, MORRIS S.

b. 1887, Camp Dennison, O.; s. Louis S. and Fannie L. Walton; educ. Howard Univ.; Univ. of Cincinnati; Manager for Art Shop; taught at Tuskegee Inst.; Douglass High Sch.; Principal of Pub. Sch., Lockland; was Secretary, Y.M.C.A., Lockland; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Knights of Pythias; Masons; Trustee, Colored Industrial Sch. of Cincinnati; First Lieut., 372nd Infantry, O.N.G.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 636 West Ninth St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTON, GEORGE HENRY—Retired Army Officer.

b. May 15, 1866, Paterson, N. J.; s. William H. and Margaret (Miller) Wanton; m. Eliza Jackson, Aug., 1885; second marriage, Helen Beatrice Toles, Feb. 7, 1917; three children, George H., Jr., b. May, 1908; Elizabeth, b. July, 1910; Vivian, b. July, 1912; educ. Pub. Sch., Paterson, N. J.; Seaman, United States Navy, 1884-88; Private, United States Army, 1889-92; Corporal, United States Army, 1892-98; Sergeant, 1898-1925; Master Sergeant, 1924-25, when he was retired; mem. Legion of Valor; American Legion; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 1432 12th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

He was awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor for distinguished gallantry in Tayabacca, Cuba, June 30, 1898, in the Spanish-American War, while a private with Troop M, 10th U. S. Calvary, where, after a force had succeeded in landing and had been compelled to withdraw to the boats, leaving a number of killed and wounded ashore, he voluntarily went ashore in the face of the enemy and aided in the rescue of his wounded comrades, who would otherwise have fallen in the hands of the enemy. All this was after several previous attempts had been frustrated.

He was invited to visit Washington as the guest of the Nation, and was an Honorary Pall Bearer at the burial of the Unknown Soldier in the Memorial Amphitheatre at the Arlington Cemetery in November, 1921.

At the American Legion Convention held in the city of Boston in 1930, he was one of the distinguished guests at luncheon given by Boston in honor of the President of the United States and the Medal of Honor Men.

He was invited by President and Mrs. Hoover to attend New Year's Day reception at the White House in a special group in honor of the Congressional, Medal of Honor Men.

WARD, A. WAYMAN—Clergyman.

b. Jan. 29, 1889, Garnet, Kan.; s. (Rev.) A. Milton and Elnora (Crosby) Ward; m. Janet Greene, June 8, 1916; four children, Marian Enola, b. Sept. 28, 1917; Mary Eleanor, b. Sept. 28, 1917; Jean Lucile, b. May 18, 1919; Alexander Wesley, b. Nov. 14, 1922; educ. Univ. of Denver,

Denver, Col., 1907-11; A.B., Denver Univ., 1911; Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1911-14; B. D., Wilberforce Univ., 1914; Yale Univ., 1914-15; S.T.B., 1915; D.D., Wilberforce Univ., 1926; Minister, Boulder Coll., 1915-17; Minister, Colorado Springs, Col., 1917-22; Minister, Denver, Col., 1924-present; Sec. of Colorado Conference, A.M.E. Church, 1916-26; Organizer and Pres., N.A.A.C.P., Col. Springs, Col., 1918-22; Trustee of Western Univ., Kansas City, Kansas, 1916-present; Trustee, Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1918-present; Delegate, General Conference, A.M.E. Church, Louisville, Ky., 1924; Presiding Elder, Colorado Conference, 1922-24; Sec., Commission on Education, the A.M.E. Church; mem. Charter Member, Y.M.C.A.; Boulder Associated Charities Board, 1917; Boy Scouts Council, Col. Springs, 1918-20; Shriner; Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons (32°); N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Nominal Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, 4759 Forestville Ave., Chicago, Ill.

WARD, ROSCOE CASSIUS—Dentist.

b. Nov. 11, 1893, Warrenton, N. C.; s. William Christmas and Mary Jane (Harris) Ward; m. Naomi Elizabeth Barno, Dec. 24, 1916; educ. Pub. Sch., Greensboro, N. C., Lutheran Coll. Greensboro, 1906-09; A. and T. Coll., 1911-15; B.S.A., 1915; D.D.S., Howard Univ., 1923; Instructor, Lincoln Inst., Lincoln Ridge, Ky., 1915-17; Extension Worker, 1917-19; Dentist, 1924-present; mem. Chi Delta Mu; Masons; Knights of Pythias; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 24 S. Main St.; Residence, 92 Hobart Ave., Port Chester, N. Y.

WARFIELD, WILLIAM A.—Physician.

b. Nov. 17, 1866, Hyattstown, Montgomery Co., Md.; s. William R. and Rachel (Lyles) Warfield; m. Violet B. Thompson; two children, William A., Jr. and Violet B. (twins); educ. Pub. Sch., Montgomery County; worked on farm; bell boy in Washington, D. C. until 1886; Morgan Coll., 1891; M.D., Howard Univ., 1894; Interne, Freedmen's Hosp., 1894; Second Asst. Surgeon; First Asst. Surgeon, 1896; Surgeon-in-Chief, Oct. 1, 1901-present; Address, Freedmen's Hospital, Washington, D. C.

WARING, DR. M. FITZBUTLER—Physician.

b. Louisville, Ky.; d. (Dr.) H. and Sarah Fitzbutler; m. Frank B. Waring; second marriage, Charles F. Cantrell, Aug. 14, 1930; educ. Pub. Sch. and Normal Sch., Louisville, Ky.; graduate of Nat. Med. College, Louisville, Ky.; M.D., Chicago Med. Coll., Chicago, 1923; Member of State Federation for twenty years; Commissioner of Exposition showing progress of Colored People, Chicago, 1915; Chairman, Health and Hygiene for the N.A.C.W., since 1911-present; Pres., National Assn. of Colored Women, 1933-present; appointed Representative of Nat. Council of Women of America and attended International Council of Women, Christiania, Norway, 1920; Life mem., International Council of Women; Chairman, Executive Board, Ill. State Federal Colored Women; Medical Examiner. Elks. 1928-present; Medical Examiner, Odd Fellows, 1928-present; Medical Examiner, Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Co., 1922-present; Vice Pres., National Assn. of Colored Women, Inc.; One of Incorporators and Director, Douglass Memorial, Anacostia, Washington, D. C.; mem. Y.W.C.A.; National Medical Assn.; Cook Co. Medical Assn.; Vice-President of the Phyllis Wheatley Club; Chicago League

of Women Voters; National Republican League of Colored Women; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; mem. National Board. Women's Field Army, American Soc. for the Control of Cancer; N.A.A.C.P.; Address, 4557 Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

In 1933, at Chicago, Dr. Waring was elected president of the National Ass'n. of Colored Women. She was re-elected at the National Convention held in Cleveland, Ohio in 1935, and presided at the convention held in Ft. Worth, Texas, in 1937.

In June, 1937, Dr. Waring was appointed by Hon. Grover Whalen, of New York, to serve on the Woman's Participation Committee for the New York World's Fair in 1939. Mrs. Vincent Astor, of New York, is chairman of this committee.

Dr. Waring is a member of the Herald Tribune Forum which meets annually in New York, is a life member of the International Council of Women, and the National Council of Women of the United States.

For the past five years she has edited the Woman's National Magazine which has been printed regularly for many years. It has been adopted as an official organ by several women's organizations among them being the Northwestern Federation of Colored Women, Southwestern Association of Colored Women, the Central and Northern District of Colored Women.

WARLEY, WILLIAM—Editor.

b. Jan. 6, 1884, Louisville, Ky.; m. Julia Brashhear, June 15, 1908; two children, Margaret Isabelle; Victoria Duval; educ. Central High Sch., Louisville, Ky.; Editor, Owner and Publisher, Louisville News; Pres., N.A.A.C.P.; Special Investigator, City of Louisville; Founded Lincoln Independent party, 1920; mem. Elks; Masons; K. of P.; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, 614 W. Walnut St.; Residence, 652 S. 21st St., Louisville, Ky.

WARNER, HENRY STEVENSON—Real Estate.

b. Dec. 29, 1881, Antigua, B.W.I.; s. Samuel and Margaret (Stevenson) Warner; m. Josephine Woolridge, Dec. 5, 1905; one child, Harry S., b. May 21, 1913; educ. Mico Coll., Antigua, B.W.I., 1899; Dr. Buckley Training Sch., New York City, N. Y., Civil Engineer, 1903-05; Civil Engineer, 1905-present; Real Estate and Insurance Broker, 1910-present; Pres., Renaw Realty Co.; Founder and ex-Pres., Leeward Realty Co.; Past Grand Treas., Elks, 1929-31; Supreme Grand Treas., Watchmen of Ancient East; made a trip to the Holy Land in 1925; mem. Antigua Mutual Aid of America; Assn. Trade and Commerce; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 2366 7th Ave., New York City, N. Y.

WARREN, DAVIS SADIE—Manager and Treasurer, Newspaper.

b. Sept. 11, 1874, Greenfield, O.; s. Bob and Me-

Iinda Tyre; m. Edward A. Warren, April 27, 1889 (deceased April 27, 1921); one child, Odessa, b. Aug. 13, 1895; educ. Pub. Sch.; Manager and Treasurer, The New York Amsterdam News, a weekly newspaper, 1921-present; mem. Sisterhood Charity Organizations; Columbus Hill Day Nursery; Pol. Republican; Relig. Mother Zion Church; Address, 2293 Seventh Ave., New York, N. Y.

On the death of her husband in 1921, Mrs. Davis took over the business of publishing The New York Amsterdam News, founded and established by him on December 31, 1909.

In less than eleven years under her personal direction and with the co-operation of her reorganized staff, the publication not only paid its debts, but enjoys a circulation of over 60,000, delivers the only 20-page five-cent newspaper in the country and has subscribers in every state in the Union.

WARRICK, ENNIS CHAMP—Dean.

b. Feb. 21, 1887, Key West, Ky.; s. Paul and Mary Eliza (Bridges) Warrick; m. Alma Rebecca Lightfoot, March, 1921; two children, Allison Lightfoot, b. April 21, 1923; Alenna Virginia, b. June 25, 1924; educ. B.S., Wilberforce Univ., 1908; A.B., Univ. of Wisconsin, 1916; Officer U. S. Army, 1918; Sec. Urban League, 1919-21; Dean, College of Liberal Arts, Wilberforce, 1925-28; Director, Summer Sch., Wilberforce, 1925-28; mem. Masons; Kappa Alpha Psi; Promotion of Arts, Letters and Sciences; Sen. Mehr Reki Scholastic Frat; Sword and Shield Honor; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Wilberforce University, Box 7, Wilberforce, Ohio.

WARRICK, MRS. META VAUX—Sculptor-Housewife.

b. June 9, 1877, Phila., Pa.; d. William and Emma (Jones) Warrick; m. Dr. Solomon C. Fuller, Feb. 9, 1909; three children, Solomon Carter Fuller, Jr., b. Mar. 10, 1910; William Thomas, b. June 11, 1911; Perry James, b. Nov. 5, 1916; educ. Pub. Sch., Phila., Pa.; Penn. Museum and Sch. of Industrial Art, 1894-99; Ecole de Beaux Arts, Paris, 1899; Academic Colarossi, 1900-02; Penn. Acad. of Fine Arts, 1907; exhibited at the Paris Salon; worked in her private studio in Paris and Phila., Penn., 1902-07; exhibited at Jamestown Exposition, 1907; engaged in art work since 1909; exhibited in N. Y. Emancipation Exhibit, 1913; awarded second prize offered by Women's Peace Party for her group "Peace Halting the Ruthlessness of War," 1915; exhibiting statue, "Awakening Ethiopia," at N. Y. Making of America Exposition, 1922, reproduction which is now in the Harlem Branch of the New York Public Library; mem. Framingham Women's Club; Framingham Civic League; Civic League Players; Framingham Planning Committee; American Fed. of Arts, Fed. of Women's Clubs; Division Interracial Unity; honorary member, Alpha Kappa Alpha; Hon. Mem. Arista Club, Boston; Boston Art Club; Academy Fellowship; Academy of Fine Arts; Relig. Protestant Episcopal; Address, 135 Warren Road, Framingham, Mass.

WASHINGTON, ARMSTEAD—Retired.

b. Nov. 15, 1859, Goochland Co., Va.; s. Alfred

and Henrietta Washington; m. Nannie B. Brock; second marriage, Gertrude Laurence; one of organizers and Vice-Pres., Southern Aid Society, Richmond, Va.; Virginia Baptist, Richmond's first newspaper; Capitol Shoe Co., Richmond, Va.; Vice-Pres., Richmond Hospital; Deacon, Second Baptist Church, Richmond, Va., forty-six years; Relig. Baptist; Address, Richmond, Va.

WASHINGTON, FORRESTER B.—Director, School of Social Work.

b. Sept. 24, 1887, Salem, Mass.; s. William and Lucy (Wylly) Washington; m. Sophronia J. Davis, May 15, 1918; one child, Dorothy H., b. April 2, 1920; educ. Tufts Coll., Boston, Mass., 1906-09; A.B., 1909; Harvard Univ., Graduate Sch., 1913-14; Columbia Univ., 1916-17; A.M., 1917; Director, Detroit Urban League, 1916-18; Supervisor of Negro Economics, United States Dept. of Labor, 1918-19; Director, Research Bureau, Detroit Associated Charities, 1920-23; Exec. Sec., Armstrong Association of Philadelphia, 1923-27; Director, Atlanta Sch. of Social Work, 1927-present; auth. "Study of Negro Employees of Apartment Houses in New York City," a survey, pub. National Urban League, 1916; "Program for Social Work Among Negroes in Northern Cities," Survey Magazine, July 14, 1917; "Reconstruction of the Colored Woman," Life and Labor, Jan., 1919; "The Negro in Toledo," survey, pub. Toledo Federation of Churches, 1923; "Health Work for Negro Children," National Conference of Social Work Proceedings for 1925; "The Detroit Negro," survey, pub. Detroit Bureau of Municipal Research, 1926; "What Professional Training Means to the Social Worker," Annals of the Academy of Political and Social Science, Sept., 1926; "The Negro in Pennsylvania," a survey published by the state of Pennsylvania Department of Welfare; "Recreational Facilities for the Negro," Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science, Nov., 1928; "The Negro Industrialist," National Conference of Social Work Proceedings, 1928; mem. Atlanta (Ga.) Chapter, American Assn. of Social Workers; National Conference of Social Work; Past Master, Doric Lodge No. 22, A.F. & A.M., Mich.; mem. Bd. of Managers, St. Antoine St. Br., Y. M.C.A., Detroit, Mich.; ex-mem. Philadelphia (Pa.) Chamber of Commerce; ex-Vice-Chairman, Citizens' State Republican Committee, Mich.; Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Henry McNeal Turner Lodge, 719, Elks, Atlanta; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, Atlanta School of Social Work, 247 Henry St., S. W., Atlanta, Ga.

WASHINGTON, GEORGIA—Educator.

She came to Mt. Meigs in 1893. There was no school or housing facilities. She met with students in the parsonage of the Antioch Baptist Church. In 1896 the present People's Village School was incorporated. An acre of land was purchased and a small building erected. Later a schoolhouse was built. The average enrollment is about 200 students. The property value about \$10,000. Miss Washington has devoted thirty-five years to educational work at this Institution. Address, People's Village School, Mt. Meigs, Ala.

WASHINGTON, GEORGE—Clergyman.

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Died.

WASHINGTON, JOHN MALACHI — School Principal.

b. July 4, 1882, Steelton, Pa.; s. Albert Ross and Jane Katherine (Jackson) Washington; m. Josephine Barnett, Aug. 22, 1914; one child, Russell Barnett, b. Aug. 4, 1915; educ. Steelton High Sch., Steelton, Pa.; A.B., Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1923; B.S., in Educ. 1928; (Storer Coll., Harpers Ferry, W. Va.; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.; Chief Night Clerk, Steel Foundry Dept., Bessemer Steel Co., Steelton, Pa.; Aide, Juvenile Court, appointed by Judge Ira Beer, 1931-present; former Aide of same Court appointed by Judge Isbell, 1925-31; Club Agent, 1802 10th Ave., Huntington, W. Va.; Principal Colored Sch., Seaford, Del., 1902-04; Principal, Lewes, Del., 1904-07; Principal, Milford, Del., 1907-13; Principal, Grafton, W. Va., 1914-19; Principal, Berwind, W. Va., 1919-20; Principal and Club Agent, Barnett Sch., Hunting, W. Va., 1920-present; Pres., Delaware Teachers' Assn., 1909-11; Deputy Boy Scout Commissioner, 1922; Asst. Probation Officer; mem. Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Elks; Masons; Alpha Kappa Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, Barnett School, 16th St., 8th Ave.; Residence, 1802 10th Ave., Huntington, W. Va.

WASHINGTON, WILLIAM HENRY — Physician.

b. Aug. 23, 1878, Portsmouth, Va.; m. Ardele Smith (deceased); second marriage, Helen Davis, Feb. 20, 1930; educ. Pub. Sch.; Va. Nor. and Collegiate Inst., Petersburg, Va.; Howard Univ., 1896-1908; A.B., 1904; M.D., 1908; Physician, Newark, N. J., 1908-present; Pres., Howard Alumni Assn., 1908; Pres., Peoples Finance Corp.; Chairman of Board, Y.M.C.A.; mem. New Jersey State Med. Soc.; Essex County Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Masons; N.A.A.C.P.; American Med. Assn.; North New Jersey Med. Soc.; Address, 321 High St., Newark, N. J.

WATERS, JAMES C., JR.—Lawyer.

b. Nov. 19, 1879, Jacksonville, Fla.; s. (Rev.) James C. and Amanda L. Waters; m. Florence Brooks, Dec. 27, 1921; educ. Haines Inst., Augusta, Ga., 1894-97; Howard Univ., 1899-1901, 1902-04 and 1908-11; A.B., 1904; LL.B., 1911; Printer; worked for Ga. Baptist, Augusta, Ga.; Ed Cooper's Colored American, Washington, D. C.; Afro-American, Baltimore, Md.; Contributing Editor, Washington Sun and Washington Eagle, Washington, D. C.; Federal Civil Service, Sandy Hook, N. J., 1907-08; Washington, D. C., 1908-21; practice Law, Washington, D. C., 1911-present; Sec., Librarian and Prof. of Law, Howard Univ. Sch. of Law, Washington, D. C., 1921-present; auth. "Shame of Duluth," Sept. 23, 1920; mem. Tau Delta Sigma (Hon.); Mu-Sol-Lit; N.A.A.C.P.; Council and Patriarchy of G. U.O.O.F.; Pol. Republican; Address, 420 5th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.; Legal Res., Hyattsville, Md.; Washington Address, 1604 Vermont Ave., N. W.

WATERS, STEPHEN H.—Assistant Librarian.

b. Aug. 14, 1860, Paris, Ky.; s. Jacob and Julia Waters; m. Minnie M. Moore, June 29, 1899;

educ. Pub. Sch., Lebanon, O.; Wilberforce Univ.; Messenger for Lebanon Nat. Bank; in Law Office, six years; Crier, Circuit Court of Appeals and Personal Messenger for Hon. William H. Taft, nine years; Notary Public; appointed Assistant Librarian, 1900-present; mem. Trustee, Allen Temple, A.M.E. Ch.; Board of Trustees, Colored Orphan Asylum; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, 2813 Lincoln Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.

WATERS, WILHELMINA PURNELL — Teacher.

b. Mar. 4, 1886, Glasgow, Del.; d. Joseph and Sarah (Irons) Purnell; m. William Elda Waters, June 8, 1910; one child, Heisler van Arsdale; b. Sept. 21, 1911; educ. Howard High Sch., Wilmington, Del., 1903; Wilmington Teachers Training Sch., 1905; Dover State Coll., Dover, Del.; studied Music in Brooklyn, N. Y.; Teacher, Pub. Sch., Maryland, Del., 1923-25; Teacher, Pub. Schs., Felton, Del., 1926-present; Teacher, Bible History, Baltimore Academy of the Seventh Day Adventist Ch., 1917-23; mem. Phyllis Wheatley Club, Dover, Del.; Delaware State Teachers Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Seventh Day Adventist; Address, Berrytown Lane, Felton, Del.

She graduated as Valedictorian, Howard High School, Wilmington, Del., in 1903, with a record attendance and scholarship. She excelled in Penmanship, being taken by the Principal to demonstrate vertical writing in many of the Wilmington Schools. She taught school in a struggling Church School at \$1 per day so she might help to keep it going until it gained recognition.

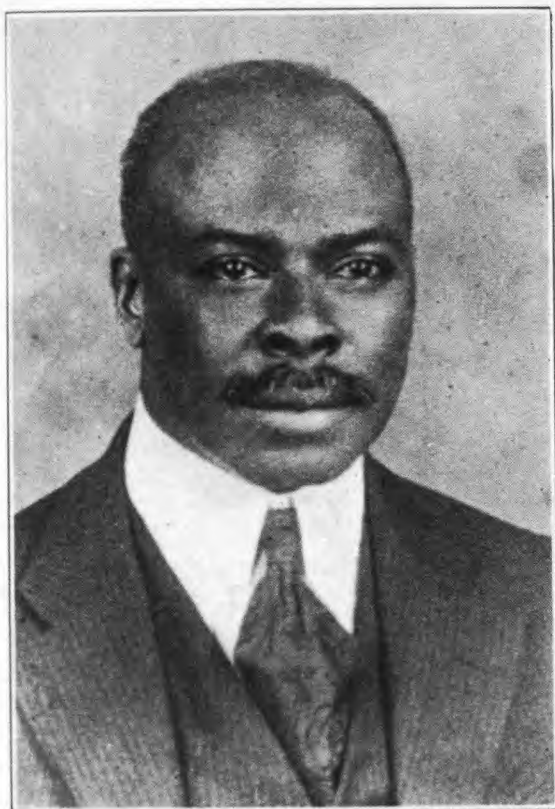
She sang at Dover State College in a double quartette, and gave recitals at Milford, Del., assisting Mrs. Bessie Conway Polk, of Washington, D. C. With many difficulties she has succeeded in gaining State wide recognition as a Community Leader and interpreter of Negro Spirituals and Poetry.

WATERS, WILLIAM JOSEPH—Physician.

b. Jan. 4, 1880, Houna, La.; s. Harry and Mary (Price) Waters; m. Mattie E. Woodward, Sept. 1, 1914; educ. Straight Coll., New Orleans, La., 1903; Ph.G., Highland Park Coll., of Phar., Des Moines, Iowa; M.D., Loyola Univ. Med. Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1914; Externe, St. Mary's Hosp., Chicago, Ill., 1915; Physician, 1914-present; Clinical Staff, Post Graduate Hosp., Chicago, Ill., 1917-18; Post Graduate, Cook Co., Hosp., Chicago, Ill., 1928-30; Health Dept., Chicago, Ill., 1916, 1920, 1923; Medical Examiner, St. Monica Catholic Order of Forrester's; Medical Examiner, Augustine Tolton Court, Catholic Order of Forrester's; Medical Examiner, Ladies Catholic Benevolent Assn.; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Chicago Med. Soc.; N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Pol. Republican; Relig. Catholic; Address, 302 E. 51st St.; Residence, 6500 St. Lawrence Ave., Chicago, Ill.

WATSON, EDGAR BENTON—Clergyman.

b. Feb. 7, 1874, Chatham Co., N. C.; s. Louis and Nanie (Rieves) Watson; m. Margaret Morrow, June 22, 1911; one child, Edgar Morris, b. Feb.



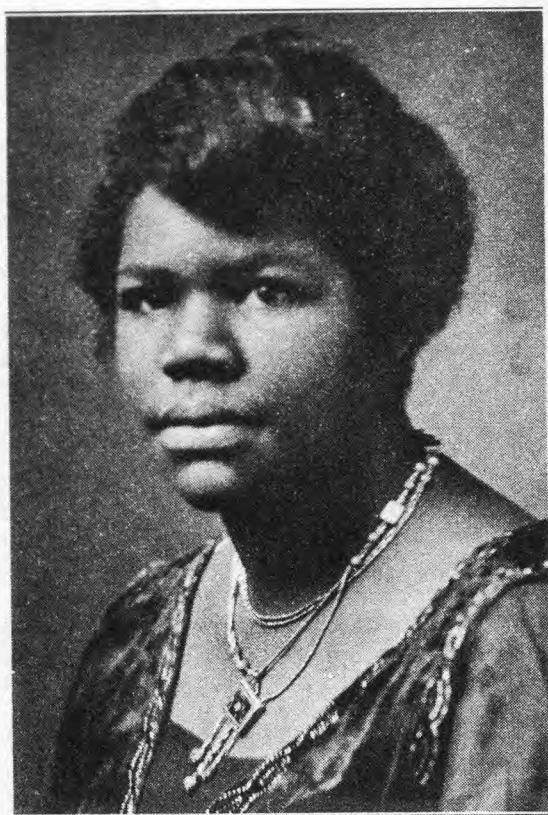
REV. GEORGE WASHINGTON, B.S.



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WILHELMINA PURNELL WATERS

25, 1913; educ. Hamilton High Sch., Carthage, N. C.; A. and T. Coll., Greensboro, N. C.; A.B., Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1911; B.D., 1915; D.D. (Honorary), 1918; Clergyman, 1907-present; Pastor, Mt. Pleasant Circuit, 1907-11; Pastor, Norwood Station, Norwood, N. C., 1911-13; Pastor, Zion Hill Church, Concord, N. C., 1913-16; Pastor, Trinity Zion Church, Greensboro, N. C., 1916-20; Pastor, Metropolitan A.M. E. Zion Church, Washington, D. C., 1924-29; Pastor, Metropolitan Church, Birmingham, Ala., 1929-32; Oak Street Church, Petersburg, Va., 1932-present; mem. Elks; Masons; Odd Fellows; Delegate, General Conference, 1916-present; N. A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, 27 Oak St., Petersburg, Va.

