

# Heywood Patterson To Be Tried For 3rd Time Monday In Alabama Court

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# Trotter Elected President Of Local NAACP

## Lynch Plot Uncovered By 'Soap Salesmen'

New York. (AP)—Samuel S. Leibowitz, chief of defense counsel in the trial of Heywood Patterson, one of the Scottsboro boys, at Decatur, Ala., will seek to have Patterson's third trial moved to Mobile, he announced here Friday.

He is going to Decatur where Patterson is to be arraigned again Monday, Nov. 20, and will there seek a change of venue. The Alabama law permits only one change of venue. Patterson's second trial was moved from Scottsboro to Decatur. Leibowitz will take his appeal for a change to the United States Supreme court if it is denied next Monday, it was indicated.

Affidavits are said to have been circulated indicating that members of the Alabama National Guard will seek an opportunity to turn the boys over to the mob in Decatur if a new trial is held there, but Leibowitz refused to comment on these affidavits which are thought to have been secured by George Chamlee, attorney, associated in the defense. The interviews contained in the affidavits were obtained by four men, posing as brush and soap salesmen.

## Minister Fights Ouster Attempts

Leavenworth. Lack of harmony among the members of the congregation of the First Baptist church and an attempt on the part of some of the brethren to oust the pastor, the Rev. Matthew Frazier, has resulted in the filing of an injunction suit by the pastor against 11 of his members.

The action of the minister came after he had forced his way into his church Sunday morning through locked doors in order to hold services. When the Rev. Mr. Frazier, reached the church Sunday, he found the doors locked. The source of the trouble seems to be the desire on the part of a small faction in the congregation, which is opposed to the Rev. Mr. Frazier, to place another minister in the pulpit.

**SIoux CITY, IOWA.**  
Mrs. Hayes and Mr. Hubbard were married Nov. 1. A reception was given for them in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Davis, 616 Ponce de Leon. Mrs. Loraine J. Shoemaker left Nov. 2 to teach in Piney Woods. A surprise birthday party was given for Mrs. Beulah Dorris, 616 Ponce de Leon. A choir of 16 voices under the direction of Mrs. Lena N. Thomas, was heard in a concert of spirituals at six performances of "Emperor Jones" at the Capitol. E. S. Gilbert assisted in the management.

**OTTUMWA, IOWA.**  
The Junior Missionary society of the Second Baptist church will meet Tuesday, Nov. 21, at the home of Frederick Williams. Mrs. Flossie Johnson spent the week-end in Keokuk visiting with her husband, J. E. Johnson, who is employed there. The Ottumwa Bulldogs, high school football team, won the Iowa state championship when they defeated the Oskaloosa Indians Saturday, 36 to 6. Bernard and Maynard Black, Maurice Jackson and Clarence Adams are players on this team.

## Punches that Count:

This week the Bystander sent out and S. O. S. call to its out-of-town friends, urging payment of their subscription. The first response came from Mrs. J. E. Johnson of Burlington, who for years has been a loyal supporter of the Bystander. We appreciate this fine spirit. Just such friends as this keep this and other race institutions going. Thanks!

## Negro Defense For Crawford

Leesburg, Va.—An array of Negro lawyers will furnish defense counsel for George Crawford when he is brought to trial here December 12 on a charge of murdering two women, the N. A. A. C. P.—announced this week from its New York office. Chief counsel will be Charles H. Houston, vice dean of the Howard University law school, who is also a member of the N. A. A. C. P. national legal committee. Mr. Houston will be assisted by Edward P. Lovett, James G. Tyson and Leon A. Ransom, a professor in the Howard law school. All will work without fees.

Mr. Houston conducted the move here Nov. 6 which sought to quash the indictment against Crawford because it was drawn by a grand jury from which colored citizens and taxpayers of Loudoun county were excluded. Mr. Houston contended the colored people had been barred because of their color—unconstitutionally. After a day of examining witnesses, Judge James L. McLemore ruled the exclusion was not because of color and ordered Crawford to trial on Dec. 12. The selection of all-Negro counsel has met the approval of the Negro press and many prominent Negro citizens who feel that though it is a gamble in a southern state it is a great opportunity for Negro lawyers.

