# **Blinded-Vet** Wins Round In S50.000 Suit

Contends Bus Driver Ordered Him Off Vehicle

CHARLESTON, W. Va - (ANP) The first round in a \$50,000 suit against. The Atlantic Greyhound

fice in Batesburg, S. C.
'The bus company's plen' that
Woodward's suit against it was not valid was overruled by Circuit Judge Julian F Bouchelle. He con tinued the case until September time to take deposition in other tates The blind veteran, who con tend he lost his sight by a beating administered by Batesburg's police chife, is suing on the contention ing that a Greybound bus striver first ordered him off a bus and then caused him to be arrested in the South Carolina town on February

He subsquently suffered the loss of both eyes when he was attack ed by the Bajesburg police Wood ward said. The bus company's contention that Woodward failed to establish a valid ground to his suit establish a value growing any spe-in that he failed to allege any spe-offic act of negligence by the comeffic act of negligence by the comdentify the driver was overruled by ladge Bouchelle

#### Fiery Cross Burns On Lawn Of

KNOXVILLE, Tenn - (ANP) -15 toot flery cross was discovpurchased home of Dr. E. F. Lenon here early last week. The suse, located in the 1800 block on frandridge Pike, is in a predomi-artly white neighborhood.

Dr. Lennen, who has practiced edicine locally for the last 30 ears, purchased the 13-room uilding at the institution of a While having some stensive alterations made to the couse, the doctor received several ability of democracy

About 9:30 p.m. Sunday a large crowd of speciators were attractbursting into flames of a 15 foot public opinion, the commission rections on the lawn. However, they wanted to stand back, and education with advance education just at that time; an earth-jarring made available to all who can explosion followed that was felt in the radius of one mile.

Freedom Train

Urgently Needed

of the Deciaration of In: HISTORICAL CARGO

dependence and 150 other histor. The train with its historical degements of liberty is badly cargo and freedom bearing sym-

needed in all parts of the United hole will be marded by 26 ma-positical and civic observers said rines. The carasan will be financ-

States, especially in the South, ed by the American Heritage here last week in commenting on foundation, Inc. The chairman of

the project it will do much good, the foundation is Winthrop W. they said, provided the director: Aldrich, president of the Chase take pairs to broadcast in every National bank, William Green, way possible the importance of AFL president, and Philip Much these documents as the basis for ray, CIO president, are vice chair-

# Advisory Commission On Universal Training Reports to the Army after Army officers had demanded that they

Bias, Jim Crow Would Be Banned Under Program

By LOUIS LATIER

WASHINGTON, D. C .- (NNPA). - After nearly six months of inten-sive study, the President's Advisory The believed that contributions to Commission on Universal Training the nation's health, education and Isaac Woodard, Jr., New York Commission on Universal Training, war reteran who was blinded by po. last Thursday recommended the adoption of such a program as a means of achieving national sepa-

rity and world peace,
"We recommend the adoption of miversal training because we are convinced that weakness on when the defense asked additional part not only involves our country United Nations on which rest our hopes for lasting peace," the commission states in the report, add-

"A weak and irresolute America is an invitation to failure A strong guarantee for our safety and for success of the United Nations

BAN BIAS, JIM CROW Under the proposed program, race discrimination and would be banned in both the dr ganization and training of men

The voluminous report was submitted to President Truman last from Kansas City where he had spent twelve days to be near. Me 64-year old mother, Mrs Martha Truman, who is seriously ill

President Truman received the report from Dr. Karl T. Compton. commission chairman. Five mem Doctor's Tenn. Home bers of the commission accompan man K Gibson, Jr., Daniel A Poling Samuel I Resman and the Rev Edmund A Waish

The number one requirement for a strong United States, the report states, is "strong, united, healthy mission asserted that "Evidences of economic instability, racial discrim ination and group conflict" in this country are seized upon by ene-mies to undermine faith in the

gard to race- a factor all too preva

While poverty, fil health, race prejudice and "slothful citizenship" were considered as having a direct effect upon national security, the remmission was unwilling to rec-ominepd limitersal training as a

means of correcting such condispiritual development could be better made by existing public and

SIX MONTHS TRAINING

versal training at the age of 17 race years. The plan, povides for a Selective Training system, minitar to Selective Service so that a civillan board in a locality would de-cide when young men in the local-

ry would be called up for training.
Under the plan's youth becomes liable for training at the age of 18 years or after be him tinished or abandoned high school, whichever becomes 20 years of age

Under the proposed plan, counsel would be made available without The plan outlined in the report any court whether civilian or mile calls for six months of basic train trary.

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ing experiences of colored soldiers during the war was their arrest by State and local authorities for trivini offenses, their trial before local magistrates, and road gangs or hall,

be turned over to them,

The commission also recommend that assaulting, a trainee by the Federal offense

(Note: The killing or assaulting of colored soldiers by civilian of cers or civilians in southern communities occurred with such quency during the war that former Secretary of War Henry L Stimson recommended to Congress that legislation be stacted making it a Federal offense to kill or assault a soldier while he was gaged in the performance

Britain sues Albania in World Court on ship mining in strait.