WATSON, JAMES S.—Municipal Court Judge.

b. May 29, 1882, Jamaica, B.W.I.; m. Violet Mae Lopez, 1917; four children, Barbara M.; Douglass C.; James L.; Grace E.; educ. High Sch. and Preparatory Sch., Jamaica, B.W.I.; LL.B., New York City Coll., 1913; Lawyer, 1914-present; ex-Chief of Dept. of Corporation, Tax and Contract Divisions, House, Gressman and Vorhaus, New York City, N. Y.; Special Asst. Corporation Counsel, New York City, 1922-30; Municipal Court Judge, City of New York, 1931-present; Pol. Democrat; Address 117 W. 120th St., New York City, N. Y.

WATTS, A. ALFRED—Clergyman.

b. May 4, 1897, Portsmouth, Va.; s. John Henry and Annie May (Elliott) Watts; m. Estelle P. Howell, June 15, 1927; educ. Pub. Sch., Portsmouth, Va.; Temple Univ., 2 years; B. A., Va. Union Univ., 1924; Bloomfield Sem., Bloomfield, N. J.; B.D., Drew Univ., Madison, N. J., 1929; M.A., 1930; Clergyman, 1922-present; Pastor, Second Baptist Ch., Newport News, Va., 1922-26; Pastor, First Calvary Baptist Ch., Paterson, N. J., 1926-present; mem. Charter mem., Lambda Chapter, Phi Beta Sigma; Elks; Masons; N.A.A.C.P.; Address, 5371 Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

WATTS, JOHN EDWARD—Dentist.

b. Feb. 24, 1896, Columbia, S. C.; s. John and Rachel (Kenley) Watts; educ. Howard Univ., Academic, 1913-15; Dental, 1915-18; D.D.S., Howard Univ., 1918; practice of Dentistry, 1918-present; mem. Elks; Masons; Palmetto State Med. Assn.; Congaree Med. Soc. (local) and Vice-President, Palmetto State Med. Assn.; Relig. C.M.E. Ch.; Address, 1109½ Washington St.; Residence, 1914 Pulaski St., Columbia, S. C.

WEATHERLESS, NELSON ELLISMERE — Educator.

b. In Bedford Co., Va.; s. Jeremiah and Mariah (Woodson) Weatherless; m. Ellen Brown, July 19, 1894; two children, Ellis Brown, b. April 22, 1895; Ruth Ellen, b. April 22, 1895; educ. Knoxville Coll., Knoxville, Tenn., 1883-84; Howard Univ., 1889-98; A.B., 1893; LL.B., 1896; LL.M., 1898; Rochester Athenaeum and Mechanics Inst., Rochester, N. Y., 1900; Certificate, Rochester A. & M. Inst., 1900; Columbia Univ., 1910-11; M.A., 1911; Teacher, Prin., Graded Sch., Salem, Va., 1885-89; Journalist, Washington, D. C., 1894-98; Teacher, High Sch., Washington, D. C., 1900-05; Head of the Science Dept., Public Sch., Washington, D. C., 1906-present; Member and Secretary of Board of Examiners, Public Sch., Washington, D. C., 1916-24; Editor and

Publisher of the Washington Pilot, for four yrs.; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Nat. Educational Assn.; Teachers Council; Masons; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, Dunbar High Sch.; Residence, 420 T St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

Graduating from the Liberty High School at the early age of 14, young Weatherless taught in the rural schools of Bedford County, Virginia, for several years, then entered Knoxville College, Tenn., and graduated in 1884. In this same year he was appointed through competitive examination principal of the Salem Graded Schools of Salem, Virginia, where he remained for four years, leaving there in 1889 to enter Howard University.

During the principalship of the Graded Schools of Salem, Virginia, he organized and developed to county-wide proportions the Emancipation Club of Roanoke County.

While a student at Howard University, he won the Kelly Miller Gold Medal for the highest average for four years in mathematics, the Robert B. Warder Prize for the highest average in Physics, and the Kenaston Prize for excellence in Greek.

He was an active worker in the Masonic Order, serving for seven years as Grand Master of Masons in Washington, D. C., and, as Financial Secretary and General Manager of the Order, bought and paid for property in Washington, D. C., now worth over a half million dollars which property includes the site of the new Masonic Temple at the corner of 10th and U Sts., N.W., Washington, D. C.

WEBSTER, CLARA E.—Evangelist.

b. May 18, 1886, Memphis, Tenn.; d. Douglass and Ann Elliott; m. William Webster, June 30, 1909; one child, Anna Elizabeth Webster, b. Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 12, 1916; educ. Pub. Schs., Memphis, Tenn.; LeMoyne Inst., 1906; teacher, Memphis, Tenn., Pub. Schs., 1906-09; Gary, Ind., Pub. Schs.; Pres., Parent-Teachers Assn., Pulaski Center, two years; Nat. Chr. of Citizenship of N.A.C.W.; Township Investigator in office of Township Trustee, 1923, and again appointed in 1930; Juvenile Officer, Gary, Ind., 1927-30; Welfare Investigator, Gary, Ind.; financier and a Trustee of St. James A.M.E. Church; mem. Grand Temple, N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 753 W. 25th Ave., Gary, Ind.

In 1928 she was the instigator and built a \$30,000 new Church in Gary, Ind., known as St. James A.M.E. Church. She served three years as National Grand Chaplain, and eight years as State Daughter Ruler, Elks, of Indiana.

WEAVER, EDWIN EARL — President, Vocational School.

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WEAVER, SEYMOUR MARCUS, JR.—Clergyman—School Principal.

b. Jan. 6, 1901, Whiteplains, Taliferro Co., Ga.; s. Seymour and Mattie (Hillsman) Weaver; m. Minnie Glenn, Aug. 18, 1928; educ. High Sch.; Union Baptist Inst., Athens, Ga., 1925; Th.B., Morehouse Coll., Atlanta, Ga., 1928; A.B., Morehouse Coll., 1929; Principal, Cabin Creek High Sch., Griffin, Ga., 1930-present; Pastor, Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, Newnan, Ga., 1928; Organized, Negro Business League, Gainesville Branch; Organized, Community Chest for Poor People, in co-operation with the City of Gainesville; Organized, Young Men's Glee Club, Boy's Scouts; Prof., of English, Union Baptist Inst., 1930; Relig. Baptist; Address, Cabin Creek High School; Residence, 560 N. 6th St., Griffin, Ga.

WEBB, GEORGE ARTHUR—Teacher—Organist.

b. Mar. 24, 1893, Newark, N. J.; s. Moses and Alice Webb; m. Mary Lee Ruffin, April 12, 1930; educ. Barringer High Sch., Newark, N. J., 1909-13; Va. N. & I. Inst., Petersburg, Va., 1914-15; Columbia Univ. (summer), 1923; Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1922-26; A.B., Va. Union Univ., 1926; Teacher, Pub. Sch., 1915-23; Executive Sec., Norfolk Community Center, for two years; Organist, Queen St. Baptist Ch., Norfolk, Va., for 4 years; Sec. to Pres., Jas. B. Dudley, A. and T. Coll., Greensboro, N. C., for 1 year; Registrar, Va. Union Univ., 1924-26; taught Chesterfield Co., Va.; Portsmouth Pub. Sch.; Emergency Substitute Teacher, Booker T. Washington High Sch., Norfolk, Va.; Organist, Hopewell Baptist Ch., Newark, N. J., 1926-1927; Teacher, English and Cotton Blossom Singing, Manager, Piney Woods, Miss., 1928-1933; mem. Omega Psi Phi; Elks; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Roman Catholic; Address, 17 Howard St., Newark, N. J.

WEBB, JAMES RIXSON—High School Principal.

b. Jan. 1, 1893, Centerville, Md.; s. Rev. William Martin and Mary Elizabeth (Newman) Webb; m. Ruth E. Moore, Aug., 1918; two children, James R. Jr., b. May 7, 1919; Nah Martin, b. Nov. 17, 1921; educ. Margan College Acad., 1912-16; A.B., Magan Coll., Baltimore, Md., 1916; A.M., Oskaloosa College, Oskaloosa, Iowa, 1922; Columbia Coll., New York City, Secondary Education, summer sessions, 1930, 1934; Sergt and Company Clerk, 811 Pioneer Infantry, France, 1918-19; Principal, High Sch., Easton, Md., 1922-23; taught extension course given for teachers, Carolina Co., Md., six weeks; Coach and Science Teacher, Attucks High Sch., Carbondale, Ill., 1923-24; Principal, High Sch., Crisfield, Md., 1924-27; Principal, Paul Laurence Dunbar High Sch., Laurel, Del. 1927-present; Pres., Community Welfare Assn.; Pres., Sussex Co., Teachers Assn., 1931-33; Pres., Delaware State Colored Teachers' Assn., 1932-34; mem. Phi Beta Sigma; Mason; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 701 Elm St., Laurel, Del.; Residence, Madison, N. J.

His father died when he was four years old and he was sent to his grandparents on a farm. His schooling was only part time, and he reached the fifth grade. At the age of 19 he again returned to school and later to college to prepare himself for the work he desired to pursue. While in France he taught night school to a group of soldiers.

Mr. Webb was appointed by the governor as

a member of the Tubercular Board of the McRae Memorial Sanatorium, and Chairman of the Advisory Board of the State Board of Education. He is a member of the Executive Committee of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ of America, a Member-at-large of the National Council of Boy Scouts of America. Grand Minister of State of the United Supreme Council of 33rd, and last degree in Masonry (Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rites), and Deputy of the Imperial Council, A. E. A. O. of Nobles of Mystic Shrine of North and South America.

WEBB, JOHN LEE—Insurance.

b. Sept. 17, 1877, Tuskegee, Ala.; s. Rev. B. L. and Carrie (Lockwood) Webb; m. Carrie Branson, Feb. 14, 1905; one child, Emma Elsie Webb Markoe, educ. Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala.; LL.D. (Honorary), Wilberforce University, 1932; LL.D. (Honorary) Ark. Baptist College, 1928; Contractor and Builder, Clarksdale, Yazoo City and Phillips, Miss., the latter Town built almost entirely by him; Grand Lecturer, Masons of Miss., 1912; Active Inspector General, United Supreme Council, Masons; Supreme Custodian, Woodman of Union, which order is permitted to do business in 18 States, District of Columbia and Cuba; President and Treasurer, Century Life Insurance Co., Hot Springs, Ark.; Investigator, Negro Boy's Industrial Sch., of Arkansas; ex-pres., Negro Insurance Men's Assn.; Pres., National Baptist Laymen's Convention; Pres., Ark., Baptist State Laymen's Convention; Pres., Negro Business League of Arkansas; First Vice Pres., National Negro Business League; Grand Master, M. W. Stringer Grand Lodge Masons of Miss., 1932-present; Treas., Tuskegee National Alumni Assn.; Chairman, Trustee Board and Board of Finance, and Supt., Sunday School Roanoke Baptist Church, Hot Springs, Ark.; Volunteered in Spanish-American War, 2d Div., Third Ala. Regiment, serving 12 months; Director, Universal Life Ins. Co.; Member-at-Large, National Council, Boy Scouts of America; Past mem. Executive Committee, Federal Council of Churches of Christ of America; mem. Baptist World's Alliance; Past Chairman, Grievance Committee and Shrine Commission, Elks; Grand Master, State of United Supreme Council, A. A. S. R., whose Grand Sec. is Washington, D. C.; Grand Imperial Potentate, A. A. E. O. of N., Mystic Shrine; mem. Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; mem. State Executive Committee, Republican Party of Arkansas; mem. Congressional Executive Committee, Fifth Arkansas District; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Box 556; Residence, 703 Pleasant St., Hot Springs, Ark.

He traveled extensively in Europe visiting 14 Countries. He also has been in all States in the United States and Cuba.

He contributed \$500 to get the Boy's Reform School passed as a law in the State of Arkansas, and which is now being maintained by the State. He also contributed \$1000 to aid in getting the Tubercular Sanatorium established in the State of Arkansas. He asked Senator Dice, of Helena, Ark., to go with him to Chicago where the two obtained from the Rosenwald Fund, through



NELSON F. WEATHERLESS, LL.B., LL.M., M.A.



ABEL E. WEST, M.D.



SEYMOUR MARCUS WEAVER, JR., A.B., B.Th.



GEORGE A. WEBB, A.B.

Dr. Davis, \$8000 plus, and which amount made up the deficit to put up the first unit. This institution is now valued at more than \$100,000. He was named one of the first members of the Board of Control.

WEBSTER, CHARLES ANDREW—Physician.
— See 3rd Edition.

Died.

WELCOME, MRS. JENNIE LOUISE —
Teacher.

b. Jan. 10, 1885, New York, N. Y.; d. John and Susan (Brister) Van Durzee; m. Ernest Welcome, Jan. 10, 1910; educ. Lenox High Sch., Lenox, Mass.; Private Instruction in Art and Music, Pittsfield, Mass.; Teacher, Piano; Prop., Photographic Studio, New York, N. Y., 1910-11; engaged in teaching music, painting and real estate business, Jamaica, L. I., 1911-17; Address, 220 New York Ave., Jamaica, L. I.

WELLS, ARTHUR JAMES—Dentist.

b. May 16, 1888, Norfolk, Va.; s. James F. and Fannie (Reed) Wells; m. Susie Weeden, Nov. 12, 1921; three children, Juanita Elizabeth, b. Sept. 21, 1922; Geneva R., b. May 19, 1924; Arthur, Jr., b. Dec. 26, 1926; educ. Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1914; Ferris Inst., Big Rapids, Mich., 1916; D.D.S., Northwestern Univ., Chicago, Ill., 1919; Dentist, 1919-present; Pres., David King Bible Class; mem. Oriole Club; Norfolk Med., Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Old Dominion Dental Assn.; Inter-State Dental Assn.; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1008 Church St.; Residence, 916 South St., Norfolk, Va.

WELLS, EVA THORNTON—Social Worker.

b. Galesburg, Ill.; d. Charles J. and Virginia M. (Harding) Wilson; m. William E. Thornton (deceased), Aug. 21, 1890; second marriage, J. Newton Wells, June 22, 1915; one child, William F. Thornton, b. Jan. 31, 1901; educ. Mrs. Pease's Sch. for Girls, Mexico, Mo.; Harding Coll., Mexico, Mo.; Knoxville Coll., Galesburg, Ill.; Lewis Inst., Chicago, Ill.; Univ. of Chicago; Teacher, Pub. Sch., Columbia, Mo., 5 years; mem. Duel Commission, 2d Ward, and Council National Defense, Food Administration, Food Conservation Committee, during World War; Volunteer Social Worker, 1900-present; Chairman, Woman's City Club, 2d, 3rd and 4th Wards, Chicago, Ill., 12 years; Chairman, School Committee, Chicago and Northern District, Assn. of Colored Women's Clubs, 5 years; Historian, State Assn. of Colored Women's Clubs, 2 years; Chairman of Women, Industry, Central Section, National Assn. of Colored Women; mem. Mayor Dever's Recreation Committee; League of Women Voters; K. of P.; Eastern and Western Hemisphere; Pol. Republican; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 3207 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

She was appointed the Chairman of the Constitutional Committee of the Illinois State Assn. of Colored Women and she wrote the newly adopted constitution for that association.

She is using her best efforts to have the

Board of Education in the City of Chicago adopt histories in the school system which will show that there are many men and women of the Race who have achieved distinction, rather than just a few.

WELLS, JAMES LESENE—Teacher of Art.

b. Nov. 2, 1903, Atlanta, Ga.; s. Dr. F.W. and Hartensia Ruth (Lesesne) Wells; educ. Florida Industrial and Collegiate Inst., St. Augustine, Fla.; Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa., 1924; B. S., Teachers' Coll., Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., 1927; National Acad. of Design, New York City, N. Y.; Antiquer and Designer, Venetian Art Screen Co., New York City; Teacher in Art, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1929-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, Howard University; Residence, 1333 R St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

At the age of thirteen he won a first prize in Art at the Florida State Fair, Jacksonville, Fla. His Woodcuts have appeared in many Magazines: The Golden Book, The Dial, Opportunity, The Crisis, The Survey, Towns Tidings, and Journal of Political and Social Science. His Paintings and Woodcuts have been exhibited with the Mahorning Society of Painters; The Butler Art Museum, The Salons of America, Anderson Gallery, New York City; the Traveling Exhibition of the College Art Association, which exhibited at Princeton University. He decorated one Book, "Plays and Pageants", from the life of the Negro. Designed covers for several books.

The Harmon Foundation awarded him the 1931 Gold Medal and Four Hundred Dollars Honorarium, for distinguished Achievement in Art among Negroes.

WELLS, WILLIAM ALBERT, JR.—Physician.

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Head of Dept. of History, 1921-present; all at Howard Univ.; Pastor of Ebenezer and Campbell A.M.E. Church, Washington, D. C.; auth. "The Collapse of the Confederacy," Howard Univ. Press, 1922; "A Student's Manual of European History," Hamilton Printing Co., 1923; "Negro Labor in the United States, 1850-1923," Thesis, in Manuscript, Harvard Ph.D. Harvard University Library, Cambridge, Mass.; "The Problems of Sources and Methods in History Teaching," The School Review, May, 1916; "The Teacher's Point of View in the Study and Teaching of History," Education, April, 1914; "The Struggle of Haiti and Liberia for Recognition," The Journal of Negro History, Oct., 1917; "Lincoln's Plan for Colonizing the Emancipated Negroes," The Journal of Negro History, Jan., 1919; "The Employment of Negroes as Soldiers in the Confederate Army," The Journal of Negro History, July, 1919; "Henry O. Tanner—An Appreciation," Howard University Record, May, 1920; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Alpha Phi Alpha President of Mu Lambda Chapter, 1926; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, 731 Fairmont St., W., Washington, D. C.

He was awarded a University Scholarship at Yale for the years 1911-13, and the Austin Teacher's Scholarship at Harvard University 1920-21.

During the World War he was Educational Secretary, Y.M.C.A., at Camp Meade, Md., 1918, and Secretary for Overseas Work, International Committee, Y.M.C.A., 1919.

WEST, ABEL E.—Physician.

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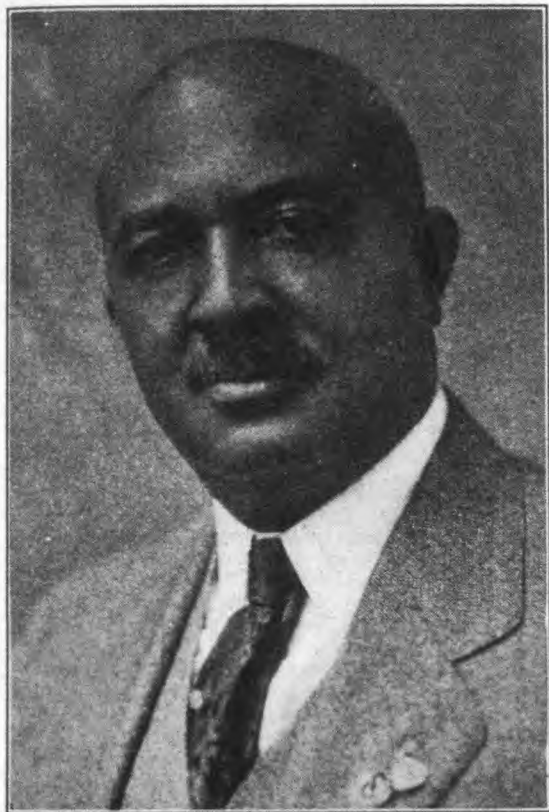
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She was awarded the prize of a free trip to Europe by the Boston Brown Book Magazine, but accepted the cash equivalent instead. In July, 1931, she went on a study tour visiting England, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Finland, Russia, Poland, Germany, Austria, Italy, Switzerland, France and Belgium.

She was selected to appraise President Herbert Hoover of the actual conditions which prevailed in Haiti and which resulted in real action being taken.

In 1923 she was unanimously elected first president of the Baltimore Federation of Col-



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ored Parent-Teacher Clubs, which is one of the largest organizations in Baltimore with a membership of over 10,000. She was the direct cause of getting the white Parent-Teachers Association and the Colored Parent-Teachers Association to attend the Teachers Training School.

WHEATLAND, MARCUS FITZHERBERT — Physician.

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WHEELER, F. W.—School Principal.

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Freestone County Training School, which is a Rosenwald school, operates a farm, broom plant, canning plant, a shop, and printing plant, where the Southern Opportunity, the official organ of the school is printed.

WHEELER, LEON CHANDLER — Social Worker.

b. Dec. 31, 1898, Plainfield, Ind.; s. Eillam and Mude (Kelley) Wheeler; m. Ada Haskins, Jan. 2, 1920; three children, Mary Ellen; William; Leon Chandler, Jr.; educ. Shortridge High Sch., Indianapolis, Ind., 1917; Detroit City Coll., 1920; Univ. of Mich., Ann Arbor, Mich., 1921; Social Worker, 1921-present; Director, Central Community Center, Detroit, Mich., 1929-present; Director, High Street Recreation Center, 1927-29; Director, Athletics and Recreation, Lincoln Sch., 1921-27; Specializes, Physical Culture and Social Work; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 637 Brewster St.; Residence, 3867 McArthur St., Detroit, Mich.

The Central Community Center, of which he is the Director, is a free Recreation Center and built and equipped by the City of Detroit at a cost of approximately \$500,000. It provides a swimming pool, gymnasium, auditorium, stage, boys' playroom, handcraft room, club rooms,

banquet hall, men's club room, radio, shower baths, locker room, boxers' gymnasium, shooting range, public library branch.

WHIBBY, W. LEE—School Principal.

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In 1906, Mr. White went abroad for further study and became the private pupil of M. Zacharewitsch, the famous Russian Violinist, and also a pupil in composition of the late Coleridge-Taylor. During his stay in London he was first Violinist of the "String Players Club," said to be the finest string orchestra in Europe. After three years abroad, Mr. White returned to America and located in Boston where he divided his time between teaching, concert work and composition.

Mr. White was for seven years Conductor of the Victorian Concert Orchestra (63 members) of Boston, Mass. At present he is Director of Music at the West Virginia Institute, Institute, W. Va.

On August 18, 1916, he personally conducted the Goldman Concert Band in its concert at New York University campus in a rendition of his recent composition, "Bandanna Sketches," which Mr. Goldman has included in the season's program.

WHITE, DAVID D. McKINLEY — Lawyer-Public Accountant.

b. Jan. 31, 1901, Winston-Salem, N. C.; s. David and Sallie (Mathews) White; m. Mabel S. Clark, Sept. 19, 1926; educ. Commerce High Sch., Columbus, Ohio, 1919; Ohio State Univ., Columbus, O., 1923; B.S., Columbus Coll. of Commerce, 1926; LL.B., College of Law, Columbus, O., 1931; Lawyer, 1931-present; Issuing Deputy, Municipal Court, Columbus, O., 1926-present; Accountant, 1929-present; Treas. and Auditor, Douglass Loan and Finance Co., 1925-present; Treas., Delta Kappa Sigma, 1928-present; Trustee, Centenary M. E. Church, 1930-present; Trustee, Old Folks Home, 1933-present; mem. Masons; Delta Kappa Sigma; Kappa Alpha Psi; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 421/2 Mariage Av.; Residence, 1482 Hildreth Ave., Columbus, O.

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b. Dec. 31, 1897, Asheville, N. C.; s. Herbert and Mattie (Hogans) White; educ. Bennett Coll., 1910-14; Howard Univ., 1914-23; M.D., Meharry, 1927; mem. Chi Delta Mu; Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; Elks; Relig. M.E.; Address, 24½ S. Market St.; Residence, 306 Charlotte St., Asheville, N. C.

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b. May 20, 1876, Fredericksburg, Va.; s. Richard and Elizabeth (Beasley) White; m. Katrine Nelson, Apr. 11, 1918; two children, Herndon, b. Oct. 11, 1922; Katrine, b. Mar. 21, 1925; educ. Hampton Nor., 1890; A.M., Livingstone Coll., 1899; M.D., Coll., Physicians and Surgeons, Boston, Mass., 1907; Physician, 1908-present; Prop. and Owner, White's Maternity Hosp.; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Wayland Med. Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Ancient Order of Moses; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 1344 Druid Hill Ave., Baltimore, Md.

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Thompson, Sparta and Conyers, Ga.; News Ferry, Va.; Lane Memorial Chapel, Washington, D. C.; appointed Presiding Elder, Philadelphia and New Jersey District, 1904; Pastored in Avondale, Pa.; Westchester, Pa.; Eastern Maryland; Shippensburg, Pa.; Newark, N. J.; Camden, N. J.; Big Zion, Mobile, Ala.; Pastor, Centennial A.M.E. Zion Ch., Mount Vernon, N. Y.; Member of Special Commission appointed by the mayor of Camden, N. J.; Organized, The Independent Citizens League; Frederick Douglass Bldg., Loan Assn.; Pres., same, 4 years; mem. Elks; Masons, No. 1 Rising Sun Lodge, Camden, N. J.; Pol. Independent Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, 316 S. 8th Ave., Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

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b. Dec. 24, 1870, Nashville, Tenn.; s. Charles H. and Carrie (Richardson) White; m. Helen Brown, July 2, 1902; educ. A.B., Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1894; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1897; Interne, Provident Hosp., Chicago, Ill., 1897-98; Physician, 1898-present; Chief Gynologynae Staff, Provident Hosp., Chicago, Ill., 1929-present; Major, Med. Corp., U. S. Army, serving in France 11 months during the World War, receiving the Croix de Guerre for meritorious service; mem. National Med. Assn.; Cook Co. Physicians Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Christian; Address, 5459 S. Michigan Ave.; Residence, 5358 S. Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.