## Negroes Elected to Church Council

At the annual meeting of the Des Moines Council of Churches held Monday at the Central Church of Christ, Rev. J. W. Tutt, Union-Baptist church and Mrs. S. Joe Brown, St. Paul A. M. E. church, served on the nominating committee; Rev. Geo. W. Robinson, Corinthian Baptist church, pronouncement of the invocation at the dinner and J. W. Johnson, Union Baptist, served as one of the tellers of the election. Atty. S. Joe Brown acted as secretary and was elected director at large on the council executive committee.

The other officers elected were: E. O. Gammon, Wesleyan Methodist church, president; Rev. J. N. Garst, First Baptist church, first vice president; Prof. Everett Davis, First Friends' church, second vice president; Caroline Gruener, First Evangelical church, secretary; J. R. Capps, treasurer; and Mrs. Walter Hutton, Mac Hethershaw, D. W. Morehouse, president Drake University and Rev. W. H. Phelps, Central Presbyterian church, directors at large.

## Many Employees In Legislature

The special session of the Iowa legislature opened last week at the state house. Several Negroes are employed in various capacities in both the House and the Senate chambers. The Senate employees include: Mrs. Claude Bland of Keokuk, George Logan and George Stewart of Des Moines. Those employed in the House are: Pete Russell, of Ft. Dodge, Chas. Gross of Sioux City, Henry McCrayen, Pearl Thomas, Jimmy Shelton and John Danforth of Des Moines.

## MORAN, IOWA

The Church of God in Christ gave an entertainment Friday in the home of the pastor, Elder J. Jacobs. St. John's Baptist Mission Circle gave an entertainment Nov. 11 in the home of Mrs. Aron Carey. Mrs. J. C. Welch was in Des Moines Nov. 11. Rev. J. B. Ross and Moses Allen were in Des Moines Saturday. Mrs. Mattie McDowell, mother of Mrs. Ernest Devan

## Brewer, Rederick Win Places On Tribune's All-City Eleven

Curt Tillman On Second Team

By Everett Wadsworth Staff Writer  
Keeping up the tradition, Haywood Brewer, stellar halfback, and Lawrence Rederick, elongated end, both of East High, were among the five Lee township gridders to win places on the all-city team selected by Frank Brody, sports writer of the Evening Tribune. East High, city champions by virtue of victories over Lincoln and Roosevelt and tie with North, was awarded the most positions.

## Two Colored Boys

Very few years have gone by without at least one Negro winning one of these top-notch honors. The all-star prep lineup includes: Morris, (North), Rederick (East), ends; Buntz (East), Gallagher (North), tackles; Davies (East), Gifford (North), guards; Conkling (Roosevelt), center; McMichael (Roosevelt), quarterback; Brewer (East), Woltz (Roosevelt), halfbacks; Hohl (East), fullback.

## Best in Iowa

Brewer is described by Mr. Brody as a "slashing, off-tackle runner, a fine driver in the open and a ready passer." Rederick's work as a fine tackler, hard blocker and faultless pass receiver, stamps him as one of the best ends in Iowa since the old days when Leonard Anderson used to grab "em for the Scarlet and Black in 1921 and 1922; when your writer was striving for a place on the varsity only to finally land on the bench with the second squad to climb no further.

## Asby's Prize

Curtis Tillman's play at tackle for East which gained him a place on the second all-star aggregation is all the more remarkable when one considers that he is handicapped by an injury which makes it difficult for him to run. Although he log has a permanent limp, it makes him none the less effective as a star lineman. The Bystander recognizes the merits of these boys in the words of Allen Asby, our sports writer, who said, "We take our hats to these boys for their excellent work and consistent playing; here's hoping that they are not forgotten in the choosing for all-state berths."

has returned to her home in Des Moines after spending about 10 days in the Ernest Devan home. Rev. Florence Schuler of Des Moines preached at 11 a. m. Sunday at St. John's church. Rev. Schuler while in Moran will be in the home of her cousin, Mrs. David Maupin.