Overuse of bromides may cause neurosis, psychiatrist my



ton, native of Birmingham, Ala-

# SAYS ANTI-NEGRO TERROR ENVELOPING SOUTHLAND

Cfficació (ANP) Southern "the man I killed, Charles Van whites are carrying on a reign of Denhorst, alies Charlle Moon, of terror against Negroes, according to a statement contained in the habeas corpus petition of a former Negro policeman of Tampa Fla here last week in fighting extradition to the Brownsville, Fla, prison camp where he escaped 14 months ago white serve that the prison on March 12, 1946, after being "beaten, bruised and maimed by

Pearl McAden, the 58-year-old patrolman and former deputy sheriff, believes he "will be the victim of mob rule and lynch law if he is returned to the Florida prison camp. He contends that

Negro Youth Congress delegation to the World Youth Festival and will be entered in the contest for bama, and talented young musi- place in Prague, Czechoslovakia at will go with the Southern the time of the festival,

Convicted on April 29, 1844.
McAden escaped from the prison on March 12, 1946, after being "beaten, bruised and maimed by officers and constantly threatened with death by white prison afficers because he was ef the Neggro race," his petition read. He was select here on May 4 by FBI agents on a complaint charging

was seized here on May 4 by FBI agents on a complaint charging unlawful flight from custody, said Ulysses S. Keys, his lawyar.

"In certain sections of the South, a reign of terror has enveloped Negro citizens in their pursuit of happiness," McAden said. "Terror and lawlessiess are spreading to other states of the South."

# AN OLD ESTABLISHED INSTITUTION TAKES A NEW NAME



#### ... for more than half a century known as INDUSTRIAL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE COMPANY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA

were the years, the Industrial Life and Health Insurance Company has grown in size and usefulness, serving the needs of millions of people. Ott is cominnously growing in service, furnishing security through life insurance of every type. Ordinary as well as Industrial, thus meeting the insurance requirements of all- from the weekly wage earner to the top-ranking executive. The company has long felt the need of a name less restrictive in meaning, since Industrial is only one of several types of life insurance. As the company proceeds with its growth it will remain steadfastly true to the principle, which have guided it under the same charter since 1891 making still greater contributions to the strength and security of the South which gave it birth more than half a century

#### A Message from the President:

IN PRESENTING its 55th Annual Statement, LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF GEORGIA invites your attention to it. following interesting facts. The Company had in force at December 31, 1946, \$418,966.261.00 of insurance.

The Company's total admitted assets now exceed \$25,000,000 and are diversified as shown below which illustrates the important part the life Insurance Company of Georgia is playing daily in the maintenance, improvement, and progress of your community, its entire idea achieves, highways, pullic utilities and homes. No investment of the Company is in default as to principal or interest.

The Company had on hand above all liabilities (including reserve liability) \$9,346,319.39 for the additional protection of policyholders. For each \$1.00 of liability there is \$1.50 in assets zd proven quality,

The Company during 1940 increased the number of policies in force by 307,078 and the amount of insurance by \$71,328,405.00 its assets by \$5,526,-459.38. The Company during 1910 paid to policyholders and beneficiaries of deceased policyholders \$5,570,877,50, and pave employment directly to more than 3,000 people.

### **Industrial Life Changes Name** To Life Insurance Co. Of Ga.

House May 22 by Atty. Gen. Tom has the endorsement and a Clark at a gathering of more than of both President Trums 150 executives of labor, business, Atty. Gen. Clark.

Industrial Life and Health Insur ance Company, Atlanta; On which carries insurance for more than \$418 900,000 on many thousands of persons in 11 southern states and is one of the top ranking Industrial insurance companies in the instion has changed its name to LIFE IN-SURANCE COMPANY OF GEOR-

the liberty and safeguard of the lives and fortunes of all the peo-

The caravan will begin its 23,

Octomile sourney for a year on September 17, it was disclosed here last week. Negro leaders here said this should be welcome

news to all oppressed peoples and

Announcement of the proposed

tion" was made in the White

minerity groups.

nation-wide "year of

N McEachern, president said in a nanhouncement Saturday that the change was part of the company's program for widening its scope to provide life insurance contracts in arge amounts on an annual premditional weekly payment (Indus-trial) insurance which it has pro-

Mr McEachern asserted the company plans to increase its agency orce, now more than 3,000, and extend its operations into all parts of the country. It now has 125 district offices in Georgia, Florida, Alabama South Carolina, Arkaness, Mississipposessa. South Carolina, Arkansas, Mississip-pi, Tennessee, North Carolina, Vir-Life Insurance magazines

ginia, Kentucky and Louisiana.

The attacks upon the basic principles of democratic govern-ment abroad and anti-democratic

groups in America are reasons, Mr. Aldrich told the group in the

the movement in America to strengthen the faith of the people in the American way of life and

Mr. Aldrich also said emphati-

Truman and

White-House, for the

rededica cally that the tour would be non the White partisan. However, the project

the movement in

POLICIES REMAIN SAME Management and agency force remain the same and all policies bear ing the Industrial Life and Theur anne Comany remain completely valid, Mr. McEachern emphasized The change is merely to remove the restrictive implications of the form er name in view of the fact that the ompony has broadened its coverag es to provide many other types of than the Industrial which it exclusively for more than

half a century.

Because of its reputation for fisage amounts on an annual premmin basis, in addition to the transitional weekly payment tindusfrial) insurance which it has provided for millions of persons since
the country. It now has 123 district
in 1891.

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Office in Atlanta is now under con The company ranks third in the United States and Canada in the amount of Industrial Life Insurance written fast year, according to fig-

### Condensed Financial Statement as of December 31, 1946

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