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WHITEMAN, NEVILLE C.—Physician.

b. Mar. 10, 1899, St. Georges Grenada, B.W.I.; s. Felix Palmer and Evangeline Justina (Robertson) Whiteman; educ. St. Georges Anglican Sch., Grenada; Boys Secondary Sch., Grenada; Townsend Harris Hall, New York City, 1914-17; College of the City of New York, 1917-21; B.S., College of the City of New York, 1921; University and Bellevue Hospital Medical Coll., New York City, 1921-25; M.D., New York Univ., New York City, 1925; Physician, 1925-present; Asst. Physician, Out Patient Dept., Harlem Hospital, New York City, 1926-30; Physician and Chief of Medical Clinic, Harlem Hospital, 1930-present; Adjunct Asst. Visiting Haematologist, Harlem Hospital, 1930; Adjunct Asst. Visiting Physician, Harlem Hospital, 1930; Asst. Visiting Physician, Harlem Hospital, 1930-present; Fellow, American Medical Assn.; mem. New York State Soc.; New York County Medical Society; North Harlem Medical Society; Manhattan Medical Soc.; Cosmopolitan Medical Soc.; Brouers: Y.M.C.A.; Grenada Mutual Assn.; Odd Fellows; Masons; Fisherman; Eastern Star; Pres. and Chairman of Board of Directors, Cosmopolitan Tennis Club; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 264 West 136th St., New York City, N. Y.

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26; Vice-President, Colored Republican Club, Waterbury, Conn.; Delegate to Republican State Convention, 1926; Address, Waterbury, Conn.

WHYTE, GEORGE SUMNER—School Principal.

b. Oct. 11, 1886, Baltimore, Md.; s. William H. and Annie M. (Johnson) Whyte; m. Violet F. Hill, Nov. 27, 1916; four children, Grafton Sumner, b. Feb. 12, 1919; Grace Margaret, b. July 13, 1923; Esther Catherine, b. June 12, 1925; William Peck, b. Mar. 4, 1928; educ. Baltimore High Sch., 1903; Coppin Normal Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1906; Morgan Coll., Baltimore, Md.; Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y.; Principal, Pub. Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1923-present; District Supt., A.M.E. Sunday Sch., Baltimore and Vicinity, 1925-present; Clerk, Marine Division, United States Custom Service, Baltimore, Md., 1910-20; Director, Y.M.C.A.; mem. National Education Assn.; Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; Maryland State Teachers Assn.; City Wide Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, School No. 105, East St.; Residence, 663 George St., Baltimore, Md.

WHYTE, VIOLET HILL—Social Worker.

b. Nov. 18, 1894, Washington, D. C.; d. Rev. Daniel G. and Margaret P. (Peck) Hill; m. Geo. Sumner Whyte, Nov. 27, 1916; four children, Grafton Sumner; Grace Margaret; Esther Catherine; William Peck; educ. Senior High Sch., Baltimore, Md.; Teacher Coll., Baltimore, Md.; Extension Courses, Social Service, Child Welfare, Temperance Education, Religious Education; Teacher, Pub. Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1911-15; Teacher, Pub. Sch., Frederick, Md., 1915-17; Field Worker, National W.C.T.U., 1917-30; Nat. Director, W.C.T.U., 1930-present; mem. Baltimore Civic League; Maryland Assn. of Colored Women; Maryland W.C.T.U.; Y.W.C.A.; Maryland A.M.E. Sunday Schools; Baltimore Council Religious Education; Matinee Ensemble; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, National W.C.T.U., 1730 Chicago Ave., Evanston, Ill.; Residence, 663 George St., Baltimore, Md.

WIBECAN, GEORGE EDWIN — Post Office Clerk-Fraternal Man.

b. Brooklyn, N. Y.; s. George E. and Katherine C. (Lawrence) Wibecan; m. Mabel L. Buckley, June 7, 1899; four children, George Edwin, Jr.; Kenneth B.; Mildred B.; Eleanor L.; educ. Pub. Sch., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Columbia Coll. Law Sch.; Studied in Leipzig, Germany; Foreman, Inquiry Dept., Brooklyn Post Office, forty years; Past Grand Trustee and Past Grand Exalted Ruler, Elks; Pres., Citizens Club; Chairman, Frederick Douglass Community Center and Forum Librarian of the Negro Library of America; Chairman, Federation of Colored Organizations of Brooklyn and Long Island, made up of 75 civic, political and religious organizations; mem. (Honorary) Sons of North Carolina; Charter member of First Advisory Committee of N.A.A.C.P.; League of Home Rule for India; Ethna Carberer Branch of the League of Friends of Irish Freedom; founder and first president of the Kings County Republican Organization; Pol. Republican; Relig. Catholic; Address, Post Office, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Residence, 434 Pulaski St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

WIGGINS, DALLAS B.—Physician.

b. Sept. 26, 1885, Andersonville, Ga.; s. Randall and Hannah (Furge) Wiggins; m. Rosa Lee Irvin, June 11, 1916; three children, Dallas, b. July 28, 1917; Ruth, b. June 21, 1919; Rosa, b. Dec. 4, 1923; educ. Ballard Normal Sch., Macon, Ga.; Atlanta Univ.; Shorter Coll., Little Rock, Ark.; Howard Univ.; M.D., Temple Univ., Phila., Pa., 1913; Physician, 1913-present; Interne Mercy Hosp. and on Staff; formerly on staff, Jefferson Hosp., chest and heart dept.; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; State Med. Soc.; Knights of Pythias; American Woodmen; Alpha Phi Alpha; Chi Delta Mu; Professional Club; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Congregational; Address, 1309 N. 15th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

WIGGINS, ULYSSES SIMPSON—Physician.

b. Nov. 7, 1897, Andersonville, Ga.; s. Randall and Hannah (Furge) Wiggins; educ. Americus Inst., 1914; A.B., Lincoln Univ., 1918; M.D., Univ. of Michigan, 1924; Interne, Mercy Hosp., 1925; Physician, 1925-present; mem. Nat. Med. Assn.; Masons; Elks; Woodmen; Alpha Phi Alpha, Chi Delta; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 239 N. Mt Vernon Ave., Camden, N. J.

WILBUN, MATTHEW M. — Clergyman-School Principal.

b. Dec. 5, 1880, Falcon, Ark.; s. Boston and Mattie (Pearson) Wilbun; m. Claudia Shepperson, Oct. 8, 1911; five children, Mildred D., b. July 19, 1913; Charles A., b. Dec. 24, 1917; Marcus, b. Feb. 8, 1921; Shepperson, b. Oct. 14, 1924; Claud Joy, b. July 31, 1928; educ. Haygood Seminary, 1901; Lane Coll., Jackson, Tenn., 1906-07; B.A., Paine Coll., Augusta, Ga., 1909; B.D., 1910; Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., 1925; Northwestern Univ., Summer, 1927-29; Principal, Haygood Sem., Washington, Ark., 1910-14; Principal, Hickory Street High Sch., North Little Rock, Ark.; Sec., Y.M.C.A.; Sec., Camp Pike, 1918-19; Prof. of Mathematics, Philander Smith Coll., 1919-22; Principal, Eliza Miller High Sch., 1922-present; Sunday Sch. Supt., Hodges M. E. Ch.; mem. Lincoln Club; Southwest Conference M. E. Ch.; Arkansas Teachers' Assn.; Phillips Co. Teachers' Assn.; National Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schools; Music Club; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. M. E. Ch.; Address, Eliza Miller High School; Residence, 1015 College St., Helena, Ark.

WILKINS, JAY W.—Highway Construction Engineer.

b. Dec. 31, 1883, Houston, Tex.; s. (Dr.) John H. and Cornelia (Hayden) Wilkins; m. Myrtle S. Douglass, Jan. 27, 1909; one child, John W., b. Oct. 7, 1909; educ. Houston Grade Schs.; New York Evening High Sch.; Morrison Sanitarium; Meharry Med. Coll.; Highway Construction Engineer; mem. Odd Fellows; Knights of Pythias; United Order of Good Shepherd; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 331 John St., Cincinnati, O.; Residence, Box 44 Mt. Healthy, O.

Through his influence the old Ninth Battalion, Ohio National Guard, was re-organized in April, 1924. He organized the Cincinnati Company, now Co. G, 372nd Infantry and was appointed Captain.



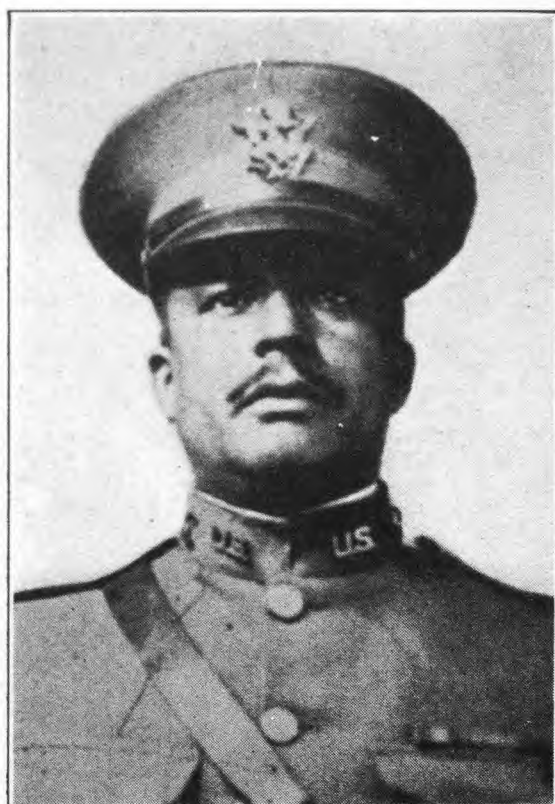
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JAY W. WILKINS

Was appointed by Governor Donahey as the first colored foreman in the State Highway Department.

Was instrumental in having colored policemen appointed to the Cincinnati police force after a period of seventeen years and through his activity colored employees on public works are drawing more than \$100,000 annually.

WILKINSON, FREDERICK DOUGLASS — University Registrar.

b. Nov. 22, 1890, Charleston, S. C.; s. James W. and Grace A. Wilkinson; m. Maggie I. Welborne, June 15, 1910; three children, Doris Evelyn, b. June 30, 1911; Grace Welbourne, b. May 5, 1914; Frederick Douglass, Jr., b. Jan. 4, 1921; educ. Howard Law Sch., 1922-24; LL.B., Howard, 1924; Registrar, Howard Univ., 1920-present; mem. Masons (32°); Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity; Address, Howard Univ.; Residence, 1902 10th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

WILKINSON, ROBERT SHAW—College President. — See 3rd Edition.

Died, March 13, 1932.

WILKINSON, ROBERT SHAW, JR.—Physician and Surgeon.

b. Nov. 11, 1899, Orangeburg, S. C.; s. Robert Shaw and Marion Raven (Bernie) Wilkinson; m. Melissa Ruth Royster, June 25, 1927; one child, Robert Shaw, 3d., b. July 11, 1928; educ. State Academy, Orangeburg, S. C.; Wilbraham Academy, Wilbraham, Mass.; A.B., Dartmouth Coll., 1924; M.D., Harvard Medical Sch., 1927; Interne, Harlem Hospital, 1927-29; Physician and Surgeon, 1929-present; Adjunct Asst. Visiting Surgeon, Harlem Hospital, 1930-present; Instructor, Surgery, Harlem Hospital Nurses Sch., 1930-present; Diplomate, Nat. Board of Medical Examiners; mem. American Medical Assn.; New York State Medical Soc.; New York County Medical Soc.; Sec., Manhattan Medical Soc.; N.A.A.C.P.; Elks; Odd Fellows; Omega Psi Phi; Phi Beta Kappa (Dartmouth); Pol. Independent Democrat; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 232 W. 139th St., New York City, N. Y.

WILLIAMS, ALBERT W.—Physician-Surgeon.

b. Jan. 31, 1863, near Monroe, La.; began to study at the age of fourteen; studied medicine at Northwestern Univ. Med. Sch., Chicago, Ill.; M.D., 1894; Resident Physician of Provident Hospital and Training Sch., two years; attending physician, twelve years; Secretary of Med. Board, six years; Pres., 1906-07; was Treas., Nat. Med. Assn.; mem. A.M.A.; Chicago Med. Soc.; Ill. Med. Soc.; Address, 3545 S. State St., Chicago, Ill.

WILLIAMS, ANDREW—Optician.

b. July 19, 1884, Liverpool, N. S.; s. Peter and Sarah (West) Williams; educ. Pub. Schs., Liverpool, N. S., and Boston, Mass.; Optician, 1902-present, conducting a business in New York City; Manager, Chase and Santord, opticians, Boston, Mass., 1905-17; Manager, Harris Bros., Optical Dept., Havana, Cuba, 1917-20; Manager, Orango & Chase, Havana, Cuba, 1920-22; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 2295 7th Ave.; Residence, 150 W. 140th St., New York City, N. Y.

WILLIAMS, ARTHUR MAURICE—Physician.

b. June 17, 1897, Houston, Tex.; s. Simmie B. and Lee Belle (Bragg) Williams; m. Edna Mae Bassett, May 3, 1924; one child, Eileen Janet, b. Dec. 30, 1926; educ. Houston High Sch., 1911-15; Pomona Coll., Claremont, Calif., 1915-19; B.S., Pomona Coll., 1919; Bellevue Hosp., New York City, 1921-25; M.D., Bellevue Hosp., 1925; Instructor, Biology, Prairie View State Coll., Houston, Tex., 1919-20; Interne, City Hosp., No. 2, St. Louis, Mo.; Physician, 1925-present; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 75 Brookfield St., White Plains, N. Y.

WILLIAMS, AUGUSTUS LEWIS—Lawyer.

b. July 16, 1878, Greenwood, S. C.; s. Wesley and Julia (Coleman) Williams; m. Nammie M. Glasco, Jan. 28, 1921; three children, Venoris M., b. May 25, 1922; Augustus L., Jr., b. Jan. 24, 1926; educ. Benedict Coll., 1894; LL.B., Ill. Coll. of Law, 1906; A.B., Chicago Athenaeum Business Coll., 1908; Lawyer, 1906-present; Legal Adviser, The Peoples' Adjustment Assn., 1931-present; Owner, Trainor Hotel, 740 E. 47th St., Chicago, Ill.; Trustee, Stock Voting Trust, Victory Life Insurance Co., 1932-present; ex-Potentate, Shriners, Arabic Temple, 1925-present; mem. Imperial Council; Ill. Law Inst.; Cook Co. Bar Assn.; ex-Special Atty. for the Sanitary District of Chicago; ex-Deputy Co. Treasurer, 1903-10; Elks; Masons; Shriners; Consistory (32°); Pol. Non-Partisan; Relig. Baptist; Address, 184 W. Washington, St.; Residence, 3646 Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He specializes in personal injury and damages for the past 25 years, and has won many cases in the various Courts. He filed many suits against the City of Chicago growing out of the Race Riots of 1919, when 23 Colored men were lynched and many others injured and their property destroyed, winning for his clients damages to the amount of \$135,000.

WILLIAMS, A. WILBERFORCE—Physician.

b. Jan. 31, 1864, Monroe, La.; s. Baptiste and Flora Williams; m. Mary Elizabeth Tibbs, June 1902; educ. Lincoln Inst., Jefferson City, Mo.; Y.M.C.A. Evening Sch.; Summer Normal, North Western Univ., Chicago, Ill.; M.D., North Western Univ., 1884; Resident Physician, Provident Hosp., Chicago, Ill., 2 years; School Teacher, Pierce City, Vernon Co., Mo., 1881; Physician, 1894-present; Prof. of Internal Medicine, Head of Med. Dept. of the Post Graduate Sch., Provident Hosp.; Sec., Med. Staff and Attending Physician, Provident Hosp.; Lecturer, Hygiene, Sanitation and Medicine, Training Sch. for Nurses, Provident Hosp., Chicago, Ill.; Attending Physician, South Side Tuberculosis Dispensary, 6 years; Supervisor, Municipal Tuberculosis Survey; Heart and Lung Specialist, Health Editor, Chicago Defender; mem. Illinois State and Chicago Med. Societies; Mississippi Valley Tuberculosis Conference; Robert Koch Society for the Prevention and Study of Tuberculosis; Nat. Soc. for the Prevention and Study of Tuberculosis; Executive Board, Nat. Med. Assn.; Am. Med. Assn.; Pres., Physicians, Dentists and Pharmacists Assn. of Chicago; Delegate, Nat. Convention, U. S. Civic Legion, Buffalo, N. Y., 1932; Managing Director, European Travel Educational Tours, 1925-present; mem. K. of P.; Odd Fellows; Y.M.C.A.; Court, General

Robert Elliott; A.O.F.; Urban League; Social Service Club; Address, 3545 S. State St.; Residence, 4940 S. Parkway, Chicago, Ill.

He is a pioneer physician on the Provident Graduate Department of the same institution. Hospital Staff and a professor in the Post For several years he has been Health Editor of the Chicago Defender. Served five months as a second lieutenant and was a member of the Advisory Board of the Chicago Local Exemption Board, Chairman of the Committee of Physicians of the Red Cross Home Service Medical Section during the War.

He was sent by the United States Government to lecture on hygiene, tuberculosis, venereal diseases, and right living among the soldiers in France, having been ranked as a Second Lieutenant, and served 5 months.

He received a Fellowship from the Chicago, University to study internal medicine at Harvard University, courses for graduates.

Died, February 19, 1940.

WILLIAMS, CLARENCE—Music Publisher.

b. Oct. 8, 1893, Plaquemine, La.; s. Dennis and Sally (Swan) Williams; m. Irene Gibbons, Oct. 8, 1921; three children, Clarence, Jr., b. Mar. 18, 1923; Spencer P., b. Mar. 17, 1926; Irene, b. Apr. 18, 1928; educ. Pub. Schs., Plaquemine, La.; auth. composed and published over 1000 compositions among the outstanding being "Baby Won't You Please Come Home", "Gulf Coast Blues", "I Wish I Could himmy Like My Sister Kate", "Everybody Loves My Baby", "I've Found a New Baby", "Sugar Blues", "Kansas City Man Blues", "Oh, Daddy Blues", "West End Blues", "Papa De-da-da"; Composer, Publisher, Musician; Conductor, Clarence Williams' Orchestra, recording for Victor, Columbia, Okeh (General), Brunswick, etc.; Pres. Clarence Williams Music Publishing Co., Inc.; Pres. I. C. Williams Realty Co., Inc., holding considerable property in Flushing, L. I., and Jamaica, L. I., Youngstown, O., and New Jersey; Pres. Clarence Williams Booking Agency, Inc.; Pres., Witokah Democratic Club, Jamaica, L. I.; mem. Elks; Masons Am. Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers; American Federation of Musicians; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Catholic; Address, 145 W. 45th St., New York City, N. Y.; Residence, 171-37 108th Ave., Jamaica, L. I., N. Y.

WILLIAMS, MRS. CLARENCE (Eva Taylor)—Radio Star.

b. Jan. 22, 1898, St. Louis, Mo.; d. Frank and Julia (Evans) Gibbons; m. Clarence Williams, Oct. 8, 1921; three children, Clarence, Jr., b. March 18, 1923; Spencer Patrick, b. March 17, 1926; Irene, b. April 18, 1928; educ. Sumner High Sch., St. Louis, Mo.; auth. "May We Meet Again," song in honor of Florence Mills; Singer and Dancer, Nora Boyes' Musical Comedy, "Queen of Hearts"; Star of "Bottomland" which her husband Clarence Williams produced and finished; member of cast "Shuffle Along"; Radio Singer, National Broadcasting Co., under name of Eva Taylor, 5 years; mem. Eastern Star (Masons); Pol. Democrat; Relig. Catholic;

Address, 145 W. 145th St., New York City, N. Y.; Residence, 171-37 108th Ave., Jamaica, N. Y.

As a Singer and Dancer and a vaudeville performer she made a World Tour being in such Countries as Australia, Russia, France and Germany.

For the past eight years, as Eva Taylor, she sings almost daily over the Radio for the National Broadcasting Company and is now being featured in Marianas Marionette Orchestra over WEA. She is the first Colored woman having the honor of being featured as a soloist over the National and International hook-ups.

WILLIAMS, CLINTON A.—Real Estate Operator.

b. Apr. 27, 1891, Flushing, L. I.; s. Cupid and Mattie (Bitts) Williams; m. Maude Lee Phillips, 1910; one child, Maude E., b. Dec. 1, 1918; educ. Pub. Sch., Flushing, L. I.; Shaw Univ., 1911-12; Took charge of father's business, coal dealer in Flushing, 1912; Real Estate, 1921-present; mem. Bd. of Trade and Commerce; Uptown Real Estate Board; Acme Mutual Liability Insurance Company; K. of P.; Coachmen's Beneficial League; F. and A.M., Prince Hall; Address, 109 West 139th St., New York, N. Y.

WILLIAMS, DANIEL HALE—Surgeon.

— See 3rd Edition.

Died, Aug. 4, 1931.

WILLIAMS, EARLE—Physician-Surgeon.

b. Nov. 6, 1885, Cynthania, Ky.; s. Henry and Mary (Williams) Williams; m. Lola Allen, R. N., June 5, 1923; one child, Mildred, b. 1924; educ. Shortridge High Sch., Indianapolis, Ind., 1899; Butler Coll. and Baptist Univ.; Indianapolis, Ind., 1903; Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1903-06; M.D., Chicago Med. Coll., Chicago, Ill., 1907; Physician and Surgeon, 1907-present; Physician; Fon Stetes Township, Ill., 1909-present; Surgical Staff, Peoples Hosp., St. Louis, Mo., 1922-present; Visiting Surgeon, St. Mary's Hosp., East St. Louis, Ill., 1925-present; Visiting Staff, St. Elizabeth's Hosp., Granite City, Ill., 1932-present; Surgeon, Terminal Railway Assn., St. Louis, Mo., 1930-present; Surgeon, Ill. Railway (McKinley System), 1927-present; Pres., Board of Education, Lovejoy, Ill., 1918-33; Surgeon, Illinois Iowa Power Co., Granite City, Ill., 1933-present; Surgeon, Illinois Transportation Company, Granite City, Ill., 1935-present; Head of Service, Gynecology and Obstetrics, St. Mary's Infirmary, St. Louis, Mo., 1933-present; mem. Staff, East Side Health Dist. (U. S. Public Health), 1938-present; mem. K. of P.; Elks; National Medical Ass'n; Pan-Missouri Medical Ass'n; Mound City Medical Forum; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 503 Madison St.; Residence, 403 Short St., Lovejoy, Ill.

As the President of the Board of Education, of Lovejoy, Ill., he built two new schools which are modern in every respect. There were only four teachers when he became its President, and now there are nineteen.



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A. L. WILLIAMS, A.B., LL.B.

WILLIAMS, EDWARD SANFORD—Educator.

b. Portland, Me.; came to St. Louis, Mo., 1878; educ. Harvard Univ., Howard Univ., Washington Univ., Teacher, Principal, School No. 12, St. Louis, Mo.; in charge of Bancker Sch., 1908-present; has taught in the public school system of St. Louis, Mo., for fifty years; Address, Bancker School, Lucas and Ewing Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

WILLIAMS, FANNIE C.—Teacher.

A.B., B.Pd., Michigan State Normal Coll.; Normal Graduate Straight Coll.; Principal Valena C. Jones Sch., New Orleans, La.; mem. Committee III C. Education and Training—White House Conference Child Health and Protection; mem. Nat. Advisory Committee on Education of the Negro; mem. Nat. Housing Committee; mem. of Summer School Faculty of Tuskegee Inst., Summer School; mem. The President's Conference on Home Building and Home Ownership; Address, Valena C. Jones School, New Orleans, La.

WILLIAMS, FRANK—Lawyer.

b. Aug. 22, 1879, Halifax Co., Va.; s. Moses and Dicy (Davis) Williams; educ. Va. Normal and Collegiate Inst. (now Va. State Coll.), Petersburg, Va., 1900; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1906; Lawyer, 1906-present; Pres., Burial Dept., Odd Fellows, 1931-present; Past Exalted Ruler, Elks, Indianapolis, Ind., 1920; Legal Advisor, Odd Fellows, State of Indiana, 1928-present; Candidate, Justice of Peace, Indianapolis, Ind., 1910; mem. Elks; Odd Fellows; Ancient United Knights and Daughters of Africa; Marion Co. Lawyers Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 152½ Court St.; Residence, 705 N. Senate Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

He conducted many murder cases and many of the cases resulted in acquittals for his clients.

WILLIAMS, FRANKLIN W.—Lawyer.

b. Jan. 27, 1880, Farmington, Davie Co., N. C.; s. Burgess and Isabel (Eaton) Williams; m. Susan Florence McNeill, June 20, 1912; educ. A.B., Shaw Univ., Raleigh, N. C., 1908; post graduate work, Brown Univ., Providence, R. I., 1909; LL. B., New York Law Sch., 1911; post graduate work, Columbia Univ., summers, 1918-19; passed bar, New York, 1911; North Carolina, Aug., 1911; Washington, 1913; practiced, Tacoma, Wash., one year; passed bar, Missouri, 1915; practiced, Kansas City, Mo., 1915; Lawyer, Winston-Salem, 1916-present; Senior Partner, Williams & Bright, 1932-present; Head Dept. Mathematics, Shaw Univ., 1917-20; Chairman, Directory Board, Civic Welfare League, Winston-Salem; Pres., Twin City Lawyers' League; Pres. Cld. North State Bar Assn.; Regional Director, Nat. Bar Assn.; Legal Advisor, Fitch Undertaking Co., 1925-present; Trustee, New Bethel Baptist Church, 1925-present; mem. Masons, Pol. Progressive; Relig. Baptist; Address, 305 Atlantic Bldg.; Residence, 679 W. 25th St., Winston-Salem, N. C.

His name was suggested as Minister Resident and Consular General for Haiti in the year 1929.

WILLIAMS, FRED MONROE—Funeral Director.

b. June 1, 1893, Anderson, S. C.; s. Andrew and

Rosa (Henderson) Williams; m. Pearl Daire, (deceased) Dec. 25, 1912; one child, Wenonah, b. Jan. 9, 1914; educ. High Sch., New York City, Renouard, Training Sch. of Embalming; Funeral Director, 1924-present; mem. Odd Fellows; Elks; Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 249 W. 128th St., New York City, N. Y.