## PERRY, IOWA

Sunday, Oct. 28 was Missionary Day and the three branches of the A. M. E. Zion Methodist church, Rev. W. L. Buneke, pastor, sponsored programs all day. Mrs. Ella Moore is president of Women's branch. Mrs. A. Johnson is superintendent of the Buds of Promise. The buds sermon was preached by Rev. Harry Cook. Mrs. C. E. Blank is superintendent of the young women's society. The Bethel Baptist church, Rev. Brown, pastor; St. John Baptist church of Moran, Iowa, Rev. J. Ross, pastor, and their members cooperated here all day Sunday. J. B. Morris, Editor of the Bystander, and son, were Perry visitors Sunday, and they attended the afternoon service at the Methodist church. Mr. Morris gave an interesting talk on "The Training of our Children."

## FT. MADISON, IOWA

Mrs. Lydia Calhoun was called to Kansas City (the bedside of a niece who is seriously ill in her home and while there she was summoned to Coffeyville, Kan., to be at the bedside of her sister. A grocery hunt will be sponsored by the members of New Hope Thursday night for the benefit of the Stewards board. Our union Thanksgiving service will be held in New Hope church on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock with the sermon by the Rev. B. F. Moses, the new pastor of Bethel A. M. E. The three churches participating will be Bethel, Second Baptist and New Hope.

## Grand Jury Probes Maryland Lynching

Cambridge, Md.—(AP)—The lynching of George Armwood at Princess Anne may be investigated after all. For a time it appeared that no investigation would be made, State's Attorney John B. Robins of Somerset county having announced that not enough evidence had been uncovered to warrant presenting the matter to the grand jury.

At a conference held in Cambridge Tuesday, in which Chief Justice Joseph F. Bailey took part, it was agreed to summon the grand jury within the next three weeks. Assistant Atty. General William P. Lane, Jr., attended the conference. It is thought to have been arranged as a result of a conference held in Governor Ritchie's office last Friday.

## HAROLD MORROW CAPTAINS SOCCER CHAMPIONS

Harold Morrow, 1060 42nd st., is captain of the Nash school soccer team which won the city championship this year without a defeat. John Burk is the other colored member of the team. Harold is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Morrow.

## Local Negro Vets Celebrate Armistice in a Big Way

The biggest reunion of Negro world war veterans ever held in the city since 1919 was sponsored Saturday at a stag party given at 923 14th st. by Lincoln American Legion post, No. 126. Ex-soldiers, war buddies, officers and buck privates mingled as one and washed their '18 memories down with 32 and hamburgers.

Many prominent veterans attended including Andrew Daley, ex-secretary, U. S. Veterans' Employment bureau, and Val Wells, vice commander, 6th district, who gave brief talks on membership and employment problems. The hilarity and "whoopie" which lasted till the grey dawn were aided by a plentiful supply of ground hog, game dinners, cheese, pretzels, sandwiches, and what have you, which were free to the guests.

Sam Roane, chaplain, and Gude L. Leath, senior vice commander, were in charge of the entertainment and refreshments. This affair which proved to be a great success is planned to be an annual affair.

## Sports By Allen Asby

And still they call it footballitis, we call it a case of plain utsany. Even so, gangs of people looked on and yelled as the boys of all races fought for the supremacy of the gridiron. At Ann Arbor, last week, Ward of Michigan, proved that he could do something else besides run, for he turned in a first class job at defensive end as Iowa went under. We're still backing Ward as a selection on one of the All Conference teams. Lyons of Indiana, booted the extra point to tie Chicago and missed two field goals in attempts to break up the ball game. McCray continued to steal the show as Michigan State tied Penn State. We'd like to see McCray with a strong Big Ten team.

## High Schools

In our backyard, North and East fought to a draw with our boys being muchly there. Tillman did O. K. at tackle and Rederick continued to stand out at end. Rederick's pass grabbing saved East high more than once this year and he deserves recognition, besides he was a hard tackler and nice blocker. Speaking of twists of fate, the two boys, both Negroes,

## Peterson Granted Stay of Execution

Montgomery. (AP)—Willie Peterson, convicted of the murder of Augusta Williams, Birmingham society girl and sentenced to die, was granted a stay of execution until January 12, 1934, by Chief Justice John C. Anderson of the state Supreme court, Friday. The stay is to enable Peterson's lawyers to perfect an appeal to the United States Supreme court. Peterson had been condemned to die December 8.