WILLIAMS, FREDERIC HART.

b. Feb. 2, 1882, Detroit, Mich.; s. John and Katherine E. (Ball) Williams; m. Beatrice E. Johnson, Feb. 16, 1918; educ. South Side High Sch., Chicago, Ill.; Detroit Inst. of Tech., 1906; Detroit Coll. of Law, 1909; Montreal Commercial Coll., 1912; Univ. of Detroit, 1920; Univ. of Mich., Extension Course, Journalism; County Clerk's Office of Wayne Co., 1919-25; Research Dept. of Wayne Co., Abstract, 1925-present; auth. Special Articles, Crusader, New York City; Observer, Toronto, Can.; Michigan State News Grand Rapids, Mich.; pub. "Meadow Brook," "Say That You Love Me," "Kappa Kapers"; mem. Elks; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pres., N.A.A.C.P., Local Br., 1925; Pol. Republican; Address, Wayne County Building; Residence, 5717 Parker Ave., Detroit, Mich.

He was commissioned Regimental Sergeant Major of the 48th Infantry Volunteers, U.S.A., serving in the Philippine Islands in 1900 and 1901. He was a candidate for the office of State Senator from the 2nd district in 1924.

WILLIAMS, MRS. GEORGE S.

b. Savannah, Ga.; d. Rev. James A. and Sarah E. Miller; Grand Worthy Inspectrix, The Court of Calanthe for State of Ga.; State Trustee, Daughter Elks of Ga.; Director, Savannah Savings Bank; President, Ga. State Federation of Colored Women's Clubs; Organizer for the twelve states of the South Eastern Federation; Chairman of the Committee on Citizenship of the Nat. Assn. of Colored Women's Clubs; Supreme Representative, Calantheans, State of Ga.; mem. Educational Committee, of Savannah, Ga.; mem. of the Ga. Commission on Interracial Cooperation; Represented State of Ga., Republican Nat. Committee, 1928; Address, 1212 E. Broad St., Savannah, Ga.

During the World War she was active in Liberty Loan drives, the War Camp Community Service, and the Red Cross—receiving from the latter a service pin for over 2,400 hours of volunteer work.

The first and only national political organization among colored women in the United States was organized and founded by her; The National Republican League of Colored Women, which she established at Chicago in 1924, immediately after the National Republican Convention. Of this organization Mrs. Williams is the first Honorary President.

When women were first appointed as members of the National Republican Committee, Mrs. Williams was the first Negro woman to be so named and later, upon the adoption of the "50-50 Resolution," was the first Negro woman to be duly elected to Committee membership, and has been re-elected at each successive Republican National Convention.

Mrs. Williams has the distinction of being the first woman in the political history of the United States to be accorded the privilege of the floor in a National Republican Convention. This occurred at Cleveland in 1924, when the Hon. Ralph E. Williams, then in the chair, recognized Mrs. Williams when she arose to speak in defense of the Georgia delegation whose seating was being contested.

WILLIAMS, HENRY ROGER—Physician, Drug-gist.— See 3rd Edition.
Died, December 5, 1929.

WILLIAMS, HENRY CHARLIE—Physician.
b. March 12, 1878, Atlanta, Ga.; s. Henry and Carolina Williams; m. Carrie, Sept. 12, 1916; two children, Memervie Lee, b. May 12, 1917; Hallie Kate, b. June 13, 1926; educ. Morehouse; Harris, 1905; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1909; Physician, 1909-present; mem. Masons; K. of P.; Straight Life Ins., Morning Star; Relig. Baptist; Address, McRea, Ga.

WILLIAMS, HARRY MACEO—Physician.
b. Sept. 21, 1898, Baltimore, Md.; s. Nelson and Minnie (Wilson) Williams; m. Eugenia Jackson, June 24, 1925; two children, Harry Maceo, Jr., b. May 2, 1922; Eugenia M., b. April 6, 1928; educ. Douglass High Sch., Baltimore, Md., 1916; M.D., Howard Univ., Medical Sch., Washington, D. C., 1923; Physician, 1923-present; mem. Elks; K. of P.; National Med. Assn.; Maryland Med. Dental and Pharm. Assn.; Chi Delta Mu; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1229 Saratoga, St.; Residence, 1830 Madison Ave., Baltimore, Md.

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WILLIAMS, J. B.—High School Principal.
b. June 1, 1900, Lake City, Fla.; s. Rev. Thomas W. and Capitola (Davis) Williams; m. Lauree A. Williams, Nov. 21, 1925; one child, John B., Jr., b. Dec. 17, 1927; educ. Cookman Inst., Jax, Fla.; Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa.; A.B., Clark Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1925; Teacher, High Sch., Chemistry, Clark Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1926; Head Mathematical Dept., Bethune Cookman Coll., Daytona Beach, Fla., 1927-28; Head of Athletics, 1929; Principal, Excelsior High Sch., St. Augustine, Fla., 1930-present; Pres., State Convention of M. E. Sunday Sch.; Pres., Fla. State Athletic Assn.; ex-Basilieus, Beta Psi Chapter, Clark Univ.; mem. Knight of Fountain of Youth; Elk; Independent Order of St. Luke; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Excelsior High School; Residence, 120 DeHaven St., St. Augustine, Fla.

WILLIAMS, JOSHUA SLOAN—Physician.
b. Apr. 8, 1875, Greenville, S. C.; s. Andrew Jack-

son and Emma (Franklin) Williams; m. Alma Edwina Wadsworth, Feb. 18, 1900; five children, Ethel Valeria, b. Dec. 27, 1900; Alma Edwina, b. Nov. 23, 1903 (deceased); Robert Fulton, b. June 15, 1908 (deceased); Theodora Christine, b. Jan. 21, 1911; J. S. Williams, Jr., b. Jan. 31, 1921; educ. Allen Univ., Normal Course, Columbia, S. C., 1891-94; Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1904-08; M.D., 1908; Teacher, South Carolina Com. Sch., 1894-95; Teacher, Primary Dept. of Allen Univ., 1895-96; Book-keeper, A.M.E.S.S. Union, Nashville, Tenn., 1900-04; Physician, 1908-present; mem. Omega Psi Phi; K. of P.; Masons; St. Luke's; K. of P.; Samaritan; Stewart of Chapel A.M.E. Ch.; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, 556 New St.; Residence, 530 Monroe St., Macon, Ga.

WILLIAMS, I. MILTON—Physician-Surgeon.
— See 2nd Edition.
Died.

WILLIAMS, LACEY KIRK—Clergyman-Lecturer.

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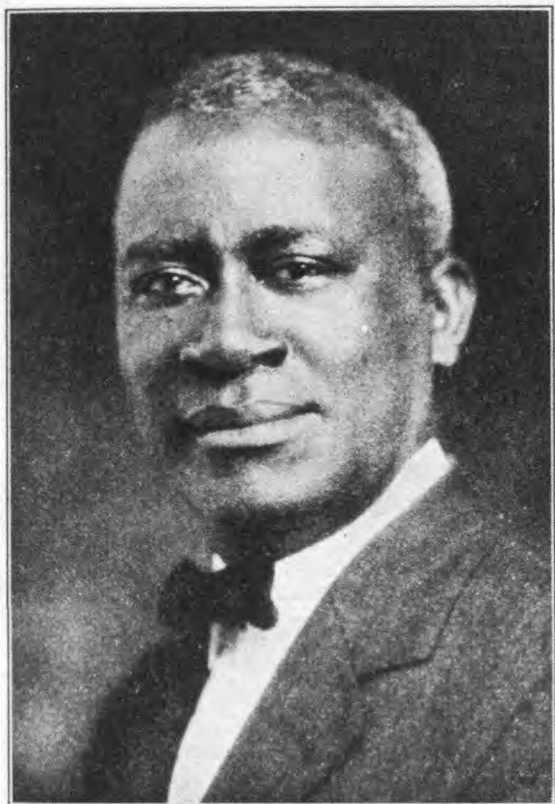
In January, 1928, awarded first prize by the Harmon Foundation of New York City for distinguished religious service.

The Olivet Baptist Church of which Rev. Williams is Pastor has a membership of 12,000 and is considered the largest Protestant Church in the World.

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Two High Schools were built under his Administration, the Swainsboro High School and the Tonnille High School.

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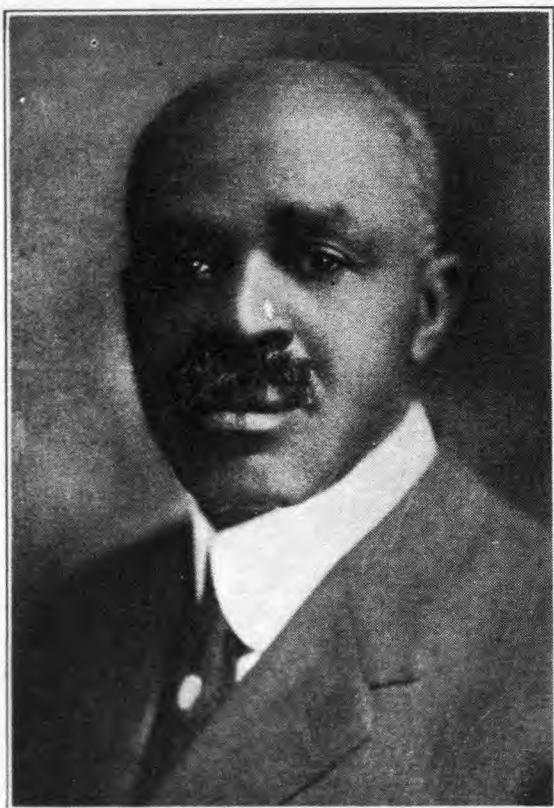
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After teaching in the schools of Texas for ten years, he made a tour of the World, visiting England, Scotland, Russia, Germany, France, Italy, Greece, Turkey, East Indies, Egypt, Liberia, Africa, Japan and Hawaiian Islands, the tour lasting two years. He was admitted to the Supreme Court of Michigan in 1893 and specializes in extradition cases.

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b. Feb. 6, 1894, Atlanta, Ga.; s. Christopher C. and Maggie (Baker) Wimbish; m. Vivian DeLyle, July 4, 1929; educ. Prep. Dept., Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1909-12; Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1913-15; Howard Univ., Academy; LL.B., Northwestern Univ., 1921-25; Standard Life Ins. Co., Atlanta, Ga., 1915-17; First Lieut. U. S. Army, 1917-19; Proprietor, Idle Hour Theatre, Phila., Pa., 1919-20; Lawyer, 1925-present; Asst. State's Attorney, Chicago, Ill., 1927-present; mem. Cook Co. Bar Assn.; World's War Veterans; Third Ward Republican Club; Univ. Club; Original Forty Club; Snakes Club; Chicago Assembly; Alpha Phi Alpha; Asst. Corporation Counsel, 1941; Pol. Democrat; Address, Binza Bldg., 3458 S. State St.; Residence, 4203 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

WINES, WILLIS WILLIAM — Clergyman-Teacher.

b. June 10, 1869, Richmond, Va.; s. Willis William and Susie (Johnson) Wines; m. Annie Eliza Turner, Mar. 16, 1887; one child, James Allen, b. May 22, 1888; educ. Va. Union Univ., Richmond, Va., 1904; Clergyman, 1902-present; Instructor, Crispus Attucks High Sch., Indianapolis, Ind., 1931-present; Instructor, Pub. Sch., Indianapolis, Ind., 1913-present; Pastor, New Baptist Church, Indianapolis, Ind., 1908-present; Pres., Ministers Alliance, 1911-15; mem. Masons; St. Lukes; Baptist State Convention; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 1038 North West St., Indianapolis, Ind.

WINGFIELD, JUDGE RANDOLPH — Educator.

b. Dec. 20, 1876, Jefferson, Marengo Co., Ala.; s. Edward and Sallie Wingfield; m. Irene McGrue, Oct. 5, 1900 (deceased 1913); second marriage, Hula L. Johnson, Jan. 27, 1915; 12 children, Elliott Langstone, b. Oct. 6, 1901; Dorphenie Velma, b. Nov. 8, 1902; Gloria Irene, b. Jan. 12, 1904; Alinza and Olenza (twins), b. Jan. 28, 1905; Booker T., b. Mar. 7, 1908; Jacob N.; S. Mariah, b. Nov. 2, 1910; Judge Randolph, Jr., b. Sept. 1, 1912; Mary Louise, b. Aug. 15, 1929; Kate Elizabeth, b. December 6 1931; Lillian Jean b. July 30; 1933 educ. Tuskegee Inst itute, Normal School. 1890-95; Fisk Univ., Nashville, Tenn., Coll., 1896-98; Hampton Inst., specialized in School Administration, 1918; M.A., Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1912; Principal Village Sch., Jefferson, Ala., 1900-05; Principal City Sch., Georgiana, Ala., 1905-08; Pres., Lomax-Hannon Coll., Greenville, Ala., 1908-19; Director Vocational Training, State Normal Sch., Montgomery, Ala., 1912-21; Pres., Ala. Reform Sch. for Negro Boys, 1921-present; mem. Past Master, Masons; Eastern Star Chapter No. 41; Southern Pride Lodge No. 431, Elks; Nat. Assn. of Teachers in Colored Schs.; Chaplain, Ala. Colored Teachers Assn.; Mosaic Templars of America; Woodman

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He was for eleven years President of the Lomax Hannon Industrial College, a religious institution under the supervision of the A.M.E. Zion Church. During his administration a brick dormitory for boys, costing \$15,000, was built, many improvements made, and the institution given a recognized standing among leading denominational schools of Alabama.

He was Instructor of a night school in connection with the Y.M.C.A. for Colored soldiers in the service of the United States government.

This school was located in Montgomery, Ala., and he taught there from 1919 to 1920. In this city he was for two years Director of Vocational Education at the State Normal School. Many improvements were made, the debts paid and the school supplied with all modern apparatus and sanitation.

He made teaching his life's work and in 1921 was chosen President of the Alabama Reform School for Negro Boys, which is now one of the leading institutions of its kind in the United States under the management of Negro personnel and supported by the State Government. Under his administration it has developed from 50 acres of land and two buildings to 2,500 acres of land and 24 buildings including a department for delinquent girls. Including land, farming equipment, and livestock, the property is valued upwards of \$500,000 at the present time. The institution has advanced from a six-grade elementary school with three teachers and a 5-month term to an accredited junior high school with 14 certified teachers and a 9-month term. His most outstanding achievement at this institution was the erection of Margaret Murray Washington Memorial Building for girls at a cost of \$75,000. The campus and picture of this new building appeared in the leading white magazines North and South. It is a monument not only to the late Mrs. Margaret Murray Washington but to this great genius and the negro race in general. Visitors come almost daily from far and near to see this school for delinquents that has no earmarks of a penal institution.

Prof. Wingfield traveled abroad through Western Europe in 1933, visiting Spain, Portugal, England, France, and Italy and made a careful study at first-hand of the approaches made by those countries in the solution of the problem of delinquency and the great Youth Movement. This furnishes him with much experience and information. He is considered an authority when it comes to the work of delinquency and youth organizations.

At present he is a prominent member of the Psychological and Curriculum Program Group, a study group that consists of the leading Negro professional men and women of Montgomery under the direction of Alabama State Teachers College. Prof. Wingfield is prominently connected with every public and civic interest in his community.

WINSTEAD, GEORGE LEE—Physician.

b. Sept. 30, 1878, Nash Co., N. C.; s. Charles and Rhoda (Battle) Winstead; m. Lillian Thompson, Oct. 20, 1920; educ. A.B., Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C., 1903; M.D., Shaw Univ., Leonard Med. Coll., Raleigh, N. C., 1908; A.M., (Honorary), Johnson C. Smith Univ., 1909; Physician, 1908-present; Director, Livingstone Memorial Hosp., Pittsburgh, Pa., 1923-present; Trustee, Grace Memorial Presbyterian Church, 1917-21; Pres., Allied Med. Soc. of Western Penn., 1927; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Urban League; Y.M.C.A.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Pa. State Med., Den. and Pharm. Assn.; Allied Med. Soc. of Western Penn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 2171 Center Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

He is the owner of a farm of 150 acres in West Virginia, the product of which is mostly donated to the poor of Pittsburgh, and which worthy work has now been carried on for the past five years.

WINSTON, ETHNA BEULAH—College Dean.

b. July 13, 1903, Windsor, Conn.; d. Peter H. and Eugenia S. (Howard) Winston; educ. High Sch., Windsor, Conn.; Diploma, Miner Teachers Coll., Washington, D. C., 1925; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1928; Yale Univ., New Haven, Conn., Summer Session; Columbia Univ., New York City, N. Y., Summer Session; A.M., Hartford Seminary Foundation, Hartford, Conn. 1939; auth. "The Need for Integrated Studies of Negro Culture and Achievement in the Public School Curriculum"; Teacher, Commercial Studies, Booker Washington High Sch., Miami, Fla., 1928-29; Sec.-Cashier, Miami Branch, National Benefit Life Insurance Co., 1929; Stenographer-Sec. Actuarial Dept., National Benefit Life Ins. Co., Washington, D. C., 1929-31; Office Asst., Dept. of Interracial Relations of the Federal Council of Churches, 1931; Sec. to Dean of Men, Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala., 1931-32; Teacher, Union Sch., Hampton, Va., 1932; Social Worker, Shiloh Baptist Church, Hartford, Conn., 1933-34; Social Worker, Hartford Dept. of Public Welfare, 1934-38; Dean of Women, Tougaloo Coll., Tougaloo, Miss., 1939-present; Vice Pres., Connecticut Baptist Missionary Union, directing young peoples activities in the Negro Baptist Churches of Connecticut; mem. Social Workers Assn.; Hamilton Business and Professional Women's Club, Hartford, Conn.; Hartford Chapter, Connecticut Merit System; National Assn. of Deans of Women of the N. E. A.; National Assn. of College Women; National Assn. of Deans and Advisors to Girls in Negro Schools and Colleges; American Teachers Assn.; Y. W. C. A.; Relig. Congregational Church; Address, Tougaloo College, Tougaloo, Miss.; Residence, Palisado Ave., Windsor, Conn.

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b. Oct. 27, 1898, Freehold, N. J.; s. Eustace W. and Maggie (Baskerville) Winston; m. Dorothy L. Sims, Aug. 3, 1930; two children, George Beverly, Jr., b. Sept. 16, 1931; Gloria Myrtle, b. Jan. 6, 1933; educ. A.B., Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa., 1921; S.T.B., 1924; Freehold High Sch., Freehold, N. J., 1917; Teacher, Mathematics and Science, High Sch., Winston-Salem, N. C., 1924-28; Executive Sec., Y. M. C. A., Wichita, Kans., 1929-present Sec. and Treas., Ministerial League, 1929-present; Chairman, Programme Committee, 1929-present; Wichita, Kans.; Founder, Kansas Negro Youth Conference; mem. N. A. A. C. P.; Business League; Interracial Commission; Council of Churches; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Y.M.C.A., Fort Worth, Texas.

WINTERS, JOSEPH ANTHONY—Clergyman

b. Feb. 28, 1868, Jackson, Tenn.; s. Thornton and Ann (Hunt) Winters; m. Cora Williams, Sept. 10, 1898; five children, Thornton W.; Edna D.; Joseph A., Jr.; Cora B.; Benjamin; educ. Philander Smith Coll., Little Rock, Ark., 1888; Arkansas State Coll., Pine Bluff, Ark., 1898; Principal, Public Sch., England, Ark., 1895-1901; Principal, Public Sch., Wynne, Ark., 1901-04; Pastor, C. M. E. Church, England, Ark., 1901-01; Pastor, St. Mary's C. M. E. Church, Wynne, Ark., 1901-04; Pastor, Lane Tabernacle, St. Louis, Mo., 1904-12; Presiding Elder, Chicago Dist., C. M. E. Church, 1912 Pastor, St. Paul's C. M. E. Church, Chicago, Ill., 1913-22; Pastor, Progressive Community Church, Chicago, Ill., 1922-present; Pres., Bi-Annual Council, Community Churches of America, 1928-29, and 1935-present; mem. Masons; Y. M. C. A.; Urban League; N. A. A. C. P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Community Church; Address, 56 E. 48th St.; Residence, 4508 S. Calumet Ave., Chicago, Ill.

WISEMAN, DANIEL EMANUEL—Clergyman.

b. Jan. 11, 1858, St. Thomas, (Danish West Indies), Virgin Islands; s. George Augustus and Carolina W. (Sporone) Wiseman; m. Almira Gaskins, Feb. 2, 1888; four children, Dr. Luther Butler, Dr. Joseph D. M., Mrs. George N. Overton, Mrs. Leon LeRoy Perry; educ. Brooklyn Evening High Sch., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Howard Univ., Theol. Sch., Washington, D. C., 1884; A.M., 1895; D.D., 1908; Clergyman, 1884-present; Pastor, Church of Our Redeemer, Lutheran, Washington, D. C., 1884-present, which Church was erected under his pastorage; one of founders and Director, Assn. for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, Washington, D. C., 1901-present; Pres., Howard Park Citizens Assn.; 1910-present; Life Treas., Washington Ministerial Alliance; Pres., Parent-Teachers Assn., Lucretia Mott Pub. Sch., Washington, D. C.; Chaplain, Freedman Hosp., Washington, D. C., 1882-92; organizer and Sec., Washington Alumni, Theol. Dept., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1889-present; ex-Pres., Local Alumni, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., mem. Tuesday Evening Club for the Betterment of the Poor; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Lutheran; Address, 8th St., near Bary Pl., N.W.; Residence, 330 W St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

He was very active during the World War holding many places of honor, being Member of Board, Liberty Bond Commission, the only Colored person having this distinction. He



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was also a Member of Board, United States Employment Bureau. Upon the return of President Woodrow Wilson from abroad and the World War Soldiers, he was a Member of the Committee of Welcome, and was one of the Committee for the presentation of Honor Medals to the worthy soldiers on their return from Europe.

WOMACK, ARTHUR WALTER—Clergyman.

b. July 10, 1885, Halifax Co., Va.; s. Guy and Hallie (Wood) Womack; m. Bertha L. Blake, Nov. 21, 1912; one child, Robert Walter; educ. Pub. Sch., Phila., Penn.; Inst. for Colored Youth, Phila., Penn.; Sterling Coll., Greenville, S. C.; Paine Coll., Augusta, Ga.; A.B., D.D., Paine Coll.; Theol., Howard Univ., B.D., Howard Univ., 1921; D.D., Lane Coll., Jackson, Tenn.; Licensed Minister, 1896; Deacon, 1906; ordained Elder, 1911; Mission Work, Phila., Penn.; Pastor, Hodges, S. C.; Pastor, Allendale, S. C.; Fairfax, S. C.; Aiken, S. C.; Graniteville, S. C.; Kathwood, S. C.; Pastor, C.M.E. Church, Washington, D. C.; Pastor, Bebee Chapel, Muskogee, Okla.; Pastor, Liberty Church, Jackson, Tenn.; Pastor, Lane C.M.E. Church, Washington, D. C., 1919; Pastor, St. John C.M.E. Church, Detroit, Mich., 1921-present; Presiding Elder, Chicago, Ill., 1930-31; Pastor, Scrugg Memorial C.M.E. Church, St. Louis, Mo., 1931-present; Traveling Deputy, Shriners, North and South America, 1930-present; National Speakers Bureau, N.A.A.C.P.; auth. "The Question of Twelve Negroes"; "Heaven Bound Travelers"; mem. Nat. Supreme Director of a Fraternal Benevolent Soc., Detroit, Mich.; Masons; Odd Fellows; Commission on Evangelism, Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America; Advisory Board of Howard Univ.; Geographical Soc.; Assn. for the Study of Negro Life and History; Fraternal Messenger, C.M.E. Church to General A.M.E. Conference New York City, N. Y. May 1936; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Collins Chapel, C.M.E. Church, Memphis, Tenn.

During the World War he covered Madison County, Tenn., twice by automobile and spoke to more than 50,000 people of both Races, and collected thousands of dollars for the Y.M.C.A. and Red Cross. He was the Secretary for the Y.M.C.A. at Camp Pike, Camp Holabird and Camp Meade; also Chaplain in the United States Army in 1918 and 1919.

WOOD, CHARLES WINTER—Playwright-Director.

b. Dec. 17, 1870, Nashville, Tenn.; s. Charles Winter and Mary (O'Neal) Wood; educ. Beloit Coll., Beloit, Wis., 1888-95; B.A., 1895; M.A., 1898, Beloit; Chicago Theol. Sem., 1895-98; D. D., Chicago Theol. Sem., 1898; Chicago Univ., Education, 1899; Columbia Univ., graduate course, 1901-04; Teacher, Tuskegee Inst., 1898-1901; Northern Financial Secretary, 1904-26; Director of Tuskegee Players; Chairman of Meroney Memorial Library, Carlton Y.M.C.A., Brooklyn, N. Y.; auth. "Better Personality," noted orations, 1895; playwright; "In Defense of Him," "College Life," played at Tuskegee, Beloit College and Atlanta, Ga.; mem. Masons; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, Tuskegee Inst., Ala.; Residence, 105-70

131st St., Richmond Hill, N. Y.

He was the winner in an oratorical contest held at Galesburg, Ill., in 1895. Ten States were represented. He interpreted Coleridge Taylor's musical composition, "Hiawatha" in a dramatic recital at the Columbia University Choral Club.

By special permission of Channing Pollock and Selwyn & Co., he appeared as Daniel Gilchrist in Pollock's most famous play, "The Fool," at Tuskegee before the Trustees and friends of that Institution.

In 1883 he organized in Chicago, the first Colored Professional Stock Company in America. It was composed entirely of Colored men and women versed in the art of drama and played Richard III, Hamlet, Macbeth and other Shakesperian plays.

He was a member of the Service and Publicity Committee of the Hampton-Tuskegee Endowment Fund, which raised \$10,000,000 for Negro education in the South.

He has served Tuskegee, as assistant to Booker T. Washington and Robert R. Moton, the present Principal, for more than twenty-eight years.

WOOD, FRANCIS MARION — Director of Schools.

b. Mar. 11, 1878, Barren Co., Ky.; s. William and Fannie Wood; m. Nellie Virgie, April 28, 1910; four children, John Marion, b. Mar. 12, 1911; Iona, b. June 14, 1914; Albert Bowman, b. Apr. 28, 1916; James Edward, b. Apr. 24, 1924; educ. Pub. Sch., Barren Co., Ky.; State Normal Sch., Frankfort, Ky.; Terre Haute Coll., Terre Haute, Ind.; Eckstein Coll., Ky.; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; taught Rural Schs. for three years; City Graded Schs. for three years; Prin., Western High Sch., Paris, Ky., for twelve years; Supervisor of all the Schs. of Ky. for one year; Pres., Ky. Normal and Indus. Sch., Frankfort, Ky., for one year; Rosenwald Agent in Ky. for several years; Pres., Ky. Negro Educational Assn. for ten years; Director of the Colored Schs., Baltimore, Md., July 9, 1925-present; mem. K. of P.; Masons; Sons of Veterans and Samaritans; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Lafavette and Madison Ave., Residence, Old Frederick Road Baltimore, Md.

He went to Baltimore in the year 1925, and is now completing his eleventh year as the Supervisor and, later the Director of the Colored Schools of that City. During his administration the schools have had a tremendous growth not only in the addition of many principals, Supervisors, Assistant Supervisors and special teachers, but by the marked improvement in instruction. A testimonial was given to him at which the Mayor, the Board of School Commissioners, the Board of Superintendents, the Public School Association, and at which a scroll was presented to him on which the names of the City Officials, School Officials, and about 700 teachers in the Colored Schools were inscribed. A second testimonial

was given in his honor on May 21, 1935, which were present Gov. Harry W. Nice, Mayor Howard W. Jackson, Dr. David E. Weglein, Superintendent of Public Instruction, several Asst. Superintendents, and members of the School Commissioners.

There are now forty Colored schools in the City of Baltimore with a total of 915 teachers and 26 supervisors, all of which are under his direction.

In 1934, he was elected the President of the National Association of Teachers in Colored Schools, and established a permanent headquarters of that Association in Washington after taking office.

WOODS, MILLARD T.—Urban League Secretary.

b. Oct. 15, 1904, Lincoln, Neb.; s. William and Elizabeth M. (Hancock) Woods; m. Ernesteen C. Lancaster, Aug. 26, 1928; one child, Millard, Jr., b. Sept. 6, 1929; educ. Public Sch., Lincoln, Neb.; Ph.G., Univ. of Nebraska, June, 1928; B.S., same, July, 1928; one year graduate work, same, 1935, being one of the 37 Recreation Administrators selected by the National Recreation Ass'n from all over the Country to attend a five week Training Institute, Washington, D. C., 1937; auth. Correspondent for Associated Negro Press; Contributed articles to current magazines; Head, Dept. of Science, Paul Quinn Coll., Waco, Tex., 1928-30; Principal, Phoenix Union Colored High School, Phoenix, Ariz., 1930-32; Executive Secretary, Urban League, Lincoln, Neb., 1933—present; Vice-Pres., Council of Social Agencies; mem. National Committee on Housing Emergency; mem. Mayor's Housing Committee; The Housing Committee of the Council of Social Agencies; The Lincoln Council of Health Agencies; mem. Nebraska N.Y.A. Advisory Committee; mem. Lincoln N.Y.A. Advisory Committee; mem. State Nutrition Committee (National Defense); mem. State Committee of the U.S.O. (United States Organization); Commissioner, Local Boy Scouts of America; mem. Family Council of the Council of Social Agencies; mem. Board of Trustees, Lancaster Co. Good Will Industries; mem. Lincoln Chapter, International Council for Exceptional Children; mem. Executive Committee, Lincoln Council of Religious Education; Treas., Board of Directors, Nebraska Conference for Social Work, District V.; mem. Civilian Aircraft Warning Service (Nebr.); Mason; Elk; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Democrat; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 2030 T St.; Residence, 1946 S St., Lincoln, Neb.

In 1933 The Lincoln Urban League was in rented quarters. In 1935 the League purchased a house for \$200, remodeled it, and used it as its headquarters, which burned in 1940. Due to a successful drive for funds in the community the League is now housed in a \$40,000 fireproof, modern stream-lined Community Center Building.

WOOD, JOHN WESLEY—Bishop.

b. May 10, 1865, Tolbert Co., Ga.; s. Isom B. and Amanda (Tignor) Wood; m. Janice Edmond, Feb. 10, 1891; five children, Jessie S., b. Aug. 18, 1892; Ethel R., b. Mar. 6, 1894; Inez A., b. Sept. 25, 1900; Lillian D., b. July 25, 1902; Charlesine R., b. April 17, 1907; educ. Lagrange Acad., Lagrange, Ga., 1882; Morris Brown Coll.,

Atlanta, Ga., 1896; Moody Bible Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1911-12; D.D., Livingstone Coll., 1912; Bishop, Afro-American Methodist Ch., 1920-present; auth. "Lyrics of Sunshine," pub. Hord Bros., 1922; "Life and Travels of Bishop Wood," (in manuscript); Teacher, Pub. Sch., Marietta Co., Ga., 4 yrs.; Vice-Pres., Community Life Ins. Co.; mem. Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Chm., Bd. of Appeal of the A.M.E. Zion Church; Masons; Trustee, Livingstone Coll.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, 1813 N. Capitol St., Indianapolis, Ind.

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WOODSON, CARTER GOODWIN—Author-Editor.

b. Dec. 19, 1875, New Canton, Buckingham Co., Va.; s. James Henry and Anne Eliza (Riddle) Woodson; educ. Douglass High Sch., Huntington, W. Va., 1895-96; Berea Coll., Ky., 1896-98; B.A., Univ. of Chicago, 1907; M.A., Univ. of Chicago, 1908; one semester of study in history, the Sorbonne, Paris; Ph.D., Harvard Univ., 1912; Teacher, elementary sch., Winona, W. Va., 1898-1900; Prin. Douglass High Sch., Huntington, W. Va., 1900-03; travelled in Europe, Asia, and Egypt, 1906-07; Teacher, Dunbar and Armstrong High Schs., Washington, D. C., 1908-18; Prin. Armstrong Manual Training High Sch., Washington, D. C., 1918-19; Dean, School of Liberal Arts, Howard Univ., 1919-20; Dean, W. Va. Collegiate Inst., 1920-22; Founder and Editor, Journal of Negro History, Jan. 1, 1916; time devoted exclusively to research in connection with this magazine and his books, since July 1, 1922; auth. "The Disruption of Virginia," (unpublished thesis for doctor's degree at Harvard), 1912; "The Education of the Negro Prior to 1861," G. P. Putnam's Sons, N. Y. and London, 1915; "A Century of Negro Migration," 1918; "The History of the Negro Church," The Associated Publishers, Washington, D. C., 1922, revised edition 1924; "The Negro in Our History," "Negro Orators and Their Orations," "Free Negro Owners of Slaves in the United States in 1830," "Free Negro Heads of Families in the United States," The Associated Publishers, 1926; "The Mind of the Negro as Reflected in Letters Written During the Crisis, 1800-60," "African Myths," 1928; "Negro Makers of History," 1928; Spingarn Medalist, 1926; Address, The Associated Publishers, 1538 Ninth St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

He served in the Washington public school system ten years. The last two years of this service was in the capacity of instructor at the Myrtilla Miner Normal School and principal of the Armstrong Manual Training High School. In 1922 Dr. Woodson retired altogether from teaching to devote all of his time to research in connection with the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History.

This Association was organized by Dr. Woodson in Chicago on September 9, 1915, with five persons, and it was incorporated under the laws of the District of Columbia on the third of the following October. The purpose of this undertaking is to preserve and publish the records of the Negro. The Association has endeavored to collect sociological and historical documents of Negro life and



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history to publish therefrom informing books.

An important purpose of the Association is the publication of *The Journal of Negro History*, a quarterly scientific review of 100 pages of current articles and documents giving facts not generally known. This publication has been regularly issued since January, 1916, and has reached its fourteenth volume.

In 1921 Dr. Woodson*organized the Associated Publishers to produce books and pictures of Negroes not generally accepted by other firms. This enterprise has steadily grown from year to year, and has a creditable standing in the business world.

WOODSON, GEORGE FREDERICK—Clergyman.

b. Pittsburgh, Penn., May 20, 1861; s. Lewis Frederick and Nancy (Tanner) Woodson; m. Laura Edna Smith, Aug. 10, 1898; educ. Graduate, Central High Sch., Pittsburgh, Penn., 1879; Wilberforce Univ., 1887-88; A.M., Wilberforce Univ., 1911; graduate, Drew Theology Seminary, 1893; D.D., Payne Theol. Sem.; of Wilberforce Univ., 1902; A.M., 1911; D.D., Brown Univ., 1925; Deacon, A.M.E. Church, 1888; Elder, 1890; Pastor, Bermuda Islands, 1888-90, and in New Jersey Conference until 1895; Professor in Payne Theol. Sem., 1895-1902; Dean and Professor Systematic Theology and New Testament Greek, 1902-present; Secretary of Board of Directors, Payne Theol. Sem.; Director, Washington Hosp.; mem. Ohio Academy Social Science; Classical Assn. Middle West and South; Address, Wilberforce, Ohio.

WOOLRIDGE, THOMAS JERRY—Physician.

b. Aug. 19, 1881, Appomattox, Va.; s. Stephen and Pauline (Johnson) Woolridge; m. Etna Alfreda Humbert, June 3, 1914; four children, Grace, b. Mar. 16, 1915; Thomas Jerry, Jr., b. April 3, 1916; Ambia, b. May 18, 1917; Alfred Leonard, b. Jan. 29, 1919; educ. Va. Seminary and Coll., Lynchburg, Va., 1908; M.D., Shaw Univ., Leonard Med. Dept., Raleigh, N. C., 1912; Interne, Leonard Hospital, Raleigh, N. C.; Physician, 1912-present; Med. Examiner, North Carolina Mutual Life Ins. Co., Durham, N. C., 1915-present; Staff, Provident Hosp., Baltimore, Md.; Staff, Good Shepherd Hosp., Baltimore, Md.; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Elks; K. of P.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Maryland Med., Dent. and Pharm. Assn.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 703 W. Lafayette Ave., Baltimore, Md.

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WORK, FREDERICK J.—Musician-Author.

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b. Aug. 15, 1866, Iredell Co., N. C.; s. Alexander and Elizabeth (Hobbs) Work; m. Florence Evelyn Hendrickson, Dec. 27, 1904; educ. Chicago Theological Sem., 1898; Ph.B., Univ. of Chicago, 1902; A.M., 1903; Professor, Pedagogy and History, Georgia State Industrial Coll., Savannah, Ga., 1903-08; Director, Dept. of Records and Research, Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1908-1939; mem. Phi Beta Sigma; American Sociological Soc.; American Economic Assn.; American Academic Political and Social Science; Assn. for Study of Negro Life and History; American Association for the Advancement of Science; International Institute of African Language and Culture, Founder, 1912, and since editor of *Negro Year Book*; editor and compiler of *Bibliography of the Negro in Africa and America*, 1928; Developed bureau of information relating to the Negro; Pol. Independent; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, Tuskegee Institute, Ala.

WORSHAM, ALFRED JAMES—Lawyer.

b. Mar. 9, 1892, Camp Dennison, O.; s. Charles M. and Sylvia (Burr) Worsham; m. Lillian Ross, Nov. 1, 1919; one child, Daries M., b. Nov. 20, 1921; educ. High Sch., Lebanon, O., 1911; B.S., Lebanon Univ., Lebanon, O., 1913; A.B., Ohio State Univ., Columbus, O., 1923; L.L.B., 1925; Lawyer, 1925-present; Past Master Masons, F. and A. M., and P.H.A.; Grand Sec., Masons, State of Ohio, 1932-present; Legal Advisor, Ohio District, Grand Lodge, Odd Fellows, 1928-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; Alpha Phi Alpha; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Urban League; Franklin Bar Assn.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 70 N. High St.; Residence, 323 Lexington Ave., Columbus, O.

WORTHAM, WILLIAM H.—Real Estate Operator.

b. Mar. 7, 1887, Raleigh, N. C.; s. Samuel H. and Elizabeth (Lane) Wortham; m. Susan Payton; educ. Boynton Inst., Boynton, Va.; Real Estate Operator, New York City, 1904-present; Pres., The Phillip A. Payton, Jr., Co.; Pres., Congamond Holding Co.; Ch., Bd. of Directors, Northeastern Life Ins. Co., Newark, N. J.; mem. Personnel Division Committee, Nat. Council, Y.M.C.A.; Assn. Trade and Commerce, Masons, Westfield Country Club; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 328 Lenox Ave.; Residence, 130 W. 142nd St., New York, N. Y.

The Philip A. Payton, Jr., Company was organized in 1900 by Philip A. Payton, Jr., New York City's pioneer colored real estate operator.

WRAGG, JOHN PERCY—Clergyman, Agency Secretary.

b. Oct. 14, 1855, Charleston, S. C.; m. Jessie Elizabeth Sheard, July 11, 1888; educ. Private Sch., Avery Inst., Clafin Univ., Orangeburg, S. C.; Clark Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; B.D., Gammon Sem., Atlanta, Ga.; D.D. (Honorary), Clark Univ.; Pastor and Presiding Elder; has devoted 40 years to the ministry; Agency Secretary among the Colored People for the United

States, American Bible Soc., since 1901; Dean of the Agency Secretaries in the United States; Trustee, Gammon Sem. and Clark Univ.; Relig. Methodist; Address, 2588 7th Ave., New York, N. Y.

WRENN, JULIA A. C.—Teacher—b. 1894, Rehoboth, Va.; d. Washington and Lucy Wrenn; educ. Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1911-16; Rockford Coll., Rockford, Ill., 1923-24; Recreation Schools of P. R. A. A., Chicago, Ill.; Teacher, Public Sch., Va. and Ind., 1916-19; Social Service Playground and Recreation Assn. of America, 1919-25; *contr.* Newspaper and Magazine Articles; auth. "Social Service Activities," pub. *Southern Workman*, April, 1924; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 218 S. Main St., Residence, 528 Howard Ave., Rockford, Ill.

WRIGHT, JAMES ALTONYER—Clergyman.

b. Nov. 9, 1885, Baltimore, Md.; s. William A. and Carrie (Gray) Wright; m. Wilhelmina Wilson, June 24, 1916; educ. Pub. Sch., Baltimore, Md.; Howard Univ., prep. and coll., 1903-11; A. B. (cum laude) Howard Univ., 1911; Andover Theol. Sem., 1911-14; S.T.B., 1914; Harvard Univ., Div. Sch., 1911-14; S.T.B. Harvard, 1914; D.D. (Honorary) Livingstone Coll., 1922; Student Pastor, Zion. Congregational Church, Haverhill, Mass., 1913-16; Minister, Talcott Street Congregational Church, Hartford, Conn., 1916-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Masons; K. of P.; Hartford Co-operative Luncheon Club; Inter-Racial Committee of the Hartford Council of Churches; Life Member of the Harvard Club of Conn.; Pres., of the Howard Univ. Club of Hartford; Pres., of the Ministers' Alliance of Hartford and vicinity; Board of Governors of the Conn. Bible Society; The Friars, a club of white Congregational Ministers of Conn.; Treas. of the Informal Conference of Colored Congregationalists of New England and vicinity; Hartford Assn. of Ministers and Rabbis; Congregational Club of Conn. Executive Board, Women's League Community House and Day Nursery; mem. Bd. of Directors, Conn. Temp. Union; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 25 Brook St., Hartford, Conn.

He studied at Harvard Divinity School at the time that he was taking courses at Andover, graduating from Andover June 15, 1914, with the degree, B. of Sacred Theology and from Harvard, June 18, 1914, with the degree of B. of Science of Theology, this being the first case on record where a colored student took two Divinity degrees in the same week from two different Institutions.

WRIGHT, JOHN CLARENCE—Educator—

b. July 27, 1881, Glendower, Albemarle County, Va.; s. Joseph Butler and Martha Jane (Ward) Wright; educ. Chestnut St. Graded Sch., Newark, N. J., 1889-97; Burringer High Sch., 1897-1901; Oberlin Coll., Oberlin, Ohio, 1902-06; B.A. Oberlin Coll., 1906; m. Addie Lee Streater, Nov. 18, 1908; four children, John Clarence, b. Sept. 14, 1911; Peggy Addilee, b. Dec. 16, 1912; Herbert Hornell, b. Mar. 15, 1915; Yvonne Marguerite, b. Aug. 27, 1920; Teacher, St. Paul N. and I. Sch., Lawrenceville, Va., 1906-07; Head, English Dept., Tuskegee Inst., Ala., 1907-10; Dean and Head of English Dept., Florida A. and M. Coll., Tallahassee, Fla., 1917-19; Educational Sec., Y.M.C.A., New York, N. Y., 1919-21; Pres., Edward Waters Coll., Jacksonville, Fla., 1923-1926; Vice-Pres., Daytona-Cookman Collegiate Inst., Daytona Beach, Florida, 1925-present; Editorial Contributor, *Florida Sentinel*; First Vice-Pres. and Chairman, College Section and Associate Editor of the Bulletin of the N.A.T.C.S.; First Vice-Pres., Harlem Realty Corp., Daytona Beach, Fla.; Pres., Negro Business Men's Luncheon Club; mem. K. of P., Masons, Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Church; Address, Bethune-Cookman College, Daytona Beach, Fla.

He has been President of the Florida State Teachers' Association four times, and for two years President of the Jacksonville Branch, N. A. A. C. P.

Under the caption of "The Spectator" has contributed a number of special articles for the *Florida Sentinel*.

During the World War he served as Y. M. C. A. Secretary and Supervisor of Instruction of Colored troops with the Army Educational Corps (overseas).

WRIGHT, JOHN M.—Deputy County Treasurer.

Teacher, Indian Territory; Teacher, Washington Sch., Topeka, Kan., 1889-1891; Clerk, Postoffice, Topeka, Kans., under competitive civil service examinations, 1894; Deputy Clerk, County Court House, two terms; County Clerk, five years; City Treasurer, 1918-19; First Deputy County Treasurer, 1933-present; Address, County Treasurer, Topeka, Kans.

He has served as Deputy County Clerk, Deputy County Treasurer, County Treasurer, and Deputy County Treasurer for the past twenty years, under Republicans, Democrats, and non-partisans. Ability was recognized over politics.

WRIGHT, LOUIS TOMPKINS—Physician-Surgeon.

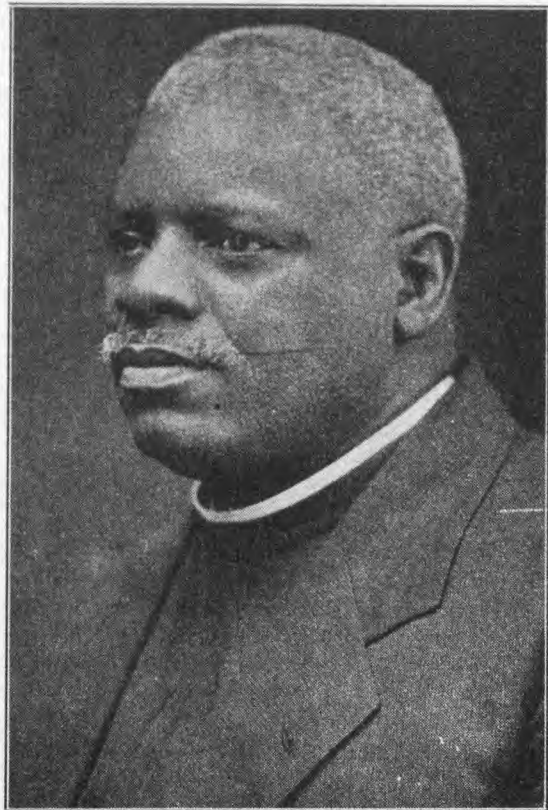
b. July 23, 1891, La Grange; s. Ceah Kentchen and Lulu M. (Tompkins) Wright; m. Corinne M. Cooke, May 18, 1918; two children, Jane Cooke Wright, b. Nov. 17, 1919; Barbara Penn Wright, b. Nov. 30, 1920; educ. Clark Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; A.B., Clark Univ., 1911; Harvard Med. Sch., Cambridge, Mass.; M.D. (cum laude), Harvard, 1915; Interne, Freedmen's Hosp., Wash., D. C., 1915-16; Practiced in Atlanta, Ga., with stepfather, Dr. W. F. Penn, 1916-17; commissioned 1st Lieut. Med. Section Officers Reserve Corps., June, 1917; active duty, Aug., 1917; Med. Officers' Training Camp, Ft. Des Moines, Ia., 1917; Battalion Surgeon, 2nd Battalion, 367 Inf., 92nd Division, Nov., 1917-Sept., 1918; mem. Shock Team (Surgical), 2nd Div.; Officer in charge of all surgical wards, Field Hosp., 366-377 Sanitary Train, 92nd Div.; Captain Med. Corps, Nov. 14, 1918; Captain Med. Reserve Corps, May 13, 1924; Major Med. Officers Reserve Corps, June 4, 1924 to present; active practice of surgery in New York City, 1919 to present; on General Staff Dept. of Health, N.Y.C., June, 1919-Feb., 1920; Physician, Female Med. Out-Patient Dept., Harlem Hosp., N.Y.C., Aug., 1919-May, 1921; Assistant Surgeon, Male Out-Patient Dept.,



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REV. JERRY RICHARD YEWELL



J. W. YANCY, A.B., A.M.

Harlem Hospital, June, 1921-June, 1925; Provisional Adjunct Surgeon, Harlem Hospital, June, 1925, Permanent, 1926; Chief of surgical clinics on Mon., Wed. and Fridays, at Harlem Hospital; Police Surgeon, City of New York, Jan., 1929-present; Original Intradermatol method of vaccination against smallpox; auth. Articles in medical journals reporting results of original investigations; mem. New York Co. and State Med. Soc.; American Med. Assn.; National Med. Assn.; Harlem Hosp. Clinical Soc.; Theta Sigma Fraternity; Civic Club of New York; Masons; Elks; Reserve Officers Assn., of U. S.; Sec., Uptown Med. Centre Assn., N. Y. C.; Pol. Independent Democrat; Address, 218 W. 139th St., New York, N. Y.

He is the first Colored Surgeon to receive a permanent appointment on the staff of the Harlem Hospital in New York City.

In January he was appointed Police Surgeon, City of New York, the first man of his Race to be so honored.

WRIGHT, RICHARD ROBERT, Sr.—Educator-Bank President.

b. May 16, 1855, Dalton, Ga.; s. Robert Waddell and Harriet (Lynch) Wright; m. Lydia Elizabeth Howard, June 7, 1877; eight children, Richard R., Jr., b. 1878; Julia O.; (Mrs.) Essie W. Thompson; (Mrs.) Lillian M. W. Clayton; Edwina M.; Whittier H.; Harriet B. S.; Emanuel Croghan; educ. Atlanta Univ., Atlanta, Ga.; A.B., 1876; A.M., 1879, Atlanta Univ.; LL.D., Wilberforce Univ., 1899; Prin., Ware High Sch., 1880-91; Pres. Ga. State Ind. Coll., 1891-1921; Pres., Citizens & Southern Bank and Trust Co., Phila., Penn., 1921-present; Pres., Nat. Assn. of Negro Bankers, 1925-present; Special U. S. Agent, Interior Dept., 1885; U. S. Deputy Marshal, Southern District, Ga.; served in Spanish-American War as additional Paymaster with rank of Major, Aug. 3-Dec. 1, 1898; Anniversary Speaker, Am. Missionary Assn., 1880-98; Organizer and Pres., Ga. State Agricultural and Industrial Assn., 1907; ex-Pres., Nat. Assn. of Presidents of A. and M. Colleges for Negroes, 1906-06; Pres., Nat. Assn. Teachers in Colored Schs., 1908-12; Promoter of Semi-Centennial Emancipation Exhbn., and secured passage of an act by U. S. Senate for appropriation of \$250,000 for the purpose, 1913; appointed by Governor of Ga., Chairman of Colored Assn. Council of Food Production and Conservation; appointed by Gov. of Ga. as Historian of enlisted colored troops in France; mem. Masons; Spanish-American War Veterans; Phila. Chamber of Commerce; Pol. Republican, Member of Nat. Rep. Con., 1884-88-92; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 1849 South St.; Residence, 554 N. 58th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

He visited England, France and Belgium, in 1919 for the purpose of collecting historical data for the archives of the State of Georgia and for a Book on the Negro in the Great War.

WRIGHT, RICHARD ROBERT, Jr.—Bishop-Educator-Editor.

b. April 16, 1878, Cuthbert, Ga.; s. Richard R. and Lydia Elizabeth (Howard) Wright; m. Charlotte Croghan, Sept. 8, 1909; five children, Charlotte Ruth, b. Oct. 26, 1910; Richard R., III,

b. Oct. 12, 1912; Alberta Lavinia, b. Jan., 1914; Grace Lydia, b. Sept. 15, 1916; Edith Lavinia, b. 1919; educ. Ga. State Coll., Savannah, Ga., 1894-98; A.B., Ga. State Coll., 1898; Univ. of Chicago, 1898-1901; B.D., 1901; A.M., 1904, from Univ. of Chicago; studied Univ. of Berlin, Germany, 1903; Univ. of Leipzig, 1904; Research Fellow in Sociology, University of Pennsylvania, 1905-07; Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania, 1911; LL.D., Wilberforce University, 1920; B.S., Univ. of Penn., 1930; Ordained ministry A.M.E. Church, 1901; Asst. Pastor Inst. Church, Chicago, 1900-01; Instructor in Hebrew, Payne Theol. Sem., Wilberforce, 1901-03; Pastor, Elgin, Ill., 1904; Trinity Mission, Chicago, 1905; Field Secy., Armstrong Assn., 1908-09; Editor, Christian Recorder, 1909 to 1936; Pres., Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1932-1936 Business Manager, Book Concern, A.M.E. Church, 1909-12 and 1916-20; Pres., Citizens and Southern Building and Loan Assn.; Director, Citizens and Southern Bank and Trust Co., Phila., Pa.; Organizer of Social Service, City Dept. of Public Welfare, Phila., 1921; Supervisor, of Social Service for A. M.E. Churches in Phila. and vicinity; elected Bishop, A. M. E. Church, May 16, 1936; Member of Committee to draft new Charter for the City of Phila., 1917-19; Committee to plan for celebrating 150th anniversary of Declaration of Independence; Chairman, Committee of Nine Unemployment Relief, Phila., Pa., 1930-31; mem. Am. Academic Political and Social Science; Am. Negro Academy; I.B.P.O.Elks; Kappa Alpha Psi; Masons; Trustee of Wilberforce Univ. and Payne Theol. Sem.; Delegate, Ecumenical Methodist Conference in Toronto in 1911, and in London, 1921, Atlanta, 1931; auth. "The Teaching of Jesus," 1903-1907; "The Negro in Pennsylvania," 1911; "Church Financiering," 1919; "Social Service," 1922; "The Negro Problem," a Sociologist Treatment, 1910; Editor of Poems of Phyllis Wheatley, 1909; Encyclopedia of African Methodism, 1916; Lecturer on "The Negro in America"; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Ch.; Address, 28 Walmer Road Capetown, S. Africa.