## Stepfather Kills Girl; Negro Lynched

Napoleonville, La., Nov. 17.—Special investigators sent here Sunday by a committee of prominent Negroes, disclosed the fact that Freddy Moore, 17-year-old colored youth, who was lynched in the town of Napoleonville, La., on the night of Oct. 11, was innocent. The investigators succeeded in uncovering a hidden fact, viz., that the murderer of the dead Anna Mae La Rose (white) is a white man, her stepfather, who confessed to a Catholic priest, the latter summoning the sheriff, who arrested Davey, as he is known, and lodged the culprit in the city jail where he is now confined.

## Two Girls Win Dillon Prize Essay Awards

## Negroes Reelected To City Council

Cleveland.—(AP)—Maintaining a six year unbroken record, three colored men were again elected to the city council, Tuesday, when 30,000 colored voters, stung to the quick by a vicious attempt of the local Democratic organization to disfranchise 12,000 of their number by a wholesale challenge of votes, swept Ray T. Miller from office, elected Harry L. Davis mayor for the fourth time, and sent Lawrence O. Payne, Leroy N. Bundy and John E. Hubbard to the council. Mrs. Mary B. Martin, first colored member of the board of education, whose candidacy for re-election was sponsored and conducted by a city-wide committee, was an easy winner.

## Garner and Wife Injured In Smash

Pasadena, Calif., Nov. 17.—George R. Garner, international tenor; his wife, Mrs. Nettie Pauline Garner; their daughter and chauffeur of Chicago, narrowly escaped death Thursday in an automobile crash at Summit Pass. With lacerations about the face and body Mrs. Garner was badly shaken up and is still suffering from the shock. The Garners were on their way here for the opening of the Pacific coast concert season. They have a home here and had been in Chicago since June.

## PICTURES LOANED TO Y.W.C.A. BY WOMEN'S CLUB

The Des Moines Women's Club has loaned to the Blue Triangle Branch Y. W. C. A. for an indefinite period twenty-four sepia prints from its art department. Each picture is a copy of one of the old masters. The music committee will present the second in its series of "Musical Moments," Tuesday, November 21, at 8 p. m. Mrs. J. J. Green, Jr., music instructor, Drake University, will talk on "The History of Music." The annual Thanksgiving vesper service will be held Sunday, Nov. 26, at 5:30 p. m. with the religious education committee in charge.

## RICHARD DIX IN ANOTHER BIG HIT

Starting Saturday, Nov. 18, for four days, the "Day of Reckoning," starring Richard Dix, will be shown at the Strand Theatre. A revelation of "wives who wait," the story concerns the iron rule of prisons that "no woman will wait for a man more than three years." The supporting cast includes Madge Evans, Conway Tearle, Una Merkel and Stuart Erwin. The midweek offering "Pilgrimage" starring Heather Angel, Norman Foster and Marian Nixon, will be shown Wednesday for four days. A regular line of shorts starring Negro actors and entertainers are also shown each week at the Strand.

## LINCOLN POST AUXILIARY ATTENDS DISTRICT MEET

The fall conference of the American Legion Auxiliaries, sixth district, was held Wednesday, Nov. 8, at the Hotel Savery. The afternoon session consisted of reports of state officers and committee chairmen. The address of welcome was given by Mrs. Elbert Hall, president Lincoln post unit, with response by Mrs. John Sawyer of Winterset. The main addresses were given by Mrs. Whitford Negeimor, district president, and Myrtle Skelley, secretary. At the joint banquet with the district posts held in the evening, Lincoln post unit was represented by Mrs. Hall, Mable Mason, secretary, Mrs. S. Joe Brown and Mrs. G. L. Leath.

Two girls were awarded prizes for the best essays in the Hortense Dillon contest at the local branch N. A. A. C. P. November meeting, held Thursday evening at Burns M. E. church. This contest, sponsored by Mrs. Hortense N. Dillon, recounting the achievements of the Negro race, for junior and senior high school students was won by Adair Graham, North high, 803 Boyd st., on "The Negro in American History" and Geneva Morrow, 1060 12th st., West junior high, on "The Negro in American Literature." The cash awards totaled \$25.

The other contestants included: Verna Gene White, Donna Graham, Attrell Jett, Mary Jane Asbury, all of North high, and Dorothy Wheels of East high; W. M. Frye, Amos Hiatt junior, Guy Walker Smith, Callahan junior, and Braddie Morris, West junior. One contestant was disqualified by entering the essay too late for consideration and failing to put the name of the school on the manuscript. The judges were Rev. Stoddard Lane, Plymouth Congregational, Mildred Jessup, Drake University, Ruth Marie Brown, Blue Triangle Y. W. C. A. and Rev. H. L. Overton, Burns M. E. church.

After the presentation the following officers were elected: A. P. Trotter, president; Rev. H. L. Overton, 1st vice-pres.; Anna Mae Mary, 2nd vice-pres.; Lucille Baker, secretary; Earl Newcomb, asst. secretary; Georgine Morris, treasurer. The members of the executive board are: A. A. Alexander, S. Joe Brown, Casper Schenk, J. B. Morris, Lillian Edmunds, Harrison Gould, Hortense N. Dillon, F. O. Morrow, and Dr. C. R. Bradford.

## 6th Annual Art Exhibit Nov. 24

The sixth annual Art Exhibit will open Friday evening, Nov. 24th, for three days at the Community Center. This affair, started several years ago solely by Mrs. Lillian Edmunds, director, for the development of the appreciation of art and culture in the city, will be sponsored again this year by the Dill-stante Club. Mrs. Anna Mae Garner, president, announces the tea for Sunday afternoon, Nov. 26, from 2 to 4 at the Center. A musical program will be given in charge of Mrs. Lulu Harris, chairman. The public is invited to attend the tea and view the art display. Cash prizes will be awarded for work of all kinds.

## Large Crowds Attend Missionary Meetings

The United Missionary Conference, under the auspices of the Council of Churches of the Des Moines Area, which met in session here Tuesday and Wednesday, was attended by overflow crowds at the First Methodist church and Shrine auditoriums which were addressed by Drs. E. Stanley Jones, Dr. Herman Liu of Shanghai, China, Herbert Laflamme of New York, Miss Lillian Pickens of India, and fifteen other world missionaries. The Young People's Leaders' Supper Conference was held Wednesday evening at the First Methodist church. Drs. Alexander Paul, Walter Getty and Mrs. Lydia Glover De Seo were speakers at the banquet. Among the 400 guests were Melvin Overton, Verena Jean White and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wadsworth. Miss Pickens and Dr. Liu were the main speakers at the Young People's mass-meeting held at the church in charge of John Hayden, president of the Young People's Christian Federation. Dece Dunkey, executive secretary, was general chairman. Colored ministers and church leaders took an active part in the programs and sessions. Among the art exhibits at the Central Church of Christ was a religious painting created by Cornelia Leonard of this city.

# Jury Frees Man Held for Murder of White in Georgia

## 2 MINUTES REQUIRED BY JURY

### Attorney Garland is Eloquent in Plea for Aged Man

#### INDICT HIS SON

ATLANTA, Ga.—After being charged by Judge Harlan that only three verdicts the death penalty, life sentence or acquittal, were possible in the case, a jury in the Fulton County Superior court, after two minutes deliberation, returned a verdict of not guilty two minutes after retiring at the close of a two-day trial.

The elderly man was released late in the evening from Fulton County Jail.

According to court attaches, this was one of the quickest verdicts ever rendered in the Fulton County courthouse.

The jury received its charge after brilliant speeches had been made by Defense Counsel Reuben Garland and Solicitor General John Hudson.

The case reached the jury shortly before six o'clock.

Indicating that the state was not positive of the elder Bryant's guilt, the grand jury Friday returned an indictment charging murder to Charles Bryant, son of the defendant, who escaped after the shooting.

Several witnesses called in Wash Bryant's trial testified that it was Charles Bryant who had pulled a gun out of the door pocket of the large touring automobile they were riding in and fatally wounded the white man, who had come to the side of the Bryant automobile to argue over a near accident when Bryant's car passed the car Moss was driving.

### Welfare Workers Thrown Out Truck

MOBILE, Ala.—Julius Hamilton, 20 years, 3729 Duell street and Alcee Hamore, 47 years, 222 St. Bernard avenue, both welfare workers, were thrown from an automobile truck driven by Alfred Schmitt, (white) 35 years, 2711 Baroque street, and were sent to the Charity hospital for treatment.

The truck belongs to the department of Public Works and had been boarded by the two men on their way home on reaching St. Bernard and Chalbone avenue, a sudden turn threw both men to the ground. Hamilton received serious injuries and was kept in the hospital for further treatment. Hamilton received laceration of the face and hands but was permitted to go home.