WRIGHT, MRS. STELLA WINDSOR—Social Worker. See 3rd Edition.
Died, August 18, 1932.

WRIGHT, THOMAS—Physician-Surgeon.
— See 4th Edition.

Died, May 25, 1935.

WRIGHT, WILLIAM MARION—Physician.
— See 3rd Edition.
Died, July 4, 1931.

WYATT, JAMES ODIS—Physician.

b. Nov. 30, 1906, Victoria, Texas; s. Morris Lucius and Missouri (Bryant) Wyatt; m. Lavenia Lott, 1933; two Children, James Odis, Jr., b. June 20, 1934; Rose Marie, b. Feb. 16, 1937; educ. A.B., Samuel Huston Coll., Austin Texas, 1926; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1931; Interne Kansas City General Hospital, Kansas City, Mo., 1931-23; auth "Negro in our History," Radio Address; "Trend of the Times"; "Early Symptomatology in Pulmonary Tuberculosis"; Physician, 1932-present; General Practice, San

Angelo, Texas, 1932-37; Asst. Supt. Kenville State Sanatorium, 1937-39; Physician and Surgeon, Amarillo, Texas, 1939-present; Chairman, Negro Health Committee, Potter County; mem. Amarillo Business League; Masons; Phi Beta Sigma, Lone Star Medical, Dental and Pharm. Assn; National Medical Assn; Relig. Methodist; Address 118 Harrison St., Residence, 108 Hughes St., Amarillo, Texas.

YARBOROUGH, CATHERINE (Caterina Jarboro)—Grand Opera Star.

b. Wilmington, N. C.; studied in Paris and Italy; sang with "Shuffle Along" Company, 1921; "Running Wild"; her operatic debut was made in Milan, Italy, 1930, as Aida, which was followed by a number of appearances in France, Italy, and Switzerland; later she made her debut in the title role, Verdi's "Aida" at the Hippodrome Theatre, New York City, which was presented by Alfredo Salmaggi's Chicago Opera Company, before a capacity audience. The newspapers pronounced the performance a success. Wilmington, N. C.

YANCY, J. W., II.—College President.

b. Feb. 18, 1909, Forrest City, Ark.; s. Nathan G. and Elizabeth (Jones) Yancy; m. Henrietta B. Miller, Feb. 18, 1939; one child, Henrietta Elizabeth, b. May 22, 1940; educ. Lincoln High Sch., Forrest City, Ark., 1925; A.B., Philander Smith Coll., Little Rock, Ark., 1931; A.M., Univ. of Arizona, Tucson, Ariz., 1933; Graduate Student, Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View, Tex., Summer 1939; auth. "Negro Blue Book of Texas," (A Texas Centennial Edition on Negro), pub. Brenham Banner, Press; Department Asst., Univ. of Arizona, 1932-33; Instructor, Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View, Tex., 1933-39; Pres., Paul Quinn Coll., Waco, Tex., 1939-present; Statistician, Texas Negro Press Assn; mem. Texas Negro Authors and Composers Assn; American Teachers Assn; Mason; Relig. African Methodist Episcopal; Address, Paul Quinn College, Waco, Texas.

He was the first Colored student to be appointed a Department Assistant in the Department of Public Administration at the University of Arizona. He made a study of the economic status of the Colored population of Tuscon, Ariz., which was so comprehensive and authentic that a copy was placed in the Historical Society of Arizona.

His Research Work is for the purpose of bringing to light valuable information on the Colored Race lives and activities which has not been unearthed before. This information will appear in book form. To gather this information he has studied at the Historical Societies of New Mexico, Arizona, California, Colorado and Indiana.

YERGAN, MAX—Y.M.C.A. Secretary.

b. 1892, Raleigh, N. C.; Studied at Springfield Training College; entered service of International Committee, Y.M.C.A., 1914; sent to India, 1916; East Africa, 1916-18; Chaplain, Camp Lee, Va., during World War; in France, 1919-20; sent to South Africa, 1921-26; returned to U. S. A.

1926; awarded First Prize Harmon Award in Religious Organization, Dec., 1926; sent to South Africa, 1927; Spingarn Medal winner for advancing interracial understanding among students in South Africa, 1933; Address, c/o Y. M.C.A., 347 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y.

YEWELL, JERRY RICHARD—Clergyman

b. Mar. 22, 1874, Houston, Va.; s. Samuel and Martha A. (Barksdale) Yewell; m. Ella Banks, June 19, 1902; two children, Richard, b. Nov. 22, 1908; Carl, b. Oct. 10, 1910; educ. Suffolk Training Sch.; Clergyman, 1908-present; Pastor, Tried Stone Baptist Ch., 22 years; Formerly Pastor, Mt. Nebo Church, Cleveland, O., 3 years; Manager, Red Cross Station, The American Nat. Red Cross, 1932-present; Founder and General Manager, The Tried Stone Out Door Relief Soc., to care for the sick, aged, crippled and blind; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Elks; A.U.K. and D. of A.; Mosaics; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 3762 Scovill Ave.; Residence, 3756 Scovill Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

YOUNG, ISAAC HENRY—Dentist.

b. Kingston, Md.; s. Briscoe and Mallie (Mulbourne) Young; m. Gertrude Basby, Nov. 26, 1928; educ. A.B., Morgan Coll., 1916; D.D.S., Howard Univ., 1920; Dentist, 1920-present; mem. Maryland Dental Soc.; Nat. Med. Assn.; Chi Delta Mu; Elks; Address, 532 N. Carey St., Baltimore, Md.

YOUNG, ISAAC WILLIAM—Physician-College President.—See 4th Edition.

Died, June 8, 1937.

YOUNG, MRS. MATTIE DOVER—Y.W.C.A. Secretary.

b. Dec. 20, 1881, Jackson, Miss.; d. John Dover and Lou Saphronia Ellison; m. William H. Young, Apr. 7, 1904; one child, Kenneth Everard, b. Dec. 28, 1905; educ. Pub. Schs., Chicago, Ill.; Executive Secretary, Y.W.C.A., 1922-present; mem. Federation of Women's Clubs; Treasurer, St. Louis Church Federation; Chairman, Publicity Committee, League of Women Voters; State Executive Secretary of Federation of C. W. Clubs; Speakers' Bureau Federal Council Chs.; Interracial Commission (Missouri); Community Fund; Interracial Committee; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 3015 Bell Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

YOUNG, NATHAN B.—Educator.

—See 3rd Edition.

Died, July 19, 1933.

YOUNG, PLUMMER BERNARD—Editor-Publisher.

b. July 27, 1884, Littleton, N. C.; s. Winfield and Sallie (Adams) Young; m. Eleanor White, 1906; two children, Plummer Bernard, Jr.; b. 1907; Thomas W., b. 1908; educ. North Carolina public and private schools; St. Augustine's College; LL. D., (Honorary) Shaw University, 1934; L.H.D. (Doctor Humane Letters) Virginia Union University, (Honorary) 1937; President, The Guide Publishing Company, Inc., 1911-present; Editor, Norfolk Journal and Guide; Vice-Pres., Ass'n. for the Advancement of Negro Rural Life;

mem. Executive Board, Nat. Urban League; Trustee, Anna T. Jeanes Rural School Foundation; Trustee of Howard University; mem. Executive Board, Nat. Negro Business League; mem. Executive Committee, Southern Commission on Interracial Co-operation; mem. Masons, Elks; Trustee, St. Paul Normal and Industrial Sch.; Director, Craig House Art Center, Richmond, Va.; mem. Executive Committee, Virginia Trade Assn.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 711 E. Olney Road; Residence, 733 Chapel St., Norfolk, Va.

YOUNG, REUBEN S.—Physician.

b. Jamaica, B.W.I.; s. Samuel and Jane (Barratt) Young; educ. Mico Coll.; B.S., Howard Univ., 1923; M.D., Howard Univ., 1926; Interne, Harlem Hospital; Physician and Surgeon, 1927-present; mem. I.B.P.O.E. of W.; Kappa Pi; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 2400 Seventh Ave., New York, N. Y.

YOUNG, ROY LEE—Clergyman.

b. Oct. 2, 1888, Whynot, Miss.; s. Fred and Maggie (Harrison) Young; m. Estella Otis, Dec. 19, 1923; educ. A.B., Haven Institute; Paine Coll.; Garrett Biblical Inst.; Minister, C.M.E. Ch.; Grand Sec., Holbrook Benevolent Assn., of the State of Mississippi; mem. Masons; Relig. C. M.E. Church; Address, Box 1043; Residence, 1821 16th Ave., Meridian, Miss.

YOUNG, WHITNEY MOORE—Institute Pres.

b. Sept. 26, 1897, Midway, Ky.; s. Taylor and Annie (Henderson) Young; m. Laura Ray, August, 1914; three children, Arnita Louise, b. April 19, 1922; Eleanor Annice, b. Oct. 10, 1920; Whitney Moore, Jr., b. July 31, 1921; educ. Lincoln Institute of Kentucky, Lincoln Ridge, Ky.; 1916; Municipal Coll., Louisville, Ky. Hampton Inst., Hampton,

Va., Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala.; Pres., Lincoln Institute of Kentucky, Lincoln Ridge, Ky., present; enlisted U. S. Army, 1918, and served in France for 18 months; Director, Kentucky Negro Educational Assn.; mem. K. N. E. A.; N. A. A. C. P.; Relig. Baptist; Address, Lincoln Institute of Kentucky, Lincoln Ridge, Ky.

At first he was employed as instructor of Engineering at the Institute, then became Dean and later was elected it's President. Under his administration the student enrollment has doubled, \$40,000 was added to the net worth, and more than \$15,000 added to the endowment during the depression. His wife holds the distinction of being the only Colored Postmaster in the State.

ZUBER, THOMAS L.—Physician.

b. July 16, 1887, Starksville, Miss.; s. John D. and Alice (Miner) Zuber; m. E. Augusta Deace, Dec. 24, 1917; educ. Central Miss. Coll., 1904; A.B., Morehouse Coll., 1912; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1913; Battalion, Surgeon, 365th Inf., A.E. F., 1917-18; specialized, Internal Medicine, Columbia Univ., N. Y., 1925; Physician, 1913-present; Pres., Lebanon Union Academy, 1913-15; 1st Lieut., M.R.C., 1917-19; Med. Examiner, N. C. Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Durham, N. C.; also National Benefit Insurance Co.; Pres., Miss. Med. Assn.; contr. "Possibilities of Medical Practise in the South," Journal Nat. Med. Assn., Vol. XV, No. I, March, 1923; mem. Scottish Rite Masons (32°); Exalted Ruler, Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Missionary Baptist; Address, 39½ W. Main St., West Point, Miss.



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ANDREWS, WILLIAM T.—Lawyer—Assemblyman.

b. 1898, Sumter, S. C.; s. William T. and Anna V. (Lee) Andrews; m. Regina M. Anderson, April 10, 1927; educ. A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1921; LL.B., Columbia Univ., Law Sch., New York City, 1926; Lawyer, 1927-present; Assemblyman, 1935-present; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Elks; N. A. A. C. P.; Ramapo Democratic Club; Pol. Democrat; Relig. A. M. E.; Business Address, 44 W. 125th St.; Residence, 405 Edgecomb Ave., New York City, N. Y.

BARBOUR, J. BERNI—Composer-Pianist-Producer.

b. April 22, 1881, Danville, Ky.; s. Morris and Nicey (Snead) Barbour; m. Juliette Porter, Dec. 15, 1926; educ. Simmons Univ., Normal Dept., 1896; Schmoll Sch. of Music, Chicago, Ill.; studied under Sherwood, Luscyrne, Keibling, Lemmons Sidwell, Nicholi Sansone; comp. "Arrival of the Negro" operetta; "Redemption" music extravaganza; "Ethopia" opera; "Black Propaganda" military musical revue; "Paul Lawrence Dunbar's Dream" Pageant; "Babe, I'm Learnin' to Love You"; "The Sphinx" Egyptian intermezzo; "Doan Let Satan Git You On De Judgment Day," "Some Day I'm Goin' Home," "In-A-De-Mornin'," "Done Laid Down All Ma Burden," "I'm Ready to Go," "Nicodemus" (spirituals) all published by Edward B. Marks Music Co., New York, N. Y.; Relig. Baptist; Address 226 W. 150th St., New York, N. Y.

He collaborated with Billy King in the writing of music of the following musical productions: "Over the Top," "They Are Off," "Exploits of Africa," resigning in 1919 to accept the management of W. C. Handy's Memphis Blues Orchestra, touring the South, East and West for one year.

In 1921 he wrote "Cabarabian Knights Revue," a Broadway production, with Joseph Burrows, writer of "Covered Wagon."

Began producing musical works: "Arrival of the Negro," "Redemption" and "Negro Progress" through the West, and played one year in Texas, 1925-26, then toured through Missouri and Kansas.

One of Mr. Barbour's most successful performances was his presentation of his operetta, "Arrival of the Negro," auspices of Abyssinian

Baptist Church, November 23, 1926, at Manhattan Casino.

In 1927 he was made a member of the music writing staff of Edward B. Marks Music Co., in New York City. He assembled the colored cast for Zeigfeld's "Show Boat" in 1927.

BODDIE, JAMES TIMOTHY—Clergyman.

b. Sept. 16, 1900, Darby, Pa.; s. Rev. Jacob Benjamin and Martha (Branch) Boddie; m. Emery M. Moore, June 24, 1928; two children, Marcia Lorraine, b. Feb. 26, 1930; James Timothy, Jr., b. Oct. 18, 1931; educ. New Rochelle High Sch., New Rochelle, N. Y.; B.A., Virginia Theol. Sem., Lynchburg, Va., 1926; B.D., Colgate-Rochester Divinity Sch., Rochester, N. Y., 1929; Clergyman, 1923-present; Asst. Pastor, Second Calvary Baptist Church, Norfolk, Va., 1923; Asst. Pastor, Bethesda Baptist Church, New Rochelle, N. Y., 1924; Pastor, Forest Level Baptist Church, Forest, Va., 1924-26; Pastor, Union Baptist Church, Lackawanna, N. Y., 1927-29; Pastor, Union Baptist Church, Baltimore, Md., 1929-present; mem. United Maryland Baptist Convention; National Baptist Convention, Inc.; New England Baptist Convention; Omega Psi Phi; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 340 Dolphin St., Baltimore, Md.

During 1931 Union Baptist Church, under the direction of Rev. Boddie, fed and clothed over 5000 of the poor people of Baltimore, and which was operated and paid for by the church itself.

BOLTON, LEMUEL DAVID—Editor—b. Dec.

23, 1898, Jacksonville, Florida; s. Stephen and Leuvina (White) Bolton; educ. Stanton High and Graded School, 1914-18; Howard Univ., 1918-23; A.B. Howard Univ., 1923; m. Ruth Vivian Daniels, June 3, 1925; Bank Clerk, June, 1918-23; Publisher of *Florida Sentinel*, 1923-Feb., 1926; Editor, Colored Society page, *Jacksonville Journal* (white daily), Feb., 1926-present; auth. "Scraps of Verses"; mem. Kappa Alpha Psi, K.O.P., Elks; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 600 W. Ashley St.; Residence, 514 W. Orange St., Jacksonville, Fla.

BROCK, HOWARD F.—Physician.

Graduate of University of Pennsylvania and Howard Univ.; Former Pres. of the Westfield Urban League; Treas. of the Progressive Realty Co.; Auxiliary Staff Member of Muhlenberg Hospital, Plainfield; mem. North Jersey Medical Society; Union County Medical Society; National Medical Society; Director, People's Finance Corp., of N. J.; Address, Westfield, N. J.

BUTLER, CYRIL FITZGERALD—Lawyer.

b. Aug. 31, 1894, Barbados, B.W.I.; s. Frederick and Matilda (Mann) Butler; educ. Combermere Coll., Barbados, B.W.I.; 1909-11; A.B. 1911; Harvard Summer Sch., 1916-17; Suffolk Law School, Boston, Mass., 1915-19; LL.B., 1919; Lawyer, 1919-present; contr. on Political and moral essays in newspapers and periodicals; mem. Masons; Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Office, 811-16 Pemberton Bldg., Boston, Mass.; Residence, 33 Kent Sq., Brookline, Mass.

BUTLER, FRANK S.—Music Teacher, Composer, School Director.

b. June 8, 1883, Phila., Pa.; s. James and Jane (Sparrow) Butler; educ. Pub. and Central High Sch., Phila., Pa.; Cambridge High Sch., Cambridge, Mass.; Inst. of Musical Art, New York, N. Y.; Musical Theory Dept., American Orchestral Society, New York, N. Y.; Teacher, Piano, Theory, Composition and General Musicianship; Dir. Butler Piano School, New York, N. Y., 1914-present; music, violin, piano, voice, orch.; comp. "Blossoms," pub. Emil Ascher, New York N. Y., 1927; "The Master School of Professional Piano Playing," an instruction book for beginners and advanced students, 1927; Pol. Republican; mem. Elks; Address, 158 W. 74th St., New York, N. Y.

Upon graduating from the Cambridge High in 1902 he entered the Eric Pape School of art; studied art three years under several teachers. He began his musical studies in 1905, his first instructor being Eugene Thayer of Boston, Mass. He has studied piano under A. M. Virgil, Carl Roeder, Frederick Riesberg (pupil of Liszt) and Alberto Jonas; Theory, Harmony and Composition under Theodore Tobani, Franklin D. Robinson, George A. Wedge and Mortimer Wilson, Pedagogy and General Musicianship under Charles L. Seeger, Jr., and George H. Gartlan; Sight Singing under Wilbur A. Luyster.

From 1909 to 1914 he was engaged in professional piano playing in New York City. In 1914 he established the present Butler Piano School, teaching piano, theory and harmony. His first studio was located at 122 W. 135th St., New York City, and since 1919 has been located at the present address.

CABLE, MRS. MARY E.—Educator.

m. George W. Cable; educ. High Sch., Leavenworth, Kans.; Teachers' Normal Sch.; Univ. of Chicago, Ill.; Columbia Univ., New York City; Indiana Univ.; Butler Univ.; Teacher, Public Sch., Topeka, Kans.; Teacher, Mathematics, Public School 23; Principal, School 24, Indianapolis, Ind.; Principal, School 4, Indianapolis, Ind.; Director, Practice, School Dept., Indianapolis; Address, Educational Dept., Indianapolis Ind.

Before separate schools were maintained for Colored pupils in Cincinnati, she helped to train sixty-one young teachers for the Indianapolis School System. Three are now Principals.

After thirty-seven years of service she retired. The Parent-Teachers Club gave a farewell reception at the building, and later the teachers entertained at Jordan Hall in the Phyllis Wheatley W.Y.C.A. in her honor.

CHAIRS, EMMA T.—Educator.

educ. Pearl High Sch., Nashville, Tenn.; State Normal Sch., Nashville, Tenn.; Teacher, Public

Sch., Nashville, Tenn.; Head of Dept. of Domestic Science, Colored High Sch., Knoxville, Tenn.; Teacher, Domestic Science, Austin High Sch., Knoxville, Tenn.; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, Austin High Sch., Knoxville, Tenn.

COOK, J. R. CONTEE—Physician.

b. March 29, 1893, Washington, D. C.; s. George M. and Melvina M. (Contee) Cook; m. Aisley L. Lindsey, Dec. 28, 1927; educ. B.S. Howard Univ., 1916; M.D. Howard Univ., 1919; Physician, 1920-present; Interne, Freedman Hospital, 1919-20; Associate Surgeon, Orthopedics, Freedman Hospital, 1920-29; Anesthetics, Freedman's Hospital, 1924-29; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Elks; Masons; N.A.A.C.P.; Provident Med. and Dent. Soc.; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 19 Kingston Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

COTTMAN, S. J.—Real Estate Operator-Importer and Exporter.

b. Sept. 13, 1886, Princess Anne, Md.; s. Daniel and Bessie (Burke) Cottman; m. Helen M. Henson; two children; educ. Baltimore Nor. Sch.; Coll. of Commerce, Phila., Pa.; courses in Finance; Organizer of co-operative projects; Founder of a number of Corporations; 103-9 W. 141st St., 137-9 West 142nd St., 1990 Seventh Ave.; 400 West 153rd St.; 1871 Seventh Ave., 1980 Seventh Ave.; Garrison Apts., Inc., 435 Convent Ave.; 166 W. 120th St., Corp.; 1864 Seventh Ave. Corp.; member of firm of Cottman & Co., Inc., importers and exporters, 1913-present; mem. Elks; Address, 435 Convent Ave., New York, N. Y.

DAVIS, CHARLES A.—Physician.

b. Knoxville, Tenn.; married; two children; educ. Public Sch., Knoxville, Tenn.; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn.; Physician, one of organizers and Trustee, Knoxville Colored Orphanage; Address, 201½ W. Vine Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.

DAVIS, JAMES T.—Physician.

Graduate of Howard University; Member of the North Jersey Medical Society; Union County Medical Society; National Medical Society; President, Elizabeth Branch of the N.A.A.C.P.; Examining Physician of the Pride of Union, I. B. P. O. E. W.; Victory Life Insurance, Northeastern Life Insurance; Director, People's Finance Corp. of New Jersey; Address, Elizabeth, N. J.

DAVIS, JOHN AUGUSTUS—Clergyman.

b. June 24, 1883, Ponce, Port-Au-Rico; s. John A. and Mary L. (James) Davis; educ. B.D., Lincoln Univ., 1898; Howard Univ., 1920-'21; Clergyman, 1910-present; Welfare worker, Y.M.C.A.; mem. Odd Fellows; Elks; Improved Order of Mechanics; Ancient Independent Order of Moses; American Woodmen; K. of P.; Mosaic Templars of America; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Residence, 117 D St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

DAWKINS, P. W.—Educator.

b. Durham, N. C.; educ. Public Sch., Durham, N. C.; Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Teacher, Manual Training, Austin High Sch., Knoxville,

Tenn.; Pres., Young Men's Civic and Welfare Club; Pres., Colored Department. East Tennessee Division Fair; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, Austin High School, Knoxville, Tenn.

DISMOND, MRS. GERALDYN HODGES —

b. July 29, 1894, Chicago, Ill.; d. Herbert and Mae (Powell) Hodges; educ. Wendell Phillips High School, 1909-'12; Univ. of Chicago, 1912-'15; Ph.B., 1915; Teacher, dramatic art and physical culture, Lincoln Inst. (State Sch. for Colored), Jefferson City, Mo.; Chicago Normal Coll., Teachers Training, 1916-'17; m. H. Binga Dismond, M.D., Dec. 15, 1917; Teacher and Clerk, Pub. Sch., Chicago, Ill., 1917-'23; Red Cross Nurse (Major), 1917-'18; Journalist, 1925-present; contr. "New York Social News," "Through the Lorgnette," Pittsburgh Courier, 1926-'27; "In New York Town," Chicago Bee, 1927-present; "Social Snapshots of Geraldyn Dismond," "Between Puffs by Lady Nicotine," Interstate Tattler; "New York Social Whirl," Afro-American Balt., Md., 1928-present; Organizer of Geraldyn Dismond Bureau of Specialized Publicity; Managing Editor, Interstate Tattler, 1927-1931; Associate Editor, 1931-present; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Women's Auxiliary of New York, Urban League; Honorary member, Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters and Maids; Women's Auxiliary of the Edgecombe Sanitarium; N. Y. Graduate Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Daughters of Elks, Manhattan Temple; Harlem Business Men's Club; Business and Professional Women's Club; Pol. non-aprtisan; Relig. Episcopalian; Address, 2370 Seventh Avenue, New York, N. Y.; Residence, 245 West 139th St., New York, N. Y.

First Negro woman commercial radio announcer. Made debut over WABC of Columbia Broadcasting System with Weekly Review of Events on Negro Achievement Hour. Announcer for Harlem Broadcasting Corporation over WGBS, WEVD, WRNY, WKBO, WWRL.

DIXON, MARY FELTS — Executive Secretary, Y.W.C.A.

b. April 27, 1878, Wilmington, Del.; d. Rev. and Dr. Cathe Calvin and Alice (Steward) Felts; m. Charles Sumner Dixon, Sept. 12, 1905; one child, Deborah. b. Oct. 26, 1915; educ. East Providence High Sch., East Providence, R. I.; Normal Course, N. J.; Theological Course, Mass.; auth. Opera, "Job: His Fall and Rise"; Ordained Minister, 1926; Teacher, Charlestown, R. I., two years; Teacher, New Jersey Manual Training Sch., Bordentown, N. J., two years; Teacher, Pub. Sch., Atlantic City, N. J., six years; Executive Secretary, Y.W.C.A., 14 years, in St. Paul, Minn.; Louisville, Ky.; Atlantic City, N. J., and Philadelphia, Pa.; mem. Y.W.C.A.; Women's Christian Temperance Union; National Assn. of Employed Officers Y.W.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. African Methodist Episcopal; Address, 1605 Catherine St.; Residence, 1712 Catherine St., Philadelphia, Pa.