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### New Theory Advanced as 7 are Buried

RED BANK, N. J.—A theory that the explosion which followed the crash of a National Guard plane near here Sunday, resulting in the death of seven persons, may have been caused by scattered burning coals was advanced by Harry Crook, chief county detective. He is acting for one of the five investigators but as yet is unable to ascertain the cause of the accident.

Funeral services for the two air men, Lieutenant George R. (Tuck) Johnson, noted aerial photographer and explorer, and Sergeant Alfred Paul, his observer, were held Wednesday. Both were buried with military honors in Arlington National Cemetery. Funeral services for the five Negroes also were held Wednesday.

The theory advanced by Detective Crook "was made" after a 175-pound kitchen stove was found in the wreckage of the one and a half story frame house into which the plane crashed and in which the five Negroes were trapped.

The stove rested within a few feet of the plane's motor, torn from the fuselage when it drove through the building. Witnesses said that the stove had been used to cook the family dinner and it was the opinion of Detective Crook that it was pushed the stove ahead of it as it ploughed through the structure and crashed, the burning coals set fire to the gasoline pouring from crushed tanks.

### Wealthy Ex Slave Dies in Americus

AMERICUS, Ga.—One of Georgia's wealthiest Negroes, John Crawford, died at his home here from old age Friday. He was 89, born in slavery in Virginia. Mr. Crawford came to Georgia many decades ago. He began his accumulation of wealth after leaving the services of Dr. Kinkle and Captain W. W. Hooks, Americus white men. They gave him 100 acres of land as settlement for wages due him and he began farming for himself. He started acquiring land over a long period of years and in 1919 sold them to R. L. McMath and associates for a cash consideration of \$78,000.

Crawford, in Virginia, was the property of Colonel Shadr Crawford. He left there soon after the close of the Civil War. He is survived by a wife and a son, John, both of Americus.

### FOIL JAIL BREAK OF 7 WOMEN

JONESBORO, Ark.—(ANP)—On grand larceny charges, to dig their way to freedom was foiled by the attempt of seven women, held in the jail here Thursday night. The jailer's wife was awakened by noise from the dining area, her room is directly over the cell in which the women were confined. When the jailer investigated he found the women intent upon their work. He slipped down stairs and returned with the keys to the cell. All the women were in their shoes, he returned and had posted a sheet of paper over the hole which had been dug about 18 inches square with all the bricks removed but the outside row, of which one of these was loose.

The women tried to shift the blame to three of the number, but the jailer said that he had seen all of them at work, assisting in the digging.

### BOLD ASSAILANT IS CAPTURED

BARLETT, Tenn.—(ANP)—Percy Smith was captured near Whitehaven Saturday as he attempted a getaway. Smith was characterized as the "bold young man," who attacked Mrs. R. L. Harbison, who locked her infant sister in a closet, and idly searched the house for valuables. Smith invaded the kitchen, cooked himself a meal and then left the house with a diamond and sapphire ring, a white gold wedding ring and a white gold wrist watch. When captured, he was riding in a wagon and readily confessed to having attacked the white woman.

Mrs. Harbison said that Smith had tried to shoot her when he forced her to submit to the attack. The pistol was identified by Henry Shetter, director of radio station WMC, as one stolen from his home by Frances Elzer maid, known as "Smith's woman."

Frances Elzer was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Joe Hendrick and Phil Armore and confessed she had ridden to the end of the Lamar car line with Smith a short time before his arrest, and that she was heading for Mississippi.

A posse made up of officers and citizens, surrounding the surrounding county and terrorized colored citizens living in the section near Bartlett, calling them "niggers" and forcing them out of bed late at night to submit to questioning. Some of them were ordered to go without shoes on.

### BIGGEST CME MEET IS IN ST. LOUIS

#### 900 Delegates Go To Annual Conference in Missouri

#### GOOD REPORTS

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—(ANP)—This city during the week which has just ended played host to the Southeast Missouri and Illinois Annual Conference of the C.M.E. church at Lane Tabernacle church, with Bishop Joseph C. Martin.

The conference is the largest of the C.M.E. denomination. More than 900 delegates, ministers, missionaries and layworkers were here for the sessions which began Wednesday and ended Sunday night when Bishop Joseph C. Martin made the announcements of the presiding elders and pastors for the ensuing year.

Delegates and ministers were here from Minnesota, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, West Virginia and Missouri. The opening sermon was delivered by D. W. J. G. McLin, pastor of St. John's church, Detroit.

Wednesday morning, Communion services followed the sermon, being conducted by the president of the conference and assisted by the General officers, presiding elders and other distinguished ministers visiting in the conference.

In the organization the following were elected: secretary, T. C. Lightfoot, Chicago; assistant, A. W. Walls, Detroit; private secretary to the presiding bishop, Mrs. J. C. Martin, Memphis; press reporter, A. W. Womack, Champaign, Ill. The four presiding elders, W. J. Turner, N. W. Clark, H. C. Coggins and L. S. Pinkett of the St. Louis, Chicago, Detroit-Pittsburgh and Champaign districts, respectively, served as committee on ministers.

Among the outstanding reports made among the pastors were those by Rev. C. H. Copeland, St. Paul; Chicago; J. W. Jacobs, Carter Temple, Chicago; J. W. Nicholson, Jubilee Temple, Chicago; T. C. Lightfoot, Mt. Carmel, Chicago; W. M. Goodwin, Park avenue, Chicago; M. L. Broadbent, Carter Temple, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Cora Hudson, St. Marks, Joliet, Ill.; W. L. Leddell, Gary, Indiana; J. C. Allen, Mt. Clemens; J. R. McLean, Lane Tabernacle, St. Louis; A. W. Womack, St. Luke, Champaign; A. Johnson, Beebe Chapel, Pittsburgh; J. Moppin, Scruggs, St. Louis; J. A. Craig, Parish chapel, St. Louis; and E. M. Dozier, P. K. Fews, A. H. Phelps, A. Turner and several at smaller churches.

Delegates to General Conference were: Clergy, H. C. Coggins, J. W. Jacobs, W. J. Turner, T. J. Moppin, W. Womack, C. H. Copeland, A. W. Womack, W. J. G. McLin, J. R. McLean, Noah, W. C. Martin, J. R. McLean, Alternates for the clergy: delegates, T. C. Lightfoot, J. S. Pinkett and J. C. Allen.

Lay delegates: Henry J. Carruthers, W. F. Mock, E. A. Beasley, Samuel Seay, Dr. O. B. Payne, Robert Johnson, J. C. Campbell, Miss Lela Randall, J. M. Sampson, Nathan Boles, Dr. R. G. Martin, Lay alternates: Mrs. Annie Rhodes, Yancy Evans, J. D. McKnight, Mrs. J. S. Pinkett.

# Dr. N.M. Watson Now Heads Terrell Memorial Hospital

MEMPHIS, Tenn.—In the state of North Carolina, in Hertford county, in the small town of Harrelsville, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Watson nine children, two girls, and seven boys. Later in life three became farmers, two teachers, two ministers, one a letter carrier and one a surgeon.

The proud parents of this family (who are now deceased) successfully cultivated fifteen hundred acres of the state's most fertile property. This family of Watsons was styled by both white and colored as one of the most outstanding families of that part of the state. From that time until the present date this estate has ranked among the most valuable estates of North Carolina. Not as the result of favorable circumstances or environment comes the unassuming surgeon of this family, but as the result of persistence and untiring effort.

Thirsty for Knowledge After Norman Mansel Watson had completed an elementary course of surgery on all unfortunate, whether cattle, swine, fowl or persons in his neighborhood, he was too restless to remain where he could not develop his calling as a physician and surgeon.

Finishing public school in Harrelsville, (which was given the city by his father) he respectfully refused the offer as an overseer of his father's estate in order to enter a boarding school at Winston, N. C. Norman would not accept a financial help from his parents, but he sought employment in hotels in New York City as a bell boy, and then as a pullman porter to put himself through college. A fact which is very proud.

After completing his high school course, Norman entered the college departments of Shaw University. In his junior year he was taken ill. Time was lost from school. On his return to college, he found that his class had left him. He was such a disheartening revelation that young Watson decided to branch off to a pre-medical course. For three summers he took special hospital work in the Dr. Myers at McGill University, Montreal, Canada; and under Dr. C. Smith at the University of Pennsylvania. Both of these instructors were experts in the profession of hospitalization.