DOWDY, JR., WILLIAM W.—University Dean.

b. Oct. 10, 1895, near Eastover, S. C.; s. William W. and Rebecca Dowdy; m. C. Almeta Odom,

Nov. 2, 1918; educ. Benedict Coll., 1914-18; A.B., Benedict Coll., 1918; State Univ. of Iowa, 1922-23; A.B., State Univ. of Iowa, 1923; Univ. of Chicago, graduate work, two quarters; Prof. and Dean of Men, Benedict Coll., 1919-22; Prof. of Biology and Dean of Men, Shaw Univ., 1923-present; Relig. Baptist; Address, Shaw University, Raleigh, N. C.

In 1926 he was awarded a fellowship by the General Education Board of New York City to study biological sciences in the University of Chicago for year, beginning January, 1927.

DRIVER, THOMAS DAVID—Clergyman.

b. Sept. 27, 1892, Birmingham, Ala.; s. William Pharris and Mary Ella (Morris) Driver; m. Lulu Estella Akers, Oct. 18, 1921; educ. Stillman Inst., Tuscaloosa, Ala.; Payne Univ., Selma, Ala., 1920; Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 1923; D.D. (Honorary), Western Univ., Quindaro, Kans., 1925; Clergyman, 1917-present; Pastor, Jonesboro and Westfield, Ala., 1919; Pastor, St. Luke's A.M.E. Church, Norborne, Mo., 1921; Pastor, Bethel Church, Chillicothe, Mo., 1921-'22; Pastor, St. Stephen Church, Liberty, Mo., 1923-'24; Pastor, Shaffer Chapel, Butte, Mont., 1925; Pastor, Handy Chapel, Joplin, Mo., 1926-'28; Pastor, Grant Chapel, Kansas City, Mo., 1928; Pastor, St. John's Church, Tulsa, Okla., 1929-'30; Pastor, St. Stephen's Church, Enid, Okla., 1931; Pastor, St. John's Church, Birmingham, Ala., 1932-present; Trustee, Greater Payne Univ., 1932-present; mem. Y.M.C.A.; N.A.A.C.P.; Treas. North Alabama Conference; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 712 N. 15th St., Birmingham, Ala.

ELKINS, WILLIAM CUTHBERT—Bass Baritone, Director.

b. Oct. 20, 1872, Washington, D. C.; s. Jasper and Sarah R. (Moore) Elkins; m. Mollie Sullivan, May 28, 1907; educ. Pub. Sch., Washington, D. C., 1893; Bass Baritone in the musical profession, 1893-present; Organizer and Director of Elkins Folk Song Singers, The Dextra Male Chorus, Elkins Negro Ensemble, Elkins Dextra Negro Chorus; was Choral Director, Clef Club, New York, N. Y., six years; mem. Hiram Lodge, F. & A. M.; Elks; Shriner; King David Consistory; Clef Club; Pol. Republican; Relig. C.M.E. Church; Address, 137 W. 127th St., New York, N. Y.

He was a protégé of Prof. J. T. Layton (music teacher in the public schools of Washington, D. C.), joining the Metropolitan A.M.F. Church Choir in the fall of 1892.

In September, 1893, he joined the Ednora Nahar Concert Company, at Chicago, Ill., the other members of the company being Rachel Walker, soprano; Joseph Douglass, violinist; Frank Waring, reader; Frederick Burch, pianist, and Ednora Nahar, elocutionist.

In 1896 he joined John W. Isham's "Oriental America," travelling with them one season. In 1898 he joined the Williams & Walker Company, remaining with them until 1908, excepting that the season 1900-01-02 was spent with the "Slayton Jubilee Singers," of Chicago, Ill., un-

der the direction of the Slayton Lyceum Bureau. While with the Williams & Walker Company he organized the "Williams & Walker Glee Club" and played the B. F. Keith circuit for three summers while the regular company was on vacation.

DWELLE, J. H.—Clergyman.

b. 1876, Americus, Ga.; ed.c. State College of Georgia; A.B., A.M., S.T.B., Lincoln Univ.; ordained Baptist Minister, 1900; President, Philadelphia Ministers' Conference and Pittsburgh Conference; Sec., Pennsylvania Baptist State Convention, twelve years; Chairman, Executive Board of the Convention, eight years; Representative of the Baptists of America in London at the Baptists' World Congress; President, Pennsylvania Baptist State Convention; Pastor, North Penn Baptist Church, Philadelphia, Penn., since 1916; Address, North Penn. Baptist Church, Philadelphia, Penn.

ENGLISH, JAMES N. T.—Teacher.

b. Oct. 4, 1882, Key West, Fla.; s. Nelson and Julia (Post) English; m. Arabella Leggett, 1917; educ. Atlanta Univ., 1900-07; A.B. and Ph.B., Univ. of Chicago, 1909; Taught, State College, Tallahassee, one year; Edward Waters College, Jacksonville, Fla., one year; Pub. Sch., Jacksonville and Key West, ten years; Teacher, Pub. Sch. 89, Manhattan, 1923-27; Teacher Math., Berrian Jr. High Sch., Brooklyn, N. Y., 1927-present; mem. N.A.A.C.P.; Southside Property Owners' Assn.; Jacksonian Associates; Residence 159-17, 109th Ave., Jamaica, L. I.

EDMEAD, JEDEDIAH—Clergyman.

b. Oct. 3, 1855, St. Kitts, B.W.A.; s. Edward and Maria (Willett) Edmead; m. Fannie Bryan, May 11, 1880; seven children, Lemona, Wilfred, Harold, Arthur, Reginald, Helen, Lillian; educ. Public Schools, St. Kitts, B.W.I.; studied for the ministry at Sisters of Bethany, Topeka, Kans., 1912-16; Clerk in shipping office; planter in B.W.I., for twenty-five years; came to U. S., in 1906; charge of missionary work among colored people, Oklahoma City Okla., 1916; ordained, 1916; Priest-in-Charge, Church of the Crucifixion, New York, 1916-present; mem. Masons; Address, 205 W. 142nd St., New York, N. Y.

FAULKNER, GEORGIA M. DE BAPTISTE—Social Worker.

b. Chicago, Ill.; d. Rev. Richard and Georgia (Brisco) De Baptiste; m. Dr. H. C. Faulkner; one child, Frederick; educ. South Division High Sch., Chicago, Ill.; Evanston Township High Sch., Evanston, Ill.; Knox Coll., Galesburg, Ill.; Chicago Musical Coll., Chicago, Ill.; Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.; Sec. to Pres., State Univ., Louisville, Ky.; Teacher, Music and Eng., Selma Univ., Selma, Ala.; Teacher, Languages, Lincoln Univ., Jefferson City, Mo.; Teacher, Languages and Music, Western Coll., Kansas City, Mo.; Clerk, Post Office Dept., Chicago, Ill., five years; Asst. Principal, Female Dept., Liberia Coll., Monrovia, Liberia, W. Africa; Social Worker, New York City, N. Y.; Teacher, Normal Dept., Clifton Forge Normal and Industrial Institute, Clifton Forge, Va.; Teacher, Va. Theological Seminary and Coll., Lynchburg, Va.; Social Worker, War Camp, Community Service Work, Chicago, Ill., Social Worker and Organizer, But-

ler Community, Chicago, Ill.; Supt., Home for Business and Working Young Women, supported by the Methodist Episcopal Church, Rock River Conference, Chicago, Ill.; National Pres., Women's Auxiliary National Baptist Convention; ex-Pres., District Teachers Inst., Chicago, Ill.; Pres. Emeritus, Women's National Baptist Convention; Organizer and ex-Pres., Mothers Union, in connection with Missionary Soc.; Organizer and ex-Pres., West Side Royal Circle of Friends of the World; mem. St. Lukes; Jean Baptiste DeSaible Club; Giles Charity Club; Amos A. Mathis Benevolent Club; N. A. A. C. P.; Urban League; Y.W.C.A.; World's Fellowship of Faiths; Relig. Baptist; Supervisor, Educational Dept., Youth's Conservation Council and School; Address, 3736 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

FENTRESS, EDWARD MAYFIELD—Funeral Director.

b. Nov. 19, 1888, Norfolk, Va.; s. Edward and Fannie (Godfrey) Fentress; m. Daphne Palmer, April 3, 1926; educ. Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va.; Funeral Director, 1924-present; Trustee, Community Hall, N. Y. City; Trustee, Harlem Registration League; Director, Hampton Alumni Assn.; mem. Metropolitan Funeral Directors' Assn.; Masons; Elks; Buffalos; St. Lukes; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2244 7th Ave.; Residence, 1975 7th Ave., New York City, N. Y.

FERGUSON, DAVID LeROY—Clergyman.

b. July 27, 1878, Lima, Ohio; s. Joseph and Carrie (Johnson) Ferguson; m. Maud Morris, Nov. 2, 1917; educ. St. Augustine Coll.; Zaneville High Sch.; Wilberforce Univ.; Howard Univ.; Harvard Univ.; Episcopal Theol. Seminary, Cambridge, Mass.; B.D. 1903; Y. M. C. A. Sec., France, Oct. 1917-Feb. 1919; Rector, Church of Our Merciful Saviour, Louisville, Ky., for fifteen years; Rector, St. Syprians Episcopal Church, Boston, Mass.; Residence, 46 Moreland St., Boston, Mass.

FERRELL, HILLIAD LEWIS—Fraternal Officer.

b. March 15, 1884, La Grange, Ga.; s. Lewis and Pacific (Hill) Ferrell; m. Mamie M. Daniels, Sept. 1, 1904; one child, Morlene M., b. Aug. 14, 1905; educ. Pub. Sch. Atlanta, Ga.; Grand Keeper of Record of Seals of the K. of P.; mem. N. A. A. C. P.; Y. M. C. A.; Urban League; K. of P.; Masons; Elks; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 277½ Auburn Ave.; Residence, 349 Irwin St., N.E., Atlanta, Ga.

FRAZIER, VICTORIA Q.—Publisher.

b. Feb. 28, 1893; Savannah, Ga.; d. John and Lizzie (Robinson); m. Luther Frazier, Oct. 18, 1915; educ. Beach High Sch., Savannah, Ga.; Manuscript Reviser, 1923-present; Author and Publisher, Guide of America; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 249 W. 11th St., New York City, N. Y.

FORD, ARNOLD JOSIAH—Rabbi.

b. Barbados, B. W. I.; s. Edward Thomas and Elizabeth Augusta (Braithwaite) Ford; two children, Aenid, b. Jan. 7, 1916; Arlein, b. Jan.

14, 1920; educ. Pub. Sch., Barbados, B. W. I.; studied music in all its branches; private tuition; was a pupil of the Hon. Edmestone Barnes, M. A., F.R.G.S., C.E.M.E., of London, England, ex-minister of Public Works, Republic of Liberia, W. A.; taught music for a number of years; Director and Band Master, New Amsterdam Musical Assn., 1912-20; Composer of the music of the Universal Ethiopian Anthem, the Hymn, "Shine On, Eternal Light"; Founded Congregation Beth B'nai Abraham, a synagogue for Aethiopian (Orthodox) Jews in America, 1924; Rabbi, 1924-present; one of the founders of Clef Club; mem. Past Master, Memmon Lodge, No. 51, Scottish Rite Masons (33°); Address, 117 W. 142d St., New York, N. Y.

He was at one time Assistant to Jim Europe, the original founder of the Clef Club, in New York City.

Studied Hebrew and the Talmud under Egyptian teachers.

The Congregation Beth B'nai Abraham purports to be a congregation of men and women from the West Indies, Arabia, Abyssinia, and other Eastern countries of the Jewish faith. They now reside in this country and term themselves Aethiopian Jews of America. He was called to the Rabbinate by this congregation in 1924.

GASKILL, VERNON—Furrier.

b. Oct. 19, 1893, Beaufort, N. C.; s. William and Medeline (Gaskill) Gaskill; m. Marian Wise, Dec. 31, 1923; educ. self-taught; Carpenter, Manufacturer of dolls' heads; Furrier, 1912-present; prop., Gaskill & Wise, Furriers, 1920-present; Address, 799 Marcy Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Residence, 806 Marcy Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

The concern of Gaskill & Wise is the only manufacturing furrier among colored people. Mrs. Gaskill, whose maiden name was Marian Wise, is co-partner with her husband in the business.

GASKIN, AMBROSE E.—Dentist.

— See 5th Edition.

GASKINS, BENJAMIN LOCKWOOD—Lawyer.

— See 5th Edition.

GATEWOOD, ALEXANDER ENRICO—Concert Singer, Teacher of Voice.

b. May 14, 1889, Atchison, Kan.; s. Alexander and Susan (Faulkner) Gatewood; educ. Mus. B., Univ. of Kansas, 1924; Juilliard Graduate Sch., 1925-27; Teacher of Voice, Langston Univ., Langston, Okla., one year; Organist and Director, Berean Baptist Church Choir, 1926-present; Studied with the leading vocal teachers of America, such as T. H. Reynolds (Colored); Harold Butler, now at Syracuse Univ., Syracuse, N. Y.; Dudley Bucks, Master Singing Class, Univ. of Kansas; Francis Rogers, New York City; Charles Sanford Skilton, Univ. of Kan.; Concert Tenor, Teacher of Voice, 1920-pres.; con., Westchester County Spiritual Chorus; Soloist, Hiawatha Glee Club, Washington, D. C.; mem. Elks; Pol. Re-

publican; Relig. Baptist. Residence, 180 Decatur St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

He was the winner of two scholarships in voice at the University of Kansas, and was awarded three Fellowships after competitive examinations at the Juilliard Musical Foundation, New York City.

GEIGER, ROBERT SIMUEL—Real Estate.

b. March 29, 1893, Columbia, S. C.; s. Erwin and Alice (Wilson) Geiger; m. Essie Weeks, Nov. 1, 1924; educ. Howard High Sch., Columbia, S. C.; Paine Coll., Augusta, Ga.; La Salle Extension Univ., Chicago, Ill.; Real Estate, 1920-present; formerly with Dandy-Dixie Minstrels; formerly with Pat Chappelle Rabbit Foot Co.; mem. Vice Pres., Fox Club; Elks; K. of P.; Masons; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Methodist; Address, 200 W. 135th St.; Residence, 176-19-Brickerhoff Ave., Jamaica, L. I.

GIBSON, JOHN TRUSTY—Owner of Theatres.

b. Feb. 4, 1878, Baltimore, Md.; s. George Henry and Elizabeth (Johns) Gibson; m. Ella Gibson, Sept. 15, 1914; educ. Morgan Coll., L.L.D. (Honorary); Operator of Theatres, 1912-present; mem. Chamber of Commerce; Bd. of Trade; Broad St. Assn.; Citizens Republican Club; Director, Douglass Hospital; Trustee, Morgan College; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, 4200 Spruce St., Philadelphia, Pa.

GILLESPIE, CHESTER KARL—Lawyer—Assemblyman.

b. April 4, 1897, Home City, Ohio; s. Warren and Lulu (Trail) Gillespie; m. Dorothy Thomas Gillespie, Sept. 27, 1924; educ. Baldwin-Wallace Coll., Law Dept., Berea, Ohio, L.L.B., 1920; Elected, Assembly, Ohio, 1932; Vice Pres., League of Republican Clubs, Cayuga Co., Ohio; Lawyer, 1920-present; Asst. Law Director, City of Cleveland, 1921; mem. Masons; Elks; Moose; American Legion; Kappa Alpha Psi; Pol. Republican; Relig. Congregationalist; Address, 530 Erie Bldg.; Residence, 2207 E. 80th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

He is a member of the Judicial Campaign Committee, Cleveland Bar Association, which Committee comprises the leading lawyers of Cleveland.

GILPIN, C. BERNARD—Insurance Official.

b. April 24, 1881, Richmond, Va.; s. St. James and Cordelia A. (Reese) Gilpin; m. J. Alverta Cohoon, Oct. 1, 1906; six children, Lyndall, b. Oct. 19, 1907; Cordelia A.; C. Bennett; Edna E.; Kate R.; C. Bernard, Jr.; educ. Richmond High Sch.; Gen Supt. and Director, Richmond Beneficial Ins. Co., 1902-present; ex-Vice-Pres., Nat. Negro Insurance Assn.; Director, Lawn Town Co., Inc.; mem. Ex-Grand Master of Masons of Va.; Elks; Astoria Beneficial Club; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 700 N. 2nd St.; Residence, 10 West Baker St., Richmond, Va.

GINN, LESLIE ELMORE—Educator.

b. June 23, 1891, Snow Hill, Md.; s. George Thomas and Laura Ellen (Coston) Ginn; m.

Sarah Marguerite McLean, June 9, 1920; two children, Ellen Louise, b. Aug. 22, 1921; Leslie Albert, b. March 2, 1923; educ. Grammar Sch., 1903-08; Downingtown Industrial Sch., 1910-11; Lincoln University, 1911-15; A.B. Lincoln Univ., 1915; Theology, 1915-18; S.T.B., Lincoln Univ., 1918; F.Th.S., Theological Soc. of England, London; Instructor, Cookman Inst., Jacksonville, Fla., 1919-20; Professor of Languages, Swift Memorial Coll., Rogersville, Tenn., 1920-21; Asst. Principal, Pub. Sch., Kimball, West Va., 1921-22; Principal, Andrew Robertson Inst., Aiken, S. C., 1924-32; Principal, Aiken Co. Pub. Sch., 1936-present; Charter mem., Omega Psi Phi; District Deputy and Grand Master, F. A. Masons, Aiken, Orangeburg, Bamberg County Moderator, McClelland Presbytery; Address, 905 York St., Aiken, S. C.

GRAIN, SHEPARD E.—Vice President Labor Organization.

b. April 3, 1891, New Bern, N. C.; s. Norris and Katie (Sprell) Grain; educ. High Sch., Lincoln, N. B.; Coll. of City of New York, New York City, N. Y.; Labor Student, Rand Sch. of Social Science; courses at Univ. of Southern California; one of the founders and Vice Pres., Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters; Field Representative of same since its organization; candidate for Member of Assembly, State of New York, from the 21st Assembly District, New York City, 1931; Pol. Democrat; Relig. Methodist; Address, 239 W. 136th St., New York City, N. Y.

GRAVES, LEMUEL EUGENE—Secretary, Insurance Company.

b. Feb. 22, 1877, Raleigh, N. C.; s. Willis M. and Eleanor E. (Winston) Graves; m. Louise M. Martin, Dec. 25, 1913; three children, Lemuel Eugene, b. Jan. 11, 1915; Louise Eleanor, b. Jan. 27, 1917; Dorothy Martin, b. Jan. 1, 1919; educ. Augustine Sch., 1903; A.B. Shaw Univ., 1906; B. S. Cornell Univ., 1910; Graduate Work, Columbia Univ.; Sec. and Gen. Mgr., Eagle Life Insurance Company, 1925-present; President, Raleigh Emancipation Society; Secretary, Negro Business League; Vice Pres., Raleigh Negro Welfare Chest; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Pol. Independent; Relig. Methodist; Address, 125 E. Hargett St.; Residence, 605 Oberlin Ave., Raleigh, N. C.

GREGG, HOWARD D.—Educator.

s. Alex and Eliza (Allen) Gregg; educ. A.B., Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa.; A.M., Teachers College, Columbia Univ. New York City, N. Y.; B.D., Yale Univ., New Haven, Conn.; Ph.D., Pennsylvania Univ., Philadelphia, Pa.; Dean of Education, Wilberforce Univ., Wilberforce, O., 4 years; ex-Instructor, Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.; Director, Department of Education, Virginia Univ., Richmond, Va., 1936-present; Pres., Negro State Teachers Assn. of Ohio; Address Virginia Union Univ., Richmond, Va.

HAMILTON, WILLIAM NATHANIEL—Dentist.

b. May 18, 1889, New Haven, Conn.; s. Ellis and Melissa (Fisher) Hamilton; m. Laura Ardena Ringgold, Aug. 14, 1913; educ. Univ. of Penn., 1909-12; D.D.S. 1912; Dentist, 1912-present; Dental Examiner, U. S. Veterans' Bureau; mem. N. A.A.C.P.; Welfare Federation; Alpha Phi Alpha; Jackson Dental Society; Professional Club of

Phila.; Pol. Republican; Address, 29 N. 42nd St., Philadelphia, Penn.

HARDY, JAMES H.—Educator.

b. Knoxville, Tenn.; educ. Colored High Sch., Knoxville, Tenn.; A.B., Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C.; Principal, Rosenwald Sch., Madisonville, Tenn.; Principal, Public Sch., Etowah, Tenn.; mem. Odd Fellows; Relig. Baptist; Address, 510 Owen St., Knoxville, Tenn.

HARDY, WALTER S. E.—Physician.

b. Charleston, S. C.; educ. Johnson C. Smith Univ., Charlotte, N. C., 1909; M.D., Meharry Medical Coll., Nashville, Tenn., 1913; Physician, 1913-present; Post-Graduate Work, Univ. of Chicago; mem. Knoxville Medical Soc.; Upper East Tennessee Medical Council; Volunteer State Medical Assn.; Masons; Elks; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 202½ W. Vine Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.

HAWKINS, WALLACE O.—Athletic Director.

m. Louise De Jarnette; two children; educ. Knoxville Coll., Knoxville, Tenn.; Postal Clerk, Chicago, Ill.; Director, Athletic Dept., Knoxville Coll., Knoxville, Tenn.; Address, Knoxville College, Knoxville, Tenn.

HENDERSON, N. A.—Physician.

educ. Knoxville College, Knoxville, Tenn.; Beloit Coll.; B.S., University of Wisconsin; M.D., Howard Univ., Washington, D.C.; Regimental Sergeant Major, American Forces during the World War; mem. Alpha Phi Alpha; Relig. Methodist Episcopal; Address, 123 E. Vine Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.

HOUGH, CHARLES STANLEY—Physician.

b. Feb. 7, 1891, Jamestown, Ohio; s. Ross W. and Arnetta C. (Day) Hough; educ. Jamestown High Sch., 1908; Wilberforce Normal and Industrial Sch., 1910; Howard Univ., 1922; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., 1926; Interne, Provident Hosp.; Physician, 1926-present; mem. Staff of the Maternity Clinic of Provident Hosp.; Am. Woodmen; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 3036 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.

He volunteered and served with the A.E.F. in France for two years. Commissioned Second Lieutenant.

HUNTER, ANDREW L.—Physician.

b. Oct. 29, 1879, Hearne, Robinson Co., Texas; s. George and Hallie (Hayes) Hunter; m. Lucy M. Parrish, Aug. 15, 1908; three children, Parrish; Mancia; Constance; educ. Hearne Academy; Bishop Coll.; Howard Univ., Medical Dept.; Univ. of Indiana; Meharry Medical Coll.; Physician; Proprietor, The Hunter Clinic Sanitarium and Bath House, largest Bathing Institution in the State of Texas for Colored people; mem. Lone Star State Medical Assn.; President, Central Texas District Medical Assn.; Mason; Pilgrim; K. of P.; Am. K. of L.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, The Hunter Clinic, Marlin, Texas.

ISAACS, E. W. D., Jr.—Sec., Nat. B.Y.P.U. Board.

b. Dec. 24, 1884, Waskom, Tex.; s. E. W. D. and Esther (Choice) Isaacs; m. Minnie M. Polk, Dec.

1923; educ. High Sch., Dallas, Tex.; Bishop Coll., Marshall, Tex.; Arkansas Baptist Coll., Little Rock, Ark.; Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala.; Spec. Stud., Phelps Bible Training Sch., Tuskegee, Ala.; Special Student, Winona Lake Inst., Winona, Ind., 1927-28; Manager, Clarion Printing Co., Nashville, Tenn., 1912-32; Manager, National B.Y.P.U. Board, 1922-present; Sec., National B.Y.P.U. Board, 1931-present; Song Director, Sunday Sch. and B.Y.P.U. Congress, 1912-32; Treas., American Baptist Theol. Seminary, Nashville, Tenn., 1931-present; Master Printer, Nashville, Tenn., 1912-present; Editor, Clarion Magazine, 1931-present; mem. Masons; Elks; National Baptist Convention, Inc.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 409 Gay St.; Residence, 919 11th Ave., N., Nashville, Tenn.

JOHNSON, EVERETT WARREN—Social Worker.

b. Feb. 16, 1896, Philadelphia, Pa.; s. William T. M. and Hattie P. (Boyd) Johnson; m. Olive Chase Carney, Jan. 5, 1918; three children, Pauline Carney, b. Jan. 27, 1920; Everett Warren, Jr., b. Feb. 8, 1922; Wallace Carney, b. March 24, 1926; educ. Pennsylvania State Coll., 1916-17; Univ. of Penn., 1922-24; B.S., in Ed., 1924; Boy's advisor, athletic director, instructor in social science and biology, St. Augustine's Coll., Raleigh, N. C.; Associate editor, Christian Recorder, Phila., Pa., 1919-21; Executive Sec., Nat. Student Council, Protestant Episcopal Church for Negroes, 1924-27; Executive Sec., Frederick Douglass Community Association, 1927-present; mem. Delta Eta Sigma honorary collegiate fraternity; Phi Lambda Chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha; American Legion; Masons; Citizens Club of Philadelphia; Cosmopolitan Club, Raleigh, N. C.; La Malta Club, Phila., Pa.; Utopian Club, Toledo, Ohio; Social Workers Club, Toledo, Ohio; Pol. Republican; Relig. Protestant Episcopal Church; Address, 16 N. 10th St., Toledo, Ohio.

During the World War he graduated from Fort Des Moines Training Camp as 1st Lieut. of Infantry, served with the 349th F.A. in this country and overseas. Graduated from School of Fire Field Artillery at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and commissioned 1st Lieut. of Field Artillery, commanding Battery E., 349th F.A. during the duration of the war. This Battery was mentioned in general orders of the Brigade.

He founded the National Student Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church for Negroes and when he left it to become executive secretary of the Frederick Douglass Community Association of Toledo, its strength was sixty units in the various colored colleges throughout the United States. The purpose of the organization is to keep the colored college students in touch with the church.

ASAPANSA-JOHNSON, COMNA—Clergyman.

b. Oct. 3, 1892, Freetown, Sierra Leone, Africa; s. George A. and Anna Juliette (Sawyer) Comna-Johnson; m. Effie Bertha Leigh, Nov. 25, 1920; one child, Christian Pius Ayodele, b. Feb.

27, 1924; educ. Wesleyan Boy's High Sch.; Fourah Bay Coll.; B.D., Durham Univ., England, 1912; M.A., Durham Univ., 1919; Dip.Th. Durham, 1919; A.C.P., London College for Preceptors, 1921; Foundation Scholarship and Junior Essay Prizeman, London College; Clergyman, ordained, 1916; Associate Editor, The Sa-Leone Echo, 1915-27; Principal, Collegiate School, Sa-Leone, 1921-28; Member Board of Education, Sa-Leone, 1921-25; County Secretary, Boy Scouts, Sa-Leone; Chaplain to the Mayor, Freetown, Sierra Leone, 1923-26; Traveling Scholarship, Phelps Stokes, to Negro Schools and Universities, 1928-29; mem. Past Master, Mason, Lodge Academic 1138 S.C. 18 degree, Grand Lodge of England, Orion Chapter, Sa-Leone; Relig. Episcopal; Address, 122 Putnam Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

JOHNSON, DEACON—Musical Contractor.

b. Aug. 12, 1878, Pine Bluff, Ark.; s. Mayo and Charity (Mack) Johnson; m. Blanche A. Kelley, Aug., 1912; one child, Fred William, b. May 4, 1915; educ. Pub Sch., Pine Bluff, 3 years; studied music under private teachers in Montreal, Canada, and U. S.; Musical Leader and Entertainer, World's Fair, Chicago, 1893; Montreal, Canada, 1893-1900; New York City for a while; Itinerant Musician, traveling all States East of Mississippi and Canada, 1900-03; Musical Contractor, New York City, 1903-present; President and Directing Manager, Clef Club, City of New York, 1915-19; Founder and Directing Manager, Deacon Johnson's Exchange Studio; mem. Associated Musicians of Greater New York, Local No. 802; Masons; Elks; K. of P.; F.&A.M. (Prince Hall, Hiram Lodge No. 4); Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 201 West 145th St., New York, N. Y.

As Musical Contractor he has since 1903 furnished units for entertaining at many private homes, clubs and hotels. Among them were Rector's, Shanley's, Delmonico's, Hotel Martinique, Hunter Island Inn, Avery's Five-Mile Hook, Blue Point, Hotel Astor, and Bellevue-Stratford, Philadelphia, Pa.

In October, 1925, Deacon Johnson and his orchestra furnished music for the "Safety Special" sent out by the New York Central Lines, the purpose of which was to add fresh impetus to the safety work of the Road. This unit covered 13,000 miles of the railroad main line track and played before more than 175,000 employees. The unit was composed of Negro entertainers, singers and players under his personal direction.

JOHNSON, MRS. MARY EDWARDS—Educator.

b. Athens, Ga.; d. Cicero and Eliza (Hawkins) Edwards; m. William Dean Johnson, April 16, 1914; four children, Juanita Addie, b. Jan. 7, 1915; Irene Iola, b. Dec. 19, 1917; Yolande Eliza, b. Oct. 11, 1923; William Cicero, b. June 1, 1926; educ. West Broad High Sch., Athens, Ga.; graduate of Atlanta Univ.; Teacher, Athens, Ga.; Founder, The Mary Edwards Johnson School, Atlantic Highlands, N. J., 1914-20; in

New York, 1920-present; Supervisor of same, 1914-present; Address, 2042 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y.

JORDAN, LEROY—Lawyer.

b. Sept. 1895, Wilmington, N. C.; s. Richard and Florence (Maddix) Jordan; m. Grace Bond, Jan. 24, 1923; educ. Gregory Nor. Inst., Wilmington, N. C., 1917; Talladega Coll. 1917-18; U.S.A., Camp Meade, Md., 1918-19; Howard Law Sch., 1919-22; LL.B. 1922; admitted, Bar, Kokomo, Ind., 1923; practice in Indiana, until 1924; Elizabeth, N. J., 1925-present; mem. Trustee, League of Neighbors, Elizabeth, N. J.; Adj. Colonel Young Post, No. 134, American Legion, Elizabeth, N. J., 1927-present; Tau Delta Sigma; Pres., N. J. State Assn. of Elks; Dist. Deputy, Newark Dist. of Elks; N.A.A.C.P.; Doric Lodge No. 19, F.A.A.M.; Address, 58 Broad St., Elizabeth, N. J.

He was admitted to the North Carolina Bar January, 1922, six months before graduation.

LAWSON, EARL MARLAN—School Principal.

b. Dec. 2, 1890 Leavenworth, Kans.; s. James and Alice M. (Wilson) Lawson; educ. Leavenworth, Sr., High Sch., Leavenworth, Kans., 1910; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1917; Univ. of Chicago, Ill., 1927; 2nd Lieut. World War, 1917-19; Principal, Lincoln Sch., Leavenworth, Kans., 1919-present; Eminent Commander, Knight Templars, 1934-present; P. G. Orator, Prince Hall Grand Lodge, Kans.; Boy Scouts of Amer.; mem. Masons, 32 degree; Shriner; Phi Beta Sigma; National Educational Assn. Veterans of Foreign Wars; American Legion; Pol. Republican; Relig. A. M. E.; Address, Lincoln Sch.; Residence, 316 Kiowa St., Leavenworth, Kans.

LAWSON, MONROE W., Jr.—High School Principal.

b. Dec. 25, 1895, Willis, Tex.; s. Monroe W. and Annie L. (Barker) Lawson; m. Mattie Leola Byrd, Dec. 26, 1918; four children, Annie Eloise; Monroe W., III, b. April 10,; Gladys Ruth, b. April 3, 1929; Jimmie Lee, b. May 26, 1931; educ. Prairie View State Coll., Prairie View Tex.; Teacher Public Sch., 1916-18; Principal and Agricultural Teacher, Montgomery High Sch., Montgomery, Tex., 1918-present; Sergt., Med. Corp., Word War, serving 18 months; mem. Texas State Teachers Assn.; National Teachers Assn.; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, Box 111, Montgomery, Texas.

He succeeded his father as the Principal of the High School in Montgomery, Tex., which at that time had 4 teachers. This has been enlarged so that now there are 12 teachers and 404 pupils.

MARTIN, JAMES I.—Manufacturer.

b. Oct. 16, 1879, Glasgow, Ky.; s. Samuel and Eliza Jane (Davidson) Martin; m. Francis Baird, Oct. 15, 1905; two children, Jane Elizabeth, b. Nov. 25, 1906; James D., b. July 31, 1912; educ. Attacks High School, Indianapolis, Ind.; A.B., Butler Coll., 1928; Manufacturer, Duck Clothes,

Martin Bros., Indianapolis, Ind., 1909-present; Address, 214 Indiana Ave.; Residence, 2711 Indianapolis Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

MARTIN, JESSE H.—Salesman.

b. Nov. 30, 1890, Indianapolis, Ind.; s. Samuel and Elizabeth Jane (Davidson) Martin; educ. Manuel Training High School, 1911; Vice Pres., Martin Bros., Duck Clothes Manufacturers; Salesman, Martin Bros.; Address, 214 Indiana Ave.; Residence, 514 Blackford St., Indianapolis, Indiana.

MARTIN, SAMUEL—Manufacturer.

b. May 23, 1886, Indianapolis, Ind.; s. Samuel and Elizabeth Jane (Davidson) Martin; m. Carrie Boyer, Aug. 7, 1916; educ. High Sch., Indianapolis, Ind.; Manuel Training High School, Indianapolis, Ind., 1908; Manufacturer, Textile Uniforms and Aprons, 1909-present; Sec. and Treas., Martin Bros.; Pres., Trustee Bd., Simpson M.E. Ch.; Pres., Columbia Place Welfare League; Relig. Methodist; Address, 214 Indiana Ave.; Residence, 4073 Cornelius Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

OFFUTT, WALTER PHILIP—Clergyman.

b. April 29, 1882, Logan Co., Ky.; s. William and Amanda (Taylor) Offutt; m. Margaret Smith, Sept. 27, 1910; five children, Walter Philip, Jr.; William Robert; Juanita H.; Charles Eugene; Edwina A.; educ. A.B., Simmons Univ., Louisville, Ky., 1909; B.D., 1911; D.D. (Honorary) Simmons Univ., 1930; Editorial Staff, Sunday Sch Teacher, Nash, Tenn., 1915-25; Clergyman, 1911-present; Pastor, Second Baptist Church, Owenton, Ky., 1912-13; Pastor Second Baptist Church, La Grange, Ky., 1914-18; Pastor Portland Baptist Church, Louisville, Ky., 1918-22; Executive Sec., Sunshine Soc. Center Baptist Forward Movement, 1917-22; Pastor, State Street Baptist Church, Bowling Green, Ky., 1922-31; Pastor, Calvary Baptist Church, Louisville, Ky., 1931-present; Moderator, 1924-present; ex-Pres., Executive Committee, N. A. A. C. P.; Kentucky State Vice-Pres., National Baptist Convention, Inc., three years; Deputy Assessor, Gary, Ind.; mem. Masons; Federal Council of Churches; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2309 W. Chestnut St., Louisville, Ky.

PITTMAN, MERCER CHARLES—Clergyman.

b. Feb. 6, 1890, Fort Gaines, Ga.; s. Henderson and Silvia (Jenkins) Pittman; m. Pinkie I. Gilbert, Nov. 11, 1914; educ. Hartford High Sch., Hartford, Conn., 1919; Moody Bible Inst., Chicago Univ.; Baptist Sem., Chicago, Ill.; Clergyman, 1915-present; Pastor, Mt. Calvary Ch., Hartford, Conn., 1916-23; Asst. Pastor, Ebenezer Missionary Baptist Church, Chicago, Ill., 1931-present; Evangelistic work in various cities, 1923-31; Sec., United Order of Benevolent, 1914; mem. Masons; Elks; K. of P.; National Baptist Convention; Northward River District Assn.; Baptist Illinois State Convention; Chicago District Convention; Baptist Ministers Alliance; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 4501 Vincennes Ave.; Residence, 4631 Evans Ave., Chicago, Ill.

PRICE, WILLARD J.

b. Sept. 19, 1881, Danville, Va.; s. Henry and

Betty Price; m. Helen A. Howland, Sept. 3, 1906; two children, Helen W., b. Oct. 15, 1917; Betty, b. Dec. 17, 1927; Inventor; Distributor, Portable Booths for Bazaars and Expositions; Address, 40 Putnam Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

RAGLAND, JOHN MARSHALL—Executive Secretary, Urban League.

b. Oct. 5, 1890, Jackson, Ohio; s. William and Maria (Waller) Ragland; m. Elizabeth McElroy, Jan. 26, 1926; one child, John M., Jr. (deceased), b. April 17, 1927; Albert McElroy, b. March 20, 1929; educ. Waller High Sch., 1909; Emanuel Missionary Coll., Baring Springs, Mich., 1912; Univ. of Michigan, 1919; LL.B., Simmons Univ., 1925; A.B., 1930; Graduate Student, Univ. of Cincinnati, 1931-32; Special course, Boys' Work, Columbia Univ., New York City, 1930; Executive Sec. Urban League, Louisville, Ky., 1923-1929; Executive Sec., Urban League, Cincinnati, O., 1929-present; Contr. Articles in newspapers, magazines; Industrial Sec., Detroit Urban League, 1917-23; was appointed State Chairman, "Better Homes in America"; mem. Menelek Club; N.A.A.C.P.; Y.M.C.A.; Pres., Phi Beta Sigma, Louisville; Organizer, Nat. Intercollegiate Students Assn. (formed in Detroit, 1921); Mayor's Christmas Committee, 2 years; Mayor's Committee, Observance of the Nat. Music Week, 1928; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address 727 Park Ave., Warren, Ohio.

REED, HUGH MILLER—Clergyman.

b. March 12, 1893, Raymond, Miss.; s. Rev. Douglas Hamilton and Frances (Reynolds) Reed; m. Ada Frances Beamon; educ. Le Nair High Sch., Jackson, Miss.; B.S., Campbell Coll., Jackson, Miss., 1909; S.T.B., Boston Univ., Boston, Mass., 1923; Teacher, Printing, Jackson, Miss., 1908-09; Pastor, Murphy's Chapel, Sharon, Miss., 1914-17; Pastor, Tasker Chapel, Ponchatola, La., 1918; Pastor, Petty's Metropolitan Church, New Orleans, La., 1919-24; Pastor, Smith Memorial Church, Duquoin, Ill., 1925; Pastor, St. Peter's A.M.E. Zion Church, Meridian, Miss., 1926; Pastor, St. James Church, Wilmington, N. C., 1927-28; Pastor, Rush Memorial Church, Cambridge, Mass., 1928-31; Pastor, St. Paul A.M.E. Church, Atlanta, Ga., 1932-present; Clergyman, 1914-present; Pres., Ministers Alliance, Atlanta, Ga., 1933-present; mem. Masons; Odd Fellows; K. of P.; Pol. Republican; Relig. A.M.E. Zion; Address, 101 Boulevard, N.E.; Residence, 160 Boulevard, N.E., Atlanta, Ga.

While Pastor in New Orleans he built Petty's Metropolitan Church which with land, buildings and equipment is valued at \$60,000.

ROBB, FREDERIC H. HAMMURABI—Editor-Lawyer-Interpreter.

educ. High Sch., Hartford, Conn., 1920; A.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.; J.D., Northwestern Univ., Chicago, Ill., 1927; auth. "The Book of Achievement"; "The Negro in Chicago, 1779-1927"; Correspondent and Feature Writer, Pittsburgh Courier, Pittsburgh, Pa.; also Chicago Defender and Philadelphia Tribune; Associated Negro Press; Special articles on African Culture, Tradition and Economic Possibilities; Secretary, His Grace, Duke Kwesi N. Kuntu,

Heir to Stool, Gold Coast, West Africa, or Ashanti, and the World's Fair; Tutored, High Sch. and Coll. Subjects, Atlantic City, N. J., and Hartford, Conn., two summers; Pres. and Director, Inter-Collegiate Club, Inc.; Fostered the National and International Youth Conference, 1929; Lecturer and Orator; mem. Executive Board, Chicago Y.M.C.A.; Director of Tours, Chicago World's Fair; mem. H. U. Class President, 1921; Northwestern Club; Kappa Sigma; Delta Sigma Phi; Address, 4104 Vincennes Ave., care A. Tarkington, Chicago, Ill.

In the last four years he has traveled in thirteen countries in Europe, Africa, and North America, making a comparative study of social and economic conditions, addressing over 210,000 people of all Races, and visiting most of the leading Universities of Europe and America.

ROYALL, JOHN M.—Real Estate Operator.

b. Dec. 16, 1873, Halifax County, Va.; s. Pinckney P. and Lucy A. (Ragsdale) Royall; m. Pauline Crawford; one child, John M., Jr., b. Oct. 3, 1914; educ. Pub. Sch., White Oak Grove, Va.; Vir. Normal and Collegiate Inst., Petersburg, Va., four years; B.D., Vir. Theol. Seminary and Coll., Columbia Univ., course in real estate; Real Estate and Insurance, 1907-present; contr. various periodicals and newspapers; editor and publisher, New York Dispatch, 1919-20; Pres., Harlem Allied Associates; Pres., Laylor Realty Corp.; Pres., Roljay Realty Corp.; Chairman, Uptown Real Estate Board; Board of Directors, Assn. of Trade and Commerce, Jan., 1928-present; mem. Monarch Lodge, I.B.P.O.E. of W. No. 45; F. & A. M., K. of P.; Phi Beta Sigma; Pol. Republican; Relig. Presbyterian; Address, 21 W. 134th St., New York, N. Y.

SMITH, MARTHA LEE GLADYS—Professor.

b. Jan. 2, 1901, Richmond, Va.; d. Junius Archer and Fannie Parker (Jones) Smith; educ. B.A., Hartshorn Memorial Coll., 1922; B.A., Va. Union Univ., 1924; S.M., Univ. of Chicago, 1930; Math. Teacher, Academy, Va. Union Univ., 1920-27; Acting Principal, Academy, Va. Union Univ., 1926-27; Principal, 1927-29; Professor Math., Va. Union Univ., 1929-present; Pres., Business and Professional Women's League, Richmond, Va.; mem. Committee of Management, Phyllis Wheatley Branch, Y.W.C.A.; American Mathematical Assn.; Alpha Kappa Alpha; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, Virginia Union University; Residence 2 W. Baker St., Richmond, Va.

SMITH, RELLIFORD STILLMON—Physician.

b. Nov. 30, 1889, Sumpter Co., Americus, Ga.; s. Dennis and Mollie (Daniels) Smith; m. Gertrude Savage, August 17, 1920; educ. Americus Inst., Ga., 1909; Leonard Med. Coll., Raleigh, N. C., 1910-14; M.D., Univ. of West Tenn., Memphis, Tenn., 1914; M.D., Meharry Med. Coll., Nashville, 1916; Regents, State of New York, Nov. 4, 1914; Regents, State of New Jersey; Bookkeeper and Butcher, City Market, Americus, Ga., 1909-10; Pullman Porter and Steam-boat waiter (summer months), 1911-16; Physician, 1916-present;

ex-Pres., Macon Academy of Medicine and Surgery, Ga.; Local Med. Examiner and Member of Bd. of Directors, Guaranty Life Ins. Co.; mem. Lambda Phi Chapter; Omega Psi Phi; John Andrew Clinical Soc., Tuskegee Inst., Ala.; Georgia State Med. Assn.; Nat. Med. Assn.; served as Asst. Regimental Surgeon, U. S. Army, new Receiving Camp-infirmery at Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga.; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 319½ Broadway; Residence, 522 Monroe St., Macon, Ga.

SMITH, RICHARD R.—Real Estate Operator.

Pres., The Hudson Co. Colored Choral Assn., 1927-present; Rec. Sec., Business and Professional Men's Assn. of New Jersey; Member of Firm, Triad Realty Co., 1923-present; Address, 238 Fairmount Ave., Jersey City, N. J.

SMITH, RUTHERFORD B. HAYES—Deputy Prosecutor.

b. March 4, 1877, Westchester, Pa.; s. William H. and Hannah E. Smith; m. Carrie E. Mills, March 25, 1916; educ. Hampton Inst., Hampton, Va., 1900; LL.B., Howard Univ., Washington, D. C., 1907; Lawyer, 1909-present; Asst. Sec., Marion Co. Lawyers Club, Indianapolis, Ind.; Deputy Prosecutor, Marion Co., 1914-18; 1931-present; Speaker, Democratic Speakers Bureau, local and National; Tenor Soloist, Bethel A.M.E. Church; mem. National Bar Assn.; Pol. Democrat; Relig. A.M.E.; Address, 452½ E. Court St.; Residence, 713 North West St., Indianapolis, Ind.

SMITH, THOMAS HENRY—School Principal.

b. May 2, 1904, Charlotte, N. C.; s. John and Janie (Agrage) Smith; m. Bessie Waddell, Sept. 12, 1926; one child, Thomas Henry, Jr., b. Sept. 17, 1927; educ. A.B., Livingstone Coll., Salisbury, N. C., 1927; auth. A Play, "An Orphans Reward"; Teacher, Pub. Sch., Norwood, N. C., 1927-present; Principal, ——— present; mem. Pres., two years, Stanley Co. Teachers Assn.; State Teachers Assn.; District Pres., Christian Endeavor; Good Samaritan; Phi Beta Sigma; Pol. Republican; Relig. Methodist; Address, P. O. Box, 234, Norwood, N. C.

SMITH, THOMAS JEWELL—Clergyman.

b. Sept. 20, 1871, Ballard Co., Ky.; s. Isaac N. and Ellen Smith; m. Emma Thompson, 1898; three children, Marian Ellen, b. Sept., 1899; Jewell Winn, b. March, 1906; Clarence Adkins, b. Oct., 1910; educ. Ky. Nor. & Ind. Inst., Frankfort, Ky., 1892-96; A.B. Simmons Univ., Louisville, Ky.; B.D. Bonebrake Sem., 1925; Principal, High Sch., Versailles, Ky., 1896-1917; Pastor, Zion Baptist Ch., Paris, Ky., 1912-1917; Pastor of Zion Baptist Ch., Dayton, O., 1917-26, while holding the Principalship at Versailles; Historian, Kentucky State Teachers Assn., 1900-17; Moderator, Western Union Baptist Assn., 1925-present; auth. "The Boy Problem, in Church, School and Home," pub. State Normal Press, 1903; mem. Odd Fellows; Masons; Am. Woodmen; Mosaic Templars; Trustee, Nat. Baptist Theol. Sem., Nashville, Tenn.; Served as Grand Chaplain of the Masons for the jurisdiction of Kentucky in 1917; District Grand Secretary, Odd Fellows, 1900-10 and District Grand Master from 1912-14; District Grand Master, Mosaic Templars, Ohio; a mem. Executive Board, Ohio Baptist General Assn., 1928; Relig. Baptist; Address, 230

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He was elected Moderator of the Western Union Baptist Association, which includes southern and western Ohio, in 1923 and served until July, 1926. Was the only Moderator to receive a third term during the past twenty-five years.

SAULTER, CHARLES REED—Teacher.

b. Mar. 7, 1894, Wake Forest, N. C.; s. (Rev.) D. S. and Martha A. Sauter; m. Pearle F. Crawford, Sept. 15, 1919 (deceased), July 13, 1920; second marriage, Johanna G. Sawyer, (divorced), May 29, 1922; educ. High Point N. and I. Inst., High Point, N. C., 1901-12; Lincoln Univ., Chester Co., Pa., 1912-19; A.B., 1916; S. T. B., 1919, Lincoln Univ.; A.M., Univ. of Penn., 1930; Colgate-Rochester Divinity Sch., Rochester, N. Y., Graduate study, 1932-33; Univ. of Chicago, Graduate study, 1933-35; Chicago Normal Coll., 1937; Teacher, Science and Mathematics, Booker T., Washington High Sch., Columbia, S. C., 1919-20; Teacher, Science and Education, State Normal Sch., Elizabeth City, N. C., 1920-23; Teacher, Science and Mathematics, Merchant St. Jr., High Sch., Coatsville, Pa., 1923-25; Teacher, Education and Science, St. Paul Normal and Industrial Sch., Lawrenceville, Va., 1925-27; Teacher, New Lincoln Sch., Trenton, N. J., 1927-30; Professor, Religious Education, Bennett Coll. for Women, Greensboro, N. C., 1930-32; Teacher and Statistician, F. E. R. A., Chicago, Ill., 1934-present; mem. Beta Chapter of Omega Psi Phi; National Assn. of Biblical Instructors; N. A. A. C. P.; Pol. Independent; Relig. Baptist; Address, 716 Washington St., East, High Point, N. C.

STRONG, EDUARDE—Secretary National Negro Congress.

b. Tennessee; educ. Emmerson High Sch., Flint, Mich.; Univ. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.; National Secretary, Youth Division, National Negro Congress; Spokesman, American Delegation, World's Youth Conference, sponsored by the League of Nations Committee, Geneva, Switzerland, 1936; with the American Delegation he also visited France and Spain and spoke on vital interests to their Nationals; Address, Howard University, Washington, D. C.

SMITH, ALVIN D.—Editor-Publisher.

b. June 24, 1898, Hobson City, Ala.; s. Thomas and Annie Eliza Smith; m. Celestine Walker, July 11, 1921; educ. Hobson City Sch., Ala., 1906-13; Tuskegee Inst., Tuskegee, Ala., 1914-19; graduated with honors as Class-Poet, Honor Roll in Printing Sch., Editor-in-Chief of Class Organ, Sec. of Class, Captain in Military Dept., Pres. of Progressive Students Printers Assn., Student Y.M.C.A. Sec.; Howard Univ., 1918; Instructor of Printing, Morris Brown Univ., Atlanta, Ga., 1919-20; Mgr., Prtg. Co., Springfield, O.; Mang. Editor, Indianapolis Ledger, 1920-21; Adver. Mgr., Indianapolis Recorder, 1921-22; Indianapolis Representative, Chicago Defender, 1922-27; Editor and Sec., Cincinnati Bulletin, 1929-present; Instructor, Printing, Orphans Home, Marion County, Indianapolis, Ind., 1925-27; mem. Elks; A.V.K. & D.M.A.; Y.M.C.A.; Monday Luncheon Club; Civic Organizations; Pol. Republican; Relig. Baptist; Address, 434 W. 7th St.; Residence, 3064 Mather St., Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, O.

Campaign Manager, Frank A. B. Hall,

Councilman, Cincinnati, O., 1930; Pres., A. D. S., Newspaper Syndicate, 1931-present.

The A. D. S. Newspaper Syndicate, of which he is the President, published three newspapers, The Akron, O., Post; Youngstown, O., Recorder, and the Huntington, W. Va., Sun.

SULLIVAN, J. WRIGHT—Dentist.

b. March 19, 1894, Wilmington, N. C.; s. Charles and Abbie (Holmes) Sullivan; m. Geneva Mathis, 1922; one child, John Aubrey, b. June, 18, 1924; educ. Gregory Normal Inst., 1911; Shaw Univ., 1912-13; Howard Univ., 1915; Dental Sch., 1916-18; Dentist, 1920-present; mem. Elks (Past Exalted Ruler, Phila., Pa.); Kappa Alpha Psi; Nat. Med. Assn.; William A. Jackson Dental Society; Staff, Mercy Hospital; Pol. Independent; Relig., A.M.E. Zion; Address, 16th and South Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

TERRY, WATT—Real Estate Operator.

b. Virginia; Asst. Janitor, Y.M.C.A., Brockton, Mass.; edge setter in shoe factory, Brockton, Mass.; real estate operator in Brockton, Mass., until 1917; in Brockton and New York City since 1917; mem. Y.M.C.A.; Relig. Baptist; Address, 2380 Seventh Ave., New York, N. Y., and Checkerton Bldg., Brockton, Mass.; Residence, 290 Convent Ave., New York, N. Y., Belmont Ave., Brockton, Mass., and Oak Bluffs, Mass.

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In 1922 his work first appeared in the *Double Dealer*, a magazine published in New Orleans, La. "Cane" a novel, sketches of Negro Life, was published in 1923.

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