Following three years of work at Shaw, he came to Jacksonville where he completed the last year of work at the University of Tennessee. In the spring he was graduated as president of his class. He immediately entered the same

TAMPA, Fla.—A traveler in the vicinity of Chestnut and North Oregon Avenue is attracted to a group of Negro men numbering 25 or more, under the direction of a young man, a skilled agriculturist, presently employed by the Hillsborough County Unemployment Relief Council as director of garden projects.

This young man, Thomas Newberry, a student of the State College of South Carolina, and a student of scientific agriculture from Amherst, Massachusetts, is master of the situation, and after a moment's conversation with him, one realizes that these little glands became victims of infection while doing their duty in protecting the body against infection.

Obviously, the condition that you complain of resulted from allowing your teeth to develop a very large cavity before you had it filled, and in these cases the toxing from the carious process continues to seep through the dentine of the tooth until it reaches the nerve which it infects and kills causing an abscess; this too, in spite of the filling and treatment given to the tooth, as it seems that no method of treatment has yet been developed that will completely sterilize these cases. All of this may take place so gradually and with such little discomfort that a chronic abscess may develop without the intervening acute symptoms; however, under conditions of exposure, lowered resistance, and fatigue these acute attacks will recur, pouring into the system a more violent dose of poison than during the quiescent periods, therefore, nature presses into service these little glands to protect your body against this lethal danger as it were, and it is under these conditions that your "kernal", or better still, your lymphadenitis occurs.

After many attacks these glands may break down and open on the face leaving an ugly scar, or tuberculous may develop, which is quit often the case with children and it is from this kind of condition around a tooth that rheumatism, cardiac, kidney and many other disease conditions come, this acting as a focus of infection. The treatment for these conditions can best be ascribed by the family dentist after he examines the case and determines the exact cause and he should be seen in every case. Until he can be reached a sedative should be taken and hot applications of magnesium sulphate may be made on the outside of the jaw in the region of the enlarged gland.

A better remedy still is to give your teeth careful attention that decay can never develop to this point, as the writer regards such illness as the most uncalled for that may inflict itself on the human family, and this can only be accomplished through the closest cooperation of both the patient and the dentist.

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It was an open confession of the late Dr. C. A. Terrell and Joseph Johnson that Dr. Watson was the best prepared anesthetist in the city during the time of his internecine work, and that he possessed surgical skill far above the average man.

During his internecine work he was the assistant house surgeon of the late Dr. C. A. Terrell. Dr. Watson at the same time was following up the post-operative work of Dr. Wheeler, Abernethy, Eugene Johnson, numbering 2000 major operations. Since that time he has performed himself more than a thousand successful major operations of his own.

Dr. Watson has never shown a trace of self-importance, a trait his experience as a surgeon has been astoundingly successful, and his work in hospitalization highly commendable. Compliments have not inflated him to be more than an humble servant of the people and more devoted of living up to the highest ideals of his profession.

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Scientifically speaking there is not any such thing as a kernel in medical nomenclature, although many doctors use the term in describing knots and swellings, etc., these swellings, when not in the lymph glands, are properly called cellulitis, when in the lymph glands or nodes they should be called lymphadenitis, which means an inflammation of the lymph gland, hence: what you really have, dear reader, is a lymphadenitis, or a glandular enlargement due to the fact that these little glands became victims of infection while doing their duty in protecting the body against infection.

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MEMPHIS, Tenn.—The Colored Trainmen's Hall, 27 Deoria Street, will be the scene of another mass meeting this coming Sunday afternoon, November 12, at 2 o'clock. At this meeting will be discussed the question, "Shall Unemployed Negroes Return to Africa or Take Stock of His Leadership—Which?"

Leading the discussion will be George E. Washington, chairman of the Fact Finding committee for colored trainmen. The meeting is to be similar to the one that was held two Sundays ago, but it will deal with other details of the unemployment situation among men of the Illinois Central and the Mississippi & Yazoo Railway Lines.

The general public is invited to attend and acquaint itself with facts. They hold with these lines: "Tonight members of the fact finding committee will be present at the monthly meeting of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People which will be held at the Metropolitan Baptist church. They hope to make an appeal to this body."

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